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NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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TO : Regional Scout Directors, Council Scout Executives and Officers-In-Charge

SUBJECT : 57th JAMBOREE-ON-THE-AIR (JOTA) and 18th JAMBOREE-ON-THE-INTERNET (JOTI)

1. Boy Scouts of the Philippines in-cooperation with the Philippine Amateur Radio Association (PARA) our partner for the last 57th years announce the conduct of the 57th Jamboree-On-The-Air (JOTA) and 18th Jamboree-On-The-Internet (JOTI) which will be held on 18-19 October 2014.
2. The JOTA-JOTI event spans a full 48 Hours from 00:00H LOCAL TIME on Saturday, 18 October 2014 and will end at 24:00H LOCAL TIME on Sunday, 19 October 2014. Stations may operate in whole or part of this period.
3. The Philippine Amateur Radio Association (PARA) will issue memorandum to all the Amateur Radio Clubs all over the country to support and assist the BSP Local Council Office in installing the equipments and be the instructors and operators for the JOTA stations.
4. All the Local Councils are requested to coordinate and accommodate the Amateur Radio Clubs in their locality to join the 57th Jamboree-On-The-Air (JOTA) and 18th Jamboree-On-The-Internet (JOTI). Hereunder are pertinent information to join these events.

57th Jamboree-On-The-Air (JOTA)

Guidelines for Participation:

- a. All stations must operate strictly in accordance with the Philippine Amateur Radio regulations.
- b. Call "CQ Jamboree" or answer any station that you may hear using this call.
- c. When you call or search for station/s, use any of the following frequencies:

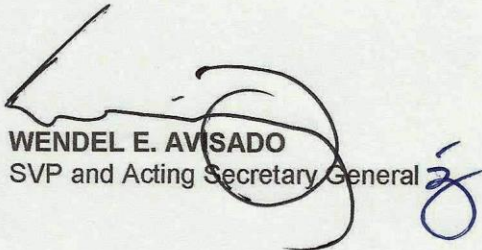
New World Scout Frequencies

BAND	PHONE (MHz)	CW (MHz)
80 m	3.690 & 3.940	3.570
40 m	7.090 & 7.190	7.030
20 m	14.290	14.060
17 m	18.140	18.080
15 m	21.360	21.140
12 m	24.960	24.910
10 m	28.390	28.180
6 m	50.160	50.160

18th Jamboree-On-The-Internet (JOTI)

How to organize a Council JOTI Station:

- a. Local Councils should create a JOTI Station and select a Coordinator. The station shall be called "(Name of Council) JOTI Station," example: *Manila Council Internet Team*
 - b. The Coordinator and the members of the group should have the following qualifications:
 - Must be knowledgeable on computer hardware and software specially in the use of Internet Browser (Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator) and Chatting (mIRC or vIRC)
 - Must have a personal computer
 - Must have an access to the Internet that can be used for the JOTI.
 - Must have an e-mail address
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 - c. It is required that at least one (1) group/patrol/crew and one (1) trained Adult Leader be designated to operate a JOTI station.
 - d. As soon as the Council JOTI station has been established, the following information must be submitted to the BSP National Office, thru e-mail: bsp@scouts.org.ph
 - Local Council JOTI station Coordinator
 - Members of the group
 - Homepage or web site address
 - E-mail addresses of the members
 - List of Group/Troop/Patrol/Institutional JOTI station with e-mail address
 - Other Scouting activities simultaneous with event
 - e. You can download and print the standard guidelines from www.world-jotajoti.info and send your technical inquiries at bsp@scouts.org.ph
5. It is required that Local Councils should conduct simultaneous Scout Activities (Camping, Forum, Symposium, etc.) during the 57th Jamboree-On-The-Air and 18th Jamboree-On-The-Internet to enable the Scouts to earn additional Merit Badges.
 6. Post-Activity pictorial report should be submitted to the National Office on or before 15 November 2014, to form part of the JOTA-JOTI-After Action Report.
 7. For information, guidance and compliance of all concerned.


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