

**SCOUTS-L**

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**JAMBOREE  
ON THE AIR  
& HAM RADIO**

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 1994 07:08:42 EST  
From: John Young <yo@SYDNEY.SYDNEY.SGI.COM>  
Subject: ANNOUNCING EMAIL JOTA'94

G'day

1st Balmoral Sea Scout Group, located in Sydney Australia, invite you and your Scout/Guide unit to participate in EMAIL JOTA'94.

I would appreciate email feedback from you if you are interested in participating. I would also welcome suggestions on other elements that we could add to the basic concepts set out below. For example someone has already suggested we should set up an IRC "chat line".

Please let me have your feedback as soon as possible.

Yours in Scouting

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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF AN EMAIL JAMBOREE  
IN PARALLEL WITH JOTA'94**

**OVERVIEW**

The objectives behind the Scouting & Guiding Movements all round the world running their annual Jamboree of the Air (JOTA) is for Scouts/Guides to make friendships with other Scouts/Guides all round the world. This year Mosman District Scouts, located in Sydney Australia, will extend the basic concept of JOTA to include the use of electronic mail (email). This will be brought about by creating a direct connection for Mosman District Scouts and Guides to the Internet. Internet is an international network of some 20 million computers which can exchange email messages and news broadcasts with each other.

Most international, commercially-based and hobby-based email networks, such as AT&T Easylink, CompuServe, MCIMail, The Source, GENie, FIDOnet, Applelink The many commercial email services which can gateway to the Internet, such as CompuServe, MCIEmail, Applelink, Pegasus, Genie, Source and Prodigy have "gateways" to the Internet, which means that many Scouts and Guides can participate in JOTA'93 from the comfort of their home, school, university or place of work.

#### **HOW WILL IT HAPPEN**

At 1st Balmoral Sea Scout Hall Mosman District Scouts, Guides, Brownies, Cubs, Rovers, Rangers, Venturers and their Leaders will be broadcasting on 2 or 3 amateur radio rigs provided by a local radio club. There will also be a dial-up phone link between a UNIX computer called 'scoutnet', and a commercial UNIX email service. This service is linked to AARNET, which in turn is linked, via an international gateway located at the University of Melbourne, to the Internet.

In the weeks leading up to JOTA which happens worldwide on during October Scouts and Guides will be able to use the email service to pre-arrange times and frequencies for radio contact with other Scouts/Guides.

They will also be able to use internationally distributed news groups to broadcast written articles to people associated with Scouting/Guiding in one role or another. One of the most appropriate newsgroups for Scouts/Guides is called "rec.scouting".

If you know the email address of another Scout/Guide then they can send a personal message to them.

#### **FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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**Date:** Wed, 27 Jul 1994 05:25:48 PDT  
**From:** Robert Christiansen <Robert\_Christiansen.NPSC@XCI.XEROX.COM>  
**Subject:** Some Information on JOTA (forwarded form packet radio)

**From:** PA3BAR@PI8VNW.#ZH2.NLD.EU  
**To :** SCOUTS@WW

**To:** National JOTA Organizers  
Radio Amateur Associations  
Interested Scout Groups  
JOTA Circular August 1994.

**37th Jamboree-On-The-Air, 15 - 16 October 1994.**

**Dear friends,**

**This is a fil reminder that the 37th JOTA will be held over the weekend of 15 and 16 October 1994.**

**Details of the JOTA organization are published in the first JOTA circular, issued in May 1994. This circular contains some last-minute information.**

**The JOTA is a world-wide event. Units may operate for 48 hours, from Saturday 00.00 h until Sunday 24.00h local time. Due to the world's time differences, this period is not the same for everyone. To determine the times at which you can most likely contact a certain part of the world, calculate the time difference and ask your amateur radio operator about the radio propagation prediction (a sort of weather forecast for radio waves).**

**Members of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) are kindly invited to take part in the JOTA and enjoy this international event together with the Scouts.**

**National JOTA Reports.**

**National JOTA organizers are requested to send a report to the World Scout Bureau soon after the event.**

**What is a good report? A National JOTA Report gives an impression of what the JOTA was like in your country. It contains ideas and comments, suggestions for future programmes and describes the most important and interesting contacts that were made. A summary of it will be published in the World JOTA Report, so others may benefit**

from it.

The World Report editor would very much appreciate it if you could send your additional report text in English on a computer disk. You may use any MS-DOS or Macintosh formatted disk with the text in ASCII format or formatted according to any popular word processor, like Wordperfect, MS-Word, Wordstar or similar. Send your report to the World Scout Bureau before the 31st of December 1994 !!

The JOTA map game.

Map co-ordinates for the JOTA map game have been distributed to various countries. The format in which Scout stations will transmit the co-ordinates during a contact is:

AABB N CCDD E.

In this format AA and CC represent degrees whilst BB and DD are minutes. The N stands for Northern Latitude and the E for Eastern Length. We wish you many happy hours with this map game and are looking forward to see your solution.

HB9S activities.

The World Scout Bureau's radio station HB9S will operate from Geneva, most of the Saturday and Sunday, with short breaks during the night. Transmitters will be on the air simultaneously on the 10/15/20 metre, 160/80/40 metre and 0.7/2 metre bands. The station manager Yves Margot,

HB9AOF, will be assisted by Richard Middelkoop, PA3BAR, World Bureau staff members and an international team of scout radio amateurs.

