CARC Net Control Script

-A minute before the net starts, ask if the frequency is in use.

"This is <your callsign>, is the frequency in use?"

Start Net:

"Good evening, this is *your callsign*, net control, activating the Campus Amateur Radio Club Two Meter Repeater Net."

"This net meets regularly on *<insert day here>* at *<insert time here>* on 147.375 MHz with a positive 600 kHz offset and a PL tone of 114.8 Hz. Anybody with an amateur radio license is welcome to check-in"

"This is a directed net, therefore all stations should check in with net control."

"Before we begin, let's standby and see if there are any stations with emergency or priority traffic. Please come now."

(Unkey radio and wait for about 5 seconds or so)

"Hearing nothing, check-ins are welcome. This is <your callsign>, net control for the CARC Two Meter Repeater Net, calling for all check-ins. Please come now."

(Make a list of all of the callsigns that check-in. When there is a lull, acknowledge the check-ins)

"Ok, I have <say their callsigns in the order they checked in>, anyone else?"

(Write down any additional callsigns if any, acknowledge them, and move on with the net)

"This is <your callsign>, net control for the CARC Two Meter Repeater Net. We will start with tist first callsign on list>" (ask how their weekend went, how school is going, make small talk, essentially)

(When they are done talking and turn it back to you, acknowledge their comments and make any additional comments, thank them for checking in, then move on to the next station on the list. Once you're finished with the last check-in, ask for new check-ins)

"Ok, we have made it to the bottom of the list. This is <your callsign>, net control. I will take any new check-ins now."

(Write down any new check-ins, and repeat the steps above. If no new check-ins, work the list again, asking each station if they have any additional comments. Once done, give announcements (mainly our weekly meetings) and ask if any stations have other announcements)

(Ask K0WKT for a weather report)

"I'll turn it over to K0WKT for a short weather briefing."

(Once the station hands it back to net control, ask for any new check-ins, rechecks, or other announcements)

"This is <your callsign> net control for the CARC Two Meter Repeater Net, are there any last-minute check-ins, rechecks, or other announcements that need to be mentioned before I close this net?"

(If a station comes back, acknowledge them and give them the floor. Once done, ask if anyone else has anything to say. If nothing, close the net)

"With that, I will close down this net. This is *<your callsign>*. I would like to thank each station that checked in this evening. Remember that we have a club meeting every *<insert day here>* at *<insert time here>* in Coover Hall, Room 3107. Anyone with an interest in radio is welcome to attend. This is *<your callsign>*, net control for the CARC Two Meter Repeater Net, and this frequency is now open for regular amateur use. Good evening."