



Field Day 2014 After Action Report

W4UC - Five Flags Amateur Radio Association, Pensacola, Florida

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Note: Field Day Pictures included in this document are from Skip Bollens (N4XXO) and Joe McLemore (KF4DVF)

Summary

Acknowledgements

Special thanks go to everyone that helped with this event including:

- Escambia County Sheriff's Office for the use of the parking lot of the Warrington Substation on Navy Blvd.
- Rick and Kathy Dewey; and Escambia Search and Rescue for providing Motor Homes to set up our HF stations inside.
- Escambia County Public Information Office for sending out the announcement about the event.
- Thanks to everyone that brought their HF radios and antennas for the event.

Participates and Guests

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Total Attendees	38	39	32
Total Guests	19	18	11
Guests without an Amateur Radio call sign	14	11	8
Five Flags Amateur Radio Association members	20	19	
ARES members	15	12	

Contacts summary

	Band	CW (Morse Code)	Digital (PSK31 and RTTY)	SSB (voice)	Totals
	40m			50	50
	20m	16	11	22	49
	15m	4		36	40
	10m			6	6
	Total	20	11	114	145

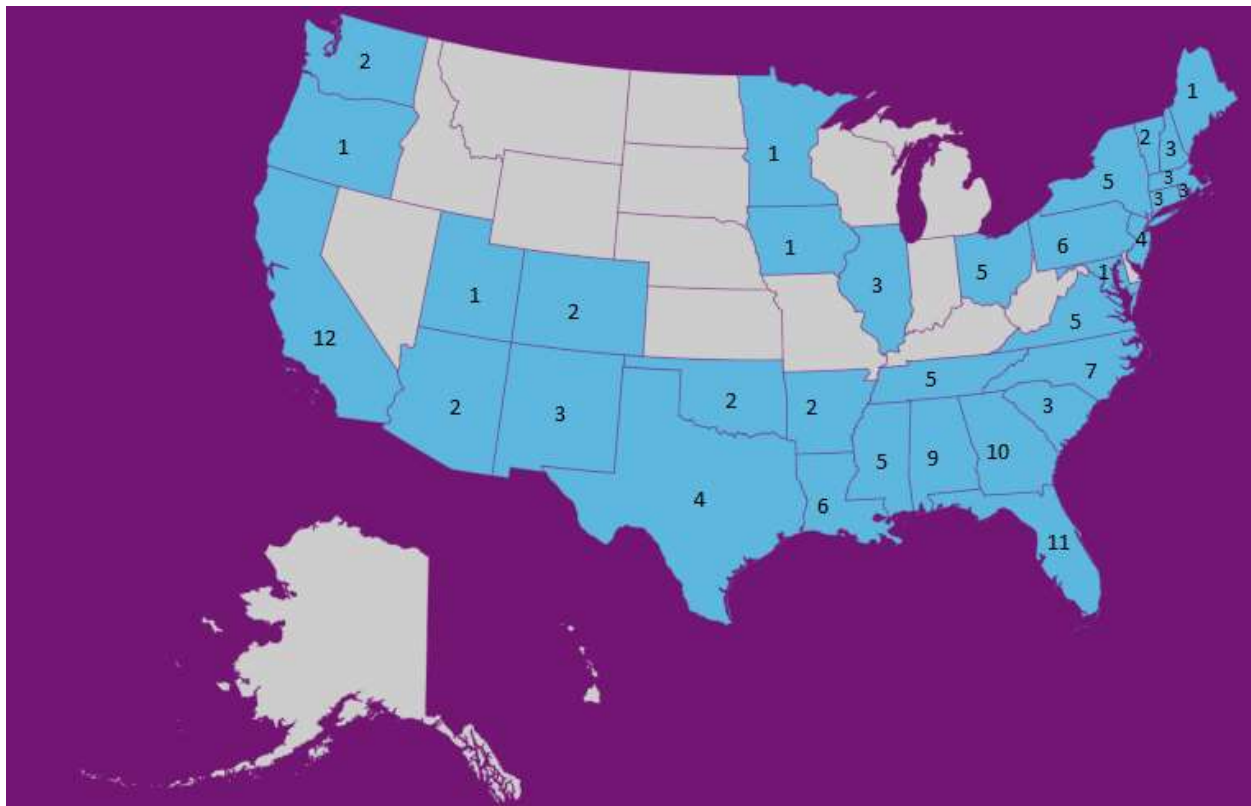
7 duplicate contacts found in log. Not counted in totals.

