

CVRC GENERAL MTG.

3/13/12

1. President Al Bardwell brought the mtg. to order at 7:23 pm.
2. Dennis, N1IMW introduced himself. He is from Bedford and belongs to the GSARA club in Manchester.
3. His presentation would be on the Marconi Station that first was built in Chatham, and later in Wellfleet on Cape Cod, MA.
4. The station call sign was first WCC and later called WSC.
5. The station operated on 600 meters.
6. Dennis noted that his entire talk is still in process, being assembled into a more formal Power Point Presentation at a future point. As a result there will be numerous images, documents, etc. that have yet to be added.
7. The talk went well and much historical information was presented.
8. Dennis also showed where the original antennas used to be and how they are now in the sea as the Cape is slowly eroding away.
9. After the coffee break, the Business Meeting formally came to order.
10. Don Curtis reported that approx. 21 tables had been rented so far. The maximum number being about 28.
11. It was noted that the ARES Academy was scheduled on Saturday, the day before, so as not to be in conflict with the Flea Market.
12. Sunday morning, at about 6:15 am, help will be needed to set up tables because they will have been taken down the night before for the Town Meeting the night before.
13. Noted that for people interested in ARES, you can check on line the ICS 10D program for completing the first step in ARES certification.
14. In preparation for Field Day activities, Al Bardwell will start the training on the AC Log Program on May 8th (the 2nd Tuesday). All band captains must be involved in this activity unless they know the program already. They should bring their laptops to the mtg.
15. Sign ups for a "Show and Tell" program mostly for new operators, or perspective operators, but a good review for all will be presented on the 2nd Tues. of April at the next General Meeting.
16. The Treasurer's Report (by Mickie Clement) was given and the club continues in SOLID financial standing. Her report was moved and accepted.
17. Food donations for the upcoming Flea Market are encouraged. Bring these with you early upon your arrival from 6:30 am, on. Please give the food to Louise, K1LAS or Mickie, W1MKY, and Thank You!
18. The next VE session will be held at Concord Bible Fellowship. Contact John Moore, KB1CSI for additional info.
19. Any items you wish to sell at the Flea Market can be left there, but you MUST put your name and a price tag on them.
20. It was voted and passed to donate \$10/day to Concord Bible Fellowship for use of their facility for various VE Testing Sessions.
21. A donation of \$100 will be made to the Henniker Schools for use of their facility for the Flea Market. This is a standard practice.
22. N1ZIH, Don Curtis, VP, will bring food and Stormy Gleason, KB1VLK will bring drinks for the next meeting, April 10th.
23. At 9:28 pm it was moved and passed to adjourn the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

Steve Jones, N1JHJ