



January 4, 2016



Meeting Agenda

- Welcome-Visitors and Members
 - Introductions
- 2015 in Review
 - Stats
 - Joint Meeting with Lebanon ARC
 - Hellbender Road Race
 - Field Day
 - Hellbender Adventure Race
 - Fox Hunt
 - JOTA
 - Repeater Work Day
 - OT100
 - Leadership
- New Business/ Announcements/ Calendar
 - Elections
 - Announcements
 - Calendar for 2016
- Next Meeting – February 1st 2016



Dues are Due!

Single membership= \$20

Family membership= \$25

Student membership= \$15

Note: Membership must be current to vote



Stats

- Seven Events Supported
- Five Tech Talks (W0OWE, K0OG, AI0LM)
- Five Test Sessions (VEs: N6RHQ, KF0TW, NA0Q, KF0XQ, KC0AES, K0OG, KC0AES, KC0YDZ, N0QL)



Joint Meeting Report



One Word: **Tight**



**Thanks to the
Volunteers:**

Net Control @ Rolla:
AIØLM, WØOWE

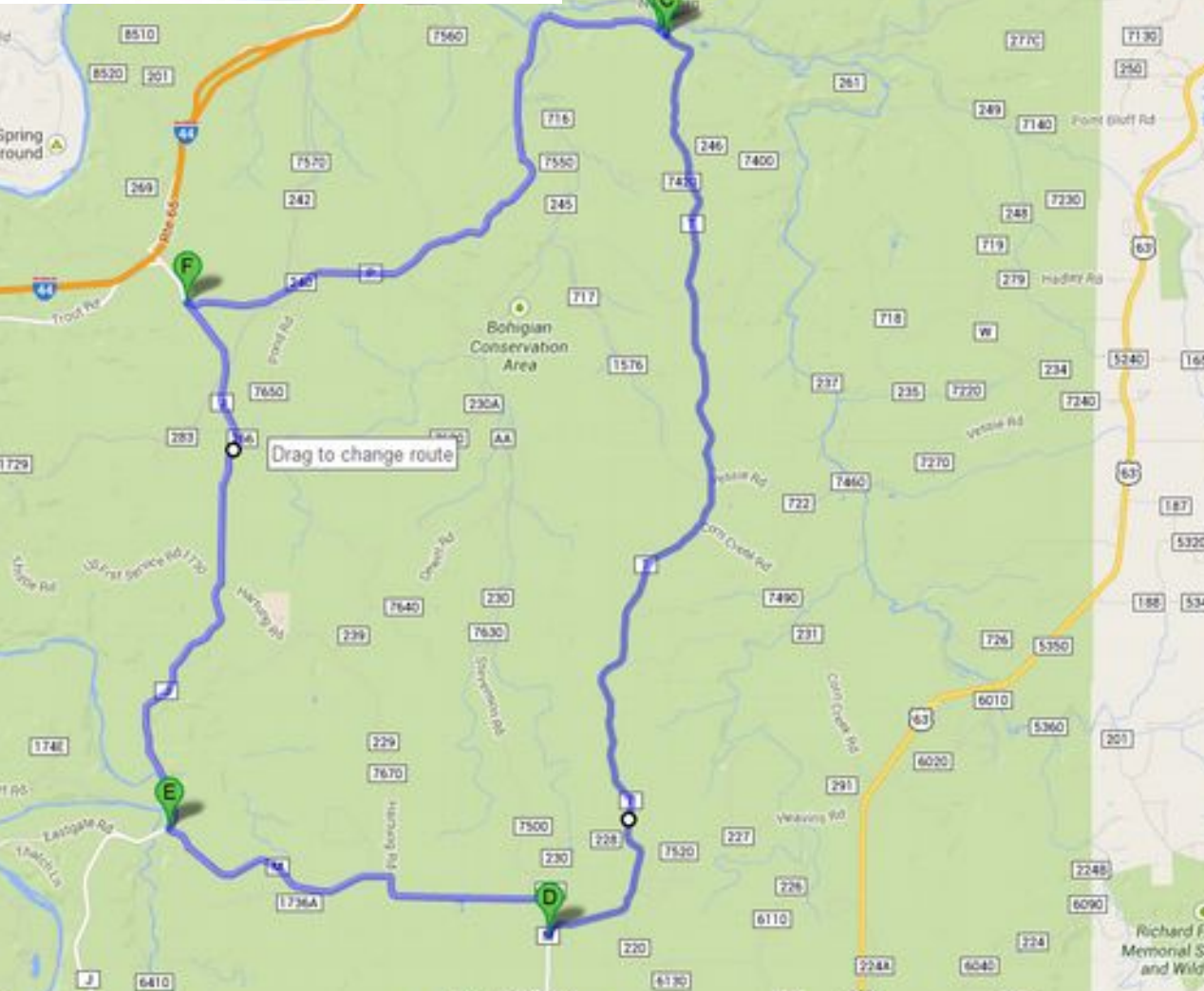
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repeater

