

Lower Columbia Amateur Radio Association

Notes of the Activity Meeting of June 10th 2015.

Digital Night

Carl Grey, K7ECW, welcomed everyone to the meeting.

1. The V E's will put on a license test this Saturday at 10:00am here. 5 or 6 people are to come for testing.
2. Plan to work on the club house door in two weeks.

Stephen Andrews, K7KO, has presentations about several technical things that we may or may not need.

Iron Key is a thumb drive that is in a stainless steel cast and is used by the Defense Department for security and is potted for one person to operate. It is set up to operate for one person when they log into it. You would have a password to get into it and it keeps passwords to to your other accounts and files you want to keep secure. It has Firefox 24 built into. For a thumb drive with 4GB it may cost about \$37.00 on line.

Steve showed a video of Boston Dynamics about robots that look like a deer or horse. They walk up and down grades and steps also.

Showed another video of WG0AT doing a SOTA (summit on the air) from a peak in Colo at 1300' elevation. He was using an Elecraft KX3 to transmit with. He uses goats to pack his equipment up the hills.

Next he showed the antenna farm of K3LR, Kim Duffy, in PA. Using a drone to fly camera around the acres of antennas and towers.

Ended at 8:03pm

Attendance: 21

Respectfully submitted by:

Rick Ouzts, WA7NWN, Secretary.