

CALLBOOK INDIA 2023

Unique guide to Radio shack

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Dr. PRABHAKAR SASTRY, VU2QFZ
HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA



CALLBOOK 2023 (Guide to Radio Shack) has reached nook and corner of the country with more than 900 printed books to celebrate 30 years of Ham Radio Movement in India





CALLBOOK INDIA 2023

Guide to Radio Shack



COMMUNITY BUILDING:

Callbooks are essential in the amateur radio (Ham radio) community as they provide a comprehensive directory of licensed amateur radio operators. This helps in building and strengthening the sense of community among Ham radio operators.

REFERENCE FOR COMMUNICATION:

Ham radio operators use callbooks as a reference when making contact with other operators. It provides information about the call signs, locations, and other relevant details, facilitating effective and accurate communication.

REGULATORY COMPLIANCE:

Callbooks often include information about the regulatory framework governing amateur radio operations. This helps operators stay compliant with licensing requirements and regulations.

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION:

Ham radio operators play a crucial role in emergency communication, especially in situations where traditional communication channels may be disrupted. Having access to an updated callbook can be vital in coordinating emergency response efforts.

PROMOTING THE HOBBY:

Callbooks contribute to the promotion of the amateur radio hobby by showcasing the diversity and extent of the community. Positive remarks from Hams about a particular callbook can encourage others to get involved in amateur radio.

RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION:

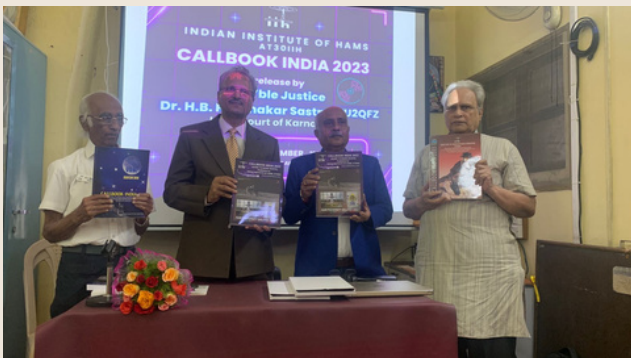
When a respected figure, such as Hon'ble Justice Dr. H.B.Prabhakara Sastry, VU2QFZ, Senior Judge, High Court of Karnataka who is also active Ham releases a callbook, it adds a level of recognition and appreciation to the efforts of the amateur radio community. This can inspire existing operators and attract new individuals to the hobby.

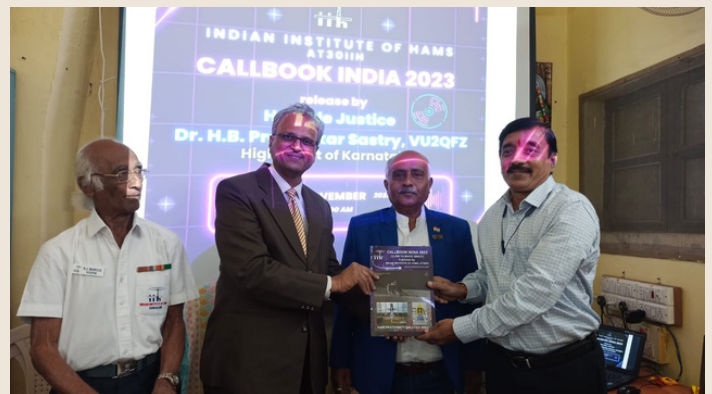
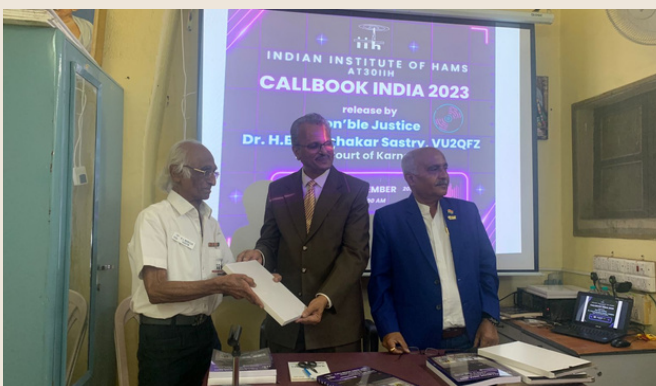
SPECIAL PAGES:

Editor has dedicated front cover page to Chandrayaan-3 and opening color page addressed to Chairman, ISRO congratulating on the successful mission of Chandrayaan-3 followed by the message endorsed from Sri. Madhu Bangarappa, VU2SLW Cabinet Minister, Primary and Secondary Education, Government of Karnataka, page is also dedicated to Sir Jagadish Chandra Bose "Father of Radio Communication" and thanking note to our Wireless Adviser to the Government of India for all the time to time support to amateur radio.

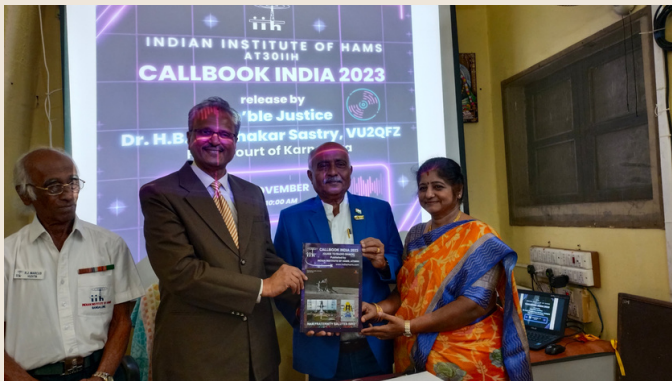
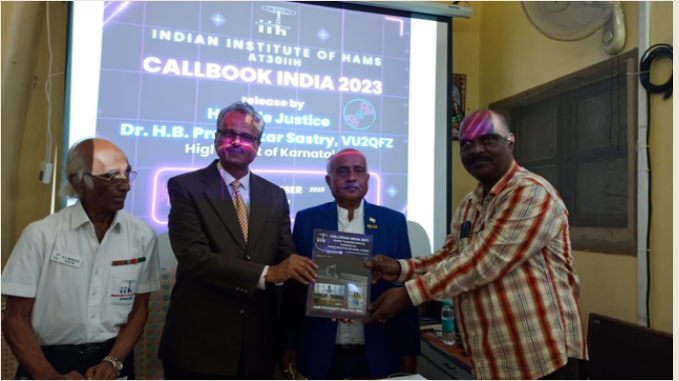
INFORMATION SHARING:

