

SHORTWAVE BULLETIN

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First of all – welcome to five new members to the mailing list.

Hope to hear from you with some information quite soon.

Also thanks to Guy Atkins, Walt Salmaniv and Jerry Berg for sharing comments for this issue.

We have a lot of history from the old days when DX Interest was on top. Each year we had DX Parliaments with many participants.

In 1962 it was arranged by DX-Club Lundensis (DXCL) down here in southern Sweden. The club had to do a lot of preparations as many DX-ers attended.

Radio Syd was visited on its transmitter ship in Öresund, the police station and then Copenhagen, where the Tuborg brewery was honored with a visit.

During the event the Tuborg DX-Club was formed. Things later went wild and during the evening in Copenhagen, a Finnish DXer was bitten in the arm – by a stripper. Also Hörby Radio Station was visited.

Those were the times...

As always – many thanks to Ronny Forslund for the Nostalgia Column.

Keep on

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QSL, comments, etc.

Christer Brunström: Voice of Vietnam 11885 confirmed my recent report with a nice QSL-folder mailed in a colourful cover.

Howard Griffiths, England M0JWC: Hi Thomas, could you please add my email to your distribution list,

Many thanks and 73's, Howard - M0JWC

Jerry Rappel, WW0EJAR, USA. Subscribe.

Rizwan Abbasi, Hello Thomas, Hope you are doing well and in good health. I saw your post on Facebook. Would be great if you put my email on the list. Kind regards,

Dan Marinescu. Thanks for sending me Shortwave Bulletin in English.

Mark Baker. Hello. As seen on a Facebook post; Request to join Shortwave Bulletin email list.

Guy Atkins, Aberdeen, WA USA: Hi Thomas, I hope you are doing well. Like you, most of my DXing time is spent on the medium waves. However, this past week while on a DXpedition at coastal Grayland, Washington I recorded a swath of shortwave frequencies with my FDM-S3 and went through them later.

Attached is a TXT file of some of my catches, to add to your next SWB. I hope the formatting is OK... please let me know if you would like something different.

The evening of March 27 UTC had particularly good reception of Radio Tonga on 1017. I have also attached a couple of audio clips you might enjoy. I note that they have been using "Radio Tonga One" as their ID for a while. Previously it was "Radio Tonga". /Best of DX,

Here is a link. Fantastic quality:

https://www.dxinfo.se/ARC/2026-03-24_10'20'47_Tonga_1017.mp3

Walt Salmaniv: I remember a very nice "encounter" with Tom Williamson (I also read a book/publication of his about the listening hobby). I was listening to the Mailbox program on Radio Ulan Bator, and low and behold, they mentioned Tom's name. He was still with us at that time (and I don't think he ever used the internet). I was meaning to reach out to him and even send him the mp3 clip, but it never happened. /73, Walt

Jerry Berg: DXPers, I just uploaded the latest Shortwave Bulletin (SWB 2102, March 29, 2026) to the "Files" section of our groups.io website

<https://groups.io/g/DXplorer> ("Files" section). SWB's mentions of some well-known SWers of the past caught my eye: on pg. 7, George Jacobs (whose passing was also mentioned in SWB 2084, July 20, 2025, pg. 8); on pg. 12, ODXA's Tom Williamson, who passed away in June 2013; and on pg. 10, Art Collins. Thanks to Thomas Nilsson for the great work he does on SWB. /JB.

Ralpy Perry. Hi Thomas,

I am just finishing up my third novel in THE PACIFIC TRILOGY and getting it ready for publication.

In the meantime, I have begun writing short fiction and putting up, free, on Substack and Medium, under my pen name of Chet Nairene.

As usual, I write stories about funny, exotic misadventures of young Westerners adrift in Asia, based on my three decades living in Malaysia, Hong Kong, Philippines, S Korea and Thailand.

<https://substack.com/@chetnairene846282>

<https://medium.com/@chetnairene>

And to think all that international interest started with shortwave DXing in elementary school.

Links attached to the international short stories, hope SWB readers enjoy!

*Author (pen name 'Chet Nairene') of **The Pacific Trilogy**, humorous international expat novels set in Asia:*

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pacific Dash• Pacific Odyssey• Pacific Dream (Coming in May 2026!)	And free short fiction online on Substack: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chet Nairene Stories
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(Cheers and 73, Ralph.)

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Michael Oexner. Hi all,

The 2026 editions of my NDB handbooks are now available. As always, I have incorporated the latest changes and monitoring results.

The new GNDBH contains details on over 17600 NDBs worldwide. It is the perfect listening companion for radio enthusiasts using the extensive WebSDR network.

The updated ENDBH features data on over 8500 NDBs, and the new NANDBH includes data on over 5900 NDBs.

How to order: Please send your order and advance payment via PayPal to: michael.oexner@web.de

Prices and delivery times: The prices for the handbooks are listed below. If you are paying by PayPal, please add the indicated amount to cover PayPal fees. All handbooks are produced individually. Please allow up to two weeks for production.

- ENDBH (download): €30 / £26
- ENDBH (print): €40 / £35
- NANDBH (download): US\$ 34
- GNDBH (download): €50 / £43 / US\$ 57

For PayPal payments, please add €1 / £1 / US\$ 2.

Once again, I would like to thank my fellow NDB DXers for their continued support! I appreciate your help in keeping the handbooks up to date.

