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## ***TARA Meeting January 11, 1983***

The meeting was opened at 7:40 p.m. by the President, Tom Tengdin. The minutes of the November meeting were approved as corrected. There were no minutes from the December meeting. The treasurer, Paul Deppert, reported a balance of \$436.09. Our savings account as of December 31 was \$722.39 and our Hamfest account stands at \$4,123.41.

Under old business, Tom reported that there does not appear to be any problem with the IRS as to the amount of money which we have in our accounts. Tom also reported that the Oaks restaurant will be the site for our annual banquet, to be held January 26 at 7 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by the Tonsil Clackers quartet for a fee of \$50. J.B. Van Sickle reported on the plans for expansion of the Red Cross facilities. A motion was made to put \$2,500 in a building fund account. An amendment to make it \$3,000 was presented. Both the amendment and the motion were passed. A motion was made to permit the treasurer to pay for our vehicle license fees. The motion passed. Les Shenberger reported that an update of the county amateur roster was being prepared. He raised the question as to funding for the new issue. Tom Tengdin offered to print the copies as needed. A motion to pay for the paper to be used in printing the update was made. The motion passed. The nominating committee presented the slate of candidates for office. The election followed. Elected were:

President	Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY
Vice President	Terry Vanderhoff, KA9 EPV
Secretary	Mike Collison, KA9IHB
Treasurer	Paul Deppert, WA9BNX

Jim Collison was asked to serve as the Master of Ceremonies at the banquet. The meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Werner H. Haak, W9NTK, Secretary

### Attendance

Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY  
Jim Collison, K9LYA  
J. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Werner Haak, W9NTK  
Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU  
Dick Collison, WD9CJS  
Gus Vavrus, W9BZF  
Dave Azpell, WB9CZC  
Paul Deppert WA9BNX

## ***TARA Meeting January 26, 1983***

Tara Banquet:

K9KRE  
K9FGX  
W9GDS  
KA9IIP  
WA9WUI  
KC9LI  
WD9CJS  
KA9IHB  
WB9WLL  
K9LYA  
KA9DQE  
W9BZF  
WA9HKK  
W9ASX  
W9NSY  
W9NTK  
K9AHX  
W9UKS  
WA9BNX  
WB9TIB  
WN9NBT  
WB9JJW  
WB9SBV

## ***TARA Meeting February 8, 1983***

The meeting was opened at 7:30 p.m. by Vice President Terry Vanderhoff. The minutes of the January 11, 1983 meeting were approved as read. The treasurer was not in attendance, no report was given. Under old business, as reported by Jim Collison, Paul Deppert found that we do need insurance on our trailers before we can get our license plates. He will report to us at the next meeting.

It was reported that the banquet was felt to be a success. There were 31 people in attendance. But it was felt that notification should get out sooner next year. Mike Collison reported that Les Shenberger was awarded the Distinguished Service Award for his time spent on the current ham list and for his willingness to help when ever called on. Jim Collison reported that the Chicken Award was not presented this year. Frank Thomas has apparently lost it. Van Sickle will try to located it.

There was discussion about the antennas to be installed at the Red Cross building for the club station. We will plan to have an antenna party in March. Terry Vanderhoff will have the exact date at the March 8<sup>th</sup> meeting. Terry Vanderhoff and Dick Emery will check on information on a tri-band beam and will report at the next meeting. Van Sickle reported we now have a 30 month CD for \$3,000 for building fund. Van Sickle also reported that the new ham list was ready for distribution, some have already been handed out. The meeting was adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

Mike Collison, Secretary

### Attendance

Dick Emery, WB9TIB  
Jim Collison, K9LYA  
Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU  
Richard A. Emery, WB9TIB  
John Edwards, W9YIP  
Paul Deppert WA9BNX  
Dick Collison, WD9CJS  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Jim Collison, K9LYA  
Bill Naylor, KA9NYZ  
Bob Niewerth, KC9LI  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Mike Collison, KA9IHB

## ***TARA Meeting February 23, 1983***

The meeting was called to order on February 23, 1983 at 7:38 p.m. by Terry Vanderhoff. Terry reported that the prices on the antennas were from \$199 to \$266. A motion was made to buy the antenna from Milwaukee by Dick Emery. Jim Collison and Dick Collison volunteered to go and get the antenna if needed. Terry was asked to contact the company in Milwaukee and ask for details. Paul Deppert announced that the code classes would start on Monday, February 28 at 7 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

