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**DX CALENDAR**

Mon. Apr. 2 WVVW 630 St. Marys, WV 1kw 0400-0430 EST NRC/CCM  
 Mon. 9 WGCR 720 Pisgah Forest, NC 1kw 0430-0500 EST NRC/CCM  
 WVVW-630, P. O. Box 374, Saint Marys, WV 26170 will conduct a special DX  
 Test on 4/2/90, 0400-0430 EST. The test will be made using 1kw ND and will  
 consist of tones, IDs, and some music. Thanks to National Radio Club  
 member Mr. Bob Eddy, Pres., for this test. -NRC/Colorado CPC Machine  
 WGCR-720, P. O. Box 720, Pisgah Forest, NC 28768 will conduct a special DX  
 TEST on 4/9/90, 0430-0500 EST. Txn to Mr. Randy C. Barton, GM. -NRC/CCM

**---DX Worldwide - West---**  
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- 1520 MEXICO, Cd. Juarez-XEJBC fair-good atop w/Radio Paso del Norte ID 0140 2/24. Another new Mexican! (KAZ-CA1)
- 1530 MEXICO, Mexico City-XEUR- good w/KFBK phased w/Radio Onda SID and tropical mx. 0519 2/19 (KAZ-CA1)
- 1555 CAYMAN ISLANDS, Gun bluff good peaks 0512 3/4, w/nice bfl mx(KAZ)
- 1580 MEXICO, Hermosillo-XEDM-re logging of Radio Hacil as XEE Durango here. These are just XEDM pest. Radio Hacil is a new network and was hrd on XEDM listing several stations including XEDM and a station in Durango, presumably XEE. I guess Chris Knight hrd them mention only one aff. station at a time when we listened on 3/4. Very Confusing! (KAZ-CA1)
- 1590 MEXICO, Cd. Delicias-XEJK here ex 1340 noted poor-fair in mess 0740 2/19 w/slogan sd/like Radio Huaki. Tim had a clear XEJK calls on tape earlier but also didn't have slogan clearly. This must have taken over the freq. from nearby XEBZ in Meoqui changing frequenciwes almost as fast as the Peso is devaluating.hi.(KAZ-CA1)
- 1600 MEXICO, Tecate-XETCT def. is the call for this new one w/Rock 16 slogans and typical Mex. format for young adults consisting of T40 from a couple yrs ago. Calls given at 2255 and 2355 3/12. (KAZ-CA)

**TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP**

- 693 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOAB presume the source huge carrier here 1110 3/12 When XETRA was phased this seemed to be an OC w/mike keyed.(KAZ)
- 828 JAPAN, Osaka-JOBB here poor w/JJ YL and clas. mx 1120 3/12.(KAZ)
- 1053 KOREA, Jammer noted here w/buzz saw jamming 1127 3/12. Where exactly is this and what does in jam? (KAZ-CA) (My understanding is that this is a South Korean jammer jamming the North Korean station on 1053, which is rare here. PM)

**THANKS TO THESE REPORTERS**

- TRH-CA TIM HALL-350 G STREET #F-1, CHULA VISTA, CA. 92010-4559  
ICF-2010, Radio West Loop
- KAZ-CA NEIL KAZAROSS-17045 CAPILLA PLACE, SAN DIEGO,CA. 92127
- KAZ-CA1 NEIL KAZAROSS DXing in Poway,Ca.Super Radio, R-70,1700 ft.Dev.
- RW-CA ROBERT WLFN-1309 DENTWOOD DRIVE-SAN JOSE,CA. 95118  
GE SUPER RADIO, Loop

# IRCA SportsCentre

your host:  
Dale Park  
PO Box 22778  
Honolulu HI 96822

"Goodevening Mr. & Mrs. North America and all the ships at sea—let's go to press! Flash... After a long mysterious hiatus of several months, Dale Park has resurfaced with the feature 'IRCA SportsCentre' using a new address. He claims the feature will appear monthly in the popular, respected magazine **DX Monitor**. He says he'll explain his absence later, but in the opinion of this reporter he is as evasive as Howard Hughes. His return manuscript includes flagship compilations of various indoor professional athletic groups..."

## NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

640	WGST-GA	Atlanta HAWKS	Steve Holman
590	WEEI-MA	Boston CELTICS	Johnny Most, Glenn Ordway, Doug Brown
1110	WBT-NC	Charlotte HORNETS	Steve Martin, Gil McGregor
1000	WLUP-IL	Chicago BULLS	Jim Durham and Johnny "Red" Kerr, John Rooney and Junior Bridgeman
850	WRMR-OH	Cleveland CAVALIERS	Joe Tait (Jim Johnson when Tait does TV-cast)
820	WBAP-TX	>Dallas MAVERICKS	Allen Stone, Ted Davis
1080	KRLD-TX		
850	KOA-CO	Denver NUGGETS	Jeff Kingery, Bob Martin
950	WWJ-MI	Detroit PISTONS	George Blaha
680	KNBR-CA	Golden State WARRIORS	Greg Papa, Steve Physioc
740	KTRH-TX	Houston ROCKETS	Gene Peterson, Jim Foley
1320	KXYZ-TX	Spanish:	Rolando Becerra, Alex Lopez-Megrete
1260	WNDE-IN	Indiana PACERS	Mark Boyle
1110	KRLA-CA	Los Angeles CLIPPERS	Ralph Lawler
570	KLAC-CA	Los Angeles LAKERS	Chick Hearn, Stu Lantz
1090	XEPRS-CA	Spanish:	UNAVAILABLE
560	WQAM-FL	Miami HEAT	"Sudden" Sam Smith, Eric Reid
710	WAQI-FL	Spanish:	Sarvelio Del Valle, Carlos Fournier
620	WIMJ-WI	Milwaukee BUCKS	Jim Irwin, John McGlocklin
1130	WDGY-MN	Minnesota TIMBERWOLVES	Kevin Harlan
1050	WEVD-NJ	New Jersey NETS	Howard David, Jim Spanarkel, Mike O'Koren
660	WFAN-NY	>New York KNICKS	Jim Karvellas, Walt Frazier
930	WPAT-NJ		
740	WWNZ-FL	Orlando MAGIC	David Steele
610	WIP-PA	>Philadelphia 76ERS	John Gurevitch (+ Neil Funk on home games only)
1480	WDAS-PA		
620	KTAR-AZ	Phoenix SUNS	Al McCoy (+ Dick Van Arsdale on TV simulcasts only)
1190	KEX-OR	Portland TRAILBLAZERS	Bill Schonely, Geoff Petrie
1530	KFBK-CA	Sacramento KINGS	Gary Gerould
1200	WOAI-TX	San Antonio SPURS	Jay Howard, Andy Everett
720	KSAH-TX	Spanish:	Ricardo Cias, Armando Quinterg
950	KJR-WA	Seattle SUPERSONICS	Kevin Calabro, Rick Barry, Jim Marsh
570	KISN-UT	Utah JAZZ	"Hot" Rod Hundley, Dave Blackwell (+ Ron Boone when // cable)
1260	WWDG-DC	Washington BULLETS	Charlie Slows

NOTES: Flagship stations on the left; commentators on the right. "Back-up" stations carry games if a conflict occurs on the flagship, with the time purchased by the team or the flagship. 1. Rooney and Bridgeman handle games when Durham and Kerr do the tele- 2. Back-up during baseball season. 3. Back-up for baseball season unavailable. 4. Left former flagship 930 KRTH (now KKHJ) due to format change. 5. Back-up listed, other sources say 710 WOR-NY. 6. Back-up; other sources say 1340 WHAT. 7. 46 home and 16 road games only. 8. Barry on TV simulcasts; otherwise Marsh.

## NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

99.1	WPLM-MA+	>Boston BRUINS	Bob Wilson, Johnny Bucyk
1390	WPLM-MA+		
930	WBEN-NY	Buffalo SABRES	Rick Jeanneret, Jim Lorentz
770	CHQR-AB	Calgary FLAMES	Peter Maher, Doug Barkley
780	WBMM-IL	Chicago BLACK HAWKS	Pat Foley, Dale Tallon
760	WJR-MI	Detroit RED WINGS	Bruce Martyn, Paul Woods
1260	CFRN-AB	Edmonton OILERS	Rod Phillips, Gord Garbutt
1080	WTIC-CT	Hartford WHALERS	Chuck Kaiton, Andre Lacroix
570	KLAC-CA	>Los Angeles KINGS	Bob Miller, Nick Nickson
1260	KGIL-CA		
980	WAYL-MN	Minnesota NORTH STARS	Al Shaver, J.G. Preston
600	CFCF-PQ	Montreal CANADIENS	Dick Irvin, Rob Faulds
690	CBF-PQ	French:	Claude Quenneville, Gilles Tremblay, Mario Tremblay
770	WABC-NY	New Jersey DEVILS	Chris Moore, Larry Brooks

710 WOR--NY	New York ISLANDERS	UNAVAILABLE
660 WFAN-NY	2>New York RANGERS	Marv Albert, Howie Rose
930 WPAT-NJ		
610 WIP--PA	Philadelphia FLYERS	Gene Hart, Bobby Taylor
1020 KDKA-PA	Pittsburgh PENGUINS	Mike Lange, Paul Steigerwald
800 CHRC-PQ	Quebec NORDIQUES (French only)	Alain Crete, Michel Carrier
1120 KMox-MO	St. Louis BLUES	Ken Wilson, Bruce Affleck
1430 CJCL-ON	Toronto MAPLE LEAFS	Joe Bowen, Paul Romanuk
980 KKNW-BC	Vancouver CANUCKS	Jim Robson, Paul Larscheid
630 WMAL-DC	Washington CAPITALS	Ron Weber
580 CKY--MB	Winnipeg JETS	Curt Keilback, Ken Nicolson, Mike O'Hearn

NOTES: 1. Back-up station; sometimes supplemented by 1190 KORG-CA. 2. Back-up station.

### AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

590 WROW-NY	Adirondack RED WINGS [Detroit] <sup>1</sup>	Bob Crawford
1300 WFBR-MD	Baltimore SKIPJACKS [Washington]	Mike Haynes
1360 WRSQ-NY	Binghamton (NY) WHALERS [Hartford]	Marc Shelanski
1460 WCMB-PA	Hershey (PA) BEARS [Philadelphia]	Dan Kamal
560 WGAN-ME	Maine MARINERS [Boston] <sup>2</sup>	Scott Wykoff, Frank Fixaris
1300 WAVZ-CT	New Haven (CT) NIGHTHAWKS [Los Angeles]	Dan Rusanowsky
1480 CKAN-ON	Newmarket (ON) SAINTS [Toronto]	John Edlerson
950 WBBF-NY	Rochester RED WINGS [Buffalo]	Don Stevens, John Bednarski
1600 WIXY-MA	Springfield (MA) INDIANS [Islanders]	John H. Forslund
1310 WTLB-NY	Utica (NY) DEVILS [New Jersey]	Jim Jackson

NO RADIO: Cape Breton OILERS [Edmonton] of Sydney NS; Halifax (NS) CITADELS [Quebec]; Moncton (NB) HAWKS [Winnipeg]; Sherbrooke (PQ) CANADIENS [Montreal]. NOTES: 1. Represents Glens Falls NY. 2. Represents Portland. NHL parent teams in brackets.

### INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

1160 WACY-MI	Flint (MI) SPIRITS [Rangers]	Bob Kaser
1190 WOWO-IN	Fort Wayne (IN) KOMETS [Montreal/Quebec/Winnipeg]	Bob Chase
1260 WNDE-IN	Indianapolis ICE [Chicago]	Ken Double
98.5 WNWN-MI	Kalamazoo (MI) WINGS [Minnesota]	Mike Miller
1130 WISN-WI	Milwaukee ADMIRALS [Vancouver]	Doug Pettit
98.3 WLCS-MI	Muskegon (MI) LUMBERJACKS [Pittsburgh]	Bob Heethuis
102.3 WTAE-IL	Peoria (IL) RIVERMEN [St. Louis]	Norm Unger
1230 KPMX-AZ	Phoenix ROADRUNNERS [Buffalo/Detroit/Edmonton/L.A.]	Dave Tunnel
1060 KRSP-UT	Salt Lake GOLDEN EAGLES [Calgary]	Mike Barack

NOTES: 1. Represents Salt Lake City; league lists frequency as AM 1230.

### MAJOR INDOOR SOCCER LEAGUE

600 WCAO-MD	Baltimore BLAST	Art Sinclair, Bob Bartel
1300 WERE-OH	Cleveland CRUNCH	Mike Snyder
570 KLDD-TX	Dallas SIDEKICKS	Craig Way, Timm Mathews
980 KMBZ-MO	Kansas City COMETS	Kevin Wall, Charlie Fajkus
690 XETRA-CA	San Diego SOCKERS	Randy Hahn
1550 XEBG-MX	Spanish (home games only):	UNAVAILABLE
1260 WIBV-IL	1>St. Louis STORM	Ron Jacober, David Yonitz
1430 WIL--IL		
850 KTAC-WA	Tacoma STARS	John Lynch
1240 KNSS-KS	Wichita WINGS	Dave Phillips, Klaus Kollmai

NOTES: 1. Stations alternate coverage; non-TV games aired only.



### AMERICAN INDOOR SOCCER ASSOCIATION

107.5 WCHK-GA	Atlanta ATTACK	1230	WCBO-PA	Hershey (PA) IMPACT
1480 WHBC-OH	Canton (OH) INVADERS		NONE	Indiana KICK <sup>1</sup>
92.7 WCBR-IL	Chicago POWER	680	WODZ-TN	Memphis ROGUES
NONE	Dayton (OH) DYNAMO	1340	WLZR-WI	Milwaukee WAVE

NOTE: 1. Represents Fort Wayne.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK: Ken Onyschuk and Andy Rugg in NRC; The Hockey News; Broadcasting, 16 Oct. '89; Soccer America, 16 Nov. '89; Tim R. Hall, CA; AHL, ATSA, IHL.

Well, I'm back, and I hope I can keep this up at the rate of once a month. If you have any information on what station carries your favorite pro or college teams, please oh please let me know. (Sorry, Floyd Perry, but New Jersey classifies pro wrestling as "entertainment"! ) Happy 26th Birthday, IRCA, and I'll see ya in DXM. Be there. Aloha.



PAT MARTIN P.O. BOX 843 SEASIDE, OR 97138

# DX Worldwide - West

Time: UTC phone (503) 861-3185

We have a really good column for you this week. Tim Hall and Neil Kazaross did alot of good DXing. So on with the reports:

## PAN-AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 550 MEXICO, Cd. Cuauhtemoc-XEPL fair to good atop KOY w/"R. Exitos, La Super Estacion" 0155 2/23 (KAZ-CA1)
- 630 MEXICO, Mazatlan-XETK fair w/call ID and Radio Reina slogan 0511 2/19 w/US QRM and again 0152 2/24. (KAZ-CA1)
- 710 MEXICO, Culiacan XEBL fr-gd w/local ads o/KMPC and pest XEDP 0145 2/23 (KAZ-CA1)
- 770 MEXICO?, XE? 3/12 at 0856 Unid Mexican vy weak in CHQR/KRPM nulls faded up for only partial ID on hour as "equis-eh ????" KKOB off air this morning for rare maint. period. None of the XEs listed on 770 in89 WRTH or Mexiglenn list are 24 hrs NHP. Ideas? (RW-CA)(All XEs listed in 90 WRTH are not 24 hours either, but any station can change that. PM)
- 780 MEXICO, Autlan XELD good mixed with KROW 0248-0305 2/23. Two Radio Costa IDs hrd at 0303 from woman taking a call during a break from SS mx (KAZ-CA1)
- 810 MEXICO, Rio Grande XEZC SM 3/11 1203 XE anthem and s/on. Nowhere near as loud as at beverage site, but not bad. (TRH-CA)  
+Also noted excellent. Crushing KGO w/Radio Felicidad ID and Rio Grande ment at presumed s/on1210 3/4 (KAZ-CA1)
- MEXICO, Tampico XEFW SM 3/11 1205, faded up in the middle of XEZCs s/on w/their own s/on. Caught ID on tape. Slogan sounded like "Radio Mezcal??" or "Pescal" couldn't hear it very well. New YE #180
- MEXICO, UNID s/on noted 1100 u/KGO talk soon lost to (TRH-CA)  
ZNS-3. Another stronger s/on noted 1200 3/4 just as tape ran out. We don't believe pest XERSV comes on until 1300 so these nice catches were lost. (KAZ-CA1)
- 830 BELIZE, Belize City-nice signal not to strong, but clear for a few minutes 1132 3/4. YL w/ID into mellow mx. Quite rare here since it moved from 834. (KAZ-CA1)
- 920 MEXICO, Culiacan XEQC in well 0120 3/9 w/adx for some event on "La Playa de Culiacan". (KAZ-CA1)  
MEXICO, Ensenada-XESDA are definately these calls given at 2400 3/12. Good signal w/ KDES phased, but some KMJC slop. Same format as XETCT and Rock 92 IDs. Both of these are RCN net. (KAZ-CA)  
MEXICO, UNID th 3/15 1304 way u/pest XEQC w/male DJ who ment. Monterrey and Nuevo Leon. Poss. nedded XEOK. (TRH-CA)
- 940 CUBA, Radio Reloj poor but finally hrd w/RR in morse 1044 and 1045 3/4 w/bits of SS nx and clock ticks, u/KNST w/KPRE. (KAZ-CA1)
- 950 MEXICO, Tijuana XEKAM noted off at tune in 2/23 at 0045. Was off all weekend until noted back on Sun night 2/27 w/SS format. Seems their experiment in EE w/FBN was unsuccessful. Format now a mix of US and SS CHR w/occ oldie thrown in. Slogans are R.95 and R.95 de California w/frequent call letter IDs. XEPB can be hrd in their null. (KAZ-CA)  
MEXICO, Hermosillo-XEPB in w/huge signals w/new format and slogan Radio Amor and nice romantica mx 0313 2/23 w/XEKAM off and XEFA buried way under. (KAZ-CA1)  
+Monitored at home 0240-0305 2/26 and caught two mentions of 10KW power, was 1KW. (KAZ-CA)  
MEXICO, Chihuahua-XEFA briefly fair-good in XEPB fade w/Radio Rama SID 0225 2/23 (KAZ-CA1)  
MEXICO, El Fuerte XEORF atop 1342 w/adx for nearby Los Mochis 3/4 w/XEKAM off. (KAZ-CA1)
- 960 MEXICO, Cd. Obregon-XEIQ good w/no QRM 0055 2/23 w/Radio Felicidad ID and TC (KAZ-CA1)
- 970 MEXICO, Mazatlan-XEVOX 3/10 1312 good signal poking through XEJ w/anmt "con 5,000 watts de potencia, Radio Voz" followed by TC and mx, local ads. New XE#179. (TRH-CA)
- 980 MEXICO, Nueva Rosita XENR Th 3/15 1213 p-fr u/KFWB w/"N-R" and "La N-R" slogans. GMT-6 TCs, ads mentioning "Aqui en Nueva Rosita."

