

San Lorenzo Valley ARES NET with Tactical Call Sign Sample Script
WB6ECE Repeater Group 441.300 PL 100 Channel 1 on the Frequency List
Remember to ID every 10 min and at the end of transmission

Wednesdays, at 1929 on WB6ECE:

Please stand-by for the Greater San Lorenzo Valley Amateur Radio Emergency Service Net. This is <NAME>, <CALL-SIGN PHONETICS>, your Net Control Station for tonight. Anybody wishing to arrange a contact on a different frequency please do so now.

<Pause>

At 1930 on WB6ECE:

Good evening. This is the San Lorenzo Valley ARES net. We meet here each Wednesday at 1930 local time, except for the 3rd Wednesday. On the 3rd Wednesday of the month, the monthly ARES meeting is held, currently on Zoom. This net is one of many ways we maintain our equipment and improve our EMERGENCY preparedness. ARES members, visitors and guests are welcome. We invite ALL amateurs to participate.

<Pause>

This is a DIRECTED net, so please do not transmit until indicated by Net Control. Those with priority or emergency traffic can interrupt at any time by saying "Priority! or Emergency!". Is there any emergency traffic now?

<Pause>

Net Check Ins:

We'll begin the net with check-ins, followed by a tactical call sign exercise. Please pause 2 to 3 seconds between transmissions to allow the repeater carriers to drop. Also, pause for 1 to 2 seconds after you key your mic before speaking to allow the repeater links to come up. When your call-sign suffix group is called, please check in using standard phonetics, speaking slowly and clearly, followed by your name and location. When I acknowledge you, I will be assigning you a tactical call sign. Please be prepared to write this down before you check in. If you do not wish to participate in the exercise, please indicate that when you check in.

This is <NAME>, <CALL-SIGN PHONETICS> in <LOCATION>, Net Control.

Stations with call-sign suffixes from **Alpha thru Foxtrot** please come now.

<Write down and acknowledge all call signs heard and assign the tactical call signs that you have chosen>

Stations with call-sign suffixes from **Golf to Mike**, please come now

<Write down and acknowledge all call signs heard and assign the tactical call signs that

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you have chosen>

This is <**CALL SIGN**>

Stations with call-sign suffixes from **November to Sierra**, please come now.

<Write down and acknowledge all call signs heard and assign the tactical call signs that you have chosen>

Stations with call-sign suffixes from **Tango to Zulu**, please come now.

<Write down and acknowledge all call signs heard and assign the tactical call signs that you have chosen>

This is <NAME>, <CALL-SIGN>, Net Control. Any missed or late check-ins, please give your call sign using standard phonetics, followed by your name and location, now.

<Write down and acknowledge all call signs heard and assign the tactical call signs that you have chosen>

Ask for Announcements:

Does anyone have any reports or announcements of general interest to the group? If so, please give me your call sign now.

<Pause> <moderate announcements – acknowledge all call signs who have an announcement, then call on them one by one, until complete.>

Training:

Now we will go into the training portion of the net. Is Kathi, KE6VTY going to have training tonight?

<Pause and see if Kathi has training, if so, let her continue.>

Are there any questions about the training or the exercise? Please come now.

<Moderate questions about training>

Tactical Call sign exercise:

We will now do a tactical call sign exercise. When I call your tactical call sign, please answer with your tactical call sign, and answer the question: "*<choose a question such as favorite car, color, season, plant, etc.>*", and then give your FCC Call Sign and name. I will acknowledge your answer and move to the next person.

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<Call out tactical call signs, moderate responses>

When exercise is completed:

This is <NAME>, <CALL-SIGN>, net control for this evening's San Lorenzo Valley ARES Weekly Net. Who has comments about our tactical call sign exercise? Please give me your call now.

<Moderate comments until completed>

Conclusion:

If you haven't already done so, please enroll in our San Lorenzo Valley ARES mailing list. Go to XCZCOMM.COM. From the RESOURCES pull-down menu, select MAILING LISTS, then select SAN LORENZO VALLEY.

Is there anyone else to check in or anything else for the good of this net before we close?

<Pause - Handle any reply, then repeat question before closing.>

This concludes our weekly Amateur Radio Emergency Service preparedness net. Thank you for participating. Please check-in with other local nets, it is good practice, and you meet new people in the county.

We want to thank the WB6ECE Repeater Group for the use of their repeaters. They work hard to keep this system up and running. Please support this repeater system if you are able to by visiting their web site at wb6ece.org and donating what you can.

This is <NAME>, Net Control, returning the repeaters to normal use. Good night and 73.
<CALL-SIGN>