



### Spokane DX Association

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SDXA - 02 june 2011

the meeting was called to order by VP WX7B, Chris at 19:00 local time.

secretary's report by WA0WWW, jay W, minutes for may are on the web page, thanks to K7GS for filling in.  
treasurer's report by K7GS, Gary. we spent about \$155 on FD, postage and NCDX dues. no input this month.  
VP's report by WX7B, Chris.

#### old business:

- as of the last meeting K7EKM, Kirk, has stepped down as president. we are currently looking for someone to step in to help out the board. goal is to have the board full by field day in a few weeks.
- We were again reminded of the upcoming NWDX Convention to be held in Seattle August 12-14. Check <http://www.wwdx.org/> for hotel and reservation information. Currently rooms are available at the Holiday Inn for \$109, and full registration is \$95, Remember Early Registrations (**Before July 13th Deadline**) get two extra raffle tickets!
- Field Day chairman, Jay WS7I, reported that plans are well underway. 2 towers will be installed (again) at the site which is the homestead of N2HS, Lynn Miner. Lynn has a porta potty coming. Power will be supplied by the club's generator and there is commercial power for your RV. Participants should supply their own food. This will be primarily a social event though will have 2 HF stations and 1 on VHF for those that want to operate.
- John, K7KB, has a meeting with the county on the 10<sup>th</sup>, with 4 folks to present their case for hams being exempt from the SEPA rules, good luck John and thanks for putting up the fight for all of us.
- The SDXA July picnic will be hosted by WS7I, Jay and WV7Y, Betsy at their home on 5 Mile. The final final date will be selected and posted on the website, but looking at saturday 16july so far.
- KARS ham fest will be held in Post Falls, Idaho on 11June at the American Legion facility on Poleline Road. A reminder with details is on our website.
- the SDXA Marathon 2011 internal contest is on and started on 00:00z 01jan11, and will conclude at 23:59 31oct11, with your results into the SDXA secretary by 23:59 12nov11.
  - will follow the CQ rules again and more info on our web page.

#### New business:

- are we interested to contribute \$1000 and buy a tent/station at the 2014 WRTC in the NE-USA?
- actually could we split with the 5 NW DX clubs for one of the tents/stations and make a combined logo?

#### DX and contesting:

- the basic list of the DXpeditions coming up in the top 100 wanted

rank	start	stop	entity	call	qsl	info
46	Jun01	Jun07	Cocos (Keeling)	<a href="#">VK9CI</a>	VK6YS	By VK6YS fm OC-003 (WFF VKFF-577); mainly digital (PSK31, some RTTY, perhaps Olivia); holiday style operation
76	Apr15	Jun15	Chad	TT8PK	F4EGS	By F4EGS; spare time operation
105	Apr29	Jun15	Trindade & Martin Vaz	<a href="#">PP0T</a>	EB7DX	By Cantareira DX Group fm Trindade I (SA-010); HF; SSB CW RTTY PSK, perhaps SSTV
11	Jun17	Jun24	Rotuma	<a href="#">3D2CJ</a> <b>NEW</b>	HL5FUA	By HL5FUA 6K2GCW fm OC-060; 160-10m; CW SSB + digital
67	Apr30	Jul01	Nepal	<a href="#">9N7AK</a>	LotW	By K0YAK; SSB + digital; QSL also OK via K0YAK; exact begin and end dates unclear
90	Jun21	ul02	Maldives	8Q7LR	UA9LP	By RA9LR fm AS-013; 40-10m; SSB; QSL OK via Buro or direct
11	Jul01	Jul15	Rotuma	3D2R	TBA	By VK2IR 3D2AA VK2NN VK2RF VK2KLM VK3FY VK3YP VK3FT; 160-6m; dates tentative
26	Jul06	Jul16	Jan Mayen	<a href="#">JX50</a>	OQRS	By SQ8X SV2KBS NI1L SQ9C SV2KBS SM0MDG TF3ZA HB9ASZ fm EU-022 (WLOTA 1454, WFF LAFF-047); focus on 20 15m, possibly higher bands if solar numbers cooperate; 2-3 stns; verticals, perhaps yaagi; QSL also OK via SQ8X direct
63	Jul23	Aug02	Lord Howe I	<a href="#">VK9HR</a>	EB7DX	By VK2IR VK3YP + team fm OC-004 (QF98mo)