HB9S will transmit a JOTA message delivered by the Director of UNICEF, Mr. Jim Grant, according to the following schedule on Saturday 15 October: directed towards:

Australia	28.990 MHz	09.00 GMT
Japan	21.360 MHz	09.15 GMT
South-East Asia	21.360 MHz	14.00 GMT
Africa	28.990 MHz	14.15 GMT
Europe	07.090 MHz	14.30 GMT
N & S-America	21.360 MHz	18.00 GMT

Making a contact with HB9S takes some patience in practice. Usually many stations are calling at the same time. Please follow the instructions given by the operators and do not interfere with on-going contacts. The operators will do the best they can to make contact with scout stations world-wide and speak to scouts in as

many languages as possible.

**QSL card competition.**

Details of the QSL card competition for JOTA participants were published last May. May we remind you that: entries for this competition need to be received on time in Geneva, i.e. before 31 December 1994.

**Asia-Pacific Radio-Scouting Seminar.**

The first Radio-Scouting Seminar for National JOTA Organizers in the Asia-Pacific Region takes place 2 - 4 January 1995. Your application to participate in this seminar must reach the organizers before 31 October 1994. Your National Scout Headquarters has the application forms. For further information contact the Australian National JOTA Organizer Mr. Peter V. Hughes, 58 Preston Street, Como, WA 6152, Australia.

**Last-minute questions.**

This circular is the last information you receive before the JOTA weekend. Should National JOTA Organizers have any last-minute questions, ask your radio operator to send a message via the amateur packet-radio network. You can reach the World JOTA Team via this network as follows. Question regarding the operation of HB9S and requests for possible skeds can be directed to Yves Margot, at packet-radio address: HB9AOF @ HB9IAP.SROM.CHE.EU.

General questions about the JOTA can be directed to Richard Middelkoop, at packet-radio address:

PA3BAR @ PI8VNW.#ZH2.NLD.EU.

Please note that this service is intended for National JOTA Organizers only. Others should direct their questions to their National Scout Headquarters.

**Finally.**

The JOTA is an excellent opportunity to meet Scouts, Guides and others from many countries. Exchange ideas, learn about other cultures and habits and make new friends. This year's JOTA provides the opportunity for an interesting weekend programme.

I wish you all a most enjoyable weekend.

Sincerely,

Richard Middelkoop, PA3BAR  
World JOTA Advisor.

**Date:** Wed, 27 Jul 1994 12:39:14 MET-DST  
**From:** "R. MIDDELKOOP 439/3H07/3-5" <Middelkoop@FEL.TNO.NL>  
**Organization:** FEL TNO  
**Subject:** \*\* JOTA Clip-art and info \*\*

Hi Everyone,

For those of you interested in clip-art and the upcoming 37th Jamboree-On-The-Air (JOTA), Jon has created a special section in the archives of SCOUTS-L, called JOTA.

I have just now uploaded clip-art files in PCX format with lots of cartoons and drawings from Jamboree-On-The-Air publications world-wide. The individual files have been zipped into one and uuencoded, so you need to unzip and uudecode after retrieval from the archives.

There are 4 different categories, which you can now retrieve by sending this command to the listSERVER (so NOT to the list itself!):

**GET SCOUTS-L JOTA CLIP-#**

Fill out 1,2,3 or 4 at the place of the #.

Let me know what you think and should you have other JOTA or Radio-Scouting related clip-art I would be much obliged if you can inform me.

Specific information on the 37th JOTA (to be held 15 - 16 October 1994), what it is, how you can enjoy this world-wide international activity together with 500,000 other Scouts and how this is organised can all be found in the 2 info circulars which have been issued thusfar. You can retrieve the information by sending this command to the listSERVER:

**GET SCOUTS-L JOTA #CIRC94**

Fill out 1 or 2 at the place of the # to obtain the first or second info circular.

The EUROPEAN SCOUT JAMBOREE is bound to start. Precisely 9650 Scouts from all over Europe (and even a bit outside) will gather in the Netherlands, 1 - 11 August '94. Want to catch a glimpse of the atmosphere? The Jamboree is equipped with an amateur radio station with the call-sign PA6ESJ. It can be contacted at the scout frequencies on all short-wave bands.

Digital communications are also possible. The Jamboree can be reached via the packet-radio network at the address:



**PA6ESJ@PI8WFL.NLD.EU**

**The camp-site is the same as for the WORLD SCOUT JAMBOREE to be held there next year. It is situated about 40 kilometers to the East of Amsterdam and at a height of - 2.3 meters (so BELOW sea level). The site used to be the bottom of a former large lake.....**

**Greetings from behind the dikes,**

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**Richard Middelkoop**

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Den Haag, Netherlands.**

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**World Radio-Scouting  
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World Scout Bureau  
Geneva**

**Packet:**

Date: Thu, 28 Jul 1994 08:52:01 MDT  
From: Bruce Madsen <bmadsen@DSD.ES.COM>  
Subject: Jamboral Ham Radio Talk-In

The Great Salt Lake Council (based in Salt Lake City, Utah) is having its bi-annual "Utah Heritage Jamboral" this year on Sept. 16th and 17th. This event draws literally thousands of scouts from throughout the council for a couple of days of great activities.

This year they're also organizing and setting up a Ham Radio station, and I've been asked to distribute this information:

Ham Radio Operators will find a Talk-In on 145.69. A special event station with K2BSA/7 will be operating from 0000 to 1800 GMT September 17 on the following frequencies:

15 meters	21.395 mc
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Activities will include making contact with other scouts around the world and sending messages to friends and family.

