

ASSOCIATION MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

DATE: September 19, 2013 LOCATION: Hardesty Library (Tulsa, OK)

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Gene Vickery, President of the Association. Fourteen members (or visitors) signed the attendance roster.

GENERAL TOPICS

The meeting began with comments about the Fall Swap Meet (October 26) at Inverness Village and the Christmas party (December 6 at John Anderson's home).

PROGRAM

This month's program on antennas was presented by Scott Haley. Scott talked about his road trip to New Mexico where he picked up amateur radio transmissions from several 14,000 foot peaks in Colorado sponsored by the "14er" organization (see www.14er.org). He also showed several online videos illustrating big loop, ferrite sleeve and little loops' antennas (search "WA5JVB Cheap Yagi"). Also mentioned was a Chinese shortwave radio (Tecsun PL-series) which includes a signal strength readout. Andy Anderson offered long, high wires are the best!

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Following the program, items of interest brought by members included: a "Selectantenna" (inductive coupling antenna brought by Scott Petty), a Crosley "Pup" single tube radio from the mid-1920's (brought by Andy Anderson), plus a Philco model D cathedral and Industrial Electronics Corp "Simplon" radio 1947 model (brought by Randy Beeson).

AUCTION

No items were brought for auction.

The next association meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October, 17 2013 at 6:30 PM. The meeting ended at approximately 8:30 PM.