



SQUELCH TALE

Central Missouri Radio Association

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The Central Missouri Radio Association is the oldest Amateur Radio Club in the Columbia, Mo. area. Check out our web site at: www.k0si.net.

If you have ideas for Web content, send them to Jim, WYØB.

To submit articles for this newsletter contact KCØLCS, Nathan, at the next club meeting or at kc0lcs04@yahoo.com. Also, if you have any changes in your address or method of receiving the newsletter, please contact Nathan.

CALENDAR

Our regularly scheduled monthly meeting is normally held at **Boone Electric** on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

VE Testing is available the 3rd Monday of every month at the club station, the Red Cross building on Worley St.

Each Wednesday is Club Net at 9:00 p.m. If you're interested or willing to volunteer for Net Control or if you have questions, contact WMØH, Dewey.

If you have not **renewed** your membership for 2007, see the treasurer, Bill Anglen, KCØACS, at the meeting, or mail a check for \$20.00, (\$25.00 per family) to: CMRA; P.O. Box 283; Columbia, MO. 65205.

Upcoming Hamfests:

November 10th: Lebanon, MO

November 11th: Litchfield, IL

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

November 13th: CMRA Meeting

Treasurer's Report:

Savings: \$2,238.77

Checking: \$1,988.64

October Minutes

Meeting opened at 7 PM.

Introductions went all around. The minutes were read and approved.

Old Business:)1. A hamfest chair is still needed for next year's hamfest. A committee will likely be put together for advertising, vendors, etc.)2. The next club meeting will be on December 11th, 6 PM at the Columbia Golden Corral. We'd love to have any and all who can come and attend this great time of food and fellowship.

New Business:)1. There is a weather course available on CD that some of the hams in our club are taking. If you would like more info please contact Mac, K4CHS. More info to come at later meetings.)2. The subject of recording secretary was discussed. Our current recording secretary has been unable to make it to the meetings, so Nathan (KCØLCS) has been filling in. The president asked whether to appoint a new secretary or not, and it was decided that Nathan would continue as a fill-in until a new recording secretary is elected in a few months.)3. Unless someone opens it

otherwise, the club station is usually only open on the 3rd Monday of every month. This is for VE testing. A workday will be planned soon to do antenna repair around the club station.)4. The club discussed ways to bring more Boone County hams to the meetings. Different ideas were brought up for programs that could be done as part of a special meeting to try and attract more folks. It was suggested that an ad could be placed in the newspaper announcing our club meeting dates, if it's not too costly.

The meeting adjourned at 7:42 PM. Afterward, Dave (KV0S) gave a program on antenna basics. It was very interesting. Over the next few months Dave will be giving programs on different types of antennas and how they work.

That's all for this month. Hope to see everyone at the next meeting.
73's, Nathan KCØLCS