

South Alabama Radio Club

July 18, 2013

MEMBERS PRESENT WERE:

John KE4HIE (President), Pat KG4LNX (Treasurer), Larry KF4GRA (Secretary), Jeff KI4QBT, Mike KJ4DPX, Geraldine KC4WNF, Jerry KA4IHE, and Sandy Palmer.

Members voted to accept Lamar Brown KT4DLB as a new member of SARC.

John Brown called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM

MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING:

The minutes for the last meeting were read and approved by members present.

TREASURE REPORT: The bank balance as of June 28, 2013 was \$392.89 with \$10 added giving a balance of \$402.89. Jerry made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Mike seconded. The treasurer's report was approved.

OLD BUSINESS

- John reported that there is a proposal to Repeater coordination by Kelly S. Taylor KD4LPS to have a repeater 145.370 - and 100 hz tone south of the 11 mile post about 50 ft with 83 watts effective radiated power. This repeater is an open repeater.
- FIELD DAY: John mentioned that he filed the report with ARRL as a 3A station as we had 3 transmitters on at the same time. We had a total of 163 Phone contacts and 48 Digital contacts for a total of 1468 Points.
- Antenna placement was good for operation as there was no interference between stations.
- Received a QSL card from KOLOR for Field Day PSK 31 contact
- Need for next year:
 - More campers
 - More late night operators
 - Check weather Sunday Morning before shutting down operations
 - Blank QSL cards for requests by contacts
- Huntsville Hamfest Hotels Special rates
 - Springhill Suite \$95
 - Holiday Inn \$85
 - Ambassador Suite \$112

NEW BUSINESS

- none

The meeting adjourned at 7:53 PM.

Respectfully submitted by

Larry DeFilippi (KF4GRA), Secretary