



THE FRANKFORD RADIO CLUB NEWSLETTER

PROFICIENCY THROUGH COMPETITION

CALENDAR

January 2003:

11-13 NA QSO Party, CW
18-19 NA QSO Party, SSB
24-26 CQ 160 Meter contest, CW

February 2003:

1-2 Delaware QSO Party
2 NA Sprint, SSB
8-9 CQ RTTY WPX Test
9 NA Sprint, CW
15-16 ARRL CW DX Test
21-23 CQ 160 Meter contest, SSB

March 2003:

1-2 ARRL SSB DX Test
9 NA Sprint, RTTY
15-16 Russian DX Test
29-30 CQ WPX Test, SSB

CHANGES

FRC new Web site location

www.gofrc.org

MEETINGS

Main Monthly Meeting

On Tuesday, January 14, the main FRC monthly meeting will be held at the Firehouse in King of Prussia. The meeting will start at 8:00 with food and drink available prior to the start. The Fire House is located at 170 Allendale Road in King of Prussia, Pa. 19406. If you're coming up the expressway you exit at 202N and go to the third light (McDonalds on right corner) and TURN LEFT onto Allendale Road. The firehouse is 1.5 blocks on the right. Enter driveway and SLOWLY go to the rear of the station. If you see COSTCO you've gone too far.



T.I.T.S. meeting

NOTE: New Location!!!

The Trexlertown International Transmitting Society has a new meeting place. It's the Pied Piper / 76 House, located just down the road from the old location. Location is on the Southwest corner of 222 and Route 100 at the traffic light. The meeting will be on Thursday, December 19 at 12:00 noon.



More meeting info on page 3

CQWW CW Log Reminder

Go to this URL and search for the call you used for the CQWWCW. If you uploaded your log, or sent it to **K3WW** for upload it should be there with the PROPER CATEGORY that you wanted to enter listed.

www.cqww.com/logs-received_cw.htm

You can also go to the SSB list to double check. If you have not turned in your log, the CABRILLO file goes to cw@cqww.com. Or send to **K3WW** for uploading, or conversion to Cabrillo. The CW deadline is actually Jan 15; however, with the robots, logs are already in the pipeline so sooner is better.

President's Column

Are You Ready??



First, let me wish you and your family the healthiest and most prosperous New Year. I hope your holiday season was the best in recent memory and you are now gearing up for ARRL CW and Phone contests. We had a great CQ and I look forward to competitive ARRL from all of you. We can do this!

On a different note I want you to think about service to your club. My time as leader is coming to an end. As with the last few years, your officers worked overtime and we need more folks to step forward and serve **FRC**. Think about it. Examine your situation and ask yourself if you could give your time for the betterment of the club. **K3WW** is chair of the nominating committee. Elections are just a couple of months away.

73 Doug W3CF

It Ain't HF Contesting, but.....

Ed. Note: I'm reprinting this as a courtesy to a fellow newsletter editor. If you have the equipment, give it a try

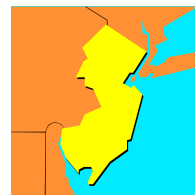
Saturday, January 18, 19:00UTC (2PMEST) through Monday, January 20, 04:00UTC (11PM EST-Sun)

The VHF SS January Contest is the focal highlight of the year for most hams active in VHF-UHF-Microwave. Research has shown that there has been a decline in both the number of participants and number of log entries in this contest. Please use this information to ask your club members to try to be active for this activity. Many already have equipment for 6 meters and higher bands. Others have FM walkies for 146, 222 and 446 and maybe even 1296. Some have bought lowband rigs that cover 6m, while others might have the newer rigs that include 50, 144 and 432. Please consider this an open invitation to participate, if only for a few contacts, a few hours, or on a few bands. You will find plenty of activity, courteous and cooperative hams, and a willingness to "make the contact."

More Meeting Info

Rexy Meeting B

The Rexy's **FRC** Meeting B meets after the main **FRC** meeting on the second Tuesday of each month, and at about 8 PM on the fourth Tuesday of each month.



NYC FRC Meeting

The next NYC meeting will be on Wednesday January 15th at the Jerusalem II restaurant on Broadway between 37th and 38th street. The meeting is open to all Hams and is attended by members of both **FRC** and YCCC. The topics will be the usual ham radio talk: contesting, antennas, DXpeditions, and equipment. If anyone would like to give a presentation please let me know and I will make arrangements.



Please forward this message to any ham who would be interested.

