

# Results: 2024 New York QSO Party

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# Introduction

You did it! Thanks to all of you who got on the air and submitted logs, NYQP broke the 500-log barrier for just the second time in the contest's history! The first time was in 2020, at the height of the pandemic, when—of course—a lot of people were at the radio because there just wasn't much else available. We're happy that you chose to spend your October weekend with us in 2024 and we hope that it's a sign of more good things to come for October 2025 and beyond!

Of the 505 logs we received, 161 came from New York stations (down by one, or -0.6%), a record 344 came from out-of-state stations (+14.7%), and 6 from DX stations (+20%).

With the growth in log submissions in 2024, the number of QSOs completed also grew, by more than 1000 (1.5%) to more than 70,300. This is a strong total that's on par with the QSOs per log of much larger QSO parties like the Florida QSO Party (FQP), which draws twice as many logs but has about the same QSOs per log.

New York stations logged 60 different DXCC entities in NYQP 2024, indicating growing activity from outside the US and Canada.

⇒ **Note:** *In the tables, **BOLD** indicates category winners.*

# Results Podcast

For the first time, we're releasing a summary of the 2024 NYQP results as a 26-minute podcast. Please [check it out here](#). We hope you enjoy it!<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> We generated it using Google's NotebookLM. It is quite good, and a very enjoyable recap of the contest with many insights, but it's not perfect.



# Contest Stats

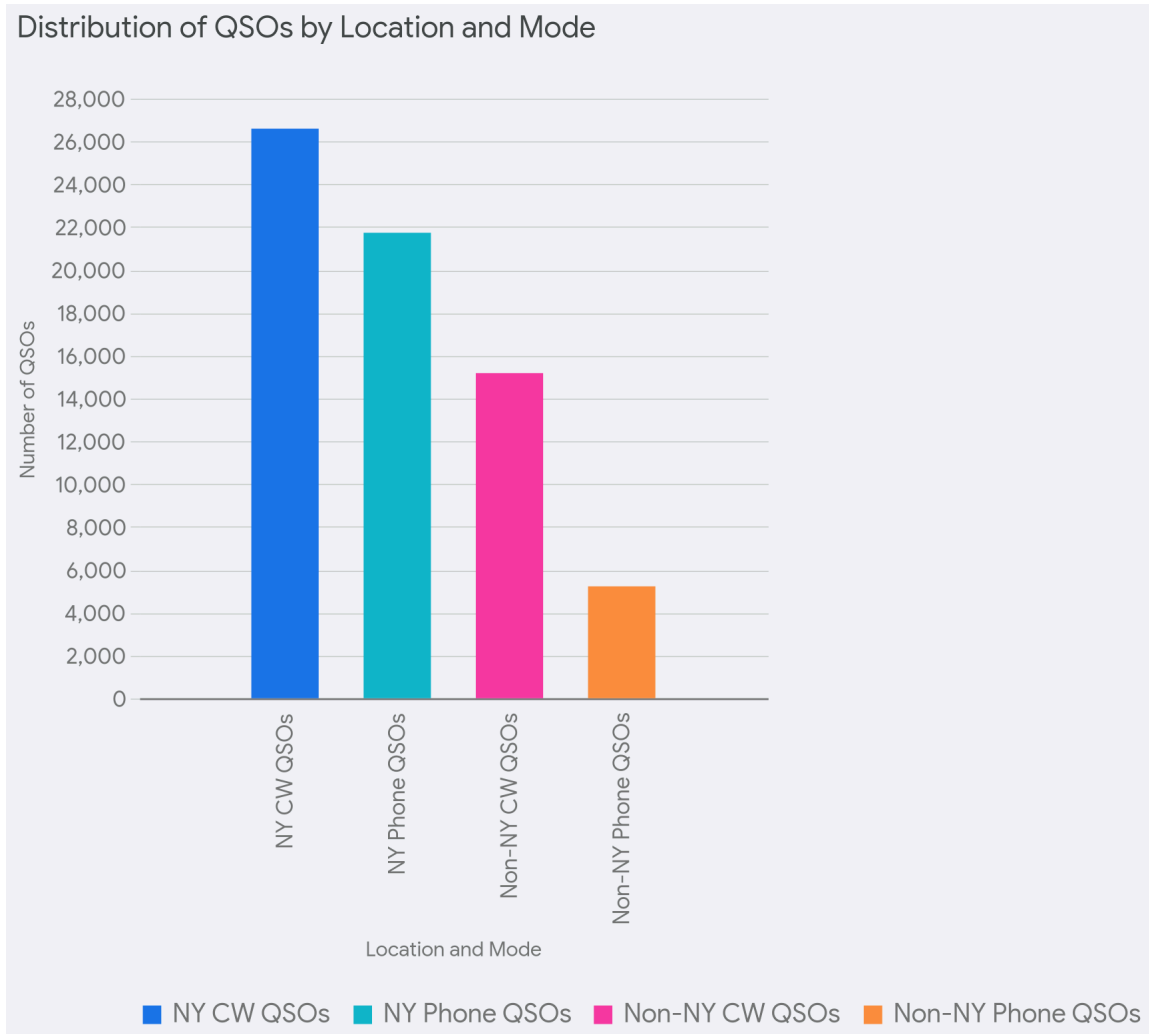
Here's a segment of the output from our log checking software with some key stats for the 2024 NYQP.

Numbers in [brackets] are relative to NYQP 2023:

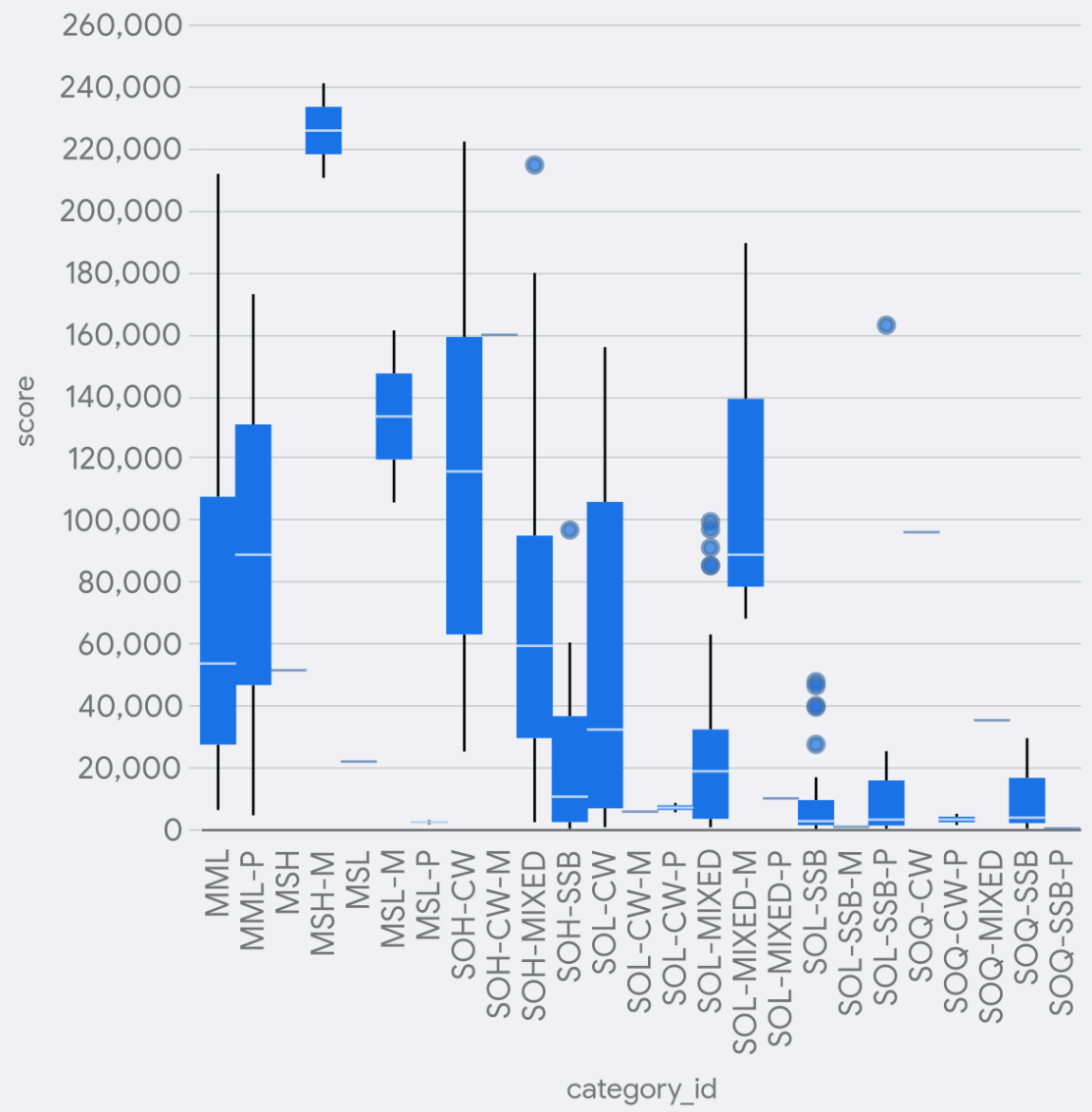
505 Logs [+38, +8.1%]  
70,328 QSOs [+1.5%]  
5,526 Different calls claimed [+5.8%]  
60 Countries [+8]  
816 ( 1.2%) dupes  
54,423 (77.4%) QSOs checked against another log  
52,826 (97.1%) QSOs checked good when checked against another log  
42 ( 0.1%) busted exchange  
639 ( 1.2%) busted calls  
916 ( 1.7%) not in log  
7,843,927 Scores Total



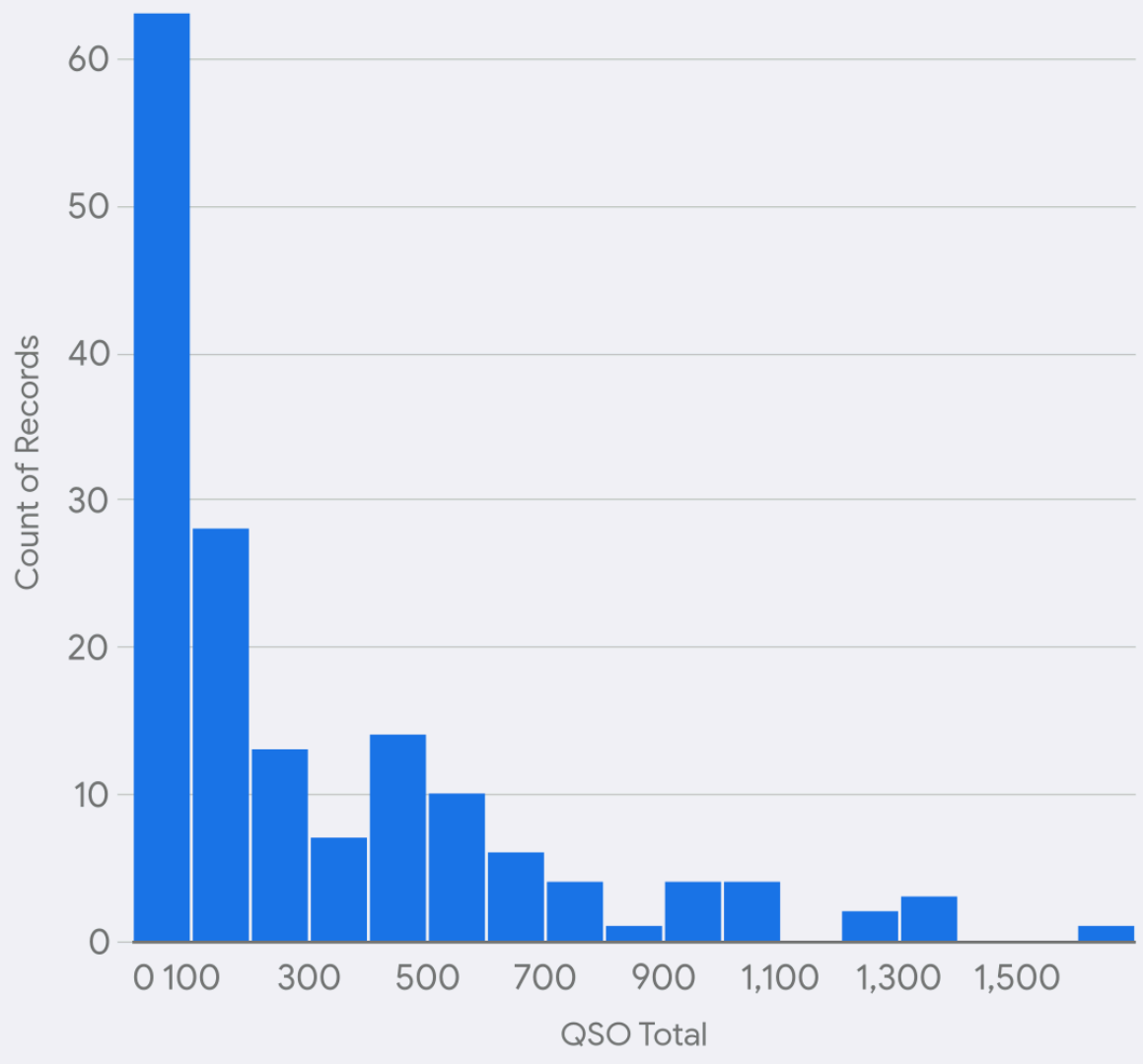
# Graphical Insights



# Box Plot of Score by Category



# Histogram of QSO Totals



Histogram of QSO totals for New York in-state logs. Records = logs submitted.



## NYQP 2024: New Records

The activity increase in 2024 enabled participants to truly raise the bar! They set a total of 17 new records, including ten in New York and seven outside New York, across a wide range of categories. Even some of the most highly competitive categories saw their old records retired, such as the out-of-state, Single Op Low Power Mixed Mode category, where K1RO easily brushed aside WA3HAE's 12-year-old record and set a new bar that's 57% higher. WN4AFP reset his own 2023 record by 32% in the out-of-state, Single Op Low Power CW category.

In New York, K2SSS smashed the old Single Op High Power CW record by 25%, and W2XL and K4HA broke their own 2022 Multiop Low-Power Portable record by 21%. The youthful crew at W2FU broke the Multi-Multi Low Power record by more than 20%! N2JJ beat the old Single Op Low Power CW Portable record by a fantastic 606%, and KI2D did a neat county line operation, making 1660 QSO and setting a *huge* new Single Op Portable Low Power SSB record by a whopping 940%. And the mobile duo of KW9A and K2UA broke the 10-year-old Mobile Multi-Single High Power Mixed record by 66%. Several other records also fell in the in-state competition.

Congratulations to *all* of our new record-holders, who are named in each area of the results! Note that there are still quite a few old records out there, and many that have never been claimed because there's never been an entry in the associated category (at least since 2009). Have a look at the records at the end of the writeup, and also available as a separate download from the Results section of the NYQP website.

## In-State Results

In 2024, 161 New York stations submitted logs, down one from 2023. Many categories remained highly competitive, including the usual low-power categories especially, but the rise in the popularity of portable categories has been remarkable as you'll see in this year's results! We also had some standout mobile results and a truly exciting multioperator, low-power entry from W2FU's station. Some good stories also unfolded—some born of adversity—because aren't they often that way?

⇒ **Note:** In the tables, **BOLD** indicates category winners.



## Single Operator

### CW

The high-power CW category received 6 entries, down from 12 in 2023. K2SSS blew away the previous record, set last year, with a solid 991-QSO effort. K2SSS logged an astounding 112 multipliers, quite a feat for a CW station—this is a number usually seen only in mixed-mode categories. K4RUM moved up a spot to finish in second this year with a solid 165k score, besting KR2AA with 137k. KR2AA, with 103 mults, was the only high-power CW station other than K2SSS to break 100 mults, though K4RUM was *this close* with 99! However, they weren't the only CW stations to make triple-digit multipliers . . . more on that in a bit.

### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Counties	State/ Provs	QTH	Club
K2SSS	221,984	991	112	58	54	MON	
K4RUM	165,924	838	99	52	47	SUF	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
KR2AA	137,814	669	103	54	49	RIC	
KE2SD	93,104	529	88	42	46	ULS	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
W2TB	52,700	310	85	41	44	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
N2WK	24,960	195	64	38	26	ORL	

The low-power CW category brought in 14 entries this year, down from 19 in 2023. Dick, K2ZR, continued his domination and broke his own record, set just last year, by 12k! His QSO count was down just slightly, but his multiplier count was up by nine to 104. This multiplier count is remarkable for a low-power CW station! Some of the big multiplier counts this year are likely attributable to the number of CW mobile stations and the number of counties they covered—more on that later. N2GA took second this year with 146k and 740 Qs, pushing last year's second-place scorer, NM2A, into third by the tiniest margin of just over 400 points! Although Mark, NM2A, made 13 more QSOs, George, N2GA, logged two more multipliers, which was enough to tip the balance his way. Fourth-place K2QB put 99 multipliers on the board this year—the multiplier bar is higher than ever in the CW categories!





## Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Counties	State/ Provs	QTH	Club
<b>K2ZR</b>	<b>155,584</b>	<b>748</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>NIA</b>	<b>NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT</b>
N2GA	146,520	740	99	48	51	SUF	ORDER OF BOILED OWLS OF NY
NM2A	146,082	753	97	48	49	OSW	
K2QB	123,552	624	99	54	45	NIA	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
W2TZ	51,792	332	78	32	46	STE	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
K3GHH/2	37,950	275	69	32	37	ESS	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
AE2T	35,376	264	67	28	39	NIA	
W2DXE	28,762	197	73	41	32	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
K2IZ	9,990	111	45	14	31	SUF	GREAT SOUTH BAY ARC
W2QL	7,760	97	40	14	26	PUT	
WB2AIV	6,232	82	38	36	2	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
WB2KWC	2,880	48	30	10	20	NAS	LONG ISLAND CW CLUB
N2LQ	1,950	39	25	22	3	ALL	
K2IRM	532	19	14	12	2	GRE	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS

In the QRP CW category, we're beginning to sound like a broken record here: Will, NQ2W, won the category, set a new record, and broke his own record, which he set last year! Will's score this year is up by 10k on the strength of another 45 QSOs. Excellent job, Will—you've even driven away the competition—and at the same time, shown everyone what's possible. Who will challenge Will for the QRP CW crown?

## QRP

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Counties	State/ Provs	QTH	Club
<b>NQ2W</b>	<b>95,804</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>WAR</b>	<b>HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS</b>

## Mixed Mode

The high-power field expanded from 12 to 17 entries this year. Brian, N2MF, once again took on all comers, once again topping 1200 QSOs and 106 mults, growing his score by 11k over last year to finish with 214k and setting a new record for the category. Peter, WW2Y, moved up a slot to second place with 1020 QSOs and a solid 112 mults for 179k on the strength of a good CW/SSB mix, pushing last year's second-place finisher WA2CP into third place with 177k. The



top five entrants in this category all delivered 105 or more multipliers, a further indication that this year's multiplier availability was the best we've seen. More mobile and portable activity appears to have helped scores in every category! W2GDJ submitted the only log in NYQP from REN.

### High Power

Call	Score	QSO	Mul	Cty	State /Prov	PH QSO	CW QSO	DG QSO	QTH	Club	Op
<b>N2MF</b>	<b>214,438</b>	<b>1211</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>812</b>	-	<b>ONO</b>	<b>NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT</b>	
WW2Y	179,536	1020	112	57	55	437	583	-	FRA		
WA2CP	177,384	1052	114	60	54	548	504	-	RIC	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	KC2GOW
AB3CX	177,876	1037	108	54	54	427	610	-	OTS	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	
N2ZN	94,710	647	105	50	55	392	255	-	MON	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN	
WB2WPM	81,282	520	93	46	47	175	336	9	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT	
KM2L	76,560	439	88	40	48	8	431	-	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT	
W3PU	73,728	469	96	50	46	170	299	-	ONO	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB	KO8SCA
WA2JQK	59,094	441	98	53	45	279	162	-	DUT	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
W2GDJ	52,992	496	92	50	42	416	80	-	REN	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
N2SQW	48,864	413	96	48	48	317	96	-	GRE	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
WU2M	47,080	451	88	48	40	367	84	-	FUL	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
NN2NN	29,309	314	79	39	40	257	57	-	NIA		
WA3AFS	27,450	279	90	45	45	253	26	-	ALB	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
WK2H	25,608	211	66	31	35	34	177	-	ESS	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
KM2O	8,220	129	60	42	18	121	8	-	ALB	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
N2NKX	2,146	57	37	31	6	56	1	-	OTS	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	



The Low Power Mixed field this year is one log smaller than 2023 at 26 entries, but still highly competitive. A new leaderboard emerged, with AA2ZW at the top, and three NFR members in the top four. AA2ZW took on all challengers and wound up on top with 581 QSOs and 87 mults for 99.1k, coming oh-so-close to the coveted 100k low-power mark. His NFR club-mate KA2MGE finished a close second at 96.7k with 522 QSOs, but a very strong 101 multipliers, on the strength of 54 New York counties. Bob, WB2AMN, in St Lawrence County turned in the largest log by QSOs in the category with 637 QSOs, well over half on SSB (with its lower points per QSO), 52 counties, and 101 total multipliers, for 90.8k and a third-place finish. He was also the only station to submit a log from St Lawrence County, the largest county in New York by land area (by a *lot*) at 2680 square miles.

#### Low Power

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State/ Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club
AA2ZW	99,180	581	87	40	47	22	559	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
KA2MGE	96,758	522	101	54	47	86	436	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
WB2AMN	90,799	637	101	52	49	375	262	STL	
KA2WIK	84,930	466	95	55	40	38	428	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
WB2SIH	85,095	549	93	52	41	183	366	WAR	
WA2QAU	62,775	478	81	48	33	181	297	GEN	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
W2DX	31,602	245	69	34	35	32	213	DUT	
K2XA	32,263	243	77	42	35	67	176	ALB	HVCDX
AC2XC	26,448	284	87	50	37	264	20	ERI	
AE1MV	21,255	236	65	28	37	145	91	CLI	
KV2X	23,424	205	64	35	29	44	161	MON	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
WB2NVR	21,384	185	66	47	19	46	139	WES	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB
N1NQD	22,160	239	80	45	35	201	38	OSW	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB
N2OA	15,939	169	69	48	21	107	62	GEN	
WB2NFL	15,470	163	70	45	25	105	58	SUF	ORDER OF BOILED OWLS OF NEW YORK
W2LB	12,815	138	55	46	9	43	95	ONT	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
KB2URI	10,123	126	53	35	18	61	65	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
AC2FA	9,460	125	43	39	4	30	95	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
AD2Z	3,645	81	45	32	13	81	0	LIV	
K2RSK	3,104	60	32	29	3	23	37	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
KD2KEH	2,340	54	36	29	7	43	11	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
WA2CHV	2,291	40	29	25	4	1	39	LIV	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
W2CJS	1,750	50	35	31	4	50	0	HAM	
NG2D	1,189	41	29	23	6	41	0	DUT	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND



									DXERS
KE2CNS	950	37	25	21	4	36	1	WES	PEEKSKILL/CORTLANDT ARA
W2CX	504	24	21	19	2	24	0	DUT	

WA2NYY, last year's second-place QRP Mixed entrant, raised his score significantly from 8k to 35k to win the category this year. His 253 CW QSOs is impressive and doubtless helped him to achieve his 66-multiplier total.

#### QRP

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State /Prov	PH QSO	CW QSO	QTH	Club
WA2NYY	35,046	278	66	36	30	25	253	DUT	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS

#### Phone

Once again in 2024, KD2EFR topped the 13-entrant high-power field, increasing his winning score by 18k in 2023 to 96k this year with 928 QSOs and a standout 104 multipliers. W2PJ came in second with 60k and last year's second-place finisher, WA2DNI, finished third with 44k.

#### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Counties	State/Provs	QTH	Club
KD2EFR	96,512	928	104	50	54	NIA	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
W2PJ	60,192	627	96	41	55	ONO	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
WA2DNI	44,840	472	95	52	43	RIC	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
W2REA	36,378	423	86	46	40	CAT	
KN6VTC	33,015	355	93	47	46	SCO	KARO ECHO
AA2GF	20,436	262	78	39	39	ERI	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
W9KXI	10,380	173	60	39	21	CHE	DAFFODIL ARC
KM2B	5,936	112	53	35	18	MON	ROCHESTER (DX) ASSN
N2YG	2,666	62	43	38	5	SUF	
W2GT	2,183	59	37	32	5	CAY	
NG2P	1,925	55	35	30	5	MON	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
KG2H	660	30	22	19	3	SAR	SARATOGA COUNTY ARA
WB2HJV	72	9	8	5	3	MON	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN



The low-power Phone category remains one of our most popular, with 46 entries. KS2G topped the field with 511 QSOs and 47k, nearly doubling his 2023 score. W2JV, his club-mate in the Order of Boiled Owls, finished second just on his heels with 46k, followed by N2BOC with 39k. AD2TM was the only station in Chenango County to submit a log.

Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Mult	Cty	State/ Provs	QTH	Club	Op
KS2G	47,523	511	93	48	45	NAS	ORDER OF BOILED OWLS OF NEW YORK	
W2JV	46,184	502	92	42	50	SUF	ORDER OF BOILED OWLS OF NEW YORK	
N2BOC	39,770	410	97	51	46	DUT		
N2MTG	39,284	427	92	49	43	DUT	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
N2FMS	27,262	317	86	50	36	LIV	KEUKA LAKE ARA	
KC2MBV	16,650	222	75	52	23	SUF		
NU2DE	12,864	192	67	47	20	FUL	FULTAN ARC	W8NUD
NQ2U	12,540	190	66	45	21	SCO	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
KC2BBI	10,584	168	63	47	16	RIC		
N2SLO	10,478	169	62	42	20	SUF		
N2PQJ	9,324	148	63	49	14	SUF		
KC2JMS	9,295	143	65	37	28	COL		
AD2TM	8,721	153	57	42	15	CGO		
KD2YXS	8,084	172	47	2	45	ERI		
KD2VSD	7,442	122	61	40	21	WAS		
KC2LTP	7,168	128	56	33	23	ULS		
KA2ENE	5,995	109	55	33	22	MON		
WA2GOT	5,618	106	53	33	20	DUT	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	
KC2WI	4,655	95	49	38	11	HAM		
N2PTF	3,864	92	42	38	4	MAD		
WA2CNV	3,807	81	47	27	20	QUE	ARC EMCOMM SRVC	
NF2L	3,159	81	39	33	6	MON		
K2OEQ	2,478	59	42	30	12	WAY		
N2OIG	2,460	60	41	26	15	SUF		
KE2CWJ	2,331	63	37	30	7	ONO		
KC2KDD	2,074	61	34	30	4	WAR		
KF2VX	1,836	51	36	31	5	ERI		
AC2VE	1,824	57	32	28	4	MON	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN	



WB2KLD	1,785	51	35	28	7	SCO	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
N2DM	1,666	49	34	29	5	ONO	
W2BCC	1,617	49	33	26	7	ORA	ORANGE COUNTY (NY) AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC.
KE2AUS	1,271	41	31	26	5	BRM	
K2QY	1,209	39	31	26	5	ALB	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
KC2YTD	1,170	39	30	26	4	LIV	KEUKA LAKE ARA
K2DJF	1,026	38	27	24	3	ONO	
KE2AIZ	480	24	20	15	5	LIV	
W2LGA	378	21	18	14	4	ONO	
KD2VRD	361	19	19	12	7	CLI	
W2MRD	324	18	18	14	4	SCH	
KC3FUN	225	15	15	14	1	FRA	
W2POL	168	14	12	9	3	FUL	EASTERN FULMONT AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WI2M	120	12	10	4	6	NAS	
KE2CAV	110	11	10	8	2	BRM	
KB2LUV	49	7	7	1	6	ONO	
N2RZZ	42	6	7	4	3	CHE	
KE2DTC	6	2	3	2	1	MON	ROCHESTER AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION

In the QRP Phone category, Rick, W1TY, *yet again* piloted his W2RTY station to a decisive win with 366 QSOs and 29k. Don, KD2CTZ, finished second for the third year in a row, this year from Cortland County. KE2AMP rounded out the category with a 10-QSO effort from Suffolk County.

#### QRP

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Counties	State/ Provs	QTH	Club
W2RTY	29,280	366	80	54	26	WAY	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
KD2CTZ	3,608	82	44	30	14	COR	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
KE2AMP	100	10	10	9	1	SUF	



## Multioperator

The outstanding team at W2FU's Monroe County QTH, including four sibling operators ranging from ages 9-15, brought home a new record in the Low Power Multi-Multi category in a four-entry field. Read more about their operation in the sidebar below this section by Andy, K0SM. From Steuben County, the N2PA group, also part of the RDXA, finished second with 72k, and the W2OW group that won the category in 2023 came in third with 34k.

### Low Power, Multi-Multi

Call	Score	Qs	Mult	Cty	State /Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	DG Qs	QTH	Club	Operators
W2FU	211,568	1313	112	55	57	737	576	0	MON	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN	KE2AIZ KE2AJA KE2AIY KE2EDK K2AXX WA2BCK W2FU
N2PA	72,496	510	92	49	43	232	278	0	STE	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN	K2MTH W3OAB N2YB N2BSS
W2OW	34,263	339	81	39	42	255	84	0	BRM	BINGHAMTON AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION	KA2YRA NN2K WM2R KE2BON KE2DUS KA1M KE2CIO KE2AUS AB2HS
W2E	6,096	99	48	15	33	85	0	14	ERI	SOUTH TOWNS AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY	KD2LHF AC2EY AA2CC KD2QLF W2IV K2CF KF2JY

In the High Power Multi-Single category, WA2MCR and NM9J returned to activate W2NYW from the Peekskill/Cortlandt ARA club station in Westchester County and won the category with a 51k score, more than twice their 2023 entry. Nice job!

### High Power, Multi-Single

Call	Score	Qs	Mult	Cty	State/ Provs	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club	Operators
W2NYW	51,216	469	97	54	43	410	59	WES	PEEKSKILL/CORTLANDT ARA	WA2MCR NM9J

NJ1F and K1RQ piloted their Saratoga County station to a Low Power, Multi-Single win this year with 21k.





Low-Power Multi-Single

Call	Score	Qs	Mult	Cty	State /Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	DG Qs	QTH	Club	Ops
NJ1F	21,725	197	55	21	34	0	196	1	SAR	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB	NJ1F K1RQ

## The W2FU Multioperator Story

Jeff, W2FU, invited four of Andy (K0SM) and Rebekah (KE2AMI)'s licensed kids—KE2AIY Alanna (15), KE2AJA Dora (12), KE2AIZ Maggie (9), and KE2EDK Toby (14)—to operate at his station in a laid-back, maximal-fun NYQP. Operating was shared with W2FU and Mark, K2AXX, and remote op Tom, WA2BCK. This was KE2EDK's first contest experience, having been recently licensed in late September.



L-R: Toby, KE2EDK, Dora, KE2AJA, Maggie, KE2AIZ, and Alanna, KE2AIY, operating at W2FU in NYQP 2024. (video capture image courtesy of W2FU)

I (Dad, K0SM) did some coaching during the event, but mostly watched the action. Jeff printed out US state maps with postal abbreviations as an operating aid, and I think they learned them



all in a few hours. The children probably put in a good 6 hours of chair time each, and we ended up ordering pizza because they were still having fun operating at dinnertime.

Seeing four young operators working SSB in a true M/M at W2FU was something I hadn't beheld in a while, as Jeff managed to reconfigure (in the middle of the contest, no less!) the usual four-seat M/2 into a four-person M/M so all four children could operate on separate bands simultaneously. They got in the swing of the NYQP protocol quickly, and the room was awash in the smooth tide of "CQ NYQP...59 Mike-Oscar-November . . . Thanks, QRZ?" going in an out of phase with young voices at the various operating positions.

Every now and again this well-oiled machine would be punctuated with, "My name is Dora and I'm 12 years old--what's *your* name?" Dora had managed to attract some Scouts in the Jamboree on the Air, which was going on the same weekend. She went with the flow, would talk to a few scouts for a minute as they took turns at the mic, asked for a state and logged the Q. Not everything in a contest has to be about rate!—*Andy Flowers, KOSM*



A photo from the home shack, late 2024. L-R, KE2AIZ, KE2AIY, KE2EDK, KE2AJA. (*KOSM photo*)



## Mobile

### Single Op

In the Low Power classes, NYQP 2024 had entries in CW, SSB, and Mixed categories. Allen, N2KW, who hails from NYC, took on the challenge at age 78 of going mobile on CW in some very challenging counties for mobile operation—as he says in his soapbox. But put them on the air he did, and he made some folks really happy! N2KW was the only station to submit a log from BRX, KIN, and NEW counties.

#### Low Power Mobile

##### CW

Call	Score	Qs	Mult	Cty	State/Prov	Counties Activated	Club
N2KW	5,544	77	36	25	11	BRX KIN NAS NEW QUE WES (6)	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB

N2LOL activated four counties in the Rochester area on SSB.

##### SSB

Call	Score	Qs	Mult	Counties	State/Prov	Counties Activated
N2LOL	638	29	22	13	9	LIV MON ONT WYO (4)

In the Mixed category, current record holder and highly experienced NYQP single-op, low-power mobile operator Tom, N2CU, returned for a 12-county effort across Western New York and put up a great 1306-QSO effort with a roughly 85/15% CW/SSB split. That let Tom maximize the CW points advantage and the effectiveness of CW as a mobile mode, especially with 100 W, for another strong finish this year. You can read more about his operation in the Soapbox section. Tom's was the only log submitted from Chautauqua County (CHA) this year.

