

## MARC Meeting November 5th 2025

Dennis N8ERF brought the meeting to order at 7:30 pm at the Salvation Army Building with 25 members present in person and via the internet. A sign-in sheet was passed around and introductions were made. Lee KC8ITI made a motion to approve October's minutes and the motion was seconded by Ric KD0RMK. Passed.

Treasurer's Report -John W8QN- Thank-you to all the club members who have renewed their dues.

Repeater Report- John W8QN- After two days of testing the M-20 repeater tower can now hit just about every place in the county. There is still more work to be done. John W8QN made a motion requesting \$100.00 to purchase parts needed for repairs to the repeater. Paul N8GEM seconded the motion. There was some discussion and then it passed.

A second motion was made by John W8QN to spend up to \$2250. 00 for equipment for the West Community Center repeater site. Discussion and then Doug N8NTN seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Christmas Party- Linda KC8MUD- Our Christmas party will be at the Red Oak Restaurant in Sanford on January 8<sup>th</sup> in 2026. Linda KC8MUD made a motion to move the meeting date from January 1<sup>st</sup> to January 8<sup>th</sup>. Lee KC8ITI seconded the motion. Motion passed.

School Club- Dennis N8ERF- The High School and the Middle School clubs are both doing well with students engaged in club activities and projects. New computers have been installed in the High School classroom.

Net Control- Ric KD0RMK- Ric sent a sign-up sheet around for the Thursday Night Net for Net Control. The script and instructions to be Net Control can be found on the Discord Web site or you can talk to Ric about how to be Net Control. Ric KD0RMK is also working on setting up a Sunday night 10 meter net.

Stuff- Lee KC8ITI- Lee brought several boxes of small equipment that belonged to silent key Bob Winchester W8LSS. Please feel free to take those items you would be interested in. Donations to the club are appreciated.

Saginaw Club- Mike KD8HMM- Their next meeting is 7:00pm Friday at the Harry Brown Airport. The topics are club elections and a presentation about repeaters. Also on November 21<sup>st</sup> the Saginaw club is hosting a Santa gram event at the Children's Zoo. Please contact Mike if you would like to help.

Presentation- Paul K8PLM- Paul's presentation is a refresher course about Standing Wave Ratios (SWR). Discussions about the presentation followed.

Larry N8CGP made a motion to adjourn the meeting.  
Max KE8DON seconded it.  
The meeting ended at 8:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda KC8MUD  
MARC Secretary