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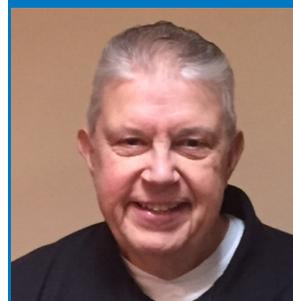
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From the Editor

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Since the 2014 Fall issue of this newsletter, it has been my pleasure to be the editor. But as the saying goes, all good things must come to an end. Due to some health issues, I have decided that I can no longer do all that is needed to put out a quarterly newsletter. I am hoping I can do one more issue before quitting.

This of course means that Ten-Ten International is going to need a volunteer to fill the editor job. If you are interested, please contact Dave Ruch (NF0J) and let him know. Dave's email and phone can be found in the Officers and Directors section of this newsletter.

You might ask what is involved in putting together the Ten-Ten Newsletter. For me, with 11 years on this job, I take about six to 10 hours over a number of days to import the files I receive from the newsletter contributors, review them for spelling and grammar, import them into a publishing application and layout the pages. Next, I send out a PDF to the review team. Incorporate the reviewer comments and upload the print file to our printer and the online version to Jeff for publishing on the Ten-Ten website. Finally, upload the files to the server for safekeeping. It is definitely a time commitment.

The publishing application I use is Adobe InDesign. This was purchased by Ten-Ten specifically for the newsletter. Of course, it does not need to be InDesign. There are other applications that can do the job just as well. Whoever steps up and takes over this job can best decide what application to use.

This newsletter is important to all Ten-Ten International Net members. It is one of the primary communication channels that keeps the membership informed about the different activities in which Ten-Ten International Net is involved. Let us make sure this communication channel stays open.

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Randy – AJ7B



From the President

David Ruch NF0J
#19553

Greetings from Hot Springs Landing in the high desert of southern New Mexico.

I was deeply saddened by the news of the passing of our dear friend and cherished radio club member, Mel Sojka, KD5DE. His passion for amateur radio, infectious enthusiasm, and unwavering dedication to 10-10 International left an indelible mark on us all. Mel was a true pillar of our organization.

I will deeply miss his presence, but his spirit will continue to resonate through the airwaves we share. My thoughts and prayers are with Mel's family and friends during this difficult time. Until we meet again, rest in peace my friend.

Travel is not possible for me while I care for my wife, so I could not attend Hamvention this year. Mel volunteered to go in my place, but he could not drive (doctor's orders). He arranged to have two hams, Derek, AI5DQ, and Tom, KI5WSR, travel with him to drive and help work the booth. Mel was hospitalized the weekend before Hamvention.

Mel had much 10-10 experience with Hamcation, but Derek and Tom had none. I am certain they looked forward to learning from Mel. Fortunately, our Treasurer, Keith, KR7RK, was a Hamvention regular and helps by making all the arrangements (booth, hotel, credentials, etc.). Between the three of them, they were able to work out most of the details.

However, there was one final detail that required Mel's help. Derek visited Mel in the hospital, and as ill as Mel was, he and Derek were able to finish that final detail. This was Mel's last full day on earth. 10-10 to the end. Mel passed away the next morning at 6 am.

The desert is hard on antennas, especially the wire variety. Between the wind and sun, wires don't last long. My KIO Hexbeam wires bit the dust during a windstorm in late April. I plan to rebuild the antenna over the summer with all new wires and replacing a few other worn parts. Meanwhile, I'll operate my portable QRP station (KX3) using CW at 5 watts or less. (That will be humbling.) I hope to work some of you on the air in the vicinity of 28.060. I'll try to post on Facebook and TenTenList when and where I plan to be

operating. I'll call CQ TEN TEN at 20wpm and will slow down if you answer slower.

Speaking of summer operations, even with the 10-meter band being tough in summer due to lower solar activity and ionospheric changes, there are still plenty of ways to make contacts. Sporadic E propagation can be a lifesaver, often popping up in summer and opening short-skip paths (300-1200 miles) on 10 meters, especially during morning and evening hours. Check for E propagation using tools like DXMAPS.com or VHF propagation reports for real-time openings.

Beyond that, FT8 and other digital modes are great for squeezing out weak signals—try 28.074 MHz for FT8 activity. CW can also work well when SSB struggles. If 10 meters is dead, bands like 20 or 15 meters might still be active, or you could chase meteor scatter or EME for unique contacts. Experiment with antennas too—verticals or low dipoles can sometimes outperform expectations in poor conditions. What's your setup like, and have you tried any of these approaches yet? Get to it and have fun!

Have a safe and healthy Summer!

CU on the air!

73

Dave NF0J #19553

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Chapter Coordinator

Chuck Dockery, N7UQ
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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Information: CH's and/or CM's I would like to hear from y'all about your chapters. How are your chapters going, are you still seeing folks excited about paper chasing, are you getting new members, etc. Are we doing anything special to promote Ten-Ten International Net? I would like to put some news about the chapters in this newsletter, so if you are a chapter head or manager, please send me some news to be placed here for others to see. We seem to be slowing down even more in the chapter category even though ten meters has been hot for quite some time.

Chapter Reports: I now copy all reports and other correspondence received from chapters to the chapter folders on the FTP site. If anyone needs access or copies of files you can ask Jeff N7YG for assistance or ask me for a copy. Main point is I am no longer keeping hard copies of anything related to chapters. As chapter heads and coordinators, you should be utilizing the FTP site to store your information that can be accessed by an official should the need arise.

Important: Chapters request changes, I update the information to the website, please remember to purge your browser cache for you to see the updates. As updates happen, I may make an announcement and post it to the website so be sure and check there before contacting me.

Reminder: Please double check the TEN-TEN Net Guide to be sure your net(s) are listed correctly. If there are changes, be sure to let me know so I can update the list. Also, as I receive updates to your chapters I update the list on the website to reflect the latest correspondence. If you do not see the website updated after a couple days, be sure and wipe your cache in your browser so you have a clean updated page before visiting ten-ten.org.

Reporting: www.ten-ten.org/index.php/resources/ten-ten-documents/ten-ten-forms for a form to download or www.ten-ten.org/chapters/quarterly-report to fill out and submit electronically. Be sure to notify IT Manager Jeff, N7YG, before using this easy-to-use form so he can add you to the Chapter Management Group. If you do not have internet access, let me know and I will send you a blank form that you can copy and submit. A responsible chapter

official must report to the Chapter Coordinator. This is done quarterly. If there are no changes to the previous report, then the chapter can go on for up to a year without reporting. A report must then be made even though no changes have been made. These reports may be made via the U.S. Postal Service or via email. One of the reasons listed for termination of the chapter is failure to report four consecutive quarters (1 year).

CHAPTER NEWS: CURRENTLY 27 ACTIVE CHAPTERS

Aloha Chapter: I received a note along with a couple reports from Irene Kubica NH7PE about the Aloha chapter. She said they have been overrun on their Australian and New Zealand calling frequency by the Indonesian fishing fleet and Costa Rica making them have to move to 28.484 MHz. She also reported that both 10 and 6 meters are "Gangbusters".

Bauxite Chapter: Peggy K5BKT has also reported in, thank you for that.

CATT Chapter: Cincinnati Area Ten Tuners are now back in good stead thank you to Andy K1KIM for reporting in.

City of Lights: Received a call from Dean Holste KC9EOQ to let me know that Joe Dubeck NA9A had passed. This is another of our very long running chapters and Dean Holste KC9EOQ is going to take over as chapter head. They have an average turn out for nets at 13. The chapter net reported on 05/05/2025 of 2,531 consecutive nets since beginnings.

Houston S.H.O.T.: Houston S.H.O.T. is in need of Chapter head and someone to be net control.

