General Meeting minutes for 03/28/2019

Marcus KF4YHP, greeted everyone.

Update on the Yeasu repeater, it was tested and found to be the power supply. Repairs are being coordinated.

Hub Harvey N4HUB talked about communications from EMA to Pinnacle Point to setup a remote link so he could do HF remotely. He thanked the hams for their involvement in emergency communications.

There will be a DMR class on Sat, April 6th, 2019. Please see the note at the bottom of the minutes for location and how to sign up.

Treasurer Report

- William, KM4SKC gave his report. There is \$3,897.60 in the checking.
- All bills paid.
- Hamfest tickets available.

Secretary / Webmaster Report

- HelenaHamfest.com was updated for this year's Hamfest.
- We are still promoting our Slack page. Go to http://w4shl.com/slack.php to find sign up instructions.
- QST fixed their app for iOS so you can now download issues again.

Vice Presidents Report

- Mac White is doing a lot better. Can get up and move (short distances). Hopes to be coming back in the not too distant future.
- Geno continues to have health issues. He is currently in UAB, currently on the heart transplant list.
- Frank Polk is still having issues with his back.

General Business

- Our Hamfest will be June 14th / 15th
- See http://helenahamfest.com for details

Net Control

• We are looking for net control operators. The script is on the webpage under Nets & Repeaters. Contact Mike W4TRK for coordination.

Presentation

Presentation was by Mike KA4VCA on Methods of Handling Noise.

Information on the April 6th DMR Class

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From: **Doug Jackson** < <u>kc4sig@gmail.com</u>>

Date: Thu, Mar 28, 2019, 5:57 PM

Subject: DMR Class

The DMR class will be Saturday April 6 at 9:00AM. Class will be at Billy Denton's (N4XWI) place.

Address is:

3270 McClendon Chapel Road

Bessemer, Al 35022

Have folks email me if they plan on coming, need to keep up with a count as we have limited space.

Thanks,

Doug