



Sky Valley Amateur Radio Club

November 16, 2019

Call to Order: 0854 hours by John AC7LC.

Introductions: 12 members and 2 guests, Glendon N7TPT and Presenter Brad N7ER.

Treasurers Report: \$193.63 in bank account, \$30 in cash.

Repeater Status / Net Report: 70cm – broken, no TX output; 2m link – not active due to 70cm repeater down; APRS – station is set for beacon plus digipeater use only and is working Ok; 6m – ID'ing only appears no RX ; NET @ 19:30 hours every Tuesday status averaging 7 -8 check in's for Oct. 2019 – Nov. 2019 so far. Net Schedule: 12/3 John AC7LC (Note use emergency power test), 12/10 Bruce W7BCW, 12/17 Tom K8TOM, 12/24 NO NET, 12/31 NO NET, 1/7/2020 Ernie W7EDA. Bruce W7BCW discussed more about 70 cm repeater failure and found a relay switching transistor bad and replaced relay but power output only 25 watts so still problem in TX output down stream circuit. While checking TX input on duplexer found flaky cavity adjustment TX cavity side. Bruce W7BCW will pull old repeater and 2m link rig from storage in container and get ready to set up at his QTH.

Webmaster Report: Webmaster Kathy K7THY displayed the front page to the Clubs web site showing links plus at lower left side which web pages have been updated and on right lower side what's coming up.

Old Business: Some discussion on using Sultan EOC trailer for Field Day 2020 site and need to talk to Fire Chief if this would be acceptable to fire department.

New Business: Most of meeting time taken up by DMR presentation by Brad N7ER.

Good of the Order: Not much Good if we don't have Order! HiHi!

Adjournment: 1012 hours motion by John AC7LC and seconded by Bruce W7BCW

Raffle: Won by Bill KE7WTR and now proud owner of awesome first issued W7SKY Club Calendar.