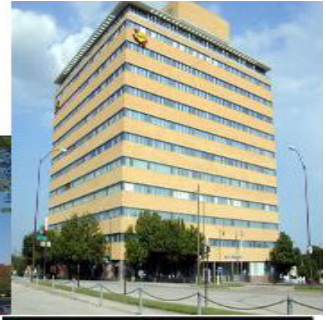




THE SIGNAL



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“Covering Tulsa through the air”

PREZ SAYZ:

Not much has happened this month as far as activities. Mike Toole, Mike Paxman and myself supported SAG help for the Ruts & Guts Waffle Ride. I received this email from them. Just wanted to say many thanks to your crew! You all are so kind and helpful, and your presence makes the world of difference for the success of our event. I hope you all enjoyed and took in some of the back road views out there again. Lots of pretty fall colors! Please pass on our appreciation to your entire group. Hope to see you all at our next event or sooner at one of the many others that you all support.

Laura Meiing
Team AirAssurance/AVB Bank
BikeClub, American Flyer

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The Christmas party will be December 10.
The next TRO meeting is November 26 at Shilos restaurant at 7:00.

See every one at the meeting,
Paul Young - KE5EHM

MEETING PLACE FOR November 26th IS:

Shiloh's Family Restaurant
2604 North Aspen Avenue in Broken Arrow

SKYWARN RECOGNITION DAY DECEMBER 7 UTC:

At the time of publication of the Signal I have no details of activity from the Tulsa National Weather service, but, will try to get information out before the day of the event via Facebook, Twitter and email.

Look at this link <http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter?issue=2019-11-07#toc06>
to get some of the operating details.

TRO MEETING MINUTES FOR 10/22/2019:

Tulsa Repeater Organization Membership Meeting Minutes

Date: Oct 22, 2019 1900 hrs. # Present:19

Secretary: Paul Teel, WB5ANX

Opening from Paul Young, KE5EHM, President

- Introductions

Reading of Minutes

- Johnny Rentro, N5XQK, moved to approve as posted in the Signal.
- Mike Paxman, K5MWP, seconded the motion.
- It was approved by voice vote.

Treasurer's Report

- Ben Joplin, WB5VST, moved to approve as posted in the Signal.
- Johnny, N5XQK, seconded the motion.
- It was approved by voice vote.

Engineering

- Merlin Griffin, WB5OSM, gave a report of the repairs at 148.880
- All other systems are operating nominally.

Activities

- Ruts and Guts request for coverage at their event on Nov 2.
 - Mike, K5MWP, made the motion to approve the application for support
 - Johnny, N5XQK, seconded the motion
 - Was approved by voice vote
- Christmas party update by Paul Young
 - Party will be on December 10 at Shiloh's.
 - Time at 7pm. 6 to eat.

No report from: Public Relations, Membership, Operating Standards, By Laws, Trustee.

Old Business

- None

New Business

- Nominating committee for the 2020 year was named.
 - Ben Joplin, WB5VST
 - Ray Young, K5CFY

- Johnny Rentfro, N5XQK
- Mark Conklin, N7XYO
- Mike Paxman, K5MWP
- Information update
 - Green Country Hamfest will be April 10 - 11, 2020 in Claremore

End of Business:

- Ray, K5CFY, made a motion to adjourn.
- Mike, K5MWP, seconded the motion.
- Motion approved by voice vote.
- Meeting adjourned at 1934 hours.

TRO TREASURY REPORT OF 11/25/19:

Total TRO Accounts Beginning Balance	\$5833.67
Checking Beginning Balance	\$1945.42
11/25 Renewal & New Member	+75.00
Checking Balance	\$2020.42
PayPal Beginning Balance	\$397.86
PayPal Ending Balance	\$397.86
Cash	\$30.00
Cash Balance	\$30.00
Savings Beginning Balance	\$3460.39
10/31 Int Earned	+1.47
Ending Savings Account Balance	\$3461.86
Total TRO Account Balance	\$5910.14

Respectfully Submitted by Steve Miller – AA5V 11/25/2019

New Members:

Mike Toole – KI5EGH

ACTIVITIES:

Activities / PR Report

TRO Christmas Party will be Tuesday, December 10 at Shiloh's Restaurant in Broken Arrow at 7:00 PM. Come early to eat. We will do the dirty santa game that consists of ham radio equipment you wish to get rid of. Bring something from your junk box wrapped or something else \$10.00 or less. May be someone elses treasure. A 50/50 pot and other prizes one of which will be a TYT DMR/Analog MD UV-380.

