

# NJN - NJSN - NJPN

July, 1978

NEW JERSEY NET (NJN)  
7 & 10 pm Daily  
3695 kHz  
MGR: W2XD

NEW JERSEY SLOW NET (NJSN)  
8:15 pm Daily  
3730 kHz  
MGR: N2MW

NEW JERSEY PHONE NET  
6 pm Daily, 9 am SUN  
3950 kHz  
MGR: WB2LCC

## Combined NJN-NJPN Roster

K2AM	Rex	Union	Un. P	WA2MLY	Bill	Freehold	Mon C
WA2AWU	Rich	Burlington	Bur P	WB2MSO	Mike	Matawan	Mon
W2OC	Dave	Englewood	Ber P	WA2MVQ	Bob	Wyckoff	Ber P
WB2CMO	Paul	Wrightstown	Bur	WB2NCB	Steve	Telran	Bur
W2CQB	Bob	N. Shrewsbury	Mon	WA2NPP	club	New Bruns	Msex
WA2CQJ	Lou	Westfield	Un.	N2NS	Paul	Cranford	Un. P
N2CR	Chris	Tenafly	Ber P	WB2NSV	Chas	Belleville	Ess C
W2CU	Bill	Morris Plns	Mor C	K2OK	George	Bricktown	Oc C
W2CVN	Ed	So. Amboy	Msex C	K2OP	Andy	Chatham	Mor P
WA2CLZ	Egon	Wayne	Pas	WA2OVE	Bob	No. Haledon	Pas
WB2DMB	Pete	Chatham	Mor P	W2PA	Chris	Holmdel	Mon
WB2ELF	Marc	Ridgewood	Ber P	WA2PIP	Herb	Wyckoff	Ber
WA2EPK	Butch	Chatham	Mor	WB2PPQ	Grey	Chatham	Mor P
WB2FJE	Bill	Pitman	Glo P	W2QNL	Lee	Fair Lawn	Ber C
W1FM	Jake	Lexington, Ma.	P	WB2RMI	Rich	Roselle	Un. P
WB2FRI	Chris	Upper Mtclr	Ess P	W2RQ	Bill	Madison	Mor
W2GD	John	Milford	Hun C	K2SB	Steve	Hi Nella	Cam C
N2GJ	Jeri	Kingston	Som P	K2SE	Ed	Wayne	Pas
AA2H	Al	Princeton Jct	Mer	W2SQ	Phil	Chatham	Mor
N2HF	Rich	Delanco	Bur P	N2SU	Bob	Clifton	Pas
W2HOB	Boyd	Mt. Holly	Bur P	W2SWE	Ed	Toms River	Oc.
WB2HSG	Ted	Freehold	Mon C	N2TM	John	Cranford	Un. P
WB2HUV	Roger	Pt. Pleasant	Oc P	WA2TRJ	Larry	Willingboro	Bur P
K2IB	Bob	Beachwood	Oc P	W2UH	Paul	Chatham	Mor P
WB2IDP	Steve	Huntington Sta, NY		W2UNI	Robbie	Woodstown	Sal P
W2IMA/3	Harry	Glenside, Pa.	P	WA2UNJ	Chas	Marlton	Bur C
W2IU	Sam	Absecon	Atl C	WB2VPT	Steve	Tuckerton	Oc P
W2JI	Walt	Pennington	Mer C	WB2VUF	Bob	Mendham	Mor P
WA2JTA	Dave	Highland Lks	Sus	K2VX	Dave	Newark	Ess
WB2KAK	Joe	Neptune	Mon P	W2XD	Doug	Freehold	Mon
W3KMZ	Ted	Natrona Hts.	Pa P	W2YA	Bob	Jersey City	Hud P
WA2KW	Woody	Lakehurst	Oc C	WA2YNT	Bob	Vincetown	Bur P
K2LA	Chas	Linwood	Atl C	WA2YUR	Stan	Paterson	Pas P
WB2LCC	Bill	Willingboro	Bur P	WB2YVC	Al	Phillipsburg	War P
WA2LHV	Pete	Sparta	Sus	WA2YWK	George	Little Silver	Mon P
W2LTP	Hank	Cranford	Un. P	W2ZEP	Ed	Wanamassa	Mon C
WB2MCO	Paul	Sussex	Sus C	K2ZFI	Jack	Towaco	Mor C
K2MFX	John	Lakewood	Oc P				

As usual, the above lists were combined to save space and prevent us from having to look through two lists to find a station. County abbreviations follow the town names. A single letter following the town indicates whether the person checks into NJN (C), NJPN (P), or both nets (no letter). Please report any errors to the appropriate manager. Function rosters appear on page 3 of this bulletin.

