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**In Memory
of the
many
that
perished
by the
hands of
the few that
wish to destroy
the very spirit
of America – and
made us stronger
than could have ever
been imagined!**

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- among the missing

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- who made it out in time

*as reported in the
ARRL Letter*

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Radio Operators
who went out of
their way to assist
with communications
and the rescue effort.
You too are also true
heroes, along with
all the others
who worked
so hard
against
the clock.**

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10-10 NET CONTROL STATIONS

ALL NETS BEGIN AT 1800Z

Monday (28.380)	Dick, K6PZE #01341
Monday (28.800)	"Scotty", WA6TQC #00071
Tuesday (28.380)	Tom, KA9EKG #70731
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Friday (28.800)	Alan, VE4ALN #69217
Saturday (28.380)	Carl, W6MP #67317
Saturday (28.800)	Bill, KB9MJ #22313
Sunday	"NEVER ON SUNDAY"

from the office of the PRESIDENT

**10-10
International**

**Chuck Imsande
W6YLJ #19636**



The 2001 10-10 Convention in Worcester, MA is history and it will remain in the memories of over 225 attendees as "one of the best ever". Through the hard work of Ken Harmon, K1IEQ #31363, and his super crew of helpers, all of the things that you look for when attending such an affair were available. There were scheduled activities to keep everyone busy, there were surprises that kept everyone interested and there were chapter tables that kept the paper chasers chasing from one chapter to another.

A few of the highlights: The bus trip for the 57 lucky persons that got their tickets before the bus sold out. They saw the historical parts of old Boston and the surrounding area on their all-day journey. The surprise raffle held at the banquet made almost \$1000.00 for the new Scholarship Foundation. The surprise \$500.00 cash give away made 20 people happy as they walked away from the banquet with \$50.00 bills. And the surprise visit of Dave Sumner, K1ZZ # 04852, Executive Vice President of ARRL, who spent Friday afternoon renewing old friendships and visiting with the Board of Directors.

The 10-10 Club Station, W6OI #109, was active throughout the convention and was the control station for the parking lot net with Ruth Bartholomew, N0KDB #48715, who did a great job as net control with over 160 check-ins. Thanks also go to Ed Emco, W1KT #59148, for the installation of the W6OI antenna on the top of the Holiday Inn building. An 8-hour job that paid off with the number of contacts made away from the convention site. At least one attendee made their 10 contacts from W6OI and was presented their membership in 10-10 by Data Manager Gerry Gross, WA6POZ #21247. A VE session was also held at the convention and close to 20 took various tests with a large percentage passing their tests.

The Saturday night banquet provided the 185 attendees with not only a good dinner but with a group of prizes that kept the drawing going for at least an hour. There were few that left the banquet without a prize thanks to the good work of Convention Prize Committee and the prize donations of many members.

The 2001 10-10 Convention will be hard to beat, but the challenge to do so is there. The site of the 2003 convention is yet to be decided but there are several possibilities in the works. If you are interested in making a bid for the 2003 10-10 Convention, information will be available in the next issue of the NEWS.

The Board of Directors meeting was conducted as a part of the convention and the minutes are published elsewhere in this issue. Please read the minutes and keep aware of the actions of the Board. If you have questions about any of the Board actions, send me an e-mail and I will clarify any

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PRESIDENT *(Continued from page 3)*

questions. One action that I would particularly ask you to consider is the possibility that 10-10 would initiate action to have the phone portion of the 10-meter band opened up to all amateurs that have 10-meter privileges. This would remove the restriction of 28.300-28.500 only for those with less than a General Class License. The Board discussed this in length and decided that the membership should be polled to determine the desire of the group. I would like to hear from you, each of you reading this, as to your feelings. Send me an e-mail or QSL card and let me know how you feel about opening up the 10-meter band to all who have HF privileges. This would not include no-code techs, but would include coded techs that now have 10-meter privileges from 28.300 to 28.500 only. The effort to get the FCC to respond to such a proposal would perhaps be possible only with the help and support of the ARRL. This has been discussed briefly with ARRL and they seem to be receptive to a joint effort by both of us to move such a proposal forward to the FCC. This could not happen overnight, but would take considerable effort on both the part of ARRL and 10-10. We will move forward on this only if the membership is in favor of such action. Let me know of your feelings. My e-mail and postal address is on page 2. Consideration to move forward with this project is up to the favorable vote of the majority of the membership. A few minutes of your time is all that is necessary to let us know of your feelings on this matter.

The Board was updated on the status of the formation of the new 10-10 Scholarship Foundation. This is covered in another article in this issue. The formation of the Scholarship Foundation is a major step forward in our effort to maintain the 10-10 Scholarship Program.

Another major project that the Board would like to move ahead on is the use of a complete integrated Awards Data Management Program. This would provide for the accurate record keeping of all awards issued to members in one central data program. At the present time, each Award Manager maintains his own listing of awards he issues and at times in the past, when an award manager is no longer available to maintain his position as a manager, the data from that award has been difficult to obtain or recover from his data. With a

standard integrated award program, this problem would no longer exist and all members' award data would be available to the responsible net officials at any time. Elsewhere in this issue is an article requesting a proposal from those members with computer programming skills that would be interested in participating in the development of such a program.

Editor Steve Rasmussen, N0WY #68684, has just completed scanning in all 27 years of the past issues of the 10-10 International News and has them placed them on a single CD. This was a big job and Steve completed it in record time. It is now available for purchase and will keep you reading for many hours. Look elsewhere in this issue for details as to how you can order one of these CD's.

Director Linda Barnes, KJ4FM #43299, has volunteered to take over as Certificate Manager and will be responsible for the making and mailing of certificates for the QSO Parties and other special events such as the Y2K Challenge. By the time you read this the Y2K certificates should have been mailed. Next, Linda will be working on the QSO Parties from earlier this year. This is a job that was formerly done by our past president, Tom Henderson, K4CIH, before he became an SK and we hope to get caught up with all certificates that are due to members within the next few weeks. Please give Linda time to get caught up on this big job she has undertaken.

With the above you have a summary of the important items discussed at the Board of Directors meeting. I am sometimes asked, "What does the Board actually do". I hope that the above gives you a clear view of the details that the Board addresses at each Board Meeting. As a reference of time taken by the Board to address the above and other items not mentioned, a pre-Board meeting is held the evening before the formal Board Meeting. This usually runs from 7:00 pm until approximately 11:00 pm. Things of a larger scope are usually discussed and a meeting of the minds is solicited. The actual Board Meeting began this year at 9:08 am, and concluded at 5:07 pm with a one-hour lunch. It is an intensive 7 to 7 1/2 hour session in which discussions and decisions are made regarding the present and future of 10-10. Membership inputs are always welcome. Contact me or any of the Board members.

New 10-10 Scholarship Foundation Receives IRS Approval

The Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws for the new 10-10 Scholarship Foundation have been approved by the State of California and the IRS has also approved the Foundation as a 503(c)(3) tax exempt corporation. This means that all donations to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation are now 100% tax exempt. In the past we have always assumed that the monies donated to the Scholarship Fund were tax exempt, as all funds received were passed through 10-10 to the Foundation for Amateur Radio (FAR), the organization that makes the determination and awards the 10-10 scholarships. To remove any possible doubt about the tax-exempt status of Scholarship donations, the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation was established. Now with the IRS approval in hand, we can offer tax-exempt status to all Scholarship donations without question.

Completing this project to obtain tax exempt status for the new Scholarship Foundation, which is classified as a NON-PROFIT PUBLIC BENEFIT Corporation under the Secretary of State for California, provides the membership, and others, with the assurance of safety in the deduction of all donations to the Foundation.

The Board of Directors, at the recent meeting in July 2001, once again approved the offer of five (5) \$1000.00 Scholarships for next year. If you have a relative or friend, that you would like to submit for consideration of one of the five 10-10 \$1000.00 scholarships, watch for the announcement in the NEWS, early next year, as to how and where to submit your application.

If you would like to make a tax-free donation to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation, please send your check to: Larry Berger, WA2SUH #407, Scholarship Manager, 9 Nancy Blvd., Merrick, NY 11566-3119. Your donation will help one of our young ham friends complete their education.

10 METER BAND FREQUENCY ALLOCATION

Is the Restriction 28.300-28.500 Still Required?

At the recent Board meeting, the Directors discussed in detail the possibility of a proposal to the FCC to open up the entire 10-meter phone band to all amateurs with HF privileges. It was felt that the 28.300-28.500 restriction has served its purpose and is a "left over" from the Novice Enhancement days and no longer serves the purpose for which it was intended. It was the consensus of the Board that more efficient use of the phone portion of the band could be used if it were available to all who have 10-meter operating privileges.

To accomplish such a change, it would take the efforts of several organizations and it would be necessary to determine if the FCC is amenable to such a change. It is felt that 10-10 could not accomplish this on their own, and would require the support of organizations like the ARRL. Preliminary discussions with ARRL indicate that they may be interested in supporting such a proposal to the FCC.

It is the desire of the Board that a survey of the membership should be taken to determine if the membership would support such a proposal. Further action will await the results of the survey of 10-10 members. This is your time to get involved. In order to determine the desire of the membership, it is requested that you either e-mail or send a QSL card (or letter) to the President stating your feeling on this matter. A simple "yes" or "no" will let the Board know how you, the membership feel. Your comments are also solicited. Please take a minute right now and send your position. YES, let's go forward and get the 10-meter phone band opened up to all, or NO, leave things the way they are.

Remember 10-10 was originally organized to keep 10-meters alive. It was the "use it – or lose it" phrase that you heard in the early days of 10-10 that may have kept others from taking our 10-meter frequencies.

Awards Management Program

10-10 is interested in obtaining an Integrated Awards Management Program that would provide the capabilities for maintaining all awards issued to each member. This program would provide for the accurate record keeping of all awards issued to each member in one central location. It is desired that each award manager input his awards, as issued, into his portion of the data base program and then regularly his inputs would be transferred into the master program file.

If you are interested in presenting a proposal for such a program, you may request the quotation outline from: Chuck Imsande, W6YLJ #19636, 10-10 President. Request for the Request for Quotation may be made either by e-mail or regular mail to the address on page 2 of the NEWS. The Request for Quotation can be made anytime after 1 October 2001 and Notice of Intent to Bid must be received on or before 1 November 2001. It is the intent to have the program fully operational by 1 September 2002.

TEN-TEN CONVENTION IN WORCESTER A SUCCESS

**The first thing you saw was this sign.....
and then K1IEQ made sure you were wel-**



PHOTO COURTESY OF ARRL



Now that you've been introduced.....come on in and see who else was at the Convention →

UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN - ALL CONVENTION PHOTOS BY NØWY



President Chuck Imsande W6YLJ #19636 presenting the President's Award to Jean Henderson, widow of President Tom Henderson K4CIH #33233 who became a Silent Key March 4, 2001



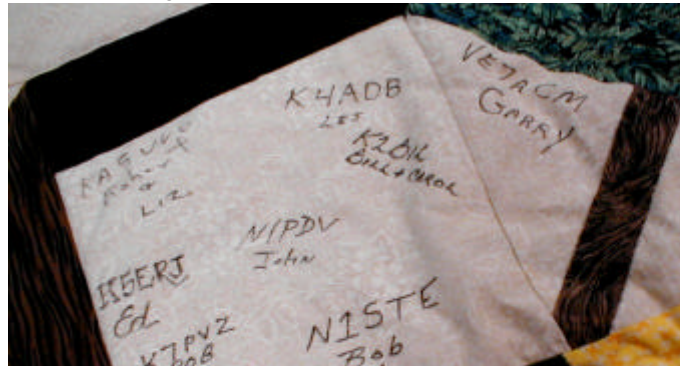
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Doris N3TGB #68129 and Bob KB9NZX #68570



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Some of the signatures on Doris' Quilt



The lowest number there?



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AI KC8IYG #69312 and harmonic



MIKE G4BLH #18446



Steve NØWY #68684 and Mike N5MT #24949 talking DX



Ruth NØKDB #48715 controlling the Parking Lot Net as W6OI



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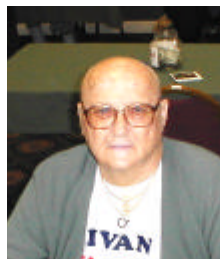
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AND THE WINNERS (some of the many) WERE.....

Bob W1MXI #17800 - atomic clock



Emile WB1DBZ #26001 - TS50



Bob N3NOP #63098 - IC706MkIIg



I didn't have any pictures from the bus tour....maybe if someone could send me some ??? - Editor

A VISIT TO ARRL HEADQUARTERS

Last July I was given the opportunity to visit the ARRL Headquarters in Newington, CT on the Monday following the 10-10 Convention in Massachusetts. They were expecting me and were able to give me a tour I will not soon forget. I want to show you some pictures of the people and equipment I had the chance to see. There is no way I could show you all of it, so I hope you enjoy this as a small taste of what is available if you get a chance to go yourself.

[1] The first thing you see as you drive up to the ARRL are the



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magnificent towers and antennas on the grounds. With all the trees they have in the area, they just kind of jump out of nowhere.

[2] Dan Henderson N1ND Contest Manager (who gave me the great guided tour), Dave Patton NT1N #20015 (worked him in the WPX contest last March and he put in the bug in my ear to come and visit after the 10-10 Convention – thanks Dave!), Dave Sumner K1ZZ #04852 Executive Vice President (and a real great guy to boot!) and Steve N0WY #68684 (me). An interesting side note – the picture right behind Dave Sumner was painted by the late Louis Varney G5RV.

[3] Editor QST Steve Ford WB8IMY (a very busy man!)

[4] Al Alvareztorres AA1DO #04017 Tech Info Services (aka labguy – takes stuff apart to see what makes it tick)

[5] Test Bench – yes that's a Mark V there

[6] ARRL QSL Bureau Martin Cook N1FOC #43043 (he gets to see the good ones first!)

[7] Field & Educational Services Margie Bourgoyn KB1DCO

[8] DXCC Data Input (left to right – I hope I got them straight) Judy Miller, Mahjabeen Kabir, Ann Figat, Bill Moore NC1L, Bev Fernandez N1NAV, and Kathy Kostek

[9] The Bulletin transmitters of W1AW (power!)

[10] One of the three guest operating booths at W1AW. The position at the left contains a TenTec Omni VI and Hercules II amp. In the middle is an IC756 Pro. On the right you will find a Yaesu FT1000MP MkV with the VL1000 amplifier. (Toys!)

