

Davie Cooper City Amateur Radio Club BoD Summary September 5, 2025



BoD Meeting Agenda

Meeting	called to	order at	1207	,

Confirm that we have a quorum (Y/N) need 4+. Yes

> Announcements

- The second Tuesday (9/9) is our regular monthly club meeting. We will be voting on the By-Laws amendment.
 - WB4EHG: reminder was sent to the members at 1535ET
 September 9th --- Sent 2025-09-05
- We have officer nominations in two months for 2026 and need to promote other members to take leadership roles. Our current slate of officers is getting stale. All positions are open.
 - Nominate a friend, volunteer yourself, get a friend to nominate you

> Officer Reports

- Vice President
 - Presentation at next meeting
 - He gave a class on putting PL-259 connectors on coax
 - It was well attended and a very good class.
 - Melanie Fernandez KJ4VCT president of the <u>Gold Coast</u> club and Carol Sjursen KJ4AWB Broward County Assistant Emergency Coordinator were in the class
 - The next one could possibly be on SWR or coax. Contact Tony with your suggestions. Email link.
 - Demonstrate how to set up a home VHF station including antenna?
 - He is always looking for presentation and class suggestions.
- Secretary (Rich WB4EHG)
 - Meeting summary for all previous meetings ares <u>on-line</u>.
- Treasurer (Grumme W4GRU)

Total Funds	\$ 5,584.20
A copy is on Groups.io	
See aux report for details	



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> Administrative reports:

- Membership (Fred WB4BAG)
 - We have 105 members with 58% being ARRL members
 - New Silent Key plaque arrived and sadly has two names already
 - Next member meeting we will have a vote on the By Laws amendment. I (Pres) will likely not be at the meeting, but will set up prior.
- Net (Gil W1RG)
 - We need new net control stations. We are overusing the same group of guys. It's not hard! The preamble is on-line here.
- QSL Manager (John W6BXQ)
 - The report is on-line <u>here</u>
- Testing (Tom N4MEO) -
 - Testing results for August:

Class	How Many Passed				
Technician	1				
Tech & Genl	2				
Extra	1 (N1NEW congratulations Mike)				

- Next test session is September 21st. No candidates yet.
- PIO (Dan KO4SYU):
- Facilities Manager (we need a volunteer for this activity):

Old business

None

> Anything for the good of the club?

- What are your thoughts on refreshing the BoD and officers (nominations in November, election in December)?
 - Our current president, secretary and treasurer have had the positions for several (or more) years. Perhaps some new people will generate interest. Contact Fred if you are interested in a position. His email is here (just click your email program should open with his address).
- More workshops/teaching/hands-on events.
 - Tony W6TNY is always interested in ideas, his email is here.
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- Is there interest in organizing a POTA? Even a small one? Contact Fred
 - Take equipment in vehicles instead of the trailer.
- There's some confusion about using <u>dcarc@groups.io</u> to "post messages.
 - WB4EHG explained that groups.io is just an email reflector. All of the members who are subscribed can reply to messages and start new ones (just address email to dcarc@groups.io).
 - Yes, there is a section of the account where documents can be posted on-line and that is reserved for the officers that need the access. Our meeting summaries are kept there.

> New Business

- Grumme W4GRU requested two web pages for a project he is working on. These would be similar to the picnic page.
 - WB4EHG and WB3ISP will get the pages set up.

> Adjournment

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Attendance:

Call	ATD?	Call	ATD?	Call	ATD?	Call	ATD?
WB4BAG	Υ	N4MEO		W6TNY	Y	W1RG	Y
WB4EHG	Y	W4GRU	Y	WB2RUU	Y		