

## GMARC MEETING MINUTES 16-FEB-10

### I. Call to Order by the President, Kurt WU8V at 7:00 PM.

### II. Introductions, Upgrades, and Visitors

There was two visitors, Sean Paul. And Tom KD8GZE.

### III. Minutes

Minutes of the 19-Jan-10 meeting were available on the web site and copies at the meeting. Motion to approve minutes by Mike N5WCS and seconded by Ben WB9FJO. Motion carried.

### IV. Treasurer's Report

Bank Balance: \$2,919.21  
Antenna fund: \$2,219.00 (included in above)

### V. Membership Report by Bobby N8CY

We have 17 members who have paid their 2010 dues, and 29 on the roster, paid thru 2009.

### VI. Tech Committee + Nets + ARRL Liaison

Repeater cans need to be aligned, amp doesn't work well with them currently.

### VII. Old Business

- Echolink computer/radio needs a new home
- Still need a new repeater location
- Need a Repeater Trustee
- NCOs needed Ben WB9FJO volunteered for the third Monday

### VIII. New Business

- 3 Trunk Swap dates set May 22, July 12, and a TBD weekend in Sept.
- Motion for Kurt to look into trunk swap dates/locations, moved by Mike N5WCS, 2nded by Scott W1BIC. Motion passed
- Club presentations determined for March: White Elephant, and April: Homebrew show and tell

### IX. Break

50/50 raffle winners were Scott W1BIC who won \$20, and Wes KD8DHS won the "left over" dollar.

## X. Inter Club Liaison Report – Jim K8LFE

- USECA is having a pre field day radio-a-thon @ metro beach, jet ski area on June 5th.
- USECA is providing radio communications for the “March of Dimes” march for babies at Metro Beach, April 25.
- Swaps: Marshall, March 20. Grand Rapids, April 3, Milford, April 17, Dayton, May 14-16, Monroe, June 20

## XI. Program

Rich KC8HMJ and Scott W1BIC presented a video of their Sno-Drift experience.

## XII. New Members & Attendance

16 Members attended, and there was 2 Visitors.

Total Collections to be delivered to the Treasurer:

|               |    |          |
|---------------|----|----------|
| 50/50 Drawing | \$ | 20.00    |
| Coffee Fund   | \$ | 3.75     |
| Total         | -- | \$ 23.75 |

Upcoming Events for GMARC:

|                                |                  |                        |
|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| <b>Next Membership Meeting</b> | <b>16-Mar-10</b> | <b>7:00 PM Tuesday</b> |
| <b>Toledo Swap</b>             | <b>21-Mar-10</b> | <b>Sunday</b>          |
| <b>Milford Swap</b>            | <b>17-Apr-10</b> | <b>Saturday</b>        |

## XIII. Meeting Adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Ed Beckerich KC8SBV  
Secretary – GMARC