HELP THE CLUB:

When shopping Amazon use smile.amazon.com and pick Tulsa Repeater Organization, Inc as your charity for the TRO to receive contributions from Amazon. It costs you no more for your purchases.

ENGINEERING REPORT:

146.88 is still not working correctly. Checked out both the receive and transmit functions of the repeater and seem to be working quite well. The power amp was also tested and the signal output level is over 60 watts. What is not working is the function between the receive signal to the transmit portion of the repeater that may be caused by the controller. At this time waiting for Merlin to do some checks on the controller functionality. All other systems and repeaters are working at this time.

Thanks Joe Gorkos - N5TEX

REPEATER STATUS

146.805 (-) PL 88.5 Autumn Oaks Building 71st & Yale - Working

146.880 (-) PL 88.5 (CityPlex), 82.5 (Skiatook) or 141.3 (Keetonville receiver) 81st & Lewis – Repeater down.

146.940 (-) PL 88.5 Sun Building, 9th & Detroit – Working

927.700 (-25 MHz) (902.7) CityPlex - Working

Metro Link:

444.1 (+) PL 88.5 Skyline East 41st & Skelly Drive – Working

444.725 (+) PL 88.5 GRDA tower NW of Skiatook – Working

444.950 (+) PL88.5 Autumn Oaks Building 71st & Yale – Working



ARES Net

Thursday evenings at 8:00 PM
1st, 2nd and 3rd Thursdays on the 147.39 MHz repeater
4th and if there is a 5th Thursday use the
TARC Super Link System 443.850 MHz
PL 88.5 Hz

CLUB MEETINGS

Tulsa Repeater Organization

Fourth Tuesday of the month, except June (Field Day) and December (Christmas) 1900 (7PM)
Shiloh's Restaurant, 2604 North Aspen, Broken Arrow
Come early if you plan on having dinner.
Schedule for 2019: NOV 26, DEC 10

Tulsa Amateur Radio Club

Third Tuesday of the month 1900 (7PM)
Keplinger Hall, TU Campus, 5th & Harvard
Schedule for 2019: DEC 17

Broken Arrow Amateur Radio Club

First Monday of the month (except for holidays) 1900 (7 PM)
Central Park Recreational Center, 1500 S Main, Broken Arrow
Schedule for 2019: DEC 2

Rogers County Wireless Association

Second Friday of every month at 1900 (7 PM)
Eggbert's at 900 South Lynn Riggs Blvd, Claremore OK
Come around 6'ish if you plan on having dinner.
Schedule for 2019: DEC 13

VE TEST SESSIONS

WALK-INS ARE WELCOME AT ALL SESSIONS!

Tulsa Repeater Organization

Third Thursday of odd-numbered months, 1900 (7 PM)
American Red Cross 10151 E 11th (11th & US 169) Tulsa, Oklahoma 74128
Contact: Merlin Griffin WB5OSM at 918-520-7668 - leave message, or email: WB5OSM@hotmail.com

Broken Arrow Emergency Management

First Saturday of odd-numbered months - 0930 to 1100 (9:30 to 11 AM)
Broken Arrow Public Service Complex 1001 N 6th Street Broken Arrow OK 74013
Contact: Skipper Smith, NQ2J at: nq2j@cox.net , or 918-853-8118

Broken Arrow Amateur Radio Club

Second Saturday of even-numbered months at 0930 (9:30 AM)
Broken Arrow Public Service Complex 1001 N 6th Street Broken Arrow OK 74013
Contact: Don Doyle AC5II at AC5II@arrl.net or 918-379-0962

Rogers County Wireless Association (New session in Owasso)

First Saturday of each quarter at 0900 (9:00 AM)
Trinity House, 9210 N Garnett, Owasso OK
Contact: Phil Stephens, W5PTT at: W5PTT@cox.net

Tulsa Amateur Radio Club

Third Saturday of every month at 0900
Pentecostals of West Tulsa 2124 W 41st Tulsa OK
Contact: John Carr, K5TBL at K5TBL@arrl.net or (918) 289-1718

ARRL VEC SESSION

Last Saturday of even-numbered months, 1000 to 1130 AM
Broken Arrow Public Service Complex 1001 N 6th Street Broken Arrow OK 74013
Walkins welcome until 1030
Contact: Skipper Smith, NQ2J at: nq2j@cox.net or 918-853-8118

MAKING CONTACT – How To Find Out More About The Tulsa Repeater Organization

Our Website: www.tulsahamradio.org

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