

SNOHOMISH COUNTY HAMS CLUB

MEETING MINUTES OCTOBER 24, 2009

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

Jim thanked Vice President Keith Jackson – AD7FT and Frank Dolan – N7WUD for arranging for and providing Starbucks coffee for the meeting.

Introductions were made of members around the room.

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

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

Jim Ludden gave a short review of the results of the board meeting on October 5.

Grant Hopper – KB7WSD announced that the General Class License Class had been rescheduled to occur December 4-6. He also mentioned that operators were needed to help with the flu season needs.

Loren Hole KK7M gave a VE report. There were two sessions during the last month. Between the two sessions a total of 21 people were served including 23 Tech, 1 General, and 2 Extra Licenses.

The mentoring committee report was given by Frank Dolan – N7WUB. Frank said he was re-issuing the mentoring form to be turned in by those that have not done so. He also mentioned the success of mentoring Scouts during the Jamboree on the Air.

Rob Salsgiver was not present to give an 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 asked for a moment of prayer for the families of 4 Amateur Dxers whose plane crashed in the Bahamas. He mentioned the need for Hams at H1N1 sites, to check with the RACES website for details. He also mentioned the CQ WW SSB contest was occurring the current weekend.

Jim Ludden – KD7RHI mentioned that those interested in emergency service should make a point to try and get credentialed as it will allow you to receive L & I coverage as a volunteer in emergency service.

Keith Jackson – AD7FT mentioned that the Christmas party would be coming soon and he would be in contact with committee members. He also mentioned he was accepting recommendations for the Ham of the Year award.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:44 AM by President Jim Ludden -KD7RHI.