

NCRC Meeting 13 January 2025

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Jim Sendrak at 19:10. This late start was caused by difficulty with the AV set up. Video projection and the Zoom session were not operational.

The minutes from the short business session held during the December Christmas party were not read nor approved.

New members Rene Martel, Greg Lavoy, and Joe DeMarco were voted into membership.

About this time John Vecoli was able to restore video projection with a backup projector.

Treasurer John Jackman reported that our account balances had decreased slightly due to expected on-going expenses.

Repeater lead Dave Neal reported that the W1SYE repeater was operational with a standby unit at slightly more than standard power, that the main unit had been repaired, and would be reinstalled as weather permits.

Winter Field Day was described and operators solicited by leads Jay Nuzum, and Jim Sendrak. Willy Maclean added details to the operating environment.

Mike Cullen described the GMRS/FRS drill involving all three island towns plus North Kingstown. Mike Rousseau and John Jackman were also involved.

President Jim Sammons, Mike Cullen, and Youth Coordinator for RI Rowan Egbert described the upcoming School Club Roundup to be run by NCRC volunteers at All Saints Steam Academy beginning February 10th.

President Jim Sammons presented a photo review of NCRC Island and other activations and described future activations that club members will be welcome to participate in.

The meeting closed with an appeal to members to voice their desires for programs and activities that they would like to see in the future, including scheduling of future licensing classes.

Adjournment at 20:23