

CONTOOCCOOK VALLEY RADIO CLUB
GENERAL MEETING – Jan. 13, 2015

1. The meeting began at about 7:30.
2. There were 27 people present.
3. Ernie Gray, W1MRQ, began his presentation on Amateur Radio at the South Pole. He operated there for several years. There were many good questions following his slide presentation.
4. There was a proposal to spend \$150.00 to purchase ECHO LINK equipment from Ron, who has run the system for a number of years.
5. A motion was made to purchase the above. It was moved, seconded, voted and passed.
6. Noted the General Amateur Radio Class has started. There are 4 people enrolled and at least 2 more are expected to join soon. The CVRC President, Larry Beagle and others are presenting the class. It has started well, so far.
7. Preparations are well under way for the March 22nd Annual Flea Market. More info to follow. A flyer has been developed, already. It will be posted throughout the area.
8. Steve Jones showed a gift he received from N1HD, Chris, who he is assisting with some station improvements. The gift was gratefully accepted even though the problem is still in process toward being resolved.
9. Plans are being made for the next meeting to be on ARES. Several people will be involved in that presentation.
10. The Secretary's report was given as well as the Treasurer's Report. There was a motion made, seconded, voted and passed, to accept.
11. Jeff will bring drinks and Larry Beagle will bring snacks for the next meeting.
12. The Business Meeting will be at Dave Connor's house on Jan. 27th at 7:00 pm.
13. There was a motion to adjourn at 9:05 pm. It was seconded, voted and passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Steve Jones, Secretary (N1JHJ)