

SNOHOMISH COUNTY HAMS CLUB

MEETING MINUTES September 25, 2010

President Jim Ludden, K7KFB called the meeting to order at 7:45 AM.

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

The treasurers report was read by treasurer, Pam Snook – KE7WSK and it was approved.

Jim Ludden noted that the repeater was back on the air, but at the current time there is no autopatch.

It was also noted that a tech class is scheduled for September 17-19, General for October 15-17 and a tech class for November 12-14.

Loren Hole KK7M gave a VE report. In August, 11 people were served, 14 tests given, and 13 passed. 9 earned Tech, and 2 General class licenses.

It was noted that Tuesday was Katie Snook day in Snohomish.

There was no mentoring report, but it was reported the Frank Dolan, N7WUB was feeling better and out of the hospital.

Dwaine Cochran, KB7MXX gave the EMCOM/ARES report. A national emergency drill will held on October 9 and he needs operators to volunteer between 10AM and 12PM. The ARES monthly meeting be at 7PM on the first Wednesday of the month. The ARES net occurs Tuesday at 8:30 PM on 444.975 or 145.390 with a PL of 123.

Introductions were made of members around the room.

Frank Remmington – K7GSE gave the DX report. He made note of a Japanese Research Station in Anartica – 8RIRL would be active. He mentioned that 17 and 15 meters were having openings in the morning and afternoon.

Jim, K7KFB, reported that Eric, AD7BF, Melisa KE7KRS, and he worked counties in Eastern Washington for Salmon Run and a good time was had by all.

Jim Ludden, K7KFB read a note from Dave Cornell, W9LD, letter letting the club know he would not be able to act as field day coordinator this year. Club members should be considering the volunteer opportunity for the new Field Day Coordinator.

The meeting was adjourned by President Jim Ludden at 8:24 AM