

CQP 2017 Soapbox Comments	
AA6DX	Surprise our-of -state visitors + PG&E noise spoiled contest plans -- just wait 'til next year!
AA6FD	M/M QSOs from station 2 are interlaced.
AA6MU	A lot of first this year, first contest after 20 year hiatus, first contest for my small homemade SDR rig, first time battery operation in the field for such long time. There were two drivers to go to Sierras: get away from the big gun station few miles from me and enjoy this sub zero noise level under the trees. Noise level was up when I powered up my 12-110v inverter - it was sooo noisy, that I decided to do without big monitor, docking station and other niceties, but with great receive :) Get away Big station goal was ruined by super loud and wide big gun few miles downhill? When they run the frequency I was forced to move to another band or go to the fringes of the band, where chances to be found were slim. Mostly did CW since I was running only 12-17W in the multiband dipole. SSB was quite a challenge - TNX to everyone who straggle to get my numbers. On 160 I was able to produce not more than 12W due to lack of dedicated LPF - so, nobody hear me:) Great event, definitely will be back next year with better antennas and 100W :) AA6MU
AA6SF	CW K6MM. THANKS JOHN FOR JOINING ME.
AA6VX	Entered Non-Assisted in error. Was assisted. Re-submitted.
AA8TA	It seems you CA ops opened up 15 meters. Found a decent number of contacts there. Even made a rare 10 meter contact; can't remember the last 10 meter I made. Had very limited time when 40 meters opened up so did not make very many contacts there. Really appreciate all the ops who cruised around 20 and 15 meters. That made for a fun QSO Party. Kenwood TS-590SG, barefoot GAP Titan, 16 feet AGL It seems you CA ops opened up 15 meters. Found a decent number of contacts there. Even made a rare 10 meter contact; can't remember the last 10 meter I made. Had very limited time when 40 meters opened up so did not make very many contacts there. Really appreciate all the ops who cruised around 20 and 15 meters. That made for a fun QSO Party. Kenwood TS-590SG, barefoot GAP Titan, 16 feet AGL
AB7MP	CQP is always a blast - see you next year!73
AC0P	I just heard some stations on the air and joined it. I wasn't going to submit this but someone called me up and said that I should so here it is.
AC0W	see 3830
AC6SC	Thanks for the work you do to make this happen!
AC6SL	we did better than 2 years ago, but condx not very good.
AD0BI	Warren County, MOOperated some fixed and some mobile.Is that allowed in the rules?Otherwise CHECKLOG. Warren County, MOOperated some fixed and some mobile.Is that allowed in the rules?Otherwise CHECKLOG.
AD6I	Tough out there with SSB this year :(
AE6JV	QSOs were hard for me this year.
AE6XC	good time again
AF6TF	PORATABLE operation
AG6AG	Re-Submit to correct club affiliation.Sorry for the earlier mistake!
AG6AU	Log updated with correct Category and Club Name by K6MM on 17-October @ 2218 UTC.
AG6AY	I was delayed starting due to other local community commitments but, in the end, I was able to put more time (10h) in overall than last year. I concentrated on lower bands but was pleasantly surprise how well 15M worked over the weekend. My furthest contacts were Italy (20M) and Australia (15M). I also concentrated on running a frequency more this time. I was spotted 4 times and each time had quite the dog pile to work through. N6R Field Day operations sure helped develop the right skills to get through the pile without too many peeling off thinking they will never get through. This year several of us are also submitting as individual and as a club (VCARS). All in all, a very fun time.
AG7GP	first ca qso I'm a new competitor but in OR so I don't think it applies to me? Thanks for a great experience for a new ham like me! :)
AI4DB	Tough going but 15 opened up a little to help.

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AI6DO	The same portable setup as ARRL Field Day and NAQP CW but a night-and-day difference in results. Many, many CQs unanswered, with only two weak hits on the Reverse Beacon Network. Many, many calls on CW and SSB went unanswered. And the big stray dog that left a steaming pile next to me was the final straw. Maybe I'll luck out and there'll be only 9 other SO Expedition entries...
AI6IN	CQP, Pizza and Bacon Jerky. What a great weekend! CQP, Pizza and Bacon Jerky. What a great weekend!
AI6JB	Operated from Leviathan Peak, Alpine County Great Fun! Thank you NCCC!!
AI6SL	KX2 @ 5W, Inverted fan dipole.
AI6US	Alpine County at 9000 ft Leviathan Peak, Monitor Pass, CA 16 hours The logging software missed a few band changes. I compared the logging software band log changes against my paper logs and believe that all are now corrected.
DK2CF	Thanks for the party, new start after 3 years and it was funny. I'am wondering, 15m was open on Sunday but nothing on 10m. Also nothing on 40m long path.
DL3DXX	Did not get numbers from NB6GC and K6ELQ and forgot to log serial from KF6C.Logged these calls for completeness. Better condx then expected especially on 15m.logged with win-test and created cabrillo manually. Hope it fits.Thanks for all QSOs. Did not get numbers from NB6GC and K6ELQ and forgot to log serial from KF6C.Logged these calls for completeness.Better condx then expected especially on 15m.logged with win-test and created cabrillo manually. Hope it fits.Thanks for all QSOs.
DL3GA	I was busy with the Russian RTTY contest (multi single) at a different QTH until sunday afternoon, hence the late start - but simply had to take advantage of the good condx. After 50 Q's, it felt like the band was closing - but then it went on and on. Great fun !
DL4AAE	Enjoyed this CQP. TNX for the great activity of the California hams and for organizing this event!
I4VEQ	Just few hours on 20, conditions were so good to CAL. Nice experience. 73 de Claudio I4VEQ
IZ3NVR	Didn't have much time to operate but luckily managed to be on the air during a nice West coast opening on Sunday evening. Thanks to all the stations that were so patient with my tiny signal. Hope to receive the QSLs for the USCA.
JH2GZY	Tnx qso.
K0AD	Was hoping to get a county sweep but came up 4 short. Good path to Minnesota on 15, 20, and 40. Best rates were 15 SSB. Lots of activity.73,Al, K0AD
K0AE	Oh" it was hard to stay inside with the weatherin the high 70's but the CalQp is such a great contestI stayed with it until the end.Great band conditions both Saturday and Sundayand lots of California stations on the air.I worked 35 of the 58 counties and try as I mightover the years, I have never worked them all. lookingforward to next year!K0AE
K0AP	Had little time to play in the CA QP mostly looking for new counties. Noticed a lot of activity from the CA op's.73 Dragan K0AP
K0HC	(100*3 + 490*2) = 1280 * 58 = 74,240 Sweep GLEN N6JET at 0036Z Student ops: Gracie, Grace, Tyson, Amos
K0IO	Thanks to everyone who pulled my signal out of the noise -- 5 watts into an R-8 vertical
K0RC	I did not pre-register for the competition in the club category. Dismiss this log if appropriate.
