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\* Antarctic Net :23.00z random on Saturdays 7.078MHz by LU4DXU \*  
\* Also check 14.160MHz, 14.188MHz,14203MHz,14.243MHz from 17:00z and ahead \*  
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New WAP 2.0 website www.waponline.it is now online.  
KK3Q, Floyd Larck, is joining the WAP administrator's Team with his invaluable help.

Now, we are asking Hams, Readers, Students and Antartic chasers to sign in by using the registration form at he Menu page of WAP website.

This simple operation (everyone can do it by clicking "REGISTER HERE" of WAP website will allow you to mark your presence among us.

Antarctica ... a fascinating world ... enjoy it as much as we do!

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ANTARCTIC ACTIVITY WEEK

<http://www.waponline.it/antarctic-activity-week/aaw-2019/>

It's now time to book for joining the 16th AAW; it will be held from 16th to 24th February 2019. Congrats to IR4ANT (WAP 284 & OE16AAW WAP274) the first two who already joined in. If you love Antarctica, if you are an active Ham, do not loose the chance ..... AAW is to promote Antarctica, the fascinating world of the Icy Continent and preserve the environment down there.

Apply your special callsign,get the WAP number and join the Antarctic family at WAP.

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LU-X Various (ARG-23) - Tierra del Fuego Province (Tierra del Fuego Island) Several stations are frequently on the bands from Ushuaia TdF. In this time, with poor activity from Antarctica it's a fine oportunity to set up skeds.

Check 28.340-28.360 they are quite often on 10 mts.

Last stations in the Packet Cluster:

RC3C	14074.0	LU1XU	FT8, FD55, +1017, R-18	14/11/2018 22:52:00
LU1HVK	14075.6	LU2XWL	FT8 Tanks for QSO Lotw	05/11/2018 19:19:00
RW9WT	7075.4	LU3XX	FT8	04/11/2018 02:08:00
LU1WFU	50110.0	LU6XQ/D	QSB	11/11/2018 22:16:00
DE3RPC	7074.0	LU8XW	FT8 saludos	02/11/2018 01:16:00
F1BBI	7074.0	LU9XRL	tnx qso FT8,73	11/11/2018 05:44:00

Hams from RC Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego, are working to set a project with the help of the Argentinean Navy! The goal is to set foot on the small island- Les Eclaireurs and be active for a week end in the Austral summer Information comes by Miguel Angel LU1XU of the Radio Club Ushuaia who is working to the project.

So far Les Eclaireurs Island & Lighthouse has only been activated without putting foot on this small Island.

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VK0HZ (AUS-03) - Davis Station (ANARE)

Matthew Gledhill, VK5HZ from a page set at QRZ.com informs that during the Antarctic summer 2018-2019 and Antarctic winter 2019 he will be working at Davis Station (WAP AUS-03) signing VK0HZ.

\* QSL --> VK5HZ

Last stations in the Packet Cluster:

VK2IR	10136.0	VK0AI	FT8	11/11/2018 09:44:00
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VK0AI (AUS-08) - Macquarie Island Station (ANARE)

Norbet Trupp VK5MQ, is currently operating from Macquarie Island as VK0AI.

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He uses an Icom IC-7300 with vertical and has been already reported active on 20, 30, 40 & 80 mts bands in FT8 Mode. QRZ.com says that Norbert who will stay at Macquarie Island Antarctic Research Base until March 2019.

He has Internet access, and is an avid user of both FT8 & eQSL.cc.

Read more at: <http://maritimeradio.org/other-stations/macquarie-island/>

\* QSL --> VK5MQ

Last stations in the Packet Cluster:

VK2IR 10136.0 VK0AI FT8 11/11/2018 09:44:00

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CE8-Various (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

CE8EIO & CE8RNK are qualifying for Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

Last stations in the Packet Cluster:

CE3WYZ 7155.0 CE8RNK CQdx 59 in Santiago 03/11/2018 03:40:00

CX70V 7130.0 CE8EIO Strong Luis 73s 13/11/2018 01:27:00

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DP0GVN (DEU-08) - Neumayer III Station

Matthias, DH5CW, is doing a pretty good job from DP0GVN. Currently he puts a lot of CW QSOs in the log. He will be at Neumayer III Station till the end of February 2019.

\* QSL --> DL5EBE

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

EA5IHK 10108.0 DP0GVN tnx,UP 14/11/2018 00:15:00

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Call still Unknown (DEU-11) - Heinz Kohnen Station

Felix DL5XL will be probably on for next Antarctic season (2018-2019).

He hopes to spend some time in Antarctica again, probably at Kohnen Station.

More info to follow

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VP8EME (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Kuzma Mario is active now FT8 Mode

\* QSL --> Mr. Kuzma Mario Zuvic Bulic, P.O.Box 68, Holdfast House, Stanley  
FIQQ 1ZZ, Falkland Islands

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

KU8Y 144118.3 VP8EME EN61UW GD18BH JT65 03/11/2018 14:02:00

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VP8LP (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Bob is always very active all bands.

\* QSL --> VP8LP (Bob McLeod, 75 Davis Street, P.O.Box 474, Stanley,  
FIQQ 1ZZ, Falkland Islands, British South Atlantic)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

ZL2IFB 21074.0 VP8LP FT8 13/11/2018 21:28:00

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VP8NO (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Michael is always active.

\* QSL --> VP8NO (Michael Harris, P.O.Box 226, Stanley, FIOQ 1ZZ, Falkland

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

PY50D 14075.0 VP8NO FT8 73 thanks 12/11/2018 22:53:00

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IA0/IZ1KHY (ITA-01) - MZS (Mario Zucchelli Station Terra Nova Bay Station)

Lt.Danilo Collino IZ1KHY active now, till the end of February 2019, following several scientific missions and research projects, including remote camps.

