



## Spokane DX Association

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### **SDXA - 04 april 2013**

the april 2013 meeting was called to order by our president WA1PMA, Wayne, at 19:00 local.

**secretary's report** by WA0WWW, march minutes are on our site:

<http://www.sdxa.org/?cat=10>

**treasurer's report** provided by K7GS, Gary; income was \$45 (dues & refreshment) - expenses were \$200 (insurance)

**VP's report** by K7TQ, Randy, convention is doing well.

#### old business:

- SDXA is hosting the 2013 PCNW DX convention on 02-04aug, again at the Mirabeau Hotel.
  - 9 speakers are confirmed, hotel rooms are getting booked, all is moving forward.
- the 2 meter DX net 2 weeks ago went very well. please join in on the 18april.
- field day, by AD7XG Gary and WV7I Steve who have volunteered to lead field day for us.
  - looking to be back up at N2HS's
- club log is going well for the SDXA.
  - only 11 so far, 15 will bump us to the next category
  - KI7DG, Chuck, has been working the requests by others to join the SDXA ClubLog, as many from the EU and elsewhere want to join us, but you have to be a true SDXA member. thanks Chuck!
- WA1PMA is open to checking cards at the meetings, and request to limit the cards to a max of 100 at any one time, and would like to know ahead of the meeting.

#### new business:

- club picnic is planning to be on saturday, 24 august, up at W7AL, Al's. he is near Sandpoint. it will probably be the normal 11-3.
- ❖ we decided that there will be no august meeting, considering the convention that week and the picnic that month.
- Bob, W7GSV, has donated a nice door prize to the PCNWDX convention, thanks Bob!

#### announcements:

- nothing special tonight.

**the program:** Super Multi Multi Station of Buzz Hazard Reeves" and the CQWW Contest Crew of N2AA. Tho dated, the program was professionally produced, and shows the importance of coordinated skill in a Multi-Multi Contest Team. Probably the best points are the Stupendous "take off and location of Reeves Station and the "Long Boom Yagis" that W2PV pioneered. Good Basic Stuff.

**next month:**

- next month's meeting will be at the North Spokane Library - 44 E. Hawthorne Road, up north at the 'Y'. phone 893-8350
  - the program will be N5AR, Dan, talking to the work he has been doing with the Loop antenna, for noise reduction, etc.
- respectfully submitted by wa0www jay w;
- and the great coffee and snacks from AE7GT and AC7MV, Mary Beth and Dave.

**guests at the meeting: 2**

**call name:**

**Diana xyl-w7vi Lea xyl wd7k - KE7MAK Bert**

**regular members present: 14;** (total 59 members - 48-ar1, 35 dxcc)

call	name		'x' if present	call	name		'x' if present
AA7RT	Mary	Qualtieri		N7AU	Robert	Lee	
AC7GP	Bob	Meenach	sk	N7CXI	Jim	Barber	
AC7MV	David	Snyder	xx	N7GTW	Vern	Anderson	
AD7XG	Gary	Bytnar		N7KR	Mike	Stephens	
AE7GT	Marybeth	Snyder	xx	NE7F	Barnet	Jim	hlm
AE7KI/VK2APG	Gerry	Rosam		W0CG	Geoff	Howard	
AL7LB	Gimmie	Morgan		W3AS	Doug	Brede	xx
JA3CZY	Elvin	Miura	hlm	W6AEA	George	Tuncil	
K7AWB	Steve	Sala	web	W7AL	Allen	Hiatt	
K7EFX	Brackemyre	John	hlm	W7BHP	Dick	Snell	
K7EIQ	Merle	Trenary		W7GSV	Robert	Rosie	xx
K7EKM	Kirk	Mohror		W7IAH	Lars	Wagner	
K7GS	Gary	Swartout	treas	W7MEM	Mark	McMillian	
K7HPT	Mark	Van Winkle	xx	W7PEG	Peggy	Sala	
K7HRT	Patrick	O'Dea		W7TJ	Randy	Crews	xx
K7KB	John	Gager	xx	W7VI	Stephen	Rogers	xx
K7LFY	Bob	Forgey		W7YEM	Warren	Triebwasser	
K7OX	Gary	Elliott		WA0WWW	jay w	holcomb	sec xx
K7TM	Bob	Hallock		WA1PMA	Wayne	Millican	prez xx
K7TQ	Randy	Foltz	vp xx	WA7LT	LeMar	Ray	xx
KB7HDX	Mark	Tharp	sec. mngr	WB7UNU	Lynn	Hurd	
KD7GHZ	Michael	Carey		WD7K	Dave	Klimas	xx
KD7KCW	Dennis	Henrichs		WS7I	Jay	Townsend	
KD7OCT	Loren	Kirsch		WU7X	Dale	Avery	
KE7KPO	Carl	Maki	xx	WV7Y	Betsy	Townsend	
KI7DG	Chuck	Williams		WW7CA	Cynthia	Frees	
KL9A	Chris	Hurlbut		WW7DD	Jim	Frees	
KW7J	Harvey	Brown		WX7B	Chris	Pritchard	
N2HS	Lynn	Minor		WX7P	Wilse	Morgan	
N5AR	Dan	Hearn					

