



THE JUNKBOX



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Next TAARS Meeting

Our next TAARS meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 16, 2013, 7:30 PM at the COA Building "C" C109. Our dinner location is the Golden Coral at 6:00 PM

Minutes

President David AJ4NV called the meeting to order at 7:35 PM. The minutes of the previous meeting, as posted on the TAARS website, were approved. The treasurer's report was given by Herman NO4Y was approved.

Old Business/New Business

- A motion was made by Al, K4VHV, and seconded by Ron, N4WYR, to purchase liability insurance for the club if necessary for the field day site. The motion was carried.
- Greg, N4QLD stated his tower at the old Hertford site needs to be removed and will be given away. It will be advertised to club members after Hertford ARES needs are satisfied.
- There was a brief discussion on an e-mail to TAARS about a song with K4WO in the title. [I looked online to see what the song was and was only able to find this: K4WO/The Party Was Over and tried to find the lyrics but was unable to do so.]

- Terry, WB4FXD, our club webmaster, discussed including a buy, sell, giveaway page for the club site. He is going to put something together for use by club members.
- Edgar, K4YF, gave a brief talk on Marconi history.
- Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM and turned over to Al, K4VHV, for the discussion on the upcoming bike event scheduled for April 27, 2013.

• ATTENDANCE

- AJ4NV, KG4SPH, K2IUN, K4YF, K4VHV, KA2TQY, KU4BY, N4WYR, WB1CZX, WB4FXD, KD4VRI, KD4CAX, NO4Y, N4QLD.

APRIL 20th TESTING SESSION

TAARS sponsored a testing session on April 20th. There were two candidates for licenses, and both of them received their Technician license.

Congratulations go out to Dan Carleo, of Perquimans County and James Petty of Currituck.

Thanks to Kerry, KD4CEB, and Dave, AJ4NV for serving as examiners.