

PREAMBLE

RAINBOW CANYONS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

Friendship Net

(5 minutes before the net begins)

Attention all amateur radio operators, this is _____ a net control operator for the Rainbow Canyons Amateur Radio Club, ***Friendship Net***. A net is scheduled to be conducted on this repeater at ____pm local time. All interested parties are invited to participate. Your cooperation for the use of this repeater during net time will be greatly appreciated. This is _____, clear.

(On the hour)

This is Net Control Station_____calling the Rainbow Canyon Amateur Radio Club ***Friendship Net***. All licensed amateurs are invited to participate.

The purpose of the net is to:

- Encourage radio activity.
- Prepare amateurs for emergency communication.
- Provide amateurs with an opportunity to conduct a net.
- Provide hams with a common interest a place to meet

This is a **directed net**. Please transmit **only** as directed by net control station. All stations checking in are requested to **remain on frequency** until completion of net business. When checking in, please indicate if you have **bulletins or other business** for the net. If you need to leave early, please **check out** with net control. **Late, missed members and visitors** will be called for following **roll call**.

Tonight, your **net control** is _____ and my name is _____.

- Is there any **business** for the net?

*(Conduct whatever business there is. If none, go to an **informal net** and receive check-ins)*

The net is now **informal**.

I will now accept **check-ins by call sign**. When checking in, **please pause between calls a few seconds** so I can mark the roster.

(Check in members and visitors on the roster)

Are there any other check-ins or visitors for the net?

Hearing nothing, I will now go to the top of the list for **comment**.

(When all comments are exhausted...)

Are there any more **late check-ins** or **visitors**?

Is there any further **business** for the net?

Hearing nothing, I wish to thank you for your participation. I encourage you to check in as often as you can.

I will now **close this session** of the *Friendship net* and return the repeater to normal use. This is _____, clear.