Please forward this information to anyone that might be interested; they'd love to talk with other scouters around the world.

Although not necessary, I'd be curious to know who'd be willing to join the Talk-In. If possible, send e-mail to me.

Thanks!

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Bruce Madsen  
Evans & Sutherland Computer Corp.  
bmadsen@dsd.es.com

. . . "You don't raise heroes; you  
. \* . raise sons. And if you treat  
them like sons they'll turn out  
. . . to be heroes, even if it's just  
in your eyes"

"I used to be a bear..." - W. Schirra  
WE2-590-4-92

**Currently serving as Chartered Organization Representative**

**Date:** Mon, 8 Aug 1994 11:42:53 MET-DST  
**From:** "R. MIDDELKOOP 439/3H07/3-5" <Middelkoop@FEL.TNO.NL>  
**Organization:** FEL TNO  
**Subject:** Retrieving JOTA information and clip-art

To all of you who tried to retrieve the Jamboree On The Air (JOTA) information and clip-art, I apologize for giving you the wrong instruction set. As most of you have discovered, the command sequence was wrong. The correct ones follow below.

To retrieve JOTA drawings and cartoons, send the following to the list SERVER (so not to the scouts-l LIST):

**GET JOTA CLIP-# SCOUTS-L**

For the # fill out 1,2,3 or 4. This will get you a uuencoded file. After uudecoding you will need to unzip the file to obtain the original picture files in PCX format.

JOTA information is contained in two text files which you can obtain by sending:

**GET JOTA #CIRC94 SCOUTS-L**

Again, for the # fill out 1 or 2. Both files are ASCII text files.

Sorry for the inconvenience; it should work ok now.  
Let me know what you think of the JOTA information in general.

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**Richard Middelkoop**

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PA3BAR@PI8VNW.#ZH2.NL.EU**

**World Radio-Scouting  
& JOTA Advisor  
World Scout Bureau  
Geneva**

**Packet:**



**Date:** Fri, 2 Sep 1994 08:50:58 MDT  
**From:** Bruce Madsen <bmadsen@DSD.ES.COM>  
**Subject:** Jamboral Ham Radio Station  
**To:** Multiple recipients of list SCOUTS-L <SCOUTS-

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**Bruce Madsen**  
**Evans & Sutherland Computer Corp.**  
**bmadsen@dsd.es.com**

"I used to be a bear..."  
WE2-590-4-92

Currently serving as Chartered Organization Representative

**Date: Sat, 17 Sep 1994 23:59:34 -0400 (EDT)**  
**From: "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>**  
**Subject: Re: Jamboree-On-The-Air (JOTA)**  
**To: SCOUTS-L Youth Groups Discussion List <SCOUTS-L@TCUBVM.BITNET>**

**Paul,**

**You might want to take a look at "Tune in the World" at p. 39 of Scouting in the September issue. At p. 56 it lists the frequencies. The article does a good job of introducing JOTA.**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver**  
**Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA**  
**Speaking only for myself, but with Scouting Spirit . . .**  
**\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date:** Sun, 18 Sep 1994 17:39:22 GMT  
**From:** "D. Ian Shedden" <ai062@freenet.carleton.ca>  
**Organization:** The National Capital FreeNet  
**Subject:** Re: Jamboree-On-The-Air (JOTA)

The following info is from the Scouts Canada publication, "the Leader":

To monitor S/W (sideband):

<b>Band (metres)</b>	<b>CW (MHz)</b>	<b>Phone (MHz)</b>
<b>80</b>	<b>3.590</b>	<b>3.740 &amp; 3.940</b>
<b>40</b>	<b>7.030</b>	<b>7.090</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>14.070</b>	<b>14.290</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18.080</b>	<b>18.140</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>21.140</b>	<b>21.360</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>24.910</b>	<b>24.960</b>

JOTA is scheduled for the weekend of October 15th and 16th.

Hope this helps.

**Scouter Ian Shedden**  
**73rd Blossom Park Troop**  
**Gloucester, Ontario CANADA**



**Date:** Mon, 19 Sep 1994 10:51:50 MET-DST  
**From:** "R. MIDDELKOOP 439/3H07/3-5" <Middelkoop@FEL.TNO.NL>  
**Organization:** FEL TNO  
**Subject:** Jamboree On The Air info

General information on the upcoming 37th JOTA has been uploaded to the SCOUTS-L archives. For those interested, send the following commands to the listserver:

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get jota 1circ94 scouts-l  
get jota 2circ94 scouts-l
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The same information has just recently been uploaded also to the amateur radio packet network. Look for it in the SCOUTS@WW directory of your local packet-radio mailbox.

Hope this helps scouters preparing for the event.

**Richard Middelkoop**

**TNO Physics and Electronics  
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Den Haag, Netherlands.**

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PA3BAR@PI8VNW.#ZH2.NL.EU**

**World Radio-Scouting  
& JOTA Advisor  
World Scout Bureau  
Geneva**

**Packet:**

**Date:** Mon, 3 Oct 1994 16:51:00 -0500  
**From:** Ben Parker <barker@INTERACCESS.COM>  
**Subject:** JOTA on the Net

The following information is forwarded from rec.scouting for those who have asked about 'online' activities related to JOTA. (Apologies to those who read both, not everyone has access to usenet.)

