1st SV SWLers contest

The «Aegean DX group» @ announces the first radio listeners contest.

The SV-SWLnrs contest starts at 00:01 GMT of the 1st of January of 2018 and ends at 23:59 of the 31st December of 2018. It addresses every SWLer.

Listen to as many radio stations you can, in the Short Waves bands as well as the Medium waves ones and the Long waves.

Write in your participation log, the name of the station, the kind of the radio programme you've listened, e.g. music, speech or the news and such, date and time (GMT) of the hearing as well as the quality of the signal of the radio station in SINPO code, inside the log.

Ask for a QSL card from the radio station that you have listened to.

In addition to receiving reports and QSL cards of radio stations, receiving reports from a hearing NDB, NAVTEX and YADD are being accepted too.

Moreover, radio amateur stations only with special call signs.

Every radio station or other station is logged only once from every location of broadcast.

Rating: Every log counts for 1 point.

Every QSL card that is included in a log will have the following multipliers:

A. Amateurs radio station hearings **X 10 (only for special call signs)**

- B. Broadcasting Radio station hearings X 50
- C. NDB station hearings X 200
- D. NAVTEX station hearings X 250
- E. YADD station hearings **X 300**
- F. Grimeton Radio (SAQ) station hearing X 2000 during "Alexanderson Day" and other anniversary broadcasts of the station.

The use of receivers via the internet is not allowed.

Participation Logs should include the following information about you: Information about the equipment of your receiving station.

That is the kind of the receiver or radio and antenna that you are using.

Name, Last name, postal address and e-mail address

Sword Wave Listener call (if you have).

Radio amateur call sign (if you have one).

We accept: Hand written logs or logs in WORD and EXCEL form, or logs in Cabrillo.

The competition lasts a year long.

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The mailing of logs for check is done every trimester.

1st trimester, (no QSL cards) at 10th of April 2018

2st trimester, (no QSL cards) at 10th of July 2018

3st trimester, (no QSL cards) at 10th of October 2018

4st trimester, until the 31st of January 2019. It will include the forth trimester as well as the last three trimesters with your QSL cards (scanned).

Everything will be attached in an e-mail to the following address: $\underline{aegeanDXgrp@gmail.com}$

In the emails subject write: **SV-SWLers contest**

Also, for the hand written logs, use the following postal address:

EPKA PO Box 04 83100 SAMOS (with the indication "for the SV-SWLers contest")

Awards:

Trophies and diplomas will be awarded to the three first.

Commemorative awards will be given to the rest that will participate.

Questions and clarifications can be send to the Contest Manager,

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The results of the competition will be published in the official site of the «Aegean DX group»© www.AegeanDXgroup.gr

Good luck to everyone that will participate! More information in the official site of the «Aegean DX group» @ www.AegeanDXgroup.gr and in the next issue of «SV-QRP» @