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Nature Reserve Föhrenbühl DLFF-0578

Castle Grötschenreuth DL-02829

Castle Drahthammer DL-04950



Nature Reserve Föhrenbühl in the background with a size of 34 ha. Area was well known as important source for soap-stone until reduction was stopped and area renaturized in 2007. It belongs to the 100 most beautiful geotop in bavaria. Location is near the city of Erbendorf at the small village Grötschenreuth, where also the Castle Grötschenreuth (about 200 meters away from nature-reserve) and the Castle Drahthammer in a distance of about 400 meter is.

After the great conditions several days ago I started very short termed on saturday morning to the area of Föhrenbühl. This was my third activity from there and also the most successful.

Arrived at 0715 UTC and simply used the same location like 2019. There is a very small road along the backside of the area which leads to a single farm and has a pass-by possibility which of course also this time was needed.

0733 UTC started at 40 meters SSB and a tremendous pile-up started immediately.

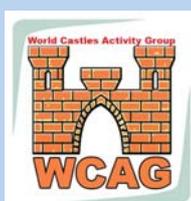
If I look a bit from distance I think it was one of the greatest, I've ever heard in a DLFF-activity.

So alone the first half hour generated 91 contacts.

Also 20 meter was wide open and also lot of short-skip contacts to the closer areas in and around germany were possible.

Used the same strategy like 4 days ago. Altogether 4 slots including 20 meter SSB and CW and the same on 40 meters.

The wind was very heavy and one time it was blowing down the glass-fiber-mast but just 5 minutes later could fix the pro-





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Output on the different bands were 89 on 20 meters and 232 on 40 meters.

15 P2P contacts with other portable stations rounded the result.

As usual thanks for calling in and cuagn soon.

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