

## OSCAR Meeting – January 13, 2024

### Meeting Minutes

The next OSCAR meeting is **Saturday February 10, 2024**, the second Saturday of the month. The meeting will be held at **9:00am at The Kitchen** restaurant located at 329 Cedar Ave N.

January 13, 2024, Attendees:

Tom	N0UW
Dale	WB0PKG
Mike	N0MDC
Dennis	KF0HOI
Jeff	KE0UOW
Rich	NV0C
Kevin S	K0GNH
Bill	WA0FMG
Bob	KE0QWW
Kris	KC0REO
Scott	K0VO
Katy	KE0MQX

The meeting was called to order at 9:09am by President WB0PKG.

**The Secretary's Report** was summarized by K0VO via the December 9<sup>th</sup> minutes. Motion to approve without correction by N0MDC, seconded by KE0MQX. Motion carried.

**Treasurers Report** per K0GNH. Information on the current balance is not yet available due to the transition of the banking information to a new set of officers. Motion to approve by KF0HOI, seconded by KE0UOW. Motion carried.

**Sunday night NET** – N0MDC reports the traffic has been light lately. Join in - try it! The preamble is on the website.

**Repeater Report:** Update from N0UW and WB0PKG. There is intermittent noise on the repeater. The weather has been unfavorably cold to work on the repeater. **A BIG thanks to all the members who keep the repeater and Echolink going!**

**CERT:** Classes coming up in February! KE0UOW asked about shelters if the weather gets cold. Get involved! Upcoming meeting as scheduled. 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:** December's breakfast in December was good with a lot of walk-ins. Meeting always the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at the Fire Hall. Skywarn training this spring is scheduled for 3/19.

[www.steelecountyskywarn.org](http://www.steelecountyskywarn.org)

**Business:**

- The next DMR class be on 3.23.2024.
- Club dues are still only \$15.
- Spring of 2024 Tech classes will be later than usual due to Cert and Skywarn. Classes will follow the usual Tuesday/Thursday rotation for 5 weeks, with an exam session held on 4/18. A call for extra presenters/teachers is being made. Please think about helping out and teaching a class. It's fun, easy, and a good way to share with others.

Motion to adjourn by K0GNH, seconded by KE0UOW. The meeting adjourned at 9:27 am.

Respectfully submitted by KOVO. 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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