(vy 73 + gd DX, Michael Oexner, ENDBH, GNDBH & NANDBH editor)



GLENN HAUSER LOG ROUNDUPS. Please note and spread the word - for those not on a list where my almost-daily all-band but mainly SW log reports appear -- or for those who are but find this a more convenient archive, weekly merged roundups of all these reports in their original form are posted early every Thursday via WOR:

<http://www.worldofradio.com/Hauserlogs.html>

The latest ones direct: https://www.w4uvh.net/ghlogs_2026_0402_0408.txt

Previous issue: https://www.w4uvh.net/ghlogs_2026_0319_0325.txt

Useful log links:

WOR: <https://groups.io/g/WOR>
WWDXC Top News: <https://www.wwdxc.de/topnews.shtml>
DXPlorer: <https://groups.io/g/DXplorer/messages>
Shortwave Central radio blog: <https://mt-shortwave.blogspot.com/>
DX Fanzine: www.dxfanzine.com (also pirate stations)
Liangas: <https://zliangaslogs.wordpress.com/2022/> (mostly using KIWI's around the world)
Franz Bleeker <https://kurzwellenradio.wordpress.com/>

Here are some pirate tips links that might be worth spreading. /Per Eriksson, Sweden:

Pirates: <https://shortwavedx.blogspot.com/> <https://betajbk.blogspot.com/>
<https://ukdxer.wixsite.com/my-vxw-site-di06oi>
www.hfunderground.com Shortwave Pirate Radio in North America and around the World
<https://www.achimbrueckner.de/>
Achim Bruckner: <http://lhu-dx-log.blogspot.com/>
Lars Jeppesen, active listener:
Rick, Finland: <http://pirateradiolog.blogspot.com/>
Irish Paul: <https://irishpaulsradioblog.blogspot.com/>

Log

(UT)

3310	Apr 4	0002	Radio Mosoj Chaski, Cotapachi, Quechua, comments. Very weak. (Méndez)
3955	Apr 8	2112	R. Channel 292, Rohrdorf. G, pops. anns. in sev. langs. 3 (CG)
3965	Mar 28	1958	R. Delta, Elburg. Pops. 3 (CG)
3975	Apr 11	1931	World of Radio, English, good (Franz Bleeker)
3985	Apr 3	2033	Shortwave Service, Kall-Krekel. Pops. 3 (CG)
3995	Apr 3	2000	KBS World Radio, German, good (Franz Bleeker)
3995	Apr 12	0448	HCJB Germany, Weenermoor, 0448-0459, 12-04, German, religious comments and songs. (Méndez) + (CG)
4755	Apr 12	1803	Voice of Indonesia, Jakarta, 1803-1822, 11-04, comments, female, male, Indonesian songs. Very weak. (Méndez)
4775	Apr 11	2301	Radio Tarma, Tarma, 2301-2113, 11-04, comments, Peruvian songs. (Méndez)
4905	Apr 3	-1804*	PSB RTV, Lhasa, Tibetan comments and songs and music. // 4920, 7385. (Méndez)
4905	Apr 11	1846	PSB RTV, Lhasa, 1846-1857, 11-04, Tibetan music and songs. // 4920, 7385. (Méndez)
4920	Apr 11	-1904*	PSB RTV, Lhasa, 1847-1904*, 11-04, Tibetan music, Tibetan comments. // 4095, 7385. (Méndez)
4940	Apr 12	0503	Estación 4940, 0503-0522, 12-04, religious songs and comments. (Méndez)
5025	Apr 9	0358	Radio Rebelde 22231 SS (A Ross) + (Méndez)
5860	Apr 4	0235	Radio Farda 53444 Persian / Farsi
			Notes:
			1. A remarkably strong signal! According to the 'Shortwave Schedules' app the bx is from Sulaibiyah. Can anyone confirm this?
			2. The interference appears to resemble a weak 'bubble' jammer.
			3. The SW bx was a relay of the online bx (URL below). The online bx was one (1) minute and 15 seconds, approx., behind the SW bx. https://www-radiofarda.com/live/audio/79 Note the date displayed on the above page - Saturday 15 April 2021. Are the SW and online service re-broadcasting old programmes?
			4. Reception deteriorated considerably from 0356UTC onwards, due to an increase in propagation but mainly because of interference from the jammer. (A Ross)
5890		0154	Iran International TV 44433 Persian. The bx via SW was roughly 20 seconds ahead of the television livestream at the URL, below: https://www.iranintl.com/live (A Ross)
5900	Apr 10	1900	Radio Taiwan International, German, good (Franz Bleeker)
5910	Apr 5	0153	Alcaraván Radio (presumed), heard via new Kiwi SDR remote at Tamesis, Colombia; choir singing "We Shall Be Saved"; from 0157+ was surprised to hear a long reading entirely in English of the Song of Solomon. My remote audio with one minute of song and seven of English - https://app.box.com/s/5x459ch7pb8pbn5qzuwp1iko3pzqi7kv . (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, California)
5910	Apr 12	0442	Alcaraván Radio, Puerto Lleras, English, religious comments and songs. Many thanks to Ron Howard for the timely alert about the reactivation of this station. (Méndez)
5930	Apr 11	1933	World Music Radio, pop songs, Brazilian songs, id. "World Music Radio". (Méndez)
5939.4	Apr 12	0448	Voz Missionaria, Camboriú, religious comments and songs. (Méndez) + (CG)
5950	Apr 5	2010	RealMix Radio with music and short announcements in English, Spanish and Finnish between each song. The station is on the air Saturdays and Sundays between 0630 and 2100 UTC. (CB) + (Franz Bleeker) + (Méndez)
5955	Apr 12	0453	SuperClan Radio, Putten, comments in English, id. "SuperClan Radio...". (Méndez)

