

April 28, 2017 Florida State EOC Information

The following information has been provided by the ESF2, Florida State EOC:

- On Monday, May 1, the National Hurricane Center will test SARNET and will have a State meteorology chief send a message to the NHC for validation of the system. Please allow them the use of the system without interruption (I do not have a specific time – but when they come up, please clear the system). WX4NHC will be activated and we can participate on SARNET from 11am to Noon (EDT). This should be enough time to test the SARNET system to communicate to NHC. Stations can make contact with WX4NHC and send their Call Sign, Signal Report, Name, QTH and brief WX Report.
- On Tuesday, May 2, after the normal 9AM 3950 Net the Florida State EOC will take any simulated messages or contacts ***FROM COUNTY EOCs ONLY*** from 10:00 to 11:00 AM EDT. ***ONLY STATIONS OPERATING FROM COUNTY EOC's SHOULD PARTICIPATE.*** If conditions are poor on 80M, the 40M secondary frequency will be utilized. The State EOC WILL NOT be using SARNET on Tuesday due to staffing.
- Also later this month (May13th) is MARS/Armed Forces Day – participation is highly encouraged! <http://grznw.com/armed-forces-day-crossband-militaryamateur-radio-communications-test-is-may-13/>

As additional information is received, it will be provided.

73!

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