

March 10, 2021 Meeting Minutes

The March 10, 2021 meeting of the Harrisburg Radio Amateur's Club, Inc. was called to order at 1909 HRS by the President, Zach (W3ZTB)

The March meeting of the HRAC was held at the Vietnam Veterans Association Building, 8000 Derry St, Harrisburg, PA. Due to the continuing COVID – 19 pandemic those in attendance took the recommended precautions.

The members introduced themselves including those on Zoom. "An internet Meeting Application"

Secretary Report – The minutes of the February 10, 2020 meeting were published in email from the President. Chuck (N3WL) made a motion to accept the minutes as published Dave (KC3MG) seconded the motion. Motion Passed.

Treasurers Report – Dave (KC3MG) gave the treasurers report. For the month of February 2021 Tim (W4NKC) made a motion to accept the February's Treasurer's report Michael (KD3MAD) seconded, the motion passed.

License Trustee – Steven (KA3PDQ) reported that there were no changes.

Equipment Trustee – All equipment was accounted for and insured.

Repeater Committee – Terry (WB3BKN) encouraged the group to use the repeater for it's new signal. He also reported that as soon as access to the site improved it was hoped that Adjustments could be made to allow for enhanced coverage.

Laurel VE Committee – Steven (KA3PDQ) reported that the next exam session scheduled is schedule for April 17, 2021 at 8000 Derry St @ 9:00 AM.

Membership Committee – Tim (W4NKC) reported that the Club had 68 members with 41 belonging to ARRL.

Newsletter Editor – It was reported that the Club is once again in search of a newsletter editor. If interested contact the President. Till then articles can still be submitted via the gmail account. Articles should be in plain English with NO abbreviations. Please send articles to HRAC.Newsletter@gmail.com. With a deadline of **7 days Before the end of the month.**

Web Page – Michael (KD3MAD) presented a detailed report on the activities of the committee.

Emergency Communications – Terry (WB3BKN) reported that classes are available on zoom on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays via Zoom at 7:00 PM. There is also an Information Net on Monday at 1900 hours on the 145.11 repeater. There will be RED CROSS drill using Winlink on May 8th, 2021

DXCC - Glenn (K3SWZ) reported that business was brisk.

Ham Feast – No Report

Hamfest Committee – Terry (WB3BKN) and Tim (W4NKC) reported that the Firecracker Hamfest in July 2021. Terry reported that he had contacted the Postal Employees Gun Club for use of their picnic Grounds and had reserved them for the Hamfest. Terry reported that after a recent Committee meeting that we will need everyone's help with the activity.

Field Day - Dave (KC₃MG) reported on the need for volunteers to get together to find a location for this Great Club event.

Old Business - None

New Business – Zach (W₃ZTB) stated that the review of the Club By-laws was continuing and was hoping to have something to present by the April Meeting.

Good of the Club – .

Adjournment – With no further business Charles (KA₁YSR) made a motion to adjourn at 1956 hours.
Dave (KC₃MG) seconded the motion.

Respectfully Submitted

Steven Gobat, KA3PDQ