K0VBU	Thanks for the great contest.See you next year!73Bill K0VBU
K1AUS	I only had a few hours to work the contest both days. Conditions into CA where good on 20 meters from MT and 40 got better after sunset but nothing on any other band. Thanks and see you next year.
K1GQ	SkookumLogger K3 2000A 2XA-3B-12L OB2-40 wires
K1SE	Still one of the best QSO Parties.Tks for all the Q's.73,bd
K2QO	In my mind, this is one of the great state QSO parties. Activity is superb, the organizing committee kicks ass and the T-shirts are nice too!I started the contest running QRP and no one could hear me. I could hear stations in CA perfectly well so after a while of beating my head against the operating table I turned up the power to 100W. That solve my issues :-)
K2ZR	K2 @ 95 watts CF Wire 660' EF Wire 407' Traffie Hexbeam HX5biConditions fair to good. Never heard a number of Counties.Operated for 9 hours total.Thanks for the Qs and CU all next year.73,Dick, K2ZR
K3MAW	Thanks for running the contest

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K3TBD	Thanks for a super fun contest! Thanks for having a YL category, I had a blast! Glad that the rules included a break for those operating single-op. 88, Wendy K3TBD
K3TW	Band conditons were good for QRP (5 watts).
K3WA	Thanks for the fun.
K3WJV	Getting "no readable QSO's" so i don't know what is exactly wrong and more importantly don't know how to fix it. I'm sure (I think) I didn't have any problems last year, this cabrillo is generated by n1mm+ so I don't know what else to do. If I get credit for a score thats fine but if not maybe you can use this for log checking. Wish I knew what went wrong. 73
K4GM	Conditions were unusually good in VA on Saturday. By Sunday it was very hard to find new Q's. Had fun as always.
K4GOP	13-October-2017 @ 2100 UTC: Log adjusted by K6MM: Added Name and Address.
K4MM	FT-950A4S
K5GQ	tri band beam not working; which left 40M dipole.
K5KJ	Fun contest!
K5LGX	I accidentally jumped from number 4 to 6. I had no number 5.
K5MXG	enjoyed the contest!
K6ABA	RE-SUBMITTED LOG BECAUSE OF PREVIOUS ERROR.
K6AQL/M	Found the band change I missed previously in COLU, this version should be correct
K6AR	I don't see anything wrong with line 602
K6BEW	Found error in log entry and have made correction for contact #0239.
K6CQP	Thank you NCCC for the use of the K6CQP club call. 73, Todd KH2TJ
K6CSL	Wow! What fun!
K6DTT	Operated the station in Stanislaus County remotely from my QTH in Southern California. Looking forward to next year. Operated the station in Stanislaus County remotely from my QTH in Southern California. Had a blast and looking forward to next year.73 K6DTT
K6EI	This past weekend was my favorite California QSO Party of all time ? a great site, great weather, great antennas, great teammates, and pretty darn good propagation. We set up four stations (two CW and two SSB) near Sierraville in Sierra County (north of Truckee) and managed a clean-sweep of all 58 multipliers while handily beat our previous score -- even making 16 QSOs on 160 meters. Oh, and we had a lot of fun in the process.I especially want to thank Bobby (KOXI) for organizing this event, setting up his excellent solar/battery power grid, and doing a lot of the heavy lifting throughout. Thanks also to Svend (KF6EMB) for his magnificent towers and Bill Fehring (W9KKN) for a very cool N1MM+/WiFi implementation that worked incredibly well.-Jim K6EI
K6G	Nice to give Paul, N4PN, his sweep.
K6ICS	Nice to see 10-Meters open for a few hours. Glad to see 10-Meters open up for a few hours.
K6IJ	Fixed some errors.
K6JEB	Not much time operate this one. Sounds like it was a good time judging by how quick I was able to generate a run. Not much time operate this one. Sounds like it was a good time judging by how quick I was able to generate a run.
K6K	My call is N6AJ and was using the call K6K.
K6KLY	only missed 4 mults
K6LA	It was a fun three hours until I had to get ready for my daughter's wedding.
K6LRN	Computer 'issues'...sorry for slow comebacks!!
K6MHS	McBride High School Amateur Radio Club in Long Beach, CA.

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K6NV	The east side of the sierras with a small station not the best for working back into Northern CA. Very pleased with the EU's calling me Sunday. with this part-time effort goal was to break 500 Q's, just could get the last few Sunday. Unfortunately I had bad noise on 40m most of the contest. TNX for the Q's.....Bob
K6T	This was my 1st solo CQP from Contra Costa county. For 2017, condx. were better than I had expected they would be. An FT-1000mp was run barefoot into a 2-el 8JK sloping VEE beam, a CHA-250 vertical and a 3-el Hygain yagi for 10 meters. Surprisingly, Saturday afternoon produced a 10 meter opening with such surprises as HI8A & PY2NY. Disappointingly, Asia was nowhere to be found. Only 20% of the QSOs were made on SSB, I would have done more but not enough SSB people materialized for this contest event. I made extensive use of classic JPS NIR-12 Dual DSP and Autek QF-1A audio filters. The NIR-12 got rid of some of the junk and the QF-1A peaked weak signals so they would nicely pop into the headphones. The exceptional break-in of the Yaesu radio allowed me to hear numerous stations calling me even BEFORE my CQ call was finished. Wassup with THAT? Patience will make you more QSOs than being overly anxious. Remember this: while I am transmitting I CAN'T HEAR YOU! My BIGGEST BEEF is with stations running SO2R (or are otherwise just careless), who call a LOUD CQ and then disappear. I call them 3 times (others also call) with no reply. I send QRL? 3 times with no response. It's now safe to assume the frequency is open so I call CQ CQP. Immediately the station comes back to resume operations - WRONG! The frequency is NOW in use by someone else. Remember the rule of listening FIRST before you transmit? If the station had LISTENED FIRST he would have heard me calling CQ. I call this station and he immediately comes back to me, proof positive that he DID (or was capable of) hearing me in the beginning. This BTW is why I believe SP2R should be its OWN category. It's not fair that we single OPS have to compete with people who violate the spirit of the operation. If I TOO find a way to "cheat", maybe I can beat them. The better solution is to let them compete in their own play pen. I missed a sweep due to lack of hearing: ND, NE, RI, MS, AK, AB & MR. County-wise, 42 counties ended up in the K6T log. Numerous stations ended up in the log on multiple band-modes - Cool! Where were the ladies on the air this weekend? I only worked 2 of them. You can read my write up of this contest later in the week at the WQ6X Contest Blog: http://WQ6X.Blogspot.Com What did YOU do in the California QSO party? Is K6T in your log?
