

2005 Results

What? Good Conditions?

Traveling down Route 14 in eastern Ohio on the Saturday morning of the 2005 Ohio QSO Party, the bands sounded like another typical OQP... uninteresting conditions where working fellow Buckeyes would be difficult at best. Half an hour before the start we heard W8FT in Findlay warming up on 40 CW, with a signal barely above the noise. Oh well. In the drizzle we found a good place to stop in western Mahoning county, and put up the DK9SQ fiberglass mast and 40 meter dipole to get our OQP Rover operation ready for the start of the party.

But in next 20 or so minutes a miracle occurred. Forty meters popped to life. In the few minutes before the start, stations called in with good signals from all over Ohio, including counties only 50 miles away. The contest started and those guys were worked for the contest, and lots others. Forty meters wasn't the only beneficiary. Signals on twenty were loud and close, with lots of stations reporting cross state qso's on twenty. There were even reports of 15 meters being open to nearby states, though not much activity made it up there. Ten meters even showed signs of life with N8VW working KU8E on both modes in the first hour and as far north as VO2 in the early evening.

These great conditions didn't hold up for the entire OQP period, though things still stayed in reasonable shape for the rest of the day. There were a lot of rain showers during the day, but thankfully we avoided the truly nasty weather that affected a lot of people in 2004.

When it all cleared, there were a lot of records left in the dust. For Ohio, only the multioperator class did not break the existing OQP record. On the other hand, the improved Ohio conditions and general low sunspot propagation contributed to the result that no new USA out of state or DX records were established.

2005 Ohio QSO Party Plaques

Ohio

[table Category|Winner|Sponsor Single Op High Power|Pat Collins, N8VW|Findlay Radio Club Single Op Low Power|Bob Liddy, K8BL|Cincinnati Buckeye Netters Single Op QRPI|Dan Shepherd, N8IE|Kanga US Single Op Phone|Pete Michaelis, N8TR|Muskingum Ham Radio Club Multioperator|W8FTI|Wayne Amateur Radio Club Mobile|Jim Walter, WT9UI|Lake County ARA YL|Kitty Hevener, WB8TDA|Buckeye Belles Club|Queen City Emergency Net|Mad River Radio Club]

Outside Ohio

[table Category|Winner|Sponsor Single Op High Power|Ken Meier, W8MJ|Muskingum Ham Radio Club Single Op Low Power|Jim Callow, K8IR|Canton Radio Club Single Op QRPI|Tom Warren, K3TW|Pat Collins, N8VW Single Op DXI|Vratislav Vaverka, OK1KT|Northern Ohio DX Assn.]

Single-OP Ohio

The single operator winner in Ohio is **Pat Collins, N8VW**, who operated from K5ZG's excellent station in Allen county. For the first time a single op entry broke the 1000 qso barrier, with a record score of 265,392, more than 100K ahead of the old record. Repeating as low power champ, and in third place overall, is **Bob Liddy, K8BL**, of Lake county. And the QRP category had another repeat winner, **Dan Shepherd, N8IE**, of Montgomery county.

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At the top of the out of state entries was that of **Jim Callow, K8IR**, from Michigan's northern peninsula. Jim got off to a great start with the 20 meter opening, and kept the pedal to the metal thereafter to turn in the top low power and overall out of state score. From southern Michigan **Ken Meier, W8MJ**, turned on the amplifier and won the high power category. Ken is also the president of the Mad River Radio Club, sponsor of the OQP. In the QRP category, **Tom Warren, K3TW**, took the honors from Maryland with a fine 200 qso effort. **Vratislav Vaverka, OK1KT**, took top DX honors.

Mobile

The mobile category had a very close three-way race, with Hoosier **WT9U** teaming up with Wolverine **W8UE** to cover 28 counties in northwestern Ohio for the victory. Second place, only 2000 points behind, was **W1NN** of Akron. Of note was that W1NN did it all by himself. To keep driving time to a minimum, he visited only 9 counties, but clearly covered those 9 very well. In third place, just another 3000 points back, was the **K8NZ/W8CAR** team.

Rover

The rover class was led by **K8MR** (with driver W8DRZ) followed by the original OQP rover, **K8RYU**. We were also happy to welcome rovers **N9FN** from Indiana and **KD8APB** from Michigan.



Tall trees and a park shelter make for a great location to operate from (N9FN at Grand Lake St. Mary's)

Multi-Op

Winning the Ohio Multioperator class was **W8FT**, the Findlay Amateur Radio Club station. The FT crew had a mix of experienced contestants and eager newcomers who put those big antennas (very visible from I-75 in Findlay) through the paces. The second and third place multiops used two very different approaches. In second was **W8B**, operating Field Day style with low power from rare Brown county. Third place was **N8HR**, who operated phone only from the very big station of WZ8P in Zanesville.

Top YL and SSB

Congratulations to the YL plaque winner **Kitty Hevener, WB8TDA**, from Cincinnati.

Pete Michaelis, N8TR, of Lorain county took the plaque for the top single operator phone score. There was no plaque for it, but **Tom Hain, KV8Q** from Columbus again had the top CW score.

Club

This year the Ohio club category winner was from southern Ohio, with the **Queen City Emergency Net** edging out the defending champion **Lake County Amateur Radio Association** by a margin of less than one percent. The QCEN group has been an active OQP supporter since the first one in 1999, and we congratulate them on making it to the top in 2005.

Scores and Breakdowns

Once again all 88 Ohio counties appeared in submitted logs. The most worked county was Ohio's most populous, Cuyahoga, with 1152 qso's. The rare county award goes to Perry with a dozen qso's. Even the second least worked county, Ashtabula, had 25.

