



WAARC October 8, 2024 meeting minutes

The October meeting was a special meeting held in-person at the JCC Bruton Fire Station. No formal business took place. Instead, tables were set around the room for topics with a member offering information on the topic at each table. The entire evening was dedicated to this “Show and Tell” format. There was lots of conversation at each table with everyone enjoying adding their own experiences on each topic.

A Zoom session was available and active but not monitored. This was open to members that were not able to attend the special format meeting to be able to enjoy conversations among themselves.

Chris, KC4CMR, had a few ARES related raffle prizes for lucky attendees.

Here is a list of the table/topics:

Digital modes and Hot Spots	Jack KY4EA and David KQ4DCO
ARES	Chris KC4CMR
Community Events	Chris KC4CMR
Kit Building	Dave AJ4XV
Logbook of the World	Dan WG4F
Boat Anchors	Kerry NH2A
Becoming a VE	Kerry NH2A
Satellites	Steve KO4ENU
Balloon tracking	Steve KO4ENU
POTA/SOTA	Will K4MI
Contesting	Will K4MI
Microwave operations	Dave N4MW
FT4/FT8	Jerome K8LF
QRP (low power) Operations	Jerome K8LF

Our regular format meeting will return in November and will be both on ZOOM and in person at the Bruton Fire Station.

Respectfully submitted, Dan, WG4F. Please send any corrections or additions to me.