



Minutes from SERC Meeting 4/4/16

The Meeting was opened by club president Bill Franklin K4FLV.

All present introduced themselves. We had 28 in attendance. John Snow W3ATR attended his first meeting. Good to have you here John.

K4JBV Bill read the minutes of the last meeting as posted on the club web site. They were approved by the membership.

KI4EFJ Dick gave the treasurers report. It was approved.

Bill K4FLV asked Ed K8DSS to report on the recent County EOC activities and exercises.

He reported that The TFIP drill on March 18th went very well with 11 participants.

He said that there were 28 present at the first quarterly meeting of the ACS at the EOC on March 22nd.

There will be a Hurricane Buck drill on the 20th of May more information will follow as we get closer to that date.

W2DEN mentioned that there is a winlink meeting on Tuesdays at 1pm at the Red Cross all are welcome to drop in if they are interested in winlink.

Brent W8XG showed us the Tour de Cure routes that were super imposed onto a Google map that he had made several copies of for the participants to use on April 10. It also showed station assigned locations with their call signs on the map.

Bill K4FLV said that there were 28 people already signed up for the Tour de Cure and that he could use a few more any one interested contact him soon.

K4JP on the Technical Committee said that all repeaters were working ok. K4JBV Bill mentioned that the dehydrator on the 146.73 repeater coax had quit and that he was going to repair or replace it if he could get access tomorrow.

Under new business Den W2DEN asked for volunteers for a ve session that he would like to have in April. A show of hands for VE's who could participate told him that he could go ahead and schedule it. It will be April 23rd at the Red Cross on Cantu Ct at 9am. Anyone interested should study and show up for testing.

The Meeting was adjourned at 7:34Pm W2ZZB Hans had a presentation about the early beginnings the battery and Morse code he showed early and present day ham stations. There was also a nice presentation of the Lewis and Clark expedition on the Snake and Columbia rivers along with some slides of a trip He and his XYL took to try and follow the Lewis and Clark expeditions' route..

Thanks Han's Great presentation.

Respectfully Submitted

Bill Martin Club Vice President