

PARC News

Pioneer Amateur Radio Club of Fremont, Nebraska

NWS Forecast Office In Norman, OK Uses Amateurs

The NWS Forecast office in Norman, Oklahoma, uses amateur radio as one method of communicating with spotter groups and emergency management organizations. For decades, amateur radio operators have provided invaluable service in support of the SKYWARN storm spotter program by using their unique communications capabilities to share critical information between the NWS, the local emergency management officials, and storm spotter networks.

NWS Spotter Training Later This Month; And Severe Weather Awareness Week

The NWS Spotter Training for Dodge County will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, March 27, at the Snyder Firemen’s Ballroom in Snyder, NE. All the training sessions are available at:

<https://www.weather.gov/oax/spotter>

In addition to Spotter Training on March 27, Severe Weather Awareness Week will be held on March 27-31. A statewide drill will be held on Wednesday, March 29 at 10 AM. Complete details are at: <https://www.weather.gov/media/oax/Preparedness/NewSWAW2023.pdf>

Dave T. WONRW

March Program

Tony Renze, K0OMH will present “Parks On The Air”

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> Meeting

> Hero’s Gambinos

> 1900 E. Military

> Fremont, NE

> Thursday

> Mar. 23, 2023

> Fremont, NE

Meet to Eat
At 6 p.m

Meeting
At 7 p.m.

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**PARC
Minutes**



PARC Treasurer's Report	
March, 2023	
Savings	\$ 348.78
Petty Cash	80.00
Checking	1,853.24
TOTAL	\$2,282.02
INCOME	None
EXPENSES;	
Drawing	\$ 10.00
Non Profit Fee	30.00
TOTALEXPENSES	\$ 40.00

**PIONEER AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MINUTES FOR
February 23, 2023**

The Pioneer Amateur Radio Club Meeting for February 23, 2023, was held at Gambino's Pizza in Fremont. The meeting was called to order at 7 PM by President Mike Campbell, KE0KAZ. Fifteen people were present, who introduced themselves.

PROGRAM: Matt Jones, AL0R gave a presentation on FLD-GI.

MINUTES AND TREASURER'S REPORT: Approved as printed in the February *PARC News*.

MOTION TO PAY BILLS: None.

HOSPITALITY: None

EDUCATION: None.

FIELD DAY: June 24-25, 2023 at Izaak Walton Park in Fremont with Chairman Tony Renze, K0OMH.

FLEA MARKET: July 8, 2023 at North Bend with Chairpersons Rich Mehaffey, KB0ARZ and Jane Mehaffey, KB0ZUN. KB0ARZ said notice has been sent to ARRL. KE0KAZ will try to find a test coordinator.

PICNIC: September 24, 2023 with Sharon Martens, KB0TVB and Dave Theophilus, W0NRW as Chairpersons.

CHRISTMAS PARTY: TBA. Chairperson Jane Mehaffey, KB0ZUN.

NET MANAGER: Mel Cunningham, K0VLA passed around a sign-up sheet for NCS assignments.

ARES: Steve Narans, WB0VNF reported on a FEMA ZOOM meeting he attended on floods.

PUBLICITY: W0NRW reported that the *Fremont Tribune* is printing the meeting notices. He also put a notice of the meeting on the FM105.5 website.

OLD BUSINESS: Nothing.

NEW BUSINESS: A discussion was held on whether we wanted to donate money to the 3 main repeater owners in Fremont, and if so, how much and how, with the understanding that we were not trying to exert any control over the repeaters. It was decided to wait until more members were present to make a decision.

DRAWING: The winner of \$10 was Mike Campbell, KE0KAZ.

ADJOURN: The meeting was adjourned at 755 PM.

NEXT MEETING: 7 PM on Thursday, March 23, 2023 at Gambino's Pizza.

Respectfully submitted, Dave Theophilus, W0NRW

Ham Equipment For Sale

This is an updated list of K0AMD's equipment for sale. Contact Lance, WN0L, or Dan, W7UP for information.