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**From:** macman@bernina.ethz.ch (Danny Schwendener)  
**Newsgroups:** rec.scouting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.irc,de.comm.ham  
**Subject:** Scouting on the Net during JOTA (World Jamboree On The Air)  
**Date:** 3 Oct 1994 20:11:42 GMT  
**Organization:** Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETHZ)

Here are the side events to the Worldwide Jamboree on the Air, which will be held on October 15-16 on the amateur radio frequencies worldwide. More details on JOTA 94 and the frequencies used can be found on ftp.ethz.ch in the directory rec.scouting/worldwide.

(Note: this is an extract of the upcoming release of rec.scouting FAQ#2 on worldwide scouting. Since JOTA is so close, I decided not to wait until the normally scheduled posting)

At this time, I've received the announcements for three Internet Happenings to be held during JOTA 94 (October 15-16):

#### **A. JAMBOREE ON THE IRC (JOTIRC)**

IRC stands for Internet Relay Chat. IRC is devoted to just "type-talking" with other users around the world. You join what they call a channel (similar to AOL's rooms, if you're familiar) and type words which appear on

the channel. Everyone on that channel receives your words and can respond.

The software needed is basically a client. Clients can be obtained from many

ftp sites. See Scott Yanoff's "Internet Services" list on alt.internet.services for public IRC clients, or find out if your own system has the client installed by typing the following from your UNIX prompt:

