

# The Marinette and Menominee Amateur Radio Club

## GROUND WAVE

Repeater Frequencies 147.00MHz & 444.075MHz  
Club Net: Sunday 7PM 147.00MHz

Web Page <http://w8pif.com>



### Officers:

President: Bruce Conover N9CON  
Vice President: Eric Janssen KG9GH  
Treasurer: Mike Lemke, KD8FUE  
Secretary: Jim Callow K8IR  
Officers at Large: Pete Johnson, AB9PJ  
John Goldschmidt N9GLT  
Doug Dooley KD8OVR

The MMARC Newsletter

February, 2019

### CLUB CALENDAR...

Feb 14 Club Meeting NWTC  
Mar 9 Ham Breakfast George Webb's  
Mar 14 Club Meeting NWTC

### CLUB MEETING...

We will hold our monthly meeting on Thursday February 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in Room MNSC101P at NWTC. Hope you can attend.

There will be a VE session at 5pm in the same room prior to the meeting. Anyone wanting to test is invited. AB9PJ asks members to try not to arrive for the meeting before 6:40 so as not to distract those who are testing.

### ASK WHAT YOU CAN DO FOR YOUR CLUB...

N9CON gives us this list of positions to be filled at the next meeting. The intent is for members to look the list over and hopefully find a position to volunteer for. Most of these positions will require very little to do, and a member can hold more than one position if desired.

1. Property Clerk
2. Newsletter Editor
3. Webmaster
4. Public Affairs Coordinator
5. Fund Raising Coordinator
6. Grant Writing Coordinator
7. Training / Education Coordinator
8. Programs Manager
9. Field Day Chairman

## **HOLIDAY PARTY...**

The club's Holiday Party was held January 12<sup>th</sup> at the Little Nugget in Wallace. Everyone seemed to enjoy the event, with many excellent comments on the food. The Gift Exchange was entertaining as usual. We hope you got something useful!

## **HOSPITAL TOUR...**

A big thanks to Eric, KG9GH for arranging and Mike Holmes of BAMC for giving a most interesting tour of the part of the new hospital most people will never see, the electrical, HVAC, water conditioning, and other systems that make it all possible.

## **M&M AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MINUTES 2/10/19**

The meeting was called to order at 7:04pm.

Members related their Ham Radio Activities.

A motion to approve the Secretary's Report was made by Steve, K9STT, and seconded by Pete, AB9PJ. The motion passed.

N9CON announced the passing of Jeanne Arnold in September. Eric, KG9GH read a communication from Lloyd, W9LEG regarding the club possibly looking into acquiring the Arnold's radio property.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Mike, KD8FUE reported the current balance was \$1080.61. Complete 2018 financials are available on the club website. Mike is preparing the 2018 Form 990-N.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** An inquiry with an antenna question was received on the website. The individual may also be interested in attending our classes.

Jim, K8IR reported Jim Mans, AA9PB has a linear, crank up tower, and other equipment for sale.

**DAR REPORT:** Cal, K1SGW presented Ed, KG8CX with a plaque for his 13 years of work at the DAR Radio room.

**NET REPORT:** We now have three net controls: KG8CX, KB9VXJ, and K9STT.

**HAT TEAM REPORT:** Tonight's Hospital Tour given by Mike Holmes is in exchange for some tower work by the Hat Team last summer. Pete, AB9PJ reported some other clubs are asking for help with repeaters.

**OLD BUSINESS:** NONE

NEW BUSINESS: Cal, K1SGW has been working on a recruitment letter to send out to all licensed hams in the area. Motion by Steve, K9STT second by Cal, K1SGW to authorize Cal to send out the letters. Cal will cover the costs. Motion passed.

Bruce, N9CON says there are committees and positions to fill under the new Constitution and Bylaws. There will be He will try to fill these positions in February.

Officers will take their oaths of office in February.

Doug, KD8OVR is looking for instructors for the license classes.

A VE Session will be held prior to the February meeting.

Pete, AB9PJ reported no word on our 501c3 status from the IRS. The government is currently shut down.

Motion to adjourn by Bill AC8IO, second by Pete, AB9PJ. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 7:45pm.

Members went to the new Bay Area Medical Center hospital to get a very interesting tour of the hospital's mechanical facilities given by Mike Holmes.

Those in attendance:

N9CON, KG9GH, AB9PJ, W9CYN, AG9P, WH6KHG, K9STT, KG8CX, KD8FUE, KE8KWU, KD8OVR, K1SGW, K8IR, AC8IO, N9GLT, WA9BUD

Submitted by Jim Callow, K8IR, Secretary

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