

{Do we need this for the repeater net?}

[DESIGNATE RELAY STATION PRIOR TO BEGINNING NET – Please note: Only the relay station should be queried for missed check-ins or to relay traffic not understood by net control.]

[If necessary, also designate a station to log check-ins if you cannot do it yourself.]

Good evening. My name is **[NAME & CALL]**, and I am Net Control Operator for the York Radio Club 70-centimeter weekly Traffic and Information Net. The net meets Wednesday evenings at 8:00 PM local time on 442.875 MHz, with a repeater offset plus 5 MHz, a PL of 114.8 Hz. and operates under our club call, W9YRC. All check-ins are welcome.

If any station has emergency or priority traffic, please call Net Control now – emergency or priority traffic ONLY. ***[PAUSE FOR TRAFFIC]***

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

Our Net has three Segments:

- A Traffic & Information Segment,
- A Swap & Shop Segment,
- A Tech Segment for any questions or requests for information you may have.

We now proceed to check-ins. Please state if you have traffic when you check in.

W9YRC begins by calling for any low power or mobile stations that may soon be out of range?

Low power or mobile stations only please. ***[PAUSE FOR CHECK-INS]***

We will now proceed with our regular check-in roster.

[BEGIN CALLING THE ROLL. ACKNOWLEDGE EACH CHECK-IN.]

[Keep an eye on the clock. Be sure to identify as W9YRC every 10 minutes.]

[AFTER COMPLETING THE ROLL:]

W9YRC calls any regular check-ins wishing to check-in late. Please call Net Control now.

[AFTER ANY RESPONSES, Query the relay station for possible missed check-ins from any of the above check-in segments.]

W9YRC now calls any interested amateur radio operators. Those who check in regularly will be added to our regular roster. Please call net control now.

[AFTER ANY RESPONSES, Query the relay station for possible missed check-ins from any of the above check-in segments.]

Tonight, _____ people checked in to the net. *[Or call the station counting for you and ask the count.]*

{Suggested rewording for the repeater net.}

[NOTE ABOUT TRAFFIC: ANY STATION THAT SOUNDS WEAK TO YOU WILL BE WEAK FOR EVERYONE. IF YOU DON'T COPY THE TRAFFIC, ASK THE STATION FOR A REPEAT, WITH INCREASED POWER IF AVAILABLE OR A BETTER LOCATION. ALSO, CHECK WITH THE RELAY STATION IN CASE THEY COPIED BETTER.]

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

Does anyone else have traffic to pass? ***[WAIT FOR RESPONSE:]***

Does anyone have anything for Swap and Shop? ***[WAIT FOR RESPONSE:]***

Does anyone have questions or requests for information? ***[WAIT FOR RESPONSE: Query the relay station for possible missed traffic, swap & shop, or requests]***

The York Radio Club meets on the 3rd Friday of every month at 8:00 PM at the Community Bank of Elmhurst, 330 West Butterfield Road in Elmhurst. Meetings are held in the 2nd floor Community

Room. Meetings will also be streamed via ZOOM. For more Club information visit our web site, www.yorkradioclub.org. Once again, that's www.yorkradioclub.org. York Radio Club is one word.

Amateur Radio Exam sessions for all FCC license elements are conducted one hour before each club meeting except for the months of December and February. For more information, call Mark KB9TVD at (708) 562-6027, or email him - kb9tvd@arrl.net. Due to COVID-19, we are offering exams by appointment only to limit the number of people in the exam room.

We communicate with our members electronically through the **York Radio Club email reflector** at Groups.io. If you are a member and not signed up for the reflector and would like to be, please email Bill, wd9end@arrl.net, or Todd, w9yk@arrl.net, and they will be sure you get added.

We invite you to join our 2-meter net on the first Monday of each month at 8:00 PM local time on a frequency of 147.420 MHz, simplex.

We invite you to join our 6-meter net on 50.150 MHz every Monday night at 8:00 p.m. except the first Monday of a month when it follows immediately after the 2-meter net.

Before closing, W9YRC pauses for any further check-ins. Please call net control now. **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

Does anyone have anything to add for the benefit of the Net? Please call Net control now. **[WAIT FOR RESPONSE]**

[Query the relay station for possible missed check-ins or any other traffic.]

On behalf of the York Radio Club and all participants, I thank you for joining the net. I now close this net at ___:___ PM local time, and return this frequency to regular Amateur Radio use - and please - keep on Hamming!

This is W9YRC; good night and 73 from **[YOUR NAME & CALL]**.