

Metrolina 2 Meter Emergency Net Reporting Procedure

Nets should be started promptly at 21:00 hours local. Use WWV time if it's available to you. Don't rely on the repeater time announcement because it's usually wrong by at least a few minutes.

If the regular Net Control scheduled for that evening has not signed on by 21:02, then any other station can assume the Net Control job.

All Net Reports should be sent to the Net Manager by the last day of each month.

The Net Manager will then consolidate monthly total net reports and forward them on.

Each night's net report should include:

- The Date (using zulu time)
- Number of stations participating (including yourself)
- Number of minutes duration of Formal part of net
- Number of pieces of traffic listed/passed

Reports can be sent via email to: <mailto:M2MENNetManager@w4bfb.org>

Delivered by telephone - 704-366-5375

Delivered to WB2NHQ over the net using an informal piece of traffic:

For example:

Remember, the M2MEN net that started at 21:00 April 29 (local time) actually started on April 30 at 0100 Zulu time. It totaled 29 stations checking in plus the Net Control Station, there was 1 piece of traffic listed and passed, and the formal part of the net was completed in 12 minutes. (Ragchew is an informal get acquainted time with no time limits, not counted as 'net time').

RadioGram:

#1 R NC4DP 13 CLT 21:30 LOCAL APR 29

to: WB2NHQ

BT

M2MEN report for April 30

zulu checkins 30 traffic 1/1

time 12 minutes

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Your call

73, John – WB2NHQ, M2MEN Net Manager