Callbooks often contain additional information all about Ham Radio related activities, Golden Days in amateur radio, Future of Amateur Radio in India, Youth Empowerment in Amateur Radio, Roll call net schedules, Radio repeaters in India, IIR Radio Pilots, Parrot's on HF Nets, DMR networks, Duplexers used in Amateur Radio network, Radio Direction finding, Radio Expedition, Field days, Hill top dxing, Light house Operations, QSL cards , Special call signs, Parks on Air (POTA), Magic Band, Latest digital technologies in Amateur Radio, Geo sat, Operating procedures, Q codes, List of authorized frequencies, Official memorandums issued by WPC, List of Monitoring stations, Glossary of Key words for Amateur Radio Operations, International prefixes, equipment's and antennas and operating preferences of individual operators, Import of amateur radio equipment's 2023-24, Colorful amateur radio map and much more. This sharing of information fosters a collaborative and learning-oriented environment within the Ham radio community.











Glad to be one of the first to receive my copy of 'Callbook India 2023' from Justice Dr Prabhakar Shastry-VU2QFZ, on the callbook release day @ IIH.

Thank you so much dear SP for taking tremendous amounts of time and efforts to bring out the callbook. It's so nicely compiled with all most all the relevant details, that would definitely serve as a ready reckoner in the shack. Thanks to 'Team IIH' for bringing out this useful callbook.

Also, thank you so much for your kind gesture to present a 'Complimentary Copy' of Callbook India 2023 to Upagrah Amateur Radio Club-VU2URC @ U R Rao Satellite Centre.

Subramani, VU2WMY
Handle: Mani
SECRETARY,
UPAGRAH AMATEUR RADIO CLUB,
ISRO



CALLBOOK INDIA 2023

COMMENTS RECEIVED FROM SUBSCRIBERS

The Indian Institute of Hams has made an awesome contribution to the Ham Capital City of India. Through its dedicated training programs, cutting-edge research, and fostering a vibrant ham radio community, it has elevated the city's status as a hub for amateur radio enthusiasts, enabling seamless communication and emergency response.

By : Shuja Ul Haq, VU3UAI

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IIH & It's Very Able Leader Dr S Sathyapal

IIH is a pioneer institute for the promotion and awareness of amateur radio in India. Dr. S. Sathyapal, VU2FI, Managing Trustee & Director (Admin) of IIH is a true evangelist of Ham Radio. I truly believe that whatever recognition Ham Radio operators of India enjoy in India and the world are primarily on account of IIH and the efforts of Dr Sathyapal. There is no other organisation that does this kind of leading and quality work to promote HAM radio. I pray that IIH and Dr S Sathyalpal thrive & continue to ably lead the HAM movement in India.

Anuj Dutt – VU3TQE
Gurgaon, Haryana, India.

IIH is been instrumental in carving the HAM that I am today. Thankful to Dr. Sathyapal and Marcus sir for the valuable theoretical and practical lessons on Radio Communications.
Mahesh Acharya, VU3MBV

GM SP Sir.,
Finally received my Call Book India 2023 copy at my Trichy QTH (it was received earlier at my BLR QTH). I can only summarize about the book by quoting that it is Informative, Well Structured, Clutter free, and with easy reading language. A must have in every Shack. Thank you again for putting together this Call Book India 2023.

73
VU3FBK | Vijay



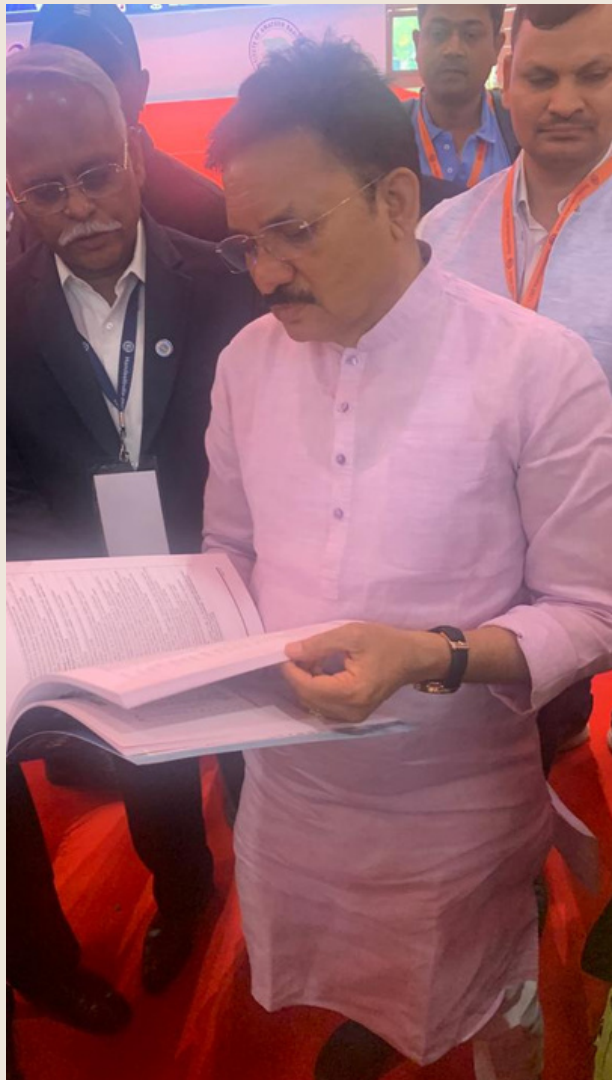
**Hon'ble Communication Minister for State, Government of India
Shri Devusinh Chauhan receives CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 from Suganya, VU3DUG
Governing Council Member, IIH during HAMFEST INDIA 2023, Ahmedabad, Gujarath**

