

## Clay County ARES Weekly Net Preamble

(Updated July 7, 2009)

CQ, CQ, CQ, This is K14UWC, Net Control for the weekly Clay County ARES Training and Traffic Net.

My personal call is \_\_\_\_\_, and I am located near \_\_\_\_\_.

The Clay County ARES Net meets every Sunday evening at 1930 local time on the Sleepy Hollow repeater, 146.925, with a PL of 156.7. The backup repeater in Clay County is the Twin Lakes repeater on 147.225, with a PL of 156.7.

If both repeaters fail please tune to 146.925 simplex. The use of 146.505 and 147.570 are predetermined close-in simplex channels for Clay also.

The purpose of this net is to increase the readiness of local amateurs and their equipment in the event of a communications emergency, provide a gateway to the National Traffic System, and broadcast information of interest to the amateur community. This is a direct net; traffic must be directed by Net Control. All stations are encouraged to check in with us and pass traffic.

The use of correct ITU phonetics and adhering to normal net procedures is encouraged. When checking in make sure your call is correctly acknowledged by net control.

(If there is a program, make announcement here, to stay tuned after the business of the net.)

(ID) This is K14UWC, any station with emergency or priority traffic come now please.

Before we take check-ins, is there a volunteer to back up net control and provide possible relays into the net? Call sign please.

Does anyone have any formal written amateur traffic?

Does anyone have any formal or informal announcements?

We will now take check-ins from ARRL officials:

- District Emergency Coordinator
- District Assistant Emergency Coordinators
- Clay County Emergency Coordinator
- Assistant Clay County Emergency Coordinators
- Liaison Stations for any agency (Red Cross, Utilities)

Continuing on with regular check- ins:

- Mobile stations
- Alpha through Golf
- Hotel through Oscar
- Papa through Zulu

We will now allow a 10 second drop of the repeater, stations may relay simplex check ins, and echo-link stations are welcomed to transmit now. (the idea behind this is if someone cannot make the pl tone they can get relayed in to the net).  
(After 10 seconds....)

Does any stations have any relays for the net?

Listening for additional stations wishing to check in or not acknowledged by net control.

(ID) This is KI4UWC, net control station, on 146.925, PL 156.7, does anyone have emergency traffic?

Is there any further business for the net before we close?

This concludes the business for The Clay County ARES Sunday night net. I would like to thank everyone for checking in with us tonight. (If there is a program, turn over for program at this point.) Stay tuned for tonight's program to follow before we return the frequency to normal traffic.

This is KI4UWC securing the net at \_\_\_\_\_ (time), and returning the frequency to normal amateur use.

This is \_\_\_\_\_ (Your call sign), OUT.

Email the net report to Tom Behnken, Net Manager @ [w4esp@yahoo.com](mailto:w4esp@yahoo.com), or submit a net report at [www.clayares.org](http://www.clayares.org), using the Clay County ARES web site reporting tool.

REPEATER	
LOCATION	FREQUENCY
Sleepy Hollow - Primary Repeater	146.925 -600 PL 156.7
Twin Lakes - Secondary Repeater	147.225 -600 PL 156.7
Simplex #1	146.925
Simplex #2	146.505
Simplex #3	147.570