



Long Path



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SEMDXA NEWSLETTER

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President's Report

Welcome back to another year at *SEMDXA* and if the solar flux gets above the present 66 or 67 we might have a great fall and winter.

But there is DX to work, and some of them are loud - especially during contests, but there is a daily assortment of DX on the bands - everything from 3A to FW to ZL - and most of them are fairly easy to work.

Thanks to Sean **K8KHZ** who was the 07-08 president and now a board member.

This past April in the Michigan QSO Party, *SEMDXA*, for the second year, won the club competition. The club score of 1,061,570 points was the second largest club score in MI QSO Party history, nearly beating the record for in-state clubs that the Adrian ARC set in 2004. There were six scores turned in for *SEMDXA*, but only 3 who are 'dues paying' members, or had at least 50% members operating! The highest *SEMDXA* member score was **K8K** (**K8ESQ** and **N8LJ**) followed by **K8KHZ** and **K8NWD**.

**SEMDXA
Dues Are Due**

This year was a year of two milestones for me - licensed 50 years and 303 Mixed on LOTW. Now they are getting tough!

I hope to see everyone at the meeting Friday for the **K3NA** Ducie Island program - That was an easy to work DXpedition on all bands - We heard them everywhere this past February when Stan and I were in PZ land.

73 Hank **K8DD**

June Meeting and Election

JUNE Meeting:

Called to order at 7:30 p.m. by President Sean, **K8KHZ**. Twenty Three members and guests were present.

John, **K8UP**, conducted the secret ballot election for President. Others running were uncontested.

Formal meeting minutes were not taken.

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Many Changes This Month!**

Bernie McClenny, **W3UR**, was the presenter. His presentation on Kosovo gave us a behind the scenes view of how the **YU8** DXpedition became a

Kosovo YU8/OH2BH By W3UR

Ethnic Background:

Kosovo is basically made of 90% Albanians. It is a Muslim area. For 500 years there have been clashes with Serbs. Bernie remembers 1999 and the terrible Serbian effort to take lives of people in Kosovo.

Recently the Serbs actually came in

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CQ Checker: Mike Rudzki, **N8MR**

CQ Checker: Al Bailey, **K8SIX**

and removed deceased family members and took their remains to Serbia.



Preparations

The Mission for the team was to help define and establish communications functions in Kosovo. It included amateur radio. There were 8 hams in Kosovo each having a **YU8** call. None had been operating for years.

Martti, **OH2BH** and Bernie called UN for operating licenses but could not get them. They were able meet with people at the UN but had not luck with licenses for Kosovo.

Ultimately they were able to get licenses. The actual licenses were issued by UNMIK, the UN Mission in Kosovo. The UN person responsible for communications licensing could not decide what call to use.

So he used **YU8**, as when Yugoslavia existed. The various parts of Yugoslavia had their own prefix. The Kosovo area had **YU8**.

So they issued **YU8/OH2BH** and other **YU8/home** call licenses:

YU8/G3TXF, YU8/N7NG, YU8/OH2PM, YU8/ON8NC, YU8/W3UR

Logistics:

Three stations were planned

They arranged to stay at the main hotel. Also they arranged in advance to operate from two hotels and to use the roof tops for antennas.

The hotel where they were staying was where all the press people stayed. Also, the independence day press conference was to be held there.

Independence day:

Security was unexpectedly low. Some members of the team were able to see the new Kosovo Prime Minister at the Independence Day press conference in their hotel lobby.

The DXpedition team operated from the two hotels. They had permission in advance to have antennas on the roof tops.

At this time the country most friendly to Kosovo was the USA.

Many US flags, Canada, Great Britain

These countries were and are supportive of Kosovo independence.

Operation:

They operated from two hotels with roof tops holding the ants.

On Independence day one of the teams which was operating on the hotel roof noticed some people on another part of the roof. To the operators surprise, fireworks and a machine gun went off scaring the operators to death.

The Serbs were furious at hearing a **YU8** on the air.

Kosovo Independence day was otherwise peaceful .

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Asia-Pacific DX Conference

Invitation to Asia Pacific DX Convention (APDXC) in Osaka!

By JA3USA, Mac Shimamoto

Dear Fellow DXers and Contesters,

You are cordially invited to the Asia Pacific DX Convention on November 7 through 9, 2008.

Please take a look at the website to see some photos and presentation videos from the first APDXC which was held in 2005. The many DXers from all over the world who attended enjoyed it very much.

In addition to the usual presentations of recent DXpeditions, technical sessions, etc., this convention offers something special.

