

# New Jersey Traffic Bulletin

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**NJTB is published for the Traffic Handlers of Northern and Southern New Jersey and their friends, with news of the HF and VHF Traffic Nets in the Garden State, since 1978.**

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## Statewide NNJ / SNJ Section Nets (HF)

**New Jersey Morning Net (NJM)** 3.695 MHz, 10am Fri/Sat/Sun, WA2OPY Mgr.

**New Jersey Net (NJN)** 3.695 MHz, 7 & 10pm Daily, AG2R Mgr.

**New Jersey Phone Net (NJPN)** 3.950 MHz, 6pm Daily, 9am Sun, W2CC Mgr.

**New Jersey Slow Net (NJSN)** 3.715 MHz, 6:30pm Daily, K2PB Mgr.

## NNJ Local Nets (VHF/UHF)

**Central Jersey Traffic Net**, 147.120 +, PL162.2, 8pm Daily, KB2VRO Mgr.

**New Jersey VHF Net (early)**, 146.895 -, PL151.4, 7:30pm Daily, N2RPI Mgr.

**New Jersey VHF Net (late)**, 146.700 -, PL141.3 (Weds 146.895-), 10:30pm Daily, N2OPJ Mgr

**Union County Traffic Net**, W2NJR linked repeaters, 10pm M-F, KY2MMM Mgr.

## SNJ Local Nets (VHF)

**Jersey Shore ARS Traffic Net**, 146.910 -, PL127.3, 7:30pm Daily, WJ2F Mgr.

**South Jersey Traffic Net**, 145.470 -, and 147.150+, PL127.3, 8pm Su/M/W/F, KB2RTZ Mgr.

**South Jersey VHF Net**, 147.345 +, no PL, 10:30pm Daily, WB2UVB Mgr

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## Active Membership Roster, HF Section Nets

P=NJPN, C=NJN, M=NJM, S=NJSN

<u>call</u>	<u>name</u>	<u>town</u>	<u>county</u>	<u>nets</u>
KC2 ANN	Wayne	W. Caldwell	Essex	PCMS
N2 ATJ	Connie	Kingston	Somerset	P
W2 CC	Dave	Englewood	Bergen	P
WA2 CUW	Tom	Cherry Hill	Camden	CM
K2 DBK	David	River Vale	Bergen	P
WA2 EPI	Sam	Dover	Morris	P
WB2 FTX	Dave	Butler	Morris	P
W2 GER	Gerry	Passaic	Passaic	P
N2 GJ	Gerry	Kingston	Somerset	PCMS
K3 GNZ	Skip	Manalapan	Monmouth	P
K2 GW	Gary	Hamilton Square	Mercer	P
W2 JG	Joe	Waldwick	Bergen	CMS
N1 JX	Arnold	Roseland	Essex	PC
WB2 KNS	Bob	Morganville	Monmouth	P
W2 MTO	George	Parsippany	Morris	PCMS
W2 MW	Kurt	Oak Ridge	Morris	P
W2 NTS	Ed	E. Brunswick	Middlesex	C S
WA2 OPY	Jan	Kearny	Hudson	CM
K2 PB	Pat	Plainsboro	Middlesex	CMS
WA2 PCS	Matt	Oak Ridge	Morris	PCM
WA2 QHA	Joe	E. Brunswick	Middlesex	S
W2 QOB	John	Hopewell	Mercer	P
AG2 R	Gene	Parsippany	Morris	PCMS
NG2 R	Dick	Turnersville	Gloucester	P
NJ5 R	Jeff	Union	Union	P
W2 RQ	Bill	Andover Twp.	Sussex	P
K2 SO	Steve	Elizabeth	Union	PC
N2 SU	Bob	Clifton	Passaic	C
AA2 SV	Willie	Brick	Ocean	CMS
K2 UL	Dan	Hamilton Square	Mercer	PCMS
KB2 VRO	Jim	Bridgewater	Somerset	P
WB2 VUF	Bob	Morris Plains	Morris	CM
W2 VX	Bob	Ridgewood	Bergen	PC
WA2 YL	Jan	Egg Harbor Twp	Atlantic	PCMS

### Out-Of-State

K2 ABX	Paul	NY		S
KA1 GWE	Anna	CT		S
K8 LEN	Pat	IN		S
KG4 OTL	Andrew	VA		S
WA2 SEI	Ray	FL		PCM
W4 VLL	Vic	VA		S
K2 VX	Dave	VA		PCM
KC4 ZHF	Bob	FL		C S