Scott, W2LC, finished second with 643 QSOs and 88k from five CNY counties including the rare Lewis County, making nearly all of his contacts on CW.

Doug, N2BEG, from the Rochester area, ventured WAY up north with his Tarheel and activated four rare counties: Clinton Essex, Franklin, and the very sparsely populated Hamilton County, making 507 QSOs and 67k. Doug is on the NYQP committee; he's the guy who makes sure



everyone who wins a plaque gets taken care of—he does a lot of work behind the scenes for NYQP and we greatly appreciate his work!

#### Mixed

Call	Score	QSOs	Mul	Cty	State /Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	Counties Activated	Club
N2CU	189,228	1306	78	32	46	186	1120	ALL CAT CHA CHE ERI LIV ONT SCU STE TOM WYO YAT (12)	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT
W2LC	88,527	643	69	23	46	3	640	CAY JEF LEW OSW WAY (5)	GKCC
N2BEG	67,896	507	82	39	43	186	321	CLI ESS FRA HAM (4)	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN

#### High Power Mobile

Mike, N2MG, had planned to operate again this year with N2ZN, but Ken’s family obligations caused Mike to make alternative plans, which he did, in good form. Mike made almost 1100 QSOs on CW, activating 13 counties by operating on county lines ranging from Tioga to Oneida to Monroe to Ontario counties. He unfortunately finished the contest about 90 minutes away from his planned ending point in Watkins Glen, but we’re glad to report that he returned safely.

#### CW

Call	Score	Qs	Mult	Cty	State/Prov	QTH	Club
N2MG	159,578	1093	73	31	42	CAY CHE LIV MON ONE ONO ONT SCU SEN TIO TOM WAY YAT (13)	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB

#### Multi-Single Mobile

In the High Power CW category, N5OT and AG9A operated together as KY2N, making nearly 1300 QSOs and logging 81 multipliers for 210k points. This score deserves special mention: It’s a remarkable result considering a number of factors, among them that N5OT and AG9A both drove to New York for this contest and had never operated NYQP together. They had operated together once before—at a K5KA NAQP multi-single in Oklahoma, 20 years earlier.



Although this was AG9A's second NYQP, Mark had not driven this route before. Furthermore, N5OT's 2007 Highlander wasn't fully built as a mobile station until the day before the contest, when the group consisting of Mr and Mrs N5OT, AG9A, KW9A, K2UA, N2MG, and N2ZN converged on a carefully selected AirBnB in Watkins Glen (Schuyler County). N5OT and K2UA joked that they "brought everything they owned" to be sure they had all they needed to build N5OT's mobile station into a working operation starting in the late afternoon hours of Friday. They were relieved that they got it done before sunset!







(L-R) K2UA and N5OT celebrate completing the N5OT mobile antenna installation after running through antenna installation on a home-brew mount, cabling, and SWR testing on all the contest bands from 15-80 meters, just as the sun sets on Friday evening before NYQP starts the next morning. *(N5OT photo)*

You can find more photos in the Photo Gallery section later in this writeup.



Among their other tasks was to do the final route planning for the three wide-ranging mobile routes that N2MG, the KY2N team, and the K2UA team would take. N5OT and AG9A pored over the DeLorme NYS Atlas and Gazetteer late into the night, painstakingly highlighting the route that N2ZN had provided them and making detailed notes so they'd be able to follow it, especially after dark, which comes early in October.




“The Marks,” with an unfamiliar mobile station—complete with TS-480S, Ameritron amplifier, and Tarheel 200A-HP antenna—a sight-unseen route, and having never operated in NYQP or mobile together before, set out on a 21-county adventure and averaged more than 108 QSOs per hour, putting 210k on the board—one heck of a great score!





Day	Hr	3.5	7	14	21	Tot	Accum
2024-10-19	14			73	11	84	84
2024-10-19	15			80	6	86	170
2024-10-19	16		11	60	11	82	252
2024-10-19	17		1	111	7	119	371
2024-10-19	18		28	46	14	88	459
2024-10-19	19		18	74	12	104	563
2024-10-19	20		62	65		127	690
2024-10-19	21		85	57		142	832
2024-10-19	22	2	100	9		111	943
2024-10-19	23	49	60			109	1052
2024-10-20	00	53	74			127	1179
2024-10-20	01	72	57			129	1308
Total		176	496	575	61	1308	1308



The KY2N/m rate sheet (before log checking).

High Power CW

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State/Prov	Counties Activated	Ops
KY2N	210,276	1298	81	33	48	BRM CAY CHE DEL FUL HER LIV MAD MTG ONE ONO ONT OSW OTS SCO SCU SEN STE TIO TOM YAT (21)	N5OT AG9A

Mark, K2QO, and Craig, W2VM, ran a 15-county low-power, CW effort, completing 764 QSOs and 69 mults. Their 105k score topped the category but fell short of K2QO’s expectations, due to some logistical challenges. See his sidebar later in the results. Mark, K2QO, also reported a harrowing experience on I-86 in the Southern Tier:

The craziest thing on the road was on Rt 86 while following a pickup with a trailer. A 6-foot Werner stepladder, tool box, and bucket bounced out and onto the roadway. The ladder was travelling along at high speed spinning like a top as we veered onto the shoulder to miss a direct strike. There was a semi behind us and I have no idea what happened as it was too dark.



Yikes! This vignette reminds us that *no matter what else is going on, please keep your safety your top priority when operating mobile, portable, or in any other aspect of setup, teardown, or whatever it may be*, during NYQP. We care more about your safety than anything else!

You can find photos of the K2QO operation in the Photo Gallery section later in this writeup.

Low Power CW

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State/ Prov	Counties Activated	Club	Ops
K2QO	105,432	764	69	27	42	ALL CAT CHE ERI GEN LIV MON NIA ONT ORL SCU STE TOM WYO YAT (15)	NIAGARA FRONTIER RADIOSPORT	W2VM K2QO

Though they’d been friends for decades, Dave, KW9A, and Rus, K2UA, had never operated together in a contest before teaming up in K2UA’s mobile station this year. Rus started “working on” Dave through Mark, AG9A, who had had such a good time in NYQP 2023 that he was already excited to return for 2024. Mark and Dave are close friends who both live in Illinois, and Rus figured that he had a better chance to convince Dave to make the trip if he and AG9A both started working on Dave in parallel. Turns out Dave didn’t need much convincing—he could see how much fun this NYQP mobile operating was!

Mark and Dave rented a car and left the Chicago area on Thursday, arriving on Friday afternoon in WNY. The route plan from N2ZN was an ambitious Southern Tier loop starting in Watkins Glen, heading southeast and crossing the Hudson River to provide an opportunity for some challenging counties (notably Orange, Westchester, and Putnam) before heading north toward the Albany area on the east side of the Hudson, then crossing back to the west around sunset for the gorgeous trip along US 20 for a long stretch back. It was an ambitious plan to cover 23 counties, with an option to cover one or two more if there was time (there wasn’t, as the route was 590 miles—a challenge to cover in 12 hours with the Downstate counties in the mix). That said, things worked out well and the two-man team worked 1383 stations, mostly on CW, and 89 multipliers for a 240k score, the highest in the contest, and they broke the 10-year-old category record in the process. The photo gallery includes some shots of the team, including the rest of the squad, N2MG, AG9A, N5OT, and N2ZN.



Day	Hr	3.5	7	14	21	Tot	Accum
2024-10-19	14		18	69		87	87
2024-10-19	15		14	77		91	178
2024-10-19	16		27	57	21	105	283
2024-10-19	17		40	50	9	99	382
2024-10-19	18		27	94		121	503
2024-10-19	19		27	65		92	595
2024-10-19	20		27	118		145	740
2024-10-19	21		96	43		139	879
2024-10-19	22	12	94	32		138	1017
2024-10-19	23	38	55			93	1110
2024-10-20	00	101	36			137	1247
2024-10-20	01	57	89			146	1393
Total		208	550	605	30	1393	1393

The K2UA/m rate sheet (before log checking).

High Power Mixed Mode

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State/ Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	Counties Activated	Club	Ops
K2UA	240,834	1383	89	40	49	60	1323	ALB BRM CHE COL COR DEL DUT GRE HER MAD ONE ONO ORA OTS PUT ROC SCH SCO SCU SUL TIO TOM WES (23)	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN	KW9A K2UA

Frequent NYQP top finisher Mike, N2RC, took to the roads this year with John, KE2X. The Orange County-based duo did an ambitious 19-county loop through the Hudson Valley and northward including the Capital Region and west along the Erie Canal, making 969 QSOs and 85 mults with a barefoot setup. 95.5% of their QSOs were on CW, keeping the points per QSO high. Their 160.9k score is impressive!

Low Power Mixed Mode

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State /Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	Counties Activated	Club	Ops
KE2X	160,990	969	85	38	47	44	925	ALB BRM COR DEL ESS GRE HER MAD MTG ONE ONO ORA OSW ROC SAR SCH SUL ULS WAR (19)	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	N2RC KE2X



## A Call to Mobile Operators

The NYQP organizers recognize that the success of every state QSO party is <ahem> driven by the number of mobile and portable operations on the air. Portable and especially mobile stations provide a continuous stream of new multipliers and QSOs to work as they change locations and bands throughout the contest period.

We've worked hard to get more mobile stations on the air for NYQP, and the Portable categories are growing nicely since we introduced them three years ago. That said, there's room for more—and we especially call for more mobile stations! It is not hard to put a basic mobile station on the air, though it takes some planning and some effort. If you've ever done Field Day, then you are familiar with the level of effort, and chances are you'll be much more comfortable. A simple county line operation activation six or eight counties is a great way to get started and can be done on a low budget. 100 W is remarkably effective in NYQP from a mobile station.

We'll be glad to assist you with any logistical help you may need, such as understanding what counties are most accessible to activate, where services are located, which roads are best to use for your main routes, and so forth. We are also interested in knowing what questions you have and what resources would help you plan a mobile operation in NYQP. We want to build NYQP to grow and last! Just reach out to any of us through [info@nyqp.org](mailto:info@nyqp.org) and we'll be glad to help—because NYQP is just too much fun to keep to ourselves!



## Portable

### Single Operator

N2JJ activated Saratoga and Washington Counties, making 113 CW QSOs and winning the Low Power category with 8.3k this year, setting a new record by a factor of 7! NK2Y bested last year's QRP category winner with 4.8k in Wyoming county. Both the LP and QRP winners were HVCDX expeditioners in the 2024 contest.

#### Portable Low-Power CW

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Cty	State/ Prov	Counties Activated	Club
N2JJ	8,362	113	37	8	29	SAR WAS (2)	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
KC2PSA	5,328	74	36	8	28	QUE	LONG ISLAND CW CLUB

#### Portable QRP CW

Call	Score	QSOs	Mults	Cty	State/Prov	QTH	Club
NK2Y	4,830	69	35	5	30	WYO	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
K2EAG	1,216	38	16	0	16	SCU	

### Phone

As in 2023, this year NYQP had more portable entries in the Low-Power Phone category than in all other Portable categories combined. It's turned out to be a super popular category indeed. Sebastian, KI2D, set up on the Delaware/Sullivan line and absolutely smoked everyone else—and the old record—with a 1660-QSO, 98-multiplier effort, putting a huge 162k record-breaking score in the books and boosting the Hudson Valley Contesters and DXers' club score total significantly in the process! Sebastian really took advantage of the fact that when operating on a county line, every QSO counts twice—one QSO in each county—for both his own log and each person he contacted. So he turned 830 QSOs into 1660 QSOs, effectively doubling his QSO rate—a great strategy for maximizing score!

“Country Mike,” K2GC, bested (by far) his previous 155-QSO, 7k effort in 2023 with a 440-QSO, 25k finish from Jefferson and Lewis Counties that *would have* set a new record by a significant margin had it not been for KI2D's massive score. Mike operates from his converted school bus



with a tribander on a surplus lighting trailer with a generator built into it. A real first-class portable operation! N2DJS finished third with 12.4k from Schuyler County with 181 QSOs.

#### Portable Low Power Phone

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State/ Provs	Counties Activated	Club
KI2D	162,680	1660	98	50	48	DEL SUL (2)	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS
K2GC	25,080	440	57	17	40	JEF LEW (2)	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
N2DJS	12,489	181	69	40	29	SCU	
W2EMC	4,554	99	46	33	13	GRE	NEW PROVIDENCE ARC
W2OLI	1,392	48	29	9	20	WAY	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN
W9TCV	1,102	38	29	23	6	SUL	
KB2YSI/P	912	38	24	11	13	HER	
KD2UTJ	81	9	9	7	2	ONO	

K3WGI set a new record in the Portable QRP Phone category from Schuyler County with his 10-QSO effort.

#### Portable QRP Phone

Call	Score	QSOs	Mul	Cty	State/Prov	QTH
K3WGI	110	11	10	2	8	SCU

#### Mixed Mode

##### Portable Low Power Mixed Mode

Call	Score	QSOs	Mul	Cty	State/Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	DG Qs	QTH	Club
N2TO	9,844	165	46	10	36	116	49	0	RIC	NEW PROVIDENCE ARC

#### Multioperator

##### Portable Multi-Single Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Mult	Cty	State/Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	DG Qs	QTH	Operators
W2DQ	2,772	77	36	7	29	77	0	0	SUF	W2DQ
K2IW	1,458	54	27	8	19	54	0	0	ORA	NV3Y K2IW



The Bobs--W2XL and K4HA--were back at it in a big way in 2024, with a 920-QSO, 110-multiplier, 172k effort from Columbia County, crushing their old record, set in 2022 in their Putnam County operation. Bob and Bob carefully choose a county that's on the most-wanted list, select an operating location, and do their Field Day-style dual-dipole operation each year with a pair of radios, always putting up a great score in the process. KX2NY is one of two stations in the contest to come oh-so-close to reaching the coveted all-62 counties level in NYQP, and the only in-state station to do so.

On the NYQP team, we always wait and wonder--and even sometimes ask--"Where are you guys going this year?" They always choose a location based on our county activation stats, selecting one that is in-demand. We love their competitive spirit! (*Ed: I've known W2XL since I was 16, and I cut my contesting teeth on his FT-101ZD and tribander at his City of Kingston basement ham shack, so it's always a treat to log him early and often in NYQP!--K2UA*)

W2BMT also submitted a multi-multi LP log with 97 QSOs with a five-county entry from several WNY counties.

Portable Multi-Multi Low Power

Call	Score	Qs	Mul	Cty	State/ Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	Counties Activated	Club	Ops
KX2NY	172,700	920	110	61	49	270	650	COL	HUDSON VALLEY CONTESTERS AND DXERS	K4HA W2XL
W2BMT	4,365	97	45	27	18	97	0	ERI GEN NIA ORL WYO (5)	W2SO	W2BMT







Betty checks the results. She uses her keenly developed skills, honed over a lifetime of inspecting every morsel that reaches the floor to make sure that nothing—and we mean *nothing*—slips past the quality control department. (N2ZN photo)



## Out-of-State (Non-New York) Results

Non-New York entries (not including DX entries) accounted for 344 of the total, or 68% of all entries. This number is up significantly from 2023—by 14.7% to be precise! The number of stations on the air was absolutely noticeable to all of those in-state, and especially the mobile and portable stations! We greatly appreciate your participation!

Please continue to encourage your friends to get on and remember that NYQP is part of the State QSO Party Challenge! Check it out at <https://stateqsoparty.com/>

### Entry Statistics: Non-New York Stations

<b>Category</b>	<b>Entries</b>
Single-Op CW Low Power	99
Single-Op Mixed Low Power	73
Single-Op Phone Low Power	63
Single-Op CW High Power	32
Single-Op Mixed High Power	40
Single-Op CW QRP	9
Single-Op Phone High Power	13
Single-Op Mixed QRP	5
Checklog (all locations)	4
Multi-Single Low Power	1
Multi-Single High Power	1
Multi-Multi Low Power	1
Portable Single-Op Phone Low Power	2
School Multi-One Phone Low Power	1
Mobile Single-Op CW Low Power	1
Mobile Single-Op Phone Low Power	2

### Single Operator

#### CW

A total of 140 Non-New York CW operators entered the NYQP this year—the most ever! Although most were in the Low Power category, as usual, 32 entered the High Power category. Ed, W5TM, led the field from Oklahoma with 258 QSOs and 55 multipliers for 28.3k. Jeff, N5TJ, who operates with *very* modest antennas in his suburban Texas neighborhood, followed closely with



26.9k, and perennial CW entrant Bert, N4CW, rounded out the top three from North Carolina with 15.5k.

### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	QTH	Club	Operators
<b>W5TM</b>	<b>28,380</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>OK</b>	<b>DEEP DIXIE CC</b>	
N5TJ	26,950	245	55	TX	CENTRAL TEXAS DX AND CONTEST CLUB	
N4CW	15,582	159	49	NC	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	
N5RZ	12,848	146	44	TX	CENTRAL TEXAS DX AND CONTEST CLUB	
AC6ZM	9,600	120	40	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP	
W1QK	8,892	114	39	CT	CANDLEWOOD ARA	
AF5J	7,200	100	36	TX	TEXAS DX SOCIETY	
K5TIA	6,596	97	34	TX	TX DX SOCIETY	
K2LE/1	5,642	91	31	VT	ORDER OF BOILED OWLS NEW YORK	
K0TQ	5,568	87	32	IN	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS	
K3TN	5,372	79	34	MD	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	
K9NW	4,416	69	32	IN	MAD RIVER RADIO CLUB	
W3TB	4,356	66	33	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP	
KO4VW	4,026	61	33	GA	NORTH FULTON AMATEUR RADIO LEAGUE	
W4CB	4,020	67	30	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	W2RU
KY4GS	3,844	62	31	SC	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB	
W3MA	3,360	60	28	PA	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	
SP5SA	3,008	47	32	DX		
W7GF	2,592	54	24	OR		
KQ4R	2,070	45	23	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	
K1EBY	1,680	40	21	CT	K1USN RADIO CLUB	
K8ZR	988	26	19	OH		
K1GU	960	30	16	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP	
N3AM	800	25	16	MD	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	
AA4DD	720	24	15	TN	BRISTOL (TN/VA) ARC	
WJ2O	504	21	12	TN	ROCHESTER (NY) DX ASSN	
W4ZGR	494	19	13	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	
KR2Q	432	18	12	NJ		
VA7RN	432	18	12	BC	ORCA DX AND CONTEST CLUB	
WA5LXS	312	13	12	TX	DFW CONTEST GROUP	
KD4S	216	12	9	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP	
K3PA	50	5	5	KS	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB	



The massive *99-entry* Low Power CW field, the largest of all categories in NYQP 2024, accounted for 19.6% of all logs received—up by 15% from 2023. NYQP is a big draw for the barefoot CW operator crowd, and we love the competition!

Once again, South Carolina’s low-power CW QSO party aficionado and year-over-year NYQP enthusiast Dave, WN4AFP, brought his high-speed CW mojo to NYQP. Not only did Dave handily take the low-power category with 252 Qs and 58 mults for 29.2k, but he broke his own record (set last year)! Dave has made an art form of chasing mobiles as they cross county lines. He made 27 more QSOs and 9 more mults than he did in 2023—congrats on the nice improvement, Dave! Holding onto his second place slot for the third year in a row, and nearly doubling his 2023 score, Vic, VE9VIC, finished with 25.5k once again closely followed in third by Andrew, K9CW, in Illinois, in a tight race where Andrew worked two more multipliers, but Vic held the edge with 20 more QSOs. Can anyone break into the top three next year, or do these three have it locked up for the long haul?

Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	QTH	Club
<b>WN4AFP</b>	<b>29,232</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>SC</b>	<b>SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP</b>
VE9VIC	25,596	237	54	NB	MARITIME CONTEST CLUB
K9CW	24,304	217	56	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
KE0TT	12,480	130	48	MN	
KG9X	12,180	145	42	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
VE3TM	11,880	132	45	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
KB9S	10,208	116	44	WI	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
W9RE	10,164	121	42	IN	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
KD2KW	9,840	123	40	TX	DFW CONTEST GROUP
WA9LEY	9,348	114	41	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
NW0M	8,364	102	41	MO	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB
K4AMC	8,000	100	40	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
KK4E	7,992	108	37	GA	NORTH FULTON ARL
VA3FN	7,254	93	39	ON	
N4IY	6,882	93	37	IN	
W4YE	6,528	96	34	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
NE2R	6,336	88	36	NJ	GLOUCESTER COUNTY ARC
KN0V	6,290	85	37	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
N9NM	6,138	93	33	TX	CENTRAL TEXAS DX AND CONTEST CLUB
KC3M	5,904	82	36	PA	
N5EP	5,544	84	33	WI	



AD8J	5,304	78	34	NC	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB
VE3INE	5,148	78	33	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
K3QP	4,898	79	31	PA	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
WA2OTC	4,884	74	33	MD	
N0AT	4,420	65	34	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
NS0R	4,176	72	29	KS	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB
N8DNA	3,654	63	29	OH	
WA0MHJ	3,596	62	29	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KD9QS	3,588	69	26	MD	
WA3AAN	3,540	59	30	PA	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
W1ARY	3,328	64	26	CT	
AA2IL	2,772	66	21	CA	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB
K5ME	2,754	51	27	TX	
K4GSX	2,640	55	24	GA	
KA0PQW	2,550	51	25	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
N0UR	2,548	49	26	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
K0TC	2,436	42	29	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
W0UY	1,950	39	25	KS	
KF9VV	1,936	44	22	WI	DRIFTLESS ZONE CONTESTERS
W8EWH	1,920	40	24	MI	MAD RIVER RADIO CLUB
K3YP	1,872	39	24	OH	
K0PC	1,776	37	24	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
N4DPM	1,620	30	27	FL	
VA3RKM	1,600	40	20	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
AD4EB/M	1,560	39	20	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
K7GS	1,548	43	18	WA	SPOKANE DX ASSN
W4CMG	1,440	36	20	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
K4FT	1,320	33	20	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP
KQ3F	1,320	33	20	PA	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
K1ECU	1,240	31	20	CT	CTRI CONTEST GROUP
K2MN	1,216	32	19	NJ	
K0WRY	1,200	40	15	KS	
K7ROG	1,088	34	16	AZ	ARIZONA OUTLAWS CONTEST CLUB
K1DJ	1,044	29	18	MA	
VE2ZQ	960	32	15	QC	
N4CWZ	952	28	17	NC	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
K3THS	918	27	17	PA	
N9FZ	880	22	20	GA	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB
KT4RH	850	25	17	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP





NE5A	828	23	18	OK	
K2MK	812	29	14	FL	
KC9YL	800	25	16	WI	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
KI6OY	792	33	12	CA	NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB
AI6O	780	26	15	MO	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB
N4IU	680	20	17	FL	
W4IDX	660	22	15	AZ	ARIZONA OUTLAWS CONTEST CLUB
K0UU	646	19	17	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
K9OZ	644	23	14	AR	ARKANSAS DX ASSN
K0AP	608	19	16	KS	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB
KN4ZXG	480	16	15	VA	
KN4JN	476	17	14	FL	
NJ8J	442	17	13	GA	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB
NE7TE	418	19	11	AZ	
N4NTO	416	16	13	NC	PVRC
KN7Y	374	17	11	AZ	ARIZONA OUTLAWS CONTEST CLUB
K1IB	340	17	10	VT	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB
K9CPO	320	16	10	WI	
KE5CW	264	12	11	TX	LAKE AREA AMATEUR RADIO KLUB
N7SE	208	13	8	CO	
KB4DE	200	10	10	SC	
KS5N	198	11	9	TX	
AA8R	160	10	8	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
K4VIG	126	9	7	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
W2NC	126	9	7	AZ	
N5NR	108	9	6	TX	CWOPS
NX4N	98	7	7	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
WB9RCE	98	7	7	IL	DUPAGE ARC
AA0AW	84	7	6	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KN6BAZ	84	7	6	CA	
AA0O	60	6	5	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
NF8M	50	5	5	MI	MAD RIVER RADIO CLUB
VE7VT	40	5	4	BC	
SP1AEN	18	3	3	DX	
VE7JKZ	18	3	3	BC	ISLAND HF RADIO ASSOCIATION
WI9P	18	3	3	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
DL1NKB	2	1	1	DX	DARC



QRP entries dropped from 16 to 9 this year, the only CW category to decline. Tom, K3TW, extended his winning streak, and set a new record, with a 13.1k score from Florida! NI8W moved into second place this year from Ohio with 99 QSOs and 7.9k. Ron, VE3SIF, finished in third again this year with 4.1k. KE3V was right on his heels in fourth place with a nearly identical QSO and multiplier count for 4.0k.

Congratulations to the North American QRP CW Club for landing five of the nine spots, from five different states ranging from Kentucky to Maine, in this category. A great showing!

### QRP

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	CW QSOs	QTH	Club
<b>K3TW</b>	<b>13,100</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP</b>
NI8W	7,920	99	40	99	OH	NORTH AMERICAN QRP CW CLUB
VE3SIF	4,140	69	30	69	ON	
KE3V	4,030	65	31	65	PA	NORTH AMERICAN QRP CW CLUB
W1BOY	2,444	47	26	47	ME	NORTH AMERICAN QRP CW CLUB
KU4A	1,640	41	20	41	KY	NORTH AMERICAN QRP CW CLUB
N2EIM	1,428	34	21	34	NJ	NORTH AMERICAN QRP CW CLUB
N4JRG	672	21	16	21	KY	KENTUCKY CONTEST GROUP
NO2D	660	22	15	22	CO	COLORADO QRP CLUB

### Phone

Brando, W3TKB, repeated his win from Pennsylvania in the 13-entrant high-power Phone field with a 2.3k Golden Log. W1KDA in Rhode Island followed in second place, and K3RJS in third.

### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	QTH	Club	Operators
<b>W3TKB</b>	<b>2376</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>PA</b>		
W1KDA	1612	52	31	RI		
K3RJS	1479	51	29	PA	TIOGA COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB	
WW5L	1428	51	28	LA		
K0YR	1305	45	29	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN	
KJ9B	1025	41	25	IN	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS	
K3DNE	345	23	15	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP	
KA2G	224	16	14	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP	
KE6GFI	143	13	11	AZ	ARIZONA OUTLAWS CONTEST CLUB	



W1GRL	64	8	8	ME	ELLSWORTH AMATEUR WIRELESS ASSOCIATION	
NP2X	16	4	4	DX	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	K9VV
KOOP	12	4	3	ND		
NN6U	9	3	3	ME	NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB	

Art, N3AAA, seized the opportunity this year to grow his streak to *five wins in a row* from Pennsylvania in the Low Power Phone category! You'd think that being in a bordering state would put him at a disadvantage, but Art led this highly competitive field of 60+ entrants, tying his 2023 multiplier count of 53 and logging 204 QSOs for a 10.8k score. KC1QEM moved into second place from Massachusetts with 5k, and N3KTA, also from Pennsylvania, moved into third place and pushed last year's second-place scorer VE1RGO into fourth place.

#### Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	QTH	Club
<b>N3AAA</b>	<b>10,812</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>PA</b>	
KC1QEM	5,029	107	47	MA	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB
N3KTA	4,140	92	45	PA	MCKEAN COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
VE1RGO	2,992	88	34	NS	MARITIME CONTEST CLUB
AJ4LN	2,812	76	37	VA	STERLING PARK ARC
VE9RA	2,686	79	34	NB	
VA3PMH	2,664	74	36	ON	KWARC
WA9YI	2,448	68	36	IN	HENDRICKS COUNTY ARS
VE3KMQ	2,343	71	33	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
KC3ISE	1,952	61	32	PA	
K9CAV	1,870	55	34	OH	
KM4IAJ	1,836	54	34	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
N3TCR	1,240	40	31	MD	
K5MAY	1,225	49	25	TX	LAKE AREA AMATEUR RADIO KLUB
N1TL	1,144	44	26	VA	SHENVARC
AD4GG	1,040	40	26	TN	
KC9JML	920	40	23	IN	
N3GTH	713	31	23	PA	
K9JK	672	32	21	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
W5KBW	660	33	20	OH	
KB9LGS	572	26	22	IN	BLOOMINGTON RADIO
N7MZW	510	30	17	WY	GMCC
K3GWK	475	25	19	GA	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB
KC1UEK	468	26	18	ME	





K2LAT	432	27	16	AL	
AC1NI	414	23	18	RI	
KA0AZS	408	24	17	OH	
N1ADX	384	24	16	MA	
W4CHI	361	19	19	NC	RANDOLPH COUNTY
AJ4HP	352	22	16	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
AC2N	308	22	14	FL	
VE9RLW	300	20	15	NB	
KE0UNV	270	18	15	MO	MIKEOSCAR CONTESTING CLUB
AI4DB	255	17	15	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
K3IS	224	16	14	KY	
VE9CZ	221	17	13	NB	
KQ4MZZ	210	15	14	NC	
KO4QEX	168	14	12	GA	
KA3KSP	144	12	12	PA	
K4SBZ	143	13	11	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
WA4JA	121	11	11	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
KF5RHI	99	11	9	TX	NORTH TEXAS AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY
W5GUZ	81	9	9	NM	
KI5MM	72	9	8	TX	
N3TFX	64	8	8	PA	
KC3WRP	63	9	7	PA	N3SRC
KK4CS	56	8	7	GA	
W7KAM	56	8	7	MO	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
N5JDT	54	9	6	NM	
AF0F	36	6	6	KS	
KB3MQI	36	6	6	PA	
VA3IDD	36	6	6	ON	KWARC
KI6KGC	30	6	5	NM	
W3ASW	30	6	5	DE	FIRST STATE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K9SAT	25	5	5	AZ	ARIZONA OUTLAWS CONTEST CLUB
K1HG	20	5	4	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
NOJNM	9	3	3	MN	
N7AME	9	3	3	WA	SNOHOMISH COUNTY HAMS CLUB
VA3PNL	4	2	2	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
KG6WSW	1	1	1	CA	
NS4E	1	1	1	TN	



## Mixed Mode

In the competitive 40-entry, High Power Mixed field, Pam, N5KW, took the top spot this year from Oklahoma by a narrow margin over her husband, Connie, K5CM. Pam and Connie had a photo finish, separated by just one QSO, but Pam's additional multiplier gave her the critical edge to score just 226 more points than Connie to win the category this year. Bill, K3WJV (who sports an NYQP plaque in his QRZ profile photo—good taste!) finished third not far behind Connie with just ten fewer QSOs and 56 counties. A solid total from Northern Pennsylvania.

## High Power

Call	Score	Qs	Cty	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club	Ops
<b>N5KW</b>	<b>24,976</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>OK</b>		
K5CM	24,750	255	55	60	195	OK		
K3WJV	23,128	244	56	75	169	PA	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	
KA6BIM	20,706	228	51	50	178	OR	NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB	
OM2VL	11,950	123	50	7	116	DX	SLOVAK CONTEST GROUP	
VE3TW	11,880	160	45	56	104	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO	
N7EPD	11,653	149	43	27	122	WA	WESTERN WASHINGTON DX CLUB	
K4BAI	9,880	127	40	7	120	GA	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB	
K9CT	9,724	131	44	41	90	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS	
W0ZQ	9,594	134	39	22	112	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN	
KY7M	8,560	118	40	22	96	AZ	ARIZONA OUTLAWS CONTEST CLUB	@NA7TB
KV0I	8,190	126	39	42	84	NE	DEEP DIXIE CONTEST CLUB	
W0BH	7,320	102	40	21	81	KS		
W0ELT	6,825	101	39	27	74	WI	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN	
K0AD	6,444	98	36	17	81	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN	
KZ3P	5,700	89	38	29	59	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP	
N3KN	4,902	79	38	29	50	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	
K0VBU	3,944	73	29	10	63	KS	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB	
W3US	3,904	63	32	4	59	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	
N9MS	3,720	76	30	28	48	NC		
KD0EE	3,596	65	31	14	51	IN		
WB4HRL	3,570	62	30	5	57	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP	
W2CN	3,360	70	28	20	50	NJ	SOUTH JERSEY RADIO ASSOCIATION	
KD5J	3,219	68	29	25	43	AR		
WB5SKM	3,192	64	28	14	50	MS	599 DX ASSN	
VE2GT	3,115	74	35	59	15	QC	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	
W0BM	3,100	60	31	20	40	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN	
WX8C	2,880	58	30	20	38	NJ		



K4NMR	2,160	50	24	10	40	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	
AG1C	1,992	42	24	1	41	MA	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB	
K1BZ	1,909	47	23	11	36	ME	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	
NO8C	1,826	43	22	3	40	OH	SOUTHWEST OHIO DX ASSN	
AA0FO	1,771	45	23	13	32	KS	KANSAS CITY CONTEST CLUB	
KE2D	1,240	36	20	10	26	NJ	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB	
K6MM	840	32	15	8	24	CA	NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB	
SN5V	665	24	19	13	11	DX		SQ5EBM
WO4O	576	25	12	2	23	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	
NC3Y	455	20	13	5	15	MD	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB	
KT4O	312	15	12	4	11	TN	BRISTOL (TN) ARC	
VE3JZT	308	15	11	2	13	ON	KWARC	

In the 73-entry, super-competitive Low Power Mixed category, frequent winner and NYQP mobile in-state veteran Mark, K1RO, came *this close* to finally capturing all 62 New York counties from his New Hampshire home—but, New York County was elusive! (In 2016 he missed Schoharie for the sweep.) As regular NYQP entrants know, we want nothing more than to award the All Counties plaque that’s been sponsored since, well, the beginning of time, but has not yet been attained. We felt sure this would be the year—and Mark was the closest (in a tie with KX2NY), and the only out-of-state entry to attain this level.