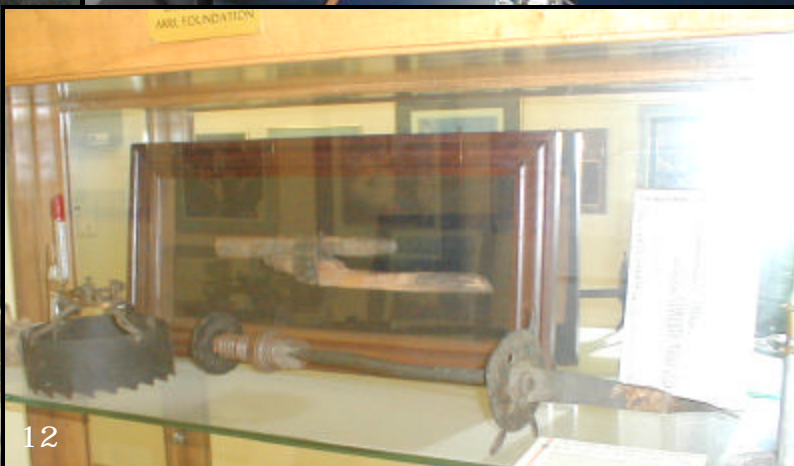
[11] Yes, I was given the opportunity to try out the MkV. That is one heck of a radio and I was able to make 25 or so contacts on ten meters, giving out 10-10 #57575 for W1AW to anyone that asked.

[12] Ah yes, the mystical Wouff Hong, Rettysnitch and other unspeakable articles designed to instill fear into the hearts of bad operators everywhere (sorry the picture couldn't be better. It was housed in a glass case with a glaring window very nearby).

If you every have the opportunity to visit ARRL Headquarters I hope you go. The people are great and you might even get the chance to work at W1AW – better remember to take along a copy of your ham license though – it is required!

You can find out a whole lot more about the ARRL by going to their web site www.arrl.org

73 de Steve N0WY



An-Ten-Ten-nas



**Information to help you
decide on the best
antenna for you**

**L. B. Cebik
W4RNL #41159**

In each issue of the *News*, we shall try to clarify a significant cluster of ideas used in antenna work. Our object is to help you make the best decisions about the antennas you buy or build without imposing our own prejudices on you. The more you understand, the better your choices will be.

No. 33: The Cheapest 2-Element Beam?

"Can I build a small directional antenna for less than \$20?" That was the challenge presented to me. The answer is yes. However, remember that this is a project designed for the dollar sign, so the gain and directivity will be modest. Here is what we need:

- 32' #14 copper wire (Radio Shack and elsewhere)
- 15' 2x2 (good quality)
- 7' 1x2 or similar size Schedule 40 PVC
- 1' 450-Ohm parallel feedline
- SO-239 coax connector
- Boom-to-mast bracket/hardware

The antenna is a 2-element wire parasitic beam with the ends tapered back toward each other. The elements are the same physical length, but the reflector is stub loaded to increase its electrical length. (See the last column for information on stubs.) Gain is about half an S-unit over a dipole, and the front-to-back ratio is about 2 S-units. Feed is a direct coax match, and coverage is about 900 kHz of 10 meters.

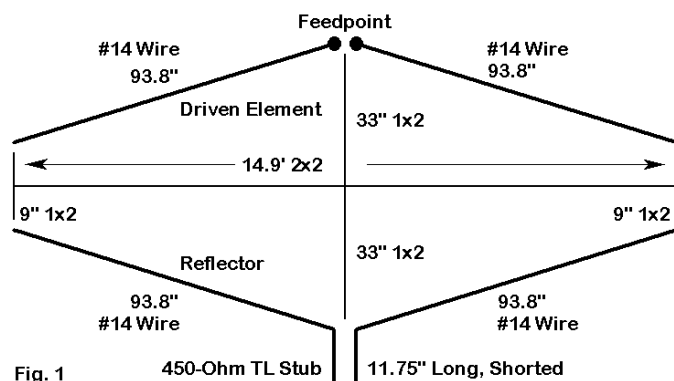


Fig. 1

Figure 1 shows both the wire and support frame dimensions. The 2x2 determines the side-to-side dimensions, while the cross piece determines the maximum front-to-back dimension. The end cross pieces keep the wire ends 9" apart.

Use a good marine (spar) varnish (or modern poly equivalent) on all wood. Expect to re-varnish the wood annually. Be sure the 2x2 does not sag a lot. The cross pieces can be PVC or 1x2. If wood, give it the same spar varnish treatment.

Details of coax connector mounting, wire termination, and mast support are subject to many variations, so I shall bypass them here. Check with any handbook for many different ways to achieve the same goals. Likewise, mast details are omitted here.

The figure shows the stub dangling, but you can tape it to the center cross piece. Not shown is the 1:1 choke balun at the antenna feedpoint that I use on all antennas to reduce RF on the outside of the coax to the shack.

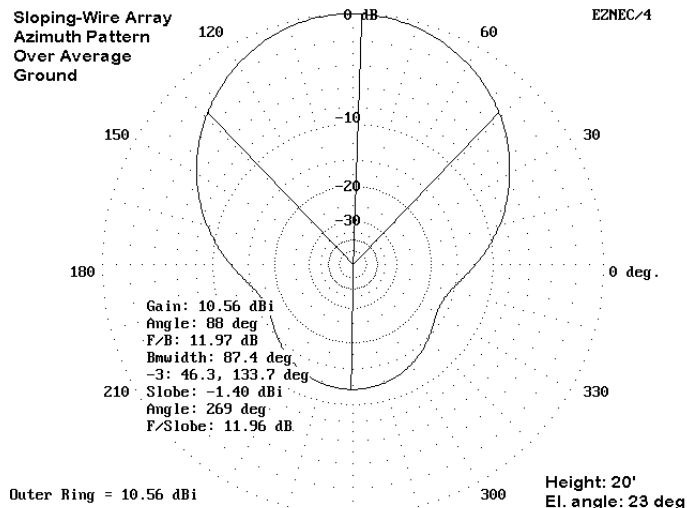


Figure 2 shows the azimuth pattern with the antenna at 20' over average ground. 20' is the height of two sections of TV masting, which makes an adequate support system for hand rotating the beam. Whatever system you use to elevate the antenna (which I shall assume is as inexpensive as the antenna itself), be certain that the mast is well guyed or bracketed for safety.

The antenna pattern is not a paragon of gain or rear nulling, but it does have some nice features. The forward beamwidth is wide enough so that a single twist of the mast will cover all of Europe or all of the VK-ZL area--or from each of these places, a single setting will cover all of the USA and Canada. The rear has only one lobe, so that there are no antenna positions susceptible to QRM from some quartering rear direction.

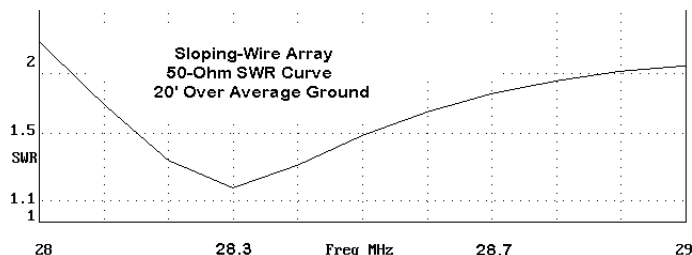


Figure 3 is the modeled SWR plot across the first MHz of 10 meters. The antenna was designed for 28.35 MHz to provide a low SWR for the most popular segment (28.3 to 28.5 MHz). You can shift the SWR curve downward by increasing the length of both wires equally about 2" or so--or shorten them by the same amount to move a bit up the band. However, keep the wire end separation at the prescribed 9" with the end cross pieces.

The antenna is related to the standard Yagi, although the elements are not exactly parallel. The element end coupling

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THE COMPANY STORE

WANT TO GET SOMETHING EXTRA FOR YOUR MONEY? PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF
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CHAPTER COORDINATOR'S COLUMN

By Dave Smith, K6RDK #65812



Reports Due This Quarter: 10-Bar-X, Battleroad, Cincinnati Area (Catt), Edmonton Area 10-10ers, Egyptian Radio Club, Milwaukee, Steel City, Twenty Eight Chapter

Reports Past Due: Berlin Bears, Concho Valley, Dollchaser, Sky Blue Waters/Tin Lizzey ** Crater Lake, River City/Cameilla Capital

In Extremis: Bluebonnet

No Longer Affiliated: Blue & Gray, Golden Bear, Liars, Liars II, Metro, Stark County Mutual Aid

REMINDER – To remain affiliated with 10-10 International, all chapters must fill a chapter report at least once each year. This information is used to update the 10-10 Awards guide and the monthly Guide updates. We don't want the membership wasting their time and money on a chapter that is no longer active. If the name of your chapter appears above, please advise the Chapter Coordinator if there has been a change in status of the chapter.

Chapter News:

ALII'S Chapter – Work one (1) CL/HCL member of the ALII'S Chapter on PSK31 for a 50 point upgrade or work all the CL/HCL for 50 points each, for a total of 300 PLUS points. This is a one-time contact only with each of the CL/HCL ALII'S member.

Contact must be on any frequency of the 10 Meter Band. Members applying for the upgrade must be current in the 10-10 International Chapter, and also a member of the ALII'S.

Confirmation of contact to Members VIA QSL CARDS, so cards can be used for other awards. Also be very careful how cards are filled out. Cards will be ignored if not done correctly.

Request for log application; send Snail Mail to: Richard Nelson, PO Box 916, Kekaha, HI 96752 or Email: wh6s@hotmail.net

Branding Iron – Branding Iron 2 will no longer issue a *Wagon Master* each Month. Starting 02 Jul 01 this person will be the "Grinning Armadillo".

The Branding Iron group of chapters has issued a collectable seal, *Cortez 3 Christian Crosses (CCC)*, in the memory of Tom K4CIH, Carl N5NYN and Bea K7CZQ. This seal will only be issued at 10-10 events where WR5CRA club station is in attendance as well as any of the CMs and is worth 10 points each for each chapter.

Central Florida Cypress Chapter – Starting June 1st, the Cypress Chapter begins its new points based certificate

program. This program called *Florida Cities* is open to all licensed amateurs with a Ten-Ten, and basic Cypress number. Existing Cypress members are automatically eligible to receive a Cities number and starting points. For more details visit the Cypress Chapter website at www.qsl.net/cfcc or SASE to CM.

Channel Islands Chapter – will be celebrating their 5th anniversary on the air December 7th. There will be a certificate and short story of the Channel Islands for each contact that wants one.

The day after, on the 8th of December there will be the annual Christmas dinner all are invited.

There is a new award called the *Sponsorship Award*, which contains spaces for ten stickers given for each member sponsored. This award is for any CIC member.

Chesapeake Bay – CBC has undergone some changes and will be accepting upgrades starting Nov 1st as follows: CH (Basic) N3TF Cindy S Hamm, 5829 Main St, Rock Hall MD 21661 Email: n3tf@arrl.net CM (Lighthouse & FOB) N3TGB Doris Slye, 708 Doages Dr, Millersville, MD 21108 Email: n3tgb@aol.com CM (Chessis & Big 4) W3VAL Val Purvis, 5311 Springlake Way, Baltimore, MD 21212-3413 Email: vpurvis@ix.netcom.com

City of Lights – is planning a banquet in early November 2001 to celebrate 25 years of consecutive weekly nets (Nov 5th).

City of Roses – Dave K7PRZ has decided to resign as CM of the Portland Bridges Award. Gary, KD7UZ will be the CM for both City of Roses and Portland Bridges Award.

The City of Roses Chapter and Portland Bridges Award accepts email upgrades, they may be sent to the CM at kd7uz@earthlink.net

Flying Tigers – The CM has moved, so address any future upgrades to Al Longo NN1J, PO Box 94, Springfield, ME 04487 or email nn1j@onperfect.com

Ft McHenry & Cornerstone – On January 1st through the 31st collect Fort McHenry *Defender* numbers for a 1 point upgrade each and collect Cornerstone *Cannon* numbers for a 5 point upgrade and the list must be post marked by Feb 28th.

GB TEN – All Members please note that from the 1st May 2001 the only Seals/Specials to list for collection purposes are as follows:

Edinburgh Word Search #1 = YES**

Classic Cars = YES**

Pantomime = YES**

**Providing you have received credit on these three items! Edinburgh Seal number, 5K Seals, 10K Seals, WACS Seals, WAFS Seals, CAR Seals, Wichita Con, Alcon, Icon, Oaktree and MAcon Convention Seals. Members with credit for any of the above seals/specials please add to your lists. They are/will be collectable items.

Please remove all other previously collectable and listed Seals.

Route-66 – Route-66 has a new Website

<http://www.qsl.net/ka9add/>

Samuel Clemens – For those attending the convention and

did not receive a convention seal by signing the sheet at the Springbok table, send proof that you were there to receive your seal. Details are on the Samuel Clemens web site www.qsl.net/samuel_clemens

Steel City – Beginning 01 Sep the CM, KE9WZ has a new email address, ke9wz1@netzero.net

Suncoast – *Pelican Pete Bonus Program* starts Dec 1st, 2001. Contact 100 Suncoast members with Pelican Seals. List Date, Call, Suncoast #, and their Pelican Seal #. Send completed form, no time limit, to CM: KF4TYB, Ed Beatty 4620-24th Ave. North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713. Serial numbered certificate is available for \$3 (US) or \$5 (DX) SASE for number only. No charge for number only via e-mail to CM: kf4tyb@qsl.net

Waterkant – *Canals and Straits Special*; This activity takes place in memory of the 17th October 1784. The *Eidercanal*, predecessor of the big *Nord-Ostsee-Kanal* (Kiel-Canal), could be used by relatively light ships from that day on.

The event runs from October 11th, 0001 UTC to October 18th 2001, 2359 UTC. Your worksheet **must** be submitted for credit not later than October 31st to dk7la@darcd.de or sent via snail mail to Wolfgang Dethlefs, DK7LA, Knuell 4, 24863 Boerm, Germany. All in all you can earn a maximum of 25 new on air WKC points.

Lighthouse Special (Dec. 2001) – Our yearly December-special we will run called *Lighthouse Special*. Let the CM know if you like to take part. You can get a collectable 5SP seal if you find and work enough stations. The rules and worksheets will be sent out about Nov 15th.

List of chapters that accept Email upgrades. (Current as of 01 September 01)

All of the listed chapters generally need previous, new, and total points and seals claimed. Any transaction with the CM that requires that a certificate be issued, and most worksheet specials should still be handled via US Mail. Also to be on the safe side, a detailed listing of the upgrade should be kept in the event that the CM should require verification. Requirements peculiar to a particular chapter are noted below. To be added to, deleted from, or make changes to the following list of e-mail upgraders must be made in writing or e-mail communication between the Certificate Manager and the Chapter Coordinator.

