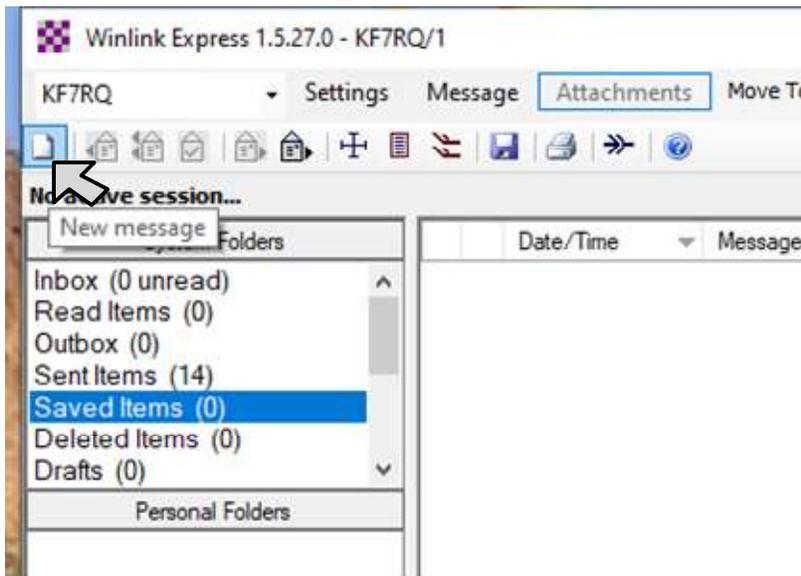


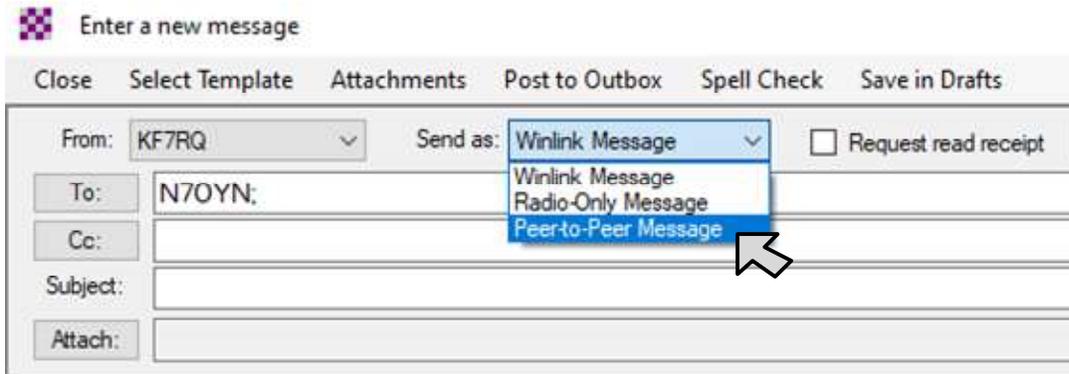
This is a cheat sheet on how to send a packet Winlink message from One station directly to another station without going through a gateway. This is not a radio setup guide.



