

SBE Chapter 24 Monthly Meeting

February 20, 2025

Chairperson Russ Awe called the meeting to order at 7:06 pm. There were five members present, three certified and one guest.

Secretary's report

Will need to approve the January minutes at the next meeting as they are not completed by this meeting for posting to the website.

Treasurer's Report

Derek Murphy submitted that there was no activity to the checking account.

We are looking for someone to take over the sustaining membership program for the local chapter.

Program Committee

Our next meeting is Thursday March 20th at 7pm. Please offer suggestions to Russ russ.awe@pbswisconsin.org

National Report

Russ reports that SBE annual membership **renewal reminders** went in the mail the last week of January. You can **renew online** or through the mail. The SBE asks that renew by the April 1 deadline to ensure you don't lose any member benefits. If you have not received your renewal, please contact Scott Jones kjones@sbe.org. The SBE suggests **renewing online** if you can.

The [SBE Ennes Workshop](#) at the NAB Show will span two days again, April 4 and 5. It will be held in the West Hall of the Las Vegas Convention Center (rooms TBA). The two separate educational tracks are RF 101 Boot Camp and Media Over IP. Registration for the SBE Ennes Workshop at the NAB Show is via the NAB Show website. The cost is \$289. Register by Feb. 28 and use the [promo code SBEEARLYBIRD](#) for a discount.

SBE members can use the code [SBENAB25](#) to receive a free exhibits-only pass or get \$150 off full convention registration.

Membership Report

Russ Awe reports that we have 39 Members, 21 of whom are certified.

Certification and Education

Jim Hermanson reported the following:

The next 2025 certification exam dates are...

April 8th at the NAB Show, with exam registration deadline of February 21st.

June 6-16 in local chapters, with exam registration deadline of April 13th.

There is one Webinar by SBE on February 27th at 1 PM CT titled "Fundamentals of Modulation and Modulation Theory as Applied in the Broadcast World," by Instructor Greg Buchwald. Visit the SBE National Website for more information.

Frequency Coordination

None.

Old Business

Nominations are open for chapter Chair, Vice Chair and Secretary.

New Business

None.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 pm. The program was a tour of the production facility at Bethel Lutheran Church. They produce a weekly broadcast and multiple streams of the worship services. Three operated "studio" cameras, two PTZ cameras, one large LED wall is switched via a Ross Carbonite Ultra and edited on Premier for broadcast air each week.

Attendance

Russ Awe 33243 no

James Hermanson, 10052 yes

Mike Norton, 14519 yes

Ross Cooper, 28483 no

Roy Henn, 31376 yes

James Drews, guest