



Cowlitz County Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) Minutes of Monthly Meeting Wednesday 5 May 2021

Call to Order: 1900

Officers Report

President: Carl (K7ECW):	None
Vice Pres: Ray (KC7MRM):	Absent
Secretary: Jeff (KJ6ETR):	None
Treasurer: Ralph (N2RJR):	No expenditures
Trustee: Randy (NU7D):	Renewed with Secretary of State online.

Attendance

Butch (AE7KJ), Carl (K7ECW), Connie (KB7AYY), Earl (N3EG), Ed (K7WCT), Jeff (KJ6ETR), John (KI7BXF), Leonard (KA7HZF), Matt (K7BBJ), Ralph (N2RJR), Randy (NU7D), Steve (KN7SLR), Stuart (K7WF), Terry (KB7IFR)

Old Business

April minutes approved.
Immunizations started on the 11th. Went smoothly.

New Business

Single Sunday immunizations continue at the Fairgrounds. Two Sundays left: May 9th and 16th. We appreciate the assistance from CAP and SAR out of Vancouver area.

Tour de Blast: Only 8 people signed up. Cut off May 20th. Need to get head count and shirt sizes to the organizers. Note: We do not provide first aid or rides. We can carry and hand out stuff. Our primary duty is communications. More details to follow.

UAS activities should pick up as COVID restrictions relax.

Commodity flow study update: Change the March schedule from 8 to 12, April 12 to 4, May 4 to 8. Three 4 hour sessions. vs. 6 hour sessions. Reading the placards is difficult. In one session Randy and Connie read 7 placards and didn't miss any.

Cascadia Rising: No funding, difficult to get paid people to participate. State Guard is participating. Discussed image transmittal without internet or cell service.

Civil Air Patrol exercise May 22nd. More based at Pearson Airfield. Photography training. We probably won't be asked to assist.

5th Saturday of the month comm exercise. May 29th, Memorial Day weekend. Washington state has a flood scenario, or we can create our own if we have the people available.

Randy asked for input to the ham weekly activities email.

Ralph has been posting HF contesting.

Adjourned: 1936

Respectfully submitted,
Jeff (KJ6ETR)
Secretary

