

Chipola Amateur Radio Club

Meeting Minutes

7-20-2010

Meeting called to order at 1902

Jimmy opened with prayer.

Treasury report was given: Balance in checking 563.08

No minutes available from previous meeting.

ARES report: No change in Jackson or Gadsden counties

August Meeting: plan for September fish fry

Net control – Bill motioned to change the net call night from Monday to Tuesday. Dick 2nd motion carried. New net night will be advertised on both websites and will be announced on the remainder of the July Monday night nets. Tuesday net nights will begin in August.

September fish fry – have possible presentation before, a work day and then ear.

Streaming over the internet – work in progress. Bill has the laptop and all we need to do is load the broadcast software on it. Gary to send Bill a link to the software.

ARES repeater needs to be brought off the air and relocated from the old jail.

NEW Business:

Repeater controller dies. Replacement cost of new controller board is about \$300. Repair cost for repairing controller board is about \$100. Jeff will send board in for repair – if under \$100 fix it – if over \$100 buy new board.

Insurance – get policy to cover materials about \$5000 worth at \$75 year (feed line, controller, antenna and installation) Gary will look into this.

Gary demonstrated how to make a coaxial sleeve dipole.

Dick motioned to adjourn. Jeff 2nd motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 1958

Members present:

Gary Brown

Bill & Becky Everitt

Jimmy Adams

Dick Wagner

Charles Odom

Jim Norton

Dr. Jeff Hagan

Kerry (AIRCW) Gadsden County EC