## **CARC Meeting Notes – February 22, 2024**

President Larry called the February 22, 2024 meeting of the CARC to order at 7:31pm, in its assigned classroom of the White Plains UMC.

After a roll call, Larry announced that Tom Schwartz would be presenting a program on POTA ("Parks On The Air") planning, and then read the minutes of the January 25, 2024 CARC meeting, which were approved. They were followed by the Treasurer's Report by Gary Bann.

Larry announced that the Charlotte Hamfest would be held on March 8th and 9th, and asked if anyone would like him to purchase tickets for the upcoming RARSFest on April 6<sup>th</sup> at the NC State Fairgrounds.

Larry further notified the Club that the North Carolina QSO Party would occur on the coming weekend, Sunday, February 25th and the South Carolina QSO party would take place on Saturday February 24<sup>th</sup>.

After a short break, Tom Schwartz presented an excellent program on the preparation needed for participation in an ARRL "Parks On The Air" event. Subsequent meetings would result in an expedition to a nearby National Park, in which all members were invited to take part.

There being no further business, the February 22, 2024 meeting was adjourned.