Since it's being held in the country from which most of the modern Amateur Radio equipment comes from, you'll have the opportunity to tour the Icom factory, participate in a Q & A session with Icom engineers, tour the electronics district, and more.

We would appreciate your introducing this convention to your DX/contest club members. Please see our website for more details at: www.apdxc.org.

For convention updates, please visit the website and send an e-mail to subscribe to the APDXC newsletter.

We look forward to welcoming you at the APDXC in Osaka, Japan.

Kosovo Update

(The following is a press release from Martti Laine, OH2BH)

Many have been wondering what the status with regard to the Republic of Kosovo is as of today, both in general and in amateur radio terms specifically.

Substantial progress has been made, and a new approach to get Kosovo totally on its own feet is well on its way. The United Nations (UNMIK) has scaled down its administrative role while the European Union (EULEX) has initiated its supporting role to help integrate the "interim administration" functions into the local institutions.

The United Nations Frequency Management Office (FMO) is one of those local institutions. This Office was responsible for authorizing Amateur Radio operations before and after the Kosovo declaration of independence, but as of today the FMO does not exist nor are licenses issued. You may still hear some stations operating as YU8 since those licenses issued in the past have not been specifically terminated.

Undoubtedly, Kosovo as a "country" has all required country requirements; (A) a defined territory, (B) a permanent population, (C) a government and (D) is capable of interacting with other countries with whom it has established diplomatic relations. As of today, the Republic of Kosovo is recognized by 46 countries representing many leading states and all geographical continents.

From an Amateur Radio and DXCC perspective, a great deal of confusing discussion has taken place; one side argues that the DXCC criteria needs to be honored at all times. Others see the criteria as not being engraved on a tablet of stone but that the rules facilitate "entities" dynamically in the con-

text of an ever-changing world. Both views have some merit and should be appreciated.

Western Sahara (SO), another disputed DXCC country, is currently recognized by 48 countries and even today it is not a member of the United Nations nor does it have a dedicated ITU prefix. At the time Amateur Radio entered this desert country, no one had argued that it belonged to DXCC. When Swains Island was up for DXCC discussion it was decided that the DXCC criteria had to be changed and so Swains entered the scene. Swains was added not decades ago - but just recently.

Before Swains Island, DXCC used three "measuring sticks"; UN membership, ITU prefix or IARU society. In facilitating Swains, the ARRL Board of Directors decided to keep the UN and ITU parts but changed the IARU rule to recording of an event by the US Department of State, which again opened up another gate for more DXCC entities.

Now Kosovo meets the highest US Department of State criteria - Kosovo is an independent state recognized by the United States and easily passes the US State Department gate, if that gate is honored in the right spirit. With DXCC rules in place as they existed before Swains, Kosovo would enter through the IARU gate because of its permanent amateur radio population and its national society, SHRAK.

The above is just an illustration of the dynamics of the DXCC at any given time, following the dynamics of the world.

The world outside Kosovo abounds with many other examples that offer a slightly different perspective in the international arena. Another oft-mentioned entity - Northern Cyprus - is recognized only by Turkey, and the situation regarding Cyprus remains

deadlocked. Two new cases - South Ossetia and Abkhazia - are recognized by the Russian Federation and probably soon by Belarus (EW) and Venezuela (YV). If they ever achieve wider recognition apart from the countries subject to the current conflict, they will become another set of DXCC candidates.

An immediate UN membership gate is pointed more in the direction of those that get themselves established with no gun fire. The UN's potential for resolving conflicts to its own satisfaction is seriously hampered by the Security Council veto structure that plays a major role in eliminating new countries at that gate.

So, the ARRL is left to define a workable recognition based country criteria - be it qualitative and/or quantitative. Kosovo with its almost 50 recognitions is the first one at the gate. Delaying action on the Republic of Kosovo so that it does not qualify for anything is not an option for the ARRL. Kosovo is a country with a permanent amateur radio population and therefore Kosovar amateurs should be welcomed to our community.

Back to the practical world; YU8/OH2R QSLs for the first amateur radio operation from the Republic of Kosovo were printed last week by Gennady, UX5UO and they will be in the mails in a few days. We thank Gennady for his efforts and support in making these full-color cards meet the spirit of the Kosovo case as they represent a special moment for those involved with the Kosovo project and those who follow world events as well as the development of the DXCC program.

