Minutes of the ARCNEM meeting June 14, 2022

In attendance were:

Ted WA3AER,	Jim N3GOO,	Uwe DF2IR,	Fred KA3CXQ,	Tyler K3MTR,	Tim W1TRT,	Joe N0MU,
Tom K3YH,	Neil W3ZQI,	Mike K4DUM,	Fred AI3Z,	Dean VE4DMW,	Rich N3MOB,	Steve WA3ZWC,
Nick K3NY,	Les KC3OFR,	Al KB3YXA,	Gary N3BYN,	Jim AB3CA,	George AA3GG	

Meeting started at 1800EDT.

Meeting minutes – Minutes approved.

Treasurer's Report – Bank balance has not changed since last month, but Fred has one \$15 dues check from a renewal.

Field Day – Field Day at Rockburn Branch park as in the past. Setup starts around 0900 on Saturday. The site is listed on the ARRL Field Day locator. It is intended to operate class 3A, one CW station and two phone stations. Discussion ensued regarding timing and setup plans. Tom K3YH has a setup spreadsheet for operators and equipment. Nick introduced Joe NOMU who is a former KFS CW maritime operator for ITT for their HF operation. He then became a shipboard radio officer. He will be working as part of our Field Day CW operation.

W2W Report – We had about eight operators, and approximately one thousand contacts in the log. Conditions were generally good for the entire event.

QSL Report – one request from W2W already. Received one request from California for the Schools on the Air event.

Wednesday Net Report – No net while Fred was out, last week almost impossible without SDR receivers in Utah due to terrible propagation.

Future of club discussion – A letter was sent out before the last meeting listing issues in regard to the future of the club. The letter was accompanied by a request for comments and a suggestion to renew if not a member as it was mentioned that perhaps some members were reluctant to renew given the uncertainty of the future of the museum. There were no comments from other than the officers received and only one renewal. In the discussion it was mentioned that perhaps there are disconnections in the communications paths and that some members have not received the email from the email list. Tim W1TRT will send out another reminder to the membership to please review the letter.

Meeting adjourned at 1918 EDT