

# **NPARC HYBRID Business MEETING #108**

**Monday, January 27, 2025**

**Time: 7:30pm-8:30pm**

**ZOOM Coordinator: K2UI**

Attending (16):

In Person: K2AL, K2DAM, W2EWQ, K2GLS, K2OT, W2PTP, K2UI, KC2WUF, K2YG.

On ZOOM: KD2CMS, W2EMC, K2ESH, W2IOG, W2OKB, KC2OSR, N2TO

## **1. OLD BUSINESS**

### **a. WINTER FIELD DAY RECAP**

NPARC participated in Winter Field Day on Saturday, January 25 at the Salt Brook School Cafeteria. We had 16 attendees and operated from 11AM to 4PM. We set up the club's new Yaesu FT 710 radios, one live on the air and the other set up with a dummy load for practice using it and for monitoring the live station. We set up external monitors to output the radios' displays to a large screen. We worked 19 states and 26 ARRL sections.

### **b. NPARC AUCTION and FLEA MARKET (Saturday Feb. 22)**

Saturday, February 22, doors open at 1PM, auction starts 2PM. Mini flea market follows the auction.

Location same as last year, in the Salt Brook School cafeteria.

Attached is summary spreadsheet for assigned tasks that we reviewed at the meeting.

## **2. NEW BUSINESS**

- Per KC2OSR: Friday March 21<sup>st</sup>- Makers Fair in Chatham, 2-4pm. Club will determine method of participation/presentation.
- Per KC2OSR, "International Marconi Day" is Saturday April 25 0000UTC to April 27 23:59UTC. It takes place on the weekend closest to Guglielmo Marconi's April 25 (1874) birthday. Amateurs are encouraged to talk up ham radio and get active on the air in celebration of the event.

Minutes recorded by K2AL.

