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# From The Editor 

## DX Code Of Conduct

I will listen, and listen, and then listen again before calling.
I will only call if I can copy the DX station properly.
I will not trust the DX cluster and will be sure of the DX station's call sign before calling.
I will not interfere with the DX station nor anyone calling and will never tune up on the DX frequency or in the QSX slot.
I will wait for the DX station to end a contact before I call.
I will always send my full call sign.
I will call and then listen for a reasonable interval. I will not call continuously.
I will not transmit when the DX operator calls another call sign, not mine.
I will not transmit when the DX operator queries a call sign not like mine.
I will not transmit when the DX station requests geographic areas other than mine.
When the DX operator calls me, I will not repeat my call sign unless I think he has copied it incorrectly.
I will be thankful if and when I do make a contact.
I will respect my fellow hams and conduct myself so as to earn their respect.

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Wednesday (28.800) Louise, N6ELK \#36654
Thursday (28.380) Bob, N6OPR \#45715
Thursday (28.800) Robert, KQ4PK \#63201
Friday (28.380) Terry N0TW \#36547 Friday (28.800) Bob, K6DNR \#75386 Saturday (28.380) Dan KC8IM \#31959 Saturday (28.800) John NOZNA \#66810 Sunday NEVER ON SUNDAY


## UPPER LEVEL QRM

As we enter, the year 2014 current band conditions and changes enacted within Ten Ten may well make this the most productive year of this decade. One very significant change is the addition of the member's area on the web site. This will allow the members to log on using credentials they have provided. From the member's area, one will be able to download the electronic version of the News, update their membership information, renew their membership easily, and this fall vote electronically for the new slate of Officers. After review by our Legal Counsel, the current enrollment does not violate personal rights and is reasonable. Every member with internet access is encouraged to enroll. This will be the last News that reflects the Username and Password to access the electronic version. In the past, these credentials were located on the back cover of the News. Other advancements include an online QSO party log submittal. This is due to the efforts of Dan Morris, KZ3T \#41015 and one of our newest members David Westbrook, KJ4IZW \#76865. David developed the software. In addition, he provides the website for QSO Party log submissions. Also by midyear an updated website is projected due to the efforts of Jeff Steinkamp, N7YG \#65084 and David Trent, W5DJT \#74798. The revised website is a templatebased system. This will allow for ease of updates and additional services. These works are ongoing and other projects are in development.

The 2014 election of Officers is one of vital concern. The recent elections have been disappointing. The lack of candidates and a poor ballot return is something that should not be. If you are a current member and will be current through the term of office you seek I encourage you to contact NOTW for the nomination information. The following offices will be contested, President, Vice President, Secretary, and four Director Positions. The current Officials would love to see multiple candidates seeking every office. Some of our Officials desire to retire from office and remain because they are unopposed.

It does appear the solar cycle will peak in the spring of 2014 as predicted. As I compose this article sunspot number are well over 200 and band activity is present at times all the way to 28.900. This activity has in turn caused an increase in new members and renewals. Since 2009, we have been working to maintain the number of active members. The problem stemmed from monthly SK members versus New Members and Renewals. Since mid July, the stats are beginning favor of growth. I hope that the changes and dedicated effort by our Net Controls will cause this trend to continue.

Just a reminder there is always a need for Net Control stations on the 28.380 and 28.800 nets. Many times the new
member applications can reflect a visit on one of our nets. Our Net Control stations always make an extra effort to qualify an Amateur for membership on the net. If you are a current member and have the time, please contact N6OPR for information on becoming a Net Control Station.

Those of you who attend Dayton every year know that January and February are the months to make reservations for the event. This year the Board of Directors meeting will be in the Dayton Area on Thursday before the event. We plan to have a gathering on Thursday evening at a local eatery if you wish to attend or would like more information contact WN4AMO. Efforts to hold a forum at the event are ongoing, but we are at the back of the line for that and it may yet be possible.

Many have noticed recent changes in the list of Officials. Every organization from time to time must adjust to meet the needs of the membership. In early November, I accepted the resignation of our General Counsel. David Splitt, KE3VV had served in this capacity since the fall of 2002. He was responsible for the updates to the Bylaws. Dave has provided valuable counsel to the board and the President. Jay Drew, KC4JD \#57475 a practicing Civil Attorney with 25 years in the profession volunteered to serve as Counsel. Jay was serving as the Director of Publications and the Board of Directors approved the move to General Counsel. The Board of Directors appointed Roger Olson, AD4RX \#67754 to serve the remaining term of KC4JD as Director. As easy as it was to replace the Legal Counsel, it will be nearly impossible to replace our Editor who has also resigned. Floyd Larck, KK3Q \#26039 stepped up to serve as editor in 2011. This edition will be his last effort. He was able to create a new look for the printed News, but one of his greatest accomplishments was to create an expanded edition for the electronic News. This meant that he had to create and maintain two editions every quarter. As difficult as it is for me to create this article and to assist in proofing the News, to create it for me would be a nightmare for all concerned.

I have changed the format of my article and tried to keep it short as to allow more printed content in the mailed version of the News. Just as reminder, the band is open only if you call CQ, I have never made a contact using my ear alone. God Bless \& 73
Mel KD5DE \#33513

# NET CONTROL STATIONS NEEDED 

Needed Net Control Station for the 28.380 and 28.800 Nets at 18:00 UTC Monday-Saturday. If interested contact N6OPR via email: n6opr@msn.com.

## 10-10/QCWA Caribbean Cruise

On Friday, October 18, 2013, members of 10-10/QCWA and their spouses totaling 89 individuals boarded the Holland American Line ship Zuiderdam in Fort Lauderdale, Florida to begin the long awaited 10 day cruise to the Southern Caribbean, the Panama Canal and Costa Rica. The cruise made 5 stops to allow passengers to go ashore, sight see and take in the local culture. Stops were Half Moon Cay, Bahamas, Oranjesta, Aruba, Willemstad, Curacao, Gatun Lake and Colon, Panama and Puerto Limon, Costa Rica.
Besides the many activities provided by the cruise line on board, the cruise line hosted two cocktail parties specifically for our group. The cruise line provided us with a room on the top deck and helped us set up antennas and two stations. We had a vertical and 10-15-20 meter dipole antennas located approximately 120 feet above the ocean. Operating as PA/ CallSign/MM, over 600 contacts were made, many on 10 meters as the band was open. The PA prefix was required since the ship was under the auspices of the Netherlands. On one day, we assisted the 10-10 28.380 MHz Alternate Net by acting as a relay station.
On those days when the ship was at sea there were forums on various ham related topics, including PSK31, WinLink, DXing, and 10-10. WA6POZ and NOTW hosted the seminar on 10-10 and afterwards using two Icom 706's, had all 10-10 members present check into a net and then qualified 5 new 10-10 members. The 10-10 forum had one of the highest attendance of the forums offered.
While on the cruise it was interesting to meet and interact with the many other cruisers who became aware of our radio activities. There were several hams who had come aboard without the knowledge of our presence. They were quite surprised at us being allowed to setup and operate aboard the ship. One special person was Jim Fisher, KD7KTV who not only qualified as a 10-10 member, but was the pianist in the Piano Bar and serenaded us each evening.

## Terry, NOTW

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General News:

1) If your chapter is planning a special sometime during the months of April, May, June or July 2014, please let me know and I will announce it in the next newsletter.
2) Some changes have been made to the Chapter Relations Committee. We've lost N3FNE (appointed to fill a director's open seat) and K2BIL (Silent Key). I asked Dave, K7PRZ, to fill one of the vacancies and he agreed to serve (as long as I kept him informed, Hi HI ).
3) During the months of September, October, November and December, the following chapters have sent in either quarterly reports or chapter updates, and, therefore, are alive and well: Arizona Desert, Arlington (VA), Bay Area, Castle Craig, City of Roses/Portland Bridges, Down Under, Electric City, North Georgia, Oregon Trail, Restoration Project/Feline Friends, Santa Fe Trail, Sky Blue Waters/Tin Lizzie, Speedway, Twin Cities, Up the Crick and Windfarms. Many thanks to the officials of these chapters for keeping us up-to-date.
4) Occasionally there are circumstances that preclude the deaffiliation of a chapter even though the chapter does not necessarily continue to fulfill all the obligations that that chapter has incurred. This is especially true of chapters that have been in existence for decades and that have been tried and true chapters for all of this time. Unfortunately, there is now a chapter that falls into this category. Therefore, in the opinion of the 10-10 International Net's Chapter Relations Committee, the members of the 10-10 organization who are paperchasers, and who are more tied to its continued affiliation, have an obligation to this chapter. To wit: coninue to carry the chapter on our certificate lists until the circumstances precluding deaffiliation no longer exist.
One of the circumstances which warrants this obligation is the illness of the CH/CM.
5) For those using the WIN1010 program and the MyList feature, here are the changes that have been made to the CHAPNAME/ SEALNAME listings:
SEALNAME
Add Alii_Koa Kahiko
Add Branding Iron_BL
Add Branding Iron_DC
Add New Waterkant_AMS
Add New Waterkant_Glock
Add New Waterkant_HR
Add New Waterkant_Kropp
Add New Waterkant_LMS
Add New Waterkant_MNS14

Just a Reminder for Quarterly Reports Due During the Next 4 Months; (December) Cradle of Confederacy, (January) Margarita and Martini, Republic of Texas (February) Chief Seattle; Gateway; Keystone/Keystone Stars; Milwaukee (April) Bauxite; Colorado Centennial/Colorado Frontier Gang/Centurion/Golden Aspen; Cowtown; Gold City; Lonestar; Maine-iacs; Oklahoma Route 66; Portland 500

Quarterly Reports Past Due: (June '11) Palmetto; (August '11) Egyptian Radio Club, Route 66; (December '11) Pikes Peak Ten Ten, (February '12) Kentucky Cardinal, (April '12) Boomtown; Steel City; Tango; (May '12) Cincinnati Area Ten Tuners; (June '12) Cypress; Louisiana Pelican, (September '12) Springbok

## Chapter News:

Alii: The chapter now has several seals to designate visits to the chapter. They are issued for the number of times that someone has visited. Point values for these seals is as follows: Kukui Net-5; Kauai Visitor-10; Kama'aina-100; Koa Kia"i-200; and Koa Kahiko-250.
Bay Area: The Chapter Head has a new email address of vjw1659@dslextreme.com.
Branding Iron I: 1) There is a change to the XIT Brand seal (WAS). Work a Branding Iron I member in each of the 50 states. Five (5) wild cards may be used: 3 first country on basic BIC numbe and 2 appointed wild cards who will be YL's in Europe. No dupes please.
2) The QSL cards for the 4 Corner States seal is no longer a requirement. Just submit: Callsign, BIC number, State, Date worked.
3) The chapter has 2 new brands (seals) effective 1 October 2013. Work 100 EU members for the Double

Cross brand with no dupes. Work 200 non European members for the Box-L brand and again no dupes.
Earn 200 points and collect at 10 points.
City of Roses/Portland Bridges: K7PRZ has dropped his post office box in Portland and is now using his
home address of: 731 NW 209th St., Ridgefield, WA 98642.
Down Under: The CH/CM's email address has been changed to zl1afu@nzart.org.nz
Ft McHenry/Cormerstone: 1) Ft McHenry: Collect Defender numbers for 1 FTMCH points each.
2) Cornerstone: Collect Cornerstone Foundation numbers for 5 Cornerstone points each.
Updates must be postmarked no later than February 28, 2014.
New Waterkant: 1) As of 1 January 2014 these seals will no longer be issued but will continue as collectible so leave them on your list: AMS, DNAT, DSW, Glock, HR,Kropp, LMS, Schluett, VLCS, 35 HR .
2) A new seal, MNS, will be issued each year at the meetings with NWK 10-10 net. MNS14 will be issued in 2014. All other seals will be issued as usual.
North Georgia: The CH/CM'S new email address is $10-10 @$ chazcone.com
Restoration Project/Feline Friends: The Chapter Head and Certificate Manager have moved. Their new address is: Suite B, 3955 Cedar St., Port Alberni BC V9Y 6C8 Canada. The CH has a new email address also. It is: blondiesmom@shaw.ca
Speedway: The November Special has been successful this year. Almost 100 specials were given out which is more than last year's.