Battle Road – CM K1IEQ, k1ieq@juno.com

Bay Area – CM AC6FU, ac6fu@arrl.net (Bay of Bridges)

All others to K6RDK, k6rdk@qsl.com

Bounty Hunters & Outlaws on Ten – CM WD5EDR, billheb@swbell.net

Branding Iron – CM KA5VVD, xit@seacove.net

Branding Iron II – CM N5XJD, n5xjd@seacove.net

Brooklyn Bridge – CM K2BIL, k2bil@qsl.net

Cast Iron Tower – CM DL5DXS, dl5dxs@web.de

Castle Craig – CM N1API, n1api@home.com

Colorado Centennial – CM N0CKW, chalice@home.com

Colorado Frontier Gang – CM WB0CON, wb0con@home.com

***City of Roses/Portland Bridges Award** – CM KD7UZ, kd7uz@earthlink.net

Cypress Chapter – CM WA2YZM, wa2yzm@qsl.net

Dollchasers – CM KA5OVO, ka5ovo@swbell.net

Down Under – CM ZL1KQ, via zl3jd@extra.co.nz

Electric City – CM WA2OIZ, istillwell@cfl.rr.com

***Flying Tigers** – CM NN1J, nn1j@onperfect.com

Fort McHenry (including Cornerstone & Yondar Kritch) – CM K3TUJ, k3tuj@juno.com

GB Ten – CM G4KHF, gbten@globalnet.co.uk

Great Lakes – CM WA8OXS, wa8oxs@juno.com

Great Smoky Mountains – CM W4RNL/N4TZP, cebik@utkvx.utcc.utk.edu

French Broad and Holston programs should be submitted via US Mail.

Houston S.H.O.T. – CM N5AFV, afmattis@hal-pc.org

Kansas Trails – CM KB6UPG, kb6upg@willmar.com

Lake Geneva – CM W4KM, w4km@ricconnect.com

Laurel Mancunium – CM G3RRM, g3rrm@breathemail.net

Mississippi Lighthouse – CM N5LBZ, stuartac@earthlink.net all applications for certificates and upgrades are requested to be sent via email if possible. See my web page for further info at <http://home.earthlink.net/~stuartac>

Neanderthal – CM DL2KG, dl2kg@qsl.net

Oceans of the World – CM KA4RVZ, ka4rvz@quadra.net

Old Ironsides – CM WA1ENO, waleno@hotmail.com

Peshtigo Fire – CM W9BLI, w9bli@itol.com - points and seals upgrade submit total, new, and previous also need total contacts for chapter

Portland 500 – CM K7POS, k7pos@arrl.net

Restoration Project/Feline Friends – CM VE7ACM, VE7ACM@RAC.CA

Route-66 – CM KA9ADD, ka9add@aol.com

Samuel Clemens & King Arthur's Court – CM WA2YZM, wa2yzm@qsl.net

Santa Fe Trail – CM KB0ON, kb0on@hoosierlink.net

Sky Blue Waters/Tin Lizzie – CM WB0RCC, cedwards@isd.net in addition to old, new and total points. Submit total contacts, basic number(s) with current point value, 10-10 number with date of expiration.

South Texas Lighthorse Brigade – CM N5DAS, n5das@juno.com old, new and total points, total contacts, and date of issue of original certificate.

***Steel City** – CM KE9WZ, ke9wz1@netzero.net

***Suncoast Chapter** – CM KF4TYB, kf4tyb@qsl.net

Trail Drivers – CM N5SCA, n5sca@ltx.net

***Twin Cities** – CM K0DBK, k0dbk@mediaone.net

Waterkant – CM DK7LA, dk7la@darcd.de

These addresses are as current as the information you provide me. If there are any additions, corrections or deletions this list please contact the Chapter Coordinator, K6RDK David P Smith via Email: k6rdk@SMRN.com.

I must have my column in to the editor of the 'News' no later than the first of the month of March, June, September, and December. So in order to make the deadline and if you want your chapter information in the current issue, it needs to be in my hands by the 20th of February, May, August and November. Often chapter news or special information is received too late to make the issue on a timely basis. The column for the January issue for instance must be submitted to the editor on the 1st of December. So if your special is to run 1st through 31st December, it should be in my hands prior to 20th August to be in the October issue, as the following issue of the News will not be out until January after your special is over. Chapter information is printed on a space available basis; sometimes not all information received can be printed. The deadline for the next issue of the News is the 20th of November.

Ten Ten DX News

Mike Davidson
N5MT #24949



Europe is back on Ten! The change of propagation has come early for the USA as we had good signals coming out of Europe today. I worked members on five continents before I lost propagation. Last issue I picked September for this event, so it is nice to see the first opening just as I am finishing up this article!

I was pleased to be a speaker at the 10-10 Convention in Worcester. I had the chance to present the research that I had done to determine the thirty-eight remaining countries that have never had any 10-10 activity plus the most recently activated countries that I call a 'First Country'. A First Country occurs when a QSL is submitted for a country award for the very first time. These First Country events are getting harder to find as the total number of worked countries grows. With the help of Solar Cycle 23, we could see five to seven new 10-10 First Countries before we reach the bottom of Cycle 23.

There have been **303** confirmed 10-10 countries to date. The latest #303 was Palestine E4/OK5DX by Slavo **OK1TN** #52722, #302 was Syria YK9A by Carl **K9LA** #41258, #301 Egypt was SU1/**K5LBU** Frosty #51322, #300 Tromelin FR/F6KDF/T by Larry **F5PYI** #54226, #299 Chesterfield Is. TX0DX by Trey **N5KO** #26780, #298 East Timor Is. by Dennis 4W/**K7BV** #5414.

News from ARRL DXCC: A new computer program called the **Logbook of the World** will be starting up in 2002. This Internet logbook will take electronic QSL data from a secure software program and transfer log information to the ARRL. This data will be matched with your records. Paper cards can still be checked by a card checker and they will approve a DXCC submission of electronic data back to the ARRL. Details at the ARRL web site www.arrl.org. (Editor comments: This looks great and will save time and money in DXCC processing at the ARRL. The DXCC award program has lost money for years. Do not expect a change in 10-10 card checking as we do not have the software that could provide the same secure services as the ARRL electronic logbook.)

A new DXCC country may be created on November 16th from **Ducie Is.** just north of VR6 Pitcairn Is. If Pitcairn is allowed to join the IARU in November, Ducie Is would qualify by separation from VR6 to be a new country.

The DX Net on 28555 will begin October 7 at 1400Z.

Country Award: There were two upgrades over the DXCC century country mark this quarter. Congratulations to Lad **W1CRL** at 150 countries No.10, and myself **N5MT** at 265 countries No. 1. There are 570 basic certificates issued and a list of new certificates and upgrades are in the 'Awards'

section. Now that the mail has subsided, I am slowly going through the submitted QSL data looking for mistakes and trying to improve the accuracy of the data. Most mistakes are misidentified countries and they just require an update. Others produce a duplicate country and loss of a country credit, which happened to me. I promise to be fair and impartial and to hold the accuracy of the data as my utmost priority. So if I have rejected a QSL for a duplicate country, please work harder to find a new one this winter. I encourage you to use email if possible for questions, my address is at the end of this article. I will be glad to send a list of your country credits by return email or by mail for an SASE.

Upcoming DX & New 10-10 Activity:

3A Monaco. Watch for Pat F5RBB #71709 to be traveling through Europe through September 24th.

3W Vietnam. Hans **WA1LWS** #07119, was expected to leave Vietnam at the end of July.

6Y5 Jamaica. Elsie **N7YX** #72528, Hillar **N6HR** #6143 and others will be on from Oct 23-30.

9A Croatia. Boris **9A2GA** #71811 sent me an email that he would be active from IOTA EU-136 this summer. He can operate mostly on weekends. Look at his web site for email address and photos: <http://www.qsl.net/9a2ga>.

9M6 E Malaysia. Phil, **G4JMB/VR2CT** #18476, was active as 9M6CT between Aug 4 and Sep 16. Aug 18/19 he was in the SEANET SSB Contest signing 9M6A, QSL 9M6A to N2OO. QSL: 9M6CT to POBox 7, Pat Pong PO Bangkok 10506, Thailand.

9Q Congo. Pat F6BLQ #66013, is operating 9Q0AR on 28495 July 13st from this rare country. QSL to F2YT.

AP Pakistan. Peter **ON6TT** #51565, will be in Pakistan in early September with additional equipment for the club station AP2ARS. QSL: SSB via ON5NT.

C6 Andros Isl. NA-001 Al **K3TKJ** #41006, will be in the Bahamas from Aug 13-Sep 27. He applied for the call C6TKJ and operated SSB on 10/15/20m.

FK New Caledonia. Dany **FK8VHY** #49137 got his 10-10 number as FT5ZB while on Amsterdam Island back in 1988 but has now moved to FK. He has held calls F5CW & F6CZB. His QSL manager is F8CMT.

KG4, GUANTANAMO BAY. Bill, **W4WX** #62600, will be operating from Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, September 7-14th as KG4DX. He will be on RTTY, SSB, WARC bands and 6 meters. QSL to W5WX.

OA Peru. Mike ex. **9G1MR** #71320 has a new QTH in Lima, Peru with a call sign OA4DKL. QSL to IK3HHX.

T30 Western Kiribati. Pete **KZ1Z** #28125, should be on as T30ES from IOTA OC-017 beginning September 1.

TA Turkey. Look for Mill, **LX1CC** #25556, to be on September 16 to October 6 as a special prefix YM3CC. Operation will be SSB on all bands. QSL to home call.

TI Costa Rica. Bill **AK0A** #13996, will be on from Sept 25 to October 4 as TI2/AK0A all modes/bands.

TK Sanguinaria Isl. EU-104 Paul **F2YT** #22871, will stay on this island near Corsica from Aug 18-Sept 2. He applied for the call TK8T. He likes to listen on 7099 and 14256 kHz in SSB and the usual IOTA frequencies.

TY Benin. Moudar **F5CWU** #71812, Terry **F5MOO**

#70603 and Didier **F5AOU** #71721 were active for about two weeks through August from Benin.

V4 St. Christopher & Nevis. Larry **KJ4UY** #16308, was on the air as **V47UY** operating from the shack of **V44NK** on Nevis from July 20 to 31st. He operated in CW/SSB/RTTY/PSK31 on 6-160m. QSL via **KJ4UY**.

V63 Micronesia. Shoji **JA7HMZ/V63DX** #30900, from Pohnpei Is OC-010 from Sept 28 to Oct 4 all modes/bands.

ZC4 British Bases on Cyprus. Steve **ZC4BS** #52763, will be on all modes mainly on 15/20m for the next year.

Propagation: The Sun continues its decline from a Cycle 23 peak of solar flux in the summer of 2000. So far Cycle 23 has proved to be more restrained than the previous cycle so I expect a smooth decline in solar flux for the next five years. Yes, many observed poor propagation this summer as compared to the previous years, which was disappointing but we still have two good winter seasons to go in this cycle. My prediction is for the Solar flux to range from **95-180** during the fourth quarter of 2001.

On September 2nd, the **Solar flux was 184 the A index 9 and K index 3**, which is above the flux numbers three months ago. A large M class solar flare has pushed the flux up the past ten days. However, the average flux continues to decline from the highs in 2000. I foresee a 30 point drop in the average flux during 2002 and by December 2002, I expect a Solar flux range of 80-160.

Cycle 23 is now 3.8 years old. The flux continues to stay above 100 as this phase of the cycle turns down for two more years of good propagation during the winter months for the USA. Multi-hop F layer skip, will be increasing during the fall-winter months as the change of season begins to affect propagation.

Expect the best conditions on Sept 25-27, Oct 21-23, Nov 17-21, Dec 15-17, and Jan 11-13, 2002. Stations in the Eastern USA, expect a 70% chance of DX to the East-West path into Europe or Africa. Stations in the Western USA, expect 40% chance of DX into Europe and a 70% chance into Asia. All of the USA will get a 50% chance into S. America in the mid afternoon. Expect a 3% chance of Long Path into Asia or Europe starting at 0000 UTC for central USA. The

beacons from **28.175-28.300** will tell you what is open, especially 28.200. Good luck.

IOTA: **USA** Martha's Vineyard, NA-046: Howe **K1VSJ** #35318, in IOTA-Contest. Bodie Island: Special call **W1F** was active by Brent **KO4PY** #60831. Thatcher Island, NA-148: Tony **WF1N** #33959, and Lou **W1DIG** #40472, were active in July. **C6 Bahamas.** After visiting Florida, Uwe **DJ9HX** #22877, was active from C6 from Aug 13-23. Eleuthra Island, NA-001 by Joe **W8GEX** #41393 with the call **C6AJR**, Jul 25 to Aug 1st. Helgoland, **Germany**, EU-127: As every year, Felix **DL5XL** #55519, was active mostly CW. **EI Ireland.** Declan **EI9HQ** #71019 planed to operate from the Blasket Islands, IOTA EU-007, as **EJ9HQ** from June 1-3rd. **FP St. Pierre and Miquelon**, NA-032: Peter **NN9K** #32445, Peg **KB9LIE** #69937 and **K9OT** were active in July as **FP/K9WM**. Isle of Tiree **GM Scotland**, EU-008: **GM2T** was the call in IOTA-Contest for Ron **GM0NTL** #69953 and others. **OH0 Aland Islands** EU-002: **OH0V** or **OH0N** by Nicolas **DK5DQ** #50473 in IOTA-Contest. **PJ7 Saint Maarten**, NA-105 by Jim **PJ7/W6JHB** #6210, hopes to be on the air running QRP CW power from Sep 8-14th. **XX9 Macau.** Gary **W5FI** #11862, was active till Aug 9. **ZK1 South Cook Islands** by Mark **KM6HB** #60321, was active as **ZK1AHB** from Aug 9-11 from Mangaia Island, IOTA OC-159, and then Aitutaki Atoll, IOTA OC-083, to Aug 16.

New Summer DX members by Carol WA8YL #29588.

June 2001. EU1EU 72424 **July:** DK0WKC 72700, ER1VS 72701. Sorry, no new members in August.

10-10 Bar Awards: Neldo **LU5HE** #10334 for 7100 Bar #44; and Fred **VA7TEN** #24752 for 2300 Bar #451.

Thanks to the on-line DX List, QRZ-DX, Lee **KH6BZF** #8888 & Ohio/Penn DX Bulletins. Send photos to Mike Davidson, 3518 Bellefontaine, Houston, TX 77025 USA Email: **N5MT@aol.com**

DX IS!

