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NEXT MEETING: - SATURDAY Oct 11th

Captain's Cabin

Chris Terkla, N1XS

We approach the start of another contest season. As a Team, the YCCC will be seeking to win a sixth consecutive championship in CQWW and ARRL DX. The Blitz for Six is on! I hope that you and your stations are ready for the challenge. FRC will be, let there be no question about that. They snuck one contest from us last year. They will be gunning for us this year with the taste of victory in their mouths. We need to pay attention to business Team and get on the air this contest season. Are you QRV?

It is a hard thing to do to get yourself psyched up for an event such as this. We are on the down hill slope of a solar cycle and the activity will be suspect. Rates and runs may not be what they were over the last few years. How do you keep your butt in the chair? The desire to succeed has to be first, more than anything you must want to contribute to the cause and help YCCC win. You need to look at what you can do to improve your own score and effort. Now is the time to get the preparations made to get the job done as a Team. Each and every effort will make a gain for the Club. It is not rocket science here, just look at last years effort in ARRL PH. When we don't get our butts in the chair, we don't win. Where will your butt be on these weekends?

CQ WW SSB October 25^{th} and 26^{th} CQ WW CW November 29^{th} and 30^{th}

We need your butts in the chair. Please set these dates aside for the Team and plan on operating as much time as possible. Every QSO will make a difference and no score is too small to submit...NO SCORE.

The reflector continues to be a great resource to us, and please do not hesitate to use it. So many folks have put out requests for assistance with station building efforts, antenna design, troubleshooting and operator assistance. Please use this invaluable resource to your and our advantage.

The YCCC picnic was a huge success I think, and many have suggested that it become an annual event. Special thanks go to the crew of W1SRG for their assistance in the location of the picnic and for their help getting things organized. AG1C, K1RDD, KB1JFG (new member), and N1GR pitched in to help with the picnic. Many thanks for their efforts. I hope everyone who came; almost 60 members (4 new ones!) enjoyed the excellent day and the ample food.

The October meeting is coming up soon, I am not sure if the 'Butt will reach you by then, but I want to thank Dave Robbins, K1TTT, for donating the Kantronics KAM XL as a door prize for the meeting. Whoever the lucky winner will be is surely getting a great prize! There might be another door prize or two at this meeting as well as the pizza party to celebrate our successes in the last contest season. I hope that you all can attend.

There have been a lot of improvements in our stations; many of the multi-operator stations have been busy this year with upgrades and improvements. There have also been a lot of single op stations getting better equipped for the upcoming contests. Please keep in mind that the while the solar cycle is declining, and many of the improvements may be best spent on the lower bands and listening antenna's; that 10 meters may still be a good source of multipliers to South America and to those pesky NA multipliers for zones 1-8. Don't forget 10 meters! It may not be what it was in the last few years but it is still an important band, especially if we get lucky with it opening for us. Keep an eye on it, especially if you use packet, some valuable multipliers may be there for you.

Low band listening may be where you can get the biggest bang for the buck this year and in the near future. A listening antenna of some dimension will be a good addition to the station. There are some pretty neat looking loop antenna's that can take up only a little space that might work for you if you don't have the space for a beverage. If you do have the space, beverages are the way to go, and maybe you can add one in a different direction to aid in your low band scores.

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Remember that if you have limited time to spend this year, that you want to maximize the time you can spend. Whatever time you can spend needs to be on the highest band open. If you are time limited please consider the use of packet, and perhaps high power. Try to get a run going if you can and work as many folks as you can in the time you have. I know it sounds simple, and you have probably heard this before, but it is necessary for the YCCC Team to succeed. Your maximum and efficient effort is what we need to succeed in the Blitz for Six. Please do you part in keeping the YCCC streak going. With your help we can do it again!

There has been some interest in the club on pursuing other contests on the club level. While the general interest has been to try to maintain our winning ways in CQWWDX and ARRLDX, please consider getting on is Sweepstakes if you can and submit your score for the YCCC. While many of you are in more local clubs and may choose to support that club in the other contests, which is OK and encouraged, please consider getting on and participating in the SS tests and supporting the club there. I know it is a busy time with the holidays and two CQWW events in the same timeframe, a several hour effort each day, especially Sunday afternoon, when everyone is begging for Q's may go a long way for any Team effort be it YCCC or your local club. If we get on and produce a solid effort, we could perhaps take a serious bite into the SMC and other SS club giants. Give it some consideration, and who knows, it might become a goal in the future. Let them know the DX contests aren't the only thing we do well in the Northeast. Many YCCC-er's make a serious effort in SS and if nothing else, you will be supporting their efforts. Give it some thought.

