

Green Valley Amateur Radio Club Board Meeting Minutes

A meeting of the Board and requested members at large of the Green Valley Amateur Radio Club was held on June 2nd, 2020 at 1:00 P.M. The meeting was convened through video conference due to the pandemic.

Attendees:

Tom Smith, K7AFA, President
Gary Carroll, W0QN, Treasurer
Jeanne Crane, KJ7HCP, Secretary
Jon Otto, AD7GS
Bruce Tewksbury, K3BAT
Beetle Bailey, K7GSB
Rick Rogers, K7RCR
Tom Lang, K7VOA

Motions:

A motion was made and carried to change insurance coverage to two policies offered by ARRL, one for equipment and one for liability. The coverage offered by ARRL is tailored to a Ham Radio club, and offers better coverage at a better price.

A motion was made and carried unanimously to accept the draft version of the changes to the bylaws. The changes will be submitted to the membership for a vote.

Updates:

Repeater - members have mentioned difficulties with UHF and getting signed on to EchoLink.

Field Day - ARRL has signed off on participants operating from their own homes, utilizing their own call signs. Unlike 7QP, we will not be limited to one person per band, potentially increasing the number of contacts that can be made. The committee will send out an email to members clarifying the procedures for submitting logs.

Club Meetings: The next club meeting will be held via Zoom. Members can log in either by phone or by computer. An email will be sent to members with instructions on how to connect. Using a single format will simplify the meeting and allow members to connect visually.

Jeanne Crane
Secretary, GVARC