### WB2MSO Appointed Assistant NJN Manager

W2XD has appointed Mike, WB2MSO, as assistant NJN manager. Let's give Mike our support as we have been giving Doug. Congratulations!

1978 NJN PICNIC ANNOUNCEMENT

The annual NJN/NJPN Picnic will be held Saturday July 22 (rain date August 5) at Shark River Park. This is the same place the picnic has been held for years and has proven a popular location. The park is located just off the Garden State Parkway. Directions appear on page 4 of this bulletin. Please note that neither of the dates conflict with any contests or neighboring picnics.

As always, we invite all members (and their families) of our nets plus members of surrounding section nets, to join us. It is a terrific opportunity to meet the faces behind the mikes and keys. In the past we have always had a good turnout from all New Jersey Nets, as well as neighboring NLI and NYS (last year we had over 62 in attendance!), and this year will again be no exception.

The picnic will begin sometime between 11 a.m. and 12 noon (we've given up on an exact time, because we're usually late!) and run until we run out of food, drinks, and energy. Hot dogs, hamburgers, soda, beer, etc. will all be supplied, so it's not necessary to bring any food. However, a couple of dollars in the way of a donation should be brought by everyone to help pay the expenses.

Other than eating, drinking, and the inevitable endless ragchewing, activities will include a softball game, and, probably a water-balloon throwing contest with a prize for the winner. Bring a baseball glove if you can. Frisbees always come in handy, also. Most importantly, bring your appetite! Also, as usual, door prizes will be given.

The weather has been superb for the last few years, but if in doubt, monitor 3950 and 3695 during the morning for status reports. Those of you who have 2-meter FM capabilities may wish to monitor 146.52 MHz. on the way in. If you need a ride, don't be afraid to speak up. There will be enough of us going so that transportation should be no problem. Mention the picnic on the air (NCS' please announce the picnic as a QNC on your nets). We'll make every effort to arrange rides for everyone who asks. The picnic usually breaks up by 5:00 p.m. If you have any questions, talk to W2RQ or W2SQ prior to the picnic on NJN or NJPN. Hope to see you there!

QNC DE W2XD

Everything is FB on NJN. There is a healthy number of QNI, both regulars and newcomers, and at this moment ALL function roster slots are filled. We have about 30 active members, and everybody is doing their share of the work, either as NCS, 2RN rep. or checking into the net on a regular basis to pass traffic.

The future of NJN is based upon a steady input of new members to fill in where some have left. We should not only be patient with new, and perhaps inexperienced stations on the net, but should actively encourage them to participate. If you hear someone new check in, and if somebody else hasn't done so already, by all means take him off frequency and tell him a little about NJN and traffic handling procedures. With luck, they'll do the same thing some day.

It occurs to me that some of you who are active on NJN or other CW nets may not have an official OTS appointment. The requirements are in "Operating an Amateur Radio Station." Please send an SASE either to me or WA2MVQ if you want the necessary form to apply for this appointment.

Net controls should send QNS reports to me in the following format:

TEXT: NJN/L JUN 10 X QNI 4 QTC 3/2 IN 15 MINS X QNS MNJ MSO/2RN VX XI/NCS  
X 73

Note that only the call suffixes in alphabetical order are needed, unless a newcomer signs in, in which case his full call along with name and QTH should be included.

Any comments on running the net or anything else are most welcome. You can write me at 207 Sherwood Dr., Freehold, N.J. 07728, call me at 201-780-1340, or talk to me on the air.

FUNCTION ROSTERS

NJN						NJPN			
<u>DAY</u>	<u>2RN/6:30</u>	<u>NCS/E</u>	<u>2RN/7:45</u>	<u>2RN/9:30</u>	<u>NCS/L</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>2RN/4:30</u>	<u>NCS</u>	<u>2RN/6:30</u>
SUN	AA2H	WB2MSO	K2OK	WB2MSO	K2OK	SUN/A	WA2YUR	W2CC	
MON	W2CQB	WB2NSV	W2CQB	K2VX	W2XD	SUN/P	WA2YUR	WB2MSO	open
TUE	W2RQ	K2VX	K2OK	K2SE	K2OK	MON	open	WB2LCC	WB2FJE
WED	WA2EPK	WB2MCO	W2ZEP	K2OK	K2OK	TUE	open	WA2MVQ	open
THU	WB2MCO	W2GD	WB2NSV	WB2NSV	K2LA	WED	open	N2SU	WB2RMI
FRI	W2CQB	W2ZEP	W2CQB	K2OK	WA2KW	THU	open	WA2NPP	WB2RMI
SAT	WB2MSO	WA2LHV	K2OK	WA2LHV	AA2H	FRI	WA2EPK	K2SE	WB2RMI
						SAT	AA2H	open*	WA2MVQ

HELP!!!

As I'm sure most of you can see, we need lots of help in filling 2RN(SSB) and NCS slots on the phone net. There's really nothing to it. Please contact WB2LCC ASAP if you can help. Also, I need someone to cover the Saturday night NJPN NCS spot until I get settled and get some antennas up again.--W2RQ

NET STATISTICS

And now, here is that important part of our bulletin which I feel may some day prove to be the sure cure for insomnia. However, statistics show what we have been doing on the nets:

NJN-MAY						NJN-JUNE					
	<u>SSNS</u>	<u>QNI</u>	<u>QTC</u>	<u>QSP</u>	<u>MINS</u>		<u>SSNS</u>	<u>QNI</u>	<u>QTC</u>	<u>QSP</u>	<u>MINS</u>
<u>Early</u>	31	406	223	183	688	<u>Early</u>	30	455	257	206	630
<u>Late</u>	31	211	134	95	585	<u>Late</u>	30	274	155	108	665

  

NJPN-MAY						NJPN-JUNE					
	<u>SSNS</u>	<u>QNI</u>	<u>QTC</u>	<u>QSP</u>	<u>MINS</u>		<u>SSNS</u>	<u>QNI</u>	<u>QTC</u>	<u>QSP</u>	<u>MINS</u>
<u>Daily</u>	31	497	200	177	688	<u>Daily</u>	30	478	180	139	608
SUN	4	37	9	5	36	SUN	4	54	16	15	85

Comparing figures in the May section to the June section, it looks like both our QNI and traffic counts are up in June. Congratulations to all who helped and let's hope this trend continues!

NJPN HONOR ROLL

Here are the stations who put forth outstanding efforts by checking into the phone net more than ten times during a given month for May and June:

<u>May</u>				<u>June</u>			
<u>Station</u>	<u>#QNI</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>#QNI</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>#QNI</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>#QNI</u>
WB2RMI	29	WA2MVQ	16	W2LTP	27	WB2LCC	13
W2LTP	26	W2UNI	16	WB2RMI	24	N2SU	13
WB2MSO	26	K2OP	15	WA2KLS	22	W2UNI	12
W2CC	21	W2HOB	13	W2CC	21	WA2YWK	12
K2VX	20	WB2NCB	13	WB2MSO	20	WB2DMB	11
WA2MNJ	19	WA2YWK	13	N2GJ	19	W2UH	11
W2RQ	19	WB2DMB	12	W2RQ	18	WB2FJE	10
WA2EPK	18	WB2FJE	12	WA2MVQ	16	WA2NPP	10
WB2LCC	16	N2GJ	12	WA2EPK	14	WA2OVE	10
		WA2NPP	12	AA2H	14	WA2TRJ	10
						WA2YNT	10

If your QNI number was a little lower than it should have been, that can probably be attributed to late and/or not received net reports. Anyway, congratulations to those who made the above lists!

For Sale:

SB102-Contact WB2FJE, 609-5895293  
SB300, TR44 rotator, 30 w 2 FM Rig- #2RQ, 201-822-0438  
TH6-W2GD-201-4796590

HELP!!

We are low on bulletin funds (\$20.00). Anyone wishing to donate money for the bulletin, please send to Doug Zuckerman, W2XD, 207 Sherbrook Dr., Freehold, N.J. 07728. This will perpetuate this bulletin. (or whatever--my typewriter can't seem to spell right any more!)

Misc. Notes

WB2LCC advises that Net certificates for those who qualified as of July 1 will be sent soon...OTS (Official Traffic Station) Certificates will be issued to NNJ people who qualify by WA2MVQ...W2GD still awaiting new addition to family at print time...#2RQ antennas down and house-hunting (will be heard from sometimes, though, portable or mobile with TS520S and 2M Memorizer)...That's about all the news I know, because I haven't been on much lately!

I wish to thank W2XD and WB2LCC for their contributions for this bulletin. Also, my apologies to WB2VUF, whose contribution never made it to Vermont. Finally, again, many thanks to Phil, W2SQ, for collating and printing this bulletin. See you all at the picnic and hope to do another bulletin sometime around December.

73. *Bill*

W2RQ

PS--Don't forget the NJ QSO party July 29-31. No conflicts with other contests this year. See details on the next page....