You can view these cards at <http://www.dailydx.com/Kosovo.htm>

You may read more about YU8/OH2R and Kosovo at www.n4gn.com/yu8/

Source: OPDX, OH2BH

ICOM IC-7600 Debut

The Icom IC-7600 prototype premiered at the Tokyo Ham Fair on August 23, 2008. According to **JS1LQJ**, the ICOM rep implied that the IC-7600 might be the IC-756 PRO III replacement and might be released this winter with a price that might be similar to the PRO III.

The screen has a much higher resolution. According to Adam Farson, **AB4OJ**, it has dual watch, one USB

port on the front and one on the rear.

See photos at:

<http://js1lqi.blogspot.com/2008/08/ic-7600.html>

It may be a year before the IC-7600 is available to the US.

A new Yahoo Group, "IC7600" is available.

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For a better view increase the magnification to 200 to 400 percent.



IC-7600—Photo by JS1LQI

LOTW Editing Station Info

Many hams have not entered all the station information such as zones and grid square.

While awards which utilize this information are not currently available via LOTW, they are planned. CQ awards are at some point to be available using LOTW. Also, ARRL VUCC awards will eventually be available.

Here's all you need to do to edit your station info and include missing zone, grid and other information:

Start TQSL

- ◆ At the top select STATION, then EDIT LOCATIONS
- ◆ On the Edit Station Locations menu, select your CALL, and depress the EDIT button

Your station info appears.

- ◆ Enter Grid square, zone, etc.
- ◆ Select NEXT button at the bottom.
- ◆ Enter any further info (State and County).
- ◆ Select NEXT button at the bottom.

The next screen will say "Station Data input complete" at the top.

- ◆ Depress the FINISH button at the bottom.

You will be back on the original station selection Edit Station Locations screen.

- ◆ Depress OK and then exit TQSL.

You will need to reload all or part of your log (for the portion you want these changes to be effective for). The need for reload was confirmed by EMAIL with Dave Patton, NN1N, at the ARRL.

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6 Meters May Thru July

Ask SEMDXA members how 6 meters was. Some will say it was not as good as last year.

The magic band proved to be that once again.

On July 10 something happened that several SEMDXA guys say we are not likely to see again. Japan was open to Michigan.

It was a time for the fortunate few! **K8SIX** worked 4 stations and has them confirmed. Other SEMDXA members worked one or more JA's.

Later in July, Bob, **K8VFFV**, worked **6W1SA** on 6.

The Sable Island, **CY0X**, 6 meter only DXpedition was easily worked from Michigan and added to the fun.

K8SIX hit the 750 confirmed mark on 6M. Congratulation Al!

This was my rookie season on 6 meters. I didn't think 6 meters was a big deal at first. I set out trying to work DX for DXCC Challenge. I wound up chasing grids and really enjoying it.

A few *SEMDXA* members made a brief campaign with the ARRL to allow VUCC checkers to use LOTW "QSL's" for VUCC awards. NO luck! VUCC awards will be on LOTW someday is what we heard.

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ZD9X Cancelled

ZD7X, Tom Callas (**KC0W**), will not be going to Tristan De Cunha.

He left St. Helena Island August 16. He currently is in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. He plans to meet with officials to obtain a ham license and may activate a number of the more needed bands including 160 meters.

He expects to operate there as a "long term" DXpedition. Laos may be his next point of operation after that.

(Information from The Daily DX)

For Sale

Fully Functional DX Engineering active 4 square antenna system, currently cut for 160 meters. Works very well! Includes

- ◆ DXE-ARAV2-4P - Vertical array Package
- ◆ DXE-RFS-2P - Receive Four Square Array Controller & Switch Package
- ◆ DXE-RPA-1 - Receiver Preamplifier, 0.3-35 MHz
- ◆ All phasing lines and feed lines, 4 posts for mounting antennas, ground rods, control cable and a homebrew sequencer

This system is currently priced at over \$1500.

\$1000.00 pickup only at the QTH of **K8VFFV** in SE Michigan.

(k8vfv@arrl.net)

Cycle 23 Minimum Forever?

Warning—These articles may be hazardous to your health or sanity or both!

NOT recommend reading ! *ED*

(August 16, 2008 GM4BRB)

Weather & Sunspot Cycle 24. Heralding a New Maunder Minimum & Ice-Age?

Following 'Hotly' or should we say 'Coolly' on the "Climate Change Fiasco" is the news that the Sun may be entering a prolonged Sunspot Low period of inactivity. Solar scientists universally agree with the evidence, that Our Sun may be entering the phase of another ['Maunder Minimum'](#). This would herald the onset of an 18th Century like mini Ice-Age.