### Attendance

Dick Emery, WB9TIB

Jim Collison, K9LYA

Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU

Fred Stambaugh, WF9CGN

Werner Haak, W9NTK

Mike Collison, KA9IHB

## ***TARA Meeting March 8, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Terry Vanderhoff at 7:30 p.m. The minutes of the February 8th and 23<sup>rd</sup> were approved as read. Treasurers report was given by Paul Deppert, \$99 were collected in dues for a total in our checking account of \$489.09.

Under old business, Jim Collison suggested that we check with another insurance company for information on the insurance needed for your trailers. Terry said he would ask his insurance man and report back to us. J.B. Van Sickle reported that he talked with Don Payne at WAZY regarding the Chicken Award, he thought Frank Thomas had taken it with him when he left there. Van Sickle then talked to Frank, he said he may have it in a box of things he took with him. Terry reported the new tri-band had not been ordered yet due to some shipping problems. John Edwards said he would donate a center insulator for the dipoles, but it was felt that we should use a balm. Mike Collison reported that there were 7 people at the new code classes. Under new business, Dick Emery volunteered to research Special Service Club information from the ARRL and report at the next meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### Attendance

Jim Collison, K9LYA

Mike Collison, KA9IHB

J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE

Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE

Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU

Dave Azpell, WB9CZC

Fred Stambaugh, WF9CGN

Paul Deppert WA9BNX

Dick Emery, WB9TIB

## ***TARA Meeting March 23, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by President Tom Tengdin at 7:30 p.m. Paul Deppert, Treasurer reported a balance of \$259.59 in our checking account.

### **Old Business**

Dick Collison reported that he had found an insurance company that would cover our trailers. It is the Martin Agency. They will cover each trailer for a total of \$50 per year. Motion was made and passed that Carl Vinyard would put a tube in one of the tires on the generator trailer that has a flat. Jim Collison reported our antennas had arrived and that an antenna party was planned for April 9 and 10 starting at 9 a.m. at the Red Cross.

### **New Business**

Dick Emery was not in attendance to report on the special service clubs. The National Weather Service will be at Columbian Park beach house on March 30, all TARA members are invited. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Bob Niewerth, KC9LI  
Dick Collison, WD9CJS  
John Edwards, W9YIP  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Roger Airgood, W9NSY  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
J Shedd, W9UKS  
Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY  
Carl Vinyard, KB9DV  
Jim Collison, K9LYA

## ***TARA Meeting April 12, 1983***

TARA meeting started at 7:35 p.m. on Tuesday April 12, 1983. Terry Vanderhoff acting president called the meeting to order. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

### **Old Business**

The trailer insurance mentioned in the March 23 minutes should read that the total cost of \$50 would be for both trailers. The treasurer reported no change in the check balance. At this time there is \$259.59 in the checking account. Four members showed up last Saturday (April 9, 1983) to work on antennas for the club station. A part of the three element beam was broken in shipment. The beam is stored at Burkhart Advertising.

### **New Business**

Jack Ott moved that the club pay for \$13 postage used for cards mailed to novice class prospects. Sherberger seconded the motion and it passed. Jack Ott moved that the club pay \$7.50 to IRCC for IRCC membership. Niewerth seconded the motion. It passed. An antenna tuner was discussed. Any member going to the Dayton Hamfest is asked to bring back literature on a tuner and on low band rigs. Tom Tengdin and John Edwards were appointed to the "new rig" committee at the September 12, 1982 meeting. Antenna work is to be continued at the Red Cross on Saturday April 23.

Meeting adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

Acting Secretary Paul W. Deppert, WA9BNX

### **Attendance**

Jim Collison, K9LYA  
Paul Deppert WA9BNX  
Bob Niewerth, KC9LI  
Jack Ott, K9AHX  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU  
Dave Azpell, WB9CZC  
John Edwards, W9YIP



## ***TARA Meeting April 27, 1983***

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m. by Tom Tengdin. The minutes were approved as read. Paul Deppert reported a balance of \$198.84 in the checking account.