In this technology world every conversation, names, telephone / mobile numbers and address has become digital data.

Many of us must have known and used the old Telephone directory. It was fun and happiness going thru it and finding out lots of known and unknown people. Having a telephone directory those days was giving confidence in a way that huge information is in our hands. I used to feel so proud having telephone directory during my school days.

After so many years feeling the same way - proud and happy looking at this HAM directory.

**Appreciate your sincere efforts in organising, following, collecting and delivering the
Call book 2023 sir 🙏🇮🇳
Suganya, VU3DUG**



**Hon'ble Communication Minister going through
CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 with front dedicate page for
Chandraayan-3 Mission has
has served the purpose with good recognition for HAM
COMMUNITY.**

**Thanks to all the fellow Hams who have subscribed and
holding the CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 in the Radio Shack.**

**OUR EFFORTS AND PUBLICATIONS HAVE SERVED
COMMUNITY AT LARGE.**





Mr Yadhu Kumar, VU3AYC Member-IIH presenting CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 to Inspector General of Police, Western Range Dr. Chandra Gupta, IPS along with Dr, Vikram Amate, Superintendent of Police & Additional Superintendent of Police Sri G.Krishna Murthy, Chikmagalur, Karnataka State.

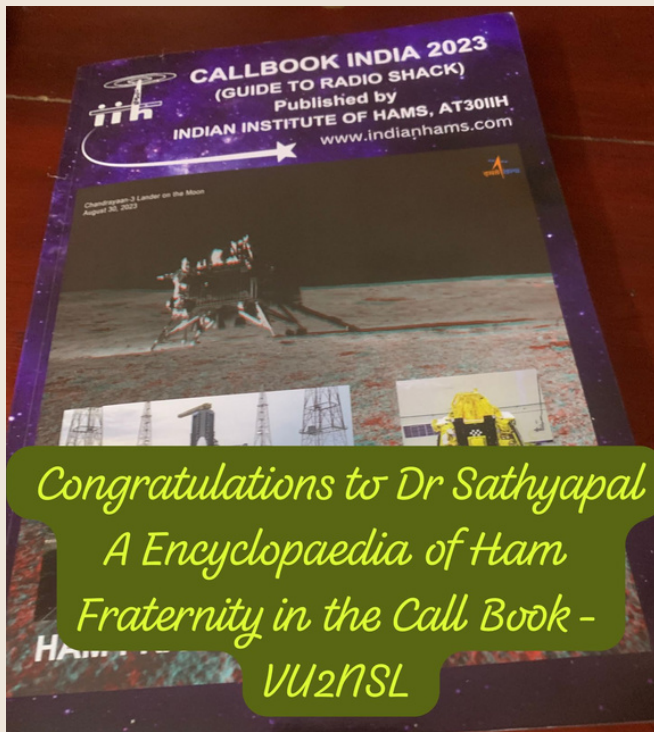


VU3DUH & VU3DUI WITH CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 OF IIH.

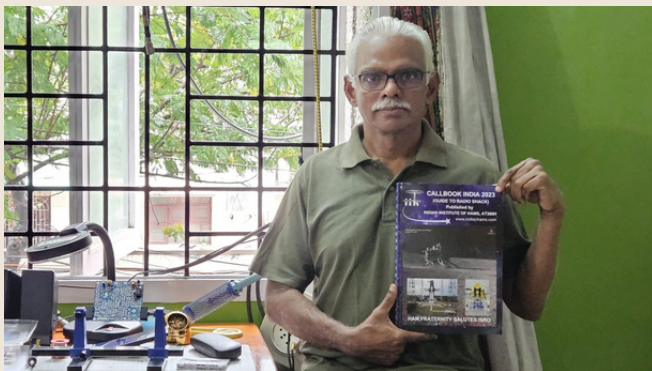
**It is superb with very useful
information sir**

Great job, Thanks to you and IIH

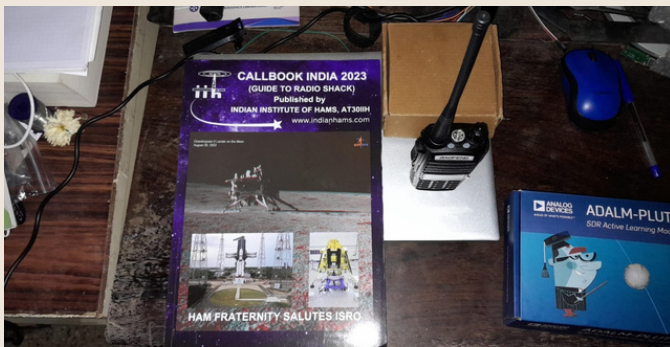
**Girish,VU3DUH Sub-Inspector of Police,
(Wireless) Sringeri, Karnataka state**



VU2QDX Mujeed if you are happy to hold Guide to Radio shack, Editor & IIH team is more Happy. Purpose of our 3rd edition is serving all of you Ham fraternity. It is more valuable to have printed guide than digital. That is the reason, our libraries and institutions are depending on printed books than digital.



