

IREDELL COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY

2 METER FM NET FORMAT

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This is **W4SNC** the Iredell County Amateur Radio Society's Net Control Station calling the Wednesday night 2 meter FM Net at **2100** hours local time. A 77-Hertz tone is required to access this repeater at all times.

- My name is _____ and my call is _____ .
- I'm located in _____ , North Carolina
- This Net meets weekly at this time for the purpose of handling traffic, passing club information and training followed by a general comments session.
- This Net is provided by ICARS as a service to the amateur radio community. All radio amateurs are invited to check in and participate in this Net.
- If you are a newcomer to the Net please check in with your call sign, name and location.
- This is a directed Net and stations are requested to check in according to the first letter of their call suffix. Stations are encouraged to use **ITU phonetics** when checking in.

Stations with formal traffic call **W4SNC** and list it by **Precedence & Addressee**.

(Acknowledge stations and traffic by precedence & addressee)

Station with **club announcements** or **training** call **W4SNC** and list them.

(Acknowledge stations with club announcements or training)

Stations **ALPHA through MIKE** (x 2) to enter the Net call **W4SNC**.

(Acknowledge each station by its call sign and operator name)

Stations **NOVEMBER through ZULU** (x 2) to enter the Net call **W4SNC**.

(Acknowledge each station by its call sign and operator name)

Additional stations **ALPHA through ZULU** (x 2) to enter the Net call **W4SNC**.

*(At this point go back and route **formal traffic** if any, and then **pass club announcements** if any, then call for **training** if any.)*

This is Net Control Station **W4SNC** calling for any additional stations to enter the Net.

(Acknowledge any additional check-ins.)

(Comments time. At this point go back to the top of the check-in list and give each station a turn for their comments.)

(About half way through the list, ask for additional stations to enter the Net.)

(After all stations have made their comments...continue with:)

This is the final call for check-ins to the ICARS 2-meter FM Net. To enter the Net call **Whiskey 4 Sierra November Charlie** now.

- This is **W4SNC** now closing this Net at *(current time)* hour's local time. This Net will meet next Wednesday night at 2100 hours local time on this ICARS repeater.
- We would also like to invite you to join our 75-meter Net on Saturdays at 2030 hours local time on 3972 kHz **Upper Sideband**.
- This is **W4SNC** your Net control station thanking each station for checking in and now turning the repeater back to normal amateur use.
- Best regards from _____ clear. Good night.
my name my call sign