

Preamble and Guidelines

PREAMBLE

It is now _____Z, and time to begin the _____ portion of the YL International SSBer's System. Any licensed amateur with general class license or above is welcome to participate, with us whether a member or not, but to earn system awards, you must be a paid up member.

We are using Netlogger as our primary logging tool. Netlogger download and assistance**, information concerning membership, and details of the YL System can be found at our website, www.ylssystem.org . If you do not have internet access, the control stations will furnish you with contact information*.

When checking in or re-checking into the system, please give your call sign using phonetics. This is: _(Call Sign)__, My Name is: _(Name)____, Located in: (QTH)__, my sideband number is: _(Sideband #)__.

Co-Control(s) for this period will be (Co-Control(s) Call Sign).(Call Co-Control(s)).

GUIDELINES FOR CONTROL STATIONS

First ask for DX, then Mobile and Low power stations. Then pass control to other control(s), and ask them to do the same. Then turn back to primary control station to ask for general check ins.

First time check-ins should be referred to the web site for information.

Ask if we can send a one-time e-mail if they have an e-mail address. Then send e-mail to Judy, KC7KPG, at nurentj@wildblue.net and she will send them an e-mail.

Encourage stations to use phonetics when checking in and re-checking on the system.

Keep control for 10 check-ins or ten minutes, whichever comes first, then pass it on. If band conditions are bad or check-ins light, pass the control sooner to see if other control can pick any up.

Always ask for relays if you cannot hear.

Encourage other member stations to put out calls. This will not only increase participation and coverage, it will encourage stations to become involved as control stations which are always needed.

If information is requested for Netlogger assistance or written information about the system, furnish the following:

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