

## Opening the Weekly F.C.A.R.E.S Net.

*NCO: Make a radio check at least 15 minutes prior to opening the net and ask someone to act as relay for you. The current roll call list is at <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FosterCityARES/>*

### PREAMBLE

**QST, QST, QST, This is (call sign), Net Control Station for the Foster City Amateur Radio Emergency Service (Ares) net. This net is part of the American Radio Relay League Emergency Service. This net is convened each Tuesday evening at 1900 hours local time on a frequency of 147.570 MHz with a PL of 114.8 the primary frequency assigned to the Foster City RACES program.**

**This is a directed net and all stations not actively participating in the net are requested to please stand by until the net is completed. Roll call will be in alphabetical order. Stations having traffic or QST's for the net should advise net control when they check in. Traffic will be handled after roll call is complete.**

**Is there any emergency or priority traffic? Please come now. <listen>**

**Are there any ARRL Officials who wish to check in? <listen>**

**Member stations please check in:**

*(Proceed through the roll call list calling each member by their call sign. Listen for about 2 seconds. Acknowledge responding stations by their first name, for example "Good evening, Michael". If you don't hear the called station, respond with "nothing heard". Check off each member on the roll call list and note if they have traffic. Remember to give your call sign every 10 minutes per FCC regulations.)*

**Are there any late or missed member stations? <listen>**

**Are there any ESVs or Foster City CERT members that wish to check in? <listen>**

**Are there any non-member stations that wish to check in? <listen>**

**I have traffic listed (call of station with traffic) go ahead with your traffic.**

**Is there any other traffic before the net is closed? Net control for next week will be \_\_\_\_\_.**

**This is (your call sign) net control for Foster City ARES/RACES Group closing the net on \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_(hours).**

**This frequency is now available for normal use. Thank you to all and good evening.**

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Please send completed roll call list to [KI6QWL@gmail.com](mailto:KI6QWL@gmail.com) or bring it to the meeting.