

LOCAL ARES NETS AND MEETINGS

Weekly Monterey County ARES Net

Wednesdays, 1930 hours, heard on:

K6LY 146.970 pl 94.8 (Monterey) K6LY 444.700 pl 123.0 (Monterey)

KR6ML 145.310 pl 94.8 (Carmel Valley)

W6TAR 145.430 pl 94.8 (County-wide)

Monterey County ARES Meetings

Fourth Thursday of every-other-month, located at one our served agencies

Listen to the ARES nets for details

LINKS

American Radio Relay League

<http://www.arrl.org>

Naval Postgraduate School Amateur Radio Club

<http://www.k6ly.org>

ECTAR (Emergency Communications Through Amateur Radio)

<http://www.ectar.org>

ARRL Santa Clara Valley Section Website

<http://www.arrl.org/sections/SCV.html>

Monterey County ARES RECON Levels

<http://www.ectar.org/ares/recon.htm>

Monterey County ARES Bandplan

<http://www.ectar.org/ares/bandplan.htm>

Monterey County Office of Emergency Services

<http://www.co.monterey.ca.us/oes>



AMATEUR RADIO EMERGENCY SERVICES

Monterey County, California

Amateur Radio Emergency Services (ARES), is a nationwide field organization of the American Radio Relay League, consisting of Amateur Radio Operators that have voluntarily registered their services and become part of an organized team. The trained operators of Monterey County ARES provide reliable primary and secondary communication links for the Monterey County Office of Emergency Services, Emergency Operations Centers in cities throughout the county, as well as organizations such as the Red Cross, Salvation Army, and the major local hospitals. Local ARES members are registered in the Monterey County Disaster Service Worker Volunteer Program, as well as the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service (RACES).

AGENCIES SERVED BY MONTEREY COUNTY ARES

- Monterey County Operational Area Office of Emergency Services
- American Red Cross
- Salvation Army
- City of Carmel
- City of Monterey
- City of Marina
- City of Pacific Grove
- Cities of Prunedale, Aromas, North County
- City of Seaside
- City of Salinas
- Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula
- Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital
- Natividad Medical Center
- California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection

EMERGENCY COORDINATORS

Monterey County District Emergency Coordinator
Dan Kern, W6FDO

Auxiliary Communications Support Officer, RACES officer
Monterey County Office of Emergency Services
Bob Spencer, W6HMC

City of Marina Emergency Coordinator
Tom Cardinali, KF6OZK

Cities of Monterey & Pacific Grove Emergency Coordinator
Ed West, W6DBL

Cities of North County Emergency Coordinator
Dave Stoik, N6VLY

City of Salinas Emergency Coordinator

City of Seaside Emergency Coordinator
George Cox, W6UTC

American Red Cross, Carmel Chapter
Andrew Parker, WV1B

American Red Cross, Monterey County Chapter
Larry Murphy, KE6PPE

Salvation Army
Ken Teunis, KK6CS

Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula
Bruce Givitz, KF6OZN

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
Bob Spencer, W6HMC

Monterey County ARES Repeaters

ARES1	145.430	PL: 94.8	W6TAR	Mt. Toro
ARES2	145.470	PL: 94.8	K6JE	Fremont Peak
ARES3	146.970	PL: 94.8	K6LY	Huckleberry Hill
ARES4	145.310	PL: 94.8	KR6ML	Carmel Valley

Listed above are the four primary ARES repeaters that serve distinct geographical areas of Monterey County. In addition, thirteen tactical simplex frequencies have been designated for ARES use. Each frequency is designated by a channel number for ease of reference, programming and tactical designation. See the entire ARES bandplan for details. Links to the Monterey County ARES bandplan are on the back page of this document.

Why should I become a part of ARES?

- To provide a public service for your community in the event of need or disaster
- To become part of a highly trained team of radio communicators
- To learn new skills and test yourself under adverse conditions
- To fulfill one of the FCC's primary reasons for the existence of Amateur Radio
- To have fun while using your radio for a serious purpose

How do I become a part of ARES?

- Join us as often as possible on the weekly ARES nets, Wednesdays at 1930 hours (see back page for details)
- Participate in ARES drills and training as often as possible
- Contact the Emergency Coordinator of the city or area you live in to learn more about where you can help and be trained for assignment
- Register as a Monterey County Disaster Service worker and RACES operator (contact Bob, W6HMC for details)
- Join us at an ARES meeting (see back page for details)