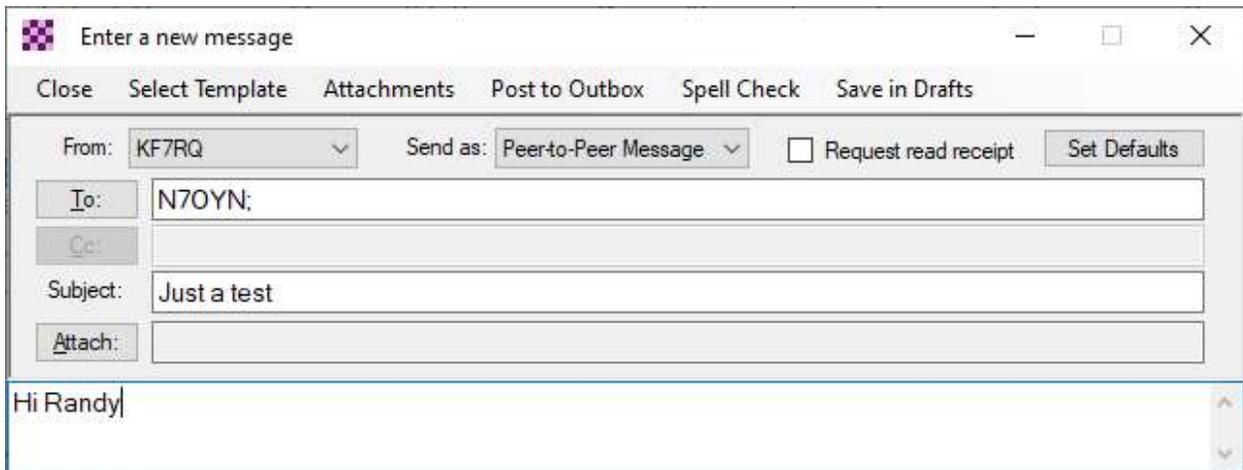
1. Open up RMS Express
2. Open a new message by clicking on the page in the upper left corner of the Winlink express screen.



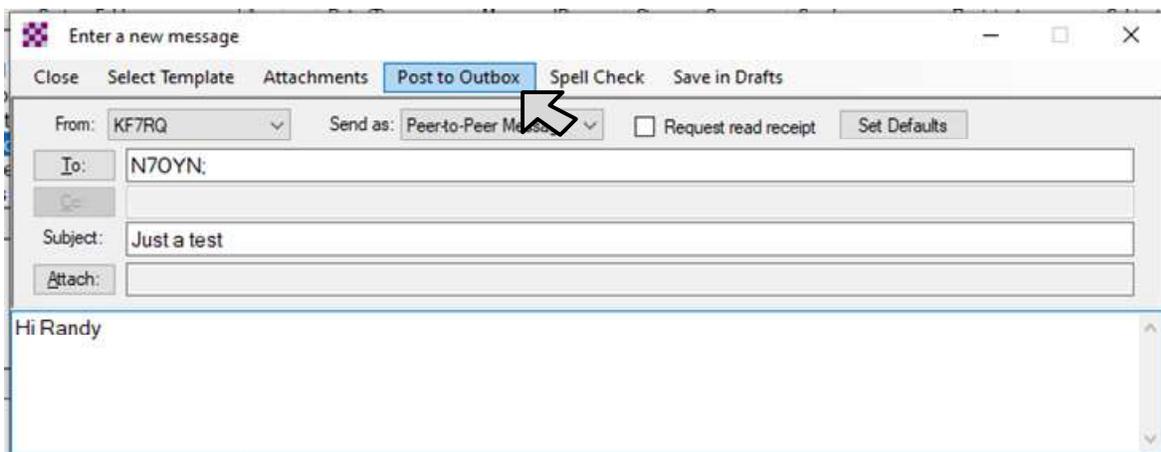
3. Fill in the **To:** Field and Set the **Send as:** drop down box to proper method of transmission (**Peer-toPeer Message**).



4. Fill in the Subject line and the body of the text message



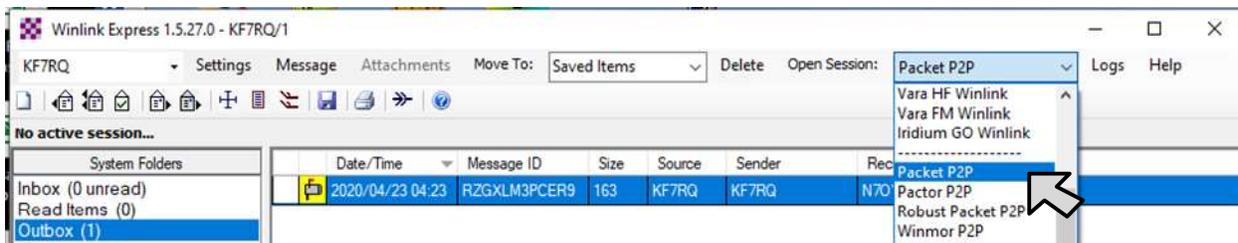
5. Post to Outbox



You will now have the message in the outbox.