Louisiana Pelican: Louisiana Pelican and Houston S.H.O.T. is in need of Chapter head and someone to be net control. Mike Davidson N5MT has been carrying these two chapters for quite some time and would like to see someone else take the reins.

Red River Valley: Steamboat Plus is also back in good stead apparently due to a glitch in the matrix. Thank you Mel KD5DE for your report. With the passing of Mel we now at this time do not have a CH for this chapter. Ronnie Hull W5SUM has expressed that he would like to take over and we are awaiting confirmation.

Red River Valley Steamboat: are Just in from Ronnie Hull W5SUM:

As of today, I have yet to gain access to Mel's computers. His children had been instructed to use a local ham to handle his estate. That person is out of town for two weeks. He has assured me that when he gets back he will assist in trying to gain access to the Chapter Information which HAS to be on one of the THREE Linux machines Mel had in his ham radio room. In the meantime, the rank and file of our Chapter have selected me to assume the position of Chapter Head. This needs to be reflected on the web site and in the upcoming newsletter. I can just imagine all the email and snail mail that is being sent to KD5DE for upgrades and etc. I have no control over that.

Snail mail for chapter inquiries or upgrade go to me Ronnie Hull W5SUM - 1855 Shady Lane - Shreveport, La 71118 or emailed to me at w5sum@yahoo.com

Mel had a great service here with a very large turnout of our local club members and Red River Valley Chapter members. We were all glad to see Chuck N7UQ who drove over here from DFW to attend. Thanks Chuck it meant a lot. Thanks, God bless es 73

Ronnie W5SUM

Speedway Chapter: Dave W7CAR has also responded back to my email reporting that the Speedway Chapter has been QRT for some time. Very sorry to hear about that, I have placed it into the QRT folder.

Chapters at Risk of Termination: (no report in a year or more): NONE

Chapters placed in QRT: Branding Iron, Chief Seattle, Down Under, Major

League Baseball, Mississippi 10 Meter Society, Route-66, Speedway,

All chapters are asked to plan for succession of leadership. I can't stress this enough we have lost a few great chapters that cannot continue due to the record keeping not being shared. PLEASE, To aid in such planning, IT Manager, Jeff, N7YG, has been setting up FTP accounts on the 10-10 server where chapters can save their data. All CH: contact Jeff for the details if you wish to take advantage of this opportunity. This is a good idea even for the redundancy of record keeping and in the event of a tragedy. I know there is redundancy in this message, but it really needs to be stressed if you wish the chapters to continue.

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TEN-TEN NET GUIDE

As of June 1, 2025

DAY	ZSUM	ZWIN	Chapter Name	Location	Freq	DAY	ZSUM	ZWIN	Chapter Name	Location	Freq
SUN	1300	1400	Arlington	Arlington, VA	29200	TUE	1500	1600	New Mexico Mud Ducks	Albuquerque, NM	28835
SUN	1400	1500	Neanderthal/Hanse	Euskirchen, DL	28355	WED	0001	0100	Castle Graig	Meriden, CT	28375
SUN	1900	2000	Oregon Trail	Dallas, OR	28330	WED	0100	0200	Cincinnati Area Ten Tuners	Cincinnati, OH	28430
SUN	1930	1930	North Georgia	Atlanta, GA	28415	WED	0100	0200	Houston SHOT	Houston, TX	28488
MON	0100	0100	Arizona Desert	Phoenix, AZ	28445	WED	0200	0300	10-Bar-X	El Paso, TX	28445
MON	0100	0100	Lonestar	Arlington, TX	28460	THU	0100	0100	Cow Town	Arlington, TX	28460
MON	0100	0200	Milwaukee	Milwaukee, WI	28365	THU	0100	0200	Gateway	St. Louis, MO	28650
MON	0130	0230	Bauxite	Benton, AR	28470	THU	0100	0200	Milwaukee	Milwaukee, WI	28365
TUE	0001	0100	Ft McHenry/Cornerstone/ Yodar Kritch	Arbutus, MD	28370	THU	0230	0230	Windfarms	Livermore, Ca	28485
TUE	0100	0200	CO Centennial/CO Frontier Gang	Lakewood, CO	28340	THU	0230	0330	Up the Crick	Eugene, OR	28450
TUE	0100	0200	City of Lights	Aurora, IL	28150 CW	FRI	0001	0100	Ft McHenry/Cornerstone/ Yodar Kritch	Arbutus, MD	28370
TUE	0130	0230	Bauxite	Benton, AR	28470	FRI	0001	0100	Possum Trot	Raeford, NC	28345
TUE	0130	0230	City of Lights	Aurora, Il	28720	FRI	0001	0100	Steamboat Plus	Shreveport, LA	28430
TUE	0300	0400	Bay Area	Hayward, CA	28475	SAT	1510	1610	Louisiana Pelican	Baton Rouge, LA	28450
TUE	0430	0430	Aloha	Hilo, HA	28490						



DX News

Mike Davidson, N5MT
(#24949)

Welcome to the Summer DX season of the 10-10 News. Solar Cycle 25 has just produced eleven solar flares 4 M and 7 C class in size that hit Earth today June 1st. There is some prop on 20 meters but none on 15 and 10 with HF blackouts in the Pacific and Atlantic. The highest flux so far was 343 on Feb 17, 2023 and May 14th was the biggest X2.7 flare in 2025 causing blackouts in Europe and Asia. I have seen five Solar Cycles over the past fifty years and this Cycle 25 is the second strongest! A rare DX country is active this week from Lakshadweep Isl using call VU7T but no 10-10 members are in this group.

My next thought for this article is to thank my good friend Mel KD5DE #33513 who died on May 12, 2025, for his long-dedicated service to his country and 10-10 International.

My first radio QSO with Mel was before we had personal computers to log contacts in the mid 1980's. Mel organized the first 10-10 convention in Shreveport LA, where I talked about DX in 1987. I wrote my first DX article for this Newsletter in 1991 after the President of 10-10 asked me to write about 10-10 DX. That was thirty-three years ago and many conventions have Mel and I both attended at a 10-10 table. Mel had many private stories that can't be repeated, so RIP.

There are DX reports below that you can see if you worked a 10-10 member in your log and then watch for some future DX trips to maybe work a new country in your log.

The big event in March was the ARRL DX SSB Contest. It was not a 10-10 event but any DX contest is always a chance to put 10-10 or DX in your log, which should be one's goal.

During some QSO parties over the past years, the higher solar flux caused poor propagation. The sun generated large flares that caused radio blackouts over parts of the earth.

The ARRL website hack last year is now all back to normal. The DXCC awards function was fixed and the LoTW data was all ok. The processing of DXCC and awards took longer to fix and now all is reported to be back to

normal. DXCC award processing was taking about 8 days in April.

This past year was the best time for the USA to talk into Europe and the Pacific. The ARRL 10 Meter contest in December has always been the most popular contest and I talked with a few DX friends during the contest. So propagation for my station was the same for the last two years. The Winter SSB QSO Party was a noisy weekend due to a solar flare. Thanks to Dan KZ3T #41015 for scoring the contest and sending certificates for the QSO Parties.

You should have a goal of finding new members on Ten and logging them. Each week I read DX articles and look for 10-10 members going places so I can write about them here and I found several new members recently. At my station, I have not found a new 10-10 country in about seven years, so I hope to catch some members at a new DX site soon. So, watch for them on the dates given below to catch a new one and try to talk with old friends on the air to pass the time.

Congratulations to Nodir **EY8MM** #52767 for receiving the 2025 Heritage CQ DX Hall of Fame award at the Dayton DX Dinner May 16th. The award is now given by INDEXA and it was presented to Nodir by Bob N2OO #12732.

I also saw that John **K4BAI** #45389 got the Contest Hall of Fame Induction Award at Dayton on May 17th.

Countries Awards: There were no Countries Award applications submitted this past quarter.

