

SwMsARC meeting minutes
Thursday, September 8th, 2016
McComb, Mississippi.

The meeting was called to order by Club President, N5ZNT while VE testing was in session. There is a separate sign-in sheet for 8 present.

The meeting minutes from August 11th in Brookhaven were read and approved with one correction concerning the Radio Shack store. KD5RGT read the treasurers report.

In old business, N5ZNT gave thanks for WB5ASP for Field Day and SET 2016 participants. N4RUD was asked to explain comparisons from the SET Comet vertical performance and his home location. Several e-mails were originated and sent by Terry KG5BA and Scott KG5HGV, during the SET, from Brookhaven by digital radio and eventually an internet server.

The Diabetes Walk is scheduled for the morning of Saturday October 29th in McComb. A request for communications participants was made. This is confirmation for date change.

The MS-Tour-for-a-Cure bicycle event is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday October 8th and 9th. also with a request for communication participants. This event begins in Hammond and goes to Percy Quin State Park and back, organized thru SELARC. From the SELARC news-letter they had a notice of vandalism and theft to one of their repeaters. SELARC also was a point of contact for the flooding in Louisiana. George AE5FK and Joe KG5HZU were some of the first ham-radio first-responders to Red Cross Shelters.

Lastly we need an alternate location for the annual club pick-a-nick for 2017. This year the location is at Friendship Baptist Church, east of Summit, for October 22nd at 2PM.

With no new business, WB5ASP moved to close meeting and N4RUD seconded, at 1948 for a program on feed-lines.

Respectfully submitted by Cullen Watts, AD7KJ.