Brigadier Rajram, VU2RJV Chennai is happy to place printed hardcopy CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 in his shack.



Hello Sir, thanks a lot, received the book. I find it to be very interesting. I am sure it will be of great help in improving my skills of HAM. Once again thanks for your service towards spreading the message of HAM in the country. Avinash koushik, VU3NTZ



Vu2DNY OM Deenadayalan from chennai. We are happy most of the old timers possess "Guide to Radio shack" 🙌🌱



Hi SP, Recvd the Call Book, Very well designed and good Information on all aspects of Amateur Radio. If you have spare copies I would like to donate a few to some schools known to me.

13:45

From Nitin, VU3TYG Secretary, Amsat India



14:08

DR. SP, delightful to receive this wonderfully complied CALLBOOK. This is very informative and detailed. This has your passion and efforts to keep all the HAM engaged and connect with one another. Thanks for bringing this edition 🙌



Congratulations to Dr. S.P VU2FI on your well-deserved successful launch of "CALL BOOK INDIA 2023 (Guide to radio shack) In this call book fine forenotes, Ads attract customers, index made easy, net timings, radio pilots, repeater lists, & Amateur radio world map very clear.. You're an inspiration! VU3CGM Anil, Kolar

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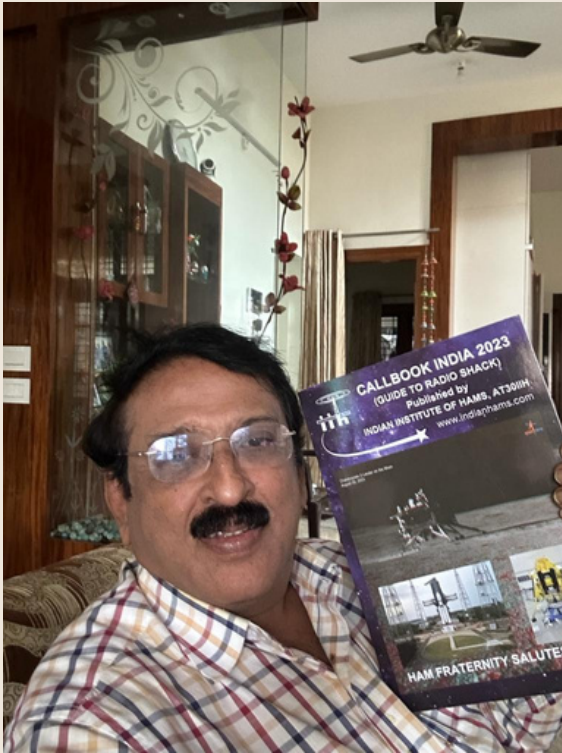
Meticulous work on the call book sir 🙌
lot of hard work has gone in !
And thank you for the special mention of POTA
and my operational pics sir!!
Deeply Appreciated 🙏
VU2UCR Srihari

Please keep up the brilliant work you do to promote HAM and the use of HAM
God Bless you for the work you do for disaster and during other calamities.

Also using HAM for sports and day to day life.

HAM cannot be replaced and only time will prove it 🙏

Sanjeev shah, VU3TZP



Thank you Satyapal and Team from IIH,
just received this call book after
I came back from my Clinic,
Very informative info on Ham Radio plus Call Book.
I will take this as a DIWALI GIFT from IIH ...
Thank you from Dr. M.B. Kiran, VU2MIK.

Dear SP Sir,

Received the Call book. So wonderfully done with insights into HAM activities and useful
information for a first time reader.

A beautiful treasure this book is and reconnected me back to memories of HAM.

I had been on bed rest for 2 months, out of touch with one and all but this book gave me positive
signals to get back on air to catch up with the HAM fraternity.

Thank you once again for the motivation and inspiration.

73 VU3UCM

*Good evening Dr. SP sir, good to see the efforts that you put-in in creating
such a wonderful Call book. Really appreciated your dedication and efforts that you put in.*

It reached us during the festival week, In spite of the festival time you delivered as per the commitment.

Salute to you Sir. Regards Mohammed Junaid VU3AZH



Received the callback today. It is a very thoughtful compilation of all the requisite information catering to all HAMs and SWLs. Applaud the sincere efforts by you and the entire team in publishing this book as a ready reckoner. Well organized and sure will motivate everyone into the HAM activities with more enthusiasm. 🌸👏🙏

Srinivas G. VU3SXL Hyderabad

Thanks for a very informative and detailed CallBook 2023.
Must keep one copy in every Ham Shack. Chirsty, VU3USI
Chennai

Namaskar. Received the call book today. Thank you. I appreciate the printing photo of Aacharya J.C.Bose & the info of his contribution as the "Father of Wireless Communication". I operate with AU2JCB call sign every year around his birth date 30 Nov, for the last 18 years. You can get more info at the AU2JCB call sign on the QRZ page. 73.

Datta. VU2DSI, Ahmednagar,
Maharastra

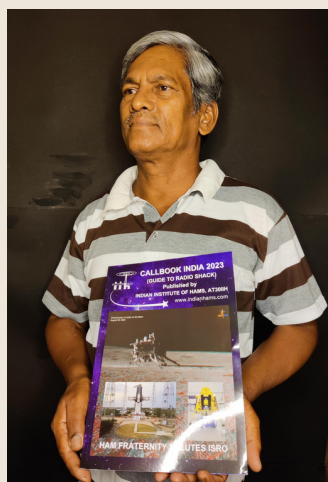


SUSHANTH VU3UBZ, Wonderful book and this has more and more information with nice cover page and this callbook is very informative to each and everyone, thanks to Dr. Sp sir and team IIH to this Diwali gift.... 73.



