

## Richmond County Amateur Radio Club

Oct. 11, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order by President Mark Dawkins, N4CMD, at 9:30AM at the RCEM training room. Sept13, 2025 minutes were read and Treasury Report given by James Bullard, KC4ZIE.

### Old Business:

President Mark Dawkins thanked everybody for supporting all of the local nets by checking in and keeping the repeaters active. That support really goes to helping our ham radio hobby active.

President Mark Dawkins asked all that were present if they had thoughts on the menu for our coming Christmas Dinner, most said that a traditional menu would be great.

President Mark Dawkins gave a talk on the different apps that can be used on a smart phone or device for accessing the Allstar Net work of repeaters including our RCARC repeater. Repeaterphone and DV Switch being the most for Allstar to access our local node, the ID is 62431. Mark said that he is still trying different node settings to get the best performance from our local repeater and node.

### New Business:

Mark Gibson, N4MQU, stated that there will be a test session following the club meeting. Mark also added that Oct. 18 is Support Your Park weekend for POTA and encouraged all to work some POTA in support.

Mark Dawkins asked that the club think about maybe donating to some local charity as has been done in the past. Mark added that further discussion would follow in November or December.

Being no further business, President Mark Dawkins adjourned the meeting at 09:56am. The minutes for October were read back by James Bullard. Asked for approval and Vote was taken and all approved.

Everyone is encouraged to invite anyone interested in radio to join us at the meetings and any club function.

There were 17 people present

Meeting was followed by an informal ragchew session.