

## **Preamble for the HARC Saturday morning social net**

Good Morning ladies and gentlemen. This is <NAME> <YOUR CALLSIGN> located in Missoula. Welcome to the Hellgate Amateur Radio Social net here on the 147.04 mhz repeater. If this repeater is inoperable, the net will move to 146.90 -600mhz 88.5 tone. I will be your net control station this morning.

This net meets every Saturday from 9AM MST to whenever the last call is received. This is a directed net, all amateurs are encouraged and welcome to participate. This is an informal, social net. Please share with us the fun things you are doing, projects you are working on, trips you may be taking, questions etc. There are no hard rules other than the customary FCC rules that we must adhere to. Commentary is always welcome.

When checking in, give me your call sign, name, and location. I will give priority to mobile stations. If you have further comments later in the net, give your callsign and say 'recheck'. That way I will know you have already checked in and have further comment.

If anyone has any emergency traffic please do not hesitate to break in at any time.

A couple of housekeeping comments;

Please PAUSE for a couple of seconds after the last transmission is completed before you transmit and then pause briefly after keying the mic before you speak.

Let's start the net with those stations who are mobile/portable or wish to be quickly in and out.

Quick check ins only please PAUSE for checkins....

I am ready for regular check-ins. This is <YOUR CALLSIGN>, your net control station.

At the end of each call group, recognize the stations... then ask for any missed stations...

ID occasionally... name, callsign, location

CONCLUSION:

Thanks everyone for joining us for the Hellgate Amateur Radio Social net.

ALSO; Thanks to the Hellgate Amateur Radio Club for hosting the repeaters and allowing all of us to use them. If you are not a member, please consider becoming one. Club meetings are held on the second Monday of each month.

At time the net is returned to normal amateur use. <YOUR CALLSIGN>

**Note for net control - this is your net, ad-lib as you wish and have fun.**