

WEEKLY TRAINING Net Script
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19.2.1 Initialize the Net

This is [NCS call sign]. Is the repeater in use?

{PAUSE}

CQ, CQ, CQ. This is [NCS call sign] calling the Gwinnett County Amateur Radio Emergency Service weekly Training Net. My name is [name] and I am located in [locality or city], in ADC map grid [number].

19.2.2 Emergency or Priority Traffic

During this net session, stations having emergency or priority traffic should call Net Control immediately. Are there any stations with emergency or priority traffic at this time? Please call [NCS call sign], Net Control, now.

{PAUSE}

19.2.3 Network practices

This is a directed net. Unless you have emergency or priority traffic, please, do not transmit unless called by Net Control.

{PAUSE}

This net is open to all who are licensed to operate on this repeater and interested in ARES, SKYWARN, or associated operations. ARES membership is not required. All stations are invited to participate consistent with net control's requests.

When called for check-in, state the following:

- ... Your call sign ... alphabetically and phonetically;**
- ... Your name;**
- ... ADC map grid number or general location;**
- ... What offices or appointments you hold in ARES; and**
- ... Whether you do or do not have traffic and/or comments for the Net.**

Proxy check-ins are normally not permitted.

19.2.4 Short NCS ID

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.

{PAUSE}

19.2.5 Network control failure

In the event that the Net Control Station becomes disabled, an Alternate Net Control Station will be needed. The Alternate Net Control must be prepared to immediately assume complete control and log-keeping for the net. No frequency changes should be anticipated.

In the more unlikely event of loss of the primary repeater service, all stations should continue to listen on the repeater output frequency for information and instructions as may be provided by NCS, ANCS, or ARES management stations.

19.2.6 Call for Alternate NCS

Anyone willing to serve as Alternate Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net, please call Net Control now.

{PAUSE}

Acknowledging [ANCS call sign] as Alternate Net Control. ...

19.2.7 Call for Liaison Stations

Liaison stations are normally needed for coordinating message flow and Gwinnett ARES operations with other related operations and areas.

Is there any station willing to serve as ... *{repeat as needed}*

- ... Gwinnett ARES WinLink-2000 Liaison ... []**
- ... Gwinnett ARES Packet Liaison ... []**
- ... Gwinnett ARES D-STAR Liaison ... []**
- ... Gwinnett ARES State Nets Liaison ... []**
- ... Gwinnett ARES MARS Liaison ... []**

Acknowledging [liaison call sign] as ... [!!]

**Liaison reports will be called for at the end of the net.
For Winlink 2000, Packet, and D-STAR, call signs of check-ins are reported.
MARS and State liaisons need only report quantity of traffic passed.**

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.

{PAUSE}

19.2.7 Check-Ins

This net accepts check-ins by Reporting Group or Response Team. When checking in, please state all check-in categories that apply to you.

We shall begin, however, by inviting visitors and/or anyone not already registered with Gwinnett ARES to check in now.

[You may handle routine traffic upon check-in]

Calling members of the...

- ... **Administration and Planning Committee ... []**
- ... **Mobile Facility Response Team ... []**
- ... **County Emergency Operations Center Response Team ... []**

... please call Net Control now.

{PAUSE} --- **Acknowledging ... [if any] ...**

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.

{PAUSE}

Continuing check-ins ... calling members of ...

- ... **the NORTH Response Team ... []**
- ... **the CENTRAL Response Team ... []**
- ... **the SOUTH Response Team ... []**

... please call Net Control now.

{PAUSE} --- **Acknowledging ... [if any] ...**

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.

{PAUSE}

Once again, Gwinnett ARES specifically welcomes visitors to check in at this time. Visitors, please call net control now.

All stations still awaiting the opportunity to check-in, including any late arriving visitors and members including those who do not have or have forgotten Response Team assignments, call Net Control now.

{PAUSE} --- **Acknowledging** ... *[if any]* ...

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.

{PAUSE} --- **Net stand-by please.**

9.2.8 Comments

[As needed] **Several stations checked in with comments;**

[call-sign with comments], your comments? [Repeat as appropriate];

Stations needing a fill on any of the comments, call Net Control now.

{PAUSE} --- *[Acknowledge] [Provide fills]*

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.

19.2.9 Optional Training or Net Activity

... *[Describe] ... [Insert here]*

[When optional activity is complete] - **This is [NCS call sign], Net Control for the Gwinnett County ARES Training Net.**

Liaison reports will now be accepted for

- ... **Gwinnett ARES WinLink-2000 check ins... []**
- ... **Gwinnett ARES Packet check ins ... []**
- ... **Gwinnett ARES D-STAR check ins ... []**

Liaison reports will now be accepted for

- ... **Gwinnett ARES State Nets traffic ... []**
- ... **Gwinnett ARES MARS traffic ... []**

... Please call net control now with your data ...

Any other check-ins, comments, advisories, or ...

Complete handling of all comments and known traffic...

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19.2.10 Close the net

>>>>> **Just** before closing the net, the NCS should confirm the number of check-ins with the ANCS. The NCS and ANCS counts should match, as should the individual station identities.<<<<<

[ANCS call sign] **I show [±] check-ins. Do you concur?**

... Thanks to everyone who participated in this Gwinnett County ARES Weekly Training Net. Thank you also to the Gwinnett Amateur Radio Society for the use of the W4GR repeater.

This is [NCS call sign], Net Control, closing the net at [time] hours local, and returning this repeater to normal operation.

Unless otherwise instructed or agreed to, the NCS is responsible to send a copy of the complete training net check-in log to AEC nets/SKYWARN and to EC-Gwinnett County as soon as reasonably possible after the net. Packet, Winlink and D-STAR liaisons are each responsible for submitting logs of their network activities. E-mail is preferred with one line per call sign using one of the following formats:

- a. plain text (.txt) ... call sign [<hyphen> other pertinent information] (max 50 characters)
- b. MS Word table (.doc) with first column call sign, additional columns as required for info ..
- c. MS Excel (.xls). with first column call sign, additional columns as required for info

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