Ohio Results

[table=tables-professional Call|Category|CQ Qsos|CW Mults |PH Qsos|PH Mults|Score|County|Club ||||| WT9U|
MOBILE|673|64|163|50|172026|28| WINN|MOBILE|564|73|173|58|170431|9| K8NZ|MOBILE|666|73|82|45|166852|
15|Lake County Amateur Radio Association W8TK|MOBILE|646|63|62|35|132692|18|Caribbean Contest Consortium
AA8HH|MOBILE|328|61|181|60|101277|16|Queen City Emergency Net N8TFD|MOBILE|339|57|153|56|93903|26|
Queen City Emergency Net AF8A|MOBILE|467|67|28|15|78884|18| KJ9C|MOBILE|336|55|11|6|141663|9| W3BBO|
MOBILE|154|54|0|0|16632|4| WM8R|MOBILE|75|15|75|15|6750|15|Queen City Emergency Net ||||| K8MR|ROVER|
587|73|234|75|208384|13|Northern Ohio DX Association K8RYU|ROVER|436|69|192|68|145768|7|Marietta Amateur
Radio Club N9FN|ROVER|0|0|331|86|28466|2|Society of Midwest Contesters KD8APB|ROVER|0|0|298|72|21456|5|
The University of Michigan Amateur Radio Club ||||| W8FT|MULTI-OP|391|89|606|109|274824|HANCI W8B|
MULTI-OP|325|75|221|71|127166|BROW|Queen City Emergency Net N8HR|MULTI-OP|0|0|1008|121|121968|MUSK|
K8DV|MULTI-OP|340|82|173|60|121126|CLER|Queen City Emergency Net W8BD|MULTI-OP|131|53|267|88|74589|
WILL| K8EMA|MULTI-OP|122|45|286|85|68900|SHEL|Shelby Co. Ohio ARES W8HH|MULTI-OP|0|0|199|72|14328|
WASH|Marietta Amateur Radio Club ||||| N8VWI|SINGLE-OP HIGH|367|88|634|106|265392|ALLE| N8BJQ|
SINGLE-OP HIGH|445|102|266|78|208080|CHAM|South West Ohio DX Association K8AJS|SINGLE-OP HIGH|348|
87|201|77|147108|WAYN|Wayne Amateur Radio Club N8AA|SINGLE-OP HIGH|304|85|201|76|130249|CUYA|North
Coast Contesters N8TR|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|151|3|96|49248|LORA|Northern Ohio DX Association N8KM|SINGLE-
OP HIGH|0|0|529|79|41791|WASH|Marietta Amateur Radio Club WO8HIO|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|408|96|39168|
FRAN|Maumee Valley Contest Club AE8M|SINGLE-OP HIGH|181|63|0|0|22806|HAM| W8GC|SINGLE-OP HIGH|
0|0|98|43|42|14|CUYA|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society W8IMF|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|50|31|1550|CUYA| |||||
K8BL|SINGLE-OP LOW|318|83|41|194|185319|LAKE|Lake County Amateur Radio Association KF8HR|SINGLE-
OP LOW|235|68|223|79|101871|CLIN| KV8Q|SINGLE-OP LOW|447|92|0|0|82248|FRAN| N8OT|SINGLE-OP LOW|
209|70|141|58|71552|BUTL| K8NVR|SINGLE-OP LOW|195|62|108|55|58266|MEDI| Medina 2 Meter Group
WB8CEH|SINGLE-OP LOW|148|54|162|73|58166|GREEWXWARN WT8C|SINGLE-OP LOW|133|28|340|106|54404|
LAKE|Lake County Amateur Radio Association KI8U|SINGLE-OP LOW|189|51|21|177|49792|LAKE|Lake County
Amateur Radio Association N8IW|SINGLE-OP LOW|229|69|32|27|47040|WAYN| N8VV|SINGLE-OP LOW|269|80|51|

4|45612|COSH|Coshocton Co. A.R.A. WB8JUI|SINGLE -OP LOW|218|72|37|23|44935|SENEI NI8Z|SINGLE-OP LOW|281|66|2|2|38352|CUYAI|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society W8OH|SINGLE-OP LOW|83|40|179|65|36225|LUCA|Maumee Valley Contest Club W8IDM|SINGLE-OP LOW|201|61|21|16|32571|OTTA|West Park Radio-ops K8ND|SINGLE-OP LOW|218|72|0|0|31392|DELAI W8PN|SINGLE-OP LOW|203|71|0|0|28826|CUYAI|West Park Radio-ops K8KR|SINGLE-OP LOW|24|15|20|1|75|22410|CUYAI|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society K8FP|SINGLE-OP LOW|115|53|23|16|17457|MONTI WB8TDA|SINGLE-OP LOW|104|47|27|25|16920|HAMII|Queen City Emergency Net KC8YKQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|223|74|16502|VANWI|Van Wert Amateur Radio Club AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|94|42|46|27|16146|STAR|AF8C|SINGLE-OP LOW|157|44|0|0|13816|CUYAI|West Park Radio-ops K8ATQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|87|51|22|15|12936|LAKE|WA8YVF|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|160|67|10720|CUYAI N8GB|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|156|67|10452|LAKE|Lake County Amateur Radio Association AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|80|37|23|20|10481|HARRI WD8LQB|SINGLE-OP LOW|78|46|14|14|10200|HAMII W8IQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|104|44|0|0|19152|LUCAI KB8UZI|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|155|56|18680|PORTI WA8KI|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|145|54|17830|HIGHI|Highland Amateur Radio Association KC8OVB|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|116|52|6032|ATHE|Athens County Amateur Radio Association KC8UDV|SINGLE-OP LOW|2|1|90|48|4606|COLU|Canton Amateur Radio Club W8VND|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|92|47|4324|HAMII|Queen City Emergency Net WD8DW|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|99|39|3861|LAKE|Lake County Amateur Radio Association WD8NVN|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|77|46|3542|FRANI AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|44|24|13|8|3232|HOLMI N8XWO|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|73|40|2920|ATHE|Athens County Amateur Radio Association W8WTDI|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|71|38|2698|HAMII|Queen City Emergency Net W3AG|SINGLE-OP LOW|33|27|6|6|2376|HARRI W8KNO|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|57|39|2223|PORTI AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|34|10|12|6|1920|TUSCI WB8NI|SINGLE-OP LOW|27|16|6|6|1320|CUYAI|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society WA8MWA|SINGLE-OP LOW|26|22|0|0|1144|FRANI AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|29|18|0|0|1044|BELMI KD8AUQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|7|7|19|18|825|LORA|K8SCR|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|30|20|600|BUTLI K8AV|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|25|20|500|CUYAI|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society K9NW|SINGLE-OP LOW|15|11|0|0|330|BUTLI|Sultans of Shwing W8OUU|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|0|11|10|110|HAMII|Queen City Emergency Net KA8MPT|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|10|10|100|FRANI ||||||| N8IE|SINGLE-OP QRPI|44|53|189|74|60579|MONTI W8TM|SINGLE-OP QRPI|208|89|0|0|37024|HAMII KO8HIO|SINGLE-OP QRPI|102|56|25|20|17404|SUMMI|Cuyahoga Falls Amateur Radio Club AA8PJ|SINGLE-OP QRPI|116|47|0|0|10904|TUSCI K8WFL|SINGLE-OP QRPI|0|0|69|42|2898|LAKE|]

