



**November 2011 Newsletter**  
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**Morning Meeting**  
Saturday November 5th @ 9:00 AM  
at the American Red Cross Bldg. - Downtown Austin

## *Minutes to the Oct. 1st AARC Meeting*

No Quorum, No Official Meeting, No Official Minutes

### *Treasurer's Report*

#### **GENERAL FUND**

Balance 09/02/11	1,782.48
Dues Paid	+060.00
Deposit	+014.68
Expenses	- 053.32
Balance 10/30/11	\$1822.16

Expenses were for reimbursement to Carl for food for the fall fox hunt and for the change of 5 dollars for reservation of the park.

#### **MAINTENANCE FUND**

Balance 09/02/11	\$2,790.22
Dues Paid	+00.00
Deposit	+ 00.00
Donations & Interest	+00.00
Expenses	-00.00
Balance 10/30/11	\$2,790.22

**Submitted by KB0SVG Mary Nystrom / AAARC Treasurer**

### *Upcoming Events*

December --- Club Election of Officers  
January --- Annual Christmas Party  
February --- Minnesota QSO Party

## *Topics for Discussion at the Meeting*

Electronics Situation at the Fair (MCHS) to comply with the Fire Inspector  
Liability Insurance for club events  
AI NØZO's injury after the Fair during the Tower Trailer take down  
Club Elections  
Christmas Party  
MN QSO Party  
Electric Winch for the Tower Trailer

## *Aluminum Collection Fund Raiser*

Still ongoing, club members and friends of the AARC, are collecting aluminum in forms of cans or other scrap. This is an easy way for a simple fund raiser for the club. The aluminum can be dropped off with Mary (Club Treasurer) KBØSVG at 809 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE. Mary will take the accumulated aluminum over to Jennings Scrap Yard and then deposit the money in our club bank account. So please help out. So far Jan WØLUX, Bob KØIHV, Mary KBØSVG (also Mary's neighbors – Juan, Casey and Daisy), Jay KCØHXM, Erv WBØLSG and John KBØSPM have dropped off aluminum.

## *For Sale*

**Gordy** WB0QHK has lots of stuff to sell... call him at **433-9650** for details and to deal...

Butternut Vertical (almost New)

Butternut Vertical (Used / Rebuilt)

Alpha delta DX-CC multiband inverted Vee

Yaesu FT 101EE

Yaesu FT 401B

Several old Amateur Handbooks – from the 60's and up

Drake T-4XB Transmitter

Drake TR4C Transceiver

Drake MN-4 Transmatch

Johnson Viking Ranger Transmitter

6 Hallicrafters General Coverage Receivers

**Joshua** KD0IJX has the following for sale:

Yaesu FT-8900R - Asking \$400.00

Comet GP-15 tri-band antenna - Asking \$125.00

Larsen KG2/70CXPL mobile antenna - Asking \$110.00

Contact information: Joshua Baseman - capsjosh@hotmail.com

## *AARC Recommended Nets*

Sunday Night – Austin 146.730 FM Net - 7:00pm CDT  
Sunday Night – Owatonna 145.490 FM Net - 7:30pm CDT  
Sunday Night – Albert Lea 146.880 FM Net - 8:00pm CDT  
Sunday Night – Austin 50.400 AM Rag Chew Net - 8:30pm CDT  
Sunday Night – Northern Lights 144.260 USB Net – 9pm CDT  
Sunday Night – Rochester 146.820 FM Net – 9pm CDT  
Monday Night – North Iowa Net 147.315 FM Net – 6:30pm CDT  
Tuesday Night – Austin 28.410 USB Rag Chew Net - 7:00pm CDT  
Tuesday Night – Rochester 28.325 USB Rag Chew Net - 8:00pm CDT  
Wednesday Night – 144.230 USB Activity Net – 9:00pm CDT

Austin, Albert Lea and Owatonna Sunday VHF Nets are accessible through the KAØPQW 224.64 repeater (tone 11Ø.9) in Ellendale, MN.

## CLUB OFFICERS

President --- Tom Crowley KCØVII  
Vice President --- Mike Hansen KCØYQU  
Secretary --- Dean Johnson KAØRMP  
Treasurer, Club Trustee & MN Repeater Council Liaison --- Mary Nystrom KBØSVG

### **VOLUNTEERS involved with other CLUB DUTIES**

Tower Trailer Maintenance --- Mike KCØAAB  
Webmaster & Club Advisor --- Al NØRZO  
Red Cross Liaison --- Vince KCØNPG  
Legal Advisor --- Pete KFØGV  
Newsletter Editor & HF Net Control --- John KBØSPM  
VHF Net Control --- Carl WAØRLY  
Downtown Repeater Site Control Operator --- Jay KCØHXM  
Volunteer Examiner Liaison --- Mike KCØAKT

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