

## OSCAR Meeting – July 8, 2023

### Meeting Minutes

The next OSCAR meeting is **Saturday August 12, 2023**, the second Saturday of the month. The meeting will be held at **9:00am at The Kitchen** restaurant located at 329 Cedar Ave N.

July 8, 2023, Attendees:

Barry	KY0GBZ
Bill	WA0FMG
Dennis	KF0HOI
Katy	KE0MQX
Matt	KA0PQW
Mike	N0MDC
Tom	N0UW
Scott	K0VO
Wayne	KF0LVU

The meeting was called to order at 9:07am by President pro-tem WA0FMG.

**Secretary's Report** was summarized by WA0FMG via the June 10th minutes. Motion to approve by N0MDC, seconded by KE0MQX. Motion carried.

**Treasurers Report** per KE0MQX. New statement not out by meeting date. Last month's report was: Club \$3,118.77 and Repeater \$1,562.69. Confirmed by WA0FMG. Motion to approve by KF0HOI, seconded by K0VO. Motion carried.

**Sunday night NET** - Join in - try it! The preamble is on the website.

**Repeater Report:** Updated by N0UW. Maintenance work done per last month report. Some occasional noise. Looking into options to secure hard line 90 feet up. A request last meeting from N0UW to spend up to \$100 on new connections for the power supply, as have noticed there is a voltage drop between power poles and supply. Spent \$45. Will be purchasing addition items as needed. **A BIG thanks to all the members who keep the repeater and Echolink going!**

**CERT:** N0UW report. Upcoming meeting as scheduled. Class this fall. Steele County Fair coming up. Please volunteer to help at the EOC trailer. Sign-up information to come. Check the CERT Facebook page for news. <http://www.steelecountyemergency.com/cert>

**RACES & ARES:** No report. Check the OSCAR website for more information.

**Skywarn Report:** No report, all quiet. Meeting always the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at the Fie Hall. [www.steelecountyskywarn.org](http://www.steelecountyskywarn.org)

**Business:**

- **Field Day: June 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>.** N0MDC had a binder with information that was passed around. He can email you the logs if you would like. Good media coverage. A successful weekend.
- Thanks to Northland Equipment for the lift!
- **Thanks, Mike, for all your work!! (and everyone else too)**

Motion to adjourn by KF0HOI, seconded by N0MDC. The meeting adjourned at 9:21 am.

Respectfully submitted by WA0FMG. Roundtable discussion followed. The site is continually being updated.

Check often for the latest information. [www.oscarmn.org](http://www.oscarmn.org)

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