- see below for a listing of more DX coming up

- contest coming up this month:

**June 2011**

+ ARRL June VHF QSO Party	1800Z, Jun 11 to 0259Z, Jun 13
+ ARRL Field Day	1800Z, Jun 25 to 2100Z, Jun 26

**July 2011**

+ RAC Canada Day Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Jul 1
+ IARU HF World Championship	1200Z, Jul 9 to 1200Z, Jul 10
+ North American QSO Party, RTTY	1800Z, Jul 16 to 0600Z, Jul 17

- see below for a listing of more contests coming:

**program:**

- TF4M Iceland by SM7WT, presented by Lamar WA7LT. what a station, wow.

**next month:**

- next month's meeting will be the picnic at Betsy's and JayTs. program is swapping tall tales.
- respectfully submitted by wa0www, jay, secretary.
- at the Argonne Library on Argonne and Up River Drive in the valley ( 4322 N. Argonne Road in the Spokane valley.)
- at the North Spokane Library - 44 E. Hawthorne Road, up north at the 'Y'.

**guests at the meeting - 1**

call name: W7GKF, Bill Walters (friend of LeMar's from the west side)

**regular members present: - 18**

call	name		'x' if present	call	name		'x' if present
JA3CZY	Elvin	Miura	HLM	KW7J	Harvey	Brown	x
K7EFX	Brackemyre	John	HLM	N2HS	Lynn	Minor	x
NE7F	Barnet	Jim	HLM	N5AR	Dan	Hearn	
AC7GP	Bob	Meenach		N7AU	Robert	Lee	
AC7MV	David	Snyder		N7GTW	Vern	Anderson	
AD7XG	Gary	Bytnar	x	N7KR	Mike	Stephens	
AE7GT	Marybeth	Snyder		N7VQH	Chris	Coats	
AL7LB	Gimmie	Morgan		W0CG	Geoff	Howard	
K7AWB	Steve	Sala	x	W3AS	Doug	Brede	
K7EIQ	Merle	Trenary	x	W6AEA	George	Tuncil	
K7EKM	Kirk	Mohror	x	W7BHP	Dick	Snell	
K7GS	Gary	Swartout	treas x	W7GSV	Robert	Rosie	
K7HPT	Mark	Van Winkle		W7PEG	Peggy	Sala	x
K7HRT	Patrick	O'Dea	x	W7MEM	Mark	McMillian	
K7KB	John	Gager	web x	WA0WWW	jay w	holcomb	sec x
K7OX	Gary	Elliott	x	WA1PMA	Wayne	Millican	x
K7TQ	Randy	Foltz		WA7LT	LeMar	Ray	x
KD7KCW	Dennis	Henrichs	x	WS7I	Jay	Townsend	x
KD7OCT	Loren	Kirsch		WU7X	Dale	Avery	x
KE7AJ	Barbara	Elliott		WV7Y	Betsy	Townsend	
KE7KPO	Carl	Maki		WX7B	Chris	Pritchard	vp x
KE7WDD	Jim	Frees		WX7P	Wilse	Morgan	
WW7CA	Cynthia	Frees					

**other contest calendar, and some are part of the Pacific NW challenge trophy.**

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/index.html>

**Pacific NW Challenge Trophy contests**

CQ Worldwide DX Contest, RTTY	#1 - done	0000Z, Sep 25 to 2400Z, Sep 26
CQ Worldwide DX Contest,SSB	#2 - done	0000Z, Oct 30 to 2400Z, Oct 31
+ CQ Worldwide DX Contest, CW	#3 - done	0000Z, Nov 27 to 2400Z, Nov 28
ARRL RTTY Roundup	#4 - done	1800Z, Jan 8 to 2400Z, Jan 9
+ CQ WW RTTY WPX Contest	#5 - done	0000Z, Feb 12 to 2400Z, Feb 13
+ ARRL Inter. DX Contest, CW	#6 - done	0000Z, Feb 19 to 2400Z, Feb 20
+ ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB	#7 - done	0000Z, Mar 5 to 2400Z, Mar 6
+ CQ WW WPX Contest, SSB	#8 - done	0000Z, Mar 26 to 2400Z, Mar 27
+ CQ WW WPX Contest, CW	#9 - done	0000Z, May 28 to 2400Z, May 29
+ IARU HF World Championship	#10	1200Z, Jul 9 to 1200Z, Jul 10

