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Steve Curfman/WPE9GWK, East Alton, Illinois. "I am 17 and a senior in highschool. Have been DXing for two years. Prefer SWBC and ARO, but also monitor BCB and utilities. Am interested in awards and contests, cardswaps. Other interests include electronics, coin collecting, model railroading and slot racing. Shack equipment consists of a National NC140, Realtone Globespacer and an Elizabethan tape recorder. Antenna is a longwire and a 10m vertical. Am a member of ARRL, NNRC, ISWL, RNYWSWLC, RCSWC, and PE. I joined NASA via member Dick Jenneman."

Victor C. Jaar, Port-au-Prince, Haiti. "Born in Bethlehem, Jordan; Lived also in the Dominican Republic; Now in Haiti since '61. I am 27 and single. Started DXing around 1958, at first just to hear one country, then another. First contact with the DX world came after hearing a program on WRUL, collaboration with editors in the states and in Sweden, then the past three years with WRTH, covering especially Haiti and the Dom. Rep. My rx are a National NC183D and a GE table radio; I use a longwire antenna. Am interested in contests and awards, also philately. Presently a member of WIDXA, RNYWSWLC and SCDXers. My main DXing is on SWBC, but I also monitor MW. First heard about NASA via WRTH and WIDXA."

John Thompson/WPE9HMW, Wilmette, Illinois. "I have been DXing for 1½ years. Rx is a Knight R100A and a Zenith table model. Antenna is a Comet "all band" vertical. Age is 16 and I am a junior in highschool. I monitor SWBC and BCB, am interested in awards, contests and music. Am an operator at WNTH-FM 88.1, our school station. First heard of NASA from Richard Jenneman."

Roger Parker/WPE9HQV, Belleville, Illinois. "A highschool senior, age 17...thats me! I've been interested in DXing for over a year and a half, have two rx; Heath GR91 and Lafayette HA230. Antennas are a 150' longwire and a dipole. I DX SWBC and BCB and I am interested in contests and awards. Other interest is in motor cycling. Have membership in RCSWC and RPDXC. First heard of NASA in PE and also via Richard Jenneman."

Jack Alexander, Jr./WPE6FOU, Anaheim, California. "DXing interests here are SWBC and on BCB. Have five rx and all are "fer da birds"..a modified RCA clock radio, Silvertone tri-band, Nobility transistor "6" and one "12", and a Federal 1030T. Age here is 16, I am a highschool sophmore. Am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps and possible tapesponding..recorder is a Lloyds transistor, 3.75ips. 3" reels. Am a member of the IRCA and first heard of NASA via it and PE."

Thomas Rhodes/WPE3CRH, Hagerstown, Maryland. "Have been SWLing for five years and vry much enjoy it. Also like ham radio. Age is 20 and I have been married 6 months..this and vocation keeps me away from DXing as much as I would like. Rx is a National NC173 and Hallicrafters S20R; Antenna is a 75' longwire. Interests include awards, contests, reading and writing. Heard about NASA via member Bob Binau."

Jack L. Keene/WPE5BMP, Houston, Texas. "Am a member of IRCA, NRC and NNRC, being the statistics editor for latter. Age is 20 and I am a junior at the University of Houston in Industrial Engineering. My DXing goes back to '61 and my main current interest is foreign BCB where I have thus far logged 53 countries. Gear includes a Hallicrafters S40, Delco R1173, Zenith 6S27 and Lafayette Exploraire. Antennas are a 50' longwire and a 36" tunable BCB loop. Heard of NASA in PE way back when it first started, but am now a member via a christmas gift from friend/member Roy Fansler."

Tony Atkinson/WPE0EAK, Springfield, Missouri. "I am 18 years old and have been a DXer for about 2½ years. Shack layout includes a Midwest R1165 and a Knight Spanmaster. I use a 30' longwire antenna. SWBC is my preferred DXing interest and I am planning to enter contests, gain some awards. Presently am not a cardswapper, but may become one in the near future. I am not a member of any other club, NASA is my first and I heard of it via letter from Dick Jenneman, Wisconsin."



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Peter Feges, Sr./WPE8HJK, Allen Park, Michigan. "Am 51 and have been in the radio hobby forty years. Built my first rx, a 2 tuber, when I was ten. Married, have a son 11 who I hope to see become active in radio, but time being he is tied-up in model/slot cars. Shack here presently consists of the following; National HRC-500, Hallicrafters SX146, Surplus Navy RBA-2, and a Grundig tape recorder. Antennas are a Mosley SWL-7, HyGain 14AVQ and 14AVS. Am interested in contests and awards, prefer DXing SWBC and ARO bands. Other interests include hunting, fishing, woodworking and boating. Belong to the Radio Budapest and Radio Canada SW clubs. Heard about NASA from Richard Jenneman."

John Zaharek, Torrington, Connecticut. "I learned about NASA from friend/member Austin Arnold. My age is 51, I am married and have a son and daughter. My rx is a Lafayette HA230, antenna is 75' longwire. I monitor BCB and SWBC; Am interested in contests and awards. Also am interested in bowling. NASA is my first club."

Alan Burnley/WPE2MRJ, Westfield, New Jersey. "A highschool senior of 17, I have been DXing for about two years..prefer BCB and SWBC. Rx is a Hammarlund HQ160; Antenna is a vertical. Interested in awards and contests, also sports and flying. I belong to no other clubs at this time, heard about NASA from Dick Jenneman and PE."



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Dan Henderson/WPE4GW/3, Silver Spring, Maryland. "Started SWLing in '57 with a Knight SpanMaster and HeathKit AR3. Was QRT while at college, but am now back at the dials w/ an SX110, RME-DB23A and 50' doublet N/S. Prefer SWBCing and have 98 QSLs to date. Am single until coming June when I will add XYL to shack. Presently am an EE in Applied Physics at Johns Hopkins University. Interested in contests and awards, am a member of NNRC. Read about NASA in Poptronics."

Mike Luechtefeld/WPE9HMV, Belleville, Illinois. "I am a highschool jr. aged 16 and have been an SWL for over 3 yrs. Mr. Lafayette (my HA225 rx) has served me well, aiding me in logging over 50 countries so far. Antenna is a 75' longwire, but am planning on a Mosley SWL-7 in near future. I belong to RCSWC, am interested in awards and contests. Joined NASA on recommendation of friend/member Roger Parker."

Douglas McAbee/WPE8HLZ, Goodrich, Michigan. "I've been DXing SWBC and BCB for about 3 years now using a homebrew and a Silvertone with longwire antenna. Am 19 and a grad of highschool...am single. Am active cardswapper, interseted in contests, awards and photography. Belong to local radio club and am happy to join NASA which I read about in the 1966 edition of PE Communications Handbook."

Allen Bethel/WPE4IQR, Old Hickory, Tennessee. "I am 15 and in sophmore year at high-school. Rx is a Knight StarRoamer and I use a 100' longwire antenna. DXing is done on SWBC and Hambands. I am interested in stamp collecting, awards, contests and also in cardswaps. Other interests include swimming and bowling. First heard about NASA when reading the '66 Communications Handbook."

Paul Donegan/WPE6FRW, Glendale, California. "Out to collect QSLs, I've been active at SWBCing for over a year now. Gear includes a Mohican Gc-1A and GR-54, also a signal generator. Antennae are 16' vertical and a Mosley SWL-7. Interests include electronics, philately, photography and awards. I'm married, age is 30, vocation is psychologist. Belong to ASWLC, DXI and BDXC, also the RCSWC and RPDXC. Read about NASA in recent DXI bulletin. Incidentally, I'm the Pacific Coast Sec. of RPDXC."

Robert Graham/WPE applied for) Saddle Brook, New Jersey. "Am 17 and attend highschool. I monitor BCB, also SWBC. Presently using a Lafayette FS251 w/dipole antenna. I'm a cardswapper, am interested in coins, stamps and geography (would like to hear from OM in Vermont and overseas countries!) I heard about NASA from a friend."

Pete Sils/WPE/EAX, Cedar Falls, Iowa. "Born in Manchester, England-1951, moved here in 1959. Rx is a Drake LA, also have a old Knight, and a CB rig - CD5. Antennas are a dipole and a ground plane. I like to DX BCB, SWBC and Hams...have 152 QSLs. Interested in contests, awards, cardswaps, also hunting, fishing, stamps, tapesponding. Am a member of EIDX where I first heard about NASA."

Jerry Batman/WPE4IUW, Greenville, South Carolina. "Age here is 18 and I am a senior in highschool. I've been DXing BCB/SWBC for nearly a year, use a Lafayette HE30 with a windom antenna. Am interested in awards and contests and am a member of RNYSWC, also ISWL. I learned about NASA from Comm. Handbook."

