## OSCAR Meeting – October 8, 2022 Meeting Minutes

The next OSCAR meeting is **Saturday November 12, 2022**, the second Saturday of the month. The November meeting will be held at **9:00am at The Kitchen** restaurant located at 329 Cedar Ave N.

## October 10, 2022, Attendees:

**KEOIDQ** Alec Bill **WA0FMG** Dale **WBOPKG** KF0H0I Dennis Jeff **KCOUOW NOJSA** Jon **NOHMD** Ken **KCOREOI** Kris **KROK** Larry Matt **KAOPQW** NOMDC Mike NV0C Rich N0UW Tom **KOVO** Scott

## **Guests:**

Kevin S. Ramzey Sheston

The meeting was called to order at 9:04am by President WB0PKG.

**Secretary's Report** was summarized by WA0FMG via the September 10th minutes. Motion to approve by N0MDC, seconded by KA0PQW. Motion carried.

Treasurers Report was updated by WA0FMG. No current bank statement for the month. No changes.

**Sunday night NET** - Join in - try it! The preamble is on the website.

**Repeater Report:** Updated by NOUW. Normal interference. Hope to get the hut winterized soon, and a new ground wire installed before winter. Thanks to all the members who keep the repeater and Echolink going!

**CERT:** Update by NOUW. Fall classes coming up and registration through Community Ed program. CERT helped with the OHS Homecoming Parade event. THANKS! Check the website and the CERT Facebook page for news. <a href="http://www.steelecountyemergency.com/cert">http://www.steelecountyemergency.com/cert</a>

**RACES & ARES:** No report. Check the OSCAR website for more information.

**Skywarn Report:** Update by KEOQWW. NWS will be updating programs for 2023. Check the website or Facebook page for more details. www.steelecountyskywarn.org The 145.490 is the Skywarn frequency being utilized.

## **Business:**

- Check all of your badges, if they do not have a date, or are over 3 years old, you need to apply for a new one. Now is a suitable time to get everything in order. Email NOUW at <a href="mailto:oscarhamradio@gmail.com">oscarhamradio@gmail.com</a>
- WELCOME to our guests! We are here to help and answer any questions.
- New Tech class: discussion about when, and if should be advertised through Community Ed, which would mean the Club pitching in the \$180 fee for the program inclusion, so the class remains to be free. (Books, exam fee still responsibility of the participant) We will vote on it in November.
- Volunteer instructors welcome, PLEASE HELP OUT!

Motion to adjourn by KF0HOI, seconded by KC0UOW. Meeting adjourned at 9:24 am.

Respectfully submitted by WA0FMG.

Roundtable discussion followed. Thanks!

Website: The site is continually being updated. Check often for the latest information. www.oscarmn.org

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