

The Tulsa Amateur Radio Club met for the May session at the Red Shield Boys Club, in Tulsa, Oklahoma at 7:00 PM with president Charlie Kays presiding and the following officers present; Bill Moore, vice pres., Fritz Freeman, 2nd V. Pres and editor, Wayne Price, secretary, and Carrie Price, Treasurer.

Name and Call signs were given by all as introduction, with 20 members being present. The minutes of the April meeting were accepted as read. Treasurers report was approved and seconded.

Old business; Carrie Price reported that Club badges are experiencing some unforeseen delays while the company finds the correct dyes. When finished, the badges will cost approx. \$5.00. Charlie commented the club might want to have a table at Green Country Hamfest this year, and if so we could all chip in collectively and get one. Definatly will have 2 tables for the prizes, etc. There will be a final Hamfest meet the Thursday before hamfest weekend. The latest report from that committee is that all is coming together perfectly. They have learned that the Tulsa Fast Breakers are not going to need the Pavillion. The new face lift inside the Pavillion is completed and Merlin Griffin reported that the testing rooms have not yet been determined. Steve Williams spoke about our pre-registration, and to-date 197 had pre-reg'd and 54 tables were bought, and 42 dinners sold. Charlie commented that just rent alone on pavillion is \$800 per day x 2 days. He also needs more volunteers on the door taking tickets. Would like to have at least 3 ticket booths open on Sat. morning. North door will be strictly for pre-registers. Pete Mann - KF5RD says that American Airlines are all set to talk in any one needing directions. Merlin Griffin stated that the test sessions will be at 1:00 sat. afternoon and 7:30 Sunday morning. The Sat. session is for pre-registration folks only, no walk-ins, but walkin ok on Sun. There are several programs and forums, with the ARRL forum

beginning at 9:30 and our section manager will be there, N6CL. Next will be the ARES RACES program with Bennett Lasaur present, and they will discuss training of emergency coordinators. PSD will demo all about electricity and its myths & dangers. There'll be a microwave + Laser forum with Harry, W5UGO. Also be a Navy Mars Forum. Highlight will possibly be the intentional interference and direction finding forum, and a fox hunt following. Bill Goswick, our official observer will show and tell with some antennas. There will actually be 2 fox hunts, one easy, and one challenging. All are encouraged to show up for the fun. Charlie commented that we are constantly building a good case on our local jammers. It's something that takes time and patience. However, the FCC is in the area now on some CB and commercial complaints and we're hopeful that they may address our problems while here.

Ernie Buck stated the Radio-INC has the New '89-'90 repeater directories and also license test manuals. He reports that, as yet, nothing has been accomplished on our club flags.

Larry CRUTCHER, our field day chairman asked for volunteers and equipment. We need to purchase pop & chips. He said that portable power and a tower will be available. He has contacted the corps of engineers and secured our regular site on "reservoir hill", and says that he could really use a helper to aid in coordinating things. Wishes all good fun and much success on field day. Larry then presented a film, titled, "Field Day Fever." With no further business before the club it was moved and seconded to adjourn; meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

F. Wayne Price N5NMB

Secretary