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THE CMRA SQUELCH TALE

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MEETING NOTICE

The next meeting of the Central Missouri Radio Association will be on Tuesday, June 8, 1993 at 7 PM at the Boone Electric Building on Rangeline in Columbia.

Minutes of May Meeting

The May meeting was called to order by Dewey, WMØH, at 7 PM. The minutes of the April meeting were read and accepted.

Treasurer's Report

Expense for projector rental, newsletter printing, and expenses for the hamfest were discussed. A motion was passed to pay the bills.

Technical Report

The RACES/ARES group will be at the air show Memorial Day Weekend. The emergency communications trailer will be there. A packet communications drill will be held between the trailer, the Red Cross, and Boone Hospital. Help will be needed getting the trailer ready.

Club Station Report

All of the old equipment has been removed from the club station. It was either purchased prior to the hamfest or sold at the club table at the hamfest.

There were no public service requests this month.

Novice/Tech Class

Al, NØREF, reports that the class is going well. They have 15 people attending. They are in the 4th week out of 11 weeks.

Field Day

Mac, K4CHS, brought up for discussion that since field day is a readiness test, instead of organizing that whole day, we should check with the park to see if they are willing to let us meet out there. As a test of our readiness, everyone who shows up should bring what you think would be needed in an emergency, Radios, Food, Antennas, etc. The emergency generator and gasoline would be the only thing we would need to organize and make sure it got to the park. This is a good way to test ourselves to see if we can really do this without a lot of preparation.

New Business

One new application was voted on and accepted. Gene Kelly, NØVGX.

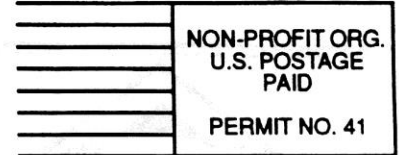
Hamfest Report

A motion was made to and passed to have a hamfest in 1994. Mac, K4CHS proposes for the next hamfest we have an Assistant Hamfest Chairman. We do have a Chairman for next year, Bill Brady.



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**Winners of prizes at the Columbia
Hamfest:**

1st Prize, ICOM 229H 2m rig
Jim Lambert, NT9G, Fowler, IL
2nd Prize, Daiwa CN 101 SWR
meter and power meter
Marty Albert, KC6UFM
Frederictown, MO
3rd Prize, Cushcraft Ringo Ranger
Tom Gray, W0TTZ, Sedalia, MO
There was no old business.

Thanks to everyone for the help fixing up the communications trailer and attending the air show. The drill on Sunday morning showed that we still have work to do getting familiar with the software and the hospital needs. We had stations operating at the EOC, Red Cross, Columbia Regional Airport, Boone Hospital and Regional Hospital. Information was passed, but the speed and coordination needs improvement.

Newsletter Help

The Missouri Repeater Council is seeking a new secretary. Eric, N0NLY, will take the position if someone else will take over the responsibilities for publishing the CMRA newsletter. If anyone is interested, please let Eric know.

Four new applications have been received from Jim DeMain, Wayne S. Jenne, Julie Kullman, and Alan Villers, KA5SPN.

The meeting was adjourned.
The program was given by Mike, N0LBA with help from Dan N0FPE-
Packet Radio.