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Meeting Minutes

The monthly meeting of the Rock River Radio Club was held on November 4, 2025 using Zoom Meetings. by President Peter Frey, AD9DO. The meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm CST.

SECRETARY REPORT Ray Teschke, KD9QLE,

Secretary presented the minutes of the October meeting as published in the October newsletter.

Motion to approve by: Mike Delager, KB9LXP Second by: Ralph Hasler, N9WBL

Motion Carried

TREASURER REPORT Dave DePover, K9MKP,

Treasurer presented his report.

Motion to approve by: Ray Teschke, KD9QLE

Second by: Ralph Hasler, N9WBL

Motion Carried

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ARES/REPEATER: Dale Marks, WB9ADB

Nothing new to report.

TRAILER: Len Buchda, KB9GDY

Trailer has been ordered. There is a 4 month waiting time. Factory had several questions about the extras being added. Answers were provided by trailer

committee members.

FIELD DAY: Dale Marks, WB9ADB

Is being moved to the Antique Power show site near Burnett.

OLD BUSINESS

Fox Hunt—was a big success as we had 15 participants.

NEW BUSINESS

Logo—Brad Gehrt, KA9IDE presented a new logo for approval. Brad said the logo should be updated since the club is no longer an ARRL Special Service Club. Brad will send out a copy of the logo for membership review.

Approval of the new logo was tabled to next meeting.

Christmas Party—December 7th, Park Avenue Sports Café, 709 Park Avenue, Beaver Dam, WI. Drinks at 12:30pm, Meal at 1:00pm. Meal will be pizza & wings. Approximate cost will be \$15. A motion to fund the ELF

Committee of \$45 for decorations was made. Motion to aprove by: Len Buchda, KB9GDY

Second by: Fred Delager, SWL

Motion Carried

HAM OF THE YEAR AWARD—if you have not voted yet online you need to do it soon.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2026

President: Mike Delager, KB9LXP, - passed Vice President: Peter Frey, AD9DO—passed Treasurer: Dave DePover, K9MKP—passed Secretary: Ray Teschke, KD9QLE, - passed Program Director: Diana Kraemer. KD9IXP

President

Peter Frey AD9DO 920-344-1378

Vice President

Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD 920-356-8757

Secretary

Ray Teschke KD9QLE 920-210-9540

Treasurer

Dave DePover K9MKP 920-210-2209

Club Historian

Gary Pedersen KA9BAE 920-386-4666

2025 Officers



Emergency Coordinator

Dale Marks WB9ADB 920-485-4234

Assistant Emergency Coordinator

Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD 920-356-8757

Repeater Directors

Dale Marks WB9ADB 920-485-4234 (Trustee) Dave DePover K9MKP 920-210-2209 Keith Lodahl, WJ9L 920-387-4675 Ray Teschke KD9QLE 920-210-9540

Webmaster Brad Gehrt, KA9IDE 920-210-1620

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2026 (continued) Historian: Gary Pedersen, KA9BAE

Non-Profit 501(c)(3) Status The benefits of the club becoming a non-profit 501(c)(3) were discussed. Some of those are sales tax exempt purchases (such as for the new EMCOMM trailer), the ability to apply for more grants and the ability to accept tax deductible donations from corporations. Brad Gehrt, KA9JDE, and Doug Iverson, AC9XW to spearhead into looking at becoming a non-profit 501(c)(3).

A motion was made to approve the spending of \$275 for the taxes on additions to the trailer. Motion to approve by: Ray Teschke, KD9QLE Second by: Mike DeJager, KB9LXP Motion Carried

MOTION TO ADJOURNED

President Peter Frey, AD9DO heard no further business and requested the meeting be adjourned.

Motion to adjourn by: Len Buchda, KB9GDY Second by: Connie DePover, K9CID

Motion Carried

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 8:01 pm Respectfully Submitted

Raymond Teschke, KD9QLE Secretary, Rock River Radio Club.