5995	Apr 12	0603	Radio Mali, Bamako, African songs, Vernacular, comments, id. "Radio Mali", program "Au Chant du Coq". (Méndez)
6010	Apr 4	0443	Alcaraván Radio, Puerto Lleras, religious songs and comments. (Méndez)
6010	Apr 12	0443	La Voz de tu Conciencia, Puerto Lleras, religious comments and songs, id. "La Voz de tu Conciencia". Slight QRM from Radio Inconfidencia on the same fq. (Méndez)
6010.1	Apr 2	2103	R. Inconfidência, Belo Horizonte MG. Songs, resumed px A Hora do Fazendeiro. // 15189.793. 2 (CG)
6020	Apr 12	0601	Radio Casanova, open with identification song in English, Dutch, music. (Méndez)
6030	Apr 11	1814	Radio Oromiya, Addis Ababa, Vernacular, comments. (Méndez)
6050	Apr 12	-0500*	HCJB, Pichincha, religious songs, Spanish, anthem and closing at 0500. (Méndez)
6050	Apr 12	*0555-	ELWA Radio, Monrovia, interval signal, English, id. "ELWA Radio...", religious comments and songs. (Méndez)
6070	Apr 11	0800	Radio Atlantic 2000 International, French, fair (Franz Bleeker)
6070	Apr 12	0713	CFRX, Toronto, comments. QRM from Channel 292 on the same frequency. (Méndez)
6070	Apr 12	0611	Radio Waves International via Channel 292, Rohrbach, songs, id. "Radio Waves International". (Méndez)
6110	Apr 8	1836	R. Fana, Geja Jawe. Vn, tks. Weak audio. 3 (CG) + (Méndez)
6110	Apr 11	1817	Radio Oromiya, Addis Ababa, East African songs, Vernacular, comments. (Méndez)
6130	Apr 12	0608	Radio Europe, Alphen, pop, id. "Radio Europe". (Méndez)
6140	Apr 3	1705	Radio Onda, Junglinster, pop, oldies, French, comments, id. in Portuguese, "Radio Onda a nossa radio". (Méndez)
6140	Apr 11	1331	Radio Solvákia International, German, good (Franz Bleeker)
6140	Apr 12	1841	Radio Augusta via Radio Onda, Junglinster, pop songs and comments in English, oldies, id. "Radio Augusta", "Radio Augusta International". (Méndez)
6140	Apr 12	0600	Radio Gloria, Switzerland, Via Radio Onda, Junglinster, German, religious comments and songs. (Méndez)
6150	Apr 12	0444	Radio Saturno, Belo Horizonte, Brazilian songs, program "Faixa Brasil". (Méndez)
6160	Apr 8	1838	Shortwave Gold, Winsen. E, old jazz songs in the Shortwave Radio Jazz Hour. 3 (CG)
6180	Apr 11	2033	Radio Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia, soccer, live matches. // 11780. (Méndez)
6185	Apr 12	0451	Radio Educación, Ciudad de México, Mexican songs, music, Spanish, comments.
6200	Apr 4	0601	Radio Ancora, Brazilian songs, comments, id. "Ancora", "Radio Ancora". (Méndez)
7203	Mar 29	1504	RRI Pro 3/Pro Tiga. Also this remote reception heard via Kiwi SDR at Bandung: patriotic song "Bagimu Negeri" (For You, Our Country); heard via the Bandung Kiwi SDR remote. My remote audio - https://app.box.com/s/95s1pqoh75t3b29pc485j8e160jis7yz . (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, California)
7260	Apr 12	*0557-	Radio Vanuatu, Port Vila, English, Bislama, comments. (Méndez)
7264.7	Apr 3	1523	Radio Europe, pop, oldies, music, id. in English "This is Radio Europe". (Méndez)
7275	Apr 9	0302	Voice of Turkey 55545 EE nx YL (A Ross)
7289.9	Mar 29	0827	RRI Nabire Pro1/Pro Satu, heard at my local beach; 0827-0957; EZL songs and several long, repetitive Islamic sounding songs; heavy QRN (static) and announcers in the studio had some type of QRN; 0901-0907, Islamic Shalawat Tarhim prayer, with audio hum; 0907-0911, Maghrib (sunset) call-to-prayer; best after 0900+. A special treat today to find no CNR1 here at 0930, as recently heard. Instead RRI in the clear with EZL songs, with some in English; sounded like Michael Bolton's rendition of "To Love Somebody," etc.; 0957, carrier on for CNR1. My six minute beach recording with a lot of QRN - https://app.box.com/s/kj4cd5hykd9zfm93sfhw96r31vfranw4 . (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, California)
7290	Mar 26	1503	Nippon no Kaze, Taiwan. Excellent signal with very melodramatic and sad content by woman announcer in Korean. It was sort of a 'stream of consciousness' talk about brothers and sisters abducted by North Korea, and efforts to contact them and ultimately return them to their homes. (tnx Google Translate). (Atkins-WA)
7440	Apr 5	1638	R. NZ Pacific, Rangitaiki. E, interview. 3 (CG)
7730	Apr 1	1625	Radio Romania International 34332 CC (A Ross)
9355	Mar 26	1635	Sulabiyah VOA Radio Ashna, Kuwait. Announcers in pres. Pashto. Listed target area is Afghanistan. Fair signal. (Atkins-WA)
9425	Mar 29	1803	Voice of Korea, German, fair (Franz Bleeker)
9525	Mar 26	1702	BBC World Service, Oman. Presumed this, with Dari or Pashto language. Fair to good. (Atkins-WA)
9580	Mar 26	1500	IBRA Radio, UAE. Tentatively this, with pres. Pashto; drama or radio play, followed by man and woman in discussion. Fair to good signal. (Atkins-WA)
9585	Mar 26	1453	TWR, Interval signal at 1453 (sounds like a glass harmonica), and ID by man 'This is TWR, broadcasting from Eswatini'. Hymn music 1455, followed by woman in pres. Malagasy. Very good signal. (Atkins-WA)

