

## July 17, 2017 Membership Meeting

Meeting started at 1930 by President Ron K4TCP.

Introductions were made and Ron recognized 3 new members: Tom, Buck, and Monroe.

Vice-President Ken W4KBN had no report.

Secretary Linda KM4WBN reported birthdays this month- Kevin N1KTJ, Steve KE4THX, and Bryce K4LXF.

Treasurer Dave K4DLE report attached.

Tom membership report- one new member last month and two this month. (Note that prorated dues were \$10 for all three.)

Bryce repeater report had no problems to report.

David AE4ZR VE reports that last month there were 5 or 6 tested and that the following Friday at the Governor's School that all 5 that tested- passed. There is only one, so far, registered for this month's test in Goose Creek.

Brian W4BFZ was absent- no QSL report.

Presentation for today- none. No mention of future presentations made this evening.

New Business:

SCPOTA- David, and company, made 12 contacts at Colonial Dorchester Park on July 8. Next activation to be Saturday, August 12, at Givhans Ferry State Park. Then in September, Saturday, September 9th, will be at Charlestown Landing. The next month mentioned was November, but was October meant? At Colleton State Park.

Summer Field Day: 2990 points and logs turned in already. A thank you card or message was mentioned for the use of field and facilities. Stations were operated around the clock this year. Phone and CW.

Eclipse Balloon Launch test was possibly a wash-out- no info.

Dinner meeting- Ken suggested Logan's in Summerville for Thursday, July 27.

Radio raffle- mobile radio won by Mel W4MEL.

Ray KM4FRG asked about the membership meeting for August as this is the day of the eclipse. It was decided that the membership meeting would be combined with the Board Meeting on August 7<sup>th</sup>.

The members present were asked for a nominating committee for Officers for next year, but, no one wanted to commit.

Meeting was adjourned at 2010 with no presentation following.

Secretary

Linda Wilson

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