

February 4, 2025 AARC General Meeting

2025 Officers as Introduced

Chris Kacerguis, KJ5DJC, President

Lewis Thompson, W5IFQ, Vice President

Pat Obert, N3BYX, Secretary

Mark Jenkins, W5MPJ, Treasurer hosts the ZOOM meetings

Started the meeting at 7pm

Welcome

- New Members
 - Glen Reid, K5FX
 - Andrew Wood, KC5DJT
 - Brian Hannabery, TBD
 - Jim Leake, TBD
 - Spencer Sterling, TBD
- Visitors
 - Haven Sirizzotti, KJ5BID
 - Erica Obert, KO6FDV
 - Adoni Poledicha, KG5WHC
 - Sebastian Geisert, KJ5JTR
 - Spencer Sterling
- Upgrades or new callsigns
 - Chris Kacerguis, KJ5DJC
 - Kathleen, KJ5JUI

February Ham of the Month

- Mark Jenkins, W5MPJ

Old Business:

Treasurer Report: Mark Jenkins, W5MPJ

- \$7,500 between checking and savings
- Please make sure that your email address is current in our data base

Special Interest Groups:

- ARES: Glenn Meter, W5MTR
 - Successful Winter Field Day
 - Need more net controllers for Sunday net. If you are interested, please contact Glenn at W5MTR@arri.net
 - Signups are now live for the MS150 that supports the Multiple Sclerosis Society on Saturday, April 26
- Technical Committee: Roy Walker, WA5YZD
 - No issues reported

New Business:

- Saturday breakfast at Waterloo Restaurant on Burnet Road every Saturday at 0800
- Austin Sky Warn training on March 1 (info on AARL web site)

Program:

- NVIS Antenna Theory and Practice, Design, and Construction by Lew Thompson, W5IFQ
- Solar Weather by Lew Thompson, W5IFQ

Next General Meeting on Zoom March 4, 2025

There were 56 attendees

Adjourn: 8:40pm

submitted by AARC Secretary Pat Obert, N3BYX