

**Polk County Amateur
Radio Association
1732 Forest Circle
Balsam Lake, WI 54810**

March 10, 2012 Meeting Minutes

Members & Guests Attending:

**Rick W9WS, Carlos N9GIM, Chris KC9NVV, Mark W9GWG, Mark KC9GHQ,
Tami KC9UVM, Ed W9ABA, Dan KB9OBF, Josh AG9K, Bill K9WEN, Bill
WY9E, Robert KD6TWC, Marv KC9IRT, Dennis KB9SOX, Steve N0XC, Ben
KC9ROI, Michelle KC9TYL, Duana KC9UVK, Tom KC9UWA, Toby KC9VFN,
Greg N9CHA, Mike KK9MC, Brian W0CON, Fred AB9LV, Joe KB9WYL,
Mary Stirrat Inter Co. Leader**

Open – Rick W9WS, President

Treasurer's Report:

Carlos N9GIM, presented the check book balance.

Old Business:

Mark W9GWG: Field Day this year will be June 23 & 24 at the Justice Center. We will build an antenna. Rick W9WS will conduct an antenna class on-site.

Second quarter sign-up for the Monday night Net was conducted.

New Business:

Chris KC9NVV, talked about the Skywarn class to be held March 27 at the Justice Center.

Chris also said that the minimum classes for active membership in ARES/RACES are IS700 and ICS 100.

Mark W9GWG and Rick W9WS announced the WI QSO party to be held Sunday 3/11 from 1pm to 8pm on all bands. Most contacts gets a free breakfast. The club gets points for each new operator in the contest.

Rick W9WS & Greg W9CHA: There will be a Tech license class beginning 4/1. Need Volume 2 with the CD. Rick will order materials.

Fred AB9LV will run a class for building a power supply at the club shack.

All are welcome to attend. Fred will post the date on N9XH web site.

Michelle KC9TYL: There will be a Search and Rescue review class with mock searches, 2 pm April 1, 2012. Bring your Hts.

Close – Rick W9WS

Respectfully submitted: Mike KK9MC