980 MEXICO, Nueva Rosita (continued) XEKE apparently off this AM, New  
XE #182. (TRH-CA)

990 MEXICO, La Paz-XEHZ w/R 9-90 SS ID well u/pest XECL 1048 on  
2/24. (KAZ-CA1)

1010 MEXICO, UNID 3/9 1258 XE anthem looping East, possible 1KW mention  
and maybe XEEB, which I think I used to hear. (TRH-CA)  
MEXICO, Culiacan-XEWS Th 3/15 1250 poor-fair w/frequent use of  
"Radio Capitol" slogan possible ment. of Radio Hacil(still unsure  
of spelling on that) network, XE anthem at 1254 followed by nice  
clear ID mentioning 5KW power. This station has not moved to 1020  
as someone reported last year. New XE #183. (TRH-CA)  
MEXICO, UNID Th 3/15 vy weak undermodulated XE anthem u/XEWS a  
few minutes after their anthem. Loop direction and possible "Radio  
Rancherita" mention suggest XEEB. (TRH-CA)

1030 MEXICO, Los Mochis XEMCM?-huge signal w/Radio Fema ID and Radio  
Sistema del Noroeste net ment 0115 2/23. (KAZ-CA1)

1040 MEXICO, Chihuahua-XEHES the calls for this channel wrecking and now  
generally NSPpest sure sounded like XEHES (not XEHF) to me. Note  
that S&F ad as much alike in SS as in EE. Hrd. vy good 0122 2/23  
w/XEHES call and "La Poderosa" slogan. (KAZ-CA1)

1050 MEXICO, La Paz-XEBCS SM 3/11 1301 XE anthem and s/on. Man gave  
program highlights for the day. Schedule for this former daytime  
is now 1300-0500. Slogan is "Radio Cultural" and programs originate  
for Universidad Autonoma de Baja California del Sur. Day power as  
10KW, night power unknown but probably low. (TRH-CA)

1070 MEXICO, Cd. Obregon-XEOBS good o/KNX phase null 0506 2/19 w/Radio  
Mexicana ID (KAZ-CA1)

1080 MEXICO, Cd. Morelos-XEDY MM 3/12 1306-1330. Took advantage of  
local XEPRS-1090s SP to monitor this one. S/on time around 1300  
format is Ranchera, slogan "R. Gallo" (TRH-CA)

1090 MEXICO, Rosarito-XEPRS-MM 3/12 1000-1400 completely off. Thx to  
Neil Kazaross for the tip. KAAY and UNID (XEAU?) noted. (TRH-CA)

1130 MEXICO, Nogales-XEHN vy good o/phased superlocal KSDO w/"HN" IDs.  
La Pantera slogan and ad mention several Nogales stations and  
Radio Rama net. Plays SS pops 0127-0133 3/9. (KAZ-CA1)

1140 MEXICO, Monterrey-XEMR fair w/"La Nueva MR" IDs 1000 3/4 w/KLUC  
UNID, here approx 1240-1315 u/KSL w/Ranchera mx. Tim (KAZ-CA1)  
has been getting KFHM here at this time, but we're both sure we had  
Radio Variedades ID here and KFHM is "La M Grande" 3/4. (KAZ-CA1)

1180.9 CUBA, the jammer for Radio Marti noted jamming Radio marti which  
was atop 1180, w/typical 60 hz hum 0806 3/4. Also noted there is  
this type of jammer on 1142.3 which gets out here occ. (KAZ-CA1)

1240 MEXICO, Nogales-XECG poor o/growl w/local KSON phased and occ QRM  
0200 3/9 (KYOR) 3/9 w/same ad ID ment. several Nogales stns.(KAZ)

1250 UNID, Mexican NA noted way u/pest XEDL 0458 2/19 (KAZ-CA1)

1280 MEXICO, Chihuahua-XEBW poor 0123 2/24 w/ "Doce Ochenta" slogan  
w/XEHS. Also 0257 3/9 poor alone w/XEBW ID taped. (KAZ-CA1)

1310 MEXICO, Agua Prieta-XEPH fair-good 0239 3/4 w.local ads and blast-  
ing in 0435 w/"La F-H" ID and lively SS mx, also huge signals  
0230 3/9. On East bev, which nulls XEC. (KAZ-CA1)

1340 MEXICO, Los Mochis-XECW fr-good atop w/Radio Variedades ID and Los  
Mochis ment 0144 2/24. (KAZ-CA1)

1370 MEXICO, Monterrey-XEMON-Re my 2/19 logging should say "Nuevo Leon"  
not "Nuevo Laredo." My typo. (TRH-CA)

1380 MEXICO, Allende-XEVD SM 3/11 1237 Ranchera w/local ads by man and  
woman, huge signal at times w/many "Aqui en Allende" mentions. This  
is probably the station I have been hearing every AM around this  
same time, persistence pays off! New XE #181 (TRH-CA)  
MEXICO, UNID noticed the time was missing on my UNID log 3/10 DXWW  
S/off just before 0800 GMT. (TRH-CA)

1400 MEXICO, Santa Ana-XEAB noted mostly atop other SS's and KEZC 0036-  
0130 2/24. Nice full ID 0102 "Esta es Radio Santa Ana desde Santa  
Ana, Sonora, mil watts." (KAZ-CA1)

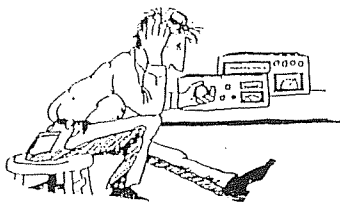
1470 MEXICO, Caborca-XEUK xlint 0315 3/4 on E. Beverage way o/KMFI and  
local XERCN w/"La U-K" ID. (KAZ-CA1)

1480 MEXICO, Navajoa-XENS xlint 0613 2/19 w/"La N-S" slogan and TC. (KAZ)

1490 MEXICO, Guaymas-good 0110 w/Radio Marinara ID local ments 2/23(KAZ)

1505 t ANGUILLA, The Valley-noted big OC here 0407 3/4 definately strong  
enough to hold S Meter steady against slop. Like many Carib. sta-  
tions they leave OC AN. I've had audio bits of mx and Carib. talk  
from this several times. Best time seems about 1/2 hour to an hour  
past SS here. (KAZ-CA1)

