

AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, INC. GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, October 27, 2015

7 PM

Invocation

Recognize Special Visitors

HAPPY BIRTHDAY EARL!!!

**Happy
Birthday**



ARCCC, Inc. Agenda Overview

- Welcome and Introductions
- Applications for New Membership
- Treasurer Report and Meeting Minutes
- Swap Table
- Upcoming Events
- New Business
- Committee Updates

Welcome and Introductions

- Please Sign In on the Sign In Sheet
 - Please print legibly
- Introductions
 - Go around the room and provide your name and callsign

Applications for New Membership

- None Received

Any Additional Membership Applications?

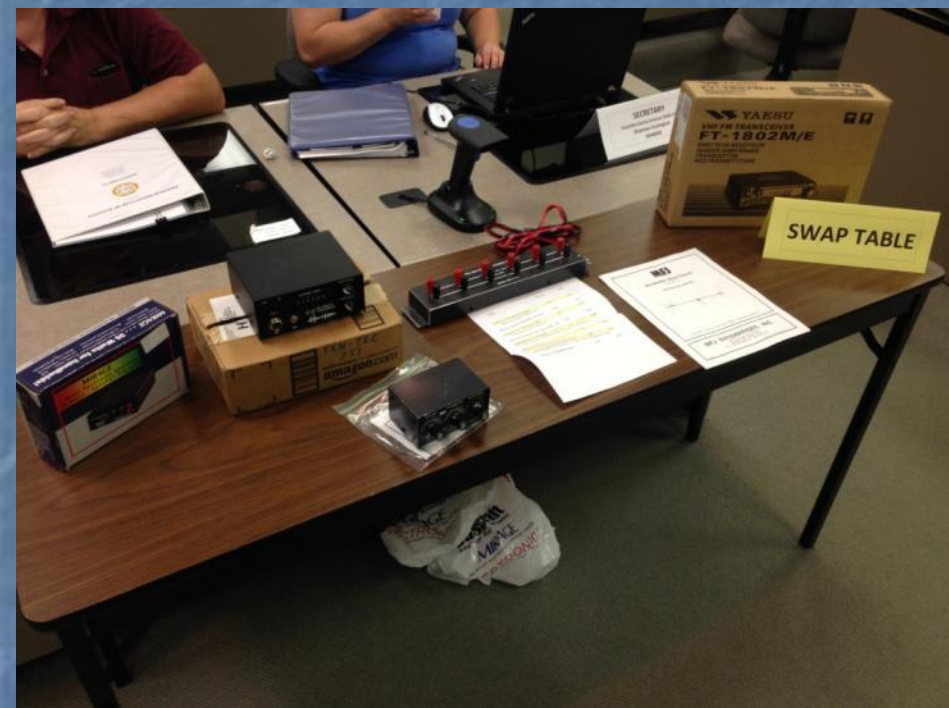
- Query those present to see if they have any ARCCC, Inc. Applications to turn in.

ARCCC, Inc. Reports

- Treasurer's Report Approval
- Secretary's Report Approval



Swap Table



Upcoming Events

- 10-17-2015 – Third Annual Aiken County SC ARES GO-KIT Exhibition and Contest

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CALLING ALL AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS!!!
TIME TO MAKE YOUR "GO-KIT" GO!!!!

THIRD ANNUAL AIKEN COUNTY SC ARES GO-KIT EXHIBITION AND CONTEST

HELD AT THE NEW AIKEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION COMPLEX
(1930 UNIVERSITY PKWY) ON SATURDAY OCTOBER 17TH 2015

SETUP BEGINS AT 8:00-9:30AM AT THE S.W. REAR PARKING AREA
DEMO & DISPLAY FROM 9:30AM TO NOON. THIS IS OPEN TO ALL RADIO AMATEURS!!!!

Whatever go-kit you have, we want to see them all. If you don't have a go-kit, come and get ideas from the best!

More points are awarded when you make them work in the FIELD
More bands and modes shown operational, equal more points

All entries in the contest will be judged by Paul Matthews from Aiken County Emergency Management and Kevin Kingery, the Aiken County ARES Section Emergency Coordinator.

The judges will expect your entry to have a power source, a transceiver with a mic, an antenna system, and your personal safety & comfort items.

You will have three minutes to talk about your go-kit. The Judge's decision is final. The GRAND PRIZE is a brand new **BaoFeng UV-82 Hand held** transceiver. (Donated by Carl KP2L).

RSVP YOUR ENTRY TO cjuvrud@gmail.com. OPEN TO EVERYONE!!!

WE ARE ALWAYS ACTIVELY SEEKING NEW AIKEN COUNTY ARES MEMBERS!! COME JOIN US!!! APPLICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE.

