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Amateurs Become Public Service Partners in Oxford County (Gould): Dec, 13
ARRL President Meets NWS Deputy Director (Craigie): May, 13
At the WRC-12 Final Plenary (Kleinman): Apr, 13
Club Activates North Carolina Lighthouse (Kuebert): Aug, 13
D-STAR Group Invades Mike Baxter's Office/Hamshack (Clark): May, 13
Fall Hike Provides Opportunity to Spread the Word (Watson): Feb, 13
Father and son "complete England" in Summits on the Air (Read): Oct, 13
Greg Walden Meets a Vice President (Glynis Cochlin, W7GAC) (Nicholson): Jun, 12
Hams Jam in Roswell, Georgia (Tramontanis): Jan, 12
Head to the ARRL National Convention October 12-14 (Kleinman): Oct, 13
Helping Feed Those in Need (Portage County ARS) (Aylward): Feb, 13
Homebrewing Two "Classics" (Fell): Nov, 13
Honoring the Creator of Fldigi, David H. Freese, Jr, W1HKJ: Nov, 13
Morse Code as a Fashion Statement (Salmon): Dec, 13
Nothin' Could be Finer Than a Successful VE Session in Columbia (Livingston): Feb, 12
Pacificon 2011 (Ronan): Jan, 13
SEANET VE Session (Telenius-Lowe): Mar, 13
SEEDing Ham Radio in South Carolina (Boehner): Jan, 13
Space Day 2012 (Klein): Jul, 13
Take Precautions, and They Will Survive (Norman): Mar, 13
The ARRL International Humanitarian Award to Andrey Fedorov, RW3AH/KL1A (Fedorov): Sep, 12
The Cup of Excellence (Doug DeMaw, W1FB, Technical Excellence Award to Jim Ahlstrom, N1ADR) (Ford): Dec, 13
Tiny Niue now has its own call sign block (Kleinman): Oct, 13
Tough Duty (NP3PR) (Drowne): Apr, 13
Transceiver Transfer (Ahrens): Aug, 13
Virginia Club Supports Marine Corps Historic Half (Lee): Sep, 13

In Brief
ARRL Board of Directors Elections November 18; ARRL Ad Hoc Committee looking for recommendation for band plans 902 MHz and .5 GHz; 96 electrical engineering students pass Technician exam; amateurs provide service during October snowstorm; New ISS crew members include Dan Burbank, KC5ZSX; FCC Order terminating hundreds of proceedings, including 6 that public and ARRL asked not to be; Nationwide Emergency Alert System test in November; ARRL volunteer tour guide David Kaplan, WA1OUI, to administer ARRL A-1 Operator Club; Sixth Annual ARRL On-Line Auction; Kirk Pickering, K4RO, named Editor of National Contest Journal (NCJ); President Obama nominated two FCC Commissioners, Jessica Rosenworcel and Ajit Varadaraj Pai; FCC Second Report and Order in BPL; FCC issues Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture to FL man; team of CA hams and other launched balloon that reached over 136,000 feet, a new altitude record; Second Annual ARRL Video Contest entries due by February 15; Joe Ostrowski, KI5FJ, October QST Cover Plaque winner (Kleinman): Jan, 12

Last Man Standing ABC-TV show; FCC commissioners agree to allocate spectrum and adopt service and technical rules for utilization of implanted medical devices; OSCAR-1 50th Anniversary; new Canadian prefixes during December for 75th anniversary of Canadian Broadcasting Corp and Radio Canada; W1RFI speaks at HomeGrid Forum policy meeting, ITU-t G.hn BPL; FASTRAC-1 Satellite (FO-69; Allen Baker, KG4JJH, November QST Cover Plaque winner (Kleinman): Jan, 12

