

MVRC/YARS 4 August 2015 Meeting

Explorit Science Center

Attending:

Officers: Gary Matteson WA6TQJ, Vice-President Bob Close KK6DUW, Secretary Dave Nishikawa KC6YFG, and Treasurer Ben Norman WA6NIK.

Members: Michael Bruss N9XQ, Steve Dold W6KCS, Bob Hewitt K6HEW, Bill Ragsdale K6KN, Greg Schwei KK6NQJ, and Steve Sparks KC6MHT.

Guests Present: Grayson Beck, Corbin Beck, and Ronin Beck.

Meeting opened at 1930 hrs. by President Gary Matteson WA6TQJ with self-introductions all around.

Minutes from May, June, and July meeting passed around and approved at the end of the meeting on a motion by Greg Schwei KK6NQJ seconded by Bob Hewitt K6HEW with a callsign correction to the July minutes.

Treasurer Ben Norman WA6NIK reported a bank balance of \$6247.10 in First Northern Bank. Last check written was for FD expenses of \$358.53.

Old Business:

President Gary Matteson WA6TQJ recapped past actions. The name used for the organization will be either MVRC or YARS or both depending on the activity. A work group had been formed, consisting of the same members that worked on the merger, to determine membership classes for the combined organization.

UCDARC - A PL filter was installed on the K6JRB repeater to attenuate the 203.5 HZ tone coming in and going out over the 900 Mhz link to W6AK.

Princess Challenge - Discussion deferred until later in the meeting.

Tevis, WSER, and Princess were discussed.

Bill Ragsdale K6KN gave a presentation on HF antennas and antenna analyzers.

Meeting adjourned approximately 2100 hrs.