



Results of the NTC QSO Party – June 2023

The bands are clearly getting worse... 80m is becoming unusable and 20m is not very good for DX (In case you are wondering what DX is: contacts outside your continent). This special edition of the QSO party was focused on working DX for 5 bonus points. Several people gave it a try which resulted in a new NTC member: WA3AAN, welcome Grant! Other DX stations worked were VO1/VE7AHA on 20 meters and RU9AD on 40 meters.

Enno PF5X collected 10 bonus points which gave him a first place in the Electronic keying section. Grant WA3AAN collected 15 bonus points by working 3 stations from Europe and 5 bonus point go to PA4OES and ON6NL. Next year I will consider moving the DX special to a later month when propagation is better...

Hannes DJ0SP claimed the High Score in the mechanical section using a Junker straight key, well done!

Electronic Keying

Call	QSO	80m	40m	20m	Score	
DJ9BM	12		12		25	
DL4FDM	14		14		27	
F6JOE	23		23		46	
I5ECW	17		16	1	35	
IK1YRA	6		6		12	
IN3FHE	28	1	27		55	Third place
ON6NL	22		18	4	48	
PA0CMU	25		24	1	49	
PA4M	26		26		52	
PC6R	15		15		30	
PF5X	32		28	4	69	High Score
PI4NTC	21		20	1	41	
SP7OGP	16		16		33	
S58MU	29	1	26	2	56	Second place
SQ9S	23		23		44	
SV9RPE	3		3		6	
UA6AX	14		9	5	29	
WA3AAN	8			8	25	

Mechanical Key Section (BUGs, Straight Keys and Cooties)

Call	QSO	80m	40m	20m	Score		
DJ0SP	25		25		48	Junker SK	High Score
DJ3TU	17		17		35	Bug	
DL1DXL	24	5	19		44	Vibroplex Bug	Second place
F8DTU	3		2	1	6	Cootie	
ON7DQ	15	1	12	2	31	Cootie	
OK1DZD	7	1	6		13	SK, QRP 1W	
OK1LO	12		12		23	QRP 5W	
OK2BVX	25		25		42		Third place
PA0SIM	21		20	1	41	Bug	
PA0RBA	14		14		29	Begali Spark SK	
PA3EEG	17		17		32	Junker SK	
PA3EYM	19		19		37	Speed-X Bug	
PA3HEB	18		18		34	Straight Key	
PA4OES	14		11	3	30	Junker SK	
PE0CD	7		7		12		



Dutch Soapbox:

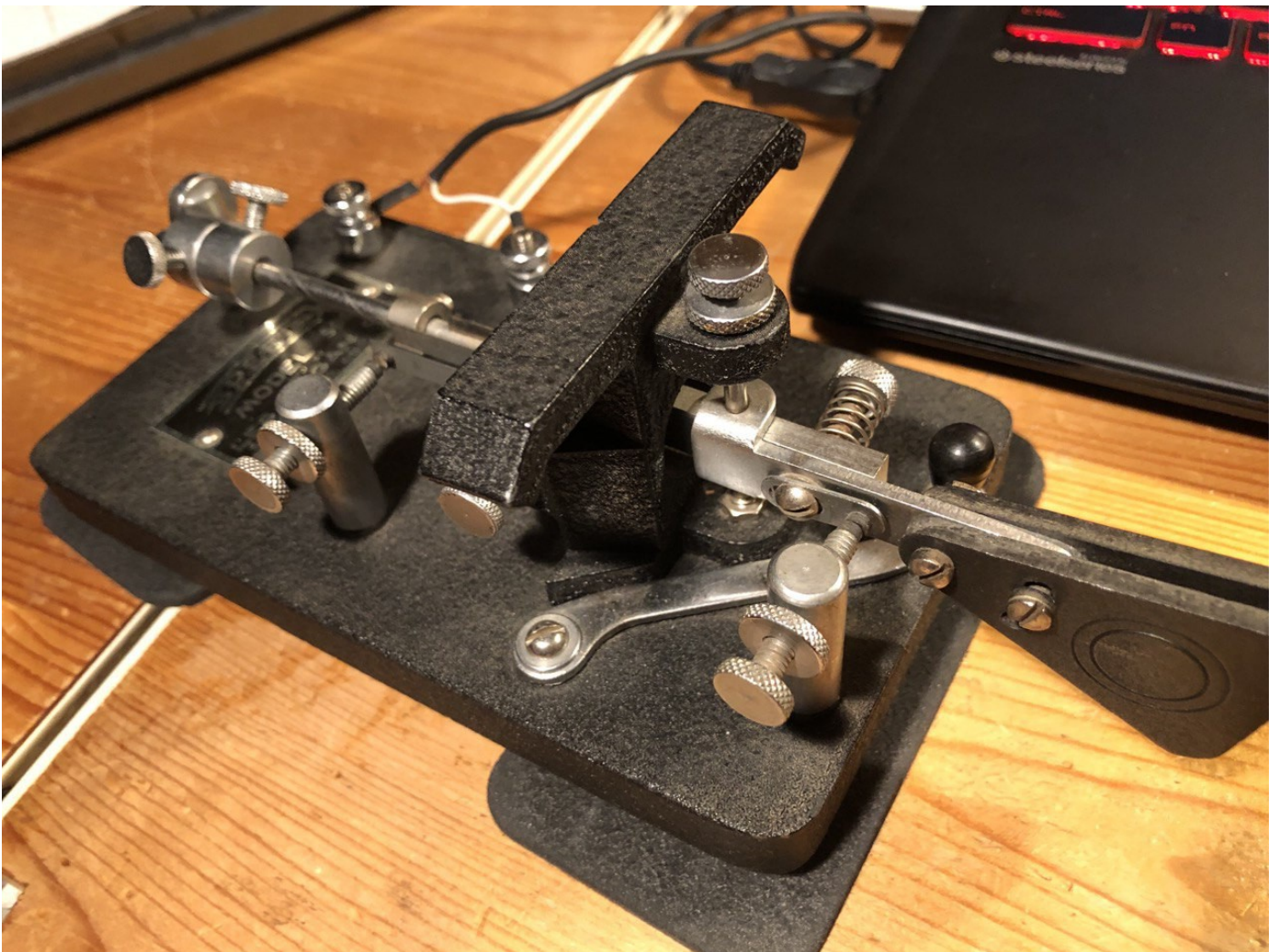
Andre PA4OES: Bedankt, Zo kan ik mooi oefenen. Begonnen op 20 mtr maar kon geen NTC stations vinden, wel Canada en Italië gewerkt. Toen naar 40 mtr daar waren meer stations. Totaal 14 QSO's Ontvangen en direct de juiste letter of cijfer hebben gaat me vaak nog niet goed af. Ja Ja, blijven oefenen. Ik weet het. :-)