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APRIL 2002: 34 SESSIONS CHECK-INS: 195 TOTAL / 19 DIFFERENT STATIONS
TRAFFIC: 26 LISTED 25 PASSED = 96% 170 MINUTES
MAY 2002: 35 SESSIONS CHECK-INS: 177 TOTAL / 20 DIFFERENT STATIONS
TRAFFIC: 47 LISTED 45 PASSED = 96% 208 MINUTES
JUNE 2002: 35 SESSIONS CHECK-INS: 204 TOTAL / 27 DIFFERENT STATIONS
TRAFFIC: 40 LISTED 31 PASSED = 78% 181 MINUTES

HONOR ROLL:

APRIL: W2CC 32 / N1JX 29 / KB2VRO 25 / K3GNZ 17 / K2UL 17 / N2GJ 15
MAY: W2CC 26 / N1JX 23 / KB2VRO 23 / K3GNZ 17
JUNE: W2CC 31 / KB2VRO 26 / N1JX 22 / K2UL 19 / N2GJ 16 / AG2R 15

TOTAL NCS: W2CC 58 / N1JX 27 / K2UL 7 / KB2VRO 7 / N2GJ 2 / K3GNZ 2 / AG2R 1

TOTAL LIAISON: N1JX 92 / KB2VRO 36 / AG2R 5 / N2GJ 3 / WS2L 1

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FUNCTION ROSTER:

Table with 5 columns: Day, NCS, 1:45, 4:45, 6:30. Rows include SUNDAY MORNING, SUNDAY EVENING, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY.

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The NJ QSO Party will be held on the weekend of August 17 and 18. Put it on your calendar and help make this Party a success. I would like to have at least 100 QSOs made from each of the 21 NJ counties.

Remember, if 3950 is occupied, look for the net at the first clear spot ABOVE that frequency.

Remember that the MINIMUM time for a net session has been reduced to four minutes.

My usual plea to make sure that all of the net sessions are covered and that the reports get to me promptly, particularly towards the end of the month. I really want to get the report in the mail to the SM/STMs on the first of the month. I would appreciate it if I am not in attendance in a particular net session that stations in that net would make note of who was NCS so that I can get the report.

PLEASE!!!

73, Dave

David B. Popkin W2CC
Net Manager - NJPN
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## NEW JERSEY MORNING NET

Net Manager - Jan WA2OPY

<b>April</b>	QNI/47	QTC/10	QSP/9	QTR/81	sessions/12	diff sta/13
<b>May</b>	QNI/66	QTC/17	QSP/16	QTR/98	sessions/13	diff sta/12
<b>June</b>	QNI/55	QTC/28	QSP/28	QTR/112	sessions/14	diff sta/11

  

	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Sun</b>
<b>NCS</b>	W2MTO	N2GJ	K2UL
<b>2RN</b>	open	open	open

Jan WA2OPY has been hospital-bound again recently, undergoing additional cancer treatments. We all wish her a speedy recovery and a quick return to the airwaves.

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## NEW JERSEY SLOW NET

Summer 2002

NJSN MEETS EVERY DAY AT 6:30 PM LOCAL TIME ON 3.715 MHZ

NET CONTROLS are AA2SV, W2NTS, WA2YL, AG2R, K2PB, KC2ANN, W2JG, K2ABX

ACTIVITIES	SESSIONS	QNI	QTC	QTR	stations
APRIL	30	163	17/16	467	17
MAY	31	178	17/15	395	11
JUNE	30	158	11/11	395	12

VERY FREQUENT CHECKINS W2JG AA2SV KA1GWE W2NTS K2ABX WA2YL KC2ANN  
FREQUENT CHECKINS AG2R WA2QHA K2PB W4VLL

We wound up with a very nice quarter with all around net activity. With change of time it is difficult for the southern people to get in but W2JG is back and doing a great job as Thursday NCS, as well as WA2YL, who is the Monday night NCS. Nice to have these two very active people on the net for the summer.. Enjoy the rest of the season with all the warm weather activities.

K2PB Pat, NJSN Mgr.

