

The September meeting of the Starke County Amateur Radio Club was called to order at 7:00 p.m. on the 20th. There were 20 members and 2 guests present.

Officer's reports were given as follows:

Janet, Treasurer said that we have a balance as of \$1029.73.

John, Secretary said that the repeater back-up system has been in place for about three weeks now. It keeps the battery charged to 13.52 volts and switches over automatically when the commercial power goes out.

Tony reported he filed a grant request with the Starke County Foundation for a new Kenwood repeater radio at almost 1800.00.

Old Business:

Tony talked about the Boy Scout Jamboree to which the club said they do not want to participate.

Foxhunts were discussed and it was finally decided to run one more, which will be October 21st starting at the Sandy Acre Park on highway 35 at 1:00 p.m.

Next Club meeting is October 18th.

Radioville is October 6th, bring a dish to share. Visitors are bringing Hog and buns. Set-up will be around 9-10 a.m.

New Business

Don announced that Doc Lochner's tower goes up at 8 a.m. on Tuesday the 27th and if some of you wanted to help out to be there. The crane will raise it at about that time.

Raffle brought in \$24.00.

Bob, KC9ISI said he has to sell some items because he is losing his van. He has a Yaesu 2600 and antenna for \$160.00 and some other stuff. If you are interested, call Bob.

Program: A video on how to collect and care for vintage radio equipment was shown.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.