



Minutes of Club Meeting
November 17, 2011

It was a very cool evening when 17 antique radio enthusiasts gathered at the Hardesty Regional Library for the HLARA November meeting. President Scott Petty called meeting to order and the first order of business was to select officers and directors for next year. He thanked the club members for their support during his presidency the past three years and stated that it had been an honor to serve as President.

Scott reported that the Board of Directors made the following recommendations for nominations:

Gene Vickery, President
Jerome Thomas, Vice-President
John Anderson, Secretary
Bob Shindhelm, Treasurer
Chris Cunningham, Director #1.

Scott asked if there were any additional nominations from the floor for President. Seeing none, Curt Lutz moved, seconded by Chris Cunningham that Gene Vickery be elected President by acclamation. Motion passed unanimously.

Scott asked if there were any additional nominations from the floor for Vice-President. Seeing none, Gene Vickery moved, seconded by Randy Beeson that Jerome Thomas be elected Vice-President by acclamation. Motion passed unanimously.

Scott asked if there were any additional nominations from the floor for Secretary. Seeing none, Dan Weilacher moved, seconded by Gene Vickery that John Anderson be re-elected Secretary by acclamation. Motion passed unanimously.

Scott asked if there were any additional nominations from the floor for Treasurer. Seeing none, Jerome Thomas moved, seconded by Chris Cunningham that Bob Shindhelm be re-elected Treasurer by acclamation. Motion passed unanimously.

Scott asked if there were any additional nominations from the floor for Director #3. Seeing none, Curt Lutz moved, seconded by Robbie Cunningham that Chris Cunningham be re-elected Director #1 by acclamation. Motion passed unanimously.

It was announced that the annual HLARA Christmas Party will be December 9th at the home of John & Vicki Anderson. The party begins at 6:30 pm. An email and map will be sent out. The club will supply the meat and each guest will bring a dish to share. Please coordinate this with Scott or John. Jerome Thomas, our very own member, will be provided the entertainment for the party.

Scott Petty presented an informative program: "Safety Practices for Radio Repair and Operation". The program highlighted hazards and procedures to be aware of when servicing radios including:

- Workbench Space & Safety Procedures
- Test Equipment for Safe Repair
- Shock from Electrical Current
- Hazards & Toxic Materials
- Fire Prevention
- Long wire antenna Installation & Operation

The program was followed by a very nice "Show and Tell" of Radios brought to the meeting by members. Westinghouse and Zenith radios were featured.

"Show and Tell" was followed by a lively donation auction. Some of the items sold included three nice fixer-upper radios, several stacks of magazines and a bag of tubes. The club netted \$51 for the Treasury.

A final reminder: The regular Saturday morning breakfast will be on December 5th at the Village Inn on South Harvard.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

John Anderson
Secretary