73 Mike Davidson N5MT #24949

GATEWAY CHAPTER HOLDS YEARLY EYEBALL

On 22 July 2001 the Gateway Chapter of Ten-Ten held its yearly eyeball. The event was held at Harbors Point Yacht Marina, West Alton, MO.

The purpose of this meeting was to combine consuming good food and liquid refreshments with fun and lots of rag chewing as the Gateway Chapter is a laid-back chapter.

In attendance, left to right, Harry **W0JDP** #04317, Wm **N0WM** #02724, Scotty (Ken) **W9VHL** #09597, Jim **N0CUN** #33031 and eyeball host John **WB9PNU** #71937.

PSE QRV for us on 28650 kcs each Thursday at 0100Z in the summer and 0200Z in the winter. That's Wednesday evening at 8pm central time. Welcome and QNI often.

Vry 73/DX de Wm. **N0WM** ANCS



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I've been a ham for over 9 years, and an extra class since I was 9 years old. I graduated from high school in May, 2001. I live in East Texas, where there's not a lot to do. My parents, Jim KC5FR and Brenda KA5DDV are both ham radio operators. I've been exposed to the hobby for as long as I can remember. Ever since I got my license in elementary school, I've shared many good experiences on the HF bands. My SAT score was 1390 and I currently have a 4.0 GPA at Stephen F. Austin State University at Nacogdoches, TX. I am hoping to obtain a double major in physics and pre-engineering with a minor in mathematics while I am in college. I want to personally thank everyone involved in helping me pay for my education, and hope that they continue to do so over the years to support other deserving students.



MARTIN WORSTER

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Martin, son of Dr. and Mrs. Martin C. Worster (KD5LJV and KD5LJU) became interested in amateur radio during the summer of 2000. Since there were 6 family members in the Worster household who were interested in Ham Radio, Martin took off and aced his extra exam by March of 2001. Martin became an ARRL member, a member of the Amateur Radio Club of the Ozarks, a member of North Arkansas Amateur Radio Service, and enjoys visiting other local clubs. Martin participated in the NAARS' first hamfest, where he sold ball caps with the slogan "NAARS Hamfest 2001," is a member of ARES, an emergency organization and has plans on participating in the 2002 Field Day and become a Volunteer Examiner within the year. Martin enjoys DXing, local and distant nets, Morse code, and participating in local fox hunts. He was also a member of an Electronics Fun Club and enjoys weather.

While attending Valley Springs High School, Worster

graduated with Honors as Valedictorian, and obtained a 4.04 GPA. Worster was a member of Senior Scholars, National Honor Society, Spanish Club, History Club, Key Club, Quest, Art Club, Chess Club, and held offices in each one. Worster was honored in many of his classes including Biology, Physical Education, Health, Physical Science, Art, and Computer Applications.

Worster's work experience includes Manager at Harrison's local Dairy Queen, an assistant at Bracken Animal Clinic, and performed lawn maintenance at Harrison Village Campground and at Sunshine and Flowers, along with numerous other summer jobs. Worster is attending North Arkansas College in the fall of 2001 and plans on majoring in Mathematics and Science.



JOHN WALKER

N4DMR

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WB4AWM #69661

This is my third year to win a foundation related scholarship. I will be a Junior at the University of Alabama in Huntsville pursuing a degree in Computer and Electrical Engineering (Double Major). After receiving my Bachelors, I hope to continue on to get a Masters in Computer Engineering, or continue to Alabama School of Law. This fall, I was elected to be a UAH Lancer, which is an orientation councilor and school recruiter. I was chosen to be a Lancer because of my public relations skills, as well as academic merit. I am also a member of the UAH chapter of IEEE, and was recently invited to join the College of Engineering Student Forum. A short time ago I was auditioned, and selected to be a member and selected soloist in the UAH Wind Ensemble.

I am currently a member of the Blount County Amateur Radio Club and the Cullman Amateur Radio Club. PSK31 via Digipan is my newest and favorite ham radio hobby. I hold a General license, and come from an all ham family. I am looking forward to upgrading in the near future.

On top of my school, work, and amateur radio, I still find time to be an active participant in the music department at Seventh Street Baptist Church. I play the alto saxophone in their orchestra, sing first tenor in the choir, ring handbells and chimes and direct our Handbell Choir, Celebration Ringers. When I am not busy in the

music department, I teach a 2nd grade Sunday school class, and help with our once a month college student homecoming.

On a final note, when at home I like to just sit down in front of my computer and radio equipment and play! When I am not installing new computer parts to bulk up my system, I am usually out on the airwaves making a few contacts. Because I live on a farm, I don't always get to play though, but I find time to just ride around our farm with my black Labrador Retriever, Blackjack.

JOSHUA LONG

N8CFS #72151

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Josh Long, N8CFS, hails from Imlay City, Michigan and is the oldest of ten children. A 21-year-old senior majoring in philosophy at Wadham Hall College (Ogdensburg, NY) Josh was a 2000 Honors Fellow with the Intercollegiate Studies Institute. First licensed in 1999, Josh holds a General class license and plans to upgrade to Extra class in the near future. He also has two younger sisters who are hams, Therese KC8PEZ and Hilary KC8RVM. "the ham radio bug has really bit my family," he says. Josh is an avid DXer and spends most of his operating time on HF. He additionally enjoys rag-chewing, QRP, and experimenting with digital modes. Josh is a member of the ARRL, ARES, and Ten-Ten International (#72151). He is also an ARRL VE, is active in SKYWARN, and has recently applied to become an ARRL Official Emergency Station.



LESLIE KARP

KC6WZQ

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When I first got my amateur radio license nine and a half years ago, I never thought it would pay off like this. Not only do I get to meet wonderful people over the radio, including some I met from Illinois and Australia, but I also get a very generous scholarship for college on top of it! I am just entering my sophomore year at Harvey Mudd College in Southern California as a Mathematics Major and I know this scholarship will definitely come in handy! Thank you so much!

WY's Words

(editor stuff)

Steve Rasmussen
NØWY #68684



I wish to offer you some statistics. In 1975, the official publication of Ten-Ten was the Bulletin. That was the first year the Bulletin was published in magazine format. It was ten pages. Prior to that it was bunch of pages stapled together and mailed. There are no known copies of those earliest publications that I am able to scan. For the first three years, there were three magazines a year. I think it was intended to have four, but they never printed them. They started out with 8 to 12 pages each, then went to 20, 24 and 28 pages, 36 pages for the 50th anniversary of 10 meters in 1978, and then settled on 32 pages in the Summer of 1978. In the Spring of 1980, the name of the publication was changed to the 10-10 International News. There were two issues that actually went to 40 pages. In Fall 1987 when they reported the First Annual Ten-Ten International Convention, and the next issue Winter 1988 when they reported the new proposed by-laws.

When you calculate the total number of pages since that first published magazine in 1975, you come up with a total of 3,342 – and ALL of them may be seen on the new CD-ROM we have available for the paltry sum of \$20 US. Not only that – but that INCLUDES POSTAGE! See page 11 of this issue for more information on how YOU can get your own. If you were at the Massachusetts Convention, you may have been one of the fortunate few that were able to pick up the first edition of this CD. If so, then a special upgrade price is available for you. See page 11.

All of the magazines prior to 2000 were scanned into the computer in black and white. Since then we have been outputting the original file in *pdf* format and some of those actually have color in them. As we go create each edition, we are using as many of the photos in color as possible and hope to have all of them converted by the next edition in 2002. The cost of producing a full-color magazine is too prohibitive at this time, but we will be ready if the opportunity presents itself.

I hope you enjoy the CD as much as I did when scanning each page. It took a lot longer than I expected because I couldn't stop reading it!

I also wish to publicly thank Walter Friant WBØKIN #15984 and Larry Berger WA2SUH #00487 for cleaning out their closets and sending me all their old magazines. Without you this job could have never been completed.

THANK YOU !!!

Silent Keys

Compiled and listed by
Ruth Bartholomew NØKDB



It is with sorrow that we note the following 10-10 members who are now Silent Keys. We extend our sincere condolences to the families and friends of these SK members whose calls and 10-10 number will forever be kept in the records of the 10-10 Net.

00897	W1IPZ	Gerald Jubb.....	Shirley, MA
01071	K0OJG	Bill Lewis	Lebanon, MO
01307	W2IEI	Alfred Dobrof.....	Mount Vernon, NY
02945	W0LC	Frank Mullaney.....	Saint Paul, MN
03597	K7ERN	Cannon G Anderson	Salt Lake City, UT
03604	K0IPT	Bill Hewitt	Council Bluffs, IA
03906	W7ZDR	Dorman Stafford.....	Vancouver, WA
05233	W1HRV	Osborne McKeraghan.....	Easthampton, MA
05270	W5SWS	Isaac Savoie.....	Houma, LA
06533	W4GTS	Phil Latta	Marietta, GA
06966	W8BDR	Orville Underwood.....	Green Valley, AZ
07488	VE7XX	Cliff Walker.....	Chilliwack, BC
08086	W0KCG	Charles Alexander.....	Jefferson City, MO
10050	W5UKA	Russell Garlin	Albuquerque, NM
10341	K7RZV	Michael Franevsky	Phoenix, AZ
10568	WB4SQN	Bill Underwood.....	Port Saint Joe, FL
10629	W8DJY	Michael Brown.....	Middletown, OH
10700	W6FWG	Clifton George.....	San Antonio, TX
10781	K1AS	Alan Sherman.....	Danielson, CT
10813	W5IJQ	Herman Whatley	Pampa, TX
10854	WA4DXB	Jack Godwin.....	Birmingham, AL
11963	W0QOA	George Tucker.....	Parsons, KS
12505	WB8RQM	Otto Dotthermer	Dearborn, MI
14125	K2AGJ	Eileen Holmes.....	Linden, NJ
15063	W5VY	Joe Patterson	San Antonio, TX
15197	KB0XI	Jack Golden.....	Osawatomie, KS
16122	W8SJS	Hugh O'Neill	Euclid, OH
17008	WA9BIQ	Charles Kelley.....	Indianapolis, IN
17144	W5RYC	Max Tidmore	Lubbock, TX
18033	K7VO	Paul Miller.....	Sandy Cove, OR
18997	AK8S	Oslin Whiddon	Ann Arbor, MI
20062	KC9DQ	Dennis Welty	Willisville, IL
22376	KC9V	Betty Collins	State Line, IN
22677	KD1Q	Chester Smith.....	Pittsfield, NH
24901	W5GBV	Bill Ragsdale.....	Pampa, TX
28150	WB1CXC	Rudy Zerdecki.....	Easthampton, MA
29732	K4MN	Graham Harrison.....	Fayetteville, NC
30409	N8CBE	Elaine Nickoloff	Burton, MI
32103	KA3FKK	Jerry Troxell.....	Tyrone, PA
33249	W5RNA	Roy Grubbs	Dallas, TX
33498	WA4EZU	Dale Marquis	Fairforest, SC
34104	W0RHP	Philip Muth.....	Wauwatosa, WI
34363	W7CFF	Myrvan Morley.....	Elko, NV
34839	KA2BST	Clarence Myers	Ticonderoga, NY
37832	ZL1BZK	Doug Greenhill....	Cooks Beach Whitanga, NZ
38423	VE3KRM	Martin DeHoop.....	Murillo, ON
38741	W2HAJ	Mike Sorochka	Freehold, NJ
40467	W1KSC	Philip D'Agostino	Wallingford, CT
40716	W4PNV	Donald Chapman.....	Martin, TN
41996	KE2LD	Dan Hunter	Cheektowaga, NY

43669	KB5BXO	Phillip Graves.....	Pinehurst, TX
45293	K1RZO	Ruth McNamara	Nashua, NH
45466	WA8WFB	Tom McNamara.....	Lansing, MI
45488	KA8ZWZ	Tami Hensley.....	Milbrook, AL
46495	W4TAJ	John Maddox	Johnson City, TN
46958	KD3TY	Don Marsden	Hagerstown, MD
47715	WA8NPX	Bill Knaus	Bedford, OH
47902	AA6MY	Bill Seeber.....	Sacramento, CA
48782	K0YML	Gene Gourley.....	Kansas City, MO
49231	N8FN	Frank Neal.....	Stilwell, KS
49894	W8AXW	Edward Jones.....	Tecumseh, MI
50942	AH6IL	Francis Brown, Sr.	Hilo, HI
51149	ND2Z	Barry Milliman	Prattsburg, NY
51548	VE6EO	Bill Savage	Lethbridge, AB
51700	K0SVZ	Bob Ward	Davenport, IA
52045	K7AEJ	Donald Simonsen.....	Vancouver, WA
52278	W4USN	Joe Cumm.....	Orange Park, FL
52920	KB0EOV	Jim Fortune.....	South Haven, MN
53108	KG7OW	Lee Bertrand.....	Enumclaw, WA
54048	N5OYY	Bob Golitz	Anguilla, MS
54675	N7LLV	Tom Doench	Scottsdale, AZ
55900	WA9UBI	Dan Rasmussen	Marengo, IL
56389	N0MUI	Charles Schilling	Princeton, MO
56729	KB7LLT	John Van Ness	Port Orchard, WA
56796	KB7KOE	Barney Fagan.....	Phoenix, AZ
57939	N6WXZ	Frank Chambers.....	San Martin, CA
58066	WA7WFU	Chester Tausinger	Huntington, AR
59199	W1ARE	Dan Smith	Barefoot Bay, FL
59269	KB7MGI	Paul Gardner.....	Scottsdale, AZ
59777	KQ4EY	Louis Luh	Arlington, VA
60531	WC3Q	Brian Cassidy	Hatboro, PA
61067	K8UV	Bill Craiger	Bristolville, OH
62209	VK2MUD	John Gilmour.....	Uranquinty NSW, Australia
63753	WZ7V	Barry Norrgran.....	Tomahawk, WI
64495	KE4MHU	George Skirven	Laurel Hill, FL
64805	WA8GPO	Jene Gaible	Cincinnati, OH
67992	KJ7XK	Elmer Robertson	Orofino, ID
69023	KA6YRB	Jack Wilson	Chandler, AZ
70016	KF4RIC	Chester McMahon	Tampa, FL
70389	N5TQX	Robert Myers	Ranger, TX
71040	W5URI	Walter Dansby	Fort Worth, TX
71521	W5GR	Guy Reed.....	Evergreen, CO

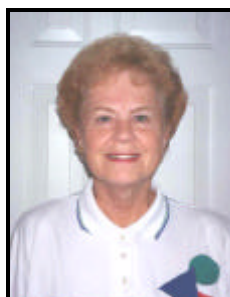
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Please include Call, 10-10 Number, Name, City and State, and Date of Death (if known - if not, please estimate as close as possible)

NOTE: 10-10 obtains SK listings from various sources and errors could appear as many times they cannot be verified. We apologize for any errors. Please notify the SK Manager of any errors.