9595	Mar 26	1711	V. of Turkey, Turkish pop music, and presumed ID at 1713. Language is listed as Uzbek. Quite weak signal. (Atkins-WA)
9635	Apr 4	0811	Radio Mali, Bamako Vernacular, comments. (Méndez)
9670	Apr 5	0913	Channel 292, Rohrbach. G, pops, radio amateur px. 4 (CG)
9700	Mar 29	1848	R. NZ Pacific, Rangitaiki. Pacif. lang., sports nx, mx, fq. change ann., IS. 5 (CG)
9700	Apr 4	0559	Radio Romania International, German, excellent (Franz Bleeker)
9705	Apr 3	1935	Vatican Radio, Santa Maria di Galeria, The Way of the Cross, French. (Méndez)
9730	Apr 11	1830	Voice of Vietnam, German, good (Franz Bleeker)
9750	Apr 4	0144	BBC World Service 23332 EE S. Asia srv (A Ross)
9818.6	Apr 8	2116	R. 9 de Julho, São Paulo SP. Rlgs. propag., chorus. Adj. QRM de CHN on 9820. 3 (CG) + (Méndez)
9900	Mar 26	1505	Living Waters Ministry, Taiwan Woman in Korean, followed by hymn and contemporary praise music in Korean. Very good level; North Korean jammer noted in background. (Atkins-WA)
9960	Apr 12	-0557*	Radio Vanuatu, Port Vila, comments, Bislama, female, songs. (Méndez)
10100	Mar 28	1305	USB DWD Pinneberg 45555 RTTY (A Ross)
11640	Mar 26	1700	R. Dabanga, Vatican State. Very good signal in Arabic; 'Radio Dabanga' ID sung by man at 1700, followed by an overview of upcoming programs (tnx Google Translate). (Atkins-WA)
11690	Apr 4	0548	Scandinavian Weekend Radio, Virrat, pop, Finnish, comments, id. at 0601 "...from Finland, this is Scandinavian Weekend Radio, www.swradio.net ". (Méndez)
11725	Apr 5	0924	R. NZ Pacific, Rangitaiki. E, introview on learning Maori. 4 (CG)
11755	Mar 26	1659	Vatican Radio, Interval signal followed by ID in French. Poor to fair. (Atkins-WA)
11750.5	Apr 11	2126	Voz Missionaria, Camboriú, religious songs and comments. (Méndez) + (CG)
11780	Apr 11	1951	Radio Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia, soccer, live matches. (Méndez)
11800	Apr 11	1400	Now the only English time and frequency for NHK World R. Japan, and 11815 now in Japanese. Both are too weak to be usable, but 11815 is slightly stronger, S6 vs S4 for 11800, why? HFCC shows both 300 kW, 11815 at 235 degrees, 11800 at 240, both aimed away from us (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)
11870	Apr 3	1926	Vatican Radio, Santa Maria di Galeria, The Way of the Cross, English. (Méndez)
11880	Mar 26	1500	TWR, Eswatini. Interval signal and TWR ID in English, and into listed Somali language. Fair signal. (Atkins-WA)
11885	Mar 26	1700	V. of Vietnam, Nice IDs by woman in Vietnamese and mentions of Hanoi, brief orchestral music, then 'Greetings to our listeners. This is a program for our compatriots who live afar' (tnx Google Translate). Very good. (Atkins-WA) + (Franz Bleeker)
11885	Apr 2	0935	RTM Sabah V FM heard here on the California coast from 0935 to past 1050+; after 0957, with QRM; at 1027, the Islamic call to prayer for Sabah. Very nice to hear this locally. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, California)
11900	Mar 26	1706	All India Radio, Male vocals and tabla music mostly; announcer in pres. Farsi. Fair signal. (Atkins-WA)
12005	Mar 26	1705	Farda, Kuwait. Fair signal of political discussion in Farsi; seemed to be regarding a visiting dignitary (tnx Google Translate). (Atkins-WA)
12095	Apr 5	1657	BBC World Service 33322 EE Football (A Ross)
13600	Apr 2	1353	China Radio International 44444 FF (A Ross)
13680	Mar 28	1630	Radio Romania International 35333 Arabic M. East srv (A Ross)
13690	Mar 29	1859	R. NZ Pacific, Rangitaiki. IS, E, Pacific nx. 5 (CG)
13720	Mar 28	1339	China Radio International 44433 FF (A Ross)
15140	Apr 4	0712	Ifrikya FM, Ourgla, French, comments, id. "Ifrikya FM", African songs. (Méndez)
15190	Apr 8	1741	Radyo Pilipinas 55545 Tagalog (pr) M. East srv (A Ross)
15189.8	Apr 10	1828	R. Inconfidência. Tks. Adj. QRM de PHL. 3 (CGS) + (Méndez)
15220	Apr 2	1043	China Radio International 54433 Hungarian https://youtu.be/9Ttzz-2UbrI?si=IHTvD-LuunoLQmVpr (A Ross)
15225	Mar 28	1140	China Radio International 54444 Czech (A Ross)
15250	Apr 5	1048	Radio Romania International 55444 FF tx ended 1056 (A Ross)
15295	Apr 2	1140	RTM Nasional FM doing very well here on the California coast from 1140+; strong signal. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, California)
15300	Mar 28	1130	Radio Romania International 54544 French (A Ross)
15350	Apr 5	1143	Voice of Turkey 54444 GG (A Ross)
15350	Apr 6	1128	TRT Ankara, German, good (Franz Bleeker)
15400	Apr 5	1345	Reach Beyond Australia 54444 EE 'Wavescan' (A Ross)
15550	Apr 8	1702	Radio Dabanga 54444 Sudanese (A Ross)
15565	Apr 8	1700	Vatican Radio 54444 FF C. Africa srv (A Ross) + (Méndez)
15595	Apr 1	1615	Radio Romania International 55555 EE (A Ross)
17600	Apr 12	0739	Ifrikya FM, Bechar, African songs, French, Arabic, news. (Méndez) + (A Ross)
17620	Apr 5	1323	Voice of Turkey 54444 EE c. European srv (A Ross)