Thank you Dr SP and IIH for publishing Callbook 2023. The one-stop guide to an Amateur radio operator. I was expecting a directory of active HAMs, but looking at the wealth of information included, the directory now looks like a bonus. A must for every shack.

Pranavi VU3FWS & Nandu VU3UBN



GOOD EFFORT...BEST WISHES FOR ALL THOSE INVOLVED IN THIS NOBLE SERVICES OF CALL BOOK. BE HAPPY BE SAFE. LET US CELEBRATE HUMANITY AND ITS VALUE WITHOUT ANY DISCRIMINATIONS. MAY PEACE AND HAPPY PREVAIL ON THE EARTH.

*VU3XMS SUKUMAR,
KALPAKKAM
8122976090.



Thank you Dr.SP and IIH team for publishing the CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 and received it today evening.Kudos to each and everyone for there efforts in compiling the master guide with all much required information for the HAM operators 🌈 73
Chethan M VU3FGS

Thank you, Dr. Sathyapal. I received the very beautifully compiled callbook. Lots of very useful information for the new hams as well as a compilation of useful info for all hams. You and the team behind this callbook deserve all appreciation for the great efforts put in.

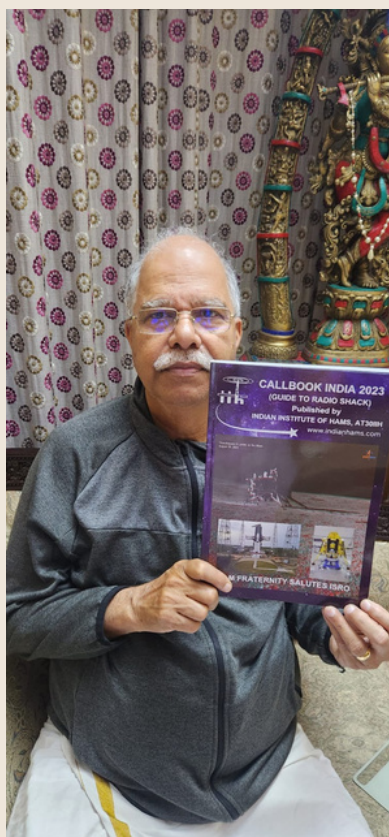
Arun, VU3KNA

Thank you sir for sending the Callbook India. I received it today. I thought it was only a directory of call signs. I was pleasantly surprised that it was more of a complete HAM operators guide especially for new hams. The book design is very attractive and I am looking forward to reading the book cover to cover and gaining a lot of knowledge and information about HAM 😊 Savitha shetty, VU3UCX

Thanks a lot for a wonderfully compiled call book or rather I should say a HAM radio user's guide. The information and the way it is compiled has something for everyone and covers IIH's role in all aspects well. Thanks for the great work.

Jegan, VU3JYU

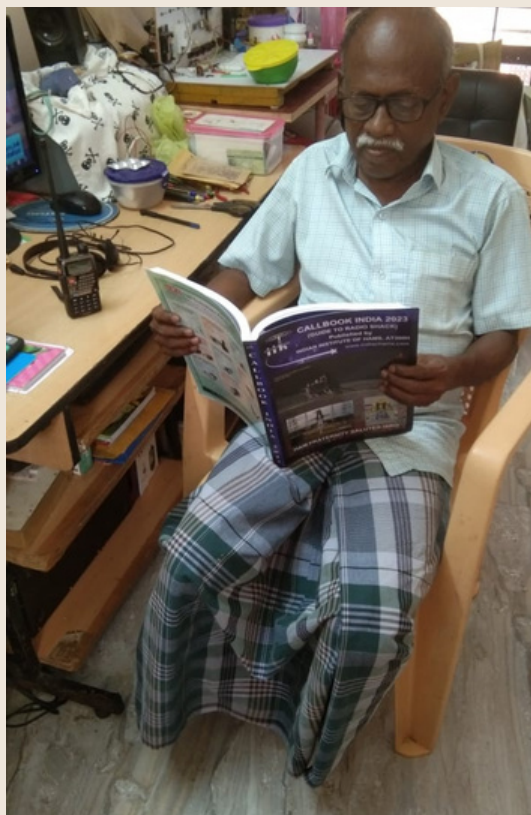
Received 2023 Callbook 🥰, Thanks to the IIH team for the excellent job 🙏. Very informative and useful for Ham shack 🙌. De Saro VU20BR.



Received the callbook.
Congratulations once again
for the entire team.
V.Krishnamoorthy VU3 VK0



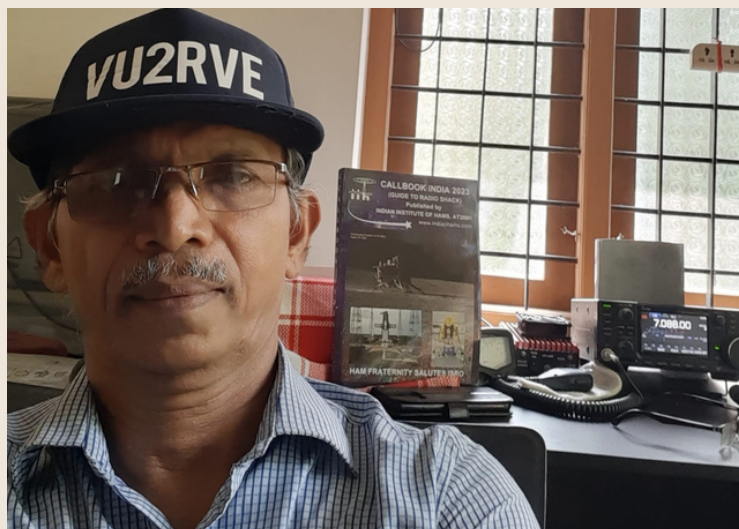
Received Callbook 2023. Its presentation is very good. I can feel the hardships in compiling and presenting the information in such a categorised way. Good team work. An added display in my Shack. VU2MLA Achar.



