



Minutes of the
Mid-MO Amateur Radio Club, Inc.
Jefferson City, MO

Meeting of: February 9, 2017

Program: Kent Trimble, **K9ZTV** on Collins Amateur Radios (19:00 CST).

Called to order: by President Jerry Sill, **NN0JS** at 19:43 CST.

In Attendance (XX):

Bill Anderson	KD0MRJ	Rich Glassner	N0EAX	Karl Schulte	WA2KBZ
Joe Betros	KB0QHZ	Bob Heald	W0XII	Don Scrivner	KC0TZZ
Jim Biggerstaff	N0TKN	Steve Hick	WW0G	Jerry Sill	NN0JS
Jack Boswell	N0KSF	Richard Manning	AC0SA	J. D. Simmons	WA0BER
Jim Crago	N0DVM	Nancie McAnaugh	NM0C	Kent Trimble	K9ZTV
Mike Dolson	N0ZH	Mike McCrady	N0ESE	Joe Davis	KV9I
Michael Eberle	KI0HA	Mike Miller	WA0ZOG		
Bill Gerth	W4RK	Mitch Odneal	NW0M		

Previous Meeting Minutes:

Approved as submitted.

Secretary-Treasurer's Report:

Previous Bank Balance: \$18,326.39
Deposits: \$50.00 (memberships)
Checks: \$41.88 (Ameren-electricity \$12.26; Kent Trimble W00 QSL Cards \$29.62)
Current Bank Balance: \$18,334.51

VE Liaison's Report:

Steve Hick, **WW0G**, reporting for Nancy McAnaugh, **NM0C**: Two exams conducted prior to the meeting.

2 Meter Net Report:

Steve Hick, **WW0G**, reporting: 59 (33 ARES) Check-ins for January

Net Results: Check-Ins Since Last Meeting
Jan 18 Steve Hick – **WW0G** (13)
Jan 25 Matt Griffin – **KD0GOL** (16)
Feb 1 Mike Dolson – **N0ZH**
Feb 8 Jerry Sill – **NN0JS**

Upcoming Net Controllers:

Feb 15 Karl Schulte – **WA2KBZ**
Feb 22 Mike Dolson – **N0ZH**
Mar 1 Steve Hick – **WW0G**
Mar 8 Jerry Sill – **NN0JS**

KOETY Repeater Report:

Jim Biggerstaff, **N0TKN**, reporting: Working.

Missouri Emergency Packet Network (MEPN):

Jim Biggerstaff, **N0TKN**, reporting: Working.

Digipeater Report:

Jim Biggerstaff, **N0TKN**, reporting: Working.

ARES Report:

Jerry Sill, **NN0JS**, reporting: Nothing to report

J. D. Simmons, **WA0BER**, reporting: January ARES support for ice storm sparked a rise in participation hours. Various localities reported to SEMA via radio for the ice storm..

CW Class:

Kent Trimble, **K9ZTV**, and Bill Gerth, **W4RK**, reporting: Class on going. Good turnout last Saturday.

Training Committee:

Bob Heald, **W0XII**, reported that a General Class will be presented on April 22 & 29 from 09:00 to 15:00 at Saint Mary's Hospital. This is over 2 Saturdays. Further information will be forthcoming as plans develop.

Bob requested support from previous instructors.

Old Business:

1. Corwin Update: Event was very successful. Thanks for John and Leigh Patterson for the use of their home for the event.
2. Meeting Site: March/May – St. Mary's Hospital.
3. House Bill 136 (HB-136) feedback. Bill was passed out of committee
4. A number of club members went to the Collinsville hamfest on Saturday January 28 and enjoyed themselves
5. Field Day – Fire Department Communications Van is reserved.

New Business:

1. Belize – Several club members are going to Belize and operating as V3T during the CW contest on the weekend of 2/17.

Announcements:

1. The Tech Group, which meets the first Tuesday of the month, is always looking for new attendees. The next meeting is March 14 at the Red Cross.
2. The next monthly luncheon is Wednesday, February 15.

Upcoming Programs:

1. March – Mike Dolson (**N0ZH**) – Presentation on Reverse Beacons.

Adjourn: 20:30 CST

Compiled and Submitted by Mike McCrady, **N0ESE**