In Memoriam

Elaine N8CBE 30409 became SK on Sept 6, 2001. She was one of the original Directors of 10-10 and was the original OM/XYL Manager. She was a very active life member and had to give it up years ago as a result of Alzheimer's Disease.

Net Manager NET NEWS

Bill Marple
AA7ZW #62075



It sure was great seeing everyone at our convention in Worcester this year. As usual, the parking lot net was a great success. We even picked up several local stations and a few non-locals too.

Our scheduled nets have been quite rough this past quarter. There have been very few good openings, however, every once in a while we are surprised and have a good response. Hang in there because conditions will be improving soon, and the nets will return to normal. Keep trying to check in, even if it sounds like nobody is there. Surprisingly, stations in Florida, Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Oregon and more have relayed me in to net control.

We welcome Bob, WA6GSV #7673, to our group as an alternate net controller. Bob's QTH is West Covina, CA, and he has called the net for N6OPR and K6PZE

while they were on vacation. Good job Bob, nice having you with us!

We are glad to have Dan, WV4Y #39409, back with us calling his net on Friday on 28.380. Dan has been under the weather for quite some time, and it is good hearing his voice again. Keep up the great work Dan.

Kudo's to Scotty, WA6TQC #71, for the "overtime" he has been putting in on the air. As most of you know, Scotty has been calling the net for Alan, VE4ALN #69217 on Friday on 28.800. Alan has been on vacation in B.C. and will tell you all about his experiences when you catch him on the air. What a trip he and Gladys, VE4GE #71015 had. Anyway, welcome home to both of you.

I received an e-mail from Chris, N7PVL #58018, telling me about the monsoon conditions they have had in Arizona. Chris is net control on Wednesday on 28.380. Those storms have all but wiped out any propagation that Chris might have had. We have had the same conditions here in Las Vegas, so I understand what she is talking about. Hopefully they will subside soon, and we will return to "normal".

I want to thank all our members who keep loyally checking in. We appreciate your being there in support of your nets.

Until next issue, I wish you good DX, and 73

QUARTERLY NET REPORT

April / May / June 2001

28.380 MONDAY NETS						28.800 WEDNESDAY NETS						28.380 FRIDAY NETS					
DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#
04-04	37	0	04-02	38	0	04-04	8	1	04-04	33	0	04-06	14	2	04-06	37	0
04-09	49	11	04-09	39	0	04-11	3	0	04-11	30	1	04-13	19	1	04-13	1	0
04-16	30	5	04-16	50	0	04-18	2	0	04-18	19	0	04-20	23	3	04-20	23	0
04-23	20	1	04-23	28	0	04-25	2	0	04-25	13	0	04-27	4	1	04-27	16	1
04-30	2	0	04-30	12	0	05-02	28	8	05-02	26	0	05-04	53	16	05-04	18	0
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05-14	4	0	05-14	11	0	05-16	2	0	05-16	16	0	05-18	3	0	05-18	13	0
05-21	29	6	05-21	38	0	05-23	1	0	05-23	18	0	05-25	17	2	05-25	35	0
05-28	9	2	05-28	24	0	05-30	1	0	05-30	14	0	06-01	21	3	06-01	19	0
06-04	2	0	06-04	14	0	06-06	1	0	06-06	24	0	06-08	11	2	06-08	13	0
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06-18	3	2	06-18	14	0	06-20	4	1	06-20	11	0	06-22	8	1	06-22	11	0
06-25	5	1	06-25	34	0	06-27	3	0	06-27	21	0	06-29	7	0	06-29	7	0

28.380 TUESDAY NETS						28.800 THURSDAY NETS						28.380 SATURDAY NETS					
DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#	DATE	TOTAL	w/o 10x#
04-03	34	2	04-03	26	0	04-05	35	5	04-05	13	0	04-07	56	9	04-07	35	2
04-10	20	2	04-10	43	0	04-12	50	12	04-12	33	1	04-14	15	0	04-14	3	0
04-17	5	1	04-17	21	0	04-19	23	3	04-19	21	0	04-21	17	3	04-21	30	0
04-24	20	2	04-24	26	0	04-26	56	10	04-26	24	0	04-28	12	0	04-28	9	0
05-01	2	0	05-01	26	0	05-03	35	3	05-03	37	1	05-05	24	2	05-05	16	0
05-08	6	2	05-08	14	0	05-10	9	0	05-10	5	0	05-12	1	0	05-12	1	0
05-15	3	0	05-15	12	0	05-17	13	0	05-17	12	0	05-19	1	0	05-19	3	0
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05-29	3	0	05-29	14	0	05-31	35	4	05-31	36	2	06-02	1	0	06-02	12	0
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06-19	6	0	06-19	12	1	06-21	16	1	06-21	22	1	06-23	18	0	06-23	14	1
06-26	15	1	06-26	10	0	06-28	9	2	06-28	22	0	06-30	15	0	06-30	9	0

10-10 INTERNATIONAL NET 2001 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

July 13, 2001
Worcester, Massachusetts

President Chuck Imsande, W6YLJ, called the 2001 board of directors meeting to order at 9:08 AM, at the Holiday Inn hotel in Worcester, Massachusetts. Present were: President Chuck Imsande, W6YLJ; Vice President Mike Elliott, K7BOI; Treasurer Keith Schlottman, KR7RK; Directors Linda Barnes, KJ4FM; Larry Berger, WA2SUH; Mike Crawshaw, G4BLH; Rex Holford, K0NO; Brad Kimble, K0DBK; Bob Peschka, K7QXG; Ed Redwine, K5ERJ; Dave Smith, K6RDK; and Joe Williams, WA9TSG. Also present as guests of the board were; Data Manager Gerry Gross, WA6POZ; and Editor Steve Rasmussen, N0WY.

The roll was called with all members present with the exception of Secretary Dave Prichard, KA5OVO, who was excused due to illness. A moment of silence was observed in honor of all 10-10 International Net silent keys especially Morrie Goldman, W6EHM, and Tom Henderson, K4CIH.

Vice President Elliott was asked to act as recording secretary for the meeting due to Secretary Prichard's absence.

The orders of the days and agenda were read and a motion was made by Director Redwine to allow discussion apart from the published agenda as needed. Motion was seconded by Vice President Elliott, motion passed.

Motion was made by Director Redwine and seconded by Director Peschka to accept the minutes of the 2000 Board of Directors meeting as published in the **10-10 NEWS**, motion passed.

President Imsande presented his annual report. The President reported on his activities since becoming President after the untimely death of Tom Henderson, K4CIH. His report also included his activities as Vice President, PR Manager and Chairman of the Membership Committee. He covered recent appointments made since becoming President - Vice President, Countries Award Manager, Worked All States Manager, Scholarship Manager, and W6OI Station Trustee. He reported on activities and booth results at the recent Dayton Hamvention and activities in support of the 2001 Worcester convention. The President also reported on the hard work and dedication of the various committees. He reported that the Data Verification Committee had been disbanded and that Don Ruf, KB0ON, had been appointed as Data Verification Manager (a new position). This position will assure that correct 10-10 VP and SK records are maintained. As PR Manager the President continues to author a bi-monthly column for Worldradio. The move of the 10-10 web site from Lehigh was discussed. As discussed at the 2000 board meeting, a new 10-10 patch, pin and decal design has been completed and is receiving great acceptance by the membership. The President, K4CIH and the Treasurer attended the Southwestern ARRL convention where they had a booth and presented a 10-10 forum. As Chairman of the Membership Committee, a new contest, Work the Numbers, has been instituted for 2001. One of the major accomplishments of the past year is the progress of the 10-10 Scholarship Fund. The necessary forms, 10-10 Scholarship Articles of Incorporation, have been prepared and approved by the State of California for the establishment of a new corporation to support the funding for the 10-10 Scholarship Fund. A set of Bylaws for the Foundation has also been prepared. The necessary forms have been submitted to the IRS to grant the Foundation 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status.

Vice President Elliott presented his report. Having been appointed in March 2001 he reported on his activities since that date. His primary activity has been to finish a "re-write" of the 10-10 Operations and Procedures Manual started by Tom Henderson, K4CIH. The anticipated date of completion is Fall 2001. A second activity is to author an Ops Manual for the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation. That is to be complete by Winter 2001.

The Secretary and Archivist reports were submitted for the record, as Secretary Prichard was not present due to illness. The minutes of the 2000 Board of Directors meeting in Boise, Idaho, were transcribed, sent to all board members, published in the **10-10 NEWS**, and placed in the archives. The Secretary has begun a project of scanning the minutes of all board meetings, 1991 through 2000, and burning them to CD for simple storage and distribution. If the process is successful 10-10 may consider doing the same with other printed information stored in the archives.

Treasurer Schlottman presented the Treasurer's annual report. The report reflects that our organization is financially stable with sufficient reserves to cover the expense of maintaining services to our life members, as well as our current members, and our operating expenses. The Treasurer's report will be published in the next issue of the **10-10 NEWS**. 10-10 presented five \$1000 scholarships in 2000 to deserving ham radio students and will do so again this year. Scholarship donations have increased in 2001 due largely to contributions made in the names of K4CIH and W6EHM. Trends show that membership may decrease in 2001 and 2002. This is due to declining propagation. 10-10 needs to concentrate on revenues in 2001/02 as dues receipts are expected to either stay constant or decrease slightly. Mileage cost for 2001/02 was approved as the approved IRS rate. The 2001/02 budget was presented to the board. Motion was made by Director Kimble and seconded by Director Williams to accept the budget as proposed. Motion passed.

Committee Reports

President Imsande presented the activities of the Financial Committee and concurred with the results of the Treasurer's report as stated. Director Crawshaw presented the Communications reports and stated that the committee's priority for the year has been the selection of the quarterly Top Operator award for the **10-10 NEWS**. He stated that one problem area was in a supply of the certificates for this

award. President Imsande reported on the activities of the Membership Committee, which included the establishment of a new contest - Work the Numbers. This contest is receiving acceptance of 10-meter operators and seems to be working well. Director Redwine presented the Operations Committee report. Director Redwine began by thanking the many awards managers for their dedicated service and announced the appointment of two new managers - Mike Davidson, N5MT, as Countries Manager and Cliff Taylor, WB4FBS, as Worked All States Manager. Both appointments were approved by voice vote of the board. Director Redwine agreed to ask all managers to provide a full electronic back-up of their particular award data. This back-up to reside with the Operations Committee chairman. He also announced that no new award programs are contemplated at this time. Upon the direction of Director Redwine a motion was made by Director Smith and seconded by Director Peschka that the Worked All States Capitals Award be retired and that all present recipients of the award be recognized in the **10-10 NEWS**. Motion passed. A second motion was made by Director Peschka and seconded by Director Barnes that all 10-10 awards not be based upon or awarded on a mode basis. Motion passed. Director Redwine was asked to work with the Contest Manager, Don Ward, W0RTV, to explore methods to have 10-10 contest results published in other publications - QST, Worldradio, etc. Director Crawshaw agreed to approach the RSGB and the comparable German organization with an offer of honorary 10-10 membership. It was the consensus of the board that other foreign organizations should be similarly approached. Treasurer Schlottman reported that all award managers are current with their monthly expense reports. Director Holford reported on the activities of the Planning Committee. The majority of the committee's activities have been in support of the 2001 convention. There was praise for the Battle Road Chapter and Ken Harmon, K1IEQ, in particular for their efforts.

Orders of the Day

President announced that the 2002 Board of Directors meeting would be held in San Antonio, Texas. The meeting will be held in conjunction with the annual Hill Country picnic. Times and dates will be announced at a later date.

The 10-10 Data Manager, Gerry Gross, WA6POZ, gave his report. He stated that a revised procedure for issuing renewal notices should be developed. The Data Manager and the President were charged with working out the details and notifying the board. The Data Manager also discussed the use of "old" copies of the **NEWS** as a renewal tool. He will choose approximately 100 to 200 recent expirations and target them with a special mailing for renewal. Past members from the 1980's and 90's will be the sample group. The board expressed that efforts such as this must be undertaken to ensure that 10-10's membership is maintained.

The 10-10 Editor, Steve Rasmussen, N0WY, reported on the writing and production of the **10-10 NEWS**. He mentioned that delivery of the **NEWS** in .pdf format is being explored. President Imsande agreed to establish a committee to explore this issue to see if a significant number of members would prefer the delivery of the **NEWS** electronically.

A site for the 2003 10-10 Annual Convention was discussed. To date there have been several expressions of interest - the South Texas Light Horse Brigade Chapter, the New Mexico Mud Duck Chapter, and K6RDK on behalf of San Francisco. A formal solicitation for the convention will be published in an upcoming issue of the **10-10 NEWS**.

Unfinished Business

President Imsande reported that as directed by then President Henderson, he completed the design of new pins, patches, and decals consistent with the design discussed at the 2000 Board of Directors meeting. With President Henderson's concurrence he had a quantity of each manufactured. These were placed for sale at the recent Dayton Hamvention. At that event the new design out sold the old 10-10 design by far. President Imsande expressed a belief that the time had come for 10-10 to adopt an alternate identifying logo to be used as needed by the organization. Motion was made by Director Redwine and seconded by Director Barnes to accept the new pin, patch, and decal design as an additional identifying logo of 10-10 International Net, Inc. Motion passed with one abstention.

President Imsande presented the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws for the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation. The purpose of the Foundation is to ensure that 10-10 has a mechanism in place to solicit tax exempt donations to sustain the monies necessary for providing continuing scholarship funding for deserving ham radio students who wish to attend college. Several motions were advanced in regard to the Foundation. A motion was made by Director Redwine and seconded by Director Berger to accept the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws (dated February 26, 2001) as submitted. Motion passed. A motion was made by Director Williams and seconded by Director Smith to elect the present officers of the 10-10 International Net, Inc., as officers of the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation. Motion passed. At this point, the 10-10 International Net Board of Directors meeting was adjourned to allow for the convening of the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation Board meeting at 10:34 AM.

The Board of Directors meeting of the 10-10 International Net, Inc., was reconvened at 10:50 AM.

