

Present: Gene Ellingsen-N0VRM, Mike Lovold-N0PDG, Bruce Carlson-KN0NUL, Robin Davis, Gary Minter-KD9ABS, Doug Nelson-AA0AW, Grant Forsyth-KC0WUP

Meeting called to order at 6:33 pm by President Gene-N0VRM

**Minutes:**

Posted on web site and in the newsletter. Any questions? Move to approve by Gary-KD9ABS, seconded by Mike-N0PDG, motion passed

**Treasurer's Report:**

Checking 2,789.68  
Savings 2,174.01  
Subtotal Cash \$4,963.69

Winter CD 1,724.37  
Summer CD 0.00  
Subtotal CD \$1,724.37

Assets Subtotal: \$6,688.06

Outstanding Checks:  
Mahtowa Repeater -1,100.00  
Bob Boyd-KD0LYN Memorial -1,190.00  
Reserved Funds -\$2,290.00

Grand Total \$4,398.06

We are in good shape. Expenses are increasing due to picnic costs, food for meetings. Questions? Hearing none, motion to accept by Mike-N0PDG, seconded by Gary-KD9ABS, motion passed

**Picnic:**

Was a success. Raffle Tickets - 128 tickets sold \$256.00 back into the kitty. Not a lot of new Ham Radio Operators at the picnic. We need to work on getting more people to attend events, check into nets, etc.

**New Business:**

Effective after the next election, Mike-N0PDG will not be running for the office of Vice President. He wanted to nominate Repeater David Pyrlík-K0DJP for Vice President. Six (6) years is long enough for him to be Vice President and he thinks we need young blood getting involved in the Club. Thank you to Mike-N0PDG, as he is one (1) of the best program coordinators ever. He thinks change is good and he is ready for somebody else to step into the role

**Club Promotion:**

Talking with Kim Waller-KE0NQS, she is trying to get a promotional video for ARAC. She talked to Dennis Anderson-W0DIO and he is willing to narrate the video. Kim-KE0NQS is looking for additional history on ARAC. Plans are to use it to promote our Club both in and out of the Ham Community

**Programs:**

Program suggestion on how to check into the nets

**Testing:**

Possible test session early October

QSL Card:

Randy Solem-KF0PUG, QSL card sent to the Club

Ham Fest:

Brainerd Tail Gate Ham Fest, August 14, 2021 at 9:00 am. Free admission held at Crow Wing County Fairgrounds. Several Hams from their Club attended our Ham Fest and a few from our Club are attending this Ham Fest

Grant-KC0WUP arrived at 7:02 pm

Motion to adjourn by Mike-N0PDG, seconded by Gary-KD9ABS, motion passed at 7:07 pm