

January 6 2012, IARC General Meeting Notes:

After the meeting was called to order by President Danny Bailey, KB8STK all of those present gave their names and call signs.

Treasurers Report: Dean, KB8MG said that as of this meeting we have in: Savings, \$344.25. Dues, \$91.24. Repeater Funds, \$2671.58. Checking, \$348.34.

Membership: Tom, N8TWM said that as of this meeting, we have a total of 66 members. Danny, KB8STK said that the reason this number has dropped so significantly from last month's numbers. Is that tonight's numbers are for paid members.

Technical Committee: Dave, N8DPW said that there is nothing new to report.

PIO: Kathy, KC8SNP was not at tonight's meeting as she was on call as a paramedic. She said that she would be at our next club meeting.

Health and Welfare: Danny, KB8STK said that N8PA's wife had another stroke on Christmas Eve. It was asked to please keep her in our thoughts and prayers. Danny, KB8STK said that his mom has been in and out of the hospital recently. He said that they have had to make the decision to put her in a nursing home.

Education: Rob, KD8AZQ said that all of the VE-Test Sessions are scheduled and set up. The first of these sessions will be held on January 21ST. To learn more about this, please visit our club's website at: www.w8we.org

ARES: Danny, KB8STK said that there will be a district meeting on January 22nd at The Community Room in the old Peoples Hospital. He said that there will be several speakers for this meeting. Danny, KB8STK also added that if you are to work in an EMA, you now need to have the FEMA 100, 200, 700 and 800 classes.

Special Events: Don, KB8RYA said that aside from the Ham Fest in February, there is nothing coming up.

Ham Fest: At this time, a long discussion was held as to who would help with what part. Danny, KB8STK said that tickets would be available for purchase beginning at tonight's meeting.

Old Business: Nothing.

New Business: Danny, KB8STK said that the first of this year's two Skywarn Classes will be held on Thursday, March 8th at 1:00 PM. at The Longview Center located on Longview Ave. near the

Richland County Fairgrounds. The second of these classes will take place at 6:30 PM later that evening at the Lexington Senior Civic Center located at 67 E. Main St. in Lexington.

At this time, no further business was brought forward. Bill, N8TQ made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Myron, N8YOA seconded. Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mark Dailey
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