

## Guelph Amateur Radio Club – Regular Meeting – 2020-11-16

Regular Meeting Convened: 7:03PM Virtually

Roll Call: VA3QR, Ian (SWL), VE3SLD, VA3AZH, VE3MKY, VE3ILJ, VE3SFW, VA3MZD, VE3ML, VA3ZXN, VE3KCY, VE3HTU, VE3KTB.

Minutes – VA3QR displayed the minutes on the screen for the membership. VE3MKY moved and VA3ZXN seconded that they be adopted as read. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – VE3ML told us that we have \$10108.00 at the end of November 16. The only transactions in September were \$180 in membership fees, \$100.00 for a new antenna for VE3ZMG, and \$306.00 for our insurance through RAC. VE3KTB moved and VE3ILJ seconded that the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.

### Committee Reports:

- Community Services: No report.
- Remembrance Day Station: VE3SLD reports that ONTARS sent a very warm e-mail thanking the club for their hosting of VA3IFF. VE3ILJ reported that a couple of people stepped forward to operate the callsign on November 9 and 10 – VE3KTB and VE3KCY. Approx. 170 contacts total during the event between November 9 and 11.
- QSL Manager: VE3SLD reports that VE3WBE has no hydro at his house.
- Repair Committee: No report.
- Club FM Nets: VA3QR spoke about nets and asked for volunteers. Everyone should run the net a few times just to keep their NCS skills warm.
- Technical Committee: No report.
- Repeaters: VE3SLD reports that a brand new 4-bay Sinclair was donated to Thomas Lees – his company was moving and they found this antenna in the rafters. VE3JVC will get a crew together to install the antenna at VE3ZMG. VE3SLD bought \$100 of gift cards for Thomas Lees' employees for getting us the antenna – a far cry from what a Sinclair costs.
- Radio Amateurs of Canada: VA3QR reports that RAC will be running another Basic course in the new year.

President's Report – We may need to start looking for a new meeting place, however with the current COVID19 situation, we will be meeting on-line for the foreseeable future.

VA3QR moved and VE3MKY seconded that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried at 7:19PM.