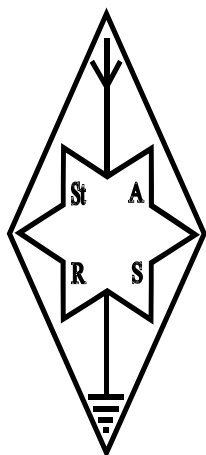


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MEETINGS

Visitors always welcome
The Society holds its full meetings on the
1st and 3rd Monday of each month at

**Old Swinford Hospital School
Heath Lane
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Additionally the shack is open during the same times on the
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MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

No edition of Starlite was planned for this month, however a reduced Starlite has been produced on request from the President to inform of events for early January/February of 2016.

RSGB 2015 SSB FIELD DAY CONTEST RESULTS

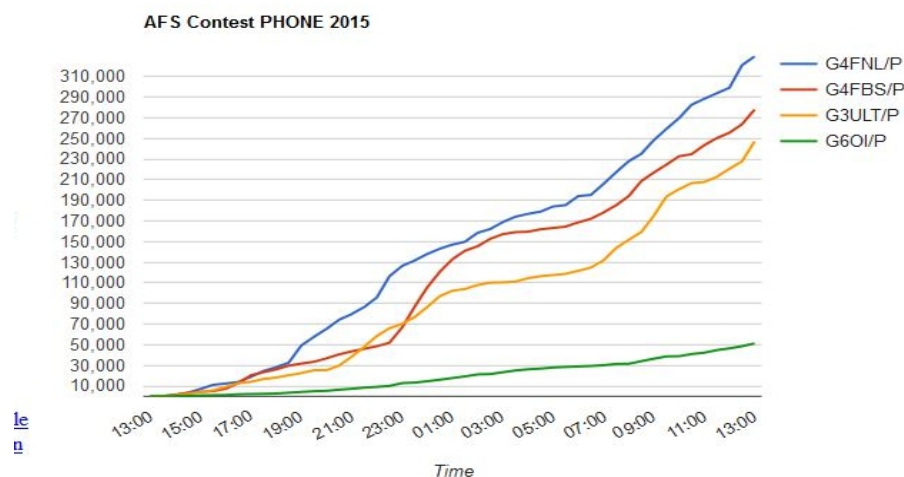
For best results you should visit the link :-

<http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfresults.pl?Contest=SSB+Field+Day&year=2015>

However for those reading the paper version of Starlite the following gives a rough idea of what can be expected. Note that the centre part of the table below has been removed.

