# JUNE 24-25, 2017 FIELD DAY CHECKLIST CONTRIBUTIONS

#### Version 3

- NOTE 1: When you email me (Monica, KC3DAS, at kc3das@comcast.net, please include your name, call sign, and contribution or sign-up.
- NOTE 2: Please note my new email address of KC3DAS@comcast.net.

FIELD DAY SET-UP TIME--FIELD DAY START TIME--FIELD DAY END TIME: Per Dave Hardy's email to K3CAL on May 20, 2017.

Date and time period is always the fourth full weekend, beginning at 1800 UTC Saturday and ending at 2100 UTC Sunday. Field Day 2017 will be held June 24-25, 2017.3.1. Class A and B (see below) stations that do not begin setting up until 1800 UTC on Saturday may operate the entire 27-hour Field Day period. 3.2. Stations who begin setting up before 1800 UTC Saturday may work only 24 consecutive hours, commencing when on-the-air operations begin. 3.3. No Class A or B station may begin its set-up earlier than 0000UTC on the Friday (Thursday afternoon or evening local time) preceding the Field Day period. Cumulative set-up time shall not exceed a total of 24 hours.

So, following the guideline, we will go for the 24-hour period and will start setting up prior to 1800Z (1400L). I suggest we start Saturday morning around 9 a.m. Break for lunch and rest before getting on the air. We will operate from 1400L or whenever we are ready for 24 hours or until 1359L+/\_ on Sunday when we tear down and go home.

**Equipment Note:** See end of this list for all of the items being brought o Field Day from Mount Hope storage by Shawn N3AE, Jim K3UGA, and Steve N3IPN.

#### **VENUE**

Richard Terlisner, AE3DT, is lead on the location of the Broomes Island Community Center. Very nice location and the building has large rooms for set ups and staging food as well as a kitchen and bathrooms. Very large grassy field area outside and no trees next to building.

#### **LETTERS/INVITATIONS TO OFFICIALS**

Dave Hardy, KB3RAN, is lead on this. Dave has mailed all the invitations and is in charge of the public relations, i.e., contacting the media. As of the monthly CARA meeting on June 1, 2017, two public officials had responded that they have put Field Day on their calendars and may attend. No times specified.

#### **ARRL REGISTRATION**

Done by Dave, KB3RAN

# **ADVERTISING BROCHURES**

Official poster for Field Day was sent as an attachment to email by Dave Hardy on May 20, 2017. Please print at least one copy and post it in your area.

# INVERTER "QUIET" GENERATOR AND POWER DISTRIBUTION PANEL

Provided by KC3EN and KC3DAS.

#### **POWER/ELECTRICITY SOURCES**

*Includes:* Generators, Deep Cycle 12v Batteries, HF RIG/Power Supply/MIC/Spare Fuses, VHF Satellite RIG/Power Supply/MIC/Spare Fuses, Extension Cords, Power Strips, Spare Fuses

Name/Call Equipment Contribution

Tom, KB2BCG Extension cords for power (120VAC)

Ron, WA4PRR Power supply, ground rod,

Monica, KC3DAS Inverter Generator 2kW

# **GASOLINE/OTHER FUEL SOURCES [PROPRANE]**

*Includes:* Gasoline, Propane, etc.

Name/Call Equipment Contribution

Monica, KC3DAS Fuel for inverter generator

## **LIGHTING**

Includes: 115v Lights, Flashlights

Name/Call Equipment Contribution

Ron, WA4PRR Light for station position

## **RADIOS AND ACCESSORIES**

*Includes:* Radios, Tuners, and Power Supplies

Name/Call	Equipment Contribution
Tom, KB2BCG	Kenwood TS-44OS w/auto tuner and power supply
Tom, KB2BCG	Kenwood TS-48OAT w/external tuner and power supply
Dave, KB3RAN	Digital Solar Station
Ron, WA4PRR	HF Station and IC 706 MK II G
Shawn, N3AE	Electronic keyer and key paddles
Ed, KC3EN	Talk-In Station and GOTA Station
	GOTA pins for participants

## **ANTENNAE AND AUXILIARY ANTENNA EQUIPMENT**

Note: If you have questions regarding antennas, please contact Steve N3IPN (Hempling).

