

VENTURA COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC.

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P.O. Box 2103, Oxnard California 93034

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Date: June 12th 2026

VCARC General Membership Meeting Minutes

1. Emcee, Robert Shank, Vice President
2. Scribe, Alan Majeski, Secretary
3. Call to order; 7:04
4. Pledge of Allegiance; please remain standing, silent key announcement. Moment of silence in memory of John P Gartman, W6JPG
5. Welcome members and guest;
6. General announcements; 7:09
7. Sunday evening board meeting; The following appointments were made; Dave Schmidt Treasurer, Robert Shank VP, Tim Tenopir board member at large. Congratulations and welcome to the team. 7:12
8. Please remind everyone to sign in and annotate if you are an ARRL member and if you plan on attending Field Day. Please note that we need a head count of committed attendees in order to know how much food to purchase.
9. If you need a membership badge, please see the club secretary, Alan.
10. Please remind everyone that Friday, June 26 is the field day set up. Field day is Saturday the 27th thru Sunday the 28th. With the afternoon of the 28th being take down and clean up.
11. No raffle tonight. All club and private sales are suspended until further notice, or until the club gets a current resale permit. Please bear with us while we get this taken care of. Your patience is appreciated.
12. Introduction of this evening's speaker, Robert Shank presents; "A tribute to John P Gartman, W6JPG" now silent key with slide show. 7:15
13. Remembrances and stories by members;
14. Break; 7:24
15. Call to order; 7:44
16. Final plan for Field Day and assignments; 7:44

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17. Member Q & A; 9:18
18. Short presentation on computer logging program for Field Day by Burt Auerbach.
19. Tomorrow, Saturday, June 13, there will be a Meshcore workshop here at the picnic area.
20. Our next meeting is July 10th and on July 18 is our next VE exam session followed by our portable operations help session, so come out and play with your radios.
21. Remember Toppers Pizza after the meeting.
22. Motion to adjourn; Mark Leach
23. Second; Phil Cohen
24. All in favor; Yes
25. Meeting adjourned @ 9:03 pm