



Field Day 2023 Recap

JUNE 24-25, 2023

CHAIRS: JEFF - KM6RGO, JON - KI6RT (and many others)

Presented by Dennis - WU6X

A Few Challenges?

- ▶ Wait! The challenges were all overcome this year thanks to a hard-working “team”
- ▶ The plan: well done and well-executed
- ▶ The perfect venue (no star-gazers or over-filled portapotties)
- ▶ Antennas, coax, filters, triplexers, oh my!
- ▶ And, plenty of great food prepared by expert cooks!

Some Highlights!

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- ▶ GREAT participation ... 25 operators
- ▶ Very interesting educational activity
- ▶ Food was great!
- ▶ DX contacts to New Zealand, Romania, Japan
- ▶ Great overall participation
70+ in attendance



How'd We Do? - QSOs

<u>MODE TOTALS</u>	
CW	787
PH	678
DIG	590
TOTAL	2020



How'd We Do? - Operators

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OPERATOR TOTALS >10 Q's	
W6DER	370
KM6RGO	303
AI6W	270
KD6HOF	261
WU6X	147
AI6US	117
K6GML	106
WA6YBE	82
AD6CQ	64
KA9MDP	50
KI6LOP	50
KM6MDF	43
KN6TUH	42
K6ABJ	41
KN6OON	32
KN6UXI	18
KN6OON-B	14



>>> 25 Operators Total <<<

How'd We Do? – Bands/Modes

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BAND	CW	DIG	PHONE	BAND/MODE
80	25		73	98
40	194	75	249	518
20	423	290	192	905
15	133	193	95	421
10	9			9
6	3	32	8	43
2			19	19
220			2	2
432			5	5
Sat			2	2
GOTA			33	33
MODE TOTALS	787	590	678	
POINTS x MULTS	1,574	1,180	678	
GRAND TOTAL QSO POINTS		3,432		
QSO POINTS + x2 POWER MULT		6,864 (claimed)		

How'd We Do? – Bonus Pts

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► Club Call: **W6EK** - GOTA Call **NN6H**

BONUS TYPE	POINTS	THANK YOU!
100% Emergency Power	400	Gen + Battery - KK7AIR
Media Publicity	100	Radio and newspaper, other - WB1G
Public Location	100	Georgetown Airport
Public Information Table	100	Thanks WA8MPA
Formal Message to SEC	100	To Carol from AI6US
W1AW Field Day Message	100	Many got this
Formal Message Handling	100	(10) by Brian AI6US
Natural Power QSO's	100	Thanks to KD6HOF
Site Visit by Served Agency	100	Sac County Deputy & Scott-KM6RFB / HHS & DMAT
Educational Activity	100	Thanks Scott - KK7AIR
Youth Participation	20	... and he made 15 Q's, at 5 point each
Safety Officer	100	Thanks Scott - KM6RFB
Social Media	100	Thanks WB1G and KN6KRD for FB posts
Satellite QSO	100	Brian – AI6US
GOTA Station	165	Thanks Tom - NN6H
GOTA Coach	100	Thanks again, Tom - NN6H
Entry submitted via Web	50	Thanks Dennis - WU6X
TOTALS	1,935	(claimed; not yet verified by ARRL)

Previous Year Comparisons

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YEAR: QSO POINTS / FINAL SCORE w/BONUS

2014: 2,516 / 3,826

2015: 3,358 / 4,688

2016: 3,630 / 5,020 (5w, Battery, 5x multiplier)

2017: 1,026 / 3,652

2018: 1,500 / 4,550

2019: 1,126 / 5,060 (no GOTA or Sat contact)

2020: 87 / 1,076 (Consolidated from Home)

2021: 1,290 / 4,230

2022: 4,330 / 5,960

So, What Was the Total?

- ▶ Total QSO Points = 6,864
- ▶ Total Bonus Points = 1,935

A new, HIGH FINAL SCORE for SFARC:

> 8,799 <

But Wait! There's More!

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- ▶ There were a few more people involved

Food procurement, cooking and prep	Jim, Alan, Brian, Lin, Chip and Pam
IT Support and logging	Jim and Dennis
Band Captain	Dave - N6OJJ
Station Managers	Jeff, Russ, Dennis, Tim, Brian, Tom
Campground and Generator	Scott - KK7AIR
VE Sessions	Scott, Sal, Brian, Tom
Antennas and organization	Jeff, Orion, Jon, Brian & many others
Donations and Support	Mark & Scott

Summary

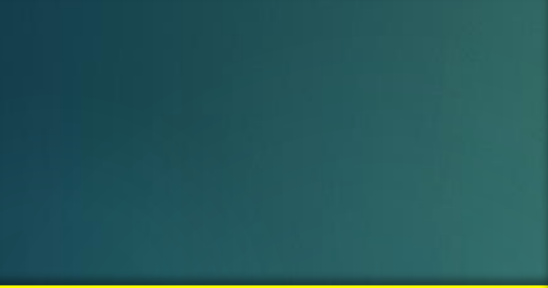
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- ▶ Did we have FUN?
- ▶ Did we LEARN?
- ▶ Were we competitive?
- ▶ Overall – HUGE SUCCESS!
- ▶ Next Year :
Pony Rides
or Ferris Wheel?









Is there a tennis ball in here?

Some of the Crew

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See you next year?

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