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BLACK HILLS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC.
3288 Sandstone Lane
Rapid City, SD 57701-5388

Call to Order: The BHARC monthly meeting was called to order at 7:30pm on 19 October 2018 by President Ryan Lindblom. The meeting was held at the EE\Physics Building on the campus of the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology and there were 24 members present. The sign in sheet is attached to original meeting minutes maintained by the Secretary.

Introductions: All

Secretary's Report: The meeting minutes for September was sent out prior via email to officers and board members for review, and after approval, was sent out to the rest of the club members. Dustin Willett made a motion to approve the Secretary's meeting minutes; none opposed.

Treasurer's Report: Dustin Willett reviewed the Treasurer's Report and made copies for review. Betty Smith made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report; none opposed.

Old Business:

1. Mike Schaff states that the mail order form is being created so the club is able to purchase apparel with the club logo on it. He will have it mailed out in about a week.
2. Michael Schaff and Ryan Lindblom reports that the Veteran's March went well and he is still waiting on the t-shirts.

New Business:

1. The clubhouse cleanup has been changed from tomorrow to 20 October. It will start at 8:00am.
2. Jeff Halgerson informed the club that there are two FT100 Yaesu's; Harry Martens has one and Jeff has one and they aren't being used. Anyone who has any ideas regarding what to do with them to let him know.
3. Mike McNamera made a recommendation to move the meeting up to 7:00pm to start in November. Mike Schaff made a motion to approve; none opposed.
4. Skywarn Recognition is coming up on 1 December. Donald Jarvinen is going to check with Susan for specifics.
5. Dustin reports that the club was contacted by Stevens and Central High School. Dustin gave ½ hour presentation to 22 Stevens High School on amateur radio. He will do a presentation for Central High School in November.
6. The South Dakota School of Mines and Technology is looking for an advisor. Chris Jaques will follow up on this.
7. Dustin Willett is needing stamps and is asking for approval from the club that he purchase stamps. Betty Smith made a motion to approve; none opposed.
8. Jamboree on the Air: 20 October

9. Don Jarvinen gave an update on Summits on the Air: Most people are active during the day, with 40m working better at night. The bands are still up and down. 5 and 10 watts won't help; 100 is better. Mike Schaff contacted a ham 54 miles south on his HT on simplex.
10. Update discussed regarding Baofang radios. Make sure you stay within the ham bands. Be careful; until there's a final ruling on them.

Adjourn: Rich Smith made a motion to adjourn at 7:56 pm; none opposed.

Presenter/Presentations: Martin Kocanda gave a presentation on Diligent Analog Discovery 2.

BETTY M. SMITH, KA7PJQ
Secretary, Black Hills Amateur Radio Club