**DX and contesting:**

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

	Start Date	End Date	DXCC Entity	Call	QSL via	Info
70	Mar09	Mar23	Maldives	8Q7WK	OE1MWW	By OE1MWW; holiday style operation
108	Mar08	Mar25	Solomon Is	H44G	DL7DF	By DK1BT DK7LX DL4WK DL7KL DL7DF DL7UFN DL7UFR SP3OYI SP3DOI; 160-6m; CW SSB RTTY PSK31 SSTV; yagi; Spiderbeam, delta loop, vertical; 4 stations; QSL OK via DARC Buro or direct
104	Mar06	Mar26	Lesotho	7P8PB	LotW	By EI7CC; holiday style operation fm shack of 7P8CC; QSL also OK via EI7CC

38	Mar17	Mar28	<b>Bhutan</b>	<b>A52W</b>	JH1NBN Direct	By JH1NBN
70	Mar19	Mar29	<b>Maldives</b>	<b>8Q7NC</b>	LotW	By FB6GC fm Rihiveli I (AS-013, WLOTA 3911, Grid Loc MJ63); 40-6m; vertical; holiday style operation; QSL also OK via FB6GC Buro
99	Mar09	Mar31	<b>Uzbekistan</b>	<b>UK</b>	UA1ZEY Direct	By UA1ZEY as UK/UA1ZEY fm Samarkand; HF; CW SSB
68	Mar30	Apr03	<b>Laos</b>	<b>XW8XZ</b>	LotW	By 9M6DXX fm near Vientiane; SSB; 100w; vertical; QSL also OK via M0URX
28	Mar23	Apr04	<b>Somalia</b>	<b>T5TC</b>	LotW	By TA1HZ; HF; spare time operation; call sign requested; QSL also OK via TA1HZ
109	Apr03	Apr11	<b>Micronesia</b>	<b>V63XG</b>	LotW	By JA1XGI fm Pohnpei I (OC-010, QJ96ca); 160-6m; focus on 30 17 12m; mainly CW; also SSB RTTY JT65; QSL also OK via JA1XGI direct
77	Mar26	Apr12	<b>Mayotte</b>	<b>FH</b>	DL7BC	By DL7BC as FH/DL7BC; will use TO7BC during CQ WPX SSB Contest; QSL OK via DARC Buro or direct
77	Mar25	Apr12	<b>Mayotte</b>	<b>TO7BC</b>	DL7BC	By DL7BC fm AF-027 (WLOTA LH 0376); QRV for WPX Phone; QSL also OK via DL7BC (Buro OK)
93	Apr01	Apr12	<b>Singapore</b>	<b>9V1</b>	G0RCI Direct	By G0RCI as 9V1/G0RCI; spare time operation; perhaps also using 9M2/G0RCI fm Malaysia
54	Mar30	Apr13	<b>Cocos Keeling</b>	<b>VK9CZ</b>	LotW	By GM3WOJ and GM4YXI fm OC-003; 160-10m; SSB CW, some RTTY; QSL also OK via N5SL
55	Jan15	Apr15	<b>Minami Torishima</b>	<b>JD1</b>	See Info	By JG8NQJ as JG8NQJ/JD1; 17-10m; CW; spare time operation; JA QSL via JG8NQJ Buro, others via JG8NQJ Buro or JA8CJY direct
100	Apr10	Apr15	<b>Lord Howe I</b>	<b>VK9LT</b>	W6NV Direct	By W6NV
91	Apr04	Apr16	<b>Seychelles</b>	<b>S79VJG</b>	G4DFI	By G0VJG fm AF-024; 80-10m; 40m below 7.100 MHz (QSX up 200 for NA); SSB; amplifier; verticals on beach; QSL also OK via R5GB Buro
109	Apr15	Apr20	<b>Micronesia</b>	<b>V63</b>	Home Call	By JA7HMZ as V63DX and JA7GYP as V63T fm Pohnpei I (OC-010)
70	Apr23	Apr30	<b>Maldives</b>	<b>8Q7KP</b>	LotW	By VU2PAI W4VKU fm Bodufinolhu (AS-013); HF9V, 2 ele SteppIR; OQRS to be available
85	Apr22	May04	<b>Ogasawara</b>	<b>JD1BMH</b>	JD1BMH Buro	By JG7PSJ fm Chichijima I (AS-031); 40-10m, perhaps 80m; CW SSB RTTY; QSL also OK via JG7PSJ direct
85	Apr28	May04	<b>Ogasawara</b>	<b>JD1BLY</b>	J15RPT	By J15RPT fm Chichijima I (AS-031); 40-10m + satellite; CW SSB + digital
85	Apr28	May05	<b>Ogasawara</b>	<b>JD1</b>	LotW	By JE2EHP JF1BVG JP1IOF as JD1BLC and JD1YBT fm Chichijima I; 160-6m; all modes; QSL also OK via JP1IOF, Buro or direct
97	Apr25	May08	<b>Tokelau</b>	<b>ZK3N</b>	DL2AWG	By DL6JGN DL2AWG fm Nukunonu Atoll (OC-048); 80-10m; CW SSB RTTY
110	May03	May19	<b>Egypt</b>	<b>SU8N</b>		By SU1SK SU1AO SU1HM SU1AR fm Geziret Disuqi (AF-109, Nelson's Island); HF
100	Sep22	Sep29	<b>Lord Howe I</b>	<b>VK9LL</b>	LotW	By VK9LL; 160 80m; QSL also OK via VK2CCC, Buro or direct; spare time operation
39	Oct01	Oct30	<b>Wake I</b>	<b>K9W</b>	LotW	By N2TU K9CT AA4NN W8GEX W8Z ND2T K9NW K6MM W8HC K9CS W3OA N4XP; exact dates TBD; QSL also OK via ClubLog OQRS (preferred) or AA4NN, Buro or direct
59	Dec21	2014 Jan06	<b>Temotu</b>	<b>H40FN</b>	HA8DD	By ops fm Nendo I (OC-100); dates approximate
4	2014 Jan01	2014 Jan31	<b>Heard I</b>	<b>VK0</b>	TBA	By KK6EK DJ9ZB AD6E DJ5IW W3WL AA7XT NP4IW N4GRN N6PSE W0GJ as TBA; specific dates TBA; plans call for early in 2014

