Southwest MS ARC Meeting October 9, 2014 Brookhaven, MS

Members present: kf5qeo, n4rud, kc4ynl, n5znt, wb5asp, w9xm, Jan, kd5rgt, kf5tqg

- N5znt opened the meeting at 7:05 p.m. and welcomed Kf5qeo back to meeting after recent illness.
- September minutes read by wb5asp and approved as read
- Kd5rgt gave treasurer report. Current balance is \$1036.46 approved. Some discussion as why the service charge was now \$5.00 higher than previous statements.. decision made to wait and see if this was a charge that we needed to check on with the bank if it continued.
- Wb5asp stated that Nm5z had now gotten the W5WQ.net website now transferred from GoDaddy to a new server and it no longer has the privacy restriction settings that made it difficult to access. All the site seems to be working properly.
- N5znt reminded group of the McComb Diabetes Walk on October 25. Those members working this event should be there by 8 a.m.
- N5znt reported that he had contacted Chris Reid and the HEARN organization about the SW MS ARC participating as needed with hospitals in our districts.
- N5znt reported that the MS Tour for Cure Bicycle event went very well with only one incident requiring transportation to hospital.
- Discussed ARC picnic at Friendship Baptist Church in Pike county on October 25 at 2 p.m.
 Reviewed list of items needed for picnic. N5znt will get picnic table ware supplies to kc4nyl on Sunday, October 12.
- Discussed the club purchasing a Signalink USB for the club radio so one would always be
 available to demonstrate and use digital modes with the Kenwood TS-570. Motion made by
 N4rud to purchase unit with cabling and settings for Kenwood radio. Authorized up to \$150 for
 this purchase. Wb5asp will order the unit and try to have available for use at club picnic on
 October 25.
- Wb5asp will contact nm5z about confirming the Golden Corral for the ARC Christmas Dinner at 6:30 p.m. on 2nd Thursday of December.
- N5znt will investigate meeting location in Brookhaven for every other month starting in February, 2015.

Motion made by n4rud to close meeting at 8 p.m.