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Breaking News

Swedish amateurs have got the 60m band!

We got the frequency area 5315,5 - 5366 kHz with the max power 200Watt. The band limits are 5315,5 - 5366 kHz with the power limited to 15Watt erp starting 1 November 2018.

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YJ & 5W - Vanuatu and Samoa:

Call signs will be 5W0GC and YJ0GC. Active now as 5W.

Just received:

I am ready with 60 m antenna. I just put up the INV. Vee. It's tuning well - I have 1KW power output. I can to operate there last two nights!

Next, it's on to Vanuatu where he will team up with OM5ZW, Lubo, where they will operate as YJ0GC from October 15 to November 4. As for their antennas it will be verticals for 160, 80, 60. Again CW, SSB and RTTY and no FT8.

Kind Regards.

73! Stan, LZ1GC/5W0GC

NIUE E6Y: Should be on 60m, hopefully this weekend.

E6, NIUE (Reminder). Members of the Quake Contesters will be active as E6Y at Turtle Lodge in the Makefu area on Niue Island (OC-040) between October 6-15th. Operators mentioned are Mark/ZL3AB, Geoff/ZL3GA, Phil/ZL3PAH and Paul/ZL4TT. Activity all bands (including 60m) using CW, SSB, RTTY and FT8. Suggested frequencies are:
<https://quakedxpeditons.wordpress.com21gc.com>

UPCOMING DXPEDITIONS

Samoa: 5W0GC: Sept. 28 to about Oct 14

Niue: E6Y: Oct.6 to 15

Vanuatu YJ0GC: Oct. 15 to Nov. 4.

The 60m website is: www.60metersonline.com

Please send your station picture with you in it to webmaster@60metersonline.com and he will be happy to post it with the others. It's nice to put a face with a call. On the website. We have a 60m DXCC country count. It has nothing to do with the ARRL DXCC award. Go to Achievements, DX Awards and you'll see who is on our country leader board. Feel free to send your totals to the webmaster for posting. As you work a new one, advise our webmaster to update your listing webmaster@60metersonline.com

If you know of a friend going on a Dxpediton, please encourage them to operate the 60m band and keep me posted so I may pass the word.

Other 60 meter websites:

<http://www.hb9amo.net/60meter.php>

<http://60mband.blogspot.com>

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/60-meter_band

<http://dxworld.com/60mlog.html>

Worldwide 5 MHz Allocations Chart: <http://tinyurl.com/pjhd943>

The 5 MHz Newsletter:

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/b8dm3fi62i1qajy/5%20MHz%20Newsletter.pdf>

<https://www.dxmaps.com/spots/mapq.php?Lan=S&Frec=5&ML=M&Map=W2L&HF=S>

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/b8dm3fi62i1qajy/5%20MHz%20Newsletter.pdf>

You can also go to this DX Watch cluster page and see the 60 meter spots. <http://www.dxwatch.com/dxsd1/dxsd1.php?f=5>

If you know anyone who wants to be added to this newsletter or be removed, if you have any 60m news to share, or if you are going on a DXpedition and plan a 60m operation, please let me know at w8gex@aol.com

Thanks, Joe W8GEX