Chapters that Accept Upgrades Via Email ((As of 30 November 2013))

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.
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## Change

Changes have been taking place around the Board of Directors, most are already known to the membership. The Publication Committee made up of volunteers N3ES, K5BKT, and NZ1I oversee the various publications for 10-10 International. These publications include this newsletter of course as well as the 10-10 handbook and various other printed materials.

Since Jay, KC4JD stepped aside to assume the position of Legal Counsel we now have a new Director who will oversee the Publications Committee. Roger Olson, AD4RX who lives in beautiful Tarpon Springs, Florida is now the Director of Publications. His contact information is on page 2 of this publication.

# NET CONTROL STATIONS NEEDED 

Needed Net Control Station for the 28.380 and 28.800 Nets at 18:00 UTC Monday-Saturday. If interested contact N6OPR via email: n6opr@msn.com.



The month of October was a great start for better propagation in the USA as we are hearing Europe on almost a daily basis. A good example of the improvement can be seen in the good scores in the CQWW SSB and CW contest weekends, which showed us what conditions were like during some of the contests in the last cycle when we had hundreds of contacts on Ten! This year I decided that I would work the CW CQWW contest, which I normally do by searching for the $D X$ and not calling $C Q$ on a frequency which is how I operate a CW contest. I also decided to improve my CW country count for DXCC by using my old twenty meter yagi antenna as I have fewer CW countries than SSB credits. So I started the CW contest on Ten and within an hour I had worked all I could hear. I then changed to twenty meters where I hoped to find some of the countries I needed for DXCC credit. I put many in the log before getting some sleep but the next morning instead of going to Ten, I stayed on twenty as conditions were excellent. By the end of the day, I had picked up five new band country credits that I needed for DXCC. So I stayed on twenty on Sunday and found more new band countries. I did try fifteen meters for a while late on Sunday. I made a total of 310 CW contacts for 119 countries on three bands using my old yagi antennas on a 75 foot tower on my city lot. I saw reported scores from bigger stations than mine and they all had their best score on twenty meters where several stations worked all forty zones! So I was happy for my score and new found country QSO's.

We still have a few days to wait for the ARRL Ten Meter Contest on December 14-15th. You can work SSB, CW or both modes and give out your 10-10 when asked. Last year in December 2012, the solar flux was about 125 during the Ten Meter Contest. I expect for 2013, we will have a solar flux of about 160-165 with an A index of 8 at the start of the Ten Meter contest. These conditions will be as good as the CQWW contest in Oct/Nov of this year. For those of you in the USA, this level of solar flux should bring you a lot of Europeans, Asians and Africa contacts into your log for the contest. Remember if you work both modes that you can log the same call sign for credit on CW and SSB.

There have been several DXpeditions active at the same time during the past three months. The group from Wake Island in the Pacific Ocean had five 10-10 members among the twelve ops that were active in November. Sometimes there were so many DXpeditions signals using a band, you had to be sure who you were working plus the split frequency to be sure you got the correct call in the log! Good luck this winter.

I am posting this to the $10-10$ website on December 1st.
Countries Award: There were two Basic Countries Awards and ten upgrades issued to four members this past quarter. All are
taking advantage of the NO QSL cards required for awards. When you apply for any 10-10 award, you must use a form at the 10-10 website or use software that prints the forms for emailing.

General 10-10 DX reported in the past quarter:
3B Rodrigues Island. Lucio I3LDP \#45838 and friends, were on Ten meters as 3B9EME from September 4-12th. Web site: www. ari.verona.it .

3D2 Fiji. Jay AA4FL \#8436, was on Fiji from October 29-30th while waiting to travel to Banaba for the T33A DXpedition. His call was 3D2FL.

3DA0 Swaziland. Bob W5UQ \#74198 and Frosty K5LBU \#51322 and friends, operated 3DA0ET using several stations at once from November 18-27th in Swaziland. Web site: www.swazidx.org. Club Log and LoTW.

9H Malta. Holger DL5XAT \#64618 operated as 9H3TX on Gozo Island from November 18-24th.

9L Sierra Leone. Bill N4WDT/9L1DT \#76237 and K4ZIN, were in Sierra Leone from October 16-21st. They hoped to operate at least 12 hrs a day on two radios. LoTW.

A2 Botswana. Doc WB6OJB/A25JK \#70675 and Frosty K5LBU/ A25CF \#51322, were in Botswana from September 5-12th on mostly SSB and PSK31.

C8 Mozambique. Don N1DG \#27629 and Jose CT1EEB \#58967, were in Mozambique with friends from October 15-23rd using call sign C82DX. LoTW and Club Log.

CEOZ Juan Fernandez Island. A DXpedition to Juan Fernandez took place from November 8-20th. Art WA7NB \#74754 and friends had four stations on the air as XR0ZR.
Web site: www.JuanFernandez2013.com .
E5 S.Cook Islands. Alan K7AR \#2736, was active as E51AAR from Rarotonga, South Cook Islands, from October 21-27th. Alan likes to operate RTTY but he did participate in the CQWW SSB Contest using his K3. LoTW and Club Log.

EA8 Canary Islands. Andrea IK1PMR \#62272 is operating with call EA8/IK1PMR from the Canary Islands until January 7, 2014 on CW, SSB and RTTY.

GM Scotland. Tom GM4FDM/GZ3F \#31864, was on from November 23-29th. QSL to GM4AFF.

HC Ecuador. Tom K3WT \#16764 and Bill W0OR \#23875, were using call sign HC1WDT during the CQWW CW contest. Outside the contest, HC1/homecall was used.

I Italy. Dale N3BNA \#32100, Boyko LZ1QN \#50483 and friends were on Lampedusa Island off Sicily from October 17-30th using callsign IG9Y. Web: www.IG9.ii9p.com .

J3 Grenada. Mike W7MJJ \#72353 and friends, were on Grenada from October 23-30th. LoTW.

JW Svalbard. Rene DL2JRM \#69623 and two friends, were
on Svalbard from September 14-19th and to work the WAE SSB contest using call sign JW5E.

K USA. Randy AJ7G/4 \#76022, was operating from Cedar Keys, FL (IOTA NA-076) on September 18-19th.

KH0 Mariana Islands. Takashi JH1BXH \#45857, has started to operate from Tinian Island on November 25th in the North Mariana Islands using call sign KH0/JH1BXH.

K9W Wake Island. A DXpedition to Wake Island had to be rescheduled due to the USA government shutdown during October. The US Air Force flew them to Wake and they operated from November 6-17th with the following five 10-10 members: Hal W8HC \#12502, John K6MM 13853, Mike K9NW \#29804, Dick W3OA \#31642 and Joe W8GEX \#41393. Web site: www.Wake2013.org .

P4 Aruba. John W2GD/P40W \#14109, was in the CQWW CW contest again this year. After year end, John will not be QSLing through the bureau anymore!

PJ2 Bonaire. Scott W4PA/PJ4Q \#40521, and Norman WF7T \#75294, were on Bonaire from November 18-27th for the CQWW CW contest.

PJ7 Sint Maarten. Dennis K2SX/PJ7W \#9023 and friends, were on the island during the CQWW CW contest. Dave AH6HY \#33750, was again active as PJ7/AH6HY from September 13-18th. Dennis K2SX \#9023, was in the CQWW CW contest with friends using call sign PJ7W.

SV Greece. Eddy DM5JBN/SW8YY \#54287 and a number of his German friends, were on Zakynthos Island from October 17-29th.

T33 Banaba Island. Ann WA1S \#48144, Arnie N6HC \#29959, Cliff KD6XH \#4427, Jay AA4FL \#8436, and David N6HD \#13064, were the only 10-10 members on Banaba Island from November 5-18th. Web site: www.T33A.com .

V3 Belize. Bob K7YB \#35676, was on Ambergris Caye in Belize from Novembr 20-25th with call V31YB.

V4 St.Kitts. Bob K5WA \#11709, was on from November 20-27th and Bob used call J49J in the contest.

VP9 Bermuda. Ray ND8L \#16810 and two friends, were on Bermuda from September 26-30th using call VP9I during the CQWW RTTY contest. Outside the contest they used VP9/home calls. LoTW.

YN Nicaragua. Scott K7ZO/YN5Z \#55678, was on before the CQWW SSB contest from October 23-27th. LoTW.

ZF Grand Cayman. Paul N4PN/ZF2PN \#74476, was in the CQWW CW contest as ZF1A with two friends from November 2028th. Outside the contest he used call sign ZF2PN.

Upcoming DX \& New 10-10 Activity:
8P9 Barbados. Ernest J69AZ \#70609, will be in Barbados starting on December 13th using call sign 8P9AZ. He will be QRP with his Alinco DX70 radio.

E6 Niue Island. Graeme VK4FI \#37824, will be on Niue Island using call E6SG from December 7-17th.

HR Nicaragua. Scott K7ZO \#55678, will be back in Nicaragua from December 11-18th including the ARRL Ten Meter contest as YN5Z. LoTW.

J6 St. Lucia. Budd W3FF \#40140, James W4QO \#14628 and Craig NM4T \#60745, start operating QRP from St. Lucia on December 1st for nine days.

T32 East Kiribati. Tim NL8F \#32796 and Dave AH6HY \#33750 and friends, will be on Christmas Island using call T32RC from December 4-11th. Web: www.t32-2013.com .

XV Vietnam. Mats SM6LRR \#34451, will be in Vietnam using call sign XV2LRR from November 29th to December 14th on SSB and CW. His 100 watts into a vertical or a dipole will be a challenge to hear. LoTW. Check his website: www.qrz.com/db/XV2LRR .

V6 Micronesia. Haru JA1XGI \#55571, will use the call V63WG from December 4-12th on SSB, CW and RTTY.

ZF Cayman Islands. Joe W6VNR/ZF2AH \#75217, was on Cayman for the CQWW SSB contest and he will be in the ARRL Ten Meter Contest on December 14-15th.

Miscellaneous Items \& Notes:
Propagation forecast: http://www.solen.info/solar/ .
DX Calendar: http://www.dxwatch.com/ .
More propagation: http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/ .
Propagation: Propagation during the fall of 2013 has been about the same as in 2012 but with a decrease in the average solar flux this year. The flux in May 2013 reached 160. The flux in November reached 178 on the 15th. I expect the daily solar flux to range from 115-180 this next quarter as cycle 24 continues. The speculation of a second peak in this solar cycle can only happen if the sun begins to have over 30 flares in a one day period to shoot the flux up to about 200. When it peaked in November there were 22 flares on the 14th. Speculating on solar flares is like betting on a dice game! We hear some DX but propagation is just not like conditions were in the last two cycles when we had low flux levels but we could work the DX on Ten!

On December 1st the solar flux was 131, the A index was 9 and K index 3. Look for the best conditions: December 11-14th, 2014 January 7-10th, February $3-6$ th, March 1-4th. . Over the next three months, for USA stations, expect a $40-70 \%$ chance of DX in the mornings to Europe or Africa and a $50 \%$ chance into Asia, South America or the Pacific in the late afternoon. To see what DX paths are open, listen for the beacons from 28.175-28.300 (especially 28.200 ).

New 10-10 DX members' Sept. to Nov. 2013: September: 76818 WH7GM; October: none, November: 76869 VE2OCH; 76877 DF0ELM; 76880 YO3APJ.

