
**ATIKOKAN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
MEETING MINUTES
10 JANUARY 2011**

Note: these minutes have not yet been approved by the membership.

Meeting convened at 7:30 pm in the AEDC Training Room.

Present: Warren VE3FYN, Calvin VA3CDH, Margaret VE3OWL, Paul VA3JSV, Erik VE3ENL, Chris & Nick Ladouceur, Cliff Pointer

1. Minutes from 29 November 2010 were reviewed:
 - a. Correction to VA3CDH's callsign in the minutes was noted.
 - b. VE3FYN re-iterated the offer for someone to take over the ARES EC position.
 - c. Weekly nets have been ongoing with moderate participation.
 - d. Antenna project was quite successful, with most participants completing well-tuned portable antennas.
 - e. The VA3EOA station is back up and running, save for an Internet connection, which is in progress.

2. VE3FYN reported on the status of club stations:
 - a. VE3RIB is fully operational, including APRS digipeater.
 - b. IRLP system is fully operational, except for a mild hum at the far end of the link, caused by a ground loop. VE3FYN is working on the problem.
 - c. VE3UPP repeater is down as a result of a request by Environment Canada, and so the link is temporarily unavailable.
 - d. VA3EOA station is now operational on VHF and HF. VE3FYN is working on establishing an Internet connection for IRLP/APRS/WinLink purposes.

3. VE3FYN reported on the status of upcoming projects.
 - a. Establishing a repeater at Huronian is in the works. A draft budget (equipment list, really) is attached.

4. No new business was raised.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.