



## SCARS

South Canadian Amateur Radio  
Society  
May 8, 2004

The May meeting of SCARS was called to order by Pres. Bill, KD5DOB with 28 members and guests in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Treas. Jeff, KT5OK gave the treasurers report and we have \$xxxx.xx in the bank. There was no Repeater report but it appears that all is ok for now.

C.O.R.A.: Ken, N5KUK reported he will be going to the CORA meeting today and that he had PreRegistration tickets for Ham Holliday for sale at \$7.00 ea. I believe he sold quite a few.

VE Testing: The VE Team tested 2 individuals this morning. One upgraded from Adv. to Extra and the other passed the General written with the 5wpm code yet to be completed.

Nets: Our 2M and 10M nets are going well, with 6-8 checkins on the 10M net and 15-20+ on the 2M ARES net not uncommon.

New Equipment: Bill, KD5DOB set up the 20M Anttron rotatable dipole that K&E Electronics donated to the club. This served us quite well at the 89'r Day Special Event. We had 60 contacts and worked 27 different states and one Canadian province

Dan, KD5JPR reported on a Wx Radio he had purchased. \$42 plus shipping and Jack K5JVS reported he has a HTX-202 talkie for sale and a Kenwood 450S HF rig. (Nice one) Don, WA5TAW is looking for a good VHF mobil rig.

Field Day: We'll be operating 3A this year at Reaves Park. One rig each devoted to SSB, CW and Data. Our 2 main bands will be 40 M and 20 M.

We are hoping for a lot of participation from all. This is a great time for those that don't have HF privileges or don't have a station at home to "get their feet wet" on HF. We will try to have 2 people working together. One making the contacts and the other logging. Since we'll be on the air for 24 hours, there is surely a time you can sit in. Don't forget the cook out Saturday at 6PM either.

City Activities: David, KD5ZLG encouraged SCARS to continue to make the most of our presence with the City of Norman, Red Cross and etc.

The meeting was adjourned.

73 de N5UMH  
Bill

Secretary