Will 2025 finally be the year that someone works all 62 New York counties? We will continue to press by adding more mobile stations and focusing more on Downstate counties to try to help *someone*, and hopefully more than one station, get over the line!

K1RO took on and handily defeated all comers by a huge margin with a 47k score, breaking a 12-year-old record—*by 57%*—in the process. His margin was nearly 220 QSOs over second-place Mark, WB9HFK, a regular high-scoring NYQP competitor and effective mobile chaser from Illinois, who finished with 27k. Bill, ACOW, followed in third with 21k.



Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club
<b>K1RO</b>	<b>47,641</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>NH</b>	<b>YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB</b>
WB9HFK	27,474	259	57	36	223	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
AC0W	21,471	240	51	59	181	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
W9QL	20,196	217	54	60	157	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
AA3R	20,034	231	54	91	140	NJ	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
N8II	17,490	214	53	98	116	WV	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
KB4CG	16,218	181	51	44	137	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
W8PI	15,476	166	53	40	126	MI	
K2AL	13,680	166	48	47	119	NJ	NEW PROVIDENCE ARC
K0RC	12,298	161	43	36	125	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
K9PW	12,190	144	46	23	121	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
W3WHK	11,952	135	48	21	114	PA	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
K8MR	11,132	143	46	44	99	OH	MAD RIVER RADIO CLUB
WA8ZBT	10,988	152	41	36	116	TX	DFW CONTEST GROUP
AB3KP	10,850	136	50	55	81	MD	
N2NC	10,800	136	45	32	104	NJ	FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB
VE3MV	8,729	110	43	17	93	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
VE5KS	8,502	125	39	32	93	SK	
K9ZO	8,484	115	42	28	87	IL	
W0PI	8,400	110	42	20	90	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
WA5SOG	7,956	117	39	30	87	AR	FORT SMITH AREA ARC
W1SSN	7,812	114	42	42	72	CT	
WV4AM	7,525	108	43	41	67	NC	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
N0HJZ	7,098	118	39	54	64	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KC3C	6,996	121	44	83	38	PA	MIFFLIN COUNTY ARC
N1XI	6,048	93	36	18	75	NC	
KB0NES	5,256	80	36	14	66	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
WA2LMC	4,318	79	34	31	48	NC	
KX4X	4,130	73	35	28	45	AL	ALABAMA CONTEST GROUP
VE3OMV	4,080	82	30	28	54	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
N8PE	3,627	62	31	7	55	OH	
K0MPH	3,625	67	29	9	58	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KIOF	3,441	58	31	5	53	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
K2KT	3,030	61	30	21	40	VA	ALEXANDRIA RC
W3NO	3,003	56	33	21	35	PA	
KOCIE	2,756	58	26	10	48	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP



W8KNO	2,600	57	26	14	43	OH	PORTAGE COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE
KE4EA	2,538	50	27	6	44	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP
K0XF	2,492	51	28	13	38	CO	GRAND MESA CONTESTERS OF COLORADO
K0EA	2,158	48	26	13	35	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KW4GF	2,024	49	23	10	39	VA	PVRC
VE3HZ	1,980	51	30	36	15	ON	KWARC
AI5G	1,767	48	19	3	45	TX	
N5QP	1,281	36	21	11	25	OK	
N4QI	1,218	33	21	8	25	SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP
KC0INP	1,197	36	19	9	27	MN	
K4FTO	1,065	37	15	3	34	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
W3AVP	1,058	33	23	20	13	PA	
KA5USN	992	32	16	2	30	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
KA0REN	950	25	19	0	25	MO	
N2ZX	912	25	19	2	23	MT	HVCDX
KX1W	836	33	19	22	11	NJ	SOUTH JERSEY DX ASSN
K0SV	756	25	21	14	11	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KQ4AX	672	32	21	32	0	NC	
KC2WUF	540	20	15	4	16	NJ	NEW PROVIDENCE ARC
VA6RCN	494	22	13	6	16	AB	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
W4ZTH	350	19	10	3	16	FL	
VE9OA	325	16	13	7	9	NB	MARITIME CONTEST CLUB
W0PMO	294	15	14	9	6	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
K5YX	286	15	11	4	11	TX	LAKE AREA AMATEUR RADIO KLUB
K9PG	216	13	9	2	11	IL	SOCIETY OF MIDWEST CONTESTERS
NR0P	180	12	10	6	6	KS	
WA8KAN	180	10	9	0	10	WV	
N6IV	147	12	7	3	9	CA	
W0LM	144	9	8	0	9	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
KC2KWA	126	11	9	8	3	NC	
N0IJ	55	6	5	1	5	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
WB4MM	50	6	5	2	4	FL	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP
KC0DMF	49	7	7	7	0	MN	MINNESOTA WIRELESS ASSN
W7STV	36	6	4	3	3	WA	
K9WPV	20	4	4	3	1	IN	GOSHEN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
VE7CCY	12	3	2	0	3	BC	
KQ4MHE	6	2	2	1	1	NC	



The QRP Mixed Mode category has grown significantly this year, with five entries. Hugh, K2YG, extended his winning streak and found one more multiplier this year from his New Jersey QTH, scoring 10.5k. K8ZT in Ohio finished second with 5.7k, followed by WQ6X in California in third with 1.2k.

#### QRP

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club
K2YG	10,584	130	49	44	86	NJ	NEW PROVIDENCE ARC
K8ZT	5776	94	38	36	58	OH	NORTH COAST CONTESTERS
WQ6X	1273	37	19	7	30	CA	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB
W7LG	480	17	15	2	15	PA	
WB0SMZ	10	3	2	1	2	KS	

#### Multioperator

Father-son team Ethan, N1SOH, and Jake, W1FM, returned this year with another winning effort from Massachusetts. They boosted their score by more than 25 QSOs this year, making it an even 200, with a six-county bump in multipliers, handily breaking the record they had set in 2022! And, the two-man team topped off their effort by turning in a Golden Log.

#### Multi-Single High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Cty	PH QSOs	CW QSOs	QTH	Club	Operators
W1FM	17,331	200	53	73	127	MA	YANKEE CLIPPER CONTEST CLUB	N1SOH W1FM

Karen, K2KAR, hosted a four-op Multiop team from her Ohio QTH, dropping in an excellent 15k record-setting score with 195 QSOs and 50 counties.

#### Multi-Multi Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Cty	PH QSOs	CW QSOs	QTH	Operators
K2KAR	15,250	195	50	85	110	OH	K2KAR N4HAI N8QL W8CMP



## Mobile

KE8ZLT and AA5AH represented Ohio and Texas, respectively, as low-power SSB mobiles. KE8ZLT set a new category record and also turned in an error-free Golden Log—congrats on the good effort!

### Single Op Low Power Phone

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	QTH
KE8ZLT	418	22	19	OH
AA5AH	4	2	2	TX

## Portable

Joseph, VE3GKT, best known for his VHF roving activities, put Ontario on the air to the tune of 58 SSB QSOs, working 34 counties for a top score of 1.9k and a new category record! He also turned in a Golden Log (error-free). Congrats, Joseph!

### Single Operator Low Power Phone

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	QTH
VE3GKT	1972	58	34	ON
AA1IT	4	2	2	NH



## DX Results

We received six DX logs this year. Thanks to all of our DX entrants! Congratulations to our category leaders, SP1AEN on CW, NP2X (K9VV) on SSB, and OM2VL in mixed-mode. SP1AEN, OM2VL, and NP2X turned in Golden Logs as well—error-free logs are even more difficult for DX stations, given the challenge of competing with US and Canadian stations that are typically much stronger in New York. Good work to all!

### CW

#### Low Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	Club
SP1AEN	18	3	3	
DL1NKB	2	1	1	DARC

#### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	Club	Op
SP5SA	3008	47	32		

### Phone

#### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	Club	Op
NP2X	16	4	4	FLORIDA CONTEST GROUP	K9VV

### Mixed

#### High Power

Call	Score	QSOs	Counties	PH QSOs	CW QSOs	Club	Ops
OM2VL	11,950	123	50	7	116	SLOVAK CONTEST GROUP	
SN5V	665	24	19	13	11		SQ5EBM





# Checklogs

N1NN, N4YDU, K9WX, N9XAU, VA4ADM

## Overlay Results

The New York QSO Party Overlay categories recognize entrants in several categories–YL, Rookie, and two Youth categories–to encourage activity. Those who enter these overlays in the Low Power categories are eligible for awards in addition to the regular category awards that they may also win. See the rules for full details. Thanks to all of our Overlay entrants for your participation!

In the YL group, Barb, N9NM, moved into first place with her 6.1k CW effort from Texas this year. Mary, VE3INE, licensed in January 2023, finished second with 5.1k and a Golden Log!

In addition to CW and mixed-mode scores, NYQP 2024 also enjoyed support of YLs in the low- and high-power phone categories. Thanks for all the YL entries!

### YL

Call	Category	Score	QSOs	Cty	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club
N9NM	LP CW	6,138	93	33		93	TX	CENTRAL TEXAS DX AND CONTEST CLUB
VE3INE	LP CW	5,148	78	33		78	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO
N3KN	HP Mixed	4,902	79	38	29	50	VA	POTOMAC VALLEY RADIO CLUB
KY4GS	HP CW	3,844	62	31		62	SC	SOUTH EAST CONTEST CLUB
W4CMG	LP CW	1,440	36	20		36	TN	TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP
N4IU	LP CW	680	20	17		20	FL	
KQ4MZZ	LP Phone	210	15	14	15		NC	
W1GRL	HP Phone	64	8	8	8		ME	ELLSWORTH AMATEUR WIRELESS ASSOCIATION
KC3WRP	LP Phone	63	9	7	9		PA	N3SRC



The Rookie overlay category (for recently licensed hams) continues to be popular among NYQP entrants. Our 2024 Rookie winner is Erie County operator Ryan, KD2YXS, who put in a solid 172-QSO low-power SSB effort. Ryan has a 50-foot crank-up tower at home and also enjoys POTA operating. In second place was Dean, AD2Z, from Livingston County, with a 3.6k Mixed Mode entry. We received six Rookie entries in total. Thanks to all the newcomers for getting on in NYQP 2024 and submitting logs!

## Rookie

Call	Category	Score	QSOs	Mult	Cty	State /Prov	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club
KD2YXS	LP Phone	8,084	172	47	2	45	172		ERI	
AD2Z	LP Mixed	3,645	81	45	32	13	81		LIV	
VE1RGO	LP Phone	2,992	88	34	34	0	88		NS	MARITIME CONTEST CLUB
KE2CNS	LP Mixed	950	37	25	21	4	36	1	WES	PEEKSKILL/CORTLANDT ARA
KC1UEK	LP Phone	468	26	18	18	0	26		ME	
KA2G	HP Phone	224	16	14	14	0	16		SC	SWAMP FOX CONTEST GROUP

## Youth Under 17

In addition to operating at W2FU, 9-year-old Maggie, KE2AIZ, put in 90 minutes at home and submitted a 24-QSO log. She was our only Youth Under 12 entry, and she also had a Golden Log—congrats, Maggie! We also received two Youth 13-17 logs. 14-year-old Jake, WV4AM, passed his Extra Class license exam and received his call just over a month before NYQP and was happy to break it in for the contest! Jake put in a fine effort, with 67 CW QSOs and 41 on SSB, for a 7.5k score. Two-time NYQP Youth plaque winner Maria, VE3OMV, finished with a solid 4k score from her QTH in Ontario as well. Welcome back, Maria. We look forward to seeing you both in NYQP in the future!

### Youth Under 12

Call	Category	Score	QSOs	Mults	QTH
KE2AIZ	LP Phone	480	24	20	LIV



## Youth 13-17

Call	Category	Score	QSOs	Mults	PH Qs	CW Qs	QTH	Club
<b>WV4AM</b>	<b>LP Mixed Mode</b>	<b>7,525</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>TENNESSEE CONTEST GROUP</b>
VE3OMV	LP Mixed Mode	4,080	82	30	28	54	ON	CONTEST CLUB ONTARIO

## Golden Logs

We congratulate the following 155 entrants on their error-free logs! Special mention goes to high-scoring category winners (category winners and overlay winners are listed in **bold**), submitted golden logs!

AA0FO, AA0O, AA2IL, AA4DD, AA5AH, AA8R, AC1NI, AC2N, AD4GG, AF0F, AF5J, AI4DB, AI5G, AI6O, AJ4HP, AJ4LN, DL1NKB, K0OP, K0PC, K0RC, K0UU, K0VBU, K0YR, K1ECU, K1GU, K2AL, K2MK, K3GWK, K3IS, K3PA, K3RJS, K3THS, K3TN, K5YX, K6MM, K7EA, K9CPO, K9JK, K9PG, K9SAT, K9WPV, KA0AZS, KA2G, KA3KSP, KB0NES, KB3MQI, KB4DE, KC0DMF, KC0INP, KC1QEM, KC2KWA, KC2WUF, KC3M, KC3WRP, KC9JML, KC9YL, KD4S, **KE2AIZ**, KE2D, KE4EA, KE5CW, **KE8ZLT**, KF5RHI, KG6WSW, KG9X, KI5MM, KI6KGC, KI6OY, KK4CS, KK4E, KN0V, KN4JN, KN4ZXG, KN6BAZ, KN7Y, KO4QEX, KO4VW, KQ3F, KQ4MHE, KQ4MZZ, KU4A, KY4GS, N0AT, N0JNM, N1XI, N2ZX, N3AM, N3KTA, N4IU, N4JRG, N4NTO, N5EP, N5JDT, N5NR, N5QP, N8PE, N9FZ, NC3Y, NE5A, NF8M, NJ8J, NN6U, **NP2X**, NROP, NS4E, NW0M, NX4N, **OM2VL**, **SP1AEN**, VA3FN, VA3IDD, VA3MPJ, VA3PMH, VA4ADM, VA6RCN, VA7RN, VE1RGO, VE2GT, **VE3GKT**, VE3INE, VE3KMQ, VE7CCY, VE7JKZ, VE7VT, VE9CZ, W0BH, W0BM, W0PMO, W1ARY, **W1FM**, W1GRL, W3MA, W3NO, **W3TKB**, W3US, W3WHK, W4CHI, W4CMG, W4ZGR, W5GUZ, W5KBW, W7GF, W7KAM, W7STV, W8EWH, WA3AAN, WA5SOG, WA8ZBT, WB0SMZ, WB4HRL, WB4MM, WB6PVU, WI9P, WW5L, WX8C

## Club Results

The Niagara Frontier Radiosport team extended their winning streak to six consecutive wins! Their aggregate score was down slightly from 2023, but they still enjoyed a significant lead with their 19-entry club aggregate, led by N2MF, N2CU, and K2ZR, in order. Erie and Niagara Counties are always easy to work thanks to their home stations, and mobiles like N2CU and K2QO make many Western New York counties widely available to NYQP participants everywhere. Together their members logged a blistering 9024 QSOs! The county stats later in the results provide more data on their impact.



In Eastern New York, the Hudson Valley Contesters and DXers team continues to challenge, pushing their club score higher by 10% over 2023, with 23 logs and 8500 QSOs in the 2024 contest, led by top club scorers KX2NY, K4RUM, and KI2D—their only scores over 100k. The big difference between NFR and HVCDX is the lack of mobile entries from the ENY club; only KX2NY and KI2D, as Portables, put stations on the air that are not home stations. Imagine what they could do if the HVCDX built a couple of mobiles . . . a challenge for HVCDX!

The NYQP sponsoring club, RDXA, finished third again in the in-state category with 19 log entries totaling 7650 QSOs and 1.006M points. K2UA, the W2FU team, KD2EFR and N2ZN were the club leaders. RDXA nearly doubled its score from 597k in 2023, so HVCDX needs to pick up the pace to keep ahead! 😊

Seriously, as we said last year, as members of RDXA, we consider it a privilege to host the NYQP and we are happy to have your input on how we can make the event more enjoyable for you! Please write us a note at [info@nyqp.org](mailto:info@nyqp.org).

Our out-of-state winner this year, for the first time (at least in recent years) is the Society of Midwest Contesters! Whether it's because NYQP had a couple of very active SMC members operating mobile in NYQP or because SMC has discovered what a fun contest this is to do (the day before the Illinois QSO Party!), they came to the party with 15 logs and 1594 QSOs, led by WB9HFK, K9CW, and W9QL—all familiar calls in the mobile pileups! Each of these ops scored more than 20k.

Honorable mention goes to the Minnesota Wireless Association, which is well represented in this year's NYQP with 29 logs in nearly every out-of-state category—a great number! And they dominated the out of state QSO totals—see the stats later in the writeup for more details on that. MWA puts on a terrific one-day QSO party of their own in February with many mobiles on the air—check it out and show this great club your support!