17675	Apr 5	2100	R. NZ Pacific, Rangitaiki. E, TS, nx,px anns., wx forecast, R.Natl. px. 3 (CG)
17680	Apr 2	0722	China Radio International 44344 SS s. European srv (A Ross)
17700	Mar 28	1619	BBC World Service 44333 EE C. Africa srv Football (A Ross)
17715	Mar 26	1444	Radio Exterior de Espana, Spanish, good (Franz Bleeker)
17740	Apr 5	1040	Voice of Turkey 33343 FF s. European srv (A Ross)
17745	Apr 8	1640	BBC World Service 55444 Kinyarwanda / KiRund (pr) According to the Shortwave Schedule app this bx was for E. Africa and the tx was from Talata Volonondry, Madagascar. If so, extraordinarily loud and clear (A Ross)
17780	Apr 8	1716	BBC World Service 34322 EE W. Africa srv 'Focus on Africa' (A Ross)
17800	Mar 28	1230	Radio Romania International 55555 EE //21470 (A Ross)
17855	Apr 9	0501	CGTN Radio 33332 EE C. Asia srv (A Ross)
17865	Apr 5	0705	China Radio International 45454 FF (A Ross)
21470	Mar 28	1220	Radio Romania International 34433 EE E. Africa srv (A Ross)
21510	Apr 1	1129	Radio Romania International 34433 EE (A Ross)
21565	Mar 28	1325	BBC World Service 24242 EE Newhour Indonesia srv (A Ross)
21745	Apr 4	1100	Vatican Radio, Mandarin, fair, same on 21760 / 21775 (Franz Bleeker)
21800	Apr 1	1120	Sound of Hope 34332 CC (A Ross)

CLANDESTINE & TARGET BROADCASTING

6280	Apr 8	1823	Sound Of Hope R Int'l., unk. site. Mand to CHN, tks. Meas. 6280.015. 2 (CG)
6370	Apr 2	1823	Sound Of Hope R Int'l., unk. site. Mand to CHN, tks. Meas. 6369.969. 2 (CG)
6970.1	Apr 8	1834	Sound Of Hope R Int'l., unk. site. Mand to CHN, tks. Meas. 6970.123. 1 (CG)
7810.1	Apr 7	1835	Sound Of Hope R Int'l. Mand to CHN, songs, tks. Meas. 7810.060. 2 (CG)
9120	Apr 2	2114	Sound Of Hope R Int'l., unk. site. Mand to CHN, tks. Meas. 9120.030. 2 (CG)
9470	Apr 4	-1428*	new frequency for Kenneth Bae's NKHB (New Korea Hope Broadcasting), ex: 7200; heard via Kiwi SDR remote at Palomar Mt. #1, So. Calif.; Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday schedule: 1400-1430; transmitting from Taiwan to N. Korea; today heard *1400-1428* UT, on April 4 (Saturday); several clear "N-K-H-B" IDs at intro; good reception. Thanks to Fukunaga and to Komatsubara Hiroyuki's excellent website, "Now On The Radio," for the timely alert. So both NKHB (New Korea Hope Broadcasting) and "RBS" - Voice of the Revival of Korea (aka: Revival Broadcasting System) have now changed frequencies to 9470, both ex: 7200. My six minute remote audio - https://app.box.com/s/zqvv1awezigzd9b7bmq5dttar9zz2xqc (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, California)
9985	Mar 26	1705	Sound of Hope, Taiwan Mar 26 1705 - Announcers in Mandarin, discussing a cultural tour of Taipei City for middle school children to expose them to the variety of arts in the city (tnx Google Translate). Excellent signal. (Atkins-WA)

VOLMET & UTILITY STATIONS

4405	Mar 31	1821	TAH İstanbul R. Ocean wx, E at 1823. 2 (CG)
6230	Apr 4	2200	VMW Marine Weather Station, Wiluna WA. Wx warnings. 3 (CG)
6507	Apr 2	1904	VMC Marine Weather Station, Charleville QLD. Wx warnings. 2 (CG)
6676	Apr 7	1831	VKA-930 Australian Volmet, Alice Springs NT. Met rpt. 1 (CG)
6676	Apr 10	1810	HSD Bangkok Volmet. ID, met rpt, s/off ann. 4 (CGS)
6676	Apr 10	1817	ARA Karachi Volmet. ID, met rpt, s/off ann. 3 (CGS)
6676	Apr 10	1820	9VA-40 Singapore Volmet. ID, met rpt. 3 (CGS)
6676	Apr 10	2056	AWB Bombay Volmet. Met rpt. 3 (CGS)
6679	Mar 31	1843	JIA Tokyo Volmet. Met rpt. Vy. faint. 1 (CG)
6679	Apr 6	2045	VRK Hong Kong Volmet. ID, met rpt, s/off ann. 2 (CG)
6679	Apr 10	1821	ZKAK Auckland Volmet. Met rpt. 2 (CGS)
6765.1	Apr 2	2110	HSW Bangkok Meteorological R. IS, fqs. ann., ocean wx. Uty. QRM. 4 (CG)
7906	Apr 3	2220	XVK Kien Giang R. Ocean wx. 2 (CG)
8176	Apr 8	2134	VMC Marine Weather Station, Charleville QLD. Wx warnings. Vy. faint. 1 (CG)
8743	Apr 6	1846	HSW Bangkok Meteorological R. Ocean wx. 3 (CG)
8764	Apr 9	2148	NMN Chesapeake R, VA. Ocean wx. 4 (CG)
8812	Mar 31	1819	TAH İstanbul R. Ocean wx. 4 (CG)
8828	Mar 31	1841	JIA Tokyo Volmet. Met rpt. 1 (CG)
8828	Apr 1	2047	VRK Hong Kong Volmet. Met rpt. 2 (CG)
8828	Apr 10	1822	ZKAK Auckland Volmet. Met rpt. 2 (CGS)
11387	Apr 7	1832	VKA-931 Australian Volmet, Alice Springs NT. Met rpt. 2 (CG)
12356	Apr 5	0908	ZLM Taupo Maritime R, Taupo. Ocean wx. 2 (CG)
12362	Apr 2	2145	VMW Marine Weather Station. Wx warnings. 3 (CG)