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Field Day 2015

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St. Louis' is a delightfully charming play

Opening reception for 'Two Women Sharing Art' exhibit set for Aug. 7

ALS notes

Despite computers, there's still interest in ham radio

You'd think that with all the computers in homes, all the smartphones in the hands of everybody from children through senior citizens, all the internet, the world wide web, the forums and blogs and Twitter and Facebook and email and chat boxes and social media, there would be absolutely no interest in an old-time hobby like ham radio.



Peter Price operates the digital data station.

R.D. Hohenfeldt

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Hellbender Adventure Race



N6RHQ and KD0JNI



Guest Operator NA0Q

Thanks to Steve (N6RHQ), Ann (KD0JNI), Ron (NA0Q), and Louis (AI0LM)



Fox Hunt Results

Congratulations to the winner....



Mike Hardy Sr.
KE0ARR

Only took one hour to find the fox!



JOTA – 10/17 Report



Russel (W0OWE) and a scout



Repeater Work Day 2015



A year's worth of growth!



Ozark Trail 100 Mile Endurance Run



RRARS Thanks to:

Ron NA0Q

Peggy KD0MAL

Josiah KD0FCW

Fairlight KD0FCV

Samuel KD0JSH

Joe K0OG

Peter N0XZN

Mark WA0TOP

Russell W0OWE

Ann KD0JNI/ Steve N6RHQ

Rosa KD0GLO

Gary KF0TW

Mike KD0TEA

Bryan KD0GYL

Mike KE0ARR

Mike Lockhart



RRARS 2016 Leadership

- November
 - Nominations for Board Members, President
- December
 - Elections
- **January**
 - **Results**
- February
 - Board meeting, approval of officers



RRARS 2016 Leadership

Board of Directors:

Name	Call	Term End
Al Kimrey	N0JQX	2015* (term ended)
Jeff McKune	KD0JLM	2015* (term ended)
Shawn Bleiler	KD0DMJ	2016
Dave Bridges	KC0AES	2016
Peter Price	N0XZN	2017
Steve Miller	N6RHQ	2017

**New Board Members as of This Election:*

Peter Freeman	K6RFT	2018
Gary Taggart	KF0TW	2018

Presidential Board Member: Louis McCarthy AI0LM
(Louis Was re-elected!)



RRARS 2016 Leadership

Nominations for Board

Peter Freeman (K6RFT)

Mike Hardy Sr. (KE0ARR)

Gary Taggart (KF0TW)

Nominations for President

Louis McCarthy (AI0LM)

Voting will be from December to January, write ins are allowed.



Announcements

New business, Announcements, Ideas....

- Halloween Hamfest, October 31, Kirkwood Community Center
- NARCFEST, November 14, Nixa Event Center
- Sullivan Open House, December 10, Firehouse #5, 6-8:30 PM
- OMAR Hamfest, January 9, Brighton, MO
- Winterfest, January 23, Collinsville, IL



Calendar/ Events/ Ideas 2016

January

February Test Session

March Spotter Training

April Joint Mtg w/ LARC (in Waynesville)

May Test Session

June Hellbender, Field Day (Test Session at ~2:30)

July

August

September Test Session/Fox Hunt

October Repeater work day - Hancock

November Ozark Trails 100

December Club Elections



Next meeting: February 1st



Meeting Notes

Russel will talk about his DC power system for the March tech talk
Had short discussion about exotic antennas, like loading up a tree with a nail.
Mark mentioned his VLF 40 turn ribbon wire antenna
Dave was asked to coordinate field day again. Dave asked Shawn to be a co-chair.
National Parks on the Air was mentioned to be active.
Joe and Russel expressed interest in operating for Winter Field Day.
We discussed having Field Day at a fire tower, such as the one on south 63 across from Lane Springs.