

CALENDAR

AVES YV-Group due to open this Thursday--April 30th. Mostly SSB on 10-80. C.W. on 15/20/40. T. ree or four day operation.

KURE KM6DQ may open up...originally reported for late April/early May but no late report.

MANIHIKI Still a possibility for brief operation by ZK1AJ during May. Nothing definite at this time.

CLIPPERTON F0NH/FO8 scheduled for early July.

FRANZ JOSEF Nothing heard but rumors and even these are a bit old.

S/MOA K4II all-band May 28-31st.

CORSICA F0RT/FC May 4th--May 30th. All possible bands.

GUINEA 3XLSJ reported as coming on now for 60 day effort.

ALBANIA No change in the DL7FT programming...still looking for September if funds are sufficient. Additional reports that some of the OH-group that went to Market Reef are planning a ZA-effort, possibly making more than one trip should they come up with the right combination.

AGAIN?? 2ALAL came on twenty at 1540Z on April calling CQ at 14246kc. Said he was on an Antarctic expedition and QSL to RSGB. Beam heading was around 230° from California.

BONIN IS. JD1AAZ still active...21275kc at 2255Z on April 15th and working into the Midwest.

KERMEDEC ZM1AAT/K on at 14224kc at 0700Z on April 19th. Working off a list made up by ZM2AFZ. Possibility of this occurring from time to time and 14225kc seems the best place worth watching.

INDONESIA YBLAAK, John, is in Bogor on Java for the next two years to assist with their agricultural programs. Has a daily schedule with his QSL manager K9EYZ around 1400Z at 14290kc. Will work others but would appreciate breakers holding off until he finishes QSO with K9EYZ. Has SWAN gear, a linear and a beam.

SWAN ISLAND K5QHS last week was looking for some way to get to Swan Island/KS4. If something should develop, Sandy planned to mount a DXpedition from there opening May 2nd. Should transportation be available, this one might pop up suddenly.

40/80 DESK

	HB9B/P	7015kc	0230Z	Apr 19e	G3KHZ	7003kc	0450Z	Apr 20w
	HB9GX/P	7010	0240	19e	SM6DHU	7004	0448	20w
	UK2PAS	7020	0300	19e	VR1EC	7001	0420	23m
FB	FB8XX	7003	0300	20e				
	LZ1NJ	7005	0300	20e&w	80.....			
	3Z8PBP	7010	0205	16e				
	FG7TG	7011	0207	16e				(Blank..no reports)
	PJ7JC	7004	0603	20w				
	ZS1A	7002	0528	20w				

5R8BB reported at 7018kc and 7006kc on April 21st. Mostly heard with he not answering the W/Ks. Reports for 40/80 getting slimmer and slimmer with summer coming on.

SUDAN ST2SA, Sid, still aching for some new gear. K6KA will be in Europe for the next several weeks but WA5REU will carry the burden. Sid prefers to work his supporters on Sundays at 14021kc at 1430Z and any other day but Friday at 14021kc at 1900Z with 21031kc a possible alternate. Here in the States K6KA is banking funds being accumulated for a replacement for that 807-crystal controlled gear Sid is using.

REPORTS FROM RED-EYED LOUIE... the Watcher for the DX Blight... week it being
Insurance Operators.

EUROPE

MLI	14203kc	2330Z	April 19e
ZBLCX	21277	1700	19e
UK4FAD	14230	0145	18e
3ZØJAG	14058	2014	17e
JW7TH	14219	2050	17e
ITLSEZ	21302	1905	16e
IS1DFO	28580	1425Z	Often
UD6CD	14077	1340	18w
UO5BR	14065	1500	20w
UK5JAJ	14023	0355	21w
4ULITU	14258	0720	18w
GD3FWN	14256	0640	14w
UPOL 16	14040	1450	15m
SVØWU	14232	0400	16m
3A2NX	14258	2145	19m
MLB	21380	1400 (Sat/Sun)	8m

ASIA

EP2DA	14240kc	2230Z	Apr 17e
TA2SC	14247	2050	17e
YK1AM	14247	2110	17e
YK1AA	14247	2110	17e
VS6BL	21012	1305	18e
UJ8AB	21030	1310	18e
MP4MBB	21291	1910	16e
TA1KC	14229	0055	20m
VU2KO	14047	1525	22w
MP4BHH	14242	1340	20w
AP2AD	14211	1530	22w
XW8CZ	14069	1505	17w
EP2DX	14237	1430	20w
TA2E	14028	0315	20w
9K2AM	14258	1830	19w
7Z3AB	14243	1450	daily
ZC4UA	28526	1555	16m
ZC4RS	28526	1555	16m

