

2022 AZQP Soapbox

AA4DD

73, Dave AA4DD

AA4TI

Feast and famine as propagation opened and closed into Florida.

AA8TA

Thanks for the activity. There was some nice activity on the higher bands.

AB1A

Was working primarily the PA qso party as a portable on battery /solar power. thx 4 contacts.

AB5XM

Enjoyed it! Hope to get more next year.

AF5J

Thanks for the QSOs - 73, HAL

KØXF

Overall conditions were excellent. Had fun but it was a little confusing at times operating in and juggling logs for the AZ QSO Party, PA QSO Party, SD QSO Party, NV QSO Party and Oceania CW DX contest all at the same time. Just answered CQ's using a doublet wire antenna at ~ 60' running low power.

K2MN

Used two indoor fan dipoles and 80 Watts.

K4BAI

Nice to hear activity on the high bands again. Didn't hear any AZ stations on 75M SSB but did listen for them until the end of the contest time. Thanks for all QSOs.

73, John, K4BAI.

K4VBM

Got the bonus station!

K6NR

One week after operating K6VO in the California QSO Party I got to operate in the Arizona QSO Party. Great fun. I operated remotely using my station in Parks, Arizona with a new Starlink network connection that works well 98% of the time. It was interesting recovering from the occasional drop in Internet audio and radio control. Conditions were good, great to have 10 meters. I operated my IC-7610 with a parallel dipole for 10/15/20 about 30 ft up in the trees. Used a Butternut HF2v vertical on 40 and 80 over 19 radials. Altitude is about 7000 ft, so that may help. I have an inverted L on 160 but only got to use that for 1 QSO. Thanks for all the QSOs,
Dana

K7A (K6WSC)

K7A was the 2022 Arizona QSO Party Bonus Station. Rare post-monsoon slow moving thunderstorms parked over my QTH forcing a big dent in mid-day operation. Thanks to everyone who participated, especially mobiles and expeditions. **Special thanks also go to Bruce Horn WA7BNM for bringing his special magic to the AZQP by creating the new AZQP-customized log submission web app.** I hope everyone had great ham radio fun in the AZQP!

73,

Bill Clark / K6WSC

Arizona QSO Party Chairman

K7JQ

Thanks for the Q's!

73, Bob K7JQ

K7L (K6LL)

I should have paid more attention to mults, but I was having too much fun just running like crazy on SSB. I couldn't get much going on CW, since the SSB rate was almost always double the possible CW rate. A half hour before the end, I heard a big blast of precipitation static on 40, and checked the weather radar. A big thunderstorm was bearing down on us, and a dust storm was already raging, so I pulled the plug a half hour early. It was fun, but it was even more fun before the rule change prohibiting RTTY.

Thanks for all the QSO's!

K9NW

Tnx QSOs!

73, Mike K9NW

KA6BIM

Thanks for the QSO's.

Dave ka6bim

KB4CG

Enjoyed the contest - good participation. Look forward to next year!

KB5GI

1x QSO with K7A!! :-)

KC7V

Good fun. Thanks for all the q's.

KD2KW

Thanks for the practice.

KEØTT

Condx good this time, enjoyed the party. thanks for the Q's. C U next time,
73, Dan KEØTT

KE6GFI

That was quite a QSO party, 10 meters was wide open, so much fun. Everything worked well, no glitches - no storms, Worked all states and most of the Canadian provinces. Many thanks to the organizers and all the stations that joined in the fun.

KF3G

Operated from fm29jw. Thank you for the 2022 Arizona QSO Party.

KK7AC

It's hard to get motivated with, A. being at home in Pima, and B.so much play-off baseball on TV (mixed with a bit of college football). But man, was it nice to actually run on 10 meters! Motivation restored! Unfortunately, I had to break away (like many others most likely) from the radio in a complete shut-down for about an hour at 2100 due to a heavy localized storm producing lighting.

N4ARO

Appreciate the participation but missed several counties this year that we did not hear. We also noticed the lack of mobile operations.