12365	Apr 10	2146	VMC Marine Weather Station. Wx warnings. 3 (CGS)
13089	Apr 9	2146	NMN Chesapeake R, VA. Ocean wx. 4 (CG)
13128	Apr 5	1009	TAH İstanbul R. Ocean wx. 2 (CG)
13282	Mar 31	1842	JIA Tokyo Volmet. Met rpt, s/off ann. 2 (CG)
13282	Apr 1	2046	VRK Hong Kong Volmet. Met rpt 3 (CG)
13282	Apr 10	1823	ZKAK Auckland Volmet. Met rpt, s/off ann. 3 (CGS)
15034	Apr 10	2149	CHR Trenton Volmet. Met rpt. 3 (CGS)
16546	Apr 10	2143	VMC Marine Weather Station, Charleville QLD. Wx warnings. 2 (CGS)

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Station news

TAIWAN / GERMANY / USA / IRAN

An article in Taiwan's "China News Net", a portal run by "Want Want China", questions the idea that a U.S. Army transmitter near Böblingen in southwestern Germany would be the "number station" transmitting coded messages in Persian. <https://kurzwellenradio.wordpress.com/2026/04/11/v32-number-stations-location-questioned/>

Quote: Shortwave signals are reflected by the ionosphere during propagation, resulting in multiple paths and deflection effects, making it practically impossible to accurately track a single location. Experts point out that determining a signal's origin from a specific military base solely based on amateur radio direction finding is technically extremely unreliable. Unquote.

<https://www.chinatimes.com/realtimenews/20260407003982-260408?chdtv>

That said, no experts are quoted specifically.

(Franz Bleeker)

Other radio news

DX GUIDES

Includes schedules effective from 29 March 2026 (A26). Compiled and edited by Tony Rogers.

- Europe on Shortwave.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1OI0NN8kCQJ1Lg-sKVZ8X7tIsDsHI-az6/view>

- Africa on Shortwave.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1N5JLd5BATOPsbNnvNWDqFn5E8pVuimIt/view>

- Middle East on Shortwave (including Caucasus region).

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/17yVD6A4NeMZJgopj0UDqIbIHLJIED-gm/view>

- Asia on Shortwave.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1XHyqwby-fDqW13gJKbsyJUOnL-7MNPMP/view>

- Pacific on Shortwave.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1chZgKOUVxo4qGazpLoHma9QmurQIFHtS/view>

- North America on Shortwave.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1MffJQoQdNiW_A40PtKXUjW2tPAQy38WK/view

- Latin America and the Caribbean on Shortwave (including Antarctica).

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1YDrivuNrb-n1IMCNoU1GiE9YoILwUNz-/view>

(<http://www.dxguides.info/>)

[WOR] Shortwave Interval Signals

Shortwave Interval Signals <https://share.google/EJ99bbvc29ADn3d5a>

Here is another webpage of shortwave tuning signals from the 1980s onwards. This was recorded by Jerry Johnston in Kentucky. (Joe Hanlon, NJ via WOR)

SWL / Media Programs in English, German & Spanish

UPDATED "List of SWL/Media Programmes in English, German and Spanish" for the A26 period (29.03.2026 - 24.10.2026) in PDF format (Adobe Reader), compiled by our Top News Editor Wolfgang Büschel. (<https://www.wwdxc.de/>)

Re: [Perseus-SDR] Perseus Software Alternatives

a program you absolutely must try with Perseus is Zeus Radio. You can find a "trial" version that disables after 10 minutes. This way you can evaluate it and then, if you like it, you can purchase the license. Fantastic in my opinion, very well made and customizable. I purchased the license several years ago, recently installed Windows 11, and the software works great with my Perseus. You can find everything at the following link:

<https://www.hfrelectronics.com/en/zeus-radio/>
(73 Villy Colleoni IZ2NZM)

By all means, if one feels comfortable with dealing with a Russian company in times like these. Btw Paypal has terminated transactions to Russia so the Paypal links on his homepage will likely no work or direct you somewhere else. (Bjarne Mjelde via Perseus-SDR)

RX PREAMP BOX – PLUS from Hamparts.shop

Vom [Hamparts shop](https://hamparts.shop) (<https://hamparts.shop/preamp-box-plus.html>) gibt es nun für nur knapp über 100€ die neue **RX PREAMP BOX - PLUS, eine verbesserte Version der vielseitig verwendbaren Antennenbox**. Die neue PLUS-Version der beliebten RX Preamp BOX bietet mehrere zusätzliche Funktionen. Die wichtigste Neuerung ist die Möglichkeit, den HF-Ein- und Ausgang sowohl bei Wechselstrom- als auch bei Gleichstromversorgung zu umgehen. Durch die Nutzung der über das Koaxialkabel übertragenen Spannung ermöglicht diese Funktion die koaxiale Steuerung externer Geräte, wie beispielsweise Antennenumschaltung, Richtungssteuerung oder die Stromversorgung aktiver Antennen.

Eine weitere neue Funktion ist ein Eingangs-Tiefpaßfilter, das über Jumper aktiviert werden kann und Eingangsfrequenzen über 11 MHz begrenzt.

Der Vorverstärker bietet eine Verstärkung von ca. 18 dB sowie eine hohe Störfestigkeit und einen großen Dynamikbereich. In der Ausgangsstufe ist ein variabler Dämpfungsglied integriert, das ebenfalls über Jumper konfiguriert werden kann, sodass die Verstärkung bei Bedarf reduziert werden kann.

Sowohl der Eingang als auch der Ausgang sind mit 100-kHz-Hochpassfiltern ausgestattet, die verhindern, dass im Koaxialkabel anliegende Wechselspannung das Signal stört.