Call book India 2023 : VU2NPT Tyagu,
Tuiticorin received the call book India by
Indian Institute of Hams . front page to back
page all looking fine and I got new more
information inside with all photo gallery its
very use full to me now I am 65 Years young
and regular on both HF and VHF and Echo
link I am an retired Engineer from TNEB.



**Thank you Dr. Satyapal S and IIH
team for publishing the CALLBOOK
INDIA 2023. Wonderful efforts in
compiling the master guide with all
much required information for the
HAM operators.Vijay
Savanur (VU3CKX)**



Received the Call Book India 2023. Excellent work by
IIH, Bangalore. The call book is beautifully made,
easy to use, and it is an essential tool for any ham
shack. Thanks again, de Ravi
VU2RVE 🙏 HF VWN net controller. 7123.45 KHz



Dear Dr. SP,

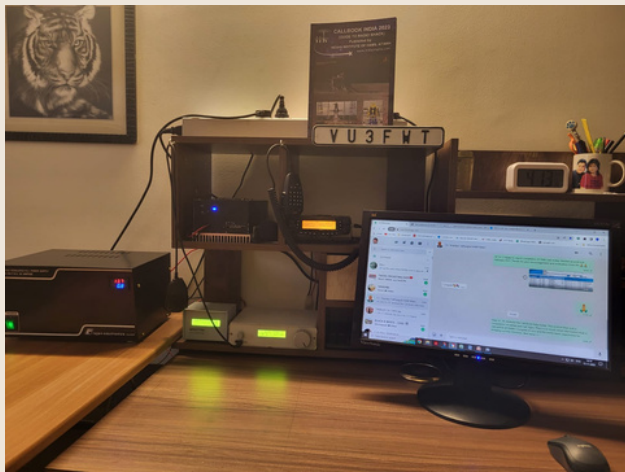
I'm delighted to inform you that I have received the CallBook India 2023 - Guide to Radio Shack.

In this info-digital age, where almost everything is reduced to soft copies and digital versions, the CallBook India 2023 is, for me, a very prized possession! I'm certain that this is a sentiment shared by everyone who has reserved a copy.

The manner in which it has been structured, the information it carries, and the superior quality of printing make it truly a collector's item to be cherished and I am very happy to say that it will always find a prominent place in my shack.

Many congratulations and sincere thanks to you and team IIH for your very diligent and sincere efforts in making this a reality.

73, Rakesh Vanamali, VU3FGP
Wynad, Kerala State



Dear Dr. SP, received the Call Book India today. This is more than just a compilation of names and Call Signs. There is so much more information that is relevant to all HAM's. Congrats to you and the entire team responsible for bringing out this Directory. Well done
!!!! Satish, VU3FWT



Received the callbook Sir, tremendous effort you have taken to bring such an amazing book with extremely useful content. Seriously its a must have for new HAMs like me. Greatly appreciate your effort and commitment towards the HAM community Sir.
73, VU3NJF Rijaz



Dear SP sir, its beautiful guide for entire Indian Hams. Specially the dedication to collect all the information we should appreciate IIH and also Hams who given proper data as well.. Special thanks to You SP. For this encyclopedia.
Niranjan, VU3BJT



CALLBOOK INDIA 2023

Dear Dr SP sir and team,

This excellent book not only beautiful guide for entire Indian Hams, it also created good template with SOPs/procedures to create such database/resources.

Again, IIH demonstrated its team work.

Special thanks to IIH team lead Dr SP to made it happen.

73 DE
Durai VU2SEV
Sarvesh VU3FXH



Congratulations Dr Sathyapalji for the great effort.
73s de VU2JLE SHYAM, Wynad

10:26 ✓



Dear SP Sir, I got the copy of the most awaited book 'Call book India 2023'. The book speaks of the hardwork and effort put by you in promoting HAM community. The book is perfect by all means that is the contents, cover page, binding and finally the packing. Thank you for guiding me into the world of HAM radio. I am just a beginner with a Walky. I am sure that I will build a radio shack with your help and make contacts. I am sure that this book will be of great help to budding HAM enthusiasts. 73 VU3CDQ. Dr Varghese

12:26



I have received the call book of India 2023 released by Indian institute of hams. Having gone through the call book on a cursory basis, I find all the aspects of this great hobby are covered, including the latest in the technology to information regarding the custom duty and WPC renewal procedures. I say that it's a comprehensive call book I've seen so far. Appana, VU2HNA

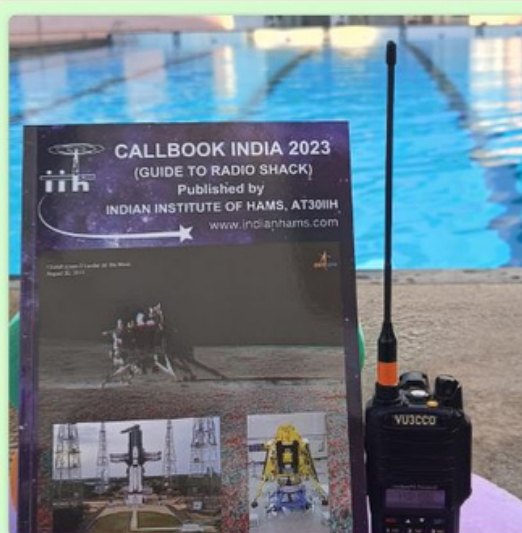
10:26 ✓

Just received a copy of Call book India 2023 published by IIH. An excellent guide to amateur radio for beginners. Collectable for a any radio shack. Congratulations once again to Dr. Satyapal VU2FI for such a wonderful and dedicated effort. Happy Hamming.
VU2MYH, NIAR, Hyderabad

Dr. SP sir, I have received the CallBook India 2023 - Guide to Radio Shack. A must and an essential asset for each Ham, rich in contents, well oriented. Sincere thanks to you and team IIH for the diligent and tremendous efforts in making this Call Book.