For directions contact Zev Darack, **N2WKS**: n2wks@arrl.net

January 15th, 2003
7PM to 8:30PM
Jerusalem II
1375 Broadway
New York, NY
212-398-1475

From the Editor

Folks, I need your help. Last I looked (a few minutes ago), I was out of articles to print. As you can see, this month's issue is mainly meeting notices and contest scores. That's not always bad, but I'd like to have more to publish. I've scrounged and received permission to reprint items from other newsletters, but I'd like to hear more from the **FRC** membership. Remember, this is your newsletter, not mine.

So in addition to Doug's plea for volunteers, I'd like to issue a plea for writers. Don't worry about how "nice" it looks, that's my job. The content, however, is your job. Please don't think you don't have anything to share with the membership. The odds are pretty good that you do. I hope to hear from you (hopefully all) soon.

73, Joe KQ3F

FRC 2002 CQWW CW Claimed Scores

Station	QSOs	Zones	Cntrys	Class	Score	Station	QSOs	Zones	Cntrys	Class	Score
6V6U	5,537	129	440	A	9,329,893	N3RS	4,560	177	681	M2	11,186,604
<i>Op</i>	<i>K3IPK</i>					<i>Ops</i>	<i>N3RS K3WU N2SR N3ED W8FJ</i>				
AA1K	2,711	154	495	A	4,963,254	N3ZA	633			AA	999,354
K2DM	917	123	413	AA	1,389,312	N4XU	380	80	200	LA	294,840
K2NG				AA	4,548,400	N9GG				LA	22,575
K2NJ				AA	3,178,715	NA2U	1,172	140	526	AA	2,206,458
K2OWE				AA	872,277	NE3F				MS	2,827,804
K2PS	1,348	135	477	AA	2,332,944	<i>Ops</i>	<i>NE3F K3ATO KS3F</i>				
K2SWZ	47	20	31	A28	6,018	NN3Q				AA	1,231,763
K3ATO				AA	26,779	NO2R				AA	3,540,824
K3BSA	390	64	182	MS	266,418	NY3C				AA	166,845
<i>Ops</i>	<i>K3JLK KB3CBO</i>					P40W	6,033	147	482	A	11,235,827
K3CP				AA	1,168,712	<i>Op</i>	<i>W2GD</i>				
K3II	2,255	151	574	MM	4,587,594	V26K	5,637	129	455	LA	8,533,992
<i>Ops</i>	<i>K3II K3CT N3MX WF3H</i>					<i>Op</i>	<i>AA3B</i>				
K3MD	1,455	121	454	A	2,370,725	V47KP				A	2,797,130
K3ND				AA	2,095,477	<i>Op</i>	<i>W2OX</i>				
K3NM	872	543	24	AA	1,683,730	W1GD				AA	3,059,458
K3NZ	988	98	311	AA	1,157,879	W2EN	405	69	199	A	300,964
K3OO	464	90	245	A	434,830	W2LE				AA	800,685
K3PH				AA	3,190,759	W2RD	285	98	262	AA	277,560
K3PP				AA	1,740,413	W2UP	3,329	165	628	AA	7,539,051
K3VA	506	75	232	A	425,809	W2YC	1,616	153	581	MM	3,318,414
K3WW	3,012	165	615	AA	6,705,660	<i>Ops</i>	<i>W2YC AA2WN</i>				
KB3MM	728	99	347	AA	900,028	W2YR				LA	450,524
KC1XX	7,833	194	774	MM	21,206,944	W3AP	966	117	363	A	1,288,800
<i>Ops</i>	<i>KC1XX AD1C DL7NS DL7SI K1GQ N3RD</i>					W3BEN	198	58	133	LA	102,185
	<i>N6HB N6IG N6MJ W1FV W2RQ</i>					W3BGN	1			A	4,553,952
KD3TB				AA	77,880	W3BYX	544	86	273	A	541,000
KQ2M	3,599	157	562	A	7,455,311	W3CF	669	100	375	AA	873,050
KQ3F	723	72	254	AA	679,710	W3FV				AA	3,219,664
KU3X	203	50	133	AA	104,127	W3FVT				AA	95,914
N1RK				AA	188,328	W3GK	801	122	364	AA	1,081,350
N2AB				AA	753,532	W3IZ	301	70	197	AA	217,605
N2BA	1,652	137	509	AA	3,037,492	W3OV				AA	1,024,245
N2CQ				AA	821,754	W3PP	4,355	173	659	MM	10,098,816
N2LT				A	4,566,300	<i>Ops</i>	<i>W3PP K3FT K5ZM KW3Z N3HUV N6ZO</i>				
N2MM	2,205	152	573	AA	4,537,775		<i>NW3Y WB4FDT WK2W</i>				
N2MR	901	99	316	A	1,052,855	W3RJ				A	280,434
N2NT	3,302	149	515	A	6,237,616	W3ZL	1,630	105	322	AA	2,021,845
N2NU				M2	9,500,000	WE3C	749	126	351	AA	1,015,533
<i>Ops</i>	<i>N2NU K2QM N2WKS WW2Y</i>					WK2G				LA	1,138,830
N2RM	6,348	182	721	MM	16,209,753	WP2Z	8,394	154	577	M2	15,296,604
<i>Ops</i>	<i>N2RM N2ED N2NC N2OO NA2AA W2REH WM2H</i>					<i>Ops</i>	<i>AB2E K3TEJ</i>				
N2TK				AA	1,269,705	WQ3E	224	58	133	LA	117,083
N2VM				A	44,144	WT3P	937	113	401	AA	1,341,026
N3AD	4,551	173	661	MM	10,593,468	WT3W	1,101	116	452	AA	1,755,120
<i>Ops</i>	<i>N3AD K3BU K3ZV N3DXX N3MT N3RG</i>					ZP6T	5,344	142	419	M2	8,766,186
N3EA				A	230,601	<i>Ops</i>	<i>CX6VM N3BNA W4PFM ZP6CW</i>				
N3KR	709	91	319	A	809,000						
N3NA				AA	1,650,032						
N3RJ				A	579,979						
											Total 260,601,846

