

Newton County Radio Club/ARES/RACES/SKYWARN weekly net script

Is the frequency in use?

CQ CQ CQ this is the Newton County Radio Club (NCRC), Newton County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (NCARES), RACES, and Skywarn Net. The purpose of the net is to **promote fellowship** among all amateur radio operators, **provide a forum** for conveying of information and exchange of ideas, and to **facilitate training** of net members and control operators. The net is open to all radio amateurs and is not limited to Club or ARES members. If you would like to receive Club or ARES membership information please advise net control at check in.

This is ___(YOUR call sign)___ Net Control for this session. My location is ___(YOUR city & state)___ and my name is ___(insert YOUR name)___.

Because this is an emergency preparedness net, we will at this time ask for a volunteer to serve as Alternate Net Control Station (ANCS) in the event this station or its operator become disabled. Is there anyone who will serve as ANCS for this session? Over.

Thank you ___(call sign)___ are you ready to copy? Over.

Thank you ___(name)___ out.

This net also accepts check-ins through the winlink 2000 system. Is there anyone who will serve as Winlink Net Control Station for this session?

Over. (If a station volunteers give the following response)

Thank you ___(call sign)___ out. You may send your Winlink check-ins to K4NCR

Winlink check-ins will be acknowledged at the end of the net.

This is a directed net; please direct all traffic to the net control (NCS).

Do we have any Emergency or Priority Traffic? Please call now.

Are there any relays on Emergency or Priority Traffic? Please call now.

Do we have any Liaisons from other nets on frequency? Please call now.

Do we have a MARS Liaison or anyone who can handle traffic for MARS if needed? Please call now.

The net is divided into the following sections:

- Announcements
- Newton County Amateur Radio Club discussion
- Newton County ARES discussion
- Check in of participating stations
- Program or Special training

---<<< Net Discussions >>>---

Do we have any Announcements? Please call now.

Anyone having discussion for the Newton County Radio Club please call now. (call sign only).

(Call stations in order from check in log. At this point the net sort of runs itself. Net controls only function is to maintain order. Always give your call when handing off the net for discussion, to comply with Part 97)

Is there any other Newton County Radio Club discussion? (Only if discussion was present)**

Anyone with NCARES or General ARES discussion, please call now, (call sign only).

(Run this section as above)

Is there any other NCARES discussion? (Only if discussion was present)**

---<<< Start Net Check-ins >>>---

This is ___(YOUR call sign)___ net control for the Newton County Radio Club and Newton County ARES/RACES/Skywarn net calling for check-ins with or without traffic. When checking in please speak slowly (at writing speed) and distinctly, give your call sign phonetically, your name, and if you have a program for the net.

All Newton County Amateur Radio Club officers and all amateurs serving as Emergency Coordinators, Assistant Emergency Coordinators, or managers please check in now.

All stations with call sign prefix beginning with Alpha, please call now.
(Acknowledge check- ins)

All stations with call sign prefix beginning with Kilo, please call now.
(Acknowledge check- ins)

All stations with call sign prefix beginning with November, please call now.
(Acknowledge check- ins)

All stations with call sign prefix beginning with Whiskey, please call now.
(Acknowledge check-ins)

(At this time call on each checked-in individual for comments)

Net Program (if applicable).

We will now turn the net over to (name and call sign) who will present this evening's brief program.

Thank you (name and call sign) for presenting this evening's program.

(ID NCS)

We will pause now for any additional check ins. Prefix A, K, N, or W, please call now.

(Acknowledge check-ins) (call for comments if applicable)

Achievements and Acknowledgements Portion of the Net.

Are there any birthdays, anniversaries, or other items of interest in the amateur community this week?

Swap Shop Portion of the Net

Does anybody have anything you would like to buy, sell, trade, or donate?

This is ___(YOUR call sign)___ net control for the Newton County Radio Club and ARES/RACES/Skywarn net calling for late check-ins, please call now.

(Acknowledge check- ins)

___(Call sign)___ Do you have any Winlink check-ins? Over.

(Acknowledge Winlink check-ins.)

Is there any other traffic or business for the net before we close? Over.

(Call ANCS) Is there any other traffic for the net I have overlooked? Over.

___(ANCS call sign)___ ANCS I have ___(number)___ check-ins. Do you concur? Over.

The Newton County Radio Club and NCARES/RACES/Skywarn nets operate on 146.925, PL 88.5 and 444.800, PL 88.5. The echo link Node ID is WA4ASI-R and the node number 6925.

For information about the Newton County Radio Club please visit us on the Internet at www.ncrcga.org

For information about the Newton County Amateur Radio Emergency Service please link through the club web site.

I want to thank each of you for your participation in the net this evening. I want to thank ___(call sign)___ for serving as Alternate Net Control for this session, and ___(call sign)___ for serving a Winlink NCS. I want to thank George, WA4ASI, for the use of the repeater. The Newton County Radio Club and NCARES/RACES/Skywarn Group meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Newton County Law Enforcement Center or the 911 Center at 18:30 hours (6:30 PM). The Newton County Radio Club and Newton County ARES would like to thank each of you for checking in with us and you are invited to check in with us again each Thursday evening at 2000 hours (8:00 PM).

This is ___(YOUR call sign)___ closing this session of the Newton County Radio Club and Newton County ARES/RACES/Skywarn net, and returning the repeaters to normal amateur use. 73 out.

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