• see below for a listing of more DX coming up

• contests coming up:

**april 2013**

+ CQ Manchester Mineira DX Contest 1200Z, Apr 20 to 2359Z, Apr 21

**may 2013**

+ 7th Call Area QSO Party 1300Z, May 4 to 0700Z, May 5

+ Indiana QSO Party 1600Z, May 4 to 0400Z, May 5

+ New England QSO Party 2000Z, May 4 to 2400Z, May 5

+ CQ WW WPX Contest, CW 0000Z, May 25 to 2359Z, May 26

**june 2013**

+ ARRL June VHF Contest 1800Z, Jun 8 to 0259Z, Jun 10

+ ARRL Field Day 1800Z, Jun 22 to 2100Z, Jun 23

**july 2013**

+ RAC Canada Day Contest 0000Z-2359Z, Jul 1

+ IARU HF World Championship 1200Z, Jul 13 to 1200Z, Jul 14

+ North American QSO Party, RTTY 1800Z, Jul 20 to 0600Z, Jul 21

**other contest calendar**

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

**Pacific NW Challenge Trophy contests (updated for 2012-2013 dates):**

+ CQ Worldwide DX Contest, RTTY	#1 - done	0000Z, Sep 29 to 2400Z, Sep 30
+ CQ Worldwide DX Contest, SSB	#2 - done	0000Z, Oct 27 to 2400Z, Oct 28
+ CQ Worldwide DX Contest, CW	#3 - done	0000Z, Nov 24 to 2400Z, Nov 25
+ ARRL RTTY Roundup	#4 - done	1800Z, Jan 05 to 2400Z, Jan 06
+ CQ WW RTTY WPX Contest	#5 - done	0000Z, Feb 09 to 2400Z, Feb 10

- + ARRL Inter. DX Contest, CW #6 - done 0000Z, Feb 16 to 2400Z, Feb 17
- + ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB #7 - done 0000Z, Mar 02 to 2400Z, Mar 03
- + CQ WW WPX Contest, SSB #8 - 0000Z, Mar 30 to 2400Z, Mar 31
- + CQ WW WPX Contest, CW #9 - 0000Z, May 25 to 2400Z, May 26
- + IARU HF World Championship #10 - 1200Z, Jul 13 to 1200Z, Jul 14