1. NW DX challenge trophy contests: CQWW RTTY; CQWW SSB; CQWW CW; ARRL RTTY ROUNDUP; WPX RTTY; ARRL DX CW; ARRL DX SSB; WPX SSB; WPX CW; IARU. please send your claimed scores to K7AWB, Steve at [k7awb@msn.com](mailto:k7awb@msn.com)
2. for all CQ contests send your claimed score to W3AS; [doug.brede@gmail.com](mailto:doug.brede@gmail.com)
3. to help keep the super check partial files complete consider to cc [k5zd@contesting.com](mailto:k5zd@contesting.com) when you submit your Cabrillo logs.

other DX coming up: <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxoc.html>

for most wanted: <http://www.clublog.org/mostwanted.php>

	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>End Date</u>	<u>DXCC Entity</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>QSL via</u>	<u>Info</u>
	Jun03	Jun05	Saudi Arabia	7Z NEW	DK6IR	By DK6IR as 7Z1IR/p and 7Z1TT as 7Z1TT/p fm Marzok I (AS-191?); 20-10m, perhaps 40m; 2 stations
	May31	Jun06	Madagascar	5R8KS	IZ8IYX	By IZ4AKS fm Nosy Be I (AF-057); QSL OK via ARI Buro or direct
	Mar22	Jun08	Uganda	5X1VJ	UV5EVJ	By UV5EVJ; HF; CW SSB
	May23	Jun08	Vietnam	3W2N	WQ2N	By WQ2N; 40-15m; CW
	May24	Jun14	Turks & Caicos	VP5 NEW	W5CW Direct	By W5CW as VP/W5CW; 160-6m; CW SSB; QRV for WPX CW and VHF QSO Party as VP5CW (QSL W5CW direct)
	Jun10	Jun15	Svalbard	JW1EOA NEW	LA1EOA	By LA1EOA fm Longyearbyen; SSB
	Jun10	Jun17	Bermuda	VP9	LotW	By KF4VTT as KF4VTT/VP9; 160-6m; SSB CW RTTY, perhaps PSK31; QRV on 6m for June VHF Contest; QSL also OK vi KF4VTT, Buro or direct
	Jun12	Jun17	Jersey	MJ	Home Call	By EA1SA as MJ/EA1SA and EA1AP as MJ/EA1AP fm EU-013
	Jun03	Jun18	Bonaire	PJ4E NEW	W0SD Direct	By W0SD fm SA-006 (WLOTA 1279, WFF PAFF-024, WW Loc. FK52TF); mainly 6m (50.103), some HF
	Jun08	Jun18	Montserrat	VP2MRT	LotW	By KB4CRT; 40-2m; QRV for June VHF Contest; QSL also OK via KB4CRT direct (w/ SASE or GS)
	Jun07	Jun19	St Martin	FS	LotW	By K9EL as FS/K9EL; 80-10m; CW SSB, some RTTY; 3 ele yagi on 6m; possibly some 6m activity fm PJ7; QSL also OK via K9EL
	May31	Jun20	Morocco	CN2RN NEW	F8FGU Buro	By F8FGU fm Middle Atlas mountains; HF; SSB CW
	Jun17	Jun21	Guernsey	MU	Home Call	By EA1SA as MU/EA1SA and EA1AP as MU/EA1AP fm EU-114; QRV for IARU 50MHz Contest
	Jun18	Jun22	Marquesas	FO/m	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Ua Pou I (OC-027, DIFO FO-027); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jun22	Jun26	Marquesas	FO/m	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Ua Huka I (OC-027, DIFO FO-026); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jun24	Jun27	Palau	T88ZA	Home Call	By JA0BJR (also JP1IOF (T80T) and JE1SYN (T8YN) fm Koror I (OC-099, PJ77f1); 80-6m; SSB CW FM RTTY PSK31; 2 stations; 5 ele yagi on 6m
	Jun14	Jun28	Antigua	V2	Home Call	By W9AEB as V25TP, W9DR as V25DR, K9UK as V25DD fm NA-100 (FK97bd); 80-6m; SSB CW PSK31; W9DR to focus on 6m (50.115 MHz)
	Jun27	Jun29	French Polynesia	FO	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Raiatea I (OC-067, DIFO FO-026, WLOTA 1977); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jun30	Jul03	French Polynesia	FO	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Bora Bora I (OC-067, DIFO FO-003, WLOTA 0430); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jun22	Jul04	Sint Maarten	PJ7	Home Call	By W6JKV as PJ7/W6JKV and K6MYC as PJ7/K6MYC fm NA-105 (FK88); mainly 6 2m, but also HF
	Jun22	Jul06	Saba	PJ6		By K5AND W5OZI K5TR; 6m; CW (50.106 MHz) and SSB (50.118 MHz)
	Jun26	Jul07	Curacao	PJ2	Home Call	By DJ8NK as PJ2/DJ8NK, DJ9ON DK9KX likewise; mainly 6m (50.144 MHz), some HF
	Jul03	Jul07	French Polynesia	FO	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Rangiroa Atoll (OC-066, DIFO FO-073, WLOTA 2404); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jul02	Jul09	Fernando de Noronha	PY0FO	PY2FN	By PY2FN; 80-6m, focus on 6m; CW
	Jul07	Jul10	French Polynesia	FO	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Tahiti (OC-046, DIFO FO-002, WLOTA 0885); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jul09	Jul10	Isle of Man	MD9Y	GD3YUM Direct	By DL1SPH DK1SG DH1SBB DC5SAN DG1SBU DG7SF DL6SBN for IARU HF Championship; QSL: Martyn Parnell, 1 Derwent Drive, Onchan, Isle of Man IM3 2DF
	May11	Jul10	Tanzania	5H2DCL	W0W0I	By W0FBI; mainly 20m; CW; check fm 13z; start date not certain
	Jul11	Jul14	Austal Is	FO/a	F6CTL	By F6CTL as TBD fm Rimatara I (OC-050, DIFO FO-124); SSB + digital; spare time operation; QSL OK via REF Buro or direct
	Jul07	Jul15	Isle of Man	MD	Home Call	By DL1SPH as MD/DL1SPH, DK1SG DH1SBB DC5SAN DG1SBU DG7SF DL6SBN likewise; 80-6m; PSK RTTY SSB; QSL OK via DARC Buro or direct
	Jul11	Jul18	Cayman Is	ZF	W5JAY	By W5UQ as ZF2UQ and W5SJ as ZF2EZ; mainly 6m, but some HF; mainly CW, some SSB; QRV for CQWV VHF Contest
	Jul09	Jul19	Southern Sudan	ST	EA5RM	By K3LP EA5RM NP5E + international team; exact dates TBD; DXCC status anticipated

