

# Minutes of Friendship Amateur Radio Club

## Date: March 10, 2008

**The meeting was called to order at 1:30 PM by W8EK, Ken Simpson, President.**

**Salute to the Flag:** performed. **Moment of Silence:** observed.

**Members & Guests were introduced.** 29 members and 0 guests attended today.

**Secretary's Report, W3HII, Woody:** Approved as posted on the Web.

**Treasurer's Report, W1GFX, Len Lukas:** Approved as posted on the Web.

**Committee Reports:** Scholarship: \$435 is in the fund. No 2008 applications yet.

**Women's Luncheon, KF4RJG, Elizabeth Hatfield:** Will be at 11:30 AM on March 21<sup>st</sup> at Chile's

**Old Business:** We still need a refreshments person. Doug, W3HH is temporarily handling refreshments until a permanent replacement is found.

### **New Business:**

New officers were installed today:

- President: Charles Lucas, W1DOH
- Vice President: Elizabeth Hatfield, KF4RJG
- Secretary: Harold Wood, W3HII
- Treasurer: STILL NEEDED – Len Lucas will continue on a temporary basis.
- Publications & property Chairperson: Virginia Gallenberger, K4VHG

### **Announcements:**

- The Silver Springs Radio Club started a 6 week Technician class on February 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Reminder to join the club's Yahoo group:  
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FreindshipARC/> This is the club's primary method to provide meeting notices, announcements and information to the membership.
- The Stewart, Florida hamfest and S. Florida section convention will be held on March 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Program:** Virginia Gallenberger, K4VHG talked about HF/VHF radio equipment used while piloting large commercial aircraft, the history of aircraft communications and how critical communication is to aircraft safety.

**The meeting was adjourned at: 2:30 PM**

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