

Yellow Thunder Amateur Radio Club Meeting Minutes for May 4th, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 706 pm.

Secretary's Report--

The minutes of the April meeting were presented. Motion to approve by Patrick (W9PCK) and seconded by Ray (KD9LNZ). Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report -

Insurance expense was paid. Amount due had decreased. Ending bank balance for April was \$x,xxx.xx.

Old Business -

Matt(KC9UPE) had researched and presented a power point discussing repeater back up power options including hardware and pricing. Cost breakdown was presented. Suggested amount to purchase up to \$1,200. Patrick (W9PCK) motioned and Dan (WX9E) seconded. Motion carried.

New Business -

Summer activities are gearing up and Yellow Thunder Amateur Radio Club is no exception. Summer Field Day is set for Saturday, June 27th at 1pm through Sunday, June 28th 4pm. The location is again at Owen Park. RV and tent sites are available for those interested in camping overnight. Plan on joining either 1 or both days.

Questions regarding the website server certificate was discussed.

Band Reports -

POTA activations and hunting were popular last month. A variety of antenna ideas for different Ham Radio activities were shared.

Motion to adjourn was made and was seconded. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:57pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Tammy Conley (KE9BUP) Secretary
Yellow Thunder Amateur Radio Club

Attendance -

Dan Brown WX9E
Tammy Conley KE9BUP
Mike Dempsey KE9BHX
Aaron Diers KC0WKP*
Bob Disehler KB9UOJ
Michael Fehrenbach W9MRF*
Patrick Kirchenwitz W9PCK
Joe Mayenschein WB9SBD*
Matt Noll KC9UPE
Richard Plouffe N9ROY*
Ray Sommerfeldt KD9LNZ
David Spearing KB9CSW
Mathew Toussaint KD9DZT

(*) indicates attended by zoom