Out of State Results

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SINGLE-OP LOW|46|31|53|35|9570|MII|Mad River Radio Club N2WN|SINGLE-OP LOW|106|45|0|0|9540|TN|
 Tennessee Contest Group KA9F|SINGLE-OP LOW|53|38|34|26|8960|IN| K3GY|SINGLE-OP LOW|41|27|49|35|8122|
 PAI K0AD|SINGLE-OP LOW|64|40|17|13|7685|MN| VE3CRU|SINGLE-OP LOW|31|17|61|42|7257|ON|Contest Club
 Ontario W1END|SINGLE-OP LOW|68|49|0|0|6664|NH| Yankee Clipper Contest Club W9OA|SINGLE-OP LOW|73|
 44|0|0|6424|WI| Northern Illinois DX Association K8GT|SINGLE-OP LOW|46|34|29|19|6413|MII|South East Michigan
 DX Association W6IYS|SINGLE-OP LOW|67|46|0|0|6164|CAI K8GVK|SINGLE-OP LOW|23|21|54|35|5600|MII|
 W9AEM|SINGLE-OP LOW|49|39|15|915424|WII NOIJ|SINGLE-OP LOW|50|30|14|10|4560|MN|Minnesota Wireless
 Assn KN4Y|SINGLE-OP LOW|60|37|0|0|4440|FL| Florida Contest Group W3PT|SINGLE-OP LOW|25|19|45|26|4275|
 PAI W9WUUI|SINGLE-OP LOW|57|35|0|0|3990|WI| Society of Midwest Contesters NA3V|SINGLE-OP LOW|35|21|
 27|19|3880|PAI W6RLL|SINGLE-OP LOW|47|38|0|0|3572|AZ| Central Arizona DX Assn KT4Q|SINGLE-OP LOW|25|
 22|34|17|3276|GA| South East Contest Club K3VX|SINGLE-OP LOW|36|25|12|10|2940|PA|Wireless Association of
 South Hills W8SGZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|65|39|2535|MII VE7NHS|SINGLE-OP LOW|37|33|0|0|2442|BCI KC0DEB|
 SINGLE-OP LOW|91|91|51|2346|KSI K0JPL|SINGLE-OP LOW|27|22|13|12|2278|MOI KI7GV|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|
 0|67|34|2278|ARI KF3CV|SINGLE-OP LOW|40|26|0|0|2080|MD| KB6NU|SINGLE-OP LOW|23|20|14|12|1920|MII|
 PA3ARM|SINGLE-OP LOW|34|28|0|0|1904|DXI K0LWV|SINGLE-OP LOW|29|22|5|5|1701|MOI W4TDB|SINGLE-
 OP LOW|30|27|0|0|1620|TN| Tennessee Contest Group OM5NL|SINGLE-OP LOW|29|26|0|0|1508|DXI W2CVW|
 SINGLE-OP LOW|30|25|0|0|1500|INJ| K8VFR|SINGLE-OP LOW|30|23|0|0|1380|MII KI4BXU|SINGLE-OP LOW|12|
 11|21|18|1305|VAI K8DD|SINGLE-OP LOW|28|23|0|0|1288|MII|South East Michigan DX Association KS9WI|
 SINGLE-OP LOW|11|10|20|18|1176|WI| Green Bay Mic & Key Club WA4VAP|SINGLE-OP LOW|16|13|9|9|902|KY|
 NM5WB|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|36|24|864|NM| KJ5RC|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|35|24|840|MSI VA3IX|SINGLE-OP
 LOW|10|7|17|13|740|ON| W0YW|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|31|23|713|NE| W8RUI|SINGLE-OP LOW|19|18|0|0|684|MII|
 Mad River Radio Club AB8S|SINGLE-OP LOW|13|8|10|9|612|WVI KG9LZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|21|14|0|0|588|IL|
 VE5BCS|SINGLE-OP LOW|11|27|19|580|SKI KB3KYZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|16|14|0|0|448|DE| KB5ENP|SINGLE-OP
 LOW|7|7|7|294|MOI W4ZPR|SINGLE-OP LOW|12|12|0|0|288|VAI W8DJC|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|18|16|288|MII|
 KB1MCJ|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|19|15|285|MA| N1NN|SINGLE-OP LOW|10|9|0|0|180|MA| VA7MJR|SINGLE-OP
 LOW|0|0|13|11|143|BC| N6MZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|7|7|0|0|98|WA| Western Washington DX Club K9ZEN|SINGLE-OP
 LOW|0|0|10|8|80|IN| HA2MN|SINGLE-OP LOW|4|4|0|0|32|DXI WB0UZM|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|4|4|16|KSI N9PCS|
 SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|4|4|16|IL| K3TW|SINGLE-OP QRPI152|69|51|31|35500|MD| Potomac Valley Radio Club
 K2TAI|SINGLE-OP QRPI121|66|29|19|23035|NY| WA4PGM|SINGLE-OP QRPI93|53|52|33|20468|VA| Potomac Valley
 Radio Club WA8ZBT|SINGLE-OP QRPI76|47|32|25|13248|TXI K5UV|SINGLE-OP QRPI90|64|0|0|11520|OK| N3LL|
 SINGLE-OP QRPI52|31|24|14|5760|PA| Steel City Amateur Radio Club W5HNS|SINGLE-OP QRPI42|34|18|13|4794|
 TXI K9DXR|SINGLE-OP QRPI0|0|84|44|3696|IL| KI4FW|SINGLE-OP QRPI45|29|0|0|2610|VA| W1KLM|SINGLE-
 OP QRPI0|0|49|32|1568|AR| Tennessee Contest Group VA3RKM|SINGLE-OP QRPI6|4|3|144|ON| N2GJ|SINGLE-OP
 QRPI4|4|2|2|60|INJ|]

