

# Overview of E-board Meeting

## I. Sickness / Health and Welfare

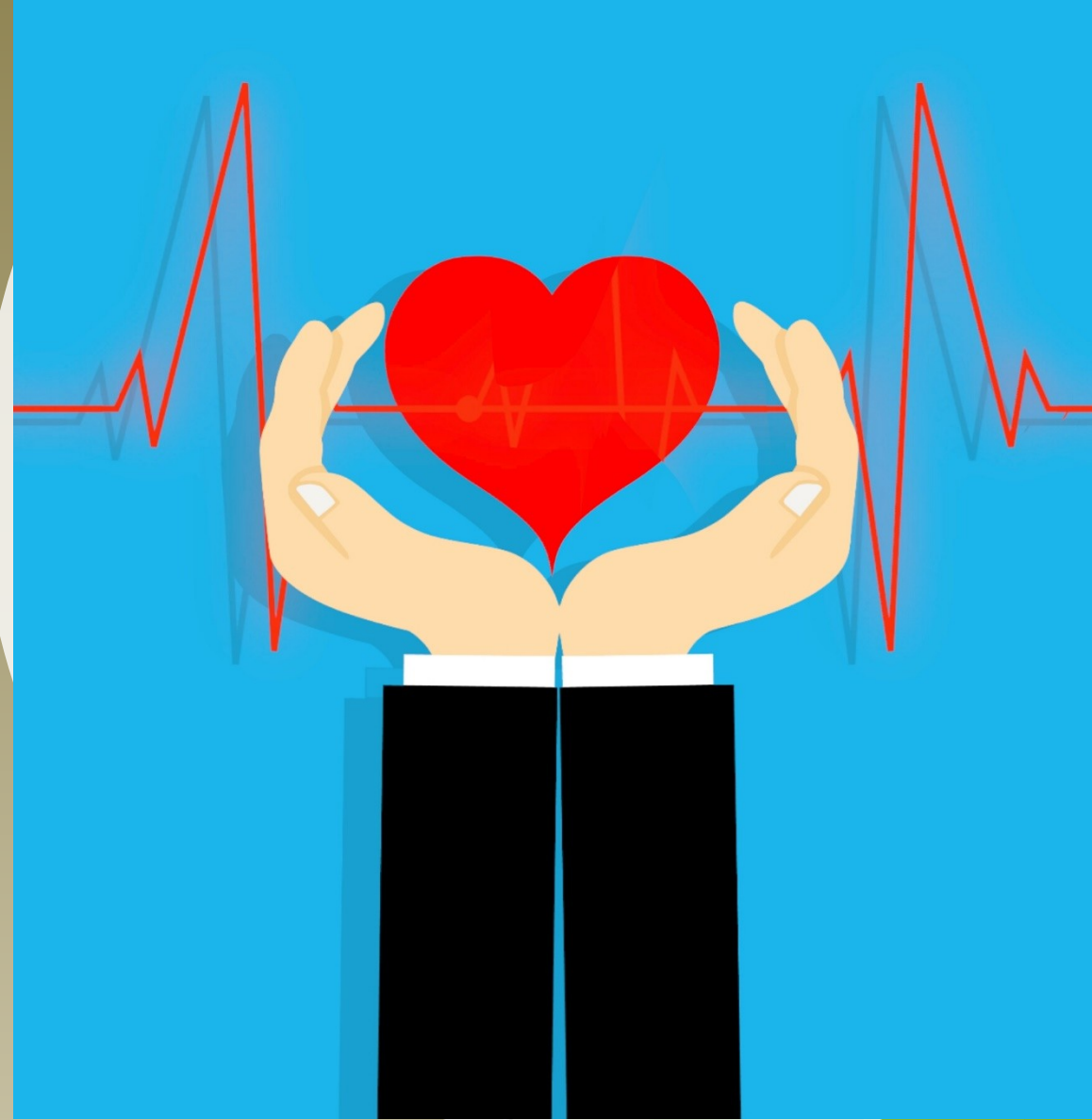
## II. OFFICER REPORTS: (6 Officers)

