

Polk County ARES Thursday Night Net Preamble

(1 minute before net) - This is (Call Sign). Does anyone need to use this frequency before I start the Polk County ARES net?

(Open 7PM) - This is (Name and Call Sign), Net Control Operator for the Polk County ARES Thursday Night Net. I am Located in (Location). This net meets every Thursday night at 1900 hours on the 146.940 repeater or other frequency designated by Net Control. The purpose of this net is for ARES training, passing information and any emergency or priority traffic.

Any Emergency or priority traffic will be handled as a top priority during the net. I will now break for any Emergency traffic. (If there is traffic, go ahead and pass any traffic. If No traffic, say "Nothing Heard")

This is a directed net. Please do not transmit unless called by Net Control. During this net, Please direct all communications through Net Control. Any licensed operator is welcome to check in. As you check-in, Please give (Your Call Sign, Name and Location). Following the net check-ins, there will be a short ARES training session for the group.

Are there any announcements for the net? (take stations with announcements and do them after Mobiles and portables)

Are there any Mobiles and Portables wishing to check in?

- Do Announcements

Are there any Stations wishing to check in? Suffix's (A through J) then (K through Z)

- Announce that ARES training will be happening at this point.

Any late check-in's or announcements for the net?

(Close) Thank you to everyone who participated in this evenings net. There were (number) check-in's this evening. Thank you to the DMRAA for allowing us the use of their repeater. The next Polk County ARES net will be Next Thursday at 7PM on this repeater.

This is (Call Sign) Closing the Polk County ARES net at (local time) and return the repeater back to normal use.