	Jul20	Jul24	<b>Palau</b>	<b>T88MB</b>	LotW	By JA3AVO fm OC-009, also JH3PBL (T88MP, QSL via LotW or JA3AVO direct) and W7AED (T88SR, QSL via JH3PBL); T88MB QSL also OK via JA3AVO direct
	Jul11	Jul27	<b>Crete</b>	<b>SV9</b>	HB9CRX	By HB9CRX as SV9/HB9CRX; 30-10m; CW; QRP
	Jul01	Jul31	<b>Midway I</b>	<b>KH4</b>	TBA	By W5FJG as KH4/W5FJG; 40-6m; CW SSB RTTY + other digital; 150w; operation to continue until June 15, 2012
	Jul12	Aug02	<b>St Kitts &amp; Nevis</b>	<b>V47JA</b>	W5JON	By W5JON fm St Kitts (NA-104, FK87pg); also W5HAM using V47HAM; 80-6m; SSB; QRV for RSGB IOTA and CQWW VHF contests
	Jul21	Aug04	<b>St Pierre &amp; Miquelon</b>	<b>FP</b>	LotW	By K9OT and KB9LIE as FP/K9OT fm Miquelon I (NA-032, DIFO FP-002, GN17); 80-10m; CW SSB; QSL also OK via K9OT, Buro or direct (w/ RP)
	Jul30	Aug08	<b>Easter Island</b>	<b>CE0Y</b>	I2DMI	By I2DMI as CE0Y/I2DMI; RTTY