K0AMD Radio Equipment

Yaesu FT-450D HF Transceiver

XIEGU G90 20 Watt HF SDR Transceiver

XIEGU GSOC Universal Controller & Data Terminal

XGGComms USB Digimode-4 For G90

Baofeng GT-5TP HT Bad Battery

DIY HF QRP 8 Band Transceiver

Kenwood RZ-1 500 kHz to 905 MHz Wideband Receiver AM/FM/FM-Wide

SDRPlay RSP2Pro

ATU 100-HF 1.8 MHz - 30 MHz Antenna Tuner

Chelegance JPC-12 Vertical Antenna 7-50Mhz 100 Watts w/JPC-7 Case
As New

Diamond MX-62 Duplexer SO-239, Low Pass PL-259 1.6-56 MHz, Hi Pass
PL-259 76-470 MHz, 12 in cables

Antenna Switch TW-103

LDG RU-9:1 Unun Like New

MFJ RF Sense SDR RX/TX Switch

Tigertronics Signalink USB New In Box

AA Engineering 1 Amp Battery Charger Kit

Pyramid 6 AMP Power Supply

Micronta 22-126 0-24VDC Power Supply

WB9JFR SSTV/PSK31 Decoder

HF Choke (Kit or Homebrew)

PARC Officers & Chairpeople

President, Mike Campbell, KEOKAZ
V. President, Steve Narans, WBOVNF
Secretary, Dave Theophilus, WØNRW
Treasurer, Sharon Martens, KBØTVB

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Dan Steinhoff, W7UP
Phil Bahl KA0UNB & 2 Officers
Darlene Hoffman NOLOP
Club Trustee: Lance Hoffman, WNOL

COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Hospitality: Sharon Martens, KBØTVB
Field Day: Tony Renze, K0DMH
Flea Market: Rich Mehaffey, KBØARZ
Picnic: Dave Theophilus, WØNRW &
Sharon Martens, KBØTVB
Christmas Party: Jane Mehaffey, KBØZUN
Pat Bahl
Publicity: Dave Theophilus, WØNRW
ARES: Steve Narans, WBOVNF
Education: Jane Mehaffey, KBØZUN
Net Manager: Mel Cunningham, KØVLA

Joining Our Organization

MEMBERSHIP DUES:

Yearly: \$10. per member

Family Yearly: \$10 first member,
\$3 each additional member

Paid between Jan. 1—March 1

After March 1, dues are prorated
at \$1 per month for new members.
Previous year member's dues re-
main \$10. whenever paid.

Life Membership: \$200.

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We're on the web:

KOSW.org

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HAMFESTS For 2023

5/13/23—Nebraska ARRL Convention in Lincoln NE.
See: lincolnhamfest.org/

4/15-16/23—Nebraska QSO Party. See: nebraskaqsoparty.com/

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7/8/23—PARC Flea Market in North Bend, NE.
See: k0sw.org

9/23/23—Sooland ARA Hamfest in Sioux City, IA
See: k0tft.com/

11/18/23—Elkhorn Valley ARC in Norfolk, NE
See: qsl.net/evarc/

2023 PIONEER AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MEETINGS

In 2023, the Pioneer Amateur Radio Club (PARC) will continue to meet at Gambino's/ Hero's on the 4th Thursday of the month, **with 3 exceptions in September, November, and December noted below.**

Pioneer Amateur Radio Club, 6 pm supper, 7 pm meeting, Gambino's Pizza/Hero Deli, 1900 E Military Ave., Fremont.

Jan 26	Feb 23	Mar 23
Apr 27	May 25	Jun 22
Jul 27	Aug 24	

Sep No Meeting – Picnic Sep 24 at 5 pm
Oct 26

Nov 16— **1 week early due to Thanksgiving**
Dec No Meeting – Christmas Party TBD

The PARC website is at:
<http://www.k0sw.org/>

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