

Florida Keys Weekly Preparedness Net Preamble

It is 7:30, and time for the Florida Keys Weekly Preparedness Net This is Steve, K1ST, MM98, in Key Largo.

Before we start, is there any emergency or priority traffic? (pause)

Nothing heard. The Florida Keys Weekly Preparedness Net is a directed Net, please address all transmissions through net control. The net is open to any licensed amateur wishing to check in. We will be taking check-ins geographically from Key West north to Key Largo and beyond. The net takes check-ins from both the DMR and FM Repeater Networks, Echolink, Allstar and Hamshack Hotline. With a cross mode linked system there are delays involved in bringing all the transmitters online, Therefore Please wait two seconds after keying up before speaking to allow all the links to come up. Let's start with anyone wishing to check into the Net from Key West to the Seven Mile Bridge on the FM repeaters, please come now.

Anyone wishing to check in on the DMR Repeaters or the Network Links from Key West to the Seven Mile Bridge, please come now.

Anyone wishing to check in from Seven Mile Bridge to Key Largo on the FM repeaters, please come now.

Anyone wishing to check in on the DMR Repeaters or the Network Links from the Seven Mile Bridge through Key Largo and outside of the Keys, please come now.

We will go through the list I have and then call for late check-ins at the end.

Repeater Status:

Announcements:

Any late check-ins or anyone I missed:

Hearing no one else, I will now close the Florida Keys Weekly Preparedness Net. I want to thank the Monroe County Sheriff's Office for keeping the repeaters up and running. Monroe County maintains five repeater sites for amateur use. They are at Mile Marker 0, 34, 49, 88 and North Key Largo. They are all open repeaters and free to use for Amateur traffic. (pause)

More Amateur Radio Information including repeater details can be found at the Florida Keys Amateur Radio Club web site FKARC.net and at KeysCares.net. Club Meetings are at the Big Pine Methodist Church the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm. Radio Exam Testing is done before the Meetings at 5:30 PM, email K1ST ahead of time if you are planning to take a test.

This is K1ST, The Florida Keys Weekly Preparedness Net is now closed, and the repeaters are returned to normal traffic.

Thank you all for checking in and hope to see you again next week.