

EUCW QRS PARTY RESULTS 2006.

Before I go on to give the results of the party, I must say a few words regarding the sad news that we received during the party week.

That is of course the passing of the founder of FISTS, George Longden, G3ZQS.

George had been unwell for some time and became SK during the night of the

25 th of April 2006

I would like to add a comment from the family of George.

" Dear All

I would like to thank all the members of FISTS for their comments, it means a lot to us to know that he was respected & loved by others as he was by ourselves

Reading all the tributes brings tears of sadness at our loss, but a feeling of happiness to know that he had touched so many people

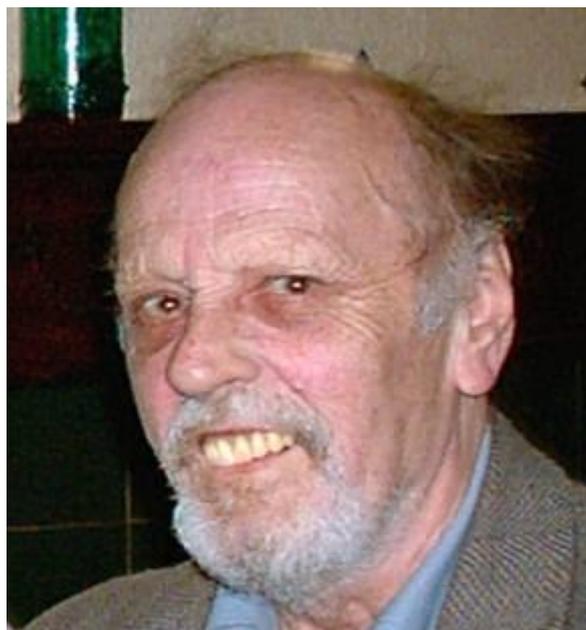
Many thanks

Geo's Family "

If any of you are not aware of the web site

www.fists.co.uk

Please visit and read the messages of condolence and tributes there and if you feel able to, add your own tribute



"Mr CW"

George Longden, G3ZQS.

RIP.

We have received some encouraging feedback from the party entrants this year.

From Adriaan, PA0ATG who comments on bad condx but "nice activity and see you next year"

From Tony, G4FAI who thought that the event was better than in previous years, so maybe the new rules helped, and also, several foreign stations commented on how much they enjoyed it!

Some nice comments from Hellar, ES7FU.

"It was great pleasure for me to take part first time in this QRS activity"

"Sure do it next year again"

"Two things were a little surprising for me:

- there was so much QRP activity on the bands, if you are looking on certain frequencies.

I reduced my power also many times to 5 W and QSO with RST 559 to 579 and was still OK.
- it is still possible to have a "normal" QSO, not only as RST, name, QTH and 73 as most of Ham's are doing today"

From Dick, G3URA in Cheshunt, England who comments,

"Not many contacts again this year as work and family duties took up most of my time, but was pleased to be able to give away GTC (Greek telegraph club) as my Club again.

This always prompts comments!

From Erkki, Oh7QR, who comments that he didn't have much time to spend on radio during QRS week owing to his garden needing attention (Hi) but pleased to submit a log for what time he did have available.

I couldn't finish with out adding comments from our great stalwart and supporter of FISTS contests, Peter, G4LHI, who says

"Not such an exciting EUCW QRS Party as previous years I feel there were not as many taking part as previous years, but I may not have been in the right place at the right time, but enjoyed it as I always do.

Clubs worked by entrants include,

G-QRP, AGCW, FISTS, BENELUX-QRP, INORC, SCAG,

GTC, HTC, AND CTC.

On to the results

Starting with class A

Class A Results			
CALL	QSO's	CLUB	CLASS
ES7FU	116	CTC	A
IK2RMZ	106	AGCW-DL	A
G4LHI	66	FISTS	A

Sincere congratulations to Hellar Luik, ES7FU, for winning the class A Award certificate with his first entry in the EUCW QRS Party.

Hellar tells me he's been licensed since 1959, his first call was UR2FU then ES7FU.

Congratulations go to Martin, IK2RMZ, for achieving the runners up certificate, and of course Peter, G4LHI, for achieving the second runners up certificate.

Onto the class B results.

Class B Results			
CALL	QSO's	CLUB	CLASS
RW3AI	70	G-QRP	B
PA0ATG	27	BEN-QRP	B
G4FAI	25	FISTS	B

Congratulations to Valery, RW3AI for winning the class B award certificate.

And to Adriaan, PA0ATG for achieving the runners up certificate, and to Tony, G4FAI, for achieving the second runners up certificate.

There were no entrants in Class C, the SWL category.

Now on to the awards for "Most readable Morse"

The winner of the "Most readable Morse heard" certificate goes to Peter, G4LHI.

And a "Shared Award" goes to Tony, G4FAI, and Valery, RW3AI.

Congratulations to all concerned.

ENTRANTS WHO ARE TO RECEIVE THE AWARD CERTIFICATES WILL BE NOTIFIED BY EMAIL WHEN THEY HAVE BEEN SENT VIA LANDMAIL.

I'D APPRECIATE AN EMAIL TO LET ME KNOW THAT THEY HAVE ARRIVED SAFELY AT THEIR DESTINATIONS

Thanks to you all for supporting the event this year.

"In memory of our founding father, G3ZQS"

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