

## Nets

Chapter 6.4







## Net

Meeting over the radio

## Purpose:

- Pass messages ("traffic")
- Coordinate activities
- Training

A "Net Control Station" (NCS) organize the participants.

- Take roll (check-ins)
- Directs who is in turn to talk

Do not transmit unless you are requested to do so

Emergency traffic can break in at any time -"Break Break"

Local repeaters & clubs have nets daily – Listen!





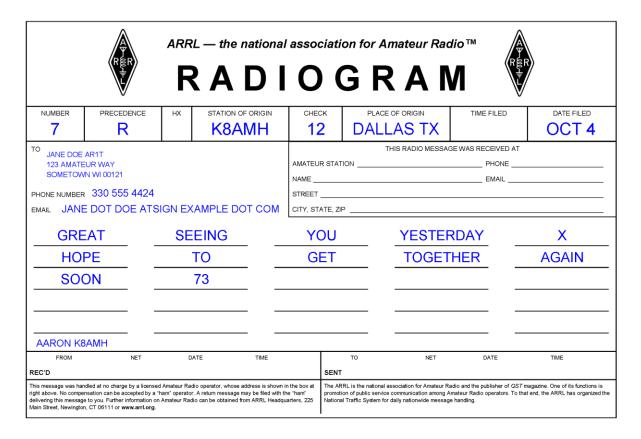


## Passing traffic

In an emergency, HAM's can be called on to pass traffic.

Messages are often formatted as **Radiograms**Radiogram has a **Header** so it can be tracked
Also has a **Check number** (word count)

Aim to exactly reproduce the message
Use phonetic alphabet



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