



Bulletin



April 2026

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Our Next Meeting & Speaker

Date & Time: April 16 2026, 7:00pm

Speaker: Max, N4ML

Topic: Bouvet DXpedition – Q & A Round Table

Location: Zoom meeting

<https://www.sedxc.org/sedxc/zoom/index>



From the Prez

(de John Tramontanis, N4TOL)

Nomination Committee proposed slate of officers for 2026 - 2027

The nominees are:

President - Verne Fowler, W8BLA

Vice-President - Greg Marco, W6IZT

Treasurer - Nathan Wood, K4NHW

Secretary - Max Freedman, N4ML

Activities Manager - Don Deal, KK4E

Nominations for these positions are open for discussion. Voting will follow during the April meeting.

Our thanks for the efforts of the nominating committee:

Jim Altman - W4UCK

Hal Kennedy - N4GG

Ned Mountain - WC4X



If you are submitting and keeping your logs current on the Club Log site, we can assess how we are progressing as a club as a group and individually in the 2026 Marathon.

There currently are 10 members that have posted over 200 countries on the club list in the first 3 months of 2026. The top 10 (over 200) are:

N4HU - 246
N4RJ - 245
K4PI - 245
KX4R - 244
W4WT - 233
K1ZN - 230
WA1S - 229
KD5M - 225
K4EM - 221
W8ZF - 205

32 members have exceeded the 100 country count.

See the link on the SEDXC website (below) for information about Club Log:

<https://www.sedxc.org/sedxc/standings.htm>

To view and analyze our members' DX achievements stored in Club Log you can use the link below:

<https://clublog.org/league.php?club=155>

Bouvet has come and gone!!!



As I write this, 3YØK is now QRT.

It was great to see their success putting this most rare entity into the logbooks of thousands of chasers. The amount of activity and buzz they generated amongst our club members [ahttps://www.sedxc.org/sedxc/zoom/indexnd](https://www.sedxc.org/sedxc/zoom/indexnd) the worldwide DX community certainly kept the bands alive and many DXers bleary eyed from the pursuit. Congrats to all those who scored a new ATNO and band fills!!!!



The Georgia QSO Party is approaching

The Georgia QSO Party is co-sponsored by the South East Contest Club and Southeastern DX Club and is held the 2nd weekend of April every year.

The 2026 Dates are April 11th – April 12th

The GQP is one of the premier state operating events on the bands. Many of our club members participate in this event and it is a blast to operate.

For details see: <https://gaqsoparty.com/>

73 John N4TOL



VP Corner

Gregg Marco, W6IZT

Veep Corner

Wow—March was an exciting month for DXers! I had a great time chasing 3YØK, XX9W, S21WD, and CYØ

S. The polar path openings were especially challenging. I was really hoping to snag 80m QSOs with XX9 and S2, but it just wasn't in the cards this time.

April may not bring quite the same level of excitement, but there's still plenty to look forward to. Here's a calendar highlighting some of the rarer DX expected on the bands: <https://dxnews.com/calendar/april/>

With spring now upon us, it's a perfect time to tackle antenna work. I've got a few projects of my own lined up—some of which require a bucket truck. I'll admit, as the years go by, I'm getting a bit less comfortable being up in the air! If you're working on antennas, please prioritize safety—especially when your boots leave the ground.

The Georgia QSO Party is just a few weeks away. I'm planning to put Union County on the air, and with a little cooperation from the FCC, you might hear a rare and very familiar call sign active again for the first time in a few years. GaQP is one of the most active QSO parties of the year, so be sure to get on the air and make some noise.

As the 2025–2026 club year winds down, one of my responsibilities as VP has been lining up presenters for our monthly meetings. I hope you've enjoyed the lineup so far. I'm confident this month's guest will have a great story to share. It won't be "death by PowerPoint"—instead, we're planning a roundtable Q&A, so come ready with plenty of questions.

73 all—see you in the pile-ups!
Gregg, W6IZT



Treasurer's Journal *(de Jeff Cantor, K1ZN)*

Greetings, Fellow DXers

TREASURER's Report – March, 2026

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Checkbook Balance - \$7,491.90

TREASURER's REPORT - April, 2026

Checkbook Balance - \$7,027.22

1. Payments made – month of March, 2026
1. DXpedition donation to Bouvet – 3Y0K = \$500.
2. Dalton Hamfest table - \$10

Donations to SEDXC received (to date, through April 1, 2026) = \$1183.36

(Which includes a donation from the sale of estate equipment in the amount of \$412.95)

Remember we are now a 501©3 organizations and can accept donations of cash and/or estate equipment, or be included in your estate planning.

