

**Stamford Amateur Radio Association
Meeting of the Board of Directors
March 21, 2019**

This month's meeting of the Board of Directors of the Stamford Amateur Radio Association was called to order at 8:00 pm on this date at the home of Ernest Laug, KA1NGG.

Present:

Steve Urso, KB1YLQ, President
Jon Shapiro, AB1HI, Vice President
Terry Martin, K1FL, Treasurer
Terry Papazidis, WA1JBO, Secretary
John Sabini, WB1GRB, Webmaster
Fred Cunningham, K1FC, Program Director
Ernest Laug, KA1NGG, Director at Large
Chester Piorkowski, N1CHD, Director at Large

Treasurer's Report

With the recent sale of club equipment and ongoing club dues receipts our account balance stands at \$7630.00.

VE Testing

The Saturday March 16th testing session had three candidates attend and all successfully secured an FCC license.

Other Items

John Sabini will look into adding some old club photos to our web site.

Steve Urso and Terry Martin reported that they attended a spirited meeting with representatives of GNARC in regards to joining forces for this year's Field Day. The SARA board discussed the pros and cons of such a collaboration and unanimously voted to forgo this opportunity and continue to pursue alternative Field Day locations.

April's club presentation will be Jon Shapiro's thoughts on building a magnetic loop antennae.

May's tentatively on lightning protection and June's will be Field Day preparations.

March 25, 2019 May's lightning protection presentation has been moved up to the April 4th club Meeting.