Am Eingang und am Ausgang sind Diodenbegrenzer integriert, um den Vorverstärker im Falle hoher HF-Leistung an den Anschlüssen vor Beschädigungen zu schützen.

Der Vorverstärker kann über das Koaxialkabel mithilfe eines Bias-Tees oder alternativ über einen Anschlussblock auf der Leiterplatte mit Strom versorgt werden. Die letztere Option wird auch verwendet, wenn Gleichspannung durch die Vorverstärkerbox geleitet wird, beispielsweise für Antennenumschaltung oder Richtungssteuerung.

(Christoph Rutzer via A-DX Fernempfang)



[WOR] Echo Smartphone App: SDRs

Came across this on this iOS App Store - an app that captures **KiwiSDR, OpenWebRx, WebSDR, and FMDX web servers!** Only major category missing is the Airspy network. Has anyone else tried this as yet?

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/echo-global-sdr-receiver/id6759174390>

Very impressed by the interface. I have been using MagicSDR.

(Ian Hardouin via WOR)

I think there was something about this app in the **SWLing Post**. There are plans to release this app for Android users. (Joe Hanlon, NJ via WOR)

Re: [WavViewDX] Next Channel Elimination (NCE) question

If someone wants to see the NCE in action, I made a demonstration video quite a while ago:

<https://youtu.be/OkADevYdH-M>

1330 is probably the channel on which the NCE works best here.

(Best regards, Reinhard Weiss)

Lundensis, men mer MKVK

Då det här, vad jag förstått, finns en del MKVK-inslag, så undrar jag om alla ni (MKVKare) har koll på den här webbsidan: <https://www.sk7ce.se/dxcl-1958-1965/>

Detta är långt före min DX-karriär, men det finns många intressanta detaljer om forna berömdheter i allas vår ankdamm. Även den större: DX-Alliansen och SDXF och Eter-Aktuellt dyker stormande upp.

Sen tog alla sitt förnuft till fånga och blev radioamatörer. Ja, alla utom Lars Stenkil.

(Hermod Pedersen)



Malmö Kortvågsklubbs historia 1948 - 1988

Minnesskriften MKVK 1948 - 1988 författades av Michael Andersson. Den finns att ladda ner här:

https://www.mkvk.se/MKVK_historia.pdf



Radio Awards Program: 750th Anniversary Patronage of Saint George

Many thanks to *SWLing Post* contributor Paul Jamet for sharing information about a new radio special event open to amateur radio operators and shortwave radio listeners. This is information that should catch your attention:

750th Anniversary Patronage of Saint George: <https://ao750sj.ure.es/>

Rules: <https://ao750sj.ure.es/bases>

With best. Paul JAMET

<https://swling.com/blog/2026/04/radio-awards-program-750th-anniversary-patronage-of-saint-george/>



Thank you for the tip, Paul

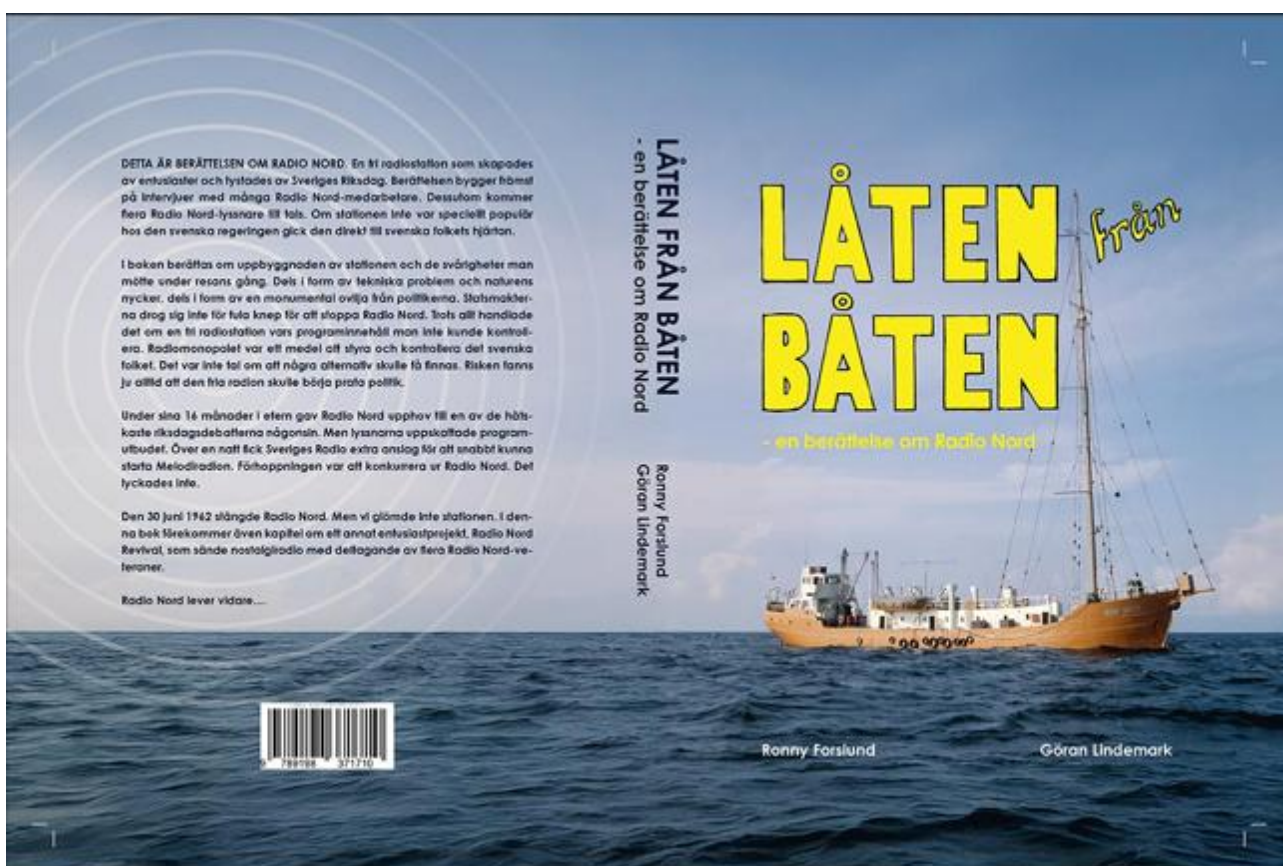
(SWLing Post)



