



CLACKAMAS COUNTY, OREGON

Amateur Radio Emergency Service / Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service

ARES / RACES CARES Net Preamble

Good (Morning/Afternoon/Evening). This is (**your call sign**). My name is (**your first name**), I will be net control for KD7ZDO, the Clackamas Amateur Radio Emergency Services net, better known as the CARES net.

NET CONTROL INSTRUCTION: *Read the line enclosed below only when conducting the Sunday evening net.*

This net meets each Sunday evening at 1900 hours local time on this frequency.

The purpose of the net is to distribute messages, bulletins, and information to members of CARES, non-member stations based in Clackamas Co., and other net participants. Emergency traffic will be handled at any time.

This is a directed net. All stations are asked to remain on frequency unless excused or the net secures. Stations in Clackamas Co. will be called for first by the first letter of the suffix, followed by a call for neighboring counties, and then visitors. All check-ins are welcome. Please use proper ITU phonetics when checking in.

Do we have any emergency traffic at this time? Please reply with your call.

NET CONTROL INSTRUCTION: *Once all Emergency traffic has been listed, call for any stations on frequency that can handle the listed traffic. Record stations handling the traffic and the number of messages being exchanged between each station and or stations.*

Nothing heard . . . (or) . . . Thank you. We will now call for:

NET CONTROL INSTRUCTION: *Acknowledge and record each station checking in to the Net.*

Clackamas Co. stations with suffix beginning: (A)lpha through (E)cho ?

Clackamas Co. stations with suffix beginning: (F)oxtro through (K)ilo ?

Clackamas Co. stations with suffix beginning: (L)ima through (O)scar ?

Clackamas Co. stations with suffix beginning: (P)apa through (R)omeo ?

Clackamas Co. stations with suffix beginning: (S)ierra through (V)ictor ?

Clackamas Co. stations with suffix beginning: (W)iskey through (Z)ulu ?

Are there any Clackamas Co. stations late or missed (A)lpha through (Z)ulu?

Are there any check-ins from: **NET CONTROL INSTRUCTION:** *Read each county separately one at a time.*

Marion Co? Multnomah Co? Washington Co? Yamhill Co? Hood River Co? Columbia Co? Clatsop Co, Wasco Co?

Are there any visitor check-ins? If so, please give your call, your name, your location, and any ARES affiliation or official ARRL appointment

NET CONTROL INSTRUCTION: *Record visitor call signs, names and locations for future use.*

Are there any bulletins, announcements, comments or questions for the net? If so please give your call.

Are there any new stations on frequency that desires to check into the net?

NET CONTROL INSTRUCTION: *Repeat request every five minutes during a lull in the exercise or emergency operation.*

Are there any questions from the net participants prior to close down procedures? If so, please give your call.

Thank you everyone for checking into the net this (Morning/Afternoon/Evening). We would like to thank the ARRG President, Jim Campbell, N7QME and ARRG Repeater Group for the use of their repeater. We would also like to thank the amateur community for allowing us a clear operating frequency. Anyone wishing information about this repeater may contact a control operator on frequency. We will now close the net and the repeater will be returned to normal amateur radio use. KD7ZDO is now clear.

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