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## Boring stats from New Jersey CW Section Net

### April/Early 2002 ( what else???)

QNI-188 QTC-77 QSP-68 Percent QSP-88 Minutes-333  
W2MTO-27 K2PB-23 WA2CUW-22 AG2R-22 K2UL-21 AA2SV-17  
W2JG-15 N2GJ-13 K2VX-13

### May/Early

QNI-200 QTC-83 QSP-67 Percent QSP-81 Minutes-348  
W2MTO-28 W2JG-27 K2PB-27 AA2SV-21 K2UL-18 N2GJ-17 AG2R-14  
WA2CUW-13 WB2VUF-11 K2VX-10

### June/Early

QNI-193 QTC-97 QSP-76 Percent QSP-78 Minutes-386  
W2MTO-28 AA2SV-25 K2PB-23 W2JG-22 WA2CUW-19 WA2YL-17  
N2GJ-15 AG2R-15 K2UL-12  
(Who reads this stuff anyway.....)

### April/Late

QNI-174 QTC-67 QSP-63 Percent QSP-94 Minutes-307  
K2UL-29 WA2CUW-26 K2PB-26 AG2R-25 WA2YL-25 K2VX-21 W2JG-11  
WA2PCS-1 (Just thought I'd mention it.....)

### May/Late

QNI-180 QTC-60 QSP-49 Percent QSP-82 Minutes-313  
K2UL-30 K2PB-27 WA2YL-26 W2JG-24 AG2R-23 K2VX-19 WB2VUF-15 WA2CUW-10  
WA2PCS-1 (Just thought I'd mention it again)

### June/Late

QNI-167 QTC-67 QSP-63 Percent QSP-94 Minutes-327  
K2PB-27 K2UL-26 WA2YL-26 W2JG-20 AG2R-20 WB2VUF-16 WA2CUW-15  
"ANNIE'S FRIEND-ZERO"

## NJN FUNCTION ROSTER

	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<b>NCS / 7</b>	N2GJ	AA2SV	W2MTO	AG2R	-	W2JG	-
<b>7:45</b>	K2PB	WA2YL	WA2YL	WA2CUW	K2PB	WA2YL	-
<b>NCS / 10</b>	WA2YL	K2UL	K2PB	WB2VUF	K2UL	W2JG	-
<b>9:30</b>	WA2YL	K2UL	K2PB	WB2VUF	K2UL	WA2CUW	-

## A COUPLO CW NET WORDS

Mucho tks to our "reverse snow-birds" WA2YL/Jan "MJ" and W2JG/"Boats". The CW Function Roster looks much better with them in town. Ray, WA2SEI is now residing in Florida having moved there from "Hog Mountain" in New York State. He bought a nice shiny Harley and wanted to ride it year-round.....Also, Dave, K2VX has moved from the hallowed grounds of Newark, NJ to Reston, Virginia. You can hear him QNI NJN on occasion. I understand he's loading up a bed spring in a vertical configuration. Ask him, he'll explain it. I can't tell you what a loss he is for me. One of the guys who got me going in the right direction. He, along with N2XJ, W2QNL, AF2L, WB2VUF and K2UL (who is still sticking needles into my bobble-head doll) were/are my mentors in NJN CW..... Bill, KB2QO, from a few years back is now retired. I have been trying to coax him back to NTS. He's taking a few months off working DX and tooling about Lake Hopatcong with XYL Sue, N2UTC on their "Party-pontoon boat." They took me for a ride and dinner for my birthday, June 7th. How come I didn't get any presents from the NJN membership. Yish!!!!!!! Not even a Bud from Boats... Not even a couplo road apples from Mr. Willie..... A bag of quarters from W2MTO ( dats an inside joke. ) We car-pooled to a NJ Confab one time. I refused gas money from Big George. A month later while rummaging through my glove compartment, I found a bag of quarters. I knew exactly how they got there. He's a sneaky dude but loveable..... We have a "hard-core" of cw ops participating in the Early and Late sessions for whom I am very thankful. I take nothing for granted and appreciate all the help I and the net are getting. Just don't forget my birthday again, that's all..... Somebody please drop by WA2YL's Egg Harbor Township QTH and help her put up her new G5RV so we can hear her. N1JX, Arnold has been helping out. Still need some help. I've been busy painting my house. Anybody wanna help????? The Harley's been getting a good workout. Thankyou Lord..... Well, guess that's it..... So what's new with you?????

Semtrees, de AG2R, Your Humble New Jersey CW Net Mgr....

