

Black Hills Amateur Radio Club, Inc

General Meeting Minutes May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

Meeting called to order by Gary Peterson at 1930 MDT.

Fourteen (14), members and guests were present.

Secretaries & Treasures report were read and approved.

There was news in the secretaries report that Carl, K0VVX; He apparently is pleading out and we will be able to contact victims assistance to attempt to collect some of our money. It will likely come in the form of payments.

Old News

We did our first online 501.3c tax return with the assistance of Scott Rausch. We will have to continue to do this annually.

Chris, Charles, Dan, Scott, & Bill volunteered to have a work party on Sunday June 1<sup>st</sup> at 1PM. Bob Hendrickson volunteered insulation and paint. Gary said that the area which needs the great attention is to fix the area around the old defunct solar heater. We will also attempt to contact other members to get the transfer switch installed as well.

The generator was tested by Dan Hern today.

Frank Shaw is the current trustee for the w0blk license. Gary has volunteered to become the current trustee for all HF operations and remote base. We will attempt have other members use their call signs on the VHF/UHF repeaters. A motion was made and approved to make Gary the new callsign trustee.

New Business

Next Saturday there is a surprise 88<sup>th</sup> potter for Buck Potter at the VFW. They are going to have refreshments. If you plan on attending please try to contact Frank Shaw and let him know. If you want to send a card also send Frank a card and he'll bring it.

Next month is field day. Please come out even if you want to shoot the breeze.

Next July 19<sup>th</sup> we will have our annual tail-gate summer swap. There is no fee to buy or sell items.

Scott Rausch has an ARES announcement: There is a Pennington county drill on June 21<sup>st</sup>. They need four volunteers as the drill is reduced for budgetary reasons. They will help out with the Red Cross and victims.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 MDT.

Respectfully Submitted,

Charles M Douvier, Secretary