

Minutes of April 2022 GMDXA Meeting

The April meeting of GMDXA, sponsored by Lyle Ten Pas WE9R was called to order by President Gary Sutcliffe W9XT at 1909. 14 members were in attendance.

Ron N9AU read the minutes of the March meeting and the current Treasurers report. Both were unanimously accepted.

DX Reports

MY CALL	Month	YEAR			
K9DJT	April	2022			
Call	Date	Time	Band	Mode	Notes
A92AA			17	FT8	ALL NEW BAND OR NEW MODE
VU2LBW			12	FT8	
9K2HN			12	FT8	
6Y5HN			17	FT8	
HB0/HB9LCW			15	CW	
HB0/HB9LCW			17	FT8	
JW0X			15,20	CW	
JW0X			17	FT8	
8Q7DX			15,20	CW	
8Q7PR			15	FT8	
VP2V/N2IEN			12	CW	
FM/DF8AN			12	FT8	
XT2MAX			12	FT8	
HS2AQG			12	FT8	
S79VU			17	SSB	
VK9DX			12	CW	
TA2NEH			17	FT8	
FR5DZ			10	FT8	
TX5N			10,17	FT8	
TX5N			10,12,15	CW	
TX5N			10	SSB	
ER5DX			12	FT8	
UR5EDX			12	FT8	
ES1WL			12	FT8	
SV1KYC			12	FT8	
ZA/IW2JOP			12	FT8	
GJ6WRI			12	FT8	

SM2SUM	12	FT8
9N7AA	15	F/H
A61ZX	12	FT8
7X2RF	10	FT8
OG2A	10	FT8
YS1RR	12	FT8
S01WS	10	FT8
N8ET/DU7	12	CW
EI2IP	12	FT8
HD8MD	12	FT8
5B4AAB	12	FT8
JY4CI	15	FT8
VP2EIH	10	FT8
OA1F	12	FT8

WB9TFF

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Call	Date	Time	Band	Mode	Notes
ST0HQ	5-Apr-22	0:08	20M	SSB	ATNO A NICE QSO! WAZ #40
HZ1CY	5-Apr-22	23:44	20M	SSB	NMC
VR2XYL	5-Apr-22	23:55	15M	FT8	ATNO
IR1WRTC	6-Apr-22	2:35	40M	FT8	NB NMC
XV1X	6-Apr-22	14:39	20M	FT8	ATNO
ST2NH	7-Apr-22	20:30	10M	FT8	ATNO
7X3WPL	7-Apr-22	20:46	10M	FT8	NBC
D2EB	7-Apr-22	23:35	30M	CW	ATNO
A61ZX	8-Apr-22	2:25	20M	FT8	ATNO
HL2DAA	21-Apr-22	0:01	12M	FT8	ATNO
TX5N	21-Apr-22	0:35	12M	SSB	ATNO

N9ATD Dan reports 4 new band countries on 10m (count is 86)

N9AU Ron reports working 17 new mode countries on DIGI

W9RN Apr 2022

Call	Date	Band	Mode	Notes
4S7AB	6-Apr	30	FT8	
8Q7DX	22-Apr	17	CW	NBC
9N7AA	6-Apr	15	FT8	
9N7AA	18-Apr	20	FT8	
A65DR	21-Apr	30	FT8	
ST2NH	18-Apr	20	FT8	NMC
VR2VGM	5-Apr	12	FT8	
TX5N	17-Apr	15	FT8	
TX5N	18-Apr	17	FT8	
TX5N	19-Apr	30	FT8	
TX5N	24-Apr	12	SSB	
TX5N	24-Apr	10	SSB	
TX5N	26-Apr	10	CW	
TX5N	27-Apr	15	SSB	
TX5N	27-Apr	17	SSB	
TX5N	27-Apr	40	SSB	

Committee Reports:

Packet cluster: Gary K9DJT reported the W9ODD cluster working OK.

WEB page: Gary, W9XT continues to add recent meeting minutes once approved by the membership.

Card checking: Ron, N9AU reported nothing new.

DX Committee: Al WA9BZW reported nothing new but Rudy NF9V reported that VU4 was to activate next month. It was decided to research this expedition group and, if warranted, make a proposal via GMDXA email to the membership.

Old Business:

Gary W9XT reported that he has secured a club table at HRO's Superfest in September.

New Business:

Jerry N9AW discussed his recent activity at re-starting a GMDXA Facebook page after a 12yr hiatus. He said it would be a private group with full verbiage but, initially, it will have public access. The site is intended for DX related information. Jerry has sent out email invites to all members. He indicated that he is currently the only administrator and is seeking a secondary administrator.

Announcements:

- Gary W9XT reminds all of the Ozaukee Radio Club swapfest on 30 April
- Gary K9DJT reported solving an RFI issue to the southeast of his home. He identified the defective hardware using VHF radio and directional antenna and notified WE energies who resolved the issue.
- Ron N9AU reported on upcoming meeting sponsors through the end of 2022 calendar year:

May W9VG

June N9AU

Sept N9ATD

Oct N9AW

Nov W9ROG

The DX raffle yielded twenty six dollars to the club treasury.

There being no further business, a motion for adjournment was made by Rick NK9G with a second by Dick W9TA. The meeting closed at 2002.

Ron Gorski N9AU Secy/Tres