ARRL Board of Directors 2012 Annual Meeting January 13-14, 2012; IBEC - Access BPL — closing down; ARRL Diamond DXCC Challenge; Yaesu splits from Motorola; FCC grants Phil Williams, KA1GMN, a Special Temporary Authority to conduct Spread Spectrum experiments; ARISSat-1 satellite re-entered Earth's atmosphere January 4; ARRL Public Relations Do-It-Yourself (DIY) promotion; ARRL asking for feedback to assist in crafting proposed 5 MHz band plan; December QST Cover Plaque Award to Ashraf Abuelhajja and Klaus Solbach, DK3BA (Kleinman): Mar, 12
Amateur Radio Service received new band at WRC-12; new amateur service secondary allocation on WRC-15 agenda; RAC Ontario section will split into four separate sections; 2012 Field Day packages available; effective date for new FCC rules expanding MedRadio Service secondary allocation in parts of 70 cm band Feb 27; new 60 m rules went into effect March 5; eight student-built MicroSats and CubeSates launched Feb 13; first CQ award to be supported by ARRL’s Logbook of the World will be CQ WPX; Republic of South Sudan assigned prefix Z8; FCC denied waiver request from
Anchorage VEC; January QST Cover Plaque Award to Ralph Taggart, WB8DQT (Kleinman): Apr, 12

RACES and SKYWARN assisted in the aftermath of two storms in Midwest and Mid-South; new federal law includes provision for study of Amateur Radio in Emergencies and disaster relief; changes to DXCC program; ARRL Technical Editor Joel Hallas, W12ZR, among Dayton Hamvention award winners; ARRL UHF/Microwave Band Plan Committee looking for comments on draft band plan for 9 cm band; FCC reduced fine against Florida man; movie Journey 2: The Mysterious Island includes references to ham radio and Morse code; three operations, 2012 VKØTH and AX/VKØTH, December 2011 6OØM, December 2011-January 2012 9U3TMM, approved for DXCC; Malajj Vysotskij Island, R1M, deleted from EXCC Entities List as of February 17, 2012; cont (Kleinman): May, Former RAC President Earle Smith, VE6NM, Silent Key; Phil Salas, AD5X, winner February QST Cover Plaque award (Kleinman): May, 12

Digital QST and expanded archives; NTIA has no objection to broader range of data emission by amateurs on the five 5 MHz frequencies; North Texas area AREs and RACES activated April 3 Tornados; Fred Maia, W5YI, Silent Key; FAA deploying Common Air Route Surveillance Radar that has implications for use of 1240-1300 MHz by amateurs; 2012 first quarter increase in Amateur exam session; FCC soliciting comments to Congressional directive to study Amateur Radio's role in emergency, disaster communications; ARRL solicited comments on draft band plan for 33 cm; World Amateur Radio Day, IARU 87th anniversary, April 18; FCC soliciting comments to Congressional directive to study Amateur Radio's role in emergency, disaster communications; ARRL solicited comments on draft band plan for 33 cm; World Amateur Radio Day, IARU 87th anniversary, April 18; March 2012 QST Cover Plaque Award to Eric P. Nichols, KL7AJ (Kleinman): Jun, 12

ARRL provided FCC with comments that document Amateur Radio's emergency communications capabilities and need to communicate free from the burden of CC&Rs; Ohio now has strong PRB-1 law; ARRL President Craigie, N2KN, invites ARRL members for suggestions for Centennial celebration; digital QST; ARRL EXPO at Dayton Hamvention; two new FCC commissioners; ARRL UHF-Microwave Band Plan Committee released comments for 13 cm and 902-928 MHz; Heathkit Educational Services shuts doors (Kleinman): Jul, 12

President Obama to nominate Mignon Clyburn for new 5-year term as FCC Commissioner; FCC decided to expand Part 95; new Amateur Extra class question pool effective July 1; ARRL seeking candidates for Director and Vice Director; 31st ARRL and TAPR Digital Conference Sep 21-23 in Atlanta, GA; ARRL Board of Directors unanimously voted to approve 9 cm band plan; Steve Mendelsohn, W2ML, Silent Key; Gene Zimmerman, W3ZZ, Silent Key; May 2012 QST Cover Plaque Award to Martin Huyett, KØBXB: Aug, 12

