

Announce 10 min and 5 min prior to Net: CQCQCQ - The MERT D-STAR Net will start in _____Minutes

CQCQCQ - does anyone need to use this repeater before the **MARION COUNTY EMERGENCY RADIO TEAM** net begins?

Good Evening. This is (name) _____, (call) _____ and I will be the Net Control Station for tonight's **MERT D-STAR** net on KK4DFC, Freq. 146.790

Is there any emergency or priority traffic for the net? Emergency or priority traffic only. **Please come now.**

Anyone having an announcement, please say **CONTACT** and wait to be recognized.

This is a training net. Please do not engage in radio traffic that is **not** part of the net, and follow the instructions of Net Controller.

Next weeks Net Control Station is _____. Is that station available to back up tonight's net?

If nothing is heard on this frequency they try switching to an alternate station to see if the net has moved due to equipment failure.

We will be using the **Quick Key** format to check in. Key your radio or dongle for one second only when the frequency is clear. Space your call as not to cause **tailgating**. Wait one full second after the beep before transmitting. Net Control will acknowledge all quick-key check-ins seen. . If your station is not acknowledged, be patient, Net Control will ask for additional check-ins. When called upon use the proper phonetic alphabet to give your call sign, name and location.

I will begin taking check-ins, please quick key now. (Additional check ins for the 2nd round please Quick Key now, etc.) Final: Are there any stations that I have missed or are late, please quick-key now or check in by voice call. *****

The **D-Rats** Net on the **MERTEOC RATFLECTOR** will begin now. Wait until Net Control opens the D-Rats Net before checking in. Follow the instructions of the Net Control Station on the CHAT window of D-Rats.

After all stations are acknowledged and the internet D-Rats Net is closed, Net Control will post "THIS NET IS NOW SECURED – RETURN TO _____ FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS"

Time left, after D-Star & D-Rats are completed, will be used to discuss results of Winlink practice

Are there any additional comments or suggestions before we close the net

If you are interested in being a Net Control Station for this net, please send an email message to **Paul Blystone** at pblystone@embarqmail.com.

This is (call)_____ closing the MERT D-STAR net and returning the repeater to normal use at: (time) _____.

Thank you for your participation. **The MERT/CERT KJ4CLL net will begin at 20:00 hours (8PM)**

Announce 10 min and 5 min prior to Net: CQCQCQ - The MERT / CERT KJ4CLL Net will start in _____Minutes

CQCQCQ - does anyone need to use this frequency before the **MERT / CERT** net begins?

Good Evening. This is (name) _____, (call) _____ and I will be the Net Control Station for tonight's net on KJ4CLL frequency 145.330 backup repeater is K4GSO on 146.610.

All **CERT** Amateur Operators are encouraged to participate.

Anyone having an announcement, please say **CONTACT** and wait to be recognized.

The net will last approximately 15 minutes. This will be done by roll call.

All stations listen before transmitting.

When your station is called give your **call sign, name, location and a signal report. CERT Stations please identify yourselves as such and state the community you live in.**

ROLL CALL BEGINS NOW:

Are there any additional stations that wish to check in, say **CONTACT** and your **call sign**.
When acknowledged give **NAME, CALL SIGN, LOCATION, SIGNAL REPORT. Come now**

Are there any announcements or comments before we close

This is (name)_____ (call)_____ net control for the MERT/CERT KJ4CLL net.

Thanks for your participation, 73's & Good Evening.

This net is now closed and returns back to regular amateur use.

Lettering in Green is for informational purposes and need not be read over the air.

NOTE: Net Control Operators, remember to log into the Marion County ARES and SKYWARN page at : aresmcfll.org/netreport/ and log in the information requested, ie name, call sign, date, type of event, time spent, including prep time, and number of participants.