Ohio Club

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 Radio Association|470680|6 Northern Ohio DX Association|257632|2 South West Ohio DX Association|208080|1
 Marietta Amateur Radio Club|201887|3 Wayne Amateur Radio Club|147108|1 Caribbean Contest Consortium|132692|
 1 North Coast Contesters|130249|1 Society of Midwest Contesters|116525|5 Maumee Valley Contest Club|75393|2
 West Park Radio-ops|75213|3 Shelby Co. Ohio ARES|68900|1 Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society|66796|5 Medina 2
 Meter Group|58266|1 XWARN|58166|1 Coshocton Co. A.R.A.|45612|1 The University of Michigan Amateur Radio
 Club|21456|1 Cuyahoga Falls Amateur Radio Club|17404|1 Van Wert Amateur Radio Club|16502|1 Athens County
 Amateur Radio Association|8952|2 Highland Amateur Radio Association|7830|1 Canton Amateur Radio Club|4606|1
 Sultans of Shwing|330|1]

Out of State Club

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 Club|80141|5 Mad River Radio Club|70414|3 Potomac Valley Radio Club|56859|3 Minnesota Wireless Assn|33304|4
 Stafford Amateur Radio Association|30300|1 Northeast Wisconsin DX Association|22989|1 Franklin County Amateur
 Radio Club|11594|1 Yankee Clipper Contest Club|10756|3 South East Michigan DX Association|77012 Grand Mesa
 Contesters of Colorado|7482|1 Contest Club Ontario|7257|1 Northern Illinois DX Association|6424|1 Steel City
 Amateur Radio Club|5760|1 Florida Contest Group|5629|2 OKDX Foundation|3760|1 Central Arizona DX Assn|3572|
 1 Frankford Radio Club|3420|1 Wireless Association of South Hills|2940|1 Northern California Contest Club|2132|3

CW|40 CW|20 CW|15 CW|10 CW|cwmlts|cwmltsoh TOTAL BY BAND|||2744|7714|4085|74|61|||3982|10222|4697|731|32||]

