

19 June 2023

FIARC Meeting Minutes – 27 May 2023

Attendees:

N7NW – Hal Goodell	K7CRZ – Jeff Ferguson	KJ7RVR – Jane Tollett
K1GCF – Gail Ferguson	KI7ZTW – Steve Soares	K7ND – Jim Christianson
AC7QN – Chuck Kemmer		

Thank you to **Gail Ferguson K1GCF** for providing the delicious cookies for the meeting.

1. There were no minutes from the 27 May 2023 meeting.

2. Updates from Hal Goodell N7NW, President

- FICRA Fair is August 12, and the electrical outlet near the FIARC table has been fixed.
- June 24 will be a busy day with the ARRL Field Day(see links below for Mike & Key and Tacoma Radio Club Field Days), FIARC Summer Solstice Celebration, and our next meeting(see below)
<https://www.mikeandkey.org/fday.php>
https://w7dk.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&id=28&Itemid=106
<https://foxislandficra.org/2023/06/07/summer-solstice-celebration/>
- If anyone is interested (sorry the notes are late) in putting on an HF and/or GOTA table at the Solstice Celebration let Hal know.
- Hal has been working DX globally with 15 meters.

3. Updates from Jane Tollett KJ7RVR, Secretary

- Webpage revitalization is proceeding slowly. We discussed a few good ones out there:
<https://www.canterwood.org/eppc/>
<https://piercecountyares.net/>

4. Next Meeting - Fox Hunt Practice – important next steps!!

- Next meeting will be Saturday 6/24 and will be at the Nichols Center.
- PLEASE BRING YOUR YAGI ANTENNA AND YOUR HANDHELD. Chuck Kemmer AC7QN will check the antennas to make sure they are properly tuned to transmit. We will then walk around testing them.
- BULK OF THE MEETING WILL BE OUTDOORS – THE WEATHER LOOKS TO BE RELATIVELY GOOD. We will find a place to practice away from the Solstice Celebrations.

Respectfully Submitted,

JANE

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