Thanks to the QRZ-DX, DXNL, The Daily DX by W3UR \#25731, Lee KH6BZF \#8888 \& Ohio/Penn DX Bulletins. Info to Mike Davidson, 3518 Bellefontaine, Houston, TX 77025 USA Email: N5MT@aol.com.
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## Net Report <br> Bob Farrow, N6OPR (\#45715)

Net reports for Second Quarter of 2011 for third Quarter 2013 MONDAY NETS
28.380
DATE

1-Jul
7-Jul
15-Jul
22-Jul
29-Jul
5-Aug
12-Aug
19-Aug
26-Aug
2-Sep
9-Sep
16-Sep
23-Sep
30-Sep
28.380

DATE
2-Jul
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16-Jul
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6-Aug
13-Aug
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27-Aug
3-Sep
10-Sep
17-Sep
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3-Jul
10-Jul
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TOTAL NO 10X\# DATE $\begin{array}{lll}5 & 1 & 1 \text {-Jul }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lll}3 & 0 & 7 \text {-Jul } \\ 4 & 0 & 15 \text {-Jul }\end{array}$ 22-Jul

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| 5 | 1 | 2-Jul | 2 | 0 |


| 28-Aug | 1 | 2 | 28-Aug | 14 | 0 |
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| 4-Sep | 1 | 0 | 4-Sep | 13 | 0 |
| 11-Sep | 2 | 0 | 11-Sep | 17 | 0 |
| 18-Sep | 1 | 0 | 18-Sep | 14 | 0 |
| 25-Sep | 2 | 0 | 28-Sep | 26 | 1 |
| THURSDAY NETS |  |  |  |  |  |
| 28.380 | 28.800 |  |  |  |  |
| DATE | TOTAL | NO 10X\# | DATE | TOTAL | NO 10X\# |
| 4-Jul | 28 | 8 | 4-Jul | 5 | 0 |
| 11-Jul | 15 | 1 | 11-Jul | 3 | 0 |
| 18-Jul | 19 | 2 | 18-Jul | 6 | 0 |
| 25-Jul | 21 | 0 | 25-Jul | 7 | 0 |
| 1-Aug | 0 | 0 | 1-Aug | 4 | 0 |
| 8-Aug | 20 | 1 | 8-Aug | 2 | 0 |
| 15-Aug | 12 | 0 | 15-Aug | 5 | 0 |
| 22-Aug | 14 | 0 | 22-Aug | 3 | 0 |
| 29-Aug | 12 | 0 | 29-Aug | 3 | 0 |
| 5-Sep | 8 | 0 | 5-Sep | 6 | 0 |
| 12-Sep | 30 | 8 | 12-Sep | 5 | 0 |
| 19-Sep | 54 | 17 | 19-Sep | 15 | 0 |
| 26-Sep | 28 | 3 | 26-Sep | 9 | 0 |
|  | FRIDAY NETS |  |  |  |  |
| 28.380 | 28.800 |  |  |  |  |
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| 5-Jul | 11 | 4 | 5-Jul | 16 | 0 |
| 12-Jul | 13 | 1 | 12-Jul | 10 | 0 |
| 19-Jul | 12 | 1 | 19-Jul | 0 | 0 |
| 26-Jul | 5 | 1 | 26-Jul | 18 | 0 |
| 2-Aug | 0 | 0 | 2-Aug | 18 | 0 |
| 9-Aug | 11 | 5 | 9-Aug | 16 | 0 |
| 16-Aug | 0 | 0 | 16-Aug | 14 | 0 |
| 23-Aug | 4 | 1 | 23-Aug | 16 | 0 |
| 30-Aug | 2 | 0 | 30-Aug | 15 | 0 |
| 6-Sep | 3 | 0 | 6-Sep | 17 | 0 |
| 13-Sep | 9 | 1 | 13-Sep | 13 | 0 |
| 20-Sep | 42 | 9 | 20-Sep | 16 | 0 |
| 27-Sep | 15 | 1 | 27-Sep | 15 | 0 |
| SATURDAY NETS |  |  |  |  |  |
| 28.380 |  |  | 28.800 |  |  |
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| 6-Jul | 18 | 0 | 6-Jul | 2 | 1 |
| 13-Jul | 10 | 0 | 13-Jul | 3 | 1 |
| 20-Jul | 15 | 1 | 20-Jul | 5 | 0 |
| 27-Jul | 28 | 3 | 27-Jul | 3 | 1 |
| 3-Aug | 13 | 1 | 3-Aug | 4 | 0 |
| 10-Aug | 15 | 0 | 10-Aug | 2 | 0 |
| 17-Aug | 2 | 0 | 17-Aug | 1 | 0 |
| 24-Aug | 4 | 0 | 24-Aug | 4 | 0 |
| 31-Aug | 2 | 0 | 31-Aug | 2 | 0 |
| 7-Sep | 4 | 0 | 7-Sep | 2 | 0 |
| 14-Sep | 4 | 0 | 14-Sep | 2 | 0 |
| 21-Sep | 4 | 0 | 21-Sep | 1 | 0 |
| 28-Sep | 14 | 0 | 28-Sep | 4 | 1 |

A year-long event to find and make contact with all of the people who devote time to keep 10-10 an active organization! The goal? Make contact with each of the following volunteers during 2014

| AC8JW | . Moderator | N6ELK . . . . . . . Net Control |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AD4RX. | . Director | N6OPR . . . . . . .Director |
| G4BLH. | . Awards - GB | N7YG . . . . . . . Director |
| KODBK. | . Awards - Counties | N9AC . . . . . . . W6OI Trustee |
| K1IEQ | . Committee Member | N9AVY . . . . . . . Secretary |
| K4QHH | . Committee Member | NZ1I . . . . . . . Committee Member |
| K5BKT | . Committee Member | W1IG . . . . . . . Committee Member |
| K5CC | . Committee Member | VA7SJ . . . . . . . . Committee Member |
| K5ERJ | . Committee Member | VE3MEW . . . . . Committee Member |
| K5FBS | . Director | W1KT . . . . . . . Committee Member |
| K6DNR | . Net Control | W4GA . . . . . . . Awards-WAC |
| K7CAR. | . Committee Member | W4MAA . . . . . . Committee Member |
| K6RDK. | .Data/ Membership Manager | W5DJT . . . . . . Committee Member |
| K7PRZ. | . Committee Member | W9HT . . . . . . . Committee Member |
| KA5OVO | .Historian | WA2SUH . . . . . .Vice President |
| KA5VVD | . Committee Member | WA4EEZ . . . . . Moderator |
| KC4JD | . General Counsel | WA4TC . . . . . . Awards - VP |
| KC5GXL | . Moderator | WA6POZ . . . . . Past President |
| KC8IM | . Net Control | WBOCON. . . . . Awards - WAS |
| KD4BVG | . Committee Member | WB6OJB . . . . . Net Control |
| KD5DE. | .President | WB9WZI . . . . . .Net Control |
| KE1HG | . Committee Member | WD4EWB . . . . . Committee Member |
| KE6OIO | . Net Control | WD8JKV . . . . . . Committee Member |
| KI6OY | .Awards-CW | WM2W. . . . . . . Awards - 1000+ Bars |
| KM5EH | . Director | WN4AMO . . . . Director |
| KM5FF. | . Awards-WPX |  |
| KQ4PK. | . Net Control |  |
| KR7RK. | Treasurer |  |
| KZ3T | QSO Party Manager | 10-10 Has Two Official Daily Nets |
| N0KDB. | .SK Manager | $28.380 \text { and } 28.800$ |
| NOTW | . Director | Both Run At 1800z |
| NOZNA. | . Net Control | Every Day Except Sunday |
| N1API | . Committee Member | Listen And If You Can Hear Us Join IN!!! |
| N3ES . . . . . . . Committee Member |  |  |
| N3FNE. . . . . . . . Director |  |  |
| N4WDT . . . . . . Net Control |  |  |
| N5MT | Awards - DX |  |



| $10-10 \#$ | Call | Name | City | State |
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| 000627 | K1FU | Jon E Barter | We |
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| 000715 | WA5WNW | Ricardo Salazar | Me |
| 001687 | W9KIA | Donald V Sjoberg | Ro |
| 001827 | K3EGK | John E Kurtinecz Sr | Da |
| 003054 | W4OGG | David C Goggio | Me |
| 003330 | W5TZD | Charles H Smith | Sa |
| 004727 | KD4HF | William E Landry | Kn |
| 004877 | N5EL | Floyd Bumpus | Te |
| 005324 | WA1FXY | Donald F Allen | Ath |
| 006055 | WB4UKG | Rufus A Dees, | Pe |
| 007219 | K6NAU | Robert W Jones | We |
| 008593 | WB2MDA | Nicholas C Johnson | OK |
| 008790 | K6FS | Stephen E Stuntz | Me |
| 008830 | W6IWR | H Gerard 'Jerry' Overeynder | Sun |
| 009529 | W3EL | Billy W Putnam | Ne |
| 010038 | KH6BBC | Virgasun A Sordillia Sr | Wa |
| 01221 | SPO | Ral |  |


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| Memphis | TN |
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| San Diego | CA |
| Oro Valley | AZ |
| Huntsville | AL |
| Binghamton | NY |
| Rochester | MN |
| Bradenton | FL |
| Overland PK | KS |
| Litchfield | MI |
| Dillsboro | IN |
| Johns Island | SC |
| Thomaston | GA |
| Weedsport | NY |
| Ephrata | PA |
| San Antonio | TX |
| Spartansburg | PA |
| Dover | PA |
| Beaumont | TX |
| Enfield | CT |
| Duncan | AZ |
| Pearland | TX |
| Buna | TX |
| Harvest | AL |
| Canfield | OH |
| Crooksville | OH |
| Bellevue | NE |
| Deering | NH |
| Shepherdsville | KY |
| Victoria BC | CAN |
| Vernon, BC | CAN |
| Willow | AK |
| Anderson | SC |
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| Collingswood | NJ |
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| 042495 | N3FCW | Horace B Tatem Jr | Middletown | PA |
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| 043615 | W5TXX | Thomas B Lynch | Commerce | TX |
| 043937 | N2SO | John T Naberezny | Averill Park | NY |
| 045250 | W1JFT | Gerald F Morin | Johnston | RI |
| 045438 | KG8HO | Raymond M Yost II | Waterford | MI |
| 045702 | KG6JY | Page T Perrin | Hat Creek | CA |
| 045766 | N6CGE | Leon D Castle | Sunnyvale | CA |
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| 069654 | N9RVV | Marvin E Opitz | New Auburn | WI |
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| 072881 | KB1CWE | William J Bezak | Coventry | RI |
| 073552 | KA5WIS | Lee Vaughn | Hudson | FL |
| 074281 | K7EBJ | E Bruce Jones | Cody | WY |
| 074531 | W6ZJE | Charles W Kohlenberger | Fullerton | CA |
| 074534 | W5CPP | Emanuel O Peden Jr | Tyler | TX |
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## The Suwannee Amateur Radio Club is gearing up for Ten Meters



After holding meetings in two temporary locations SARC finally found a permanent home thanks to Jon Beaver, KD4AMP, \#59739 and his wife, Patsy, KD4BTU, \# 59754. Our new club house now sits on 90 beautiful wooded acres outside of Live Oak, Florida.

The area is fondly called "The Farm", due to our plans to put up as many antennas as humanly possible.

Jon had already erected 2 meter and 6 meter yagis, a G5RV and a tri-band vertical.

When the club moved to the "Farm" we put up an 80 meter OCF dipole donated by Ernest Gregoire, AA1IK, but for our first big project, we wanted to erect a ten meter contest killer while the band was hot.

We erected our first 100' tower and put both a 10 meter Ringo Ranger and a homebrew 10 meter yagi built by Steve Kostro, N2CEI.

We poured the base and set the anchors for a second 100' tower which will be put up as soon as we gather enough Rohn- 25 tower sections. We used over 20 yards of concrete for the tower bases and anchors, insuring that the towers will able to withstand anything short of a full blown hurricane.

We also have a 60' fold over tower that we are going to put a tri-bander on, plus another 65' tower for our 2 meter repeater antenna and our Sedan antenna.