Section Restricted																				
Pos	Callsign UBNs	Club	80 Qs	80 Ms	40 Qs	40 Ms	20 Qs	20 Ms	15 Qs	15 Ms	10 Qs	10 Ms	QSOs	Points	Mults	Total	Ant show	Equipment show	Operators	Soapbox show
1	G4FNL/P	Sussex Downs CG	253	25	266	33	121	37	46	19	6	2	692	2,839	116	329,324	Ⓐ	📺	G4FNL G4BVH	🗨️
2	G4FBS/P	Hordean & DARC	241	26	274	27	137	35	16	11	0	0	668	2,806	99	277,794	Ⓐ	📺	M0KTT M0ZDZ G8NJJ 2E0HES 2E0REC G0FYX	
3	G3ULT/P	Reading & DARC	251	22	249	26	97	30	26	15	0	0	623	2,656	93	247,008	Ⓐ	📺	M0DHO G0LHZ G0VQR	🗨️
4	M0YRF/P	Yorkshire Amateur Radio Friends	174	21	356	39	102	24	2	2	0	0	634	2,598	86	223,428	Ⓐ	📺	M1EAC M0RTQ G3VZE M0HTH G3KPU G7COU M0UTX M6KMS M0IUK 2E0LTE	
5	G0FBB/P	Windmill CG	241	24	214	25	71	24	12	8	2	2	540	2,267	83	188,161	Ⓐ	📺	G0FDZ G8XIR G0AFH G0FJW G8ZZK	
6	G4WAC/P	Wythall RC	190	23	191	28	76	26	14	9	2	2	473	2,067	88	181,896	Ⓐ	📺	G0MTN 2E0SDV M0MCX	🗨️
22	G6OI/P	Stourbridge & DRS	122	15	89	14	34	15	0	0	0	0	245	1,165	44	51,260	Ⓐ	📺	G8UAE G4WAO G7HEZ G6DQN G7HEM G7TAC M0TCG	
23	G3XYF/P	Hornsea ARC	144	15	49	8	28	15	12	8	1	1	234	1,069	47	50,243	Ⓐ	📺	G3XYF 2E0OZE	
24	M0NDA/P	Nuneaton & DARC	14	6	78	17	39	20	5	5	0	0	136	611	48	29,328	Ⓐ	📺	M0NDA G8OMB M6TXA M6FKA	
25	G0KDV/P	Darenth Valley RS	43	11	66	15	30	16	0	0	0	0	139	635	42	26,670	Ⓐ	📺	M0HAL M0RAW G8AXA G8PHM G0SCF M0IMA	🗨️
26	GX2UG/P	Halifax & DARC	30	9	38	8	28	16	2	2	0	0	98	446	35	15,610	Ⓐ	📺	G7ELX M0GQB M0JPA M0UGX M0WIT M6GFI M6SHT	🗨️
27	M0NCA/P	Norfolk Coast ARS	11	4	84	11	21	14	0	0	0	0	116	532	29	15,428	Ⓐ	📺	G3PND G4NTN G4FCZ 2E0DMI 2E0WBW 2E0NAI	
28	G3YRC/P	Great Yarmouth Radio Club	0	0	38	8	15	11	1	1	0	0	54	237	20	4,740	Ⓐ	📺	G0GGB G0ACM 2E0TWQ M6FBZ	🗨️

Note the Ant, Equipment and Soapbox columns can be expanded by clicking on [show](#) on the RSGB web page. The graph below shows the points scored over the 24 hour period for the top three entries and G6OI. The le and n are spurious characters in the original picture.



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ADVERTISEMENT - ITEMS FOR SALE

Drake TR7A Transceiver with matching P.S.U. And speaker - £350 o.n.o

AL-811 Amplifier £500 o.n.o. (Ameritron 600 Watt Linear Amplifier)

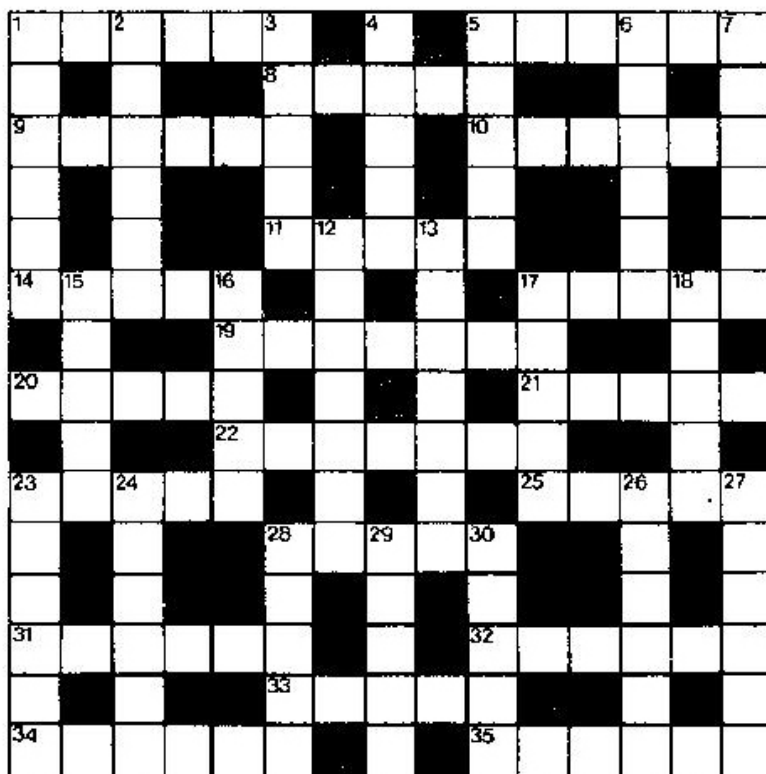
Both in perfect working order

Please Contact – John Raybould (G4PQI) on 01384 566341

Googling “images Drake TR7A” provides hundreds of pictures of this iconic radio which clearly has a large following amongst the ham radio community. One can find large numbers of articles for suggested improvements, product reviews, mods and troubleshooting information on the net.

