

HARC General Membership Meeting Minutes for February 2023

February 14, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 6:36pm by Tom KC8UER. The Pledge of Allegiance was observed.

Total Attendance: 18

January's Secretary Report was accepted as read.

January 2023

General: \$4,143.50

Membership: \$724.98

Total: \$4,868.48

Up: \$48.02

February 2023

General: \$4,268.50

Membership: \$807.02

Total: \$5,075.80

Up: \$207.32

Treasurer's Report was accepted as read.

Announcements & Upcoming Events:

The next VE test session will take place on Saturday, March 11th. This will be at 6pm at the Chick-Owa Sportsman's Club.

The next Ham in a Day Session will be on Saturday April 8th. This will take place 1pm at the Chick-Owa Sportsman's Club. A VE Test Session will follow at 6pm.

The next E.A.T Meeting will be on Tuesday February 28th at 6:30pm at the Herrick District Library in the main floor meeting room. Anyone is welcome to come. This meeting will partner with GroundWorks at the Herrick Main Library Branch.

The 2m Net of the Holland Amateur Radio Club is held each Monday at 7:30pm on the 147.060 (94.8Hz offset) repeater. All amateur radio enthusiasts are welcome to join the net. Feel free to reach out to Club President Tom, KC8UER to be a net control. Please check in and join the fun! There is a template that can be downloaded on the club's website if you are interested in trying out as Net Control.

The HARC TGIF Net is every Friday at 7pm on the 147.060 MHz (94.8Hz) repeater. Always looking for Net control operators.

Sky Warn Training will be on Tuesday March 21, 2023, at 6:30pm. Registration is required, and it will be held in Kent County at Grandville Middle School Auditorium.

On Saturday March 11th Kalamazoo Crossroads Ham Fest will take place at the Wings Stadium Complex. Registration is required. This event will go from 8am – 12pm.

On Saturday April 1st there will be an April Fool's Day Mini-Swap in Burnips, MI at the Salem Township Hall. This event will go from 8am – 12pm. A pancake breakfast will be served. The entrance fee is \$5.

We will have Blake Harms speaking on Meteorology from WoodTV8 for the next club meeting in March.

On Saturday February 18th the Livonia Ham Swap will meet at the Monaghan Banquet Center from 8:30am – 1:30pm.

On Saturday March 18th a "Get Out of the Cabin" dinner will be meeting at Pizza Ranch in Hudsonville at 2pm.

Old Business:

None currently.

New Business:

We had a board meeting Tuesday February 7th. Looking for a technology committee to handle the club website and servers. Looking for people who like to write to create content for the club website.

A motion was offered to write a check to Chick-Owa Sportsman's Club for \$100 for the use of the club for our VE Test sessions.

A motion was made to write a check to Chick-Owa.

A Motion was approved at 6:57pm.

An idea was proposed to create a committee to have a group of people to come together to create ideas for club presentations. Pass on ideas to President Tom if you have any.

HARC Meeting was adjourned 7:003pm on 2/14/23.