K6VO	This year Richard, K6RBS, Tim, AF6GL and I (K6NR) once again put K6VO on the air for the California QSO Party, with Mike, NM6X providing logistical support. We had a good time as always, but the noise at my desert station near Victorville has gotten worse every year and was particularly bad this year. I have at least three strong noise sources and they impact all bands, especially 20 meters and below (QRN is 20 over 9 on 40m). Apologies to everyone who called who we could not pull out. Conditions were fair, with a short 10 meter opening. We didn't seem to get as many callers answering our Cqs, but perhaps we couldn't hear them in the noise. Lots of DX on Sunday morning? we had 101 DX QSOs overall. Hats off to our friends in Ontario who provided 88 QSOs. Once again Alaska was a no show and we finished with 57 of 58 mults. Our QSO count and score was down from past years, not sure it was us, the QRN, or conditions. Our thanks to everyone for the QSOs. Dana, K6NR Station: K3 -> AL1200, 1200 W Antennas: 10m 5L@48', 15m 5L@45', 20m 4L@60' 40m 4square array 80m top loaded vertical over 66 radials 40m/80m trap dipole @ 55' 160m inverted L over same radials Misc receive
K6VVA/6	Very limited activation in SBEN again this year.

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K6WSC/6	I had so much fun as a single-op county expedition in the 7QP I wanted to do it again in the CQP. In the 7QP, I operated in the next county which was all of a 30-minute drive from my house. The CQP would involve at least a four-day trip. I started looking for a suitable site (120vac, space to set up my antenna, surrounding terrain, showers, food, etc.) in Imperial and later Riverside county. No location met all of my criteria, so I started looking in the next nearest county, San Diego and choose a site in Borrego Springs. San Diego is not exactly a rare county, but CA is a big state and the southern quarter of state only has four counties. Maybe next time I can make it a longer trip and activate one of the rare counties. The antenna was a 40-10m fan dipole with the center at 20 feet. The rig was TS-590S. The air temperature got to 97 degrees. I am always amazed at how hot the rig can get and still keep working. The rig did quit working however when I moved my feet and the ground strap between the rig and the power supply contacted the plus side of the supply. I quickly fixed that problem. I worked 50 of the 58-possible state and Canadian area multipliers, with AZ being among the missing. The CA county count was 33, all on 40m except for my neighbor in Imperial county K6QK, both of us on the inland side of the coastal mountains. The DX count was 13. The food part of it did not work out so well. The park I was staying in did not get their kitchen operational when they said they would. I could not drive my vehicle (Honda Odyssey) to get food as it was part of the antenna support system. I survived on a bag of carrots and a few energy bars for 48 hours. It was lots of fun. Thanks to the CQP sponsors for a great QSO Party. 73, Bill K6WSC
K7ACZ	Rig: IC-7600, Ant: F12 C33 Yagi at 70 ft, 40/80/160 sloper at 65 ft I am too close to CA to work stations on 20/15 mtrs. I could hear many outsideof CA stations working CA stations but I could not hear the CA sta. Plus I heardno CA stations on 80 or 160 mtrs. Almost all of my contacts were on 40 mtrs. Rig: IC-7600, Ant: F12 C33 Yagi at 70 ft, 40/80/160 sloper at 65 ft
K7HBN	Great fun as usual
K7QA	Running 25 watts to test several modified antennas.
K7QDX	99% fixed station. Two mobile operation contacts from Yolo and Sacramento counties to San Diego county (same station)
K7XC	Northern NV is NOT the place to be for this contest. Forced to work people on 20M Back-scatter during the day and the low bands after dark. Had a dental procedure on Friday afternoon which left me tired, sore and in pain... Not a good way to be in a contest. Worked a few of the boys on CW when I felt up to it as I wasn't up to talking. Tried running W6's back-scatter on 20M but LOUD EU and RA stations kept calling me so I just stopped CQing rather than disappoint them. 3ele 20M Mono-band Yagi up 43', 40/80 Meter Fan Inv Vee at 40', IC-746, AL-80B @ 750W. See you in the pileups for CQ WW DX SSB in a couple weeks. Many Thanks to the N1MM+ Gang for their work to provide a up to date top notch software package for everyone, it is most appreciated! KB! Northern NV is NOT the place to be for this contest. Forced to work people on 20M Back-scatter during the day and the low bands after dark. Had a dental procedure on Friday afternoon which left me tired, sore and in pain... Not a good way to be in a contest. Worked a few of the boys on CW when I felt up to it as I wasn't up to talking. Tried running W6's back-scatter on 20M but LOUD EU and RA stations kept calling me so I just stopped CQing rather than disappoint them. 3ele 20M Mono-band Yagi up 43', 40/80 Meter Fan Inv Vee at 40', IC-746, AL-80B @ 750W. See you in the pileups for CQ WW DX SSB in a couple weeks. Many Thanks to the N1MM+ Gang for their work to provide a up to date top notch software package for everyone, it is most appreciated! KB!
K7YMA	Great fun as usual. Lots of stations on Saturday, but none not already worked on Sunday. 33 new counties towards Worked All California award. Yuma, AZ not ideal location to work CA - maybe go back to Black Mountain (Imperial County) next year. Thanks for another great event.
K8BF	Always a lot of fun for our members in the CA-QSO Party.
K8MRT	Not much time this year, but my favorite state contest by far. - Karl
K9BBQ	100 Watts & a Wire
K9NR	57 Counties! Missed one lousy county! Lots of fun. Thanks for all the Q's
K9NW	Tnx QSOs!!
K9ZO	Always a pleasure!
KA2YRA	Thanks for a FB contest!
KA6BIM	Just Played a few hours on 80 after a day of providing comms for a local marathon. Nice to be able to keep in touch with old friends. KB

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KA7RRA	I had fun looking forward to 2018 I had fun looking for 2018
KB9ENS	Great contest. More QSOs this year than last. Fun times.
KB9HO	First time for the California QSO party. Thanks
KC0MVF	That was fun. Thanks. Wish I could have worked longer.
KC5DCT	Good contest. Have a nice day.
KC9QQ	It was nice to hear lots of stations on 15M. I did not have much time, but couldn't resist working some stations on 15M.
KC9RRN	Lots of fun, disappointed in the county coverage
KC9YL	great fun - first CW contest - first CW QSOs - this is going to be habit-forming!!!
KD0NMZ	Great signals Had funFirst time for BVCARC
KD5FBA	Fun Fun Fun! Love this QSO party even with strange conditions. Glad that 15 opened up!
KD8DEU	I'm a county hunter and worked the event primarily for that. First time entering event.
KE0JMK	A great operational learning experience! Have not yet found linux logging software that exports Cabrillo logs in exact format requirements without manual editing. Perhaps manual editing is normal for everyone, for every contest? Antenna was monoband inverted-V wire, center mast 20 feet tall.
KE0OR	I operator for 11 hours over two days. The biggest limitation I experienced was having only 2 bands, 40 and 20 meters, available. I am planning to add some antennas before the end of October 2017.The contest was a lots of fun. Conditions on twenty meters were great!
