

WomensRadio#114jan2023

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Youngsters-On-The-Air

Beatriz Maria Scaramelli Rosa Pata, PU2PRM (from Campinas, SP), who practices CW and is part of the CWSP operators group, now has a new call sign: PY2BIA.

At age 13 she celebrates gaining her B-class . Beatriz is part of a family passionate about CW and amateur radio. Her parents, PY2PI and PY2QL are part of our team.

Our sincerest congratulations to Beatriz on her achievement! Certainly an example and pride for the CW Group of São Paulo.



Irish Magic on Air

AmateurRadio Europe 12 Dec 2022

The World Radio Team Championships (WRTC), the Olympic Games of Amateur radio, are held every four years and will be held in Italy in 2023. For the first time since the WRTC started, an Irish amateur will be competing. Megan EI5LA along with Leon DL3ON will make up Youth Team 6 in the competition.

EI5LA Megan Lorenz was licensed in September 2021 at age 14 and is keen on CW. She rag-chews with friends, chases DX and takes part in contests. Although operating time is limited due to the amount of school work she has. She first got into radio because of her dad (EI3KM) who took her along to local club events.

She is an active member of the Kerry Amateur Radio Group and the National Short Wave Listeners Club.(NSWLC) in Ireland

She started rag-chewing with friends in CW and now over 80% of her QSOs are in CW. She is an operator at EI7M, a contest group in Cork, Ireland. While her main interest is contesting, she likes award chasing and is currently trying to get her DXCC. She also loves the social aspect of the hobby and meeting people that she has met through radio, in-person.

WOMEN ON THE RADIO AWARD November 2022 Ham Radio Award by YL's

This AWARD is designed to make visible the activity of women in amateur radio and in support of November 25 as the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women.

It is held annually during November (15 to 30th, 2022)

only SSB mode is used so that female voices are heard on the air

Award categories are named for outstanding women who have defended women's rights:

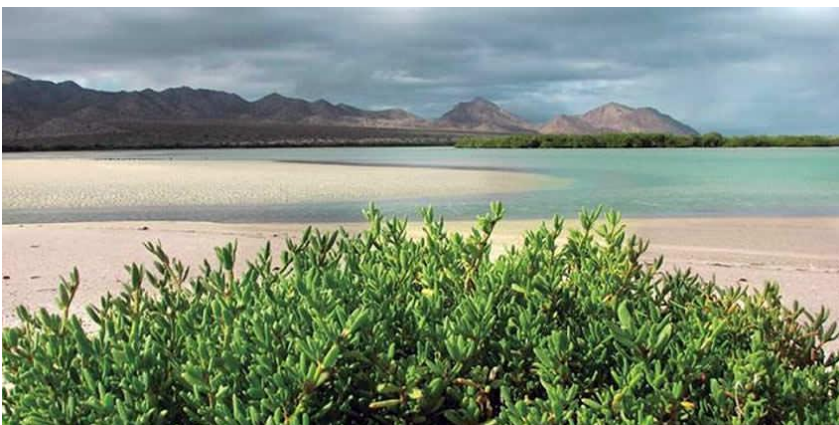
2022 - Marie Curie, Hedy Lamarr & Valentina Tereshkova

THE WOTRA TEAM 2022 (Awardng stations were): Argentina - LU3FCA Patricia & LU3GDT Teresa

Cuba - CO8MGY Zulema ; Spain - EC!YL Angelas ; Austria - HZ1HZ / OE3LZA Laila ;

Germany - DF4RBM Marleen & DL5PIA Petra ; Ireland - EI5IXB Ana,

https://wotra.home.blog/?fbclid=IwAR3_M_VYiAg-SmSFQdVF_JtxSp0d8HjAuzZs8ieUAoBrJL2Xwhlrpml-mM



Paty XE1SPM on Shark Island, Mexico December, 2022.

XF1S.Shark Island IOTA NA-167- was activated for the 1st time 4 -9, December, 2022.

A group of Mexican radio operators put 4 stations on-air. Operators: Enrique XE2AA (Leader), Paty XE1SPM (yl), Ismael XE1AY, Javier XE1JR, Javier Xe1JKW and Ricardo XE1SY. Bismarck XE1BSY and Tomas XE1YMK were part of the support team.

Shark Island is the largest Mexican island in the Gulf of California and has an area of 1208 km². It is separated from the continent by a narrow channel only three kilometers wide called the Infernillo Strait. The island is uninhabited, with the exception of a military facility located on the eastern side. It is managed as an ecological reserve.



On-Air from Russia via a Remote Station in Canada

YL Raisa 11h Dec 10, 2022 R1BIG / OH7BG / OH73ELK

Sometimes we criticize something new just because we have prejudices.

I once again convinced myself of this on the example of a remote ham radio.