Compare to previous years

	Year	Score	Category	Contacts	Participants	Location
	2014	1,302	4A	145	38	Warrington
	2013	1,036	4A	93	39	Ensley
	2012	1,526	6F	150	32	EOC
	2007	1,578	7A	154	40	Blue Angels Rec Area
	2002	1,716	7A	490	15	Unsure, maybe UWF?

Map

Here is a map of the United States, with the 33 states contacted during Field Day highlighted, with the number of contacts in each state. There was also 1 contact in Canada (Ontario), 1 contact in Mexico, 4 contacts in Puerto Rico, and 2 contacts in US Virgin Islands.



map created by: http://www.ammap.com/visited_states

ARRL Field Day Entry Form

Call Used: **W4UC** GOTA Station Call: **(none)** ARRL/RAC Section: **NFL** Class: **4A**

Participants: **38** Club/Group Name: **Five Flags Amateur Radio Association**

Power Source(s): **Generator**

Power Multiplier: **2X**

Bonus Points:

Description	Points
100% Emergency power	400
Media Publicity	100
Set-up in Public Place	100
Information Booth	100
W1AW Field Day Message	100
Site Visit by invited served agency official	100
Submitted via the Web	50
Total Bonus Points	950

Score Summary:

	CW	Digital	Phone	Total	
Total QSOs	20	11	114	145	
Total Points	40	22	114	176	Claimed Score = 352

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Comments: (blank)

Band/Mode QSO Breakdown:

	CW		Digital		Phone	
	QSO	Power	QSO	Power	QSO	Power
160m						
80m						
40m					50	100
20m	16	100	11	100	22	100
15m	4	100			36	100
10m					6	100
6m						
2m						
1.25						
Other						
Satellite						
GOTA						
Totals	20	CW	11	Digital	114	Phone

Bonus Points

This documentation is a list of 950 bonus points claimed with documentation and a list of stations worked for Field Day 2014 by the Five Flags Amateur Radio Association in Pensacola, Florida.

Emergency Power – 400 points

1. Two HF stations was set up in Escambia Search and Rescue Emergency Command Center.
2. Two HF stations was set up in the Dewey's Motor Home.
3. Both RV's has their own built in generator that was run during Field Day to provide all electrical power needed for everything inside the RV.



Media Publicity – 100 points

1. Multiple press releases were sent out
 - a. A press release was sent to a local radio station when they inquired about Field Day.
 - b. A Press release regarding Field Day sent to Escambia County PIO. It was then released by PIO on the county web site, and sent to the General Alert e-mail list.
 - c. A joint press release listing three Field Day sites (for three groups) in Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties was released by one of the other groups.
2. Results of the press releases.
 - a. My Escambia – official county website
 - i. Web site: <https://www.co.escambia.fl.us/community/news/emergency-communication-field-day>



- ii.
- iii. Links to this article was also listed on the county web site under BeReady Escambia and Emergency Management web pages with the following text



- b. Pensacola News Journal (local newspaper) – they sent two people that took pictures and talked to some of the amateurs during the Field Day. A front page article was published on July 7. There was two pictures on the printed newspaper article; 9 pictures and 1 video in the article on the web site. <http://www.pnj.com/story/news/2014/07/06/ham-radio-field-day/12274927/>



- c.
- d. WEAR Channel 3
 - i. web site - http://events.weartv.com/Amateur_Radio_Field_Day/289214658.html



- ii.
- e. World News network
 - i. Web site:

http://article.wn.com/view/2014/06/27/Amateur_Radio_Operators_Field_Day_Event_This_Weekend_Escambia#/%20%20%20%20%20linked%20to:%20%20http://www.noodls.com/view/F837DF01628B1B78962FCDF11D6FD3F99B2AFF8D



- ii.
- f. Noodls.com

- i. Web site:

<http://www.noodls.com/view/F837DF01628B1B78962FCDF11D6FD3F99B2AFF8D?831xxx1403826145>



ii.