Following the end of the Sun's most active period in over 11,000 years, the last 10 years have displayed a clear cooling trend as temperatures post-1998 leveled out and are now plummeting. [Forecasts of a sharp cooling trend are backed by the UK's Armagh Observatory](#), which has been observing solar activity for over 200 years.

The observatory notes that **solar cycles 21 and 22**, which were characterized by being short and intense in their activity, led to the natural global warming observed in the 80's and 90's. "**Cycle 23**, which hasn't finished yet, looks like it will be long (at least 12 to 13 years) and **cycle 24**, which has still to start, looks like it will be exceptionally weak," writes one observatory scientist."

Based on the past Armagh measurements, this suggests that over the next two decades, global temperatures may fall by about 2 degrees C — that is, to a level lower than any we have seen in the last 100 years...."Temperatures have already fallen by about 0.5 de-

grees C over the past 12 months and, if this is only the start of it, it would be a serious concern," concludes David Watt.

Belfast Telegraph, 14 Aug.

China recently experienced its [coldest winter in 100 years](#) while [northeast America was hit by record snow levels](#) and Britain suffered its [coldest April in decades](#) as late-blooming daffodils were pounded with hail and snow on an almost daily basis. The British summer has also left many yearning for global warming, with temperatures in June and July rarely struggling to get over 16 degrees and on one occasion even dropping as low as 9 degrees in the middle of the afternoon.

"Summer heat continues in short supply, continuing a trend that has dominated much of the 21st Century's opening decade," reports the [Chicago Tribune](#). "There have been only 162 days 90 degrees or warmer at Midway Airport over the period from 2000 to 2008. That's by far the fewest 90-degree temperatures in the opening nine years of

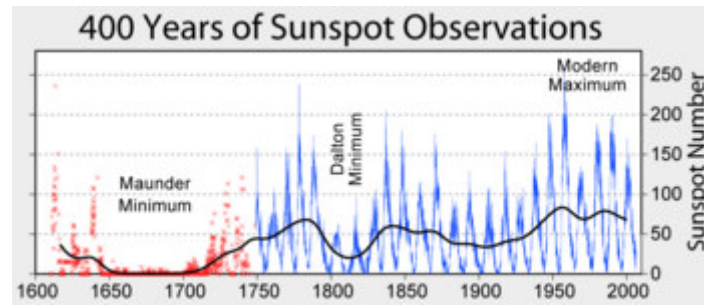
*any decade on record here since 1930." The reason? Sunspot activity has dwindled. There have only been a handful of days in the past two months where any sunspot activity has been observed and [over 400 spotless days have been recorded](#) in the current solar cycle. "The sun's surface has been fairly blank for the last couple of years, and that has some worried that it may be entering another **Maunder minimum**, the sun's 50-year abstinence from sunspots, which some scientists have linked to the Little Ice Age of the 17th century," [reports one science blog](#).*

(Thanks Fred, WISKU, for making me sick by pointing out these articles! - Chet :-)

Per Bernie, W3UR (Sep 2, 2008):

July 20, 2008 was the last time a single visible sunspot was reported. Daily Tech and the Drudge Report say "Sun Makes History: First Spotless Month in a Century". You can read about it at <http://tinyurl.com/562srq>.

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The Maunder minimum in a 400 year history of sunspot numbers

The **Maunder Minimum** is the name given to the period roughly from [1645](#) to [1715](#), when [sunspots](#) became exceedingly rare, as noted by solar observers of the time. It is named after the solar astronomer [Edward W. Maunder](#) (1851–1928) who discovered the dearth of sunspots during that period by studying records from those years. During one 30-year period within the Maunder Minimum, for example, astronomers observed only about 50 sunspots, as opposed to a more typical 40,000–50,000 spots. (Source: Wikipedia)

The DX Magazine 2007 100 Most Needed Countries—World Wide "Courtesy of DXpublishing, Inc." www.dxpublish.com

DX Operations:

