

## Facility Director Needed By August

Scott Sackrider, who has done a fantastic job as Facility Director the last few years, will be going to Iraq for a year beginning in August. Obviously, the club needs someone to do the Facility Director job beginning then and for the next year.

It is not necessary to be involved in other board issues or to be a board member, although you would be requested to give your update each month at the board meetings.

This is a great need that can be filled by any club member who enjoys an hour or two to himself or herself each month going out to Farpoint and checking the preventive maintenance logs or checklists, documenting anything done to or needed at the observatory, keeping the keys and inservicing those members who request keys to the FPO facility. Every once in a while there will be a sudden or major maintenance issue. Though the Facility Director may choose to make any repairs or maintenance himself or herself, which saves the club a lot of money, it is not necessary. The Facility Director, though, needs to arrange for the work to be done and sometimes must meet the contracted party at the Observatory and provide them with entrance. This position is extremely important and not at all difficult. Scott is willing to thoroughly orient any volunteer over the next several months until he leaves in August.

Please consider getting involved more with the club and doing this job. The current board is pretty maxed out, and we cannot absorb this position ourselves. If you are willing to do this, please contact the new President, Brian Martin, or post your interest as a message on the Yahoo Group.

## Board Meetings Are NOT Restricted to Board Members

### DID YOU KNOW?

All members of NEKAAL are entitled to attend any board meeting. The board would love to have you there to see what goes on. So, remember to look at the schedule and be there when you wish. This is your club.