

SARC Net Script—Rev 09-Sept-2009

Good evening and welcome to the Thursday night net of the Schaumburg Amateur Radio Club on the Mighty K9IIK Repeater. This is *(Name & Call sign)*, and I will be the net control station for tonight's net. Before we begin, we will pause for any station with emergency or priority traffic. Any station with emergency or priority traffic, call net control now. *(Handle emergency traffic, if any.)*

This net meets every Thursday night at 8:00 PM local time, except the third Thursday of the month, which is our regular club meeting night. This is an open net and all stations are welcome to check in. You do NOT need to be a member of the club to check into our weekly nets. We have a Tech Net on this repeater every Tuesday night at 7:30 PM. Also, on Wednesday nights at 7:30 PM we have a 2 Meter sideband net on 144.21 MHz USB using vertical polarization.

If you would like more information about the club or the repeater, you can visit our club web site at WWW.N9RJV.ORG, or you can let me know during or after the net, and I can help you.

This repeater transmits on 145.23 MHz with a minus 600 KHz offset and uses a PL tone of 107.2 Hz. Since the receiver and transmitter are at different sites, please pause for one second after keying up otherwise I may miss the beginning of your call sign. When checking in, please key up and call net control, then unkey and listen for the repeater courtesy tone before checking in.

We will now start check-ins. We will start with club officers, board members, and committee chairs. Please give your call sign phonetically, advise your position with the club, and tell me if you have any traffic to pass.

(Write each call sign down and put a + after their call sign if they have traffic to pass.)

OK, acknowledging check-ins

(List call signs and say "with traffic" if you wrote a + after their call.)

Are there any additional check-ins or corrections?

(Take additional check-ins or corrections.)

We will now take general check-ins. After stating your call phonetically, please give your Name, location, and whether or not you have traffic for the net.

(Write each call sign down and put a + after their call sign if they have traffic to pass.)

OK, acknowledging check-ins

(List call signs and say "with traffic" if you wrote a + after their call.)

Are there any additional check-ins or corrections?

(Take additional check-ins or corrections.)

OK, acknowledging check-ins

(List call signs and say "with traffic" if you wrote a + after their call.)

Are there any additional check-ins or corrections?

(Take additional check-ins or corrections and acknowledge them as above.)

I will call again for late check-ins. Now we'll have stations pass their traffic. OK,

(CALL SIGN), please pass your traffic now. *(This might be a good time to ID yourself.)*

(Call stations with a + after their call, one by one, in the order you wrote them down. Repeat until all stations with traffic have passed their traffic.)

We'll now have the round table feature of the net. Does anyone have any questions for the net tonight? How about some experience with ham radio or electronics that could be of interest to those on the net?

(Start the round table with some experience you have recently had. E.g. make any interesting contacts on the air lately? Work a new state or country? Get a new antenna installed? Build or get to see a new or unusual piece of gear? Heard an unusual signal on- the- air? Seen any ham-related web sites with something interesting to the club? Bring it to the round table and let's get more interesting discussion on this net. Poll the stations that checked in for this kind of talk. After all the round table discussion.)

OK, now we will take check-ins for the swap and shop portion of the net. You can offer any ham related items for sale or trade and your contact information but please do NOT list prices on the air. I'll take swap and shop check-ins now.

(Write down swap and shop call signs as they call.)

OK *(Call sign)*, Go ahead and list your traffic for swap and shop.

(Repeat until all swap traffic is passed.)

Lets take any late check-ins with or without traffic at this time. Any late check-ins please call net control now.

(Write each call sign down and put a + after their call sign if they have traffic to pass.)

OK, acknowledging check-ins

(List names and call signs and say "with traffic" if you wrote a + after their call.)

Are there any additional check-ins or corrections?

(Take additional check-ins or corrections.)

Does anyone have Newline or other recorded Amateur Radio news program?

(If recorded audio is available, announce that it will start at the conclusion of the net.)

The Schaumburg Amateur Radio Club holds its regular monthly meetings on the third Thursday of the month, at 7:00 PM, and sponsors VE testing for all license levels on the first Saturday of each month at 9:00 AM. Both are held at the Schaumburg Community Recreation Center at the corner of Bode and Springinsguth Roads in Schaumburg. If you come to a VE session, be sure to bring a photocopy of your current license, a photocopy of any CSCE's you have, and a photo ID. The testing fee is \$14.

The club also holds construction project meetings on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month, between September and May, in the basement of the Schaumburg Tennis Club, which is on Payne Road in Schaumburg. These run from approx. 8 AM until noon.

I'd like to thank everyone for checking in to the net tonight. The repeater can return to normal operation *(optional—following the conclusion of recorded audio)*. This is

(Name), *(Call sign)*, clear at *(Time)*. 73 and good night.

(If recorded audio is available, turn control over to other station.)

Notes:

Newline audio is available at 630-289-0423.

ARRL letter audio is available at 860-594-0384.