Active Now

Active Residents

2008 Planned

2009 Planned

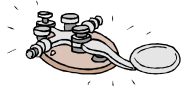

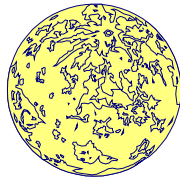


NOTE—Many changes this month!
See 2008 Planned

2007 #	PREFIX	COUNTRY	2006 #
1	P5	NORTH KOREA	3
2	7O	YEMEN	4
3	KP1	NAVASSA	5
4	FR/G	GLORIOSO (SEP 20 or OCT 15)	6
5	3Y/B	BOUVET	7
6	ZS8	MARION ISLAND (MAR 2009)	9
7	KP5	DESECHEO (Nov 1 to Dec 31)	8
8	BS7H	SCARBOROUGH	1
9	FT8W	CROZET	11
10	VKØ/H	HEARD ISLAND	10
11	FT8Z	AMSTERDAM	12
12	VK9W	WILLIS ISLAND (OCT 9 to 27)	16
13	VP8O	SOUTH ORKNEY	15
14	SV/A	MT ATHOS	14
15	VP8S	SOUTH SANDWICH	17
16	FR/T	TROMELIN	21
17	HKØM	MALPELO	20
18	ZL9	AUCKLAND & CAMPBELL	18
19	E4	PALESTINE	26
20	VKØ/M	MACQUARIE	19
21	FO/C	CLIPPERTON	35
22	KH5K	KINGMAN REEF	23
23	PYØS	ST PETER & ST PAUL	24
24	3D2/C	CONWAY REEF	27
25	VP6/D	DUCIE ISLAND	38
26	FR/J	JUAN DE NOVA	29
27	KH4	MIDWAY	30
28	JD1/M	MINAMI TORISHIMA	22
29	KH5	PALMYRA	25
30	T31	CENTRAL KIRIBATI	34
31	KH9	WAKE (To 2009)	32
32	E3	ERITREA	46
33	KH3	JOHNSTON	44
34	VP8G	SOUTH GEORGIA	40
35	VK9M	MELLISH REEF	42
36	FK/C	CHESTERFIELD	47
37	BV9P	PRATAS	41
38	VU4	ANDAMAN (Oct 24 to Nov 3)	37
39	KH1	BAKER & HOWLAND	51
40	3CØ	ANNOBON	31
41	ZL8	KERMADEC ISLAND	13
42	FO/M	MARQUESAS	53
43	3C	EQUATORIAL GUINEA	56
44	S2	BANGLADESH (Dec 1 to 31)	43
45	9X	RWANDA	33
46	H4Ø	TEMOTU	57
47	VP6	PITCAIRN ISLAND	63
48	4W	TIMOR LESTE	49
49	KH7K	KURE	62
50	FT8X	KERGUELEN	54

2007 #	PREFIX	COUNTRY	2006 #
51	CEØX	SAN FELIX	59
52	TN	CONGO	64
53	1S	SPRATLY (To MAR 2009)	36
54	T2	TUVALU (Oct 14 to 21)	78
55	C2	NAURU	67
56	XZ	MYANMAR	74
57	ZD9	TRISTAN DE CUNHA	69
58	EP	IRAN	60
59	T3Ø	WESTERN KIRIBATI	65
60	ZK3	TOKELAU (to Sep 29)	52
61	3D2/R	ROTUMA	58
62	TL	CENTRAL AFRICA REP	82
63	FO/A	AUSTRAL	77
64	VU7	LAKSHADWEEP (Oct 24 Nov 3)	2
65	ZK2	NIUE (Oct 24 to 31)	75
66	VK9X	CHRISTMAS ISLAND	72
67	PYØT	TRINIDADE	86
68	T32	E. KIRIBATI (Oct 23 to 28)	81
69	T33	BANABA	66
70	CYØ	SABLE ISLAND	90
71	3Y/P	PETER I	92
72	TI9	COCOS ISLAND	87
73	YA	AFGHANISTAN	83
74	KH8S	SWAINS ISLAND	-
75	4U-UN	UNITED NATIONS	76
76	CEØZ	JUAN FERNANDEZ	-
77	YK	SYRIA	73
78	JD1/O	OGASAWARA (Dec 28 Jan 2)	89
79	JX	JAN MAYEN (into Oct)	85
80	VK9L	LORD HOWE	99
81	H4	SOLOMON ISLANDS	88
82	A5	BHUTAN	79
83	XW	LAOS	93
84	YVØ	AVES ISLAND	61
85	XF4	REVILLA GIGEDO	39
86	ZL7	CHATHAM ISLAND	-
87	E5/N	NORTH COOK	68
88	9U	BURUNDI	48
89	VK9C	COCOS KEELING	71
90	FW	WALLIS & FUTUNA	80
91	T5	SOMALIA	-
92	3W	VIETNAM	-
93	SØ	WESTERN SAHARA	-
94	V8	BRUNEI	100
95	XX9	MACAU	96
96	EZ	TURKMENISTAN	-
97	A9	BAHRAIN	97
98	9N	NEPAL (9N7BO at times)	91
99	D6	COMOROS	-
100	J5	GUINEA BISSAU	-

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Monthly Planner

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