### **Old Business**

Paul Deppert said he had bills amounting to \$100 for the trailer insurance and ARRL insurance, and needed an approval to pay. It was determined that the trailer insurance had already been approved. A motion was made and passed to pay ARRL insurance for the club equipment. Tom Tengdin reported we had been asked to help with the 4-H judging contest again this year. Tom was asked to see if Les Schinberger would be chairman. The antenna party was set for May 21 at 9 a.m. at the Red Cross building.

### **New Business**

A special meeting of interested persons is planned for May 4 at 7 p.m. to discuss new equipment. The information will be presented at the next meeting on May 10.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Roger Airgood, W9NSY  
John Edwards, W9YIP  
Dave Azpell, WB9CZC  
Carl Vinyard, KB9DV  
Werner Hack, W9NTK  
Jim Collison, K9LYA  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Dick Collison, WD9CJS  
Terry Vansickle, K9KRE  
Paul Deppert, WA9BNX  
Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY

## ***TARA Meeting May 10, 1983***

The meeting was called to order at 7:32 p.m. by Tom Tengdin. The minutes were approved as read. Paul Deppert reported that he had paid out \$26.50 for the trailer licenses, \$55.20 for trailer insurance and a balance of \$117.14.

### **Old Business:**

Tom Tengdin and John Edwards reported on the special meeting of May 10 with their recommendation for new HF equipment. They felt the Kenwood TS-130 SE or the Ten Tec Corsair were the best choices. After some discussion a motion was made by Dick Emery and seconded by Paul Deppert to buy the Ten Tec Corsair with power supply, microphone and all filers. Motion passed.

There was some discussion on the need for an automatic antenna tuner. Carl Vinyard made a motion and seconded by Werner Halk to wait until after field day and see if a tuner was needed. Motion passed.

Dick Emery reported on Special Service Clubs, he said he was still looking for more ARRL members before our club can qualify. New member Tim Miller was voted in. Welcome Tim.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Jim Collison, K9LYA  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Carl Vinyard, KB9DV  
R. A. Emery, WB9TIB  
John Edwards, W9YIP  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Terry Vansickle, K9KRE  
Dave Azpell, WB9CZC  
Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY  
Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Werner Haak, W9NTK  
Dave Chasey, WN9NBT  
Paul Deppert, WA9BNX

## ***TARA Meeting June 14, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Tom Tengdin at 7:43 p.m. The minutes were approved as read. There was no Treasurers report given.

### **Old Business**

Tom Tengdin reported all antennas up on the tower. Jim Collison made a motion that any expenses not paid by Dick Collison's insurance company for medical cost due to his accident while doing tower work should be paid for by TARA, seconded by J.B. Van Sickle. Motion passed.

Terry Vanderhoff reported that Field Day will be at Tippecanoe county fair grounds on the weekend of June 25 & 26. Meeting adjourned at 8:18 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Dick Collison, WD9CJS

Jack Ott, K9AHX

J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE

Mike Collison, KA9IHB

David Andersen, KK9W

Stephan Bechtolsmeir, DF4CK

Dave Chasey, WN9NBT

Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY

Carl Vinyard, KB9DV

Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU

Dick Emery, WB9TIB

Glennalee Owens

Jim Collison, K9LYA

Dave Azpell, WB9CZC

John Edwards, W9YIP

## ***TARA Meeting July 12, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Tom Tengdin at 7:35 p.m. The minutes were approved as read. Paul Deppert reported that there was \$64.23 in the treasury.

### **Old Business**

Van Sickle talked to committee at Red Cross about putting up the antennas. Dick Collison reported that all his bills were paid associated with his accident. A motion was made to pay Jim Collison for the antenna hardware. The motion was passed. Jim Collison reported on antennas.

### **New Business**

Tom Tengdin reported on a box that would house the new radio. Motion was made by Dick Emery to become a special service club. The motion died. A motion was made by Jack Ott to buy two boxes for the new radio. It was seconded by Jim Collison. It passed. The July 27<sup>th</sup> meeting was noted to be held at VanSickles for the annual picnic. Meeting was adjourned at 8:08 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Jack Ott, K9AHX  
Jim Collison, K9LYA  
Dick Collison, WD9CJS  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Glennalee Owens  
Dick Emery, WB9TIB  
Paul Deppert, WA9BNX  
Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY

## ***TARA Meeting August 28, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Tom Tengdin at 7:30 p.m. The minutes were approved as corrected. Paul Deppert reported a balance of \$64.23 in checking account.

