

[About 5 minutes prior to opening the net, please call Steve, N9ZE, to verify that he has the Wednesday R.A.I.N. Report for this evening.]

Good evening. My name is ***[NAME & CALL]***, and I'll be your Net Control Operator for this evening's York Radio Club 70 centimeter weekly traffic and information net. This net meets each Wednesday evening at 8:00 PM local time on a frequency of 442.875 MHz. with a repeater offset of plus 5 MHz. and a PL frequency of 114.8 Hz, and operates under our club call, W9YRC portable. All check-ins are welcome.

Before we continue this evening, if any station has emergency or priority traffic to pass, please call Net Control now – emergency or priority traffic ONLY. ***[PAUSE FOR TRAFFIC]***

If there are any mobile stations who may soon be out of range, please call Net Control now. ***[PAUSE FOR CHECK-INS]***

[IF NECESSARY, DESIGNATE A STATION TO COUNT CHECK-INS IF YOU CANNOT DO IT YOURSELF.]

This net is a Directed Net. Please channel all communications through net control.

This Net has four Segments this evening:

- The Traffic & Information Segment,
- The Swap & Shop Segment,
- The Tech Segment for any questions or requests for information you may have,
- and we will conclude with a broadcast of this week's Wednesday Report.

We now proceed to our check-ins. Please state whether you have traffic when you check in. W9YRC Portable begins by first calling our regular check-ins. ***[BEGIN CALLING THE ROLL]***

[NOTE: BETWEEN THE CONTROLLER AND THE PL CIRCUIT, THERE IS UP TO ½ SECOND DELAY AFTER KEY-UP BEFORE YOUR VOICE IS HEARD THROUGH THE REPEATER. MANY NET CONTROLS START TALKING TOO QUICKLY AND THE FIRST LETTER OR TWO OF THE CALL SIGN IS NOT HEARD. PLEASE KEY UP, W-A-I-T, THEN BEGIN SPEAKING.]

[AFTER COMPLETING THE ROLL]

W9YRC Portable now invites only regular check-ins wishing to check-in late, to please call Net Control now. **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

W9YRC Portable now invites any other interested amateurs to check into our net. Those who check in regularly will be added to our regular roster. Please call net control now. **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

Tonight, _____ people checked in to the net. *[Alternatively, call the station who is counting for you and ask how many check-ins there were.]*

Proceeding to our Traffic Segment, W9YRC portable calls **[CALL THE FIRST ON THE LIST]:** please pass your traffic now. **[CONTINUE UNTIL ALL TRAFFIC HAS BEEN PASSED.]**

Is there anyone else with any traffic to pass this evening? **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

Is there anyone who has anything for Swap and Shop? **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

Does anyone have any questions or Requests for Information? **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

We now call on Steve, N9ZE for the Wednesday R.A.I.N. Report. **[NOTE: If there will be no report for this evening, skip to "The York Radio Club meets on..."]**

[AFTER THE WEDNESDAY R.A.I.N. REPORT...]

Thanks, Steve, for that report.

The York Radio Club meets on the 3rd Friday of each Month at 8:00 PM, except for the month of February when we hold our annual valentine's dinner. Our meetings are held at the Community Bank of Elmhurst, 330 W. Butterfield Road, at the intersection with Spring Road. Meetings are held in the 2nd floor meeting rooms; please use the front door. Our VE Team administers Amateur Radio Exams for all FCC license elements, beginning one hour before each club meeting. For more information, call Mark KB9TVD at (708) 562-6027 or you can email him at KB9TVD@arrl.net. You can find a map showing the meeting site on our club web site, at www.yorkradioclub.com.

We communicate with our members electronically through the **York Radio Club email reflector** at Yahoo.com. If you are not signed up for the email reflector and would like to be, please email Steve, at N9ZE@arrl.net or Todd, at W9YK@arrl.net with your email address and they will be sure you are added.

We also invite you to join our 2 meter net each Monday evening at 8:00 PM on a frequency of 147.420 MHZ. simplex, and our 6 meter roundtable net each Monday evening immediately following the 2 meter net on a frequency of 50.150 MHZ. upper sideband.

Before closing the net this evening, W9YRC portable will pause for any further check-ins. Please call net control now. **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

If there is anyone who wishes to add anything for the benefit of the Net, please call Net Control now. **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

On behalf of the York Radio Club and all participants, I thank you for joining this week's 70 centimeter net. I now close this net at ___:___ PM local time, and return this frequency to regular Amateur Radio use.

This is W9YRC portable; good night from **[YOUR NAME & CALL]**.