

## National Capitol DX Association

### Meeting Minutes

The April 14, 2018 meeting of the National Capitol DX Association was held at the Dogfish Head Ale House in Gaithersburg, MD. The meeting was called to order at 13:08 by the President, Fred Laun, K3ZO. The following members were in attendance.

Name	Call	Member
Dick Maylott	W2YE	Yes
John Kanode	N4MM	Yes
Fred Laun	K3ZO	Yes
Phil Barsky	K3EW	Yes
Don Search	W3AZD	Yes
Hope Smith	WB3ANE	Yes
Terry Hines	N4ZH	Yes
Brian Gaffney	K3PU	Yes
Erinn Tordella	N3HSA	Yes
Jim Locke	W3NRJ	Yes
Rick Burich	K3YNY	No
Everett Bollin	WA3DVO	Yes

After self-introductions, the President presented Don, W3AZD with an award for perfect meeting attendance. The inscription on the plaque expressed the club's gratitude for his unbelievable and unparalleled attendance record. Don's picture is included at the end of the minutes.

**President's Report:** Fred first thanked Phil, K3EW for arranging the meeting. He then reported his personal accountant has been directed and paid to ensure the club's filings with the IRS and the Virginia Corporations Commission are completed annually. He also recognized Everett Bollin, WA3DVO. Everett last attended a meeting almost 15 years ago. Welcome back Everett.

**Secretary's Report:** The minutes from the February 2018 meeting were read and accepted.

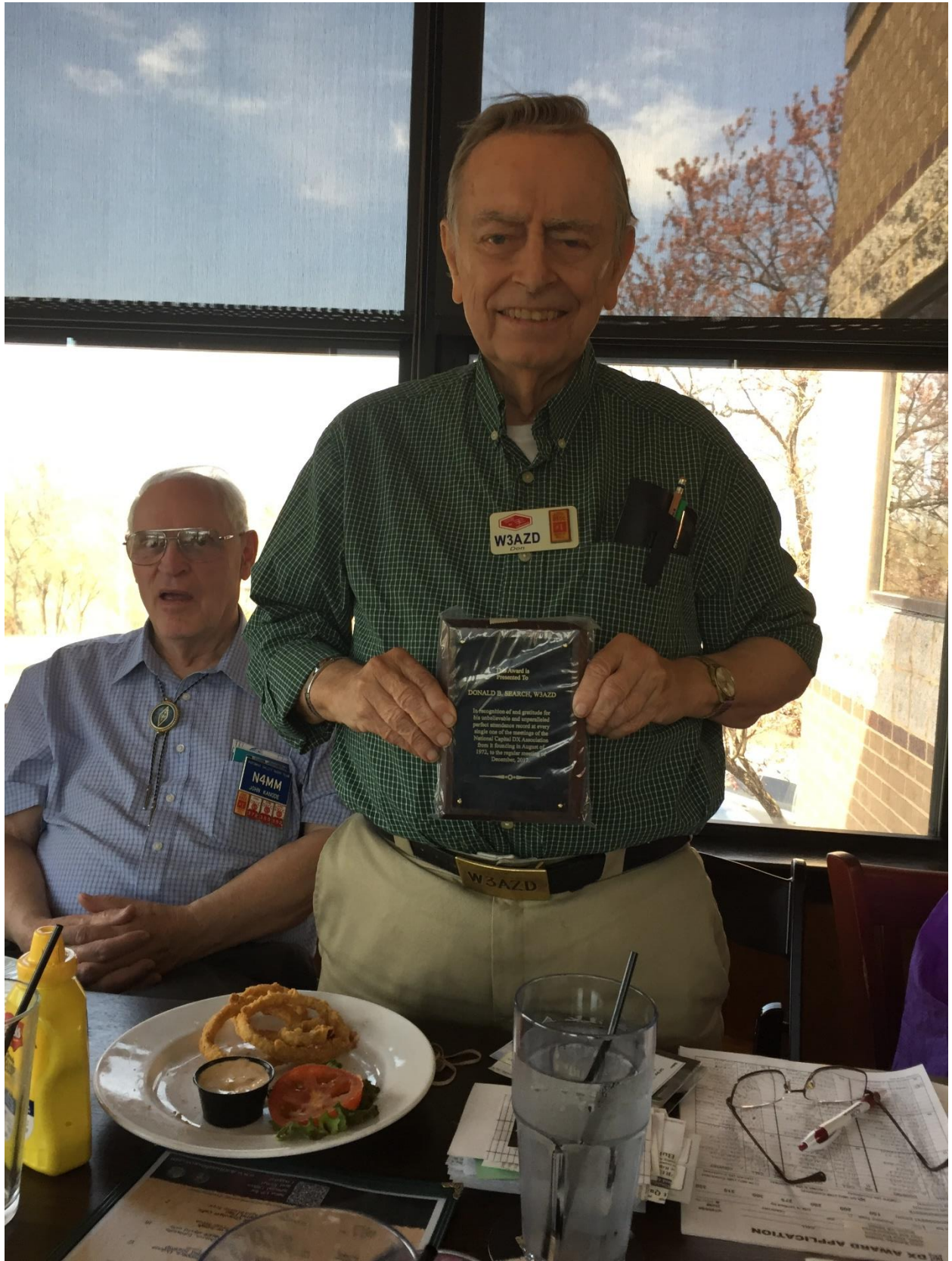
**Treasurer's Report:** The closing balance as of 31 March was \$3,375.17 and the report included the list of active dues paying members. The only transaction was a \$25 check paid to the W3 QSL Bureau. Phil reminded the members they can pay their dues on-line using Paypal.

**League Report:** John Kanode, N4MM, reminded the members the Mobile DXCC Award is now available and is being managed on the honor system exactly like the QRP DXCC Award in that no endorsements or QSLs are required. John also reported on the impacts from the recent changes in management and operations at the League. He also addressed some of the issues and rules changes that surrounded the listing of Kosovo as a DXCC entity. John distributed brochures for the Berryville Hamfest in August.

**W3 QSL Bureau:** Fred reported on some changes in sorters in the bureau and announced that Everett will become the new "I" sorter.

**Next Meeting:** The June meeting will be at the W3LPL Open House which is the Saturday before Field Day. Phil K3EW reported he will begin planning for Fowlfest as soon as he gets back from Florida.

**Meeting Adjournment:** A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Dick, W2YE and seconded by John, N4MM. The meeting was adjourned at 13:39



W3AZD

N4MM

1987 Award in  
Presented to  
DONALD B. BEARCI, W3AZD  
In recognition of and gratitude for  
his selfless and organized  
perfect attendance record at every  
single one of the meetings of the  
National Capital DX Association  
from its founding in August of  
1974 to the regular meeting on  
December 20,

W3AZD

DX AWARD APPLICATION