(Editor)

CHRISTMAS CROSSWORD ANSWERS



Clues Across

- (1) Big dipper for the Americans (6)
PLOUGH
- (5) Humanity to others. Possibly the only Bantu Nguni word you didn't know you knew (6)
UBUNTU
- (8) Last woman in the UK to be hanged (5)

Clues Down

- (1) SI unit of pressure (6)
PASCAL
- (2) Valour turns egg shaped (Anag.)
OVULAR
- (3) Car hire company but it sounds painful (5)
HERTZ

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<p>ELLIS (9) Cup supporter reportedly saw Sir? (6)(C)</p> <p>SAUCER (10) Aka The Beeb (6)</p> <p>AUNTIE (11) 9Q country (5)</p> <p>ZAIRE (14) Musically slow and dignified (5)</p> <p>LARGO (17) Once the Black Country maker of all scales (5)</p> <p>AVERY (19) German wife meets guest house tea initially and gets anxious (7)(C)</p> <p>FRAUGHT (20) Art in charge gives us a bendy lorry (5)(C)</p> <p>ARTIC (21) Inedible thin slice of silicon substrate (5)</p> <p>WAFER (22) Potential wife for Prince Hamlet (7)</p> <p>OPHELIA (23) This spins around after it has been burnt (1,1,1,1,1)</p> <p>CDROM (25) The mad hatter asked why one of these is like a writing desk (5)</p> <p>RAVEN (28) Freddie or Ringo. It makes no difference (5)</p> <p>STARR (31) What the mixed up singer did and gives up (6)(Anag.)</p> <p>RESIGN (32) Curt to the point of rudeness (6)</p> <p>ABRUPT (33) Other side of the coin is A-list production (5) (Anag)</p> <p>TAILS (34) Sort out reason for this woman (6)(Anag.)</p> <p>SENORA (35) Minor earthquake (6)</p> <p>TREMOR</p>	<p>(4) Latin speakers say elsewhere and with this you can prove it (5)</p> <p>ALIBI (5) Custom and practice found in U.S. Agent (5)(C)</p> <p>USAGE (6) Edible weed (6)</p> <p>NETTLE (7) Youth less “P” and in abundance (6)(C)</p> <p>UBERTY (12) A troublemaker with poor choice in headgear (1,3,3)(C)</p> <p>A BAD HAT (13) A person who can order the usual (7)</p> <p>REGULAR (15) Made public ones views (5)</p> <p>AIRED (16) Part of command for airwaves regulator (5) (c)</p> <p>OFCOM (17) Where countries end up with serious disagreements (2,3)</p> <p>AT WAR (18) The sheriff in days gone by (5)</p> <p>REEVE (23) Country that sounds like a tree (6)</p> <p>CYPRUS (24) Justification for an event (7)</p> <p>REASON (26) They say nature abhors this (6)</p> <p>VACUUM (27) Alternative trance and food for bees (6)(C)</p> <p>NECTAR (28) No Christmas crossword is complete without this chap (5)</p> <p>SANTA (29) Early form of sonar (6)</p> <p>ASDIC (30) Cook with dry heat or verbally dress down (5)</p> <p>ROAST</p>
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Note C= cryptic Anag.=Anagram

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

It should be noted that the Shack will be open every Monday evening unless shown otherwise in the Calendar

2016		
January	Mon 11th	Foundation Exam - Re-take
	Mon 18 th	Tim 4x4 Response
February	Mon 1st	Committee Meeting
	Mon 15th	Constructors Competition and Quiz by James
March	Mon 21st	AGM
April	Mon 18th	Visit from Giles Herbert (G0NXA), DRM54 (RSGB Area Representative) Questions in advance to Hon. Sec. John

Please note in future :-

There will be £2 admission charge to non-members for attending main meeting talks / events. This is refundable against joining the society.