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Minutes of Meeting Sept. 9, 1996

A Meeting of the Bald Eagle Repeater Association was held on Monday Evening September 9, 1996 at the home of 1303 + Reg Shearer. P.R. Morningsville Pa.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:06 P.M. by the President John Eymell N3 PFF. John opened the Meeting thanking 1303 + Reg for their hospitality and for the use of their Q.T.H. to conduct the Club Meeting.

The Minutes of the last Meeting held on May 8, 1996 were read by the Secretary, Ken Drey, WB3HOI. They were approved as read on a motion by Bill Barney and seconded by Gene Schultz.

A Treasurer report was given by the Treasurer, Reg Shearer, N3 PFF. Reg reported all bills are paid to date with a balance of \$648.44. The Treasurer report was accepted as read on a motion by Ken Drey and seconded by Ken Guener.



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Under old Business Bob Spear, Trustee & technician of the 09 Reporter reported that the tower work at the Reporter site is completed and that the tower is back at 50'. Bob stated that 70' was not safe and that the 50' level was sufficient for coverage. With a little clean up at the site all is okay for present.

Bill Barnes reported that he would be moving to Bloomsburg. And what he's going to do with the packet setup at the Reporter site he hasn't made a decision on this. John Rymel, Ash alone, Shultz & Bill Barnes, to keep the club informed on what they are going to do, and that all <sup>their</sup> equipment is their responsibility. All both stated they would inform the club of any changes.

John Rymel reported that VE sessions could be conducted at the Community Room at the Court House. Jim Wilson is in charge of any VE testing.



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Under New Business Ken & John, N3N4V reported that Non-Members of the Club are monopolizing the repeater, and that a letter ~~is~~ should be sent to these operators that they should support the repeater either Monetary or joining the Club. A discussion was held on this and it was decided that a letter of Membership Application will be sent to these Non-Members asking for their support. It was also suggested that a Volunteer when possible greet these people and ask for their support. John Springman KB3AWQ was asked to be a greeter.

John Rymell reported that in the near future a New 2 Meter Low Profile Repeater would be in operation which will be open for Round Table discussions and other Ham Radio Activities. This Repeater hopefully will be operational in about 2 or 3 months. The Frequency will be announced later, and ~~that~~ ~~about~~ 5 Hams at present are working on this project.



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This ended all regular club business  
And on a motion by Bill Barnes, N3JIX  
To adjourn was seconded by Ken & Jay N3NAV  
And the meeting was adjourned at 7:47 PM.

The next scheduled meeting was  
set for December 4<sup>th</sup>, 1996 Wednesday  
evening at 7:00 P.M. at the home of  
Bob & Peg Shearer.

Members present: were -

Bill Barnes, N3JIX, Tina Wilbur, guest, Ken & Jay, N3NAV  
John Rymel, N3PFF, Bob Shearer, N3AFX, Peg Shearer, N3PFE  
Chris Lucas, <sup>guest</sup> N3UPQ, Les Greiner, N3LEQ, Gene Sultz, N3UKC,  
Keith Brown, KA3RZE, Ken & Jay, WB3HOI and John  
Springman, KB3AWQ.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Ken & Jay, WB3HOI

Recording Secretary

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