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SEAWAY VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB INC.

4672 O’Keefe Road

St. Andrews West, Ontario, K0C 2A0

Minutes of the General Meeting held at 7:00PM, January 27, 2021

Via RF Due to COVID -19

**Present**

**Members attended this meeting: 18 members : Larry Giguere, President (VA3RSQ), Doug Pearson, Vice President (VE3HTR), Elizabeth Halliwell, Treasurer (VE3EZH), Chris Lauzon, Secretary (VA3CRR), Ed Halliwell (VE3EAH), Murray MacDonnell (VE3XLJ), Art Horovitch (VE3AIH), Suzan Horovitch (VE3EXN), Joseph Tondreau (VA3JHT), Rick Palmer (VA3EV), Tom Todd (VA3KD), Dean Brush (VA3BS), Stan Fortune (VA3JSF), Andre Richer (VA3RDI), Gilbert Boudreault (VE3CFS), Jim Richardson (VE3AFV), Roger Belanger (VA3GBV), David Bernard (VE3JLV)**

**Opening**

**SVARC President Larry Giguere called meeting to order at 7:00 PM.**

**Old Business**

**Review and approval of the minutes from our previous Meeting of November 25, 2020; The Minutes were read by Chris. Motion to approve by Larry and seconded by Dean, carried.**

**Reports**

**Treasurer’s Report:**

**Elizabeth reported there was no change from the previous month.**

**Monday Night Net:**

**Tom reported for the Month of November we had 78 check in’s on VE3SVC, 77 on VE3PGC and 26 on DMR for a total of 181. December, we had 58 check in’s on VE3SVC, 60 on VE3PGC and 24 on DMR for a total of 142.**

**Newsletter Report :**

**Murray is pleased with the submissions he is receiving for the newsletter. Keep sending things in.**

**Technical Report:**

**Doug stated the 220 MHz repeater is back on the air at three times the power. An identifier still needs to be added. Not many frequencies available for VE3VSW, the old frequency for VE3PGC is still available.**

**ARES Report:**

**Earle was not available.**

**Website update:**

**No change.**

**50/50 Draw :**

**No draw due to RF meeting.**

**New Business**

1. **Steve Harvey is looking to be an examiner, SVARC is willing to sponsor him.**
2. **Insurance certificates are in. Larry will circulate them to their respective recipients, as well as the club executive.**

**Presentation:**

**None due to COVID-19**

**Upcoming Events**

**TBD due to COVID-19**

**Meeting Adjourned:**

**Motioned by Larry at 7:17 PM**

**Next meeting:**

**To be held February 24, 2021 on VE3PGC at 7:00 PM.Minutes recorded by Chris Lauzon (VA3CRR)**