

Sky Valley Amateur Radio Club June 16, 2018

Call to Order: 0900 PDT by John AC7LC.

Introductions: 10 members in attendance with 2 guests, Tim KI7QNZ & Jim KI7WXT.

Treasurers Report: \$704.80 in bank account, \$50 in cash.

Repeater Status / Net Report: 70cm – operational and now back at its official site; 2m link – operational; APRS – refurbished APRS station back in container, station is set for beacon plus digipeater use only; 6m – from others report that it is op; NET @ 19:30 hours every Tuesday status averaging 4-6 check in's for May - June 2018 so far.

Webmaster Report: Field Day page updated. Addition of Proclamation from State of Washington presented by City Of Monroe.

Old Business: Field day – check off list of points to be provided. Logging software demo by John AC7LC and info on setting up found on clubs webpage. Clubs container at repeater site was pressure washed by Dave KB7GFL and Ernie W7EDA. RV roof coating purchased to be applied to container roof at later date. Still to do – take down 6 meter repeater tower and antenna and rebuilding of tower base mount with better guying. Tom K7TOM waiting for reply's from guest speakers for presentations at future club meetings.

New Business: Ron W7LVG talked about group of ex-military and ham operators that meet at Bob's Burger & Brew in Marysville on the second Saturday of the month. Tim (one of the guests) KI7QNZ asked if the club would have a GOTA station setup (Get On The Air) during Field Day. John asked for volunteer net control operators for next month's W7SKY Net that is held every Tuesday evening. They are:

July 3 – Tom K8TOM, July 10 – Dave KB7GFL, July 17 – Kathy K7THY, July 24 – John AC7LC and July 31 – Bruce W7BCW.

Good of the Order: Field Day is Saturday June 23rd – be there or be square!

Adjournment: 0934 PDT