

CONTOOCOOK VALLEY RADIO CLUB
Executive Board Meeting 4/23/13

1. Present: Don Curtis, Remi Lisee, Ken Wilkins, Dale Clement, Dave Connors, host, Stormy Gleason, Steve Jones, Mike Conroy (joined us later on)
 2. Steve Jones brought up the need to raise our Flea Market entry fee from \$3.00 to \$5.00, and gave reasoning. Most people were in general agreement that it makes sense to adjust our rate. It was agreed to bring this concept to the next General Meeting for discussion and a vote.
 3. There was some additional discussion as to whether we should consider adjusting the charges for the VE Session. President Dale indicated he would like to get some input from the VE's first, before we take this concept any further.
 4. Noted that Nearfest is fast approaching on May 3 & 4. Don Curtis asked for a ride for him and some items he has for sale, since his van is broken down. Dave Connors has some tables to bring to Nearfest anyway, so the two people will coordinate.
 5. From Friday to Sunday, April 26th thru April 28th Dale, Mickie and Steve will join Neal (AE1P) in Keene & the four people will attend the New England Weak Signals Conference in Manchester, CT. [Editor's Note: We also met NG7A, George, there.
 6. Dale reports that the last class in Peterborough, NH is coming up on Sat. Apr. 27th. NS1E, Jim, will run it in Dale's absence.
 7. It was also acknowledged that Neil, AE1P has been very helpful in the overall effort in Peterborough.
 8. Stormy reports that he is making good progress on Field Day Preparations.
 9. The next meeting in May will be a show and tell presentation my all members wishing to share something in the way of a project that they are involved with.
- FUTURE PLANS:
10. We are trying to reach a club member to see if we can get his support for having the picnic at his home again, in July. We will know more, later. The picnic Back-Up plan is to run it, out of the weather, in a shelter at Elm Brook State Park. This will require Advance Notice given to the officials at The US Army Corps of Engineers.
 11. August will be a VHF, UHF Forum. Details to be determined.
 12. It is planned that Pete Stohrer will present a discussion on ARES, in October.
 13. N1PA will talk about New Technology at an upcoming meeting, soon.
 14. The meeting was adjourned at about 9:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Steve Jones, Secretary, CVRC