

March 20, 2018 WARES General Meeting

Meeting held at Sir William Stephenson Library

Meeting began 7:00 pm VE4SIG presiding.

After Introductions, Kurt VE4GIS introduced his friend and co-worker Keith Hartley, who made a very interesting and useful presentation “Lightning Strike Detection.” He uses a program “Lightningmaps.org”, which uses triangulation to locate lightning strikes worldwide. He described it as something drawn up by hobbyists.

Presentation completed 7:54 pm

During the break, VE4RCA won the 50/50 draw. He opted to accept a donated LED flashlight, rather than cash. WARES received \$18.00.

Business Meeting began 8:03 pm VE4SIG presiding

Minutes of February 20 meeting accepted as e-mailed to membership

Moved VE4HK

Seconded VE4VD

CARRIED

Business Arising

VE4MBQ noted that VE4GIS is still working on grants.

Treasurer’s Report

Presented by VE4SYM. See accompanying report.

EC Report

Presented by VE4MBQ. See accompanying report

New Business

VE4SIG announced that VE4PNO’s mother passed away this morning.

VE4MBQ announced a Red Cross first aid course, April 21 and 22 at Accurate Fire and Safety, cost \$165 per person plus tax.

VE4MBQ reminded the group that we need a Fundraising Chair.

A discussion followed concerning fundraising. We decided to cancel 2 tables for the April Flea Market, and keep one for a static display.

No further business, adjourned at 8:12 pm VE4SIG.