

# Sinbad Desert Amateur Radio Club Meeting

Address: PO Box 1161 Castle Dale, UT 84513

Next meeting Jan. 4th, 2023 @ Pondorosa restaurant

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## Agenda:

Minutes (attached) and Financial Report:

Business:

Next Meeting:

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 Location: WEDGE overlook Campground

Next Meeting: Pondorosa restaurant in Huntington

## 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 VHF SSB Net, Every Monday at 7:00 p.m. 144.250 upper side band
- Moab area VHF SSB Net, Every Wednesday 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

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

## Other Local Area Repeaters

- Intermountain Intertie 147.120 (PL100) FUTURE TBD
- 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 stand alone
- Horn Mountain 447.625 (PL 88.5) stand alone
- Sanpete / Sevier Horseshoe, Ephraim 146.660 (PL100), Monroe Peak 146.820 (PL100)

## **The SDARC meeting club minutes 12-7-23**

The meeting of the SDARC was called to order at 6:43, by Bret WX7Y at Los 2 Amigos. Minutes were read and a Treasure report was given we have, \$4,074.90 in savings and \$ 1,071.33 in Checking. Bryan K7GX made a motion to accept and Jim 2nd.

Old Business: Bret WX7Y made a report that the Solar charger on the Henry's 147.080 site has failed and a temporary one is there now, it is quite a small one and will need to be replaced in the Spring with a much larger one, More info as we get it and thanks to Josh for making the trip to the Mountain. There was a lot of discussion on the usage of the machine and how many people use it and cost required to keep it up. Misc. discussion on it.

We talked about Allan getting all moved to Cedar City and got his house sold and Tower sold.

Health and Welfare: Jim A. KA7YIV is doing good. Bryan is doing well also after his surgery.

We talked about vitamins and George gave a report on his Health and what is going on.

New business: Willie NC7F talked to us about doing a HAM Class in Castle Dale and he has not had any interest yet, But he has talked with the Principal at the High school and we do have a location.

Nominations were reopened. Rodney ask to get light duty and we let him know that's why we have two Vice Presidents that can take charge when needed, then the Nominations were closed.

Voting took place and the New club officers for 2024 are Pres. Rodney Scott, NVP Larry Rhodes, SVP Willie Frisbie, Sec/Tres Anita Mills, Communications Kyle Rhodes. All new club officers where sustained.

Rodney brought up the subject of the average age of our members. Lots of different discussion on it and some ideas were tossed around to get the younger generation more involved and licensed, Willy gave some great ideas with helping get interest in the High School's.

Bryan let us know that he had to swap out the Raspberry Pi mini computer on the SINBAD Ethernet Server used on the nets.

Next meeting will be Jan 4th at the Pondarosa in Huntington.

Bryan made a motion to adjourn and Jim 2nd. Meeting adjourned at 7:32, there where 12 members present.

Submitted by Anita Mills Security / Treasurer