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Greetings Everyone

Welcome to this Special Issue of Headquarters Info Line which has the details of the special events being held to celebrate 100 years of Scouting throughout the world.

Radio Scouting Activities in 2007

The year 2007 is a special one for Scouting as it is their centennial year. Some major events are the Centennial Jamboree at Chelmsford in the UK and a special camp on Brownsea Island (near Poole on the south coast of England), which is where the very first scout camp was held in August 1907. Contributing to the celebrations will be special amateur radio activities at the Jamboree and at Brownsea Island, a Scouting 100 Radio Award and of course, the Jamboree on the Air.

On the 27 July - 8 August, both the 21st World Scout Jamboree and Brownsea Island will be on the air with their own fully equipped amateur radio stations. Both will offer a radio programme to the participating Scouts. These stations will be operated by an international team of Scout radio amateurs of whom I will be one. On August 1, 2007, a vast network of amateur radio stations around the world will support Scouting's Sunrise into the new Centenary. The Scouting 100 Radio Award is awarded for contacting Scout stations during 2007, the Centenary year of Scouting. This is an International award - it is also available on a listener basis, with the same requirements as the operator award. The Golden Jubilee Jamboree on the Air (JOTA) will be held on 20 and 21 October 2007, with the theme: "Around the World in 50 hours".

A general overview of all of these activities will be found at <http://home.tiscali.nl/worldscout> Visit also the JOTA pages on my website: www.jimparnell.co.nz

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21st World Scouts Jamboree Amateur Radio Station

Hi All,

The website for the Special Event Station (GB100J) for the 21st. World Scout Jamboree has now been uploaded.

It has still to be expanded with more information.

The hyperlink :- <http://gb100j.radio-scouting.org.uk/>

YiS,
Ivor (G4GET)

Dates To Remember

- * NZART Official Broadcast Sunday 29 July 2007**
- * Next HQ-Info-Line e-mailed on Sunday 22 July 2007-next Sunday**

Regards, Jamie Pye ZL2NN, Editor