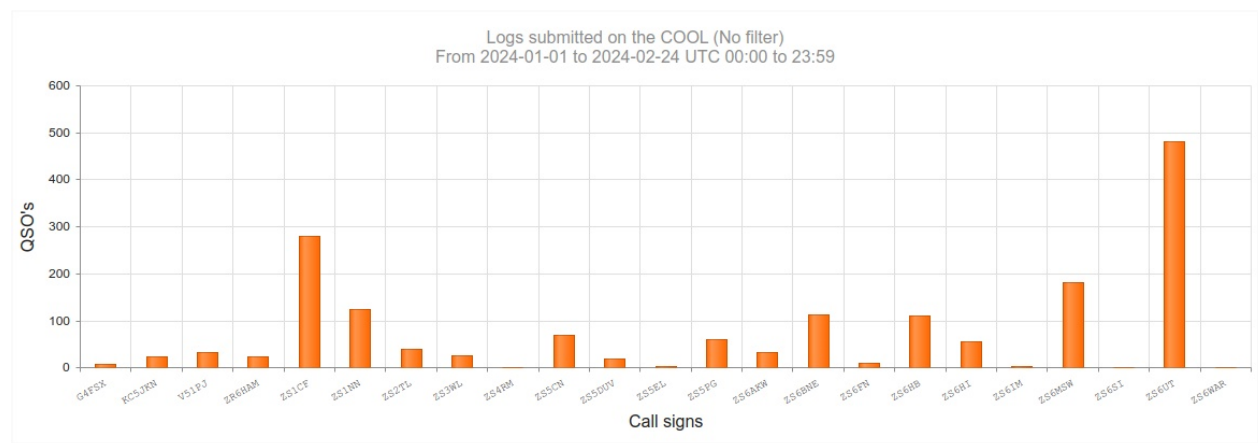


Newsletter - February 2024

We have come a long way in starting an official CW Club in South Africa. We believe it to be the first time such a club has been formed.



Our claim has not been contested but it makes no difference anyway, this is the home for all CW operators in ZS.

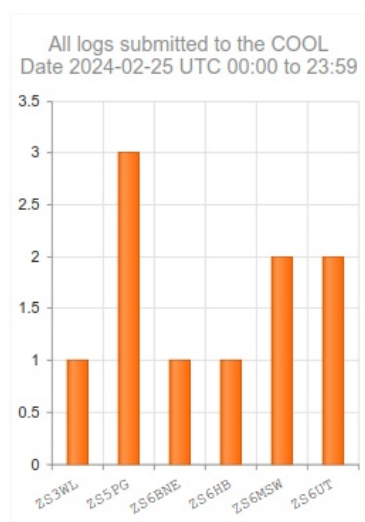


At the heart of the CW Club is The COOL where CW operators log their QSO's on a daily basis hoping to match log entries with the other station and is considered to be COOL.

If exchanges were made between the stations and those exchanges match then the log entries are considered to be Super COOL.

We strive to see our call signs displayed on the Daily Activity graph.

This discipline ripples through to contest logging and exchanges where we practice such interaction regularly in a friendly manner. It is motivating.



A total cleanup of the COOL database has been done.

Backups were taken, all the junk from months gone by removed and now we have a clean start starting from 1st January 2024.

The PIN registration database has also been cleaned up. If you have not used your PIN this year you will need to reapply. Use it, or lose it.

Have fun, work DX, work your COOL buddies and LOG REGULARLY!