

Grand Rapids Amateur Radio Association

Executive Meeting - Dec. 30, 2022

\$1,900 donation check from Ron is still pending, which will offset the painting expenses.

Classroom at the Life EMS building has approximately 30 chairs and 9 tables that we can use.

Bob Moe has assisted with construction of a wiring trough that has been installed along the radio room walls.

January meeting will take place at the Life EMS building! This will be a food-and-mini-swap event. Stephen AC8QE will pick up meat (probably ham) from VandenBrink's. Food will be available shortly after 7:00. Lisa W8LSA will announce on Facebook and email Jack NY8D.

Tech Director's Report - Stephen AC8QE

Stephen is hoping to have 4 key cards available by the meeting date.

Ron AB8DT is interested in demoing his remote radio system at a future business meeting.

VE session will follow a week after the January meeting as usual. This will take place at the Life EMS building.

Lift is certified for one rider at a time, meaning the radio and meeting rooms are handicap-accessible.

Future Club Events

- IEEE event - July 31-Aug. 4
- Confluence
- Field Day (perhaps Winter Field Day)
- Fox hunts
- Hamvention - Going to book the same lodging as last year
- Badger ferry station
- Club hamfest
- IRA hamfest
- Michigan QSO party (April?)
- Assorted contests
- Get-out-of-the-Cabin Dinner (March)

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM. Minutes prepared by GRARA Secretary Dave Britten KD8DB.