



SCHAUMBURG AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

Business meeting Dec 18,2025

Don Dewar KD9NJR, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Attendees:

Don Dewar KD9NJR	Howard Mitchell KD9WSV	Chris Brewer AC9GN
Dennis Calvey KD9HIK	Cliff Sowka K9QD	Danny Kafka KD9HIL
John Thornton KD9VZJ	Bill McGovern W9WEM	Robert Kocourek W9RKK
Daryl Jenks KB9RHR	Glen Lubin KE9EJv	Jim Neumann W9JWN
Paul Meyers Guest	Tom Harrold Guest	Rick Dickens KY0Q
Richard France N9PAN	Bill Riess KW9WR	Chuck Gold KC9VO
Steven Karson AC9GN	Guy Stanek KE9AIA	Roger Young WB9NBA
Leo Ribordy N9NBH	Peter Schaak N9SCH	Tom O'Boyle N9GUN
Paul Burkett KD9FMN	Jim Heyland KD9VNG	Bill Gisseler W9YO
Tom Kraus N9HWV	Paul Bocci K9NO	Kirk Musselman K9MSG

Rob Glowacki N9MVO	John Douglas KD9KSH	Marty Galis Guest
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Zoom Virtual Attendees

Jim Campbell KB9RGU	Joseph Barela KB9RCR	Pierre Berube K9EYE
Charlene Treve, K9CMZ	Roberto Beltramelli WA9E	

Secretary's Report: Howard Mitchell, KD9WSV

November Meeting Minutes as published by Howard Mitchell, KD9WSV. Danny Kafka KD9HIL moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Bill McGovern W9WEM . Motion approved with no discussion.

Treasurer's Report: Chris Brewer, AC9GN

Treasurer's report read by Chris and reported below.

Leo Ribordy N9NBH moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Steven Karson AC9GN. Motion approved with no discussion.

SCHAUMBURG AMATEUR RADIO CLUB MONTHLY REPORT

Month: November 2025

Checkbook Balance 10/31/25 **\$13,232.93**

INCOME **MEMO** **\$2,375.00**

Cash deposit	11/03/25	\$25.00 dues
Zelle deposit	11/03/25	\$30.00 dues
Zelle deposit	11/17/25	\$25.00
Cash/checks	11/26/25	\$2,295.00 (\$1,265 check, \$1,030 cash)

DISBURSEMENTS **MEMO** **\$2,680.13**

ACH	11/07/25	\$78.52 AT&T DSL
Check #1931	11/10/25	\$27.88 Schaumburg safety day
ACH	11/12/25	\$1,085.21 Batteries and chargers
Zelle payment	11/17/25	\$176.04 Matt Walsh website fees
Check #1934	11/20/25	\$1,312.48 Battery box parts

11/30/25 Account Balance **\$12,927.80**

11/30/25 Bank Statement **\$12,927.80**

Pending Payments **MEMO** **-\$79.45**

Check #1393	11/05/25	-\$79.45 Business cards
		-\$25.00 (5) BB \$5 overcharges
	10/30/25	Adjusted balance

\$12,848.35

Petty Cash

Original balance	10/31/25	\$100.00
	11/20/25	\$135.00 (4) dues + \$30 donation
	11/20/25	\$15.00 SK auction (autotransformer)
	11/20/25	\$885.00 Battery box + dues to acct
		-\$1,030.00 cash to acct

New Balance 11/30/25 **MEMO** **\$105.00**

11/30/25 **Funds Available** **\$12,953.35**

Notes: bb income \$2,150.00

bb overcharges **-\$25.00**

bb costs \$2,397.69

delta **-\$272.69** (one unpurchased bb?)

115 members on roster

Comittee Reports

Education, Leo Ribordy N9NBH

Leo reported the General License training session will begin after the first of the year

Holiday Celebration Party - John Douglas

John Douglas, KD9KSH reminded the members of the event which will be held the Pollyanna Brewing Company in Roselle on January 17th (this will replace our monthly club business meeting) . All members and their guests are invited. Invitations have been extended to leadership within the Village of Schaumburg. John indicated the sign up thus far is low and encourgaged all to attend and to contact him regarding their attendance so he can order the right amount of food for the party. Paul Meyers, a new ham and member awaiting his

call sign assignment, has volunteered to take over social committee activities in the future.

Donation of Equipment by David Sims

Tom O'Boyle N9GUN and Paul Burkett KD9FMN evaluated the radio equipment recently donated to the club by David Sims. Items were catalogued and initial bid prices determined. At a later date, an auction of only one round will be held (only one round due to the smaller number of items compared to recent auctions).

Old Business

No Issues

New Business

Howard Mitchell, KD9WSV indicated he is working on a plan for 2026 to hold a joint Simulated Emergency Test (SET) between SARC, DuPage ARES and SATERN. Anyone with experience with SETs are asked to contact Howard

A few questions were asked:

1. Any update regarding location for summer field day? All options are still being evaluated but many potential sites are not adequate for our objectives. It is still hoped we can use the Schaumburg Plum Grove water tower site. Information is being prepared in response to the Village's recent request for information on our needs at that site.

2. Will there be a Construction Project on 12/27 as noted on our calendar? Cliff Sowka K9QD indicated it will still be held.

Meeting Adjourned 7:50 PM

Submitted December 20, 2025

Howard Mitchell KD9WSV, Secretary