

Grayson County Amateur Radio Club
August 19, 2025 Meeting Minutes
Secretary Cynthia VanSlogteren K5EKA

The meeting was started at 7:01 by Michael Higgins KI5ZIQ and welcomed everyone. James Frank introduced Greg Mihran who joined us via Zoom from California as our presenter. Questions for Greg can be emailed at gmirhan@me.com.

20 minute break at 8.

Secretary Report by Cynthia VanSlogteren K5EKA -- New member: Darrell Elmore

Treasurer's Report is posted on our website. James Frank KW5CW went over the income and expenses. Treasurer's Report was accepted as submitted.

ARES announcements

Director-at-Large nominations:

James Shiplet

James Hunt

Secret ballot voting. Winner: James Shiplet

Announcements —

GCARC Nets. We need net control sign-ups in August, September 7, 21, November and December.

Hungry Hams August 30 at Bill Smith Cafe in Van Alstyne

Fall Family Campout -- Oct 3 - 5

Eisenhower Birthday -- Oct 11 - 17 IKE -- POTA on 14th at the park -- What day will the Park do their thing?

Christmas Party Dec 16 --

Upcoming educational sessions at meetings:

Sep 16: Radio and Linked Repeaters

Oct 21: TBD

Nov 18: Panel Discussion

Dec 16: Christmas Party

Cynthia 'Jo' K5EKA passed out certificates and prizes for the ribbon winners of the Red River Bridge Special Event Challenge: Jerome was the only one present. Ricky and Marvin received theirs when they finished testing.

The ticket winners tonight were: the 50/50 drawing was won by Michael Gaffney who donated a portion back to the club. The door prize was an Antenna donated by Steve Ollmann won by Glen Willie.

The meeting was adjourned.

Attendance: -- 33, 5 guests

K5EKA Cynthia J. VanSlogteren
KG5GMA Marvin D Schiavone
KG5FDT Ricky Jessen
KG5SKM Andrew Bentley
KI5BMN James R Shiplet
AA5KK Max Phipps
KD0VGO John Cash
KI5IPH Michael Whitten
WW5GRW Glen Willie
KD0ZWV Gregory Stratton
KJ5LKN Mark Armstrong
KF5LKG David Darcy
Michael Goforth
KG5GFI Cody Williams
KW5CW James Frank
KQ4ZO Gordon Wyatt
KG5SJY James Johnson
KI5ZIQ Michael Higgins
KI5ZIP Tamara Higgins

KJ5HTD Matt McClellan
KJ5BFD Joe Hayes
AF5VA Roy Reed
KI5NUK Ralph Jerome
KI5MRK Mark Poweski
KI5WTZ Ken Troutz
KI5DQ James Hunt
KC5NK Steve Ollmann
K5EEN David Piekarski
KI5BWO Alice Hawk
K5PKF Michael Hawk
KI5TWM David Older
KJ5EHC Michael Gaffney
WB4GHY Steve Coleman
KG5ECG John Flanders
KJ5HTD Matthew McClellan
KM4YHT Frederick Maier
KC5TLH Darrel Elmore

Guests: KI5VFV Diane Yakel, KG5KKE Bob Yakel, Rita Goforth, W5DSA Bob Sholl, Rachel Muse