

# THE UNOFFICIAL WORMHOLE NET - NON NET

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## Check Ins

### 11/20/2019

K6LDQ Jon  
KK6TDU Scott  
KN6CJK Scott  
N6IET Rick

### 11/13/2019

AG6N Ben  
K6LDQ Jon  
KJ6CBE Lars  
KK6TDU Scott  
KN6CJK Scott  
KM6IVE Harold  
N6IET Rick

## IN THE WORMHOLE

### 11/20, 27/2019

This is going to be a short one as the cold Autumn rains kept the usual suspects off of their favorite radio mountain tops. We also missed Manny, as his apartment ceiling is not 30 feet to accommodate his telescoping mast. Ben and Lars did make it back out to Elysian Park on the 27th to check in on the Southern Calif Emergency Simplex net, then the SoCal 2 meter SSB net and finally the Wormhole. At the end of the SoCal 2 meter net, a station heard Greg-KK6WLD, but propagation was poor and we never got him through the Wormhole. Scott-CJK operated from home and even though I only get him at 3 S units, his audio is loud and clear. Despite having very few ears and mouths on the radio, Scott-TDU and I managed to keep Rick up to 11:30 pm and midnight this past net, non-net. It's OK, we know Rick loves it. And instead of operating out in the elements on his balcony, he ran his coax into his room where he can stay warm and dry.

On Saturday, the 30th, I caught Ben out on Oat Mountain doing another SOTA activation. Made a contact with him on 20 meters. With the low snow levels now on our local mountains, many roads and paths are closed, keeping SOTA activators out. But I have noticed an increase in POTA (Parks on the Air). Similar to SOTA, but you activate national parks. With POTA you can drive to a park, and transmit directly from your car. Unfortunately, there aren't many designated national parks near us.

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving holiday, and look forward to hearing everyone in the Wormhole!



This net (non net) occurs every Wednesday evening starting at anywhere from 8:30 - 8:50 PST on 446.500MHz FM until everyone can't hear each other anymore or falls asleep.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

12/14 ARRI 10 Meter Contest

12/22 Rookie Roundup-CW

## N6IET quote

*Any stations that can't hear me, call now.*

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