John Patton/WPE3GOU, Tyrone, Pennsylvania. "First started IXing in '65, January to be exact. Prefer an assortment of SWBC, ARO and BCB, depending on condx. Receiver is a Hallicrafters S120, antenna a 100' Longwire which is 35' high. I collect coins, am interested in awards, contests, electronics, chemistry and soon hope to cardswap. Am member of RCSWC. Joined NASA after reading of it in latest PE Communications Hndbk."

Seppo T. Ketola, St. Johns, Michigan. "My home QTH is in Finland. I am now in the U.S. as an exchange student. Age is 18. Presently using aLafayette HE30 with a dipole, I prefer SWBCing and some occasional BCBing. QSL total is 122, favorite being from Emisoras Pio XII. I am intetested in contests, awards and philately. Back home I was the editor of Suomen DX-Kuuntelijat club bulletin "DX Kuuntelija". I read about NASA in the latest edition of World Radio-TV Handbook."



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Raymond Boik/WPE8FFF, Pontiac, Michigan. "Agre here is 34 and I am married. Started my DXing in '62 and was SWBC editor of FSDXC in '63. Have been QRT for 1½ years, but am now back at the shack and am using an HQ145 w/a Knight R100 as standby. Antenna is a Mosley SWL7. Other gear is a Webcor tape recorder. DXing preferences in order are SWBC, utilities and hambands. Am interested in awards, contests, also in skin-diving, fishing and bowling. Am an NNRCer, Heard about NASA from member Jack Keene."

Warren Nordgren/WPE9DGI, Waukegan, Illinois. "Been in this good old hobby of ours for over four years and find much interest in reporting to/hearing from Missionary Radio stations. Am an SWBCer, use an HQ180C fed by inverted V's cut to 6100 & 11800. Other equipment is a Concord tape recorder and a BC221 freq meter. For the past year I have been privileged to have recommended freqs accepted by TWR, Bonaire. I've joined NASA on recommendation of friend/member, FB DXer-Frank Peters."

Vincent DeMeis/WPE3FEE, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. "Fifteen is the age here and I am a highschool student. Been an SWL for three years, have enjoyed every minute of it. I use an HQ180A rx and a 175' longwire antenna. Other gear includes an NC60, a model 16A RTTY teletype machine and converter and a Hallicrafters CB3A rig w/ground plane. All my DXing is on the hambands. I'm interested in awards, contests, cardswaps photography and rock collecting. First heard of NASA via Larry Marshall."

Hugh Whitehead, Hampton, Virginia. "Vocation here is a pharmacist, I'm a college grad, aged 41 and a bachelor. DXing is done on SWBC bands and I've over 50 QSLs to date. Am interested in awards. Rx is a Hallicrafters SX122, antenna a longwire. Read about NASA in the PE Communications Handbook '66."

Jacques Dube/VE2PELFU, Trois-Rivieres, Quebec, Canada. "I am French-Canadian, age is 25, married and vocation is Postal clerk. I began DXing in '60. Rx is a Hallicrafters SX110 and I use a 25' longwire antenna. I am interested in SWBC, Utes, BCB, awards, contests, cardswaps and photography; I also collect phono records. I belong to CDXC, IRCA, NNRC, CIDXC and NRC where I am member of CPC. R. Jenneman told me about NASA."

Paul Coleman/WPE5EKF, Port Neches, Texas. "I am 14 and a jr HS student. Have been an SWL for over 3 yrs and use a S120 and SX130 with 125' longwire antenna. Am interested in contests and awards, also stamp collecting. Belong to DXI; Have a penpal in Ghana. Read about NASA in the DXI club directory."

Jack Widner, Indianapolis, Indiana. "Been DXing about a year now and have logged 59 countries (SWBC/Ute) with QSLs from 38. Rx's are S38E and Knight StarRoamer; Antennae are V shaped longwire, inverted V and 3lm dipole. I am interested in coin collecting, awards, contests, also sports. Joined NASA via member Mark Hosmer."

Vincent Minichino/WQU2VJM, Corona, New York. "I am 21 and a student at Manhaten CC. Am single. Recently returned from 2½ years of studying in Europe. My ambition is to become a teacher. I use a European rx with 70' longwire antenna and prefer SWBC bands, but do some occasional listening to hams also. Am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps, also letter writing, hunting/fishing. Hrd of NASA from friend/member Lou Rivera."

Al Leskiewicz/WPE8FVT, Euclid, Ohio. "Married, have 3 children, am 43 and work as a tool-die maker. I DX on SWBC and BCB using a National NC190, Hallicrafters S53A with 65' doublet and 14AVS 100' longwire. QSL totals thus far are 59 on SW, 114 BCB. I am also interested in stamp collecting. Am a member of IRCA. First heard about NASA from Richard Jenneman/WPE9GCZ."



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Earl Warfield/WA9KIG, Mt. Carroll, Illinois. "I am 21 and single. Have been an SWL for about six years, also listen to MW and am active on 2 meters having had my ticket since 1963. Monitoring gear includes an S-108 and a Monitor Radio-PR35B; Antennae are a 40m dipole and a ground plane. I read about NASA in PE Communications Handbook."

Joel A. Glass, New York, New York. "An avid, though rather new SWL, I am 28, married and do Public Relations work, specializing in television field. Am a graduate of NYU, spent 3 years w/USAF in Germany. Currently am CBer and have hopes of getting ham ticket soon. Rx is a Hallicrafters S-200, antenna is a 35' longwire. I've 30 QSLs so far on SWBC, am interested in awards, contests, also photography and travel. First heard of NASA via 1966 World Radio Television Handbook."

Walt Gilchrist/WPE3GLB, Philadelphia, Penna. "Have been in SWLing for about a year now. Also am a CBer. Age is 15 and I am in highschool. My rx is an S-120 and I use a 40' longwire antenna. Am interested in contests, awards, cardswaps, also sports. A member of the Philadelphia CB Club, my rxvr is a Lafayette HB115A. I first heard about NASA from friend/member Vince Delleis."

Bob Citronberg(WPE applied for) Yonkers, New York. "I am a 13 year old SWL and enjoy the hobby very much. Reading of NASA in the Communications Handbook, I decided to join in hopes of expanding my knowledge of DXing. I would like to hear from other members around my age. Equipment here is a Hallicrafters S120 and Lafayette Exploraire; I use a 75' longwire and also a whip antenna. Am interested in awards, contests, starting to cardswap, also in bowling, stamp collecting and slot car racing."

Sam Cox/WPE3GLD, Philadelphia, Penna. "Age here is 14 and I attend St. Gabriels high-school. Have been CBer for over a year and active in SWLing for about 7 months. Gear includes a Lafayette HE90 and Hallicrafters S120, antenna is a 30' longwire. I swap cards, am interested in awards, contests and sports. Member Vince DeMeis/WPE3FEE told me about NASA; I'm glad to be aboard!"

John Wedcl, Waxahachie, Texas. "I am 16 and a junior in highschool. Have been DXing for two years on both SWBC and MW. Set up consists of a GE-P925 and an old RCA console; I use a 100' longwire with them. Other equipment is a Silvertone tape recorder. I am interested in awards, contests, tapesponding, coin collecting and wx observing, also in sports. I first heard of NASA via Richard Jenneman."

Gary Bywaters, Burgettstown, Penna. "I started in the hobby back in Sept. '65 using an old RCA-T8-14, then got a Hallicrafters WR-600. I also use a Silvertone 3361. Antennae are a 100' longwire and an inverted L. I am interested in awards, contests, astronomy, philately, also shell collecting and reading. First heard about NASA in recent issue of Radio-TV Experimenter. Incidentally, I call my shack..The tower of power! My age is 13, I am single and in the eighth grade."

Jerry L. Green, Clifton Forge, Virginia. "Am 13 and in highschool. I monitor SWBC and am presently using a Lafayette HE30 with a 50' longwire antenna. Have been in the hobby for about a yaer. I am interested in awards, contests, photography and astronomy. Belong to EIDX and Radio Portugal DX Club. Read about NASA in '66 WRTH."

Richard Raffaelli/WPE2NXQ, Vineland, New Jersey. "I'm 16 and in highschool. Have been interested in SWLing for over a year now. I also DX on MW, and a little on hambands. I use a Heathkit GR64 and Lafayette HA63; Antenna is 66' dipole(interior). Other of my interests include contests, awards, philately, archery and guns. Heard of NASA via PE."

Rolf Erny/DE-9012, Offenburg, Germany. "An OM of 57 here, married and an electronic technician by trade. DX both SWBC and ARO bands; Use Geloso G4/215 and RX60-SSS12 with 50m and W3DZZ antennae. Interested in cardswaps, contests, awards, stamps and photos. Am member of DARC, REF and ISWL. Read about NASA in 1966 WRTH."

....More new members coming NASA way this month....see next page!!!!



