

NPARC Thursday NIGHT NET PREAMBLE

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Good evening, ladies and gentlemen. This is **<your callsign>**. My name is **<your name>** and I'm your controller this evening for the Niagara Peninsula Amateur Radio Club Thursday Night net. The net is conducted on the Club's VE3NRS repeater, 147.240 MHz, positive 600 kHz offset and 107.2 Hz tone, commencing at 20:00 local time. This repeater is located in St. Catharines.

If you would like to find out more about us, visit our website at nparc.ca. If you wish to contact us, our e-mail address is info@nparc.ca.

The purpose of this informal net is to pass news and views along to members and visitors to the club. It also provides experience to volunteer operators in net and emergency operating procedures. New net controllers are most welcome.

All check-ins are welcome. We especially invite non-members to join in. Also, good evening to our short wave and scanner listeners and to any visitors to the net tonight. SWL and scanner check-ins by e-mail or text to netcontrol@nparc.ca are welcome and will be acknowledged.

The Niagara Peninsula Amateur Radio Club meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month September to June. Meetings convene at 19:00. Our meetings are open to guests and visitors to the Niagara Region. We are an active and progressive club, fostering learning and comradeship amongst fellow amateurs.

[Contextual **example** announcements:

1. **exec meeting (1st / this Thursday at 19:00, Virtual Zoom / Niagara Region Building, 1815 Sir Isaac Brock Way, Thorold,**
2. **general meeting 2nd / this Thursday at 19:00, Virtual Zoom / at the Niagara Region Building, 1815 Sir Isaac Brock Way, Thorold,**
3. **Monday night Niagara ACS net at 20:00 on VE3RAF, 145.190 MHz, negative 600 kHz offset, 107.2 Hz tone,**
4. **Big Event, February 3rd at Merriton Community Centre, 7 Park Avenue, St. Catharines. Tables are available. Send e-mail to vendors@nparc.ca.**
5. **Reminder that NPARC does have an internet connected Fusion Wires-x repeater, VE3RNR, operating auto/auto at 443.575 MHz, positive 5 Mhz offset, 107.2 Hz tone**
6. **...]**

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[Net Controllers discretion]

Tonight's topic will be ...

Again, your controller for tonight's net is **<your name>**, and I will be using the club call, Victor Echo Three Victor Mike. When checking in, please announce your call sign using phonetics, followed by your first name.

Before we commence general check-ins, is there any priority traffic only?

Come now please, VE3VM, over

Are there any check-ins with a time line? (That means if you're in a rush or your handheld battery is about to expire)

Come now please, VE3VM, over

Are there any mobile check-ins?

Come now please, VE3VM, over....

Are there any general check-ins for the Niagara Peninsula Amateur Radio Club Wednesday night net?

Come now please with your call sign announced phonetically and name, VE3VM over....

(last call)

I'll take one more listen for check-ins to the NPARC, Wednesday night net. Come now please, VE3VM over....

(at the end of net)

Thank you all for joining us tonight. If you have any comments, thoughts or suggestions you can contact us via e-mail to info@nparc.ca. If you want to learn more about our club, visit our website at nparc.ca. This is Victor Echo Three Victor Mike, closing the net and returning the repeater to normal use. Thank-you all, for your participation, and 73, VE3VM out.

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Optional log, if you care to use it. Not mandatory, nor are logs required to be sent to anyone.

NPARC Wednesday Night Net Date: _____

Net Controller: _____

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