

HARC General Membership Meeting Minutes for July 2024

PO Box 2104
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July 9, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm by Ed K8DI President.
The Pledge of Allegiance was observed.

Reports:

- 1) Secretary (interim, Rich WA8MTI)
 - a) June's Secretary Report was accepted as read.
- 2) Treasurer (Rich WA8MTI)
 - a) Treasurer's Report

June 2024

General: \$6,153.50

Membership: \$534.34

Total: \$6,687.84

Up: \$285.00

Treasurer's Report was accepted as read.

3: Announcements & Upcoming Events:

The next Ham in a Day Session will be on Saturday August 10th. This will take place 1pm at the Chick-Owa Sportsman's Club. A VE Test Session will follow at 6pm.

The next E.A.T Meeting will be on Tuesday July 23rd at 6:30pm at the Herrick District Library in the main floor meeting room. Anyone is welcome to come. This meeting will partner with GroundWorks at the Herrick Main Library Branch.

The 2m Net of the Holland Amateur Radio Club is held each Monday at 7:30pm on the 147.060 (94.8Hz offset) repeater. All amateur radio enthusiasts are welcome to join the net. Please check in and join the fun! There is a template that can be downloaded on the club's website if you are interested in trying out as Net Control.

On Saturday August 3rd the Elkhart East Ham Fest/ARRL Central Division Convention will take place. Visit <http://www.elkharteasthamfest.com/> for more details.

The 24th Annual ARRL USA/IARU Region 2 Radio Orienteering Championship is coming up October 5th-13th. There will be multiple categories, competitive fox hunting, and more. This will take place in Chelsea, Michigan.

4. Old Business:

A nomination to elect Kaitlin KD9NRB for club secretary was made.
A motion was made for club secretary.
A motion was passed and Kaitlin KD9NRB will be the club secretary.

Summer Field Day Update from Doug K8DP.

- Location was at Victory Point Church in Holland, MI
- 3 stations were running
- 13 people under the age of 13 operated
- Over 1500 contacts were made!

5. New Business:

- Presentation Volunteers and Subjects
 - o Gan – KY8D – will do a presentation in September
 - o Eric – KE8GRY – will do a presentation and demonstration on Linux in October
 - o Zach – KE8BS – will do a presentation on WinLink in November
 - o Tom – K8TB – will do a presentation in December
- Mid-Year Board Meeting will take place Wednesday July 17th for current and former club officers.
- A new list was sent out to club members regarding expired memberships.
- Grace Papay – K8LG – was named Young Ham of the Year!

HARC Meeting was adjourned 7:15pm.