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Alberto Laveaga, Guadalajara, Mexico. "Using an old GE and a Zenith Transoceanic, I am interested in SWBC, mainly as SWLer. Am a somewhat newcomer to the hobby even tho' I have thus far logged a number of countries. Age is 46, I am married and vocation is a chemist. Aside from SWLing, I am also interested in folk music and would be pleased to hear from other members of like interest, perhaps to exchange Mexican LPs for different others. NASA is my first club, I read about it in one of the national magazines."

Jack Winther/WPE6BJD, Moraga, California. "Been SWLing for six years, primarily DX on the hambands and now piled up about 350 QSLs. RX is a National NC173 and I use an RFE-DB23 preselector with it, also have a CE SSB slicer. Antenna is a Gotham V80 vertical. Vocationally connected with the USPostOffice Dept; Age is 54 and I am married, have a 17 yr old daughter WPE6BNI. Am interested in contests, awards, western history and I collect silver dollars. First hrd abt NASA de friend/member Ernie Zecchini."

John Callarman, Pampa, Texas. "A bachelor of 30 here, I started DXing in 1947 and tune both MW and SWBC bands. RX is a Hammarlund HQL60, antenna rather wierd, being a combo of a 40' high TV ant and a 40' long inverted L only 6' off the ground...but it works! Vocationally I am station mgr and news director of local station here, WPDN. Am member of NNRC and also NRC wherein I am editor of the foreign DX section of DX News (mine are the golden "behind" pages!) Have QSL'd 44 countries on MW and about 60 on SWBC, plan to up latter to 100 by end of this year. Heard about NASA from various sources, decided to join after seeing high calibre of Friendx."

James McShane/WPE0DEF, Omaha, Nebraska. "Single, 21 and a Junior Law student. Shack contains a Drake 2B rx, HF15A xcvr(CB) and Wollensak 521 recorder. Antenna is a dipole. I monitor SWBC, MW and Utility freqs. Am interested in awards and contests and do a bit of cardswapping, am also schooled in radio-electronic theory as well as Radio Law/FCC. Hold first class radiotelephone license and tech ARO ticket (P1-17-2799, WA/LHC). First heard about NASA via Richard Jenneman."

Peter Grenier/WPE1FWI/6, Azusa, California. "I began SWLing about 2 years ago when I lived in Mass. Moved here to present QTH in August '65 and now attend Citrus College. Am 19, single. Gear consists of Hallicrafters S119 and S120, antenna is 75' longwire. Monitoring interests are on SWBC and ARO bands. Other interests include awards, card-swaps, contests, sports and reading. Am member of RCSWC and formerly of ISWL. First learned about NASA from Dick Jenneman/WPE9GCZ."

Alexander Demers Jr./WPE2OAY, Stratford, New Jersey. "Started SWLing in '64 with an S120, now have a Hammarlund HQL29X using a Gotham V80 vertical. Presently have total of 84 QSLs. Am interested in awards, contests, coin collecting and science projects and also in TV DXing (I use a Sylvania set), and MW/BCB. Would like to hear from other members in the Philadelphia area. My age is 15 and I am in highschool. Read about NASA in the World Radio TV Handbook."





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Robert B. Camfiord, Washington, D.C. "Have been an SWL on and off for eighteen years, but have really concentrated on it the last two...much to my wife's regret. Receivers here are a Hammarlund HQ145 and a National NC105; Antenna is a dipole. Aside from SWBC, I also monitor MW, ARO and utility freqs at times. Am not especially interested in getting QSLs, I partake of the hobby moreso for entertainment and information/news. Other hobby interests include home movies, military history and music. Am a member of NNRC, first heard about NASA in World Radio-TV Handbook."

Norman M. Isaacs/WEX2NMI, Bronx, New York. "Age here is 22; I've only been DXing a short time. Present rx is a StarLite AL20 fed by a 65' dipole. Other gear is a Wollensak tape recorder. Am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps and general DXing of all bands. Outside radio, I am interested in hunting, fishing, skiing and baseball. Am very pleased to join NASA which I first heard about via Friendship Corners eds." Gordon Schiff/WPE9IBI, Chicago, Illinois. "I've been SWLing since November of '64 and use a Hallicrafters S118 w/HyGain SWO antenna. I also listen to MW. Am interested in contests, awards. Have a Wollensak tape recorder. Have logged 40 countries so far and have 39 QSLs, all SWBC. My age is 15 and I am a sophomore in highschool. Read about NASA in PE Communications Handbook."

John Kohser, Allison Park, Pennsylvania. "I am 14 years old and have been DXing about five months. I listen to SWBC and ARO bands on either my Hallicrafters S120 or Heathkit HR10; Antenna is a 75' longwire. I am interested in cardswaps, awards, contests, also coin collecting, music and sports. Heard about NASA from RTVE."

Mike Hunnicutt/WPE3GOV, Washington, D.C. "Age here is 25, am married. Have been SWL for about 2 years and in that time have logged 47 countries, QSL'd 20 to date. Shack gear consists of Hallicrafters SX25 and S20R, also Magnacord recorder. Antenna is 80' longwire. Am interested in contests, awards, also hi-fi, stock car racing and photography. Have found the best way to report to stations is via tape, results have been quite pleasing. Heard about NASA from Bob Camfiord. Would like to hear from other SWLs/members. (3925 Fulton St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20007)

James A. Staley, Burlington, North Carolina. "Am just getting started in SWLing and enjoy it very much. I am 20, single and a maintenance worker. Receivers are a Regency WT4 and a Monitoradio; Antenna is a 60' doublet. I am interested in awards, contests, meteorology, astronomy and hunting. Am member of American Science Club. First heard about NASA from a friend, also via PE Communications Handbook."

Wilfredo Perez/WBX2WFF, Bronx, New York. "Married, age 28, been DXing only a few months. My rx is a German made Blaupunkt, antenna 25' of wire strung around room (I live in an apartment!) Presently DX all bands, but plan a complete SWL post in the near future. I am interested in cardswaps, contests, awards, also hunting, fishing, bowling and baseball. NASA is my first club and I heard of it from friend/member Lou Molina."

Fred Gaiser/WPE20BU, Maspeth, New York. "A Jr. in highschool here, I am 16 and have been DXing for a little over a year. Rx is a Hallicrafters S120, antenna a 75' longwire. I monitor most all bands. Have 46 QSLs so far. Am a member of RPSWC and RDXC. Other of my interestes are awards, contests, cardswaps, also swimming and billiards. I heard about NASA from asst cardswap editor, Lou Molina."

Jerry McDaniel/WPE applied for), Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. "Age here is 17. Have been an active SWL for approximately seven months and have sixteen QSLs to date. Shack gear includes a Lafayette HA230 and a GE C586 AM/FM; Antenna is a 40' longwire. I am interested in awards, contests, electronics and coin collecting. Plan to start cardswaps as soon as I get my WPE call and cards printed. Other plans include constructing a loop antenna, joining a few other coop clubs. Read of NASA in '66 PE Comm. Handbook."



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- \*Gary C. Johnston/WPE4DDY, Madison, Alabama. "Age is 30, am an electronics technician, married. Have been SWLing for two years, use an SX100 with 100' longwire antenna. Am interested in awards and contests. Read about NASA in PE."
- \*Arthur Poulis, Fall River, Mass. "Just recently became interested in SWLing. I am a social worker, single, age is 35. Present equipment is a Hallicrafters S38 and a tape recorder. Antenna is a 40' longwire. I am interested in awards, hunting, fishing, folk music and archery. First read of NASA in PE Communication Handbook."
- \*Hortense R. Trevino, Chicago, Illinois. "I am 24 and single. Vocation is nurse. Have been SWLing for only about 8 months. Gear consists of a Philips B5X43A, antenna is a 50' longwire. Am interested in contests, awards, coin collecting and boat racing. NASA is my first club; I read about it in '66 Comm. Handbk."
- \*Robert J. Hill, Jr./W1ARR/3, Washington, D.C. "Began SWBC DXing in 1952, presently have about 175 countries logged. Am not too interested in veries. Rx is a Hammarlund HQ180, antenna a 60' longwire; Also have a BC221M freqmeter. Am interested in awards, contests, classical music, bridge, reading and sports. Heard about NASA from Dan Henderson and Al Niblack. Would like to hear from SWLs in the D.C. area in hopes of forming a local club. QTH is 1426 21st St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036. Phone 232-4254. Am a college grad, age is 28 and vocation is records analyst for DHEW."
- \*Gregory Bovee/WPE8JAC, Rochester, Michigan. "Am 14 and a freshman in high school. Have been DXing since January of this year. Receiver is a Knight R100A which I built with help of my father. Am presently using an indoor antenna, but will erect outdoor type soon. I am interested in contests, awards, cardswaps. To date I have QSL's from 25 different countries. I read about NASA in Radio-TV Experimenter."
- \*Del D. Hirst/WPE5CFU, Snyder, Texas. "An OM of 41 here, married and work as bookkeeper. Rx is a Haethkit GCLA with a GR91 as standby. Antennae are 135' inverted V, 25m dipole and loop. Other gear includes a tape recorder, Q-multiplier, homebrew preselector and crystal calibrator. Am interested in awards, contests, tapesponding, photography, and fishing...also am active in BSOA, being local commissioner. Have been DXing SW for 4 years. Heard about NASA from John Callarman and Dan Douglas."
- \*John Sgrulletta/WPE2MYE, Bedford Hills, New York. "First became interested in SWLing back in '59 when I was eleven years old. Am now a college student, single. Shack gear includes Hammarlund HQ100AC, Norelco transistor AM/SW and a VII T130 tape recorder. My antenna is a 60' doublet 20' high. Am interestsd in awards, contests, collecting coins and stamps; also greatly interested in baseball. Am member of NNRC and TNDXL, also of RBSWC, RPDXC and RNYSWC. Heard about NASA from member Jack Page."



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- \*Joe Pasinato, Jr., Santa Barbara, California. I am a native Californian, presently attending senior high school. Shack equipment includes an SX-43, S-120, Monitorradio PR-155, also a Technical LRR-6 and a Sony TR-812. Other gear is an Ampex tape recorder, model 860. Antennae are a 100' longwire and a ground plane. Latter used with the PR-155. I am interested in awards and contests. Other interests include music and electronics. NASA is my first club; I read about it in EI magazine.
- \*Allen Angst, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Am presently enrolled at the Univ. of Wisconsin. My age is 19, I am single. Using a Hallicrafters S-120, I enjoy monitoring foreign newscasts and various programs of interest. Am not a QSL collector, but am interested in SWLing as a worthwhile relaxation. Other of my interests include music, chess and fishing. I read about NASA in the 1966 Communications Handbook.
- \*Robert DeVinney II, Akron, Ohio. Am a newcomer to the hobby. Age is 20, I am married and am a welder by trade. Rx is an S-120, antenna is indoor type, but I plan to erect an outdoor soon. Also have a Knight 4035 tape recorder. Am interested in contests, awards, photography, music, tapesponding. First heard about NASA from RTVE.
- \*William Murphy, Troy, New York. Started SWLing in 1934. Gear includes a Hammarlund HQ-105-TR, National NC-183, an RCA console, also have a tape recorder. My antenna is a 60' longwire. Am somewhat interested in awards and contests, also photography. My age is 47 and I am single. Heard about NASA from member Dick Jenneman.
- \*Robert Getman, Racine, Wisconsin. Married, 28, vocation is chemical technician. Rx is a National NC-125, antenna a 50' longwire. Have 22 QSLs so far, best being from VLT4. Am interested in awards, contests, meteorology and astronomy. Am resuming the hobby after an absence of some years, now hope to be more active. Read of NASA in PE.
- \*Jerry Stuart, Lawton, Oklahoma. I am 18 and a senior in high school. Equipment includes a Corsley Super-8, Parklane CT and RCA-Mark VIII. Antenna is a 125' longwire. I am interested in cardswaps, contests, awards, coins, stamps and music. On SW have logged 38 countries so far, QSLd 26. Am member of RCSWC and RNYWSWC. Joined NASA after I read about it in recent Radio-TV Experimenter magazine.
- \*Richard Knapp, Kent, Connecticut. I am 14 and in 8th grade. Am a Boy Scout, have a part time job. I have two rx, a Philco console and a 3 band transistor, but have built-in antenna, no outdoor rigged yet. Am interested in contests, awards, coins, stamps and sports. Have heard 28 countries so far. Read about NASA in Communication Handbook.
- \*Joseph H. Castonguay, Curundu, Canal Zone. My interest in SWLing and DXing stems from fact I've always been interested in afar peoples and countries. Born in Washington, D.C., I came to the Canal Zone in 1941. Have served with the US Armed Forces, during which time I was in Cuba, China, Philippines, Hawaii, Germany, Bermuda and numerous other countries. I am presently a civilian employee of the US Army, position being a lead foreman. Age is 54, I am married. Monitoring equipment consists of a Hammarlund HQ-145A and a Phillips B6X-15A. I employ a 50' longwire antenna. QSL collection totals over 300, but many are from same countries for different reports....all on SWBC. Am a member of RCSWC, RPMC and RNYWSWC, also a registered PE monitor- KZ5PELI, but NASA is my first real club of which I am proud to be a member; I heard of it from friend/member Richard Jenneman, WPE9CZ, Stanley, Wisconsin.
- \*Don Hibscheiler, Crawfordsville, Indiana. An OM of 13 here and although interested in the hobby for about 1½ years, am just starting to take serious/active part. I use a Hallicrafters S-120 and a Starlight rx. Antenna is a 45' longwire. Also have a tape recorder. Am interested in awards, contests, bowling, baseball, have a 3rd class RT license. I prefer to monitor the SWBC bands. NASA is my first club and I read about it in Electronics Illustrated magazine.

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\*Richard E. Wood, Bloomington, Indiana. Born in Dundee, Scotland 25 years ago, I have been a DXer since 1958, both in Britain and the U.S. My primary field of interest are the non-English speaking stations, particularly those of Latin America. Monitoring gear employed at present consists of a Hammarlund SP-600 and HQ-180, also a National RAS-5. Antenna is a 50' longwire 40' high. Other equipment includes a Tunaverter for 31m band used with auto radio. I am interested in languages and collecting pennants of stations (have 166 to date). Am single, vocation is Lecturer at Univ. of Indiana. Have written articles for WRPublications, am a collaborator of WRTH, also serve as Chairman of the Frequency Recommendation Committee of ANARC. Presently hold membership in NRC, Arctic Radio Club, Gothenburg DX Club International, Sveriges DX-Forbund and contributor to SCDXers. First heard of NASA through interexchange of bulletins when I was editor of former American Central Radio Club.

\*Charles R. Heisler, Rensselaer, New York. Have been in broadcasting for 35 years as station engineer or chief engineer, both in U.S. and abroad. Am a widower, age is 54. Present rx is a Norelco L6X38T with built-in antenna. Having always been a casual SWL, I am now pursuing it more enthusiastically due more time available. Other interests include photography; Other shack equipment includes a Wollensak T1500 recorder. I read about NASA in various electronic magazines.



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\*Gary Sturm, Elkhart, Indiana. "I've been SWLing since January of this year, use a GR-64 rx and 100' longwire antenna. Also have a GE transistor rx for standby. QSLs total 18 so far, favorite being from R.Cairo. I am interested in awards, contests, also languages, biology and electronics. Am member of RNYWSWC. Read of NASA in RTVE. My age is 16 and I will be a junior in highschool this fall."

\*Mike Finigan, Monroe, North Carolina. "Traveling around the country as an "AirForce Brat", I have been an SWL for one year. Have 49 countries veried out of 90 logged. Am 16, will be a highschool junior next term. Rx is an S-120, antenna a 100' longwire 30' high. Am interested in cardswaps, contests, awards, stamp collecting, minerology and all sports. Belong to the RNYWSWC. Heard about NASA via PE Communications Handbook. I am especially interested in Far and mid-East DX stations."

\*Edward Pyatt, Conway, South Carolina. "Am 17, have just graduated from highschool. I have been DXing for 3 years, primarily on SWBC bands, have 32 countries QSL'd. My rx is a Radiola-61-5 and I use a 20' longwire antenna. Am interested in awards, cardswaps, contests, photography, physics, chemistry and reading. Am member of ASWLC, RNYWSWC and RCSWC. Heard about NASA from "SWL" bulletin of ASWLC. Would very much like to acquire a penpal SWLer in Japan and Hawaii. I plan to enter Morehouse College on scholarship this coming fall. Most prized QSL to date is from R.Japan."

\*Larry Schwartz, Linden, New Jersey. "I've been interested in all forms of radio for a long time. Purchased an S-120 in 1963, late built a Lafayette KT-320. Have logged 33 countries, veried 23. I use a HyGain SWO antenna. QSL from R.Ghana is favorite so far. Am interested in awards, contests, kit building, hi-fi and would like to correspond w/ other SWLs to compare notes, etc. I heard about NASA via WRTH. Am 15."

\*Robert Kelley, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. "Am 23 year old former "drop-out" now attending University of Wisconsin where I am junior in accounting; Also work full time in factory at present. Had been interested in BCBing, but have expanded to SWBC. Rx is a National HRO-500, use a 55' longwire antenna among others..Other gear includes a stereo tape recorder and 'scope. Interests include philately and ichtyology. Am member of NRC. I read about NASA in recent RTVE magazine."

