

Minutes for the 04/11/2017 SARA Meeting

The meeting was held at Baker College room 1632
6 members and 2 guests in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 1900 EDT by President Don Warner WB8GUS

Motion by Kevin Middleton K8MID to approve the 3/14/2017 SARA minutes, second by Chuck DaFoe K8DZH. Motion carried.

Dennis Phillips KC8ETW presented the treasurer's report. Motion to approve by Kevin Middleton K8MID, second by Michael Middleton KF5MYQ. Motion carried.

Old Business:

Considerations for a Field Day location.

1. Public visibility
2. Ability to run generator(s) without disturbing neighbors
3. Electrical noise
4. Availability of restrooms
5. Controlling access to antennas by visitors

No better locations for Field Day were found, so 2017 Field Day will be held at Shiawassee County Fairgrounds.

On 4/11/2017, Dennis Phillips KC8ETW paid the fairground rental fee for 2017 Field Day Operations which will be held June 24th and June 25th 2017

Kevin Middleton has not had an opportunity to check functionality of the Yaesu FT-1000 MP yet.

Radio room status – no change

The sale of the IC718 SN03952 to Chuck DaFoe K8DZH for \$325 was completed on 3/14/2017

Dennis Phillips was added to the Yahoo Group as an assistant moderator.

New Business:

Kevin Middleton K8MID will be running the MIQP on 4/15-4/16 at his house under the W8QQQ club call sign. Club members are welcome to participate.

Don Warner WB8GUS provided an update on his SDR project.

Discussion was held regarding the N1MM logging software.

Motion to adjourn by Dennis Phillips KC8ETW, seconded by Chuck Dafoe K8DZH.
Motion carried

Meeting adjourned at 1939 EDT

Respectfully Submitted
Philip Bates
AC8FW
SARA Secretary