WEBMASTER RETIREMENT

Lucky Lasanske, K9LUK, is retiring as our RRRC webmaster. A BIG "thank you" to Lucky for his many years of service as our RRRC webmaster! Brad, KA9JDE, our original webmaster has agreed to become our new webmaster, once again. Look for some updates coming soon!



The next monthly RRRC breakfast get-together will be on Saturday, December 6th at the Village Garden Restaurant in Juneau. All are welcome, so join us at around 8:00 AM for a pleasant informal gathering. Contact Dale Marks, WB9ADB, for more info.



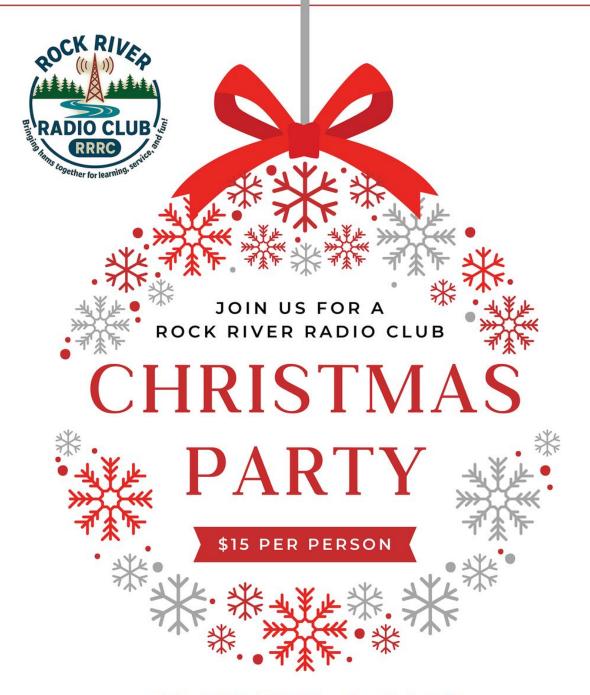
THE NEXT MONTHLY MEETING OF THE RRRC WILL BE HELD IN-PERSON ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4th AT 7:00 PM AT MIKE DEJAGER'S PLACE, 111 N. HIGH STREET IN RANDOLPH.

If you are unable to join us in-person (we would love to see your smiling faces), a link to join via Zoom Meetings will be emailed out to you the day of the meeting.



RRRC NOVEMBER 2025 MEETING ATTENDANCE

Brad Gehrt Connie DePover Dale Marks Dave DePover Dave Odekirk	KA9JDE K9CID WB9ADB K9MKP KA9DQK	Via Zoom
Diana Kraemer	KD9IXD	Via Zoom
Doug Iverson Fred Delager	AC9XW SWL	Via Zoom
Gary Pedersen Jean DeJager	KA9BAE SWL	Via Zoom
Jerry Arndt Len Buchda Mike DeJager	NO9U KB9GDY KB9LXP	Via Zoom
Peter Frey Ralph Hasler Ray Teschke	AD9DO N9WBL KD9QLE	Via Zoom Via Zoom Via Zoom



DECEMBER 7, 2025

DRINKS 12:30 | DINNER 1:00 PIZZA & WINGS

PARK AVENUE SPORTS CAFE 709 PARK AVE. BEAVER DAM, WI

RVSP TO BY DEC 1 TO: W9TCH.RRRC@GMAIL.COM



RRRC "Elmer" List as of 11-12-25

In ham radio, an "Elmer" is an experienced amateur radio operator who mentors and helps newer hams learn the ropes of the hobby.

Elmers also help other experienced ham radio operators.

