



EASTERN IOWA DX ASSOCIATION

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Dx Repeater: 144.59/145.19 MHZ  
Weekly DX Net 9:30 Wednesdays

September 1982

QRM from the Vice President

Well, the ARRL national is behind us now and I have just about recovered! All club sponsored programs were well presented and attended. Thanks to all who helped support the club activities. Now with school starting, and the yard work winding down, the yearly subconscious fall affliction of contestitis is beginning to take it's toll. It's time to take that climb up the tower to check the connectors on the coax and the rotors. See you in the pile ups! N4RR

**FIRST LAW**

**OF PROCRASTINATION:**

Procrastination shortens the job and places the responsibility for its completion on someone else (the authority who imposed the deadline).

Next Club Meeting

The next meeting is September 17th in the REA building of Marion. The time is the usual 7:30. Dale WØIZ will give a presentation on satellite communication and there will be election of new officers for the next year. Think about who you would like to represent the club for next year.

DX want list

It's time to dust off the pages and make an update. The participation is up to 24 now but this last summer things got mighty slow! Hopefully with fall and winter approaching more of us (me included) will start contributing to the ever quest of a new country. Bring your updates to the club meeting.



**WESTLINK REPORT**

ARRL PROPOSED H.F. PHONE EXPANSION

Band	Extra & Above	Advanced & Above	General & Above
80/75	3.750 - 3.775	3.775 - 3.850	3.850 - 4.000
40	No change prop.	No change prop.	No change prop.
20	14.150 - 14.175	14.175 - 14.225	14.225 - 14.350
15	21.200 - 21.225	21.225 - 21.300	21.300 - 21.450
10	28.300 - 29.70*	28.300 - 29.70*	28.300 - 29.70*

\* No Novice or Technician privileges between 28.300 - 28.500 MHZ.

KRENKEL'S QUOTES:

"WHO SAYS SP  
ISN'T RARE ?"



QUOTE SUBMITTED BY  
GW5DQY

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# CEDAR VALLEY Amateur Radio Club

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July 26, '82

Dr. Robert W. Walstrom WØEJ  
PRESIDENT EIDX  
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Dear Wade,

On behalf of the membership of the CVARC, I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation for the active and vital role played by the Eastern Iowa DX Association, in our recent ARRL NATIONAL CONVENTION. Please inform your membership how grateful we are for the participation displayed by your whole club.

I want to thank you personally too, as you have supplied valuable aid during the planning and organization phases for that operation.

As you know, many of your members are also members of the CVARC, so their participation could be counted either way. However, it was very pleasing to see EIDX members who were not members of the CVARC, working side-by-side with our members to see that the convention was successful. We have received compliments from the ARRL folks, exhibitors, guests and workers on organization and operation of the convention. Your club contributed mightily to see that that was so. Many thanks!

I thought your booth, and the staffing of that booth was well done.

One of your members also won the CW contest (class II QS0), among all local operators. Mr. Dale Repp (WØIZ) succeeded to copy, for the record, at a speed of 50WPM. In that speed range, the code begins to sound like a steady, or interrupted, blur... Congratulations to Dale.

I understand the DX breakfast, forums and talks were also well done, and well attended. So you see, all the preliminary efforts were well worth the effort.

Sincerely,

*C.A. Southard*  
C.A. Southard NØII  
President CVARC

# WØGQ

**SECOND LAW  
OF PROCRASTINATION:**  
Procrastination reduces anxiety by reducing the expected quality of the project from the best of all possible efforts to the best that can be expected given the limited time.





### Calendar of Events

July	24-25	Hungarian Contest
Jy-Ag	31-1	Illinois QSO Party
Aug.	7-8	ARRL UHF Contest
† Aug.	7-8	Romanian Contest
• Aug.	14-15	European C.W. Contest
• Aug.	14-15	SEANET Phone Contest
Aug.	14-15	New Jersey QSO Party
Aug.	21-22	Alaska QSO Party
Aug.	21-22	SARTG RTTY Contest
Aug.	21-22	A5 UHF FSTV Contest
•• Aug.	28-29	All Asian C.W. Contest
Aug.	28-29	Alabama QSO Party
Aug.	28-29	Occupation QSO Party
Sep.	5	Bulgarian C.W. Contest
Sep.	4-5	Aruba Field Day
Sep.	4-6	FOUR Land QSO Party
Sep.	8-10	YLRL "Howdy Days"
Sep.	11-12	European Phone Contest
Sep.	11-12	Cray Valley SWL Contest
Sep.	11-12	G-QRP Activity
Sep.	11-12	ARRL VHF Contest
Sep.	19	North America Sprint
Sep.	18-19	New Mexico QSO Party
Sep.	18-19	Wash. State QSO Party
Sep.	18-19	Scandinavian C.W. Contest
Sep.	25-26	Scandinavian Phone Contest
Sep.	25-26	Delta QSO Party
Oct.	2-3	California QSO Party
Oct.	2-3	VK/ZL/Oceania Phone Contest
Oct.	9-10	VK/ZL/Oceania C.W. Contest
Oct.	16-17	Boy Scouts Jamboree
Oct.	16-17	Pennsylvania QSO Party
Oct.	16-17	ARCI QRP C.W. Contest
Oct.	30-31	<b>CQ WW DX Phone Contest</b>
Nov.	13-14	European RTTY Contest
Nov.	27-28	<b>CQ WW DX C.W. Contest</b>