73, Deepu DA VU2MZO

*Hi Dr SP.. Received the handbook. The content is engaging and informative.
Liked the section on configuring DroidStar. Thank you for putting so much of information in the book.*
73, Dhanush M VU3CHF



Good morning Dr.Sp sir , Vardan sir &IIH team Call Book India 2023 of IIH it is Superb with very useful information I find it to be very Interesting I am sure it will be of Great help in improving My skills of HAM 🙏
Dhanyavad.
M. VU3CCO.
Swimming coach.

Anup kamath
Bangalore

08:39 ✓



Thanks Dr Sp, I got the book. This is an amazing collection of information any HAM should have at hand. Really appreciate the team effort. Thanks to IIH too 🙏 Vishal Gupta, VU2SZT, Agra

11:18 ✓

Hi Dr SP..
Received the handbook.
The content is engaging and informative.
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Thank you for putting so much of information in the book.
73, Dhanush M VU3CHF

Thanks. Dr Satyapal. Excellent book. A great selfless service to all by you.

Lot of hard work gone in to bring this book. Congratulations.

Regards, Suri VU2MY



Thank you Dr. Satyapal Sir. I got this book today. Really a great effort from you and your team. As a businessman with limited free time its wonderful to have a hobby like this, and I am just learning new things daily, and a book like this will surely help me. 🙏 From Prabhakar Agarwal, VU3BLF Rampur, UP

12:31

Thank you Satyapal Sir. Callbook India 2023 stands out as a beacon of clarity in the complex realm of HAM's. The Author's of the book have a systematic approach and lucid explanations make intricate concepts accessible even to those with minimal prior knowledge. This book not only imparts valuable technical skills but also fosters a deep understanding of the subject matter. The real-world examples and practical insights provide a solid foundation for anyone navigating the intricacies of HAM's World. A definitive guide that seamlessly combines expertise with approachability, A must-read for anyone seeking a literary journey that transcends the ordinary. Special Thanks to IIH

Regards

Shuja Haq (VU3UAI)

Dear Dr. Sathyapal,

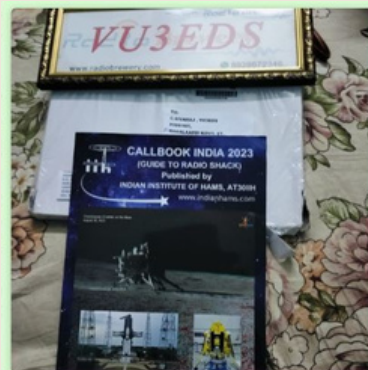
CallBook India 2023 was delivered to my home in Thane, Maharashtra a little while ago.

It has come out well with its rich content. We can see the passionate work that has gone in bringing it out. Sincere thanks to you and team IIH for such a meticulous compilation of useful resources for HAMs. 73, Dr Guruprasad Kuppu Rao VU3GPK



good afternoon sir.
Recived Call Book India 2023. very nice.
Appreciate the effort taken by you and your team.
Thank you.VU3OPU.

18:47 ✓



🙏❤️🇮🇳🇮🇳🇮🇳 Good evening sir.. I received your ham radio call book this morning. I am very happy. It can be said to be a repository of creative information about ham radio. For you... Congratulations to all who worked with you. Thank you and good bye.
C. Sivaraj(VU3EDS.)
Radio Listener.
Edappadi - Salem 🙏❤️🇮🇳🇮🇳🇮🇳

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Good Evening SP,

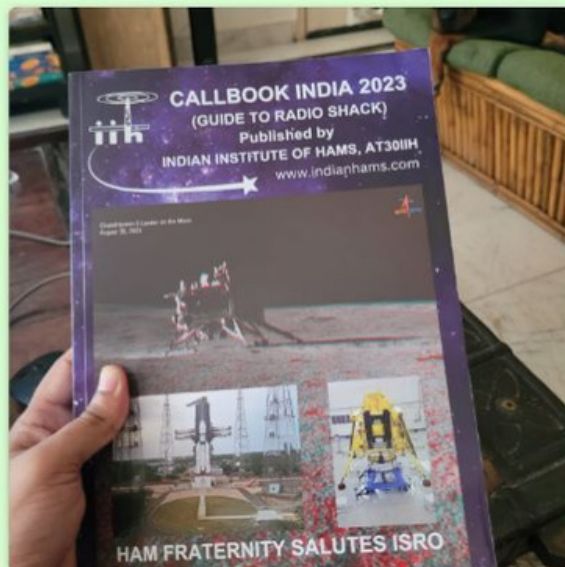
Thank you very much for the call book. Very handy. Good compilation. Lots of information. A lot of hard work has gone into it. Kudos to you and the team.

