## 2018-2019 SDXA Club Meetings

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August 25, 2018	Club Picnic SATURDAY - AUGUST 25, 1-5 pm SPOKANE'S SHADLE PARK OFF OF WELLESLEY
	The club will be buying the main entrée (Longhorn Pulled Pork) and providing
	plates, silverware, napkins and cups.
	Club members are asked to bring:
	• For calls ending (last letter of call) in A-H bring a water bottles, pop or other
	non-Alcoholic drink
	<ul> <li>For calls ending (last letter of call) in I-P bring an appetizer or Salad or chips</li> <li>For calls ending (last letter of call) in Q-Z bring a dessert</li> </ul>
	Please RSVP Mel ( <u>teammel@gmail.com</u> ) to let him know you are coming.
September 6, 2018	Randy Foltz (K7TQ) - "RTTY Contesting"
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(North Library)	The timing will be great because the CQWW DX RTTY is in September.
	"Randy has been mentoring me and his handout is outstanding. It shows
	some great ways to improve efficiency, I hope many in the club will
	participate in the RTTY contests this year." (Mel)
	Station Tour - Mike Buettner (K7STO)
October 4, 2018	Geoff Howard (W0CJ) PJ2T – Contesting
(Argonne Library)	PJ2T station big anniversary
	<ul> <li>What's ahead for your station PJ2T</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Suggestions for DXers on how best to work super stations like PJ2T (and</li> </ul>
	what drives operators at stations like yours nuts).
	<ul> <li>Hints, tools, suggestion on how club members could make their stations</li> </ul>
	better.
	Station Tour – TBD
November 1, 2018	Chris Hurlbut (KL9A) – "Contesting" (Special Speaker)
	World Radio Sport Champion
	Chris was on the winning team for the WRSC/IARU contest in 2014 in Boston. Also
	won the NW Division IARU in July 2016 Operating K7IR in Oregon in Single Op,
	Mixed Mode, High Power.
	His experiences with WRTC.
	• Suggestions on how to be a better contester.
	Hints on working big gun contest stations.
December 7, 2018	Christmas Dinner: Kosovo: A New Country (Special Speaker)
	<b>Jim Fenstermaker/K9JF</b> , on his recent visit to Kosovo, and his participation the
	1st-ever activation of a Z6 station. "KOSOVO Became a New DXCC Entity on January
	21, 2018 and How I Got There". Jim was one of the people responsible for making
	Kosovo happen.
January 3, 2019	Del Morissette (WA7AQH) – "Station Audio"
January 5, 2019	The technical aspects of various types of mics, matching impedance,
	outboard audio gear (and why it's often unnecessary), running multiple
	radios with one audio setup, what compression/leveling/equalization do (and
	why to take a light hand with them), etc.
	Station Tour: TBD