

# M c A R C S

Mendocino County Amateur Radio Communication Service

Thursday, July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015 ~ 1800

Minutes

**Present:** Nick KI6RIT, Mike KC6MGM, Marcella KI6MJC, Jim W6JRC, Tim WB9NJS, Steve KJ6EIF (via radio), John KJ6IBP

## Reports

- Website
  - Updated Nets section with new Laytonville net time, updated PDF version
- Treasury
  - Reimbursement amount for Field Day food expenses - \$123
    - Balance after reimbursement is \$466.31
  - Tim will look into getting a checking account set up; we didn't need one earlier in the year but now with donations and expenses occurring, it would be a good time to set one up.

## Items of Discussion

- Field Day
  - 109 total contacts among 32 states and 2 provinces
  - 3 antennas and radios
  - Visits and interviews with Willits Weekly and Willits News reporters
  - No visits from elected officials this year
- Harvest Ride
  - Liz Elmore contacted Marcella, no info on rider amounts or route changes so far
  - Nick will set up a Google Forms sign-up form, but will not be available for the event
- Meeting with Tami @ OES / Office reorganization
  - No date pinned down, it will likely not be on a normal meeting day
  - Separate/informal meeting, anyone that is interested can show up
  - Discussions about backup/alternate setups in case the linked repeater system goes down (mobile crossbanding, etc)

**The next meetings are scheduled as follows**

**August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2015 (on-air)**

**September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015 (on-site)**

<http://mcarcs.org/>

