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## Wyoming Cowboy Net Check in instructions

The Cowboy Net Control will call the Net by your **City**. When you hear your city being called, you can check in by stating your **City** and then your Call Sign.

Where there are multiple hams in a city, please wait and listen. You will not be missed as **NC** will ask for your **City** multiple times to give everyone a chance to check in. No need for a pileup that will cause no one to be heard.

Member stations that are late will be picked up at the end of Net. Please do not interrupt **NC** if you missed your check in chance. Wait for **NC** to ask for late or missed members. Again state your **City** first and Net Control will ask for your Call Sign.

Visitors will be picked up at the end of Net. Please state your **City**. Net Control will ask for further information including your call. Other stations wishing to check in, WAIT for **NC** to acknowledge the previous check in before keying up. Again, there will be plenty of time given by **NC** to pick you up. No need for a pile up.

**NC** may use relay stations to help get everyone checked in. In most cases **NC** may designate certain stations as relays. If you are not a designated Relay Station, please don't transmit until acknowledged by the **NC** for additional relays.

**Roster Requirements:** To remain on the Roster, 3 check in's per calendar month are required. To get on the Roster, visitors must check in at least 3 times in a calendar month.

**Note:** If a station continues to fall off the roster, you may be required to check in 5 times in a **calendar month** rather than the normal 3 times. There is plenty of work keeping the roster up to date and stations that are continually falling off the roster make keeping the roster updated a chore. If a station does fall off the roster, the option is to check in as a visitor. There is nothing wrong with the casual station check in.

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