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PARC News

Pioneer Amateur Radio Club of Fremont, Nebraska

2024 PARC Officers And One Director Appointed

Election of 2024 PARC Officers was held at the October Meeting.

President - Steve Narans, WB0VNF

Vice President—Matt Jones, AL0R

Secretary—Dave Theophilus, W0NRW

Treasurer—Sharon Martens, KB0TVB

And Wes Chrisman volunteer to fill the Board of Director spot being vacated by Dan Steinhoff, W7UP. The remainder of the posts remain the same.



REMINDER

The November PARC meeting will be one week earlier in the month, the third Thursday due to Thanksgiving the following week.

HAMFEST

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



PARC

> Meeting

> Gambinos

> 1900 E. Military

> Fremont, NE

> Thursday

> Nov, 16, 2023

> Fremont, NE

NOTE:
**This is a
week earlier**

Eat at 6 p.m.
Meeting
At 7 p.m.

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PARC Minutes



PARC Treasurer's Report Nov. 2023

Savings	\$ 348.78
Petty Cash	10.00
Checking	3,565.57
TOTAL	\$3,924.35
INCOME	None
TOTAL INCOME	None
EXPENSES	
Drawing	\$ 10.00
Izaak Walton Rent 2024	150.00
Xmas Party Advance	250.00
Picnic Meat & Plates	48.39
Trophy Case	20.00
TOTALEXPENSES	\$483.39

PIONEER AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MINUTES FOR October 26, 2023

The Pioneer Amateur Radio Club Meeting for October 26, 2023, was held at Gambino's Pizza in Fremont. The meeting was called to order at 7 PM by President Mike Campbell, KE0KAZ. Twenty-three people were present, who introduced themselves.

PROGRAM: Wes Chrisman, KD0PGV presented a program on Winter Field Day at Platte River State Park on January 27-28, 2024.

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

MOTION TO PAY BILLS: Sharon Martens, KB0TVB paid the Picnic bills.

HOSPITALITY: Nothing.

EDUCATION: Nothing.

FIELD DAY: Field Day on June 22-23, 2024 will again be held at Izaak Walton Park with Tony Renze, K0OMH as Chairman. The reservation has been made. Winter Field Day will be held on January 27-28, 2024. Contact KD0PGV for more details. Dave Theophilus, W0NRW will also send an email to members.

FLEA MARKET: North Bend Flea Market will be held on July 13, 2024. Rich Mehaffey, KB0ARZ and Jane Mehaffey, KB0ZUN, Chairpersons.

PICNIC: To be held on September 29, 2024, at 5 PM at W0NRW home with Sharon Martens, KB0TVB and Dave Theophilus, W0NRW as Chairpersons. KB0TVB thanked Dave and Karol Theophilus for hosting this year's picnic.

CHRISTMAS PARTY: December 2, 2023 at 5 PM at Farmer Brown's Steakhouse in Waterloo, Jane Mehaffey, KB0ZUN and Pat Bahl as Chairpersons. Up to \$250 was approved to spend on the party.

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

ARES: Matt Jones, AL0R said the Emergency Preparedness Expo on October 21 at Fremont Rural Fire Department was poorly attended by the public. Douglas County is having training sessions. Contact Matt for details.

PUBLICITY: W0NRW reported that the *Fremont Tribune* is printing the meeting notices.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: For 2024, Wes Chrisman, KD0PGV was selected as a Director; Sharon Martens, KB0TVB was selected as Treasurer; Dave Theophilus, W0NRW was selected as Secretary; Matt Jones, AL0R was selected as Vice-President; and Steve Narans, WB0VNF was selected as President. Voting by secret ballot was conducted to select the Amateur of the Year, which will be announced at the Christmas Party. Lance Hoffman, WN0L and Dan Steinhoff, W7UP installed an outside antenna for Jake Jacoby, KC0QDH. A collection of telephone numbers of members was started. A discussion of the pros and cons of moving the meeting location in 2024 to the Dodge County Building at 935 Schneider St. with the understanding that if food is brought in it will be by individual members, or staying at Gambino's Pizza. Per a request all members be given a chance to vote, KE0KAZ said he thought voting could be conducted by email.

DRAWING: The winner of \$10 was Darlene Hoffman, N0LOP.

ADJOURN: The meeting was adjourned at 754 PM.

NEXT MEETING: 7 PM on Thursday, November 16, 2023 at Gambino's Pizza, which is one week earlier than normal due to Thanksgiving.

Respectfully submitted, Dave Theophilus, W0NRW

Program For Clubs Has Been Created

Many of you have been asking us when we are going to create a program for clubs.

Well, that day has finally arrived!

Now with Ham Radio Prep, every club automatically gets 20% off all Ham Radio Prep our online classes for your members, no strings attached.

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Regards, James KN4NEH

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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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Get Your Winter Field Day Info From Wes KD0PGV

At the PARC meeting on October 26, Wes Chrisman, KD0PGV presented information on Winter Field Day to be held on January 27-28, 2024. See: <https://winterfieldday.org/>

Wes and several other PARC members will be participating by renting cabins at Platte River State Park near Louisville, NE.

See: <https://outdoornebraska.gov/location/platte-river/>

They also plan to eat one meal together at Round the Bend Steakhouse.

See: <https://www.roundthebendsteakhouse.com/>

If you would like more information or are interested in joining them, please contact Wes on the air or via his email. He checks in quite frequently to the Dodge County ARES Net on Wednesday nights on the 146.67 MHz repeater.

Also, his email is: westondc@hotmail.com

Dave T., W0NRW, PARC Secretary