GENERAL 10-10 DX REPORTED IN THE PAST QUARTER:

4U United Nations NY. The UN station **4U1UN** #55555, in New York City, was not active on Ten this past quarter. The UN is the closest DX country for USA hams to work and the beacon is on 28200 MHZ.

4U Geneva. The UN in Geneva Switzerland, **4U1ITU** #11111 NOW has a new club callsign 4U0ITU to commemorate the ITU Union 160th anniversary until year ends. Remember the 1010 number is only assigned to call 4U1ITU and not to the new 4U0ITU! So ask them for the old call and log it! LoTW.

5A Libya. Abubaker **5A1A** #69222 was using his new call 5A1AL for Libya only on FT8 this past quarter. He can only give you his old 1010 number which is assigned to him.

D6 Comoros Isl. Elvira **IV3FSG** #54292 was back in D68Z from March 2-31st SSB, CW and Digi and all bands. LoTW.

EA6 Balearic Islands. Rene EA6/**DL2JRM** #69623 will be traveling a lot this summer, first to Balearic until May 18th. Mostly CW. After this he is going to a lot of places all through the summer, more info coming.

ET Ethiopia. Ken **K4ZW** #18573 was not back in ET this past quarter. The club call ET3AA is not a member. So, you must find Ken K4ZW when he visits back

at the club. Ken did not operate in the USA during this time either.

FM Martinique. Darrell **AB2E** #9753 was in Martinique from May 20-27th using callsign TO3E mostly CW. LoTW.

J6 St. Lucia. Several ops were at club J62K on Ten this past quarter. Bill **K9HZ** #2618 planned to operate from J62K with some youth operators. LoTW.

K USA. Will **WC6DX** #27111 was on San Clemente Isl. from May 23-27th. Only SSB and CW no Digi. Ed **N7PHY** #58098 was in grid DL88 which is mostly in Mexico for a POTA activation May 19-25th

KH0 Mariana Isl. Tom **KC0W** #67688 is using his new call KH0W and most of his operating was on CW.

KH8 American Samoa. Robert **KH8/K0NR** #40615 was in Am. Samoa from May 27th to June 9th.

OY Faroe Islands. Scott **OY/KA9FOX** #31122 was on the island in early May on HF but no info on 10 Meter activity.

P4 Aruba. John **W2GD** #14109 was back at station P44W in Aruba from May 20-27th. The CW WPX contest was that weekend and John likes CW on all bands. LoTW.

V4 St.Kitts & Nevis. Juan **AC6ZM** #65893 was on St.Kitts from May 18-27th all bands and modes. Juan may have used call V49K in a DX contest. LoTW.

V5 Namibia. Mike **V51MA** #64688, continues to help the daily 10-10 net when he has propagation from Africa on 28380 MHZ at 1800Z, except Sunday's.

VP5 Turk's & Caicos Islands. John **K4BAI** #45389 and friends will use station VP5M in May until the 27th. This maybe the last use of the station as the site is for sale.

VP6 Pitcairn Island. Miralda **VP6MW** #50434, was active this past spring on FT8 28074 and maybe some SSB 28555.

ZL7 Chatham Islands. Holger **ZL3IO** #22401, was back on Chatham, from May 18-26th working on antennas and two power inverters. He only operated low power as ZL7IO for the first day of the WPX CW contest. His daughter Xenia ZL4YL #77857, joined him in November 2024 using her call as ZL7YL. Chatham is a rare location 500 miles from New Zealand and there is no member living on the island.

FUTURE DX & NEW 10-10 ACTIVITY:

3A Monaco. A Special call for the 100th Anniversary of Monaco is from April to June 30th for callsign 3A100A. The only 10-10 member is Claude **3A2LF** #36994 who has been on 15 CW in March and last on Ten Meters in Jan 2015.

3Y Bouvet Island. A big DXpedition will land in February 2026 on Bouvet using

call **3Y0K**. No 10-10 member is on the DX team at this time. Good luck.

9U Rep of Burundi. A DXpedition to Burundi will take place from October 29th to November 19th using callsign 9U1RU. Most ops are Russian like Vic **UA3QLC** #52770 but Hal **W8HC** #12502 is a most experienced DX operator. They plan to have 7 stations active on all modes/bands. Such a large group will be slow to build/takedown with ten radios and nine antennas planned! **The last 10-10 from Burundi was Iris 9U5QL/SK #21226 in Dec 1991!**

A4 Oman. Roman R5AA is using the **A47RS** #42043 club station in Oman while waiting for his new home to be finished. Roman should only give the club info at the club!

C9 Mozambique. Vic **UA3QLC** #52770 and two friends, will be on two different islands for a week each in July. Vic is the only 10-10 member in the group.

CE0Y Easter Island. George **CE0YHF** #39382 has a job on the island. Bad weather has broken his antennas so he will replace it with a vertical for his 10-watt radio. I did not know George was on Easter Isl until this week so good luck.

CY0 Sable Isl. A DXpedition scheduled for March 2026 will take place by ops that were on Sable in 2024. Members were: Mike **K9NW** #29804, Larry **W0PR** #31559 and Dan **W4DKS** #5395. The full list of ops will be updated soon.

Website: www.CY0S.com .

HR Honduras. Alex **K6VHF** #77458 is going to Roatan Isl from July 3-9th using call HR9/K6VHF. His radio is 100 watts to a vertical on all bands/mode's and FT8 Digi. LoTW.

K USA. I am predicting the best propagation in June could be two days before Field Day weekend of June 28-29th assuming no Solar Flares the week before Field Day.

VP0 South Georgia Island. A DXpedition to this rare island will take place in March 2027. The rare country is owned by Norway. The list of 10-10 ops is unknown now.

VP9 Bermuda. Kyle WA4PGM #50763, will be in Bermuda from June 10-17th as a Parks On The Air trip. LoTW.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS & NOTES:

Ten-Ten Website: <http://www.Ten-Ten.org> .

Propagation forecast: <http://www.solen.info/solar/> , www.SolarHam.net and <http://ARRL.org/Propagation> .

More propagation: <http://dx.gsl.net/propagation/> .

DX Calendar: <http://www.dxwatch.com/> .

DX: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k4dJcK-WVRw>. <https://Secure.Clublog>.

<http://ebarc.org/pdf/dx-entity-history.pdf>

Ham Lookup various ways:

<https://Haminfo.tetranz.com/map> .

Ham LoTW users: <http://www.hb9bza.net/lotw-users-list> .

NEW: WM7D Solar Values:

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FT8 Fox/Hound Video:

<https://www.YouTube.com/watch?v=GcbtTKSRkus> .

DX Propagation: I expect the solar flux to range from 115-179 this Summer. The June 21st Summer Solstice will be in three weeks. Days are getting longer for us in the USA and Northern Hemisphere. Cycle 25 eleven-year cycle, started more than five years ago in November 2019. Sunspots are always counted by looking at the Sun but the solar flux is measured by radio at 2.8 GHZ several times a day.

The monthly **max** solar flux was: Jan 2025 234, Feb 220, March 204, April 182, May 159. **Average 167.**

The monthly **min** solar flux was: Jan 2025 156, Feb 153, March 140, April 148, May 115. **Average 142.**

On June 1st, the solar flux was 151, the A index 126 and K index 7. Cycle 25 hit a maximum flux value of 343 on February 17, 2023. Previous solar peaks were in 2014, 2001, 1989 & 1979. The USAF forecast for June 1st to July 15th has a range of 110-165 with average flux 127, which is down many points from the last quarter. **A flux graph shows a declining curve, which indicates lower flux and the peak has probably past!**

My Prediction: The next four months, the best propagation on Ten could be on: June 1-2nd & 27-30th, July 23-26th, August 18-20th & Sept 14-18th. For USA, expect a 40-60% chance of DX to Europe, Asia, S. America or Pacific. Use the beacons on 28.175-28.300 MHZ to see if Ten meters is open. If the band is closed for SSB, try FT8 on 28074 for a QSO.