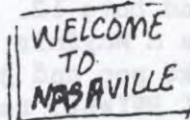
\*Randall Hill, Liberty, Missouri. "I am 17 and will be a senior in highschool next year. Have been DXing since about January of '66 when I began with an S-120, and which is my present rx. My antenna is a 100' inverted L, 30' high. Am interested in contests and awards, also cardswaps, coins, stamps and electronics. QSLs to date number 25 and my prized is from TIFC, Costa Rica. Would like to hear from any/all DXers around the world. I first heard about NASA via latest edition of WRTH."

\*Harry Bergman, New York, New York. "NASA is my first club and I heard of it from Leo Fleury, friend/member. I am 51 and a salesman. Rx is a Hammarlund HQ-145, and I use a trap dipole antenna. Other gear includes a preamp, also a Wollansack 2-1500 recorder. Have been SWLing a number of years, logging 80 countries, veried 45. Prize the QSL from Nigeria most so far. Am interested in contests, awards, camping, also tapesponding and cardswaps. Belong to World Tapepal Voicespondence Club. Am CB KOD-2823."

\*James Sorber, New Hyde Park, New York. "Am 68, retired (due a heart attack in '56) and have been in the hobby since '64. Am very interested in worldwide DXing, cardswaps, awards, contests and learning more about the hobby. My rx is a Lafayette HE-30 and I use a 90' longwire antenna which runs N/S. To date I have 43 QSLs and I prize them all. Am a member of NNRC, also RNYWSWC. My QTH is about 120 miles west of eastern tip of Long Island. Would appreciate QTHs of swappers in Labrador and NWT. Dont recall which was first, but read of NASA in various magazines and publications."



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Robert Brickner, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. "I am eighteen and have been an avid DXer for almost three years now and become interested as a followup on my dad. I always did like to hear and learn about all peoples of the world and SW radio has provided this most excellent opportunity. My first receiver was an S-120, but I now use an SX-110; I use 2 perpendicular longwire antennae, one E/W 120' long, 30' high and one N/S 100' long, 40' high. Am interested in awards and contests, already have two NASA awards as non-member and also have won 4 contests held monthly by Radio Cairo...two prizes being a very FB wallet and a combination music-jewelry box. Other of my interests include baseball, basketball, coin collecting and driving. I'm presently attending University of Pittsburgh, studying engineering. Heard about NASA from friend/member Bob Gordon and I look forward to a fine relationship with all members."

H. Lincoln Chadbourne, La Jolla, California. "Born 1916, married, BS-Harvard College '38, am editor and writer. My interest in radio design and construction dates from the early '30s when I also did some DXing, but was not collector of QSLs. Inactive in the hobby during '40s and '50s, then started again in '62 with a homebrew 7-tube receiver; My QSL collection began at this time. In '64 I completed my present receiver, a 13-tube double superheterodyne. I now have 147 countries logged, 126 verified...all SWBC. Two antennae are employed, an 80' longwire 35' high NW/SE, and a 35' longwire 35' high N/S. Other gear is a tape recorder. Am a member of ASWLC, DSWI and ISWL. Joined NASA, it being recommended to me by friend/member Gerry Dexter."

Dave Carlson, St. Louis, Missouri. "I am 15 and have been a DXer for about 1½ years. Gear consists of a Hallicrafters S-200, GE all-wave 17 transistor, 24 hour clock. My antenna is a longwire. Am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps and sports. So far I have 53 countries logged and 39 verified on SWBC. Am a member of RNYWLC, but NASA is my first real club and I read about it in PE Communications Handbook."

William G. Graham, Binghamton, New York. "Started DXing in latter part of '63 after my interest was generated by construction of a Knight StarRoamer kit. Exclusive interest in BC, primarily SW. Currently have 117 countries verified. Age is 33, I am married and work in the IRS. My receiver is a Hallicrafters SX-100, antenna is a HyGain 18V. I am interested in contests, stamp collecting and sports car activities. Belong to NNRC, First heard of NASA via Gerry Dexter and courtesy sheet."

Jimmy Eppright, Dallas, Texas. "I have been SWling/DXing for about a year and find that I enjoy SWBC mostly. Am 15 and in highschool. My equipment includes an S-118, Heath Q-multiplier, X'tal calibrator and I use a 50' L shaped longwire antenna. Am interested in awards, contests, electronics, also boating, fishing water skiing and baseball. Am a member of RNYWLC. First read about NASA in PE Communications Handbook."

Melvin Gulick, Sedalia, Missouri. "I've only been an SWL for a few months. Use an NC-121 receiver with a 50' longwire antenna. Am married, 44, have my Masters Degree and work as special education instructor for mentally retarded children. Am not especially interested in QSLs as yet. I follow hobby mostly for entertainment and news and for the fun in logging foreign countries. Other interests are reading, also I run a cattle ranch. NASA is my first club and I read of it in PE Communications Handbook."

Ronald Hyde, Groves, Texas. "Presently attending vocational school, studying electronics. I am 19, unmarried. I've been SWling/DXing since February of this year, using a Knight StarRoamer and SpaceSpanner with a 60' longwire antenna. Other gear is a Webcor tape recorder. Have 12 QSLs to date, the favorite so far being from R. Bucaramanga, Colombia. Am interested in awards, contests, stamp collecting, electronics and tapesponding. I first heard about NASA when reading of it in recent copy of Radio-TV Experimenter magazine. Now being a member, NASA is my first club."



New Members, contd...

Kenneth Hildreth, St. Charles, Illinois. "Been SWLing since January '66, but have only started collecting QSLs recently and have 12. My rx is a Lafayette HA230 and I use a 100' longwire antenna. Other gear is a Mayfair tape recorder and I use it taping programs from R. Noderland and VOA (.like pop and jazz music!) Age is 12 and I will be in 7th grade this fall. Am a member of RNYWLC, read about NASA in Comm. Handbook."

Charles Artiss, Detroit, Michigan. "Majoring in Economics at the University of Detroit, I have been SWLing since '62. Have taken 2 years of Spanish and thus am interested in stations from L.A. and S.A. Age is 23, I am single. Rx is a Hallicrafters S-120 and my antenna is an indoor 20' longwire. Other of my interests include sports, reading, coin and stamp collecting. First heard about NASA via HCJB's "DX PartyLine program."

Lynn D. Brooks, Lubbock, Texas. "Am 23 and have been DXing since Jan. '66. Will graduate this month (August) with B.S. in electrical engineering from Texas Tech. Am married. Rx is a Hallicrafters S-120, antenna is a 100' inverted L; Other gear is a Knight Space-Spanner. Hope to get a tape recorder soon. Have been mostly interested in BCB, but now have expanded to SWBC. Belong to NRC and RNYWSWC. Other hobby interests are hunting and electronics experimenting. Out of 16 countries logged thus far on SWBC, have 10 QSL'd. Hear about NASA via "DX PartyLine" on HCJB. Would like to acquire an SWL penpal in SA and/or Europe. My QTH: 1910 62nd Street, Lubbock, Texas 79412."

John Grau, Stevensville, Michigan. "I'm 14 and will be a freshman in highschool next term. My rx is a Heathkit GR-64 and I use two longwire antennae, one 75', one 25'. So far I have 9 QSLs from different countries on SWBC. I am interested in awards, contests and also in electronics and math. I'd like to obtain a penpal/SWL outside NA. NASA is my first club and I read about it in Communications Handbook."



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Robert Carter, Springfield, Penna. "Am married, a college grad now in industrial sales. Age is 41. Just getting started in the hobby and am particularly interested in QSLs. Receiver is a Hallicrafters S-108 and I use a longwire antenna. Am also interested in contests and awards. Read about the club in recent RIVE magazine."

Mike Macken, Winthrop, Mass. "I am 15 and will enter my sophomore year this fall. Became interested in SWBCing last summer/late spring, and have so far logged twentyone different countries on my GE-P920. My antenna is a 90' longwire. Am interested in awards, contests, sports and cardswaps. Would like info on how to collect pennants and other souvenirs from stations. Am especially interested in Asiatic countries. Presently am awaiting QSLs from five countries. NASA is my first club and I read of it in Popular Electronics magazine Communications Handbook."

John Runge, Crawfordsville, Indiana. "Am a native Hoosier, 13 and in eighth grade. My receiver is a Hallicrafters TW-1000 and I use a 45' longwire antenna. Other gear is a Sharp RD501 tape recorder. Am interested in contests, awards, tennis, bowling and am a Boy Scout. I share my shack with another NASA member, Don Hibscheweiler. First heard of the club via Radio TV Experimenter magazine."

Michael Larkin, West New York, New Jersey. "Am 14 and in my second year of high school. Plan to go to college, hope to become an electronics engineer. Set up here includes a Zenith M-660 and a Hallicrafters S-120. Antenna is a 135' longwire. Am interested in QSLs, have 45 to date, and awards; Other interests are reading, also playing accordion. Joined NASA after reading of it in PE Communications Handbook '66."

Rick Charnes, Cherry Hill, New Jersey. "I've been DXing on SWBC for only a short time being that I was former BCber. Have heard 43 countries so far, have QSLs from 28. Rx is a Lafayette HA-230 and I use a 60' longwire antenna. Am interested in contests and awards, stamps, bowling, photography, chess and girls. Plan to improve reception here by getting a HyGain SWO trap dipole antenna. Read about NASA in PE Comm. Handbook."

Mike Yaco, Burgettstown, Penna. "Am a newcomer to the hobby. Age is 13 and I attend highschool. My receiver is a Lloyds TM-838A and although I plan to erect an outdoor antenna, I'm presently using window screen. Am interested in contests and awards, also football and model building. Heard about NASA from friend/member Gary Bywaters."

\*Wendel Craighead, Kansas City, Kansas. "First began SWLing about 12 years ago, but only seriously for past 7. Am a college and university graduate, age is 30, I am single. Equipment includes Hallicrafters S-85, Heath Q-multiplier; Antennae are 12' indoor longwire and a 3' loop. Am interested in contests, awards, travel, classical music and cinematography. Am member of NNRC and ASWLC. Read about NASA in various magazines and in various club bulletins. Saw first Friendx while attending ANARC convention."

Richard Kratofil, New Orleans, La. "Rather new to the hobby, I decided to join a club, chose NASA which I first heard about via PE Communications Handbook. I am 27, single, of Polish-Yugoslav extraction and work for railroad as male secretary. I use a Zenith TransOceanic, model 3000-1 and a longwire antenna. Presently am studying psychology and also learning Polish language. NASA is my first club."

\*\*Bert Adams, Brampton, Ont., Canada. "I am 51 years old and took up SWLing about a year and a half ago; Mainly prefer SWBCing. I still consider myself a novice, thus am certain Friendx will aid me muchly. Am married and my vocation is Quality Control Mgr. Receiver is an SX-110, antenna a 40' longwire, 20' elevation. Have so far QSL'd total of 36 countries. Other of my interests include fishing and gardening. I am a member of the Radio Canada SW Club; Read about NASA in Radio-TV Experimenter."



Ernest G. Baird, Pointe Claire, Que., Canada. "Am self employed here, operate a service station. Age is 20 and I am single. Have been DXing for approximately a year and a half. Am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps. My receiver is a Hammarlund HQ-180 and I use two antennae, a 160' longwire (inverted L) and a 40' vertical. Am a member of the CIDX, also an associate member of ARRL. First read of NASA in PE."

\*\*\*Skip Arthur, Arlington, Virginia. "Born in Boston, I've traveled to such places as Guam and Hawaii being that my dad was in the Navy until recently. Am 14 and a student in highschool. Just moved to present QTH from Indiana. My receiver is a Lafayette HA-230 and I am experimenting with various types of antennae. Other gear is an Ameco PCL-P preamp and a Westinghouse GAY-7. I'm interested in contests, awards, guitar and in kit building. First heard about NASA via friend/member Mark Hosmer."

\*\*\*Rick Fague, Indianapolis, Indiana. "Am rather new to the hobby, been interested in it for about a year. I am 13 and in highschool. My receiver is a Regency WT-4 and I use a 350' longwire antenna (acute angle). Have 7 QSLs to date and prize most the one from Radio Tashkent. Am interested in awards, contests, model reeketry, sports and slot car racing. I also am a cardswapper. Heard about NASA from friend/member Mark Hosmer."

\*\*\*Jeff Vlach, Carmel, Indiana. "I am a highschool student, thirteen years old. For a receiver I use the S-120 model Hallicrafters. Antenna is an indoor longwire about 50' (strung in attic). Am interested in contests/competitions, awards, coin collecting and scouting. Heard about NASA from friend/member Mark Hosmer."

Morton D. Meehan, Atascadero, California. "Shack here includes a National NC-173, a Hammarlund HQ-100, a Grundig Majestic, and several transistor rx's. Antenna is an inverted L, 200' long. Age is 49, am single and work for the State (DOMV). Have not been too active in the hobby of late, what little DXing I have been doing has been on BCB and/or FM, but after seeing new Friendx I feel renewed interest in SWBCing for the first time in 25 years. Am member of NNRC, CDXC, NRC and IRCA. Became interested in NASA as I read about it in "Cadex" bulletin."

\*\*Leo Poirier, Saint Catherines, Ont., Canada. "Have been handicapped since I was 11 years old, am now 54, yet I consider myself a lucky guy because I can do everything for myself. Took up the hobby about a year ago; Use an S-120 receiver with a 50' longwire that is in attic. So far have 14 QSLs and I prize them all. Other of my interests center on railroading. Was a member of the CDXC wherefrom I heard about NASA."

\*\*Tom Hamp, Brantford, Ontario, Canada. "Am 17 and entering my senior year highschool. Have been an SWL for about 7 years, enjoy it muchly. Sure is great to be in an all-SWBC club and from what I have seen of Friendx, its going to be a 'rice' year. Use two rx's here, an RCA IM-564 and a GE H-118. Use 3 tuned toroids (indoors) as an antenna. My other gear includes an xtal calibrator and freq meter. Am interested in classical mx, astronomy and international correspondence. Heard about NASA via CDXC"

Warren Davis, Forestville, Maryland. "I've been interested in SWLing since '62 when I started out with a 2 band rx, now use an RCA "Strato-World". Am 22, unmarried. Much interested in awards, contests, philately, also cardswaps and tapesponding. Presently employed fulltime by power company and am contemplating marriage soon. First read of NASA sometime ago in Communications Handbook."

Tony Griffith, Alton, Illinois. "I am in my second year at Western Military Academy. Have been DXing for about a year and a half, use a National NC-140 and 70' antenna. I have 46 QSLs so far. My age is 15. Am interested in contests, awards, sports, and I collect stamps. Heard about NASA via friend/member Dick Little."

Richard D'Angelo, Brooklyn, New York. "Began DXing in '63 on my brothers S-85. In the summer of '64 my interest picked up and recently I bought a National NC-190. Antenna is a 35' longwire. Other equipment is a tape recorder. Am interested in QSLs, have 50 to date, also in awards, contests and sports. Age is 16 and I am in highschool. Have logged 88 countries so far on SWBC. Learned of NASA via Comm. Handbook."

Mike Hill, Weston, Ont., Canada. "DXing for 2 years, am 14 and in highschool. Rx is a Sharp TR-203 and Marconi 177W23, use a 25' and 75' antenna. Also have tape recorder. Interested in awards, contests, cardswaps, girls and motorcycles. Am a member of the CDXC where I first heard about NASA via "Cadex" Bulletin." (cont'd...)



## New Members, continued.,

Art Glover, Port Angeles, Washington. "Started SW DXing in '64 as a retirement hobby and have 74 countries QSL'd to date. Presently using an NC-125 as rx, with a 23' vertical as antenna. Have a Hammarlund HQ-180 on order! Other gear is an Ameco PCL-P pre-amp and a 100kc calibrator. The age here is 55 and I am married. Am interested in contests and awards, also fishing and traveling. Am a member of ASWLC. Heard of NASA via Don Jensen and also "SWL", but sample "Frendx" really cut the mustard!"

Tom Guglielmi, Chicago, Illinois. "Being I DX the SWBC bands only, I am member of ASWLC and now join NASA because of its new format. I am 15 and a highschool student. Receiver is an SX-110, antenna is a 50' longwire. Other gear is a PCL-P pre-amp. Am interested in awards, tennis and reading. Presently am chairman of the ANARC QSL-Committee which is progressing nicely. As to where/how/from whom I first heard about NASA, I cant really say because it is so well known."



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Rene Chicoine, Quebec, Canada. "I began DXing at the end of '64 and have a total of 84 verifications from different countries to-date; Presently aiming for 100. My age is 50 and I am married, vocation is Superintendent for an insurance company. Rx used is Drake R-4A, antenna is a Mosley SWL-7. I am interested in contests, awards, horticulture, swimming, reading foreign newspapers. Speaking several languages, I have, for years, been interested in learning about people all over the world, thus SWLing, short only of traveling, is the best way to feel "close" to the world. I am a member of the RCSWC, RNYWLC and ASWLC, formerly of CDXC wherefrom I now transfer to NASA."

Arthur F. Mitchell, Steubenville, Ohio. "Am married, retired and 64 years old. Have been interested in SWLing since back in 1928 but have not taken it up as hobby until recently. Now using a Knight "StarRoamer" with a 40' longwire antenna. Interests here include awards, contests, also hunting, fishing, rifle marksmanship and baseball. I first heard of NASA in recent copy of FIVE magazine."