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County Amateur Radio Association N8XWO|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|73|40|2920|ATHE|Athens County Amateur Radio
Association ||||||| AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|29|18|0|0|1044|BELMI ||||||| W8B|MULTI-OP|325|75|221|71|127166|BROW|
Queen City Emergency Net ||||||| N8OTI|SINGLE-OP LOW|209|70|141|58|71552|BUTLI K8SCR|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|
0|30|20|600|BUTLI K9NW|SINGLE-OP LOW|15|11|0|0|330|BUTLI Sultans of Shwing ||||||| N8BQJ|SINGLE-OP
HIGH|445|102|266|78|208080|CHAM|South West Ohio DX Association ||||||| K8DV|MULTI-OP|340|82|173|60|
121126|CLERI|Queen City Emergency Net ||||||| KF8HR|SINGLE-OP LOW|235|68|223|79|101871|CLIN| |||||||
KC8UDV|SINGLE-OP LOW|21|190|48|4606|COLU|Canton Amateur Radio Club ||||||| N8VV|SINGLE-OP LOW|269|
80|5|4|45612|COSH|Coshocton Co. A.R.A. ||||||| N8AAI|SINGLE-OP HIGH|304|85|20|1|76|130249|CUYA|North Coast
Contesters NI8Z|SINGLE-OP LOW|28|1|66|2|2|38352|CUYA|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society W8PN|SINGLE-OP
LOW|203|7|1|0|0|28826|CUYA|West Park Radio-ops K8KR|SINGLE-OP LOW|24|15|20|1|75|22410|CUYA|Cuyahoga
Amateur Radio Society AF8CS|SINGLE-OP LOW|157|44|0|0|138|16|CUYA|West Park Radio-ops WA8YVF|SINGLE-
OP LOW|0|0|160|67|10720|CUYA| W8GC|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|98|43|42|14|CUYA|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio
Society W8IMF|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|50|31|1550|CUYA| WB8N|SINGLE-OP LOW|27|16|6|1|320|CUYA|
Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society K8AV|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|25|20|500|CUYA|Cuyahoga Amateur Radio Society
||| K8NDI|SINGLE-OP LOW|218|72|0|0|31392|DELA| ||||||| KV8Q|SINGLE-OP LOW|447|92|0|0|82248|FRAN|
WO8HIO|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|408|96|39168|FRAN|Maumee Valley Contest Club WD8NVN|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|
0|77|46|3542|FRAN| WA8MWA|SINGLE-OP LOW|26|22|0|0|1144|FRAN| KA8MPT|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|0|10|10|100|
FRAN| ||||||| WB8CEH|SINGLE-OP LOW|148|54|162|73|58|166|GREE|XWARN ||||||| W8TM|SINGLE-OP QRPI|208|
89|0|0|37024|HAMII AE8M|SINGLE-OP HIGH|18|1|63|0|0|22806|HAMII WB8TDA|SINGLE-OP LOW|104|47|27|25|
16920|HAMII Queen City Emergency Net WD8LQB|SINGLE-OP LOW|78|46|14|14|10200|HAMII W8VND|SINGLE-
OP LOW|0|0|92|47|4324|HAMII Queen City Emergency Net W8WTDI|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|71|38|2698|HAMII Queen
City Emergency Net W8OUU|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|11|10|110|HAMII Queen City Emergency Net ||||||| W8FTI
MULTI-OP|391|89|606|109|274824|HANC ||||||| AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|80|37|23|20|10481|HARRI W3AG|SINGLE-
OP LOW|33|27|6|6|2376|HARRI ||||||| WA8KIW|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|145|54|7830|HIGH|Highland Amateur Radio
Association ||||||| AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|44|24|13|8|3232|HOLMI ||||||| K8BL|SINGLE-OP LOW|318|83|41|1|94|
185319|LAKE|Lake County Amateur Radio Association WT8C|SINGLE-OP LOW|33|28|34|0|106|54404|LAKE|Lake
County Amateur Radio Association KI8U|SINGLE-OP LOW|89|51|21|1|77|49792|LAKE|Lake County Amateur Radio
Association K8ATQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|87|51|22|15|12936|LAKE| N8GB|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|156|67|10452|LAKE|
Lake County Amateur Radio Association WD8DW|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|99|39|3861|LAKE|Lake County Amateur
Radio Association K8WFL|SINGLE-OP QRPI|0|0|69|42|2898|LAKE| ||||||| N8TR|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|513|96|49248|
LORA|Northern Ohio DX Association KD8AUQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|7|7|19|18|25|LORA| ||||||| W8OH|SINGLE-OP
LOW|83|40|179|65|36225|LUCA|Maumee Valley Contest Club W8IQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|104|44|0|0|9152|LUCA| |||||||
K8NVR|SINGLE-OP LOW|195|62|108|55|58266|MEDI|Medina 2 Meter Group ||||||| N8IE|SINGLE-OP QRPI|144|53|
189|74|60579|MONTI K8FP|SINGLE-OP LOW|115|53|23|16|17457|MONTI ||||||| N8HR|MULTI-OP|0|0|1008|121|
121968|MUSKI ||||||| W8IDM|SINGLE-OP LOW|20|61|21|16|32571|OTT|West Park Radio-ops ||||||| KB8UUZI|
SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|155|56|8680|PORTI W8KNO|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|57|39|2223|PORTI ||||||| WB8JUI|SINGLE-
OP LOW|218|72|37|23|44935|SENE| ||||||| K8EMA|MULTI-OP|122|45|286|85|68900|SHEL|Shelby Co. Ohio ARES
||| AD8J|SINGLE-OP LOW|94|42|46|27|16|146|STAR| ||||||| KO8HIO|SINGLE-OP QRPI|102|56|25|20|17404|SUMMI|
Cuyahoga Falls Amateur Radio Club ||||||| AA8PJ|SINGLE-OP QRPI|116|47|0|0|10904|TUSCI AD8J|SINGLE-OP
LOW|34|18|12|6|1920|TUSCI ||||||| KC8YKQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|223|74|16502|VANW|Van Wert Amateur Radio
Club ||||||| N8KM|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|529|79|41791|WASH|Marietta Amateur Radio Club W8HH|MULTI-OP|0|0|
199|72|14328|WASH|Marietta Amateur Radio Club ||||||| K8AJS|SINGLE-OP HIGH|348|87|20|177|147108|WAYNI|
Wayne Amateur Radio Club N8IW|SINGLE-OP LOW|229|69|32|27|47040|WAYNI ||||||| W8BD|MULTI-OP|131|53|
267|88|74589|WILLI ||||||| K8MRI|ROVER|587|73|234|75|208384|13|Northern Ohio DX Association K8RYU|
ROVER|436|69|192|68|145768|7|Marietta Amateur Radio Club N9FN|ROVER|0|0|331|86|28466|2|Society of Midwest
Contesters KD8APB|ROVER|0|0|298|72|21456|5|The University of Michigan Amateur Radio Club ||||||| WT9U|
MOBILE|673|64|163|50|172026|28| W1NN|MOBILE|564|73|173|58|170431|9| K8NZ|MOBILE|666|73|82|45|166852|
15|Lake County Amateur Radio Association W8TK|MOBILE|646|63|62|35|132692|18|Caribbean Contest Consortium
AA8HH|MOBILE|328|61|181|60|101277|16|Queen City Emergency Net N8TFD|MOBILE|339|57|153|56|93903|26|

Queen City Emergency Net AF8A|MOBILE|467|67|28|15|78884|18| KJ9C|MOBILE|336|55|11|6|41663|9| W3BBO|
MOBILE|154|54|0|0|16632|4| WM8R|MOBILE|75|15|75|15|6750|15|Queen City Emergency Net]