KE0TT	K3/10 at 5 watts to an 88' dipole up about 45' fed with ladder line and tuner. Terrain slopes to the west with about a 200' downhill over about a mile distance, which helps my QRP and wire a lot for CQP. Thanks for your great ears out there, enjoyed the activity and the Q's. C U next time, 73, Dan ke0tt
KE0Z	Thanks to all the good California operators for taking time to dig my QRP signal out of the noise.
KE4KY	Great contest to do, especially on a rainy weekend.Good luck to all the CA clubs that entered the contest!
KE6FQC	A MULT ISSUE WITH MARP.....COUNTED AS MULT AFTER ANOTHER COUNTY GOT COUNTED. COULD NOT EDIT THAT. HAD FUN IN BAD PROPAGATION.
KE6IUE	Thanks!
KE6PLA	Second year participating, did 3 times better than last and had a blast!
KE6WC	thanks!
KE6ZSN	Thank You to all the NCCC members that made it happen!!!73&KB John
KE8EAS	Not many points, but I thought I'd join the fun! Haven't done this contest before. But, heard some folks calling CQ, figured I'd join the fun!
KF3G	Operated from FM29jwCW Contacts: 32Duplicates: 2 ... W6YI of SDIE and WC6H of CALA, each on 20 Meters twice.CW Multiplier: 3Counties Multiplier: 18(32 QSOs - 2 Duplicates) x 3 CW Multiplier = 90 QSO Points90 QSO Points x 18 Total Multipliers = 1620 Total ScoreAlso, unfortunately - I sent '013 PA' to two (2) Stations - K7JA/6 and then N6TU.
KF4QFJ	I had a great time chasing Californian operators, and making CW QSOs. I'm looking forward to 2018 CQP! -Good DXing & 73de KF4QFJ
KF6NCX	Late log permitted. Extension approved by K6MM.
KF6ZXO	Log converted by K6MM from an Excel file into the Cabrillo format. Completed at 0200 UTC on 10/24/2017. Exception to the deadline. 73, John, K6MM
KG5VK	Part Time effort less than 100 Q's but had some fun Cheers! Steve KG5VK
KG6LHW	I look forward to being more prepared to play again next year. Thank you!
KG6N	Hunted for AK for last mult and finally got it! Went QRT after.
KG8FE	TOO BUSY TO CONTEST THIS YEAR. NOT ENOUGH TIME TO PLAY IN THE QSO PARTY THIS YEAR. 73, KG8FE.
KH2EE	Transferring from paper log to this format took a few tries. Will use loggerprogram next time. It was a fun contest. 73's Wes
KI6OY	100 watts and a wire. I ran the station into the ground running. No one was injured in the process. 100 watts and a wire. I ran the station into the ground running.No one was injured in the process.

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KJ4IWZ	great qso party, conditions not the best here in TN, remnants of hurricane passing thru. Still had a great time.
KJ4LQX	Thanks for the QSO. Hope everyone stayed/remains safe with all the fires going on out there. 73
KJ8O	Only had 1.5 hours to work with. Good to contact old friends.
KK4BZ	power=80 W, grid=FM18eu, antenna=dipole, equipment=TS570S, comment=antenna is G5RV at 35 ft in trees, Thanks for the fun! power=80 W, grid=FM18eu, antenna=dipole, equipment=TS570S,comment=antenna is G5RV at 35 ft in trees, Thanks for the fun!
KK4R	I had a lot of fun Saturday, and conditions were pretty good. On Sunday, QSB was a problem, 20M wasn't great, and, not surprisingly, I kept hearing the same stations, so it got a bit slow. The bottom line -- I was happy to be back for the CAP after missing a few!
KK4VA	Used K3, LP-PAN 2, CW Skimmer and N1MM+. Buddipole vertical with 2 counterpoise up about 12 feet.
KK6L	A frustrating venture with poor antennas, but considering the band conditions and distance, I think I did pretty well with what I had to work with. :) Next year in Jerusalem! ;)
KK6NON	Youth (17 years old)
KK6NTL	Original .XML file received. K6MM contacted operator and received text files which were converted to this new Cabrillo log on November 11, 2017
KK6VLO	Troy Meadows Campground, 7800 feet elevation, 35 degrees outside, end fed wire antenna, running off the camper battery.
KK6YDI	just having fun!
KK7A	I messed up QSO number 1 in my computer log so actually started with number 2.
KL7RST	Call is Special event call for 150th Anniversary of Alaska becoming a US Territory. Kotlik School Radio Club WL7CXM using the Alaska 150th Anniversary call KL7RST to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of Alaska becoming a US Territory on Oct 18 1867.
KM6AXC	I do not understand the multiplier issue. So, I may have goofed in that regard. Good party!! Thanks Jerry Crabill
KM6FOY	Corrected errors
KM6G	Thanks for hosting the QSO!
KM6HQ5	See http://wwrof.org/cabrillo/cabrillo-specification-v3/ for valid values. Thanks for doing this -- great opportunity also to test antenna setups!
KN4VV	Thanks to those 18 ops who were able to dig my signal out of the mud. I was QRP into a hamstick on an old Alpha Delta Outpost tripod - it was great fun and look forward to next year!
KN4Y	Between wife in rehab with broken hip and pending hurricane was able to get a few hours operating. I am not a fan of using serial numbers in a State fun QSO party. Operated CW as much as possible with wife in rehab with broken hip and a pending hurricane winds. Not a fan of using serial numbers in a suppose to be fun State QSO party. Great surprise, I worked a mobile on CW. This QSO party ranks in the top five on my list.
KT4BOB	had fun!!!!
KU6F	with K6TTT both YL's YL OPS: KU6F WITH W6TTF
LY5W	TNX FOR QSO PARTY! LIKE IT!
N0BUI	Not a lot of time to put in but it was fun. 73, Mike N0BUI
N1DC	Thanks to the organizing team for another great event. Happy to improve my score over 2016. Thanks for the QSO's. 73, Rick N1DC
N1NN	12TH CALIFORNIA QSO PARTY
N2BEG	only ran 15m CW for a few QSOs. Thanks!
N2RHL	updated log, first time used medium club when my club is under small
N4ARO	Have enjoyed working the CA party since the 1970's Thanks to all who work hard to make it the best.
N4CCJ	Good signals for "S&P. Surprised that 40 meter was as open to KY as it was. Good show of stations in CA.
N4CW	Just wish I had had more time to devote to the contest. Great fun as usual. Wish there were more mobiles! Thanks, CQP.
N4JBN	Enjoyed the California QSO party. All the bands were busy with pileups everywhere. Thanks to all who answered my call. 73's
N4NTO	Enjoyed the brief time I got to play! Started as a brief 20 meter effort, but was glad to log a few on 15 and even 10!

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N4PN	LOTS OF ACTIVITY AS USUAL...ONLY MOBILE AS USUAL, K6AQL.THANKS TO ALL WHO ALWAYS MAKE IT FUN..GOT THE SWEEP WITH K6G INGLENO EARLY ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON... Fun as always...thanks to all the CA bunch..
