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A Meeting of the Bald Eagle Repeater Association was held on Thursday Evening September 17, 1992, at the home of Bob Shearer, 113 AFX. The Meeting was called to order by the President, Melvin Bennett at 7:15 P.M.

An Introduction of all Members present was made to acquaint everyone present.

The Minutes of the last Meeting held on June 26, 1992 were read by the Secretary, Ken Gray, WB3 Hoi and were approved as read.

Under old business, Bob Shearer reported that holding a Flea Market at Indian Park was out that approval had to be made by the Recreation Committee of the Park. Bob suggested that a committee be set up to handle the possibility of having a flea market or whatever, could be arranged for <sup>some time</sup> next year. It was decided that the committee would be called the Bald Eagle Repeater Association Financial Planning Committee. Members serving on this committee are:



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Jan Hall, N3HQH, Gary Burkhardt, N3KCD,  
Alan Wheel, N3CUB, Kevin Bernardi, N3MFL,  
Also mentioned was the possibility of having  
a Ham test with the West Branch Amateur  
Radio Association and the Bald Eagle Repeater  
Association. No action was taken on this.  
And the Committee will have to look at  
the possibilities.

Under New Business Gary Burkhardt  
reported on the upcoming World Scout Jamboree  
that would be held on Oct 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, 1992.

Gary stated that a Ham Radio  
set up would be held at F.A. Silvasgni  
with approximately 60-70 Scouts would be present.  
Operating would be held from 1:00 P.M. to  
5:00 P.M. each day. Gary stated he  
could use 10 or 12 Ham Radio Operators  
to help demonstrate Ham Radio and  
make Radio Contacts. Gary invited all  
Ham Radio Operators to participate in  
this Scout Jamboree in the interest of  
Ham Radio.

Bob reported on the repeater  
and stated that the PL use on the Repeater  
was okay, but after a reasonable length of  
time the PL should be taken off. Bob also  
explained the delay on the Repeater



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and the reason for  $\frac{1}{2}$  second delay to help  
in keeping out alot of Interference.

Bob also stated that a differens  
Downer Supply was going to be installed  
on the emergency Batteries and that this  
would charge the Batteries the way  
they should be charged.

Merwin stated that a work Day  
at the Reporter Site would be held on  
Saturday, September 19th, 1992 at 1:00 P.M.

The work to be done would be general  
clean up, mow grass, and paint the  
roof of the Building.

Jan Hall gave a Treasurer  
report: He reported that he received the  
treasurer books July 1st 1992. The Balance  
at that date was \$ 796.73. Since this date  
3 PPL bills have been paid for \$ 41.84,  
3 Phone bills have been paid for \$ 43.47  
100 .19¢ stamps for the Secretary \$ 19.00  
Total reports made \$ 100.00.

This leaving a new Balance of \$ 789.42.

New Member taken in at tonight's  
meeting was Karl Messerschmidt, KA3RCS



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The Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 P.M.

Members present at tonight's Meeting this being our largest attendance to date, were:

Bob Sheerer, N3AFX, Alan Wheel, N3CUB,  
Ken Gray, WB3Hoi, Tom Rount WA3GDK,  
Gary Burkhardt, N3KEG, Scott Ritter N3MFK,  
Jan Hall, N3HQH, Jim Thomas, WB2TGW,  
Lou Galb, WA3MIX, Gene Gray, N3MGI,  
Melvin Bennett KC3ETH, Ronald Emerick, N3LPN  
Kevin Bernardi N3MFL, Jeff Torresta, WA3JQT  
Karl Messerschmidt, KA3RCS, Brad Carlin N3MZS,  
Bill Kullmer, N3MFJ,

Coffee & donuts were served after the Meeting. The Club again wishes to thank Bob & Peg Sheerer for the use of their home and their hospitality at held tonight's Meeting.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Ken A. Gray.

Secretary

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