Set-up in Public Place (100 points)

1. Field Day location this year was the parking lot of the Sherriff's Warrington Sub-Station on Navy Blvd, next to the Warrington Fire Dept. This location is on a major road in Escambia County within a short distance to the main gate of Naval Air Station Pensacola.
2. Sign for Field Day was also set up. One guest (ham) stopped by, when he saw the sign.
3. See page out of Guest and Participant Log, where several guests signed the log.



Public Information Table (100 points)

1. Public Information Table was set up by the corner of the building, near the parking lot. Attendees would past the Public Information Table on the way to the RV's where the HF radio station was located.
2. Various amateurs staffed the information table, answering questions and taking to guests.
3. There was a Guest and Participant Log (see photo above), and Handouts.
 - a. Ham Radio ... Getting the message through for your family and community.
 - b. Wireless Excitement with Amateur Radio
 - c. Youth Brochure – 25 Things that you can do with Ham Radio
 - d. What is Field Day
 - e. Escambia County ARES
4. There was also a display board (see picture below) with information, facts, QSL cards, and pictures.



W1AW Field Day Message (100 points)

1. Message copied on CW on Saturday night at 1900 local time on 7.047.50 MHz
2. Here is what was copied:

QST
 QST DE W1AW W1AW W1AW SPCL CW11 FOLLOWS SPCL CW11 FOLLOAES QST DE W1AW HR SPCL CW11 FROM ARRL HQ NEWINGTON CT
 JUNE 27, 2014 TO ALL RADIO AMATEURS <BT> ON MAY 18, 1914 IN HARTFORD CT THE
 AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE CAME INTO EXISTENCE FROM AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN HIRAM PERCY MAXIM, 1WH AND CLARENCE
 TUSLER, AMATEUR RADIO IS ALIVE AND WELL AS IT CELEBRATES ITS SECOND
 CENTURY. <AS> QST DE W1AW <BT> ARRL FIELD DAY IS THE HISTORY OF OUR HOBBY IN A MICROCOSM. JUST AS YOU HAVE DONE FOR
 DECADES, THOUSANDS OF OPERATORS WILL EXPERIMENT WITH ANTENNAS,
 TEST THEIR CAPABILITIES AWAY FROM THEIR COZY QTHS, AND LIGHT UP THE ETHER WITH MODES FROM CW TO PHONE TO NEW DIGITAL
 ADVANCES. <BT> 1,254,932 CONTACTS WERE LOGGED DURING FD2014 FROM
 2548 STATIONS AND 36,458 PARTICIPANTS. SOME WERE SEASONED OPERATORS WHILE OTHERS WERE NEWBYTES. SOME EXPERIENCED
 FD FOR THE FIRST TIME WHILE OTHERS CANNOT RECALL HOW MANY TIMES THEY
 HAVE ANSWERED THE CALL OF THIS EXTRAORDINARY EVENT. <AS> QST DE W1AW <BT> WHEREVER YOU ARE ON THE CONTINUUM FROM
 NEWBY LICENSEES TO VINTAGE OPERATOR, CONGRATULATIONS ON HELPING CELEBRATE
 THE CENTENNIAL OF THE FOUNDING OF THE ARRL. THANK YOU FOR BRINGING YOUR TALENTS AND INTERESTS TO THIS
 WONDERFUL HOBBY. PEOPLE PROPULSION AMATEUR RADIO INTO THE 21ST CENTURY AND BEYOND.
 <BT> THANKS AND 73 <AR> E GL DE W1AEA ER BL*GL EEE E T E E

Site visit by a representative of a served agency (100 points)

1. John Dosh, Escambia County Emergency Manager attended the event.
2. A member of Fire Rescue and members from Escambia Search and Rescue also attended the event
3. An e-mail invitation was sent to John Dosh, asking him to forward to his staff and other EOC agencies.
4. He signed the guest log (second name on the picture of the guest log above).

