

**Kingfisher Amateur Radio Society
March 11, 2024**

Chris called meeting to order at 17:47 after successfully opening a GE radio chassis box Richard brought in

Reviewed WD5M David's presentation from February meeting

Discussed the web site

Discussed creating a club logo, Library based, book worm, books. Sealey will work up a draft logo.

Kevin recognized for help on antenna moves with Richard. Removed 12 runs of 1 and 5/8 coax down. Our coax N connector was challenging, lost center pin. Initial tests were not good. Fortunately the climb team had to come back out on Monday and were able to resolve the bad connectors. Tests to Okarchie and Dover were good. Antenna is now down on side 20 ft and no longer on top of tower. Both UHF and VHF are side mounted now on SW side. Chris indicated he was in a null and HT was not making into repeater.

Richard and Kevin made trip to kan okla sites and removed equipment.

Brought Goltry equipment back to Kingfisher. Would like to change link to Enid 444.400 Will verify with Enid club.

Enid is moving their repeater equipment out of current buildings to outside locations by April 1.

They have dmr2x up on 145.290.

We also would like to move our link to alfalfa to watonga.

Link from alfalfa to Norman is currently broken. Contact needs to be made with OKC trustee.

No plans to work on our dr2x yet. But we do have it.

Lloyd Green will be our WiresX expert.

HIRA200 ? Needed for internet access. But initially Lloyd will be internet RF link.

Chris spoke to HS to use field, at \$90 / hour. If we can get a teacher to sponsor it, will be no charge. So leaning to using Newfield we used last year for FD in June.

Discussion about a banner.

Tents, portable AC's

Club has an all band Alinco DX70 we can use for FD.

Funds?

Staples does banners around \$80

Need some Verticle Antennas for FD

Tents?

List for April meeting

Dues? Individual \$25, Family \$35, Associate \$10 (non voting), Students HS Free <18yrs

Richard motion, Russell 2nd. Motion passes, June to June annually.

Richard donated log book to club.

Discussion on getting a 220 20amp wall electric into shack.
Closed meeting at 18;54