Inside we have a meeting/training room, a radio room, a storage room, bathroom and kitchen. The radio room has an eight foot long, five foot wide bench running down the center, set up for 5 operating stations. Radios include a FT 2000, an IC 746Pro, a FT 950, an IC 840 and a TenTec V. Members can bring their own radios as well. I plan on bringing my TS-480.

Radios which do not have their own power supplies are ran off a 78 amp power supply and fed thru an Anderson Power Pole junction box.

Each station has a networked computer running a variety of software including HRD, Fldigi and Digipan.

We didn't get the shack completed in time for the last 10-10 contest, but we plan on being a force to be reckoned with in the future.

Our next projects include putting up the second 100' tower and antennas, running a 160 meter OCF dipole between the two 100' towers, setting up a VHF/UHF Satellite station and putting up a 100' Rohn 20 tower which will use the top two sets of guy wires to create six 40 meter sloper antennas and six 80 meter sloper antennas.

If you are in the area, please come by and visit. We are on 145.270 PL 123 (W1QBI).
 Further information can be obtained at our website, http://www.suwanneearc.org.

Look for our club call sign, N4SVC \#75836. We are working on a CCTV system and soon you will not only be able to hear us, you will be able to see us as well.

73, Ron Austin, KK4HGY \# 76771


## ELECTION 2014 CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

10-10 International holds an election every two years. In the year 2014 we will be electing the President, Vice President, Secretary, and four (4) Directors, whose terms will commence January 2015. The organization does not run itself, so if you have ever thought about participating in the running of our organization, this is a great opportunity to do so! Nominations must be sent to the Nomination Committee prior to May 1, 2014.

The Nominating Committee develops a slate of eligible candidates by June 1, 2014. The chairman of the committee will provide each potential nominee with information regarding eligibility and specifying the information required by the committee. The chairman of the committee will notify members selected by the Nominating Committee, in writing. Members not selected by the committee may petition for candidacy by having a petition signed by 50 full members and presented to the Secretary by July 1, 2014. A nomination information form is required and is available from the Nominations Committee Chairperson. Further questions concerning the election/nomination process may be addressed to Terry Webb, NOTW 1103 Fulford Road - Monticello, FL 32344 - nOtwterry@yahoo.com.

Qualification for Nomination to be an Officer or Director of 10-10
In accord with the bylaws, no member of 10-10 may qualify for nomination to be an Officer or Director of 10-10 unless he or she has been a full member for more than four (4) years immediately preceding his/her Nomination, and that he/she can show that their membership will remain current during the period of the office they are seeking. The Nominating Committee or Petition for Candidacy are the only methods to be used by members who wish to be nominated.

## Selection by the Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee is charged with the task of selecting from those who indicate a desire or willingness to serve as an Officer or Director and to form a slate of candidates who the committee believes represent the best qualified candidates from information submitted to the Committee.

## Petition for Candidacy

Members and nominees not selected by the nominating committee may petition for candidacy. Such petitions shall be signed by 50 full members and submitted to the Secretary by July 1, 2014.

## Biographical Sketch

All Candidates, whether selected by the Nominating Committee or by Petition, must submit a biographical information form and biographical sketch. The Nominating Committee will use this information in the process of selecting a slate of Candidates. Those who petition for nomination must submit a biographical information form to be provided by and returned to the Secretary. This biographical outline, not to exceed 200 words of narrative, shall be printed in the July 2014 issue of the 10-10 News.

## Notification of Potential Nominees

The chair of the Nominating Committee shall notify members selected by the Nominating Committee to be candidates in writing. The chair of the Nominating Committee shall also notify, in writing on or before June 1, 2014, members who are not selected by the nominating committee, and inform them of the proper method of placing their names in nomination by petition.

## ELECTION TIME LINE

$\boxtimes$ Call for Nominations will be printed in the January 2014 and April editions of the 10-10 NEWS.

- 1 May 2014 - Candidates must have names and bios to Nominating Committee.
- 1 June 2014 - Nominating Committee will develop slate of candidates and notify members who applied but were not selected.
-1 July 2014 - Deadline for Petitions for Candidacy to Secretary.
- Ballots and all Candidates' bios to be printed in July 2014 edition of the 10-10 NEWS.
- 1 October 2014 - "In Hand" Deadline for return of Ballots.
- 1 November 2014 - Election results posted on 10-10 Web Site.
- 1 January 2015 - Newly elected officers take office.
- Election results posted in January 2015 edition of the 10-10 NEWS.

MOVED
That the Board, based on numerous and ongoing complaints received from 10-10 members and non-member amateur radio operators has determined the following:
1.That on July 23, 2013 the Ten-Ten International Board of Directors passed a motion by unanimous vote that removed Todd Burnette ("KC4TVZ"), 10-10 number \#60783, from Weekly Net Control operator for the 10-10 Net, removed him as a Member of the 10-10 Awards Committee, and removed him from the current list of 10-10 Volunteers and prohibited KC4TVZ from serving as a 10-10 volunteer in any capacity until he has demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Board that he will conduct himself in a manner that is consistent with the mission of 10-10.
2. Since publication of the July 23, 2013 Motion, KC4TVZ has repeatedly continued to exhibit rude and unfriendly conduct toward amateur radio operators. Some of these offended operators are 10-10 members, but many are not. Several amateur radio operators, based solely on the rude and unfriendly on-the-air conduct exhibited toward them by KC4TVZ, have vowed to never join the 10-10 organization.
3. Since publication of the July 23, 2013 Motion, KC4TVZ was heard holding a QSO with a DX station on 28.425 in which he never identified his station with his call sign at any time during the entire conversation which is in violation of FCC rules.
4. Since publication of the July 23, 2013 Motion, audio recordings of KC4TVZ continue to be posted on YouTube and postings continue on other Internet sites and blogs about the detrimental conduct of KC4TVZ on 10 Meters, while operating and identifying himself as a member of 10-10, that are inconsistent with the purpose of the organization, as stated in Article II of the Bylaws, as follows:

Ten-Ten International Net, Inc. is an organization dedicated to assisting, encouraging, and promoting amateur radio activity on the 10 Meter amateur band, using all lawful modes of operation and embracing new technologies. Our aim is to assist in the growth of amateur radio around the world, to mentor new members, and enhance fellowship among radio amateurs.
5. Article III, Section 7 of the Bylaws, states as follows:

The Board of Directors may, by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Board, revoke a 10-10 membership for conduct detrimental to amateur radio in general or 10-10 in particular. The Board action may also revoke the member's 10-10 number.
6.That KC4TVZ has persistently exhibited conduct inconsistent with the mission of 10-10, and that his conduct has been detrimental to amateur radio in general and the efforts of 10-10 to expand the membership of 10-10, promote the use of 10 Meters, and enhance fellowship among radio amateurs.

And that based upon these determinations, the Board revokes KC4TVZ's 10-10 \# 60783, and removes KC4TVZ from membership in Ten-Ten International, effective immediately. As a result of the revocation of KC4TVZ's membership and 1010 number, he will be refunded the family membership portion of paid dues through August, 2015, thereby leaving behind an individual paid membership for his spouse, Chandra Burnette, KD4BVG, 10-10 \# 64773.

That the Board direct the President of 10-10 to inform KC4TVZ of these actions and that this action be published in the next issue of the 10-10 newsletter and be available on the Ten-Ten International website.

Article above inserted exactly as received. (Editor.)

## Editor 10-10 News

Dear OM Floyd; . . .
Sept 10, 2013
On P. 17 of the January 2013 issue of 10-10 News there was an article speculating about the early days of 1010.

I will mention my recollection of how I believe it started.
I was located near Boston, Mass. at the time, and the skip to Calif. was very good on 10 Meters.
It seemed that a bunch of Hams in Southern Calif. decided to meet on 10 Meters at 10 AM Pacific time, just for rag chewing. I don't think they really intended to start anything as big as it has become.

To those of us on the East Coast and other places it was noticed that there were some W6's who were not making it on ground wave, so we called in and told the NCS that so and so was calling.

There were several , who spent a lot of time daily relaying call, K1RAW was one of these and so the NCS called him \#1.

We started receiving informal notes in the mail giving a list of those who had checked in and who was relaying.
On the address label next to our name and call we noticed a penciled number but didn't know what it meant but soon found out we had been given numbers in the order we had checked in. One local ham, W1EED, found he had two numbers and when he asked about it they said he could keep the one he likes best. He kept \#70 as it was, he said, in a favorite TV program.

The Secretary started issuing Certificates. By then the name of the Net had become 10-10 of Southern California.
He also issued stickers to put on the Certificates. Nothing fancy, but bits of colored labeling tape with numbers embossed. Also Gold Stars such as one might find on a school exam paper.

If one worked a certain number of stations, who had a number you would become a Vice President such as my Number 19.

Then I moved back to my home state of Maine in 1973 and lost track of everyone for a while because 10 Meter propagation was about nil!

When I got back in contact I was surprised to find that 10-10 had become a World-Wide and had Dues and a Magazine!

A local group around Penobscot Bay, Maine started out meeting on the air about the same way as in Southern Calif., just to have a place and time for locals to chat, but before long one of the fellows, Frank, K1UMZ, suggested we call ourselves the MAINE-iacs and registed with the 10-10 International so that is the story.

Samuel H. Beverage, W1MGP 10-10 \#273
North Haven Island, ME 04853-3116

To apply for any 10-10 Award, paid-up membership is mandatory. You are not required to send in proof as the Awards Manager has the current membership database. All contacts made for any award must be legal 10-10 contacts (a full exchange of Call, Name, QTH and 1010 number from BOTH members). An application listing the rules for each award is available from the appropriate Awards Manager listed at the end of the award listings. Please send your request with a \#10 (business size) envelope, self addressed and stamped with one unit of first class postage (or enclose one IRC for GB Award), 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. Contact requirements and rules for all Awards are available on the 10-10 website - www.ten-ten.org


