AJARC

Meeting Agenda November 3rd, 2026 (update 11/1/2026)

Location: Old Oak Tap Room
Present: XXX Members, XXX Guests, and the Leadership

Next meeting: Tuesday, December 1st, 2026, 18:30, Christmas Party, Trinity United Methodist Church (524 Tusculum Blvd., Greeneville, TN, 37745)

Meeting
Meeting will be called to order at 19:00 by club leadership, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, and a prayer.

1. **Roll call of attendees and their call signs.**
2. **Secretary/Treasurer report**

Larry Whiteside reports – Summary of October finances.

Deposits: $25.63 (0.63 interest, $24 dues, $1.00 donation)
Expenses: $516 ($42.00 GEA, $240 for UPS box, $234 Higgins Hardware and Storage rest of year)

Membership: 52 members and 34 members would be quorum. If you have donations or renewal of memberships, they can be done through PayPal or by check. Please check on your membership on the AJARC.org web site. Quick reminder of the address for the radio club is 1113 Tusculum Blvd, Box 152, Greeneville TN 37743.

3. **Old Business:**

Education Committee/Activity Steven Bible (N7HPR): Steven reported on the next project to be built on Wednesday night. A desktop "CW_decoder" which can process up to six signals at one time. It will only cost about $35 to build per person.

Tower / Repeater Committee: Justin Wilhoit (KR4CUF) Brian Thacker (KQ4OBR) and others: No one has been up to the tower to work on final few things.

VE Testing Wallace Shealy (KZ4MW): Wallace reported they are planning for testing at Makers Space as he has three requests. They will be working to create a normal schedule for testing.

Election of Officers: Nomination Committee John Coley (K1HND), Allie Peet (AA4IM), Larry Whiteside (KN4MVH) reported three names for the November election.

President: Brian Thacker (KQ4OBR), Justin Wilhoit (KR4CUF)

Vice-President: Updated 11/1/26 – Scott Bird KM4FYJ, contacted Larry Whiteside and stated on 10/30/26, that he would like to be considered for the VIP position so his name has been added to the list of names.

Sec/Treasurer: Larry Whiteside (KN4MVH)

Weather station idea at tower (KM4EBZ/Larry KN4MVH): Nothing to report.

Web hosting: Ian Bible (KE4EAC) and Allie Peet (AA4IM):

Bylaws (Larry KN4MVH and Allie AA4IM): No action pending at this time.

SKYWarn training (Larry KN4MVH): The next one is Thursday, November 3rd, 2026.
https://www.weather.gov/mrx/skywarn_classes The District 6 Repeater Frequency. It is 147.030

Club Tower Trailer: Status of the estimate for parts for the hardware to update the antenna and power wench/battery backup.

STEM event: How did October 23rd, 2026 go?

4. New Business:

December 1st Christmas party: Trinity United Methodist Church (524 Tusculum Blvd., Greeneville, TN, 37745) has been contacted and the room is reserved again for this year. We have reserved the smaller fellowship room. The boy scouts have a standing reservation for the larger fellowship room of the church. We will be holding the Dirty Santa Gift exchange again this year so plan to bring a gift to exchange. Larry White (AG4OB) will lead the event.

Winter Field-Day Proposal - January 23-24, 2027, use of the W4WC call sign: Greene County Makers space for the event. We already have the 40-meter radio in place. Use of the Club Call sign.

Fire tower USDA Inventory Form Submitted October 15ths, 2026: Larry Whiteside signed/submitted the SF-2700-10a to the USFS and the Dept of Agriculture forms by their October 15th deadline.

Request from NARA to Join:

5. Roundtable:

Motion to adjourn by:
Meeting adjourned at XXXX