

Activities at QuartzFest

QuartzFest offers something for everyone! With more than 100 ham radio classes and hands-on programs and its unique desert setting, warm climate and regional attractions QuartzFest offers much more for the entire family!

Ham Radio Activities

The educational classes at QuartzFest offer something for everyone including those new to ham radio or even the most seasoned veteran.

They give participants the chance to put hands-on the latest technology, learn ham radio for the first time, study advanced radio theory and to even take a glimpse into the future of radio science.

Some typical classes include:

- Antenna Shootouts
- Winlink
- Satellite Internet
- Antenna Tuners
- Baluns
- Emergency Communications
- Portable Antennas
- PSK31
- APRS
- Global Positioning System
- HF Mobile
- Anderson Connectors
- Wifi
- Noise Elimination
- Foxhunts
- Tools for the Ham

Family Fun

Quartzfest is a "must-see" activity for anyone in ham radio but its unique desert setting, warm climate and regional attractions offer much more for the entire family.

Some typical activities include:

- Stargazing
- Rock Hounding
- Off-Roading
- Geocaching
- Group Dinners
- Campfires
- Genealogy
- Music
- Arts and Crafts
- Hiking
- Tai Chi
- Cooking Classes
- Children's Programs

Local Attractions

QuartzFest is a camping event but is surrounded by many natural wonders and international events occurring at the same time.

Below are just a few of the unique regional attractions in the area during QuartzFest:

- Quartzsite Sports and Vacation Show
- Quartzsite RV Show
- International Rock, Gem and Mineral Show
- Sonoran Desert Wilderness Areas
- Colorado River Valley Recreation