## **QARC Meeting Minutes - November 18 1998**

**Executive Present:** 

President: Dave Ackerman: VE3UGT Vice President: Brian Credico VE3GRA
Treasurer: Don Dalrymple VE3DQN Secretary: Peter Hodgson VA3PKH

## General Meeting:

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President Dave VE3UGT

**Guest Speaker:** Dave VE3UGT introduced our guest speaker Bill Crabbe VE3CUK who spoke about his Trans Atlantic flight in a Cessna 172. Bill flew the 1335 nautical miles from Goose Bay accompanied by his brother during 1990. Extensive preparation and many short test flights were conducted to ensure the success of the flight.

**Old Business:** Brian VE3GRA reminded the members that the executive would still like to set up a "Ride to the Meeting" system for members who are unable to get out to Loyalist. If you are available to give a ride or need a ride please contact Brian.

Dave VE3UGT spoke about a club building project for the winter months, it is not necessary for everyone to build the same project. Please contact the executive before the New Year with your thoughts on possible projects.

Weekly Fox Hunts continue to be held starting at 2:00 p.m. from Ultra Mart on North Front Street.

Check in to the repeater between 1:00 p.m. & 2:00 p.m. to see if the hunt is on. Ron VE3IVC spoke about Operation Red Nose. Scott VE3HZZ, is co-ordinating communications for the operation using UHF radios provided by TAS. He is looking for volunteer radio operators to cover the hours of operation on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, nights. The QARC Christmas meeting will be held at the Northway on December 16th, please contact Don VE3DQN if you are planning to attend. Brian VE3GRA asked for any members who had not informed the executive of their Email address to please write it in the sign in book next to their name

## New Business.

The door prizes were won by VE3DQN Don and VE3NFE Norm. There was no fifty - fifty draw. There being no further business to conduct it was moved by Sid VE3EGO and seconded by Don VE3DQN that the meeting be adjourned 9:50 p.m..