

Minutes for June 2018 Club Meeting

Lowell Amateur Radio Club Monthly Meeting - 06/21/18
Meeting Called to order: 7:03PM

Officers Present: (x)President (x)Vice-President (x)Treasure (x)Secretary
(x)Tech Advisor ()Web Master (x) PIO

Number of Members present: 8 Number of Guests present: 1
Of the 15 Attendees 12 are ARRL members

Secretaries Report: () Read - (x) Amended - (x) Approved
clarified Old Business re: Nathan and TM yagis

Treasures Report: (x) Read - () Amended - (x) Approved
Minutes and detailed financial report are available in club Dropbox

Vice President Report: Del (W8WDW) had nothing to report.

Technical Report: Josh (K8CPD) reported that he had picked up the thermal overload replacement for the tower shed and it needs to be installed. He also reminded everyone of Field Day this weekend.

Web Master Report: Nathan (N8THN) reported that there were no major updates to the website, he has posted the new exam questions for the Technician pool that takes effect July 1, 2018. And he has updated the pluggins.

PIO Report: Jack (NY8D) mentioned the events from the previous minutes and added that Field Day is this weekend.

Old Business:

- Field Day will be discussed and planning will be finished after the Business meeting is adjourned.
- The Morley site mowing has been taken care of, thank you to the volunteers who transported the mowers up to the site and took care of this. It will need to be done again in August.
- The WBBL site weed control has been taken care of by Nathan despite his bum leg, he reported that the site is still pretty torn up from the construction.
- There is no update on the YSF repeater project because we have not heard back from MIARC on the frequency coordination.

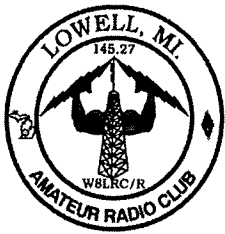
New Business:

- The club received a donation of a lawn mower, it did need some repairs the current club mower also needed some repairs. Most of the work was donated and a motion was made by Mike (KB8ZGL) and passed to approve the expenses to cover the cost of parts.
- Ron (AB8DT) the Michigan expert on Fusion will give a presentation on YSF at the club's July 19th meeting.
- We have received an offer of a Fusion capable HT to raffle off for use on the clubs new YSF repeater. We would like to publish this on the web site and

Facebook etc. We will need to get a raffle permit. The Officers group will coordinate this on #Slack.

- We received an invitation to participate in the Grand Rapids Makers Faire on August 18th and 19th at the Grand Rapids Public Museum. We decided to accept this offer and work out the details over the next month or so.

Meeting adjourned 7:25pm: Minutes by Secretary Tad K8TCS



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Monthly Meeting Sign-in Sheet 6/21/18

Name	Call Sign	LARC Member	ARRL Member
1. TAD SMEDES	K8TCS	X	X
2. Kevin McCarthy	KD8FAL	X	X
3. Hercules Andrus	KE8DGF	X	X
4. Darrell Cass	KE8IUJ	X	X
5. NED SWIFT	KE8AGE		X
6. PAUL JACKSON	W8OPD	R	
7. Josh Minski	KE8CPD	X	
8. Mike Wolters	KD8ZUL	X	X
9. Nate Hardman	W87HU	X	X
10. Del Rockwell	W8WDW	X	X
11. Erich Dellenbusch	WD8KXA	X	
12. Robert Robinson	KD8HNF	X	X
13. Jim Jaworski	A8BJR	X	X
14. John Bessinger	KE8IPG	X	X
15. JACK AMELAR	NYSO	X	X
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