



St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society

MEETING MINUTES

April 4, 2023

Internet Video Meeting (Google)

Attendees

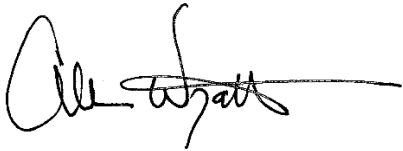
John Albertson AK4N
Jack Ernissee K4KSW
Ron Morgan KM4AC
Larry Sapp WD8SEL
Bob Sileo N2PE
John Smith K3GO
Buddy Tison KK4RXC

Franco Venturi K4VZ
Linda Visman KN4KJC
Richard Visman NN2T
Craig Wisman W3LCI
Allen Wyatt W4YO

- Bob Sileo called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm ET and asked members to stand for the Pledge to the Flag.
- Approval of the Minutes- Motion to approve as written by Jack Ernissee, seconded and approved unanimously.
- Approval of the Treasurers Report was tabled until the next meeting as the treasurer was not present-
- Discussion Items:
 - Bob gave a recap of the very successful Florida State Parks on the Air event at Favor-Dykes State Park.
 - **Tee Shirts and Golf Shirts with the club logo.** John Albertson gave a brief update on what he has We are ready to order T-shirts. Bob will distribute the flyer that John prepared to the membership and note that orders will be due by our May 2 meeting, either in-person or by mail to our PO Box. Checks should indicate shirt size on the memo line.
- This month's events.
 - Friday lunches (well attended) (Neds
 - VEC exam session on April 8
 - Last Saturday Breakfast – April 29. (The Spot)
- Next Operating Event
 - Field Day
 - June 24-25, 2023
 - St Johns County Fairgrounds Schoolhouse (already reserved)
 - days.
 - An Event Chairperson is needed.

- **Program: A general discussion of the FLSPOTA event and tools for working DX. Richard Visman made several small presentations.**
 - Richard displayed a graphic of where he and Jack had made contacts during FLSPOTA, which gave some idea about the performance of Richard's new experimental antenna. The antenna is a nicely assembled multiband dipole.
 - There was a group discussion of various tools for working DX including PSK reporter and JT Alert.
 - Buddy Tison showed attendees how he uses DX cluster information in conjunction with his MacLogger software package.
- The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 pm.
- Our next meeting will be on May 2 at 6:30 pm at the NFRA Conference Center.

Approved at the regular May 2, 2023 meeting.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard Visman", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.