Meeting Minutes for 05/25/17

Meeting started with traditional introductions.

New member Terry Rowe, KN4DLV, admitted into club.

Robert, N4IXT, gave Secretary report.

- 1. Atlanta Hamfest on June 3rd 2017. Details at http://www.atlantahamfest.org/
- 2. Next ARA test session is June 2nd at Shelby club site.
- 3. Finally Robert mentioned he ran into Daniel, former secretary, who sent his greetings.

Jim, W4XWA, gave the Treasurer report:

- 1. Just over 13k in bank.
- 2. Mentioned Jack, KC4PZA has pollups and is going to be operated on June 5th.

Bob, KC4AF, mentioned Geno was home from the hospital, and is planning to be at Field Day.

Jim, W4YXU, will setup a CW station for Field Day, hopefully Daniel and others will be able to work it. Jim will bring laptop to next meeting to setup.

President and Field Day Chairman Marcus, KF4YHP, got club to approve putting out a donation jar at field day to help defray food costs.

It was reported WA4JUM Clyde Rutherford had a heart attack. Sadly he is not in good shape. Our treasurer Jim will get a card to him ASAP.

Friday before field day meeting will begin at 6 pm.

Jim, W4YXU, mentioned we have a new Sheriff in Shelby County, Jim verbally invited him, he asked to be sent a written invitation. Robert will take care of sending him and other officials a formal letters.

Tested for network connectivity, simulating a network outage, to test the effect on the N3FJP software. It was determined that if the network goes down, users will be unable to enter data. A UPS will be brought to the field day site to power the network hub and the main laptop (Marcus's).

Randy, KW4RTR gave a presentation on DMR. He provided the following links:

http://tyt888.com/ Tytera. Download programming software

http://aldmr.freesite.website/ Alabama DMR web site

http://dmrworldwidenet.blogspot.ca/ Worldwide net

http://n0gsg.no-ip.org/contact-manager/ contact manager software

http://www.dmr-marc.net/ DMRmarc web site. (register call sign)

Meeting adjourned.