

WAARC MINUTES 3/14/2024

Guests present: Ashlee Bose KF0PHX (now WG1RLS), John Wiles KG5EUN
Members present: Ben AB0AE, Mike WX0ONLY, John N0JDB, Rick KE0YYI, Bruce WB0GAG, Jeff D K0DMN, Chris KF0LLX, Secretary Wayne KE0JVU, Treasurer Michael W0HAF, Steve K KR0TZ, President Mark AB0DX, Jeanine N0NBR, Lloyd KB0CFD, Nicole KA0QZK, Travis KE0WOQ

The minutes were presented via email with one addition and approved with the addition.

The treasurer's report was presented, discussed and accepted.

Washington Birthday special event discussed with 13 cards to send out. A lot of good contacts.

Kewash Trail Half Marathon event will be held April 27, and they would like to have us help with comms again. We assist with the start, the finish, calls for medical help, etc. Call Mark to volunteer. You need your handheld, batteries, water and personal supplies. Traffic vests are required but we can loan one to you.

Parks On The Air (POTA) at Lake Darling is scheduled for May 18, about 8 AM for setup. Camping is available if you sign up in time. We will be in the second area at the top of the hill. More info will follow. Be aware Hwy 1/78 is closed between Brighton and Lake Darling.

Next week, March 21, NWS will hold a weather spotter training event at the Library in Washington. They teach what to report and how to be safe. We will have a Skywarn net operating specially during Warnings.

March 23, SET training session. Check with Bruce (bdagel@machlink.com) for all Winlink how-to details.

March 30 is a licensing test date at the Library. Sign up at 9:30AM, test starts at 10:30 AM. Check our club website for scheduling.

Summer Field Day scheduled in late, June 22 & 23 hopefully at Marr Park.

John's Library Minute: featuring the Public Service Handbook. Check our website for availability.

March 28, ARES meeting in the Library on April 25, WAARC Meeting and May 16 also in the Library. Always, check in to our weekly Net Monday at 7 pm followed by the ARES Nets at 7:30 pm.

Rick and Jeff will fix the fender on the cargo trailer.

Steve moved to adjourn, second Ben, carried.
Respectfully submitted, Secretary, Wayne