## SNOHOMISH COUNTY HAMS CLUB

## MEETING MINUTES AUGUST 22, 2009

President Jim Ludden, KD7RHI called the meeting to order at 8 AM.

Introductions were made of members around the room.

Club Secretary, Paul Erickson – KD7EJI read minutes from the July meeting and they were approved as read.

Correspondence from the Radio Club of Tacoma was read regarding QST's needed to complete their library.

The treasurers report was read by treasurer, Gary Whitinger – W7MGG. It was moved and seconded that the treasurers report be approved. The treasurers report was approved.

Steve Burling, KJ7YL gave a a technical committee report. There was no new news on the 440 Repeater which is currently off the air. Steve said he would be contacting Jon.

Grant Hopper – KB7WSD was not present to give an Education Report.

Loren – KK7M gave a VE Report. At the July testing, 7 people were served, 5 earned Tech, and 1General was paper upgrade.

The mentoring committee report was given by Frank Dolan – N7WUB. Frank is still looking for mentoring committee forms to be turned in by those that have not done so.

Rob Salsgiver, was absent so there was no EMCOM/ARES report. But their monthly meeting would be at 7PM on the first Wednesday of the month. The ARES net occurs at 8:30 on 442.500 or 145.390 with a PL of 123.

Frank Remmington – K7GSE gave the DX report noting activity from K4M Midway Island Oct 9-19, TX3A Chesapia Island Nov 23-Dec 6, VK9X Christmas Island Nov 21-Dec 6. He noted a good website for DX Expeditions is <a href="www.ng3k.com">www.ng3k.com</a> and gave a report about his visit to the Pacific Northwest DX Convention.

Vice President Keith – AD7FT brought to the attention of the membership that we need a new person to manage the club website.

The meeting was adjouned at 8:35 AM by President Jim Ludden -KD7RHI.