

SOUTHWESTERN REACT GENERAL MEETING

July 21, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Roger McCollough at 18:37 (On Zoom)

Quorum Check – Four (4) Board Members. Jay Pistiolas excused. Four (4) General Members.

New Member- Per Martin SWR#53T has had amateur license for several years. He is a VE Tester. He heard about REACT in the 70's. He likes to get out and do events. Works with ARES. He is a software developer.

General Meeting Minutes – Motion by Marilyn Jensen, Seconded by Carl Jensen to accept the meeting minutes; motion carried.

Correspondence List – Reviewed

Treasurer's Report – Ending balance of \$5,175.20 as of June 30, 2022

REACT Editor – **REACTer** was out on July 8th; As of today one 3 members have signed for Groups I.O. SWReact. **Webmaster** – Updated. International REACTer was added. Added that Net will start on July 28th.

Unfinished Business – REACT Team Net - George Reeves – SWReact Net to start on July 28th at 6:30pm. **Event Coordinators** – Ride Along - Need to get new or more event coordinators to train as event coordinators. May do training at next General Meeting. Also try to get other amateur radio clubs to work our events. **Antilog vs. Digital** – There was minimal response to survey in REACTer; so it will be put on hold until further notice.

New Business - General Meeting – Continue on Zoom or meet face to face. We will stay on Zoom due to gas prices, and hopefully get members to attend. Move by Carl Jensen; Seconded by John Wright; to have the Board discuss having 2 meetings in person per year.

What we as a team need to do - Per Martin thoughts:

1. REACT radio net is a good idea; maybe consider having weekly.
2. Work with ARES on their events. ARES has requested that we could participate with them.
3. Reaching out for CERT training – REACT has training for new hams.
4. Being a VE to give REACT information at the amateur testing sites.

ARES Events – July 30th Saturday have an Activity Day at several parks in San Diego. See website for more information. **Repeater update** – Metro REACT has put up a GMRS REACT repeater on Otay 462.675. GMRS license is required to operate on it.

Post Events – NoneRe

Upcoming Events –

FITT

Same as other FITT events

Silver Strand Half Marathon

We will use SOBARS w/ Metro as back up

<u>Event Date</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>(* -Reqr Action) Coord.</u>
Sun 10/16/2022	Approved	81#
Sun 11/13/2022	Approved	81#

Good of the Team - Concern about the low turnout of membership. Everybody brings something different to the team. Carl Jensen shoulder surgery went well.

Meeting Adjourned at 20:222

June McCollough SWR054 Acting Secretary