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irc
/join #scouting
```

For more information on IRC, anonymous FTP to:  
[cs.bu.edu:/irc/support/tutorial\\*](http://cs.bu.edu:/irc/support/tutorial*)

One of the permanent channels on IRC is #scouting, which will be the central meeting point for JOTIRC participants.

## **B. CIBER CAMPAMENT**

The mexican scouts have set up a local chat server called "Ciber Campament". While it is set up for JOTA 94, the server is already up and running today.

To connect, telnet to 129.108.3.7 on port 7777 (type 'telnet 129.108.3.7 7777' from your UNIX or PC host, or use NCSA Telnet from a Macintosh). You can log in with any alias and any password.

## **C. E-MAIL JOTA 94**

Mosman District Scouts, located in Sydney Australia, invite you and the girls and boys in your Scout/Guide unit to participate in EMAIL JOTA'94.

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For more information on this event or to get in contact with 1st Balmoral, contact John Young at [yo@sydney.sgi.com](mailto:yo@sydney.sgi.com).

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PS: I also know that an on-line 'Conference' is planned in the Compuserve Scouting Forum (accessible to compuserve members only) and I am guessing

that a similar gathering will take place at AOL.com (America On Line).

**Ben Parker (IL) [bparker@interaccess.com](mailto:bparker@interaccess.com)  
[71450.2735@compuserve.com](mailto:71450.2735@compuserve.com)**



**Date:** Mon, 17 Oct 1994 17:02:04 EST  
**From:** Bruce Ward <wardb@AGRIC.NSW.GOV.AU>  
**Subject:** Re: Scouts looking for contact.

thanks for the hello. We were unable to get onto IRC, thats why you didn't see us there. Everyone talks about it, but I can't find out how to get on. My machine (at work) does not have IRC software, so that may be the problem. Anyway, Ill get it all sorted out before next time.

I will pass your hello on to the boys involved.

YIS  
Bruce Ward  
Orange, Australia

**Date: Sun, 16 Oct 1994 01:53:28 -0400 (EDT)**  
**From: "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>**  
**Subject: Re: Scouts looking for contact.**  
**To: Bruce Ward <wardb@AGRIC.NSW.GOV.AU>**

**On Sun, 16 Oct 1994, Bruce Ward wrote:**

> **Scene: for or five Scouts and a Leader, hunched in front of a computer**  
> **in the longe room of a house in rural Australia. Their local radio**  
> **radio club were unable to provide radio's or operators for the**  
> **traditional JOTA, so they are trying to contact other Scouts**  
> **through the internet. Its Sunday afternoon, (very early am in USA)**  
> **and the only contact they can make is a Troop mate from the other**  
> **side of town!**  
>  
> **Is there anybody there?**

**Yes! A tired old Commissioner just back home from a long day at a District Camporee attended by 1580 Boy Scouts with a JOTA station that was trying to raise you.**

>  
> **How about sending us a message in the next 30 minutes??? Send by private**  
> **email to:**  
>  
> **wardb@agric.nsw.gov.au**  
>

**You got it!**

**Like you fellows, about twenty of our Scouts were on the air tonight trying to make as many contacts as possible although atmospheric conditions were not as good as hoped. They were able to make a lot of contacts in North America, but others were difficult.**

**If they could reach you they would send their greetings and be happy to talk to you as brother Scouts. Some are particularly interested in how you cook in the Outback and on your Scouting badges, etc.**

**Today they worked through a team building confidence course at their encampment where each patrol went through 15 challenge obstacles that**

required teamwork to complete. The hardest was hoisting a mate over a  
10  
foot wooden barrier without him touching the barrier.

They all enjoyed having a Scottish bagpiper at their campfire and a song  
lead by Girl Scouts from Finland, France and Switzerland. The hooted and  
cheered forever.

I'm glad you tried to make contact, sorry it didn't work. Know that we  
are glad to be part of the same Scouting brotherhood as you are.

Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA  
Speaking only for myself, but with Scouting Spirit . . .

\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_



**Date:** Wed, 19 Oct 1994 23:41:42 -0400 (EDT)  
**From:** "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>  
**Subject:** Re: JOTA results and a request  
**To:** "Doyle, Ron" <doyler@UH2297P01.DAYTONOH.NCR.COM>

**Ron,**

**Could tell me what frequencies you are referring to in your posting as BSA frequencies? My 13 year old son has a rig upstairs and I'm sure that would be of interest to him. He's got a technician license and is using a N-S dipole antenna (has made contacts out in NM).**

**I'm not sure what frequencies he's using, but I'll ask him tomorrow. Maybe he'd be willing to try to make a contact.**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA  
Speaking only for myself, but with Scouting Spirit . . .  
\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date: Thu, 20 Oct 1994 23:27:50 -0400 (EDT)**  
**From: "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>**  
**Subject: Re: J.O.T.A. Recap**  
**To: Lance Halle <lanceh@CRL.COM>**

**Lance,**

**You may have been hearing from the JOTA site at our Camporee in Alexandria, Virginia. The Scouts were making several contacts in the Southwest.**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver**  
**Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA**  
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**From: "Doyle, Ron" <doyler@uh2297p01.daytonoh.NCR.COM>**  
**To: mfbowman Subject: Re: JOTA results and a request**  
**Date: Tue, 25 Oct 94 07:11:00 PDT**

>My son, Joshua, will be on the 10 meter band at 28.300 or the next  
>available frequency going up, using phone at 7:00 P.M. EST tomorrow,  
>Tuesday, 25 Oct 94.

We will be there also.

>He should be able to reach your daughter, he has made  
>contacts in New Mexico on 10 meter band frequencies before. We are in  
>Alexandria, Virginia and his call sign is KE4CKZ. What's your daughter's  
>name and call sign?

My call sign is N8VAR. Rebecca doesn't have her license yet so she will be acting as a third party.

I here a lot of calls in '4' land so I think this shows some promise. My antenna is oriented Northeast to Southwest so we should be in good shape. See you tonight on 28.300 7:00 EST.

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Ron Doyle                    N8VAR	Cubmaster of Pack 390
AT&T GIS - Dayton	Big Bear District
<Ronald.Doyle@DaytonOH.NCR.COM>	Miami Valley Council
Work (513) 445-3179	Eagle of 72
Home (513) 237-0790	I used to be a Beaver NC-375 1985
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**Date: Mon, 24 Oct 1994 22:57:58 -0400 (EDT)**  
**From: "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>**  
**Subject: Re: JOTA results and a request**  
**To: doyle@uh2297p01.daytonoh.NCR.COM**

**Ron,**

**My son, Joshua, will be on the 10 meter band at 28.300 or the next available frequency going up, using phone at 7:00 P.M. EST tomorrow, Tuesday, 25 Oct 94. He should be able to reach your daughter, he has made contacts in New Mexico on 10 meter band frequencies before. We are in Alexandria, Virginia and his call sign is KE4CKZ. What's your daughter's name and call sign?**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA  
Speaking only for myself, but with Scouting Spirit . . .**

