

KCJ NEWS LETTER autumn 2002

KCJ general meeting has closed (The Key Oct. 2002)

The 14th KCJ general meeting was held 8th of Sept at hotel "Konosato" in Maebaru city of FO with 20 KCJ members present. After the opening declaration of the meeting by JE6QFP, subjects presented in "The Key #300" were discussed with JA6VU in the chair. Deliberation was especially concentrated on the membership qualifications and, as a result, regulations were changed; for Japanese, any individual who has a CW license and is more than 18 year old has the qualification to be a member; for foreigners, KCJ will accept those who are interested in CW.

New Directors (from Sept. 2002 to Sept. 2004) (The Key Oct. 2002)

Following directors were elected at the meeting: president JA6BJV, vice presidents JA1AYC and JA8AJE, treasurer JA3ATJ, auditors JA5SZE and JA8PMN.

Poor Condition in VU Contest? (The key Aug. 2002)

Participants in VU contest held at 19th through 20th July reported that the propagation was poor. However, contest committee received a log containing more than 80 Q's. As of 20th, seven logs were already received. Contest committee wants participants to send their logs as soon as possible.

JA1HLR, Winner in the multiband entry of V/U contest (The Key Oct. 2002)

Contest committee released results of VU contest held in July this year. the first place of the multiband entry is JA1HLR (CB), the single band 50 MHz JK1FLJ/1 (KN), 144 MHz JA1VVH (ST), 430MHz JM1SBU (GM).

JJ1INO was awarded in 2002 Ham Fair (The Key Sept. 2002)

Ino JJ1INO got the award "compact prize" for a home-made, very small and QRPp tranceiver in 2002 Ham Fair. The dimension is W50 x D45 x H52. He already worked domestic stations, KH0 and JD1 with it.

DXCC (The Key Oct. 2002)

KCJ has three Honor-rollers in Mixed Section of DXCC, JA6VU, JF3KTJ (now JA6BJV) and JA1AYC. JA6VU and JF3KTJ also are Honer-Rollers in CW section. JH1BAM, JK1EBA, JJ1KXB and JA6LVW appear in CW section on the Year Book 2001.

New member (The Key Oct. 2002)

KCJ welcomes Hiro JF0PMU in NI (Niigata pref.) as a new member at 25th of Aug. 2002.

from **JF0PMU**: Have been running a CW station for 8 years on 7 MHz. However, because my on air-time has been limited due to my work busy, I have not yet gained enough experience. I got to know Morse code when I was a mate several decades ago. When my ship was navigating along the coast of Korean peninsula and I was on night duty, I was panicked at an unidentified ship approaching us at high speed and flashing bright light. Wondered what happened? It was communication on CW using light. Since then I often stopped by the radio room of my ship and learned the code. This is my vivid memory as if it happened yesterday.

Short Break

JA1DD : Think I have a lot of free time in June, but I found I was on the air only for 15 days. Worked many Japanese two letter suffix stations in July 1997. Alas, they are not available for JCA. (Aug.)

JA2MYA: It was not productive on the air in summer. On the other hand, confirmed JCC and DXCC increase in number. See you in KCJ general meeting. (Sept.)

JF2VUF: Low activity this month. Devoted to my work and preparing for an exam, not to watch. (Sept)

JG3LGD: Have finished CW-WAS! It has been my wish for a long time. Last one was KY. Had worked several KY's but had gotten no QSL. Thus, I check out addresses of 4 land stations I worked and found four were in KY. Sent them SASE and one of them replied with the comment, "already sent via Buro two years ago". Where is that one? (Sept)

JH3EZV: Is everything on JARL OK? We should keep a watch on the behavior of JARL so as to prosper Ham radio in Japan.

JH3HGI: Congratulations The Key #300!! Hearing that my son would hold his wedding ceremony in KH0, I was very glad because of being able to be on the air at the rental shack in KH0. However, this was not realized due to unavoidable circumstance. QRV at KH0 was my unfinished dream. (Aug.)

JA5CUX: Received cards from Buro through home delivery service. It is my first experience since starting my station. (Sept)

JA6BJV: Receiving VP6D card, I have confirmed all entities I worked. Although P5 on SSB and RTTY is available for DXCC, I want to work him on CW. I wonder when P5 will be on CW. Thanks for FB eyeball at general meeting in Fukuoka, by the way. (Oct.)

JE6QFP: Weariness from the heat of Summer. Will operate at JCC/JCG you want to work when it gets cool. (Sept.)

JA7GAX: Heard 7MHz band will be expanded soon. Hope less QRM from avid Japanese code users. (ed JA1AYC : Think it still is far from reassuring. But WRC2003 will conclude something.) (Aug.)

JA7PCH: She got a CW-AJA-10,000. Congratulations! (QSP via JA1AYC)

JH7VOT: Worked Mr. Ken-ichi Horie JR3JJE/MM on SSB, who again is navigating alone from JA to USA. Hope his success. (Aug.)

JA8AJE: Since the innovation of my condominium was over, I can use my veranda for setting an antenna. Will participate in KCJ contest. (Sept.)

JA0AAQ: As I thought, we human being is that who misses other one. I have been feeling a sense of unsatisfaction even though I have made a lot of

contacts on the air. Thus, I was satisfied by making eyeballs and chatting with other members at a general meeting in Fukuoka. Thought the general meeting or a district meeting fuel me, so I have to attend it when I got exhausted. (Oct.)

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JA1FXE	KCJA425	6 th of July., 2002
JA6DH	KCJA100	9 th of July., 2002
DL9GTK	KCJA100	5 th of Aug., 2002
SP3LPR	KCJA150	“ “
JA1CC	KCJA200	9 th of Aug., 2002
JK1EBA	KCJA400	16 th of Aug., 2002
JA6BJV	KCJA350	16 th of Aug., 2002.

Results KCJ V/U Contest

Section: Multiband

Call	QTH	QSO	Claimed	Score	Pts	Multi	Final Score	No Log
1 JA1HLR	CB	81	2349	69	28	1932	11	
2 JJ1KXB/1	YN	76	2432	57	26	1482	12	
3 JK3HFN/3	HG	52	1632	43	29	1247	8	
4 JA1IVL	TK	57	1482	48	24	1152	5	
5 JE1LDU	TG	65	1495	55	20	1100	6	

Section: 50MHz

1 JK1FLJ/1	KN	49	882	40	17	680	8
2 JA1JQY	KN	53	408	29	12	348	6
3 JM1TUUY	KN	31	372	25	12	300	3

Section: 144MHz

1JA1VVH	ST	21	252	19	12	228	2
2 JA1KI	TK	33	264	25	8	200	7
3JG1BAH	ST	34	306	24	8	192	7

Section: 430MHz

1 JM1SBU	GM	17	119	15	7	105	2
2 JA1IE	TK	15	91	10	5	50	2
3 JG2TSL	SO	8	56	6	5	30	1

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