

PARC News

Pioneer Amateur Radio Club of Fremont, Nebraska

- > MEETING
- > Thursday,
- > October 26, 2017
- > Supper 6 p.m.
- > Meeting 7 p.m.
- > Hero's
- > Gambino's
- > 1900 E . Military
- > Fremont, NE

Another Year Almost Finished!

Time To Elect 2018 Officers

Yes, October is the month we elect our PARC Officers for the coming Year. So come prepared to vote for the people you want to run the club for another year.

We will also be appointing a new person to the Board of Directors and if the president want to, we can appoint the chair people for next year also.

And While You Are Thinking on This — — -



Also be thinking about who deserves to be "Amateur of the Year" for 2017 also. This award should go to a person who has contributed to the advancement of Ham Radio, especially in our club and/or area.

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A New Extra Class Licensee

Hi,
 I think I received a complimentary year's membership in the Pioneer Amateur Radio Club when I passed my General Class at the North Bend VEC exams during the swap meet. I just wanted to let you know that I've since passed my Extra exam and got a new call sign.

Old call: KE0NQE
 New call: AD0ZC
 73, -Kyle Jorgensen

**Pioneer Amateur
Radio Club
Treasurer's Report
October, 2017**

Savings	\$ 130.68
Checking	2,479.90
Petty Cash	20.00
TOTAL	\$2,630.58
Income:	
Dues	20.00
TOTAL INCOME	20.00
Expenses:	
Monthly Drawing	10.00
Paper Products(NOLOP)	13.86
Picnic Exp(KB0TVB & W0NRW)	39.14
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 63.00

Um, Um, GOOD!



**PIONEER AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MINUTES FOR
AUGUST 24, 2017**

The Pioneer Amateur Radio Club Meeting for August 24, 2017, was called to order at 7 PM by President Dan Steinhoff, W7UP. 22 people were present, who introduced themselves.

MINUTES and TREASURER'S REPORT: The July minutes and August Treasurer's Report were approved as printed in the August *PARC News*.

MOTION to PAY BILLS: None

HOSPITALITY: Sharon Martens, KB0TVB sent a card to Tom Martin, K0AMD.

EDUCATION: None.

FIELD DAY: June 23-24, 2018.

FLEA MARKET: Rich Mehaffey, KBOARZ reported that the date next year has been set for July 14, 2018.

PICNIC: 530 PM Sunday, September 24, 2017 with KB0TVB and Dave Theophilus, W0NRW as chairpersons. The instructions for the Potluck were gone over as printed in the *PARC News*.

CHRISTMAS PARTY: Outer Limits in Valley at 530 PM on Saturday, December 9, 2017. We will order off the menu.

NET MANAGER: Mel Cunningham, K0VLA thanked everybody. He can use additional Net Controls as he is down to four.

ARES: W0NRW thanked the rainfall reporters for their reports.

PUBLICITY: W0NRW reported that the *Fremont Tribune* continues to list the meeting notices.

OLD BUSINESS: Darlene Hoffman, N0LOP was taking club shirt orders, to be delivered at the club picnic in September.

NEW BUSINESS: W7UP reported that Hero's/Gambino's is now closing at 830 PM in case we want to move our meetings 1/2 hour earlier. It can be discussed in October. Also, due to a donation from K0AMD, the next YL in the club that gets licensed will receive a dual-band handi-talkie.

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

ADJOURN: The meeting was adjourned at 710 PM.

PROGRAM: W7UP introduced the speaker for the evening, Phil Bahl, KA0UNB who spoke on how to get started on the new digital mode, FT8.

Respectfully submitted, Dave Theophilus, W0NRW

Picnic A Success Again!

Twenty nine people attended the 2017 PARC Picnic in September at the Theophilus home. A great turnout and lots of great food as always as you can see by the photo to the right and below.



PARC Picnic



Photos By Dave, W0NRW

Fremont Airport To Be Hub for Emergency Communication

In the case that a major disaster ever occurred in a Midwestern state in the U.S., the Fremont Municipal Airport would become a hub for emergency response communication and coordination.

Recently the Fremont Cadet Squadron headquarters at the Fremont Airport was designated one of seven major disaster Incident Command Posts for the Civil Air Patrol (CAP).

Fremont will be the lead Incident Command Post (ICP) for any major disaster between the Canadian border to the northern Oklahoma border and between the eastern Wyoming border to the western border of Indiana.

If the disaster is a major nation-wide disaster, such as a terrorist attack or electromagnetic pulse (EMP) event, the Fremont ICP will be up and running 24/7 for the duration of the event.

As part of the ICP designation, the Fremont Cadet Squadron headquarters will include a round the clock communication messaging center for the federal government as well as the staging of aircraft and vehicles for aircrew and ground team sorties.

The Fremont ICP will also be manned continuously and have an emergency power supply in the event of an interruption in commercial power. The Mobile Operation Center will also be re-outfitted for "in the field" operations.

To ensure systems are up to par the Fremont squadron headquarters have upgraded antennas and have changed their communication equipment to encrypted output radios.

One of the reasons Fremont was chosen as a major disaster ICP is the level of experience of the personnel at the Fremont squadron, with one of the most experienced Incident Commanders in the CAP being a member of the local squadron.

Another reason is the level of support provided to the Fremont Cadet Squadron by the City of Fremont, and their working relationship between local law enforcement and the fire department.

"I want to say thank you to both of you (Mayor Getzchman and City Administrator Brian Newton) for your support and congratulate Fremont on an outstanding accomplishment," Steve Kuddes, Colonel CAP, said.

"It is an honor to say we are not only the Fremont Civil Air Patrol, but we are also Fremont's Civil Air Patrol," Kuddes said.

— Via Fremont Tribune News

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PARC Officers & Chairpeople

President, Dan Steinhoff, W7UP
V. President, Wes Chrisman, KDØPGV
Secretary, Dave Theophilus, WØNRW
Treasurer, Sharon Martens, KBØTVB

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Frank Veverka, KØAJA
Jim Sweeney, KBØDYY
Bob Kirchmann, WØICE & 2 Officers

COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Hospitality: Sharon Martens, KBØTVB
Field Day: Don Renze, KØDM
Flea Market: Rich Mehaffey, KBØARZ
Picnic: Dave Theophilus, WØNRW &
Sharon Martens, KBØTVB
Christmas Party: Linda Kirchmann, WØZIP &
Jane Mehaffey, KBØZUN
Publicity & ARES: Dave Theophilus, WØNRW
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 remain
\$10. whenever paid.

Life Membership: \$200.

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Hamfest

11/04/2017—Northeast Nebraska Hamfest, Norfolk, NE, CHC Hall, 105 Elm Ave, Norfolk.

9 a.m.—2 p.m. Seminars: ARES and Fusion Repeaters.

2 meters - 160 watts >

These antennas belong to
Joe, NOXAT

Dual Band pointed over
Fremont toward Omaha >

UHF pointed toward Iowa
IRLP repeater 35 miles away >

53 ft. end fed HF >
6 - 80 meters

