

N4POW TRAINING NET SCRIPT

Every Monday @ 19:00 (7pm)

147.315+ Repeater (N4POW) PL: 74.4

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- Good evening, this is the N4POW Training Net. [pause]
- This is Net Control calling the November-Four-Poppa-Oscar-Whiskey Training Net for [Today's Day and Date]
- This is [*Insert your Phonetic Call Sign here*] and I'll be your Net Control Operator ("NCO") for this evening's training net. If there are any stations with emergency or priority traffic, please call now.

-Repeater break-

- If at any time during this net you should need to pass emergency or priority traffic, please use the word "BREAK" and the net will yield for your traffic and assist in any way we can.

- This Training Net meets every Monday evening at 1900 hours local on this the 147.315 FM repeater which has a CTCSS Tone of 74.4. The purpose of this net is to provide a regular opportunity for stations to practice the skill of activities being Net Control, the passing of information about, and general fellowship with the amateur radio community.

-Repeater break-

- Operating as Net Control, for a special event or an emergency activation, takes practice. This net offers the opportunity to get that practice in a low-stress non-emergency situation.
- Stations within range of this repeater are encouraged to check in each week to provide the “Controller-In-Training” a regular opportunity to develop his or her skills. Without your participation this net could not happen.
- Tonight, your NCO in training is **[Your Call Sign]** and my name is **[Your First Name]**

-Repeater break-

- Unlike some other nets, this Training Net will not be able to receive or forward NTS messages.
- When checking-in, stations are requested to follow this standard format:
 - First, state your call sign phonetically and slowly; then, your first name.
 - Next, provide your location; and, a received signal quality report.
 - And finally, advise if you are able, to respond to NCO requests.
- In addition, if you are not going to be at a stationary location for the duration of the net, please say “DRIVING” when you report your location.

-Repeater break-

- This is [Your Call Sign] and the N4POW Training Net.

- I will now begin taking check-in's from mobile and portable stations. Any mobile or portable stations, please call now.

Write down stations checking in. Use station check-in log.

- Net copies ... ***Read from station check-in log.***
- Any other mobile or portable stations wishing to check-in, please call now.

Write down stations checking in.

- Net copies ... ***Read from station check-in log.***
- This is [Your Call Sign] and the N4POW Training Net. ALL OTHER stations wishing to check-in to this net, please call now

Write down stations checking in.

- Net copies ... ***Read from station check-in log.***

- If there any stations that I missed or did not acknowledge, please call now.

Write down stations checking in.

- Net copies ... *Acknowledge additional stations*
- OK we will now go down the list of check-in's, calling those with traffic first, then "Driving", mobile and portable.
- Net recognizes [*Call each station with traffic*]. This is [*your call*]; welcome to the net; your comments please.

[Repeat until all with traffic have been called]

- Skipping those stations that checked in-and-out, we will now continue with those not indicating traffic. Net recognizes *[Call each “Driving”, then mobile and portable station]*. This is *[your call]*; welcome to the net; your comments please.

[Repeat until all mobile and portable stations have been called; then all other stations, until all those with no traffic have been called]

- Are there any stations that I did not call, or any other stations that wish to check-in to the N4POW training net, or re-checks; please call now.

Write down additional stations checking in.

- Net copies, if more than one; or Net recognizes, if only one.

[Call each additional station checking in.]

[If hearing none, or after the last check-in is recognized and makes their comments, continue ...]

- Net Control would like to thank each and every station that checked-in to the net this evening. By participating in this net, you provide this “NCO In-Training” with a valuable opportunity to practice my net control skills. It is very much appreciated! I encourage each of you to register at ARES-Connect to practice being NCO on a future net. It will rid you of “Mic Fright”, and it is a lot of fun, while preparing you to handle essential duties when called to action! One never knows when their skill and services might be needed. Be Prepared! ARES-Connect can be found on the N4POW website, along with a variety of other Amateur Radio radio events.
- Please check out all the fun things happening in Amateur Radio at WWW.N4POW.COM, and on Facebook at N4POW REPEATER.
- I would like to thank all those stations that gave us the time for this net tonight, and the Powhatan Area Radio Club [“PARC”] for allowing us the use of the 147.315 Wires-X Fusion repeater. PARC also maintains a DMRVA linked

repeater on 443.350, and a WINLINK Gateway at 145.730, which can be reached, on that same frequency, through several digipeaters in the area.

- And with that, I will close this training net and return the N4POW repeater to regular Amateur Radio use. Have a nice evening. This is [*insert your call sign*], 73 to all.

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Check-In Log (Available/Traffic/Driving)

Date: _____ NCO: _____

Call Sign	Name	Location (and Mobile/Portable)	Status (A/T/D)

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