

WOOD COUNTY EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS INC

June 2, 1992

Meeting called to order by Ken Harris, WA8LLM/UNIT 251, and Duane Jones, N8LDM/UNIT 260. There were ?? members present.

Minutes from the May 5th meeting were read and approved.

The Treasure's report was read and approved.

OLD BUSINESS

We received permission from the Department of Highway to operate a Safety Break over the Labor Day weekend starting at noon on Friday September 4th through 6:00 pm on Sunday September 7.

We still haven't heard anything about the 4th of July Safety Break.

There was a reminder about the Parkersburg Homecoming BINGO games August 14, 15, and 16.

Leo Unit 259 is still trying to get together a list of operators to help with the Half Marathon and parade line-up on August 15th.

Leo also reminded everyone about the Mountain Classic 10K road run on June 15th.

There was a reminder about the Freedom Festival on June 26th in Vienna.

Wood County Emergency Services has purchased a used IBM computer, monitor, and printer from government surplus. The computer will be installed in the EOC and can be used for whatever need we have for it.

There was a reminder about the Severe Storms Workshop in Ripley on July 23rd.

There was a reminder about the bed races in downtown Parkersburg June 6th.

There was a reminder about Field Day June 27th and 28th.

Ken Unit 251 gave a report on how DAREN is coming along and all the work being put into it. He will be going to Wetzel County soon to move the Wetzel County NODE to its permanent location on the State Police tower.

NEW BUSINESS

Pleasants County Emergency Services has their new High Band Public Safety repeater on the air. The input to the repeater is 153.875 Mhz and the output frequency is 155.895 Mhz. The sub-audible tone is 123.0 Hz.

Duane Unit 260 says he will be attending an ARRL Zone 3 District meeting in Morgantown June 10th. Duane was invited to the meeting to talk to the group about DAREN.

The group decided to sale some of the Dumb Terminals they had received Camden Clark Hospital.

The group agreed to purchase material to build a 24 foot by 80 foot canopy to be used for operating BINGO games.

The Wood County Fire Fighters Association meeting will be June 8th at the Williamstown fire station.

The county wide disaster drill is scheduled for September 15th. Ox Johnson who is the chairman this year wants to use DAREN to pass victim and patient information.

The American Red Cross in Parkersburg wants to use the Emergency Services Repeaters for their communications. They have two High Band KING Walkie-Talkies. Ken Unit 251 will send them a letter of authorization.

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE