CMARA Field Day Quick Sheet

Information to be Posted at Field Day Station

Field Day Rules:

http://www.arrl.org/files/file/Field-Day/2016/2016FD_packet.pdf

Field Day Training Video (K8UT)

http://n1mmplus.hamdocs.com/tiki-index.php?page=Video+-+N1MM+LoggerPlus+on+Field+Day#Video_N1MM_LoggerPlus_on_Field_Day

Station Setup

This Year, CMARA is using CAT Control ☺
So THIS should NOT Be Necessary, But Just In Case! ☹
Use the N1MMplus QSO Entry Form to set Frequency and Mode if CAT Control is NOT Used

- Very Important to Set These Items **Cannot be Fixed Later**
  - Date Time on Computer Clock (Network will Override)
  - Start N1MM+ as Administrator
  - Frequency / Band – Type into Callsign Field (CAT CTRL will Override)
  - Mode – Type into Callsign Field (CAT CTRL will Override)
  - Operator – CTRL-O

- **Log Manager will Install Latest Updates and Verify**

- Set Date / Time on Computer – (Network will Override)

- Start N1MM+ as Administrator (set ICON properties)

- Set Frequency – (CAT Control will Override)
  Type Frequency in KHz (e.g. 3550 or 21350) into callsign field

- Set Mode – (CAT Control will Override)
  Type Mode (e.g. CW, USB, LSB, AM, FM, RTTY, PSK31) into callsign field

- Use CTRL-O to Sign In as Operator
  to accurately record who the operator was for contacts.

ARRL / RAC Sections

see http://www.arrl.org/contest-sections-list

W1BIM 6A EMA

Whiskey One Bravo India Mike

MESH Network for 2016
SSID: CMARA
Password: fieldday

W1	W2	W3	W4	W5	W6	W7	W8	W9	W0	VE	Other
CT	NNJ	DE	AL	AR	EB	AK	MI	IL	CO	AB	DX
EMA	SNJ	MDC	NFL	LA	ORG	AZ	OH	IN	IA	BC	
WMA	ENY	EPA	SFL	MS	SB	ID	WV	WI	KS	MAR	
ME	NNY	WPA	WCF	NM	SCV	MT			MN	MB	
NH	WNY		GA	OK	SDG	NV			MO	ONN	
RI	NLI		KY	NTX	SF	OR			NE	ONS	
VT			NC	STX	SJV	UT			ND	ONE	
			SC	WTX	SV	EWA			SD	GTA	
			TN		PAC	WWA				QC	
			VA			WY				SK	
			PR							NT	
			VI								

N1MMplus Check List

- W1BIM 6A WMA – Whiskey One Bravo India Mike

- Set Computer Date/Time (WWV: 2.5,5,10,15,20 MHz, CHU: on 3.330, 8.850, 14.670 MHz) (Network will Override)

- Install N1MMplus Software (Full Install then a Recent Update)

- **Recent Updates will be Installed by the Field Day Log Manager**

- Run N1MM+ as Administrator (Change ICON Properties)

- Open Existing Database …\2016 Field Day W1BIM.s3db

- Open Log In Database - FD

- All Station and Contest Parameters are Already Setup in Log

- Set Operator Callsign (KB1VUA, etc) – CTRL-O not to be confused with Field Day Station Callsign W1BIM

- Set Frequency in KHz (e.g. 3550, 3850) (CAT CTRL will override)

- Set Mode (USB, LSB, CW, AM, FM) (CAT CTRL will override)

- With CAT Control, just dial up Frequency and Mode with Bandswitch, VFO, Mode Switch

- Enter QSO: Callsign, Class, Section while logging

- Remember ON (Ontario) is now ONN, ONE, ONS, GTA starting Fall 2012

- Edit or Quick Edit to fix Errors

- Delete to Remove bad QSOs

- **Copy Log File to Thumb Drive at End of Contest**