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## NEW JERSEY VHF NET / EARLY

**APR 02**, QNI 453, QTC 55, QSP 47 IN 331 MINS, 30 SESSIONS, 55 DIFFERENT STNS

**MAY 02**, QNI 345, QTC 53, QSP 40 IN 322 MINS, 31 SESSIONS, 47 DIFFERENT STNS

**JUN 02**, QNI 407, QTC 58, QSP 57 IN 311 MINS, 30 SESSIONS, 55 DIFFERENT STNS

**HONOR ROLL:** (15 OR MORE CHECKINS PER MONTH)

**APR 02:** KC2FYA 30, N2RPI 28, KC2BLN WB2KNS 24, KC2ANN N2BVM 23, WA2ZNT 22, KB2OPJ 21, KJ2N N3RB 20, KB2VRO KB2VVB KY2MMM 18, KC2HMV 17, KB2SXU 16, NJ5R 15

**MAY 02:** KC2FYA 28, KB2VVB KC2HMV WB2KNS 25, N2BVM N2RPI 23, KC2ANN WA2ZNT 21, KC2BLN 19, NJ5R W2LTF 17, KY2MMM WB2FTX 16, KB2OPJ 15

**JUN 02:** KC2FYA 28, N2RPI 26, KB2VVB 24, KC2ANN N2BVM 22, KC2BLN 21, KC2HMV 19, KY2MMM WB2KNS 18, KB2VRO 16, NJ5R 15

### FUNCTION ROSTER:

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THR	FRI	SAT
N2OPJ	KC2FYA	KB2VRO	KC2ANN	N2RPI	KY2MMM	KB2VVB

I take this time to wish all traffic handlers and their families a safe summer for 2002. As you are aware by now the point system for the ARRL PSHR has been changed. See New Jersey Traffic Bulletin, Spring 2002, or review your QST Public Service section.

With the summer months here, there is always the possibility that the NCS will be absent for his/her scheduled day. Be sure to advise of your absence. In the event that I am absent for a net, hold your net report for the next net which I check in to. If you have a net report for NJVNE on the following day, list it.

Bill KC2FYA will be the new NCS for Monday. John KJ2N has had to step down as NCS due to obligations at work.

Traffic continues to move quite well thanks to the efforts of Bill KC2FYA, Jim KB2VRO, Wayne KC2ANN, and Brian N2BVM.

73, John N2RPI, Net Manager NJVN/E

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## JSARS TRAFFIC NET

**April:** QNI 423, Traffic 40/39 in 337 mins, 30 sessions  
**May:** QNI 409, Traffic 42/38 in 316 mins, 31 sessions  
**June:** QNI 389, Traffic 33/29 in 273 mins, 30 sessions

Greetings from Jim, WJ2F, JSARS Traffic Net manager. On July 1st, I assumed the net manager position. Firstly, I would like to thank and congratulate the previous manager, K2ATQ, Jim for his four years of service to The JSARS Traffic Net. Jim was one of the first people who got me started with traffic handling. I hope to fill the position as ably as he did.

Very often the net will get traffic bound for the outlying parts of our area of coverage (Southern and Western Ocean County, Southern and Western Monmouth County) and we can always use some folks whose local calling area covers those exchanges to be a part of our daily gathering at 7:30 PM local time. Membership in The Jersey Shore Amateur Radio Society is not required as the net is open to ALL amateurs. If you can reach the W2DOR repeater in Toms River (146.910 MHz, -600 KHz offset, PL - 127.3) you are most welcome to check in.

We now have an Honor Roll with a certificate available! For the remainder of 2002, the 2002.5 Honor Roll certificate is in effect. To qualify for a certificate, stations will be required to qualify four out of the six months remaining in the year beginning with July. To qualify for a month, stations will be required to check into the net a minimum of twenty times AND handle at least one piece of traffic. This could be as simple as sending a "Here is my qualifying message" as a formal radiogram, via the net, to me, WJ2F. Should anyone like to chase this particular piece of paper but is unsure of how to send a formal radiogram, I am available practically every night after the net to answer questions or walk you through the process.

So, that is my pitch. I hope to hear you on the net and print a certificate for you come next January.

73 de Jim, WJ2F

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On a personal note, I would like to thank the NCS and members who have helped me in the past few years run the JSARS Traffic net. Special thanks to Wille AA2SV, AKA Mr. Traffic. Best of luck to you all and to Jim WJ2F, JSARS' NEW Traffic net mgr.

73, Jim K2ATQ

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## **SOUTH JERSEY TRAFFIC NET**

SJTN meets on Sunday / Monday / Wednesday / Friday at 8pm on the Burlington County OEM linked repeaters, 145.47- (Chatsworth) and 147.15+ (Mt Holly). PL is 127.3 and Net Mgr is KB2RTZ.