Out of State by State

[table=tables-professional callsign|category|CW Qsos|CW Cts|Ph qsos|Ph Cts|Score|State|Club ||||||| K1TTT|MULTI-
OP|33|25|18|18|3612|MA|Yankee Clipper Contest Club K5ZDISINGLE-OP HIGH|12|8|17|480|MA|Yankee Clipper
Contest Club KB1MCJSINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|19|15|285|MA| N1NN|SINGLE-OP LOW|10|9|0|0|180|MA| |||||
W1END|SINGLE-OP LOW|68|49|0|0|6664|NH|Yankee Clipper Contest Club ||||||| W2LHL|SINGLE-OP LOW|160|66|
26|21|30|10|2|INJ| W2UDT|SINGLE-OP HIGH|84|44|32|20|12800|INJ| W2CVW|SINGLE-OP LOW|30|25|0|0|1500|INJ|
N2GJ|SINGLE-OP QRPI|4|4|2|60|INJ| ||||| K2TAISINGLE-OP QRPI|21|66|29|19|23035|NY| NA2XISINGLE-OP
LOW|11|3|66|6|6|16704|NY| ||||| KB3KYZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|16|14|0|0|448|DE| ||||| K3TW|SINGLE-OP QRPI|152|69|
5131|35500|MD|Potomac Valley Radio Club KF3CV|SINGLE-OP LOW|40|26|0|0|2080|MD| N3CA|SINGLE-OP
HIGH|0|0|33|27|891|MD|Potomac Valley Radio Club ||||||| K3GY|SINGLE-OP LOW|4|27|49|35|8122|PA| N3LLI
SINGLE-OP QRPI|52|31|24|14|5760|PA|Steel City Amateur Radio Club W3PT|SINGLE-OP LOW|25|19|45|26|4275|
PA| NA3VISINGLE-OP LOW|35|21|27|19|3880|PA| N3KN|SINGLE-OP HIGH|36|23|18|15|3420|PA|Frankford Radio
Club K3VX|SINGLE-OP LOW|36|25|12|10|2940|PA|Wireless Association of South Hills ||||||| KN4Y|SINGLE-OP
LOW|60|37|0|0|4440|FL|Florida Contest Group W4STB|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|41|29|1189|FL|Florida Contest Group
||||||| KU8E|SINGLE-OP LOW|182|76|73|43|52003|GA|South East Contest Club K4BAI|SINGLE-OP HIGH|92|51|22|
17|14008|GA|South East Contest Club NT4XT|SINGLE-OP LOW|60|37|39|31|10812|GA|South East Contest Club
KT4QI|SINGLE-OP LOW|25|22|34|17|3276|GA|South East Contest Club N8QGC|SINGLE-OP LOW|11|5|142|GA|
South East Contest Club ||||| WA4VAP|SINGLE-OP LOW|16|13|9|9|902|KY| ||||| NA4KISINGLE-OP LOW|14|165|
52|32|32398|TN|Tennessee Contest Group K4LTA|SINGLE-OP HIGH|21|0|76|0|0|31920|TN|Tennessee Contest Group
K4AMC|SINGLE-OP LOW|10|6|58|43|27|21675|TN|Tennessee Contest Group W4NZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|86|47|15|13|
11220|TN|Tennessee Contest Group N2WN|SINGLE-OP LOW|10|6|45|0|0|9540|TN|Tennessee Contest Group K3CQ|
SINGLE-OP HIGH|45|31|0|0|2790|TN|Tennessee Contest Group W4TDB|SINGLE-OP LOW|30|27|0|0|1620|TN|
Tennessee Contest Group ||||| N4NW|SINGLE-OP LOW|10|7|54|89|46|30300|VA|Stafford Amateur Radio Association
WA4PGM|SINGLE-OP QRPI|93|53|52|33|20468|VA|Potomac Valley Radio Club K4UK|SINGLE-OP HIGH|79|41|29|
21|11594|VA|Franklin County Amateur Radio Club KI4FW|SINGLE-OP QRPI|45|29|0|0|2610|VA| KI4BXU|SINGLE-
OP LOW|12|11|21|18|1305|VA| W4ZPR|SINGLE-OP LOW|12|12|0|0|288|VA| ||||| KI7GV|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|67|
34|2278|ARI| W1KLM|SINGLE-OP QRPI|0|0|49|32|1568|ARI|Tennessee Contest Group ||||| K5XY|SINGLE-OP
LOW|70|46|28|21|11256|LA| ||||| KJ5RC|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|35|24|840|MSI| ||||| NM5WB|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|
36|24|864|NM| ||||| K5UV|SINGLE-OP QRPI|90|64|0|0|11520|OK| ||||| WA8ZBT|SINGLE-OP QRPI|76|47|32|25|
13248|TX| W5HNS|SINGLE-OP QRPI|42|34|18|13|4794|TX| ||||| W6IYS|SINGLE-OP LOW|67|46|0|0|6164|CA|
K6LRN|SINGLE-OP HIGH|28|25|6|6|1922|CA|Northern California Contest Club N7LNU|SINGLE-OP HIGH|10|9|0|0|
180|CA|Cortaro Contest Club NO6X|SINGLE-OP HIGH|9|7|0|0|126|CA|Northern California Contest Club W6FRH|
SINGLE-OP HIGH|3|3|6|4|84|CA|Northern California Contest Club ||||| W6RLL|SINGLE-OP LOW|47|38|0|0|3572|
AZ|Central Arizona DX Assn ||||| W5QQQ|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|38|30|1140|WA| N6MZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|7|0|0|
98|WA|Western Washington DX Club ||||| KO7X|SINGLE-OP HIGH|52|38|25|20|7482|WY|Grand Mesa Contesters of
Colorado ||||| K8IR|SINGLE-OP LOW|20|8|79|100|5|167080|MII| W8MJ|SINGLE-OP HIGH|177|7|1|116|57|160160|MII|
Mad River Radio Club WF5X|SINGLE-OP LOW|64|46|10|2|5|1223|10|MII| KG8JK|SINGLE-OP LOW|44|26|10|3|46|
13752|MII| NU8Z|SINGLE-OP LOW|46|31|53|35|9570|MII| Mad River Radio Club K8GT|SINGLE-OP LOW|46|34|29|
19|64|13|MII|South East Michigan DX Association K8GVK|SINGLE-OP LOW|23|21|54|35|5600|MII| W8SGZ|
SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|65|39|2535|MII| KB6NU|SINGLE-OP LOW|23|20|14|12|1920|MII| K8VFR|SINGLE-OP LOW|
30|23|0|0|1380|MII| K8DD|SINGLE-OP LOW|28|23|0|0|1288|MII|South East Michigan DX Association W8RU|
SINGLE-OP LOW|19|18|0|0|684|MII| Mad River Radio Club W8DJC|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|18|16|288|MII| ||||| NW8U|
SINGLE-OP HIGH|8|1|47|49|28|15825|WV| AB8S|SINGLE-OP LOW|13|18|10|9|6|12|WV| ||||| N9JF|MULTI-OP|20|2|
77|75|46|158917|IL| Society of Midwest Contesters K9EU|SINGLE-OP HIGH|16|1|77|6|144|46343|IL| W3HDH|
SINGLE-OP LOW|94|55|57|3|21560|IL| K9DXR|SINGLE-OP QRPI|0|0|84|44|3696|IL| N2BJ|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|
56|30|1680|IL| Society of Midwest Contesters KG9LZ|SINGLE-OP LOW|21|14|0|0|588|IL| N9PCS|SINGLE-OP LOW|
0|0|4|4|16|IL| K9FH|SINGLE-OP HIGH|0|0|2|2|4|IL| Single Digit Contesters ||||| W9RE|SINGLE-OP LOW|163|72|0|0|
23472|IN| Society of Midwest Contesters KA9F|SINGLE-OP LOW|53|38|34|26|8960|IN| K9ZEN|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|
0|10|8|80|IN| ||||| W9YQ|SINGLE-OP LOW|17|2|69|55|32|40299|WI| KA9JAC|SINGLE-OP LOW|91|57|155|40|22989|
WI|Northeast Wisconsin DX Association W9OAI|SINGLE-OP LOW|73|44|0|0|6424|WI|Northern Illinois DX
Association W9AEM|SINGLE-OP LOW|49|39|15|9|5424|WI| W9WWU|SINGLE-OP LOW|57|35|0|0|3990|WI| Society
of Midwest Contesters KS9WI|SINGLE-OP LOW|11|10|20|18|1176|WI| Green Bay Mic & Key Club ||||| KC0DEB|
SINGLE-OP LOW|9|15|125|2346|KS| WB0UZM|SINGLE-OP LOW|0|0|4|4|16|KS| ||||| KS0T|SINGLE-OP LOW|118|

