

Amateur Radio on the International Space Station

ARISS QSL Card Report

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- As of today, most ARISS regions have very few QSL cards in stock.
- At our last ARISS Meeting, we reviewed photo selections, and approved one.



At the October 2004 ARISS meeting, the delegates considered a suggested text for the QSL card.

In January 2005, the delegates approved the text (via an email vote).



At the October 2004 ARISS meeting, delegates were given a suggested layout for the boxes on the QSL card.



In February 2005, the delegates decided on (via email) the following, for the layout of boxes on the QSL card. There is not enough space for a separate box to...

- ...record a crewmember's name, but there is room under the call signs to record the crewmember's name.
- ...record if a QSO was a school QSO or a personal QSO -- and that type of detail is not needed.
- ...record a downlink freq -- and that detail is not needed.

Delegates were to suggest what boxes to enlarge...see last slide.



- European delegates can get artwork done at no cost. They think they can get prices below the cost of what we paid to print and ship our first card.
- Gaston said he could get an updated price list.
- Russia said they have good print prices, also.
- Delegates will look at pricing from both areas.



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From what delegates suggested and accepted for the layout of boxes, they look as follows:

From	То	Day	Month	Year	UTC	MHz	Mode
NA1SS							Voice
RS0ISS							Packet
							SSTV
							APRS
							Repeater
							SWL