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Youth In Contesting Update! Marty, NN1C









Quick intro to me

A few slides to run though...



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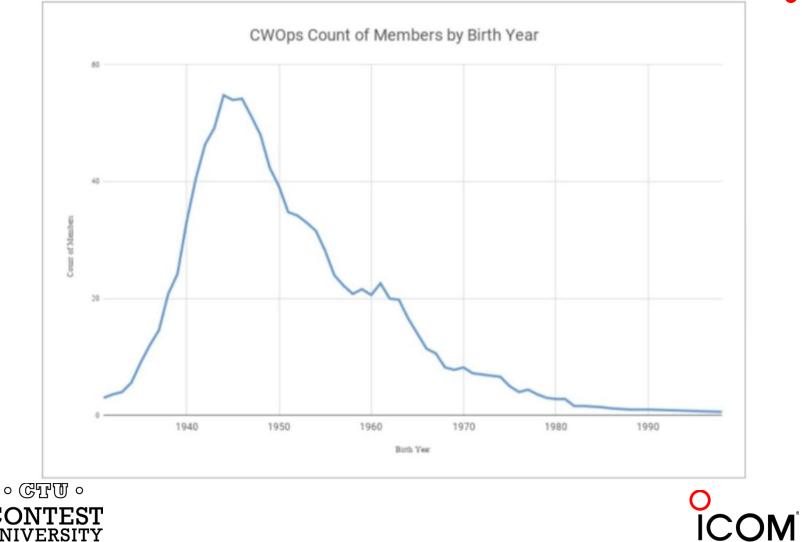


A little bit about me...



- From Boston, MA
- "In contesting" since 2015. Always learning.
- Formerly KC1CWF
- Often found at KC1XX, W1KM and K1VR
- I'm part of the ZF1A contest crew, I'm ZF2LZ
- Proud CW op.
- Technologist, hardware and software designer for contesting.

