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of your fellow DX'ers /Contesters, and even make a few Q's. Come out early on the 26th and plan to spend the weekend. As usual I will be staying at the Hilltop Motor Inn in Brenham. (409-836-1378) To me roughing it means an air-conditioned motel room with a black and white TV. But the horse trough should be full so bring your bathing suits and enjoy. Things all seem to be coming together for another run at 1st place in 2A. Can we do it two years in a row? Be at the June meeting for all the latest details. We might need you to bring something for the effort. Like a radio.

As you know, Buzz (N5UR) and crew made it down to Nicaragua and were able to put on a new island for IOTA. They got the designator NA-209. It sure sounds like their DXpedition had it's share of Murphy with rain and equipment problems. Not to mention their treatment on the return home. Hopefully Buzz will give us presentation on the trip at the meeting. So see there, another excellent reason to be there.

Had fun this last weekend with the TQP. I didn't have much time to put in but did make over 400 Q's. Now if I can just figure out how to get the logs etc. to Henry..

That's it for this month. Stay cool and bring lots of water to Field Day. 73, Bob N5ET

Announcements

Meeting – The Texas DX Society Meets the second Friday of each month, except when the date is changed by the Board of Directors.

How to Reach Us

On the World Wide Web:

<http://n5uh.tech.uh.edu:80/~tdxs/>

On 2 Meters:

147.96/36 MHz

On Packet:

**Connect TDXS on 144.950 MHz and
then Connect K5LV**

From the Editor – de Dave, WB5N

The Prez Sez – de Bob, N5ET

Well, another day in the upper 90's. (97 actually) What does that put you in mind of? YES, it's time for Field Day, the perfect time to catch a few rays, enjoy the comradrae

Contest Corner – de Joe, W5ASP

No column was received this month

DX – de Buzz, N5UR

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Field Day 1998

When: 18:00 UTC Saturday June 27 to 21:00 Sunday June 28.

Setup: Begins 18:00 UTC Friday June 26, 1995. Show up ready to work any time after that.

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Category: 2A Club Portable, plus Novice, VHF/UHF, Satellite, and Packet stations.

What to bring: Lots of water (at least 2 gallons per day), cool clothes, sunscreen, insect repellent, a hat, work gloves, tent (if you want to stay on sight), food and cool drinks. Tools for antenna assembly are always needed (please mark your tools so they'll leave with you).

There is also lodging and restaurants nearby in Brenham, TX

Where: the W5SJS ranch near Brenham Texas.

