

Riverside County Amateur Radio Association

RCARA MEETING (General)

Meeting Type: General

Meeting Location: City of Riverside EOC & Zoom

Date: 07-10-2025

Meeting start time: 7:01 PM Meeting end time: 8:20 PM

Attendees: See attached attendance sheet

Zoom attendees: John (W7RSO), Mike (KM6LOR), Marlene (KK6CTX), Juan (AJ6PH)

Presidents opening (Steve):

- Declare the meeting open and welcome everyone.
- Field Day Review
 - New member Diana told her story of her first field day and how welcoming we were, another member commented on how organized and how much was going on, asked if this is the only site we have used?

Vice Presidents Report (John):

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Secretary Report (Shannon):

- Approval of 12 June 2025 General Meeting Minutes
 - Motion by Shannon KO6AYV and seconded by Bruce. Voted to be approved: YES
- Field Day Raffle Prize Winners announced and handed out
 - Special thanks to Mike Y. for all his help at field day

Treasure Report (Jim):

- Checking \$6,403.21
- Savings \$3,848.61
- Field Day raffle ticket sales \$490.00
- Additional Income received: Dues paid in \$37.50, donation intake \$15.00, t-shirt sales \$15.00, additional sales \$25.00 total \$582.50
- Motion by Rick S and seconded by Loreen. Voted to be approved: YES
- If any wants to start as an understudy for him please speak up, club thanked him for continued great job and years of service

Membership Report (Adrian):

- Member count at 68

Communications (Ron):

- No issues to report
- Shanon and Adrian were monitoring the repeater during the Mandalay fires and were able to communicate with one individual who was looking for where to go.

Webmaster/Net Control Report (Juan):

- Website: Operating as normal. Updates to FD 2025 section have been completed..
 - Reviewed the member's only area and how to access it

- EchoLink: No reported issues
- Net: Averaging 26 check-ins for the month of June.

Old Business:

- 70th Anniversary Party at 9 October Meeting , we will set up a memorabilia table like we did at field day
- A recommendation was made to do club Patches, Steve will work on this.

New Business:

- Recommend buying lighting for our overnight operations on field day and winter field day.

Announcements/Other

- Monday Night FRS/GMRS project after our club nets, channel 3

Presentations:

- None tonight

Announcements/Upcoming Events

- 70th anniversary logo T-shirts still available and on sale tonight.
- 70th anniversary Party at October Meeting

In-person give-a-way or 50/50 raffle:

- *None*

Adjournment:

- The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 PM



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General Meeting Sign-in

Name	Call Sign (if any)	RCARA Member (Y/N)
Scott Cowpren	KN6OEH	Y
Michele Lewallen	KO6CUX	Y
Ken Lewallen	KN6LWQ	Y
Juan Mejia	AJ6OPM	Y
Steve DeLoach	W7DTH	YES
RAY HALL	KD6GUK	Y
RICK SCHIRMER	KK6CTT	Y
Adrian Bravo	KO6DEZ	yes
Shannon Johnson	KO6AYV	yes
Diana Gossard	KO6IXW	Yes-New!
Loreen Wynja	KF6ACY	yes
Ron Braley	KE6RYX	yes
Bruce Spieler	W6SOW	yes
Madeleine Haase	AT6MF	yes
Danny Gabrielson	N6DPG	Yes
Lynne Gabrielson	KI6EQP	yes
EDWARD Nijsst	AJ6ET	YES
JIM WILEY	AC6BA	
Rich TURNER	K26HQ	Y