

St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society  
Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday October 06, 2015



**Officers Present:**

Douglas Stewart, President KI4NAD  
Rick Hatton, 1<sup>st</sup> V.P. KK4GGL  
Herman Green, Secretary KI4GCJ  
Kerry Hinkley, Treasurer K4ZED

**Members Present:**

Clint Porter, KC4LOV  
Gerry Prins, AB4SR  
Mickey Halley, KD4FBI  
Flip Halley, KE4OBT  
Buzz Miklos, WA4GPM  
Len Cayce, WA4MMH  
Jack Ernisse, K4KSW  
Bill Russell, KM4EMH  
Rod Heikkinen, AB4EW  
Buddy Tison, KK4RXC  
Erik Hokansson, KK4MDX  
Alan Alsobrook, KD4QOF  
Bruce Ramsey, WA6TBS

**Guest Present:**

Eric Hinson, KK4THE  
Keith Emerson, KD9CPH  
David Heiney, K4DRH  
Michael Carroll, AJ4OD  
Ron Morgan, KM4IGG

**Call to Order:**

The meeting of the St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society (SAARS) was called to order by President Doug Stewart, KI4NAD at 1832 PM EDT (06:32 EDT) October 06, 2015.

**Introduction:** Everyone introduced themselves using their name and call sign and gave a short history and/or background for themselves.

**Minutes:**

The minutes of the previous meeting of September 01, 2015 were reviewed by the Membership. There were no corrections. A motion was made by Kerry Hinkley, K4ZED and seconded by Mickey Halley, KD4FBI to accept the minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

**Old Business:**

- The upcoming yard sale will be the weekend of Halloween (October 31<sup>st</sup> & November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015). This club fund raiser will be held at the St. Johns County Flea Market located in the area of SR-207 and I-95. A request to donate items was made. Arrangement can be made to pick up items by contacting Doug KI4NAD.
- Polo Shirt Orders were taken during the program throughout the meeting.
- Status on the Florida Sales Tax Exemption Certificate is ongoing.
- Ebay Account is setup. Progress is ongoing.

- President Stewart then reviewed the upcoming programs and events.
  - 1) The Welaka Fall Festival will be held Saturday October 10, 2015. Check the events tab on the SAARS website for details.
  - 2) Bike MS – The SJC – ARES Group is asking for assistance with this bike event being held October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015. See Doug, KI4NAD if you can assist.
  - 3) Dunn’s Creek Fall Festival – Saturday November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Both SAARS and the Palatka Amateur Radio Club will be working together at this event. All are welcome and camping is available. See details on the Friends of Dunn’s Creek website. Info and registration information can be found at this link: <http://friendsofdunnscreek.org/>

**New Business:**

- Club Christmas party – Tuesday December 1<sup>st</sup> at Jay-Birds Restruant. Hwy. US-1 and SR-16 Confirmation on location will be announced at the next meeting..

**Treasures Report:**

Mr. Hinkley reported Receipts of \$206.00 and Expenses of \$216.00 for the month of September. The ending account balance as of September 30, 2015 is \$590.09.

**Door Prize:**

President Stewart then called for the drawing of the door prize. The door prize was won by Len Cayce, WA4MMH.

**Presentation Program**

Mr. Stewart opened the program introducing Mr. Len Cayce, WA4MMH. Len provided an excellent presentation. The interest of the group prompted a number of questions. Len will return at a later time for additional information and to continue his presentation.

**Adjourn:** The meeting was adjourned at 1956 EDT (07:56 EDT).

Respectfully Submitted, *S*

Herman Green, KI4GCJ  
Secretary

*Herman Green*

**Signed:**

As Accepted: *Joseph Stewart* Date: 11/03/15

As Accepted: *RAH* Date: 11/2/15