

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 – Jim Callow, K8IR
Vice President – Dan Nyman, W9DLN
Secretary – John Goldschmidt, N9GLT
Treasurer – Mike Lemke, KD8FUE
At Large – Shannon Lefebvre, KD9RYZ
At Large – Paul Sorensen, NS8V
At Large – Doug Dooley, KD8OVR

The MMARC Newsletter

April 2023

CLUB CALENDAR...

Apr 13 Club Meeting inVenture North 7p
May 11 Club Meeting inVenture North 7p

CLUB MEETING...

This month's meeting is Thursday April 13th at 7pm at inVenture North. 1320 Main Street in Marinette. An agenda is attached. We hope to see you there.

SKYWARN TRAINING...

There will be a Skywarn Training session presented by the Marquette National Weather Service Office on Wednesday April 12th at 6pm at the Menominee County Annex Building in Stephenson. It's a great opportunity to brush up on your severe weather reporting skills and learn the latest weather trends in the Upper Peninsula. These presentations are free and open to the public. No advanced registration is necessary.

Marinette & Menominee Amateur Radio Club
Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes
Thursday March 9, 2023

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm at inVenture North in Marinette by club president Jim Callow, K8IR.

Motion to approve the February meeting minutes was made by Mike Lemke, KD8FUE and seconded by Robert Juhlin, W8AWF. The motion was accepted and carried.

Correspondence: Green Bay Mike & Key Club will be holding a Hamfest from 8:00 AM 'til Noon on Saturday June 3, at Our Saviour Lutheran Church, 120 South Henry Street in Green Bay.

The Amazon Smile program ended February 20, 2023.

Treasures Report: KD8FUE reported a balance at the end of February of \$6,828.62.

Committee Reports

ARES Report: KD8FUE reported he will be contacting all ARES members to collect information for the new ID cards. Tom Philipps reported the generator for the communications trailer has arrived and he is waiting on the propane tanks. Menominee County is getting closer to having a dedicated EOC at the ISD building.

Fundraiser Report: Nothing to report.

Yacht Report: Ed Engleman, KG8CX reported a couple of their young members will be giving a presentation at Carole Perry's Youth Forum at Dayton Hamvention.

Webmaster Report: No report

ARRL Report: No report

New Business

A ham breakfast will be held at 9 am Saturday, March 11th at Applejack's in Marinette.

Old Business

UHF Amp: No update

Financial Review: The financial review for year 2022 was completed by the Financial Committee and no significant errors, improprieties, or other actionable deficiencies were found. Property Audit: W8AWF volunteered to take over the Property Clerk position. A property audit will be scheduled after Robert collects the required information.

Announcements

Tom Philipps mentioned the County has declared the backup radio equipment as surplus and the club would need to pick it up if they want it. There may be an opportunity to obtain more equipment as Menominee County decommissions their conventional radio system.

KD8OVR presented a video on RF exposure calculations.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by W8AWF and seconded by Paul Sorensen, NS8V.

The motion was accepted and carried. Meeting ended at 8:04 pm

11 members present: N9GLT, KD8OVR, KD8FUE, W9DLN, KE8KWU, KD9IGW, KG8CX, W8AWF, NS8V, K8IR, and KD9RYZ.

Others present: Tom Philipps

Minutes respectfully
submitted by John
Goldschmidt – Secretary

April 2023 Agenda

1. Call to order
2. Changes/Additions to agenda
3. Pledge of allegiance
4. Introductions
5. Approval of 2023 March Minutes
6. Treasurer's report
7. Correspondence
8. Committee Reports
 1. ARES Report - KD8FUE
 2. Fundraising Committee KD8FUE/K9STT
 3. Yacht Report - KG8CX
 4. Web/ARRL report - K9STT
 5. License Classes – KD8OVR
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 - 7.
9. New business
 1. Field Day
 2. Fund Raisers
10. Old Business
 1. UHF Amp - Steve
 2. 2023 Picnic reservations
 3. Picnic Committee Chair & volunteers
11. Announcements
12. Adjournment

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