St. Croix Valley Amateur Radio Club - December 2022 Secretaries Report

The Club's annual Christmas party was held on Saturday, December 3, 2022 at Fitzgerald's Pub/Restaurant. Over 15 people attended the event which featured good food and service and some great conversation.

Anne and Ken Carter had volunteered to serve as the nominating committee and to present a report at the Christmas party. Anne reported that the following individuals had agreed to be nominated for the positions indicated:

President: Roger Holst, W1LH/VE9XE

Vice President: Charlie Dix, W0AQ/VE9CQ

Vice President: Richard Smith, VE9HX

Treasurer: Rick McMillan, VE9MTB/W1MTB

Secretary: Maurry Mills, W1FWS

Elections will be held at the January 2023 meeting. Nominations for any of these positions will also be accepted from the floor at that time.

The only other business item was a proposal/motion by Ken Carter that the club make a \$100 donation to the Calais Veteran's Center in memory of Chaplain Major David Sivret, who passed away on November 23, 2022. In addition to his service to his country, Chaplain Sivret was important in creating and supporting many charitable causes including the Calais Food Pantry, Thrift Store, and Veterans Center.

The motion was seconded and unanimously approved. Rick will send a check for \$100 to the Calais Veteran's Center.

Members are reminded that annual dues for 2023 may be paid via PAYPAL, there is a link on the Club's web site. Dues are \$15/yr. for individuals and \$20/yr. for a family.

The next meeting of SVARC will be on January 15, 2023 at the Calais Veteran's Center starting at 5:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Maurry Mills, W1FWS, Secretary