WEST END CCARES SIMPLEX NET CONTROL SCRIPT

At 1820 (6:20PM) Announce; Good evening, the West End ARES net will begin in 10 minutes. This is; give your call sign

At 1830 (6:30PM) Announce; Good Evening, this is; give your call sign net control for the West End ARES simplex net. For this net we will be using VHF Ch. 35 (147.5) Mhz. and UHF Ch. 114 (439.6) Mhz. This is a directed net. Do not change channels/frequencies until instructed to do so. Always use phonetics when checking in or breaking the net.

The purpose of this net is to practice procedures, test equipment, share information, and determine station capabilities. Before we begin does anyone have any emergency or priority traffic for the net? (Pause for 30 seconds and allow time for responses)

At this time do we have any visitors to the net? (Pause for 30 seconds and listen for responses. Give time between check ins for additional responses)

We will now conduct the roll call of members: (Take your time and allow a reasonable time for a response)

Following roll call announce: Please change to channel 114 (439.6) Mhz. for roll call. (Allow time for change to new frequency, 30 seconds, and conduct roll call again)

After roll call; announce to everyone to return to primary frequency.

After allowing time to return to primary frequency announce; Are there any late or missed members or guests for the net? Is there any further traffic for this net?

Once satisfied that everyone has checked in announce;

This completes our local simplex net. Next week's net control operator
is
All stations please change over to the repeater channel 18 and standby
for the county net at 1900 (7:00PM) and check in when called for.

This is give your call sign, this frequency is now clear and can return to normal traffic.

NOTE: Then net control operator is now responsible for reporting the total number of members and guests who have checked in on the local net when the county net switches to the community simplex nets. That completes your task for the net.

Assigned Net Control operators are responsible for getting a substitute if they are unable to take their time. If all else fails let the AEC know if you need a sub.