

Clay County ARES Weekly Net Preamble

(Updated 01/31/2010)

CQ, CQ, CQ, This is KI4UWC, 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.

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.

(ID) This is KI4UWC, 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
- EchoLink Stations

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We will now allow a 5 second drop of the repeater, stations may check-in via Simplex and additional stations not acknowledged by net control.

Does any stations have any relays for the net?

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, or submit a report at www.clayares.org, using the Clay County ARES - Net Control Online Form.

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