73 & GUD DX, Jeff / K1ZN



SEDXC is a not-for-profit organization. Here's how you can help grow the ability of the Southeastern DX Club to promote DXing & DXpeditions:

1. Include an additional donation with your annual dues;
2. Make a year-end contribution to SEDXC
3. List SEDXC in your Last Will as a beneficiary;
4. Direct your family to enlist SEDXC to liquidate your shack with a share of proceeds to be donated to the Club;

Any or all of these possibilities work for you? Contact our Treasurer for further assistance.

73 & GUD DX, Jeff Cantor / K1ZN

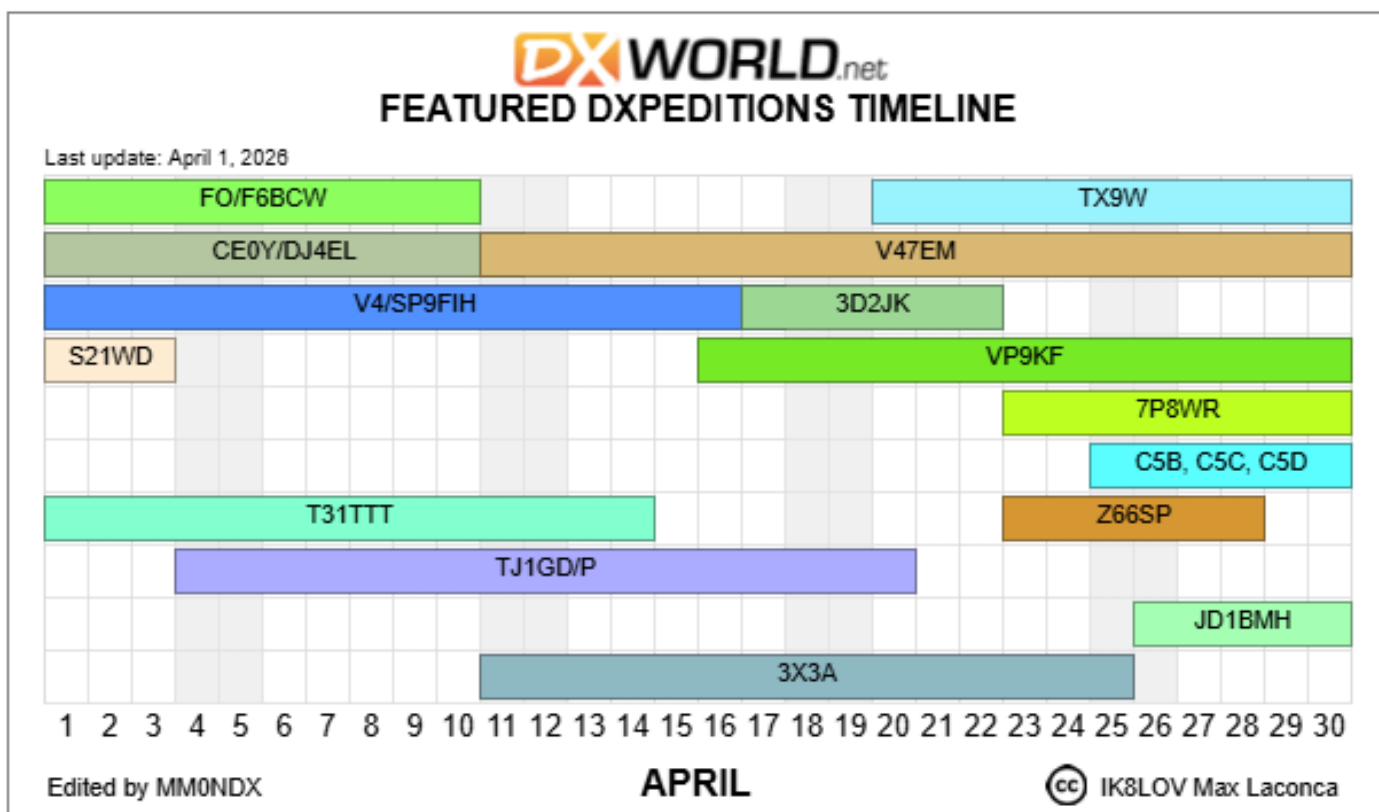
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Check SEDXC's website to see the latest club information:

www.sedxc.org

The DX World Calendar/Timeline for April 2026

The *DX World* Calendar features a timeline of all DXpeditions anticipated for the current month and is a great way to plan your chase for the next, All-Time New One (ATNO).