Two new DX members joined in 10-10 in May: Richard **DC1RW** #78428 and Melanie **DN9WOA** #78429 are from Germany. The last USA member to join was Steven **KI5EWG** #78427 in May.

Thanks to the Daily DX by Bernie W3UR #25731 and the ARRL DX Bulletins. This 10-10 DX News edition is my number 135th of DXing reports for the past 33+ years!

DX news to: Mike Davidson, 26274 Whispering Pines Ave, Denham Springs LA 70726 USA Email: N5MT@aol.com.

10-10 NET CONTROL STATIONS

ALL NETS BEGIN AT 1800Z

Monday	Ken (KF0OVL)	#78383	CO
Tuesday	Randy (K7NNT)	#78391	AZ
Wednesday	Harlan, W0HLO	#19595	CO
Thursday	Mke, V51MA	#64688	NAMiBIA
Friday	Steve, W7WHB	#77836	AZ
Saturday	Augustine, WA4GQJ	#78026	FL
Alternate	OPEN		
Sunday	NEVER ON SUNDAY		

10-10 Has One Official Daily Net
 28.380 MHz
 Net Starts At 1800z
 Every Day Except Sunday
 Listen And If You Can Hear Us Join IN!!!



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 om@qcwa.org



Net Report

Steve Wagner, W7WHB
 (#77836)

The 2nd Quarter of 2025 was a pretty good time for making contacts until the last two weeks. Since, propagation to anywhere has been minimal. Contacts were plentiful and then went silent. Friends and contacts were established only to have them squashed by the poor activity of the sun. To say the least it was a roller coaster ride into the 2nd Quarter. Right before the slow down of activity we are happy to say that many new members were obtained through the hard work of our Net Control Stations. And congratulations are in order for our existing membership for helping our new members with contacts to qualify for membership. It is truly appreciated.

For the first time in a long time, we now have a full complement of Net Control operators for each day of the week. The following is the Ten-Ten daily schedule for Net Control Stations:

- Monday – Ken (KF0OVL) Colorado **
- Tuesday – Randy (K7NNT) Arizona
- Wednesday – Harlan (W0HLO) Colorado
- Thursday – Mike (V51MA) Namibia, Africa
- Friday – Steve (W7WHB) Arizona
- Saturday – Augustine (WA4GQJ) Florida

**--Doc Kalan is the normal Monday NCS for Ten-Ten Intl. Inc. However, until such time that it will take for Doc to get his "new" station operational for the net, Ken KF0OVL will be conducting Mondays.

Everyone should be reminded that the Ten-Ten nets will be conducted every day of the week except on Sundays regardless of the propagation. Your net Control Stations will be listening for anyone to check in.

ARTICLES

There is always a need for articles in the News. There have been a couple requests for Do-It-Yourself articles. If you have something you would like to see in print please feel free to submit it. The most popular articles seem to be those relating to antennas, DIY projects, and kit building. Send your submissions to editor@ten-ten.org.

Net Report for 1st Quarter 2025

Monday Nets			Tuesday Nets		
DATE	TOTAL	NO 10X#	DATE	TOTAL	NO 10X#
6-Jan	34	7	7-Jan	20	5
13-Jan	22	3	14-Jan	23	7
20-Jan	10	1	21-Jan	16	4
27-Jan	12	3	28-Jan	19	3
3-Feb	17	3	4-Feb	25	8
10-Feb	11	1	11-Feb	32	5
17-Feb	12	2	18-Feb	32	5
24-Feb	6	1	25-Feb	31	5
3-Mar	10	1	4-Mar	23	4
10-Mar	13	1	11-Mar	22	7
17-Mar	8	2	18-Mar	23	6
24-Mar	5	0	25-Mar	19	4
31-Mar	1		1-Apr	21	5

Wednesday Nets			Thursday Nets		
DATE	TOTAL	NO 10X#	DATE	TOTAL	NO 10X#
1-Jan	22	2	2-Jan	XX	0
8-Jan	17	4	9-Jan	25	8
15-Jan	11	5	16-Jan	16	4
22-Jan	16	1	23-Jan	27	6
29-Jan	12	3	30-Jan	18	5
5-Feb	11	4	6-Feb	23	2
12-Feb	11	2	13-Feb	27	3
19-Feb	3	0	20-Feb	24	2
26-Feb	16	4	27-Feb	23	3
5-Mar	11	1	6-Mar	21	4
12-Mar	2	0	13-Mar	25	10
19-Mar	9	3	20-Mar	XX	0
26-Mar	2	0	27-Mar	25	4

Friday Nets			Saturday Nets		
DATE	TOTAL	NO 10X#	DATE	TOTAL	NO 10X#
3-Jan	39	11	4-Jan	25	4
10-Jan	39	14	11-Jan	37	15
17-Jan	27	11	18-Jan	23	5
24-Jan	22	4	25-Jan	20	3
31-Jan	31	8	1-Feb	32	8
7-Feb	27	6	8-Feb	32	6
14-Feb	33	4	15-Feb	21	5
21-Feb	27	4	22-Feb	33	10
28-Feb	31	4	1-Mar	23	4
7-Mar	15	4	8-Mar	XX	0
14-Mar	28	6	15-Mar	24	5
21-Mar	23	3	22-Mar	4	0
28-Mar	27	7	29-Mar	17	3



QSO Parties

Dan Morris, KZ3T
(#41015)

2025 Spring DG QSO Party

April 26 - 27

TOP TEN

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
1. KD6HOF	78284	18	0	36
2. N1API	25468	13	3	29
3. W2VTV	71275	11	2	24
4. AK4YS	75328	9	4	22
5. KM5FF	50356	10	1	21
6. W5KJW	78249	9	2	20
7. KM5EH	71103	7	2	16
8. KM4ODS	77504	6	3	15
8. N3GTY	50585	7	1	15
9. KY4RJ	77910	6	1	13
10. KD5DE	33513	5	1	11

CALL AREA ORDER

CALL AREA 1

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
N1API	25468	13	3	29

CALL AREA 2

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
W2VTV	71275	11	2	24

CALL AREA 3

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
N3GTY	50585	7	1	15

CALL AREA 4

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
AK4YS	75328	9	4	22
KM4ODS	77504	6	3	15
KZ3T	41015	4	0	8
AA2MA	73000	1	1	3
KA5VZG	46596	1	1	3

CALL AREA 5

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
KM5FF	50356	10	1	21
W5KJW	78249	9	2	20
KM5EH	71103	7	2	16
KY4RJ	77910	6	1	13
KD5DE	33513	5	1	11
KD5ILA	77652	2	2	6
AA5AH	78106	1	0	2
N5PTA	77891	1	0	2

CALL AREA 6

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
KD6HOF	78284	18	0	36

CALL AREA 7

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
W7JSD	76248	3	0	6

QRP

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
AK4YS	75328	9	4	22

LOW POWER

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
KD6HOF	78284	18	0	36
N1API	25468	13	3	29
W2VTV	71275	11	2	24
KM5FF	50356	10	1	21
W5KJW	78249	9	2	20
KM4ODS	77504	6	3	15
N3GTY	50585	7	1	15
KY4RJ	77910	6	1	13
KD5DE	33513	5	1	11
KZ3T	41015	4	0	8
KD5ILA	77652	2	2	6
W7JSD	76248	3	0	6
AA2MA	73000	1	1	3
KA5VZG	46596	1	1	3
AA5AH	78106	1	0	2
N5PTA	77891	1	0	2