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| DAY | ZSUM | ZWIN | Chapter Name | Location | Freq | WED | 0200 | 0200 | Gateway | St Louis, MO | 28650 |
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| SUN | 0001 | 0100 | Margarita and Martini | Lilburn, GA | 28330 | WED | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle | Seattle, WA | 28630 |
| SUN | 0100 | 0200 | Cowtown | Arlington, TX | 28460 | WED | 1430 | 1430 | Branding Iron | Bergkamen, DL | 28355 |
| SUN | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle | Seattle, WA | 28630 | WED | 1500 | 1500 | Gold City DX | Marl, DL | 28355 |
| SUN | 1300 | 1400 | Arlington | Arlington, VA | 29200 | WED | 1700 | 1700 | Gold City | Dawsonville, GA | 28425 |
| SUN | 1400 | 1500 | Neanderthal Chapter Leichlingen, DL |  | 28355 | WED | 1700 | 1800 | Channel Islands | Oxnard, CA | 28340 |
| SUN | 1430 | 1430 | Cincinnati Area Ten Tuners | Milan, IN | 28960 | WED | 1700 | 1800 | Outlaws on Ten | San Antonio, TX | 28644 |
| SUN | 1630 | 1730 | Possum Trot | Raeford, NC | 28345 | WED | 2200 | 2300 | Route-66 | Boonville, IN | 28370 |
| SUN | 1700 | 1800 | Major League | La Mirada, CA | 28375 | W/T | 2359 | 0059 | Battle Road | Mason, NH | 28390 |
|  |  |  | Baseball |  |  | THU | 0001 | 0100 | Egyptian Radio Club | Granite City, IL | 28420 |
| SUN | 1800 | 1900 | Portland 500 | Salem, OR | 28350 | THU | 0001 | 0001 | Cradle of the Confederacy | Pike Road, AL | 28350 |
| SUN | 1900 | 2000 | Oregon Trail | Dallas, OR | 28803 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SUN | 1930 | 1930 | North Georgia | Atlanta, GA | 28610 | THU | 0100 | 0200 | Milwaukee | Milwaukee, WI | 28365 |
| SUN | 1930 | 2030 | Steel City | Eubank,KY | 28420 | THU | 0100 | 0200 | Channel Islands | Oxnard, CA | 28340 |
| SUN | 2030 | 2030 | Santa Fe Trail/ Springbok | Galesburg, IL | 28380 | THU | 0230 | 0330 | Windfarms | Livermore, CA | 28485 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | THU | 0230 | 0330 | Up the Crick | Eugene. OR | 28450 |
| SUN | 2100 | 2200 | Possum Trot | Raeford, NC | 28150 CW | THU | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle | Seattle, WA | 28630 |
| MON | 0001 | 0100 | Chesapeake Bay | Chestertown, MD | 28435 | THU | 1930 | 1930 | Speedway | Rainer, OR | 28350 |
| MON 0100 |  | 0100 | Arizona Desert 1010 Net | Phoenix, AZ | 28445 | THU | 2000 | 2000 | Branding Iron | Kemper, TX | 28345 |
|  |  | FRI |  |  |  | 0001 | 0100 | Fort McHenry/ Cornerstone/Yodar Kritch | Arbutus, MD | 28370 |  |
| MON | 0100 |  | 0200 | Milwaukee | Milwaukee, WI |  |  |  |  |  | 28365 |
| MON | 0100 |  | 0200 | Lonestar | Arlington, TX |  |  |  |  |  | 28460 |
| MON | 0130 | 0230 | Bauxite | Benton, AR | 28470 | FRI | 0100 | 0200 | Pikes Peak Ten Ten | Colorado Springs, 28390 |  |
| MON | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle | Seattle, WA | 28630 | FRI | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle | Seattle, WA | 28430 |
| MON | 2030 | 2030 | Space Coast | London, KY | 28355 | FRI | 0310 | 0310 | Kentucky Cardinals | Russellville, KY | 28600 |
| M/T | 2330 | 0030 | Sky BI Wtr/Tn Lzz/ <br> Twn Ct | Inver Grove Heights, MN | 28380 | FRI | 1400 | 1400 | New Waterkant | Boerm, DL | 28355 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | FRI | 2230 | 2130 | Down Under (Summer in NZ is winter in US) | Aukland, ZL | 28530 |
| TUE | 0001 | 0001 | Branding Iron | Kimper, TX | 28325 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TUE | 0001 | 0100 | Ft McHenry/ Cornerstone/Yodar Kritch | Arbutus, MD | 28370 | SAT | 0001 | 0100 | MAINE-iacs | North Haven, ME Seattle, WA | 28402.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | SAT | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle |  | 28630 |
| TUE | 0100 | 0200 | CO Centennial/CO Frontier Gang | Lakewood, CO | 28340 | SAT | 1330 | 1430 | Springbok | Meadowview, VA | 28385 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | SAT | 1430 | 1530 | Steamboat Plus | Shreveport, LA | 28430 |
| TUE | 0100 | 0200 | City of Lights | St Charles, IL | 28150 CW | SAT | 1500 | 1600 | Republic of Texas | Euless, TX | 28460 |
| TUE | 0130 | 0230 | City of Lights | St Charles, IL | 28720 | SAT | 1630 | 1730 | Boomtown | Burkburnett, TX | 28402 |
| TUE | 0130 | 0230 | Bauxite | Benton, AR | 28470 | SAT | 1730 | 1830 | Tango | Buenos Aires, LU | 28650 |
| TUE | 0130 | 0230 | OK Route 66 Chapter | Oklahoma City, OK | 28390 | SAT | 1800 | 1800 | Keystone/Keystone Stars | Brea, CA | 28765 |
| TUE | 0300 | 0400 | Chief Seattle | Seattle, WA | 28430 | SAT | 2000 | 2000 | Restoration Project | Port Alberni, BC | 28750 |
| TUE | 0300 | 0400 | Bay Area | Hayward, CA | 28475 | SAT | 2200 | 2200 | Alii | Lihue, HI | 28730 |

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I am happy to announce the beginning of automation for the scoring of the 10-10 QSO Parties. The KJ4IZW Contest Scorer page (http://hamclubs.info/scorer/) will be where future logs are electronically submitted. We have been testing this scorer with the 2012 Sprint, Fall CW and DG QSO Parties to work out any problems. As you will see this scorer supports many different contests.

All logs can be uploaded using a Cabrillo or ADIF file. You get instant results. If your log is accepted then you will be taken to a summary page where it gives you a lot of info about your log. Among that info is errors. Most of the errors noted are nothing more than typos (i.e. entering K5AOI instead of K5AIO or 74326 instead of 74236 ). The scorer will catch these errors and let you know. The nice thing about this is, you can go back into your log manually and correct those typos and resubmit your log. Points will be deducted appropriately for any other errors. The scorer looks for Call/10-10\# discrepancies, wrong dates, wrong modes (i.e. PH instead of CW, etc), and cross checks all logs. If you think you might want to go back and look at your summary page please make sure you bookmark that page to get back to it.
When you get to the main page of the Contest Scorer, each contest will have an "Upload" link. Click on that link to take you upload page. Please read the instructions on this page! There are only two things you need to do depending on whether you are submitting a Cabrillo file or an ADIF file. If uploading a Cabrillo file, you enter your call at the top and if a Check Log check that box; go to the Cabrillo File, browse for your log, double-click on it and then click on submit at the bottom. For ADIF files you must enter info in the data fields so the scorer knows who you are, 10-10\#, claimed score, chapter assignment, etc. Find your log as for the Cabrillo, double-click and then click on submit. Within a few seconds if everything goes well you should be taken to your summary page. If you are not taken to a Summary Page. Try uploading again. There you will find any errors noted and a summary of your log. If you notice anything missing you can go back to your log and edit it and resubmit. I check the scorer daily after the QSO Party and check for any discrepancies the scorer may give. I am also notified via email for each and every log that is uploaded. On the main page you will notice after the name of the QSO Party in brackets, (website), (Upload) and (Results). The results are not listed until after I complete everything. Website takes you to the Ten-Ten International web site which is also good advertisement. Upload is self explanatory.

Most all logging/contest programs have the means to create a Cabrillo or ADIF file. The 10-10 specific programs all have both. Most other programs such as DXKeeper, HRD, etc
create the ADIF file, so casual contest participants can use their normal logging software. The most used contest programs are N3FJP 10-10 QSO Party Log and WIN1010. Also used are TenxLogger, 10qsologger, N1MM, Writelog and GenLog. All these have the means to create the Cabrillo and/or ADIF file.

I would like to suggest that if you normally send your logs in via regular mail and you have a computer and email to please think about using a contest/logging program. Some of the above mentioned are free and pretty simple to use. If you choose not to use a contest logging program maybe something like a spreadsheet or text file could be used and submit your log via email. I am by no means suggesting that regular mail logs will no longer be accepted. Manually scoring logs is very time consuming and prone to errors. It might be possible to have a friend transcribe your log and email it for you. If you choose to continue to send your logs in via regular mail, please do so. I do not want to discourage anyone from submitting logs! If you upload your log to the contest scorer, you do not have to email me your log unless you want to just as a back up. Ten-Ten International has made great strides in the technology area and I'm trying to enhance/improve the way we score the logs. I have to say there are a number of errors that are missed because of manually processing logs. One can only do so much when trying to check anywhere from 30 or more logs and some cases over 200 ! There is no way we could do this manually if we received hundreds and hundreds of logs as in other contests.

Advantages of using the Contest Scorer:
Flexibility -- multiple formats/loggers support
CBR -- old, new
ADIF

## Robustness

Accurate counting/scoring
1010\# matching
QSO matching
Visibility
Entrants get automatic and immediate confirmation of submission, and can review breakdown/results.

## Efficiency

Eliminates risk single-point-of-failure (travel, illness, missed emails, etc)
Significantly reduces manual (and error-prone) processing time
Long term can help give a picture of the participation and growth of the contests (stats/analysis)

Dan Morris, KZ3T (\#41015)

| 2013 SPRINT QSO PARTY |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | OCT 10 |  |  |  |
|  | TOP TEN |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N7UQ | 72774 | 124 | 126 | 374 |
| N5MT | 24949 | 111 | 111 | 333 |
| N60PR | 45715 | 129 | 72 | 330 |
| W7MC | 69078 | 107 | 67 | 281 |
| WS5H | 74387 | 76 | 74 | 226 |
| AB6QM | 63114 | 71 | 60 | 202 |
| DL8YBM | 36109 | 28 | 119 | 175 |
| N0TW | 36547 | 60 | 29 | 149 |
| KD4BVG | 64773 | 47 | 39 | 133 |
| KC4TVZ | 60783 | 47 | 38 | 132 |
| CALL AREA ORDER |  |  |  |  |
| CALL AREA 0 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N0ZNA | 66810 | 25 | 11 | 61 |
| CALL AREA 1 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N1API | 25468 | 25 | 12 | 62 |
| K4IJK | 17714 | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| CALL AREA 2 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| WA2HMM | 40510 | 9 | 0 | 18 |
| KA2SKO | 38739 | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| CALL AREA 3 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| AA3S | 71035 | 3 | 14 | 20 |
| CALL AREA 4 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N0TW | 36547 | 60 | 29 | 149 |
| KD4BVG | 64773 | 47 | 39 | 133 |
| KC4TVZ | 60783 | 47 | 38 | 132 |
| KI4YYY | 75326 | 34 | 51 | 119 |
| WM2W | 76400 | 33 | 17 | 83 |
| N3GTY | 50585 | 14 | 7 | 35 |
| AK4YS | 75328 | 8 | 7 | 23 |
| AC4ZM | 72780 | 6 | 9 | 21 |
| KN4Y | 17757 | 5 | 9 | 19 |
| N5EEO | 33552 | 6 | 7 | 19 |
| KC9SNI/4 | 75920 | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| N2EGO | 37582 | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| CALL AREA 5 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N5MT | 24949 | 111 | 111 | 333 |
| WS5H | 74387 | 76 | 74 | 226 |
| W5GVP | 11572 | 14 | 11 | 39 |
| K5CC | 50708 | 9 | 1 | 19 |
| CALL AREA 6 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N6OPR | 45715 | 129 | 72 | 330 |
| AB6QM | 63114 | 71 | 60 | 202 |
| AD6GE | 36627 | 10 | 1 | 21 |


| CALL AREA 7 |  |  |  |  |
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| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N7UQ | 72774 | 124 | 126 | 374 |
| W7MC | 69078 | 107 | 67 | 281 |
| KD7ZLF | 75782 | 25 | 7 | 57 |
| N7YU | 72571 | 16 | 10 | 42 |
| K7JP | 69401 | 4 | 0 | 8 |
|  | CALL AREA 8 |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| KB8UUZ | 67605 | 12 | 21 | 45 |
| K8IZK | 73889 | 16 | 2 | 34 |
| W8KNO | 71899 | 4 | 2 | 10 |
|  | CALL AREA 9 |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| KA9JCP | 50609 | 2 | 6 | 10 |


| QRP |  |  |  |  |
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| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| NOZNA | 66810 | 25 | 11 | 61 |
| AA3S | 71035 | 3 | 14 | 20 |


| MOBILE |  |  |  |  |
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| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |


| COUNTRY ENTRIES |  |  |  |  |  |
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| CANADA |  |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |  |
| VE5BCS | 42027 | 14 | 7 | 35 |  |


| GERMANY |  |  |  |  |
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| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| DL8YBM | 36109 | 28 | 119 | 175 |
| DK7LA | 66048 | 21 | 5 | 47 |
| DL5HCN | 69620 | 19 | 3 | 41 |
| DL5HAN | 69621 | 19 | 3 | 41 |
| DJ3LA | 70617 | 20 | 0 | 40 |
| DJ2YE | 68904 | 2 | 6 | 10 |
|  |  | JAP |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| JH1OAI | 47459 | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| JH7RTQ | 69817 | 4 | 1 | 9 |
|  |  | NETHER | ANDS |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| PA2NJC | 30903 | 11 | 9 | 31 |


| NEW ZEALAND |  |  |  |  |
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| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| ZL1AFU | 37851 | 9 | 1 | 19 |


| CLUB ENTRIES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL OPS |
| NM5H | 68588 | 111 | 111 | 333N5MT |
| W1NRG | 29650 | 25 | 10 | 60N1API |
| DKOWKC | 72700 | 21 | 0 | 42DK7LA |
| DFOHHT | 74877 | 19 | 3 | 41DL5HCN |
| DFOHM | 74878 | 19 | 3 | 41DL5HAN |
| CHECK LOGS |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL OPS |
| KO4OL | 67730 | 24 | 8 | 56 |
| KA3UOL | 64545 | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| W6OI | 109 | 0 | 1 | 1N9AC |
| N9AC | 61453 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