1510 MEXICO, Cortazar Guanajuato (Celaya listed) XEOF noted o/KNSE/KGA  
0602 2/19 w/XECF "La Mexicana" ID. (KAZ-CA1)



# Eastern DX Roundup

Ray Bauernhuber  
141-12 243rd Street  
Rosedale, NY 11422

DEADLINE: Monday's at my QTH for ALL winter issues

- =====
- (GH-PA) Gary Heisey, Box 310F RD 1, Osterburg, PA - 16667  
Philco Radio w/4' Loop
- (TF-CT) Tony Fitzherbert, 356 JACKMAN Avenue, Fairfield, CT-06432  
GE Superadio
- (MB-ON) Mike Brooker, 99 Wychcrest Avenue, Toronto, ON M6G 3X8  
Panasonic RF-2200, Sony ICF-7600D
- =====
- 540 KWMT IA, FORT DODGE 3/8 2054 FAIR w/ID and Central Time by f/DJ;  
c/w mx in CJSB null w/no WWCS. Faded to weak French station  
at ToH; WWCS back on at 2132; mentioned they had technical  
problems. Very excited about this one as it was LONG WANTED.  
(GH-PA)
- 560 WFRB MD, FROSTBURG 3/4 1747 //105.3 FM w/"The Country Leader";  
ABC News at 1800 followed by "Tri-State Dealer"; lots of c/w  
and gone by 1813. (TF-CT)
- 560 CFOS ON, OWEN SOUND 3/4 1813 ATOP w/commercial for and  
"Anniversary Coin" available at several Owen Sound merchants  
followed by a funeral announcement; lost abruptly at 1816  
(pattern change?). First time heard here! (TF-CT)
- 920 WHJJ RI, PROVIDENCE 3/8 1731 FAIR w/phone talk show that sounded  
local; "Newstalk 920 AM, WHJJ"; wx at 1731 into local nx by  
f/ann. Another LONG WANTED. (GH-PA)
- 930 WAUR IL, SANDWICH 3/4 0258 FAIR in WBEN null w/Interstate Radio  
Network c/w program, 0300 ID as "This is the Fox Valley's  
Great AM, WAUR, Sandwich/Aurora" into ABC nx; 0303 local wx,  
another "Fox Valley's Great AM" ID then back to c/w. (MB-ON)
- 970 WWIT NC, CANTON 3/5 1735 GOOD w/NC News Network, sports, ID, then  
soon faded in jumble. (GH-PA)
- 1000 WJHH GA, SOPERTON 2/28 1815 VERY POOR w/ID by m/ann and s/off  
w/SSB. (GH-PA)
- 1030 WNTL MD, INDIAN HEAD 3/8 1815\* FAIR in WBZ null over CHUM/CFRB  
slop w/sign off anct mentioning "Washington's International  
Sound, Stereo 1030, WNTL", no SSB. Ex-WBZE. (MB-ON)
- 1040 WJTB OH, NORTH RIDGEVILLE 3/5 1752 POOR over CHUM slop, noted  
with "8 before 6 on WJTB" into black mx, then killed by CHUM.  
(MB-ON)
- 1100 WYKR VT, WELLS RIVER 3/8 1758-1800\* FAIR-GOOD chewing up nulled  
WWWE with c/w mx, spot for the Nashville Network, local wx at  
1800 into s/off anct mentioning that the station is owned by  
Puffer Broadcasting, choral SSB. (MB-ON)
- 1140 WRVA VA, RICHMOND 3/4 2100 noted off at this time, rare SP! Back  
on at 2140. (GH-PA)
- 1260 WEZE MA, BOSTON 3/8 1700 WEAK u/WPHB w/"Christian Radio in  
Boston, WEZE" into the "Compassion Connection." (GH-PA)
- 1290 WRCP RI, PROVIDENCE 3/3 1810-1830 in Spanish or Portugese (it's  
Portugese as per the NRC Log - ed) w/live sports event [the  
commentary was mixed w/applause]; wx atop the frequency till  
1830; it's the only ethnic outlet heard here on 1290. (TF-CT)
- 1290 WHKY NC, HICKORY 3/7 1828 POOR w/ID into Barry Farber talk show.  
(GH-PA)
- 1310 WTLB NY, UTICA 3/4 2108 FAIR w/ID and oldies. (GH-PA)
- 1310 WMTG MI, DEARBORN 3/6 2018 POOR w/ID, mention of Michigan and  
into AC mx. (GH-PA)
- 1350 WINY CT, PUTNAM 3/7 1722 POOR w/ID, song by Hall & Oates, local  
spots. Again on 3/8...this time Excellent w/ID. (GH-PA)
- 1350 CJLM PQ, JOLIETTE 3/7 1750 FAIR w/ID as "CJLM" in French; played  
Rolling Stones song. (GH-PA)
- 1390 WPLM MA, PLYMOUTH 3/8 1710-1720 GOOD w/the "Music of Your Life"  
into songs; POOR ON ID. (GH-PA)
- 1530 WTME ME, AUBURN 2/28 1800 VERY STRONG after local WDJZ s/off  
w/Christian mx; s/off at 1820 as "operating from studios at



# Central DX Roundup

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## FOR THE RECORD

All times are Eastern. ➡ Deadlines: 4/7, 4/21, 5/12, 6/2, 6/30, 7/28.

## RIDING GAIN

- [TML-IN] = Tom Laskowski, 1334 East Miner Street, South Bend, IN 46617  
ICOM IC-R71A, loop.
- [RS-MO] = Randy Stewart, 4225 West La Casa, Springfield, MO 65802.  
Realistic TRF 12-656, 4' spiral loop.
- [JcJ-MT] = Your editor using an ICOM IC-R71A with a 23" ferrite bar loop.

## DX TESTS

- 1300 KWCK AR Searcy, 3/4 fairly good copy on voice IDs. 0300 w/Jazz music and station data (power, tower, etc.). Info also in SS. Not needed, but a report sent anyway. [TML-IN]

## SPECIAL INTEREST

- 1140 KZMQ WY Greybull, EX-KMMZ. 3/17 good. 1200 w/ID "FM 100 and AM 1140 KZMQ Greybull, Basin. The Country Superstation." SNN News. Satellite fed C&W format. Also using slogan "Crystal Clear Country Superstation KZMQ." (KMMZ was rock). [JcJ-MT]
- 1340 KICK MO Springfield, Noted OFF THE AIR as of 0600 3/6 for financial reasons. [RS-MO]
- 1490 KFBN MT Laurel, Former format was satellite fed FBN. Now rock oldies re-broadcasting KKUL-FM 95.5 from Hardin, MT. I have made a few random checks and have yet to hear this station ID. All you hear is a clean re-feed of 95.5. Thus, hourly IDs are "KKUL Hardin. Billings' new kool 95.5." I will keep you posted. Note KKUL-1230 Hardin, MT is still silent. [JcJ-MT]

## DOWN THE DIAL


- 600 CHRX BC Vancouver, 3/19 good w/KKQL nulled. 0230 w/rock oldies. ID "With the most classic rock guaranteed. We're cable stereo 90 dot 9, AM 600 CHRX." [JcJ-MT]
- KROD TX El Paso, 3/14 good. 0315 w/rock oldies. ID "Playing Rock & Roll the way it was meant to be on the Big 600 KROD." Not needed. Good opening to the south tonight. [JcJ-MT]
- 610 WDAF MO Kansas City, 3/19 good w/KZSS and KVNU nulled. 0150 w/C&W. IDing as "61 Country WDAF." 0156 w/ABC News. 0158 spots and weather. DJ Christie Russell. This is the first time I've ever heard WDAF! MO#20. [JcJ-MT]
- 630 CKRC MB Winnipeg, 3/19 good, alone. 0240 w/C&W. ID "630 CKRC." Not needed, but rare to find this alone on 630. [JcJ-MT]
- 720 CHTN PEI Charlottetown, 3/11 very good at times. o/KDWN. No WGN. 0400 w/lots of CHR and oldies. Many "CHTN" IDs. "Island" weather, spots. New for me, PEI#1!! Report sent. [TML-IN]
- KDWN NV Las Vegas, 3/11 fair. 0356 w/adcon format, woman announcer. 0359 ID "From the beautiful ?? Plaza Hotel, KDWN Las Vegas." into AP Network News. Soon lost to CHTN. New, NV#1, state number 44. Special thanks to WGN. [TML-IN]
- 930 KLCY MT East Missoula, 3/17 briefly good o/KSEI. 0330 w/lite rock format. ID "The station: KLCY. The frequency AM 9-30. Classy 9-30. The friends you can count on." [JcJ-MT]
- 1200 KOKK SD Huron, 3/7 fair to good w/WCAU nulled. 2150 with Alpena Wildcats basketball game. Many "Dakota Sports on KOKK" outcues. 2200 ID "KOKK in Huron." Local spots for Alpena, Woonsocket, and Huron businesses. Report sent. [RS-MO]
- 1340 KSEK KS Pittsburg, 3/6 dominating frequency now that KICK has gone off the air. [RS-MO]

## 25 YEARS AGO

March 31, 1965 issue of DX Monitor...Membership reached 363...WCBS 880 was reported to have a MM sign off of 0105, sign on 0530...New policy was in effect for reporting to the forum sections, no more mention of SWLing, SCing, or personals of non-DX nature would be printed....Bill Hardy Jr. mentioned he bought a 1965 Broadcasting Yearbook for \$5.00...Bill also commented on the anniversary issue: "no other leading DX club could hope to do anything like it."



## OPEN MIKE

 Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm. Hey, Bill, you can purchase a 1990 Broadcasting Yearbook for pre-pub price of only \$80.00. \$115 after publication. That's quite a jump from \$5.00! Congrats to Tom on adding PEI & NV in just 5 minutes of DX!!! 73, John.



**WESTERN  
DX  
ROUNDUP**

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April WDXR deadlines are Monday the 9th & Monday the 23rd.