HIGH POWER

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
KM5EH	71103	7	2	16

CHAPTER ENTRIES

CHAPTER	LOGS	PTS
POSSUM TROT	5	75
STEAMBOAT	3	35
CASTLE CRAIG	1	29

CLUB ENTRIES

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL	OPS
K4MN	24874	6	3	15	KM4ODS
W5RRV	42114	5	1	11	KD5DE

CHECK LOGS

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL	OPS
W7GEZ	0	11	0	22	0
VA7KBM	0	8	0	16	0
KI5EWG	0	5	0	10	0
K6FA	5908	3	1	7	0

2025 Spring CW QSO Party

May 3 - 4

TOP TEN

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
1. KA5VZG	46596	0	4	4
2. NK9Y	37014	0	1	1

CALL AREA ORDER

CALL AREA 4

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
KA5VZG	46596	0	4	4

CALL AREA 9

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
NK9Y	37014	0	1	1

QRP

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
NK9Y	37014	0	1	1

LOW POWER

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL
KA5VZG	46596	0	4	4

CHECK LOGS

CALL	10-10#	CTX W	CTX WO	TOTAL	OPS
HP1IBF	0	3	3	9	0

10-10 SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION SUPPORTERS

We encourage all of our members to support the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation. Our goal has always been to fund our scholarships entirely through member donations. At the Scholarship Foundation meeting this June, the Foundation Board voted to guarantee the funding for three \$2,000 scholarships for 2026. The Foundation was created in 2001 and is a qualified 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization and contributions are tax deductible. Why not consider a donation as a Chapter or an individual in memory of a fellow ham or loved one? This quarter Arlene Schwartz, KE6GFI, #72885 made a donation in the memory of Ray Roberts, K7CWS, #50288. If you have an employer matching program, please let us know. If you haven't donated before, we want you to know that all donations are appreciated and they do add up. At the time you make a donation to your favorite charity, please consider a donation to the 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation

If you make a donation of \$25 or more you are eligible to receive one of the historic 10-10 pins. As more and more members have told me not to send a pin and want the maximum amount of their donation to go to the students, if you have made a qualifying donation and would like a pin, please contact me at wa2suh@aol.com. To pay by credit card, see payment information on Page 23 or send your check to me or the Data Manager. Our addresses can be found on Page 22.

The members listed below became 10-10 Scholarship Foundation Supporters during the months of March, April and May and we appreciate their support.

Platinum (\$1000 or more)

KE6DRN Charles Thompson 68855

Silver (\$100 to \$499)

KE6GF Arlene Schwartz 72985
 W5CRY Charles Young 73003

10-10 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT INFORMATION

Beginning this year, the 10-10 International Scholarship Foundation program will be administered on our behalf by the ARRL Scholarship Foundation. Since 1988, at the inception of our scholarship program, the Foundation for Amateur Radio (FAR) has served in this role. FAR has decided to discontinue their scholarship program. We are thankful for the relationship we have had with them all these years. We look forward to our new working relationship with the ARRL on the scholarship program. Details for applications can be found on the ARRL website and the 2025 scholarship winners will be announced this summer. You can also find information on the 10-10 Website. Look for

the Miscellaneous Tab and then Scholarships. Applicants must be licensed amateurs. There is no restriction on the course of study, but applicants must intend to seek at least an Associate Degree from a college or university. Non-U.S. amateurs and those seeking graduate degrees are also eligible, as well as students who study outside the United States. It is suggested that every 10-10 member encourage qualified college-bound amateur radio operators to take advantage of this opportunity. Over the past 36 years, 10-10 has funded 133 scholarships valued at \$177,000.

Ten-Ten International Net, Inc. 2025 Board of Directors Meeting June 1, 2025, 2100 UTC

Video Conference

AGENDA AND MINUTES

Call to Order-

The meeting was called to order by President Dave Ruch NF0J at 2100 UTC.

Moment of Silence in Remembrance of Silent Keys

Roll Call & Establish Quorum

Present were: President Dave Ruch NF0J #19553, VP/Secretary Larry Berger WA2SUH #07, Director Marcus Lieberman KM5EH #71103, Director Chuck Dockery N7UQ #72774, Director Mark Steele KD2NOM #77596, and Director Steve Wagner W7WHB #77836

Absent: Director Martin Jordan KB1MJ #67175, Director George Davenport KM4ODS #77504 (excused)

Introduction of Invited Guests and Others in Attendance

Treasurer-Kelvin Schlottman KR7RK #63324, IT Manager-Jeff Steinkamp N7YG #65084. Newsletter Editor Randy Mather AJ7B #7675, Hamvention Booth Volunteer-Tom Dalton KI5WSR #78193

OLD BUSINESS

Agenda Approval (Revisions, Additions and Deletions)

2024 Minutes and All Reports Available by request

IT Upgrade-N7YG

Jeff said that the upgrade was supposed to take 6-8 weeks; there were issues with the user database which needs to be transferred; the site is operational and he has a meeting about this coming up; everyone will have to change passwords when the upgrade is finished. The website will look much better and it will be faster.

10-10 Special Event

There was a brief discussion about re-starting the event to have W6OI operational in all Call Areas. Dave is the trustee for W6OI. It would likely be in October during the week of the 10-10 Sprint. This was tabled and Dave will have a discussion with KM4ODS who could not attend.

NEW BUSINESS**Memorial for Mel Sojka KD5DE #33513**

Mel was very active with 10-10, serving as President for twelve years and going above and beyond to keep 10-10 running smoothly. One idea discussed would be to have a scholarship named for Mel. KI5WSR said it would be good if the scholarship could go to someone with an active or reserve military background. Other ideas were to honor Mel with a QSO Party or an award to be named for him. The Board will discuss other ideas by email.

Updated Organization Chart and Volunteer List-

There were a few additions/deletions that were submitted to Dave.

In addition, WA6POZ was listed for Social Media: remove and add N7YG and put under IT. Add N7NNT as a Net Control. W5SUM is now the Historian. N7UQ discussed problems trying to get his Chapter Committee members involved. Dave and Chuck will work on a strategy to get committee members involved.

Update Web Site and Place a Director in Charge of Keeping it Updated

It was suggested that the Publications Committee come up with a strategy. Dave will discuss with George KM4ODS. Jeff mentioned that any changes to the website need to come from the Board.

Newsletter Production Process

The Board discussed the process. Randy uploads the file to the printer and several 10-10 volunteers act as proof readers. K6RDK gets involved in email and postal lists. Mel handled postal mailings. Jeff said the procedures should be spelled out in the Operations Manual.

Newsletter Editor Search

Randy's last newsletter as editor is Fall 2025. Dave has talked to a couple of people about taking over the position. Randy will write about this in his article in the Summer News.

President Candidate Search-Dave's term ends in 2026 and he will not be seeking another term. WA2SUH and KD2MOM will work on the search for possible candidates.

Establish Committee(s) to Update By-Laws and Operation Manual-

Dave will talk to KM4ODS to discuss a plan to work on the updates.

Establish a Committee to Handle All Things Having to Do with Hamfests and Events

There is a distinction between the major events like Hamvention and Hamcation and the regional and local hamfests. Dave would like to eliminate the requirement that the President or a Director needs to be at the major events. We need a system to handle the supplies including getting the material to the events. Dave would like to see a team established and a person designated as the coordinator for events. KR7RK said that we have never had a formal system. Keith said that Tom KI5WSR and Derek AD5IQ #77907 did an amazing job of coordinating the booth at Hamvention. Tom talked about possibly having the storage at Shreveport. This is a central location for many hamfests in the south. Tom agreed to work on a committee to work on procedures. Dave will follow up with Tom and Keith. We discussed printing up stickers (one quote was 5000 for \$200) to give out at events. Keith said that we need hamfest kits and would like to see our booth spruced up as it looks stale. There is money in the budget and we should use it.