*Includes:* Antennae (Dipoles and Verticals [ground independent preferred]), Antenna Supports/Poles/Towers, Antenna Insulators, Antenna Analyzers, Antenna Tuners, Slingshot and Fishing Reel, Feedline (50 or 75 ohm coax w/connectors both ends) and (450 ohm ladder line), Ropes and Pulleys

Name/Call	Equipment Contribution
Tom, KB2BCG	Short sections of coax
Jim, K3UGA	VHF Vertical antenna and mast w/ 50 ft of
	coax to use for the talk-in station
Steve, N3IPN	2 tripods w/poles and the Rohn 25 tower and baseplate; 40 meter dipole; 20 meter dipole; coax, extension cords; ropes; a pulley; multipurpose ladder
Dave, KB3RAN	Coax, connectors, AC power cords

#### **MONITORING AND METERING EQUIPMENT**

Includes: SWR Meters, Volt Ohmmeter, Battery Operated Clocks

Name/Call	Equipment Contribution
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Monica, KC3DAS Battery operated clock

#### CABLES AND WIRES

*Includes:* Heavy Ground Wire, Ground Rods, Short Coax with PL259's, Adapters – Coax and Audio, Electrical/Duct Tape

Name/Call	Equipment Contribution
Tom, KB2BCG	Extension cords for power (120VAC)

Ron, WA4PRR Cables

# **COMPUTERS AND AUXILLIARY EQUIPMENT**

*Includes:* PC's and Monitors for Logging, Surge Protectors, Headphones, Speakers, Keyers, Microphones, Inverter, and CIG Plug, CW Computer Interface

Name/Call	<b>Equipment Contribution</b>	
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Ron, WA4PRR Computer w/ Software Shawn, N3AE Laptop for Logging

# DATA RECORDING EQUIPMENT

*Includes:* Software, Blank Log Pages and Duplicate Sheets, Blank Paper, Pencils and Pens, Erasers, Battery Operated Clocks, Field Day Guidance, etc.

<u>Name/Call</u>	Equipment Contribution
Monica Noell	Blank log pages and dupes, Blank paper,
	pencils/pens/erasers,Field Day Guidance, one battery-operated clock

## **TOOLS**

**Includes:** Anything and Everything from Hairpins to Industrial Augers and Earth Movers

Name/Call Equipment Contribution

Ron, WA4PRR Miscellaneous tools, etc.

#### **FURNITURE**

Includes: Tables, Chairs, Speakers, Cots, etc.

# Name/Call Equipment Contribution

Broomes Island Comm. Center has tables and chairs and a range of kitchen equipment. Bathrooms do not have showers. You personally should bring whatever furniture, bedding, personal cleaning supplies that make you comfortable.

# **FOOD AND SERVING EQUIPMENT**

**Includes:** Food, Drinks, Coolers, Ice, Cups, Plates, Utensils, Napkins, Paper Towels, Trash Bags, Grills

Name/Call	Equipment Contribution
Steve, N3IPN	Cincinnati Chile
Dave, KB3RAN	Saturday breakfast
Monica, KC3DAS	Hamburgers, hot dogs, buns, condiments, corn on the cob
	Coffee, sugar, sweeteners, creamers
	Soda, tea
Don, KR3AA	Coffee urn

## PERSONAL PROTECTION/COMFORT EQUIPMENT

*Includes:* Hats, Sun Block, Jacket/Rain Jacket, Safety Vests, Insect Repellent, Toothbrush and Toothpaste, Soap, Wet Wipes, Water Bottle(s), Flashlights, Sleeping Bags/Bedding, Tents/Plastic Tarp and Clips, Cell phone and charger, Matches, Lanterns

# Name/Call Equipment Contribution

Best case scenario is to bring your own protection and comforts from home.

# **MISCELLANEOUS**

Please include any items that are not on this list but that may be needed.

Zip ties, petroleum jelly

## **SET UP AND BREAKDOWN VOLUNTEERS**

Dave, KB3RAN; Shawn, N3AE; Steve, N3IPN; Jim, K3UGA; Monica, KC3DAS; Ed, KC3EN;

# ITEMS BROUGHT FROM MOUNT HOPE by Shawn, Steve, and Jim

Bucket of rope/pull cable Carolina Windom antenna (80-10 with tuner) Three CARA Banners Four steel poles for banners IBM desktop Three FD road signs Kenwood TS-440 Elecraft K3 & Mic K3 manual 20A Astron power supply Astron RS-50M power supply Hex beam Dell laptop Length RG-213 with PL-259's Two 100 ft lengths of RG-8X with PL-239's Flat screen monitor SX-600 power/SWR meter Digital control cable for TS-440 D104 Mic Yaesu FT-2400 2M transceiver WiFi Router & power brick LDG Z-11 Proll tuner ACE power strip Square 4 outlet box on extension cable Practice CW key with tone generator Weather radio

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