ARRL 160M FRC Claimed Scores

Call	QSOs	Sect.	DX	Score	Class
AA1K	1360	78	37	350,405	SOH
K2DM	300	62	2	38,784	
K2OWE				4,421	M
K2SB	232	51	3	25,704	M
K3ATO				53,790	M
K3CP				14,400	M
K3MD	387	55	7	49,476	
K3ND				10,608	M
K3NM	56	30	6	4,680	M
K3PP	1 41	45	7	15,912	M
K3WW	1019	75	21	205,440	M
KU3X	101	35	0	7,070	M
N2LT				149,000	
N2NC	279	48	6	24,786	SOL
N2NT	1091	75	32	257,549	SOH
N2TK	331	56	7	43,218	M
N2VW				13,320	SOL
N3MX	237	46	2	23,040	M
NO2R	1007	72	37	255,714	M
NZ3O				18,500	M QRP
W2GD	1237	75	45	352,320	M
<i>Ops. W2GD, K2TW, KU2C, N2OO, W2GC, W2NOD</i>					
W2YC	435	66	12	71,136	SOH
W3AP	234	43	3	21,942	SOH
W3MF	202	40	3	17,759	SOH
W3RJ	500	65	15	85,280	SOH
WE3C	849	71	15	152,220	SOH
WA2VYA	570	58	11	81,558	SOH

ARRL 10M FRC Claimed Scores

Call	QSOs	Mult	Score	Class
AA3B	1289	141	727,560	MS
K2PS	1312	232	956,304	SOL MIX
K3NM	323	94	58,140	SOH SSB
K3PP	161	51	39,312	SOH MIX
K3WW	1470	259	1,230,250	MS
KQ2M	581	147	256,368	SOH mix
N2ED	1500	230	1,150,920	SOH MIX
N2MM	1676	143	961,532	MS (CW)
N2NT	3102	311	3,083,876	MS
<i>Ops. N2NT W2RQ N2NC</i>				
N3MX	320	103	132,664	SOL CW
W2UP	330	79	104,280	SOH CW
W2YC	1199	145	641,480	SOH CW
W3CF	1247	114	284,316	SOL SSB
W3PP	1495	151	904,188	SOL CW
WB2BHC	221	158	39,312	SOH MIX

HAPPY NEW YEAR

From the newsletter staff



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**Deadline for February issue:
Monday, January 27**

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Repeater

2 meters, 147.27/147.87
Output PL tone, 114.8

Home Page

www.frc-contest.org

Meetings

Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month (Sep through May) at 8 PM at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, 43rd and Kingsessing Street, Philadelphia. Summer meetings are held at member homes (one Saturday/ Sunday per month).

Packet Cluster Contest/DX System

144.910	N2MT
144.930	W3FRC
145.650	K2TD
144.950	KD3CN
145.530	K3WW
145.530	AA1K
145.530	K2SG
145.570	WT3Q
145.570	K2TW
145.590	N2NT
144.950	K3GYS
145.710	W3EA
145.730	N2BIM
147.495	W3MM
145.670	W3PP
441.050	W3MM
445.525	K3GYS
445.525	W3EA
445.850	N3BNA
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