

THE CONTEST JUG

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for the

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB

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NEXT MEETING - - Friday, July 16, 1971, 7:30PM at QTH of K4BVD/6.

It's back to Rusty's again for the July meeting of the NCCC. Many of you were there last time, and undoubtedly have fond memories of Rusty's southern hospitality. Location: 2250 Latham St., Apt. 27, Mountain View. Phone 969-3612. From Bayshore: Take Rengstorff Ave. to Latham St. (2 miles).

Right on Latham (200 yards) to 2250 Latham.

From 280: 1) From S.F., take Page Mill to El Camino. South on El Camino 2 to 3 miles to Rengstorff. Left on Rengstorff one block to Latham. Left on Latham to 2250.

2) From San Jose, take Hwy 85 to El Camino. North on El Camino to Rengstorff (1½ to 2 miles). Right on Rengstorff one block to Latham St. Turn left onto Latham and find 2250.

Rusty's apartment is directly behind the diving board behind the swimming pool, on the first floor.

PROGRAM - Rusty tells us how to win the All Asian DX Contest.

Rusty, K4BVD/6, was world high (yes, world high) non-asian scorer in the 1970 All Asian DX Contest, and is bound and determined to do it again this year. Rusty and Oliver, WA6QGW, have prepared some plans to ensure that the NCCC sweeps the All Asian contest this year, and will disclose their plans at the meeting. More on that elsewhere in the Jug too, but additional important information will be passed out on the 16th.

BY-LAWS AMENDMENT - -

Secretary Vallio, W6RGG, announced at the last meeting that the By-Laws amendment (see issue #4 of the Jug) passed with only two dissenting votes.

NEW MEMBERS - -

Welcome to the NCCC! The following contesters were voted into membership at the last meeting.

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SUPPORT YOUR CLUB

The first big event scheduled for club participation is the All Asian DX Contest from 1000Z August 28, 1971 to 1600Z August 29, 1971. A scheme has been developed whereby you can compete as a member of NCCC and perhaps win one of the eight first place certificates/trophies.

A multiplier will be applied to single band scores to provide a means of evaluating operating proficiency for a club achievement award. The following table based upon a multi band score of 60,000 points will be used:

160M	X5000	15M	X8
80M	X150	10M	X60
40M	X13	All Bands	X1
20M	X6	Multi Opr	X.85

It is hoped this integration of organizational and contest goals will provide the means to sweep all of the entry classifications. A rules extract for the All Asian DX Contest follows with complete details at the meeting.

1. CONTEST PERIOD: 1000Z August 28, 1971 to 1600Z August 29, 1971. (During the fourth week-end of August)
2. ENTRY CLASSIFICATIONS:
 - (a) Single Band Single Operator
 - (b) Multi Band Single Operator
 - (c) Multi Band Multi Operator Single Band
3. BANDS: 1.8, 3.5, 7.0, 14.0, 21.0, and 28.0 Mhz.; CW only.
4. SERIAL NUMBERS: RST report plus a two figure number denoting your age. (Example; if your age is 26, the number will be the RST plus 26) YL stations may use ØØ for their age.
5. POINTS AND MULTIPLIERS: Contacts with Asian stations only will count one point and a multiplier of one for each Asian PREFIX worked on each band, using the WPX format.
6. SCORING: The total score will be the sum of prefix multipliers of each band, multiplied by the sum of the contact points on each band. Contacts between stations except in Asia will not be counted for contact or multiplier credit.
7. AWARDS: Certificates will be awarded for each section of the contest--see 2 above.

de WA6QGW, Oliver.

CONTEST SCHEDULE

- July 10-12 Open CD Party - CW. It's been a few months since major contest activity and maybe some of you are itchy for action. Try this ARRL Communications Department Open CD Party. CW on the weekend of July 10-12, Phone in a week. Rules are in June QST p102, but briefly: Exchange ARRL appointment or MBR (Member) if non-appointee, and ARRL section. Operate any 20 hours between 2300Z Sat. and 0500Z Mon., break times 15min. minimum, no power multiplier. Activity up from ..030 on each cw band, up from 3900, 7265, 14275, 21550, 28600 on SSB. Active periods (from past experience): Saturday, 23-0000Z on 21mc; 00-0300Z on 14mc; 03-05Z on 7mc; 05-06Z on 3.5. Sunday: 21mc 15-2100Z on the hour; 28mc 1530-2030Z on the half-hours, same evening hour activity as Saturday. Activity during "hot" periods can reach 60-80 QSOs per hour. CU CD - de WA6DKF - Ken.
- July 17-19 Open CD Party - Phone. See info above.
- July 17-18 Ontario QSO Party. 171700Z-182400Z. Work your fill of VE3's! Send NR RST SEC, Rcv NR RST County. 3560, 3685, 7030, 14040, 21050, 28100, 3855, 3909, 7240, 7290, 14140, 14225, 14290, 21300, 28600. QST June p102
- July 17-18 Colombia DX Contest. 170001Z-182359Z. A world-wide contest, not restrict to HK QSOs only. Both phone and CW. Send/Rcv RS(T), NR. QST June p102, CQ July p70.
- July 24-25 County Hunters CW Contest. 240000Z-252400Z. Work some rare counties. Send/Rcv NR RST State County. 3575, 7055, 14070, 21070, 28070. QST June p104, CQ July p71.
- Aug 7- 8 DARC WAE DX Contest - CW. 070000Z-082400Z. Work Europeans. Rules complicated - see CQ. Send/Rcv RST NR. CQ July p71.
- Aug 7- 8 Ohio QSO Party. QST July p104.
- Aug 21 -22 QRP ARC QSO Party. QST July p104
- Aug 14-15 Maryland QSO Party.
- Aug 21-22 Scandinavian RTTY Test. QST July p104/
- Aug 21-22 New Jersey QSO Party. QST July p104.
- Aug 28-30 South Carolina QSO Party. QST July p104.
- Aug. 28-29 All-Asian Contest - CW. See info on page 2 of this Jug.
- Sept 11-12 DARC WAE DX Contest - Phone. CQ July p71.

Take a careful look at page two of this issue of the Jug. It is the intention of our contest chairman Ken, WA6DKF, and Oliver, WA6QGW (Ken's boss for the All Asian Test) to sweep the world in the up-coming contest. A total of eight categories are available for entrants, as listed on page two. If we plan ahead, the NCCC stands an excellent chance of sweeping the contest, with a winner in each category! Got a favorite band? Come to the next meeting, make your wishes known, and we'll coordinate things so that every one of the eight categories is covered by at least one entry from the NCCC. The All-Asian Contest is one of the few events in which the West Coast has a jump on the rest of the country. Let's make the most of it! CU all at Rusty's on the 16th!