

## **NPARC ZOOM MEETING #22**

Date: Monday, March 22, 2021. Time: 7:30- 8:15 PM Local Time

Zoom Meeting Coordinator: W2PTP

### **Attendees (21)**

K2AL, K2CMW, K2DAM, KD2EKN, W2EWQ, K2EZR, AC2GL, K2GLS, KC2HLA, KD2JRI, KC2KMI, KY2MMM, KD2ONY, KC2OSR, W2PTP, WB2QOQ, N2TO, W2UDT, K2YG, KC2WUF, Heather Speas (Guest).

### **Discussion Topics:**

#### **1) Club President W2PTP opened the Zoom meeting at 7:30 P.M.**

- (1) Get well wishes given to Bill, W2UDT, who is recovering from a fall.
- (2) Congratulations given to Heather Speas for passing her Tech exam on Saturday.
- (3) The New Providence Memorial Day Parade has been cancelled. Per WB2QOQ, the town will be accepting photos from previous years' parades to produce a video.
- (4) Gordon West, WB6NOA, will be our guest speaker at our April 12 Zoom meeting. He will talk about emergency communications. KC2OSR will get Gordon's contact info to W2PTP. The Zoom portal is limited to 100 guests. Due to concerns of "overcrowding", members were told to be selective on whom they invite. Paul will open Zoom at 7:15 PM for early NPARC member check-in.
- (5) The meeting on April 26, 2021 will be a regular business meeting. (Normally NPARC business meetings are to be held on the second Monday of the month but has been moved due to the Gordon West talk.)

#### **2) Show & Tell:**

- (1) K2AL has a supply of Power Pole connectors if anyone needs a few and showed a plaque for winning First Place NNJ in the New Jersey QP.
- (2) Tim, KD2EKN, discussed his involvement with "Scouts BSA". Over 1000 young women have earned Eagle Scout honors including nine from this area. Tim said that he was honored with an invite to one of the court of honor award ceremonies.
- (3) KD2ONY will be sending out a Reflector notice about David Sarnoff Radio Club regarding their program for encouraging newly licensed hams to get on the air.
- (3) W2EWQ spoke about a visit to Rochester Institute of Technology with his granddaughter. The tour guide was a ham who discussed amateur radio activity on campus and their K2GXT radio club.
- (4) AC2GL said that he sent a notice to the Reflector regarding links to recorded instructional videos from "2021 QSO Expo". Dave will check to see if additional videos have been added. Dave also said the Sussex Ham Fest is scheduled for July 18 but plans may change depending on status of the pandemic at that time.

3) **Next Club Zoom meeting will be held on Monday, April 12 at 7:30 PM. WB6NOA guest speaker.**

4) **Regular Business Meeting on Monday, April 26, 2021 at 7:30 PM on Zoom.**

Al Hanzl K2AL Secretary, NPARC March 23, 2021

CC: NPARC Roster List and Heather Speas



