

# PVRA Minutes 02/17/22

Attendees: by log

N1XG, AC1V, W1FTE, AB1LZ, KA1OUH, AB1XL, W1BOB, WB1AET, No Call, WA1ZUS, KB1FFV, KB1URD

N1XG started the meeting at 18:47.

Zoom meeting had mixed reactions. Some don't use zoom, others loved it.

Bruce wants to have some educational material on future Zoom Meetings.

Looking to replace his Byrd watt meters with digital

Minutes from Jan on Web-site

Treasurer

- No expenses
- \$383.64 income (Renewals )
- \$4497.31 Cash on Hand

Accepted

Still trying to get Ham radio shack on line. HF antenna to be put up at Mitchell Road, and one at Box Mountain

Bruce wants to have a tag sale.

Trying to get DMR repeater up in Canterbury.

Trying to improve antenna at Avon DMR.

Using Cradle point 5G modems in New York. Cheaper than DSL circuits.

No Old business: trying to get a new site in Waterbury.

Red Cross is a big monopoly in blood.

Bruce to run a Ham Radio Training Class. Try to start Zoom classes before his Vegas Trip.

League is open. Lobby is unlocked, but you cannot go beyond the lobby. Discontinued Tour Guide Program. Tour Guides operating W1AW from 10 to 3:45.

Kenwood has announced that they will be going back into making DMR radios. Had stopped due to shortages.

New chip plant in Arizona, New Plant in Ohio, another new plant in Arizona.

Newark owns Mouser. Warren Buffet owns both.

Olympics was all tier 3 trunked Hytera Equipment.

Video commentary for Olympics was run from the states, with 3/4 second delay to the Olympic site.

S. Windsor to get a new Tier 3 site. Will cover PD and Schools

Rail to Trail going in behind Mitchell Road.

Going to add a build room in storage area. Stuff not used will be sold at a tag sale.

RJ - Cables and connectors may still close. Buyer has not yet paid for the store.

Field Day Plans for PVRA??? - Box Mountain, or at 33 Mitchell Road?

On You Tube. Google Phoenix new 800 MHz radio system. 10 to 15 minute watch and it is funny. About 10 years old.

CME this week.

Meeting ended at 19:30.