## III. GARS business

Date: Feb. 4, 2021					
Location: Zoom					
Attendance					
Yes/ No	Name	Yes/ No	Name	Yes/ No	Name
y	President – Vann Chesney AC4QS	y	Vice-President / Tech director Shannon Boal K4GLM	y	Treasurer – Peter Winters W4GHP
y	Secretary – Barry Nason KD0QIX	y	Member – Leon Couch K4GWQ	y	Webmaster Carol Chesney KG4FEX
y	Member – Larry RovakWB2SVB	y	Member – Terry Gordon K4TMG	o	Member – Gregory Sporer KM4OCZ

## Sickness and Health.

Charlie AMICO(W1CRB) -released  
from Shands ---2 wks prior with covid  
Middle sister of Pete's -  
Afib/pacemaker—other tests showed  
spot on lung—precancerous before  
pacemaker surgery....



# Officer Reports:

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- ▶ Secretary
  - ▶ Treasurer
  - ▶ VP& Repeater trustee
  - ▶ Webmaster
  - ▶ President
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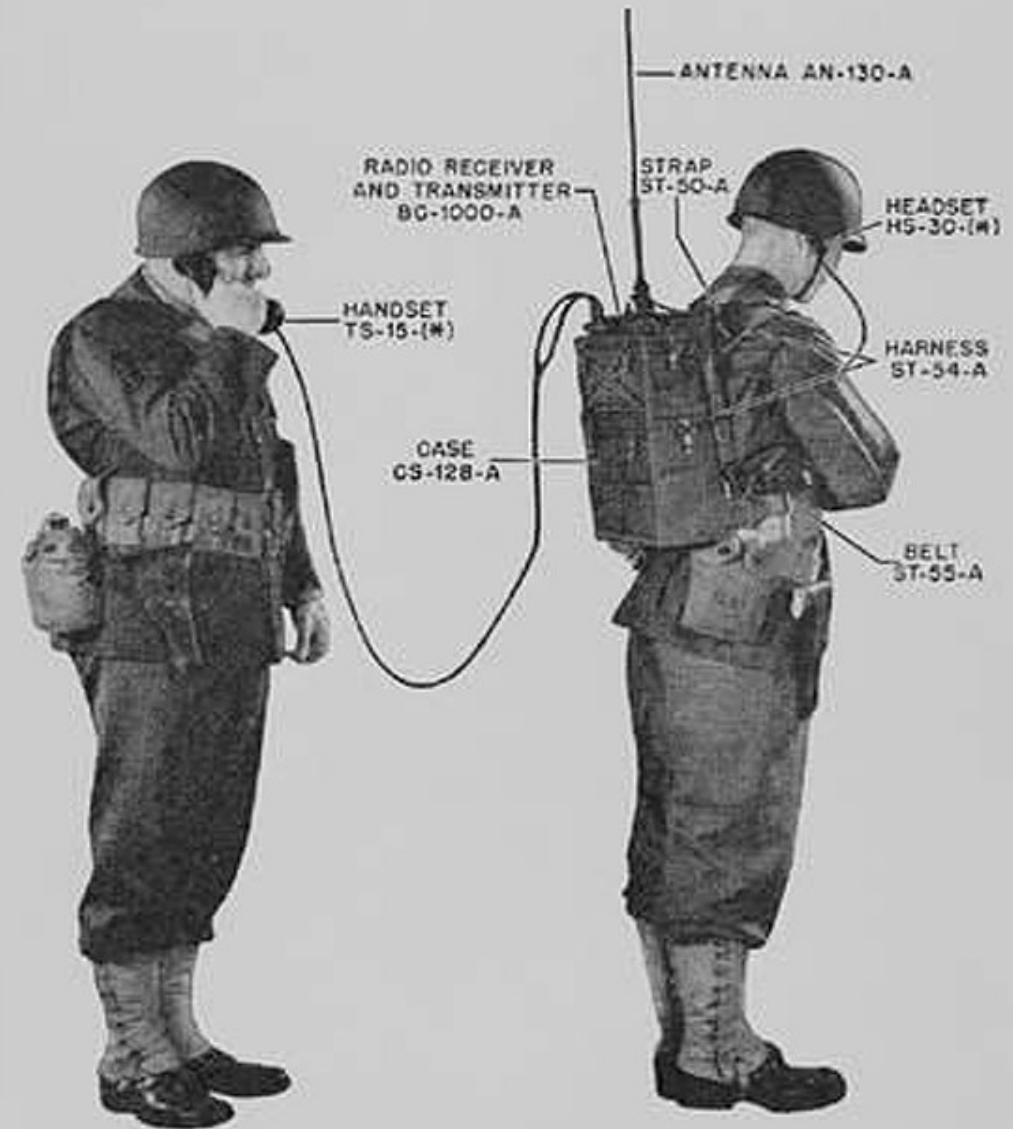


