



# Sky Valley Amateur Radio Club

## March 16<sup>th</sup> 2019 Minutes

**Call to Order:** 0900 hours by John AC7LC.

**Introductions:** 14 members in attendance and 1 guest Sharon A. (Became member after meeting).

**Treasurers Report:** \$529.19 in bank account and \$20 in cash.

**Repeater Status / Net Report:** 70cm – operational; 2m link – operational; APRS – station is set for beacon plus digipeater use only and is working Ok; 6m – operational but reported by John AC7LC that during snow events became intermittent ; NET @ 19:30 hours every Tuesday status averaging 7 - 8 check in's for Feb. 2019 – March 2019 so far. NET Control Sched: 4/2 John AC7LC; 4/9 Tom K8TOM; 4/16 Bruce W7BCW; 4/23 Kathy K7THY; 4/30 Ernie W7EDA.

**Webmaster Report:** New items in the "Welcome CW" page and a survey (No dedicated page yet) will be posted off and on depending on subjects of interest. Survey was used to help Tom K8TOM select speakers on topics that had majority votes in the survey. Next survey will take place in 6 months. "Minutes" page has changed some too.

**Old Business:** Nominations and voting were done at this month's meeting for VP and Member At Large #2. Nominations for VP were Garth KA7BVS and Ernie W7EDA and for member At Large #2 were Kris N7KDM and Ernie W7EDA. Results of voting are for VP- Garth KA7BVS and for Member At Large #2- Ernie W7EDA. Congratulations to both on becoming officers of SVARC.

Field Day will take place June 22, 23 and in next couple of club meetings, May and June a discussion will take place on band plan and number of rigs to be used along with a people plan of activities for setup and dissemination of info to the general public.

**New Business:** Ron W7LVG (outgoing VP) will no longer have a QTH here in Washington and is moving to Idaho however he will try and make the meetings when traveling in this area. Tom K8TOM talked about upcoming presentations, April will feature LOTW and other presentations to be decided on date after Field day. Tom had more to discuss on the presentations and survey plus you can hear more of this on the video taken at the march meeting.

**Good of the Order:** When it's not snowing that's always good!

**Adjournment:** 0945 hours by John AC7LC and seconded by Bruce W7BCW