



Boca Raton Amateur Radio Association

2 M Repeater: 145.29(-)
70 cm Repeater 442.875(+) PL 110.9
Meeting: First Tuesday of every Month 7:00 pm

Secretary's Address: PO Box 907 Boca Raton FL 33429
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The June 2008 meeting of the BRARA took place at the T-6 building on the FAU campus. The meeting was called to order by Association president Nelson NE4LS. The meeting was called to order at 7:12 PM. The meeting started with a round of introductions.

VP report

Repeaters The 2 meter repeater is working OK now. It was removed from service about a week ago. A discrepancy in the squelch control was found. There seems to be a problem with the repeater staying on with an initial burst of noise. The PL tone has been set to 110.9. Lew plans to turn on the PL tone in about a month. Lew contacted the manufacturer and they suggested checking parts which are OK. It's been several years since the duplexer has been checked and the process to check the duplexer has been started. W4KEE offered a TDR for checking cable faults.

Secretary's Report

The secretary's report was posted to the Yahoo group, sent by e-mail to those members requesting it and copies are available at meeting.

A motion to accept the Secretary's Report was made by Rudy KF4OM, seconded by Nelson NE4LS and passed without further discussion.

John has contacted the Boca Raton Library and requested a room in the new library on Clint Moore Rd. John will contact the library again to find the status of the request.

Treasurer's Report

05/01, Opening Balance \$1176.03
05/08, Chk 305 -John Melcher* 61.25
05/28, Deposit - 50/50** + dues*** 45.00

05/31, Closing Balance \$1159.78

* See April 2008 Secretary's report.

** Many thanks to W1IVB for donating his half!

*** Welcome, KJ4DPO! (Please let me know if I have your call wrong.)

Old business

There was no old business.

New Business

Mike Spivak (Mike's Electronics) has had triple bypass surgery. The store will be closed for about a month.

ARES Nets will be 147.39 in south county and 146.670 in central county for the month of June.

A motion to adjourn was made by Sjaak W4RIS and seconded by David K4DLF and passed with no discussion.

Thanks to Frank W1IVB for donating \$100 towards for the Field Day food fund.