C.A.R.E. Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date: 6/14/2016

Meeting was brought to order at 6:22 PM

Joe's first item of business was a request that each of us, when addressing the group during meetings, to please indicate our name and call sign.

Guests:

Chuck Yager: K7BBD since 1956 from Rogue River –

Rob Woskoski: KA5BXG 23 years retired Airforce Philippines

Dale Johnson: KI7END

Bob Ross: N7RBP brought David (?) as a guest and copies of prior QST

magazines to share

Chuck shared his reason for attending was to address a situation Joseph-W3JVC has Been involved in recently, regarding his homeowners associations request to remove his radio antenna. A meeting was held to resolve the complaint, where the homeowners expressed their concerns that the antenna was esthetically displeasing. Joseph's response addressed the benefits of having a nearby emergency communication device, which requires the antenna. Understanding these benefits, the group was not only motivated to allow his antenna to remain, but they also reversed the fine.

Announcements:

Joe-AF7GN announced there are two class opportunities offered by CARE per year, the next session 'Meet and Greet' will be on July 10th at Smullin Center at 2:00 PM Rm 106. The classes will begin on July 24th for approximately 12 weeks. These classes continue to be offered at no charge. However, the training manuals are available at the discount price of \$22.50 each.

Also, from now on, Joe advised he will be generating the newsletter twice a month.

Old Business:

Secretary's Report: Secretary is not available this month-no minutes

Treasurer's Report: Paid \$5 account fee & deposited \$6, current balance is: \$468.62

Field Day:

~Set up: Friday 6/24 – 4:00 PM@ Wes Howard Memorial Park, corner of Rossanley and Ross Lane...3 rolls of 100'coax donated by cable company; 4-3' tables and 1- 5' table on loan from Sharon Vail; 3-4x8 lattice is needed, at \$10 each. Curt – K7VZV made motion to use \$30 from treasury to purchase and Dale N7IXS second, group approved the purchase. Lattice will need to be cut, Joe will bring a battery operated saw and Curt has zip ties.

~Generators: Darrell KE7FNV has a generator on a trailer and has also is asking for 4 batteries from Les Schwab; Curt has a generator on truck; Joe has a generator on trailer. We will need long heavy duty extension cords-all attending requested to bring them to borrow and be sure to label with call signs for ease in returning to owners.

~Meals and water: Cases of water will be provided. Johnny-WA6RHKbrought up the ability to secure an assortment of pizzas for \$100 and have delivered from Phoenix. Sharon – KI7ENC made motion for club to buy and Darrell second, motion passed.

 \sim Field Day begins Saturday 6/25 at 11:00 AM and lasts 24 hours until Sunday 6/26 11:00 AM.

New Business:

Joe reminded there is no board meeting in July, regular meeting will be held July 12th. Joe feels the organization needs another 'Member at Large' – Joe nominated Bill Duncan K7WGD, Sharon – KI7ENC seconded nomination and group approved.

Joseph made a motion to publicize the topics of future trainings, which are scheduled for upcoming meetings and/or at Smullin Center, using email agendas. Curt seconded the motion.

Already scheduled on July 17th is: Basic soldering there will be a \$20 fee for materials. Class is limited to 12 people, from 1 PM to 5 or 6 PM

Meritorious Service Awards:

Were presented to Bill Bozarth KG7NII and Curt Hadley – KF7VZV for their exceptional contributions to the organization and community.

Late arrival/guest: Jim Brendle - KG7JUO requested assistance for the Applegate to Brookings/Wild River Relay this Friday, 6/17, 10:00 PM to 1:00 PM or later, he is still seeking one or more volunteers with mobile radios to man Whiskey Creek and Powers areas for emergencies. Darrell and Joseph volunteered.

Meeting adjourned 7:45 PM

Post Meeting Presentation:

Joe gave a presentation on "Logbook of the World"

Respectfully Submitted by, Debbie Dill - KI7ENG