



## Station Essay Contest rules

The Dave Kalter Youth DX Adventure (YDXA) announces an exciting contest for young amateurs. Due to the generosity of the 2016 raffle winner Paul Ewing N6PSE and the co-founders of the YDXA, one amateur radio station is being awarded to the winner of an essay contest.

### The prize:

- Alinco SR8T radio
- Jetstream 12 Volt 30amp power supply (or equivalent)
- Jetstream JTV 680 no radial vertical antenna (or equivalent)
- 100 ft of coax antenna line with PL259 connections.

### Eligibility:

- Limited to 12-18 year old Technician class or above US licensed amateurs residing in the 48 contiguous United States. (due to export rules for the equipment and shipping costs)

### Details:

- In 500 words or less submit an essay on your involvement in, personal future plans and importance of amateur radio. Please submit in pdf format if submitted by email.
- **All entries must be postmarked (system dated for emails) by midnight December 23, 2016.** Winner to be announced not later than January 31, 2017.
- Entry form must accompany essay. Please place name on essay.
- Submission of entries on the official entry form is requested but not required. However, all entries must contain ALL the information that is on the official entry form.

### The fine print:

- The Dave Kalter Youth DX Adventure is not responsible for any lost or delayed receipt of any entry to this contest. Those submitting by email should request a read receipt.
- ONLY ONE ENTRY PERMITTED FOR EACH U.S. CALL SIGN for an individual. No club or call signs other than the primary call sign for an individual is permitted.
- All decisions of the contest judges are final. Entrants have no recourse to the decision of these judges. The judges reserve the right to invalidate any suspect or questionable entries.
- Winner will be notified and proof of age must be submitted to the judges prior to award to confirm eligibility.
- All taxes or fees other than initial shipping costs to the 48 contiguous United States are the responsibility of the winner.
- The YDXA and donators have no responsibility or warranty as to the reliability, installation, use or functionality of the prizes.
- All entries become the express property of YDXA and their use in advertising for YDXA.
- Entrant agrees to the use of their name and call sign for publication of the winner.

## **Dave Kalter Memorial YDXA Essay Entry Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City State and Zip (do not include street address: \_\_\_\_\_

Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_ License Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of Dec 1, 2016: \_\_\_\_\_

Essay:

Email entry to [ydx@outlook.com](mailto:ydx@outlook.com)  
Snail mail to: YDXA Contest  
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