I recently bumped into a fellow YCCC member in a local store, and asked him how he did in the contest on the weekend. His answer was that he had made 400 or so Q's in one contest, a 100 or so in another "Just because it was there" and finally a bunch in another contest! There is always some contest on gang, and while no one operates them all, it never hurts to operate in any contest that might be on. It gets your call out, proofs your station, and improves your skills. Learning to run can be best done in a smaller contest. Learning to pass multipliers is a crucial skill and may be vary invaluable in the coming years. Get on in the smaller contests and flex your stations muscles a bit, hone your skills. It will help you become a better contester and improve your personal performance. You'll be glad you did!

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Finally, I want to once again thank everyone for their concerns and well wishes this past summer as I weathered my medical situation. It was so good to have so many of you supporting me. It is quite possible that by the time this is printed I will even be back to work! I am glad to say that things are progressing well, and my thoughts and energy can once again return to the YCCC and the Blitz for Six.

Let's Do It!

A few years ago, Don, K2KQ made a suggestion that we program one of the function keys in your logger with a sped up KB. In the contests it is always great to hear that in an exchange or as guys tune by tossing a quick "Kick Butt" in. Let's keep this alive as we go into this contest season. It is a show of solidarity that you don't hear elsewhere! KB!

73 es Kick Butt de N1XS



W1WEF K1EP WA1S K1JN K2KQ N1XS N1HRA

2003 Picnic

Team Antigua - V26B CQWW-SSB

Team Antigua will ride once again to activate V26B on the Beautiful Island Nation of Antigua and Barbuda in the 2003 running of the CQWW SSB Contest on October 24th & 25th 2003. Our plans are to enter the Multioperator/Two-transmitter category.

For a complete station description, complete with Photographs and Rate charts of The Team Antigua, V26B, Superstation. Please visit our Web Page at:

http://www.frc-contest.org and click on the Dxpeditions page and then the Team Antigua, V26B Link!

Our Grid Square is FK-97 and IOTA Number is NA-100 Members of Team Antigua will also make special attempts to be active on RTTY, PSK31, 160 meters and the WARC Bands a few days both before and after the contest. There is also a possibility of some 6 meter with conditions permitting! Most likely our operators will make their presence felt on all bands starting on or about October 22th until about November 2nd.

The Members of Team Antigua and their Callsigns:V26BSam, WT3QQSL Via WT3QV26EWEd, N2EDQSL Via N2EDV26OCBrian, N3OCQSL Via N3OC

V26R Mike, KA2AEV QSL Via KA2AEV

V26U Bill, W2UDT QSL Via W2UDT

As well as a few new members who will announce their QSL routes when their Antigian Callsigns become finalized



Pileup!

Flotsam & Jetsam

Jack Schuster W1WEF <u>w1wef@arrl.net</u>

As I'm starting this edition, summer is drawing toward a close and we're hoping that Hurricane Isabelle is unmemorable. On the other hand, it would be a good test of my modified tower here on Cape Cod! I recently went from a conicle top section on the 60 ft Rohn 25 tower to a flat top, with a thrust bearing and new longer mast to accommodate a future 40-2CD. At the same time I replaced the rotor with a Yaesu G1000SDX, so now all of my rotors are the same. Thanks to Dave Patton (NN1N...YES!), I found a TB4 thrust bearing at Hill Radio in Bloomington, Illinois. Hill is probably the biggest Rohn distributor, and I had forgotten about them because I never see any advertising from them any more. Whoever I spoke with there, told me that Rohn's delivery troubles are because they are consolidating two plants into one. Texas Towers mentioned that they just received a big shipment from Rohn (mid Sept) on Tower Talk the other day, so I hope things are working out for them.

You may have seen my query on the Reflector about mounting a rotor halfway down a Rohn 25 section. While many responded that they had to cut one or more diagonals out to get the shelf and rotor into the tower, I took Ric Plummer's (and others) approach and modified the rotor shelf as shown.



I just received a new Full Body Harness for tower work from Champion Radio Products. This one fits me correctly, and is very nicely made for \$95. That price doesn't include the lanyard or shock cord .

