

MINUTES OF THE APRIL 2017 SMARC MEETING

The Smoky Mountain Amateur Radio Club met at 7:00 PM, 04/24/17 at the USW Union Hall SMARC president Kurt, KC4NX Presiding

32 members and 6 visitors attended the annual SMARC hot dog supper and parking lot tail gate meeting.

Lou, WB3JKQ was visiting SMARC and invited members to purchase tickets for the upcoming RACK Hamfest which will be held June 17th at the Kerbela Shriner Temple in Knoxville.

There was no regular meeting, those in attendance participated in enjoying eyeball QSO's while the hot dog supper was being prepared and checking parking lot tailgate flea market where many bargains were to be had by members and visitors bringing radio and electronic items to sell or trade.

A grilled "Hot Dog" supper was enjoyed by all with the club providing grilled hot dogs, chili two kinds of baked beans, chips, slaw and drinks of bottled water or soft drinks. Bobby, K4VE brought two trays of deviled eggs. Other SMARC members brought cakes, cookies and other "goodies" for dessert. Many members and visitors continued with "eyeball" QSO's after enjoying the food and drinks.

The 50/50 prize drawing was not held this month.

The meeting closed at 8:30 PM