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HAM RADIO 2016: very great vibes!!!



This year **EURAO** had a larger booth at the German fair in Friedrichshafen, where several associations from different countries shared space. In this way very positive synergies for all participants and frank climate of multinational collaboration was generated.

Multiple events and meetings took place in this unique setting of friendship, such as **EURAO** Assembly, YO SOTA Marathon Conference, ...

Amateur Radio News...

356,33 Mbps - 304 Km: New Wireless Broadband World Record





Our Italian member association **CISAR**, together with the **International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP)** and **Ubiquiti Networks**, set this new world record in its link between Mount Amiata, in Tuscany, and Mount Limbara, in Sardinia, in early May this year.

The previous record was achieved also by **CISAR** in 2007 over the same path though then only showed a maximum speed of dozens of Mbps.

It is worth remembering here that ${f CISAR}$ network was awarded in the Honors Program 2011 of the prestigious ${f ComputerWorld}$ magazine.

YP0IP: Atlantykron 2016 - Summer Academy for Youth





From 29 July to 7 August, the 27th edition of this event was held in Capidava, Romania, with topics such as: Science, Culture, Art and Sport.

500 young people participated in 30 different workshops. One of them, in the Science domain, was "Radio Communication", prepared, organized and conducted by our member association **ARR**, with activities such as: HF and VHF contacts, foxhunt party with directive antennas, QSL exchange, ...

EANET Sprint Contest 2016: for international clubs and hams





On **November 6**, from 08:00 to 12:00 UTC, it will be held the sixth edition of the "sprint contest" version of the same name Award, devoted to the "**Radio Clubs of the World**".

In just four hours you can win original and funny prizes that you can share with your mate or friends: hotels, restaurants, wellness or adventures.

Moreover, you will have the opportunity to contact those radio clubs you still needed to complete the **EANET Award**.

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EURAO member associations

- <u>URC</u>: Union des Radio-Clubs et des Radioamateurs (France)
- <u>CISAR</u>: Centro Italiano di Sperimentazione ed Attività Radiantistiche (Italy)
- <u>FEDI-EA</u>: Federación Digital EA (Spain)
- VRA: Vlaamse RadioAmateurs (Belgium)
- <u>ÚFRČ</u>: Union Francophone des Radio Clubs (Belgium)
- <u>HAG</u>: Ham Association of Greece
- <u>FEDERACHI</u>: Federación Clubes de Radioaficionados de Chile
- <u>FRC</u>: Federació Radioaficionats de Catalunya (Spain)
- AIRS: Associazione Italiana Radioamatori Sperimentatori (Italy)
- ARR: Asociatia Radioclubul României (Romania)
- <u>REEC</u>: Radio & Electronics Engineering Club asbl (Belgium)
- RCL: Radioamador Clube de Loulé (Portugal)
- RNRE: Raggruppamento Nazionale Radiocomunicazioni di Emergenza (Italy)
- <u>UNGO UARL</u>: UNGO Ukrainian Amateur Radio League (Ukraine)
- <u>CSCG</u>: Clubul Sportiv Café Gratis (Romania)

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ON4PM, at **Atlantykron 2016**.

EURAO projects ongoing

- <u>EuroBureauQSL</u>: the <u>EURAO's</u> QSL Bureaus Global Network
- EURAO TV Channel
- European Radio Amateur Card
- Member Benefits Program
- EURAO Newsletter
- EURAO Awards
- **EURAO Parties**
- EECE: EmerComms
 - YEM: Youth Meeting

EURAO Party - Summer 2016: sat kick-off

The **European Radio Amateurs' Organization** announces a new party on the air, this time with the motto: "sat kick-off". Remember this is not a contest, it is just a radio meeting with a few simple 'rules', better to call them recommendations.

 $\textbf{Purpose} \colon \text{to start with satellite communications, the } \underline{\text{AO-85}} \text{ is suggested. It has one FM channel with downlink in VHF. SWLing is possible and recommended.}$

Date & time: September 24th and 25th, 2016, Saturday and Sunday, 00:00-24:00 UTC.

Bands & modes: these are the frequencies of AO-85 satellite: uplink 435,180 MHz FM with tone 67,0 Hz and downlink 145,980 MHz FM. Tools: <u>Tracking</u>, <u>Status</u>.

Call: "CQ EURAO Party".

Exchange: because this is a QSO event, not a contest, you can talk about whatever you want, in any language, and for as long as you like. In Sat QSOs shortness and locator exchange is a must. Here are some topic suggestions to get the conversation going: name, city, locator, weather, antennas, rigs, etc.

Also talk about QSL interchange. Tell the truth. Say "no, thanks" if you are not interested in QSL cards. But if you would like to have a memory of your contact, feel free to use our **EuroBureauQSL** (see below).

Logs: for statistic purposes only, we ask participants to submit their logs to party@eurao.org in ADIF format, where the filename should be your callsign (e.g. EA3RKF.ADI).

There will be no results or league tables, only statistical information about number of QSOs, countries, callsigns, OMs/YLs/Clubs, etc.

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Amateur Radio News... (cont.)

TM160NT: Statistics



The 160 birthday of **Nikola Tesla** (1856-1943) activity, conducted by <u>URC</u> this summer, had 3000 QSOs with hams in 70 countries, using all modes and all HF bands. Remember: QSL via F6KRK and **EuroBureauQSL**.

About our members...









UNGO UARL is a new radio amateur association in Ukraine, founded in 2016 by 13 regional clubs (near 1500 members from the whole country), which objective is to preserve the true ham spirit and the free exchange of QSL cards.

That is the reason **UNGO UARL** has become member association of **EURAO** and **EuroBureauQSL** entry point in its country. http://uarl.at.ua

Clubul Sportiv Café Gratis





CSCG, YO5KFG and YO5KDS, is a Romanian radio club founded in 2015, interested in estabilishing a ham community based on common values, providing a positive team experience to empower its members.

CSCG has become now member association of EURAO. http://cafegratis.club



European Radio Amateurs' Organization open to the world wide amateur radio community

News in brief



- CISAR's Annual Assembly and Meeting: October 1-2, 2016, in Roma, Italy. Live on its streaming TV channel. http://www.cisar.it
- HAM Fest India 2016: on November 5-6, hosted by our member club Mount Abu International Ham Radio Club. http://hfi2016.mhrc.in
- URC Assembly: on November 12, 2016, in Lillers, France. http://www.urc.asso.fr
- Radiogrupo Sur new challenge: this member club in Uruguay is preparing a new QTH in St. Lucia Wetlands for its antennas and rigs. http://radiogruposur.org

EURAO Newsletter: issue dates

- 15 February
- 15 June
- 15 September
- 1 December

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International QSL Service.

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