SRQARES REPEATER NET SCRIPT   Rev. 07/24

<mark>15 minutes prior to the net run a radio check for Net Logging Station, Back Up Net Control, or Simplex Net Control as necessary. Also start the Net Logger program (if being used). Method of logging is up to the Net Control. However, Net Logger is preferred. Keep a copy of the checkin logs with your other station logs.</mark>

*Tip: The **ALL CAPS BOLD** part is what you say… Lowercase is instructional comment.*

5 minutes before the net starts announce:

**CQ, CQ….   MY NAME IS [YOUR CALLSIGN] AND MY NAME IS [YOUR NAME]. I WILL BE NET CONTROL FOR THE SRQ ARES NET TONIGHT BEGINNING AT 1900 HRS.
THE NET WILL BEGIN IN APPROXIMATELY 5 MINUTES. ANY STATIONS WISHING TO USE THE REPEATER PLEASE DO SO NOW.   [YOUR CALLSIGN] STANDING BY.**

At 1900 hrs. begin the net and say:

CQ, CQ…. THE SRQ ARES TRAINING AND INFORMATION NET IS NOW UNDERWAY. MY NAME IS [YOUR NAME] AND MY CALL SIGN IS [YOUR CALLSIGN]. I WILL BE NET CONTROL FOR TONIGHT'S NET. WHEN CHECKING INTO THE NET, PLEASE USE THE TACTICAL CALL, NET CONTROL.

Call for any priority or emergency traffic and handle as necessary (there is almost never any but you never know…)

BEFORE WE COMMENCE ANY FURTHER, ANY STATIONS HOLDING EMERGENCY OR PRIORITY TRAFFIC PLEASE CALL NOW, OVER.
Wait about 5 seconds then call again…
ONE MORE CALL FOR ANY EMERGENCY OR PRIORITY TRAFFIC…

If no traffic previously say "HEARING NONE" OR "NOTHING HEARD"

THE PURPOSE OF THIS NET IS FOR THE DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION AND TRAINING IN ALL ASPECTS OF EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS USING AMATEUR RADIO IN SARASOTA COUNTY. THE SRQ ARES NET TAKES PLACE EVERY THURSDAY EVENING AT 1900 HRS ON THE SAR-1 AND SAR-2 LINKED VHF REPEATERS. A PL TONE OF 100HZ IS REQUIRED FOR ACCESS. WHEN CHECKING IN PLEASE REMEMBER TO USE STANDARD ITU PHONECTICS. THIS IS A DIRECTED NET SO PLEASE DIRECT ALL CALLS TO NET CONTROL. / BREAK

Call for announcement or bulletins. Make note of these in your station notes/log. Remember to ask if any stations need any fills on announcements. Also, remember to log their name and callsign as a checkin.

ARE THERE ANY STATIONS ON FREQUENCY WITH ANY COMMENTS OR ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE NET? CALL NOW. OVER

Remember periodically or every 10 minutes to announce your call sign and the name of the net.

ONE MORE CALL FOR ANY STATIONS WITH COMMENTS OR ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE NET.

THIS IS [YOUR CALLSIGN], NET CONTROL. AT THIS TIME I WILL NOW TAKE CHECKINS FROM ANY ALLSTAR, ECHOLINK, OR SHORT-TIME OPERATORS.
ANY ALLSTAR, ECHOLINK, OR SHORT-TIME STATIONS CALL NOW, OVER.

I WILL NOW TAKE CHECK INS FROM SRQ ARES MANAGEMENT STAFF. THIS INCLUDES THE EC AND ANY AEC'S, MANAGEMENT STAFF MEMBERS PLEASE CHECK IN NOW, OVER.

After several calls 5 seconds apart with no answer, move on…

Begin the roll-call list of checkins of SRQ ARES members (if you have the roll call list). If you do not have the roll-call list, simply call for SRQ ARES members to checkin one at a time. Remember to greet each person by their name and callsign and thank them for checking in.

AT THIS TIME I WILL NOW DO A ROLL CALL FOR SRQ ARES MEMBERS. IF YOU DO NOT HEAR YOUR NAME CALLED, I WILL CALL FOR STATIONS THAT I MAY HAVE MISSED AT THE END OF THE ROLL CALL.

Begin roll-call list… At the end of the list, call for any members that you may have missed. Then call for CERT Liaisons, Visitors, or Anyone wishing to check into the net.

[CALLSIGN] [NAME]…   Call them at least twice 5 seconds apart, then move on…

I WILL NOW CALL FOR ANY CERT LIAISONS, VISITORS, OR ANYONE WISHING TO CHECKIN TO THE SRQ ARES NET. CALL NOW, OVER.

Make a few calls at the end after no more checkins about 5 seconds apart for "one last call" for any of these stations to check into the net.

WITH NO FURTHER CHECKINS, I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE #____ STATIONS THAT CHECKED INTO TONIGHT'S SRQ ARES NET. FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT SRQ ARES, PLEASE VISIT THE WEBSITE WWW.SRQARES.ORG. THE SRQ ARES TRAINING AND INFORMATION NET WILL RESUME NEXT THURSDAY ON THESE SAME REPEATERS AT 1900 HRS. I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE SARASOTA EMERGENCY RADIO CLUB FOR THE USE OF THEIR LINKED REPEATER SYSTEM. TO LEARN MORE, PLEASE VISIT THEIR WEB SITE WWW.N4SER.ORG.

If a simplex will take place following the repeater net, continue here – otherwise skip.

AT THE CLOSE OF THIS NET, A SIMPLEX NET WILL IMMEDIATELY FOLLOW ON

SAR- _____.   FREQ:_____

AT THIS TIME, ALL STATIONS MAY QSY TO SAR-_____   FOR THE SRQ ARES SIMPLEX NET. OR YOU MAY SECURE YOUR STATION IF YOU WISH TO DO SO.

THIS IS [YOUR CALLSIGN] AND I WILL NOW CLOSE THIS SESSION OF THE SRQ ARES TRAINING AND INFORMATION NET AT 19____ HRS. AND RETURN THE REPEATERS TO NORMAL AMATURE RADIO USE. THANK YOU EVERYONE FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION. THIS IS [YOUR CALLSIGN], CLEAR.

After the net, either over the air or via email, send the net report to either the net manager, EC, or an AEC. These reports should be shared amongst all management staff.
The EC or an AEC should checkin and bring the report(s) to the WCF ARES net that takes place on NI4CE repeaters on Mondays at 1930 hrs. Another team member could act as a liaison to the EC and bring the report also.

Net Statistics to Report:

Net Control:_____
Date:_____   Time: _____
Checkins #:_____
Total Net Time: _____
Noteworthy Net Activity (if any):_____
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Also record the same statistics to add to the report for any Simplex nets or anything like Winlink nets & drills. This is all very valuable information to report at the WCF section ARES net.