## **WA4IWL NEWSLETTER**

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# Field Day Edition

## SECRETARY'S REPORT



**Secretary Marcia Fowler KA1GCV** EARS MEETING JUNE 20, 2013

Steve N9USZ called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. There were 14 members and 2 visitors present.

The Secretary's report by Marcia KA1GCV was accepted as written in the newsletter.

The Treasurer's report by Vic KYVHX was accepted as read; our balance is \$4,905.57.

Committee Reports:

Sunshine: Marty N4FA has sold his equipment; he is

in good spirits.

RACES: Charlie K1QNF reports that our transceiver is at a new height on the coax. The hospital is changing rooms around; we may be getting a bigger room and other changes. At any rate, things are looking better.

Publicity: none

Testing: as stated in the newsletter.

DX: Tom WA3PRC reports that he is "not radio active" this month...hi. hi.

Hamfests: none right now.

Old Business: There was discussion about the possibility of changing our meeting place so that it would be permanently available; or changing the day or time if needed. Other places were looked into and were quite expensive; also the fact that we are in need of using the land and facilities for events such as Field Day, we opted to continue as we have here.

New Business: Field Day Weekend is HERE!!! Tomorrow starts with the setup starting at 8 am. More discussion and decisions regarding Field Day continued until adjournment. Hope the weather is good....Sunday will be the BBQ.

Adjournment: A motion was made to adjourn the meeting and was accepted by all present. Adjournment was at 8:30 pm. Our next meeting is scheduled for July 18, 2013 at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted by: Marcia Fowler KA1GCV Secretary

Next meeting July 18th

7:30 PM

Englewood United Methodist Church



























































#### LOCAL

#### **VE Exam Sessions:**

7:00 p.m. on the Third Wednesday of the month at the Century Link Building at the corner of Harbor and S Tamiami Trail, Port Charlotte, FL.

Bring 2 forms of ID, your current license if upgrading and \$15

Contact Gino at 941-629-7933 for more info.

Click here for the next scheduled session. <a href="http://www.arrl.org/exam">http://www.arrl.org/exam</a> sessions/port-charlotte-fl-33952-9999-18

RACES: Communications Training Nets are held on the last Wednesday and Thursday of each month. The Wednesday night Emergency Communications Information Net begins at 8 PM on 146.745.(-)MHZ with a PL of 136.5

## **QCWA Chapter 53 Meeting:**

11:30 A.M., 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month at Denny's on Bee Ridge Rd., Sarasota, October through May, and the Panda Pavilion in Venice June through September.

**Snowbird Net:** Net is twice daily; first on 14.317 MHz at 10:00AM and on 7.233+- MHz at 7:00 P.M.

Connecticut Connection Net: Net is twice daily at 8:00 A.M. on 14.343+- MHz and at 6:40 P.M. on 7.184+- MHz.

#### **Two Meter Nets**

EARS 146.550 - Wednesday 7:30 p.m. NPARC 147.120 Tuesday 8:00 p.m. CARS 146.745 - Daily 8:30 a.m.

TARC's website is at: http://tamiamiarc.org/

PRRA 146.255 - Sunday 8:00 p.m. NICE 146.430 - Daily 8:30 p.m.

## LOCAL REPEATERS

MHz (-) Tone

145.130 (-) N4SER Laurel/SERC

145.430 100 NI4CE Verna/Big Stick

146.570 N4XJQ Punta Gorda

146.5900 W0AC 136.5 North Port

## 146.700 77 N4EAR Englewood/EARS

146.730 100 N4SER Sarasota/SERC

146.745 136.5 WX4E Charlotte

County/ARC

146.775 77 K0DGF Englewood

146.805 100T W4AC Venice/TARC

## 146.865 K8ONV Port Charlotte/EARS.

146.910 W4IE Sarasota/ARA (A)

146.925 N4ZNU Port Charlotte

147.015 KS4ST Port Charlotte

147.120 136.5 K4NPT North Port/NPARC

147.255 136.5 W4DUX Port

Charlotte/PRRA

442.050 100 KB2WVY Placida/Stewart

442.100. 136.5 KA9RIX North Port

442.700 136.5 N4FOB Port Charlotte

442.925 136.5 W4DUX Port

Charlotte/PRRA

442.950 100 K4WCF Big Stick

444.625 77T KODGF Englewood

444.975 136.5 KS4ST Punta Gorda/CARS

## From the Editor



Mike K4MWD

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