

**MONTHLY MEETING REPORT**  
**SBE CHAPTER #78 BLUE RIDGE AREA OF VIRGINIA**  
Meeting Minutes  
Sept. 2012

Date: 9-12-12

Location: Hollywood Restaurant, Hollins, VA

Presiding Officer: Paxton Durham

Title: Chapter Chairman

Meeting was opened at 12:42 PM by Paxton Durham

**Old business:**

Paxton asked for any discussion on the minutes from the last meeting. There were no comments. The minutes were approved.

Allen Boaz thanked the certification committee for helping with his certification.

**New business:**

Milt Ridgeway recognized the passing of the founder of the SBE, John Battison by playing a short audio clip of Mr. Battison receiving the SBE Lifetime Achievement Award.

Milt made a motion for our chapter to donate the John Battison Scholarship Fund.

After some discussion, we decided on an amount of \$250.00.

Al Stephens seconded the motion.

All were in favor and the motion passed.

Paxton turned the meeting over to Phil Owens of Wheatstone. Phil did a presentation on Audio Over IP systems. The presentation ended at 1:52 PM.

Paxton mentioned that the next meeting will be on Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>, and Axia will do a presentation at WVTF on Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM, and Wheatstone will do a presentation at WVTF on Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:55 PM.

Minutes taken by: Sturlen Vaughan, Secretary, SBE Chapter 78  
Blue Ridge Area of Virginia