

NPARC ZOOM MEETING #12

Date: Monday, October 12, 2020. Time: 7:30- 8:53 PM Local Time

Zoom Meeting Coordinator: W2PTP

Attendees (18)

K2AL, KD2EKN, W2EWQ, K2EZR, AC2GL, K2GLS, KC2HLA, KD2JRI, KA2MPG, KD2ONY, KC2OSR, W2PTP, WB2QOQ, WA2SQO, N2TO, W2UDT, K2UI, KC2WUF.

Discussion Topics:

1. Club President W2PTP opened the Zoom meeting at 7:30 PM.
2. W2PTP reviewed topics discussed at Executive Zoom Meeting of 10/5/20:
3. No current plans for "in-person" Club meetings for now but **Zoom meetings will continue.**
4. **NPARC Auction:** Possibility of holding outdoors? KC2HLA suggested doing on-line. Options will be discussed at future meetings.
5. **Field Day 2021:** Obtaining and getting permission to use a viable FD site will be difficult to obtain in 2021. Strong possibility that NPARC FD21 will be the same as 2020 but maybe some backyard "mini-groups" can be formed to help those club members who are normally HF inactive during the year to get on the air.
6. **Nominations for Club officers for 2021** are being sought by Tim, KD2EKN. So far W2PTP, K2GLS, K2YG and K2AL have expressed a desire to run again for their offices in 2021 but anyone wishing to run for any position should contact Tim.
7. **Club Holiday Luncheon and awards:** It looks unlikely that we can safely have the luncheon this year, perhaps in the Spring, but K2AL will convene the "Secret Order of the RTTY Snitch" and present annual awards on a Zoom meeting in December.
8. **Programs:** Possible programs: RF Safety, Contesting and a presentation by K2GLS on his time spent in Kwajalein Island. KC2OSR is looking into a program on RFI.
9. K2GLS presented two YouTube videos on 5G.
10. The meeting was closed at 8:53 PM and there will be another NPARC Zoom on Monday, October, 26 at 7:30 PM.

Summary of NPARC Nets

The Phone Net is on Sunday nights at 9 PM on the W2LI repeater (147.255/147.855 and 449.975/444.975, PL 141.3 HZ). K2AL net control.

The Digital Net is held on Mondays at 9PM or 15 minutes after the Zoom meeting whichever is later, PSK-31, 28.085 MHz, plus 1000 Hz audio frequency.

The CW Net is held on Thursdays, 9 PM local (0100 UTC), 28.050 MHz.

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Secretary, NPARC