Charles T. Lebo, Pittsburgh, Penna. "Age here is fifteen and I have been interested in Dxing for about fourteen months. My rx is a Knight OceanHopper, but I am presently awaiting delivery of a Knight R-100A. My antenna is a 115' V-shaped longwire. Have 68 QSLs so far and prize the one from R.Presidente, Chile most. Am interested in contests and awards, also stereo and school. Belong to four overseas clubs and DXI. Heard about NASA from friend/member Bob Brickner and look forward to helping all ways possible."

Ronald Engelbrecht, Jefferson City, Missouri. "I am 19 and a sophomore at University of Missouri where I am majoring in electrical engineering. Started SWLing in '63 with a Spanmaster, then got a StarRoamer in '64, now use a Lafayette KT340. I use a 50' longwire antenna and four parallel dipoles. Am interested in contests and awards, reading and electronics in general. Heard about NASA via Don Jensen at AFARC convention."

David Kuon, New Cumberland, Penna. "Rather new to the hobby, I am sixteen and entering junior year of highschool. Equipment includes a Lafayette ExplorAir, Zenith Trans-Oceanic and Silvertone tape recorder; Antenna is a 100' inverted L. Have 9 QSLs so far and I prize them all. Am interested in awards, contests, model building and girls. I will appreciate any/all help anyone cares to offer. Read of NASA in PE Comm.Hndbk."

John Ostrowski Jr., Thomaston, Conn. "Began DXing in June of this year, as yet have no QSLs. I am fifteen and a sophomore in highschool. Rx's I use are an Admiral, table mod., and a Magnavox, console. Antenna is a 150' longwire. I am interested in contests and awards, also baseball and soccer. First hrd of NASA via member Richard Wood."

Dan Kolbage, Key West, Florida. "Have been interested in SW/DXing for about seven yrs but have only recently put emphasis on QSLs. Use a Hallicrafters S-85 w/Q multiplier and mechanical slot filter. My antenna is 80' longwire. Other gear is an Ampex tape recorder. Am 22 and married, work as an abstractor. Interested in awards, contests, also swimming and scuba diving, fishing. My QSL from R. Finland states it to be the first de the state of Florida. Am planning on an NC-190 in near future. Heard about NASA from a friend and read of it in PE Comm. Handbook. I like Frendx very much!"

Alan Jeeves, Verona, Pennsylvania. "Been DXing for 2 yrs; Began w/a transistor rx, now have a Hallicrafters S-118. Antenna is a longwire cut for 11-13-16-19 meterbands. Am 16 and a junior in highschool. Interested in awards, contests, chess, baseball, football. Am member of RNYWLC. Have logged 52 countries so far and have received QSLs for eight out of nine reports thus far sent to stations. First heard about NASA via World Radio Bulletin and joined because of it now being all S'BC."

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Lou Kurdziel, Buffalo, New York. "Seventeen years old, SWL/DXer since May '65. Senior in highschool, studying communication electronics. Rx are Knight SpanMaster and Halli-crafter S-200; Antenna is a 45' inverted L. Other gear consists of a 120mcs aircraft converter. Interested in awards, contests, reading, chess, collecting phono records and corresponding; Am a cardswapper. Member of RPDXC. Heard about NASA via Hank Bennett."

Jim Ritter, Willcwick, Ohio. "Have been DXing since '64, but not continuously. So far logged 65 countries, varied 51. Am 18, single and a highschool grad. Equipment in shack here includes a Hammarlund HQ-100, Knight KN-2558, Lafayette HW-20, Knight StarRoamer, Olson "Spotter2", and a 100kc calibrator. Antenna is 90' longwire and 20' vertical. I am interested in awards, contest, Heard about NASA from friends, also read of it WRTH."

A.R. "Al" Niblack, Vincennes, Indiana. "Have been a DXer since 1933, though of course, some periods of inactivity. Am 53, vocation is salesman. Use a Hallicrafters SX-100-1 and SX-100-2. Other gear includes Ameco PreAmp PCL-P, Budd FCC-90A calibrator, I.C. FMV-1 10kc calibrator. Antenna is a longwire, Tape recorder is a Knight model. I am somewhat interested in awards and contests, but not especially so. Have done editing for both club and national periodicals. To date have 150 countries logged(positive!) and 75 QSLs. Heard of NASA from certain friend/fellow DXers, members."

Donald "Tony" Davis, Alexandria, Virginia. "Am 21 and have been SWL-DXer since '57 but did not join any clubs until 2/66, now belong to three and finally beginning to see the whole picture of SWBC. Am married, vocation is quality control engineer. Rx are a HQ-110A and an NC-190, other gear includes a freq mever, tape recorder and test equipment. Antenna:  $\frac{1}{2}$  wave dipoles for 10-16-19-25-31-41-49-60 meterbands. Am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps, motorcycle and sport car racing, and am a Scoutmaster. Am member of CIXC, NNRC, also CIXC for which I am SWBC editor. NASA recommended to me by Ralph Irace Jr., friend, fellow CIXC officer and co-NASA member."

Bob Padula, Victoria, Australia. "Age is 27, been mad on DX for something like ten yrs. While once only interested in the SWLing end, now, since 2 years ago, collect QSLs. Am single, work for the Australian PostOffice. Rx is a Marconi B28 and a Nacional II. My antennae are a 100' longwire, and dipoles for 11 and 15mcs. I am interested in contests, awards and photography. Presently prepare scripts for "DXers Calling" program of Radio Australia, also produce "World at Your Fingertips", a program heard over local 3NE on 1600kcs every Sunday at 1235GMT on behalf of Victorian Branch-Australian Radio DX Club. First heard of NASA via the WRTH. Am delighted to now be a member!"

Bruce Reynolds, Warrensburg, Missouri. "Been SWLing for 2 years. Am 19 and single, now enrolled at Central Missouri State College. Started out with a Knight StarRoamer, but I now use a Heathkit GR-64 which I won in last fall RNYWV DX contest. For antennae I use both a 100' and 30' longwire. Other gear is a Heath Q-multiplier and Lafayette RK-137A tape recorder. Since I am also interested in BCB, I am member of NRC. Totals presently stand at 74 countries hrd, 52 varied. Hrd about NASA via friends and NRC."

Thomas Miller, Kansas City, Missouri. "Read about NASA in RTVE. I am 13 and a freshman in highschool. Have been interested in the hobby for about 2 years, now have 15 QSLs and more hopefully coming. Though my rx, a Knight Ocean-Hopper is not an expensive one, I have logged all continents and the 15 QSLs have all been acquired within the past 4 months. Knowing my joining NASA will benefit me, I look forward to each bulletin and I hope in time to be able to contribute to it worthily."

Roger Legge, Etlan, Virginia. "An SWL since 1933, am 51 and married. Vocation is Radio Engineering. Rx is a Collins 51J, antenna a 60' L. Am interested in contests, also in baseball and solving problems, and my three sons. Presently find not so much fun in listening to the high freq bands anymore due to QRM. It is my objective to improve the freq assignments and programming of high freq stations. Am member of NNRC. First heard of NASA via friend/member Bob Hill."

Roger Camire, Manchester, New Hampshire. "Am 21, single, work in produce management. Have been a DXer for 2years. Equipment is a TMC GPR-90, BC-221-M, preselector and a matchbox. Antennae- 100' longwire, doublets for all SWBC bands. Am interested in awards, contests, coins, stamps and astronomy, also play R&R guitar. Belong to NNRC and Radio Budapest SWC. Heard of NASA via Bob Hill and NNRC."



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Andy Rugg, Quebec, Canada. "I have DXed the Ham bands, BCB, TV/FM, utilities and SWBC to varying extents at different times since commencing w/SWBC in 1957. While my interest in SWBC has patered off since late '50's, it was rejuvenated at recent NRC convention where I saw QSLs attained by two prominent NASA members, Don Jensen and Richard Wood. Further conversation with them, and their recommendation I investigate the club, which I have done, now result in my joining. I am 21, single, attending McGill University. My rx is an RCA-AR-88D with a Howard 430 standby; Antenna is a 40m dipole. Am interested in contests and awards. Presently hold membership in NRC and CDXC."

Bill Block, Portland, Oregon. "I am 19, single, and a truck driver by vocation. Have been DXing for about three years on BCB, now recently taken interest in SWBC with total of 21 countries logged thus far. Equipment includes a Lafayette HA-230 rx, a VTVM, and antenna is a 60' longwire. I am interested in awards, contests, cardswaps and also in traveling. Heard of NASA via EI in '65. Am member of IRCA."



# NEW MEMBERS



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Ken Josephic, Trafford, Pennsylvania. "I started listening in Dec. '65 and was mainly interested in hambands. Recently switched to SWBC and QSL collecting. My rx is an H-1 model Monarch, antenna is a V-shaped 160' longwire. I am interested in awards, contests, and also model rocketry. Age is 16 and I am a junior in highschool. First learned of NASWA in recent edition of Radio-TV Experimenter magazine."

