

MAARS Club Meeting - 9 June 2017 Manhattan Public Library, Manhattan, KS

Meeting Commenced: 6:30 pm

Meeting Concluded: 7:40 pm

Attending:

Ashley Benteman - KE0IQV

**Presentation:**

- Field Day Plans, Ryan Benteman, AD0TZ

**Officer Reports:**

President

VP Report

- Announcements are down and new announcements are being worked on
- Hopefully Farren and Dave will learn how to update announcement for the future
- Dave still has the old repeater from Mark in case we need it

Treasurer

**Committee Reports:**

- Field Day:
  - Ryan gave presentation about plans and will send out on list serv
- Joint Exercise (GAB, CERT, MAARS Bike Rescue)
  - July 8th in City Park at Pavilion
  - New CERT Volunteers could attend
  - Riley County communication van is available for use for the event
- Bike Rides
  - Gravel Ride
    - After action report coming
  - Casa Ride (September 16th)
    - More information coming as it gets closer

### **Old Business:**

- Upcoming Test Sessions
  - Next exam is September 9th
- Next Saturday, June 17th is the sidewalk sale at the Radio Shack in Derby
- Kansas Hamfest: August 20th in Salina

### **New Business:**

- Room reservation changed to 5pm so that people can use room earlier for projects
- Myron is sharing batteries with the club
- Repeater Questions: Dave manages repeater and Farren is interested in doing digital mode.
  - Dave will double check about duty cycle and if it will do damage to repeater