Submitted using the b4h.net applet (50 points)

1. Summary sheet submitted on July 20, 2014 at 15:50 CDT

List of Stations Contacted (sorted by band, mode, callsign, date/time)

No.	Band	Mode	Date and Time	Callsign	Exchange	duplicate
2	10	SSB	6/29/14 15:26 UTC	K4D	4A SFL	
6	10	SSB	6/29/14 17:59 UTC	K4XY	1D GA	
3	10	SSB	6/29/14 15:29 UTC	N4BRF	3A SFL	
4	10	SSB	6/29/14 15:33 UTC	N4J	3A SFL	
1	10	SSB	6/28/14 18:03 UTC	N8BC	7A OH	
5	10	SSB	6/29/14 17:18 UTC	W4LIF	7D WPA	
2	15	CW	6/29/14 00:17 UTC	N6SD	2A SDG	
3	15	CW	6/29/14 00:36 UTC	N7QT	1B EWA	
4	15	CW	6/29/14 00:42 UTC	W6NWG	4A SDG	
1	15	CW	6/29/14 00:15 UTC	W6YX	2A SCV	
23	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:09 UTC	K1BKE	4A NH	
27	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:39 UTC	K2AA	6A SNJ	
6	15	SSB	6/28/14 19:51 UTC	K2NJ	3F NNJ	
29	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:58 UTC	K4BFT	4A AL	
28	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:53 UTC	K4LRG	5A VA	
7	15	SSB	6/28/14 19:54 UTC	K7RL	2E WWA	
2	15	SSB	6/28/14 18:23 UTC	KC4ERT	4A NFL	
1	15	SSB	6/28/14 18:21 UTC	KD8WJL	3A OH	
15	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:28 UTC	KH6LC	1D PAC	
11	15	SSB	6/28/14 21:38 UTC	KP2AD	1B VI	
4	15	SSB	6/28/14 19:31 UTC	KP3RE	2A PR	
19	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:53 UTC	KP4ES	2A PR	
10	15	SSB	6/28/14 20:42 UTC	KP4FD	2F PR	
14	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:23 UTC	KY7M	1E AZ	
18	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:38 UTC	KY7M	1E AZ	dup
39	15	SSB	6/29/14 17:29 UTC	N1FV	3A CT	
31	15	SSB	6/29/14 14:15 UTC	N3NZ	5A EPA	
36	15	SSB	6/29/14 15:50 UTC	N4BP	1D SFL	
37	15	SSB	6/29/14 16:06 UTC	N5M	2E STX	
35	15	SSB	6/29/14 15:04 UTC	N6VV	2A EB	
5	15	SSB	6/28/14 19:48 UTC	NK7U	2E OR	
26	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:31 UTC	W0AK	4A IA	
24	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:17 UTC	W1AW/9	9E IL	
25	15	SSB	6/29/14 13:19 UTC	W2LV	5A NNJ	
3	15	SSB	6/28/14 19:15 UTC	W2XRX	3A WNY	
30	15	SSB	6/29/14 14:01 UTC	W3LIF	7D WPA	
38	15	SSB	6/29/14 17:04 UTC	W4DW	7A NC	
13	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:14 UTC	W4HA	3A LAX	
22	15	SSB	6/29/14 12:45 UTC	W4IY	9A VA	
32	15	SSB	6/29/14 14:22 UTC	W4SLC	2A SFL	
8	15	SSB	6/28/14 19:55 UTC	W6SG	2A SF	
21	15	SSB	6/29/14 02:02 UTC	W6TRW	7A LAX	