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OF SPECIAL INTEREST

- 910 KVVQ CA, Hesperia 3/5 0315 // FM with ID as "Q-103, KVVQ." Contest promo & Boston music. New station finally on the air. (MS-CA)
- 1310 KXAM AZ, Mesa 3/12 0929 poor-fair over KLIX in KDIA null with weather for Tempe & Mesa, ID "7:29 at AM 1310, KXAM," into Bing Crosby song. Call change, ex-KZZP. (RW-CA)  
+3/15 0729 fair with NOS, ID "AM 13-10, KXAM, playing all vocals from memory lane." Ex-KZZP. (TRH-CA)
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- 530 TIS CA, San Jose Int'l Airport 3/2 1919 good way over KPUP-540 with a 5-second jingle by females, followed by an 8-second anct. by male about the opening of Terminal A on 2/11, which in turn was followed by a 5-second break. (SSH-CA)  
+3/12 0959 new tape now in place, but very badly distorted man with new message, accompanied by "whistling" tone (defect in tape), hardly discernible even near airport! (RW-CA)
- 540 KPUP CA, Carmel Valley 3/2 1235-1306 very good way over unID (KVIP?) with C&W music, lots of "on K-Pup, 54" IDs, weather, "21 or Bust" contest, local spots, ABC-D news, and local news read by station manager Bob Roberts. (SSH-CA)
- 620 KGW OR, Portland 3/2 0127-0132 good over partially nulled KFRC-610 with talk program, ID as "The talk station, KGW, 620," and weather. (SSH-CA)
- 660 KGDP CA, Orcutt 3/2 0202-0225 fair u/o partially nulled KTNN with "KGDP" IDs, relig. program of music & commentary, and pledge drive for donations. (SSH-CA)
- 700 CKRD AB, Red Deer 3/12 0447 loud way over KFAM/WLW with ad for Musicradio, ID "Thanks for making Radio 7, CKRD, #1 in Red Deer." (RW-CA)
- 770 (KKOB) NM, Albuquerque MM 3/12 0212 off. WABC, unID Mexican and unID EZL station (WEW?) in. (CK-CO)  
+3/12 0354 totally off. CHQR/KRPM mix, unID new Mexican for me in both their nulls. (RW-CA)
- 790 KABC CA, Los Angeles 3/3 0305-0437 good mostly over KOQO with the annual Ray Briem shortwave DX program. Frequent "KABC, Talk-radio, AM 7-90" IDs and a few local spots mixed in. (SSH-CA)
- 830 WCCO MN, Minneapolis-St. Paul 3/12 0528-0535 clear, strong signal, haven't heard in ages! Sport scores, ID "On CCO Radio we'll check weather next, it's 4:29." Local spots, weather, TC "4:31 on WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul." (JH-CA)
- 840 WHAS KY, Louisville 3/12 0534 good with morning news, weather, TC "5:34 on newsradio 84, WHAS." Not heard in at least a year. (JH-CA)



- 840 7CKEX? BC, 100 Mile House 3/12 0510-0525 fair-good in WHAS null. Lots of local ads for Dunwood Store, Lake City Ford, etc., news promo with only ID given "Cariboo Radio." New. (JH-CA)
- 930 KKXX CA, Paradise 3/9 1504-1600 good way over KNEW-910 with relig. programs, a few local spots, and "This is KKXX, Paradise-Chico" ID at 1600. (SSH-CA)
- 970 KOOK CA, Modesto 3/9 1844-1928 fair-good over partially nulled KABL-960 with SMN's "Pure Gold" oldies rock, several "AM 9-70, K-0-0-K" IDs, and one local PSA. (SSH-CA)
- KCTR MT, Billings 3/19 0728 good with KYTE nullable. Country music, "Good morning, it's 5:28, 27 degrees in Billings," into KCTR news. Helped by quiet passage in KYTE's classical music. Last heard as KOOK (hello, JCJ); not heard by me as KBIT, an "exclusive" for Nancy. (BH-WA)
- 990 KIXA CA, Pittsburg-Concord 3/19 0700 good and alone, adcon music, "Kiss FM is KKIS, FM 92.1 Walnut Creek, and KIXA, AM 990, Pittsburg-Concord," more adcon. Ex-KKIS-AM. (BH-WA)
- 1000 KCEO CA, Vista 3/11 1400 per question raised in 3/10 WDXR, legal ID is still "KCEO, Vista to San Diego." Slogans include "The new AM 1000" and "Talkradio for San Diego." Station is offering a program guide for a SASE to P.O. Box 949, Carlsbad, CA 92008. (TRH-CA)
- 1010 \*CBR\* AB, Calgary 3/19 0659 strong with "intellectual" music, anct. that they'd been running FM program since 1 am, would s/on at 0730, would carry 0800 CBC World Report and local Calgary show, and would be testing each Sunday night for several weeks. (BH-WA)
- 1050 KMTA MT, Kinsey 3/8 0809 & 3/9 0809 poor but readable thru XED with CBS World News Roundup, local ads, C&W music, and possible farm reports. Drowned out by KTBA s/on at 0830. New. (TRH-CA)
- 1080 KWJJ OR, Portland MM 3/12 0505-0520 fair under KRLD with local XEPRS 1090 off. Traditional C&W music, man with IDs, and lots of ads. (TRH-CA)
- 1090 KAAZ AR, Little Rock MM 3/12 0703-0723 poor o/KYBG with USA network news, ID "AM 10-90 KAAZ Little Rock" by man, into country-gospel music. Should still have been on night pattern when I first tuned in. (TRH-CA)
- (XEPRS) BCN, Rosarita Beach 3/12 0454 totally off. KBOZ/KKBB mix. (RW)
- 1130 KLKY AZ, Prescott 3/11 0910 briefly over KOFK with ID by man. New. (CK-CO)
- KOFK NM, Milen 3/11 0910 good over KLKY with weather forecast, temp 39°, ID, into C&W music. New. (CK-CO)
- 1160 KFHM TX, San Antonio 3/8 3/9 & 3/10 appeared suddenly at 0745 each morning. Mostly Spanish music, but seemed to be some English talk and C&W music as well. Weather for San Antonio and local ads, "La M Grande" slogan. Per call to station, this was NOT our unID "Radio Variedades" at the Beverage site last week. New. (TRH-CA)
- 1200 CKDA BC, Victoria 2/26 0406-0515 fair o/u KDPC-1220 with a mix of CHR and oldies rock music, weather, local spots, and many "Light hits, CKDA" announcements. (SSH-CA)
- 1270 KPLY NV, Sparks 3/4 0330 heard over XEAZ with Don Mclean song and "K-Play" slogans. New. (MS-CA)
- 1280 KDYL UT, Salt Lake City 3/11 0918 good and alone with big band music, ID "Salt Lake's AM 12-80." New. (CK-CO)
- 1300 KYNO CA, Fresno 3/4 0308-0350 fair over KMPS, KAZN, and KDIA-1320 while trying (unsuccessfully) for KWCK DX test. Played rock music from movie soundtracks as part of SMN's "Kool Gold Movie Rock Weekend." "Kool Gold, 1300, Ky-No" ID. (SSH-CA)
- KAZN CA, Pasadena 3/4 0315-0400 poor-fair under KYNO, KMPS, and KDIA-1310 with Asian language program in what sounded more like Chinese, Korean, or Vietnamese than Japanese. "This is K-Asian KAZN, Pasadena" ID at 0400 and then a more lengthy s/off ID. (SSH-CA)
- KMPS WA, Seattle 3/4 0300-0359 poor under KYNO, KAZN, and KDIA-1310 with "94 Country, KMPS" IDs and weather. (SSH-CA)
- 1320 KCTC CA, Sacramento 3/9 2323 logged per call change. Promo, ID "KCTC 13-20," ex-KGNR, KGRA. (MS-CA)
- (KXYZ) TX, Houston 3/12 0151 off. KWHN in for a newie. (CK-CO)
- KUTR UT, Salt Lake City 3/18 0522 fair to poor in CHQM null. National ads, lady with Satellite News Network, KUTR ID 0523 and gone (fade or malfunction?). Ex-KBUG/KCPX. (BH-WA)
- 1380 KSRV OR, Ontario 3/9 0700 faded up nicely for the ID, then seemed to go into C&W music. KTSM generally on top, not much KTOM/KSMJ down here. (TRH-CA)

- 1400 KRVZ AZ, Springerville 3/16 0000 appeared out of nowhere with ID "AM 14 hundred, KRVZ Springerville-Eagar, Arizona" then apparently into SNN News. Soon lost to KTUC (with ARN "Sports Final" talk show). No sign of usual pests KEZC or KSUN tonight. (TRH-CA)
- 1480 KLAY WA, Lakewood 3/14 1230 noted on truck radio now carrying Rush Limbaugh, who has "greatly expanded our audience in the last two weeks." Back to ABC Talkradio's Michael Jackson 1406. KLAY still on 1480, call & format changes on 1480 won't occur until KLAY's CP on 1180 kHz is complete. No sign of any testing on 1180 yet. I can't get KLAY at home. (BH-WA1)
- 1520 KFFX OR, Oregon City-Portland 3/18 0459 strong, ending interview with Motley Crue, promo, dual city legal ID, into album rock. Ex-KSGO/KYXI/KYMN/KGON (I know, nice way to inflate my totals above Nancy, hi). (BH-WA) (Yes folks, the DX competition is fierce at our house, hi!--NH)
- 1550 KZQQ UT, West Valley City 3/12 0917 noted carrying Spanish in early morning, ID "La Radio Fabulosa." Legal ID on half-hour. (RW)
- 1560 KPMC CA, Bakersfield 3/12 0450 noted now on AN with new version of Herb Jepko Show (former KSL-1160 Nite Cap host 1964-1979). Show is on KPMC 0300-0800 & is done from Salt Lake City with 801 area code #'s given. Don't know other stations on net, but has been on 1 week as of above date. KPMC had been silent 0300-0700 under old owners. (JH-CA)
- 1610 (KNHD261) WA, Olympia 3/14 1200 appears to be inactive again. No carrier noted today or in February, last noted 12/24/89. Highway signs still up but nothing to hear. (BH-WA1)