ARRL Board of Directors met in Windsor, CT, July 20-21; FCC denied AZ man's petition for rulemaking regarding PRB-1; Three hams arrive at the International Space Station; IL has state level PRB-1 law; ARRL Executive Committee awarded Education & Technology Program grants to 11 schools; Additional tools and reports added to Diamond DXCC Award; Richard L. Baldwin, W1RU, Silent Key; M. Walter Maxwell, Silent Key; ARRL webinar on 2012 Hurricane season and Amateur Radio Response; ARRL launched integration of Logbook of The World with CQ Magazine's Worked All Prefixes Award; Amateur Radio Emergency Communications course reconfigured; June QST Cover Plaque Award to Dennis Johnson, KFØQR (Kleinman): Sep, 12

Engineers use Morse code J P L imprinted on Mars Rover's wheels to determine how far it roams; James Millsap, WB4NWS appointed SE Division Vice Director; Ontario section split into 4 parts; International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend in August; NOAA updates 2012 Atlantic hurricane forecast; FCC denied Petition for Reconsideration regarding reassignment of call sign previously held by a deceased CA amateur; FCC denied Petition for Reconsideration to create nationwide emergency calling frequency; National Conference of Volunteer Examiner Coordinators held annual meeting via teleconference in July; FCC increased cost of 10 year vanity call sign to $15 effective September 4, 2012; Ivica Dacic, YU1YU, elected Prime Minister of Serbia; special events call signs 2O12L (London) and 2O12W (Wales) for Olympics Games, will also be active during Paralympic Games; Heathkit Educational Systems declared bankruptcy; Carl Luetzelschwab, K9LA, July QST Cover Plaque Award winner (Kleinman): Oct, 12

ARRL Book Editor Becky Schoenfeld, W1BXY, promoted to QST Managing Editor; surprise jump in solar activity; ARRL announced plans to hold National Centennial Convention in Hartford, CT July 17-20, 2014; four new Canadian sections; 2011 Hiram Percy Maxim Award to Derek Brown, W4DTB; ARRL Development Office is working on map of Diamond Terrace bricks; ARRL online store improvements; interference complaints; International Amateur Radio Union expressed public support for a .radio internet domain name; Pittsburgh, PA, power line noise solved; still time to submit answers to latest poll question on QST QuickStats page (Ford): Nov, 12

NASA Astronaut Lee Morin, KF5DDB, ARRL's guest at 2012 National Convention at Pacificon; IARU Secretary Rod Stafford, W6ROD, presented a look to the 2015 World Radiocommunication Conference; 12 newly elected or appointed Section Managers attend workshop; new transceiver for 40 m at W1AW; Team USA scored 13 medals ARDF World Championships; Radio Club of America's Barry Goldwater Amateur Radio Award to Bill Tynan, W3XO; Allen Plitts, W1AGP attended Radio Television Digital News Association's Convention; DXCC Desk approved 12 operations for DXCC credit; James Klitzing, W6PQL, October 2012 Cover Plaque Award; Field and Regulatory Correspondent Chuck Skolaut, KØBOG, handled many complaints; Regulatory Information Manager Dan Henderson, N1ND, attended SEDCO, New Editor S. Khrystyne Keane, K1SFA, attended North Short Radio
Assoc meeting; COO Harold Kramer, WJ1B, attended
Boston Amateur Radio Club meeting; Education
Services Manager Debra Johnson, K1DMJ, attended
Washington State Convention (Ford): Dec, 12

Inside HQ (Kramer)
About the Digital Edition: Jun, 13
Advertising Sales: Oct, 13
Changes are Coming to QST — Some FAQs about the
upcoming digital edition: Mar, 13
Come On Over!: Jul, 13
DIY: Jan, 13
ARRL Educational Resources Abound: May, 13
How I Earned 5B DXCC: Apr, 13
Joel Kleinman: An Appreciation: Nov, 13
Submitting Paper QSL Cards: Oct, 13
Proudly Serving the Public: Sep, 13
The Amateur Radio Public Service Handbook Debut:
Dec, 13
The ARRL Technical Information Service: Feb, 13