12	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:05 UTC	W6YX	10F	SCV	
34	15	SSB	6/29/14 14:39 UTC	W6YX	10F	SCV	dup
17	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:34 UTC	WA6FV	5A	ORG	
20	15	SSB	6/29/14 02:00 UTC	WB6QND	1A	LAX	
33	15	SSB	6/29/14 14:24 UTC	WC5AR	2F	AR	
16	15	SSB	6/29/14 01:30 UTC	WP4CRG	2A	PR	
9	15	SSB	6/28/14 20:19 UTC	XE3/K5FNS	1E	DX	
16	20	CW	6/29/14 12:55 UTC	AA5B	1B	NM	
7	20	CW	6/28/14 23:28 UTC	AA5P	1B	NM	
4	20	CW	6/28/14 23:13 UTC	K2QS	3A	ENY	
6	20	CW	6/28/14 23:25 UTC	K3YTL	3A	EPA	
5	20	CW	6/28/14 23:21 UTC	K4UM	3A	UT	
15	20	CW	6/29/14 12:42 UTC	K8EEN	4A	OH	
3	20	CW	6/28/14 23:09 UTC	N1NW	6A	CT	
14	20	CW	6/29/14 12:37 UTC	N2SF	4A	ENY	
9	20	CW	6/28/14 23:56 UTC	N8BL	7A	OH	
2	20	CW	6/28/14 22:59 UTC	NP2VI	1A	VI	
12	20	CW	6/29/14 12:16 UTC	W0DLE	1E	CO	
11	20	CW	6/29/14 12:03 UTC	W1AW/3	28A	MDC	
10	20	CW	6/29/14 00:06 UTC	W1BBB	2A	RI	
1	20	CW	6/28/14 22:44 UTC	W1YL	2A	RI	
8	20	CW	6/28/14 23:46 UTC	W6SX	1B	SJV	
13	20	CW	6/29/14 12:29 UTC	WE7GV	2A	AZ	
5	20	RTTY	6/29/14 13:31 UTC	AF0S	3A	CO	
6	20	RTTY	6/29/14 13:40 UTC	K4RFT	3A	TN	
8	20	RTTY	6/29/14 13:18 UTC	K5FD	2A	WTX	
9	20	RTTY	6/29/14 16:09 UTC	KK4HEG	1D	NC	
10	20	RTTY	6/29/14 16:27 UTC	KK5W	8A	STX	
2	20	RTTY	6/29/14 11:42 UTC	N1WW	3A	WMA	
3	20	RTTY	6/29/14 13:12 UTC	N1WW	3A	WMA	dup
11	20	RTTY	6/29/14 16:30 UTC	N5MEG	1D	LA	
12	20	RTTY	6/29/14 16:32 UTC	NF2RS	3E	WNY	
1	20	RTTY	6/29/14 04:13 UTC	W1NY	5A	WMA	
7	20	RTTY	6/29/14 13:53 UTC	W4CUL	3A	VA	
4	20	RTTY	6/29/14 13:18 UTC	W4TEB	4A	NC	
8	20	SSB	6/28/14 23:40 UTC	K1R	3A	NH	
3	20	SSB	6/28/14 21:10 UTC	K2EC	2A	NIL	
18	20	SSB	6/29/14 02:43 UTC	K2GG	3A	NNJ	
16	20	SSB	6/29/14 01:47 UTC	K4LRG	5A	VA	
1	20	SSB	6/28/14 18:00 UTC	K5TYR	3A	NTX	
2	20	SSB	6/28/14 18:20 UTC	K5TYR	3A	NTX	dup
12	20	SSB	6/29/14 01:18 UTC	K8CY	3A	OH	
19	20	SSB	6/29/14 03:02 UTC	N1MHG	1E	ME	
9	20	SSB	6/29/14 00:45 UTC	NW3H	1B	EPA	