65I44I30I26600IMN|Minnesota Wireless Assn K0AD|SINGLE-OP LOWI64I40I17I13I7685|MN| NOIJ|SINGLE-OP LOWI50I30I14I10I4560|MN|Minnesota Wireless Assn K4IU|SINGLE-OP HIGHI18I16I10I8I1104|MN|Minnesota Wireless Assn N0AT|SINGLE-OP HIGHI26I20I0I0I1040|MN|Minnesota Wireless Assn ||||||| K0GSV|SINGLE-OP LOWI99I50I28I21I16046MO| K0JPL|SINGLE-OP LOWI27I22I13I12I2278MO| K0LWV|SINGLE-OP LOWI29I22I5I5I1701|MOI KB5ENP|SINGLE-OP LOWI7I7I7I7I294|MOI ||||||| W0YW|SINGLE-OP LOWI0I0I3I123I713|NE| ||||||| VE7NH|SINGLE-OP LOWI37I33I0I0I2442|BCI VA7MJR|SINGLE-OP LOWI0I0I13I11I143|BCI ||||||| VE3CRU| SINGLE-OP LOWI31I17I61I42I7257|ON|Contest Club Ontario VA3IX|SINGLE-OP LOWI10I7I17I13I740|ON| VA3RKM|SINGLE-OP QRPI6I64I3I144|ON| ||||||| VE2AWR|SINGLE-OP LOWI10I47I25I17I14528|QCI ||||||| VE5BCS|SINGLE-OP LOWI11I27I19I580|ISKI ||||||| OK1KT|SINGLE-OP HIGHI47I40I0I0I3760|DXIOKDX Foundation PA3ARM|SINGLE-OP LOWI34I28I0I0I1904|DXI OM5NL|SINGLE-OP LOWI29I26I0I0I1508|DXI SP5UAF|SINGLE-OP HIGHI22I3I3I35|DXISP DX Club HA2MN|SINGLE-OP LOWI4I4I0I0I32|DXI]

Counties Received

[table=tables-professional County|Qsos Reported | CUYA|1152 LAKE|974 WAYN|761 FRAN|597 HAM|582 ALLE|544 HANC|482 BUTL|400 MONT|388 MUSK|386 CHAM|383 SUMMI|352 BROW|316 WILL|273 CLER|272 DELA|269 LUCA|262 SENE|260 VANW|252 MED|247 CLIN|244 LORA|242 SHEL|237 WASH|228 COSH|223 WARR|221 TUSC|218 GREE|200 PORT|191 MERC|178 WYAN|164 HARR|151 ATHE|145 AUGL|143 STAR|136 OTTA|136 MAD|118 ASHL|112 HURO|109 ERIE|109 VINT|106 HIGH|102 HENR|99 CRAW|95 DEFI|94 MARI|91 JACK|90 PREB|88 SCIO|87 MORG|85 PIKE|84 UNIO|83 MONR|80 COLU|80 GEAU|79 ADAMI|78 FAYE|78 CARR|77 PAUL|77 GALL|77 LICK|76 MORR|69 LAW|69 FULT|68 LOGA|68 PUTN|68 JEFF|66 MAHO|66 MEIG|65 HARD|63 WOOD|61 NOBL|56 HOLM|55 DARK|52 BELM|52 GUER|49 HOCK|45 MIAM|41 KNOX|40 CLARI|38 ROSS|38 SANDI|37 PICKI|34 FAIR|32 TRUM|28 RICH|28 ASHT|25 PERRI|12]

Soapbox

AD8J - Lost the computer after 3 of 5 counties covered. HARR and BELM were logged and sent by hand. **HA2MN** - PROPAGATION WAS RATHER POOR DURING CONTEST PERIOD. MAYBE IT WILL BE BETTER NEXT YEAR. THANKS FOR THE QSOs. RIG TS-530SP 100W INTO A WHIP. CU NEXT YEAR! **K0GSV** - Great contest, but need to be longer, maybe until early Sunday afternoon. **K0LWV** - Great website, had everything: Summary, log, county check off. QRN very heavy on 40 meters. **K2TA** - WOW! The BEST turnout for a QSO party! FANTASTIC WORK GUYS! Special thanks for the mobiles who took the time to get repeats of my K2 QRP sig especially on SSB and 80M. Fun contest! **K3CQ** - LIMITED TIME AVAILABLE. HAD FUN. **K3TW** - "Thanks to the mobile stations for making this QSO Party so much fun." **K4AMC** - Always a great contest. **K4UK** - ANOTHER FUN QSO PARTY. CONDITIONS WERE QUITE GOOD. ENJOYED CHATTING WITH K8KR FOR 30 MINUTES DURING PARTY. ENJOY LOW KEY QSO PARTIES. HI. **K5XYL** - Out of state YL **K8IR** - A pleasant surprise to have 20 meters open for much of the afternoon. Last year I had zero 20 meter contacts. A great job as usual by the mobiles and rovers. **K8KR** - Great Contest with a lot of participation! **K8ND** - I got on for a few hours (total of ~5 hours) towards the end of the contest. **K9DXR** - Tnx to all the rovers that provided many new counties **K9NW** - Nice condx but very limited time this year. **KA9JAC** - The propagation made things very interesting, at first it was hard to tell if we should be on 20 or 40. Had fun in my first OQP. **KB6NU** - I didn't get to operate much, but I always have fun working state QSO parties. Thanks for sponsoring this one. **KB8UUZ** - Computer died 1 hour into contest. Managed to repair it in 30 minutes and back on. Bands seemed down. **KC8YKQ** - Conditions were much better than last year! **KD8AUQ** - My first contest. Had fun! Not that easy. Good skill builder ! Tnx for running the OQP. 73, Patrick **KF8HR** - Glad to make Clinton County a multiplier for those needing this county. See you again next year! Bill **KF8HR** **KG8JK** - Fun but not too many open bands. **KI4FW** - Great state QSOP -- among the best; excellent mobile participation and seemingly the full representation of counties. The OQP is clearly a must for county hunters, and good fun; there wasn't a dull moment when I had my earphones on. **KI7GV** - Had a great time in the contest and it was nice to hear a large number of OH stations on the air. My score

