SARA Meeting 3/20/25

Meeting called to order by Eric Hudson at 1830.

Pledge of Allegiance / Moment of silence

Steven Keller, KC3DSO, did a presentation and answered questions regarding Starlink mobile for amateur radio use.

AUXCOMM – John Ferguson. They will be at Ellendale Fire Department for Field Day. Teaching/learning for new hams and public demonstration. AUXCOMM/CERT trailer will be there, will be operating Saturday. CODEL Marathon is 4/13, AUXCOMM meeting is 4/14.

Testing – Herb Quick. Testing session at Polytech HS 3/25. Expect ≈ 35 students to test. 1 new Technician and 1 upgrade to General tonight. No testing at April meeting, next testing will be at Hamfest, 4/26.

Hamfest – Jamie Ashton. Hamfest is 4/26. 9 tables are still available. Testing will be held on Saturday. ARRL fourm during the day.

ARES – Jim Baker. Meeting next month. First Wednesday is the net; third Wednesday is Zoom meeting. 3/22 at Milton Library is Winlink training for anyone interested. Saturday, 5/3 is the Ocean to Bay bike ride.

ARRL – Steven Keller, KC3DSO. League is voting on Bylaw 46 @ BOD Meeting in July. Bob Famiglio, K3RF, will not vote for it and will likely be replaced. Marty Pittinger, KB3MM, will vote for it, and will most likely move up to replace Bob. Statewide hospital set is on 10/4. Delaware QSO Party is 5/3.

Repeater - John Low, K3JL. All good.

For info on POTA, please see Jamie,

Membership – Jack Magar, K8UYC. Passed out a flyer for the membership to get youth involved at Hamfest. A copy is attached.

New Business

Hunter Grier, W3CZ, informed us that the Lake Forest High School club has 5 or 6 new licensees.

Field Day, we are looking at operating at Redden possibly.

Meeting adjourned at 1942.