73, Kris, VU2CAW



Vu2ACC.CHARLES from kerala, Old timer and net controller. Fantastic our callbook has reached all over India. Hardcopy of CALLBOOK INDIA 2023 project by IIH is successfull. Thank u all who have supported in having a CALLBOOK ONDIA 2023 (Guide to Radio Shack)

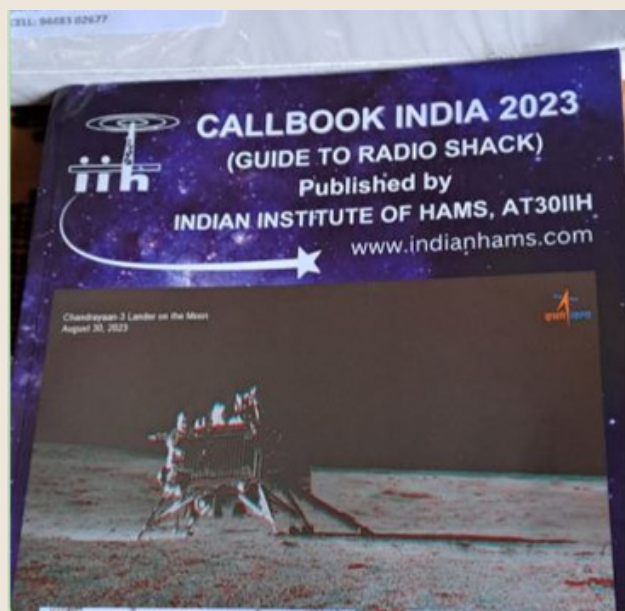
11:47 ✓



Thank you Sir for the Callbook, received it just now.

It's fantastic, well-made and full of useful info for HAMs in India. Excited to put it to good use! VU3UBE

Edited 13:18 ✓



Sir, Received with thanks copy of Beautiful Call Book India 2023 today. Collectors Book with front cover tribute to iconic Chandrayaan 3, lots of information on all Ham matters. CARS Society & all repeaters & my name are found. Anil, VU2TGH Chikmagalur Amateur Radio Society

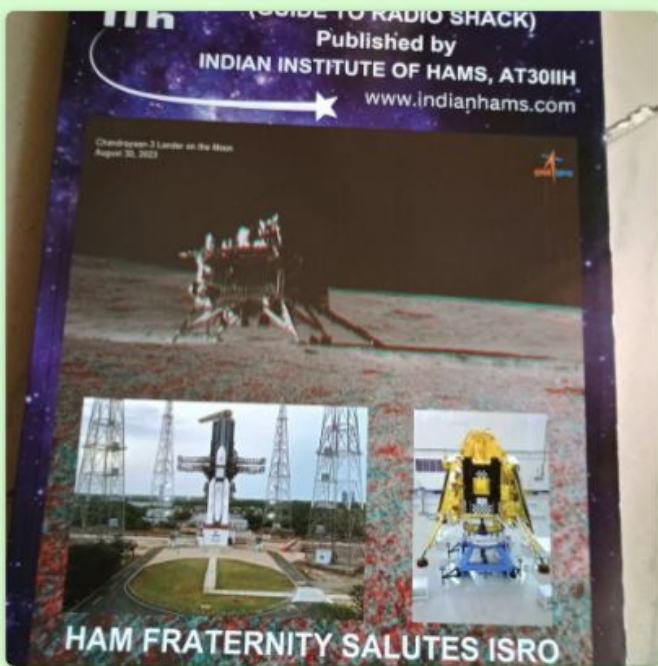
09:52 ✓



Dear Dr. SP. I received the CALL BOOK 2023 just now. I really appreciate the amount of efforts put in by you and your team. It's a ready reckoner for every Ham radio Operator. Very well made. I feel delighted to hold it in my hands. Congratulations and best wishes.

Prakash Pednekar. VU3CFR

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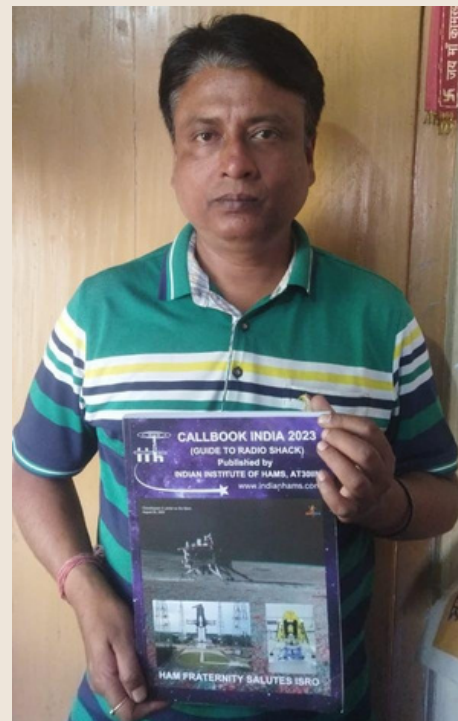


Received on 15 11 2023. The said book is very useful for the beginners, by going the said book one can easily learn how to operate the radio in one word it is very useful like a teacher. VU2AXH, Vizag

12:38 ✓



Callbook India 2023 is handover to Supreeth, VU2TII youngest General Grade License holder



I am grateful to Zeal Visionary Humanitarian Actor per Excellence Dr. S P sir for his ocean heart for making history for publishing CALL BOOK INDIA 2023, which is time demand which will connect every part of India. Never the less our brothers and sisters at IIH for their efforts. I am delighted to receive copy of same just. Great Salute to Dr. SP sir.

Arup VU3HQP (Agartala), Tripura, (North-East). 🙏



Thank you SP ji for the Call Book. Nicely brought up as a Reference Material. My appreciation to the whole team. Must for every Ham shack. Nayak, VU2NYK.

19:31 ✓

Dear Subscribers and Supporters,

I am truly grateful for the overwhelming support and enthusiasm we have received for CALLBOOK INDIA 2023, the Directory for Amateur Radio Operators. Your subscriptions and pre-bookings have played a pivotal role in making this publication a success.

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