**\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date:** Tue, 25 Oct 1994 22:55:23 -0400 (EDT)  
**From:** "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>  
**Subject:** Re: JOTA results and a request  
**To:** "Doyle, Ron" <doyler@uh2297p01.daytonoh.NCR.COM>

**Ron,**

>From one beaver to another :) We tried at the arranged time and kept at it for about 20 minutes, but "no joy". Josh is willing to give it another try later on in the week. He got excited about trying. Oh well.

**BTW how old did you say Rebecca was? What is she interested in? I lost the first posting and any info you gave.**

**Our antenna is oriented NNW-SSE. The top of the T is about 40 feet, and about 20 feet high. Josh's rig is running at 40 watts, so we have ample power (he tells me). When's a good time to try?**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
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**\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date:** Thu, 27 Oct 1994 23:10:13 -0400 (EDT)  
**From:** "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>  
**Subject:** Re: Return Greetings  
**To:** John Mira <mira@hp-and.an.hp.com>

**John,**

**Maybe at some future time I can get my son to try and raise you with his rig. He operates on 10 meter band with call sign KE4CKZ.**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA  
Speaking only for myself, but with Scouting Spirit . . .  
\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_**

**From: John Mira <mira@hp-and.an.hp.com>**  
**Subject: Re: Return Greetings**  
**To: mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu (Michael F. Bowman)**  
**Date: Fri, 28 Oct 94 10:28:44 EDT**

**Michael,**

**Sure, I think that's a good idea, and maybe I'll even manage to get you to say a few words.**

**Tell Joshua that as long as propogation exists between here and Alexandria,**

**I'd be happy to set up a sked. Also, if he's into cw, we can try the lower bands (such as 80 meters) where the propogation is bound to be more reliable**

**over the short haul. Tell him that I know he's a Novice Class operator but don't worry about the cw speed or accuracy ( I can slow down and I'll probably make my own mistakes).**

**In case you're wondering we ( Hewlett Packard Amateur Radio Club ) have**

**on-line access to a callbook server. That's where I looked up Joshua's call and got his address, license, birthday etc.... BTW, I'm the current Vice President of that radio club. Hope to hear from Joshua and you soon.**

**YiS,  
John**

**From: "Doyle, Ron" <doyler@uh2297p01.daytonoh.NCR.COM>  
To: mfbowman Subject: Re: JOTA results and a request  
Date: Wed, 26 Oct 94 07:26:00 PDT**

**From one beaver to another :)  
Wasn't it great to be first.:**)

**>We tried at the arranged time and kept at  
>it for about 20 minutes, but "no joy". Josh is willing to give it another  
>try later on in the week. He got excited about trying. Oh well.**

**Same here. The band was extremely noisy on my end. I think I will ask  
around and see what would be a better time. With the sunspots at an all  
time low 10 meters is on the dead side. The QST Mag has propagation  
reports  
but I have never really studied them. They should give us an idea on  
what  
times we would most likely be successful.**

**>BTW how old did you say Rebecca was? What is she interested in? I lost  
>the first posting and any info you gave.**

**Rebecca is 11 years old, likes Girl Scouts, drill team. She has been in  
Girl Scouts for about 6 years. They start real young! She is in the 5th  
grade and seems to be working harder than in previous years to get all her  
homework done. She has a paper route that she delivers every  
Wednesday.**

**It's in the neighborhood and most of the time I go with her, paranoia on  
my  
part mostly, plus she likes the company. She has done some camping in  
cabins and tents and really likes it. She is also very thrifty and has  
saved to buy a hamster with all of the equipment, a 15 speed bicycle, and  
is  
now saving up for a 3 day camp the 5th graders go on in the late fall. She  
gets that from her mother. She is also very caring about her brother,  
Robert, who is 8. If I go into too much detail she won't have anything to  
say. Of course I do like to brag a little. :)**

**>Our antenna is oriented NNW-SSE. The top of the T is about 40 feet, and  
>about 20 feet high. Josh's rig is running at 40 watts, so we have ample  
>power (he tells me). When's a good time to try?**

**Josh is correct about the power. You would need over 500 watts if you**



wanted to do noticeably better. There is this law of physics that says to do 1 's' unit better (that's what your signal strength meter is calibrated to) you need to square your power. If you talk to a QRP enthusiast 40 watts is way too much! I try to keep my power to about 25 watts. I will even run 5 watts a lot of the time. Since I am running on battery power only this also tends to extend the running time. I will use up to 100 watts but I usually don't notice any improvement, it just satisfies my ego that I can do it.

**Date:** Fri, 28 Oct 1994 22:02:06 -0400 (EDT)  
**From:** "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>  
**Subject:** Re: Return Greetings  
**To:** John Mira <mira@hp-and.an.hp.com>

**John,**

**Josh just recently received his technician license and prefers to operate in the phone mode. He's willing to try on the 10 meter band. He wondered about propagation, because his antenna is NNW-SSE. Its a dipole antenna rigged between two monster oak trees over the top of our house at about 25-30 feet high and 40 feet across. The advisor to his ham club helped him set it up. I don't know much about this, so I'll have to just relay what he has said.**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA  
Speaking only for myself, but with Scouting Spirit . . .  
\_\_\_\_\_ mfbowman@CAP.GWU.EDU \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date: Fri, 28 Oct 1994 22:20:48 -0400 (EDT)**  
**From: "Michael F. Bowman" <mfbowman@cap.gwu.edu>**  
**Subject: Re: JOTA results and a request**  
**To: "Doyle, Ron" <doyler@uh2297p01.daytonoh.NCR.COM>**

**Ron,**

**Just remember that Beavers are the only dam Wood Badge animal to have ever done anything constructive (all puns intended). :)**

**Josh's sister, Sarah, is also an 11 year old Girl Scout. Sarah loves soccer, sports in general, camping, going places, games and chatting. Maybe, if we can get the two hams together, we can get communication between the two girls. I know that Sarah would get a kick out it.**

**Yours in Scouting, Michael F. Bowman, a/k/a Professor Beaver  
Deputy District Commissioner Exploring, GW Dist., NCAC, BSA  
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**Date:** Fri, 1 Sep 1995 09:41:26 EDT  
**From:** "R. MIDDELKOOP" <Middelkoop@FEL.TNO.NL>  
**Subject:** 38th Jamboree On The Air: 2nd info WSB circular

For those of you interested in participating in the next world-wide scouting communications event, please find below the details. This is the text of the information circular issued last Friday by the World Scout Bureau in Geneva. [Jon, can you store this in the archives as JOTA 2CIRC95 ? Mni tnx.]