Fraudulent Emails-

Dave said that we have had a few incidents and said that everyone should be careful. Keith reminded us that 10-10 has an insurance policy for Directors and Officers.

Establish A Regular Date and Time for the Annual Meeting

Motion by Director Lieberman and seconded by Director Steele that the date of the Annual Meeting be the first Sunday in June. Motion approved.

Zoom Meetings-

Dave will set up occasional Zoom meetings to discuss 10-10 matters on Sundays at 2100 UTC. This will allow for in depth discussion of items brought up at the Annual Meeting.

10-10 Facebook Group

Jeff Steinkamp said that many hams who do not have a 10-10 number are interested in participating in our Facebook Group. The current requirement is that only hams with a 10-10 number can join.

Motion by Director Steele and seconded by Director Dockery that the 10-10 Facebook Group be open to all amateur radio operators. Motion approved.

Jeff will put a note on Facebook and modify the form that people fill out to join.

Financial Report

Treasurer Keith Schlottman reported that 10-10 finances haven't changed in the past few years. There is a ladder CD investment process with Edward Jones. Current balance is about \$400,000. Much of this is reserved for benefits

for life members. The Wells-Fargo account is used for operations. The Pay Pal account is about \$2000. We have a surplus and it would be good to spend some on representation at hamfests. It is important to have multiple signers on bank accounts (the President and Treasurer plus another person). Mel Sojka was a signer and we need a replacement..

Adjournment

Motion by Director Lieberman seconded by Director Wagner to adjourn the meeting at 2246 UTC.

President Ruch declared the meeting adjourned.

The next 10-10 Annual Meeting will be on June 7, 2026

**Ten-Ten International Net Scholarship Foundation
2025 Board of Directors Meeting
June 1, 2025**

Video Conference

(following the Ten-Ten Board of Directors Meeting)

AGENDA & MINUTES**Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by President Dave Ruch NF0J at 2248 UTC

Roll Call & Establish Quorum

Present were: President Dave Ruch NF0J #19553, VP/Secretary Larry Berger WA2SUH #407, Director Marcus Lieberman KM5EH #71103, Director Mark Steele KD2NOM #77596, Director Steve Wagner W7WHB #77836 and Treasurer Keith Schlottman KR7RK #63324.

Absent: Director Martin Jordan KB1MJ #67175, Director George Davenport KM4ODS #77504 (excused), and Director Chuck Dockery N7UQ #72774(excused).

Agenda Approval (Revisions, Additions and Deletions)**Scholarship Manager's Report**

Larry WA2SUH reported that the 2024-2025 fiscal year income was \$3,177 which was down from \$7,467 the previous year. The number of individual donors was down drastically this year with 17 donors (down from 43). The balance in the Foundation account as of May was about \$16,000. Along with this year's donations there should be enough to fund scholarships at the \$6000 level for another three years. We will reassess at next year's Annual Meeting. The big change in our program was the switch from the Foundation for Amateur Radio to the ARRL Foundation for the administration of our scholarships. Winners will be

announced this summer.

Scholarship Operations Manual and Bylaws Update

Director Berger reported that the last Scholarship Foundation Operations Manual and Bylaws update was in 2013. He recommended the following changes:

Article IV Bylaws Section 2- eliminate reference to separate position of Secretary

Article VIII Bylaws Section 1-change from FAR to ARRL for administration of the scholarship

Article X Bylaws- Update Bylaws revision date

Operations Manual Section 5.1-change from FAR to ARRL for administration of the scholarships

Operations Manual Section 7.1-change from FAR to ARRL for administration of the scholarships

Operations Manual Section 6.1- delete reference to the number of scholarships to be awarded

Operations Manual Appendix I- update change log

Motion by Director Berger and seconded by Treasurer Schlottman to amend and revise the Scholarship Foundation Bylaws and Operations Manual with the changes listed above. Motion approved.

2025-2026 Budget Proposal and Approval

Motion by Director Wagner and seconded by Director Berger to approve three \$2,000 scholarships plus a \$90 ARRL administration fee for 2026. Motion approved.

Appointment of Foundation Treasurer

Motion by Vice-President/Secretary Berger and seconded by Director Lieberman that Keith Schlottman be re-appointed as Treasurer of the 10-10 Scholarship Foundation for a term of four years. Motion approved.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Director Lieberman and seconded by Vice-President/ Secretary Berger.

President Ruch declared the meeting adjourned at 2303 UTC.

The next 10-10 International Net Scholarship Foundation Annual Meeting will be on June 7, 2026

Meet The Volunteers

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 2025

AI5DQ, Derek	Hamfest Booth	N1API, Al	Committee Member
AJ7B, Randy.....	Editor	N3GTY, Bill	Committee Member
G4BLH, Mike	Awards - GB	N5MT, Mike.....	Awards - DX
K5BKT	Peg, Committee Member	N7UQ, Chuck	Director
K6RDK, Dave	Data/ Membership Manager	N7YG, Jeff	IT Manager
K7NNT, Randy.....	Net Control	NF0J, Dave.....	President
KB1MJ, Martin	Director	NP2MR, David.....	Committee Member
KC4HIT, Mark	Awards-Counties	NS6X, John	Committee Member
KD2NOM, Mark	Director	NZ1I, Kevin.....	Awards – WAC
KD5DE, Mel.....	Past President (SK)	VA7GY, Garry	Committee Member
KE0MIZ, Rob.....	Awards-1000+ Bars	V51MA, Mike	Net Control
KF0OVL, Ken	Net Control	W5DJT , David	Committee Member
KG5RJ, Greg.....	Committee Member	W5SUM, Ronnie.....	Historian
KI5ELV, Tom	Awards-VP Bars	W7WHB, Steve.....	Director
KI5WSR, Tom	Hamfest Booth	W0FLZ, Paige.....	Awards-Mobile
KI6OY, Lee	Awards-CW	W0HLO, Harlan	Net Control
KJ5SZ, Hugo	General Counsel	WA2SUH, Larry	Vice President
KM4ODS, George	Director	WA4GQJ, Augustine.....	Net Control
KM5EH, Marcus	Director	WA4KUP, Brad	Committee Member
KM5FF, Ed.....	Awards-WPX	WB0CON, Eva.....	Awards - WAS
KR7RK, Keith	Treasurer	WB6OJB, Arnold.....	Net Control
KZ3T, Dan.....	QSO Party Manager		

RULES FOR THIS EVENT AVAILABLE AT WWW.TEN-TEN.ORG IN THE QSO PARTY HANDBOOK

TEN-TEN AWARDS

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 10-10 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 at www.ten-ten.org

TOP TEN HONOR ROLL

No.	CONTACTS	CALL	10-10#
1.	24600	WA5JDU	3017
2.	11700	N5XZ	4530
3.	11400	DL8YBM	36109
4.	10800	N1API	25468
5.	9800	N5DAS	35877
6.	8800	AC6FU	10937
7.	8100	W3FGU	16728
8.	6500	LU1BJW	39329
9.	6200	KB9MJ	22313
10.	5600	KB5UNX	64337

TOP TEN CLUB

No.	CONTACTS	CALL	10-10#
1.	4400	K6MQ	71487
2.	3700	DL0X	75555
3.	2100	W8PGW	74726
4.	2100	VE4WSC	50470
5.	2000	W1NRG	29650
6.	1300	WB2HIW	38770
7.	1200	NM5MD	72385
8.	1200	W4MNM	75450

On the 10-10 website under the Activity tab, you will find
Historic bar award achievements of our silent keys,

1000+ MILESTONE BARS

1000 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
1582	N5MT	24949

2500 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
1200	WB4EVH	1200

5000 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
104	F6IRG	39399

7500 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
42	N5XZ	4530

10000 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
22	DL8YBM	36109

12500 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
1	WA5JDU	3017

COUNTIES AWARDS

100 BAR

NO.	CALL	10-10#
542	KE0MIZ	77647

AWARDS MANAGERS

BAR 100-900..	Dan Morris, KZ3T #41015	3162 Covington Way, Lenoir NC 28645	(828) 728-5049	dbmorris315@gmail.com
Bar 1000+	Rob Cromer, KE0MIZ #77647	12932 Palamino Place, Wellington, CO 80549	(970) 692-4421	rdcromer@rccomps.net
VP Bar	Thomas Cole, KI5ELV #77743	3238 Wagner St., Shreveport, LA 71108	(318) 617-0562	ki5elv@yahoo.com
VP WAS.	Charles (Chuck) Dockery, N7UQ #72774	112 S. Rolling Meadows Dr. Wylie, TX 75098	(469) 829-5462	chuck@n7uq.com
VP Lucky 13 . .	Dan Morris KZ3T #41015	3162 Covington Way, Lenoir NC 28645	(828) 728-5049	dbmorris315@gmail.com
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THE AMATEURS CODE

by Paul M. Segal, W9EEA (1928)

The Radio Amateur is:

CONSIDERATE..... never knowingly operating in such a way as to lessen the pleasure of others.