Media Hits (Pitts)
Do It Yourself (DIY); Monroe Star News (LA); North Texas
E-news; The Log Newspaper (CA); Grand Junction
Sentinel; Jones County News (GA); Frontiersman (AK);
KGO Radio (CA); Scouts' Jamboree On the Air, many
hits; FCC BPL issue, TV Technology, Radio World, CFC
Communicator: Jan, 12
New England snows — New Hampshire Union Leader,
NJ.com, Patch.com Examiner.com, Alaska Dispatch;
Valley Magazine; EDN Magazine; Fox TV News
Network; Talking Points Media; Slashdot.com;
Engadget.com; Discovery News; Lewiston Sun Journal
(ID); WAGA-TV Atlanta: Feb, 12
Rochester Democrat and Chronicle; Hawaii News Now;
Wisconsin Rapids Tribune; Tri-City Herald (WA);
Jacksonville Daily News (FL); Daily Commercial (FL);
Chicago Tribune; New York Times; 911.com; KSL.com;
Oregonian; The Dunkin Daily Democrat (MO); New
Times (CA); Green Valley News (AZ); NY Times blog;
Popular Science; KSL-TV (UT); MSNCB: Mar, 12
Muskegon County ARES 2 stories, WZZM TV-13; WMUK
Radio; The Survival Mom; DEM News - Florida Division
of Emergency Management; ABC Newsletter; BlueSky
Executive Aviation News; Twitter; Ste Genevieve
Community Access Television (MO); The Examiner
(CT); Newsday (NY); EDN.com; HDTV Magazine; The
Batesville Daily (AR); YouTube.com; Dayton PR booth:
Apr, 12
WLOS-TV (NC); Calvin 1 — Mashable, ADNet,
Space.com; Katy Times (TX); XKII-TV (TX); KYTV-3
(Springfield, MO); Moultrie Observer (GA); WDBJ-TV
(Roanoke, VA); The Newport Daily News (RI);
Indianapolis Southsider Voice (MN); Boston.com;
Patch.com; WickedLocal.com; Boston Globe; Last Man
Standing TV Show; HamRadioNow.TV; Radio World;
PR-101: May, 12
FCC CC&R inquiry; March tornados - WLKY-TV (KY),
WSFR-FM, Shreveport Times; SKYWARN - The
Chattanooga and WTVC (Chattanooga, TN), WTOL
(Toledo), WRCB (Cleveland), Press-Enterprise
(Riverside, CA); personal thank yous to ARES
personnel; Schools — University Daily Kansan, Madison
County Journal, Patch.com, U-T San Diego, KPBS (San
Diego), Southwest News-Herald (IL), Cape Gazette;
Amateur Radio growth in US - Newsday, Fayetteville
Observer (NC): Jun, 12
Huffington Post; New York Daily News; Chicago Tribune;
Kansas.com; KAKE-TV; The State Journal-Register (IL);
Washington Post; BBC; Los Angeles Times; PC
Magazine; JP Magazine; Pontiac Daily Leader (IL); Boy
Scouts; msnbc.com; Bend Bulletin (OR); Washington
 Examiner (DC); NECN-TV (MA); Lewiston Morning
Tribune (ME) Guitar World magazine; National
Association of Broadcasters convention; Jul, 12
Unusual: News-Enterprise (KY), Touch (TV episode),
China Daily; Promotional: Oklahoma Living, ocala.com,
W limington News Journal (OH); DIY Related WINK-TV
news, Maker Faire 2012, Santa Barbara Edhat (CA),
Norwich Bulletin; Dayton Daily News; New York Time;
Steve Mendelsohn, Silent Key: Aug, 12
Record month for media hits; special events to Amelia
Earhart; Field Day; www.arrl.org/media-hits-d: Sep, 12
This Just In, Media Hits: Field Day; Hendersonville
Times (NC), Chapel Hill News, Gulf Coast News Today (AL);
ShorewoodPatch.com; Boomercafe.com; WVOX The
Brong Report; Orange County Maker Faire (CA);
Aninston Star (AL); Lahaina News (HI); Twin Falls
Times-News (ID); Short News Today (NJ); Sonoma
Valley Sun (CA); Pueblo Chieftain (CO); Best Times
(KS); www.arrl.org/media-hits: Oct, 12
Public Service Communications: NPR, WPBF-TV (FL) and
OK to MO stations, TechNews World, Catskill Daily Mail
(NY), DIVIDS (US Pacific Command - Third Army/US
Army Center); Technical: The Amp Hour, KBMT and
KDFM (Beaumont, TX), lack of technical consultants for
FCC Commissioners; Feel Good: KTKO radio, Quincy
Herald-Whig (IL), KTXX/FOX40 (Sacramento, CA), The
Best Times (KS), NPR WABE (GA). Commercial Appeal
(TN), National Science Teachers Association: Nov, 12
www.arrl.org/pr-courses; ConnitcutHistory.org; Stanford
Magazine; The Weirs Times (NH);
http://evanston.patch.com; EvanstonNow.com; Desert
Dispatch (CA); Wyoming Tribune Eagle; IT News
Online.com; PhysicsCentral.com; www.arrl.org/media-
hits: Dec, 12