Director Crawshaw asked for clarification of the FAR scholarship award rules as they pertain to an awarded scholarship being used outside of the United States. Director Berger agreed to contact FAR with this question and report to the board. Director Berger announced that donations to the scholarship fund for 2001 are ahead of plan largely because of special donations for K4CIH and W6EHM.

Treasurer Schlottman reported on the activities of the Youth Assistance Task Force established during the 2000 board meeting. The idea of a Youth Operator Award (for those under 21 years of age) was discussed. Director Berger discussed the need for articles in the **NEWS** stressing youth involvement. He

volunteered to work with the Editor to find ways to incorporate this concept. Director Kimble volunteered to author an article for the **NEWS** about his family's involvement in amateur radio. It was the consensus of the board that the Youth Assistance Task Force should be disbanded and efforts in this area should continue on an individual basis.

New Business

President Imsande reported on appointments he had made over the last few months. A motion was made by Director Williams and seconded by Director Smith to accept the appointments of: Mike Elliott, K7BOI, as Vice President; Larry Berger, WA2SUH, as Scholarship Manager; Mike Davidson, N5MT, as Countries Manager; and Cliff Taylor, WB4FBS, as Worked All States Manager. Motion passed.

The position of Data Verification Manager was discussed. A motion was made by Vice President Elliott and seconded by Director Williams that 10-10 establish the position of Data Verification Manager, that the Data Verification Manager shall be responsible for the establishment and maintenance of the accuracy of VP and SK records of 10-10, that the data accuracy may not be limited to VP and SK records but may include call signs and associated 10-10 numbers as they relate to VP and SK records, that this position shall report directly to the President of 10-10 and that Don Ruf, KB0ON, be confirmed as the Data Verification Manager. Motion passed.

In accord with Section 5 of the 10-10 Bylaws stating 10-10 membership shall be canceled upon the revocation, cancellation or suspension of an amateurs radio station privileges, a motion was made by Director Kimble and seconded by Director Berger to cancel 10-10 membership for John M. Yount, K4QJL, #13463. Motion passed. Documentation of FCC action in revoking the amateur license of K4QJL was submitted and is appended to the minutes for archive.

President Imsande led a discussion on the need for a complete Awards Data Management computer program. It was the consensus of the board that such a program is needed and that the production of such a program should be pursued. President Imsande agreed to discuss the need with several 10-10 members. The board recommended that by October 1, 2001 proposals for such a computer program should be solicited from qualified members through the **10-10 NEWS**.

The board reviewed the fees associated with the LinGer contract for services as 10-10's Data Manager. A motion was made by Director Williams and seconded by Director Smith to adjust the approved LinGer fees associated with the following services; new members, changes/renewals, and preparation/mailling of renewals and foreign **NEWS**. Motion passed. A new fee schedule is appended to the minutes for archive.

The board discussed the concept of a retainer fee for the Editor. It was felt that such a concept was long overdue. A motion was made by Director Smith and seconded by Director Williams to institute a quarterly contractor fee of \$150.00 (\$600.00 per year) for the Editor of the **10-10 NEWS** to begin with the next 2001 issue. Motion passed.

The President spoke about the need for each Director and Officer to take on an additional job to help with 10-10 issues. An example was cited - that of preparation of certificates for 10-10 various awards and contests. Director Barnes volunteered to serve in this capacity. Director Barnes will now be responsible for the production of quantities of all awards certificates, QSO party certificates, special event certificates and Top Operator of the Quarter certificates. Director Barnes will need to interface with the various Managers directly.

Director Peschka volunteered to re-write and update the "Certificates" section of the **QSO Party Brochure** if that is what is required. He agreed to coordinate with the 10-10 Editor and Data Manager to insure that all 10-10 brochures have correct information regarding certificates. If a re-write is required the correct information must be supplied to the 10-10 Contest Manager, the Operations Manager, and Director Barnes as she will be responsible for the production of all certificates. A motion was made by Director Crawshaw and seconded by Director Peschka that the following QSO Party award certificate changes be made; certificates will be sent to the top scorer in each country and each U.S. call area, a country is defined as limited to those countries listed in the current ARRL DXCC countries listing, certificates will also be sent to the Top 10 Finishers in the World and certificates will be sent to the first place finishers in the Club, QRP and Chapter categories.

The Data Manager asked that the board consider the reassignment of the 10-10 number assigned to the Schenectady Amateur Radio Club. That number has been used by the in conjunction with the Electric City Chapter for a number of years. Electric City has a new club call, KG4NYL, and has requested the change. A motion was made by President Imsande and seconded by Director Barnes to have the #27679 reassigned to club station KG4NYL. Motion passed.

President Imsande reviewed a listing of those Officers, Directors and Managers that should be receiving the XXIP program to be used in accomplishing their assigned tasks. Copies are to be provided to the SK Manager, all Award Managers, the Operations Committee Chairman, and all Directors and Officers. Hard copies and additions/changes are no longer required - only the electronic version of XXIP is required. The Data Manager was so instructed.

Director Crawshaw lead a discussion of how 10-10 might work on improving the use of the 10-meter band. It was seen as limiting that many hams are restricted to phone frequencies between 28.300 and 28.500 MHz. To improve use of the band it was the consensus of the board that the band should be opened from band edge to band edge to encourage use by more hams. President Imsande agreed to discuss this issue with ARRL and ascertain their position. To accomplish such a change will take the efforts of several organizations and it will be necessary to determine if the FCC is amenable to such a change. President Imsande stressed that all board members should discuss this idea with members. He indicated that he would see that a poll was taken using 10-10 members through the Internet. President Imsande was in hopes that he could report on his

contacts with ARRL, the FCC and the poll results by the end of the year.

Director Crawshaw asked about a change in XXIP that now made the call-up of SK call signs impossible. The Data Manager reported that while that had been a problem in versions of XXIP issued after January 2001, the new version of WinIP (the new windows version of XXIP) had corrected the problem.

A discussion was held on the rising costs of e-mail subscription services. A motion was made by Director Williams and seconded by Director Barnes that the reimbursement for e-mail charges for each Officer and Director be adjusted beginning August 1, 2001. Motion passed.

At this time a visitor joined the board meeting - ARRL Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ, #4852. K1ZZ had dropped by the 10-10 convention site to visit with old friends and took the opportunity to visit with the board and answer questions. The idea of opening the 10-meter band from band edge to band edge was discussed. K1ZZ explained that the current restriction is a holdover from the days of "Novice Enhancement". He felt that the ARRL board is open minded on the subject and that this could be an activity that 10-10 and ARRL could possibly work together on. He stressed that ARRL is interested in 10-10's views and would welcome comment on the subject. He did caution that the FCC is now asking that all petitions for rule consideration be "packaged" for submittal. The next package to go to the FCC will be submitted in 2002. Therefore, 10-10's timing to address this issue could not be better. K1ZZ was thanked for taking time to visit the convention and in turn he invited those attending the convention to visit the Newington, Connecticut, while on the east coast.

A motion was made by Vice President Elliott to amend the 10-10 Bylaws to reinstate the practice of including the Immediate Past President as a non-voting member of the Board of Directors. It was explained that in cases of death of 10-10 officials such a position could help assure continuity during times of transition. After discussion the motion was withdrawn.

President Imsande announced that there were currently two positions that must be filled. The positions are 10-10 Historian and 10-10 Archivist. Board members suggested several individuals that may have interest. President Imsande agreed to follow-up with these individuals.

The practice of sending a letter to each member who donates \$5.00 or more to the Scholarship fund was discussed. A motion was made by Director Smith and seconded by Director Kimble that the practice of sending a certificate for each Scholarship donation of \$5.00 or more be discontinued. However, a letter of acknowledgement will be sent to contributors in accordance with IRS regulations. Motion passed.

Motion was made by Director Holford and seconded by Director Smith that all revised resolutions and changes to the 10-10 Bylaws as adopted by the Board of Directors on July 13, 2001, shall become effective immediately. Motion passed.

All business being completed, a motion was made by Director Redwine and seconded by Director Smith that the meeting be adjourned. Motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 5:07 PM, July 13, 2001.

Respectively Submitted, Michael P. Elliott, K7BOI, #54625
Vice President and acting Recording Secretary

10-10 INTERNATIONAL NET SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING July 13, 2001 Worcester, Massachusetts

President Chuck Imsande, W6YLJ, called the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Board meeting to order at 10:34 AM at the Holiday Inn hotel in Worcester, Massachusetts. All officers and directors were present with the exception of Secretary Dave Prichard who was excused due to illness. Also present as guests of the board were; Data Manager Gerry Gross, WA6POZ; and Editor Steve Rasmussen, N0WY.

With the 10-10 International Net Board of Directors having accepted the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws for the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation the meeting was opened for other business.

A motion was made by Director Williams and seconded by Director Smith to elect the present officers of the 10-10 International Net, Inc. as officers of the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation. Motion passed. A motion was made by Director Williams and seconded by Director Barnes to elect Keith Schlottman, KR7RK, as treasurer of the 10-10 International net Scholarship Foundation. A motion was made by Director Barnes and seconded by Director Holford to correct all spelling errors noted in the Bylaws of the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation.

The Treasurer reported that he has had initial inquiries from the IRS regarding the Foundations tax exempt status. He stressed that this is normal procedure and that he is confident the tax-exempt status will be granted by the IRS in the near future.

All business being completed the meeting was adjourned at 10:50 AM, July 13, 2001.

Respectively Submitted, Michael P. Elliott, K7BOI, #54625
Vice President and acting Recording Secretary

HONOR ROLL SCHOLARSHIP FUND VOLUNTEERS

At the recent 10-10 Convention Banquet in Worcester, MA, representatives of several chapters presented checks to the Scholarship Fund. These were: Battle Road (Ken Harmon, K1IEQ), Minuteman (Sonny Cascio, K1SVP), Fort McHenry (Doris Slye, N3TGB) and Kansas Trails (Francis Hawkins, KB6UPG). Battle Road contributed the very substantial proceeds of their convention raffle activity to the Fund. Fort McHenry contributed in the memory of Chester (Gump) Gardner (SK), N3GZE, #44119. Earlier in the Convention, Jean Henderson, wife of former President Tom Henderson (SK), K4CIH, #33233 was presented with a check for the Fund by the Battle Road Chapter, in memory of Tom. Linda Barnes, KJ4FM, donated in memory of K4CIH and Bea Clousing (SK), K7CZQ, #32741.

The members listed below became Scholarship Fund Volunteers during the months of June, July and August 2001. We encourage all our members to follow their fine example. With the IRS approval of the new 10-10

10-10 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT INFORMATION

Each year the 10-10 International Net funds five \$1,000 scholarships, which are administered on its behalf by the Foundation for Amateur Radio (FAR).

Applicants must be licensed Radio Amateurs having HF privileges. There is no restriction on the course of study, but applicants must intend to seek at least an Associate degree from a college or university. Non-U.S. Amateurs and those seeking graduate degrees are also eligible.

It is suggested that every 10-10 member encourage qualified college-bound radio amateurs to take advantage of these opportunities by requesting an application package by letter or QSL card prior to 30 April of the year they expect to go to attend college from the

Foundation for Amateur Radio
P.O. Box 831
Riverdale, MD 20738

Applicants, except those who are active 10-10 members, must provide an endorsement from a current, active 10-10 member (one whose dues are paid current).

Completed applications must be received by FAR prior to 1 June.

Scholarship Foundation as a qualified 501(c)(3) tax exempt corporation, your contributions are now tax deductible.

Foreign members please note that students (including non-U.S.) who study outside the United States will be eligible to receive a 10-10 Scholarship in the next award cycle.

WA2SUH	00407	Larry Berger
K7QXG	05956	Bob Peschka
K1SVP	07588	Francis "'Sonny" Cascio
K5ERJ	11843	Ed Redwine
WB7OND	13390	Richard Linder
W1MXI	17800	Robert Young
K0HJC	18118	Keith Graham
G4BLH	18446	Mike Crawshaw
W6YLJ	19636	Chuck Imsande
K0NO	20423	Rex Holford
WA1EBJ	20497	Richard Davis
WB1DBZ	26001	Emil Montplaisir
K1IEQ	31363	Ken Harmon
KA2NRR	37526	Martin Smith
WD4KYW	37758	James Burris
KB1XI	40423	Donald MacCord
KD9UN	41241	John Hanes, Jr.
KJ4FM	43299	Linda Barnes
N3FP	47239	John Peters, Jr.
KB7BIM	47656	Robert Strange
KE7ZQ	50876	Jack Dow
KB6UPG	51849	Francis Hawkins
K7BOI	54625	Mike Elliot
W5RLR	57680	Michael Bolton
W1KT	59148	Ed Emco
WA2CKP	59447	Robert Balzarini
K2JRR	60633	John Rieger
KR7RK	63324	Keith Schlottman
KA1YHI	63915	Thomas Jones
N1PDV	63955	John Fowler
N1DO	63993	Richard Olney
KA1MLC	65411	Charles McCarthy
N1STE	65471	Bob Van Laethem
K6RDK	65812	Dave Smith
N1PVT	67112	Jane Oliver
N1LSM	67384	Kris Oliver
N3TGB	68129	Doris Slye
KK0SS	69471	James Cochran
W1AMY	70141	Amy Emco
WA1HVJ	70157	Scotty Campbell
K3DTC	71788	Dominic Cantarella
KC0EMI	71849	Gary Duvall
W5PY	72673	John King

You too can become a *Scholarship Foundation Volunteer*, by making your check payable to the *10-10 Scholarship Foundation* and sending your contribution to:

10-10 International Net Scholarship Manager
Larry Berger WA2SUH
9 Nancy Boulevard
Merrick, NY 11566-3119

10-10 AWARD INFORMATION

To apply for any 10-10 Award, **Proof of paid-up membership is mandatory.** A copy of your membership card or address label from the latest copy of the *10-10 International News* must be sent with your application.

An application listing the rules for each award is available from the appropriate Award Manager listed below. Please send your request with a #10 (business size) envelope, self-addressed and stamped with one unit of first class postage, to the Award Manager for the Award you are interested in obtaining. Please no phone calls to Award Managers for an application or list of rules.

Rules for all Awards are also available on the 10-10 web site located at <http://www.ten-ten.org>

BAR AWARDS

A 10-10 Bar represents a legal contact with one hundred (100) 10-10 members. A Bar award may be applied for and awarded for each group of 100 10-10 members that you work. Additional certificates are available for the Bar levels of 1000, 2500, 5000, 7500, 10,000 and every 2500 contacts above.