For the first time, internet activities will be part of the official JOTA programme!!

**Circular No 15/95**

**Geneva, August 1995.**

**To: National JOTA Organizers (NJO's)  
International Commissioners  
National Amateur Radio Organizations**

**38th Jamboree-On-The-Air, 21 - 22 October 1995.**

**This is a final reminder that the 38th JOTA will be held over the weekend of 21 and 22 October 1995.**

**Details of the JOTA organization were already published in our first JOTA circular 10/95, issued in May 1995. [Note: available in the Scouts-L archives on internet under JOTA 1CIRC95]. Please read this circular again and check it for important details. The current circular contains some last-minute information.**

**The JOTA is a world-wide event. Units may operate for 48 hours, from Saturday 00.00 h until Sunday 24.00 h local time. Due to the world's time differences, this period is not the same for everyone. To determine the times at which you can most likely contact a certain part of the world, calculate the time difference and ask your amateur radio operator about the radio propagation prediction (a sort of weather forecast for radio waves).**

**Members of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) are kindly invited to take part in the JOTA and enjoy this**

international event together with the Scouts.

### UN50 programme

The United Nations celebrate their 50th Anniversary this year. Several activities will be organised to commemorate this anniversary. The official anniversary date is October 24, two days after the JOTA. As you know, the World Organisation of the Scout Movement (WOSM) cooperates with several UN agencies on various issues and in different parts of the world. The following activities are organised for the 38th JOTA to commemorate the UN 50th anniversary:

1. HB9S, the World Bureau's station, will transmit a message from UN Secretary General Butros Gali and/or other officials. Exact transmission times and frequencies are indicated below.
2. A set of projects is offered to all scouts taking part in the JOTA. Details were already presented in the May JOTA circular, no 10/95. The results of these projects can be presented to the National UN50 Committee in each country on the official celebration day October 24th.

### JOTA badge

A cloth badge with the new Radio-Scouting logo has been produced. It was introduced at the World Jamboree. The badge can now be ordered via your National Scout Shop. The World Bureau's order number is 91211

### HB9S activities.

The World Scout Bureau's radio station HB9S will operate from Geneva, most of the Saturday and Sunday, with short breaks during the night. Transmitters will be on the air simultaneously on the 10/15/20 metre, 160/80/40 metre and 0.7/2 metre bands. The station manager Yves Margot, HB9AOF, will be assisted by Richard Middelkoop, PA3BAR, World Bureau staff members and an international team of scout radio amateurs.

HB9S will transmit a JOTA message delivered by UN Secretary General Mr. Butros Gali and/or other officials, according to the following schedule on Saturday 21 October:

14.290 MHz	09.00 GMT
14.290 MHz	14.00 GMT

07.090 MHz      14.15 GMT  
14.290 MHz      18.00 GMT

Making a contact with HB9S takes some patience in practice. Usually many stations are calling at the same time. Please follow the instructions given by the operators and do not interfere with on-going contacts. The operators will do the best they can to make contact with scout stations world-wide and speak to scouts in as many languages as possible.

**JOTA goes digital.**

Communication via computers increases in popularity and importance in today's society in many countries. The Jamboree On The Air is the annual communication weekend of the World Organization of the Scout Movement. What better occasion to try a new experiment with computer communications. The idea is as follows.

There are 2 different networks available for digital communications via computers during the 38th JOTA.

z Internet, an international network operating via telephone lines to which many other data networks are connected. The possibilities that internet can offer to scouts have been described in some detail in the latest World JOTA Report. The use of internet does NOT require an amateur radio licence, merely a connection to the telephone network.

z Packet-radio, an international network set up by radio amateurs using radio links to connect nodes in the network. Since data is transmitted by radio, the use of this network DOES require an amateur radio licence.

What you have to do is the following:

1. Connect a personal computer to one of these networks. Your radio operator can assist with technical matters where needed.
2. Switch to the "conversation" mode. This is sometimes called "Chat", "IRC" or "Convers". Now you can talk to whoever is on the same channel at that time. Use a channel identified as "scouting" or "JOTA".
3. Find about 4 or 5 other scout groups on this channel who would like to form a "Digital working group" with you. Scouts from at least 3 different countries are needed. Think of an original name for your group. Collect all electronic addresses of your group members.
4. Select a discussion topic of the UN50 projects list that was published in the May JOTA circular no. 10/95.

5. Discuss this topic with your group members by using private electronic mail. This means you only send messages to your group members.
6. Make a summary of the results.
7. Send this summary, along with the name of your Digital working group, via electronic mail to the World Scout Bureau in Geneva. The address is  
for internet: [worldbureau@scout.gn.apc.org](mailto:worldbureau@scout.gn.apc.org)  
for packet: HB9AOF @ HB9IAP.

The best summaries may be used for presentation to the United Nations at the anniversary celebrations directly after the JOTA. The summaries will also be included in the World JOTA Report which will be published after the event.

#### **National JOTA Reports.**

JOTA organizers are requested to send a report to the World Scout Bureau soon after the event. Enclosed with this circular is the report form for the 38th JOTA. It is intended for use by the National JOTA Organizer (NJO) but it may be used also by individual units if a country has no NJO.

What is a good report? A National JOTA Report gives an impression of what the JOTA was like in your country. It contains ideas and comments, suggestions for future programmes and describes the most important and interesting contacts that were made. A summary of it will be published in the World JOTA Report, so others may benefit from it. The figures that are requested on the report form will be used to compile some statistics. A reasonable estimate would be appreciated if they cannot be specified accurately. Please take a few moments to fill out this report form and feel free to include any other information on separate papers.

