

HARC General Membership Meeting Minutes for February 2025

**PO Box 2104
Holland, MI 49422**

February 11, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm by Ed K8DI President.
The Pledge of Allegiance was observed.

1. Reports:

a. Secretary Report: (Kaitlin KD9NRB)

Minutes were approved.

b. Treasurer (Rich WA8MTI)

Treasurer's Report:

January 2025

General: \$6,243.66

Membership: \$348.34

Total: \$6,592.20

Treasurer's Report was accepted as read.

2: Announcements & Upcoming Events:

a. Meeting Locations:

- The Holland Club will meet the Herrick District Library Main Branch for the March 11, 2025, meeting at 6:30pm.

b. VE:

- The next VE Test Session will be on Saturday March 8, 2025, at 6pm at Chick-Owa Sportsman's Club. Chick-Owa is the tentative location for this event at this time.
- The next Ham in a Day will take place on Saturday April 12, 2025, starting at 1pm at Chick-Owa Sportsman's Club. A VE Test Session to follow at 6pm.

c. Education and Training Meetings

- The next E.A.T. Meeting will be on Tuesday February 25th at 6:30pm at the Herrick District Library Main Branch Groundworks Department on the Main Floor. Anyone is welcome to come.

d. Nets/Operating Events

- 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. 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 ARRL International DX CW Contest is Saturday February 15th and Sunday February 16th.
- The ARRL International DX Phone Contest is Saturday and Sunday March 1st and 2nd.
- For more information on these events visit www.arrl.org.

e. Other Announcements

- None at this time.

3. Old Business:

Winter Field Day:

- a. The SSB station had about 126 QSOs. The CW Station had about 62 contacts. A total of about 250 contacts were made. In the future, we would like more club participation and support.

b. Website Update:

- No update at this time.

c. Other Old Business:

- None at this time

4. New Business:

a. Upcoming Presentations:

- Talk to President Ed K8DI to sign up for a presentation.
- March David K8RXB will talk about CW Ops/Vibroplex.

b. Annual Executive Board Meeting

- No finalized date at this time.

c. Other New Business

- a. None at this time.

- b. Todd W8YHF is looking for Tulip Time volunteers. Time to start thinking about it.
- c. Summer Field Day also time start thinking about it.

e. Sign in and recognition, Introductions

HARC Meeting was adjourned at 7:13pm.