DX TESTS:

- 590 \*KTHO\* CA, South Lake Tahoe 3/12 0400-0426 poor-fair mostly under KAQQ and KUGN with Morse code "KTHO" IDs, band music, marches, college football fight songs, and one partial spoken ID. (SSH)  
 +3/12 0400-0430 poor most of the time way under dominant KAQQ-Spokane. Best around 0411 with march music, "On Wisconsin," ID "...and we will resume our normal programming following this test. This is KTHO, South Lake Tahoe, CA." Morse code ID, more music. Have heard this better at SRS & poor as a midday regular. (JH-CA)  
 +3/12 0407 poor-fair in mess with march music, CID's and voice IDs. Called station to thank CE for test, they said my call was the first. Poor signal even on 5kw day pattern! (RW-CA)  
 +3/12 0410 caught DX test through KRSO null. Voice & code IDs every 5 minutes, between march music. Report sent. (MS-CA)  
 (KTHO)+MM 3/12 0400-0430 tried for, not heard. They were on, per phone call from Neil Kazaross. (TRH-CA)  
 +3/12 0400-0430 not heard. Local KCSJ a problem, although KAQQ came in nicely. (CK-CO)  
 +Was not heard here. I did not get home until 0425 & upon tuning in heard only semi-local KHAR and usual night-time pest KSSK. These two battle all night long for the 590 spot, surprisingly, as KHAR is only 260 miles away with an excellent antenna site in South Anchorage on a swampy bog. I know KSSK put in for 7500 watts; I don't know if they got approval, but it sounds like they did. Much more powerful & causing more QRM with KHAR than past few winters. Also KSSK is very hard to null here. (RO-AK)
- 1210 \*WBIU\* LA, Denham Springs 2/26 0533-0600 poor-fair under KGYN, et al with 10 second tones, code ID (very slow), then a "siren" sounding tone (10 seconds). New, LA #4. (CK-CO)
- 1250 \*KLLK\* CA, Willits 3/12 0425 test on a little early, with "KLLK" CIDs on loop tape thru KTMS/KKFX/unID C&W (KNEU?). Unneeded. (RW)  
 +3/12 0430-0445 heard DX test poorly under strong KTMS & KKFX. Voice ID & Morse code, no music. Have heard this much stronger here at SSS. (JH-CA)  
 +Test came in surprisingly well. Tuned in 0430 & heard code coming thru quite well. Signal level dropped markedly by 0430 due to power shift & lots of KKFX QRM, but faded up again by 0450 when signal was strongest until 0455. Called station and talked to engineer/operator. Very friendly & happy to hear from an Alaska DXer. If not for code, I probably would not have heard this. Numerous voice IDs also which helped, but would not have carried along up here. KKFX often on top. (RO)  
 3/12 0431-0501 poor mostly under KTMS, KOIT-1260, and two unID stations with a continuous Morse code ID message & one partial

KLLK spoken ID. Noticeable dip in signal strength at 0445 power  
 cont'd drop but still audible. (SSH-CA)  
 +MM 3/12 0434-0446 poor-fair on DX test with code/voice ID tape  
 loop. New. (TRH-CA)  
 +3/12 0435 logged during DX test with excellent signal right on  
 top of KTMS! IDs "KLLK, Willits, California conducting equip-  
 ment test." Only the Morse code was still audible after they  
 switched to night pattern. (MS-CA)  
 (KLLK)+3/12 0430-0500 DX test not heard. A disappointment! (CK-CO)  
 1300 \*KWCK\* AR, Searcy 3/4 0306-0330 DX test fair overall with voice & code  
 (about 13-15 WPM) IDs. KVOR, XEP, and KYNO? QRM. New. (CK-CO)

UNIDS

590 Open carrier 3/12-3/14 approx. 1500-1800, strong carrier. Was told  
 Pacific Grove High School, less than 1 mile away, has a low-powered  
 station, but never heard any audio. Carrier gone 3/15 with only weak  
 KTHO. KNRY-1240 CE runs this, and told me the station runs in the  
 morning mostly, and students may have left the xmtr on. (JH-CA)  
 950 3/4 2230 heard C&W music countdown show in XEKAM null--KAHI or KYGO??  
 (MS-CA)  
 1200 Marina, CA 3/9 & 3/12 local TIS-type station at an RV park off state  
 highway 1. Noted at 1500 relaying Nat. Weather Service 162.55 MHz!  
 Later noted at 1700 with ID "Campground Radio Network, P.O. Box 642,  
 Marina, CA 93933." Local tourist info given, etc. Poor here at 12  
 miles away. Don't know power, or if this needs a license, etc.  
 Operated by KNRY CE Carl Willeford. (JH-CA) (Bill says no license  
 needed if 0.1 watts or less.--NH)  
 1610 WA, ??? 3/14 1300 whoever relays "Noah Weatherradio Seattle" (162.55  
 MHz) is stronger than ever now that Olympia highway transmitters are  
 off. Formerly heard with hets, now in the clear while I had lunch on  
 Tacoma waterfront 1440-1455. Does anybody know where this is? Can't  
 be too close to Seattle proper because of KZOK-1590. (BH-WA1)

WDXR looks like the "old days" this week. We welcome Rod to the column  
 this week. We hope to hear from you often, Rod! With next week's issue  
 the weeklies come to an end. Watch the beginning of the column for the  
 summer deadlines. ♡

EASTERN DX ROUNDUP (continued from Page 6)

114 Main St., Norway & Center St., Auburn." (TF-CT)  
 1580 WKKD IL, AURORA 2/28 0300 FAIR w/ID and oldies; ~~WKKD, Aurora's~~  
 Choice for Pure Gold." (GH-PA)  
 1590 WCAM SC, CAMDEN 2/28 2105 FAIR w/ad for "Quality Tire" in  
 Clemson; Clemson Tigers basketball; ID = "WPUB/WCAM." (GH-PA)

unID's & DX TESTS

1120 unID 2/28 1810 FAIR said they were WYGO and GOLD 107 into a  
 song by the Supremes. I still don't know who this is--no  
 listing at all [you're right, nothing in the MRC Log or the M  
 Street log: help is needed from anyone -ed]. (GH-PA)  
 1300 KWCK ARK, SEARCY 3/4 0300-0330 DX TEST WEAK heard code beeps at  
 TEST 0301, 0306, 0328, but no voice IDs. WSYD pest on the channel.

COMMENTS

Thanks to all of this issue's reporters and a plea for help on the  
 unID on 1120. Until next time, CONTINUED GOOD DX MY FRIENDS and 73 de  
 Mr. B

Free Offer to IRCA Members Only A large supply of inexpensive gummed  
 labels are on hand in several sizes,  
 generally 6-, 9-, and 18-line labels, roughly 3.5 inches wide. As time  
 permits, any member who would like a small supply of return address labels  
 or similar may send a SASE with either 25 or 45 cents postage and receive 1  
 or 2 oz. of labels with whatever you want on them. Please provide very  
 clear copy. 5 lines of 33 characters is standard but we can produce almost  
 anything. As an alternative, you may send a dollar bill (no checks) and  
 receive the labels at their net cost plus postage. Mail directly to:  
 Donald Erickson, 6059 Essex St., Riverside, CA 92504-1599.

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# EASTERN DX FORUM

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Reports from members living east of the Mississippi River  
Deadlines: 4/7, 4/21, 5/12, 6/2, 6/30, 7/28...