LOYAL..... offering loyalty, encouragement and support to other amateurs, local clubs and the American Radio Relay League, through which Amateur Radio in the United States is represented nationally and internationally.

PROGRESSIVE..... with knowledge abreast of science, a well built and efficient station, and operation beyond reproach.

FRIENDLY..... with slow and patient operation when requested, friendly advice and counsel to the beginner, kindly assistance, co-operation and consideration for the interests of others. These are the hallmarks of the amateur spirit.

BALANCED..... Radio is an avocation, never interfering with duties owed to family, job, school or community.

PATRIOTIC..... with station and skill always ready for service to country and community.



Silent Keys

Mark Steele, KD2NOM
(#77596)

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

10-10#	Call	Name - City, State
00495	K3VCV	Joseph J. Tonecha - Venetia, PA
01706	VE3RJ	Rolland Jubinville - Sault St. Marie, ON
04699	WB5ECJ	Kenneth L. Kendrick - Oklahoma City, OK
04699	WB5ECJ	Kenneth L. Kendrick - Oklahoma City, OK
05085	W0ERE	Allan C. Gallo - Highlandville, MO
06531	W4RJ	Ted L. Pounders - Florence, AL
07342	N5FH	Floyd L. Hoskins - Bossier City, LA
07392	WA7NRP	Michael L. Johnson - Burley, ID
07826	K2ZD	Mario L. Karcich - Hillsdale, NJ
09445	K7MO	Joseph N. Winter, Jr. - Tacoma, WA
10539	W5BJ	Robert G. Jones - Dallas, TX
10873	N0JW	Dick J. Knox - Thornton, CO
11337	WB8RRR	James R. Linn - Cincinnati, OH
12206	K3CQY	Joseph F. Martocci, Jr. - Roseto, PA
12453	AK4E	Kenneth J. Owen - Cedartown, GA
12564	WB8AXM	Raymond C. McClimans, Jr. - Niles, OH
12580	WA8DFC	David R. Bolenbaugh - Forest, OH
12988	NK0G	Robert M. Stanley - Delta, CO
13604	N4YI	Cecil W. Wilkes, Sr. - Hayden, AL
14017	KC0P	Melvyn E. Larson - Rochester, MN
14070	W2AJY	William C. Magness - Clemmons, NC
15040	NA7MT	Joseph A. Magnan - Kalispell, MT
16905	W9DAN	Daniel P. Altenberger - Hillsboro, IL
16997	K9JDF	Bernard G. Holm - Fort Wayne, IN
17791	KA1DE	Hosmer B. Thompson - Swanzey, NH
17897	WB1EHS	Barbara A. Murnane - Williamsburg, MA
18192	KC2AI	Lemar (Butch) L. Fisher - Warsaw, NY
18262	W2IOG	Paul H. Jacobs - Verona, PA
18959	W8KFN	Kenneth F. Nowak, Sr. - Howell, MI
19248	W4ZTV	Robert E. Glenn - Mayville, TN
19652	K6UIU	Frederick M. Cutter - Livermore, CA
22141	KR4W	Ernest M. Bryant - Carthage, NC
22679	WB1FVY	James L. DiMarino - Rowley, MA
22977	K8JP	Joseph L. Pontek, Sr. - Gilmer, TX
23072	N4DX	Emery Flinn, Jr. - Carrollton, GA
24020	NB8H	Thomas M. Running - Anderson Township, OH

10-10#	Call	Name - City, State
24158	W4GMS	John L. Reese - Gulf Breeze, FL
24739	W4NFG	J C Mc Ardle - Port St. Joe, FL
25296	KB2SQ	Paul V. Morton, Sr. - New York, NY
26293	KB4RV	J. Kenneth Boggs, Jr. - Pittsboro, NC
26575	AK2E	Harold S. Post - Middle Grove, NY
28134	KC1A	Richard J. McSweegan - Madison, CT
29706	KY4S	Eugene L. Pajerski - Aiken, SC
31121	NA9A	Joseph J. Dubeck - Saint Charles, IL
31156	N9BYY	Daniel T. Riffel - Spencer, IN
31334	KA1V	Ralph F. Carpenter - Florence, MA
32580	KA1EOL	James A. Vittorioso - Newport Center, VT
32839	N8CPF	Stephen P. Kalt - Fenton, MI
33415	W4LLX	Earl N. Johnson - Shalimar, FL
33513	KD5DE	Mel Sojka - Shreveport, LA
33550	K5JP	Jeffrey L. Poll - Dallas, TX
33810	K3DG	Donald W. Gibbs - Kirkwood, PA
33949	W1TUM	Dexter R. Wheeler - Wakefield, MA
35219	W4SQ	George F. McCanless, Jr. - Huntsville, AL
35616	W7PUP	James N. Woods - Lacey, WA
36386	KU2R	Harold L. Casteline - Elmira, NY
36833	N0BZA	Larry L. Samons - Malden, MO
37055	WO7T	Mark E. Gustoff - Chandler, AZ
39075	G4WHV	Mady M. Langdon - Warminster,
39431	WG4R	William D. Mauldin - Greensboro, NC
39646	WB7PXR	Frank W. Edwards - Scottsdale, AZ
41381	KA8UTF	Arthur N. Coulter - Brookville, OH
42392	KA9QMM	William D. Watkins - Kenosha, WI
43761	KC7XC	Le Roy G. Sandstrom - Salt Lake City, UT
44064	KA8JJN	Allan C. Koch - Allendale, MI
44205	KB4WIH	Danny J. Wood - Winston-Salem, NC
45585	W9IPV	David D. Sanstrom - St. Joseph, IL
45748	NF6T	Byron N. Hunsaker - Fontana, CA
46524	W5ITI	Jerry L. Lukens - Alvin, TX
46963	WB9JYZ	Ronald D. Bellinger - Homewood, IL
47960	N6WHK	Phillip W. Padigo - La Mesa, CA
48145	K1TSV	Russell J. Santos - Milford, NH
48789	AC5XR	Bobby L. Choat - Salem, AR
50750	WB4KXS	Loyd F. Towers, II - Henrico, VA
51372	W5KN	Kenneth A. Norvell - Dallas, TX
51648	KH6AD	Robert Soares - Meridian, MS
52277	N9LB	Lloyd O. Berg - Oregon, WI
52462	N1HSJ	Alden. M. Lachant - Bennington, VT
53870	AA2AV	Paul A. Scipione - Canandaigua, NY
56617	WD8EFK	Hildegard E. Holmes - Senecaville, OH
58399	KD4EPG	Dennis R. Yancey - O'Fallon, MO
59809	N8MUB	Doyle E. Richardson - Beavercreek, OH
60179	K1GE	Glenn C. Edson - Weeki Wachee, FL

