

Scott County ARES Weekly Net Script

Mondays 7:00PM local time
146.535 Mhz simplex

Opening:

CQ Scott County Amateurs.

This is [call sign], net control station for the Scott County ARES Net.

This is a directed net.

The purpose of this net is to

- *provide training in emergency operation,*
- *develop Scott County ARES emergency communications, and*
- *provide fellowship for ARES members.*

All stations are welcome to participate.

Please transmit only when requested to, unless you have emergency traffic.

Stations with Emergency or Priority traffic may break into the net at any time by transmitting their callsign and the proword OVER.

This is a directed net. All stations use the proword OVER or proword OUT at the end of your transmission.

I am your net control station, [call sign]. My name is [your name] and I am located in [your city].

Stations for the Scott County ARES net please call [call sign], state your callsign, first name, location, and precedence and destination of your messages. This is a directed net. All stations use the proword OVER or proword OUT at the end of your transmission. (OVER)

Acknowledge the stations checking in by listing the call signs and ending the list with the prowords ROGER, OUT.

IF the NECOS believes there might be stations that cannot copy his station, ask for relays by stating:

Are there any relays? OVER.

If there are relays acknowledge the new check-ins after calling the relaying station. If there are no relays, conclude the net call with “No Stations heard, OUT”

NET ID: Every 10 minutes

This is the Scott County Amateur Radio Emergency Service net. This is a directed net. All stations use the proword OVER or proword OUT at the end of your transmission. [your call] (OUT) OR combine with call for Additional Stations

Additional Stations

Additional stations for the Scott County ARES net please call [call sign], state your callsign, first name, location, and precedence and destination of your messages. This is a directed net. All stations use the proword OVER or proword OUT at the end of your transmission. (OVER)

If there are new stations, acknowledge the new check-ins. If there are no new stations, conclude the net call with “No Stations heard, [your call] OUT”

Acknowledge new stations or

Direct the distribution of any Emergency or Priority traffic held by the net.

Are there any announcements or bulletins for this net? Please call [call sign]. (OVER)

Acknowledge the stations announcements, bulletins, or training, by listing the call signs and ending the list with the proword ROGER.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & BULLETINS: Call the stations listing information and ask them to pass their information.

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Additional Stations

Additional stations for the Scott County ARES net please call [call sign] , state your callsign, first name, location, and precedence and destination of your messages. This is a directed net. All stations use the proword OVER or proword OUT at the end of your transmission. (OVER)

If there are new stations, acknowledge the new check-ins. If there are no new stations, conclude the net call with “No Stations heard, [your call] OUT”

TRAINING: If there is a training topic for the evening, turn the net over to the station listing the training topic under the call for announcements of bulletins.

ROLL-CALL COMMENTS: Call the stations one by one and ask them for their comments for the net.

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If there are new stations, acknowledge the new check-ins. If there are no new stations, conclude the net call with “No Stations heard, [your call] OUT”

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS or TRAFFIC

Is there additional traffic or additional business for this net? Call [call sign]. (OVER)

Handle any additional traffic or comments.

No station heard. (OUT)

Closing:

Thank you to all stations that checked in. This net will meet again next Monday evening at 7:00p.m. This is [call sign] securing the Scott County ARES Net at [date and time].

Helpful Tips

- Training is a major role for the NECOS. Make note of procedural errors while the net is in progress and take time to demonstrate correct procedure.
- Keep a list of ARES members near your notepad when you are NECOS. It helps with names and cities. You can use the latest issue of the newsletter.
- Email a list of net check-ins – Call, Name, and City, to N0BHC after the net (n0bhc@aol.com)
- Remember this is a training net, try to lead by example and if you feel comfortable, offer corrections in a constructive manner.
- Have FUN!