

# AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, INC. GENERAL MEETING

## MEETING #11

Tuesday, February 23, 2016  
7 PM

# Invocation

# Recognize Special Visitors

- Dave Kjellquist (WB5NHL)

# ARCCC, Inc. Agenda Overview

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



# Welcome and Introductions

- Please Sign In on the Attendance Log
  - Please print legibly
- Introductions
  - Go around the room and provide your name and Call Sign

# Any Additional Membership Applications?

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

# Applications for New Membership

- James Jackson – KJ5J
  - Created our Logo



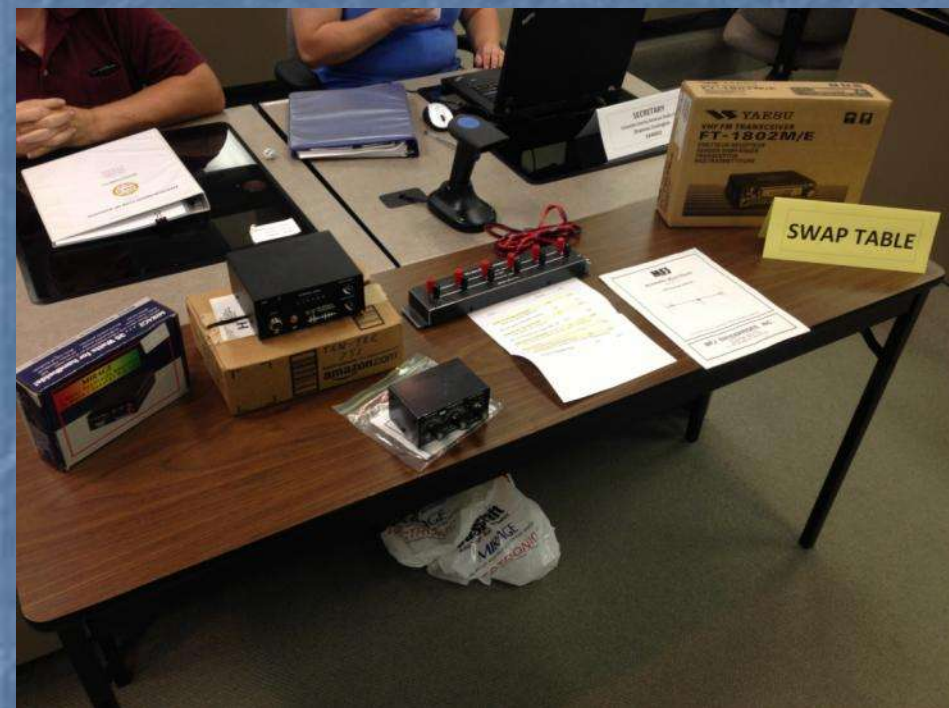
# ARCCC, Inc. Reports

- Treasurer's Report
- Secretary's Report
  - Posted on Website





# Swap Table



# ARCCC, Inc. Dues

- ARCCC, Inc. Dues are \$24 a year
- Dues are due by the End of March
- Payment Methods
  - Dues may be paid via the ARCCC, Inc. website
    - Membership
      - Online Membership Payment
  - Cash given to Treasurer
  - Check made out to ARCCC, Inc. and given to Treasurer or mailed to
    - P. O. Box 285, Evans, GA 30809

# ARRL Membership



- Membership is now \$49 a year
- New memberships may provide \$15 to the ARCCC, Inc. if you sign up through the ARCCC, Inc.
- The ARRL Membership Application is on the ARCCC, Inc. website



# ARCCC, Inc. is Now a Special Services Club!

- As of 01-27-2016
- Certification Good for Two years before a renewal is needed





# New ARCCC, Inc. Final Logo



# New ARCCC, Inc. Final Logo Grayscale



# New ARCCC, Inc. Final Logo Black and White





# Upcoming Events

- 03-03-2016 – ARCCC, Inc. Foxhunt Training 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM – React Building
- 03-05-2016 – ARCCC, Inc. Foxhunt 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM  
Location to be determined
- 03-22-2016 – ARCCC, Inc. Meeting 7 PM – Basic Storm Spotter Class
- 04 -23-206 – Waynesboro, GA Hamfest



