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EAARS open repeaters. PL is 141.3 unless noted otherwise

Helio 146.860 and 440.700 EAARS Network, 146.900, 447.825 w/ closed remote PL 100.0 or 141.3. Packet 145.010 **MT. Lemmon** 147.160 EAARS Network **Pinal Peak** 145.41 EAARS Network **Guthrie Peak** 147.28 EAARS Network **South Mountain, Alpine** 145.27 EAARS Network **Greens Peak** 146.70 Eaars Network **Jacks Peak, NM** 145.21 EAARS Network **Mule MTN** 147.08 EAARS Network
GMRS Repeater on Helio 462.625 PL 123.0
Website [HTTP://WWW.EAARS.COM](http://www.eaars.com)

Next Meeting

Tuesday, November 15th at Search and Rescue in Thatcher. arrive at 6:30 PM, meeting at 7:00 PM

EAARS Net

Control operators for the EAARS Net

KE7EDP Rick November 6th and December 4th

Pink K7ILA November 13th and December 11th

Richard N7DZH November 20th and December 18th

Wendell W7WGW November 27th and December 25th

Dues Drawing

As we have done in the past, anyone having thier 2012 dues paid before Dember 15th (postmarked by) will be in a drawing for an AES gift certificate. Only one prize but it'a good one. It makes the book keeping easier if all dues are paid by January first so, please try and maybe the club will make your January a little brighter. The drawing will be held at the January meeting and elections.

From ARRL Web **Logbook of The World Experiencing Delays**

11/01/2011

Due to a large number of radio amateurs uploading their logs to Logbook of The World ([LoTW](#)) after last weekend's CQ Worldwide SSB Contest, the ARRL's online QSL verification service is experiencing delays. According to ARRL IT Department Manager Michael Keane, K1MK, there is about a 33 hour wait for logs to be processed. "Logs are processed in the order in which they were received," he explained. "If you have uploaded your log to LoTW, your log is currently queued for processing. It has not been lost in the system. Uploading your log multiple times will only further delay your log and those of others to be processed."

From ARNewsline

RADIO LAW: LOADS OF INTRUDERS ON 10 METERS

Meantime, pirate operations are showing up on 10 meters seemingly en mass. Following the improvement in propagation on 10 meters in recent weeks, it appears that there are many illegal users of this band. Most seem to be using low power FM chanzalized radios to operate taxi services. Signals mainly seem to come from the western part of Russia. Information regarding these intrusions is being gathered by RSGB Intruder Watch program. It will be used to support a complaint to the Russian authorities in an attempt to clear this nuisance from what should be an ex-

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Nets

EAARS Net; Sunday Night 7 PM general check ins
Smart Net; Monday evening 7:30 to 8:30 Technical discussion
Weather Net Daily 5:30 AM collect local weather information
MERC Net Second Saturday at 8:45 AM Emergency communications group
Saguaro NTS Traffic Net Every evening at 6:30 PM

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lusive amateur band. But all of the intruders may not be Russians. Others are obvious unlicensed operators using A-M and SSB here in North America. These are likely illegal 11 meter export type CB sets sold by unscrupulous dealers here in the United States and elsewhere that only require a tweak or a cut wire to put them onto the 10 meter band. If you hear these operators and have a way to record them, do so and then send the audio file or cassette tape to the FCC Enforcement people with a cover letter stating what you heard and when you heard it. Be as specific as you can. The more information that you can provide to the regulatory agency, the better. (GB2RS, ARNewslineT, others)

ON THE AIR: NEW 10 METER ALL DIGITAL NET ANNOUNCED

A new digital mode net to encourage use of these modes on 10 meters will be held every Saturday and Sunday at 1800 UTC. This according to Andrew O'Brien, K3UK, who says via the Digital Radio Yahoo that he is creating such a weekly gathering after noting that the band is open to distant communications more and more these days. The net will gather on 28.125 MHz Upper Sideband, plus or minus for QRM, at 1800 UTC. R S ID and Call ID will be used to help people pick out the net and modes used. The Olivia 500/8 mode will be used to call up the net but the it may switch modes as needed. K3UK says that the gathering will usually run 30 minutes and will try to include some brief announcements relative to digital modes on HF. It will also use the K3UK sked page at www.obriensweb.com/sked for on-line coordination during each session. (K3UK)

DX

In DX, JK1KSB will be on the air as 8Q7SO from Mirihi Island Resort in the Maldives between October 28th and November 3rd. Activity will be holiday style on 80 to 10m using CW, RTTY, SSB and PSK31. QSL via JK1KSB, either via the bureau or to the address on QRZ.com.

I0WDX will be on the air as 8Q7CC from the Maldives between November 2nd to the 12th. A web page for this operation is on-line at dxcoffee.com/8q7cc. QSL via his home callsign, direct only.

DK7PE will be active as TL0CW from the Central African Republic through November 3rd. No information on what modes or frequencies will be used for this one. If you work him, QSL via his home call.

G3RWF will be active as 5X1NH from Uganda for three weeks, starting on November 23rd. He will concentrate on the low bands. QSL via his home callsign.

OS1T will be active as PJ4J on Bonaire Island through November 9th. His focus will be on RTTY, SSB and the WARC bands, but other bands may also be used depending on the propagation. QSL as directed on the air.

GM3WOJ will be activating ZK2V from the island of Niue in the Pacific for the next few months. He will be joined by GM4YXI until the end of October and the call ZK2X will be used in the CQ World Wide SSB Contest. QSL as directed by the respective operators

Lastly, LA9DL and LA6VM will be active from Bhutan using the callsigns A52DL and A52VM,

respectively, between November 3rd to the 13th. Operations will be on 80 through 10 meters using IC-7000s and amps. Listen for A52DL to be mainly on PSK and SSB, while A52VM will be mostly on CW. QSL via their home call signs.

(Above from various DX news sources)

INTERNATIONALLY CONNECTED ANNOUNCED AS THEME OF HAMVENTIONr 2012

And finally this week word that "Internationally Connected" will be the theme of the 2012 Dayton Hamvention. This according to General Chairman Michael Kalter, W8CI, who says that this premise emphasizes how amateur radio continues to build connections among amateur radio operators from all over the world. Kalter, who is returning for another year as general chairman, noted that many international attendees return each year to meet other hams that they have talked to on the radio. He says that in 2012 the Hamvention is acknowledging the important role that ham radio plays in promoting this very special international goodwill. To accomplish this, Kalter says that he has added a new committee whose task will be to make visiting Hamvention even more enjoyable for international guests. Assistant general chairman Joshua Long, KD8BVB, noted that almost all the committee chairman are returning and that many other volunteers have already committed to making 2012 an even better Hamvention than in years past. The 2012 Dayton Hamvention 2012 is scheduled for May 18th to the 20th at its longtime of of the Hara Arena in suburban Dayton, Ohio. It is the world's largest amateur radio gathering and brings together some 20,000 people to the greater Dayton area each year. More information is already on line at www.Hamvention.org or by e-mail to [media \(at\) Hamvention \(dot\) org](mailto:media@Hamvention.org). And less we forget, Amateur Radio Newslines will be there as well. (Dayton Hamventionr)