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# Van Wert Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

November 2, 2013

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#### Officer 2013

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**ORGANIZED 1952** 

**Bob Barnes WD8LPY** 

CONSTITUTION ADOPTED: 1954

ARRL AFFILIATION: 1954

INCORPORATED NON-PROFIT: 1963

## **MEETING MINUTES:**

The meeting was called to order by the Vice President Dave Taylor at 8:00 pm. on November 2nd. with 12 voting members, I Associate member, I visitor present. Minutes from the October 19th. meeting was read and approved.

Treasurer reported a cash balance on hand. Motion by Ann Vogel to accept the report, 2nd by Larry Swaney. Motion passed.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS/OFFICERS/COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Secretary advised that the contract with the Fairboard has been signed for next years Hamfest. Also, tickets are being printed by the printer.

Duane Poling gave prestation on the subject of combining the NTS (National Traffic System) with ARES (Amateur Radio Emergency Service). No one seems to know what they would do since in emergency situations they operate differently. With all of the new technologies their seems to be less need of the NTS.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

Dave Taylor advised that he still does not have the information on the Klondike Derby to be held in 2014. Will try to have it by next meeting.

Dave Freels advised that he has a person who can check out the 100/700 repeater. He needs to get some information on the system to this person before we can proceed. He charges \$65.00 per hour plus mileage if he comes to your site.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

NONE

No further business, Ralph Shields moved to adjourn at 8:36 pm, 2nd by Ann Vogel.

Respectfully Submitted

Stephen J. Kouts, Secretary

Minutes approved at meeting	
Held on:	