



FLARC MONDAY NIGHT NET SOP

[Standard Operating Procedure]

Below is a structure to follow while conducting the Monday night "Near and Far Net". The club call, **W2NPT** shall be used in conjunction with the net control operator's call sign as outlined below, and permission is hereby granted for the purposes of operating the net.

1. Is this frequency in use?
2. <Pause> [drop carrier]
3. Good Evening, this is W2NPT, the Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club "Near and Far Net" which operates on this frequency of 145.470 MHz , minus 600 Kilohertz for transmit, with a PL tone of 167.9 Hz Monday nights starting at 8:00 PM.
Your net control operator is <your name and call sign>.
4. <Pause> [drop carrier]
5. If anyone participating or listening has Emergency traffic, please say "BREAK" at any time during this net.
6. <Pause>
7. Upon checking in whether via Echolink, Mobile or fixed station, please state your call sign, name and location.
8. <Pause>
9. We will now take check ins, any mobile units, please call now.
10. <Pause> [drop carrier] <take check ins from mobiles>
11. We will now take check ins from Echolink Users only, please call now.
12. <Pause> [drop carrier]
//it may take up to ten seconds for an Echolink station to respond back,
due to latency within the internet//
13. <take check ins from Echolink users>
14. Any other stations wishing to check in, please call now.
15. <Pause> [drop carrier] <take check ins from remaining stations.>
16. //follow order of first round check ins, starting with Mobiles, then Echolink, then all others//
17. We have now gone through our first round, is there anyone wishing to check in, please call now.
18. <acknowledge new check ins, let them say their piece>
19. <start second round of check ins in the order the stations checked in>
20. We have now gone through round two,
do we have any other check-ins before I start the "73" round?
21. <take any remaining check ins>
22. I would like to thank everyone for checking in tonight
<state any announcements or upcoming events>.
23. <start the 73 round>
24. <ending the net> Does anyone have any comments for the group before I close the Net,
please call now.
25. <address any comments>
26. This is W2NPT, the Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club,
net control operator <your name and call sign> closing the "Near and Far Net",
turning the repeater back to normal use.