

Sussex Amateur Radio Association January 2025 Meeting

The meeting was held at Captain's Pizza in Millsboro. 22 people were present. Eric Hudson, WG3J, called the meeting to order at 1815. Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence were followed by introductions of those present.

Steven Keller, KC3DSO, gave the ARRL Section report. January 21st and 22nd Nanticoke Amateur Radio Club will hold a Technician program for those interested in becoming licensed. ARES is having a Winlink class. October 4th is the national SET exercise.

Jess Labosky, KC3ZIY, gave the AUXCOMM report. AUXCOMM is moving their meeting nights to the second Monday of the month beginning in February.

Jim Baker, N3XKJ, gave the ARES report. There will be a Skywarn Net on January 6th, it is open to all. February 12th is the bi-monthly meeting, 1830 at Sussex Tech. Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of even months.

Rick Long, N3RTL, gave the treasurers report. Dues are trickling in; we are at about 50% paid so far.

John Low, K3JL, gave the repeater committee report. The repeater is up and running. EchoLink is back up and running on the 147.090 repeater.

Bob Trepp, WB3AJF, gave the membership committee report. We have 5 new members.

Old Business

The board has decided to terminate the storage unit, as it was a financial drain on the club. As of the beginning of February, the locker has been cleaned out and the club does not owe anything for the locker.

New Business

We are looking to possibly looking to have up to 3 POTA activation/foxhunt events with the club this year. Details to be announced soon.

We are looking to possibly update and streamline the webpage.

For those that did not know, we have a club call sign for contesting. W3LF.

Hunter Grier, W3CZ, announced that his club in Kent County (DE) would be teaching a Technician class over the Easter break from school. Those interested should contact Hunter.

POTA support your parks winter weekend is January 18th and 19th.

Meeting was adjourned at 1905.

Respectfully submitted by Stu Greene, KD2LNQ, Secretary.