Figure 1. Radio Set SCR-300-A. In Use, Viewed From Right Side.

# Officer Reports: **GARS Secretary** **Barry Nason**

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Notes:  
nothing new

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# Officer Reports: Treasurer Pete Winters



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## Notes:

No real report.....things good otherwise/dues trickling in...

Stewart is traveling....Pete needs good email address

- Amazon info for rope and cleats

- Nuts and bolts

- Bill from SAMs---

- Send email to Pete with copies.....

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# Officer Reports: VP& Repeater trustee Shannon Boal

Notes:  
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Possibly need a new air conditioner....for the future...shuts when electricity flickers and need replacements...repeater power on/off from internet....only thing fed in is DSL

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# Officer Reports: **Webmaster**

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Notes: <http://gars.club>

Updated Contacts

Updated Calendar

Posted Jan. General Meeting Minutes

Vann-----update contacts/calendar

Meetings posted .....

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# Officer Reports: President Vann Chesney

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## Notes:

Imported GARS membership data into president email account contacts and setup groups to be able to contact GARS members via email.

Setup secretary email account for Barry.

Had Zoom meeting with Jeff about additional GARS Zoom meetings and created a poll. The collected poll data was sent to Jeff.

Met Pete at the credit union and signed up to access the club account.

Helped Carol with GARS website.

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# ARES: Jeff Capehart

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## Notes:

Meeting on Feb 10—Gordon will put out an agenda....simple antennas/raspberry pie stuff

[Weather.gov/JAX](http://Weather.gov/JAX)....16<sup>th</sup> March dates.....

News from the ARRL....reconsider using electronic balloting....

Not renewing contract with ARES connect....

(contract expires in June)

ARRL has issue with HQ email.....from

Shannon....contact section manager Kevin..in

QST/website

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Notes:

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Old Business

Larry will shut down logs....from Winter Field Day

# BUSINESS

Jan. General Meeting:

-Was the meeting too long? (How long should a meeting be?)

- 3 Speakers
- Seemed all right.../ maybe a little long...
- 8:30 cutoff....
- Cut off should be about 8:00

-Should there be a moment of silence? ...after sickness health/will add it in

-After meeting chat session? Keep it open for about 10-15 minutes...after

-How were the presentations?—presentations were okay...Terry's was excellent...

-Winter Field Day Report.

Autotuners had issue...

Some bolts were seized...

CW could not get out....a button 8 issue

Antenna wire...../Antenna on trailer reworked bolts etc...

2 different radios....working

Plenty of food.....

ALL Florida electric put permanent ropes on the light tower

Note to Kim about thank you.....

Work cabinet.....installed/access to roof...have an old repeater.....

Room setup for Testing by Alan all CDC stuff followed...



# BUSINESS

## New Business

Presentations for upcoming meetings? Gordon Gibby for the next meeting.....  
Possibly End Fed antennas.....for March meeting

Additional Zoom meetings and presentations.

---frequency more than once and no more than 4 (once a week....)

----ask for volunteers to do presentations.....of things of interest....

What can we do for new hams? -- some meeting with new hams to operate

Facebook?---Facebook page for GARS.....Debbie Boal(Administrator)/Susan(Moderator) were owners

----messages of People asking for info etc.....

----Should belong to officer ....monitor questions.....???

---volunteers from the club meeting to monitor facebook closely

----Debbie will continue.....

Email to club members – the importance of bcc vs. cc.

Meeting to adjourn/seconded....adjourned 8:22

