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CMRA Newsletter

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WD0DVG
Repeater
146.16/.76
 Antenna atop
 Paquin Towers
 at 1023 ft. ASL

The January meeting began with a reminder from President George Hessenbruch, N0IMS, that it is time to pay dues for the new year. New officers elected at the meeting are:

- President:**
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The club expressed appreciation for the work of the retiring officers: George Hessenbruch, N0IMS, (President), Doug Turner, N0IKDJ, (Vice-President), Dale Huffington, AE0S, (Recording Secretary), Jesse Bowen, WM0Y, (Corresponding Secretary), Earl Felten, KF0GE, (Treasurer), and Charlie Turner, WA0R, (Member-at-Large).

Repeater status Mike Baker, N0LBA, reported the new antenna is up and new feedline installed. The Spectrum receiver is working, and the rack has been completely redone. Cabling from the equipment to mounting blocks is in place, and all functions are now identified. Mike noted that to use the meter functions, the operator should key up, identify, key in the codes and hold carrier on for at least two seconds. Plans are to rack mount the new receiver and run out cables to the mounting blocks. Refurbishment of the club repeater will be completed in about a month.

Repeater Functions Ann Guptil, WB0TEG, has prepared new repeater function handouts which will be available at the meeting.

Membership rosters Jesse, WM0Y, has new membership rosters available (free) and four large magnetic signs with the club logo available for members to purchase. There are still a few of the smaller signs available, as well.

Contest and awards manager Jesse, WM0Y, asked John Turner, ND0N to become the club's manager for contests and awards. John accepted and Don Campbell, KB0CDS, agreed to assist.

Membership applications were received at the January meeting from:

- Robert Barnes
- Robert D. Carter, KA0NDT
- Ellen McKenzie, WB0VML
- Jerry Throckmorton, KB0EGO

Their membership applications will be voted upon at the next meeting.

VE Exams Following the meeting, there was a VE session with fifteen elements taken and ten passed. Of the nine examinees, all passed at least one element. These people successfully upgraded their license elements:

- Robert Barnes Novice
- Jackie Crutchfield, . . Tech
- Bryan Chilcutt, KB0FLT .Tech
- Robert Carter, KA0NDT Tech
- Jerry Throckmorton, KB0EGO
-Advanced
- Milton Prather, KB0ECV
-General

Volunteer examiners were John Turner, ND0N; Dewey Bennett, WM0H; Jesse Lyons, WX0K; and Jesse Bowen, WM0Y.

CMEN Report

In January, the Central Missouri Emergency Net held five practice sessions, with 92 check-ins. The net meets every Wednesday at 9 pm on 146.16/76 to handle traffic and practice. Net manager is Ben Smith, K0PCK. All hams are welcome.

VEC Exams

The CMRA will offer ARRL/VEC exams for all written elements following the February club meeting at the Boone Electric Coop. Because of the recent changes in FCC rules and regulations, some study materials may need to be supplemented by updated manuals. For more information, on VEC exams, contact John, ND0N at 657-2391.

FEBRUARY MEETING

The next club meeting will be held February 13 at 7:00 pm in the Community Meeting room of the Boone Electric Cooperative, 1413 Rangeline Rd. A survey of club members' interests will be taken to plan club policies and activities. The program will be on radio control, presented by Roy Parker, AA0B.

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PROGRAM: Radio Control Modeling

The program for the February meeting will be presented by Roy Parker, AA0B. Roy will describe the frequencies, equipment, electronic and mechanical principles for controlling model aircraft. He will bring models and equipment to demonstrate the pulse modulation techniques used for control of the servo mechanisms that guide model aircraft in flight.

FOR SALE

Kenwood 520S, mic & speaker- \$375.
3-20 ft. tower sections, on ground \$80. Call Mike George at 875-0012.

AUTOPATCH/AUTODIALER INSTRUCTIONS

Emergency Autodialer - Enter * and location number (0-9); i.e. *0

User Autodialer - Enter * and mailbox number (10-99), click mic after autodial number readback; i.e. *31

Autopatch - enter * and phone number (7 digits), click mic after hearing "Autopatch" or phone number readback

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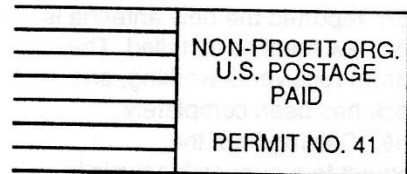
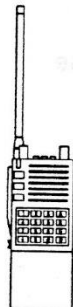
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- 1 - Weather Forecast
- 2 - Weather Service
- 3 - Red Cross
- 4 - Boone Co. Fire
- 5 - Mo. Highway Patrol
- 6 - Columbia Police
- 7 - Boone Co. Sheriff
- 8 - EJC Supervisor
- 9 - 911

PRESIDENT'S SURVEY

Jesse Bowen, WM0Y, will conduct a survey so we can indicate our interests and the activities we would like to see the club carry out. He will use the same form used several years ago to help us track changes.

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