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City of Bristol RSGB Group - G6YB

Next Meeting: Monday Oct 26th 2009 1930hrs

At the [Bristol Lawn Tennis & Squash Club, Redland Green, Redland, Bristol BS6 7HF](#)

Hi All

This month's talk:

Phil Whitchurch G3SWH

Most of us like to chase DX in one form or another. Some of us like to be the DX at the sharp end of the pile up - Phil is the latter! This month's talk will be the inside story of Phil's 2009 DX-pedition to the island of Mayotte with Richard G3RWL, and will also cover the planning and execution of the operation as well as some of the history and culture of the island itself. Always an entertaining speaker ... do try to get along.



Phil G3SWH
Operating in
Mayotte /FH



FUTURE MEETINGS: dates for your diary

Monday 30th November Martyn G3RFX not to be missed: Chairman's Evening. Martyn will be ably assisted by his better half, Jane, who will talk about her work with the Highways Agency....

Monday Dec 28th No meeting. But a "Virtual Meeting" – a chat ON THE RADIO! After many suggestions, 10m came out on top as a challenge! So get those dipoles up and let's see if we can have a sked at 1900hrs Monday 28th Dec on 28600 KHz USB.

Monday January 25th 2010 Annual General Meeting – more details soon.

G6YB News

At the recent HF Convention in Wyboston it was announced that the Bristol Group came **1st** in 2009 SSB Field Day (restricted section) for the third year running, and **2nd** in this year's IOTA Contest; the group was beaten by a group operating from Sardinia, with a VERY small margin of points – the equivalent of ONE QSO !! Well done chaps - a brilliant effort.



The GJ6YB Bristol Team on Jersey, several familiar faces in the group!

At the start of September the Bristol RSGB Group launched its new website. You can find the home page at <http://g6yb.org/>. The site covers all group activities, including those of the Contest Group, and has several new features including:

- Member login, which allows you to upload articles and links, and also to access members-only information.
- Search facility, which will come in useful as the site expands.
- Photo album – currently under development

Try registering as a member using your call sign as your user name and choose any password you want. Plenty of links from the site.

Any other suggestions for lectures/visits for 2010?

That's all for now

73

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