

Central Indiana Amateur Radio Association (CIARA)



CIARA Meeting Notes – 04/05/2025– Fire Station 76

Those attending the meeting:

KB9FIO	Douglas Wilson
KD9BKU	Mike Hume
KD9JXX	Bryant Evarian
KD9KUP	Joseph R Kinsinger
KD9LJC	Gary W Scher
KD9UZX	Rodney R Mckinlay
KD9WQM	Tyson J Davis
KE9BPY	Jacob W Smith
KE9CMM	Alexander Williams
KJ9M	Joseph March
N9DAM	Dallas Milem
N9IFR	Randall S Dewitt
N9QML	Andrew G Wilson
W0ALA	Anthony L Ashpaugh
W9AHW	Andrew H Wickham
W9KD	John Gooldy
W9WLW	Robert Sluder
WA4EZF	Ron Sans
WB9SIS	Michael H Phillips

- 9:03 AM – Mike Hume, KD9BKU, called the meeting to order.
- The club approved the minutes from the last CIARA meeting.
- Paul Deihold, KA9SDQ, was not here today and no treasurer's report.
- John Gooldy, W9KD, gave a repeater update.
- Joe March, KJ9M, gave a discussion on EMA amateur radio relations for Hamilton County.
- Mike Hume, KD9BKU, went to the Life Church on Thursday and gave a presentation on amateur radio. It was suggested to have a ham radio class. We might have an open house and introduce visitors to amateur radio. We used to have one day classes with an exam at the end.
- Brian Evarian, KD9JXX, gave a presentation on "The Voice of the Andes".

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- There was a discussion on what new radio operators might purchase for their first radios.
- Brian Jinks, W9BGI, will give a presentation on traffic nets in an upcoming meeting.
- The club needs to assign a committee to plan Field Day. This year it will be bring your own your own equipment. Field Day will be at the Noblesville United Soccer Club which is at the same location as last year. The following volunteered to be on the committee.
 - Dallas Melon, N9DAM
 - Jacob Smith, KD9BPY
 - Bryant Evarian, KA9JXX
 - Andrew H Wickham, W9AHW
- HAMCOHAM is a Google Group that the club would lie to use to communicate with. You can sign up by going to k9eoc.org and selecting HAMCOHAM.
- The club voted to approve Steve McQueen as Vice President of the club.
- A show and tell session demonstrated several new hand held radios.
- The meeting was adjourned at 11:02 AM.

Submitted by:

Ron Sans, WA4EZF – Secretary

Approved by:

Mike Hume, KD9BKU – President