

**Pierre Amateur Radio Club**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**November 12, 2009**

**Attendance Log:**

WØNWT	Dave Mehlhoff	KDØS	Jim Zahradnicek
NØNPO	Greg Bond	NØPIZ	John Opp
KCØWVF	Jim Ward	AAØLY	Tam Gatje

In the absence of the President, Vice President Dave, WØNWT , called the meeting to order at 1932 hours, CST.

Introductions of all members present were not conducted, as everyone knew everyone else.

Minutes of the previous meeting were referenced as published by the **SECRETARY**. Jim W moved, Jim Z seconded they be approved as published. Passed.

**TREASURER** Greg B. reported that all bills were paid.

**ACTIVITIES** – Jim W reported that the spotter banquet was held.

**TECHNICAL** – Jim Z reported that a new generator had been received from the county.

- The 35 repeater was out of service about 1.5 weeks ago for the generator change-out. It has returned to service.
- Larry, KF8HW, would like a linked repeater with voting receiver to be added in Onida and linked to the Pierre system.
- Greg B has received a new Peet Bros. weather station to go in the Hayes area.
- Power supply parts from Mark, WBØHUY, were passed on to Jim Z for maintenance use.

**OLD BUSINESS** – PARC members wishing to contribute to the funding of the power bills for the Reliance and Murdo SDLink repeaters and have it matched by the PARC club funds should submit their donation by the end of the year.

- The jacket discussion continues: It was moved, seconded and approved that the club would pay for the setup costs of the jacket. Tam was authorized to negotiate prices for the jackets. Royal Blue was selected as the jacket color. Those wishing to purchase a jacket must place their order by the December club meeting. Depending on how many are ordered the shipping and set-up fees may be waived.

**NEW BUSINESS** – We received word that Caleb Whiting, KDØIYJ, an 11 year old of Mission, SD has obtained his amateur license. The club has been requested to contact him and provide “Elmer” services to him. Jim, KDØS, kindly volunteered to contact him and see what can be done to help.

- The ELECTION OF OFFICERS will take place at the next meeting. A nominations committee consisting of KDØS, Jim Z, KCØWVF Jim Ward, and AAØLY Tam Gatje, was appointed. Anyone interested in serving as a PARC officer should contact one of these people immediately with your request to run. Other nominations will also be accepted at the meeting – be sure you are there to give your campaign speech. [Be sure you are at the next meeting – be there or be elected! Ed]

Meeting adjourned at 2026 hours.

Minutes recorded and submitted by AAØLY.