

PAC GENERAL MEETING MINUTES – June 6, 2018

The meeting was called to order by the Vice President at 6:30 PM at the Davis Learning Center at ERAU.

Four visitors were recognized to the meeting and approximately 35 members were in attendance.

Old Business

The club minutes for May were accepted as written and published in the club website.

The Treasury report was read with club income last month of \$262.50 and outflow of \$365 (for Astron. League dues and one honorarium). The checking account currently shows a balance of \$2455.09 and savings \$3002.14. The club has 72 currently paid members for 2018.

Director-at-Large & Committee Reports

Dennis Eaton provided details of our club picnic to be held September 8th at Watson Lake as well as our annual Holiday Party to be held December 12th from 5-8PM at the Bonn-Fire in Chino Valley.

Marilyn Unruh identified the monthly METASIG restaurant on June 13th at 5PM at Casa Perez in PV.

Pat Birck identified two Star Parties this month. The first will be the Grand Canyon SP from June 9th to 16th and the second at Pronghorn Park on June 23rd which will start at 5:30 for solar scopes.

New Business

The VP announced that the winning bidder for the club's 8 inch Celestron Nexstar was John Verderame. He also announced an invitation from the Green Bank, WV star party scheduled from July 11-14. There was an announcement from the Alliance Bible Church that will be hosting a Star Party on June 10th. The address is 2601 Iron Springs Rd. You need to be at the church by 7:30 to travel to the observation site.

Presentations

Joel Cohen presented a slide program on the clubs April tour of the Univ of AZ and Mt. Lemmon Observ.

Jack Crabtree gave a presentation on Amateur Radio Meteor Scatter Communications.

Ray Fobes of ERAU provided a tour of the Moon from the Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter.

David Viscio gave an overview of a private party sale of telescope and camera equipment. Interested parties should contact David.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:40 PM

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