

Memorial Contest 2013:

The participation level this year was similar to recent years, except that CW only stations were down in numbers. Log accuracy standards are slowly getting better, but a number of stations got docked a few points (which didn't affect the section placings), for some simple errors, mainly concerning callsigns. ie. a VKxxx callsign becomes a ZLxxx callsign and working stations no one else worked, including a number of callsigns that are not currently allocated to anyone at all! Most of the errors should have been spotted by a proof read of logs before sending them off.

All that aside, as log standards are getting better, maybe we should think about scoring declarations (ie. the contest summary sheet) replacing the need to actually submit logs. But in cases where the top scores are very close, the right would be reserved to ask those affected to submit logs when called for. Around the world there are a small number of minor contests/activity sessions where this happens.

Anyway my special congrats go to Phil ZL1PB for a very solid top Mixed Phone & CW score, Graeme ZL2APV who not only managed to make the most CW contacts but did it in just one evening plus was running QRP and Chris VK2ACD definitely our best VK supporter over recent years.

Activity Summary:						
Section	Stations Active			Logs Received		
	2013	2012	2011	2013	2012	2011
ZL CW only	8	15	9	3	7	6
ZL SSB only	42	58	57	14	17	12
ZL CW & SSB	17	15	11	11	8	8
ZL Total	71	88	77	28	32	26

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Callsign	QSO SSB	QSO CW	Pfx SSB	Pfx CW	Score
Mixed Phone & CW:					
ZL1PB	174	70	9	9	5652
ZL2AUA	148	76	8	7	4500
ZL2AYB	147	74	7	7	4130
ZL1DK	205	27	9	4	3367
ZL3VZ	125	73	7	6	3523
ZL2AL	92	47	8	7	2790
ZL1ALZ	66	44	8	6	2156
ZL2AQF	87	56	5	4	1791
ZL4IM	75	40	7	4	1705
ZL1ROK	40	51	6	4	1310
ZL3AB	18	32	5	4	738
Phone Only:					
ZL1JV	192		9		1728
ZL2CQ	187		9		1683
ZL2W	175		9		1575
ZL1YE	167		9		1503
ZL4RMF	161		9		1449
ZL1AA	144		9		1296
ZL1PO (QRP)	150		7		1050
ZL4DE	106		9		954
ZL2CAT	129		7		903
ZL1REG	118		7		826
ZL1LAP	38		5		190
ZL1FLY	44		4		176
ZM1G	36		6		144
ZL1WT (QRP)	37		3		111
CW Only:					
ZL2APV (QRP)		84		7	1176
ZL1BWG		74		6	888
ZL1WI		61		4	488
Australian Stations:					
VK2ACD	67		8		536
Check Logs:					
ZL1AIH					
ZL2DW					