

SwMsARC meeting minutes
Thursday, October 12th, 2017
Brookhaven, Mississippi.

The meeting was called to order by Club President, N5ZNT at 1858.
There is a separate sign-in sheet for 7 present.

The treasurer was not present and official report is deferred. Cullen AD7KJ read the meeting minutes from September 14th in McComb. N5ZNT moved to accept, N4RUD seconded to accept as read. None opposed.

5 In old business, (1) Still asking assistance to test the new repeater on 147.345. (2) The 2017 MS Tour was canceled due to impact from Hurricane Nate. (3) Club Pic-A-Nick is October 21st at Friendship Baptist Church. Meet for 1230ish to prepare the food and eat at apx 2pm. Directions from McComb take Hwy 44 east towards Pricedale. From Locust Street traffic light it is apx 4.3 miles, on Left. (4) The Diabetes Walk-Run in McComb is Saturday morning October 28th, confirmed date. Meet at the staging area at 8 AM to organize and shift operators to assigned locations. The staging area is the corner of Canal and Railroad Avenue at the train museum. Bring H-T's ready for the 6.94-34 McComb repeater input and output frequencies. 146.55 will be the back-up frequency. (5) December 14th is the night of our annual Christmas Dinner. Plates will be \$15 per person, tentatively. If anyone wishes to bring and exchange gifts and "Play with Dirty Santa" bring one valued at \$10.

3 In new business (1) October 28 and 29 is the annual CQ World Wide SSB Contest. K5DWI suggested we prepare to work the Mississippi QSO Party in April 2018, 9AM-to-9PM and offered his home station as a club project. (2) The January 2018 meeting will be Club Officer election time. Consider serving as a club officer and-or asking someone to step up. (3) There is an antenna party scheduled Sunday October 22 for WB5ASP. Discussion will continue at the Pic-A-Nick Saturday the 21st.

AD7KJ made a motion to close the meeting, KG5LEV seconded for video program at 1946.
None opposed.

Respectfully submitted by Cullen Watts, AD7KJ.