7	20	SSB	6/28/14 23:30 UTC	VE3XN	1D	ONS	
10	20	SSB	6/29/14 00:50 UTC	WOMR	2A	MN	
20	20	SSB	6/29/14 03:18 UTC	W1EE	3A	CT	
23	20	SSB	6/29/14 03:59 UTC	W1LY	2A	RI	
22	20	SSB	6/29/14 03:49 UTC	W1NVT	2A	VT	
17	20	SSB	6/29/14 02:33 UTC	W1NY	5A	WMA	
15	20	SSB	6/29/14 01:43 UTC	W3ZGD	3A	EPA	
13	20	SSB	6/29/14 01:30 UTC	W4IY	9A	VA	
14	20	SSB	6/29/14 01:36 UTC	W5CS	3A	OK	
21	20	SSB	6/29/14 03:40 UTC	W6YX	10F	SCV	
5	20	SSB	6/28/14 21:32 UTC	WA1ENO	1E	EMA	
4	20	SSB	6/28/14 21:28 UTC	WA1VKO	1E	NH	
11	20	SSB	6/29/14 01:08 UTC	WA7NB	1A	VT	
6	20	SSB	6/28/14 21:37 UTC	WY5T	2D	NM	
15	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	AF4I	3A	AL	
24	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:06 UTC	K4BFT	4A	AL	
33	40	SSB	6/29/14 00:14 UTC	K4GG	3A	WCF	
27	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:25 UTC	K4JJ	3A	GA	
34	40	SSB	6/29/14 00:43 UTC	K4JJ	3A	GA	dup
42	40	SSB	6/29/14 13:04 UTC	K4NAB	4A	SC	
49	40	SSB	6/29/14 14:59 UTC	K4NGS	1E	GA	
36	40	SSB	6/29/14 00:53 UTC	K4NRC	4A	GA	
25	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:06 UTC	K4RAM	3A	AL	
46	40	SSB	6/29/14 14:43 UTC	K4SV	2A	SC	
6	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	K4UIE/4	1D	AL	
44	40	SSB	6/29/14 14:29 UTC	K5CM	2A	OK	
43	40	SSB	6/29/14 13:24 UTC	K5PXP	3A	AR	
51	40	SSB	6/29/14 15:02 UTC	K5XB	1E	AL	
12	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	KC4GMN	2A	AL	
17	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	KK4GQ	3A	GA	
37	40	SSB	6/29/14 01:00 UTC	KL4PJJ	2F	TN	
47	40	SSB	6/29/14 14:48 UTC	KM4C	3A	NC	
14	40	SSB	6/28/14 13:13 UTC	N4EH	4A	NFL	
4	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	N4LMI	1A	NFL	
21	40	SSB	6/28/14 22:26 UTC	N4N	4		
29	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:34 UTC	N4R	2A	SC	
16	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	N4SVC	5E	NFL	
5	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	N5DU	2A	MS	
18	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	N5I	2F	LA	
35	40	SSB	6/29/14 00:48 UTC	N5NN	7A	MS	
11	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	N5WJ	2B	LA	
52	40	SSB	6/29/14 16:52 UTC	N9CVB	1D	GA	
9	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	NA5NN	7A	MS	
50	40	SSB	6/29/14 15:02 UTC	NC4UC	2A	NC	

38	40	SSB	6/29/14 01:05 UTC	W1AW	9E	IL	
19	40	SSB	6/28/14 22:18 UTC	W4AM	4A	TN	
48	40	SSB	6/29/14 14:52 UTC	W4C	3A	TN	
45	40	SSB	6/29/14 14:35 UTC	W4CRA	2A	NFL	
31	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:45 UTC	W4CUE	3A	AL	
23	40	SSB	6/28/14 22:54 UTC	W4DLB	4A	TN	
39	40	SSB	6/29/14 01:10 UTC	W4FD	2A	NC	
7	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	W4GR	8A	GA	
20	40	SSB	6/28/14 22:23 UTC	W4NT	2A	NC	
1	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	W5AMC	2A	LA	
22	40	SSB	6/28/14 22:46 UTC	W5BMC	2F	LA	
13	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	W5DDL	2A	LA	
26	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:17 UTC	W5DDL	2A	LA	dup
32	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:47 UTC	W5WC	1A	MS	
10	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	WA4RC	3A	GA	
41	40	SSB	6/29/14 13:00 UTC	WA9CJN	3A	IL	
28	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:31 UTC	WB4ZPI	1A	AL	
2	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	WWKD ??	3F	MS	
30	40	SSB	6/28/14 23:38 UTC	WX4BCA	2A	GA	
40	40	SSB	6/29/14 01:12 UTC	WX4BCA	2A	GA	dup
3	40	SSB	6/28/2014 ????? UTC	WX4TC	3A	GA	