

**LAKE WALES RADIO AMATEURS**  
**REGULAR MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**  
**FEBRUARY 8, 2024**

1. A regular membership meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by the Vice President, Dan Haslam, W5DBH. The meeting location was at Lake Wales Fire Department Station 1, 253 W. Central Av., Lake Wales.
2. Three club officers were present with a total of 29 persons in attendance (6 on zoom).
3. Dan Haslam, W5DBH, Club Vice President welcomed everyone and conducted roll call.

**OLD BUSINESS**

4. Gary Bishop, K4GHB, Club Treasurer presented the Treasurer Report.
5. VE Team Report was made by John Thacker, KU8Q. 4 persons registered to test; 3 actually tested. 1 passed Technician and 1 passed Technician and General.
6. Gene Smith, WH6DNF, Club Secretary read the January minutes. Minutes approved as read.
7. QRP Report was made by Don Sherwood, KN4WGD. January QRP was an emergency communications exercise using WINLINK at Lake Shipp park. February QRP will be at Crystal Lake Park. Details to follow. Solicited input for future QRP/Tailgate Tech ideas.

**NEW BUSINESS**

8. None.
9. Presentation and Q & A on connectors given by Dan Haslam, W5DBH, Club Vice President.
10. Meeting Adjourned at 7:50 PM.

Submitted By:

Approved 11 April 2024

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Eugene Smith, Secretary