**April:** QNI 96, Traffic 42/35 in 97 mins. Sessions 17

**May:** QNI 91, Traffic 25/21 in 228 mins. Sessions 18

**June:** QNI 74, Traffic 28/24 in 173 mins. Sessions 17

**Net Control Roster:** Sun-WJ2F Mon-K2UL Wed-KB2RTZ Fri-N2VQA

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## **NEW JERSEY VHF NET / LATE**

### **APRIL 2002**

QNI 423 QTC 38/38 100% IN 255 MINUTES 45 DIFFERENT STATIONS

### **MAY 2002**

QNI 387 QTC 31/30 97% IN 227 MINUTES 44 DIFFERENT STATIONS

### **JUNE 2002**

QNI 376 QTC 42/39 93% IN 277 MINUTES 43 DIFFERENT STATIONS

**HONOUR ROLL** (15 or more checkins per month)

### **APRIL 2002**

N2OPJ 30 K1VDH 30 N2RPI 29 KC2GIK 29 WB2KNS 27 K2DBK 26 WA2PFS 25  
N2BVM 24 KC2CJW 19 KC2FYA 17 KY2MMM 15

### **MAY 2002**

N2OPJ 31 K1VDH 31 N2RPI 26 KC2GIK 29 N2BVM 26 WA2PFS 25 K2DBK 24  
WB2KNS 23 KC2CJW 20 KC2JEJ 20 KB2VVB 19 KC2FYA 15

### **JUNE 2002**

N2OPJ 30 K1VDH 30 N2RPI 26 K2DBK 26 WA2PFS 24 KC2JEJ 23 N2BVM 23  
KC2GIK 22 KC2CJW 20 WB2KNS 19

### **NET CONTROLS:**

SUNDAY - K2DBK  
MONDAY - KC2CJW  
TUESDAY - WA2PFS  
WEDNESDAY- N2RPI  
THURSDAY - N2OPJ  
FRIDAY - KC2CJW  
SATURDAY - K1VDH

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HERBERT VAN DEN HOUTEN N2OPJ  
SADDLE BROOK NJ  
SKYWARN: #NJ00399-7  
Deputy RACES Officer Ramsey OEM  
Damage Assessment Officer

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## **SOUTH JERSEY VHF NET**

### **Net Manager - WB2UVB**

**APRIL:** QNI 319, QTC 42/40, QTR 427 min, Sess 30

**MAY:** QNI 316, QTC 47/45, QTR 469 min, Sess 31

**JUNE:** QNI 192, QTC 83/73, QTR 472 min, Sess 30

### **ROSTER**

DAY	NCS	ANCS
Monday	WB2UVB	KA2CQX
Tuesday	KB2VYZ	KB2YJD
Wednesday	WB2UVB	KA2CQX
Thursday	KC2IYC	N2VQA
Friday	KA2CQX	WB2UVB
Saturday	KB2YJD	KB2VYZ
Sunday	N2VQA	N2WFN

SJVN has the following liaisons.

2RN rep K2UL N2WFN N2VQA KB2VYZ AA2SV WB2UVB

Skywarn KA2CQX KB2VYZ KB2YJD N2JAI KB2VSD WB2UVB

Am. Red Cross WB2UVB KA2CQX N2FHJ

Sal. Army KA2CQX WB2UVB

ARES/RACES N2ZMI N2JAI KB2VYZ KB2YJD KB2VSD KA2CQX WB2UVB

FEMA State staff WB2UVB

ARMY MARS N2JAI KB2VYZ KA2CQX WB2UVB

Packet radio KB2VYZ KB2YJD K2UL N2WFN N2VQA KC2IYC

EMBSEC3 WB2UVB KA2CQX KB2VSD N2WOT

Jan KA2CQX is recuperating from a recent heart attack. Doing better but still not up to full strength. Gene WB2UVB has been running ragged doing double duty. We all wish the best to both of them.

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## **CENTRAL JERSEY TRAFFIC NET**

### **Net Manager: Jim KB2VRO**

Report not available.

## UNION COUNTY TRAFFIC NET

20 sessions QNI 344 QTC 10/7 in 229 minutes, 55 different stations  
It is growing!

