

## Sky Valley Amateur Radio Club Month, Year Meeting Minutes Oct. 15, 2016

Call to Order: 08:45 by Dave KB7GFL

Introductions: 10 in attendance

**Secretary/Treasurer Report:** \$833.64 in bank account; \$14 in petty cash.

**Repeater Status / Net Report:** 70cm – op with good to poor Rx (Repeater now at W7BCW's work

shop); 2m link – op; APRS – reports of hearing but cannot connect to; 6m – from others report that it is op; NET @ 19:30 hours every Tuesday

status by Cybyl N6IBI averaging 6 check in's per week.

**Old Business:** Dave KB7GFL presented members with a banner from ARRL to place on meeting room

door and at any W7SKY events, members seconded go ahead to purchase banner.

Dave KB7GFL mentioned that Nov. club meeting guest speaker Kenny KU7M will talk about HAMWAN. Banner flag arrived and was set up at this month's meeting.

New Business: Dave presented pictures of the repeater site and 3 members that removed the repeater

and removal of the antenna and transmission line. These pictures can be seen at the clubs website <a href="www.w7sky.org">www.w7sky.org</a> . A suggestion was made to replace the 70cm antenna that currently is a dual band ground plane with a dedicated 70 cm only ground plane.

Bruce W7BCW said he would look into procuring one.

Adjournment: 09:25 by Dave KB7GFL