



General Membership Meeting
November 19th, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM PST by Charlie Shepard K7CBS

Pledge of Allegiance was conducted.

The attendees were canvased for first timers and new hams Introduction of members and guests with call signs and names - there was 1 newly licensed attendee in attendance, she is waiting for the FCC Office to reopen and be issued a call sign.

Old Business:

Treasurer Report:

Jeff Chadwell-W3JSC gave the treasures report and reported a balance of \$8587.59 a motion to accept was made by Bob Bencsko AD7J and seconded by Bill Tynning K1ZCR, the motion carried.

Reading of the minutes:

Chris Jayne KC0NMZ made a motion to wave reading of the minutes from the October 2025 meeting as they are posted on website, motion was seconded by Bob Bencsko AD7J, the motion carried.

Update from Repeater Committee: Gerry Woojciechowski K9ADY

The status of the Westgate Repeaters 146.940/ 448.500 are currently unlinked and operating independent of each other.

Amargosa Repeater 447.200 repeater is linked full-time with the 146.910 at the Las Vegas EOC, a UPS system for backup power will be added to .910 in the future.

Southern Hills Repeater: Anticipating a Fall 2025 Re-installation once the roof warranty has expired.

Special Nets: Ron Burski KJ7PAQ - reminded everyone to join in on the Thunderbird Net on 28.420USB on Sunday evenings at 7:00pm as well as the Outside on the Air "OAR" net the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm on the club's repeaters.

Events: Al Pistrutto A7OSW

- Charlie and Al provide a summary of the recent Amateur Radio Day that took place at the Pioneer Saloon on Oct 26th, the weather was beautiful and a dozen or so members from Las Vegas and Pahrump participated.
- Fox Hunting: Ron KJ7PAQ gave a synopsis of the hunt that took place Saturday October 18th at Police Memorial Park and he presented Certificates of Achievement to the winners of the T-Hunt that took place on November 15th at Whitney Mesa Park.

A check was presented to Red Rock Search and Rescue for the 5th consecutive year for the Marc N. Zuckerman Endowment.

Annual Officer and Director Election Ballots were distributed to members, a motion was made by Bob AD7J and seconded by Spencer N7PG to elect the slate as distributed the motion carried without objection

New Business: Membership renewal notices will be sent out on 1 December for calendar year 2026.

Presentation: Ron KJ7PAQ gave a presentation on Mag Loop antennas theory and displayed his current 10-40 meter Mag Loop project.

Craig N0CSM ARRL Section Manger reminded everyone to sign the ARRL grass roots petition to remove antenna restrictions, he also relayed that 2026 is ARRL year of the Club he is looking for someone local to coordinate activities, additionally he is looking for someone to take the lead on coordinating the 2026 Nevada QSO Party.

Clark County ARES will be active on their U1 repeater 447.325 PL 100 the 3 nights of Las Vegas F1 Racing should backup communications be needed, all Amateurs are encouraged to check in with net control and monitor.

Raffle – HT Radio++

The next LVRAC General Meeting will be on December 17th at 6:00pm at the Red Rock Search and Rescue Building and will be our annual Holiday Gathering, this year's menu will be Italian, watch for an email notification.

The Meeting Adjourned at 8:11pm

Chris KC0NMZ