Up Front
A Simple and Effective 10 Meter Radiator (Reisenauer):
Mar, 20
An Aerial Aerial (Walker): Nov, 20
An they're on sale! (DX Containers sign) (Lunday): Oct, 20
And it's good for you! (DX Containers sign) (Lunday): Oct, 20
Boy Scout Radio Field Day, December 15, 1923 - First
Field Day? (Kleinman): Jun, 20
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By the Time I Got to Field Day... (Starkenburg): Sep, 20
Collins Radio and the B-29 Superfortress (Blocksome):
Aug, 20
Commemorating Marconi's Atlantic Triumph of 1901
(Gerpott): Jan, 20
Crutchzilla (Anderson): Oct, 20
DIY to the Max (Rooney): Jan, 20
EME for kids (with a little help from a friend) (Cohen): Jun, 20
Emergency Preparedness Pays Dividends in Colorado (Johnston): Sep, 20
Enter the 7th Annual Photo Contest: Apr, 20
Ham Holiday in Oklahoma City (Ford): Dec, 20
Head to Field Day June 23-24 (Kleinman): Jun, 20
Household Lettering (Rudy): May, 20
It's winter! (Skoch): Mar, 20
K2TQN in Castline: Nov, 20
Lights show (Hex-Beam at KL2R) (Ledlow Jr): Feb, 20
Looking Ahead to Hamvention 2012 (Ford): May, 20
Navy MARS Day Out (Zuck): Apr, 20
Portable/Emergency 2 Meter Antenna System (Lesley): Feb, 20
Put a Ribbon on It! (Stieber): Dec, 20
RFI Problem Solved (Clark): Oct, 20
Satellites on the Beach (Silver): Dec, 20
Seeking Shelter from the Sunshine (Bell): Dec, 20
Shuttle visit (Lacey): Mar, 20
Somewhere a golf cart is missing some wheels (Moore): Mar, 20
SSTV via ARISsat-1 (Winder): Aug, 20
Stealth Vine Antenna (Reisenauer): Sep, 20
Three Watts in a Coffee Can (Dorner): May, 20
Unusual perspective (tower) (Davis): Jan, 20
Vacation Station (Parr): Oct, 20
Washington state aurora (Frause): Sep, 20
Young hams and future hams meet KF5BOC (Ford): May, 20

ARRL VEC Volunteer Examiner Honor Roll
Mar, 103; Jun, 86; Sep, 35; Dec, 58

Vintage Radio (Dilks)
An Operator to Remember (Harold Cottam of the Carpathia): Apr, 93
AWA 2012 World Convention: Aug, 98
AWA Wrap-Up: Nov, 99
AWA's Founding Members: Jan, 94
Collins 75A-4: Jul, 98
Collins Radio 30FX: May, 93
Historic Wireless Station (WSC): Sep, 93
Maine: Wireless North Pole Presentation: Jun, 97
Making AM a Bit Better: Aug, 97
McMurdo Silver's Super Gainer: Oct, 97
National Silent Key Archive: Jun, 96
Pauline Raser, W2QCC (Silent Key): Mar, 98
Recapturing the Thrill (Ameco AC-1): Dec, 97
The Society of Wireless Pioneers: Jun, 96

W1AW Schedule
Jan, 99; Apr, 76; Jul, 101; Oct, 100