N4YDU	SO, Assisted, Mixed Mode
N4ZZ	Thanks for a great qso party.
N5II	Great contest
N5KB	Great signals for Cali First time effort for Club BVCARC
N5MKY	Nick name Smokey
N5XTR	I had a fantastic time working the different counties activated in California. Thank you for the event.
N6D	Add Del Norte County to my CQP CE list. Worked mostly CW. SSB on 20m wasn't busy here. Set the Buddipole on 40m CW and planned to drop to 80m but it was too windy outside in the evening so rather than retune the antenna in the dark in a 25 MPH wind, I let sleeping dogs lie. Listened on 15m, but didn't hear much from here. Both my YP-3 Super Antenna and Buddipole performed well. It was nice to just walk out of my hotel room and adjust the antennas near the ocean. Drove 445 miles to get here. Not sure if I'll be back, but glad I activated Del Norte County for CQP. Drove 445 miles to activate Del Norte County this year from Vacaville, CA via Medford, OR. I set up at the Quality Inn and Suites on the south end of the beach hotels. I have a room with a sliding glass door out to a southeast facing lawn with nothing no structures beyond that. I used a Super Antenna YP-3 on 20m and a Buddipole set up in the vertical configuration on 40m. Sadly due to high winds Saturday night I decided to not reconfigure the antenna for 80m in the dark alone. On Sunday I reconfigured the Buddipole to 20m SSB in case band conditions for me improved on SSB, they did not. I spent most of my time on CW where it was busy. Sunday afternoon I had a dozen or so EU DX stations work me, but only one JA on 40m CW Sunday morning. This was my fifth different county activation for CQP, certainly the longest distance in the past decade since I worked Riverside County with Ralph AA6GM. I missed eight states, NE AK ND ME RI MS MR and NT. Not sure if I'll go back to Del Norte County anytime soon, I'll gladly work some other rare counties a bit closer to home though. 73!
N6EE/1	Operated remote station in Eastport Maine for a few hours. Conditions were decent.
N6ENO	Limited time
N6GHZ	First CA QSO Party. Great fun!!
N6HCN	Checklog, please
N6JS	First contest for Chuck KC8OYD
N6MI	Use this log, please, and not my earlier log. 73
N6NUL	Not all of the gear I needed for my planned 500 watt expedition arrived on time, so instead I operated QRP with my K2.
N6O	Total of 9 operatorsThe following would like 1/9 of their score for respective clubsNA6O-- Mother Lode DX and Contest Club (MLDXCC)N6WM-- Pizza Lovers 259WA6O-- Pizza Lovers 259contact N6WM if this is not understood or if there is an issuen6wm@largeradio.org
N6PCD	First time competing in this contest, never did this one before.
N6QD	13 Years old and my first contest alone! Enjoyed trying out CW, need to practice, practice, practice to get my speed up! Thank you all, I really enjoyed the QSO Party!!!
N6RCM	Set up an antenna yesterday and found this contest going on... Great fun!
N6REK/P	Operating portable out of my RV at Silver Lake Resort in the Eastern Sierra.
N6RV	Fun! A lot of fun. I was not planning to operate that long but got caught up in the pile ups! Next year I will go at it full time.
N6TCE	great contest!
N6TV	Made 160 fewer QSOs than last year. Why? Lack of advertising? Hurricanes Harvey and Irma? All of the above?
N6VHF	Had major antenna issues which prevented me from doing much of anything. Hopefully I will do better next year. 73
N6DXD	no xmt output after 3 contacts :(

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N6XI	This was a practice exercise for WRTC 2018. AE6Y and I operated Multi-2 but since that category doesn't exist in CQP, we submit as a two-operator Multi-Multi. We ran a pair of K3 transceivers at 100W rather than the 200W rigs that are encouraged by the CQP power categories. The triplexer worked pretty well, as did my old bandpass filters, although we had an apparent 15M BPF failure that seemed to recover as we tore down the station. The high band antenna was a 2el C4S tribander with a dead rotor thanks to a lightning strike last month, fixed at 70 degrees. 40M was a 2el Mag 240N with a working rotor which also turned the 80M rotary dipole. We operated enough to learn what we needed to learn and to be ready to buy the remaining parts we will need. Conditions were pretty awful and there were only a few hours during which more than one band was fully open. This was decidedly a single-op or Multi-Single kind of weekend and we feel sorry for the lonely operators at real Multi-Multi's! It was boring enough with only two ops.
N6XT	Limping along with my C3.
N6YEU/8	I operated at W8OI for first 3 hours(beam) then at my daughter's house for rest of weekend with wire dipole(3 bands:15,20 and 40) all low power. good fun working many REDXA,MLDXCC and NCCC members. I put Redwood Empire but realize can't count for score and couldn't change it once in box.
N6ZE	My significant effort in the Microwave Fall SPRINT precluded much activitytime!Got to try out new 89/40 m NVIS dipole though.Thanks to AG6AY for encouraging Small Club Participation by Ventura Countyamateur Radio Society
N7EIE	Only had a couple hours on the air, but had fun! CU next year!
N7EPD	I don't like the separate category for "assisted". I was monitoring the cluster for DX I am looking for. I could care less about every CA mult but feel you would count me as cheating since I have the spots on the screen.
N7MZW	IC-706MK-2G,Heil Pro-Set,ZS6BKW (modified G5RV) up 45 feet, running N-S at 6,053 feet elevation.Vectronics HFT-1500 Manual Tuner, and J-Com Magic Notch ("Lid" Filter). Late start and limited time in this one. Missed Colusa,Del Norte, Madera and Tehama for the swwep. 95% Hunt and Pounce, with a few short runs. 80 Meters was poor for me at night, with many S-9 stations not hearing me well at all. 80 meters=6 Q's for 2% of total,40 Meters=79 Q's for 29% of total, and 20 Meters=188 Q's for 69% of total stations worked.Always a fun contest. with lots of "Frequent Flyers" to hear every year. I think this is my 11th CQP, all done from Apartment or rental QTH's with low power and wires. Thanks for the contacts! November Seven Many Zebras Walking Laramie Co. Wyoming, from the capital city of Cheyenne. IC-706MK2G,Heil ProSet, a Vectronics HFT-manual tuner, and a ZS6BKW (G5RV variant) up 45 feet, running N-S at 6,053 feet elevation in Laramie Co., Wyoming. I had a late start and limited operating time this year. I missed Colusa, Del Norte, Madera, and Tehama counties for the sweep. 95% hunt and pounce. 10 and 15 meters were "no joy" for me, and 75 meter phone seemed a little dead.80 meters =6 Q's for 2% of total, 40 meters=79 Q's for 29% of total, and 20 meters = 188 Q's for 69% of total. Always great to hear old friends in the CQP. I think this is my 11th CQP attempt, and all were SO Low Power from apartment or rental QTH's using G5RV or sometimes home brewed DX 1/2 Square wire antennas. I wish there was an award for most Single Op Low Power SSB only Q's. Hi Hi! Over 100 contesting SO/LP Plaques/Awards garnered since 1989 has convinced me that using "November Seven Many Zebras Walking", or "non-standard" phonetics (rather than standard phonetics alone) once in a while, can often be effective This is especially true when I am in Hunt and Pounce mode and someone stops their pile up and works me, after remembering how often I had supplied them with their only Wyoming phone multiplier over the past 28 years. Thanks for the contacts and FUN. CU in the next one!
