

# Sinbad Desert Amateur Radio Club Meeting

Address: PO Box 1161 Castle Dale, UT 84513

Next meeting April 6th, 2023 @ the Juniper Grill restaurant

Website: [www.sdarc.us](http://www.sdarc.us)

[k7sdchamclub@gmail.com](mailto:k7sdchamclub@gmail.com) club email

## Agenda:

Minutes (attached) and Financial Report - Anita, KB7GFV

## Business

- Report on Carbon class; by George / Rodney

## Health and welfare:

Training: Rodney Scott, Bret Mills TBA

## SDARC 2023 Activities/Events/Announcements

- CW Weekly Skills Practice, Tuesday Nights at 8:00 pm, All Summer, 3.555MHz +/-, Send up to 10wpm
- HF Net Saturday Mornings @ 8:00 AM 3.832 Mhz
- VE Testing TBA
- Club Outing TBD at the Wedge Campground #3

## Next Meeting: Juniper Grill restaurant

## NETS:

- SDARC Net Night, **Every Tuesday** at 8:00 p.m.
- SDARC HF Net, **Every Saturday** at 8:00 a.m. on 3.832MHz +/-
- Sanpete/Sevier Net, **Every Monday** at 7:00 p.m. 144.250 upper side band
- Sevier Amateur Radio Club Net, **Every Thursday** at 6:30 p.m.
- Skyline Amateur Radio Club Net, **Every Sunday** at 8:00 p.m.
- Borderline Amateur Radio Club Net Night, **Every Monday** at 9:00 p.m.
- Statewide RACES VHF Net, held on the **third Thursday of even numbered months** (February, April, June, August, October, December) from 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. on the SDARC VHF repeater near you.
- Statewide RACES HF Net, held on the **third Saturday of odd numbered months** (January, March, May, July, September, November) at 8:00 a.m. on the 80 meter band on 3.920MHz
- Utah Beehive Net, **Daily** at 12:30 p.m. on 7.272 MHz
- Wyoming Cowboy Net, **Monday – Friday**, at 6:30 P.M. on 3.9235MHz
- Farm Net, **Daily**, at 5:45 p.m. on 3.937MHz
- Utah Code Net, **Daily**, at 7:30 p.m. on 3.570MHz

## SDARC Local Repeaters

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| • Abajo Peak 146.610 (PL 88.5)                    | • Horn Mountain 147.060 (PL 88.5)              |
| • Bald Mesa 146.760 (PL 88.5)                     | • Lake Mountain 147.080 (PL 77)                |
| • Boarding House 147.080 (PL 88.5)                | • Mt. Ellen (Henry Mountain) 147.080(PL 136.5) |
| • Bruin Peak 147.320 (PL 88.5)                    | • Horn 223.920 (PL 88.5)                       |
| • Bruin Peak 449.050 (PL 88.5) linked             | • Star Point 147.200 (PL 88.5)                 |
| • Cedar Mountain 147.140 (PL 88.5)                | • Flat Top Uintah Basin 145.490 (PL 136.5)     |
| • Cedar Mountain 448.550 (PL 88.5) HF remote base | • Grizzly Peak 147.040 (PL 136.5)              |
| • Ford Ridge 145.310 (PL 88.5)                    | • Moab down town 145.900 (PL 88.5)             |

## Other Local Area Repeaters

- Intermountain Intertie 147.120 (PL100) FUTURE
- Abajo Peak 447.100 (PL 107.2) Grand Mesa Repeater Association, Grand Junction, CO
- Bald Mesa 449.100 CACTUS Grand Mesa Repeater Association, Grand Junction, CO
- Star Point 447.125 (PL 100) K7GX
- Horn Mountain 447.625 (PL 100) CACTUS (offline)
- Mexican Hat 449.900 (PL 123) Robert Mueller
- Sanpete / Sevier Horseshoe, Ephraim 146.660 (PL100), Monroe Peak 146.820 (PL100)

3/2/23

The meeting of the SDARC was called to order at 7:10 by Bret in Huntington, Pondarosa Grill. Minutes were read and the Treasure report given. We finally got our Account changed over to UPCU. And all the money switched over, Bret put \$200.00 in from his account the open the account and order check and pay any expenditures and will be paid back after the Club get moved over we put most money over to the clubs Savings account and the rest into the Clubs checking account. A lot of discussion about all that we had to do and changes that were made. Alan made a motion to accept the minutes and treasurer report and Jim 2nd.

Old business: Alan gave a Health report on himself and Deb Henry, She had her 3rd chemo and is walking with her friends and trying to get through all of this. Bryan gave a report on his parents and they are Still about the same.

Bret gave us a report on the Repeaters, he and Jim went to Cedar Mt. and brought the server computer home, he had to replace both hard drives. He tried to go back out to replace it but it was to muddy, Also the Antenna on Cedar's HF remote has broken so it will need to be replaced as soon as we can. He did some checking on heavy duty Antenna wire, we talked about what options we have, Bret said he would donate a heavy duty RF Transformer for a EFHW and the Club could buy the wire. A lot more discussion on Antennas and Repeaters, Bryan asked if anything needs to be fixed on Ford he is making a trip up soon and will check it also we talked about Star Point, it seems to be fine.

We talked about the Tuesday night Net and how Nick has been trying to cover with the time he has and has done a great Job, also Jim has filled in and Kyle still wants to try so hopefully we can have more than one Net Control person so one person doesn't have to do it as much.

Spring Camp out was discussed and tentatively decided April 22nd thru 24<sup>th</sup>, we will watch the weather and see if that will work for most.

Mary Ann made some designs for our patches that will be able to be put on about anything. They really look great so we can make some orders whenever we like.

Next meeting will be April 6th in Price. We will try for the Juniper grill out by the Hospital (log cabin). Dave will check on that for us if they have a meeting room would be great, The back up plan will be Los 2 Amigos.

Jim made a motion to adjourn, Alan 2<sup>nd</sup>, meeting adjourned at 7:45.

17 members Present.

submitted by Secretary / Treasurer

Anita Mills