From A-DX Fernempfang.
Andreas Ibold

DX nostalgia by RFK

Hello all and welcome to DX nostalgia! I have been quite busy lately finishing a new book about Swedish offshore station Radio Nord. The book also contains chapters about the Radio Nord Revival broadcasts which some of you may have heard – and even reported. It was a very special feeling that programmes broadcast in 1961-62 – and then only in Swedish – would be so popular among an international audience. It would surely be nice to put Radio Nord Revival on the air again to celebrate the book release. The book will be in Swedish but we are thinking about sending out a translation into English with the book if some non-Swedish speaking anoraks or other radio enthusiasts would like to buy a copy. The book is written by yours truly and Göran Lindemark. We are the ones who started Radio Nord Revival back in 2009. It has been great fun keeping the memory of the original Radio Nord alive. Below you see the book cover.

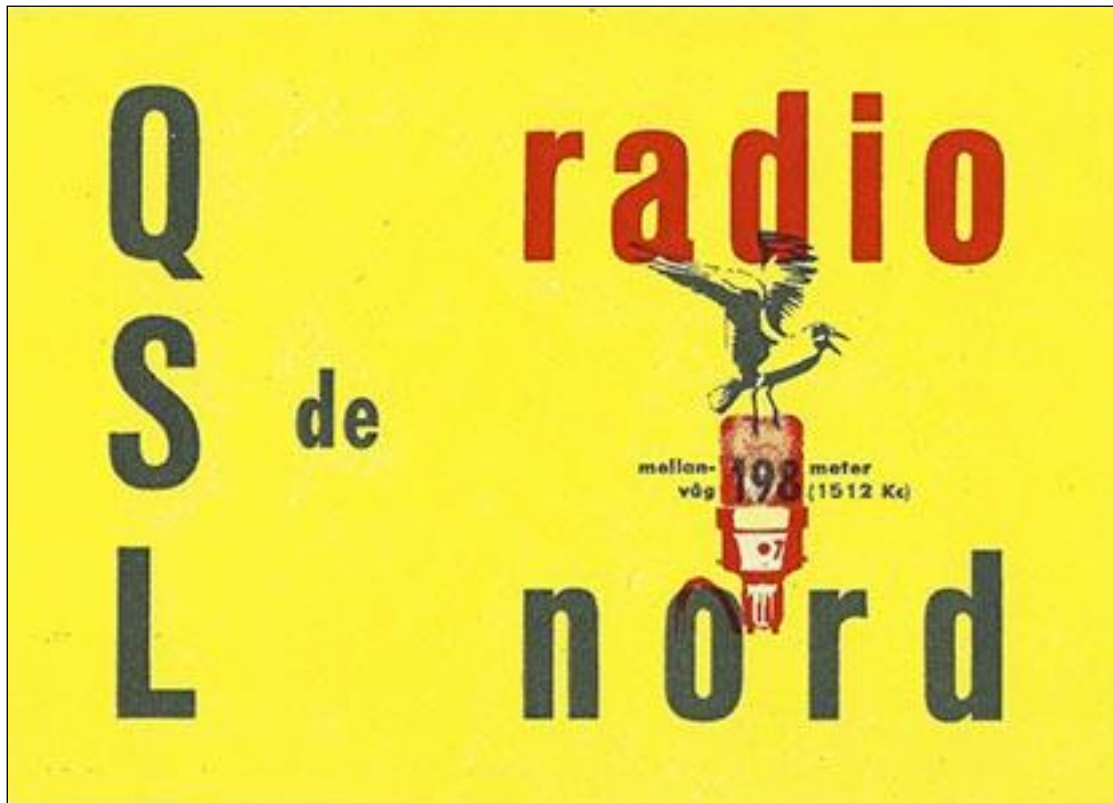


If you are interested in offshore radio and especially Scandinavian stations you will find a lot of interesting stuff in the book. Yes, the station was on MW so maybe it shouldn't qualify for SWB?

If you are interested in Radio Nord you are welcome to join our Facebook group Radio Nord Revival. Do check out <https://www.facebook.com/groups/144438508950612> Here you will find lots of info about Radio Nord and you are welcome to participate in the discussions.



I guess many of you guys have this QSL card? It was used by Radio Nord Revival and the design was based on the QSL used by the original Radio Nord. That card was designed by well-known Swedish DXer Lars Rydén.



Lars Rydén LR was a very active DXer in the 1950s/60s and he was also involved in running the popular DX show Sweden Calling DX-ers on Radio Sweden. In addition he wrote DX columns for several DX magazines. Here is his QSL card from Colombian Radio Nueva Granada on 6160 kHz.



Many of us remember Radio Andorra fondly. And they sure had a beautiful QSL card. This is my own card which I received for a reception report on 6230 kHz in 1976.



Another beautiful QSL card; this time from the collection of Jan-Erik Räf JER and Radio Martinique.



In the last edition of DX nostalgia we had a QSL card from Radio HIN of the Dominican Republic dating back to 1936. Let's finish this time by a letter to Jan Edh JE from Radio HIN received in 1967.



As usual your contributions to DX nostalgia are highly welcome. If you want to share something with us please mail me at info @ rock.x.se. All the best, GOOD DX AND 73!