## EPARS Net preamble



Good evening! This is (your <u>call sign</u>), tonight's net control operator for the EPARS Tuesday night net. This Net meets every Tuesday night at 7 PM. The purpose of the Net is to allow amateur radio operators to check in, make announcements, and list ham gear or related equipment to buy, sell or swap. After check-ins and announcements we will close the net and have this week's edition of Amateur Radio News-line. My name is <u>(your name)</u> and I am located at <u>(your location)</u>.

Before we start taking check-ins let's see if our Club President, Duane N4WDH, has any announcements for the group. Duane are you on the frequency?

We ask that when you do check in please state CLEARLY your call-sign, your name, and QTH. Also let Net control know if you do **or** do not have any traffic for the net.

We will start with check-ins from All-star and echo-link connections. If you are on All-star or echo-link please call now. Please remember there will be a 2 second delay.

Next let take check-ins from stations with traffic. Anyone that has any traffic please call now.

Next on to regular check-ins. Please call now.

## **REGULAR ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Club Meetings: The club meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at the IHOP Restaurant in Dade City. Meeting starts at 8 am sharp. Our next meeting is / / .

Club repeaters: EPARS currently has THREE repeaters up and running. The 146.880 and 443.600 are at St. Leo University. The new Saddlebrook repeater is on 446.575. This is located in Wesley Chapel The Club's UHF repeaters are Digital and analog FM. PL is 146.2 for all of the repeaters. On the Digital side it is connected to our wires-X room "Florida WCF" number is 81609. We have a digital net at 8PM on Thursdays. If you have a C4FM radio please feel free to use the full features of the system.

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**Club info**: Please visit us online at EPARSONLINE.ORG. You can also find us on Facebook, Twitter, and You-tube. The club also has an email reflector you can find a link to it on the front of the club's website. We wish to thank Chris, AA4CB, for keeping all the social media sites and club web-pages informative and up to date.

**Ham radio testing**: EPARS provides Amateur Radio testing on the second Tuesday of the month at 3 PM. Exams are held at the San Antonio Railroad Depot Museum. The address is 32700 Railroad Ave in San Antonio Florida 33576. You can email <a href="mailto:testing@eparsonline.org">testing@eparsonline.org</a>

**Saturday morning breakfast.** Join us for our informal weekly club breakfast. We chat about radios, antennas, club activities, you name it. No code required!! Bring a friend along too! You don't have to be a club member or even a ham to attend. We will be at the I-HOP on US301 at 9am every Saturday.

**Net Control Operators:**We are always looking for NCO's. We need a couple more net control operators to put into rotation. Please contact our net manager, AA4CB Chris. You can send an email to <a href="mailto:netcontrol@eparsonline.org">netcontrol@eparsonline.org</a>.

Are there any late stations wishing to check into the net?

Are there any questions about the club or anything Ham radio related, come and ask.

Hearing nothing, this is \_\_\_\_\_ closing tonight's session of the East Pasco Amateur Radio Society's Net. We had \_\_\_ check-ins this evening. I would like to thank everyone who participated in the net . The East Pasco Amateur Radio Society's net will return next Tuesday evening at 7 PM. I am returning this repeater to general amateur use after the news-line feed. 73.

Key your mic press \*33006397 News-line will automatically disconnect when it is done.

PLEASE SEND AN EMAIL WITH THE TOTALS AND WHO CHECKED IN TO <a href="mailto:netcontrol@eparsonline.org">netcontrol@eparsonline.org</a>