

Black Hills Amateur Radio Club, Inc.

Meeting Minutes for Friday, October 21, 2005.

The regular meeting of the Black Hills Amateur Radio Club, Inc. was called to order by president Bob Henriksen, KF0AM at 19:30 MDT. Twenty three members and guests were present.

The minutes from the September meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer's report was presented by Kathy Halgerson, KC0GWU and approved.

SkyWarn recognition day will be December 2nd and 3rd at the weather office (downtown). All are invited.

The Jamboree on the Air was successful. About 20 scouts were present and 19 contacts were made.

The governor has asked for a list of available mobile HF assets. EC are compiling the information.

The Pennington County Sheriff's Office is building a communications van and is including HF and VHF/UFH ham radio equipment.

Anyone interested in a DF antenna should contact Chuck Palmer, N0UKO.

Gene McPherson, N0MHF thanked everyone for their participation in the Big Mic ride and the MS 150 ride.

There will be a VE test session November 12th at the School of Mines. The test fee is \$14.00.

Old Business:

The annual auction will be held February 18 at the Senior Center from 9am to 4pm. The auction will begin at noon. The banquet will be at the Moose Lodge at ???. The cost is \$16 per person. Please send payment to Kathy Halgerson, KC0GWU

There are 4 PSK-31 kits available. Any left will be sold at the auction.

The dual band radio for the operations center has arrived and will be installed shortly.

New Business:

Due to interference problems, the packet node will be moved to the antenna building.

Gary Peterson, K0CX has received the DXCC Honor Role award.

Chuck Palmer, N0UKO has completed the Level III Emergency Communications course and is now a certified instructor/examiner.

The meeting was adjourned at 20:20 MDT

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Aldrich, WOWSP
Secretary