N7QQ	Operator = W6RW
N7VS	Experienced very unusual propagation conditions. Almost all contacts were with Southern California stations this year. Hope to be back next year
N7WY	remove SAN, SANTA, LOS, etc from the county names and use the subsequent word as the county identifier. SBER would be BERN and SBAR would be BARB. This improves the Levenshtein distance separation of the abbreviation codes.
N8BJQ	As always fun. Not much time - have company for the weekend. 15M was very good. 80 was good this morning. Worked N6O and NO6T on 5 bands this.
N8II	Conditions were better than expected, lots of run Q's Saturday, very difficult to run or S&P many new ones on Sunday. 20 was open late, 40 very good before CA sunset and way after my sunrise. 10M open at 21Z Sunday to SOCAL!
N9BT	wish I could have operated longer
N9HDE	It was good to hear some strong signals from California to Iowa on 15 meters CW.

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N9NA	SB 40 SSB
N9NBC	lots of fun as every year
NA7OM	Reverse log from OR
NA7OM/6	MOBILE LOW POWER Operated mobile along the Iron Gate Rec Area and the middle of the Shasta Valley in Siskiyou County.
NC6DX	This was a casual effort (8 to 10 hours +/- ?) from our cabin in the Sierra in Nevada County at 5000feet in a forest. Before we could operate we had to repair our solar power andbattery back up system, auxiliary fuel tanks for our generators and otherrepairs. We have a monster 24 battery array of individual monster 2 Volt commercial batteries wired in seriesfor a 48 volt battery backup array for our processor controlled pure sine waveinverters (long story). We ended up replacing one of the twenty four monster 2Volt commercial batteries and fabricating new battery cables among other things(including fixing and repairing our logging computers and "in-cabin"wifi system for linking the logging computers). Bottom line is that we goteverything working and were able to provide at least 774 QSOs from NEVA for thedeserving on four bands. We had a lot of fun. Thanks to Laine, K6XXN and Theresa for the fine food and great wines provided for Friday and Saturday dinners at the cabin for the NC6DX Team enjoyed this weekend. Thanks all for another fun CQEvent. K6XN for the "Super Bobs" K6ON and K6YN and K6XN Ted.
NC6K	I got more BIC time than usual , but not able to operatefor the full 24 hours due to the usual family commitments.I beat my best score (last year) by a significantamount, and only missed NT for the section sweep. I neverdid hear or see any NT stations.Conditions were excellent on all the bands for the mostpart, with the usualQRM/QRN on 80 and 40 attimes. 15 M was open for much of the daytime, and 10 Meven had some decent openings to the SE USA onSunday.My SteppIR DB36 actually worked as designed on all bands, so that made 40 Mmuch better than if I had to use the dipoleagain. This was my first contest using theFlexRadio Maestro, and it was a big improvement over thesoftware control. I wasquite surprised at the number of DX stations calling - itwas great tohear how the contest has expanded. Iwouldn't be surprised if it eventuallybecomes aworldwide contest with CA focus. I was also amazed at thenumber ofout-of-state stations calling CQ CA. Iusually hear a few at other state QSOparties,but this was a significant number on all bands and bothmodes.Great contest as always, andthanks to everyone that participated. I had a blast!
NC6V	Thank you to all the non-California participants. Your participation makes the contest.
NF8M	15 meters on Saturday afternoon was stationary mobile from the Great Lakes HamCon and ARRL Great Lakes Division Convention in Brooklyn, Michigan.
NF9U	My first contest, I learned a lot! Thanks for running this contest.
NG7W	1 Dupe logged
NG7Z	IC-7300 and a vertical. I started out on 20M hoping to catch N California stations. After working the loud guys it was a fruitless chore to find new ones. So I gave up about an hour and came back once 40M was open. As some have pointed out, the CQP is rather tough being that AZ is so close. Sunday AM early, I got on again. This time on 80M which is my weakest band given the cramped space in the back yard which gives me little room for radials. Just got the loud guys again and back to 40M to finish up. I used to look forward to this QSO party when I lived in WA state. Now? Not so much. Anyway, I heard some big serial numbers from the usual suspects. K6XX, W6YX, N6IE, W6YI and so on. So next week is the alleged AZQP and based on my numbers and time spent last year, I'm not so sure I'll participate this year. Besides, we still haven't received any word on last year's results. Go figure. Many thanks to the CA organizers. They do a lot of work to make it happen. Paul NG7Z
NN0U	Fairly good band conditions. Loved 80m & 40m pre-dawn Sunday.
NN7SS	Several passes of the band to work any 6's heard.On 10m and 15m no North-South propagation, or all CA antennas pointed East.20m and 40m had some good signals day and evening. I was around really too early for 80m or 160m. NN7SS Burt WA (K6UFO op)15m, 20m: Force12 C31XR at 72 ft40m: Force12 2 Element Yagi at 78 ft80m: 4-square array160m: 4-square arraySAL-30 Receive AntennaElecraft K3, KPA-500 K3/0-Mini control head and RemoteRigWritelog
NN9DD	limited operation time but Saturday late afternoon and evening seemed to have good conditions to CA
NS8O	Tnx for nice contest and great CW operators! Enjoyed it and propagation was great too.

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NZ6Q	Who said the bands are dead... Most fun and best score in years! Who said the bands were dead? Best performance we have had n years - hat's off to my crew, all yea did a fantasic job!
ON3ND	Small log... Poor condx !
PY2NY	Coming back to CQP after some years. Amazing to find a lot of friends, even under worst propagation conditions ever!!
SE5L	Corrected by K6MM on 14-October. Changed 001 to DX for sentQTH. 73, K6MM
TI8/AA8HH	My first attempt at CA QSO Party from Costa Rica. It was a real challenge. It dawned on me that most of the CA stations with beams were pointed east which put me off the side of everyone's beam! Much to my surprise, 15 meters was the money band from here.