### **Old Business:**

Van Sickle reported it was ok to put anchors in the roof of Red Cross building. Dave Azpell reported there was only a small amount of work left to be done on the antennas. He also bills amounting to \$206.32 for materials used on the antennas. Jim Collison made a motion to pay Dave's bill, seconded by Paul Deppert. Motion passed.

### **New Business:**

Tom Tengdin reported that Jim Wilson WA5BRB was interested in buying the 90 foot tower the club now owns. After some discussion, Tom was asked to work out some details and report back to the club. Dave Azpell was going to research the cost of converting the Red Cross and club generators to propane.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY  
Dick Collison, WD9CJS  
Dave Azpell, WB9CZC  
Terry Vanderhoff, KA9EPU  
Fred Stombaugh, WA9CGH  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Paul Deppert, WA9BNX  
Jim Collison, K9LYA  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE

## ***TARA Meeting September 13, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Tom Tengdin at 7:40 p.m. The minutes were approved as read. Paul Deppert reported there was \$357.91 in the checking account and \$703.53 in the TARA savings account.

### **Old Business:**

Dave Azpell reported that the 2 meter antennas checked out ok. Tom Tengdin reported he would get the hardware needed to finish the dipoles.

### **New Business:**

Tom Tengdin reported that Jim Wilson was going ahead with zoning for his tower. Jim Collison made a motion to send a plant to Shorty Sutter because of the death of his brother. Seconded by Paul Deppert. Motion passed. Dave Azpell made a motion to send a plant to Bill Bayley because of the death of his mother. Seconded by Paul Deppert. Motion passed. The above motions were needed because neither Shorty or Bill are TARA members but had been in the past.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Paul Deppert, WA9BNX  
J.B. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Mike Collison, KA9IHB  
Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY  
Roger Airgood, W9NSY  
Jim Collison, K9LYA

## ***TARA Meeting September 28, 1983***

The meeting was called to order at 7:46 p.m. by Tom Tengdin. The minutes were approved as read. Paul Deppert reported that there was \$357.91 in the checking account.

### **Old Business:**

Dave Azpell said that it would cost \$123.50 to convert the generator to propane. Dave Azpell made a motion to buy the conversion kit. Jim Collison seconded the motion and there was some discussion and motion passed. Tom Tengdin said that he would get the Antennas done "Maybe".

Meeting adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Jim Collison, K9LYA

Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY

Paul Deppert, WA9BNX

Dick Collison, WD9CJS

Dave Azpell, WB9CZC

Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE

Mike Collison, KA9IHB

## ***TARA Meeting October 11, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Tom Tengdin at 7:48 p.m. The minutes were approved as read. No treasurers report.

### **Old Business:**

Dave Azpell reported that he had the propane conversion kit for the generator.

### **New Business:**

There was some discussion on the up coming disaster test. It was suggested that we ask Glen Rogers to come to our next meeting on October 26, 1983 and give a program on antique radios.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY

Dave Azpell, WB9CZC

Mike Collison, KA9IHB



## ***TARA Meeting December 13, 1983***

The meeting was called to order by Tom Tengdin at 7:41 p.m. The minutes were approved as read. There is a balance of \$171.78 in the treasury.

### **Old Business:**

Paul Deppert, Van Sickle, and Bob Newarth are to find candidates for office and report it at the next meeting.

### **New Business:**

It was decided that the annual party would be held at the Oaks again. There was some discussion on the antennas. Van Sickle made a motion that Les Sherberger be made Vice Chairman and Dick Collison be made chairman of the hamfest. Deppert seconded it. It passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Mike Collison, KA9IHB, Secretary

### **Attendance**

Tom Tengdin, WB9VXY  
Tim Miller, N9DKI  
Dave Azpell, WB9CZC  
Lester Sherberger, KA9DQE  
Paul Deppert, WA9BNX  
J. Van Sickle, K9KRE  
Bob Niewerth, KC9LI  
Mike Collison, KA9IHB