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## OCT 19-20

TOP TEN

| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| KN4Y | 17757 | 47 | 73 | 167 |
| W7MC | 69078 | 44 | 21 | 109 |
| WA3GM | 46927 | 7 | 67 | 81 |
| KJ4RV | 37776 | 25 | 26 | 76 |
| KC4TVZ | 60783 | 20 | 32 | 72 |
| VE5BCS | 42027 | 27 | 15 | 69 |
| K7JF | 6334 | 21 | 19 | 61 |
| WU3U | 43942 | 3 | 53 | 59 |
| N4ERM | 34524 | 18 | 7 | 43 |
| KR4OE | 62657 | 17 | 8 | 42 |

## CALL AREA ORDER

CALLAREA 1

| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| WO1X | 40465 | 5 | 20 | 30 |
| N1API | 25468 | 5 | 1 | 11 |
| K1PU | 33916 | 3 | 0 | 6 |


| CALLAREA 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |  |
| WA3GM | 46927 | 7 | 67 | 81 |  |
| WU3U | 43942 | 3 | 53 | 59 |  |
| AA3S | 71035 | 4 | 5 | 13 |  |


| CALL AREA 4 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| KN4Y | 17757 | 47 | 73 | 167 |
| KJ4RV | 37776 | 25 | 26 | 76 |
| KC4TVZ | 60783 | 20 | 32 | 72 |
| N4ERM | 34524 | 18 | 7 | 43 |
| KR4OE | 62657 | 17 | 8 | 42 |
| KD4BVG | 64773 | 20 | 0 | 40 |
| KU4W | 20986 | 15 | 6 | 36 |
| AK4YS | 75328 | 10 | 0 | 20 |
| N3GTY | 50585 | 8 | 1 | 17 |
| KC4JAN | 56060 | 6 | 0 | 12 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| CALL AREA 5 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| K5CC | 50708 | 9 | 0 | 18 |
| KD5DE | 33513 | 7 | 3 | 17 |
| W5WIL | 76767 | 3 | 0 | 6 |


| CALL AREA 6 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| KQ6X | 76149 | 15 | 6 | 36 |


| CALL AREA 7 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| W7MC | 69078 | 44 | 21 | 109 |
| K7JF | 6334 | 21 | 19 | 61 |
| CALL AREA 9 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| AI9IN | 76189 | 5 | 2 | 12 |



| CHECK LOGS |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL | OPS |
| NS8O | 74139 | 10 | 7 | 27 |  |
| HP1AC | 10107 | 6 | 3 | 15 |  |


| NOV 9-10 TOP TEN |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | 10-10\#\| | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| AC4ZM | 72780 | 51 | 91 | 193 |
| WA2HMM | 40510 | 51 | 71 | 173 |
| N5MT | 24949 | 46 | 59 | 151 |
| W2VTV | 71275 | 32 | 60 | 124 |
| N3GTY | 50585 | 35 | 37 | 107 |
| AK4YS | 75328 | 33 | 39 | 105 |
| W8EHH | 2606 | 25 | 41 | 91 |
| KD7ZLF | 75782 | 35 | 16 | 86 |
| KD4BVG | 64773 | 33 | 8 | 74 |
| WA3GM | 46927 | 25 | 20 | 70 |
| CALL AREA ORDER |  |  |  |  |
| CALL AREA 0 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\#\| | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| K0FNI | 5591 | 4 | 33 | 41 |
| CALL AREA 1 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| K4IJK | 17714 | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| CALL AREA 2 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| WA2HMM | 40510 | 51 | 71 | 173 |
| W2VTV | 71275 | 32 | 60 | 124 |
| CALL AREA 3 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| WA3GM | 46927 | 25 | 20 | 70 |
| KB3MOW | 72442 | 16 | 1 | 33 |
| CALL AREA 4 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| AC4ZM | 72780 | 51 | 91 | 193 |
| N3GTY | 50585 | 35 | 37 | 107 |
| AK4YS | 75328 | 33 | 39 | 105 |
| W8EHH | 2606 | 25 | 41 | 91 |
| KD4BVG | 64773 | 33 | 8 | 74 |
| KJ4RV | 37776 | 20 | 3 | 43 |
| K4ARS | 22483 | 7 | 20 | 34 |
| N4ERM | 34524 | 12 | 3 | 27 |
| KA5VZG | 46596 | 11 | 1 | 23 |
| N5EEO | 33552 | 9 | 4 | 22 |
| K3IRV | 69236 | 6 | 4 | 16 |
| KU4W | 20986 | 4 | 2 | 10 |
| KJ4IZW | 76865 | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| CALL AREA 5 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N5MT | 24949 | 46 | 59 | 151 |
| KD5DE | 33513 | 23 | 9 | 55 |
| NS5R | 36388 | 19 | 13 | 51 |
| KM5FF | 50356 | 19 | 11 | 49 |
| KD5HIP | 71476 | 17 | 4 | 38 |
| K5CC | 50708 | 8 | 0 | 16 |
| CALL AREA 7 |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| KD7ZLF | 75782 | 35 | 16 | 86 |
| KC7RG | 24383 | 24 | 10 | 58 |
| W7WBB | 76700 | 19 | 6 | 44 |
| W7JSD | 76248 | 18 | 7 | 43 |
| AJ7B | 7675 | 14 | 6 | 34 |
| NR7Q | 75641 | 13 | 2 | 28 |
| WB5K | 64315 | 8 | 6 | 22 |


| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| KJ8O | 75942 | 20 | 14 | 54 |

CALL AREA 9

| CALL AREA 9 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | 10-10\# | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| N9AVY | 43313 | 20 | 3 | 43 |
| N9AC | 61453 | 9 | 9 | 27 |
| AI9IN | 76189 | 5 | 7 | 17 |
| KC9UZV | 76443 | 3 | 0 | 6 |


| QRP |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| W8EHH | 2606 | 25 | 41 | 91 |


| COUNTRY ENTRIES |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| ARGENTINA |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO |  |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |
| LU1BJW | CANANADA | 8 | 10 |  |


| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VE5BCS | 42027 | 9 | 2 |  |
| HAWAll |  |  |  |  |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| WH6S | 64994 | 11 | 3 | 25 |


| NETHERLANDS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX | W | CTX WO |
| PA2NJC | 30903 | TOTAL |  |  |


| NEW ZEALAND |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| ZL3TE | 53431 | 28 | 13 | 69 |  |
| ZL1LE | 23497 | 19 | 6 | 44 |  |


| CLUB ENTRIES |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL | OPS |
| NM5H | 68588 | 46 | 59 | 151N5MT |  |
| KD5BZC | 42114 | 23 | 9 | 55KD5DE |  |


|  | CHAPTER ENTR |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| CHAPTER | LOGS | PTS |
| POSSUM TROT | 6 | 308 |
| HOUSTON SHOT | 2 | 302 |
| STEAMBOAT | 2 | 110 |
| NORTH GEORGIA | 2 | 96 |
| REPUBLIC OF | 1 | 51 |
| TEXAS | 1 | 49 |
| NM MUD DUCKS | 1 | 44 |
| DOWN UNDER | 1 | 41 |
| NEANDERTHAL | 1 | 26 |
| TANGO | 1 |  |


| CHECK LOGS |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| CALL | $10-10 \#$ | CTX W | CTX WO | TOTAL |
| KC4TVZ | 60783 | 35 | 50 | 120 |
| N7YG | 65084 | 20 | 5 | 45 |
| W6OI | 109 | 9 | 9 | 27N9AC |

As mentioned in the last edition of the NEWS our list of 10-10 YL's was incomplete. A couple of emails brought in some new ones. One note: no one was left off the list intentionally, this is a work in progress.

Thanks go out to Jerry, N9AVY for putting together a list of 156 YL's from his records.

So here's version 2 of the 10-10 YL list. If you know of any that are not on the list (SK or not) please send an email to editor@ ten-ten.org.

| Name <br> Louise | Call AAOLP | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { 10X\# } \\ & 61102 \end{aligned}$ | Jeanine | KA5SHP | 41496 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arlene | AA5GX | 42181 | Betty | KA5WDU | 48686 |
| Geri | AA6IC | 43775 | Karen | KA5WXE | 40883 |
| Merri | ABOMV | 69692 | Laura | KA7HST | 36767 |
| Sue | AL7BN | 25527 | Mary | KA7TLW | 70857 |
| Elfi | DF3TE | 69610 | Georgia | KA8QME | 35444 |
| Heidi | DH3KAT | 70302 | Joan | KB2GEL | 52599 |
| Elke | DL5HCN | 69620 | Ann | KB3GWX | 74600 |
| Josianne | FD1MVT | 47466 | Vicki | KB3WF | 32163 |
| Peggy | G4MAE | 32992 | Renata | KB4GDI | 49324 |
| Sue | J87CD | 40265 | Jean | KB4OHX | 43253 |
| Phyllis | K1QFD | 15339 | Bonnie | KB4VPZ | 41849 |
| Eileen | K2AGJ | 14125 | Janet | KB5DQX | 43610 |
| Peg | K5BKT | 64386 | Joyce | KB5FDX | 46590 |
| Gay | K5GAY | 11825 | Mary | KB5PBD | 58476 |
| Grace | K5MRU | 218 | Betty | KB6AN | 18673 |
| Betty | K5QQT | 17201 | Donna | KB6RDF | 42865 |
| Connie | K6EXQ | 19681 | Betty | KB6SWI | 47126 |
| Marion | K6MZ | 69964 | Rose | KB7BYO | 42288 |
| Carolyn | K7CK | 45565 | Elora | KB7EQW | 47699 |
| Bea | K7CZQ | 32741 | Kathy | KB7IFJ | 53115 |
| Mae | K7MAE | 27864 | Linda | KB7JQP | 55644 |
| Pat | K7YAK | 65689 | Nancy | KB7KLU | 66891 |
| Martha | KA0VTE | 48753 | Loisann | KB7MRA | 59230 |
| Stephanie | KAOZIA | 44303 | Denise | KB8CHA | 42727 |
| Susan | KA1CAD | 29600 | Doris | KB9ARA | 48212 |
| Audrey | KA1CRA | 47752 | June | KCOXZ | 37934 |
| Pat | KA1EXM | 31386 | Stella | KC1MX | 43024 |
| Dot | KA1LDS | 45210 | Kathy | KC3T | 68155 |
| Carol | KA1PPS | 41739 | Lucy | KC4AIZ | 43294 |
| Sandy | KA1RVY | 48113 | Annie | KC4FTW | 56932 |
| Elyse | KA1RW | 32536 | Darlene | KC4QKO | 57458 |
| Sandra | KA1TLP | 70215 | Pearl | KC4SP | 33212 |
| Debbie | KA1WTO | 57869 | Pat | KC4TBS | 57419 |
| Sandra | KA2PBJ | 36368 | Janet | KC5QCB | 67897 |
| Becky | KA3HYG | 42480 | Loreen | KC6MJO | 57217 |
| Lois | KA3QFS | 44138 | Barbara | KC6QAC | 63161 |
| Mary Jane | KA3WWG | 56860 | Peggy | KC7GZT | 67954 |
| Ginny | KA4AIQ | 33458 | Chely | KD4ATO | 59716 |
| Teresa | KA4HOY | 29125 | Chandra | KD4BVG | 64773 |
| Katherine | KA4UEM | 31236 | Stephanie | KD6CCB | 71120 |
| Audrey | KA5KOD | 37235 | Lovergne | KD6JC | 33704 |


