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2002 W1AW/5 IARU CONTEST



The October meeting will feature the 2002 W1AW/5 IARU Contest operation by CTDXCC. Multi-Multi stations at several locations participated. The CTDXCC video will be shown. The nomination of officers for 2007 will also take place. If you want to be an officer or want to nominate someone, please come to the meeting. The meeting is 7:00PM Thursday October 12th at the Tracey Gee Center. The pre meeting dinner is at Pappas BBQ on South Gessner near Wetheimer (Luther's) starting about 5:30PM. See you there.

YN2EJ CQWW DX Phone Operation

Ed, W5GCX, Frosty, K5LBU and Mike, K5UO, are going to Granada, Nicaragua to participate in the CQWW DX Phone Contest October 28-29. They will be leaving Thursday Oct. 25th and returning on Monday Oct. 30th. If you are interested in joining the crew contact Frosty. Be sure and look for them in the contest and give them as many Q's as you can. More details are on the web site:

<http://www.tdxs.net/YN2.html>

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TDXS Reflector: To subscribe to the TDXS reflector, go to
<http://moonbounce.n5iq.org/mailman/listinfo/tdxs-list>

Sympathy

The Texas DX Society extends heart felt condolences to Arthur Alvarez, N5KTN, and his family. Arthur's mother, Margaret Weaver, passed away on Saturday September 23rd at the age of 96.

Congratulations

TDXS wishes Happy Birthday to these members with October birthdays:

Jim Whitmire - KD4M
Wes Whiddon - N5WW
Ron Marosko, Sr. - K5LLL
Bill Schrader - K2TNO
Jeff McClain - K5MV
George DeMontrond, III - NR5M
Kim Carr - K5TU
Laurent Thomin - W0MM

Strays...

Cal, WF5W, reports that the small tower is up at the new QTH with an OLD tribander on top and the 160M dipole is deployed. The new shack is wired, drywalled and painted so he is on the air.

VU7 Lakshadweep 1-10 December 2006



Would you want this man on your DXpedition?

The National Institute of Amateur Radio, India's ARRL, does. They have drafted one of TDXS' own. Madison Jones, W5MJ, 7P8MJ, VP8WMJ and others has been invited to join the VU7RG team. Lakshadweep is the second most wanted DXCC entity so there will be no shortage of pile ups for the team to handle. Many well known DXpeditioners are participating in the operation.

For further details see the official web site: <http://www.vu7.in/>

Tomball Repeater Group Field Day de Cal WF5W

Come join the Tomball Bunch for the 15th (I think) annual field day event. Friday 3 November at 6 PM local to Saturday 4 November 6 PM local. You know why we have it this time of year, June has too many people on the air at the same time. AND we are a little slower than most, (Christmas party is always in February) We will have two stations running, a tribander up and a vertical, all bands available.

Junk, if you have some stuff you did not sell at Belton or Brenham, bring it along saturday and back in and show it off...someone might just buy it!! the junk that is.

Calendar

October 21 Brenham Swapmeet at the Washington County Fairgrounds

October 25-30 YN2EJ Dxpedition to Nicaragua

October 28-29 CQWW DX Contest - SSB Work the YN2EJ crew