At first, I treated this option of working on the air as some kind of fake substitute, an imitation of real work on the air. But practical real experience changed my mind.

Of course, it is more pleasant to participate in the construction and installation and tuning of your own antennas and radio, to be in your own Shack, to feel the bands at your finger-tips.

This is not the case with remote ham radio. But there are other very important and pragmatic points that allow you to go beyond local possibilities.

I realized this when, at the invitation of Rob VE3PCP from Canada, I began to work under his supervision. In my apartment in St. Petersburg I do not have a Shack for reasons known to many city radio amateurs. If there is good Internet at both ends, then the delay in signal transmission is minimal and barely perceptible. Under the supervision of Rob and under the callsign of his club station →VA3YLR←, we worked a lot of YIs on the air from different countries. 🌐

I plan to use remote radio when I can't get on the air portable (i.e. from September to May when it's cold here in northern Europe) and I don't have access to the Shack in Finland.

The remote ham radio allows you to go on the air in cases where this is not possible in the normal way. This may attract new radio amateurs, especially from cities.

Some remote stations ask for payment for the use of their equipment and antennas. However in Rob's case, it was free for us. 🍷

In order to make my work remotely across Canada more personal, I decided to take the Canadian callsign exam to work from there with my own callsign (however, this would still require the supervision of a station manager). It was the third similar exam program and thanks to Chris VO1DX I passed the basic with honours. Thanks to Rob and Chris for this opportunity! 🍷

By the way, in Canada there is an amazing rule that call signs are issued once and for life, and for free! (and you can even choose a callsign suffix for free too)! So, I got a very nice new Call : VO1BIG

What Do You Think about Remote Ham Radio?

Upcoming Events 2023

XVth edition of the "Weekend of the American Lighthouses" 17 - 19 February 2023

4 lady operators (yls) from Argentina, Marina Diaz LU1VYL, Liliana Gabriela Fernandez LU3YLF, Ivanna Viroletti LU1YAE, together with operators, Mauricio Montenegro LU5YEC, Federico Blanco LU5YFB, Mario Garnero LU7VB and Gustavo Gerbaudo Bollinger LU7YG, will travel almost two thousand kilometers across Patagonia to activate the most southern lighthouse of continental Argentina. The Cape Virgenes Lighthouse, Tierra del Fuego, ARG-032 (52°20'00" S - 068°21'00" W), is named after the Cape discovered by Fernando de Magallanes expedition on October 21, 1520.

SYLRA 20th anniversary meeting in Copenhagen 2023

Are you coming to Denmark in 2023 ?

The birthday will be held on Saturday 19th of August 2023.

Dear SYLRA friends. It will soon be 20 years since we founded SYLRA in Denmark in 2003.

For that occasion we invite you to meet us in Copenhagen on the 19th of August 2023 to have an enjoyable afternoon together.

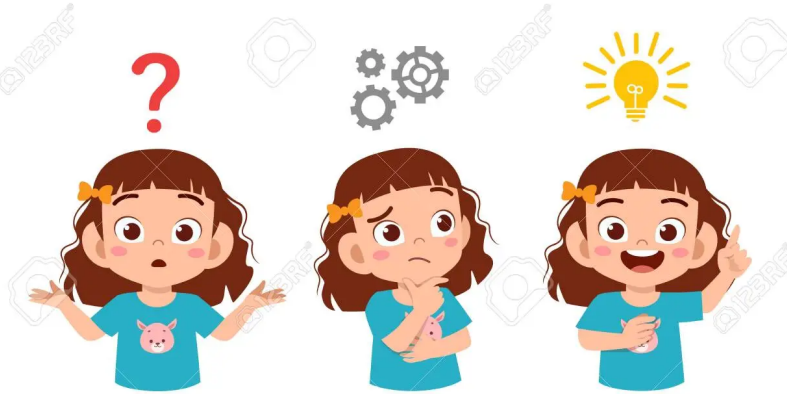
We are currently deciding exactly where we will meet and have dinner together (we are strongly considering a restaurant in Tivoli). Further information will be announced as soon as we have made our decision. This is a survey to see how many would like to meet us and think that they could come. Registration ends on the 1st of February 2023.

I will definitely come

I want to but do not know if I can

I can't come

<https://www.sylra.is/index.php/sylra-2023-in-denmark>



Ja-Well-No-Fine (Editorial)

Happy New Year 2023 – wishing us all many happy contacts and good DX.

9 weeks until Womens Day, 8th March 2023.

What has your group planned? Send and share in your 'home' language, Google will translate.

Send information as soon as possible so we can prepare our lady operators.

Should we have a 'Whatsapp' group? Remember to make Facebook posts to "share".

How can we get more ladies 'on-air' ? Could 'Remote Radio' be a solution? Or Echolink?

According to the numbers, this newsletter is sent to 1488 English speakers

and 1746 non-English speakers. Would you prefer other languages?