AFRICA

5Z4KL	14200kc	2100Z	Apr 17e
ET3REL	28670	1350	18e
EL2AT	14332	1900	25w
TT8AF	14290	0530	19m
ZD5X	14201	1350	20w
CR6NN	14030	2330	16w
ZD5M	14041	1420	19w
9J2XZ	14035	1500	19w
7Q7JO	14048	1550	19w
TU2CS	21260	2315	15w
5VZDB	14290	0515	21w
CR7LE	14237	1430	18w
5H3JR	21354	2150	20w
ZD9BN	14210	1530	20w
FL8MB	14248	1415	17w
EL2BY	14040	0300	20w
FB8XX	14257	1520	23w
TR8DG	14290	0550 (Sats)	19m
5U7AR	21090	1630	19m
5V4JS	21297	2150	19m
FL8SR	21092	2000	17e
W9EVI/ZD5	28525	1635	17e
TR8DG	14241	1340	21m
TR8MC	14212	2000	Regular

ELSEWHERE'S

FM7WF	21086kc	1800Z	Apr 18e
KX6BQ	14232	1150	17e
HKØBKX	21323	1750	19e
HI8XER	21296	1800	19e
AXØKW	14250	1530	17m
ZM3PO/C	14032	0515	22w
AXØLD	14055	0505	18w
HI3PC	14035	1025	19w
ZK1AA	14080	0420	21w
W9IGW/VP2G	14029	0400	24w
PZ5WV	14020	0340	21w
KS6CY	14255	0630	19w
9Y4MM	21327	2130	40w
VR5LT	14204	0525	18w
KG6SM	14265	1505	16w
CEØAE	14207	0550	20w
AX9GA	14251	0955	23w
DU9FB	14207	1440	23w
FO8BH	14251	1550	20w
KC6WS	14240	1500	24w
DULFB	14226	1500	24w
VP5MB	14215	1500	24w
FM7AA	21055	1550	16m
CEØTS	14235	0445	19m

SHORTLY NOTED: W4NJF is again QSL manager for EL2AT who has returned to Monrovia as Engineer in Charge of a TV station. Reported that the ARRL DXCC Desk will accept JY1 cards even if they do not carry a signal report. WB6QNV at Occidental College is looking for an assist with gear. Anyone wanting to help can direct a letter to Alex Wallace 4613 Jessica Dr. Los Angeles 90042. This also happens to be the grandson of Don Wallace, W6AM. FL8BE is showing up from Somaliland along with the other regulars. Split frequency seemed to work better for Wayne Green from JY-land though it was obvious that some were calling blind. Rumored that TT8AF will be going QRT soon....some say right now, some say in June. Don Reibhoff, HS3DR(ex), may be leaving the Udorn area this Fall. 5U7AR, Alain, in Niamey, Niger, will make schedules. Reported that XT2AA will be back in Upper Volta in late April. FB8XX reported to have Sun skeds at 28580-590kc at 11-1200Z. Cards for 6Y5CC being returned from CB address while the logs for DJ6QT/CTE and ON8CT have not been received by Stu Myers while those for 4MLA have been.

CHAGOS VQ9CD on April 19th from 1400Z at 14251 working through a list handled by 5Z4KL. Coming through LP with fair signal to the West Coast. List made up the previous Friday at 14200kc at 2100Z. Was also at 14031kc at 1430Z on Apr 20th.

St. BRANDONS VQ8CFB still showing up regularly from this one, was at 14028kc at 1400Z on April 20th. Also on the same frequency at 1335Z a few days earlier on the 18th. Rather regular around this frequency and time.

MAURITIUS VQ8CV, John Stratfull, ex-VP2KR, ex-VP2VR, ex-VQ3EX, ex-VP2LO, ex-5N2IJS, now operating from Port Louis lost his antennas in an Easter Sunday windstorm. Will be back on the air shortly with the full array. John says that the persistent breakers bother him when directions are not followed. VQ8CZ coming through on April 16th at 1900Z on 21337kc. Also being reported is VQ8CR who was at 14234kc at 1430Z on April 19th.

BRITISH PHOENIX VR1EC at 7001kc at 0420Z on April 23rd. Said his name was Clive and on British Phoenix.

GILBERTS VR1O will be active until next February. Was at 14058kc at 0500Z on April 22nd. QSL to home call G3NRA.

73, WA6AUD

TNX to W2FXA, WB2YQH, W4BA, W4NJF, W4OPM, W4UF, W5ALA, K5AWR, W5LZZ, WA5UHR, W6AAO, W6AM, K6AQV, W6AXH, K6CF, W6CNA, K6EC, W6EYR, WB6IXC, K6KA, W6KZS, K6LAE, W6MAV, K6MHD, K6TVL, K6UFT, K6MHO, W6VUW, WA6YTW, WB6UOM, WA7GHK, W8CT, K8RWL, K8TVO, WA8WAA, K8YPU, WA9VIZ, WØLXQ, WAØOAH, KØVVW, HPLJC, CC.

WEST COAST DX BULLETIN Published every week by the Marin County DX Group. One of the local QRPers is somewhat saddened this week...a casualty of 'over-insurance'. He says it was not so bad to hear some big guns work Wayne from JY-land when he showed up on Thursday and then pile back in Friday for an 'insurance' contact. When it was insurance-on-insurance Saturday; insurance-on-insurance-on-insurance Sunday morning and then insurance-on-insurance-on-insurance-on-insurance when Monday came around, the poor QRPer collapsed. "Ought to be reported to the DX Insurance Commissioner", he growled.. A full year of 'insurance' reports-\$7.00

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