# SKYWARN

## Basic Storm Spotter Class

- 03-22-2016 at 7 PM at the H2U
- The Skywarn Storm Spotter class was created by the National Weather Service to improve warning services by receiving critical ground truth reports from trained spotters.
- The Basic Storm Spotter class will be taught by Leonard Vaughn the Senior Hydrologist/Meteorologist from the Weather Forecast Office in Columbia, SC.
- Those interested should sign up on the ARCCC, Inc Website so we can have a count for materials



# Committee Updates

- Directors should provide

**Quick Updates** on their committees

# Committee Updates

- Repeater Committee
  - Howard Weeks (K5JCP) – Director
  - Richard Strugis (KR4XN) – Trustee
  - Walter Brumbeloe (W4EFS)
  - Earl Welsh (KG4HIQ)
    - PowerGates on all Repeaters (Richard/Walter)
    - Repeater Initiative Proposal Status



# Committee Updates

- VE Team Committee
  - Dick Embry (KD4CK) – VEL/Director
  - Shannon Covington (KK4MED) – Asst. Director



# 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
  - The ARCCC, Inc. is currently seeking a Net Manager.

# Committee Updates

- Presentation Committee

- Need a Director

- Field Trips for ARCCC, Inc. Members are being scheduled for the year.
  - Field Trip dates and times will be sent via email to ARCCC, Inc. members and a confirmation from members must be received to participate in the field trip.



# Committee Updates

- Constitution and Bylaws/501(c)3 Committee
  - Walter Brumbeloe (W4EFS) – Director
  - Rusty Welsh (KG4HIR)
  - Earl Welsh (KG4HIQ)
  - James Richardson (AH6IW)
  - Jim Cunningham (KV4YA)
  - Carmen LaPierre (K4EQQ)
  - Pete LaPierre (K1OYQ)



# Committee Updates

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

# Committee Updates

## ■ Outreach Committee

- ARCCC, Inc. Mentoring Program
  - Ongoing
- Grovetown Elementary Amateur Radio Academy
  - Ongoing
- Grovetown Middle School Club
  - Ongoing
- Prepare and Aware Day
  - Saturday, September 17, 2016 – 10 AM to 2 PM
- Oliver Hardy Festival
  - Saturday, October 1, 2016 9 AM to 5 PM
- Grovetown Heritage Day Festival
  - Saturday, April 16, 2016 10 AM to 4 PM

# Committee Updates

- Outreach Committee

- Grovetown Heritage Day Festival

- Saturday, April 16, 2016 – 10 AM to 4 PM

- Prepare and Aware Day

- Saturday, September 17, 2016 – 10 AM to 2 PM

- Oliver Hardy Festival

- Saturday, October 1, 2016 – 9 AM to 5 PM



# Committee Updates

- Outreach Committee
  - Columbia County Prepare and Aware Day
    - Saturday, September 17, 2016
  - Columbia County Board of Education STEAM
    - Grovetown Elementary School Academy
      - Cindy Cunningham
    - Science, Technology, Art, Engineering, Mathematics
      - Pete LaPierre

# Columbia County Prepare and Aware Day

- Saturday, September 17, 2016
  - 10 AM until 2 PM
- Pam Tucker Request Amateurs to participate by setting up a booth outside











# Committee Updates

## ■ Field Day Committee

- Saturday, June 25, 2016 and Sunday, June 26, 2016
- Shannon Covington – Director
- Jim Cunningham – Asst. Director
  - Walter Brumbeloe – Member
  - Eric Cagle – Member
  - Earl Welsh – Member
  - Danny Mesanno – Member
  - Dave Winkler – Member
  - Dennis Mulhorn – Member
  - Dick Embry - Member



# Field Day Sub Committees

- Setup and Breakdown Sub-Committee
- Equipment Sub-Committee
- Operations Sub-Committee
- Food Sub-Committee
- Public Relations Sub-Committee

# 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
- 2016 Participation Competition
  - Hope to get data published on website soon



# 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

# 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

# Review

- What are we going to do?
- Who is going to do it?

# Presentation

- Dave Kjellquist – WB5NHL





**Thank You!!!**