

Grand Rapids Amateur Radio Association

Executive Meeting - Jan. 27, 2023

Meeting was called to order by President Greg Stoike N8HR at 6:10 PM.

President's Report - Greg N8HR

Radio room setup is still progressing, but not quite ready to operate. Four officers have key-card access to the radio room.

Vice President's Report - Steven KD8MEY

Tom KB8TYJ has communicated we will share a table with W8IRA at the Skywarn training March 21.

GRARA is looking at the possibility of opening the radio room on Sundays as well as Wednesdays, potentially starting Feb. 5.

Secretary's Report - Dave KD8DB

Member list has been updated with renewals so far for the year.

Treasurer's Report - Dave KF8QL

Slow start to renewals so far. A few checks from the December business meeting are still pending.

Tech Director's Report - Stephen AC8QE

Door access cards for the radio room have been distributed. Next month's VE session will be at Life EMS.

On-Air Director's Report - Chris KE8LQH

Upcoming business meeting at Life EMS on Feb. 3.

Off-Air Director's Report - Rich K8JX

No upcoming plans for Winter Field Day, as the radio room is not fully ready for use yet.

Director-at-Large's Report - Lisa W8LSA

Lisa is asking others to help promote the Skywarn training and Get-out-of-the-Cabin dinner.

Still on the lookout for historical pictures for the radio room.

Trustee's Report - Tom N8DGD

Ground panel will be largely as before the renovation. Possibly switching to aluminum.

Old Business

Pot-luck receipts should be submitted to Dave KF8QL.

New Business

Stephen AC8QE is going to confirm that we're pencilled in for Hamvention lodging.

Meeting adjourned at 6:53 PM. Minutes prepared by GRARA Secretary Dave Britten KD8DB.