Cogether for learning. So		
<u>Category</u>	<u>Names</u>	Contact Info
General ham radio help	Ray Teschke KD9QLE	rkteschke@att.net
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6 meter operating	Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD	ryantiff@charter.net
AM operation		
Amateur Television - ATV	Rod Fritz WB9KMO	wb9kmo@gmail.com
Antenna building	Jay Brendemuehl AC9AS	1958wt@gmail.com
Antenna repair / tower projects	Ray Teschke KD9QLE	rkteschke@att.net
Contesting	Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD	ryantiff@charter.net
	Kevin Hankes WI9WIS	kevin.hankes@gmail.com
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	Brad Gehrt KA9JDE	ka9jde@gmail.com
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Kit building	Jay Brendemuehl AC9AS	1958wt@gmail.com
Learning Morse Code	Jay Brendemuehl AC9AS	1958wt@gmail.com
	Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD	ryantiff@charter.net
Logging	Kevin Hankes WI9WIS	kevin.hankes@gmail.com
	Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD	ryantiff@charter.net
Mess networking	Rod Fritz WB9KMO	wb9kmo@gmail.com
Net Control operation	Ryan Klavekoske KB9OWD	ryantiff@charter.net
Other digital modes such as PSK31, JS8CALL, RTTY, VarAC	Brad Gehrt KA9JDE	ka9jde@gmail.com
Packet Radio		
POTA (Parks On The Air)	Doug Iverness AC9XW	ripondoug@gmail.com
	Peter Frey AD9DO	alphadelta9deltaoscar@gmail.com
	Jay Brendemuehl AC9AS	1958wt@gmail.com
Passing traffic	Keith Lodahl WJ9L	lodahlkh@charter.net
Short Wave Listening	Dale Marks WB9ADB	dalewmarks@gmail.com
Satellites - working the birds	Peter Frey AD9DO	alphadelta9deltaoscar@gmail.com
Slow scan TV	Len Buchda KB9GDY	kb9gdy@spectrum.net
SOTA (Summits On The Air)	Brad Gehrt KA9JDE	ka9jde@gmail.com
Super High Frequency operation		
SSB operation	Kevin Hankes WI9WIS	kevin.hankes@gmail.com
Using repeaters		
Weather spotting	Jay Brendemuehl AC9AS	1958wt@gmail.com
WinLink via VHF, HF, Telnet	Len Buchda KB9GDY	kb9gdy@spectrum.net
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RRRC Weekly Nets

Monday A.R.E.S. Net 7:30 PM
RRRC 2-Meter Repeater 146.64 MHz
Net Control Stations

December 15, 2025 Jeff - KB9UNY

December 22, 2025 Peter - KD9UVX /

Cameron KD9GV

December 29, 2025 Ted - W9LUQ

January 5, 2026, 2025 R yan - KB9OWD

Repeater Backup 147.585 MHz Simplex

1.908 MHz Lower Side Band
(1.920 MHz backup frequency)

70-Centimeter Net RRRC Knowles Repeater 442.975 Thursdays at 7:30 PM

75-Meter HF Net Saturday 10:00 AM
7.278 MHz Lower Side Band
Alternate Frequency 3.947 MHZ

Calendar 2025

RRRC MONTHLY MEETING DECEMBER 3RD

RRRC BREAKFAST DECEMBER 6TH

CHRISTMAS PARTY DECEMBER
7TH



RRRC Repeaters

2-Meter Located in Juneau, WI 146.640 MHz Output 146.040 MHz Input

(Duplex, Standard Negative Offset)

123.0 Hz PL Tone

70-Centimeter Located in Knowles, WI 442.975 MHz Output 447.975 MHz Input

(Duplex, Standard Positive Offset)
I 23.0 Hz PL Tone
Standard FM and
Yaesu System Fusion (C4FM) Capable

Rock River Radio Club Mailing Addresses Club Dues / Bills / Club Business

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Annual Membership Dues Rock River Radio Club of Wisconsin PO Box 26, Juneau WI 53039-0026

Last Name:	RRRC RRRC	
First Name(s):	together for lea	rning, service
Call(s):		
Phone:	Email:	
Address:	ARRL: YES	NO
City:	State:	Zip:

Description	\$ Each	Quantity	Total
RRRC 2026 Membership - Family	\$25.00		
RRRC 2026 Membership - Individual Regular	\$20.00		
RRRC 2026 Membership - Individual Associate	\$10.00		
RRRC Badge	\$10.00		
A.R.E.S. Communication Trailer Fund Contribution			
RRRC General Fund Donation			
GRAND TOTAL:			

Send to: Dave DePover K9MKP

RRRC Treasurer W7657 Stone Road Juneau, WI 53039