My most recent contest was the NA CW Sprint. It had been some time since I used NA to log the Sprint, and since that's the ONLY contest I've ever used NA for, I had to learn it all over again. Since I had gotten up at 4AM on the Cape the morning of the contest, and took in the Club picnic on the way back to Ct I was tired at the start. I had tried to practice

using the software on my computer on the Cape, but when I operated with a different computer in Connecticut, I forgot to load station info that I had loaded on Cape, and as a result got a message from the Robot that said "while it appears that we can process your log, there may be some irregularities that you may want to correct". Well, it turned out that my call was not on every line as called for in Cabrillo format, and had I not corrected it I would have likely lost EVERY QSO! Thanks to Ken Wolf, Tree, and Dave Pruitt for the help in figuring out my mistake! I REALLY got expert help on this one!

Last month's club trivia question asked who was HH2VP? It was our own N4XR, Vic Paounoff, who was running a factory in Haiti. Here's Vic's story in his own words:

"Was first licensed HH2VP June 1979. Made monthly trips of one week stay in Haiti until end 1982. Operated from Hotel Ibo Lele at 1700 ft above sea level. Used a Triton IV @ 100W to ATV5 trap vertical. From 1981 onward used OMNI C also 100W. In 1981 won 1st place ARRL WW DX CW.

1983 thru April 1984 was full time in Haiti. Added AL80 amp@ 1KW input and Mosely CL33. In 83 along with W1FJ, K2LE, K2SX, and K4BAI we came in 1st place in CQWW DX CW Multi single.

Sept 83 to year end had consulting job there and also in July and August 85. From the first day to the last day in HH2 there was always a pileup. Around 120,000 Qs were made.

A wonderful experience for a ham who won his first contest in 1933! "

During my college summers of 56, 57, and 58 I worked in Vic's Department as a troubleshooter at FW Sickles Div of General Instruments which was the leading manufacturer of TV tuners for all the major TV makers. In those days, TV sets were made in the USA. I remember the day that Vic called me into his office and asked me how come I was fixing more tuners than any of the full time guys? I told him that I made a contest out of it...always trying to set a new record!

Here's the next trivia question:

What member bailed out of his Pitts Special aerobatic biplane in 1983 when it caught on fire ?

73, Barnacle JACK w1wef@arrl.net for your input!

