## **OUARC (W5TC) Meeting Minutes**

2 May 2008, 3:30 p.m.

Meeting held at National Weather Center, Room 5600, Norman

#### Reminders:

- Our next meeting will be 7:00 p.m. Thurs., 5 June 2008, location TBD.
- Next SCARS meeting will be 9:30 a.m., Sat., 10 May 2008 @ F.S. #7
- Next CORA meeting will be 1:00 p.m., Sat. 3 May 2008 @ Salvation Army.

## Meeting Minutes:

In attendance: Robin T., Somer E., Chris P., Dan D.

#### Old Business:

- The Wal-Mart weather radio event was a great success with over 1,000 radios sold. The east Norman store had Robin T., Somer E., and Dan D.; the west Norman store had Chris P., Jerrod F., Chip L. stores. Thanks, everyone!
- Somer E. and Robin T. signed financial responsibility cards for the UOSA funds. Funds will be released on July 1<sup>st</sup>. (Robin T.)

# Committee reports:.

- Website committee: Nothing to report
- *Skywarn/StormReady committee:* MRC initial meeting will be held 7 p.m., May 22<sup>nd</sup> at F.S. #7 (Norman).
- Repeater committee: Chris P. reported that he contacted Mike S. (N5MS) regarding some adjustments that he and Jerrod F. wanted to make to the repeater.
- *Publicity committee:* Nothing to report.
- *Contesting chairperson:* Not present, but Chris P. reported Field Day status unchanged.

### New Business

- Robin T. agreed to design a logo for OUARC and present it at next month's meeting.
- David G. invited OUARC members to the Disaster Rodeo on 17 May 2008.
  (<a href="http://www.tulsapartners.org/Disaster\_Rodeo.asp">http://www.tulsapartners.org/Disaster\_Rodeo.asp</a>)
- Chris P. is to contact the OU Howdy Week chairperson to inform them of our interest in setting up a station on the South Oval to recruit students next fall.
- Robin T. expressed an interest in purchasing a set of the ARRL "ham radio manuals" for inclusion in the NWC Library collection (thus making them available to meteorology students). It was agreed that this should be pursued.
- **OUARC officers for 2008-2009:** Only one nomination was received for each category (although some of the nominations were duplicates), so those persons were elected by default. Congratulations!
  - o **President:** Robin T.
  - **Vice President:** Jerrod F.
  - o **Secretary:** Zac F.
  - o **Treasurer:** Somer E.

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.