1. NW DX challenge trophy contests, above: [please send your claimed scores to wa0www@hotmail.com](mailto:wa0www@hotmail.com)
2. for all CQ contests send your claimed score to: [W3AS; doug.brede@gmail.com](mailto:W3AS;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>

Mar15	Mar23	Sint Maarten	PJ7	AA4VK	By NDTG as PJ7/NTG, AA4VK and N1SNB likewise
Mar12	Mar23	Temotu	<a href="#">H40T</a>	DL7DF	By DK1BT DK7LX DL4WK DL7KL DL7DF DL7UFN DL7UFR SP3CYY SP3DOI; 160-6m; CW SSB RTTY PSK31 SSTV; yagi, Spiderbeam, delta loop, vertical; 4 stations; QSL OK via DARC Buro or direct
Mar15	Mar23	Tuvalu	<a href="#">T2GM</a>	GM4FDM	By GM3YTS GM4FDM GM0GAV GM3POI; focus on EU; operation uncertain
Mar20	Mar24	Aland Is	OH0	OG2W	By OG2W and OH0BCI as OH0/OG2W fm EU-002 (WLOTA 1373, WVVFF OHFF-037); HF; all modes; QSL OK via Buro or direct
Mar13	Mar24	St Martin	FS	UA4CC	By UA4CC as FS/UA4CC fm NA-105 (WLOTA 0383); 160-10m; CW SSB RTTY; spare time operation
Mar24	Mar25	Corsica	TK1INT	EA5KA	By F4BKV F4FET EA3NT TK4LS fm EU-104
Feb01	Mar25	Guadeloupe	<a href="#">FG</a>	F6ITD	By F6ITD as FG/F6ITD; SSB + digital; ORV fm Basse Terre Dehaies and La Desirade I
Mar23	Mar26	Corsica	TK0INT	EA5KA	By F4BKV F4FET EA3NT TK4LS fm EU-100
Feb26	Mar26	Honduras	<a href="#">HR5</a>	LotW	By F2JD as HR5/F2JD fm Copan; CW SSB RTTY; as time permits; QSL also OK via F6AJA; operation to continue until May 20
Mar21	Mar26	Marshall Is	V73TS	JF1CCH	By JF1CCH; 40-10m; mainly CW; eQSL also OK
Mar20	Mar27	Easter I	<a href="#">XR0YG</a>	LotW	By G7VJR G3TXF G4IRN G3ZAY fm SA-001 (DICE ICE-001, WVVFF CEFF-027, WLOTA 0319); 160-10m; mainly CW; focus on low bands for EU; QSL also OK via OQRS and G3TXF
Mar20	Mar27	Gambia	C5WP	ON7WP	By ON7WP; 40-10m; as time permits
Mar27	Mar28	Corsica	TK2INT	EA5KA	By F4BKV F4FET EA3NT TK4LS fm EU-164
Mar22	Mar29	Niue	E6	VK4FI	By VK4FI as E6SG and VK4WR as E6RQ fm OC-040 (WLOTA 2139, Grid Loc AH50); focus on 6m, some HF
Mar10	Mar29	St Martin	FS	DK5ON	By DK5ON as FS/DK5ON; 80-6m; SSB RTTY PSK; also fm Sint Maarten using PJ7/DK5ON
Mar10	Apr01	Mariana Is	KH0	Home Call	By JE1XUZ as KH0XH and JQ2WTT as KH0XW; QSL OK via JARL Buro or direct
Mar19	Apr02	Tuvalu	T2	K8NA	By NL8F as TBD; mainly SSB
Mar26	Apr03	Azores	CT8	Home Call	By PA4N as CT8/PA4N and PD9DX as CS8/PD9DX fm Sao Miguel I (EU-003); HF; SSB CW; 100w; multiband doublet and vertical + OCF dipole; location favors NA
Mar07	Apr03	Madeira	CT9	Home Call	By DL3KWF as CT9/DL3KWF and DL3KWR as CT9/DL3KWR fm AF-014; focus on WARC bands; mainly CW + digital; email request for Buro cards OK to [callsign]@darc.de
Feb11	Apr03	Senegal	6V7S	RK4FF	By RK4FF; HF
