Southern Arizona Emergency Communications HF/VHF Net Mar - Aug '21

This is (KE7MU), Net Control Station for the Southern Arizona Emergency Communications HF Net. This net meets Saturdays at 0715 hrs MST on 3863 kHz (or another band), by authority of the FCC and by the direction of the Pima County Office of Emergency Management. This is a directed net, organized to handle emergency traffic and net training. Following roll call, I will open the net for late member and visitor checkins. Break with your call sign at any time if you have emergency traffic. ARE THERE ANY QST's?... The net list follows:

Suffix	Call, Name	2M	HF	ΕO	Bat	BU	P2m	Phf	S _r	S_s	QTH
GHF	W1GHF Rick										T (NE)
HY	N7HY John	Х	Х	Х			5w	100w	S7	+10	Pic Rocks
IJ	W7IJ Mike	Х	Х			Х	50w	100w	S9	S9	T (E)
INK	N7INK Bob		Х								SV
JBT	W8JBT Brian		Х	Х		Х		300w	S9	S9	Marana
M	KD8M Jackie										SV
MU	KE7MU Brad	Х				Х		90w			Vail
OIW	KD70IW Peter										Glendale/T
PK	KB7ZZ Bill	Х	Х	Х		Х		100w	59	S9	T (E)
RB	KI7RB Mark										Scottsdale
RJA	K7RJA Ron	Х	Х	Х		Х	5w	150w		S7	T (NE)
SIN	WB0SIN Steve	Х	Х			Х	25w	200w	+5	S9	Chandler
TKK	WA9TKK MIKE	Х	Х			Х	5w	100w	S4	S6	GV
JTT	KJ7JTT DON										
											Tucson
LUX	W7LUX Joe		Х			Χ		100w	S9	+10	Flagstaff
YRS	KF7YRS Lee		Х			Х		100w	S7	S5	St George,UT

March		April		May		Ju	ne	Jı	ıly	August		
6	20	3	17		15	5	19	3	17	7	14	
N			N			N			N			
A	N	Α	A	N	Α	A	N	Α	A	N	Α	
	IV			14			IV			IN		
	Α	Ν		Α	Ν		Α	Ν		Α	Ν	

2M/Visitors	0	0

D	NJ6D Chuck						Tuc Mtns
EAZ	K7EAZ Ken	Х			5w		T (NW)
IK	W6IK Bob	Х		Х	5w		T (NE)
KE	AL7KE Walt						T (NW)
SDZ	KF7SDZ Phoebe						Т
VDA	KC7VDA Dan	Х			4w		T (E)
VT	KV7VT Vaughn						T (NW)
XP	KD7XP George	Х		Х	1w		Pic Rocks
DC	K7DC Bob	Х			5w		
ADX	K7ADX Scott	Х			5w		
AKL	K7AKL Ken	Х			5w		Visitor

<u>Legend:</u> FQ=Full Quieting, T=Tucson, SV= Sierra Vista, EO=Early Out, Bat=Using battery pwr. P2m = 2M power, Phf = HF power

N=Net Control Station, A=Alt Net Control Station, "-----" = Parameter not heard/recorded Rly=Relay either to or from NCS, NC=No copy P2m = 2M power, Phf = HF power

Are there any visitor or late member check-ins? Again, are there any visitor or late member checkins? Any relays? This is (Your call), NCS for the Southern Arizona Emergency HF Net. Now we'll go around again for comments.

[Closing] This net is formally closed at 0738 hrs- MST and will meet again next Saturday on 3865 kHz (or alternate band) at 0700/0715 hrs MST. Thanks for your participation! Have a good week all! 73, [Sign off].

Net notes:

Per suggestion from KE7MU, net moved up to 3865 KHz per QRM.

Many stations again reported my signal as being very weak or unreadable.

Thanks to KE7MU and W7LUX for net relays.

After the net, KD70IW and myself tested 40m for possible net use. Both our signals were unreadable including 100W key-down signals. Also checked with KD7XP on 2m and asked him if 7254 KHz was ever used as a net frequency.

He said years ago but was abandoned due to poor propagation at about the same as the 80m net.

Also discussed use of 60m due to better propagation, but was discounted due to not many people have an antenna that works on 60m and that there are only 5 available

channels and could conflict with other planned MARS/amateur exercises.