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From The Presidents Desk

The CARS general meeting for the month of October, on the 19th, is a important meeting. All members are encouraged to come to the meeting to determine how the club will operate for the year 2001.

September was the Calaveras Amateur Radio Society dues deadline month. Please send in your dues for the year 2000. Because of the omission in the September news letter, the roster will not be updated until the last week in October. I have to apologize for not having this in the September news letter. Thank You.

Ed, K0YOG

Minutes of the September 21st meeting.

The meeting was called to order 1910 hr.

There was no August meeting, and no minutes to be covered.

Treasurers report by Lynn Bartcshi, AC6CY.

Total cash = \$985.88

Total cash contains the Repeater fund which is \$221.72

There was a discussion on the participation of local (Calaveras County) club members in the meetings, and the total membership in the Monday night net. There is not a sufficient number of local members willing to take leadership rolls to provide an active pool of members so that the club will be able to have a rotation of officers in the yearly elections. This makes it impossible to find a yearly rotation of officers without repeats. When there are repeats it makes that person question his/her ability to make things interesting, because all officers want to do their best.

The six members present at the September meeting came up with the following possibilities to keep the

club in limited operation, if new officers are not forthcoming. Their suggestions will be considered at the October meeting.

Maintain the club (Calaveras Amateur Radio Society) in a partially inactive status. The club can be fully activated again when there is sufficient interest to make it workable. The beginning of this possible change will be January first of the year 2001.

The activities that will be maintained are:

The first Saturday of the month breakfast.
Quarterly meetings held after the monthly breakfast.

The present board members will be required to keep all club property accountable.

CARS members repeater phone patches will be maintained, and published in the news letter.

The news letter will be published as required.

The year 2000 officers will continue to operate the club on a limited basis such as maintaining treasury, etc.

The club membership roster that will be maintained, and published when required.

The above items are not fixed and can be changed, or modified at the October 19th meeting. At the October meeting if there are members present that are willing to take the officers positions then the club can continue without any changes.

There is one important item that must be noted. The club is independent of the repeater, and the proposed reduced activity level of the club will not effect the operation of the repeater.

The meeting was adjourned at 2030 hr.

Respectfully submitted by Ed., K0YOG for Marcia Barnum, KF6REW, Secretary

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