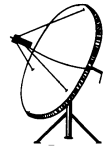




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Next TAARS Meeting

Our **November 2017** TAARS meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 16th, 2017, 7:30 PM at the COA Building "c" C109. Our dinner location is the Golden Coral at 6:00 PM.

Minutes

The club president, Al, K4VHV, called the April meeting to order, approx. 7:30 PM.

The Treasurers Report was read and approved.

Twelve (12) Amateur Radio Operators were present for the meeting.

Old Business

- ❖ Club Hats-Color Issue; Black w/White or Dark Blue/White, Vents and No Vents. Greg will coordinate.
- ❖ The EC 655 Repeater issue; In Progress, approved by the county and city.
- ❖ More out-reach discussed; Schools, Scouts and Parks and Recs-setup for random demonstrations to get folks curious.

New Business

- ❖ Out-reach to Scouts and younger folks, using Digital Modes to keep the youth interested in Ham Radio, using the latest technology that they can relate to.
- ❖ Mike Cohoon's place was suggested for possible a Winter FD Location or event.
- ❖ Joe will possibly bring FLDigi enhancements for the next mtg.

Attendance

Kerry Krauss, KD4CEB; Albert Onley, K4VHV; Ron Thomas, N4WYR; Steve Kelly, K1RLU; Dave Sharber, AJ4NV, Tim Ward, N9FNI; Herman Cox, NO4Y; Scruff Harrison, K4SDL; Greg Terranova, N4QLD; Joe Wallace, K4EIT; Colman Motes, KG4FSE; and Charlie Pencinger, KA2GXJ.

- ❖ The meeting was adjourned at 2025 Local Time.

Upcoming Events

- ❖ Our next testing session is scheduled for 9am January 20th, 2018 at COA. Contact Herman, NO4Y for more information.

If you have an idea for the newsletter or would like to submit your own article, send an email to ku4by@arrl.net.