

South Pierce County ARES

Weekly Net Preamble (As of 1 January 2023)

(2 minutes before Net, at 1828 hrs.) May I have your attention, please! This is **(Call):** _____,
The South Pierce County ARES Team Net will begin in two minutes. Is there a volunteer that would like to
serve as the Alternate NCS? **ANCS: (Call):** _____, **(Name):** _____

(1830 hrs.): Hello and welcome this is Net Control Station **(Call):** _____, **(Name):**
_____, in **(Location):** _____, I will be NET Control this evening for the South Pierce
County Amateur Radio Emergency Services Team NET. This NET meets at 1830 hrs. local time each Tuesday
night on **PC-S1S**.

- Our Alternate NET Control Station this evening is **(Call): (Name):** _____
- Stations with emergency traffic may break in at any time. Is there any emergency traffic? ...

This net is for the weekly check and test of your radio equipment, to pass ARES traffic, and provide training in
a directed net. When checking in please state your callsign only, using standard ITU phonetics. When you are
acknowledged, please provide your name, and location. I will acknowledge each check-in by stating your call
sign in plain English.

- Asking for ARES member Check-ins at this time...
- Are there any visiting stations wishing to check-in? All licensed amateurs are welcome...

IDENTIFY: This is NET control station **(Call):** _____

(At Net Control's discretion) Jump to another South Pierce ARES Frequency and, perform net call)

There are other ARES NETs tonight and during the week, I encourage everyone to test their equipment by
checking into as many as you can. Net information can be found on our web-site at
www.piercecountyares.net. I also encourage everyone to check in to the District 5, Pierce County ARES net on
channel **PC-D1S** every Tuesday night at 1900 hrs. local time.

IDENTIFY: This is NET control station **(Call):** _____

- Are there any late or missed stations? ...
- Are there any stations with Traffic or Announcements? ...
- Are there any after NET contacts? ...

I want to thank the repeater owners for the use of their systems and everyone who participated. The
frequency will be returned to normal operation after confirmation by the ANCS of check-in information. Please
wait to hold your after-NET contacts, on this frequency, until after the confirmation. Thank you.

The NET is now closed at (Time): _____ **this is (Call):** _____ . Standing by for
confirmation...

IDENTIFY/SIGN OFF: This is NET control station **(Call):** _____

District Net Report: This is (Call): _____, for the South Pierce County ARES Team NET. We meet on Tuesdays at 1830 hrs. local time on channel **PC-S1S**. This evening we had (#): _____ check-ins.

IDENTIFY: This is (Call): _____, Back to net control

(Jump Procedure)

“This net will now jump to Channel _____, JUMP, JUMP, JUMP.”

(On Jump Frequency)

“This is South Pierce County ARES Net control, (Call sign) _____, continuing our Tuesday evening net. We will now conduct a net call of previous check-ins. **NET CALL, NET CALL, NET CALL.**”

“I will now continue our regular net on this frequency”