

## **Sky Valley Amateur Radio Club** Month, Year Meeting Minutes Sept. 16 2017

Call to Order: 08:45 by Dave KB7GFL

Introductions: 10 in attendance

Secretary/Treasurers Report: \$938.64 in bank account, \$15 in petty cash.

**Repeater Status / Net Report:** 70cm – op reported good with new repeater/controller, now at W7BCW's work shop using clubs ground plane antenna; 2m link – op and reports of good signals using new link rig; 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 6.2 check in's for September so far.

**Web Master Report:** Kathy K7THY said the links page now has the RCW 46.61.672 Distracted Driving Law so that members can print out the page showing Amateur Radio is exempt in case of confusion by law enforcement if member is pulled over.

**Old Business:** Kathy K7THY discussed the shirts/hat ordering that there are 2 different types of shirts, T shirts have patch and club logo on front and back or just logo on front of polo shirt. See order form for clarification. Kathy K7THY will be submitting order this month. Dave KB7GFL wants to get together with small group possibly meeting at MountainView Diner to go changes to club constitution and By Laws for updating to submit to members on Oct. meeting. Mike K7LLY has been working on costs for building a small shack to replace the container that houses the 6 meter repeater and APRS stations.

New Business: None

**Good of the Order:** The club at present has 5 ACS certified members – KB7GFL, K7THY, AC7LC, K8TOM and K7LLY. Tom K8TOM reported that a possible new member, Walt Zandy has moved into Monroe and is familiar with ACS activities and could be a potential new ACS member. Goldbar still needs ACS member to man that station for drills and real emergencies.

Adjournment: 09:12 by Dave KB7GFL