

## PAARA Field Day 2020 CLUB Participation Rules (it's not a contest)

To encourage participation in the upcoming Field Day, even without our traditional W6ARA operation, PAARA is announcing the PAARA Field Day Contest, with prizes for club members.

1. Any member in good standing before the start of Field Day on 6/27/20 is eligible to participate.
2. Each participant must submit their log with their callsign through the ARRL web page (<http://field-day.arrl.org/fdentry.php>) and list the "Palo Alto Amateur Radio Association" as their club. Note: the ARRL will not recognize PAARA as the club thus the name must be spelled out. Your entry to this contest is your submission of your log to the ARRL. The ARRL submission deadline is 7/28/20.
3. Contest winners will be announced after the ARRL posts the results of Field Day in November. The ARRL published scores will be the sole determinant of the winners.
4. Individual awards are based on scores turned in by a single operator, and not the operating category, against all other PAARA member single operators.
5. Teams of two or more operator stations under one callsign will receive a separate 1<sup>st</sup> place prize. Their score is also based on the ARRL published scores against other PAARA member team scores.
6. The top scores will receive HRO Gift Certificates as follows...
  - a. First place team \$350
  - b. First place single \$350
  - c. Second place single \$200
  - d. Third place single \$100
7. As this contest is intended to encourage general membership participation in Field Day, PAARA Officers and Board Members are excluded from participation.
8. The awards and prizes will be handed out at the December 2020 General meeting, assuming we will be allowed to convene. Otherwise, prizes and certificates will be distributed in the mail and winners published in PAARAgaphs.