

## CMRA General Meeting Minutes - 3/11/25

Jim, K0MIZ, called the meeting to order at 7:04 PM at Boone County Electric Coop.

### GENERAL BUSINESS

- There were 10 members present.
- Minutes from the February meeting were approved. Please read the minutes on the website prior to any meeting as they are not read at the meeting.
- Our Treasurer, Herb, K0ZB, was unable to attend, and Charlie, KV0F, read the provided Treasurers report and reported a checking balance of \$8,285.18 and a CD balance of \$2,357.80. The Treasurers report was approved. Herb, K0ZB, is scheduling a date for all the officers to sign the new accounts forms at our new bank.

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Committee/Officer Reports:
  - **Education** – Charlie, KV0F, reminded the club that the spring class has started with 11 students present and 2 absences. March 6, 2025, Demo Night will be on March 20, 2025, and Testing on April 10, 2025. Please mark your calendars.
  - **Testing** – Bob, AE0UB, reported that no one tested in February as the session was canceled due to weather.

### OLD BUSINESS

- Jim, K0MIZ, reported that the ARRL Field Day packet has not been released as of yet, but said Field Day for this year has been titled, “Radio Connects 2025”.
- Jim, K0MIZ, reviewed our website and discussed the MO-WAC award that the club sponsors. No activity on this has been reported, and the name is still attached to David Larson, and the club will update this to Myron, W0ZH.
- Jim, K0MIZ that the Lewis and Clark Trails on the Air (LCTOTA) for 2025 is upcoming and the club is still looking for volunteers. Bill, N0AXZ, will be sending out an email looking for volunteers.

### NEW BUSINESS

- Jim, K0MIZ, discussed the Missouri QSO Party for April 5-6, 2025. Information was sent out to our Groups.IO reflector.
- Jim, K0MIZ, reported that the Boone County EOC is conducting a “Damage Assessment Drill” in April and BCARES and EOC are looking for volunteers to assist. A training session will be on April 5<sup>th</sup> at the EOC.
- Jim, K0MIZ, ask the club to suggest ideas for members to participate such as a POTA activation and other such events.

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Meeting adjourned at 7:24 PM

**Program:** Bob, AE0UB, presented a presentation of some of the upcoming changes for license tested being required by the end of 2025.

Respectfully submitted  
Bob Ackerman, AE0UB, Recording Secretary

GENERAL INFORMATION OF INTEREST

Monthly **CMRA** meeting, 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm at:

**Boone Electric Cooperative**  
1413 Rangeline St  
Columbia, MO 65201

Weekly Wednesday Luncheon at Hy-Vee on Conley is activated. Everyone welcome 11:30-ish.

Coffee w/Elmers fellowship each Saturday morning @8:30 on Zoom. Contact Chris, K0PHP, for details.

Testing is conducted at Lenoir Woods Retirement Facility in Columbia on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month. Contact Bob, AE0UB, or any Club Officer to register for an exam session.

Equipment Loan Program—See <https://k0si.net/membership/equipment-loan-policies/> for the club's equipment loan policies.

Dues for 2025 are due. Pay by cash, check, or credit card to the Treasurer at a meeting, or mail a check to the following address, or use KOSI.Net for online payment with a credit card.

CMRA  
PO Box 283  
Columbia, MO 65205

BCARES meets at the ECC press room. 6:30pm 1st Tuesday of each month.

2121 County Drive  
Columbia, MO 65202

WEEKLY NETS \*

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- Columbia - CMRA/BCARES Weekly Net on Wednesday Nights @ 9:00 PM – 146.760 (-600 Khz) pl 127.3
- Fulton – Callaway Amateur Radio League - 2M Net Wednesday Nights @ 8:45 PM 147.315 (+600Khz) pl 127.3
- Mexico - 2 M Net Tuesday Nights @ 8:00 PM – 147.255 (+600 kHz) pl 127.3
- Boonville – W0BRC Boonville Amateur Radio Club - 2 M Net Thursdays @ 8:30 PM – 147.360 (+600 kHz) No Tone
- Jefferson City – Mid-Mo ARC Wednesdays @ 8:00 PM – 147.000 (-600 kHz) pl 127.3
- Rolla – RRARS – Nightly Net @ 8:00 PM – 146.790 (-600 Khz) pl 88.5
- PSK31 @ 8:30 Sundays – 3.580
- A new Winlink Vara FM node has been added for 144.97. Check out KOPHP-10. **NOTE: This node is currently out of service.**

\* If anyone knows the names of the clubs not listed in the above listing, or if you have a club net you want to be listed, please email the list to [AE0UB@Proton.me](mailto:AE0UB@Proton.me), so those names can be added.