

**PRE-NET PREPARATIONS:**

- Check your radio! Be on the right frequency!
- Check your time! Net starts at 1900!

**QST QST QST!** Good evening and welcome to the Walla Walla ARES net. This net meets each Tuesday evening at 1900 on the Lewis Peak Repeater. This is the primary ARES repeater for Walla Walla County, operating on 146.960 MHz (minus offset), PL 74.4. This is linked to the N7LZM repeater in the Tri Cities, operating on 145.410 MHz (minus offset), PL 100.0. During an emergency, public service event, or exercise, the link may be turned off to support our needs, but is kept on for scheduled nets.

If the Lewis Peak repeater is not available, the link is gone, and Walla Walla ARES members are asked to go to the KH6IHB repeater, 147.14 MHz (positive offset), PL 94.8 for further instructions. If that repeater is not available, ARES members will go to the primary simplex frequency, 147.50 MHz.

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The purpose of this net is to provide additional training opportunities for ARES members to prepare to be ready to respond to an emergency. Compared to our Thursday net, which operates in a more formal manner, this net will allow easier interaction between participants. Your net control for this evening is {Give your call in phonetics, with your name and location}.

To make most efficient use of your time, this is a directed net.

Please check in when requested by net control.

Check-in will be called alphabetically by the first letter of your suffix. Please give your complete callsign in phonetics with your name. Calling now for:

[ALPHA through INDIA]

[ALPHA through ROMEO]

[ALPHA through ZULU]

Do we have any visitors wishing to check in? {check in and log}

This is {your callsign in phonetics}.

Our training topic today is: {subject}, which will be presented by {name, callsign}.

Training presentation and discussion.

This is {your callsign in phonetics}.

Does anyone have any final questions or discussion for the net? {handle now}

This concludes the Tuesday evening ARES training net. Please remember the Thursday net at 1900 on this frequency. Thank you for your participation. Any questions, suggestions, or comments about this net may be directed to the Net Manager, Jeff AL1Q, or the County Emergency Coordinator, Keith N7ACW.

This is Walla Walla ARES net control {your callsign in phonetics} closing the net and returning this repeater to normal use.

**POST-NET ACTIONS:**

Send your net check in report to N7ACW