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The 17th General Meeting was held on 7th Sep.

New officers as below;

President JA8AJE		Auditor JE6	QFP JH8CBH
Vice presidents JA5CUX JR3KQJ		Treasurer JA1COP	
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JA4&5 Area JH4PCD	JA6 Area JE6QFP		JA7 Area JA7GAX
JA8 Area JE8JYD	JA9&0 Area JA9CZJ		









SKYDOOR in Germany

One of our Associate Members, Fred (DL6QA) completed to make a web site about SKYDOOR antenna. He translated Japanese & English pages into German so that many German hams could try to make the antenna.

(his message as follows)

I just want to inform you that your explanations concerning the Skydoor Antenna have been of great help. I have now compiled some information of both websites of JA1HWO and JK7TKE and translated them for German OMs interested in this antenna type, hi. I have published the information on my homepage. The brief translation is available at the following URL:

http://www.mydarc.de/DL6QA/Skydoor/Skydo or02.htm

MEMORY of 0-V-1 receiver

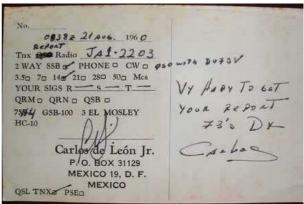
JJ1INO/QRPp

Many years ago, I found an article of O-V-1 receiver on CQ ham radio magazine.

Soon I gathered some tubes as 6AK5, 6SJ7. In those days it was not easy to get a transformer of 1:3. Fortunately I found one in junks from US army and managed to make a receiver. Using a plug-in tuning coil, it covered from 80m band to 10m band. The most tough thing was gaining frequency stability. In spite of the bad frequency selectivity, I worked about 100 QSO in All-JA contest, using this receiver.

The following is the most unforgettable station that I've got with this receiver;





Ham Fair 2008

It was held on 23-24 Aug. KCJ opened a booth with some things about our club. We had many visitors and made a lot of eye-ball QSO.

Owing to the members who helped the booth, it was of great success.



VOICE OF MEMBERS

Short Break (2008-July)

JA1BML: I operated in Aomori-prefecture on 17-18 May, after operating in Yamagata-pref. on 16 May). I did not take a Yagi antenna for SAT but a long whip, which worked very well.

JJ1KXB: I confirmed WAGA (worked all JCG points in Japan) on double single bands 160m/80m. Of course, both of them were CW ONLY.

JE3PED: High bands were in great CONDX in May. I enjoyed a lot of thrilling QSO.

JH3HGI: I was rather active in May. I enjoyed mobile operations and had an eyeball QSO with JO2ASQ. I set up a long wire antenna for 160m band. It gave me lots of JCC, JCG and AJA points.

JE6QFP: Confirming JG5TOL/5 (in JCC#3803), I've completed WAJA on SAT.

JA8PON: I returned to my home shack in Sapporo and set a fishing rod + ATU equipment. I can QRV from 160m to 2m bands now.

Short Break (2008-Aug. Ham Fair edition)

JA1DD: KCJ has became a regular at the Ham Fair. I hope our KCJ will be more attractive to CWer.

JA1COP: Recently I've been enjoying SAT, but 6m CW was my starting line of the radio.

JA10YB: I operate WABUN (Japanese code) on 40m sometimes, using JRC KY-3A key.

JA1PHE: I've been active on WARC bands and VHF in order to increase my AJA points over 10,000.

JA1TCF: I'm working hard for the management and operation of a special station "8N1300WD".

JH1BAM: I've been busy but trying to chase DXCC in a little time permitted.

JH1EFT: I sometimes enjoy operating 6m CW.

JH1HTK: Even after retirement I've been busy. Reading the monthly bulletin is my only activity.

JH1IZR: I am operating from Hiratsuka-city.

JH1MVY: I participated in KCJ last year. I'd like to have radio pals in this club.

JH1NXU: I can't help the booth but I'd like to drop in.

JH1TFL: I've long been in QRT, but I'm trying to be on the air again.

JE1KNT: As I stay in UK from AUG to SEP every year, I cannot participate in radio events.

JF1CQH: Recently I've enjoyed SAT operation (VO-52).

JF1RBP: I've been encouraged to be back on the air by friends. I think it's time I prepared for it. My key has long been on my desk unplugged...

JG1BAH: I'm looking forward to welcoming new members.



2008 Field day Contest in JCC#0918 (JA1FCY, JJ1KXB, JF1CQH, JA1DD, JA1IVL,JG1BAH)

JG1RIA: I'm in QRT now but I'd like to be back on the air near future. (I've got a DP antenna for shortwave bands.)

JJ1INO: This year, I did not make any homebrew RIG and won't participate in the Ham Fair. I'd like to increase my award points in high bands.

JK1EBA: Every summer I enjoy operating from islands. I operated from JD1 this summer. Thanks for many calling from KCJ members.

JA2FEA: I've been completely retired since this spring. Much time as I have, it's too hot to sit in my shack. I'm looking forward to autumn coming.