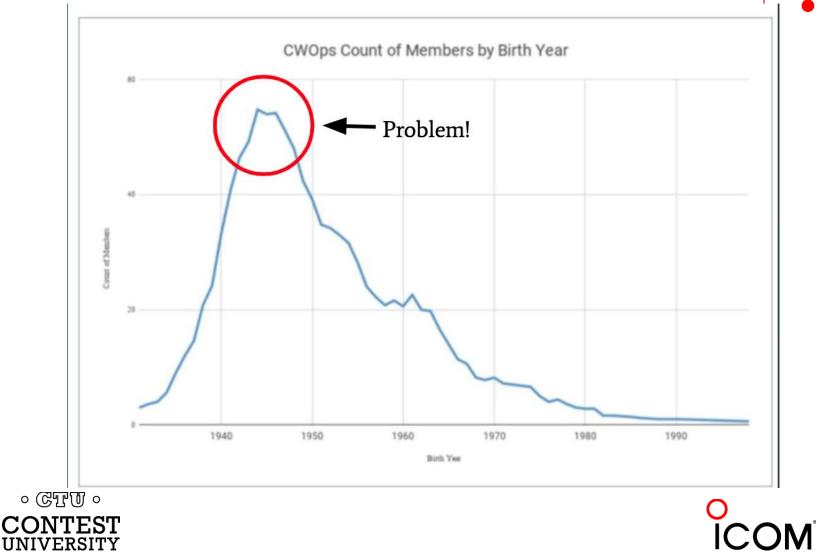






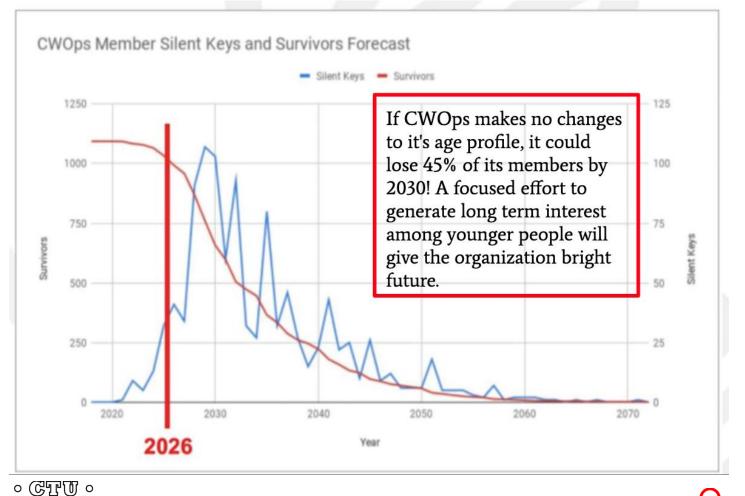


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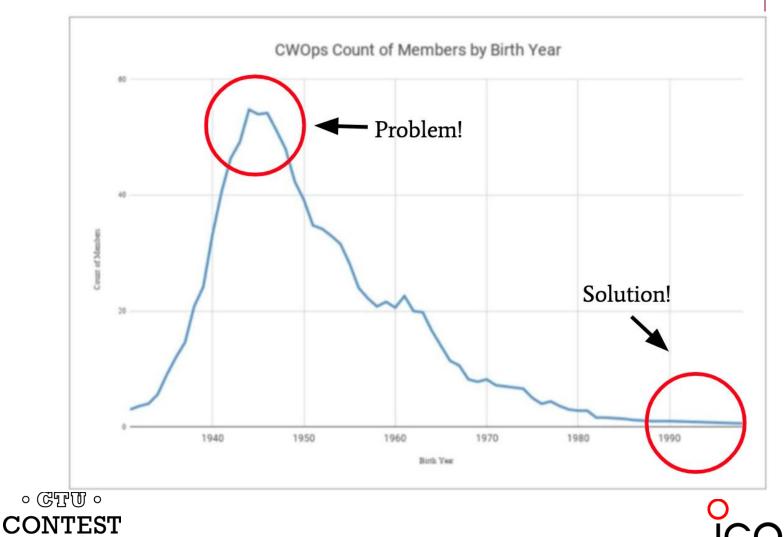
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Youth In Contesting Landscape

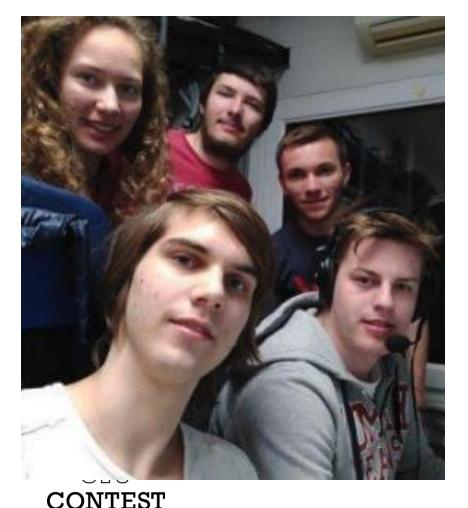
- YOTA YCP (Europe)
- YOTA R2
- Dave Kalter YDXA
- Team Exuberance
- YARC YCP (USA)





Youngsters on the Air (YOTA)





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- IARU Region 1
 Program
 - Funded via IARU and donations
 - Youths travel to European contest stations for allyouth multiops



Youth On The Air (Region 2)





- YOTA Camp scheduled for summer 2020
 - Pushed to summer 2021.
 - Strong contesting workshop led by myself, and KG5HVO.
 - K3LR banquet speaker!





Dave Kalter Memorial YDXA

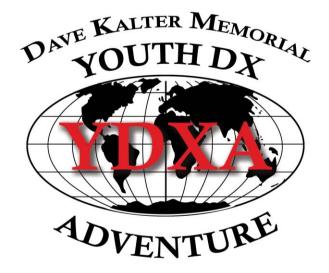
Takes youth to DX locations

Organized by Jim, AB8YK, Ron, N8VAR, and Don, N6JRL.

Recent trips include TI5, PJ2, and PJ6.

In memory of Dave Kalter, KB80CP.









Team Exuberance



- North American based group of young contesters
- Youth led, organized, and operated serious multi-op contest entries
- Founded by Violetta KN2P, Led by myself, and Bryant, KG5HVO.
- Non-profit dedicated to making these opportunities affordable.
- Teamexuberance.org





Team Exuberance Operators





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Team Exuberance Operations



Previous Operations

- CQ WPX SSB 2019
 - M/2 @ K3LR
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 North America
 - 7 Ops from 3 different countries.
 - Led by myself, and Violetta, KN2P

Planned Operations

- CQ WPX CW 2021
 - Postponed due to COVID-19.
 - Another elite team of CW operators to operate M/2 at K3LR.
 - Led by ex-WRTC op, Bryant, KG5HVO.
 - Fundraising paused, will resume soon.





Questions?

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