

SAVE FOR 5-24-03

Snohomish County Ham's Club

Minutes of General Meeting held on 03-22-2003 at Providence Medical Center

The meeting was opened at 0800 R by President, Steve Burling, KJ7YL.

The minutes of the February 2003 meeting were read by the Secretary, Gary Whiting, W7MGG, and moved by Bill Painter, N7AOB, to accept the minutes as read. It was seconded by Bill Hughes, N7YH, and approved by the members.

Jon Fortier, N7WDF, gave a Technical Committee report. He said the repeater is going to be down from 23 March 2003 for about 7 weeks for refurbishing or replacement of the existing repeater. A back-up repeater will go up in place until the new system is installed.

The treasurer's report was given by Treasurer, Gary Whiting, W7MGG, for the period from 22 February through 21 March 2003.

Previous checking account balance	:	\$	1103.43
Previous savings account balance	:	\$	105.78
Income since 22 March 2003	:	\$	31.44
Expenses since 22 March 2003	:	\$	44.92
Checking account balance 22 Apr 03	:	\$	1089.95
Savings account balance 24 Jan 03	:	\$	105.78

Treasurer's Report as of 22 April 2003
(Since 22 March 2003)

Income

Membership dues income	\$	30.00
Refund from Verizon NW	\$	1.44
Total:	\$	31.44

Expenses

Verizon Phone for Feb & Mar 2003	\$	44.92
Total Expenses	\$	44.92

Don Anderson, AB7V, gave a report on VE activity. The last examination was given on 22 February 2003. The VE's participating were:

AB7V	Don Anderson
W7MGG	Gary Whiting
N7YH	Bill Hughes
N7AOB	Bill Painter
N7WUB	Frank Dolan
KJ7YL	Steve Burling

Eleven were tested; thirteen tests were administered; two failed. Four earned Technician; One earned Technician Plus; One earned General; and One earned Extra Class.

TODAY

The team for today will be:

AB7V	Don Anderson
N7WUB	Frank Dolan
W7MGG	Gary Whiting
WT7Q	Dick Walker
N7YH	Bill Hughes

Bill Hughes, N7YH, addressed two legislative bills in Olympia. He thanked all in our club who contacted legislators to express their views. He said that none of the bills got out of committee. These bills were about more taxes aimed at vehicle owners.

Carl Maring, W7CUB, is looking for a mobile HF antenna. It was suggested that a Swap-N-Shop be created and handled on the Sunday night net.

Don Brown, N7HUI, moved that the meeting be closed. It was seconded
and Steve Burling declared the meeting closed at 0900 R.
Respectfully submitted,
Gary N. Whiting, W7MGG
Secretary