

DUTCH PIRATE RADIO NEWS FROM Etherpiraten.com

Issue 11

INTRODUCTION

Hello Folks. It's Sunday and that means a brand new issue of Dutch Pirate Radio News From Etherpiraten.com. So, sit back and relax with Issue #11.

STATIONS OFF THE AIR

Last week on Friday, Radio Rio Bravo from Enter was taken off the air by the RDR. All equipment was taken. The Pirate operator was taken to the local police station and had to answer several questions. After a few hours, he was allowed to return to his house. The RDR gave him a warning though. If he was caught again, broadcasting from the same location, he could face a very high fine. It's unknown if he's coming back on the air at this moment.

A Pirate Radio operator from Kollum received a work penalty of 100 hours, because his illegal radio station Bloemfortein was taken off the air 13 times in 1 year. During the trial, his antenna tower was taken down by the RDR. But everybody thinks he will be back, because Pirate Radio is the only thing the man has.

A report came in stating that Radio Delta from The Hague was taken off the air by the RDR. But there's no day and time available, so we can't confirm if this report is true or not.

DUTCH PIRATE RADIO SITE OF THE WEEK

This weeks site is that of SW legend FRSH, short for Free Radio Service Holland. This SW station has been on the air for almost 20 years and in my opinion is the most professional SW Pirate Radio Station from Holland. On their website you will find some audio clips, a potted history about the station and the FRS Sales Production, a list with all kinds of recordings of stations that you can buy. The last update was done back in 1999, this is because the webmaster of FRSH suddenly died. Joop ter Zee will be missed in the Dutch Pirate Radio scene. But still, it's a site to check out. <http://listen.to/frsh>.

FINALLY

This was issue #11 of the Dutch Pirate Radio News From Etherpiraten.com. I hope you liked it and I will be back next week. I also hope to move within a month to my new location. After that you can expect better and longer updates about the Dutch Pirate Radio Scene. As you can imagine, working 2 jobs, fixing your new house, well, there isn't much time left for me to bring you more inside information, for this moment. But I promise, it will all change ;-)).

Myself and the Etherpiraten.com webmaster will be going to a radio market in 2 weeks and then after that I will be doing a guestshow on Starpoint FM from Hilversum. I will take some photo's and tell you all about those 2 days of pure Pirate Radio fun. If we get lucky, we can even take a picture of a car belonging to the RDR. So, that's coming to you in a few weeks. For now, I hope you'll have a great week and that you'll be back next Sunday for Issue #12. Comments, questions and reactions can be send to dijken@etherpiraten.com. See you next week. Lex van Dijken.