Keith Rolland, Brooklyn, New York. "A student at Fordham University, I am 19, single. DXing is one of my many varied hobbies and my main interest in it centers around QSLs, pennants and souvenirs. I use an Exploraire receiver; Antenna is built-in telescopic whip. First heard about NASWA some months ago via PE and more recntly in "Messenger" bulletin of CIDXC of which I am a member."

Charles Territo Jr., Paterson, New Jersey. "I am 24 and a graduate of NYU, am single, and an electrical engineer by vocation. Have been DXing for a number of years, use a Philco rx, now plan getting new one. Present antenna is a 50' longwire. Especially am interested in QSLs and have 117 countries verified of 128 logged to date. Other of my interests are classical music and philately. Am member of NNRC, NRC, IRCA and RCDXC. I first read about NASWA in current edition of WRTH."

Alex Flinsch, Garfield, New Jersey. "Engaged in industrial sales, I am married, 31 and have two children. Just recently became interested in DXing hobby. Rx is a Knight Kit StarRoamer and I use a 10' length of wire as antenna. Am interested in awards, contests, also QSLs of which I have eight so far. Read about NASWA in EI magazine."

Pat Murphy, Roeland Park, Kansas. "A highschool grad, I am presently employed as clerk for Sante Fe railroad. New to the hobby. My receiver is a Hallicrafters S-120, antenna a 40' longwire. Am interested in contests, awards, also model rocketry and cardswaps. Age is 18 and I plan on enlisting in the Army in near future. NASWA is my first club and I read about it in Hank Bennets column, Poptronic's magazine."

Ken Sedlacek, Omaha, Nebraska. "Began SWLing about six months ago and have recently taken interest in QSLs. Am a junior in highschool, age is 16. Rx is a Heathkit GR-91 and I use a 36' longwire antenna. Am interested in awards, contests, also astronomy aand model rocketry. I plan to pursue latter with the USAF in future. Introduction to NASWA came via reading of it in current PE magazine."

Robert Grubbs, Rolling Meadows, Illinois. "I've been DXing on and off since '45; Being interested in both MW and SW broadcasts. Age is 36, I am married and vocation is radio engineer. Rx is a Hammarlund HQ-160, antenna is a 50' longwire. Am member of NRC. First became interested in NASWA after attending 1966 ANARC convention in Kansas City."

Walter Breville, St. Louis, Missouri. "Employed with AT&T as maintenance technician, I am 27, single and have been active in the hobby for two years, mainly, until recently, in MW. Now with new rx, a Hallicrafters SX-122, am expanding to SWBC also. Other gear consists of xtal calibrator, Roberts tape recorder; Antenna is a 65' longwire. I am interested in contests and awards. Am a member of NRC. First heard about NASWA several month ago via former member Dan Shoaf, then more recently at ANARC convention."

Robert Quade, Rochester, New York. "Although I hold ARO license (WB2RLE) I am really more oriented to DXing SWBC and thus, reading of NASWA in current PE magazine, decided to join. I am married, 38, a graduate of University of Rochester, and presently in the banking business. Shack equipment includes a National NC-190, Hallicrafters S-38C, crystal calibrator, Lafayette RK-810 tape recorder; Antenna is a Mosley SWL-7. I am a member of ARRL and NNRC. First read of NASWA sometime ago via WRTH."



New Members, cont'd...

Bruce W. Churchill, Chula Vista, California. "Began SWLing in 1952 with 4 years out for Naval Academy. Began again in March '62. Became ARO, holding general license, WA4RSZ, in Dec. '63, but still maintain interest in SWBC. Rx is a Hammarlund HQ-180C, other gear includes a signal generator, o-scope, VTVM, antenna is a Hy-Gain 14AVQ verticle. Am interested in contests and awards, also sports. Belong to ISWL and NNRC. I am married, age is 27, have two boys (2 and 4), vocation is ASW Flight Instructor (USN) for carrier pilots. SWBC totals to date are 112/98 with QSLs from R.Uganda and MBC Mauritius being favorites. First read about NASWA in WRTH, then in NNRC bulletin."

Philip Kennedy, New York, New York. "I started SWBC listening about 2 years ago. My age is 19, I am single and presently attending school in NYC, studying to become an electronics technician. My native home is Jamaica, West Indies. I am interested in awards and competitions, also philately. Rx is a Heathkit, antenna nondescript. Am a member of RNYWLC, RPDXC, RCSWLC and WIDXA. First heard about NASWA via Lafayette Byron, a fellow-WIDXA member and then from the WIDXA bulletin. Hope to make/meet some local members/friends here in NYC and to become a worthy NASWAer."

Fred K. Baines, New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, Canada. "An oldtimer here; Began at the hobby in the early 20's when I built my first rx. Became exclusively interested in SWBC back in 1930. Have been married for 35 years and my vocation is baker. Rx is a Collins 51S and antenna is a Mosley SWL-7. Other equipment is a tape recorder. Am a member of NNRC, RCSWC and DSWC. Though I work a twelve hour day, I still find time to spin the dials. First heard about NASWA via friend/member Gregg Calkin."

Robert H. Bedwell, Pinole, California. "I've been an SWL for only a few months, but have been long interested. Vocation is optometrist, I am 35, married. Receiver is a Lafayette HA-63, antenna a 75' longwire (inverted L). Present interest center moreso on SWLing than DXing as I like to know how/what other nations think. Other interests include chess, coin collecting, sciences and golf. Read about NASWA in PE magazine."

Joseph Speed Gray III, Cleveland, Ohio. "Became interested in the hobby back in 1961. Am presently using a Hammarlund HQ-145X with a longwire, dipole anetnna. Age is 20, I am single and attend Rochester Institute of Technology. Am interested in awards, somewhat in contests, and also in photography and printing. Thus far have 16 QSLs, hope to up my total. Am looking forward to a long and interesting association with NASWA of which I first read about in recent Poptronics."

Louis Manziano, Jersey City, New Jersey. "Fifteen years old here and a freshman in highschool. Am an expired novice ARO, may try for tech ticket soon. Am interested in overall phases of communication by radio. Set up in shack includes a Hallicrafters 5R10A re, 36' vertical antenna and a signal generator. I am interested in awards and contests, also cardswaps, CBing and general electronics. Erd about NASWA in PE."



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Michael Chezosky, Pittsburgh, Penna. "Although I've been interested in SWling for a long time, I've just recently began taking it up more seriously. My rx is a Lafayette HA-230 and I use a 30' dipole antenna. Am 23, single, attending college. Interested in QSLs, also archery and potrait(portrait!)sketching. Read of NASWA in PE."

Joseph DiLeo, Waterbury, Conn. "Am 17 and a senior in highscool. Plan to be modern language major when I enter college. Rx here is a Hallicrafters S-118 and I use a 50' longwire antenna. To date have logged 104 countries, received 67 veries. Am member of NNRC wherefrom I heard about NASWA."

Phil Rinaca, Shenandoah, Virginia. "Am an LRO, but still enjoy SWBC DXing. Age is 22, I am married and employed as electronic technician. Rx is a Hallicrafters S-108, and I use both a longwire and folded dipole antenna. Am interested in awards and contests, also in QSLs and pure DX. I do alot of experimenting with antennae. Hrd of NASWA in PE"

Jim Navary, West Mifflin, Penna. "A senior in highscool, I am 17 and, would you believe, single. My receiver is a Hallicrafters S-108 and I use a dipole antenna. Other gear is a Wollensak T-1500 tape recorder. Am interetsed in contests, awards, QSLs and tapesponding, also collect stamps and records. So far I have 49 SWBC veries. Am a member of RCSWC, RNYWSWC and Voicespondence(tape)Club. First hrd of NASWA in WRTH."

Steve Lee, Jacksonville, Florida. "Have been an SWL for about eleven months. Am 14 and in 9th grade. I have a paper route which is helping me pay for my equipment. Rx is a Hallicrafters S-120, antenna is a longwire. I also have a tape recorder. Even though I plan to become an ARC, I still enjoy SWling. Read about NASWA in PE."

Robert Benedek, Jersey City, N.J. "Am 17, will graduate from highscool in June '67. Just getting started in the hobby, operating jointly with friend/mebmer, Lou Manziano. Rx is a Hallicrafters 5R10A and antenna is a vertical. I am interested in awards and contests, also cards, girls and swinging times. NASWA is my first club and I heard about it from buddy Lou. We are both pleased to be members."

John Mraz, Jr., Phoenixville, Penna. "Age here is 15 and I am a sophomore in high. I have only been an SWL for a few months. Am interested in QSLs, stamps and coins. My rx is a Haethkit GR-94 and my antenna is a 40' inverted L longwire. Am also interested in contests and awards and cardswaps. I hope to make some new friends in the hobby and club. First read about NASWA in Popular Electronics magazine."