10-10#	Call	Name - City, State
63612	N8WFL	Robert C. Hill - Brighton, MI
63659	W8LE	Byrness E. Haworth - Elyria, OH
65646	KQ4TG	Jacob O. Brehmer - Wilmington, NC
67487	K9LK	David J. Giudici - Ottawa, IL
67498	W0MYZ	Alan R. Remington - Bigfork, MN
67596	W5BXX	David S. Topp - Houston, TX
67637	KG8IG	Charles J. Wright - Newton Falls, OH
68275	KQ4I	John R. Barker - Ringgold, VA
69078	W7MC	Sergei L. Ticknor - Phoenix, AZ
70956	KF4MDX	Marty L. Overman - Lexington, TN
72355	N5WSD	Eric A. McClure - San Antonio, TX
72421	VP9KD	Walter Carlington - Southampton, VA
72669	W7LKG	Richard S. Leary - Tacoma, WA
72688	W1DGM	David G. Mello - West Hartford, CT
73084	NS1L	James N. Pfister - Leesburg, FL
74245	WA4WWQ	Gary L. Turner - Louisville, KY
76455	K5RWB	Robert W. Bullock - Jackson, MS
76456	NR6K	Richard Wright - Vacaville, CA
76556	N5NC	Kirk D. Blackmon - Washington, NC
76753	W4LDD	Larry Howard - Charlotte, NC
76890	W5FAR	Francis A. Rath - Albuquerque, NM
77024	KE5LXE	DeWayne T. Campbell - Keatchie, LA
77109	N5KT	Gerald W. Doucet, Sr. - Houston, TX
77763	W5ZDW	Leonard O. Bowman - Deham Springs, LA

Thanks to Lee - K2HAT - #76138 for his efforts in helping me keep the sk column as up to date as possible.

Mark 73, KD2NOM #77596

10 Meter Beacons

As 10 meter operators one should be aware that propagation beacon frequencies are coordinated.

I would appreciate a message from anyone with thoughts of activating a beacon. wi5v.be@gmail.com

73 Dennis Stice WI5V #35806

IARU Region 2 HF Beacon Coordinator

<https://wi5v.net/author/wi5v>

ARTICLES

If you have a Ten-Ten related adventure/experience you think would be good to share with the other members of the Ten-Ten International organization, please send your story to editor@ten-ten.org.

2025 Ten-Ten QSO Party Schedule

Event	Dates	Postmark
Weak Signal	July 12-13	July 21
Summer Phone	Aug. 2-3	Aug. 11
Sprint	Oct. 10	Oct 18
Fall CW	Oct. 18-19	Oct. 27
Fall Digital	Nov. 8-9	Nov. 17
Anniversary (63)	Jan 1 - Dec 31	Jan 8, 2025
Meet the Volunteers	Jan 1 - Dec 31	Jan 8, 2025

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/handle (as received on the air), 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 on-line 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 years. 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 on-line 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, or Money Order. 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 three \$2,000 10-10 Scholarships to be awarded. For donations of \$25 or more you are eligible to receive a current year's lapel pin as a thank you gift. To pay by credit card, see the payment information on page ???. 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**

TEN-TEN QSO PARTY RULES

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. A QSO Party contact log submitted by an Amateur that intentionally submits erroneous contact information to cause errors on membership applications and awards will be considered an invalid log. Ten-Ten will not accept any log of contacts from an Amateur who had his or her membership/1010 number revoked.

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.

Weak Signal - held on the second full weekend in July - 0001 UTC Saturday 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.

5.2.4 ENTRY CLASSIFICATION

Entrants may submit a log in ANY of the following classifications:

QRP: 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. CW/Digital/RTTY operations max 5 watts and Phone operations max 10 watts during the entire event.

LOW POWER: Same as QRP listed above except that output power for CW/Phone/Digital/RTTY operations is max 150 watts during the entire event.

HIGH POWER: Same as QRP listed above except that output power for CW/Phone/Digital/RTTY operations is greater than 150 watts during the event.

CLUB: A Club must have a valid club station license issued by their National Licensing Authority and must have an active 10-10 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. No matter your physical location, your QTH is the location of the transmitting antenna.

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 10-10#, 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 may assign his/her score to that chapter. QSO Party chapter scores for the Sprint and Open Season may not be assigned.

TEN-TEN QSO PARTY RULES

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 8 days after the entry deadline, regardless of postmark, will be discarded. LOGS MAY BE SENT VIA Email to tentencontest@ten-ten.org. Q95 files are not a proper format nor are they readable, therefore, they will not be accepted.

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 8 calendar days (this will always be a Monday) after the close of the event. Entries for the Sprint (held on 10/10) shall be postmarked no later than October 18th, unless that day falls on a Sunday or holiday, than the postmark deadline shall be October 19th.

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, LOW POWER, HIGH POWER, 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 1 0001 UTC to December 31 2359 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: 2025 is the 63rd anniversary year of 10-10 International Net, Inc. Contact with members containing a "63" in their membership number (i.e., 72063, 69635,66354, 63136, 00637) 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 8th 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 WEAK SIGNAL QSO PARTY (WSQP)

This event was added to help promote digital activity on the ten-meter band. The event in no way affects or modifies the policies for other scheduled Ten-Ten events. All weak signal modes for this event include: FT/JT/JS8/JS8CALL and any future weak signal mode. No repeater, cross-mode or cross-band contacts allowed.

FT4 (28.180)	FT8 (28.074)
JT65 (28.076)	JS8/JS8CALL (28.078)

Entry categories: QRP – Maximum 10 watts output.

Low Power – Maximum 150 watts output.

Exchange: 10-10 members should send call sign, name, 10-10# and QTH (ST/Prov/Country). Received exchange should include normal exchange for FT/JT/JS8/JS8CALL modes and for extra points name, QTH and 10-10#. Scoring will be 1 point for contacts without a 10-10 number and three (3) points for contacts with a valid 10-10# exchange. NO MULTIPLIERS! 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 W6OI SPECIAL EVENT

This event has been CANCELED.

5.2.15 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.

10-10 QSO PARTY COVER SHEET

QSO Party *(select one):*

- WINTER PHONE SPRING CW SPRING DIGITAL 10-10 SPRINT
 SUMMER PHONE FALL CW FALL DIGITAL WEAK SIGNAL

Contest Exchange:

Callsign: _____ Name: _____ 10-10#: _____ QTH*: _____
** if operating FROM mobile, enter number of counties operated from in QTH field - counties must show in log*

Entry Information:

Name: _____

Mailing address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

State/Province/County: _____

Your e-mail address *(for contest questions only)*: _____

Call Area (W0-W9) or ARRL DX Country you operated from: _____

Chapter Assignment, if any *(not valid in Sprint)*: _____

Entry Type *(check one only):*

- LOW POWER HIGH POWER QRP MOBILE
 CLUB *(if Club station, please list all operators below this line)*

Claimed Score:

Contacts WITH 10-10 number: _____ X2 = _____

Contact WITHOUT 10-10 number: _____ X1 = _____

Total Contacts: _____ Total Pts: _____

Submitting Logs:

MAILED ENTRIES: All submissions must contain this cover sheet (or reasonable facsimile), the log in UTC Date/Time order, and a dupe sheet in callsign order or in grid format (if more than 50 contacts).

Mail to Dan Morris, KZ3T, 3162 Covington Way, Lenoir NC 28654, USA

EMAILED ENTRIES: All submissions can be in most formats and must additionally include all information from this cover sheet either in separate summary or as summary at head of log. Many contest programs do this for you. Dupe sheets are **NOT** required with an e-mail entry. **Q95** formats **ARE NOT** acceptable.

EMAIL to: tentencontest@ten-ten.org.

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