

Paducah Amateur Radio Association

Meeting Minutes-May 11,2009

Minutes by Beth,KI4ZAK

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM by Paul, KI4GKW.

The minutes were read & approved & will continue to be posted on the PARA website, www.w4nja.org.

The treasurer report was given & accepted as read.

Health & Welfare

Shank,W4KU, is well & the tower has been received.

Old Business

Audio Patch Boxes-Jerry,WA4TTL, has the patch boxes & they will be finished before the next meeting with Bruce's, KS4V, assistance.

PARA Constitution & By Law Changes- No changes

ARES- There was a meeting held on April 27 to gather thoughts. Harvey provided pointers. The next meeting will be May 28 at 7 PM.

Field Day- Greg advised the material for antennas had been ordered & enough material was ordered for the go boxes also.

Computers-software is installed but the network still has to be set up.

Radios- We will be using the clubs MP-1000,Ed's Ten Tec, & Bruce's rig.

Antennas- Beam & wire antennas that will be built before field day.

Ice Filters- They will probably not be received but we have the 5 manual filters.

Food-Bruce will be taking care of, it was also suggested for one of the meals we do a potluck.

Port A Pottie- Greg will shop for the best deal & may have one brought in as they have cleaned in the past

Park Permission-We have received permission to use the park.

Generators- permission to use is still being negotiated & the club will be purchasing the gas if permission is granted.

Trailer w/Beam- Paul,KI4GKW, stated it was no problem to use the trailer.

Fox Hunt- The amp has been received & will be installed before Bill,KY2O,leaves for FL.

Miscellaneous Other News

The packet cluster has been updated.

Sunday Evening W4NJA Emergency Net Controls

5/17-Logan KG4VKB

5/24-Dave WB5YYA

5/31-Beth KI4ZAK

6/7-Greg KY4A

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 P.M