



Plano Amateur Radio Klub General Meeting Minutes July 18, 2022

Start time: 7:00 pm
Location: First United Methodist Church Plano
Facilitator: Tim Johnson – K5TCJ
President

Board 8 (for quorum)

Members 21

Guest 6

Meeting Agenda

Call to Order/Welcome

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Officers Reports

Old Business

New Business

Break

Raffle

Program Presentation

Adjournment

Pledge – led by Tim Johnson – K5TCJ

Roll Call –

Each person present introduced themselves and gave their call-sign



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President's Report – Tim Johnson -- K5TCJ

The ARRL Foundation has announced the winners of its various Scholarships.

We are proud to announce that 2022 Amateur Radio Digital Communications (ARDC) Scholarships have been awarded to the following PARK members:

Katherine Forson – KT5KMF, \$25,000.00

Omar Abioye – KI5KDJ, \$10,000.00

Godwin Duan – AA1GD, \$10,000.00

Congratulations Katherine, Omar and Godwin.

Vice-President's Report – Anthony Burokas – KB5DVS

Programs

Tonight – July 18th

Ham Radio Equipment Auction

August 15th

TBD

September 19th

TBD



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Congratulations to these Wheatly Fox Hunters

- Chris Tuti KV2T
- Brian Murphy WB8QZM
- Bob Hill KG5WRY
- Jeff Waite KI5SDS
- Mark Hammons N5MSH
- Katherine Forson KT5KMF
- Rob Forson K5WFR
- Dwaine Hurta N5HD
- Adam Butt KE5MMK
- David Fedorko KF5PFC

The winner of a \$25 HR gift certificate is Chris Titi – KV2T

Treasurer's Report – Michael Tharp – KG5TJF

Balance with expenditures and deposits reviewed and explained the bank account showing the monthly debits/credits and reminded the membership of monies needed to complete a previous approved projects and monies needed to run the club annually. Also reminded the membership that when the available monies are under \$4000.00; we, as a club, do not approve any large projects.

Communications Director's Report – Kip Moravec – AE5IB

Presby ran three runs of cable and are working on the rest

We will have an UHF repeater at the hospital

Then a VHF receiver for the tower on because of noise.

Then links to other systems.



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Newsletter Editor's Report – Neil Gould – NE5IL

Hope everyone got to see the newsletter and found something
interesting to read

Be sure to send articles you enjoyed to be placed in the newsletter

If you see any issues, please send an email to the newsletter Editor

WebMaster's Report – John Hatch – KF5BSS

All should sign up for an account on the web page

<https://K5prk.net> and

for groups io at www.K5prk.groups.io/g/main/topics

Any issues or questions email John at webmaster@K5prk.net

PARK is also on Facebook

The newsletter is sent through the web page registration

Need help maintaining the website

Public Relations Director's Report – Dan Daniels – W5KKQ

Receive approval for the cards and labels

Will need help doing the labels because of eyesight



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Activities Director's Report – Richard Seitz – KG5HCJ

Recurring Events

PARK Breakfast Group – Saturdays @ 0700

Poor Richard's Café – Plano, Texas

Monthly PARK Meetings

Board of Directors Meeting – 1st Monday 7:00 PM

General Meeting – 3rd Monday 7:00 PM

CollinARES Training Nets

Typically holds two on-the-air training nets twice per month. You need not be a member to check-in.

Nets begin at 2100 hrs (9:00 pm local) and last 20 minutes to an hour.

Some nets may be cancelled due to holidays or if a large number of

Our members have participated in a major exercise or event that weekend.

1st Sunday of each month: PARK Repeater (K5PRK) 147.180 (+)
107.2

3rd Sunday of each month: MARC Repeater (W5MRC) 146.740 (-)
110.9

Go to www.collinares.net for detailed information

WinLink Wednesdays – Go to www.collinaries.net for link and details



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Weekly Fox Hunts

Every weekend in McKinney, Sachse and Richardson and/or
Plano

Freddy the Fox (McKinney ARC)

Found in McKinney from 9 am Sat thru 7 pm Sun

Tx on 434.500 MHz with a 3-minute cycle.

Scan QR Code once found and fill out form

Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Freddy-The-Fox-109578464255677>

SARA (Sachse ARA)

Found in Sachse each weekend

TX on 146.565 MHz

SARA information: www.sachseradio.org

Wheatly (Richardson WK)

found in Richardson every weekend

in Plano one weekend per month

TX on 433.250 MHz with a 3-minute cycle.

Scan QR Code once found and fill out form

Wheatley's Website:

<https://sites.google.com/view/Wheatley-website/home>



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Fox #1 (Richardson WK)

Found in Richardson every weekend

Tx on 144.500 MHz with a 3-minute cycle

More information on the RWK website:

<http://www.k5rwk.org/foxhunt/>

More Information at: www.tidelands.org

Field Day Coordinator's Report – Michael Tharp – KG5TJF

2022 ARRL Field Day

Points

The Forsons – 1418 points

Zhiguo Yang (Antonin) – 254

Club score (including Bob Nine) – 1290

Total preliminary score -- 2962

VE Testing Results – Daryl Morgeson – AF5QJ

Shahrzad Rizvi

Congrats to Shahrzad

1st one to take the test electronically



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Old Business

None

New Business:

None

Break: 10 minutes

Raffle—Tim Johnson K5TCJ won \$44

Tonight's Program

1st Club Auction

Some items were for the taking

Some were donated to the club who kept the proceeds

Some began at a selling price and if sold the club received 10%

Lots of equipment sold for low, low prices

The buyer got an unbelievable value and the club made lots of money

A BIG THANK YOU to all who attended and were able to donate and who bought items they wanted.

A WIN, WIN, WIN



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Adjournment: 9:00 pm

Thank you for attending

See you on the air.

K5PRK/R 147.180 + (PL 107.2)

K5PRK/R 444.250 + (PL 79.7)

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