



Richmond County Amateur Radio Club

November 20, 2020 Meeting Minutes:

Vice President Ben Setzer called the meeting to order at 0930 at the Moose Lodge Hall in Rockingham. There were 11 members present and 1 guest.

Old Business:

Arcom equipment repairs are still in process. The CAT 1000 sale is complicated because of missing codes and a manual. Decision was made to proceed and sell the CAT 1000 as best as can be done.

New Business:

Butch Parris N4AWP announced that he has secured the use of the Moose Lodge at least through the end of the year and has given the dates of the meetings and a possible test session in December to Moose officials. Butch Parris is going to send a holiday card to the Moose Lodge thanking them for the use of their meeting room. The club decided to include a \$50.00 check in appreciation of the use of their meeting room.

Butch reported that the majority of Max's equipment has been sold and a check has been mailed to Kara. Odds and ends remain and anyone interested should "just make an offer" in order to sell the rest.

There will not be a Christmas Dinner due to the ongoing Covid infection. There will not be a Charlotte Ham Fest next year due to the Covid infection.

Butch asking about the club's prior year's Christmas contribution to the Foster Children's Christmas fun and the club agreed that we should again contribute \$200 to this fund. Butch is going to check with Child Services and a card with a check will be sent at the appropriate time.

There are no known possibilities for testing on 12/5/20 but if the club receives notice of someone wanting to test for a license, the Moose Lodge is available on that date and examiners can be arranged.

Ben reported that Thursday night net participation is poor and asked that more members arrange to participate.

Allan W4EAB reported that the \$50.00 club memorial for Max Kearns' donation has been send to Kara and a nice card was received thanking the club for their help during these times. Kara forwarded the donation to Hospice in Max's memory.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Allan Brown / W4EAB
Secretary/Treasurer