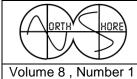
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Field Day 2010

Well Field Day has come and passed for 2010. This year's field day went off without a hitch. I believe it was a success and have heard nothing but praise from everyone who helped out with field day in some way shape or form.



We operated 4A for this year and our total QSO's were 107 on digital mode (PSK) and 385 phone. Our final QSO total points came to 599 and after the x2 multiplier was added in we had 1198 in QSO points. On top of that we claimed an additional 900 points in bonus in the following categories: 400 points for 100% emergency power, 100 points for sending out the press release to the local media and politicians for which we did have Mike Peleshock from SNAP Oshawa come out and take a few pictures of our setup. Those pictures will more than likely be in the August issue of SNAP Oshawa since our event was just passed the July deadline. Continuing on with the bonus points we also received 100 points for setting up in a public place, Purple Woods Conservation Area, 100 points for having an info booth, new club flyers on what is amateur radio were on display and I will be taking a few down to our local radio shop to have on display there. 100 points was claimed for sending a radiogram to Allan Boyd, ve3ajb our RAC Section manager, 10 points was claimed for a radiogram that was

sent to a friend of mine in London Ontario, 40 points was claimed for both John Biasini and Tommy Metcalf making QSO's on the airwaves during the field day setup and 50 points for submitting our entry via the internet.



That's pretty much a brief synopsis of what was claimed as a club for Field Day. You will find many different

pictures in this newsletter that were taken over the field day weekend graciously provided to me by Dave, VE3GUD. as well as a few screenshots I saved as PDF when submitting our entry to ARRL. I am looking forward to next year's field day and you can be assured I will organize it again. If we see a Camp X display a few weeks prior to field day, there will still be a field day as well.

The equipment we used for Field Day Consisted of, starting with antennas, the 20 meter beam, an off-center fed dipole (aka the DURWIN) graciously donated to our event by Durham Radio, a vertical antenna with a built in antenna tuner for the other HF phone station, and a 33" homemade vertical antenna for PSK. For Radios on the 20 meter beam we had hooked up the Icom IC706MkIIg, on the DURWIN we had a Kenwood TS-440S, the non PSK station we had the Icom IC7000, and on PSK, Steve had hooked up the Yaesu FT-897D.



Listed below is the names of everyone who helped out with field day. I want to personally thank each and every one of you and if I miss any I apologize and thank you as well for making this year's field day a tremendous success.

Steve, VA3TPS, John, VA3TEE, Mike, VE3VCY, Ralph, VE3CRK, Dave, VE3GUD, Martin, VE3NSO, Sarah, VE3ZQS, Doug, VA3DCE, Bob Cowley, VE3HIX, Ron, (Chuck) VA3RDR, Bob Elston, VE3LLE, Ray, VE3OUB, Tom, VA3TVK, John, SWL, Clint, VA3KDK, Tommy, SWL, Tony, VA3ZAI, Peter, VA3PWH, Dave, KA6RLP/VA3RLP

Enjoy the field day newsletter and I look forward to next year's Field Day which I'm sure will be much bigger and just as successful as this years.





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Submitted by: Martha, VA35BD 731 Hillcroft St. Oshawa, Ontario, Canada

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 Claimed Score = 1,198

Martha VA3SBD Field Day Team Leader

said it's supposed to be HOT during the summer season... I think this weather qualifies. As you can see Field Day was a success. Our thanks to Martha for her work in the organizing and Dave for the great pictures.

Now we turn our attention to the coming events that signal the start of the new NSARC season. Ride 4 United Way is coming up. If you haven't signed up yet contact Larry, VA3FHG. August 28th isn't that far away. One other matter we have to turn our attention to is the membership renewal for 2011. RAC has modified the process and we have to start in September to meet the timelines this new process imposes. This will mean that our insurance coverage will now align with all other affiliated club in Canada. The RAC sponsored plan is a very good deal for our Club. Contact our Membership Secretary, Luis VA3TCL for a membership form or anyone of the executive. Remember as well that Paul's Dirty Enduro and the CIBC Run for the Cure are events we support as a Club.

See you soon.

Your humble scribe.

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