

# CLE326 COORDINATOR'S COMMENTS:

Hello all

for our **326<sup>th</sup>** Coordinated Listening Event, we were listening in the frequency range **370 – 399.9 kHz**.

It was only the third time we listened in this slightly wider range which resulted from combining two small ranges (370 – 384.9 kHz & 385 – 399.9 kHz) back in 2024.

The following table shows how many different signals and countries have been logged by reporters from Europe, North America and Oceania during CLE326. Some of these signals had not been heard for several months!

Region	No. of different signals heard		No. of countries logged	
	CLE317	CLE326	CLE317	CLE326
Europe	102	<b>108</b>	39	<b>41</b>
North America	47	<b>60</b>	24	<b>33</b>
Oceania		<b>13</b>		<b>3</b>

This gives a total of **179** different signals from **75** radio-countries including Africa, Asia, Caribbean, Europe, International Waters, North America and Australia! Our initial assessment before the CLE gave us a target of **168** recently-logged Beacons in Europe and **73** in North America (shown as logged since 01.09.2025). Our North American listeners amazingly managed to report **82%** and the European listeners **64%** of those numbers! A direct comparison between CLE317 and CLE326 clearly shows a noticeable improvement this time.

In addition here is our well-known comparison of the three most recent CLEs when we used the same frequencies and 'rules':

CLE	Date	No. of Reporters		Reporters' average km		Reporters' average total km (x1000)		Reporters' average number of NDBs		Reporters' average max. km	
		REU	RWW	REU	RWW	REU	RWW	REU	RWW	REU	RWW
310	20241122	17	16	1017	1456	69	34	63	25	3401	3534
317	20250627	11	13	1094	1211	75	9	64	8	3535	2718
<b>326</b>	<b>20260327</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1028</b>	<b>1368</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>3143</b>	<b>3622</b>
<b>4-event overall averages</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1046</b>	<b>1345</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3360</b>	<b>3291</b>

The following table shows the number of signals received per distance range:

Distance range [km]	No. of signals logged		
	Europe	North America	Oceania
<1000	382	104	4
1000 - 1999	294	153	9
2000 - 2999	32	65	
3000 - 3999	29	23	
4000 - 4999	5	3	
5000 - 5999	1	2	
6000 - 6999		1	
>7000			

A very warm welcome to **Eldert van H.** from HOL who sent his first log for a CLE.

We hope you'll find CLEs as interesting as we do and we are looking forward to seeing many more logs from you in the future.

Also the group of those who have participated in 200 or more CLEs has gained another member.

CLE326 was #200 for yours truly.

**Coming CLEs:** (The dates are provisional at present)

**CLE327** Fri. April 24<sup>th</sup> – Mon. April 27<sup>th</sup>

**CLE328** Fri. May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Mon. May 25<sup>th</sup>

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