

Sunday Information Net SCRIPT

This is _____activating the Grayson County Amateur Radio Club Information Net.

My name is_____and I will be the Net Control for tonight's net.

Are there any stations with emergency or priority traffic? If so please come now.

Handle emergency and priority traffic, if any.

This net is sponsored by the GCARC and is held the first and third Sundays of every month beginning at 8:00 pm on the 444.750 repeater.

(Note: The repeater may change so be aware of current repeater frequency for the net and change script accordingly)

If this repeater fails we will move to the 147.280 W5COP repeater.

(Note: The backup repeater may change, so be aware of backup repeater frequency and change script accordingly.)

- 1) You do not have to be a member of the GCARC radio club to participate. This is a general conversation net. Its purpose is to share information about upcoming club events, ask technical questions and have a round table discussion. We will end each net with a SWAP MEET session.
- 2) If you are interested in serving as net control for one of our nets let me know or you can contact our President, Andrew Bentley (KG5SKM)
- 3) Before calling for check-ins, is anyone willing to act as the Backup Net Control Operator?

PAUSE FOR A VOLUNTEER

- 4) Those desiring to check into the net should check-in with their complete call sign followed by their first name.
- 5) If you would like to check in - in 'short time', tell net control that you are 'short time' and you will not be called for a comment. If you would like to make a comment later, you can say 'recheck' when late checkin's are called.
- 6) If you wish to make a comment during the net, please use the phrase **RECHECK** and you will be recognized by Net Control.
- 7) Check-ins will be accepted in groups of three. But before I do, I would like to turn the net over to our President – Andrew Bentley – KG5SLM) to make his comments first. Go ahead Andrew.

After the president makes his comments, then say..

Thank you Andrew for your comments. This is _____ , Net Control for the Grayson County Amateur Radio Club net.

Now I will take checkin's in groups of three. Please come now.

PAUSE FOR CHECK-IN'S in groups of three at a time.

(If mobile stations check in, ask them for their comments before continuing with more check-ins, in case they are getting out of range)

THEN.....

(Talk about club news here- upcoming meetings, activities, special events, etc)

CLUB NEWS

The next meeting of the Grayson County Amateur Radio Club (GCARC) will be on _____, 2018 @ 19:00CST at the Grayson County Court House, second floor assembly room.

(Note: The meeting day may change in the near future, so please be aware of the correct meeting date.)

The Grayson County ARES Net meets on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of each month @ 20:00CST on the 442.450 + 5MHZ (100.0 PL) repeater. This is a directed ARES training net.

*****(Here is where you list the current information that everyone needs to know, i.e. Things that occurred at the last club meeting and events that are coming up.)**

Also, anyone wishing to create an article for the club newsletter or would like to post on the Grayson County Amateur Radio website, please contact James – at kw5cw@arrl.net with your article.

Any wanted changes or additions to the website can also be sent to James – KW5CW and he will acquire officer approval for any changes or additions.

Anyone wanting to receive the K5GCC club newsletter by email, whether you are a club member or not can receive it via email by sending a request to James-KW5CW at kw5cw@arrl.net.

The newsletter will always be published by 5PM the evening of the first

Saturday after the monthly club meeting.

I will pause now for any late check-ins. If there are late check-ins, please come now.

PAUSE FOR CHECK-IN'S (Acknowledge any late checkins)

This is _____ your net control operator and you are listening to the GCARC Information Net.

We will now recall all check-ins and ask for your comments. *(call each station, in the order of their check-in and see if they have any questions or comments.)*

(Ask for late check-in's and rechecks again)

Do we have any more late check-ins or rechecks?

PAUSE FOR ANY FURTHER LATE CHECK-IN'S and invite them to make their comments at this time.

This is _____, net control operator for the GCARC information net.

We will now begin the SWAP MEET part of the net but first we need to go over the rules.

The net control operator will ask for stations who want to "list" or announce a "want". Net control will then call each station individually for their listing. Mentioning a price is permitted. However, price "negotiations" should be handled on the telephone, or via email. Any station having items for the Swap Net, please come now with your call sign. **(Note: this is not the time for general – late checkings)**

PAUSE FOR CHECK-IN'S for Swap meet only

We will now recall all hams that have items for the Swap Net.

(call each station, in the order of check-in and let them list their items.)

This is _____ your net control operator and you are listening to the GCARC Information Net.

This is the last call for late check-in's. Do we have any late check-in's or anyone with final comments?

PAUSE FOR LATE CHECK-IN'S, RECHECKS OR FINAL COMMENTS. INVITE THEM TO SPEAK AT THIS TIME.

(Hearing nothing.....)

It sounds like we are done for this evening. This is _____ and thanks to everyone who checked in tonight. This session of the Grayson County Amateur Radio Club Information Net is now closed and the repeater is returned to normal use. Thanks and 73 to all

*****NOTE*****

(Contact Andrew immediately after the net and give him the total number of checkins you had for the net)