Lt. Danilo Collino is an expert Mountain Scout of the Italian Army and this

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is his second mission in Antarctica. He did operate as I0QHM/KC4 in 2004.

\* QSL --> I0QCN Bureau

Last stations in the Packet Cluster:

VK3IO 7130.0 IA0/IZ1KHY CQ Dx Danilo 08/11/2018 11:06:00

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DT8A (KOR-01) - King Sejong Station

Lee Sang Hoon (DS4NMJ) is actually active from the Korean Antarctic station King Sejong (WAP KOR-01) on the South Shetland Islands, signing DT8A.

\* QSL --> HL2FDW

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

WD4IXD 7074.0 DT8A FT8 14/11/2018 04:45:00

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3Y0I (NOR-02) - Norwegian Research Station Bouvetoya

Expedition is on the way, Stay tuned.

See more at: <https://dxnews.com/3y0i/>

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ZL5A (NZL-01) - Scott Base (NZARP)

Adam Campbell ZL4ASC says he will operate for 13 months at Scott Base. His schedule is to be at Scott Base on Ross Island, over the 2018-2019 Antarctic season. More info to follow.

\* QSL --> ZL4ASC

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RI1ANW (RUS-07) - Mirny Station

Operator is active now.

\* QSL -->

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

RA3DRI 7076.0 RI1ANW FT8 JB59vf 03/11/2018 02:22:00

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RI1ANL (RUS-09) - Novolazarevskaya Station (née Lazarev)

Nikolai RW6ACM is active now.

\* QSL --> RN10N (Alexei V.Kuz'menko, P.O.Box 599, 163000 Arkhangelsk,Russia)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

JA5AUC 1840.0 RI1ANL TU CQ 1908 13/11/2018 21:53:00

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RI1ANM (RUS-13) - Vostok Station

Alexander, RX0QM, ex RI59ANT & RI1ANB (2017) is actually operating from Vostok Station (WAP RUS-13), in Antarctica. He is not very active but, being there till January 2019, there are good chances to work him. QSL, if no variations from the previous activities, should go through EW4DX

\* QSL --> EW4DX

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

RI1ANM 14115.0 RI1ANM USB, CQ CQ 18/10/2018 18:28:00

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KC4AAA (USA-36) - Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station (New rebuilt Base)

Operators are reported active sporadically.

\* QSL -->

The official QSL Manager of the U.S. Stations in Antarctica K1IED (Larry F. Skilton) is SK (June 4, 2018). A new Manager is being looked for:

More info to follow.

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

K5JBJ 14243.0 KC4AAA cq 10/11/2018 22:22:00

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KC4USB (USA-32) - Marie Byrd Land Camp

Operators are reported active sporadically.

\* QSL --> See above

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

N3JDI 14233.0 KC4USV MC Murdo 18/10/2018 20:45:00  
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Antarctic Lighthouses valid for WAP Program

A new Section 3: Antarctic & Sub-Antarctic Lighthouses has been add to the well known WAP WADA & WACA programs.

The list of Antarctic&Sub-Antarctic Lighthouses has been officially released [http://www.waponline.it/Portals/0/%20Lighthouse%20list%20file/wap\\_directory\\_2017-LH.pdf](http://www.waponline.it/Portals/0/%20Lighthouse%20list%20file/wap_directory_2017-LH.pdf)

We will be more that grateful for any suggestion, additions & corrections and if during your QSLs check you will find some lighthouses not yet listed keep that ones on the side, they will be useful!

Any information, scan QSLs to help us to fill our Dbase will be appreciated.  
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POLAR SHIP / MM sailing Antarctic waters

When it is not possible to determinate the exact position of a ship, such as Polar Boats, Icebreakers and any kind of /MM sailing Antarctic or Sub-Antarctic waters, WAP staff did agree that, when position is not marked on the QSL at the moment of contacts, or in lack of details confirming the exact position of the ship, dates between October and March could be OK for a provisional judgement. In any case information on this matter are normally posted on WAP site.  
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WAP QSL Gallery

several new batches of QSL have been recently uploaded. You can check the new entries on the WAP Gallery available at the new look WAP website.

WAP Antarctic QSL Gallery is the largest one WW with nearly 2900 QSLs from 1945 till today. Pay a visit and enjoy the Antarctic history trough the Ham Radio QSL cards.

QSL Gallery wait your vist at WAP web site or directly at:

<http://fotoalbum.waponline.it/> or directly at WAP website by entering the Antarctic QSL Gallery's page

Thanks very much to all those Hams who are sending scan copies of their cards, or scan copies of old cards from their friends, to help WAP Antarctic QSL Gallery to continue to be the largest one Worldwide.  
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The 64th Russian Antarctic Expedition

A lot of informations on our website published 09/11/2018.  
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K4MZU Antarcic QSL Gallery & web site at: <http://www.k4mzu.net>

K6EID Antarctic QSL Gallery & web site at : <http://www.k6eid.com>

<http://www.qsl.net/k6eid/DXCC-Antarctica.htm>

RRC Antarctic QSL Gallery: [http://www.rdxcc.org/RRC/QSL/list\\_e.asp?ID=1](http://www.rdxcc.org/RRC/QSL/list_e.asp?ID=1)  
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Don't forget to check daily information on Antarctic News at WAP website at: [www.waponline.it](http://www.waponline.it) to be always informed about Antarctica life.  
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73s de John I1HYW, Max IK1GPG and Betty IK1QFM

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