Gallatin Ham Radio Club

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MEETING MINUTES

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October 2017 Minutes

Present:

Bruce Walker KE7SJZ President

Eric Anderson AC7V Treasurer

Falicia Anderson KF7TAH Secretary

Harley Leach KI7XF

David Hohmann AG7DF

Don Godward N7FLT

Ralph Bergantine KC7PFH

Renee Reger KF7DER

Norm Reger KD7TQM

Leon Helms N6VS

Don Wilson KC7EWZ

Jim Halfpenny K9YNP

Cyrus Smith NU7Q

Todd Freitag KC2UTT

Jim Sheldon K7ORA

Kelly Teters

Jonathan Teters

Larry Hayden KF7L

Deborah McAtee

Pat Sands AE7NZ

Call to Order: Bruce Walker KE7SJZ called the meeting to order @7:02 PM. Fol-

lowed by introductions

Minutes: Minutes accepted

Treasurer's report: Beginning Balance of \$1,110.35; collected \$334 from ham

fest and dues, paid out \$39.90 for W7ED's web name. Ending balance of

\$1,404.45

Ham test: Harley Leach KI7XF- Next test Saturday, December 9th. Six people took this past test and all did well

ERA: Harley Leach KI7XF-Harley has not made it to Buck Ridge but it's in the planning

SAR: Don Wilson KC7EWZ- One event; a women saw something in the river that looked like a baby but was really a cushion

88 Net: David Hohmann AG7DF-There were about fourteen check-ins last week **Foxhunt:** Harley Leach KI7XF- had a good one last Saturday. There will be another one on Saturday

HF: ARRL-Fifty Hams were sent to Puerto Rico to help out with communication. All stations were down but two. There were thousands of messages going out of the island

MSU Ham: nothing reported

Club-Class-

Old Business:

- Ham/Prepper Fest: Ray Harbeck KG7RAU-Ham Fest went fairly well. Next year we will combine with the Church of Ladder Day Saints. The raffle winner will be drawn on Facebook live with witnesses
- Gardiner/Livingston/Paradise Valley repeater: Neil thinks he has a spot
- Website Updates: Some changes have been made already. Discussed what further changes can still be made
- Ice Climbers Event: At this point we as hams will not be participating
- Belgrade Fall Fest- Norm Reger KD7TQM-It rained, it was cold, it snowed, it went fine
- Winter Field Day: Reminder; In January (possibly the 26th, 27th and 28th), is tentatively planned at the Headwaters State Park in three Forks at the camp-

ground. You can come for the weekend, the day or a few hours. It is \$18 per night to camp. More details to come

New Business:

- W7ED parking fee is due
- Election for club officers is coming up in December. If you are interested please let us know
- 2018 Dues are coming up in January (more information on the bottom of the page)Discussion on problems with Home Owner Association and antennas. It was recommended to call Lyn Baker

Announcements/Reminders:

- Discussion on problems with Home Owner Association and antennas. It was recommended to call Lyn Baker
- ARRL has a ton of educational information, if you haven't signed up please check it out
- Ham Library Books have been updated
- Dehbra McAtee is asking anyone who is involved with the Search and Rescue to please post pictures of the events on Gallatin County's Search and Rescue's Facebook page and/or the new Instagram page. You can also email the pictures to her at deborahmcatee@gmail.com
- Thank You to Fred Cady KE7X for your many years of hard work and dedication to being a volunteer fire fighter
- The club roster is in the process of being updated. If your information has not been added or has changed, please let Falicia Anderson KF7TAH know. The roster will be finished sometime in January.
- Bridger Ridge Run-Kay Newman brought in a check in the amount of \$250 and a letter from David Summerfield, the race coordinator, thanking everyone for volunteering and to let everyone who volunteered what a great job they did

Meeting Adjourned @ 7:54 PM

Presentation: no presentation

Minutes respectfully submitted by Falicia Anderson KF7TAH

Gallatin Ham Radio Club address:

GHRC

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Yearly Due Information:

-GHRC Dues; \$10 for student, \$20 for single member, \$25 for family. Please give check or cash to

Eric Anderson AC7V GHRC Treasurer, there is no PayPal account at this time

- ERA Dues; Suggested annual \$30, can be paid online with PayPal or given to Ray Harbeck

KG7RAU ERA President

-MRLA Dues; can be paid to Harley Leach KI7XF

GHRC 2017 EVENTS Schedule

No events scheduled for the remainder of 2017

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