The Calendar is updated regularly; use this link to see the latest version:

https://www.hamradiotimeline.com/timeline/dxw_timeline_1_1.php

Club Log's 20 Most Wanted DX Entities (Apr 1, 2026):

Rank	Prefix	Entity Name
1.	P5	DPRK (NORTH KOREA)
2.	KH3	JOHNSTON ISLAND
3.	KH7K	KURE ISLAND
4.	CE0X	SAN FELIX ISLANDS
5.	FT5/X	KERGUELEN ISLAND
6.	BS7H	SCARBOROUGH REEF
7.	3Y/P	PETER 1 ISLAND
8.	YV0	AVES ISLAND
9.	BV9P	PRATAS ISLAND
10.	KH4	MIDWAY ISLAND
11.	VK0M	MACQUARIE ISLAND
12.	EZ	TURKMENISTAN
13.	PY0S	SAINT PETER AND PAUL ROCKS
14.	VP0S	SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS
15.	3Y/B	BOUVET ISLAND
16.	YK	SYRIA
17.	ZL9	NEW ZEALAND SUBANTARCTIC ISLANDS
18.	FT/T	TROMELIN ISLAND
19.	VK0H	HEARD ISLAND
20.	KH1	BAKER HOWLAND ISLANDS



Antenna Work at Wes' QTH:

George – N4GRN, Geoff K., Jim - W4TE, Wes – W3WL, Bob – K4UEE (SK),
Joe – KJ4HCE, Gary – WB4SQ



Prepping to haul away Mike's Heights tower:
Mike – WS4Q, Gary – WB4SQ, Dave – KE4UW, Mike Z.,
Hal – N4GG, Dave – K4SSU (SK)



6-1/2 ft cube, hand-dug:
Gene - W5LE (SK), Gary - WB4SQ, Logan M.



Installing rebar on a cold night: Gene - W5LE (SK), Gary - WB4SQ



Tower Pour:

George – N4GRN, Wes - W3WL, Whit – K4EEK, Tim – WK4U, Jim – K4DLI (SK)

Editor's Challenge:

Send me past or present group pictures of SEDXC members and they will most likely be published in a future newsletter.

Gary – wb4sq@yahoo.com

SEDXC Officers

John Tramontanis, N4TOL – President – iam4rb@gmail.com

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Don Deal, KK4E – Activities Manager – radio@landru.net

SEDXC Appointed Positions

Chaz Cone, W4GKF – Webmaster – w4gkf@chazcone.com

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Gary McConville, WB4SQ – SEDXC Bulletin Editor – wb4sq@yahoo.com



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April 2001

**Next meeting: April 17th, 7:30 PM at
Radioshack.com just outside I-285 on
the Buford Highway.**

MINUTES 3/20/01

-Dale Nordin, K4HGG, Sec.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

-Mike Greenway, K4PI

Enclosed in this newsletter are some changes I would like to see made to the standing rules we have in place and were printed in the last newsletter. I posted them on the reflector and also sent them to all members receiving bulletins via email. I asked for any comments and did not receive any so I am assuming there will not be any great discussion on them at the meeting before voting. I do this to cut down on the time spent on business at the meeting. We have been doing great over the last couple of years with the amount of business time at meetings. I think having the reflector and email has helped to work out details prior to the meetings.

I have spent a number of days here working on the beverage systems and I am always learning something new on these things. During the summer time QRN you will find yourself using them a lot. Even shorter ones work great on 30 and 40 M. Take a look at these jewels. I have not been able to update any information on the web site due to the server not having all the needed software loaded. Hopefully they will get it on there soon. Let me hear any complaints you have.

73 Mike Greenway, K4PI, P49I

BOB, K4UEE INTO CQ DX HALL OF FAME!!

Congratulations to Bob, K4UEE. He has been inducted into the CQ DX Hall of Fame. This is a real honor that I know he has worked hard toward.

-Mike, K4PI

Mike-K4PI, called the meeting to order at 7:36 with 16 members present.

Bill-N4NX was available to check DXCC cards. (Bill is one of 2 ARRL DXCC card checkers in Georgia).

We received 2 new members at the club meeting, Dwight Kelly-K4YJ and Elmer G Macie-KS5M. Welcome folks!

Old Business: The D68 and CE0XT donation question was again brought up. Mike was not sure that the D68, CE0XT would qualify per the "standing rules". This question again was tabled until the next meeting.

There was a drawing for a UPS donated by Gary-WB4SQ with the proceeds going to the D68 DXpedition. The drawing netted \$120 and the UPS was won by Bob-W4OWY. Wes-W3WL, one of the D68 participants, received the donation.

New Business: K4OGG made a motion that the SEDX Club sponsor the Georgia QSO party together with the SECC (South Eastern Contest Club). This motion was approved with the QSO party to occur on the 3rd weekend in July.

Campbell Island and Bhutan (A52) video tapes are available from Bob-K4UEE for \$20.00 ea.

The program: This month's program was another excellent commercial video presentation by 9V1YC on the Bhutan-A52 DXpedition. Wes-W3WL one of members of the DXpedition was present to answer any questions. Bhutan is a small country in Asia with about 600,000 inhabitants. The only airport in the country is located 65 km from the capital Thimphu with an elevation of 2300 meters (7,500 ft.) above sea level.

The meeting adjourned at 8:54 p.m.

Dale-K4HGG/SM1WRI