



W4K - Special Event Station Peanut Island Riviera Beach, FL

Jupiter Tequesta Repeater Group ([JTRG](#)), in conjunction with the Palm Beach Maritime Museum, Inc. ([PBMM](#)), the U.S. Coast Guard ([USCG](#)), and the American Radio Relay League ([ARRL](#)) will conduct an island expedition to Peanut Island, in West Palm Beach, Florida. In addition to reaching out to Amateur Radio Operators around the world, we are re-activating Peanut Island as a US Island ([FL479S](#)) and honoring John Fitzgerald "Jack" Kennedy's birthday on May 29th beginning at 12pm UTC to May 30th, 21:30 UTC.

For folks that are local or will be local to the area, we hope that you will also visit us on Peanut Island. We will be operating from the Presidential bunker that was built as a fallout shelter for President Kennedy during the height of the cold-war. We will also have operators in the former US Coast Guard station which is now a museum.

Directed tours will be available for the bunker, Coast Guard Museum and Boat House. We will have food vendors, live bands, and community guest speakers on Saturday. The island has been refurbished and includes a dock, nature trails, swimming beach, and snorkeling lagoon.

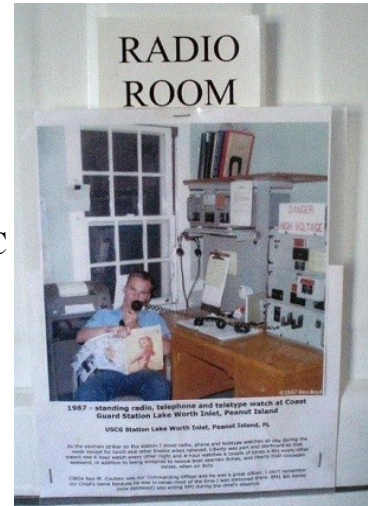
Talk-in frequency will be 146.625 /110.9 with a backup simplex of 146.625.

We have a number of items that will be raffled at the event! Tickets are \$10.00 each and can be purchased at the event or by sending in a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE) to Jupiter Tequesta Repeater Group, PO Box 7751, Jupiter, FL 33468. Grand Prize is a 5,000 watt Coleman Generator with a 10 HP Subaru engine which retails for over \$700.00. Others include artwork donated from Gander Mountain of a Marlin with a retail price of \$300.00, diving classes for 6 people donated from Divers Direct, Paddleboarding classes for 6 people donated from Jupiter Paddleboarding, and gift cards from Jupiter Ale House and Grand Slam Fishing Supply. Be sure to visit our [sponsors](#) page.

THANK YOU to the operators, visitors, United States Coast Guard, Palm Beach County Maritime Museum and many sponsors for your contribution towards this event! Please see the following sites for post event pictures and videos.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=siwyQE94_f8

<http://photoalbum.jtrg.org/Events/DXpedition/W4K%20Event%2020052910/index.html>



If we can't see you there, then we definitely want to QSO with you on-air!!

Operating Frequencies

BAND	CW	PHONE	DIGITAL
80M	3.30	3.830	3.582.70
40M	7.030	7.180	7.037.70
30M	10.130		10.142.70
20M	14.030	14.240	14.072.70
17M	18.070	18.130	18.102.70
15M	21.030	21.280	21.072.70
10M	28.030	28.400	28.122.70

Amateur Radio Event Operators

Henriquez, Julio	AD4Z	CW
Jackson, Kevin	W4JKJ	Digital
Kola, Andrea	AJ4PW	Phone
Lynch, Patrick	AI4NW	Phone
Morales, Richard	KC4WCY	Phone
Morales, Karen	KD4LXY	Phone
Moreschi, Bert	AG4BV	Phone
Orama, Miguel	AC4MO	CW
Padron, Hector	AD4C	CW
Purrinson, Bob	KF2GQ	Digital
Samuels, John	K2CIB	CW

QSL Information:

QSL Manager is Andrea Kola - AJ4PW.

For paper QSLs from within the United States, please send a self-addressed, stamped return envelope (SASE) to:

Peanut Island Expedition
PO Box 7751
Jupiter, FL 33468

For DX contacts, please include two green stamps (US \$2) or 2 IRC's (International Reply Coupons) to cover our cost of replying.

The uploads to LoTW and E-QSL will be done at the end of the event.

Links

- [JTRG DXpedition site](#)
- [DXpedition Photo Collection](#)
- [Palm Beach County Parks](#)
- [Peanut Island WIKI](#)
- [Cold War Bunker](#)
- [Peanut Island Restoration Project](#)

Thank you so much for your interest and looking forward to your participation in this JTRG Special Event!

Best of 73 and good DX!
de Members of JTRG
Jupiter, Florida

