

Decatur County Amateur Radio Club - [decatrar.org](http://decatrar.org)  
2019 Meeting Minutes

January 14, 2019

Meeting called to order by President Lauralei, W4SLR.

Roll call:

W4LSR Lauralei

WB8FBG Rita

AD4WX David

KJ4YOI Charles

KB9UXY Anthony

KJ4TVS Ken

Nomination and voting for Officers kept the current slate.  
Ken made motion to accept the minutes. Seconded by Charles.

No Old Business.

New business: Winter Field Day end of January for those interested.

Next test sessions: March 18, May 20, July 15, Sept 16.

General FCC Test to be replaced on July 1.

Comment that the FCC currently closed during Federal Shutdown.

David to do presentation in February – Digital mode FT8.

March is Social Gathering month.

Joe ~~and David~~ to do Presentation in April. (Corrected In Feb minutes)

January Program on Contesting, with audience help, presented by Rita.  
Meeting Adjourned 8:39pm.

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February 11, 2019

Meeting called to order by Vice President Charles, KJ4YOI.

Roll call:

KI4UXT Teddy	WB8FBG Rita	AD4WX David
KJ4YOI Charles	KB9UXY Anthony	KJ4TVS Ken
Barbara J (associate member)		

January minutes corrected to show JOE doing presentation in April.

Old Business: No one worked Winter Field Day.

New business:

No meeting in March. Instead a social gathering at Mi Pueblito in Parsons at 6pm.  
We have the room for 3 hours.

Teddy presented the treasury report.

Teddy requested permission to pay State charter fee of \$20.00 before April 1.  
Ken KJ4TVS motioned to pay. Seconded by Anthony KB9UXY. Motion carried.

David to give previously collected dues to Teddy for deposit.

No new business.

David and Ken did slideshow presentation on FT8 digital.

Meeting adjourned at 8:21pm.

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April 8, 2019

Meeting called to order by Lauralei W4LSR.

Roll call:

KI4UXT Teddy	WB8FBG Rita	AD4WX David
KJ4YOI Charles	KB9UXY Anthony	KJ4TVS Ken
W4LSR Lauralei	AG4QC Joe	AK4WC Sue

Teddy KI4UXT presented the treasury report, motion to approve by Ken KJ4TVS, seconded by Joe AG4QC. Approved.

Old Business: Dinner venue will be changed, more discussion at the next meeting.

New business:

David AD4WX, VE Coordinator, mentioned issues with ARRL VEC. He will look into VE testing through W5YI.

David AD4WX plans to move the club website to a new hosting service later this month.

Reminder of Memphis Hamfest in Bartlett on Saturday March 13th.

Joe AG4QC did a presentation on changes from no power crystal sets to regenerative receivers. Demonstrated how the Morse code tone evolved. Joe will be bringing his 3D printer for a presentation at the May meeting.

Motion to adjourn by Charles KJ4YOI, seconded by Ken KJ4TYVS. Meeting closed at 9:12pm.