Squelch Tale

February 2000

Central Missouri Radio Association

KOSI 146,760/146,160

Minutes From the January Meeting

Meeting was opened at 7pm by KB0NNV. Introductions all around and we had visitors which we are always glad to see. Those visitors were: Chris Swisher KE0MI Ed Van Seiver N0YEQ Larry Garvin

Next on the agenda was voting in the new club officers and they are:

President Phil K0DAT V.P. Nathan KB0NNV Tres. John N0EG Corres. Sec. Mike AB0IV Rec. Sec. Dewey WM0H

No new business.

John Accepted the position as Field Day Chairman and Dewey (ME) accepted (?) the job of Hamfest chairman.

We have a great group of club officers for this upcoming year but will need the support of all the club members.

We must all do our part, and that brings up another point----

DUES are due.

\$15 Individual

\$20 Family

73- WM0H Dewey

Treasures report

Checking: \$2312.31

Savings:74.31

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http://www.qsl.net/cmra

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FOR FEBRUARY

Each Monday evening (except the second) join with the members at the club station on Worley.

Each Wednesday is Club Net at 9:00 p.m. If you're interested or willing to volunteer for Net Control or if you have questions contact WM0H, Dewey.

8th Club Meeting at Boone Electric's conference room.

12th Club breakfast at the Cracker Barrel. Time 8: a.m.

VE Corner

Well everyone has heard about the restructuring of ham radio as we know it. There will be no loss of privileges but we will be losing Technician Plus and Advanced classes. The classes that will be dropped will not be automatically upgraded but will not lose any privileges, they will retain their current privileges until the upgrade. If there are any questions please let me know and I will try to get you an answer. Remember if you are going to take a test please bring a copy of any CSCE along with the original, a copy of your current license plus current license, a photo ID and \$6.65. Tests are given on the third Monday of the month at the club station

Dewey WM0H

Keep Smiling

Enjoy Ham Radio

We want to give a big

THANK YOU!

to the outgoing club officers for a fine job that was done this past year.

If you have any changes in your Mailing address or E-mail

Send it to me AB0IV (Mike) to:

AB0IV@arrl.net or ccom2@socket.net

IN THE NEWS

Jim D. Haynie, W5JBP, of Dallas, Texas, will be the next president of the ARRL

SPREAD SPECTRUM INVENTOR, ACTRESS HEDY LAMARR, DIES

Hedy Lamarr, the sultry, sexy screen star of the 1930s and 1940s who also conceived the frequency-hopping technique now known as spread spectrum, has died. She was believed to be 86. Among her most successful films was the 1949 Samson and Delilah.

To renew your membership for 2000, Please mail along a check for \$15.00, (\$20.00 per family) to:

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P.O. BOX 283

COLUMBIA, Mo. 65205

Note: If 2000 appears on your address label your dues have been paid. Thanks!

Restructuring

Has finally come, some are happy about it others are not.

After April there will be only one code test (5 WPM)

Classes will be Technician, General, and Extra Class.

Amateur Radio can be only as good as we make it. Get active, try new modes, improve

our skills and knowledge, invite a friend to the club radio station.

NOTE'S

Checked my logbook, made over 140 HF contacts for 1999 thats up from

57 for 1998. Hoping to make 2000 even better. How about you?

AB0IV Mike