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ALASKA	Pomfret Center	KE1LI	Brimfield	KK1W	Marshfield	N1BSO
Fairbanks KA1NCN	Putnam	W1EQ	Brookline	W1UQ	Marstons Mills	W1KM
		N1MD		K1YL	Mashpee	W1NA
CALIFORNIA	Redding	W0BR	Canton	K1BFD	Maynard	W1FV
Danville W2SC	Simsbury	N1IXF	Charlestown	K3NA	Medway	NC1N
Lancaster K6ND	Somers	W3SM	Chatham		Melrose	W1PL
San Carlos K2RD	Southbury	W1NG	W1VB		Mendon	W1RZF
		WB1GDG	Chelmsford	KY1B	Middleboro	K1VUT
CONNECTICUT		K1LOM		K1TWF	N. Chelmsford	AD1C
Ansonia W1CTN	Torrington	W1BIH		WN1V	N. Reading	K1EP
Ashford NT1N	Union	K1IM		K1ZA	Natick	AA1IZ
Bethany K2SS	Vernon	K1CC	Cheshire	W1TO	Newburyport	KF1V
K1YFR		N1MM	Chestnut Hill	W1UF	Norfolk	KB1HIP
AA1ZT		K1GX	Chicopee	K1BW	North Adams	WA1ZAM
Bloomfield N7NG	W. Suffield	K1KI		N1SR	North Andover	
K1RO	Waterbury	K1KRY	Dennisport	N3KCJ	North Chelmsf	
Bridgeport WA1FCN		KF2XK	Dracut	WK1V	North Pembrol	
Brookfield W1QK	Watertown	K1MK	Duxbury	W1CC	Northboro	N6RFM
Burlington W1DAI		W1CU		N1DG	Northborough	KM2P
NQ1K	Windsor	K1EBY	E. Falmouth	K1WCC	Norwell	WIAY
Burlington W1RM	() Indoor	W1TJL	Feeding Hills	KB1FWN	110111011	KA1R
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WA1JM	-	K2VUI		NIRL	Osterville	K1CN
Columbia K1BV	i i ooubtoon	N4XR	Florence	W1EQO	Pepperell	WC1D
KG1D		117211	Georgetown	K1UQ	Peru	K1TTT
Coventry W1UK	FLORIDA		Granby	KB1GHC	Pittsfield	NU1P
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Dayville KB1DFI	B MASSACHUS	FTTS	Haverhill	WA1JF	Roslindale	KD1HN
East Hartford N1JW	Abington	K1RV	Holden	AAIAA	Royalston	KK1DX
East Hampton AK1N	Acton	W1EBI	Holyoke	WIJK	Royalstoll	WR1X
East Killingly KB1H	Acton	W1EDI W1RY	Hopkinton	AAION	Saugus	KG1E
Easton W1XF	Agawam	KB1FSU	поркшоп	W1RH	Scituate	K01E K1NOK
Gales Ferry W1LW	Amesbury	W1DYH		K1ST	Schuale	AAIV
Glastonbury W1WEl	2	K1OA	Hudson	W1BK	Shirley	W1TE
Guilford W1JQ	Athol	KK1H	Truceson	KQ1F	Southwick	KB1FTX
Hamden N1NQE				KQ1F K1TXH	Southwick	NC1I
-	Bedford	NK1L		K11XII K1XM	Spanaar	
5	Belmont	K1TW	Vinceton		Spencer Sudbury	K1SF N1CPC
W3TB	Berlin	W1MJ	Kingston Lakeville	WB1FLA K1VV	Suddury	K1HT
Madison N1TM		KV1W				K1III K1IR
K1VW	Beverley	W1ZT	Leicester	N1FIY KM2T		KTIK KE1J
Moosup N1SXL		K1EO	Leominster	KM3T		
Mystic K1JN	Dillarian	K1JE	Lexington	N1AU W1EM	C	K1LZ
Naugatuck K1ZJ	Billerica	NF1A		W1FM	Swampscott	K2AJY
New Hartford N8RA	D1 1 (WO1N		K1GU	Tanatan	N1DS
Newington WA1FJ	Blackstone	N1XS		WM1K	Taunton	W7OT
North Conton KE111	Bolton	K1AE	Time - 1.	N1SOH	Tarrelation	K7UQT
North Canton KE1IH	7	W1CSM	Lincoln	K1VR	Tewksbury	KD1EA
North Granby KB1GW		W1GDW	Lowell	N1TT	Tance 11	N1HTS
North Haven K1WM(-	NIRWM	Lynn	W1FJ	Topsfield	N1AP
North Stonington	Boston	NIUEQ	Mansfield	WAIQGC	Townsend	N1SV
KAIVMO	G Boxford	N1DD	Marlboro	KV1J	Tyngsboro	KD6BLK
Northford AK10	Durit	W1MK		W1MAT	Tyngsborough	WAILY
Norwalk N1NB	Braintree	N1DC	I	W1NR	I	W1TQ