isn't the greatest but the fun was what I was there for. See you next year. 73, Mark **KJ9C** - Bittersweet contest...worked most of the day and managed to get to OH by 2200... had a good run going from Preble at the end, but overheated and blew the battery booster that provides 13.8v to the 706. Hope this works. Can provide Excel log if that easier to manage. 689 points x 61 mults. **KN4Y** - Great to hear CW stations, proves not all Ohio CW stations have moved to Florida. **KT4Q** - Enjoyed spending the evening working stations back in my home state (Fairfield Co.) Yaesu FT1000MP Mark V Cushcraft X7 @ 60 ft Cushcraft R7 @ 95 ft Carolina Windom 160 @ 70 ft **KJ5RC** - QSO Party was great. Enjoyed working it. Really some nice guys. (YL OP) **N1NN** - First Ohio Qso Party **N2GJ** - Just played for a few minutes with my Elecraft KX1 using the internal batteries - 1 watt QRP to a G5RV up in a tree in my backyard. **N4NW** - Thanks for many OHIO stations QRV making this an enjoyable Party. **N8BJQ** - Lots of activity this year. Congrats to N8VW for the great score. **N8HR** - This LOG 20 Meter Phone ONLY **N8IE** - This was the best year for me! The new 80M antenna rocked. Thanks to all who make this one of the best events around! 72, 73 Dan, N8IE **N9FN** - I operated as a Rover from Auglaize County in the Grand Lake St Marys State Park for the first half of the contest, then moved to Mercer County in Eastland Park in Celina for the second half. This was my first OQP and we had a great time. **N9JF** - INCREDIBLE CONDX ON 20 FROM OH TO IL! **NI8Z** - First time for the QSO party, lots of fun **NO6X** - RIG: YAESU MARK V PWR: 200 W ANT: Quad Dipole (10-40); Vert (40,80) **NT4XT** - My Lady Corsair and I had a nice mellow excursion driving our dipoles. **NU8Z** - Had fun passing out some contacts. Condx were not too good from southern Michigan. Good job by organizers. Mark NU8Z **NA3V** - Getting to be a pretty big contest! During the short time I was on I heard some high serial numbers racked up. **OK1KT** - Nice contest despite not very gd propagations. Thanks for the new counties ! **PA3ARM** - Too bad my family planned the family day this year on last saturday in August. (hopefully not too often). So cud not join till 21.00Z . No idea what I misseed but think heard some DX stns issueing TTX seq nrs so maybe propagation just started when I joined. No luck wid new counties (only 2 worked out of 15 needed) but it was fun to be on the air. Think condx cud have been worse. Cu in 2006..hope; wud be mi 7th.. !! **SP5UAF** - I decided to participate because I met Steve N8BJQ. I met Steve when he was in Poland last year. I participated YO DX Contest in the same time so I had no time for more QSOs **VA3RKM** - QRP 5W, vertical and dipole **VE5BCS** - A very enjoyable contest. The bands were good, most contacts tough. But good. **W1END** - Lots of activity in this party. Enjoyed every minute of it. Skip was quite good on 20M. Thanks to everyone especially the mobiles and rovers. Looking forward to next year. **W2UDT** - Lot of activity on 80/40/20M.Thanks to the mobiles for keeping things interesting. **W3BBO** - ...then the rains came. **W3AG** - It was fun being a "rover" even though I only made it to one county. Left Pittsburgh at 12:15 pm and made my first qso at 5:01pm. Murphy was my co-pilot/navigator! **W4TDB** - MY TIME WAS LIMITED. HOPE TO SEE EVERYONE IN TENNESSEE QSO PARTY SEPT 11, 2005 **W5QQQ** - What did you do to band conditions ?? **W6RLL** - Conditions were not too good here in AZ. Thanks for all the QSO, and a special thanks to the mobiles. **W8B** - Fun time in BROWn County! QSL via N8XX. **W8FT** - Had a great time getting the Findlay Radio Club active. I think the guys are ho **W8KNO** - ENJOYED THE EVENT **W9RE** - Lots of activity made this one a nice contest. **WA8YVF** - Had a great time, doubled my score from last year. OQP is the Best! **WB0UZM** - Would loved to have had the whole weekend to work Ohio. Whats round on the ends and high in the middle? **WF5X** - Short condx on 40m during day made for good early mult count from MI. Tnx fer FB QSO party. 73 - WF5X **WM8R** - I had a great time explaining to the Ohio State Patrol what I was WM8R doing with an FT817 with whip, on a shoulder strap, balancing a paddle on WM8R my clipboard on an exit ramp in Madison County at 11:30 PM local. He finally WM8R shook his head and said" Well , have fun" as he walked back to his car. WM8R **WO8HIO** - Why limit mobile stations to only 100 watts? Please increase their power limit to help level out the playing field. **NA2X** - Great job all the way around !

The Ohio Qso Party 2006

The 2006 OQP will be on Saturday, August 26. As always, this is the fourth Saturday of August. We hope you'll be back, and bring along some friends to join Ohio's best on the air radio party!

The end



See you in 2006