\*Covered last month.  
 \*\*See June Calendar.  
 †Not official.

## THIRD LAW

### OF PROCRASTINATION:

Procrastination avoids boredom; one never has the feeling that there is nothing important to do.



"Wow! Look at that! Night like this really makes a guy want to bounce a signal off the moon."

Prefix	Location	Prefix	Location
A22	Botswana, old A2	P47	St. Maartin, old PJ5, 6, 7 & 8
A71	Qatar, old A7X	S4	Unofficial prefix for Ciskei. Counts for South Africa.
AH1-AH0	See KH1-KH0	S8	Unofficial prefix for Transkei. Counts for South Africa.
CF-CK	Canada	SV5	Dodecanese Islands
CY-CZ	Canada	SV9	Crete
EA-EH	Spain	SV0	Foreign hams in Greece, Crete or Dodecanese.
H31	Panama	T2	Tuvalu, old VR8
H44	Solomon Is., old VR4	T4	Assigned to Cuba, but used unofficially by Venda, which counts for South Africa.
H5	Unofficial prefix for Bophuthatswana. Counts for South Africa.	T5	Somalia, old 60
HD	Ecuador	T30	West Kiribati, old T3A, T3K, VR1. Includes Tarawa, Makin & Ocean Island.
HG	Hungary	T31	Central Kiribati, old T3P or VR1, British Phoenix Islands. Includes Canton & Phoenix Islands.
HT	Nicaragua	T32	Eastern Kiribati, old T3L or VR3. Christmas Island or Line Islands.
HW	France	TK	France
J2	Djibouti, old FL8	V2A	Antigua, old VP2A
J3	Grenada, old VP2G	V3	Belize, old VP1
J5	Guinea-Bissau, old CR3	VK9N	Norfolk Island
J6	Saint Lucia, old VP2L	VK9X	Christmas Island (Zone 29)
J7	Dominica, old VP2D	VK9Y	Cocos Island
J8	Saint Vincent, old VP2S	WH1-WH0	See KH1-KH0
KH1, AH1, NH1 & WH1	Baker, Canton & Howland Islands	WP2	See KP2
KH2, AH2, NH2 & WH2	Guam	WP4	See KP4
KH3, AH3, NH3 & WH3	Johnson Island	XJ-XO	Canada
KH4, AH4, NH4 & WH4	Midway Island	XO	Chile
KH5, AH5, NH5 & WH5	Palmyra & KH5K, Kingman	Y11-Y99	East Germany, old DM
KH6, AH6, NH6 & WH6	Hawaii	YT-YU	Yugoslavia
KH7, AH7, NH7 & WH7	Kure Island	YZ	Yugoslavia
KH8, AH8, NH8 & WH8	American Samoa	Z2	Zimbabwe, old ZE
KH9, AH9, NH9 & WH9	Wake Island	ZV-ZZ	Brazil
KH0, AH0, NH0 & WH0	Northern Marianas	1A	Unofficial prefix for S.M.O.M., which is a new country.
KP2	U.S. Virgin Islands	4K	Russian polar stations
KP4	Puerto Rico	4M	Venezuela
NH1-NH0	See KH1-KH0	4N	Yugoslavia
NP2	See KP2	4T	Peru
NP4	See KP4	6D-6J	Mexico
P41, P42	Netherlands Antilles, old PJ2, 3, 4 & 9	6T-6U	Sudan
		8J	Japan

Table 1- Prefixes most often asked about. List courtesy AC6V, NCDXC.

## FOURTH LAW

### OF PROCRASTINATION:

Procrastination may eliminate the job entirely if the need passes before the job can be done.