VA3PC	SSB only S/P - 73
VA3TTB	BEING A NEW HAM, THIS IS MY SECOND CONTEST. ALONG WITH MY INEXPERIENCE AND LOUSY PROPOGATION, THIS WAS CANADA'S THANKSGIVING WEEKEND - MY TIME WAS FILLED WITH FAMILY AND FOOD, BUT FEW QSOS. REGARDLESS, I IMMENSELY ENJOYED THE CALIFORNIA QSO PARTY. THANKS! I messed up my computer on a QSO with N6BOB. If N6BOB submits a QSO with me, in which I gave him the serial number '043', his QSO is valid. But I managed to destroy my record of my QSO with him. Sorry! Thanks for your consideration. Charles VA3TTB
VA3WPS	thanks for another great California QSO party! 73
VE3AYR	SJOS was what was sent. I listened to it several times! It is what it is!
VE3CV	Had to miss Sunday for Thanksgiving outing with family in Canada. Missed the hunt for mults!
VE3CX	Not sure how this will work, but I am outside the circle...
VE3GFN	You guys run a great QP, one of the few I enter most years. Managed to wipe out last year's score, despite better condition last year. Too bad you couldn't turn on 10M for a while!
VE3HG	Super conditions. Worked half of my SSB contacts using 10-watt KX-2. Interesting to compare the KX-2 to the Flex 3000. Very different architecture when it comes to signal processing. Both are very capable radios and I was pleasantly surprised at how well the KX-2 handled contest conditions.
VE3KTB	Nice to see a lot of activity on 15m. Unfortunately, 80m was a bust.
VE3KZ	Great contest but my thoughts are with those in the fire zones. Hope everyone got home safely.
VE3OM	Enjoyed my 20M entry. Not as many mobiles as in the past! A fun contest as always.
VE3RCN	Busy Thanksgiving weekend in Canada. Gave time where I could.
VE3RZ	Always a fun contest. Glad to work old and new friends. Thanks for all the QSOs.
VE3TW	Canadian Thanksgiving, squeezed in a few contacts while entertaining family and closing up the cottage.
VE3UTT	Great job as usual for the rovers.
VE3VY	Rig : Kenwood TS2000; HamGadgets MasterKeyer MK-IAntennas : 270' OCFD (N-S); 135' OCFD (E-W); 40M H-Loop all up @ 40'Soapbox : Conditions pretty good - got to work only Friday eveningwith some S&P. Lots of CA stations to choose from. Hoping for a more extensive outing next year.
VE3XD	25 watts into attic antennas
VE4RBH	Log updated on 23-October by K6MM with revised Band data from operator.
VE5SDH	thanks for the fun :) hope i didn't goof up to muchi'm a YL operator73 Summer VE5SDH
VE7RSV	great contest as always.
VE7SCC	Hi. The time and frequency on the first two contacts may not be correct, as they were copied from paper before we figured out how to set up N1MM+. So please don't penalize the other station if they don't coincide. Cheers.
VO2RAC	Remote Operation (VE3FU/VO2AC)Celebrating Canada's 150th BirthdaySee: http://wp.rac.ca/rac150/
W0HJW	Having my beam stuck facing west didn't help!!!
W0OR	Wonderful conditions here in MN, but where were the hams in Fresno and Kern Counties?

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W0YJT	I will happy when we get more bands back 73 John We did get to work some on 15 meters 10 meters never was open here was surprised some of the counties I did not find like SF well 73 John
W1END	Rig was FTdx5000 and Butternut vertical.Better than expected conditions.
W1QK	Thank you for sponsoring the contest. It's always fun to chase the mobile stations around the CA counties. 73 - W1QK
W1UE	Another fine running of the CQP. Finished the sweep at 0250 when K6ME gave me LASS. Conditions didn't seem to be as good as in past years, but it was encouraging to see a 10M opening. It wasn't long for us, but it was still there.Hope to see everyone from HR9 in CQWW CW!Dennis W1UE
W1WEF	First CQP...had fun and good checkout of the station
W1WIU	13 th.year of having fun, meeting old friends and making new ones. Thanks to all the behinde the scenes work done by all ! Modest station with ZS6BKW wire antenna up 50', IC 756 Pro3, and AI 811H. Thanks to all the great ops for picking me up . Hope to see you next year.
W2JC	Got in very late on Sunday afternoon !
W2TB	always a great QSO party. Great participation.
W2UDT	missed Saturday. It was my wife's high school reunion! Low score but here it is.
W3HDH	Great party as usual. Missed several counties but time was split between partying and lawn mowing!
W3MMM	thanks for the party!
W4ER	Hurricane Nate limited my operating time. Thanks to all the CA ops for the Qs!73, John
W4KW	Sure would like a SSB Category ONLY.Thanks,W4KWBert
W4LID	73 de W4LID
W4LT	Not enough time this weekend with all the other things going on. Spent a few hours with you. Always a fun contest.
W4ML	Run em
W4POT	This was my first contest where I've had contacts to submit.Please note that I had 1 dup contact, same callsign, same band. N6EDI wasn't sure whether I should remove it, or leave it in the logs so the serial numbers had no gaps.Ed
W4UTX	The confirmation email that I received only shows 29 QSOs. I have resubmitted with the actual 40. Thank you.
W5DRR	Great event - looking forward to next year
W5TM	Great QSO party! Thanks!
W5TTE	Thanks to those who dug my qrp signal out of the noise.
W6AMM	Please DISREGARD the ND2T log.
W6BHZ	Great fun activating the club's callsign! See you all next year.
W6BX	40/80 really noisy here. Our first time at this site. Views were great.More casual than past efforts by the team. New experimental 80m vertdid not work out. Used inverted V instead.
W6CK	My first contest. Had fun, thank you!
W6FM	Good conditions for this point in the solar cycle. I had fun!
W6IA	W6IA is a member of West Valley ARA; 1/2 of claimed points (8,925)credited to W6IA and West Valley ARA. W7EEE is a member of the Western Washington DX Club; 1/2 of claimed points (8,925) to WWDXC.
W6JJY	This is a check log only. I didn't use an electronic log, so the qso number sequence was wrong in several places. Because of this, I was not going to send in anything. But I received an email from you encouraging me to do so. So here it is.Rob W6JJY
W6KRK	2 YLs and 3 new operators with no prior contest experience
W6L	Operated at Calpine Fire Lookout in Sierra County, California with solar power.
W6LU	Missed my goal by 2. Eh. Maybe next year.
W6MY	Loads of fun for new contesteer like me. This year OCF dipole only next year the beams will be up.

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W6OAT	Missed AK and ND mults.
W6PH	Due to many unplanned distractions on Saturday I was not going to be competitive and decided to have fun on CW. 73, Kurt
W6PHO	Three dupes called me but I didn't realize it until QSOs were over.I don't know how to correct QSO line 191.I don't mind losing these QSOs.I'm still happy with the overall result.This is the first time I have submitted a usable log, although last year you may have received one late, perhaps not in Cabrillo format.I hope you get this one and am sure you'll let me know.73 David W6PHO
W6RFU	Great to have more participation this year with 4 operators and 1 observer. We have at least one new recruit who likes to contest.
W6ROX	Great Contest. Thanks for everyone's hard work to make it happen
W6SDO	This is the updated log from my Mobile operation. Thank you for the valuable feedback on my initial log. Enjoyed the contest very much. Thanks!
