

NC & Friends Digital Voice Net Script

CQCQCQ. Good evening and welcome to the NC & Friends digital voice net. I am _____, and I'll be your net control this evening. This is a multi-mode net using D-STAR, DMR and C4FM on the Carolina Link bridged network. To participate, you need a radio or device for one of these modes and you will need to use a repeater or hotspot connected for D-STAR to REF054C, for DMR to TG 31254, and for C4FM to FCS003 module 33, or to YSF Room US BM TG 31254 or to WIRES-X Room 43008. If that is confusing, don't worry about it. If you can hear me you can probably key up and get into the net and everyone else should be able to hear you.

The purpose of this net is to encourage the use of digital voice modes, gain practice in conducting a regional net, provide a forum for discussion, and provide a source of camaraderie among users, primarily in North Carolina, although stations anywhere are welcome to check in and join us. This net meets each Tuesday at 9:00 PM eastern. Tonight, I am using a _____. This is _____, net control for the NC & Friends digital voice net.

Stations with emergency or priority traffic may break in at any time. Do we have any stations with emergency or priority traffic, please call net control.

(Await stations with priority traffic, if any:)

Go ahead with your traffic.

(Allow priority traffic)

We are going to take check-ins by mode. We will start with D-STAR, then move on to DMR and then C4FM. We will do this both for mobile or short-time check-ins and then for regular check-ins. We are going to use the Quick Key method for D-STAR and voice check-ins for DMR and C4FM. Once we have a list for each mode we will go to the top and get comments.

1. We will now take [mobile and short-time] [regular] D-STAR check-ins [using the Quick Key method] [by voice]. [Key your transmitter for approximately 1 second and then unkey.] I will acknowledge all check-ins. If you are not acknowledged, please try again when I call again for check-ins. Be aware that tailgating may cause me to not see your call. Please allow space between key ups. This is _____, net control for the NC & Friends digital voice net. D-STAR only users please quick key now.
2. We will now take [mobile and short-time] [regular] DMR voice check-ins. Please check in with your call sign. I will acknowledge all check-ins. If you are not acknowledged, please try again when check-ins are called for. I will be writing these down so please space them out. This is _____, net control for the NC & Friends digital voice net. DMR only users please check in by voice with your call sign now.

3. We will now take [mobile and short-time] [regular] C4FM voice check-ins. Please check in with your call sign. I will acknowledge all check-ins. If you are not acknowledged, please try again when check-ins are called for. I will be writing these down so please space them out. This is _____, net control for the NC & Friends digital voice net. C4FM only users please check in by voice with your call sign now.

Now let's go to the top of the list and start taking comments.

(Call each station in turn as in the below example)

K4XYZ good evening. Your name, location, and comments for the net please?

[Repeat #1, #2 and #3 above for regular check-ins.]

Use call sign suffixes if desired: A-G H-M N-T U-Z A-Z

(After giving everyone a chance to comment)

This is _____ and that is the list as I have it. Are there any additional check-ins? Please [Quick Key] [Call] now.

(Close the Net)

Hearing no other check-ins, we will close this week's NC & Friends digital voice net. I'd like to thank all stations for your participation, and encourage you to check in again next week. I'd like to thank all the repeater owners for the use of their repeaters, and especially Steve, K4SQI for maintaining the Carolina Link system. We meet each Tuesday evening at 9:00 PM, originating from various repeaters and on your local hot spot. Have a safe week. Now returning the Carolina Link system to normal operation. Please allow 2 minutes for repeaters to disconnect. This is _____ saying 73.