Northeast Wisconsin DX Association (NEWDXA) Minutes February 1, 2025

Our meeting started out with John K9EL's presentation about ClubLog – a free DXing database that allows you to analyze your log, view statistics for DX stations, track your progress in the Leagues Tables and much, much more. Mike N9UA remarked that the Personal DXCC Charts is much more useful than LOTW. You can view DXpedition action in real time using the Livestreams tab and easily request QSL confirmation/cards through OQRS.

The meeting was called to order at 10:50 a.m. by President Bob Ronk W9AP with 16 members and 1 guest (speaker) present.

Minutes from the November meeting were approved as read.

Treasurers Report

Jim K8IR's treasurer's report showed a current balance of \$ 4,824.99, including the matching fund donations. Those donors were recognized and include:

Tom Thomson W9CHP

Mike Ortlieb KN9P

Ed Douglass AA9OZ

Mike Lawrence N9UA

Fred Neuenfeldt W6BSF

Lawence Schulman K9IQ

Bob Gedemer KA9JAC

Dwight Bosselman NS9I

Robert Ronk W9AP

Thomas Prust N9WI

Thomas Butler KA9TVT

Craig Taylor W9OD

Damien Schumacher AG9P

Cynthia Patterson- Schumacher AA9VV

Donations totaled \$ 1,350.00 – special thanks to all who participated.

We received a partial donation from CB0ZA, which had a surplus of funds.

Secretary/Membership Report

Anne KC9YL suggested that we utilize groups.io as a way for members to interact and notify each other of 'late breaking' news. She will set it up and send out a separate email with more information. Dues have been updated on the website and you can now check more easily using the "Membership" tab at the top of the home page. Welcome new member #134 George Levar NQ9N.

Dxpedition report:

Start Date	End Date	Prefix/call	Country
Now	8-Feb	8R1TM	GUYANA
Now	1-Mar	J52EC	GUINEA BISSAU
NOW	15-Feb	9X2AW	RWANDA
NOW	20-Feb	TZ1CE	MALI
NOW	8-Feb	5N9DTG	NIGERIA
NOW	6-Feb	9G5IK	GHANA
NOW	28-Feb	6W7	SENEGAL
NOW	15-May	KH9	WAKE ISLAND
NOW	20-Feb	S79/VE3BRU	SEYCHELLES
NOW	28-Feb	KH7AL/KH9	WAKE ISLAND
Now	1-Mar	VK9N	NORFOLK ISLAND
NOW	1-Apr	TY5C	BENIN
NOW	1-Apr	V31DJ	BELIZE
NOW	20-Feb	TZ1CE	MALI
NOW		SU9VB	EGYPT
NOW	MID 2025	7P8AB & NB	LESOTHO
2-Feb	10-Feb	6W7/ON4AVT	SENEGAL
4-Feb	14-Feb	5V0DX	TOGO
6-Feb	15-Feb	ZD7KYD	ST HELENA
6-Feb	18-Feb	D44OA	CAPE VERDE
11-Feb	23-Feb	V73MW	MARSHALL ISLAND
11-Feb	4-Mar	VK9XU	CHRISTMAS ISLAND
4-Mar	12-Mar	VK9CU	COCOS KEELING
15-Feb		AU2R	SACRIFICE ROCK
4-Mar	25-Mar	VU4X	ANDAMAN ISLAND
10-Mar	1-Apr	V6WG	MICRONESIA
18-Mar	5-Apr	3B9DJ	RODRIGUES ISLAND
24-Mar	1-Apr	ZC4MK	CYPRUS SBA
3-Apr	10-Apr	8Q7EF	MALDIVES
25-Apr	7-May	TX9A	AUSTRAL ISLAND
9-Apr	15-Apr	TX7XG	FRENCH POLYNESIA
18-Apr	26-Apr	HD8G	GALAPAGOS
19-Apr	5-Feb	C5LT	GAMBIA
1-Jun	10-Jun	OY	FAROE ISLAND
JUN	JULY	E6SP	NIUE
15-Jun		ZK3ZK	TOKELAU
11-Jun	27-Jun	FO	FRENCH POLYNESIA
12-Sep	22-Sep	JW6VDA	SVALBARD
20-Oct	7-Nov	FW5K	WALLIS & FUTUNA
OCT	NOV	PYOS	ST PETER & PAUL ROCKS

Skip, KE9L, recommended and the club agreed to donate \$50.00 to AU2R Scarface Rock.

Total DXpedition donations for 2025 AU2R – Sacrifice Rock - \$ 50.00

New business

Meeting dates were set for the remainder of 2025. Mike N9UA will check on the Bay Restaurant's availability.

April 12 September 6 November 1 (9:00 a.m.)

Bob W9AP asked if there would be interest in a club picnic when the weather warms up. He felt there was sufficient interest to pursue the idea. The board will meet via Zoom on February 19.

Contest Report

Mike N9UA the ARRL DX CW is coming up on February 15/16 and the Phone Contest will be held on March 1/2.

The meeting adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Anne Dirkman KC9YL February 3, 2025