Last year's contest was a **BLAST**!!! Come join us for a morning of fun and excitement.



Committee Updates

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- Repeater Committee
 - Howard Weeks (K5JCP) – Director
 - Richard Strugis (KR4XN) – Trustee
 - Walter Brumbeloe (W4EFS)
 - Earl Welsh (KG4HIQ)
- PowerGates on all Repeaters (Richard)
- 444.900 Yaesu Fusion Repeater Update
- Repeater Committee Proposal

Committee Updates

- VE Team Committee
 - Dick Embry (KD4CK) – VEL/Director
 - Shannon Covington (KK4MED) – Asst. Director
- VE Sessions will resume in November

Committee Updates

- Website Committee
 - Jim Cunningham (KV4YA) – Director
 - John Crawford (W4QK)
 - Eric Cagle (KK4ZHT)
 - Rusty Welsh (KG4HIR)

Committee Updates

- Net Management Committee
 - Dick Embry (KD4CK) – Director

Committee Updates

- Presentation Committee
 - Need a Director

Committee Updates

- Constitution and Bylaws/501(c)7 Committee
 - Walter Brumbeloe (W4EFS) – Director
 - Rusty Welsh (KG4HIR)
 - Earl Welsh (KG4HIQ)
 - James Richardson (AH6IW)

Constitution and Bylaws/501(c)7 Committee Update

■ 501(c)3 Donations Received

- \$100 - Howard Weeks (K5JCP)
- \$100 – Cliff Manasco (KM4ICV)
- \$100 – Walter Brumbeloe (W4EFS)
- \$100 – Louis Hernandez (K4IIE)
- \$100 – Earl Welsh (KG4HIQ)
- \$100 – Rusty Welsh (KG4HIR)
- \$52.01 – Cameron Cunningham (KM4DBB)
- \$80 – Richard Sturgis (KR4XN)
- \$100 – James Richardson (AH6IW)
- \$100 – Dick Embry (KD4CK)
- \$100 – John Carter (KJ4MC)

501(c)3 for ARCCC, Inc.

- Walter Brumbeloe – W4EFS
 - Application on 06-04-2015
 - Incorporated on 06-04-2015
 - Received EIN on 06-11-2015
 - Received 501(c)3 Exempt Letter on 06-23-2015
 - \$1080 total cost
 - \$1032.01 Received or Committed
 - **\$47.99 Still need**

Committee Updates

- Chaplain/Visitation Committee
 - Doyle Windham (WE4GW) – Director
 - Richard Sturgis (KR4XN)
 - Dick Embry (KD4CK)

Committee Updates

- Outreach Committee
 - Oliver Hardy Festival (10-03-2015)
 - Jim Cunningham (KV4YA) - Director
 - Howard Weeks (K5JCP)

Committee Updates

- Outreach Committee

- Prepare and Aware Day (10-10-2015)

- Shannon Covington (KK4MED) – Director
 - Cindy Cunningham (KM4DBA) – Asst Director
 - Cameron Cunningham (KM4DBB)
 - Jim Cunningham (KV4YA)

Committee Updates

- Outreach Committee
 - Columbia County Fair
 - Outreach committee to contact Merchant's Association of Columbia County to inquire about a booth and visit the 2015 fair to see if it will be a good opportunity for amateur radio

Committee Updates

- Club Asset/Inventory Committee
 - Earl Welsh (KG4HIR) - Director
 - Howard Weeks (K5JCP)
 - Richard Sturgis (KR4XN)
 - John Crawford (W4QK)

Committee Updates

- Member Recruitment Committee
 - Need a Director

Committee Updates

- Fund Raising Committee
 - Earl Welsh (KG4HIQ) – Director
 - Walter Brumbeloe (W4EFS)
 - Rusty Welsh (KG4HIR)

Meeting Agenda Items

- Anyone wishing to place an item on the ARCCC, Inc. Meeting Agenda should provide their request via email to the ARCCC, Inc. President at least 7 days prior to the upcoming meeting

ARCCC, Inc. Christmas Dinner

- When – Thursday, December 10, 2015 at 6 PM
- Where – Olive Garden (Location secured by Walter and Earl)

Photos of the Hobby

- TAKE PHOTOS!!!
- Share them with the ARCCC, Inc. Board so they can be placed on the website and other outreach materials
- Take photos in order so they tell a story
- Cameras – Ensure the date and time are correct

Any Other Business?

- New Business?
- Meeting Raffle
 - All ARCCC, Inc. members get a free ticket
 - Additional tickets may be purchased for \$1
 - Nonmembers may purchase tickets for \$1 each

Presentation

- Net Protocol and NTS Message Passing
 - Greg Godsey (K5CVD)

Thank You!!!