We appreciate all the in-state and out-of-state club participation. It's the heart of NYQP activity!



## Club Scores

Club Name	Score	Leaders
<b>Niagara Frontier Radiosport</b>	<b>1,420,293</b>	<b>In-State Winner</b>
Hudson Valley Contesters And DXers	1,103,090	
Rochester DX ASSN*	1,006,734	
Frankford Radio Club	643,508	
Yankee Clipper Contest Club	376,452	
Order Of Boiled Owls Of New York	261,339	
<b>Society Of Midwest Contesters</b>	<b>135,677</b>	<b>Out of State Winner</b>
Minnesota Wireless Association	126,885	
Potomac Valley Radio Club	117,762	
GKCC	88,527	
Peekskill/Cortlandt ARA	52,166	
Contest Club Ontario	46,158	
Central Texas DX And Contest Club	45,936	
Swamp Fox Contest Group	44,363	
New Providence ARC	39,202	
Deep Dixie Contest Club	36,570	
Tennessee Contest Group	34,793	
Binghamton Amateur Radio Association	34,263	
Karo Echo	33,015	
Florida Contest Group	30,066	
Maritime Contest Club	28,913	
Keuka Lake ARA	28,432	
Northern California Contest Club	22,347	
DFW Contest Group	21,140	
South East Contest Club	20,825	
Kansas City Contest Club	19,693	
Mad River Radio Club	17,518	
North American QRP CW Club	17,462	
Texas DX Society	13,796	
Fultan ARC	12,864	
North Fulton Amateur Radio League	12,018	
Slovak Contest Group	11,950	
Western Washington DX Club	11,653	



Arizona Outlaws Contest Club	10,850	
Daffodil ARC	10,380	
Great South Bay ARC	9,990	
Candlewood ARA	8,892	
Long Island CW Club	8,208	
Fort Smith Area ARC	7,956	
Mifflin County ARC	6,996	
Gloucester County ARC	6,336	
South Towns Amateur Radio Society	6,096	
North Coast Contesters	5,776	
KWARC	4,988	
W2SO	4,365	
McKean County Amateur Radio Club	4,140	
Alabama Contest Group	4,130	
Southern California Contest Club	4,045	
Arc Emcomm Srvc	3,807	
South Jersey Radio Association	3,360	
599 DX Assn	3,192	
Alexandria RC	3,030	
Grand Mesa Contesters Of Colorado	3,002	
Sterling Park ARC	2,812	
Portage County Amateur Radio Service	2,600	
Hendricks County ARS	2,448	
Driftless Zone Contesters	1,936	
Southwest Ohio DX Assn	1,826	
Lake Area Amateur Radio Klub	1,775	
K1USN Radio Club	1,680	
Orange County (NY) Amateur Radio Club, Inc	1,617	
Spokane DX ASSN	1,548	
Tioga County Amateur Radio Club	1,479	
CTRI Contest Group	1,240	
SHENVARC	1,144	
Bristol (TN/VA) ARC	1,032	
South Jersey DX ASSN	836	
Kentucky Contest Group	672	
Colorado QRP Club	660	



Saratoga County ARA	660	
Arkansas DX Assn	644	
Bloomington Radio	572	
Orca DX And Contest Club	432	
Randolph County	361	
Mikeoscar Contesting Club	270	
Eastern Fulmont Amateur Radio Club	168	
CWOPS	108	
North Texas Amateur Radio Society	99	
Dupage ARC	98	
Ellsworth Amateur Wireless Association	64	
N3SRC	63	
First State Amateur Radio Club	30	
Goshen Amateur Radio Club	20	
Island HF Radio Association	18	
Snohomish County Hams Club	9	
Rochester Amateur Radio Association	6	
DARC	2	
*NYQP Sponsoring Club		



## A Reminder about the Rules

Please be sure you read and follow the rules for your entry category. We had an issue with self-spotting in 2024—which is allowed for Mobile or Portable stations, but not for fixed stations. Please read all the rules and make sure you're following them. To be eligible for plaques, you must follow the rules for your category.

Speaking of the rules, we expect a couple of minor changes for 2025. Please check back in the September timeframe for updated rules on the website. They will be linked from the main page with a summary of updates, as always.

## Acknowledgments

N2ZN, K2UA, and new committee member N2MG greatly appreciate the following members of the New York QSO Party committee: Doug Stewart, N2BEG (awards), Mike Sanchez, KM2B (treasurer), Chris Shalvoy, K2CS (RDXA Chairman), and the RDXA Board of Directors. We also give special acknowledgment to [WWRoF](#) (please consider a donation) and Bruce Horn, WA7BNM, for providing hosting for <https://nyqp.contesting.com>, log submission (robot), logs received, log checking support, self-service online certificates, the [State QSO Party online calendar](#), and many other key enablers of our success! (We actually can't thank you guys enough!) Finally, we gratefully acknowledge K1RO and N5OT for their reviews and contributions to the 2024 results. Thank you all for your time and efforts!

Be sure to check out the [State QSO Party Challenge](#) website, of which NYQP is a participating contest. The SQP Challenge has contributed to healthy growth of all state QSO parties in recent years, and this year adds a new event to its calendar—the [Atlantic Canada QSO Party](#) on June 7! Get on the air for the ACQP and help them get this new event off the ground!





## In Memoriam: Paul Antos, NS2N, ex WB2ABD



In August of 2024, Niagara Frontier Radiosport (NFR) said goodbye to one of our leading testers with the passing of Paul Antos, NS2N (formerly WB2ABD). Paul was one of the best county hunters around, having worked all US counties a mind boggling six times. He was also an avid QSO party participant, having taken a number of awards in his lifetime.

A seasoned DX'er, Paul was on the DXCC Honor Roll with 344 entities. He also participated for several years at the W2FU M/M contest station. Paul and I once teamed up for a low power CW mobile entry in the 2011 New York QSO Party. We won the category that year, and I gladly presented Paul with the plaque for display in his shack.

He was a past member of several radio clubs, including South Towns Amateur Radio Society, Buffalo Area DX Club, Western New York DX Association Western New York Contest Club, North Coast Testers, and his last, Niagara Frontier Radiosport.

Paul leaves a wife, Diane (KB2NXX) and two sons, Alan (KA2WIK), and Karl. Paul is greatly missed by his NFR friends and the ham community.—Tom Williams, N2CU



## K2QO/M NYQP 2024 Report

My apologies to W2VM, Craig, my contest partner. I promised him we'd do a better score than our 2023 individual scores combined based on a review of last year's data and a new route with more rare counties and full time operation. Boy was I wrong! The correct prediction would have been to say we'll have 50% of our combined 2023 score. Yeah, I got that one WRONG! Craig did some super runs on CW while I was driving, so he pulled his own weight for sure.

The highlights ran the gamut. First up was a lavatory break at the janky grocery store in Avon. It was behind the Employees Only grey doors and through a curtain to a toilet room that was certainly used as a set for a 1950s East German movie. Not like Wegmans at all. That store needs a rehab.

N1MM: If you try to mix 'roverqth' and 'countyline' commands you'll end up with garbage. (*Not if you do it the way [we explain in the help docs on the NYQP website!](#)--Ed.*) It took 6 hours to figure this out. Then, if you leave the default {EXCH} in a macro, it'll send the county that you input to start the program. I had guys telling me it was screwed up but I was confounded and did not fully figure it out until about 10 pm. In S&P I was sending the wrong report for a long time. The LCR is going to be a disaster. (*It wasn't--Ed.*)

IF YOU OPERATE WITH K2QO, EXPECT THAT WE'LL BE RUNNING SKOOKUM ON A MAC. More rant: The Dell PC keyboard sucks, the trackpad *really* sucks, and what is with the 4 buttons that do the same thing. Mind-numbingly dumb . . . just like the PgUp, PgDn and arrow key layout. A first-grader could design better. All this led to bizarre RIT issues and more. Or is it just my Dell laptop?

I tried to follow the procedure used by AD4EB for route planning, but it bombed for me. Not only did I have trouble figuring out where we were, but I made it so that Craig could not follow my notes. We could have just driven 6 hours east and then 6 hours west on any random roads and done better in terms of navigation.

When we finally got to the ALL/CAT line on Rt 243 with a perfect place to park I tried to get a run on 80m. That worked but it also produced 50% dupes as the guys we just worked in ALL wanted CAT. Then driving in CAT, the same thing. The lesson may be to either work 100% county lines or 100% mobile with single county reports. SSB was out of the question. Making a dozen CQs on multiple bands with no responses is a huge time-waster. I know that N2CU/M and other mobiles have great success on SSB but I've never had success on voice.



I need to enhance my expertise in HF mobile communication to achieve a comparable level of proficiency to my VHF rover operations.

73, Mark K2QO



Craig, W2VM, in the driver's seat of the K2QO mobile station. Mark, K2QO, stands beside the vehicle with the Tarheel 75A-HP antenna visible on the roof behind him. Mark and Craig ran 100 W and won their category. (K2QO photo)







Craig, W2VM in the operating position of K2QO/m (K2QO photo)

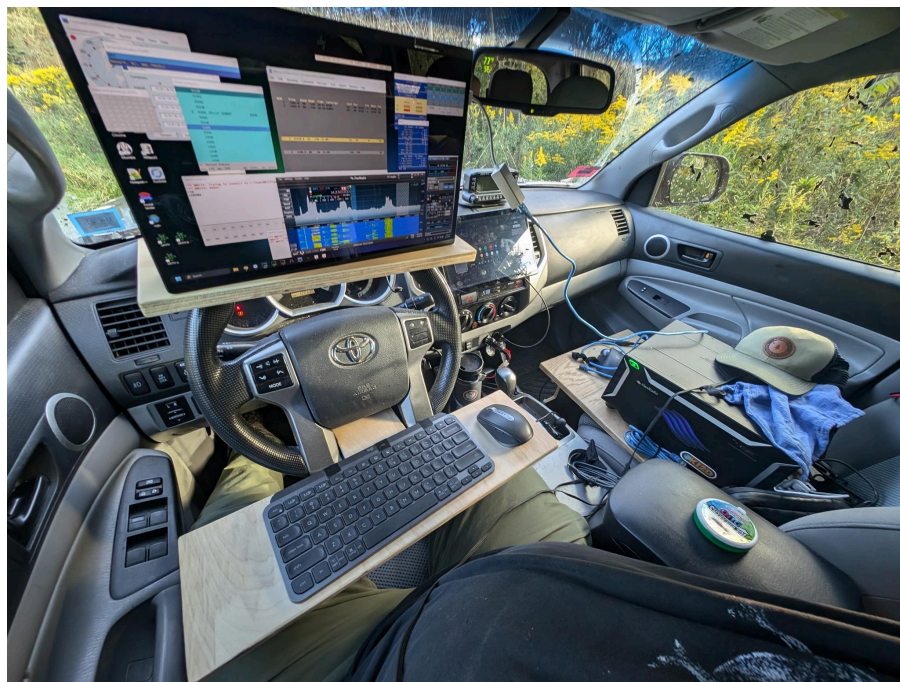




## Photo Gallery



Steve, NN2NN, at his WNY operating position. (NN2NN photo)



Sebastian, KI2D, set up in the Portable category on the Delaware/Sullivan county line and operated from his vehicle, making a 1660-QSO, 162k SSB score! (KI2D photo)







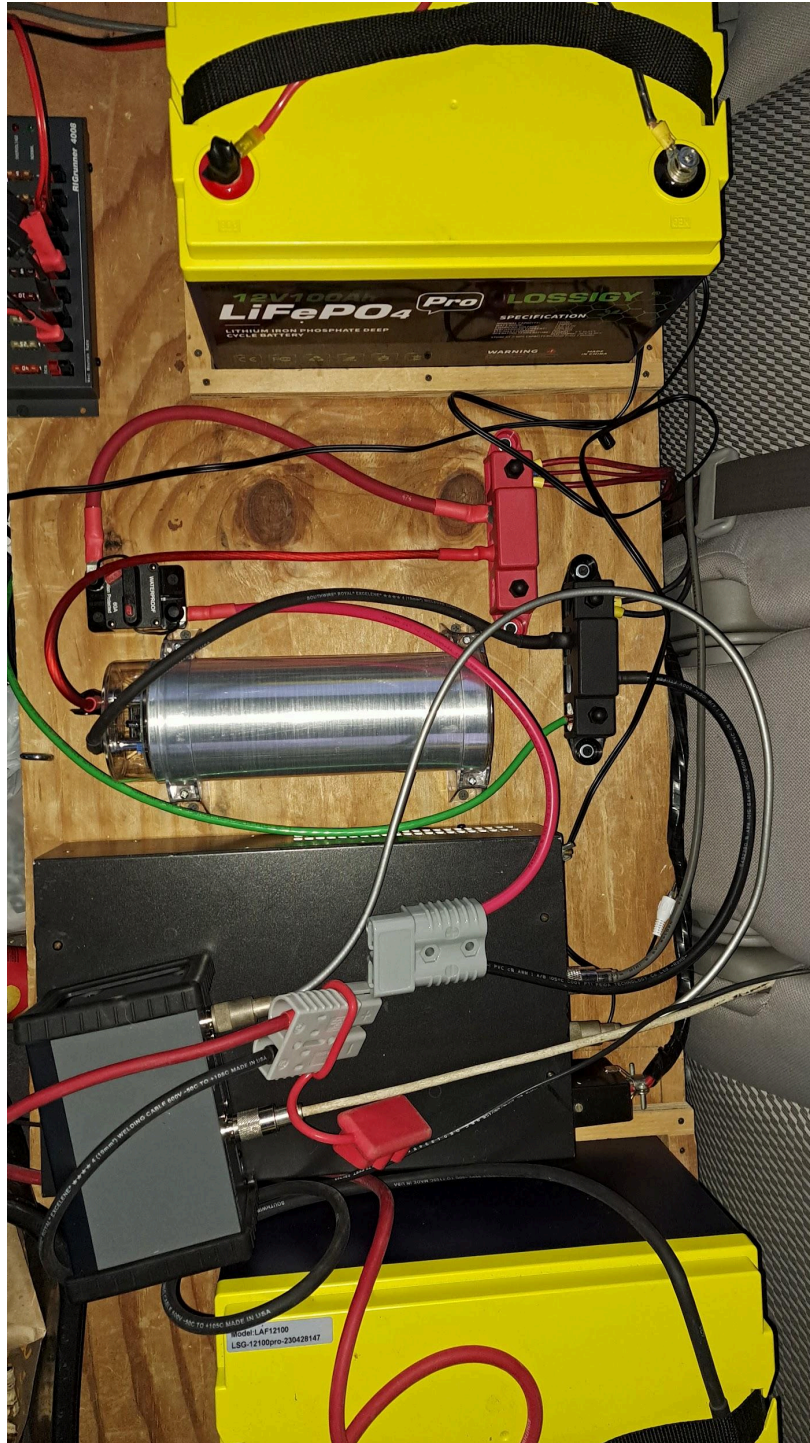
The night before NAQP 2024 in Watkins Glen. L-R: K2UA, KW9A, AG9A, N5OT, N2MG, N2ZN (K2UA photo)



Pre-departure photo in Watkins Glen, Schuyler County. L-R: N2MG's Ford F-150, K2UA's Honda Pilot, N5OT's (KY2N) Toyota Highlander. (K2UA photo)







Part of N5OT's mobile build for the KY2N station. Two 100-Ah LFP batteries (partially visible at bottom) in parallel feed a 100-A circuit breaker, then an Ameritron ALS-600 amplifier in parallel with a Pyle 5-Farad capacitor made for the car audio market. The 100-Ah battery at the top feeds the TS-480SAT (not pictured) and accessory items through the PowerPole power distribution box just to the left of it. (N5OT photo)







N5OT's Tarheel 200A-HP with capacity hat at sunset on Friday evening. Ready to roll. (*K2UA photo*)





It's Go Time: K2UA (left) and N5OT load up for their respective trips in the frosty air (literally) on Saturday morning. (K2UA photo)



Countdown to 14Z! The N2MG Ford F-150, K2UA Honda Pilot, and N5OT Toyota Highlander ready to go with six Tarheel antennas! L-R: N2MG, KW9A, K2UA, AG9A, and N5OT. (Generous bystander photo)







N2MG's mobile operating position from the first of his many county line locations during NYQP 2024. Mike activated 13 counties in a solo operation. (N2MG photo)



The celebratory post-contest breakfast on Sunday in Watkins Glen: An eclectic mix of scrambled eggs, bananas, oatmeal, kettle chips, and leftover pumpkin pie. L-R: KW9A, K2UA, N5OT, AG9A, N2MG. (Mrs N5OT photo)







Score - 11 950 Points

Contest: NY QSOPARTY

Band	Mode	QSOs	Pts	Mult	Pt/Q
3,5	CW	46	92	7	2,0
3,5	LSB	2	2	2	1,0
7	CW	70	140	40	2,0
7	LSB	5	5	1	1,0
<b>Total</b>	<b>Both</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>1,9</b>

Score: 11 950  
1 Mult = 2,5 Q's 04:06h

Counties/Other - 50 mults worked of ...