Mar23	Apr04	Tuvalu	T2YY	DH7WW	By DK8YY DL3ALI DL4JS; 80-30m, perhaps 160m; CW SSB RTTY; 2 stations; Hexbeam + verticals; call sign requested
Apr03	Apr09	Virgin Is	KP2	LotW	By JE2EHP as K1HP/KP2, JF1BVG as KP2/JF1BVG, JP1IOF as WH7P/KP2; all bands; all modes; QSL also OK via home_call, Buro or direct (+ OQRS to be available)
Apr06	Apr12	Belize	V31	IT9EJW	By XE1AY as V31NV, XE2AA as V32EE, plus V31HU fm South Water Cay (NA-180); HF + 6m
Apr06	Apr13	Barbados	8P9HI	VA3QSL	By VA3QSL fm Bayfield, St Philip Parish (NA-021, WLOTA 0999, GK03ge); HF; QSL OK via VE Buro or direct (w/ 2 USD)
Apr01	Apr13	South Cook Is	E51DXX	AG1LE	By AG1LE fm Rarotonga I (OC-013, BG08cr); HF
Jan26	Apr15	Sudan	ST2SF	LotW	By K0YAK; 40-10m, perhaps 80 6m; SSB CW + digital; 100w; QSL also OK via K0YAK; exact start date unclear
Apr05	Apr16	St Lucia	J6	LotW	By N7QT as J6/N7QT fm Babonneau and mountain top locations; 80-10m; CW SSB RTTY PSK; QSL also OK via N7QT, Buro or direct (w/ SASE)
Mar26	Apr16	Tonga	<a href="#">A3EAQ</a>	SP5EAQ	By SP5EAQ fm Tongatapu (OC-049); 80-10m; SSB
Apr04	Apr18	Corsica	<a href="#">TK</a>	See Info	By G4BKI as TK/G4BKI; tentative operation, on and off during this period; QSL direct; Paul Evans, 6809 River Road, Tampa, FL 33615, USA
Apr04	Apr18	Samoa	<a href="#">5W0M</a>	DL4SVA	By DL team fm OC-097 (AH36tn); 80-6m, incl 60m + 2m EME; CW SSB RTTY; QSL OK via DARC Buro or direct
Apr08	Apr20	Bonaire	<a href="#">PJ4</a>	SP9FIH	By SP9FIH as PJ4/SP9FIH and SP6AXW as PJ4/SP6AXW fm SA-006 (WLOTA L1279, FK52f); 160-6m; SSB RTTY CW
Apr20	Apr28	Tanzania	5H1DX	DF8DX	By DF8DX; also fm Pemba I (AF-063, WLOTA 1437)
Apr06	Apr29	Reunion	FR	F5MNV	By F5MNV as FS/F5MNV fm AF-016 (DIFO FR-001, WLOTA 1812, WVVFF FFF-011); HF; CW
Jun08	Jun15	Bahamas	C6ATT	Home Call	By K2TTF fm New Providence I (NA-001, WLOTA 1115, FL15hb); also N2RFA (C6ABB), K2KJ (C6ALC), KC4PX (C6APX); 80-10m; SSB RTTY SSTV PSK31 JT65; ORV for ARRL June VHF QSO Party
Jun14	Jun28	Br Virgin Is	VP2V	W9DR	By W9DR as VP2V/W9DR fm Anegada I (FK78r); 6m; SSB; CW beacon on 50115.6 kHz
Jun30	Jul05	Luxembourg	<a href="#">LX</a>	ON6ZV	By ON6ZV ON6OM ON7EG ON4MW as LX/OO6P; HF; SSB RTTY PSK31 PSK63
Jul01	Jul06	Market Reef	OJ0V	ON8VP	By ON5JT ON6OO ON4CCP ON4LEM ON8VP fm EU-053 (ARLHS MAR-001, WLOTA 0542); HF; CW SSB
Jul01	Jul16	Senegal	6V7S	RK4FF	By RK4FF; HF
Jul06	Jul16	St Pierre & Miquelon	<a href="#">FP</a>	LotW	By KV1J as FP/KV1J fm NA-032; 160-6m; SSB CW RTTY PSK31; ORV for IARU HF Contest; QSL also OK via KV1J direct
Aug03	Aug04	Reunion	TO1PF	FR1GZ	By FR team fm Piton de la Fournaise (AF-016, DIFO FR-001, WVVFF FFF-011, WLOTA 1812) at 2,632 meters; HF; all modes
Aug16	Aug20	Greenland	<a href="#">OX5YL</a>	PA5YL	By JR3MVF HL1KDW LA6RHA WA0WOF SM6KAT fm Kangerlussuaq; 160-6m