W6SFM	Thanks for another good contest Thank you for a great contest
W6SR	This weekend I hosted Ric Morton, WO4O (from FLA) . Conditions were just good enough (or bad enough) to give us non-SO2R guys a chance turn-in a decent score.Ric ran 23.7 hours and probably got the best score this modest station is capable of producing in CQP.
W6TCP	Missed out on NT for a sweep. Exceeded my expectations by a huge margin!Conditions were far better than expected and we had a good stack of EuropeansSunday Morning. We also managed to do fairly well on 10!Thank you to all the KB'ers for the points! And to the CQP team for anothergreat party!Thanks to Denny KX7M, Stan K6WG and Oliver W6NV who was also kind enough to letme loose at his station!
W6US/7	Good activity on 40m on Saturday night, but the 40 and 80 were virtually empty on Sunday morning...everybody was on 20 shooting over Nevada...
W6UW	Erroneously sent QSO #23 to W1UE (actual QSO #22), corrected log by sending #22to N8II (actual #23).
W6W	Conditions OK, had a great time Thanks for a nice contest. My group really enjoyed it.
W7GFW	Hope I calculated the score right. Contesting is so much fun, thanks for putting it on.
W7GKF	As usual, a great contest, but Sunday was a real drag without the high bands. Most of all I missed a concerted mobile operation, like many of the other QP's have, e.g. MNQP. K6AQP/m was there, but he covered only a few counties, and sat a long time in each county.
W7WHY	The CQP is one of my favorites. Just wish I didn't live so close. Hard to work CA on the high bands.Thanks for the Q's and 73Tom W7WHYTS-450SAT + AL811H ~500 wattsFT-840 ~ 100 watts160 meter 'L'80 meter dipole40 meter delta loop20 meter HB 2-el monobander
W8ASA	Nice condx on 15 and 20. Nothing on 10, a little on 40.
W8TM	Why doesn't the Club selection determine the Category???
W8WOM	It was a fun contest from home this time hard to work ca. on 20 so I just stayed on 40 and 80. See u all next year.
W9EO	this was a ton of fun! thanks for the contest!
W9JWC	The club had a great time getting contacts in California, as well as getting to teach new members how to contest.
WA1FCN	Sure nice to find the same bunch of guysyear after year. This was my 37 th CQPstarting with CQP #1 !Thank you K6AQL again ! California was justbooming in Sat. night on 40 meters.73 BoB WA1FCN
WA1SAY	Thanks for QSO party, had a good time.
WA5LOU	Had lots of fun. GREAT QSO Party. But, I do not understand the error. It says 13. Incorrect CATEGORY-TIME. What is it? Why is it incorrect? Do I need to fix it? If so....how?
WA5LSV	Great time working QRP running KX3 at 5 watts into a wire verticle
WA5SOG	Limited in operating time, but as always, lots of fun.
WA6ECH	First time. Had fun. Need to improve antennas and technique!CW mode too fast for this old brain. Practice, practice, practice.

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WA6KHK	I bowled a 278 game the day before the CQP so I kinda' lost focus during this contest. Towards the end of the contest I got a text from my real estate agent telling me I got a great offer on my investment property. Then I really lost focus. Oh well, we still had fun. Phone on 15 and 20 never really opened up like I thought it would. I worked the east coast on 10 CW to my surprise. Heard a lot of big numbers from out of state stations. Good job guys! See you next month in the sweeps! I bowled a 278 game the day before the CQP so I kinda' lost focus during this contest. Towards the end of the contest I got a text from my real estate agent telling me I got a great offer on my investment property. Then I really lost focus. Oh well, we still had fun. Phone on 15 and 20 never really opened up like I thought it would. I worked the east coast on 10 CW to my surprise. Heard a lot of big numbers from out of state stations. Good job guys! See you next month in the sweeps!
WA6OSX	thanks
WA6PWP	I like to contest but never send in logs.Thanks for asking
WA6URY	Operated remote from Tokyo, Japan Operated remote from Tokyo, Japan
WA7NWL	CAQP is always a good contest and great time; even with basic antennas. Many thanks to the operators who pulled my signal out of the noise.
WA7PRC	W6TA not claimed, due to his sarcastic comment... again. W6TA not claimed, due to his sarcastic comment... again.
WA7YXY	My thanks to all those that organized and hosted this great event. Thank you for organizing and hosting this great event.
WB0MMA	PAPER LOG RECEIVED ON 26-OCTOBER. TRANSCRIBED BY K6MM AND UPLOADED 26-OCTOBER AT 2300 UTC. PAPER LOG RECEIVED ON 26-OCTOBER. TRANSCRIBED BY K6MM AND UPLOADED 26-OCTOBER AT 2300 UTC. PERMISSION GIVEN FOR LATE LOG BY K6MM.
WB6CZG	Since I was QRP, operation was search and pounce.I was surprised to work most everything I could hear, with some work ofcourse.My rig KX3 at 5 watts, PX3 panadapter (which helped finding stations)80 and 40 meter dipole at 70 feet, fed with 450 ohm ladder lineOfcourse it helps to be at 6400 feet elevation HI HI. Since I was QRP, operation was search and pounce.I was surprised to work most everything I could hear, with some work ofcourse.My rig KX3 at 5 watts, PX3 panadapter (which helped finding stations)80 and 40 meter dipole at 70 feet, fed with 450 ohm ladder lineOfcourse it helps to be at 6400 feet elevation HI HI.
WB9UGX	A very fun event! Hope all CA Ops are OK with the fire situation.You are in our prayers! 73.
WC7S	Had a scant 6 hours.. so played as hard as I could. Bands seemed to be in good shape, confirmed with K6CSL - Bert loud and clear. Sunday morning, a couple of comments about how loud I was, with wire antennas. 80 was a disappointment, so was my sleep pattern. Homecoming game Friday nite, and dance on Saturday, tends to spoil BIS (butt in saddle) time. (this is from a Wyoming station).... Very few calls not answered on the first call. Great contest to do S&P most all the time. Never did open runs for more than just a minute or two. Too short in time to catch the whole crowd.. but will sure try again next year.thanks to all.
WE6Z	What a lot of fun. Conditions were better than I expected.
WN6K	Great Contest and will see everyone at the Dinner in Visalia
WO9B	Hi CQP!!Thanks once again. I really enjoyed the party this year. 15 meters was wonderful. Activity from CA stations was great. I kept looking for a 10 meter opening, but alas it was not to be. Thanks. Great Fun!
WU6X	Portable in Siskiyou County, KX3/KXPA 70w KX3/KXPA @ 70w to Inverted V and EFLW
WW6D	I didn't know which category to select so picked the "Small (best 10 logs)"... Thanks for all you guys do to make this contest a success. 73, Doug WW6D
WX0Z	I'm a YL Operator, so please enter me in that category.