| Mary | N8JCI | 47775 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alice | N8LWA | 45422 |
| Ruby | N8MBO | 54130 |
| Carolyn | N8ST | 69681 |
| Berniece | N9CDO | 20025 |
| Carole | N9CYE | 14928 |
| Fay | N9FA | 69488 |
| Susan | N9FWW | 42312 |
| Aggie | NA3H | 30502 |
| Barbara | NC2Q | 29311 |
| Virginia | NOKYZ | 52945 |
| Alice | NR4R | 31223 |
| Helen | NS5T | 35823 |
| Helen | VE3PUA | 47465 |
| Janis | VE7JN | 50407 |
| Sandra | VK4SJM | 26430 |
| Jody | VP5JM | 52729 |
| Edna | VP9IX | 35053 |
| Constance | W1WS | 5168 |
| Jan | W3JAN | 46982 |
| Karen | W4KRN | 66628 |
| Martha | W7KOY | 44999 |
| Julie | WA1IVN | 72021 |
| Leslie | WA4EEZ | 15675 |
| Diane | WA6MVD | 47167 |
| Marian | WA6TGR | 44644 |
| Marge | WA6ZPX | 36007 |
| Irene | WA7DXG | 50286 |
| Carole | WA8YL | 29588 |
| Ann | WA9AKA | 32477 |
| Eva | WBOCON | 53964 |
| Linda | WB0QXJ | 58745 |
| Barbara | WB3ELN | 44188 |
| Jean | WB4OHX | 43213 |
| Linda | WB5IIE | 67871 |
| Marlene | WB5RUS | 42138 |
| Karen | WB6DCB | 21257 |
| Susan | WB7DSH | 32746 |
| Bobbie | WB7NUU | 17416 |
| Judy | WD0DHH | 28254 |
| Linda | WM1Q | 48102 |
| Mary | WQ7V | 43737 |
| Vicki | WV9K | 57320 |
| Mary | WX4MM | 18294 |

## QSL Bureau News

Are you wondering if you have QSLs and/or envelopes at the QSL Bureau?

On the 10-10 Webpage is a tab for "Resources". Under that is a tab for "QSL Bureau". On the QSL Bureau page is a box that if you type in your callsign, it will tell you the number of cards and envelopes that are at the bureau.

## http://www.ten-ten.org/qslbureau.php

With poor band conditions the past few years, QSL activity has been slim. With the current band improvements, I expect activity to pick up. With this improved activity, I recommend that you get 1 or 2 envelopes on file at the bureau.

Before sending QSLs to the bureau, it is a good idea to check to see if those hams have envelopes at the bureau. You can do this by using the box mentioned earlier in this article. If you send QSLs to hams without envelopes at the bureau, your QSLs will just sit at the bureau.

It should be noted that you do not have to be a current paid 10-10 member to use the QSL Bureau.

You can make QSOs on any band with other 10-10 members and use the bureau for your QSLs.

Please direct all questions/comments to the QSL Bureau Manager, Terry Webb, at n0twterry@yahoo. com.

Use the following address to send QSLs and envelopes to the Bureau:

Terry Webb<br>1103 Fulford Road Monticello, FL 32344-4352

## NET CONTROL STATIONS NEEDED

Needed Net Control Station for the 28.380 and 28.800 Nets at 18:00 UTC Monday-Saturday. If interested contact N6OPR via email: n6opr@msn.com.

The 10-10 Club Station, W6OI, is available to any current (dues paid) member or chapter for use as a special event station such as Field Day, Chapter gatherings, and radio conventions. QSL cards are available for special events. Send a written application and copy of your amateur license to include dates and purpose of operation to:

> Jerry Kopstein N9AC W6OI LICENSE TRUSTEE 8041 W LAKESHORE DRIVE BURLINGTON, WI 53105

W6OI was on the air for the October 10th Sprint, Fall CW QSO party on October 19-20, Fall Digital QSO Party on November 9-10, and Special Event party on November 23-24. Band conditions are certainly still up and down, so don't give up trying to make contacts! A number of contacts were made in each event. Some even mobile while my wife and I were traveling New England in October!! Listen for W6OI! Please send SASE when requesting a QSL to

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LOUISE CHAPMAN, N6ELK
    3210 CLARK AVE.
LONG BEACH CA 90808
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Louise, N6ELK continues to operate W 6 OI on the 10-10 daily nets, which meet at $1800 Z$ on 28.380 and 28.800 . Bob, N6OPR also gives out W6OI details on the daily nets if Louise is not available

W6OI is one of three official club stations, the others being VE9TEN (trustee Rob, VE9KM) and DLOX (trustee Henry, DL8YBM). W6OI is operated on CW by Brad, KODBK who makes available FISTS and SKCC numbers. W6VY, Bob operates on Geratol nets to give out W6OI Geratol number and promote 10-10.

The 10th annual W6OI - VE9TEN - DL0X (official 10-10 club stations) Special Event was held on November 23-24. The purpose of this event is to have fun, keep ten meters active, and to educate folks on 10-10. And by the comments received from the volunteers operating 10-10 club stations and those trying to contact them, we certainly had fun and made a lot of contacts!!

Twenty-nine members operated W6OI from all US call areas, four members operated VE9TEN in Canada, and DLOX was on the air from Germany! Logs I have received so far and these are from most operating the club calls, over 1700 contacts were made mostly on SSB, but still many others on PSK, CW, and JT65. Approximately 950 10-10 members were contacted and 800 contacts with nonmembers. Hopefully some new applications for membership were made!!

Special Event QSL cards are available for each call area worked (SASE please). Send all requests to Jerry, N9AC.

Thanks to all volunteers operating 10-10 club stations for the event. It would not be possible without all your time and effort to make contacts.

73's Jerry, N9AC
Trustee W6OI

Paperchasers working W6OI can request the list from N9AC. W6OI has FISTS, SKCC, 070 and GERATOL numbers. Contact Brad, KODBK to arrange a schedule to obtain the FISTS and SKCC numbers. Contact N9AC to obtain the GERATOL and 070 numbers.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

5.2 10-10 QSO PARTIES

10-10 QSO Parties are events that are held for fun and to meet old, new and prospective members around the world. The rules listed here are for all general QSO parties. The Spirit of 76 and Open Season QSO Parties are specialty events and do have additional rules. The Anniversary and Meet the Volunteers are year long contact events.

### 5.2.1 WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

QSO Parties are open to all amateurs with operating privileges on the 10 meter band, however, logs will be accepted only from active members as of the date of the event with the following exception: Open Season event logs will be accepted from all amateurs. Other logs received will be handled as check logs. Check logs are used to validate (check) other logs, but do not qualify the sender for any awards.

### 5.2.2 WHEN ARE THE QSO PARTIES?

There are currently nine QSO Parties held throughout the calendar year:

Winter Phone - held on the first full weekend in February
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Spring Digital - held on the last full weekend in April.
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Spring CW - held on the first full weekend in May.
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Open Season (PSK) - held on the first full weekend in June
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Sprit of 76-7 day, 6 mode event centering around 4 July each year 0001 UTC Monday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Summer Phone - held on the first full weekend in August.
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Sprint - a 24 hour event held on October 10th (10-10).
0001 UTC through 2359 UTC.
Fall CW - held on the third full weekend in October.
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.
Fall Digital - held on the second full weekend in November.
0001 UTC Saturday through 2359 UTC Sunday.

### 5.2.3 FREQUENCY AND MODES

Direct unassisted contacts only are permitted. Repeater, Satellite, IRLP, Echolink, or any other similar type of assisted contacts are NOT allowed. Based on the appropriate band plan for the country of operator, CW QSO Parties should be operated in the CW area of the 10 meter band and operated using CW only. Digital QSO Parties should be operated in the digital area of the 10 meter band and operated using Digital modes only (RTTY, PSK, etc). Phone QSO Parties must be operated in the PHONE area of the 10 meter band and may be operated using any approved method (SSB, FM, AM). The SPRINT utilizes all operating modes in the 10 meter band. NOTE: A QUIET ZONE between 28.490 and 28.510 shall be in effect during QSO Parties using the Phone portion of the 10 meter band to allow for others to use the band.

### 5.2.4 ENTRY CLASSIFICATION

Entrants may submit a log in ANY of the following classifications:
INDIVIDUAL: Includes single station operators and can also include OM/XYL teams or any families or groups of people using individual call signs and 10-10 numbers.
QRP: same as an individual as listed above except that output power does not exceed 5 watts with CW/Digital operations and/or

10 watts with Phone operations during the entire event.
CLUB: A Club must have a valid club station license issued by their National Licensing Authority and must have an active 1010 membership. Club entries must list the call, name, and 10-10 number (if any) for all operators using the club call. Club operations will take place at one location using one set of equipment. Operators entering under a club entry may also enter an individual log for contacts made using their own call sign.

MOBILE: A mobile applies to car, truck, RV, motorcycle, boat, airplane or other mode of transportation. Use of a base station antenna, amplifier or commercial power is not permitted. Operation while your vehicle is parked across a county line, occupying two counties, counts as two counties and two contacts. Marine and aeronautical mobiles must be able to establish counties of operation. Safety is paramount while operating mobile. If you are unable to park near multiple county lines due to safety issues (i.e. on a bridge, on a freeway, etc.), please move to the closest area which would provide the best operating conditions and still be able to give out multiple counties. Duplicate entries are allowed when working in multiple counties. In addition to the normal log information provided the County Worked from and County worked must also be included. Mobile stations will receive awards within their own category and will not be included in the individual sections or Top Ten in the World. Mobile entries will only be accepted for Winter \& Summer Phone and 10-10 Sprint QSO Parties.

### 5.2.5 TRANSMITTER INFORMATION

An operator may operate mobile, portable or fixed. If they change their exchange QTH during the QSO Party, the operator must show same in their log. The operator may enter a log from one call district, province, or DX country. Multi-transmitters (two or more transmitters operating simultaneously, sharing one call sign) are NOT permitted in any QSO Party. If a single transmitter becomes inoperable, it is permissible to change to a replacement transmitter.

### 5.2.6 EXCHANGE

10-10 members send call sign, name, 10-10\# and QTH (State, Province or Country). If received exchange does not have a 1010\#, then record a zero(0) in the log.

### 5.2.7 QSO POINTS

Two (2) points are awarded for contacts WITH a 10-10 number. One (1) point is awarded for contacts WITHOUT a 10-10 number. Duplicate entries should be retained in log and show a zero (0) for points. Any log showing 10\% or more errors may be handled as a check log. A station may be counted only once regardless of mode except during certain specialty events.

### 5.2.8 CHAPTER SCORE ASSIGNMENT

Any entrant who is a chapter member and whose operating location is within 150 miles of the primary net location of that charter, may assign the entrant's score to that chapter. QSO Party scores for the Sprint may not be assigned.

### 5.2.9 QSO PARTY ENTRIES

Logs shall be forwarded to the QSO Party Manager as identified in the 10-10 NEWS or on the 10-10 web site. It is strongly suggested that logs be sent as soon as possible after the close of the event. It is also recommended that DX logs should be sent AIR Mail to insure they are received in good time. Any logs received with a postmark date AFTER the deadline date will be handled as a
check log. Any logs received more than 15 days after the entry deadline, regardless of postmark, will be discarded. All logs may be sent via Email. Please no .Q95 or .adif files.

