

FRIENDSHIP AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MEETING

September 12, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President Bernie Linthorst, KD4SBY, at 1:35PM at the Sheriff's Sub Station on Route 200 in Ocala. There were 10 members and 1 guest present. Mr. Linthorst led the group in the Pledge to the Flag.

Guest Mark Klenermon, KM4OIZ, introduced himself, followed by the normal round of introductions.

Ken Simpson, W8EK, gave a health report. Ned Davis, WB4BKO, has a doctor's appointment and may be able to put weight on his foot. Rhyne Killian, KA1CX had a hip replacement. Len Lucas, W1GFX, has lung cancer. Lyle, W4OMK, and Orn, KC0BVH, Greeno were in an auto accident.

Ken Simpson, W8EK, presented a QCWA 70 year certificate for Ben Russell, N6SL, posthumously to Ben's XYL, Bet Russell. Ben got his first license in 1946.

The secretary's report for August 8, 2016 meeting was read and approved and posted on the club Yahoo Group web page.

Due to the absence of KA1CX, the treasurer's report was read by Ken Simpson, W8EK. Rhyne had posted the report to the web.

Old business:

There was a discussion about the Christmas party.

New Business:

We discussed the possibility of renting a van to go to Orlando Hamcation. Ralph Rabice, W4RER, has a commercial license and will get quotes on van rental. Advanced tickets will need to be purchased.

Bernie Linthorst, KD4SBY will get two tables for club members to use to sell equipment at the Ocala hamfest which is in December.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:35PM.

Submitted by Sue Simpson, N8AJU, secretary