Worked	Expected	Spotted	Spotted (Dbi Mult)		
ALB	DUT	JEF	ONO	SAR	ULS
ALL	ERI	KIN	ONT	SCO	WAR
BRM	ESS	LEW	ORA	SCU	WAS
BRX	FRA	LIV	ORL	SEN	WAY
CAT	FUL	MAD	OSW	SCH	WES
CAY	GEN	MON	OTS	STE	WYO
CGO	GRE	MTG	PUT	STL	YAT
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All Bands-All Modes

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NEW YORK QSO PARTY 2024  
OM2VL

Laci, OM2VL, had a family event this year but still made 123 QSOs and worked 50 counties in his 4-hour operation. (OM2VL photo)





The KE2X mobile operating position. KE2X drove his Jeep all 630 miles through 19 counties while N2RC operated, making more than 900 contacts, 95% CW. (N2RC photo)



## Soapbox

*Comments are in two sections. The first is from 3830scores.com, followed by the soapbox lines from the submitted logs.*

### 3830scores.com Comments

N2CU

This contest is dedicated to good friend NS2N who became a SK in August. RIP Paul.

The goal is to always do better than last year, but that was not to be this time. Conditions were good but for some reason, I just couldn't get any traction on SSB.

I activated all 12 counties I set out to do but spent too much time trying to find a good spot to operate on a couple of the county lines. Speaking of too much time, NY counties are pretty large, and it took me 45-60 minutes to traverse each to get to the next county line. Thus, my actual operating time is just over half of the contest period. Bummer.

I worked 32 New York counties and 46 states/provinces. If someone told me I'd have more QSOs on 20m than 40m, I'd say they were nuts. But 20m just kept producing everything from backscatter, short skip, to DX.

Thank you to everyone who worked me, especially these big hitters: K1RO (30), WN4AFP, K2SSS, W0ZQ (18), KA6BIM, VE9VIC, WB9HFK, W4PM (16), K2ZR, K9CW, KR2AA (14), W9QL, N9CW, WA8ZBT, N8II, W5TM, N5KW, N5TJ (12), OM2VL, W8PI (10).

FTdx10, Tarheel 75A, N1MM+, two fat fingers typing.–73, Tom, N2CU

K1RO

This was my best NYQP by far. After not using my station since the New England QSO Party in early May, I spent Friday fixing my antennas and updating my computer. I got it all working, but I still have to trim back tree growth that's slowly engulfing and detuning my inverted Vs.

Conditions could not have been better from NH to NY, and I even worked 7 stations on 5 bands. With all the mobile and rover activity to augment the home stations, there was always something to do. Mobiles and rovers accounted for 169 of my QSOs. You guys have great ears!

Special thanks to the organizers for getting all 62 counties on the air! This year I worked 61 counties, missing only NEW (New York). Least worked counties (1 QSO each) were BRX, CGO, JEF, KIN and NAS. Most-worked counties were MON (37) and ERI (34). The last time I worked 61 of the 62 counties was



2016, when I missed SCO. Ironically, this year I had 8 SCO contacts but no NEW. In 2016, I had four NEW contacts but no SCO.

Thanks to everyone who got on the air to make this one of the best operating events of the year!--Mark, K1RO

KE2X

This was the first NYQP mobile operation of N2RC and KE2X and it was a great time! We decided on a 19 County route mainly operating CW. N2RC operated most of the contest with KE2X driving his Jeep for the whole 12 hours! We drove through ORA, SUL, DEL, BRM, COR, ONO, OSW, MAD, ONE, HER, MTG, SCH, ALB, SAR, WAR, ESS, GRE, ULS, and ROC.

Thanks to all stations who worked us including these who chased us around the bands:

Qs per station:

QSOs	Callsign(s)
22	VE9VIC
18	WN4AFP
17	K1RO, W5TM
15	WB9HFK
14	K9CW
13	N5TJ, W9RE
12	K2SSS, K3WJV
11	W9QL
10	AC0W, K5CM, KR2AA, N4CW, W4PM
9	KX2NY
8	K2ZR, K4RUM, KA6BIM, KB9S, KE0TT, N5KW, OM2VL
7	K9PW, K9ZO, N5RZ, NW0M, VE3TM, W1QK, W8PI
6	AB3KP, KB4CG, N8II, VE3TW, W1FM, W2TB, W3WHK, WA5SOG, WA9LEY, WV4AM
5	K0RC, K2YG, K4AMC, K5TIA, K9CT, KG9X, KV0I, KY2N, N2MF, N2NC, N3KN, N5EP, N7EPD, VE3MV, VE5KS, W0ELT, W0PI, W1SSN, WA2CP

Total trip was 630 miles in a Jeep with a Yaesu FT-991A, N1MM+ and a Little Tarheel.--73, Mike, N2RC

W2LC

That was both fun and exhausting at the same time. Doing a single-op mobile is challenging. I did only two county lines at the same as last year, but did much better QSO-wise. The two county lines really helped the score with the 2 for 1 QSOs. Maybe that's 1 for 2. CAY/WAY accounted for 344 QSOs of my total. I was able to do 20, 40 and 80 from CAY/WAY as my last stop. 190 in OSW/JEF, 107 in LEW, and 29 more in JEF by itself. Tried SSB for 3 QSOs but that was a bust, CW only next time!





I remembered my 80 and 40 antennas this time, but 40 during the day wasn't too productive for me, probably too weak. But I did far better on 40 m overall, the late afternoon and evening was great on 40. 20 m had some great short skip.

My county total (23) is really bad, but I was calling CQ all the time going for the QSO total. 45 states and provinces, okay there. So my score suffered due to lack of mults.

My travel time between operating stops was kind of long, but the places I stopped were all good. I wanted to do Tug Hill (LEW) for the view. It was a really nice day but it is windy in Lewis county on the hill! Many sightseers. A great place for the fall foliage. Try Moose River Rd in the fall between Lowville and Old Forge for some great scenery. A lot of dirt roads on Tug Hill, so I stopped on a seasonal road by the windmills.

Thanks for all the QSOs!--73 Scott W2LC

K8MR

A good event. I didn't expect 20 meter propagation from Ohio to New York on 20 meters, but it was there. I got W2FU on 160 for a double QSO with the Stu Perry test. I worked a few other guys in FN12 in the SP, but didn't get an NYQP QSO with them.

Just a complaint from us folks in Cleveland hosting some visitors from New York who weren't very nice to us :-(-73, Jim K8MR

N2BEG

I really enjoyed this outing. Activated CLI, ESS, HAM and FRA. My plan was last minute as it turned out as I had canceled the trip earlier due to a conflict that then changed.

The weather was PERFECT. Bands were GREAT, Equipment... well, worked mostly. My old laptop refused to connect with my rig (in the same configuration as used previously??!!) and I had no time to debug. I also really needed to read up on the new rules since I last mobiled in NYQP. The county line mode is HUGE. However, since my radio wasn't connected to my laptop, and I had zero familiarity of how to use the function correctly (and no internet access where I was) I had to log manually which was a real PITA. I wound up logging every county line QSO twice then editing the county field manually in the log as I went so I wouldn't mess up (I don't recommend this!) Wasted some time there and the drive between county lines is rather far in some places. I will be better prepared next year.

Wound up with about 7 hours of the 12 actually operating. I couldn't log while driving so all operating was at stops. (I had thought about recording QSOs with my digital recorder then going back and transcribing but decided against that without trying it first). My tarheel is VERY touchy on 80m and really



doesn't like the CW portion of the band. I need to address that. Everywhere else it worked great. It was a long day but I had a blast.

Thanks for all the Qs from RDXA club members!--73, *Doug, N2BEG*

KY2N

A pile of NYQP enthusiasts met up in New York to coordinate a number of mobiles to go out and put some counties on the air.

Mark AG9A and I headed out Saturday to put 21 counties on the air. Boy did we have a great time. Thanks to everyone who worked us, and especially those who tracked us from county to county and band to band. You put it over the top for us.

Thanks to Rus, K2UA, Ken, N2ZN, Mike, N2MG, Dave, KW9A, and my wonderful wife Kathy (Mrs OT) for a spectacular weekend to remember.

Driving those country roads, the scenery almost made us want to turn off the radio, but we didn't :-)

Anyway, that was great fun!--73, *Mark, N5OT, and Mark, AG9A*

WN4AFP

I was racing against VE9VIC right to the finish line. I took a couple of hours off today to clean out my gutters. I was able to work New York on five bands today, so that was pretty cool. Thanks to all the mobiles that kept me on my toes and in my chair... K2QO, K2UA, KE2X, KY2N, N2BEG, N2CU, N2MG and W2LC. Station: IC-7300, 80 m OCF Dipole NW/SE at 35 feet.--73 *Dave WN4AFP*

W2FU

What an event, fun to watch and listen to the growth of four young operators as the contest went on. From the ages of 9 through 15, Maggie KE2AIZ, Dora KE2AJA, Toby KE2EDK and Alanna KE2AIY made the large majority of our 744 SSB QSOs, along with help from Remote Op WA2BCK. K2AXX did most of the CW with just one short break help from me.

Four stations, all K3S, in operation for much of the contest, down to two at the end as there were only two bands workable by then.

Congratulations to our young team and their dad/chief mentor, K0SM.

We will definitely be doing more of these going forward. (NAQP SSB?)

Jeff, W2FU



AA4TI

Nice QSO party this year with more operators from New York venturing up to 20, 15, and even 10 meters. Great activity and much more fun this year for us folks that cannot work New York during the daylight hours on 40 and 80 meters. Overall NYQP 2024 was a good time and I expect scores will reflect that.

K2UA

As N5OT wrote in the KY2N writeup, we had a nice gathering of longtime friends in WNY where we initiated our three mobile efforts: N2MG, KY2N (N5OT, AG9A), and K2UA (+KW9A). Starting the Wednesday before the contest, Mr and Mrs N5OT began their drive from Oklahoma, and then on Thursday, KW9A and AG9A began their trip from Illinois to converge on Watkins Glen where the NYQP amigos N2MG, N2ZN, and K2UA all met to spend Friday evening at an Airbnb. A bunch of building and testing ensued, followed by an evening of pizza, planning, and reviewing maps and routes.

N2ZN, though he was unable to go mobile this year with N2MG, did a great job of route planning as usual and put us on three different routes to maximize our county coverage. We tried hard to give out as many counties as possible from the three mobiles without overlapping too much with our friends N2CU and K2QO in the Western counties. We did three separate loops that, taken together, resembled a clover, and reconverged on the AirBnB late Saturday night. We all made it with no major issues!

We covered 591 miles and 23 counties--both of which are new high-water marks for K2UA mobile efforts in NYQP, including some counties that had no reported QSOs last year. Here's the county breakdown (not in order of travel):

ALB--85 QSOs

BRM--83

CHE--33

COL--73

COR--54

DEL--66

DUT--87

GRE--69

HER--26

MAD--58

ONE--41

ONO--53

ORA--73

OTS--74

PUT--29 (we'd have had more but the Taconic Parkway gave us nowhere to pull off and work down the massive pileup!

ROC--114



SCH--36  
SCO--65  
SCU--22  
SUL--88  
TIO--63  
TOM--61  
WES--40

Thanks to all for the QSOs and great activity!

My heartfelt thanks to AG9A, KW9A, and Mr and Mrs N5OT for making the long trip to New York just to participate in NYQP 2024--it was full of great memories for me!--73, Rus, K2UA

#### Soapbox Comments

AD4GG: Thanks to everyone who participated from New York and to the event organizers for putting this together. I had a great time!

K2EAG: Portable QRP CW from SCU county

K2MN: Used two indoor fan dipoles and 90 watts.

K3GHH: Operating from remote Adirondack camp, using new OCF 80m dipole up about 15 feet. It worked beautifully!

K3TW: Many thanks for another very enjoyable New York QSO Party.

K4GSX: TKS NY OPs--rig hr ran only 8.6 W to a long wire ant

KA0PQW: fun contest 73 matt ka0pqw

KC2PSA: I activated Queens from a local city park 1 mile walk away from home. I used a Yaesu FT-891 with 50 watts into a Chelegance MC-750 GP antenna. WX was sunny, high of 72 degrees F. I operated for a little over two hours but had to stop because I got too cold. I am happy to have beaten not only my QSO rate and score from last year but also my own goal of 50 QSOs this year. I pushed myself to operate CW faster and used a minimalist QSO protocol. I'm grateful for everyone's patience while I worked through many exciting pileups. I logged in a notebook, then transcribed the logs into FLEcli to create an ADIF file. I then imported that file into RumLog NG to add the exchanges, calculate my score, and export a Cabrillo file. I was able to contact 9 unique NY counties, 26 US states (including NY), and 2 Canadian provinces. They were as far west as Oregon and Arizona, south as Florida, east as Maine and New Brunswick, and north as Ontario. Thank you for organizing a fantastic contest! Thank you all for the



QSOs!

KE0TT: 100 watts to wires. Good condx, thanks for the fun! 73, Dan ke0tt

N2KW: Mobile operation. Too hot in mid-day, too dark after 8 pm, too old for /m (78) N1MM to transcribe. NOT! KIN=11:42-12:25 QUE=5:30-6:35 NAS=6:40-6:55; too dark to continue.

N2TO: Thanks for a great contest. Portable, Richmond Cty, FT-857D, CW 5 W, Phone 20 W, homemade 44-ft center-fed inverted-V doublet up 18 ft

N7AME: Where was everyone> WWA was devoid of NY QSO

N7MZW: 100 Watts and a Wire station. I gave out the Wyoming Mult to those I encountered, while working 139 POTA Stations. 73 de November Seven Many Zebras Walking

NO2D: New York QSO Party running QRP from Colorado

NQ2W: Great job organizing a great party RDXA! Thanks for the Qs and the opportunity to participate! Great fun!--73, Will, NQ2W

SP1AEN: RIG: FTDX 3000 50 watts, ant longwire

VE3INE: I am a YL who was first licensed in January 2023

W1KDA: Only had 4 hours to spend on the radio - Always look forward to this QSO Party - Hopefully I can do the whole contest next year!

W1QK: Thanks for the contacts. Thank you for sponsoring the contest. 73 - Dan, W1QK

W2EMC: POTA US-8063

W2OW: Operated from Kopernik Observatory & Science Center, Vestal, NY

W8KNO: WORKED HAMILTON COUNTY TO COMPLETE WORKED ALL NEW YORK COUNTIES!

W9RE: Good activity and only missed a handful of county operations.

WA2CNV: Only had one hour and five minutes to operate, but it was great fun!

K4SBZ: Too many NY stations on 40 M during the afternoon when 20 is wide open. If they want this to be a national contest, they need to work out-of-state stations, not their buddy nextdoor. (*Thanks for the*



*13-QSO log, Stan. Note that all of W1, W2, W3, W8, W9, northern W4, VE2, and all the populated areas of VE3—literally tens of millions of people—are well within the daytime coverage zone of NYS on 40 meters and are key areas of population for NYQP entrants. Not all QSO parties are the same, and it's up to each entrant to choose their strategy to maximize their score and their fun in the contest.--Ed.)*

WQ6X: This is another WQ6X QRP NYQP from Anza. This weekend was about running EVERYTHING QRP from the WA6TQT Super Station. That said, while I always hoped for more participants in their own QSO parties, there were plenty of NY stations. The problem is, ending your QSO party occurs JUST as the lower band(s) are opening to the NY area. Give us just two more hours and I will be happy. I ran Anza STN-2 using a 40-meter thru 10-meter stacked arrays, fix-pointed 60-degrees azimuth.



# NYQP Records as of the 2024 Contest

## New York Records

2024 records are **highlighted**.

