

SARC New Ham Net Script

This is (Your name and callsign),

Welcome to the Schaumburg Amateur Radio club "New Ham Net". You don't need to be a member to participate. This net is intended to allow new hams or less experienced hams to get the opportunity to exercise their radio privileges without the scrutiny of more experienced operators.

Just like you when I first started, I had a hard time finding something to talk about with experienced operators. I have even run into the "Cranky old man operator" but mostly this hobby has nice, helpful and interesting individuals. This net will help you to be more confident and avoid mic fright!

At this point I will take check ins. Just key up and say your Callsign, preferably using phonetics, then unkey, I will repeat the call sign I heard and will ask you to come back with your callsign again, first name, location, and how long you have been a ham.

After all check ins, we will do a round robin discussion where you will be able to ask questions or just say hello.

All the old timers please allow these new operators to use the privileges they have earned, and you will have the opportunity to add something at the end of the net. This is (Your name and callsign), and this is the "New Ham Net".

First station come now!

After all check ins are done, start at the top of the list and ask each of the new ham if they have any questions or comments.

When done with the round robin, I'll now ask for final new ham check ins. If none, thank you "old timers" for patiently waiting for the end of the net. Now if anyone else wants to check in, regardless of experience level come now with your comments or questions.

Invite the new hams to Feel free to check into our other nets and report back to this net with your comments about the other nets.

If you have problems checking in to this net and would like help, contact Don KD9NJR at KD9NJR@yahoo.com

This will conclude this week's New Ham Net, and now I will return the repeater to the normal operation, 73, (Your name and callsign).

When finished please send a copy of the log of check ins to Don at KD9NJR@yahoo.com

Topics to discuss,

Terms like "Traffic" "Relay" "Kerchunking" Problems checking into nets, such as doubling and tailgating.

Different types of nets and general conversations. Don't be ashamed of your beginner radio.

Q codes and signal reporting and anything else you think appropriate.