Critical feedback would be appreciated – what do YOU want

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Echolink

Shannon Gibney KC1OHT 18/12/2022 HAM RADIO WOMEN (facebook)

Don't forget that you don't actually need a radio to get on the air! You can download the Echolink app very easily and for free! It is available on computers, also Android and apple phone/tablet. Just upload your license and you can TX on repeaters around the world.

There are also echolink conference rooms that host YL nets.

Let me know if you need any help getting set up with Echolink! I love using it and helping new hams get set up with it! It's really a fun way to make contacts locally and around the world

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/186742552588173>

What is Echolink? and why should I use it?

EchoLink is an Amateur Radio system that allows radio amateurs to communicate with other amateur radio operators using VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol) technology on the Internet for at least part of the path between them. EchoLink allows reliable worldwide connection to be made between radio amateurs.

Similar to other VoIP applications (such as Skype) but with the unique ability to link to other Ham repeaters or transceivers for long distances using only an amateur radio transceiver or repeater; to link to smart-phones, tablets or computers that have an EchoLink node.

Who can use Echolink ? Only licensed Ham's

How much does it cost? It is FREE

Where do I get it?

For Apple users, you get it at the Apple Store and can use it on iPhone and iPad

For Android phones and tablets get it at the Google Play Store

For computers you get it at the EchoLink.org website

<https://lmarc.net/club/resources-tools/tag-yl-net/yl-hams-net-original-archives/>

Silent Keys



OK1KI Milada Sebestova of Praha in Czech Republic became Silent Key.

On 23.1. 2021, at 2:30 p.m., Mrs. Mila Šebestová OK1KI died at home. at the age of 80.

In 2005 radio amateurs from Prague and the surrounding area, who met every first Monday of the month at the historic Na Výtoni pub, decided that it was necessary for someone to help Mila OK1KI with station maintenance, antennas and technical aspect of amateur radio broadcasting. And also with the computer. They called the group Kikina, which had over 75 members. As the group enjoyed contests and contacts with other communities they held their first contest on May 17, 2005, called the KIKI contest

During May 2020, Mila OK1KI advised: Considering that I have incurable cancer and I have little time left, I wanted to end the club's activities in mid-May, which I probably won't be able to do.

Shortly afterwards, the mascot of the KIKI club, a small female dog Betyňka- died on June 16, 2020, just as the KIKI club was about to end. "When I am finished with chemotherapy, my daughter will bring me to you in Vysočany, to say goodbye and officially end the club's activities."

30.11.2020 Dear members of the KIKI fan club, due to very serious health reasons, I am ending the activities of the KIKI fan club after more than 15 years.

K4TKS Barbara Jean (McCormick) Clark [January 15, 1931. - November 30, 2022]

She married Edward McCormick, and they moved to Virginia in 1960 where she spent 32 years. Edward died in 1984. Barbara married Gilman Clark in 1992 and was resident in Lake Forest, Illinois until her death.

One of few women who were HAM Radio operators in the 1950/1960 period, her soft southern voice ended Ham radio conversations with, "This is K4TKS signing off." She was featured in a full-page article in the Newport News, Virginia Times Herald in April 1964 for her amateur radio involvement.

KA8WMZ Barbara Jean Mitchell, [December 9, 1946 – Dec 12, 2022] age76

became a silent key on December 12, 2022 at Mudfork, WV.

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also archive #89 dec 2020, <https://www.darc.de/en/der-club/referate/yl/> (German ARC)

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January 2023

Jan 2 -7 JARL (Japan) (09:00 to 21:00(JST) CQ NEW YEAR PARTY 2023

Jan 7 Ham Radio University 2023- 24th event

Jan 14 Ganga Sagar Mela 2023 Sagar Island IOTAAS-153, West Bengal Radio Club, India

Jan 14 YB DX Contest (Indonesia) 2023 annually 2nd week every January

Jan 14 "World Castles Award - WCA" founded January 14 2009/ 2023 14th Birthday

Jan 14 - 15 Italian Low Band (40/80/160) Contest 2023

Jan 21 St. Agnes, the patron saint of young girls & Girl Scouts

Jan 22 Chinese New Year 2023 year of the Rabbit

Jan 22 – 28 QuartzFest comes to life each year, in a remote area of the Sonoran desert in the southwestern USA. Hundreds of Hams and friends unplug from their daily lives, travel to and setup this desert community, and immerse

themselves in this week-long one-of-a-kind ham radio, camping, learning and living event.

Feb 7-9 2023 Marija VK5MAZ operating on Troubridge Island (S Australia) VK5TIL

Feb 17 - 19 Lighthouse Weekend - 15th Annual Summer Southern Hemisphere.

17 - 19 de febrero de 2023. XV edición del "Fin de Semana de los Faros Americanos"

March 8 International Women's Day