

Polk County Amateur Radio Association
Meeting Minutes
July 8, 2006
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PCARA members and guests met at the Fox Den in Balsam Lake, WI for breakfast. There were eleven people in attendance.

A Club meeting was brought to order in the lunch room of the Government Center at approximately 9 AM. Minutes of last months meeting were dispensed with, reference was made to the Club website for info on last months meeting.

A treasurers report was given. A short review of Field Day, held in the Radio Shack as an EOC event, was given and all who participated had a good time. Chuck, WD9GWG, gave a report on the June19, 2006 EOC tabletop exercise that he attended. Towers, equipment, WinLink 2K, and other communication concerns were discussed. Steve, NØXC, volunteered to act as liaison between the Club and other communication entities. He will give future reports.

Mark, KC9GHQ, commented on the Monday night, 9PM, net. In addition to the use of the repeater for the net, more simplex communications may be tried. More volunteers are needed to be net control. Contact Mark. Michael, KC9JIK, donated a world-wide CQ map to the club. Feed line that was available has been spoken for.

MEETING ADJOURNED NOTE: The next breakfast/meeting will be on August 12, 2006.