# **AZQP 2016 Soapbox**

# AB5XM

Thanks to all for QSOs and making contest possible!

# **AB7WP**

Not for scoring - confirmation only

### AI4DB

Propagation seemed fair to good at times. Not many Arizona stations heard. 15 meters was open from Arizona to west Tennessee in the afternoon on Sunday, only heard two stations. I also think the sponsor need to break down CW and Phone divisions.

# AK7RM

AK7RM's Contest Summary Report for AZQP Created by N3FJP's Arizona QSO Party Contest Log Version 1.4 www.n3fjp.com Total Contacts = 554 Total Points = 36,564Operating Period: 2016/10/08 16:04 - 2016/10/10 00:41 Total Contacts by Band and Mode: Band CW Phone Dig Total % ---- -- -----40 0 14 0 14 3

20 0 540 0 540 97 -- ---- --- ----

Total 0 554 0 554 100

#### JF8LPB

5w and end fed long wire

# K1AUS

Only worked a few hours. Thanks for the contest.

# K2ZR

RIG: K2@95W ANTS: EF WIRE 425' CF WIRE 660 HX5Bi HEXBEAM LOG: N1MM. TU to AA7V For My One & Only 5 Bander. Not much AZ Action. Conditions Decent. 73, DICK, K2ZR Niagara County, NY Niagara Frontier RadioSport

# **K8AJS**

Rig: Elecraft K3/P3 100 watts

Ant: 3 el quad

Software: WriteLog v11.23L

# **K8TE/7**

Interesting results for deciding the morning before to travel from Albuquerque to near Holbrrok and park the RV on a vacant spot truckers use to sleep! Thanks to Murphy, I was 45 minutes late Saturday morning. But I made up it by operating an extra hour thanks to looking at a local clock, instead of N1MM+! Sorry to the 40+ folks I worked feverishly to make 900 QSO's. Now I have to work through my notes to make the next county expedition even better. The rig (K3/KPA500/KAT500) performed flawlessly into an Alpha-Delta DX-CC, a poor choice for a fiberglass mast. However, that combination made an interesting picture. This setup is a work in progress! Conditions seem OK except for a lot of extreme QSB. Lightning came close by, but I managed to stay on-the-air Saturday night. The rate got so slow the last couple of hours I went to bed. Thanks to the sponsors for a fun time! I'll probably be back next year after a better planning effort.

73, Bill, K8TE

### K9DR

100% S&P. Spotted Outlaws I worked to help increase your visibility. Worded every AZ station I heard. Should be back to AZ in a week, or so. Hope to see you at breakfast soon. Dan - K9DR

#### K9GDF

Antenna is rain gutter and downspouts.

#### K9NR

VERY short time effort!

#### K9SG

Only able to work the contest for a few hours. Propagation was really bad on 20 on Saturday. Still had some fun though.

# KC7V (@K8IA)

Lots of CQ's and lots of slow periods. Thanks to all that gave me a QSO.

#### KF7PBM

100 bonus points for working WM7RC.

### KG7MXL

Thanks for a great qso party!

#### **KI7FPL**

HF contest Introduction with N1MM+, conducted late Sunday afternoon

### KN4Y

Did not hear many Arizona Stations on CW. Wish Arizona would drop the serial number from the exchange and get mobiles on the road. Talk about exciting!

# N7QQ (W6RW)

Had to work a few hours on Saturday so could not do a full effort. I wish that they would include PHONE and CW categories in this contest, so I could do CW only and not have to worry about going after Phone multipliers. As usual .... I had a great time! GO OUTLAWS!!!

# **NA2U/7** (@KY7M)

Thanks to Lee, KY7M, for allowing me to remote into his station.

#### NG7W

Dipole up 30 feet. Probably a lot of stations I just could not hear but had fun anyway!

#### NG7Z

Thanks to the Catalina radio club for sponsoring this contest. Propagation conditions did not favor those of us with low power and marginal antennas. But I stuck it out listening to white noise for many hours. Missed the 40M hours on Saturday due to a large T-storm in the late afternoon into the evening. I'm sure I could have made 200+ if not for the storm. A special shout out to the members of the Western Washington DX Club and the Redmond Contest Club who took the time to hand out the WA mult. Thanks for the Q's.

# **OM2VL** (@OM8A)

Thank you very much for the QSO's. During the PA QP made also AZ QSO's. Unfortunately, on my CQ answer only 1 AZ station. No QSO with bonus station. Most QSO's with:

(5): AA7BN, K7L

(4): K8TE/7

(3): AA7V, KC7V, NG7Z

73, Laci OM2VL

### VE9AA

AZ stns pretty thin on the ground on Sunday afternoon (only time I was on). For hours, I scoured 15m & 20m (CW)for any sign of Arizona life, but folks must have either been on SSB or off doing other things. At least Arizona recognizes that Canada has real Provinces out here (NB, NB & NS for example) unlike some other QSO parties who do not. I made up some coax jumpers and repaired some phasing lines and kept busy soldering this n' that as I watched the cluster and jumped on any W7 that reared his head on 15 & 20 - hee hee Thanks for the Q's!

### **W0YJT**

I did not have a lot of time but worked a few when I was home enjoyed it will be back next year.

73 John

### W1END

Rig was ftdx5000 and Butternut hf6v all-band vertical.

## W4LID

Please upload your logs to qrz-eqsl-lotw. 73!

### W4NBS

Thanks for the Q's. 73, Tom, W4NBS

#### W7KAM

Never did hear the bonus station on ssb.

### **W8KNO**

Worked Gila county, the last one I needed for worked all Arizona!

# **WA5SWN**

I did not expect a huge score - I live in an apartment and have a very modest setup, however propagation was very poor - On day # 2 (Oct 9) I did not hear any new stations that I had not worked before. Only the strongest stations were getting out. Had fun anyway. Met some nice OM's and YL's.

# **WB6ETY**

5 QSOs last year, 20 QSOs this year, wait 'til next year!

# **WJ4HCP**

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# WZ6ZZ

100 bonus points for working WM7RC.