

Marty Fitzgerald, W5MF – Club Vice-President

Accomplishments:

1. Assisted President to increasing membership to a total of 159 (30%) members by actively pursuing new members.
2. Provided direction to the Field Day coordinator for a successful 2019 Field Day. CW Captain.
3. Conducted 'Basics of DMR' training classes.
4. Technical team leader to manage all club repeaters.
 - a. Replaced dead repeater in the Southwest area, bringing new life to the NARS repeater. 146.66 tone 141.3
 - b. Installed VHF test repeater Northwest. 146.66 tone 100.0.
 - c. Established Echo Link capability, to help with weekly NARS net.
 - d. Setup and test Arcom RC-210 advanced repeater controller, which will be installed when a site becomes available.
 - e. Setup and test Multi-mode repeater (Analog, DMR, D-Star, Fusion), to be installed when site becomes available
5. Assist President in generating a "NARS Mission Statement"
6. Reestablished "Ham of the Year Award" presented at annual awards banquet, a long tradition of NARS.
7. Host the annual NARS Banquet
8. Bring meaningful monthly presentations to the membership.
9. As administrator, I have the responsibility to
 - a. update records in the NARS database.
 - b. Welcome new members.
 - c. Remind members when dues are due.
 - d. Help the Treasurer with bank deposit and PayPal transfers.
 - e. Pick up NARS mail and maintain post office box.

10. Advise and consult with the President and board members to help make our club a fun and informative amateur radio club that assists current and future amateur radio operators to remain active and interested.

I have been an Amateur Radio operator since 1963. I learn something new every day and try to pass some of that knowledge on to membership. I promised the founding fathers of this club like, W5SB, KA5AKG, KD5KR and K5ZTY that when I retired I would carry their torch forward and keep it burning brightly. Hopefully I have accomplished that and will continue it in to a new term. There is much work left to be done, especially with our repeaters. Hopefully, I can count on your vote.

THANK YOU,
Marty