

# CMRA – Monthly Club Meeting Notes

April 14, 2026

## Opening of Meeting

Review/Approval of March 2026 Meeting Minutes (Bob AE0UB & Charles K0CBV – Approved by membership)

## Committee/Officer Reports

Treasurer – Herb K0ZB (Charles K0CBV & Bob AE0UB – Approved by membership)

Checking:	\$7139.13
Savings:	\$5.00
CD's:	A total of (4) \$500.00 CD's at various interest rates
Total Assets	\$9172.96

Education – (Herb K0ZB) Eight students took test and seven past. Two made it to General. Two will takes tests next week. Fall 2026 and Spring 2027 are next scheduled class dates. Demo nights.

Testing – (Bob AE0UB) March testing had two applicants. Both passed Tech and then one passed General.

Technology – (Dustin KF0MLB) Nothing new to report.

Membership – Jeff Wells (KF0WKV), David Capron (working on license), and Dave DeHass (W3KHZ) were approved for membership unanimously.

## Old Business

Lewis and Clark Trail On The Air LCTOTA (Corey KF0U) June 6 (00:00 UTC) - June 21 (23:59 UTC), 2026. As an incentive for activators, if you make 1806 contacts during the event you will receive a personalized coffee cup. Anyone interested in participating email Corey ([kf0u91@gmail.com](mailto:kf0u91@gmail.com)) to get an account setup with LCTOTA. Corey will need your callsign, email address and cell phone number. Additional details can be found here: <https://lctota.org/>

And then a “Parks on the Air” (POTA) discussion broke out... Additional details about POTA can be found here: <https://pota.app/>

Ready Festival (Bill KE0SIY) – September 17, 2026 at Cosmo Park (Lamb Shelter) from 3:00pm until 7:00pm weather permitting. Emergency preparedness is the focus of the event with many different organizations there to meet the public. Additional details can be found here: <https://www.boonemo.gov/oem/plan-prepare/festival.asp>

Field Day (Jim K0MIZ) - June 27, 2026 at Waters-Moss Memorial Wildlife Area. We'll have access to a shelter and electric. We have a sign-up sheet for operators, equipment, and the pot-luck starting to go around this meeting.

Fox Hunt (Rex W0RXXR) – In observance of World Amateur Radio Day, April 18, 2026, at 2:00pm to 5:00pm the club will be hosting a fox hunt. All foxes will be placed within Columbia city limits. Each transmitter (3 total) will a different power limit. The frequencies of the foxes will be announced on the 146.76 CMRA repeater at 2:00pm.

### **New Business**

Acknowledgment of Fire District for allowing us to use the facility (Jim K0MIZ) by sending some type of club recognition.

MFJ news (John N00I) – MFJ sold Cushcraft and Hy-Gain Antennas to ITU Industries out of Linton, IN.

**Closing** (Charles K0CBV and Bob AE0UB – Approved by membership)

Program: none