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Apparently it is possible for a TV set to interfere with BCB reception, even when it is not in operation. I am getting TVI howls on several frequencies, but not at the frequent intervals one hears them normally. 1300 and 1330 are two spots that are very difficult to work; also 650, 770 and 1110. I reckon there's no cure for this - it's also difficult to tell which TV it might be - our own, or a neighbor's, but it is there, 24 hours a day, and nobody, not even the most afflicted teleholic, watches TV AN-7! And so I couldn't get into 1300 to try for the KWCK TEST; nearby WAVZ was scarcely audible through the racket. But now the noise seems to have drifted about 1 kHz higher, and that has given me a chance to try for WLIF-MD, ex-WFBR. Three veries have come in: WHTB-1400, nearby semi-local in Fall River which is third best on 1400 days to WIDE-ME & WLLH-MA, and WXCT-1220 CT, and the new WMYT-1180 in Carolina Beach, NC, whose address is 721 Market Street, Wilmington, NC 28401. They're a fairly easy twilight catch with WHAM nulled. WKZN-1590 ME (ex-WJBQ) says they'll soon be serving you with more power, but they don't seem to mention the frequency change (to 870). They're AM w/Larry King. WXCT-1220, Hamden, CT, is running AN with low power, but poking through every once in a while, with the BIZ net. A second report was sent to WDKC-1330 which was undercutting WRCA-MA quite effectively on 2/28 at 0241-0300. I was surprised to find that Philadelphia's WEAZ-560 can cut through in WGAN-ME's null, but it's hard to get copy on them as they hardly ever talk except to say Easy-101. Another nice catch came along on 3/8. I've been noticing what seems to be an open carrier on 830 in WCCO's null and as I tuned it in this date, I noticed weak country-gospel style songs, and held on and bagged WWMO, Eden, NC, ex-1130 kHz and now ANing. I couldn't decide if that's their carrier and they're using very shallow modulation, or if the carrier is from a different source. But it held WCCO back and enabled me to log WWMO which ought to be easy for Easterners. Boston's WEZE-1260 has given up its Monday AM silent period; WPLM-1390 Plymouth is silent Sunday AMs, and so I was able to get a report off to WCSE-SC, and at the same time, try to pry a verie from their former call, WXTC, to whom I sent two reports which went unanswered. And that's the way the pickle squirts. Forward - March!

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Some DX since last report. The ice storm here on 2/15 helped remove WVOI-1520 from the dial and left a jumble of unneeded--WWKB, KOMA, KOLM-Minn & WJMP-OH at 0830 on 2/16 but also ID'ed in the clutter was WITM-Elizabethton, Tenn., ice is nice for something, hi. The WLUS-890 test made it here o/WONE/WWRC QRM, code IDs at 0417 on 2/19, verbal ID heard at 0430. Later that day I noted the CP for Taylor, MI on 1200 kHz on its first operational day. They ID'ed as WMKM, dual-casting w/WCHB-1440 Inkster. I taped them from 1600-1630 (both frequencies). WCHB has since taken the 1200 spot from Taylor with WMKM claiming the 1440 position from Inkster. WCHB remains Black Soul as they were on 1440, WMKM is Black Gospel (not Business News as I saw reported in a recent bulletin). While WMKM may stand for "Make Money", it remains to be seen how much they will with the poor signal they have on 1440, along with this format, ugh. I saw once where someone wondered how the FCC could license 660 & 660 in Minn. about 120 miles apart--how about this Detroit metro 1200 with WOWO-1190 at 50 kw & WKNX-1210 at 10kw just over/under 100 miles away from this 1200. Oh well! 73's all & H.B. IRCA. P.S. The WMKM call letters were on 1200 only on 2/19-20 before swapping w/WCHB.

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An interesting article in the Milwaukee Journal on 3/13 put forth an interesting concept. The "Radio Zahn" column suggests that both AM and FM are ignoring children under age 12 (the lowest limit that Arbitron even measures) and letting them go to TV or the boom boxes with tapes. Zahn suggests that radio will be meaningless to most people as television becomes the principal source of information to kids. 73.



# Western DX Forum

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Crepes, Mudhead! You're surprised cuz I wondered about KKFX's ID for Everett! Look, Seattle is not SF (witness the Super Bowl annihilation. . . hence for by law it shall be prohibited for Denver to represent the AFC, hi.) I can't think of any station in this area, besides KKFX, that does double IDs. What makes it even more wacko is that Everett has a local on 1230, while KKFX is on 1250. When we had the infamous Jim Creek het incident in the mid-'70s, KKFX was tossing a het 18.6 kHz on either side of its signal. KWYZ 1230 was being howled out of existence anywhere outside of its primary coverage area. Now for KKFX to ID as Everett when you've practically gotta DX 'em to hear 'em that far away, is, well. . . pushing it, to say the least. As far as their XR: Yeah, Pigeon Point in West Seattle during the day and at hours when they're not protecting KWSU Pullman. In the olden days, Seattle's 1250 (KTW, KYAC et al) HAD to s/off at sunset to protect Wazoo. Then they would come back on at 2315 PLT after KWSU s/off. Now how weird is that? (No weirder than KFAX off at local sunset, then returning at 2200 PLT with 1 kw, or KGBS - now KTNQ - with a similar schedule-Rth.) That's why KTW's newstalk format went udders-up in '75. They lost all their afternoon drive time listeners between October and April! At some point after KYAC bought the frequency in the late '70s, Hadfield and Dawson Engineering figured out 1250 could stay on after sunset by going directional west and cutting power until 2315. They co-oped 3 towers on Rose Hill in Kirkland with the 1460 people and somebody else (I forget who) and put in the DA-N. As far as I know they still use it. In Dec. '84 I was wiring a house in Auburn, 40 miles south of Seattle, and listening to 1250. At the stroke of sunset they completely disappeared, DA-N and all. So to think they could be heard in Everett under the same basic conditions is, shall we say, pure caca. Personally, I was kinda surprised when KGO expanded its ID. As we all know (cuz Herb Caen pointed it out some 15 years ago), you only pay bridge toll to get into SF - you can go to Oakland for nothing, hi. (Smile when you say, Oakland, hi-Rth.) I think KGO may be hearing the foot-steps of KCBS in the ARBs, as the latter's North Bay XR site insures a better signal aimed south toward San Jose. KGO kinda gives San Jose the skin off their back lobe, if ya get my drift, sailor. These days with 2 towers down, who knows where they're being heard, ID notwithstanding. 73.

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The Broadcasting Yearbook says WLS Chicago dates from 12 April 1924 and my issue of the Yearbook says WLS-FM dates from 19 March 1925. Quite an engineering accomplishment inasmuch as FM radio didn't exist until a good many years later. Laying aside this faulty FM reference, the history of WLS from its original Sears Roebuck owner to the present ABC network ownership makes a revealing case study of the sweeping changes which have beset AM radio over the years. Along the way, WLS has been intimately related with WENR Chicago, and that link begins with my 1928 log on 27 March. The notation reads: "W9XF Downers Grove, IL 288.3 meters, 1040 kc 50, 000 watts, 4:06 AM. The new transmitter of WENR-WBCN." WBCN of that day soon merged into WENR and passed into that realm of gone and forgotten radio stations. Major frequency reallocations went into effect 11 Nov. 1928 and WENR was shifted from 1040 to 870 and assigned to divide time with a 5 kw WLS. I don't know exactly how long the set-up lasted, but, 3 years later, the October 1931 Radex shows both stations using 50 kw. Undoubtedly sharing the same transmitter. Radex says WENR was owned by the National Broadcasting Co. and WLS by the Agricultural Broadcasting Co. These call letters, WLS, have their own meaning: World's Largest Store, a reference to Sears-Roebuck, the founder of WLS in 1924. (Believe it or not, I knew that, hi-Rth). That word "agricultural" in the name of the 1931 owner of WLS, also deserves comment inasmuch as the station always had in these years a strong identity as a farm station. Its program fare was aimed at the Midwest farmer, featuring lots of country music. The country flavor in WLS programming hung on for more than 30 years, and you can say the younger generation from 1930 and all through the 1950s wouldn't have been caught dead listening to WLS. I include this morsel of radio history for the benefit of younger listeners whose only memory of WLS is as the big Chicago fortress of Top 40. I gave up DX in 1932 to pick it up again in 1962, so I have no recollection as to how long WENR and WLS retained their separate identities, but eventually WENR dropped from the scene, leaving WLS as the survivor. Issues of Radex

across the middle 1930s would throw light on this matter. Does any other oldtime DX'er have such issues from 40 or 50 years ago? Radex was a Cleveland publication, and let me suggest the Cleveland Public Library as a likely place to locate every issue of Radio Index, its full name, ever published. As to how many years, the realm of country music existed on WLS, I have a personal recollection of a conversation with Jack Fitzpatrick, longtime newscaster on Denver stations. That came on a visit to Denver in 1962 and Jack was expressing horror about the awful stuff he had recently heard on WLS, his reaction to the arrival of Rock 'n Roll. Nowadays, of course, WLS has abandoned Rock and become an all talk station, a format change that warrants a couple of comments: Top 40 years on WLS failed to endure as long as the years of country music and nothing in this world can be absolutely relied on except change.

