



# WARRENSBURG AREA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB INC.



Warrensburg Area Amateur Radio Club, Inc. met September 14, 2013 at JCEMA.

Ken Smith (K09R) President, brought the meeting to order at 0900 am  
Introductions began with 17 members and 3 guests.

Secretaries Report: Minutes of the August meeting were passed around for review.

Gary (W0BTM) made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Steve (K0YEH) seconded.  
Motion passed with unanimous vote.

Keith (W0G) read the treasurers report. Hamfest financials will be next month.

Gary (W0BTM) made a motion to accept the treasurers report as read. Steve (K0YEH) seconded.  
Motion passed with unanimous vote.

## I. ARES®:

a. Rick (K0VZP) The next meeting will be Sunday, September 15, 2013 at 5:00 PM

## II. Emergency Management Report:

a. The EMA/Healthcare Services Net is scheduled at the JCEMA for September 18th at 10:00 AM  
Doug (N4RZB) will be net control.

b. KC-heart - Kansas City EMA/Healthcare Net 443.500 repeater. Contact person: Matt May.  
Net is 1st Monday of each Month @ 8:00 pm. The next net will be October 7th.

## III. Repeater Committee:

a. Tower Site — August 24th work session accomplished a thorough clean up of the  
entire site with mowing, weed-eating, and a lot of trimming. Site looks great !!!  
Keep watching the Forum for more work sessions with installing repeaters and antennas.

b. Larry (W9XE) reports the 220 and 6 meter antennas are both offline. They are being put into  
the rack system to prepare for installation at the WAARCI Tower Site.

## IV. Website Committee:

a. Larry (W9XE) New website fees are now paid. Construction continues: [www.waarci.org/joomla](http://www.waarci.org/joomla)  
Gary (W0BTM) made a motion to refund Larry for the new website fees and connectors, etc. for  
the rack mounting of repeaters. Steve (K0YEH) seconded. Motion passed with unanimous vote.

## V. Hamfest / Field Day:

a. Field Day - From Club meeting day, there are 286 days to Field Day 2014

b. 2014 Hamfest - Keith (N0VJ) was unable to attend today and will give update at Oct. meeting.

## VI. Public Information Officer:

a. Cary (K0HV) has nothing new to report.  
Watch the club forum for activities, dates and new information.

## VII. Old Business:

a. 501c3 — Keith (W0G) update: Keith states he will get paperwork finished soon.

b. A foxhunt is scheduled for September 21st, Meet at McDonalds at 3:00 pm to get instructions  
and start the hunt. The picnic will be at Cave Hollow Park after the hunt. Get your antenna's  
assembled and get ready for an exciting event for our Fall get-together Activity.

- c. We will be entering the ARES trailer and a WAARCI float to represent our club in the UCM Homecoming Parade, October 26th. Rick (KBØVZP) will provide and pull the ARES trailer and Ken (KO9R) has the trailer and truck needed for the float and will be the chair person for this project. More information will be available at the October meeting.
- d. Ken (KO9R) and Rick (KBØVZP) will be putting the ARES trailer on display at the Warrensburg Street Fair to be held downtown Warrensburg on Sept 27-28-and 29th. Please come by our area and promote WAARCI as an involved, public service oriented club that provides communication services to the Warrensburg area.
- e. Club Christmas party planning - December 14, 2013 at The Mission building Joyce (WØJAF) will be chair person for this end-of-the-year event.

VIII. New Business:

- a. Nominations will be done at the October meeting for the election of officers for the 2014 service to the WAARCI Board. Start thinking about your nominees and who will be the best fit for the positions on the board. Voting will promptly commence at the November meeting.

IX. Announcements:

- a. Anyone interested in doing the Newsletter please contact any board member.
- b. John KØVET has been doing weekly mowing at Lea Cemetery. Ray J. KØHDC and Bill (KDOQJY) continue to frequently help with weed-eating and clean up. For those that can't get out to Lea Cemetery, Ray J. has posted a picture on the WAARCI webpage that shows how nice everything looks. John also sent a photo to the secretary showing how well Lea looks. This picture was passed around at the meeting to all attending. Several comments were heard on how professionally done it looks. Thank you John, for all your faithful mowing and Ray J. and Bill for all your assistance.

X. Club Drawings

- a. Drawing for WAARCI — winner - Carl (KDØSPX) chose the Multi Meter
- b. Drawing for 50/50 pot — winner - Gary (WAØBTM) \$19.50

XI. Upcoming Hamfest Events:

- Oct 19 — Southside ARC — Hamfest 2013- Belton <http://southsidearc.net/hamfests-and-events/>
- Nov 8-9 — 2013 Midwest Division ARRL Convention- Lebanon, MO <http://arrlmidwestconvention.com>
- Nov 16 — Raytown Amateur Radio Club Hamfest - NEW LOCATION [sjdeines@yahoo.com](mailto:sjdeines@yahoo.com)

XII. Net Signups:

WAARCI Net 146.880 Sunday's at 08:30 PM

- Sept 15 — Steve (KCØYEH)
- Sept 22 — Cary (KBØHV)
- Sept 29 — Keith (WEØG)
- Oct 6 — Ken (KO9R)

XIII. Adjourn:

Next Board Meeting — October 10, 2013 6:00 PM @ JCEMA  
 Next Club Meeting — October 12, 2013 9:00 AM @ JCEMA

Frances (KCØTFR) made a motion to adjourn. Motion was seconded  
 Motion passed with unanimous vote.

Meeting adjourned at 1016 am

Marie Kuhns, KDØRJN  
 Secretary, WAARCI