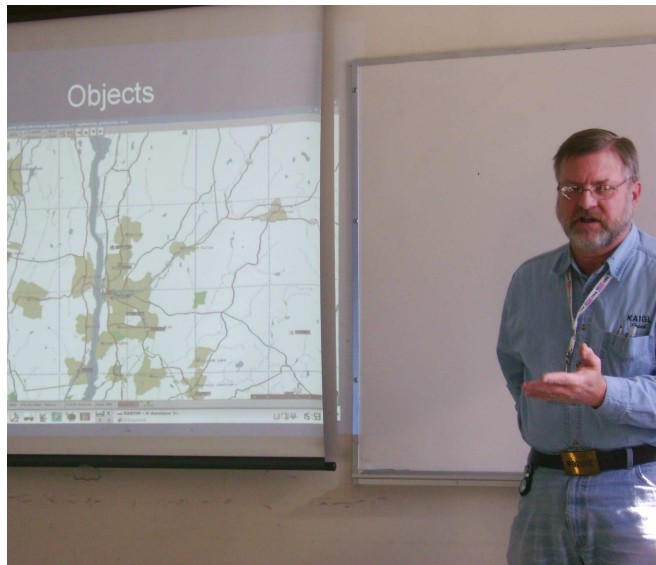


## QSY Meeting Saturday January 9, 2010

Meeting called to order at 11:00 AM by Dennis, NC2F  
Dennis NC2F: Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance & Introductions.

**Presentation:** APRS by Frank AB2ZO. Send questions to [AB2ZO@arrl.net](mailto:AB2ZO@arrl.net)

**Show and Tell:** NC2F with directional antenna; now is perfect time of year to search out interference, with the leaves off trees. JB WA2WMJ spoke about the importance of checking products that you order; mentioned an antenna that may have come marked incorrectly from the factory.



### **Old Business:**

Holiday Party (Shirley) - I-84 Diner in Fishkill - Comments very nice party. Party photos will be posted to the QSY Club Website.

QRP in the park was held in Bowdoin Park in November. Very crowded that day due to another activity in the park, some members were unable to gain access/parking.

## **New Business:**

Field Day will be last weekend in June (26 and 27). Planning is underway and anyone with an interest to help should either contact Scott at [KC2NTV@arrl.net](mailto:KC2NTV@arrl.net) - or- Dennis at [NC2F@arrl.net](mailto:NC2F@arrl.net)

The idea of an Auction was brought up by Steve W2NVL where hams can buy and sell radios and accessories, and a percentage of each sale would go to QSY as a form of fundraiser. The idea was well received and will be further discussed at the next meeting.

Jim, K2JIM announced the following: Mt Beacon's Hamfest Flyer for Mt. Beacon's upcoming Hamfest at Tymor Park in the Town of Unionvale on April 25, 2010; 8am to 2PM (6am for Sellers); and anyone interested in a 50' Tower from the estate of a SK can contact him at [K2JIM@frontiernet.net](mailto:K2JIM@frontiernet.net) -or-at 845-427-2702.

Shirley welcomed New club Member Stan, WB2LQF. Stan gave a brief introduction and spoke about his background and interest in Ham Radio.

Shirley N2SKP presented Fred KC2QFR with a QSY Society Certificate of Appreciation for Fred's work on establishing and maintaining the club's web page.

50/50 drawn: won by Paul WA2JTX; other raffle prizes won by members.

Next Meeting will be Saturday Feb. 13, 2010 at E.F. Library.  
Topic: Old Timers Day!

1:10 PM Meeting closed by Scott KC2NTV.

*Great to see Brenda N2TTO and Dan Pressler KF2HP. Brenda was QSY's first co-coordinator, and Dan made it possible for QSY to have its first meeting place at the Carmel Ambulance Corps, back in 1996.*



Some more pics...



*Happy Birthday to Jim K2JIM*



*Maddie KC2ISH and hubby Jim KB2QAT*