

Autumn Support Your Parks - Recap

Description

Did you know Parks on the Air has 5 "Official Events" each year?





Branden – NN8DX Operating the FT710 for Autumn SYP

October 19th weekend (Saturday) the SLAARC club rendezvoused at the Pinckney State Recreation Area to operate together in celebration of the hobby and the spirit of POTA for the Autumn Support Your Parks weekend! With the bands already brimming-over with operators around the country participating not only in the Support Your Parks event, but Jamboree on the Air, and NY QSO Party, finding a slot open in the popular 20m and 40m space could be difficult!

Attendees to the event were treated to an unseasonably warm fall morning, with glass smooth water over the adjacent lake and the sun beaming down. As the morning progressed, the temperatures picked up and club members Branden, Ray, Jerry, Louis, Eric, James, Rory, and Jim all found success activating the park operating in both Side Band and FT8.





James – K8JKU getting an early start.



Eric – K8ERS and Jim – N8JRD talking about the portable Dipole



Cash the Poodle standing at attention



Rory – W8KNX connecting a much needed antenna cable.



If you're interested in participating in our next Support Your Parks event, keep your eye on the POTA Calendar and the Club Blog for the upcoming winter event which will take place January 2025 at the Migizi Cabin in Brighton State Recreation Area.

A big thanks to all who attended... and a special thanks to Ray C who always makes the effort to

elevate our club photography! 73's and we'll hear you on the air! - N8JRD

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