

OSCAR Meeting – October 14, 2023

Meeting Minutes

The next OSCAR meeting is **Saturday November 11, 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.

October 14, 2023, Attendees:

Bob	KE0QWW
Bonnie	N0BKJ
Dale	WB0PKG
Dennis	KF0HOI
Jeff	KCOUOW
Jon	N0JSA
Katy	KE0MQX
Ken	N0HMD
Kris	KCOREO
Mike	N0MDC
Tim	KE0QPV
Wayne	KF0LVU
Ahern	Guest

The meeting was called to order at 9:03am by President WB0PKG.

The Secretary's Report was summarized by WB0PKG via the September 9th minutes. Motion to approve by N0MDC, seconded by N0JSA. Motion carried.

Treasurers Report per KE0MQX. Bank statement information presented. Confirmed by WB0PKG. Motion to approve by KCOUOW, seconded by N0JSA. Motion carried.

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

Repeater Report: Updated by WB0PKG. Tom is working on the Arcom controller with help from Ken at Arcom. Echolink is currently off the air. The plan is to load the latest firmware for the microprocessor into the controller to use it as a base. Still need to install clamps on the hard line and requesting a fold down shelf for the hut. More info at the next meeting. **A BIG thanks to all the members who keep the repeater and Echolink going!**

A motion was made to spend up to \$50 for the shelf by KF0HOI, seconded by N0MDC. Motion carried.

CERT: Updated by KE0QWW. Upcoming meeting as scheduled. Class this fall. 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: Report by WBOPKG. Meeting always the 3rd Tuesday of the month at the Fire Hall.
www.steelecountyskywarn.org

Business:

- The DMR class was held Saturday September 16th at the Owatonna VFW. It went well per KE0QWW.
Next class will be 3.23.2024.

Motion to adjourn by KCOUOW, seconded by N0BKJ. The meeting adjourned at 9:19 am.

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

Check often for the latest information. www.oscarmn.org

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