

Black Hills Amateur Radio Club, Inc

General Meeting Minutes, May 15, 2009

Meeting called to order by Gary Peterson at 1930 MT.

Twenty One (21) members and guests were present.

Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Old Business:

Due to the new outside lights; we can scrap the need for the pole light.

Gary requests we have a spring work party when the weather gets better to include installing a new window or two and boarding up the old windows.

New Business:

The fire coordinator contacted Gary Peterson because they will have 3 Master-II repeaters and wanted to know if we wanted them; he expressed interest in the donation in writing.

KDSJ in deadwood bought a new transmitter and they are offering us their old MW5 transmitter if we will haul it away on June 5<sup>th</sup>. Anyone interested in helping contact Gary, K0CX.

Field Day is coming up at the end of June; anyone interested should come out. If you have any questions contact Charles, AC0GD or Gary, K0CX.

Gene McPherson suggested we drive and work six meters rare grid squares on some weekend.

Cathy Halgersen asked if the Volksmarch people needed help; and it was mentioned in fact that they do need help. They need a total of about twenty people. It's on the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> and they usually need the most help on Sunday.

Big Mick ride is coming up and Gene needs help, he will call the people that have helped in the past but call him if you are interested. Gene will not be there during the SD MS, WY MS or the Big Mick. He says they generally need you for 2-4 hours.

The technical committee discussed the proposal to move the 34/94 repeater but the idea was tabled and will be discussed again if someone is interested in performing tests without actually moving the repeater and comes back with results.

Meeting was adjourned at 20:05 MT.

Respectfully Submitted,

Charles M Douvier, Secretary