Columbia Amateur Radio Club-Monthly Meeting Minutes for AUGUST 2016

August 1, 2016

Introductions

- Andy Haworth (KK4DSD)-President
- Introduction of Board members and Officers and Attendees
- Past Month's Meeting Minutes: Andy announced that last month's meeting minutes can be found on the club's website (www.w4cae.com).
- <u>Treasurer's Report:</u> The current amount in the account is \$2217.05. There are now 112 members of CARC.
- <u>CARC Net Report</u>: Net Manager, Gary Anderson (K4HGA) announced that in July 2016 there were 9 nets held with a total of 261 check-ins, an average of 29 per net, and a total of 17 announcements.
- There were no event committee announcements.
- VISITING PRESIDENTS REPORT. K4ELG announced that there is Collins ham radio gear for sale. W1TEF announced that the Dutch Fork Club has completed installing new internet links and have re-arranged the interior setup.

• OLD BUSINESS:

- K4HGA announced the club is conducting a net contest for a chance to win a Tytera DMR HT to be awarded at the September meeting.
- The CARC picnic will be held on Saturday, August 20, 2016 at Weston Lake.

New Business:

 The disposition of the club trailer was discussed in detail by W1TEF with no clear resolution. KK4DSD established a comment section on the club website in order to gather opinions from the membership. W4RWL raised a motion to table the discussion for 6 months with N4LDL seconding.

PROGRAM FOR THE EVENING:

KK4DSD presented an outstanding program on digital modes of ham radio.

At the conclusion of the presentation, the meeting was adjourned.