INTERNATIONAL 500 OF THE WORLD (VP)

When you attain the 500 Bar from the 100-900 bar manager, you automatically become a member of the International 500 Club and will be assigned an honorary VP number to be used in conjunction with your 10-10 number. With the issuance of the number you are eligible to participate in the VP award program. The VP award recognizes those 10-10 members that work other members with VP numbers. A 10-10 member may apply for VP award endorsements when completing 100 contacts with VP members. A VP award may be applied for and

awarded for each group of 100 that you work. Also available to VP members are the VP Worked All States award and the Lucky 13 Certificate. The Lucky 13 award is intended to demonstrate the operator's ability to work the entire 10-meter band. The 10-meter amateur band extends from 28.0 to 29.7 MHz. The Lucky 13 award is awarded for completing a legal 10-10 contact with 13 different VP's on 13 different days on 13 different 100 kHz (plus or minus 10 kHz) segments of the band. These contacts must occur between 28.3 MHz and 29.7 MHz. There are 15 possible 100 kHz segments possible within this band section. For purposes of the Lucky 13 award, mobile, portable, or fixed operation may be used. Contacts can be made using any legal mode of operation. QSL conformation is not required.

WORKED ALL CONTINENTS AWARD

The 10-10 Worked All Continents award is issued for successfully working a 10-10 member in each of the six (6) radio continents (Africa, Asia, Europe, North America, Oceania, and South America)

COUNTIES AWARD

10-10 offers an award for working all 3076 U.S. Counties. The basic certificate is issued for the first 100 counties contacted. Endorsement seals are available for each 500 level. A plaque is awarded for working all 3076 10-10 Counties.

COUNTRIES AWARD

The Countries award certificate is awarded for confirmed contacts with 10-10 members in other countries. Applications require confirmations in the form of QSL cards (or non-returnable photocopies). A legal 10-10 contact within the applicant's country may be counted as one contact for this award. A

basic 10-10 Countries certificate is awarded for contact with 25 countries. Thereafter, endorsement seals may be applied for in groups of 10 through the 75-country level. Beyond the 75-country level, endorsement seals are awarded in groups of five (5)

CW AWARD

The basic certificate for this award is earned with a minimum of 25 legal contracts with other 10-10 members

MOBILE AWARD

The basic Mobile Contact award is issued for 25 mobile contacts. Each contact must consist of the 10-10 number, call sign, name, QTH (state or country) of both parties and the date. Endorsement seals are available for the 50, 75, and 100 contact levels.

OM/XYL AWARD

Within 10-10's membership there are many husband and wife teams. These are referred to as OM/XYL teams. 10-10 offers the OM/XYL award for contact with as many of these teams as an operator can find. The basic OM/XYL Award is for contact with ten (10) teams.

WORKED ALL STATES AWARD

Make a contact with another 10-10 member in each of the 50 United States and you are eligible for the 10-10 WAS award

WPX (PREFIX) AWARD

The basic certificate is awarded for working 100 different prefixes

GREAT BRITAIN COUNTIES & REGIONS CERTIFICATE

A basic certificate is awarded for completion of a legal 10-meter contact with another 10-10 station in five (5) of the numbered Counties/Regions/Unitary Authorities of Great Britain.

AWARD MANAGERS *AWARDS RULES WERE UPDATED JAN 1 2000 - PLEASE SEND SASE OR EMAIL FOR UPDATE*

BAR APPLICATIONS 100-900

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BAR APPLICATIONS 1000+

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WPX (PREFIX) AWARD MANAGER

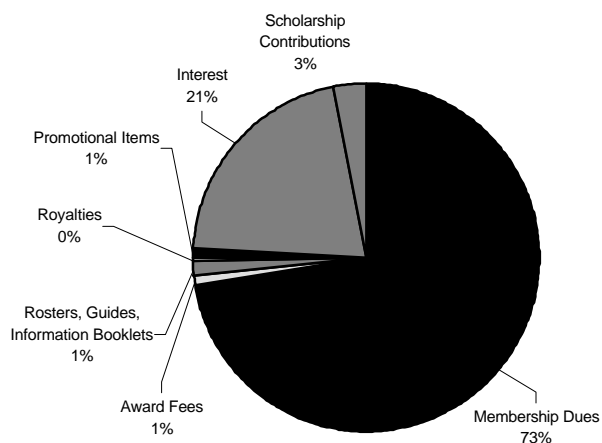
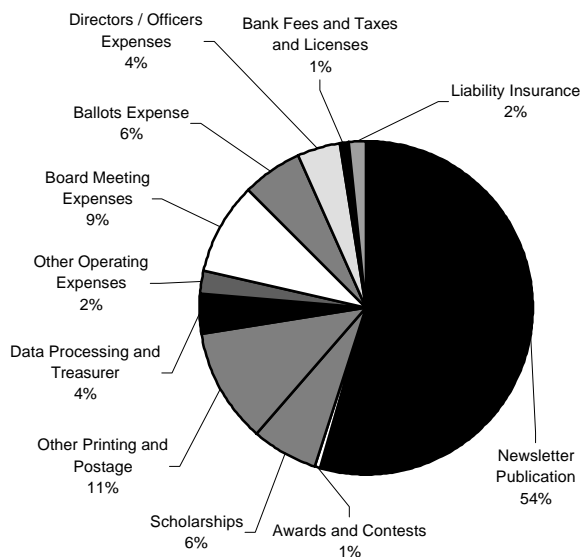
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GREAT BRITAIN COUNTIES & REGIONS CERTIFICATE MANAGER

Mike Crawshaw, G4BLH #18446 50 Kibble Grove Brierfield, Nelson, Lancs, England BB9 5EW Tel 01144 1282 613754... g4blh@zen.co.uk

TEN-TEN INTERNATIONAL NET, INC.
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2001
from the Treasurer – KR7RK #63324

	UNRESTRICTED	TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED	TOTAL
REVENUES AND CONTRIBUTIONS:			
Membership Dues	58,976	-	58,976
Award Fees	743	-	743
Rosters, Guides, Information Booklets	1,166	-	1,166
Royalties	73	-	73
Promotional Items	779	-	779
Interest	17,153	-	17,153
Scholarship Contributions	-	2,535	2,535
Transfer of Unrestricted Assets	(2,465)	2,465	-
Total Revenues and contributions	76,425	5,000	81,425
EXPENDITURES:			
Programs and Member Services:			
Newsletter Publication	44,175	-	44,175
Awards and Contests	515	-	515
Scholarships	-	5,000	5,000
Other Printing and Postage	9,020	-	9,020
Data Processing and Treasurer	3,152	-	3,152
Other Operating Expenses	1,785	-	1,785
Total Programs / Member Services	58,647	5,000	63,647
Administration:			
Board Meeting Expenses	7,310	-	7,310
Ballots Expenses	4,805	-	4,805
Directors / Officers Expenses	3,334	-	3,334
Bank Fees and Taxes and Licenses	705	-	705
Liability Insurance	1,295	-	1,295
Total Administration	17,449	-	17,449
Total Expenditures	76,096	5,000	81,096
Change in Net Assets	327	-	327
Net Assets, March 31, 2000	23,576	-	23,576
Net Assets, March 31, 2001	23,903	-	23,903

WHERE IT CAME FROM**WHERE IT GOES**

10-10 QSO PARTY CALENDAR



All 10-10 QSO parties begin at 0001 UTC on the first listed date and close at 2400 UTC on the second listed date.

The 10-10 Day Sprint is, of course, a one day event.

FALL 10-10 DAY SPRINT Oct 10

Postmark Date – Oct 22
Send logs to the Gateway Chapter
c/o Don Ward WØRTV
4514 Ferrer Drive
St. Louis, MO 63129-3741

FALL CW PARTY Oct 27-28

Postmark Date – Nov 13
Send logs to the Bauxite Chapter
c/o Peg Porterfield KC5BKT
4426 Congo Rd
Benton, AR 72015

ATTENTION CHAPTER HEADS

IT IS NOW TIME TO PLAN ON SCORING ONE OF THE FIVE QSO PARTIES THAT WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR 2002

PLEASE CONTACT THE QSO PARTY MANAGER
DON WARD WØRTV
BEFORE DECEMBER 1ST
TO GET SCHEDULED

!!!! GET INVOLVED !!!!

How to enter a 10-10 QSO Party

Prepare for logging. The required exchange is for all 10-10 events is:

Call Sign
Name of Operator
Location (State, Country)
10-10 Number

Also necessary is a DUPE Sheet *IF* you make more than 50 contacts. If you don't have one of the many logging programs that create their own dupe sheets, then you must make your own or download it from the 10-10 web site.

One example of a dupe sheet is basically a grid of 100 squares (10x10) that have a number (00-99) placed in the corner of each block. Into those squares you will put the received 10-10 number that corresponds to the last two digits of the number as shown below:

68684 686 goes in the 84 block
2549 25 goes in the 49 block
236 2 goes in the 36 block
94 0 goes in the 94 block



1 0 goes in the 01 block

When you are done with the contest and your log and dupe sheet is completed, then take the back page of your News with your address label showing. If you don't have an address label, place your membership card in that spot and make a photocopy. **You must be a member in good standing (dues paid) in order to enter a 10-10 QSO Party.**

Fill out all necessary information on the page as listed:

Event Box – which event?

Scoring Box – 2 points for each contact with a ten-ten member and 1 point for each contact with someone who does not have a ten-ten number.

Entry Box – type of entry, Chapter Assignment (if any), and your Call Area or ARRL Country operated from. (DON'T forget this last one!!!).

Check List – go over carefully to make sure you have an acceptable log!!!

Mail to the Contest Scoring Chapter as listed in the QSO Party Calendar *prior to the postmark date*. Please do NOT send an SASE or any monies as logs will not be returned and all scores counted will be posted on both the Web page and in the 10-10 International News.

HAVE A GREAT TIME!!!

Catch us on the WEB
<http://www.ten-ten.org>

TEN-TEN STAMPS

ORDER FOR ALL YOUR CORRESPONDENCE
144 SELF STICK FOIL STAMPS \$5.00 POSTPAID
SEE PAGE 30

2001 Summer Phone Contest Results

WORLD TOP TEN											
CALL	QSOs	Points									
N5XZ	640	1101	KJ4RV	77	150	AB6GS	118	213	Area 0		
N2EOC	465	834	WA4TC	79	147	W6AFA	63	118	CALL	QSOs	Points
N5MT	335	595	AD4RX	75	147	K6ASK	50	95	KC0CMZ	216	377
WB4FBS	300	548	W4TTZ	73	140	K6VMN	45	84	KK0SS	117	218
KQ4PK	305	545	KG4JOO	69	131	K6RDK	36	71	KB0TFT	114	213
W3SE	301	530	N4JED	70	130	KB7JRC	33	63	W0RTV	106	205
KC0CMZ	216	377	KD4RKJ	63	113	N6XD	30	56	N0WY	75	141
N5DAS	203	371	K9EHP	56	111	WB6OJB	25	48	K0CIY	70	138
N9PQU	200	361	K4DTT	58	109	KE6RQQ	23	45	W0FNS	61	120
K9JLS	196	359	KC4JAN	54	107	W9KUP	22	44	WB0RHR	46	89
Area 1			K8XF	57	106	KJ6DB	21	42	KG0UA	45	87
CALL	QSOs	Points	WB4AWM	55	105	KD6PQF	21	41	KB0PGI	42	83
N1API	78	146	KU4W	52	98	AC6PX	21	41	N0ALC	45	80
W1KT	66	120	N4PE	50	93	KG6BOV	22	40	KB0SZK	40	78
W1SIX	61	118	K1EK	48	92	K6EON	20	40	WA5SWN	34	68
K1IEQ	55	108	KR4OE	45	84	KF6JG	17	34	N0XL	33	63
N1PDV	51	93	KF4LVF	41	79	WA6GSV	15	29	WA0GRM	27	54
KA1MLC	42	82	N4EWG	41	78	KD6BYI	15	29	KB0UDM	24	45
WA1EBJ	32	62	KF4TYB	36	70	KB6IR	14	26	WB0QKN	20	39
WA1AKS	25	49	AB4HR	36	69	KI6OY	9	18	N0WM	13	26
W1DYJ	25	47	KA4N	35	68	KF6VU	8	16	KB0MZE	11	22
KA1SZP	22	41	KG4JOI	32	60	K6ZCL	4	8	KI0HA	11	22
N1DO	21	41	K4TSY	29	56	Area 7			W5SRQ	4	8
N1YKH	17	28	KE4PE	28	54	CALL	QSOs	Points	QRP		
N1STE	13	25	N2EGO	25	49	KC7DH	189	333	CALL	QSOs	Points
W1AMY	5	9	KC4RIY	21	41	N7YX	95	169	W4STX	19	37
Area 2			KD4XC	18	34	N7HDB	57	110	KB0QCR	3	6
CALL	QSOs	Points	KN4SS	15	30	KA7CWS	41	78	Club		
N2EOC	465	834	WV4Y	15	29	K7QLC	26	51	CALL	QSOs	Points
W2BOC	150	281	AA4PR	14	28	KJ7WK	19	34	K5OMS	190	344
W2VTV	119	217	K4RL	14	28	W7EY	16	31	W6OI	117	222
WH2AAT	114	207	WL7CLI	12	24	W6YLJ	14	28	N1NW	47	86
AF2K	105	194	N4GJ	12	23	AB7IZ	13	25	Argentina		
N2LQQ	64	119	N4ACF	12	23	N7QHC	12	23	CALL	QSOs	Points
W2XXZ	36	71	AD4TL	7	14	W7MC	8	16	LU1BJW	159	299
KA2SKO	25	50	W4DUK	7	12	W7MXQ	6	12	Australia		
W2RJL	13	26	W4EHF	6	12	KD7AGL	3	6	CALL	QSOs	Points
WB2DVE	11	22	K4SHI	2	4	Area 8			VK2FHN	140	265
Area 3			N0PSH	1	2	CALL	QSOs	Points	Brazil		
CALL	QSOs	Points	Area 5			N0TW	91	174	CALL	QSOs	Points
W3VAL	106	203	CALL	QSOs	Points	KB8FGM	74	142	VK2DBU	9	18
N3TGB	88	173	N5XZ	640	1101	N8PJY	77	141	Croatia		
K3TC	52	90	N5MT	335	595	W8JSM	70	139	CALL	QSOs	Points
N3FSC	40	75	WB4FBS	300	548	W8LBQ	56	106	9A2GA	6	6
N2TDT	34	63	N5DAS	203	371	WD8MQJ	51	100	Germany		
K3TUJ	31	59	KM5IH	188	339	W8KVU	49	96	CALL	QSOs	Points
WB3BMA	30	55	W5GVP	153	281	W8HL	43	80	DK3KD	117	133
KC3T	28	51	KE4NT	153	273	K8DEL	41	77	DL5MC	38	59
K3NBD	14	26	N5WYR	144	263	KJ8K	26	51	DJ2YE	30	55
KA3NMB	11	21	K5CC	117	222	W8KNO	22	43	DJ2VZ	25	43
NA3H	5	8	W5NDK	69	126	KB8UUZ	21	39	Japan		
K3NJ/M	4	8	WJ5O	64	122	WD8MZD	15	30	CALL	QSOs	Points
KF3BN	3	5	N5VAV	56	104	W8IIO	15	30	JA5GPJ	20	32
Area 4			KC5AQU	53	98	N8JMV	14	28	New Zealand		
CALL	QSOs	Points	W5VRX	47	86	Area 9			CALL	QSOs	Points
KQ4PK	305	545	N5VAU	45	86	CALL	QSOs	Points	ZL3KR	161	298
WA2YZM	189	351	WA5CHX	45	85	N9PQU	200	361	ZL1AFU	83	161
W4SKW	188	343	W5EIJ	33	64	K9JLS	196	359	ZL1LE	52	104
KF4MHY	157	300	KM5FF	33	62	N9AVY	131	249	ZL1KQ	50	99
KA4RVZ	119	224	KD5HIP	31	61	KB0ON	115	220	ZL2GJ	23	46
NC4AA	115	219	W5UFA	25	49	KE9WZ	74	146			
WA4EEZ	107	208	WX5I	24	47	N9ASC	73	137			
N4ZCG	113	205	KC5NYO	21	37	K9OB	43	84			
WA4HT	101	185	W5ETM	16	32	WA9TWE	43	82			
KL7NL	89	168	N5AFV	13	26	KB9YSI	35	70			
N4ERM	82	158	KD5LNO	8	16	NK9Y	32	64			
WD4GEO	80	156	AB5NS	5	10	WB9OMC	28	54			
Area 6			Area 6			N9DAJ	25	50			
CALL	QSOs	Points	CALL	QSOs	Points	W9WCF	18	35			
W3SE	301	530	W3SE	301	530	W9SFH	11	22			
KC6QXU	158	290	KC6QXU	158	290						
WB6NFO	125	227	WB6NFO	125	227						



