Victoria Amateur Radio Club Monthly Meeting May 15, 2025

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Amateur Radio Club (VARC) was called to order at 7:05 pm on May 15, 2025, by President Brenson (KF5VZ), at Detar Navarro MEDI Center Training room. A quorum was present.

Secretary Bryan noted that we did not have an official meeting last month due to lack of a quorum.

Treasurer Darrell presented his report showing a balance of \$2,477.74. The report was approved.

Vice President Report – Gary gave the repeater sub-committee report stating that the 145.13 repeater at DeTar North is operating correctly now. Also noted that 443.350 at DeTar Navarro will be connected to our Victoria area room as an analog node with DeTar covering the costs. Steve is also a member of the committee. We are currently hosting two rooms on WiresX. Room 45155 is our local W5DSC room with Victoria, Port Lavaca, and Cuero. Room 40324 is connected to San Antonio Digital Radio Club. Any changes to the Goliad repeater are dependent on Harvey's health. The UHF repeater at the Sheriff's Office will he connected to the AllStar network once we get an internet connection.

New Business – Gary moved and Joe seconded to buy a canopy for special events. A design was also voted on and approved. Carolyn moved and Darrell seconded to set a \$200 limit for magnetic signs and banners for use at Water Safari with Joe to handle it. Motion passed.

More help is needed for Water Safari. See Darrell to volunteer. Emergency personnel have been sent invitations to Summer Field Day on June 28 and 29.

The need to move our extra antenna was discussed and it was decided to store it in Carolyn's garage.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:33 pm after a motion by Carolyn and second by Bob.

Respectfully submitted, Bryan Haun, KG5AUZ Secretary