

# Sinbad Desert Amateur Radio Club Meeting

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Next meeting December 4th, 2025 @ Ponderosa

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## Agenda:

### Minutes (attached) and Financial Report:

#### Business:

#### Next Meeting:

#### Health and welfare:

Training: Rodney Scott, TBA

#### SDARC 2025 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 @ 7:30 AM 3.832 MHz
- VE Testing TBA
- Club Outing TBA

#### Next Meeting: Ponderosa

#### NETS:

- SDARC Net Night, Every Tuesday at 8:00 p.m.
- SDARC HF Net, Every Saturday at 7:30 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 SSBNet, Every Wendsday 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 DEM 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 DEM RACESHF 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), 447.625 (PL 88.5), 447.125 (PL100.0)
- 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 IM Intertie
- Horn Mountain 447.625 (PL 88.5) stand alone IM Intertie
- Sanpete / Sevier Horseshoe, Ephraim 146.660 (PL100), Monroe Peak 146.820 (PL100)

The Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the SDARC was called to order by Rodney Scott at 7:00PM at JB's Restaurant in Price, The Minutes were read, the treasurer report was given there is \$3457.56 in savings and \$782.39 in the Checking account. Rodney asked for motion to accept the Treasure Report and Willie made the motion and Jim 2<sup>nd</sup>, George made the motion to accept the Minutes and Ellen seconded with changes.

Training: on Tuesday night, Greg from Monticello talked about how club's are dwindling with no new young members coming in and different Idea's trying to get young people interested again.

The Ham class was talked about, it is NOT going very well with no one attending.

There was some discussion about how good the bands have been and there activities on the HF bands.

Talked about Joel Dorsch's equipment and his 38' tower needs to be removed, Bret and Willie can't remember how it is Mounted.

Health and Welfare: there have not been any updates about Pam and other members had nothing to report.

Repeater Report: Bret said he didn't have a chance to go to Star Point or Boardinghouse yet. The State frequency Coordinator suggested to the Utah County UCARES they could put a Repeater on 147.320 up Provo canyon and Bret had quite a long discussion with all the involved parties and that wasn't going to happen if he had anything to say about it and he thinks they are NOT going to use the 147.320 repeater frequency as there were two others they could use.

Elections for new officers in December so we will need to do Nominations in November so be thinking now of who would be good choices.

Nominations: Willie, Jim, and Bret were nominated for President, North V.P. Dave, South VP Kyle, Ellen was nominated for Secretary Treasurer, Willard Communication Officer, Nominations ceased, Bret made motion to close nominations and Willie 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Next club meeting scheduled for December 4th will be at Ponderosa in Huntington.

Bret talked about the HF remote on Cedar Mt. 448.550 repeat and handed out cards

Anita made the motion to close the meeting and Jim 2nd, meeting closed at 7:28PM, there was 17 members and visitors present.

Submitted by Secretary Treasurer, Bret WX7Y