As you know UCTN is aired Mon -Fri at 10pm local time we are a linked system

Location	Frequency	Offset	PL	Call	Status
Springfield	440.050 MHz	+5 MHz	141.3 Hz	KK2ED	Coming Soon!
West Orange	147.345 MHz	+0.6 MHz	141.3 Hz	W2NJR	Coming Soon!
Summit	445.025 MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	W2NJR	On the Air
Murray Hill	449.975 MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	W2LI	On the Air
Asbury Park	449.525 MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	W2NJR	On the Air
Neptune	448.125 MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	K2RFI	On the Air
Wall Twp	44x.xxx MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	K2RFI	Coming Soon!
Brick Twp	146.490 MHz	+1 MHz	127.3 Hz	K2RFI	On the Air
Bordentown	445.275 MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	K2RFI	On the Air
Manahawkin	445.075 MHz	-5 MHz	141.3 Hz	W2NJR	On the Air

We are also on i link. The web site for the link is <http://mywebpages.comcast.net/w2njr/>

ky2mmm net manager

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### From the NJTB Editor

Best wishes for a speedy recovery and quick return to full health for both Jan KA2CQX and Jan WA2OPY.

Best of luck to Dave K2VX (and Muriel) who has moved to Virginia, and Ray WA2SEI who now resides in Florida, near Cape Canaveral. We still hear their signals occasionally.

Some of you may remember Pete Skorupsky, WB2IQJ, former manager of the NJ Slow Net in the early 1980s. Pete was truly a wordsmith and wrote many multi-page articles for the NJTB, which I always had to struggle with when editing. Pete passed away in late June at the young age of 52, after long battles with several illnesses.

Well, enjoy the rest of the summer, and stay cool.

73 from Dan K2UL

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***43rd ANNUAL NEW JERSEY QSO PARTY - AUGUST 17-18, 2002***  
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The Englewood Amateur Radio Association, Inc. invites all amateurs the world over to take part in the 43rd Annual New Jersey QSO Party.

RULES: [1] The time of the contest is from 2000 UTC Saturday August 17 to 0700 UTC Sunday August 18 and from 1300 UTC Sunday August 18 to 0200 UTC Monday August 19. [2] Phone and CW are considered the same contest. A station may be contacted once on each band - phone and CW are considered separate bands - CW contacts may not be made in phone band segments. New Jersey stations may work other New Jersey stations. [3] General call is "CQ New Jersey" or "CQ NJ". New Jersey stations are requested to identify themselves by signing "DE NJ" on CW and "New Jersey calling" on phone. Suggested frequencies are 1810, 3535, 3950, 7035, 7235, 14035, 14285, 21100, 21355, 28100, 28400, 50-50.5, and 144-146. Suggest phone activity on the even hours; 15/10 meters on the odd hours [1500 to 2100 UTC]; 160 meters at 0500 UTC. [4] Exchange consists of QSO Number, and QTH [State/province or country]. New Jersey stations will send county for their QTH. [5] Scoring: Out-of-state stations multiply number of complete contacts with New Jersey stations times 3 points per QSO times the number of New Jersey counties worked [maximum of 21]. New Jersey stations multiply number of complete contacts times 3 points per QSO times the multiplier. The multiplier is the sum of the number of states [other than NJ], Canadian provinces, and NJ counties worked - maximum is  $49 + 13 + 21 = 83$ . [6] Certificates will be awarded to the first place station in each New Jersey county, state, province, and country. In addition, a second place certificate will be awarded when four or more logs are received. A total of two plaques have been donated by the ARRL Section Managers for NNJ and SNJ to the highest scoring single operator station residing in each of their sections. [7] Logs must also show the UTC date and time, QSO exchange, band, and emission, and be received not later than September 15, 2002. The first contact for each claimed multiplier must be indicated and numbered and a check list of contacts and multipliers should be included. Multi-operator stations should be noted and calls of participating operators listed. Logs and comments should be sent to: Englewood Amateur Radio Association, Inc., Post Office Box 528, Englewood, New Jersey 07631-0528. A #10 size SASE should be included for results. [8] Stations planning active participation in New Jersey are requested to advise EARA by August 1st of your intentions so that we may plan for full coverage from all counties. Portable and mobile operation is encouraged.  
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CLUBS: *PLEASE PASS THIS NOTICE AROUND TO YOUR CLUB MEMBERS.  
CLUB COMPETITION WOULD BE APPRECIATED.*

NETS: *PLEASE ANNOUNCE THE QSO PARTY ON YOUR NET OFTEN.*