Vandaag bij de RSGB Morse examen gedaan. Om voor mezelf te bewijzen dat ik het kan. Ik ben begonnen op 5 WPM. Nou, het is gelukt, maar je zit gewoon te wachten op het volgende teken. Dus binnenkort maar eens 10 WPM doen en in de tussentijd lekker door oefenen.

Anton ON6NL: Zo waar een DX station gewerkt! Bedankt WA3AAN! Verder rustig maar wat wil je bij 30 graden! Iedereen een goede vakantie gewenst.

English Soapbox:

Here is a picture of the Les Logan Speed-X bug shared by *Gert PA3EYM* on our Telegram channel :-)





Summary Electronic Keying Section

Call	jan	feb	mar	april	may	june	Total
2E0OBO	5						56
DJ9BM		27	35			25	87
DK8RE		10					10
DK9HE		31	35				66
DL3HAE	18	30	23	26			97
DL4FDM						27	27
DL4HJ	16	27	37				80
DF4WX	34	49					83
F6JOE						46	46
G0LLX		30	26	23	19		98
G4RTJ		11	4	6			21
HB9EWO	16	25			22		63
I5ECW	18	62	51	37	41	35	244
IK1YRA					39	12	51
IN3FHE	31	40	55		32		158
OE8TIR	8	72	67	72			219
OK1LO					18		18
OK2BMA	25	46					71
OK2NO		26					26
ON4CAS	27						27
ON6NL	43			57	54	48	202
ON9TT		28					28
PA0CMU	44	71	70	62		49	296
PA0HTT				14			14
PA0M		10					10
PA0RBA	12	46					58
PA2RG			29				29
PA3AAA	2						2
PA3AAV		81					81
PA3CXB		4					4
PA3DAZ			14				14
PA3DBS	15	24					39
PA3DSB	24		42		36		104
PA3HEB		8	19				27
PA3HEN		79					79
PA3HK		61					61
PA3PKO			4				4
PA3Y	12	46					58
PA4M				49	61	52	162
PA4OES		23				30	53
PA4WM		29					29
PA7RA	23						23
PC6R		47			39	30	116
PC7E							44
PE4KH		22					22
PF5X	60	96	85	77		69	387
PF6NTC	12						12
PG5V				44			44
PI4NTC	20	79			40	41	180
S58MU	48	74	57	63	58	56	356
SC6O	20	52		44			116
SP7OGP	42	65	59	40	33	33	272
SQ9S		54	52		33	44	183
SV9RPE				7	8	6	21
UA6AX		28	17	19	13	29	106
VE2FK		8	12				20
WA3AAN						25	25
YL3FW				26			26
YO8DOH		58		54			112

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Summary Mechanical Keying Section

Call	jan	feb	mar	april	may	june	Total
DJ0SP						48	48
DJ3TU		34	27	29	30	35	155
DJ9BM	22				25		47
DL1DXL	42	65	53	10	53	44	267
DL1JDQ		54	47	41			142
F8DTU				13		6	19
G4CPA	8	18	19	15	8		68
ON6NL		76					76
ON7DQ	36		37	48	43	31	195
OK1DZD						13	13
OK1LO						23	23
OK2BMA				37	32		69
OK2BVX				41	45	42	128
PA0RBA				50		29	79
PA0SIM	30	54	42	37		41	204
PA2RG					24		24
PA3AM			62	40			102
PA3EEG	35	42	48			32	157
PA3EYM		41				37	78
PA3HEB				33	33	34	100
PA3JD		30					30
PA4Y			39	38			77
PA7F		78		48	51		177
PA9CW	18	68		47	45		178
PC4Y		37	35	36			108