

Minutes-June 18, 2026, General Meeting

Executive Committee Members Present

President: Geoff Kline KI5VNB
Vice President: Eric Bramini KC8OPY, Field Day Coordinator
Treasurer: Tom McClory KE8FWZ, Youth Coordinator
Secretary: Jim Gifford N8KET, POTA Co-Coordinator
Senior Director: Don Macon KE8WVJ
Junior Director: Glenn Rodgers WI8O, Clubhouse Safety, POTA Co-Coordinator

Executive Committee Members Absent

NA

Opening

President Geoff Kline KI5VNB led with the Pledge of Allegiance. Introductions were made, and we recognized visitors and new and advanced hams. The mic was passed around the room and members and guests introduced themselves.

Questions/Comments on April meeting minutes

Vote to accept the minutes; Joe Muchnij N8QOD moved we accept; Al Tokarsky KB8PJW seconded; passed.

Financial Report – Tom McClory KE8FWZ

Tom McClory presented the financial report for May 2026:

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BARC May 2026 Financials

Fund	30-Apr-26	Income	Expenses	31-May-26
General	\$7,944.27	\$396.00	\$932.86	\$7,207.41
Comm center	\$246.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$246.43
Refreshments	\$1,098.46	\$22.00	\$0.00	\$1120.46
Repeater	\$319.53	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$319.63
All Liquid Funds	\$9,408.69	\$418.00	\$932.86	\$8,893.83
6 Month CD	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
ALL FUNDS	\$9,408.69	\$418.00	\$923.86	\$8,893.83

WPCU 31-May-2026 ending Balance: \$8,893.83

Vote to accept the financial report; Jim Totten WA8HUB moved to accept; Glenn Rodgers WI8O seconded; passed.

Updates from the President

- The hexbeam was installed on Monday. It was tested and works. Only on Station Two at the time of the meeting.
- The Cincinnati Hamfest has camping available.
- Don Parker will be sending out an email, as the time approaches, about the Lions Club parade.
- We received our special call sign, W8O, for the September Special Event.

Coordinator updates

- Jim Gifford N8KET provided an update on upcoming POTA adventure, which, because of the July 4 holiday, will be held the third Saturday in July.
- Tink Siwecki KD8NUA announced next week's movie night. She also said that the Field Day picnic dinner would be at 5:30.

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Presentation, Eric Bramini – Field Day Plans

Eric Bramini KC8OPY presented the following about Saturday's Field Day at Sackett Wright Park.

Secretary note: A PDF of the presentation is attached to the email.

Closing

Eric Bramini moved we close the meeting; Ray Hit N8VMX seconded; closed at about 8:09 pm.