N4NTO

Fun!

N5OT

Thanks for the QSOs!
73 - Mark N5OT

N5RZ

Worked a few between chores. Thanks to all for the QSO's.
73, Gator

N6GP

Maybe a bit less activity than previous years, but still had fun. I had hoped for more on 80.

N6JSO

Set up a "PorchXpedition" on my balcony to try out some new longer components for my Buddipole. Lots of noise from all the electrical activity in the neighborhood, but I could work almost everyone I could hear. Lots of AZ stations out!

N7A (AA7A KY7M NA2U N7NR K9DR) (@NA7TB)

As NA2U always says, "There ain't no meters like 10 meters!" That was certainly the case today as we made 611 of our QSOs on 10m with 525 on phone. It was so nice to have many hours of propagation on the band we have missed for so long. We had great participation and appreciate all the folks who worked us on multiple bands. Our 2 stations worked with only minor glitches and the time flew by with so many callers. Thanks for all the QSOs.

N7GP

Had a couple hours free on Saturday night, had fun and worked on keeping from getting too rusty on CW!!! Worked a few outlaws!! GO OUTLAWS!!!

Tom

N7GP

ex WA8WZG

N7T (N7NWL K7VZ)

Had a great time. Kudos to our 11-year-old guest op, Evan, who did an outstanding job on SSB. We had a few glitches but installing a replacement antenna mid-contest in the rain always helps it work better. Thanks to all for the contacts.

73,

John, N7NWL

N7VS

The amateur is balanced. Outside commitments limited my BNC time. Thank you for the contacts. I hope to be back next time.

73,

Steve N7VS

N8II

I didn't get started until about 19Z. 10 and 15 were wide open to AZ, but activity was pretty minimal by then. 20 was open well past sunset. Thanks for the QSO's, all S&P I think.

73, Jeff

N9HDE

10 meters opened up briefly on Saturday afternoon to AZ from my QTH in northeastern IA.

N9NM

This is a nice contest with plenty of ops on the air.

NF7E

Always fun but this year my yagi was on the ground so I had to use it that way! Whatever works, right!

OM2VL (@OM8A)

I was busy in PA QP, I haven't many time to search AZ stations. Fortunately, AZ QP start 1 hour before the PA QP and I can made some QSOs during this time. I missed so many stations which I heard but didn't call because of big US pileup. I missed also so many multipliers on SSB.

Most QSOs with:

(6) - N7A

(4) - K7L, K7V

(3) - K7GA, WB7TJD

Thanks for the QSO's!

73, Laci OM2VL

WØBH

Great conditions whenever I turned on the radio this weekend. Sorry I couldn't spend more time.

73, Bob, w0bh

W1END

Fewer QSO's than last year but always enjoy the hunt. Thanks to all.

W1FJ

Thanks for the fun in limited time.

W1QK

Thanks for the contacts. Thank you for sponsoring the QSO party.

73-Dan, W1QK

W2IOC/1

From VT - Kathy, Joan and Connie were visiting. 33 degrees one morning. Foliage was great. Tough state to contact and not that many stations on the air phone in AZ.

W2LC

Nice to work AZ, SD and PA all on the same QSO party weekend!

73 Scott W2LC

W4QDV

Lots of AZ QSO party stations early but I had to stop to grill dinner. I did find special event stations K7V and N7A. Worked all CW but had to tinker with the e3830 scoring to include the 100 bonus points for working a bonus station. Thanks all the great AZ ops I was privileged to work.

73, Dave

W9TCV

Nice to work some AZ stations - thanks to all who participated!

73, W9TCV

WA1SAY

Thanks for qso party.

WA9YI

Lots of good ops, thx

WQ6X (@W7AYT)

This state QSO Party is always too short for me. While working other GiGs I kept on the lookout for AZ, which didn't actually happen until late in the day (02:49z) At least there was 40 & 80 - I forgot to check for anything on 160. Look for a write up on this at: <http://WQ6X.Blogspot.com>