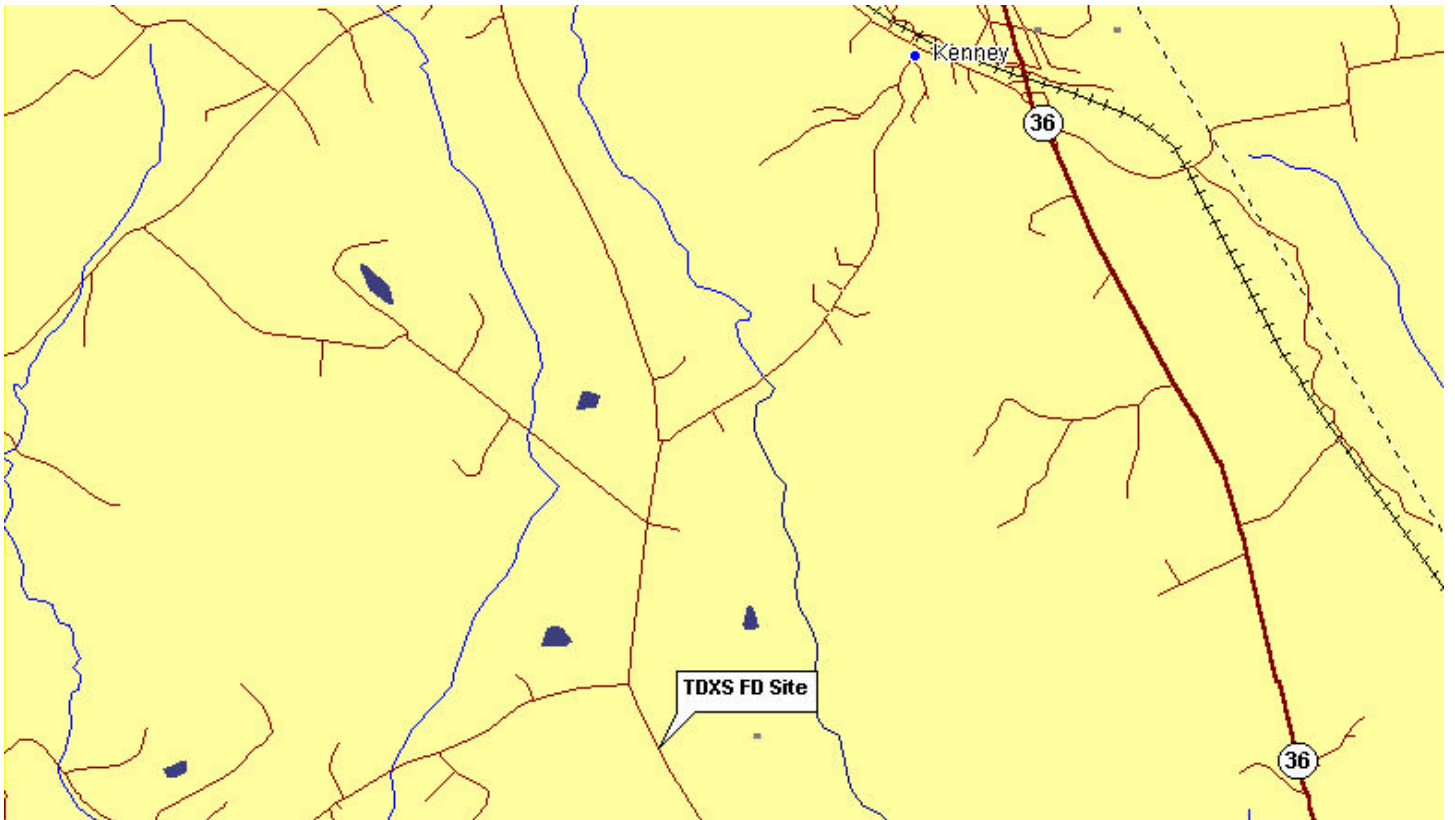
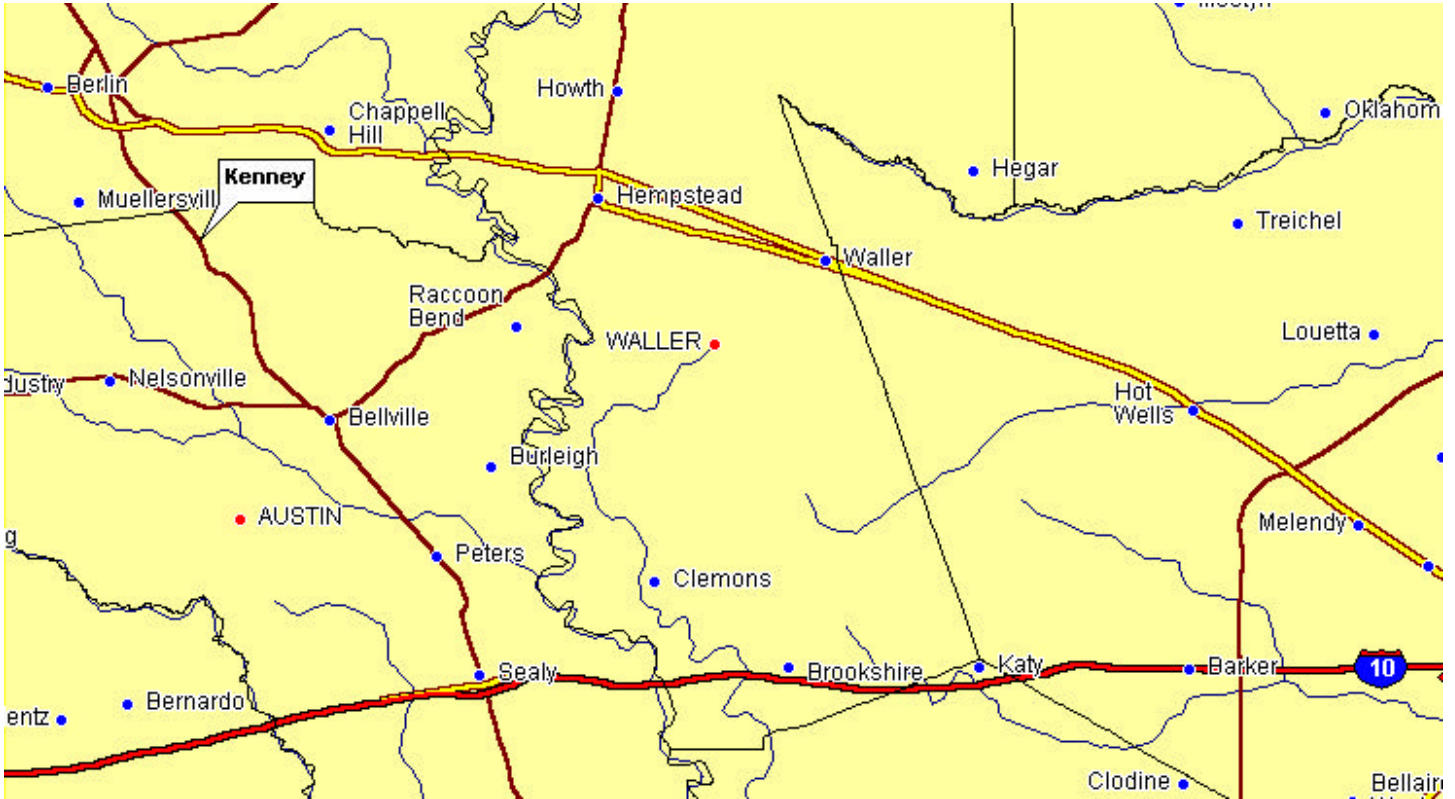
How to get there: (1) take SH290 to Brenham, TX then go south of SH 36 about 8 miles to FM2754.

(2) take IH10 west to Sealy and SH36 north through Bellville about 15 miles to FM2754.

At Kenney (look for the tall, narrow, cylindrical watertower). There is a loop through Kenney, FM2754 is at the north end of the loop. Go about 2 miles southwest on FM2754 until you see 125' tower with tribander on it. There will be signs at SH36 and on FM2754. Look close the signs aren't very tall.

Who: All TDXS members past and present and anyone else interested in the TDXS and having a great time.

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