

# **Mountain Amateur Radio Club**

## **Minutes of the Meeting**

### **20 January 2021**

Our monthly meeting began at 1903, with Ed Bretag presiding. Due to the “stay at home” order, this meeting was held on Zoom. Everyone had the minutes of the previous meeting. With a minor correction, a motion to accept them was made, seconded and passed.

Next, Laird gave us a Treasurer’s report. General Account 2885.48. VE Account 291.43

Repeater Report – all good. Cripple Creek sounds good now, but if both hams are on Cripple Creek, then the audio is low.

Checking on Amazon Smiles, it was noted that they only accept 501-C-3 organizations, which we are not.

Winter Field Day is upon us. The county has removed fire restrictions, so the wood stove will be ok. Setup will start on Friday.

The 97 repeater on Pikes Peak will loose power in two weeks. Due to construction on the peak.

Ed Bretag indicated that he would like to see a new president of the club next year.

Some discussion of the NXØG website.

- the events page, add field days and camp fest
- articles and presentations, put presentation slides
- TNN net numbers
- Laird gets dues but no information
  - o able to fill out application on website and submit
  - o possible pay online (some did not like paypal)

Some discussion on adding a Membership Person and a Programs Person to the org chart.

Don gave a presentation on Fox Hunting (amateur style) and associated equipment.

We will plan on internet meetings for the time being.

Our meeting adjourned at 2044.

Ed (NØZPX), Laird (KDØVNV), Greg (KØMGL), Don (WA9WWS), Dan (KNØMAP), Dean (KBØVVA), Deb (KEØRQB), Andy (KØALS), Asa (ADØGT), Jon (KJØCFW), Mike (KØTER)

Obviously we had a class on doing slashed zeros.

11 Attendees

Submitted by Bill Wallick (KCØFNV), Secretary.