JA2HWK: I'm in QRT now. Next year I'd like to be back.

JA2MYA: As DXing has been no good, I've been enjoying chasing domestic JCC/town/village points. About 20 points are left unworked.

JA2OLJ: It's forty years since I started the radio. Though I'm over sixty, I'm spending busy days. I have to try to turn over my job by the age of sixty-five.

JF2AJA: As I often go abroad on business, I can hardly QRV on the radio. Some of the places I stay are rather rare for DXCC...

JF2VUF: I'm looking forward to the Cycle 24.

JG2GSY: Recently I forget things a lot, but I never forget CW codes.

JA3ATJ: Though the time of sitting in front of PC is much longer than that of in front of RIGs, I enjoy CW.

JH3EZV: I've been a member of KCJ for thirty years and I think this is a wonderful club.

JH3HGI: I have to adjust my SAT antenna in order not to interfere with IV antenna. This is my mobile vehicle, SUZUKI JIMNY.



JE3CYH: I've long been in QRT. I'd like to come back on the air.

JE3GDW: Simple is best. The CW world is of great depth.

JR3XEX: How about joining in our KCJ !? It will lead you to a new radio world. The QSL of 8J100S/3 (Boy scout station). The one in the center is me.



JR3KQJ: This is a photo which was taken on the day of Field Day Test. This year, I intended to work mainly on SHF band. But the 1 area was far...



JI3DST: I need South America for 160m WAC.

JL3BDA: It has been so hot here in Toyooka-city. My activity has been getting down. Storks flying in the sky seem cool.

JA4TF: My key has been rusted up, my keying is no good, but I'm to be a Ham.

JA4TY: When I have a chat about ham radio with a same generation, I really feel that CW is so wonderful.

JA4BLO: My body CONDX is not so good, but I'd like to try to keep keying.

JH4PCD: I'm a man who believes the Japanese code of CW is the most exciting. I manage to operate with my straight key. I hope to meet you on the air.

JH4RGH: Recently I've been managing my logs with Hamlog software. I'd like to study it more.

JA5CUX: Having been busy, I've had fruitless result in Es season. So I'd like to work slowly and start QRV on 75m band this autumn.

JA5SZM: I've been suffering from a hernia of intervertebral disk.

JA6VU: The hot weather keeps me in QRT.

JA6LVW: Due to health reasons, I've been in QRT recently.

JG6CDH: I've been completely away from ham radio recently. I'd like to start preparing for the next cycle 24. My first target is ZS3 for the award of "AAA". I think the chance will be from 2009 to 2011 summer.

JI6TJL: I'm one of those who often get transferred. So I can't get out of living in an apartment house. Recently I've had much overtime work and work on holidays. I've had less time for contests.

JA7AEM: I'm trying to work 500 QSO a month, 6,000 QSO a year. I believe I can achieve it this year.

JA7DCD: When I moved, I parted with my Rig. So I'm in QRT now.

JA7KJR: Thanks to many stations, I completed WAGA awards on 40m&17m SAT-CW. I've completed all the JCC, JCG and all the KU(ward) in JA on SAT-CW.

JA7QLP: As usual, I've been not active on the air. I'm going to help the booth of KCJ.

JH7FQK: I've been on the air only in a few contests these several years.

JH7VOT: I'm always trying to work new points for JCC or AJA award. So I've been working in contests and mobile operation, too.

JO7EGJ: Struggling with my old tube RIG, my activity has been getting down recently. As I'm living apart from my family, I'd like to enjoy mobile QRV in Yamanashi-pref.



JA8LN: I've been active in contests recently. On weekdays I enjoy chasing special stations. Thank you very much for calling me in JA8 TEST.

JA8AJE: Those who have never tried CW QSO, let's try! Shall we make a schedule QSO!? Please let us know → JA8AJE@jarl.com

JA80HG: Though I hit my key every day, getting points for AJA is not easy.

JA8PMN: In Obihiro-city, I'm using a long wire below the roof. On the other hand in Sapporo-city, a 4-meter-long fishing-rod antenna at the tenth floor of the condominium. They depends on CONDX, so I'm watching the air carefully every day.

JH8CBH: I operated the special station of Hokkaido Summit. Including QSO in JA8 TEST, I enjoyed the operation very much.

JH8WEJ: FT-897 & HK-802 are on my working desk. But my activity is at the bottom.

JR8RKV: I've been in QRT. Please keep me in KCJ for those times when I have much time for the radio.

JE8JYD: I've been in QRT since my antenna was broken. I'd like to be active again for the cycle 24.

JA9CZJ: I'm so busy that I can't make any plan for the next few months. Only when I have no work, the radio makes me feel refreshed.

JA0BJ: CW needs less power, not good location. So I can enjoy DX with a little equipment.

JA0AAQ: I'm going to wake up together with the coming of the cycle 24.

JA0EMS: I've been glued to 160 meter band. See you on the top band.

JE0JAO: Since I had an open chest surgery last year, I'd been in QRT. But I started mobile QRV in March this year.

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