



2019 FIELD DAY PLANNING MEETING

JUNE 6TH, 2019



Topics for Tonight

- Plan walkthrough including equipment gaps
- Scheduling of Final Station Test
- Plans for June 11th Tech Night – Field Day Skill Builder
- Team Lead Updates/Issues
- Open Items
- Next Meeting

Field Day 2019 Site Layout

Hudson Memorial School



2019 Field Day Team Leads

<u>Member</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>Leading</u>
Craig Bailey	N1SFT	Field Day Planning Team
Charlie Dunn	W1CBD	
Dave Merchant	K1DLM	
Fred Kemmerer	AB1OC	
Jerry Doty	K1OKD	
Scott Andersen	NE1RD	
Scott Andersen	NE1RD	Station Master (SSB)
Jon Turner	AC1EV	Station Master (CW)
Dave Merchant	K1DLM	Station Master (Digital/GOTA)
Fred Kemmerer	AB1OC	Station Master (160m)
Fred Kemmerer	AB1OC	Station Master (VHF+ & Satellite)
Craig Bailey	N1SFT	Tower/Beam Chairperson
Jamey Finchum	AC1DC	Wire Antenna Chairperson
Dave Merchant	K1DLM	Network Chairperson
Dave Merchant	K1DLM	Power Chairperson
Abby & Connor Finchum, Jerry Doty	AB1BY, KC1GGX, K1OKD	Tent Chairpersons
Anita Kemmerer	AB1QB	Scoring Chairperson
Jerry Doty	K1OKD	Food Chairperson
Anita Kemmerer	AB1QB	Youth Outreach/Public Info. Chairperson
Craig Bailey	N1SFT	Transportation Team Chairperson
Sterling Eanes	AK1K	Emergency Messaging Bonus Chairperson
Joe Kagenski	AC1BG	Safety Officer
John Halbert	W1SMN	PR Chairperson
Charlie Dunn	W1CBD	Media and Video Chairpersons
Desmond Johnson? (Fred)	WK1V	
Anthony Rizzolo	KC1DXL	On-Site Signage Chairperson
Anita Kemmerer	AB1QB	Social Media PR Chairperson
Fred Kemmerer & Jamey Finchum,	AB1OC & AC1DC	Technical Training Chairpersons
Abby Finchum	AB1BY	RDF Chairperson

Overall Schedule & Logistics



- Tue, June 11th @ 7 pm – Field Day Tech Night
- Thu, June 20th
 - Meet at BoB **by 4pm** to load and transport antennas, towers, boxes, etc.
 - 8 pm – dark: Unload and layout gear onsite
- Fri, June 21st - BBQ Lunch and Dinner on-site
 - 8 am: Meet at AB1OC/K1DLM to load and transport remaining gear
 - Setup: SSB, Digital, CW, and VHF+ Towers; 160m Antennas, Satellite Antennas
 - Setup Tents, Furnishings, Grounds, Network, & Generators
 - Setup and Test Stations
- Sat, June 22nd – Sun, June 23rd
 - NARS Breakfast on-site at 9 am
 - Training begins at 11 am on Saturday
 - Message Handling at 4 pm on Saturday
 - Field Day Operations 2 pm – 2 pm
 - Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner on site – signup with Jerry
- Take Down and Store (BoB, AB1OC, K1DLM) – Sun, June 23rd
- Vehicles for 2019
 - Craig, N1SFT – Full Size w/trailer
 - Fred, AB1OC – Short Bed
 - Charlie, AB1ZN – Full Size

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!
Planning meetings at the
Library Thursdays @ 6 pm

Scoring Plans

- Elected Government Official Visit – *Invite Jim B., Dan the net man, Rob? – Anita, Craig*
- Agency Representative Visit – *Joe*
- GOTA Coach(es) – Jon, Sterling, Jerry,
- GOTA Bonus Strategy - Anita, AB1QB & GOTA coaches
- Field Day Youth Participation – Anita with help from Dan
- Media Publicity – John, W1SMN (Get WMUR CH 9 Again)?
- Social Media - Anita, AB1QB
- Staffing Public Info Tent – *TBD*
- Messaging Bonus – Sterling, AK1K
- W1AW Bulletin – Anita, AB1QB
- Solar Bonus – Fred, AB1OC
- Education Bonus – Fred and Jamey
- Safety Officer – Joe, AC1BG & Tony, KC1DXL

Station Test #2 This Weekend

- *Station Test #2 at AB1OC – Saturday June 8th; Alternate Sunday, June 9th*
- **Goal – Setup and test one of each station type**
 - ✓ SSB (Scott) – 80m, 15m, 10m station
 - ✓ SSB (Scott) – 20m and 40m stations
 - ✓ CW (Jon) – 80m, 15m, 10m station
 - CW (Jon) – 20m and 40m stations
 - Digital SDR (Dave) – all 3 stations - partial
 - GOTA Station (Dave) [Need SDR Rack, filters, PC]
 - ✓ Satellite station (Fred)
 - 160m Station (Fred) – all modes
 - Weak Signal VHF/UHF station (Fred) – all modes
 - ✓ Public Info Tent Scoreboard Computer (TBD)
- ***Need to bring***
 - Radios, computers (with mouse, EN interface, monitor cable, radio CAT cable), WinKeyers, Keys, Monitors, Dummy Load, Antenna Switches, Headphones/Headsets ...
 - AB1OC will provide EN switches and Internet access
 - Will have latest N1MM+, WSJT-X, and other SW on a USB stick



Issues and Open Items

1. Review sign-up sheet – **All**
2. Plans for June 11th Tech Night – All
 - Update your slides and return to AB1QB by Sunday noon
 - [Modify you slides and return those you change by Sunday noon](#)
3. Tower Kits/Update Inventory – **Hamilton, K1HMS & Mike, K1WVO**
4. Repair and Check Trapped Beam – **Craig, N1SFT & Mike, K1WVO**
5. Move Gear at AB1OC to BoB – **Craig, N1SFT & Charlie, W1CBD - Friday**
6. Station Test #2 at AB1OC Saturday 6/8 10 am – **Station Masters & Network Team**
7. Tent Gear Sourcing (lights, fans, CHAIRS? – **Jerry, K1OKD**
8. Youth Outreach Plan and Promotion – **Anita, AB1QB**
9. Configure Winkeyers for Iambic A – **Fred, AB1OC, Jon, AC1EV**
10. Line up CW operators, GOTA coaches, operators in general – **All**
11. Do training decks – **Fred, AB1OC**
12. Make feedlines/jumpers for VHF+ tower – **Fred, AB1OC & Dave, K1DLM**
13. Do we have enough ethernet cable – **Dave, K1DLM**
14. Mast/rings repairs – **TBD**
15. Line up a drone and pilot - **TBD**