DXCC CARD CHECKING FACTS

Field Checkers are extensions of the ARRL so you need to follow the DXCC rules.
http://www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc/

We suggest you have 105 cards in hand just in case there is a problem with any of them. You may submit up to 120 QSO's without additional cost.

Cards need to be sorted by <u>Band, Mode then Entity starting from 80 Meters to 10 Meters</u>. Cards with more than 1 QSO you are claiming for credit go to the end. Check the Mid Florida DX Association website www.w4fdx.com for DXCC Card Checking for examples. 160 Meter cards must be sent to the ARRL DXCC for checking.

Complete the forms and sort your cards.

If this is your first application you <u>must</u> have a minimum of 100 entities either cards in hand and/or LOTW.

Stamped, addressed envelope (To the ARRL DXCC) and fees in form or check, Money Order or Credit Card. The ARRL prefers payment by credit card.

Once you're ready or if you have any questions call Tony at 813-318-1700 or Steve at 813-681-4737 to set up a date to check them for you.

Checklist:

_____ 105 cards or Hybrid with LOTW that is equivalent to 100 QSO's. This is if you are a First time DXCC Applicant.

_____ stamped and addressed business sized envelope

_____ Correctly filled out application

_____ Correctly filled out Work sheets in the order specified by the ARRL

_____ Fees for the application. (We do not charge for checking your cards. ARRL has fees though.)

You are asked to come prepared with the following:

1. Complete your paperwork.
2. Cards must be sorted and listed by band, mode then entity. Cards with multiple QSO's should be at the end. Logging programs will sort your submission in the proper format. You can always use a spreadsheet and do the sort yourself.

Your Submission should be formatted as it is below:

NR	Call	Date	Band	Mode	Country
1	PJ2T	20-Feb-2005	80	SSB	Netherlands Antilles
2	A22/JA4ATV	05-Jan-2006	40	CW	Botswana
3	EX2M	12-Aug-2006	40	CW	Kyrgyzstan
4	IS0/K7QB	25-Oct-2005	40	CW	Sardinia
5	S01R	16-Apr-2006	30	CW	Western Sahara
6	YU6AO	14-Aug-2006	30	CW	Montenegro
7	A45XR	02-Jun-2005	20	CW	Oman
8	EL2AR	31-Jul-2006	20	SSB	Liberia
9	PY0S/PS7JN	06-Dec-2004	20	SSB	St. Peter & St. Paul Rocks
10	VR2XMT	24-Apr-2006	20	SSB	Hong Kong
11	VU2PAI	11-Jun-2005	20	SSB	India
12	CE0Z	23-Jan-2006	15	RTTY	Juan Fernandez Island
13	3Y0X	17-Feb-2006	15	SSB	Peter I Island
14	XF4IH	10-Mar-2004	10	SSB	Revilla Gigedo
15	PA5A	11-Feb-2007	80	CW	Netherlands
16	PA5A	20-Aug-2005	30	CW	Netherlands
17	PA5A	20-Feb-2005	15	CW	Netherlands
18	PA5A	28-Apr-2004	17	SSB	Netherlands

3. Bring a copy of your last DXCC Award Credit Slip.
4. Also bring a Stamped, addressed #10 envelope addressed to DXCC Desk, ARRL HQ, 225 Main St., Newington, CT 06111-1400
5. Check, Money Order or credit card to cover fees and postage