

GCARA Field Day 2026

BY THE NUMBERS



71+

VISITORS

+34% vs Winter FD

5

NEW MEMBERS

Growing the club roster

MEALS SERVED

Over 100 meals and refreshments served to volunteers, operators, and visitors.

“One of GCARA’s most successful Field Day events yet.”

FOOD SERVED

42

Hamburgers

14

Bratwursts

1

Pot of Chili

48

Donuts

35

Hot Dogs

12

Large Pizzas

20+

Bananas

unlimited

Soft Drinks & Water

Thank you to everyone who brought food to share!

Treasurer's Report

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



Category	Winter FD	Summer FD
Event Income	\$245	\$346
Donations	\$150	\$825
Total Income	\$395	\$1,171
Expenses	\$1,434	\$512
Visitors	53	71+
Total	-\$1,039	+\$659

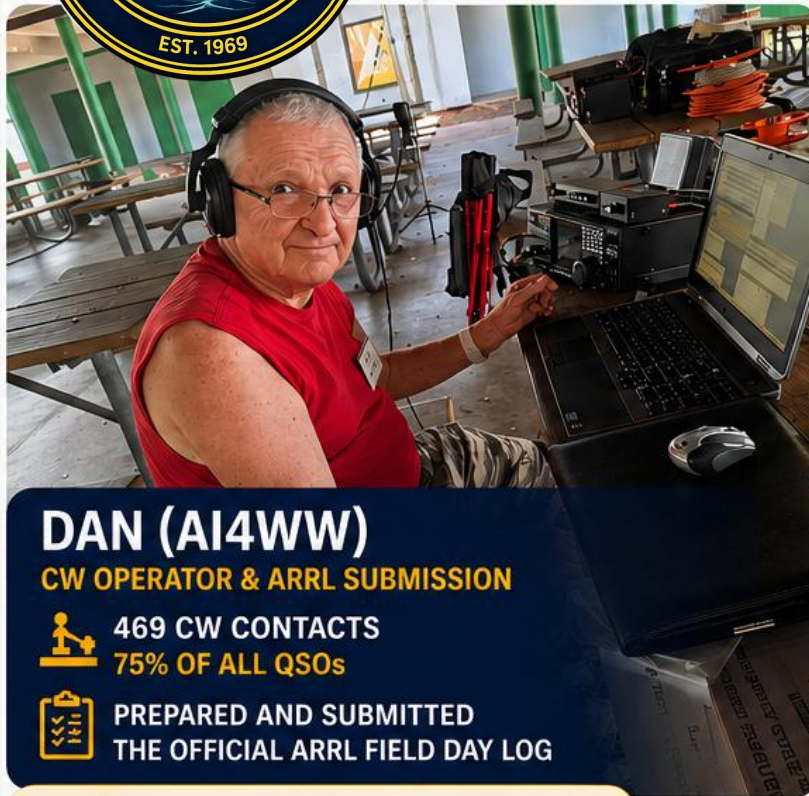
KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Donations increased dramatically
- Total income nearly tripled
- Expenses reduced by 64%
- Outstanding member support
- Excellent stewardship of club funds
- 5 New Members



FIELD DAY 2026

OPERATING STATISTICS



DAN (AI4WW)

CW OPERATOR & ARRL SUBMISSION



469 CW CONTACTS
75% OF ALL QSOs



PREPARED AND SUBMITTED
THE OFFICIAL ARRL FIELD DAY LOG



OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION!

Dan single-handedly made 469 CW contacts, accounting for nearly three quarters of all QSOs during Field Day 2026.

In addition, he prepared and submitted the official Field Day results to the ARRL.

Thank you, Dan, for your dedication!



629
TOTAL QSOs



8
OPERATORS



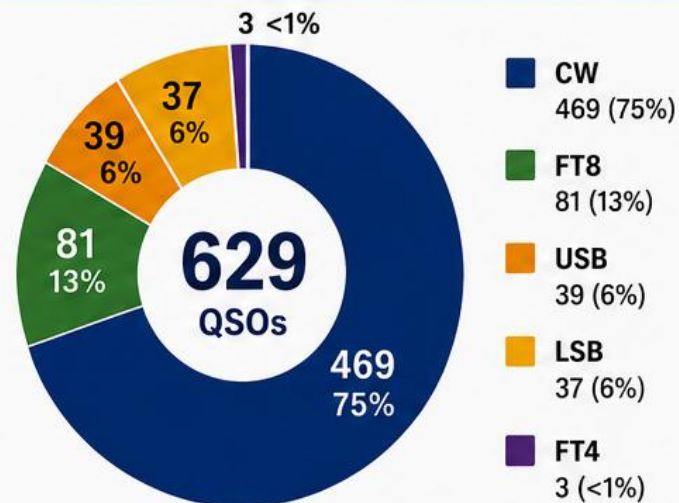
GREAT TEAMWORK
GREAT RESULTS!

QSOs BY OPERATOR

AI4WW	469
KB4EE	42
K4BH	38
KQ4LVP	30
W4AEQ	23
N4DES	14
KE4IDW	10
KD4HGR	3

TOTAL QSOs **629**

QSOs BY MODE



KEY TAKEAWAYS



CW was our
primary mode
(75% of QSOs)



FT8 was a strong
contributor with
81 QSOs



Great participation
by all 8 operators



Excellent activity
across all major
bands and modes



Thank You!

SPECIAL THANKS TO

- Broward County Parks & Recreation Division for providing Quiet Waters Park
- Kenny KE4NC – Field Day Chairman & HamHelpers
- HamReady – Club Apparel Sponsor
- Leonardo K4ITA — Pizza Master
- Dan AI4WW – Most QSOs
- Ricki KJ4FSJ — Chili Specialist
- Jean-Marie & Cara — Culinary Chefs
- All volunteers, operators, setup & teardown crews
- Our sponsors, donors and every GCARA member who made this event a success
- 3,621 were reported to the ARRL

***Together we made Field Day 2026 one of GCARA's most successful events
See you again Winter Field Day 2027!***