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The full S	cuttlebutt -						
Uxbridge	K5ZD	Danville	K1NQ	Hopewell Juncti	on K1ZM		K1FTA
W. Bridgewater		Derry	NIIW	Huntington	N2GC		W1WFZ
Waquoit	K1BI	Dover	K1BD	Lindenhurst	N2MUN	Cumberland	K1AM
Wayland	NB1B	2000	AA1QD	Malone	WZ2T	East Greenwich	
West Boylston	NISKM	Durham	KT1V	Manhasset	W2AX	Foster	W1HI
West Bridgewat		Etna	W1ECT	101umu550t	K2LE		B2VVV
West Falmouth	K5MA	Greenfield	W1VE	Melville	NN2C	Норе	KI1G
West Newbury	WILLU	Hampton	AA1CA	Middleburgh V		Narragansett	KB1JCT
Westboro	AG1C	Hanover	WC1M	Mohegan Lake	NA2M	Providence	K1VSJ
W CSCOOLO	K1RDD	Hollis	NR1DX	New Rochelle	W2GLA	Tiverton	NINK
Westfield	K1MZ	Hudson	KOTV	riew Roenene	KF2O	W. Greenwich	NB1U
Westford	WIDSW	Keene	NIKWF	New York	N2KW		VAIMKS
w estiona	W1ES	Kensington	K1RX	New TOIK	W2LK	Warren	AB1BX
	KINU	Londonderry	KB1SO		N2NI	Warwick	K1MD
Westwood	W1AX	Manchester	N1HKO		N2OW	w al wick	W1VET
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Williams	N1TQ K1DD					west warwick	
Whitman	K1RB	Mannimaal	N1TRK		K2WR		N1KJF
Woburn	WG1Z	Merrimack	K1HI	AT' 1	W2YG		N1LYA
Worcester	WIATS		KE1KD	Niskayuna	W2AU		
	W1KT		W2SUQ		W2GB	VIRGINIA	
			K2TE		NA2NA	Falls Church	AA1TE
MARYLAND		Milford	KC1F	North Babylon	KA2D		
Reisterstown	K1EFI		WA1S	Ossining	K2BWA	VERMONT	
	N1HMG	Nashua	KA1O		AE2F	Andover	W1US
			K1WD	Plainview	K2MFY	Brattleboro	W1ZS
		Newton	N1IX	Pleasantville	K2KQ	Burlington	N1JEZ
Brunswick	KB1FYP	North Hampton	W6FC	Rensselaer	K2XF	Colchester	AA1SU
	KB1FYQ		K1FOO	Rye	W2WB	Craftsbury Com	non K1LI
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Buxton	N1LW	Plaistow	K1LD	Scarsdale	K2MIT	Essex Junction	W1CX
Falmouth	W1EL	Rindge	K1QX		K2SX	Fayston	W1DEC
	W1GF		K1XX	Schaghticoke	N1JP	Grand Isle	WE1H
Gorham	KB1HNZ	Rochester	K1OZ	Schenectady V	VA1KKM	Hartland	K1IB
	KB1HOA	Windham	K1AR	5	N2LBR	Jericho	KK1L
Harrison	N1RY		K1DG	Slingerlands	K2XA		W1ZK
Manchester	W1AO		K1TR	Staten Island	AA2MF	Lincoln	W1SA
North Yarmouth			WA1Z		WA2RF	Milton	KE1FO
	KB1GWT	Wolfeboro	K1GQ	Troy	WF2B		W1MP
Portland	K1JB				K2BX		N1MR
	KB1GWW	NEW YORK			K2ONP	Montpelier	N1UR
Saco	KAIKIX	Albany	W2UV	Vernon	N2MG	Putney	K1KU
Scarborough	K1EU	Altamount	K2TR	, union		South Burington	
Seuroorough	RILO	Averill Park	WE2F	PENNSYLVAN	JTA	Bouth Burngton	W1DKL
NEW HAMPS	HIRF	Bellport	K2DO	Freeport	N1TIV		K1KD
Amherst	K1GW	Demport	N2GA	ricepoirt	11111	St. Albans	K1RD K1RMF
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Atkinson	W1DAD	Clifton Park	WK2H	Charlestown	KB1LN		
	K1MOM	Delmar	N1EU	Chepachet	N1BU		
		East Williston	N2FF	Coventry	WF1B		



2003 Picnic



New Crew - KB1JFG at the Grill

K3NA W1RZF K5ZD KB1N K1XM



K1EP N1XS



K7UQT W7OT NT1N?



N1NK

KB1H

WA1S ???? KQ1F

YCCC CLUB RESOURCE INFORMATION

DUES AND MEMBERSHIP STUFF Dues are payable as of the April election meeting, which begins our club "contest year". The YCCC has adopted a multi-tiered membership format as follows: Please note that payment of dues IS NOT a prerequisite for contributing scores to the Club aggregate, but IS for the various YCCC Awards Programs

Full Member - \$20 (Eligible for YCCC awards programs and paper delivery of Club newsletter)

Full Member - \$15 (Eligible for YCCC awards programs and electronic "Ebutt" delivery of Club newsletter)

Family Member - \$0 (Grants full membership to all amateurs residing at one domicile on payment of one member's "Full Member" annual dues and entitlement to one Club Newsletter sent to one domicile or email address. All members of said family are eligible for YCCC awards programs.)

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Subscription - \$** (A "friend of YCCC" - not a member but a possible candidate for future membership. Receives club newsletter only in paper or electronic form. Fee basis is \$20 for overseas paper delivery, \$15 for domestic paper delivery and \$10 for electronic "Ebutt" delivery domestically or overseas.)

Club members who move out of club territory and so are not eligible to contribute to club aggregate scores automatically become subscribers. New members who join at the February meeting are credited with dues for the year beginning the following April. You can tell if you owe dues by checking your 'Butt mailing label. Mail your dues to the club treasurer, Ed Parish, K1EP, 9 Spoon Way, N. Reading, MA 01864

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Upcoming Meetings

Date	Туре	Place
Oct 11 1:00PM – 5:00PM	http://www.yccc.org	Worcester, MA

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Next General Meeting of the Yankee Clipper Contest Club Worcester State College Saturday October 11th – 1:00-5:00PM

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