Category	Power	Mode	Call	CW Q	SSB Q	RY Q	Mults	Score	Year	Location	Operator(s)	Station
Single Operator	QRP	SSB	W2RTY	-	566	-	87	49,242	2011	WAY	W1TY	
Single Operator	Low	SSB	K2XA	-	918	-	102	93,636	2020	ALB		
Single Operator	High	SSB	K2XA	-	1419	-	104	147,576	2017	ALB		
<b>Single Operator</b>	<b>QRP</b>	<b>CW</b>	<b>NQ2W</b>	<b>557</b>	-	-	<b>86</b>	<b>95,804</b>	<b>2024</b>	WAR		
<b>Single Operator</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>CW</b>	<b>K2ZR</b>	<b>748</b>	-	-	<b>104</b>	<b>155,584</b>	<b>2024</b>	NIA		
<b>Single Operator</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>CW</b>	<b>K2SSS</b>	<b>991</b>	-	-	<b>112</b>	<b>221,984</b>	<b>2024</b>	MON		
Single Operator	QRP	Mixed	AB3CX	428	109	0	100	96,500	2023	OTS		
Single Operator	Low	Mixed	WB2SIH	398	378	0	100	117,400	2021	WAR		
<b>Single Operator</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Mixed</b>	<b>N2MF</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>214,438</b>	<b>2024</b>	ONO		
Multi-Multi	High	Mixed	W2RDX					367,425	2015	MON	K2SI, KC2VHS, K2RNY, KOSM, NW2K, N2ZN, W2FU	W2FU
<b>Multi-Multi</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>Mixed</b>	<b>W2FU</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>737</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>211,568</b>	<b>2024</b>	MON	<b>KE2AIZ KE2AJA KE2AIY KE2EDK K2AXX WA2BCK W2FU</b>	
Multi-Single	High	Mixed	W2CCC	0	857	0	106	90,842	2010	HER	AF2K, K2CS, N2TWI, N2ZN, WB2HJV	
Multi-Single	Low	Mixed	W2SO	436	392	1	100	126,700	2017	ERI		
Single Op Mobile	Low	SSB	N2TOM	-	173	-	63	10,899	2016	ESS		
Single Op Mobile	High	SSB	KOBAK	-	550	-	75	41,250	2022	NEW, BRX, KIN, QUE, RIC		
Single Op Mobile	Low	CW	NT2A					92,048	2014			
Single Op Mobile	High	CW	K2UA	1532	-	-	75	229,800	2022	BRM CAY CHE COR ONO ONT OSW SCU SEN STE TIO TOM WAY YAT		
Single Op Mobile	Low	Mixed	N2CU	1118	423	-	87	231,333	2023	ALL CAT CHA ERI LIV ONT SCU STE TOM WYO YAT		
Single Op Mobile	High	Mixed	KOBAK					16,252	2015			
Multi-Single Mobile	Low	SSB	K2MTH	-	167		71	11,857	2010		K2MTH, W3OAB	
Multi-Single Mobile	High	SSB	<b>No Entry</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Multi-Single Mobile	Low	CW	N2ZN	944	-	-	78	147,264	2014		N2ZN, NW2K	
Multi-Single Mobile	High	CW	K2UA	1365	-	-	86	234,780	2023	BRM CAY CHE COR FUL HAM HER JEF LEW MAD MTG ONE ONO OSW SCU SEN TIO TOM	AG9A, K2UA	
Multi-Single Mobile	Low	Mixed	K2QO	1019	10	-	78	159,744	2023	ALL CAT ERI GEN LIV MON NIA ONT ORL STE WYO YAT	K2QO, KC2EHT	





Multi-Single Mobile	High	Mixed	K2UA	1323	60	-	89	240,834	2024	ALB BRM CHE COL COR DEL DUT GRE HER MAD ONE ONO ORA OTS PUT ROC SCH SCO SCU SUL TIO TOM WES	KW9A, K2UA
Single Op Portable	QRP	SSB	K3WGI	-	11	-	10	110	2024	SCU	
Single Op Portable	Low	SSB	KI2D	0	1660	-	98	162,680	2024	DEL SUL	
Single Op Portable	High	SSB	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Single Op Portable	QRP	CW	K2EAG	243	-	-	65	31,590	2023	SCU	
Single Op Portable	Low	CW	N2JJ	113	-	-	37	8,362	2024	SAR WAS	
Single Op Portable	High	CW	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Single Op Portable	QRP	Mixed	N2JJ	210	32	-	56	25,312	2022	MTG SCO	
Single Op Portable	Low	Mixed	K2WP M	87	593	-	86	65,962	2023	PUT WES	
Single Op Portable	High	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Portable Multi-Multi	High	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Multi-Multi Portable	Low	Mixed	KX2NY	650	270	-	110	172,700	2024	COL	W2XL, K4HA
Multi-Single Portable	High	Mixed	WW2Y	437	491	-	109	148,785	2022	FRA	WW2Y, W2KV
Multi-Single Portable	Low	Mixed	K2S	13	872	-	102	91,596	2023	SUL	KI2D



# Non-New York Records

2024 records are **highlighted**.

Category	Power	Mode	Call	CW Q	SSB Q	RY Q	Mults	Score	Year	Location	Operator(s)
Single Operator	QRP	SSB	KB3FHK					5,088	2014	PA	
Single Operator	Low	SSB	N3AAA	-	231	-	53	12,243	2023	PA	
Single Operator	High	SSB	W1KDA	-	245	-	55	13,475	2021	RI	
Single Operator	QRP	CW	K3TW	131	-	-	50	13,100	2024	FL	
Single Operator	Low	CW	WN4AFP	252	-	-	58	29,232	2024	SC	
Single Operator	High	CW	NA1NA	287	-	-	51	29,274	2022		
Single Operator	QRP	Mixed	N3TWM					14,056	2016	PA	
Single Operator	Low	Mixed	K1RO	303	175	0	61	47,641	2024	NH	
Single Operator	High	Mixed	OM2VL	226	119	2	58	33,466	2022	DX	
Multi-Multi	High	-	K3CCR					15,052	2015	MD	K3DI, N3UM, W3GB
Multi-Multi	Low	-	K2KAR	110	85	0	50	15,250	2024	OH	K2KAR N4HA1 N8QL W8CMP
Multi-Single	High	-	W1FM	127	73	0	53	17,331	2024	MA	W1FM, N1SOH
Multi-Single	Low	-	W4THI	63	21	0	33	4,851	2020	FL	
Single Op Mobile	Low	SSB	KE8ZLT	-	22	-	19	418	2024	OH	
Single Op Mobile	High	SSB	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Single Op Mobile	Low	CW	W8UE	48	-	-	21	2,016	2022	MI	
Single Op Mobile	High	CW	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Single Op Mobile	Low	Mixed	WA9LEY	56	12	0	28	3,472	2020	IL	
Single Op Mobile	High	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M/S-Mobile	Low	SSB	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M/S-Mobile	High	SSB	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M/S-Mobile	Low	CW	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M/S-Mobile	High	CW	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M/S-Mobile	Low	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M/S-Mobile	High	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SO-Portable	QRP	SSB	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SO-Portable	Low	SSB	VE3GKT	-	58	-	34	1,972	2024	ON	
SO-Portable	High	SSB	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SO-Portable	QRP	CW	N1RBD	11	-	-	7	154	2023	GA	
SO-Portable	Low	CW	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SO-Portable	High	CW	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SO-Portable	QRP	Mixed	W7LG	8	4	0	11	220	2023	NC	
SO-Portable	Low	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SO-Portable	High	Mixed	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portable Multi-Multi	High	-	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portable Multi-Multi	Low	-	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portable Multi-Single	High	-	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portable Multi-Single	Low	-	No Entry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



# NYQP 2024 County Activation Statistics

## New York Counties

*How to interpret this table:* The TX columns of this table show the number of QSOs appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants from inside New York. (In the first row, logs from stations in Erie County included a total of 4702 QSOs with all other stations.) The RX columns show the number of QSOs appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants from outside of New York. (In the first row, logs from all other locations reported a total of 3703 QSOs with stations in Erie County.) All totals are based on logs as they were submitted, so they include duplicate contacts.

County	TX Total	TX CW	TX Phone	TX DG	RX Total	RX CW	RX Phone	RX DG
ERI	4702	3211	1466	25	3703	2698	1004	1
MON	3869	2216	1653	0	3045	1990	1055	0
SUF	3174	1789	1385	0	2475	1534	941	0
NIA	2980	1760	1220	0	1926	1452	474	0
ONO	2835	1415	1420	0	1741	991	750	0
RIC	2590	1259	1331	0	1574	973	601	0
DUT	2117	739	1378	0	1548	645	903	0
FRA	1334	785	549	0	925	615	310	0
WAR	1288	1034	254	0	1062	853	209	0
OTS	1279	791	488	0	860	607	253	0
OSW	1213	1010	203	0	931	793	138	0
COL	1175	751	424	0	896	590	306	0
STE	1132	863	269	0	879	691	188	0
DEL	1093	207	886	0	449	178	271	0
SUL	1053	139	914	0	417	131	286	0
ALB	878	390	488	0	667	349	318	0
WES	854	261	593	0	693	246	447	0
LIV	840	347	493	0	679	297	382	0
SCO	758	157	601	0	519	134	385	0
GEN	746	436	310	0	594	364	230	0



ULS	733	600	133	0	570	464	106	0
WAY	732	238	494	0	552	186	366	0
FUL	719	139	580	0	470	125	345	0
STL	674	288	386	0	471	267	204	0
GRE	642	212	430	0	414	192	222	0
SCU	636	444	192	0	495	356	139	0
BRM	595	242	353	0	493	219	274	0
NAS	591	59	532	0	401	92	309	0
ESS	580	543	37	0	486	448	38	0
CAT	570	136	434	0	317	113	204	0
CHE	557	339	218	0	486	288	198	0
REN	508	81	427	0	265	82	183	0
ONT	491	418	73	0	462	361	101	0
CLI	420	180	240	0	344	147	197	0
TOM	420	394	26	0	417	350	67	0
SAR	401	367	33	1	374	332	42	0
JEF	346	123	223	0	153	101	52	0
CAY	335	275	60	0	279	222	57	0
LEW	333	107	226	0	144	89	55	0
ORL	321	280	41	0	426	272	154	0
YAT	318	318	0	0	319	261	58	0
ORA	294	151	143	0	241	135	106	0
SEN	254	254	0	0	199	199	0	0
HAM	252	57	195	0	327	104	223	0
WYO	235	182	53	0	151	129	22	0
ALL	222	222	0	0	210	185	25	0
MAD	215	123	92	0	207	113	94	0
WAS	205	80	125	0	166	65	101	0
QUE	177	96	81	0	165	90	75	0
TIO	165	163	2	0	281	274	7	0
COR	164	80	84	0	146	74	72	0
CGO	160	0	160	0	122	1	121	0
HER	152	110	42	0	140	96	44	0



ROC	144	143	1	0	139	117	22	0
ONE	142	142	0	0	129	119	10	0
PUT	130	130	0	0	120	109	11	0
CHA	96	87	9	0	188	80	108	0
SCH	92	74	18	0	111	65	46	0
MTG	90	90	0	0	118	73	45	0
KIN	17	17	0	0	56	31	25	0
NEW	14	14	0	0	23	15	8	0
BRX	10	10	0	0	71	10	61	0



## US States

*How to interpret this table:* The TX columns of this table show the number of QSOs with stations appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants from US states other than New York.\* (In the first row, Minnesota stations submitted a total of 1896 QSOs with New York stations.) The RX columns show the number of QSOs with US states appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants in New York. (In the first row, logs submitted by New York stations included a total of 2277 QSOs with stations in Minnesota.) All totals are based on logs as they were submitted, so they include duplicate contacts. Congratulations to Minnesota on their clear leadership in out-of-state QSO totals, followed by Pennsylvania and Illinois for second and third!

*\*A few entrants submitted logs with 'NY' as the received exchanged, rather than the appropriate county, which is why there's a linen showing NY in this table.*

State	TX Total	TX CW	TX Phone	TX DG	RX Total	RX CW	RX Phone	RX DG
MN	1896	1536	360	0	2277	1743	534	0
PA	1593	806	787	0	2557	1170	1387	0
IL	1417	1193	224	0	1881	1411	467	3
TX	1211	1095	116	0	1887	1347	540	0
NJ	1105	807	298	0	1724	1065	659	0
OH	992	662	330	0	1595	740	853	2
OK	872	733	139	0	1012	764	248	0
VA	798	507	291	0	1798	915	882	1
NC	759	561	198	0	1248	697	550	1
IN	709	511	198	0	1054	589	465	0
FL	666	560	106	0	1250	775	474	1
SC	665	575	89	1	921	687	233	1
TN	581	507	74	0	932	597	334	1
MD	502	400	102	0	848	546	302	0
NH	489	307	182	0	554	344	210	0
GA	443	389	54	0	847	536	311	0
KS	422	365	57	0	489	369	120	0
MA	420	214	206	0	641	246	394	1
WI	393	365	28	0	676	437	239	0
CT	371	328	43	0	518	345	172	1
OR	290	239	51	0	374	283	91	0



WV	267	169	98	0	462	175	287	0
AZ	250	208	42	0	353	240	111	2
AR	216	161	55	0	304	178	126	0
MI	212	172	40	0	729	298	431	0
WA	206	172	34	0	310	212	98	0
CA	195	175	20	0	446	273	172	1
MO	189	161	28	0	365	204	161	0
ME	137	88	49	0	236	103	133	0
NE	134	92	42	0	161	101	60	0
VT	119	119	0	0	157	117	40	0
AL	105	47	58	0	297	91	206	0
CO	89	75	14	0	202	123	79	0
KY	79	63	16	0	324	135	189	0
RI	76	0	76	0	202	86	116	0
MS	66	52	14	0	101	52	49	0
LA	51	0	51	0	117	19	98	0
WY	31	0	31	0	37	2	35	0
MT	26	24	2	0	47	32	15	0
NM	24	0	24	0	65	11	54	0
DE	10	0	10	0	130	42	87	1
ND	4	0	4	0	30	6	24	0
IA	0	0	0	0	133	63	69	1
UT	0	0	0	0	61	39	22	0
ID	0	0	0	0	37	10	27	0
SD	0	0	0	0	34	14	20	0
AK	0	0	0	0	31	16	15	0
NV	0	0	0	0	20	5	15	0
NY	0	0	0	0	12	10	2	0
HI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0





## Canada

*How to interpret this table:* The TX columns of this table show the number of QSOs appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants from Canadian provinces. (In the first row, Ontario stations submitted a total of 1084 QSOs with New York stations.) The RX columns show the number of Canadian QSOs appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants in New York. (In the first row, logs submitted by New York stations included a total of 1567 QSOs with stations in Ontario.) All totals are based on logs as they were submitted, so they include duplicate contacts.

Province	TX Total	TX CW	TX Phone	TX DG	RX Total	RX CW	RX Phone	RX DG
ON	1084	728	356	0	1567	885	682	0
NB	377	252	125	0	390	254	136	0
SK	128	96	32	0	129	96	33	0
QC	108	49	59	0	165	52	112	1
NS	88	0	88	0	122	1	121	0
BC	29	29	0	0	57	50	7	0
AB	22	16	6	0	31	18	13	0
MB	11	9	2	0	23	10	13	0
PE	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	0
NL	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	0
GH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## DX

*How to interpret this table:* The TX columns of this table show the number of QSOs appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants from outside the US and Canada. (In the first row, DX stations submitted a total of 218 QSOs with New York stations.) The RX columns show the number of DX QSOs appearing in logs submitted by NYQP entrants in New York. (In the first row, logs submitted by New York stations included a total of 993 QSOs with DX stations.) All totals are based on logs as they were submitted, so they include duplicate contacts.

QTH	TX Total	TX CW	TX Phone	TX DG	RX Total	RX CW	RX Phone	RX DG
DX	218	194	24	0	993	568	417	8

*A special thanks to Mike, N2MG for generating the activation statistics.*



## A Farewell to Kathy



Mrs (Kathy) and Mr (Mark) N5OT arriving in Watkins Glen for NYQP 2024. (K2UA photo)

Kathy Stewart and Mark Beckwith met while singing professionally in Los Angeles in the 1980s. They were married for more than 30 years. Dear friends of mine for many years, they had made the drive from Northern Oklahoma to Watkins Glen for NYQP in October 2024 for Mark's first-of-many NYQP mobile adventures. Mark loves radio, of course—and Kathy *loved* road trips. Especially to oddball destinations. World's largest ball of twine? Been there. Larger-than-life sculptures made of unusual objects? Done that—lots of variations of that. Extremely large musical instruments? That too.

Kathy had made quite a life collecting road-trip adventures with Mark. None of us knew it at the time, but this would be Kathy's final road trip for fun. We lost her to pancreatic cancer in early February.

Kathy's presence in any group brought joy and laughter. She was talented in many ways—her music was an enormous gift—but I think the thing she did best was connect with people. We were delighted that she chose to travel with Mark to spend the weekend with us (AG9A, KW9A, N2ZN, N2MG, and me) in October. It was a bright and fun weekend full of *that much more* laughter and joy because she did so. It was too short. We will miss her always.—Rus, K2UA



# Mark Your Calendar for NYQP 2025

We hope to see you all on **October 18, 2025**, for **12 hours beginning at 14Z**, for NYQP 2025!

Be sure to bookmark <https://nyqp.org> and check often for updates to the rules and other resources like live mobile tracking, coming for 2025. We are brewing some other really interesting ideas to spice up NYQP—so keep an eye on the website!

We welcome you to follow the NYQP Facebook page and become part of our community to get the latest news and announcements. Be sure to add your NYQP comments, stories, and photos there! You'll find us there by searching for "NY QSO Party (NYQP)."

Finally, we always welcome your comments and questions at [info@nyqp.org](mailto:info@nyqp.org).

–73, Rus, K2UA, Ken, N2ZN, and Mike, N2MG