### 5.2.9.1 ENTRY DESCRIPTION

Entries must contain a Cover Sheet, Log and Dupe Sheet as described here: COVER SHEET will list the Event Entered, Entry Classification, US Call Area (W0-W9 or DX Country), Chapter Score Assignment (if any), number of contacts and points with 10-10\#, number of contacts and points without 10-10\#, and total contacts and points claimed. LOGS must be listed in date/time order and list UTC Date, UTC Time, Call, Name, 10-10\# (zero (0) if none), QTH and Contact Point Value. A DUPE SHEET is required for any logs exceeding 50 contacts. It may be either a list of all calls contacted in call sign order or hand entered on a dupe sheet grid.

### 5.2.9.2 ENTRY DEADLINES

Entries for all QSO Parties listed EXCEPT the Sprint shall be postmarked no later than 15
calendar days (this will always be a Monday) after the close of the event. Mailed entries for the Sprint (held on 10/10) shall be postmarked no later than October 25th, unless that day falls on a Sunday, then the postmark deadline shall be October 26th.

### 5.2.10 QSO PARTY RESULTS AND AWARDS

QSO Party results will be posted on the $10-10$ web site about 15 days after the closing deadline for the event and also printed in the 10-10 NEWS in the appropriate issue. Awards will be issued by the certificate manager for Top Ten Individual scorers in the World, the top individual scorer in each Us Call Area (W0-W9), each DX Country, and for top QRP, CLUB, MOBILE and CHAPTER. Electronic certificates will be sent to the 2nd and 3rd place scorers in these categories.

### 5.2.11 ANNIVERSARY and MEET THE VOLUNTEERS EVENTS

These events run from January 10001 UTC to December 312359 UTC. In the Anniversary event, entrants may submit a log of contacts with members that have the anniversary year contained in their membership number. Example: 2010 is the 48th anniversary year of 10-10 International Net, Inc. Contact with members containing a " 48 " in their membership number (i.e., $72048,69485,64854,48126$, 00487) would count toward the event. Each year the anniversary number changes, making a new group of members the focus of the event and promoting the use of the 10-meter band. All general rules are applicable with the following exceptions: During the calendar year (January 1 through December 31) make legal 10-10 contacts with 10-10 Number, Date, Call Sign, QTH with members containing the anniversary year in their membership number as described above. In the MEET THE VOLUNTEERS event, entrants may submit a log of contacts with members listed in the 10-10 NEWS as being a 10-10 volunteer. One contact per volunteer is permitted, regardless of mode of contact. In both events, contacts must be made on the 10 -meter band with any legal mode (AM, SSB, FM, PSK, CW, etc.). All submitted logs must contain only one entry for each 10-10 number contacted. Contacts MUST be listed in 10-10 number order and each entry must list the 10-10 Number, Date, Call, Name, QTH and Mode, in that order. These events are for Individual entries as described in section 5.2.4 and certificates will be awarded for the TOP Ten, however all entrants will be listed in the 10-10 NEWS. Logs MUST be postmarked no later than January 15th of the year following both the Anniversary and Meet the

Volunteers events. Only members in good standing (with dues paid) are allowed to submit logs.

### 5.2.12 SPIRIT OF 76 (7 Days, 6 Modes) QSO PARTY

This event will run for 7 days and be around July 4th of each year. Make as many contacts as you can during the week using 6 modes. The modes that will be used are as follows as well as the suggested frequencies to monitor:

1. USB (28.345) 2. RTTY (28.086) 3. CW (28.050)
2. FM (29.600) 5. PSK (28.120) 6. AM (29.000)

Scoring will be as normal for QSO Parties, 2 points for members and 1 point for non-members. Dupes will be allowed once for each mode. It will be possible to work the same call 6 times in each of the various modes for a maximum total of 12 points per call. All other normal rules apply. Logs shall be forwarded to the QSO Party Manager.

### 5.2.13 10-10 SPRINT (October 10) QSO PARTY

An award will be issued for working all 10 USA Call Districts.

### 5.2.14 FOR MORE INFORMATION

Current information about 10-10 and upcoming 10-10 QSO Parties and events are always available on the 10-10 web site. Cover sheets, logging forms and dupe sheets are also available for downloading or printing at http:/www.ten-ten.org. Any unanswered questions regarding the QSO Party rules may be forwarded to the QSO Party Manager.

2014 Ten-Ten QSO Party Schedule

| Event | Dates | Postmark |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Winter Phone | Feb. 1-2 | Feb. 17 |
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## YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A BIG GUN TO CONTEST

# 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, and QTH (state/province/country). The contact form and membership application is provided on the page that follows.
4. You must remit dues for one or more year's full membership. Fee schedule and payment information can be found in Section 2 of the page that follows.

## TYPES OF MEMBERSHIPS

To become a member either fill out the form on the following page and mail to the Data Manager at the indicated address or go online to the 10-10 web page, www.ten-ten.org and follow the links from 'membership' to 'application' and select membership category.

## 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 $\$ 5.00$ 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 yeas. For information refer to the "Life Membership Application" form on the web or 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. Payment can be made as one lump sum or within a one year period. For information refer to the "Life Membership Application" form on the web or contact the 10-10 Data Manager.

## Family Life Membership is no longer available

## Club Membership

Club membership is available to any Amateur Radio Organization which holds a valid Amateur Radio License. Application must be made by the club trustee. Dues are the same as the Primary member. No family or life memberships are available. Clubs have all the same rights and privileges as primary members except the right to vote in elections.

Electronic Membership
Electronic Membership is available to anyone who qualifies for any of the types of membership listed previously. Electronic membership means that all communications, including the 10-10 NEWS, from 10-10 to the qualifying member will be conducted via email distribution. The exception to this policy is when a member qualifies for a certificate from either one of the various QSO Parties or from one of the Awards programs.

## MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

Either fill out on the following page the top half of Section 1, including your 10-10 number and Section 2 and mail to the Data Manager at the indicated address or go online to the 10-10 web page www.ten-ten.org and follow the links from 'membership' to 'renewals' and select the membership category.

## 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. This also can be accomplished at www.ten-ten.org using the membership/update link.

All payments may be made by Check, Money Order or IRC's (\$1USD per IRC). Due to banking regulations Credit Cards cannot be accepted for merchandise. Membership Services and Scholarship Donations can be made via credit card using the secure shopping cart at www.ten-ten.org

Mail to:
Data Manager, 10-10 International Net, Inc.
1349 Vernon Terrace
San Mateo, CA 94402-3331

## SCHOLARSHIP DONATIONS

Donations to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation are encouraged by our members to help fund the four $\$ 1500$ 10-10 Scholarships. For donations of $\$ 15$ you will receive a current year's lapel pin as a thank you gift, and for $\$ 25$ or more a second pin from a previous year will be sent. Your check should be made payable to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation and sent to the Data Manager (address shown above) or the Scholarship Manager:

Larry Berger, WA2SUH
10-10 Scholarship Manager
9 Nancy Blvd.
Merrick, NY 11566-3119

Your check should be made payable to the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation and sent to either the Data Manager or the Foundation Manager (addresses shown above).

## 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 $\qquad$

## Please Print Your Name

$\qquad$ Call $\qquad$
Address $\qquad$ Year of Birth $\qquad$
City $\qquad$ State or Country $\qquad$
Postal/Zip Code $\qquad$ $+4$ $\qquad$ E-mail Address $\qquad$
Can Correspondence with 10-10 International Net, Inc. be done via your email address YES $\qquad$ NO NOTE: 10-10 NUMBER, CALL, NAME, ADDRESS, MEMBERSHIP STATUS AND E-MAIL ADDRESS IS MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL MEMBERS VIAA MEMBERSHIP ROSTER. ALL OTHER INFORMATION IS KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND NOT DISCLOSED EXCEPT BY ORDER OF A LAWFUL COURT.
I certify that I meet the membership requirements of 10-10

|  | 10-10 NUMBER | CALL SIGN | OPERATOR'S NAME | DATE OF CONTACT | QTH (State, Province or DX Country) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
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## SECTION 2 - FEE SCHEDULE AND PAYMENT INFORMATION

(Check appropriate items)

| Ten-Ten Fee Schedule (eff 4/1/12) | US Zip Codes | Canada/Mexico | All other DX | Electronic Delivery |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Primary Member - New/Renewal <br> Clubs - receiving Ten Ten News per Year | $\square \$ 15.00$ | $\square \$ 20.00$ | $\square \$ 30.00$ | $\square \$ 10.00$ |
| Primary Member - New/Renewal <br> Clubs - receiving Ten Ten News <br> 3 Year Incentive | $\square \$ 40.00$ | $\square \$ 55.00$ | $\square \$ 80.00$ | $\square \$ 25.00$ |
| Family Member -New/Renewal <br> Clubs - Without Ten Ten News <br> Per Year | $\square \$ 5.00$ | $\square \$ 5.00$ | $\square \$ 5.00$ | Not Available |
| Life Membership | $\square \$ 500.00$ | $\square \$ 700.00$ | $\square \$ 1,050.00$ | $\square \$ 360.00$ |
| Senior Life (65 years or older) | $\square \$ 150.00$ | $\square \$ 350.00$ | $\square \$ 525.00$ | $\square \$ 120.00$ |
| Scholarship Foundation Donation | $\$$ | $\$$ | $\$$ | $\$$ |
|  | Enter Total |  |  |  |

METHOD OF PAYMENT
Do not send cash. Make checks payable to 10-10 International Net, Inc. Please put your call and/or 10-10 number on the face of the check. For DX members all amounts Shown are in US Dollars. DX members may pay by International Money Order order substituting IRC's at the rate of 1IRC for each US dollar. Mail to:

> Data Manager, 10-10 International Net, Inc.
> 1349 Vernon Terrace
> San Mateo, CA 94402-3331

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## 10-10 International Net, Inc. 1349 Vernon Terrace San Mateo CA 94402-3331

Address Services Requested


## JANUARY

(January)
Electronic version of this issue of the NEWS at www.ten-ten.org/news Logon: tennews Password: wintertime (CASE SENSITIVE)

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Name $\qquad$ Call $\qquad$ 10-10\# $\qquad$
Address $\qquad$
City $\qquad$ State/Province/Country Zip $\qquad$
Your e-mail address (for contest questions only) $\qquad$
PLEASE LIST CONTEST EXCHANGE
Call $\qquad$ Name $\qquad$ 10-10\# $\qquad$ QTH $\qquad$

| ENTRY TYPE |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ INDIVIDUAL |  |
| QRP | 10 watts or less Phone, |
| $\quad 5$ watts or less CW/ Digital |  |
| MOBILE | See QSO Party rules. |
| CLUB Only for those operating |  |
| as a Club Station. If Operating under |  |
| a Club call, please list all operators and |  |
| their 10-10 numbers (if any) on the log. |  |



All submissions must contain this cover sheet (or a reasonable facsimile), the log in UTC Date/Time order, And a Dupe Sheet (if more than 50 contacts) in call sign order or in grid format.

Mail to Dan Morris, KZ3T, 3162 Covington Way, Lenoir NC 28645 , USA
E-mailed address Logs maybe E-mailed to tentencontest@ten-ten.org


[^0]:    All changes to the above times and/or frequencies should be referred to the Chapter Coordinator if you desire accuracy of your net. Chapter Coordinator: K5FBS, Clifford A Taylor, 22707 Red Mountain Drive, Elmendorf, TX 78112-6034. Email: k5fbs@yahoo.com.

    There are also various 10-10 daily SSB nets (except Sunday) on 28.800 and 28.380 MHz .
    Information on these nets showing day of week, and net control stations is listed under the category, Daily Nets, on the website.

[^1]:    For credit card payments, acceptable cards are AMEX, Discover, MasterCard and VISA. Please use the secure shopping cart at www.ten-ten.org. 10-10 is using Pay Pal to process credit card transaction, however, it is not necessary to have Pay Pal account to be able to use your credit card. For more detail refer to the 'Shopping Cart Help" on the 10-10 web's main page.
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