



# The Carolina DX Association

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## CDXA Goes Over The 10 Million Mark in the '84 CQ World Wide Contest!

Why not? Our club has achieved many other goals during the last two years; lets do it in the contest area too! With only a few entries last year, we were 19th out of the 48 Clubs listed. And for the ARRL Spring contest, we were 2nd out of 40 entries in the 'local' club category.

So here's the game plan. N4ZC will be operating a major, multi-single operation for both SSB and CW. AA4S will likewise be competing with a major, multi-transmitter operation for both SSB and CW. Club member, Ed Grooms (NE4G) will be at 6Y5 attempting to break an all time 75M SSB record. AND, without any 'Murphy' problems...these three efforts could generate 8 million points ++. - So, this is where remaining CDXA members could put us over the 10 million mark!

Beginning at 8PM EDST on Oct. 26th till 7PM EST on Oct. 28th, the SSB portion of CQ W/W is in full gear. All we ask is that you Club members jump in there and operate as much as you can. Pick-up NEW band countries, take advantage of all the DXpeditions that are on and just have a good time. Instead of using your regular log book, enter your contacts on an Official contest log sheet(enclosed). Use a separate sheet per band. (Just run off a few log sheets at your office or notify KD4RH and he'll mail you some additional sheets). OBJECTIVE: QSO's X Multipliers(zones + countries). Example: You log 250 QSO's total X 150 Multipliers x2.7 Pts(average) = 101, 250 Pts. WOW! This score will go a long way in helping us to achieve our Goal.

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When it's all over and you've rested a bit, please do the following:

1. Check your logs for 'dupes'.
2. Run-off copies of your logs for your own records. (QSL's,etc.)
3. Complete the Summary Sheet. (Enclosed)
4. Submit your logs and Summary Sheet to CQ Magazine.
5. Send your claimed score to KD4RH, so that Gary can submit all entries as an aggregate Club score.

If you need any assistance on the above info, please don't hesitate to contact AA4S, N4ZC or WA4VCC. - In the November bulletin, we'll discuss the CW portion of CQ W/W, which is November 23-25.

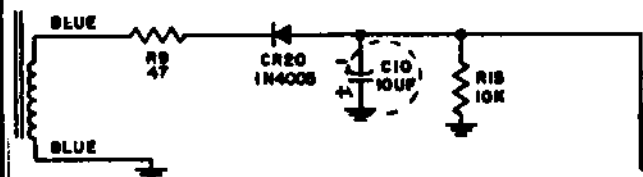
That's it fer now. Lets go get 'em and put the CDXA 'up in lights'.

Best Wishes 'n Gud Luck,

AA4S, Ron  
WA4VCC, Ted

COLLINS 30L1 W/572s

Anyone using 572B tubes in the Collins amp without changing the bias will have hum on the audio and not much more power out than the 811s. The 572s will require C10 to be at least 20uf. This will give the proper bias, more power output and good audio. Without the change, the only improvement will be longer tube life. A muffin fan on the rig helps also.



DX AND QSL INFORMATION

=HS0JUA via JA8ATG= =BY5RA via POB 730, Fuzhou, Fuzian, PRC. = =YB0BZZ via POB 96, Jarkarta, Indonesia= =CY9SPI via VE3FXT= =TT8CW via F6GXB= = Serge, an ex 6W8 has an Atlas rig and plans to enter C9 via ZS by Nov 4th= =TL8GE/ST0 did get back to C. Africa but make a quick trip back to France for a kidney operation. Should be at ST0 late Oct and in early 85, will go to D68 w/amp & beam, ck 14236= =3C0 by Nov, ck 14236= =TT8EE QSLs ok back to 10 Sept 83= =FW0BX (ZLIAMO) on mostly CW

using a tribander. = =FB8WJ will be leaving for France but will stop by FB8Z and FB8X for about 5 days on his way out. He can be found on most bands including 10= =A list for China by DU9RG, 14180, 1200-1400Z= = S9 may be possible late Oct by WB7RFA, Craig Maxey. He has a contract there to design new postage stamps for that country. His job will put him in a good position to have a favorable chance if he can locate the party with the correct pen and paper.= =AB4Y is in C9 and has the equipment and antennas to get on. However, he has not obtained permission to operate and will not set up a station until he has it.

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BANGLADESH

The recent illegal operation may do harm to the foundation of amateur radio according to Saif Shahid, president of the Bangladesh Amateur Radio League. Efforts are being made for legal operation. Gains have been made, the govt. in power will listen and paper work has been finished but it is still a proposal. Such as the B.A.R.L. becoming a member of the I.A.R.U. In an earlier issue, we discussed how the first stations would come on the air and anytime an operation such as JH8YD/S21 (03-04 Aug) shows up, it is possible the groundwork existing will be damaged.

The Aug operation was activated by the JARL UNICEF Ham Club. They were in Dhaka using a TS-130, FL-2000 and a triband antenna. A very good station if only it was legal.

The best way to help is to let Saif and the other members continue their discussions in their own way and stay out of it unless someone has a request for help.

If the JARL's plans for FM repeaters in the 10 meter band takes place, it will be a heavy blow to the JA DXers. It appears no one in the frequency planning committee fully comprehends this as a DX band. As you know, in the solar cycle it is possible to work 300 DXCC countries with low power.



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