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It's anniversary and re-intro time once again! I've been in IRCA for 19 years and a BCB DX'er for 21 years. Time does fly, hi. Until last year I was in retail sales, but now stay at home to take care of Billy (now nearly 4 years old) and Melanie (6 months). At times I wish I was back at work - it's less work than staying at home, hi. But I do dearly love our "future DX'ers." They are really cute most of the time. In addition to DX'ing, other hobbies are camping and. . . come to think of it, I don't have any spare time for other hobbies. It's with concern that I follow the direction that IRCA is taking. We all need to pull together for the benefit of the club. Happy Anniversary IRCA! 73

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Happy 26th Anniversary IRCA! I've been a member most of the 26 years. I met my wife Nancy, your WDXR editor, through IRCA in 1973. We'll soon celebrate 16 wonderful years of marriage, and our two children, Billy (age 3½) and Melanie (6 months), owe their existence to this club. I'm 43 years young and work in a retail garden center and pet store. My primary DX interest is domestic AM, plus limited foreigners. I heard station #1,000 last September. I have yet to catalog a few hundred tape veries on numerous cassettes, and have only five written veries. Nancy and I don't get to DX together much anymore because one of us is watching the kids. I'll sometimes wake up between 0400 and 0800 ELT and put on the headphones, trying for new stations or call changes, noting networks, talk shows, slogans, etc. for the Almanac. For those who don't know, I'm Project Co-ordinator for the long-awaited IRCA Almanac, which is now in the final paste-up phase. I'd like to publicly support the following IRCAn's for their good works towards our club. John Johnson's Central DX Roundup, to me, is the most valuable of all the Roundups. (Nancy's column has less impact because I see it as the mail arrives here). John's column serves a great portion of our country, it looks great, and I wholeheartedly support John as editor and I oppose any club action which would jeopardize his editorship. (No problem Bill - we've got the votes to insure the continuation-RtH.) Ray Bauernhuber is doing a fine job with the Eastern DX Roundup under some difficult circumstances. Tim Hall's Verie Signers column looks great with the new printer. And Ric Heald's Western DX Forum is easier than ever to read with the new type-style. And I definitely like Broadcasting Info twice per month. As the bulletin continues to improve, so will IRCA. Happy Anniversary everyone! (Bill, I know you dislike comments in the middle, but this thing with CDXR has me really ticked off - thanks for the support-RtH.)

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Anniversary, everyone. Note that I didn't say "Happy anniversary, everyone" That's because I don't believe that IRCA is celebrating a "happy" anniversary. In fact, I think this might be perhaps the worst anniversary since I became a member over 10 years ago. Rarely, if ever, over the past 10 years have I spoken out so harshly regarding IRCA policies as I intend to do now. Generally speaking, it's not my nature to "criticize" or to "make waves." But I care about this club and believe in speaking up for my beliefs and principles, and I think some issues of late do need to be addressed. Whether you tend to agree or disagree with what I'm about to discuss, I hope others (especially the regulars) will send in forums and comment. First off, I must begin by emphatically stating that Don Erickson is a friend of mine, and I think he's a great guy. And so I hope he takes these criticisms professionally, in the spirit in which they were intended, not personally. I may not agree with some of his policies, but I do still have the utmost respect for him as a friend and as a DX'ing colleague. Now to the issues: I understand that IRCA is in a financial crunch right now and that drastic measures have been undertaken to "save the club." However, I also think there's a BIG difference between "sound fiscal management" and "tightening

the belt that one suffocates." First of all, I strongly do not agree with the new policy that DX tips over 2 weeks old must be edited out, for these reasons: 1) This is a hobby, not a fulltime job Many of us have all sorts of obligations and simply don't always have the luxury of lots of spare time on our hands to be able to get those tips out in the mail within two weeks. 2) The two-week limit creates a situation whereby people (such as myself) who don't have a lot of time wind up never submitting their tips because the time limit elapses. Thus, the same few people (the ones with lots of time on their hands) wind up being the only contributors. We should be encouraging MORE people to contribute! This policy encourages the opposite. 3) Many extremely worthwhile tips are forever lost because the two-week limit has elapsed. Thanks to phone calls from Tim Hall in San Diego, I was informed of some fantastic tips which he and Neil Kazaross logged, which the rest of you will never know about because they were cut from WDXR for being more than 2 weeks old. Likewise, I myself have logged some fantastic catches, but for the lack of time within the next two weeks to submit them, the rest of the club shall never know about them. Secondly, cutting out all of the so-called "excess" stuff, such as the newspaper clippings, and so on, results (truthfully speaking) in rather boring bulletins to read. Personally, I loved reading the newspaper clippings and the other features. And, frankly, if the bulletins are boring, then members don't renew. And if they don't renew, the membership goes down. And THAT is the true bottomline of financial difficulties. . . and what will lead to the club's ultimate death. (Steve, as much as I agree with you, here comes another nasty rule - well over 30 lines and continued next issue-RtH.)

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I was intrigued by Glen Kippel's suggestion that IRCA expand its coverage to 300 to 3000 kHz, or even 150 to 5050 kHz. Both suggestions have merit. I've never had a receiver go below 540 so I can't really address the longwave side of it. I've DX'ed a bit on the 60 and 120 meter bands, and have found them interesting, to say the least. I agree with Glen that it should be limited to broadcast stations. The true definition of Medium Wave is 300 to 3000 kHz, or 1000 to 100 meters in wavelength. In this band, nighttime skywave propagation via the E layer refraction is the dominant propagation mode for multi-hop, long-distance propagation paths. I know if I had made a greater effort to DX in the 300-540 and 1600-3000 kHz ranges when I was doing propagation studies, I'd have a lot more information to confirm my hypotheses about MW propagation. Expanding further down to 150 kHz also makes sense to me. The longwave broadcasts at these frequencies can be heard and are often parallel to BCB stations. Likewise, expanding up to 5050 kHz would introduce some exotica to our (that assumes we don't DX there already, of course) DX world, with many African and Asian countries audible in the evenings and mornings. Propagation modes can be quite different in these two regions, but I don't believe that's a reason to exclude consideration. I'd like to see special columns for the 150-540 longwave band and the 2000-5050 SW band similar to the DXWW columns. I think IRCA could attract lots of new members who might try BCB DX after they've been exposed to it. Many IRCANs who now DX only on BCB would probably try the new bands and find they like it, perhaps becoming more geography and language literate in the process. Having 150 to 5050 kHz in one bulletin would serve a wide range of DX interests. I encourage the Board of Directors to take a membership survey on this issue and act if the survey indicates substantial interest in expanding our horizons.

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You know, counting the last 2 issues, this and a few stragglers in the next, this is actually going to be a pretty good turnout for the Anniversary issue, confusion over deadline notwithstanding. Had a little surprise while returning from dinner in Elk Grove Friday night (16 March). Nearing home I thought I saw 3 new towers off to the east. Being a passenger in the car, couldn't convince the driver to go tower chasing for some strange reason, hi. I bit later I was out on the road braving nocturnal road hazards (skunks, hi) to get a closer view. Sure enough just south of Florin Road between Sunrise and Excelsior, three TALL towers, and that sort of being the Rancho Cordova neighborhood I guessed Rancho's CP on 650. While I was out there drove a little further to the 4 towers off Grant Line Rd. I thought belonged to KEBR, but last summer at the convention, Jay told me it was KSMJ's nighttime site. Sure enough folks. . . no wonder I can't put a decent null on them. I planned to return to the new XR site by light of day to look for any kind of an access road - no luck. Because Florin is so straight I set my trip odometer and was not a happy camper when I got home: 6 miles! So stay tuned central and NorCal, there might be some testing on

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650 in the not too distant future. I called Jay to get the goods, he knew the CP was on, but didn't know it had progressed this far. I also learned that the towers I though belonged to KRCX 1110 (remember on the XR site tour stopped at a RR crossing, and I yelled out that's KRCX? I was wrong; it's KCTC's nighttime site. KRCX is in back of KFIA. So that makes 3 Sacto area stations with separate day and night sites - KEBR, KCTC and KSMJ. That is expensive to maintain! While in conversation, the old 1030 Folsom was brought up: It's gone! Towers have been dismantled and land will be developed to a golf course. Folsom has become a pretty exclusive community (exclusive is beyond yuppie, hi) and land was too valuable for 4 abandoned towers. Besides, the former owner (the last one to own it) is cooling his heels for a 4 years in prison (as opposed small time - jail, hi). Spoke with Randy Tomer over the weekend and he made me an offer that I almost can't refuse. On radio equipment of course - I seem to have the habit of spending my refund check on radio equipment. Last year it was the scanner. Returning to the summer schedule, so please check the deadline dates. Hope everyone is having a great spring. Best of DX and 73 de Rth. .

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### Bulletin Schedule

Future bulletins will be dated April 7 to complete the weekly issues, then Apr. 21, May 5, May 26, June 16, July 14 and Aug. 11, 1990. As we go toward monthly issues, it is important both members and editors watch the deadlines carefully. As always, a bulletin dated on a Saturday above is put together beginning 7 days prior to that date and delivered to the printer on Tuesday morning, 4 days prior to date of issue, with the exception of holiday weeks.

### In This Issue

All sections except **DXNW-East** are in this issue. This bulletin should go out on schedule. Those mailing material for **DXM** are reminded that we continue to use Saturday, 7 days before the date of issue, as the deadline for ALL columns and plan to continue through the season. Columns received later will be used in the following bulletin.