“Work the Numbers” THE MEMBERSHIP CHALLENGE FOR 2001

Here is the challenge for the year 2001 - "Work the Numbers". It's that simple! Just work all of the 10-10 numbers from 28000 to 29700. That's right; work all of the 10-10 numbers that represent the limits of the 10-meter band.

There are 1700 numbers in the block of 28000 through 29700. There are 187 known SK's in this group leaving a potential of 1513 good numbers that are possible contacts. Many members in the group are no longer active members (dues paid up). It is known that many of these non-dues paid members are still active on the 10-meter band.

Their numbers show up in the 10-10 QSO parties. As a suggestion, maybe a phone call to them to make a schedule will get you some of the hard to get numbers and just might possibly get that member back active in 10-10 again. If you have XXIP, check for those members who have expired dues and contact them for a schedule. Who will work the most number in the "Work the Numbers" challenge?

Here are the simple rules:

1) Make a legitimate 10-10 contact with any 10-10 member holding a 10-10 number from 28000 to and including 29700.

2) Log each contact in the following order: 10-10 Number, Call, Name, Location (State or DX Country), Date.

3) Start date: 0000Z 01 January 2001
End date: 2400Z 31 December 2001

4) Deadline for log submittal is January 15, 2002

Note that logs must be in the order noted in 2) above, no exceptions. The location for log submittal will be announced later in the year. For those using WIN1010 to log their 10-10 contacts, Jim Hardy, K4HAV #17605, has added a feature to the WIN1010 program to track and print out the "Work the Numbers" contacts you make during the year 2001. Check Jim's web site for a free download of this addition to your WIN1010 program. For the download check: hds.net/win1010dl.htm. You can also reach Jim's web site through the 10-10 web site at: www.ten-ten.org

An attractive mounted certificate will be awarded to the first, second and third place winners.

Any questions about this new "Work the Numbers" challenge should be directed to; Chuck Imsande, W6YLJ, Chairman Membership Committee at: w6ylj@arrl.net

Good luck and have fun looking for those special numbers good for the "Work the Numbers" Challenge.

W6OI # 109 ON THE AIR

The 10-10 Club Station, W6OI # 109, is available to any current (dues paid) 10-10 member or chapter for use as a special event station such as for Field Day, Chapter Gatherings, and Radio Conventions. Send a written application, including dates and purpose of operation and any other information to: Jack Moore, K5CC # 50708, W6OI License Trustee, 371 Ridge Creek Ln, Bulverde Tx 78163. Enclose a photocopy of your amateur license. QSL cards are available for special event activities.

W6OI was on the air for the 10-10 Summer Phone Contest as well as at the Steel City Chapter Picnic on July 8 and the 10-10 Convention in Worcester Ma from July 11-15. Special Convention Commemorative QSL cards are available if you worked W6OI at the Convention. Send QSO details to K5CC.

Louise Chapman, N6ELK # 36654, operates W6OI each Wednesday as the 10-10 Net Control Operator beginning at 1800Z on 28.800 MHz. Please include a SASE when requesting a W6OI QSL card via N6ELK, 3210 Clark Ave, Long Beach Ca 90808.

Paperchasers working W6OI can request a copy of the W6OI chapter list from Jack, K5CC.

10-10 Life Members

Here are the 10-10 Life Memberships
issued June through August 2001

01064.....K7PVZ.....	Robert D Linderkrantz
29239.....AK9Y	Bob A Sebonia
32320.....WN4L	James R Bell
33845.....KI3D.....	William N Bratton Jr
38210.....WA9ZNB.....	Melvin J Doyle
48179.....KA1SAW.....	Neal H Swenor
51527.....G4YNO.....	Peter W Barnes
64725.....KD4RGU	Evan P Jayson
66659.....KE4MVK.....	Robert MacMurray
69616.....DH2ML	Manfred Lorenz
70598.....WA6SBX.....	John L Pritchard
71715.....JL1MVM	Koichi Nakakuki
71774.....N4OGP.....	Francis M Cravey
72669.....W7LKG	Richard S Leary
72678.....AD4LX	Raymond S Phelps

Catch us on the web

<http://www.ten-ten.org>

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION AND SERVICES

WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN 10-10?

Here is what you need:

1. You must hold a valid amateur operator license.
2. Your valid amateur operator license MUST authorize or qualify you for unsupervised transmitting operations in the ten meter amateur band under your own personal call sign.
3. You must make contact with ten members of 10-10 and submit a log listing all contacts, their 10-10 number, call sign, name, date of contact, city, and state or country. A new member application and contact log is available in Section 1 on page 31 of this publication.
4. You must remit dues for one or more years full membership. Fee schedule and payment information can be found in Section 2 on page 31 of this publication.

TYPES OF MEMBERSHIPS

Please see fee schedule in Section 2 on Page 31

Primary Membership

Primary membership is available with yearly dues, although there is a special incentive available when you pay for three years at once.

Family Membership

Family membership consists of a primary member and one or more family members who qualify as a 10-10 member (has made the necessary 10 contacts) and who reside at the same location and postal address. Family memberships run concurrently with that of the primary member. Add \$3 for each additional family member for each year. Only the primary member will receive a copy of the *10-10 News*.

Life Membership

Life membership is available and may be paid in one lump sum or spread across two or three years. If you wish information on the extended payment plan, please contact the 10-10 Data Manager.

Senior Life Membership

Senior life membership is available to anyone who is currently 65 years of age or older. Extended payment plan is not offered with senior life membership.

Family Life Membership

Family life membership consists of a primary life member and one or more family members who qualify as a 10-10 member (has made the necessary 10 contacts) and who reside at the same location and postal address. Family life memberships run concurrently with that of the primary life member. Family life membership ends when the primary life member becomes an SK. Add \$75 for each additional family life. Only the primary life member will receive a copy of the *10-10 News*.

Membership Renewals

Fill out fee schedule and method of payment in Section 2 on Page 31 and forward as indicated to Data Manager or DX Area Manager. Please make sure you include a copy of your address label with form. If you do not have a copy of your address label (renewing after your membership has lapsed), please include a note with your name, current mailing address, call sign and 10-10 number.

Catch us on the WEB

<http://www.ten-ten.org>

DATA MANAGER SERVICES

Call/Name/Address Changes

All changes are to be sent to the 10-10 Data Manager. Please include your address label (or a copy) with necessary corrections.

10-10 Stamps

Self-adhesive 10-10 stamps that can be used on QSL cards, correspondence and envelopes are available for \$5 per 144 stamps.

10-10 Static Clinger Logo

The 10-10 logo with a static cling backing that will cling to almost anything. This attractive 4" x 4" logo is a solid gold background with black printing. Use on notebooks, briefcase, car windows, etc. 2 for \$1 postpaid.

10-10 Information Brochure

The 10-10 Information Brochure is 8 pages of everything you would want to know about 10-10. Available for \$2 postpaid along with a return address label.

10-10 Roster = Hard Copy

A limited print run in January, the hard copy roster is printed on both sides of 3-hole punched 8½ x 11 paper. The roster lists 10-10 number and call. SK's are identified. Cost is \$15 US Zip Codes or \$20 DX postpaid. Sold on a first come, first served basis. Advance orders are appreciated.

XXIQ

XXIQ is a simple roster. It will search for a call if the 10-10 number is known or for a 10-10 number if the call is known. It is updated monthly and is available FREE at the 10-10 Web Site.

XXIP

XXIP is the expanded version of XXIQ, offering 10-10 number, call, name, address, city, state/country, membership status, expiration date, SK status, and will print address labels. Updated quarterly, it is available on a CD-ROM or three 3.5" 1.44MB disks. A CD-ROM will be sent, if not specified. Order from the Data Manager for \$10 US Zip Codes or \$13 DX postpaid.

Data Manager, 10-10 International Net, Inc.

PMB142

643 N. 98th Street

Omaha, NE 68114-2342

Awards and Certificate Guide

The official Awards and Certificate Guide of 10-10, along with complete chapter information, is available for \$6 US Zip Codes or \$8 DX postpaid. A monthly update is also available for \$10 per year US Zip Codes and \$12 DX postpaid. Send your order to:

Brad Kimble, KØDBK #55192

3855 66th St. E

Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076-2222

Scholarship Donations

Donations to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation are requested from each member on an annual basis to help fund the five \$1000 10-10 scholarships. Your check should be made payable to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation and sent to:

Larry Berger, WA2SUH #00407

10-10 Scholarship Manager

9 Nancy Blvd.

Merrick, NY 11566-3119

SECTION 1 – MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND CONTACT LOG

NOTE: If this membership application is being used for renewal purposes, please enter your 10-10 number here _____

Please print your Name _____ Call _____

Address _____ Year of Birth _____

City _____ State or Country _____

Postal/Zip Code _____ E-mail Address _____

NOTE: 10-10 NUMBER, CALL, NAME, ADDRESS, MEMBERSHIP STATUS AND E-MAIL ADDRESS IS MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL MEMBERS VIA A MEMBERSHIP ROSTER. ALL OTHER INFORMATION IS KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND NOT DISCLOSED EXCEPT BY THE ORDER OF A LAWFUL COURT.

I certify that I meet the membership requirements* of 10-10 _____

* as listed on Page 30 of this publication

YOUR SIGNATURE

	10-10	Call Sign	Operator's Name	Date of Contact	QTH (State, Province or DX Country)
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8					
9					
10					

SECTION 2 – FEE SCHEDULE AND PAYMENT INFORMATION

10-10 FEE SCHEDULE	US Zip Codes	DX
New Members	\$ 10	\$ 13
Renewals (yearly)	\$ 10	\$ 13
Renewals – 3 year incentive	\$ 25	\$ 34
Family Membership (yearly)	\$ 3	\$ 3
Life Membership	\$ 250	\$ 325
Senior Life	\$ 85	\$ 100
Family Life Membership	\$ 75	\$ 75
Scholarship Foundation Don.	\$ ____	\$ ____
<i>Enter Total</i>		

US Postal Codes and LIFE Memberships mail to
Data Manager, Ten-Ten International Net, Inc.

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643 N. 98th Street

Omaha, NE 68114-2342 USA

for information email: wa6poz@aol.com

DX Applicants mail to:

Carol Hugentober, WA8YL #29588

DX Area Manager

4441 Andreas Avenue

Cincinnati, OH 45211-2622 USA

for information email: k8dhk@juno.com

METHOD OF PAYMENT

CHECK Make all checks payable to **10-10 International Net, Inc.** Please list your call and 10-10# on your check.
 Do not send cash. All DX are reminded that money amounts are quoted in US Dollars.
 DX Members please pay by International Postal Money Orders (IRC's are acceptable).

MASTERCARD Account (Please include all the numbers on your credit card) Please note that our credit card agent is RSVP of Omaha NE

VISA

Good Through: _____

Name of Cardholder _____ PHONE (required): _____

SIGNATURE of Cardholder _____ Date: _____

For charges this form may be faxed to 10-10 International Net, Inc. at 402-891-2481

10-10 QSO PARTY COVER SHEET

EVENT BOX

Please Check Event Box

WINTER PHONE .. ☐

SPRING CW ☐

SUMMER PHONE. ☐

FALL CW ☐

10-10 SPRINT ☐

SCORING BOX (effective January 2000)

CONTACT TYPE	NO. OF	MULTIPLY	POINTS
WITH 10-10 Number		x 2	
WITHOUT 10-10 Number		x 1	
TOTAL CONTACTS		TOTAL POINTS	

ENTRY BOX

Please Check Entry Type

INDIVIDUAL..... ☐

CLUB..... ☐

QRP ☐

Chapter Assignment (if any)

(not valid for 10-10 Day Sprint)

Call Area or ARRL Country
you operated this QSO Party from

CHECK LIST

You must have the following items enclosed in your QSO Party envelope to be an acceptable log submittal.

Proof of current Membership - Either a photocopy of your membership card or copy of the address label from the latest issue of the 10-10 News

Log in UTC Date/Time

Dupe Sheet(s) if your log contains 50 or more contacts

Cover Sheet – Pertinent information in the Event and Entry boxes must be entered, and all blanks in the Scoring Box must be filled.

See QSO Party Calendar on page 27 for event dates and mailing information

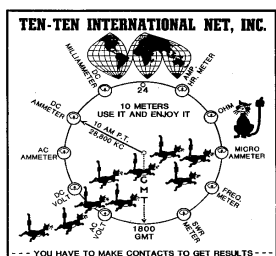
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