

BYLAWS

BELLA VISTA RADIO CLUB

DATE: MARCH 1, 2018 - recent amendments are highlighted in yellow.

NAME: BELLA VISTA RADIO CLUB
(Also known as "BVRC")

A. MEMBERSHIP

REGULAR MEMBERSHIP IS OPEN TO ALL LICENSED AMATEURS. ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IS OPEN TO ALL OTHER INTERESTED INDIVIDUALS. HOWEVER, VOTING RIGHTS ARE LIMITED TO REGULAR MEMBERS.

B. PURPOSE

1. FINANCIALLY SUPPORT THE OPERATION OF THE BVRC REPEATER.
2. THE PRIMARY FUNCTION OF THE REPEATER WILL BE FOR THE BENEFIT OF BELLA VISTA VILLAGE AND THE SURROUNDING AREAS.

C. ANNUAL DUES

1. PAYABLE JANUARY 1ST. EACH YEAR
2. THE DOLLAR AMOUNT TO BE SET AT THE END OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR AT A MEETING OF THE MEMBERSHIP CALLED BY THE OFFICIAL BOARD.
3. FOR NEW MEMBERS JOINING AFTER JULY 1ST, DUES PAID WILL BE CREDITED TO THE FOLLOWING YEAR, AND DUES FOR THE CURRENT YEAR WILL BE FREE.
4. DUES WILL BE ASSESSED ON A FAMILY BASIS, WHICH ALLOWS ONE VOTE.
5. DUES THREE MONTHS IN ARREARS WILL RESULT IN A TEMPORARY LOSS OF MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING PRIVILEGES.

D. OFFICERS of the BOARD

1. TITLES

PRESIDENT
VICE PRESIDENT
SECRETARY
TREASURER

PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER

TWO MEMBERS AT LARGE

(NORMALLY THEY WOULD BE MADE UP OF THE IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT AND THE REPEATER TRUSTEE. HOWEVER, IF EITHER ONE CANNOT SERVE OR HOLDS ANOTHER OFFICE A SUBSTITUTE WILL BE ELECTED).

2. ELECTION DATE – PREVIOUS YEARS DECEMBER MEETING.
3. FOLLOWING QUORUM RULES, THE MAJORITY OF VOTES CAST BY REGULAR MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE WILL CONSTITUTE A VALID ELECTION.
4. VACANCIES WILL BE FILLED BY SPECIAL ELECTION

E. GROUP MEETINGS

1. REGULAR MEETINGS WILL BE MONTHLY
2. SPECIAL MEETINGS WILL BE CALLED BY THE BOARD WHEN NECESSARY, WITH NOTIFICATIONS OF SUCH MEETING BY MAIL OR CALLING COMMITTEE.
3. A MAJORITY OF PAID REGULAR MEMBERSHIP IN ATTENDANCE SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING BUSINESS AFFAIRS.

F. COMMITTEES

1. REPEATER COMMITTEE – SELECTED AND UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE REPEATER TRUSTEE.
 - a. CONTROL CONSTRUCTION, ADJUSTMENT, REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF THE REPEATER.
 - b. ADMINISTER CONTROL OF THE REPEATER OPERATION IN LINE WITH FCC REGULATIONS.
2. NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE – EACH YEAR A NOMINATING COMMITTEE WILL BE APPOINTED BY THE BOARD AT THE OCTOBER MEETING TO PREPARE THE FOLLOWING YEARS SLATE OF OFFICERS. THIS SLATE WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE DECEMBER MEETING.

G. AMENDMENTS

1. THESE BYLAWS MAY BE AMENDED BY A TWO THIRDS VOTE OF THE REGULAR MEMBERSHIP.
2. PROPOSED AMENDMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE FULL MEMBERSHIP IN WRITING AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR TO ANY ACTION BY THE MEMBERSHIP.

H. DISSOLUTION

1. ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY ON LOAN FROM MEMBERS SHALL BE RETURNED.
2. THE REGULAR MEMBERSHIP SHALL DETERMINE THE DISPOSAL OF ALL REMAINING ASSETS.

I. APPENDIXES

1. THE TRUSTEE GUIDELINES AND THE REPEATER OPERATING PRACTICES ARE CONSIDERED TO BE APPENDICES OF THE BYLAWS.