The World Report editor would very much appreciate it if you could send your additional report text in English on a computer disk. You may use any MS-DOS or Macintosh formatted disk with the text in ASCII format or formatted according to any popular word processor, like Wordperfect, MS-Word, Wordstar or similar.

Send your report to the World Scout Bureau before the 31st of December 1995 !!

#### **4th European Radio-Scouting Seminar.**

The fourth Radio-Scouting Seminar for National JOTA Organizers in the European Region takes place 19 - 21 April 1996, at Gilwell Park

in the United Kingdom. Mark your diary. For further information contact the European Regional Office in Brussels.

**Last-minute information.**

This circular is the last information you receive before the JOTA weekend. If there is any last-minute information of general interest, it will be distributed electronically. Check the SCOUTS@WW directory of your local packet-radio bbs and the SCOUTS-L mailing list on internet.

**Finally.**

The JOTA is an excellent opportunity to meet Scouts, Guides and others from many countries. Exchange ideas, learn about other cultures and habits and make new friends. This year's JOTA provides the opportunity for an interesting weekend programme. I hope that this Jamboree On The Air will once again give its participants the experience of the International Brotherhood of World Scouting and will contribute to mutual understanding and respect. I wish you all a most enjoyable weekend.

%%%%%%%%%% Thanks for reading this message from:

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Date: Sun, 3 Sep 1995 12:38:00 +0000  
From: Simon Pearce <scouts-l@SCOUTNET.DEMON.CO.UK>  
Organization: : ScoutNet UK - THE Scouting BBS  
Subject: National Scouting Online Week

National Scouting Online Week 16th-22nd October, 1995

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Welcome to the UK's first National Scouting Online Week! A global event



aimed at promoting Scouting online. The idea of this document is to provide all the information about the event and answer any questions you may have.

### **WHAT IS NATIONAL SCOUTING ONLINE WEEK (NSOW)?**

NSOW is an event aimed on promoting the use of PCs to communicate with others around the world. This can be done very simply with any standard home computer along with a modem. A modem is a device which converts binary information into an analogue signal that can then be transmitted over the normal voice-carrying telephone lines. Many new PCs bought today come bundled with a modem included, so Scouting online is bound to increase over the coming years.

There are a number of Scouters already online, many of whom are well known to other Scouters online. These same few people have got together to organise this event.

### **HOW WILL THE EVENT WORK?**

The event is centred around an already popular event, Jamboree on the Air (JOTA). Several years ago, Scouters also got together to start Jamboree on the Internet (JOTI) but this seems to have died down somewhat.

During the week leading up to JOTA (Monday-Friday), Scouts (from all Sections) will have the opportunity to compose E-mail message; either on paper to be transferred to PC later or directly into the software if you can get your machine to the Scout Hut or get the kids to your office! This helps the children make new friends around the world and also works towards their badge work.

We are already spreading the word about this event in order to get links underway.

Over the JOTA/JOTI weekend (the final two days of NSOW) will be a number of IRC sessions. IRC (Internet Relay Chat) enable many users to chat in real time across the Internet using simple software which is freely available. This will take place in the #scouting channel at the following times:

**Saturday 21st October**

**Sunday 22nd October**

1200GMT (1pm BST)  
1600GMT (5pm BST)

1000GMT (11am BST)  
1600GMT (5pm BST)

All are welcome to join in and there will be some more experienced users online who will be able to help out if you have any problems.

**BUT WE DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO THE INTERNET...**

OK! But I am sure there must be someone local with Internet access - ask them! I am sure they would only be too pleased to help. If you are still stuck, then forward your message to ScoutNet UK where they can be distributed on your behalf. Messages can be sent by mail, fax, or uploaded to the system. Please contact ScoutNet UK beforehand.

**IF I HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?**

For further information on National Scouting Online Week or any aspects of Scouting online, you can contact the organisers at ScoutNet UK.

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Telephone        (01704) 834956  
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Subject:        JOTA  
X-To:           SCOUTING-EUROPE@IFIPC01.UNI-MEUNSTER.DE,  
                 EXPLORER-NET@ERDA.RC.AF.MIL

hi,

My names Darren Williams and I'm a scout leader from ENGLAND. I've just been asked to help organise JOTA at a local campsite called MIDDLEWOOD (Worsley,Liegh). If anybody has any of the following things

please email the sites addresss and utls to me at

**DAW2COM@BASIL.ACS.BOLTON.AC.UK**

scouting ftp sites

scouting www sites

personnel scouting www sites

IRC information (basicy how does it work from compuserve)

web sites that info on scouts from other countries.

anything else you think will be helpfull for jota

WE will have at middlewood. packet switching radio, radioham, email, www

IRC and email.

**DARREN WILLIAMS**

Date: Tue, 17 Oct 1995 17:28:00 PDT

From: Tony Lumsden <alumsden@ISLAND.NET>

Subject: JOTA 95

We will have several Scout troops camping together for the weekend. There will also be some Cub sixers and seconds visiting the Scouts on Sunday

morning. We are setting up an "Internet station" in addition to the Amateur

Radio station (Callsign VE7NA) which will be operating on the suggested HF frequencies and, hopefully, packet radio.

For the JOTA weekend, we are using the address:

**JOTI@Nanaimo.island.net**

E-mail sent to this address will be picked up and responded to on the weekend. We also hope to be on IRC #scouting. Our weekend will be running

from about 6:00pm PDT on Friday (0100 GMT Saturday) until about 2:00pm PDT

on Sunday (1900 GMT Sunday).

YiS

Tony Lumsden (VE7GFT)  
1st Nanaimo  
Nanaimo, BC, Canada  
ALumsden@Nanaimo.island.net

From <@pucc.PRINCETON.EDU:owner-scouts-l@TCUBVM.IS.TCU.EDU> Sun  
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**Sender:** Scouts-L Youth Group List <Scouts-L@tcu.edu>  
**From:** Larry Miller <lmiller@EZL.COM>  
**Subject:** Jamboree on the Air (JOTA)  
**X-cc:** flash@ezl.com  
**To:** Multiple recipients of list SCOUTS-L <SCOUTS-L@TCUBVM.IS.TCU.EDU>  
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The Lewis and Clark Radio Club (K9HAM) from Godfrey Illinois, is interested in assisting in the JOTA.

The club participates in the Amateur Radio Field Day, so members have experience in setting up and operating under "field" conditions. We have also contacted the ARRL for information on JOTA. However, any suggestions or operating tips from other amateur radio operators during JOTA would be appreciated.

Thank you;

Larry Miller  
<http://www.ezl.com/~lmiller>  
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