6. Be sure to set the drop down box as **Packet P2P** (this was the second place that has to be P2P).

Then push **Open Session:**

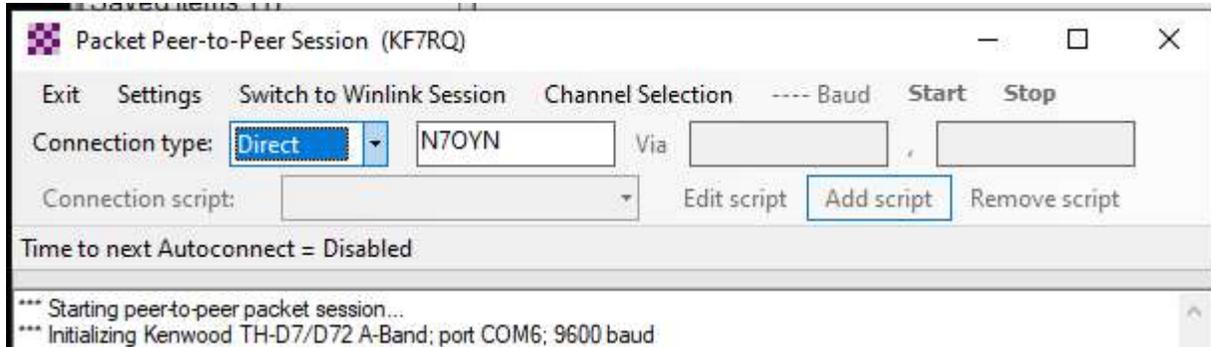


Now that the Open session window is open, RMS Express is talking to your radio.

7. Fill in the recipient call sign, In this case N7OYN. In the drop-down box this is a **Direct** message to N7OYN. The other option is Digipeater and then you would have to fill in the Via field (Digipeaters have a -n number suffix).

At this point the receiving station has to have the below Packet Peer-to-Peer Session window open for them to receive a Winlink packet message.

Push **[Start]**



You will see a series of commands scroll by in the window. Then the green progress bar will indicate that a message is being sent or received.

8. You do not have to close the Packet Peer-to-Peer Session window. **Leave it open** if you want other stations to contact you and leave a message with you.

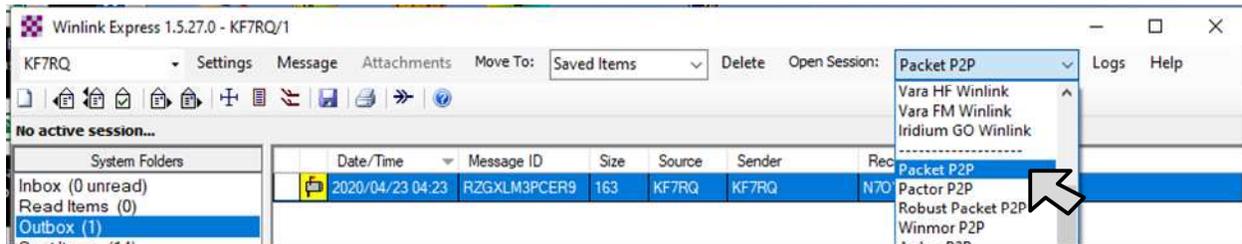
You can also leave the Packet Peer-to-Peer Session window open and go back to the main Winlink Express window and start a new message. Post the new message in the outbox and go back to the Packet Peer-to-Peer Session window (still Open). Fill in the new station call sign and push the [start] button.

It does not matter what the call sign is that you filled in, your station will still receive messages from other stations.

9. If all you want to do is receive a message from another station.

In the main Winlink Express window, set the drop-down box as **Packet P2P**.

Then push **Open Session**:



the Packet Peer-to-Peer Session window will open (make sure the window says that the radio initialized properly) and nothing more will need to be done.