

## DAØWCA - 14.06.2014 DL-02832 - DL-04419 - DLFF-093 Castle of Ilsenbach + Castle of Püchersreuth



The castle of Ilsenbach at first was named in history in 1154. Between the years 1419 and 1436 the war against the Hussites was also organized from there. In the time around 1550 there was the reformation



side view from the Castle of Ilsenbach DL-02832

there in the village and the border between Bohemia and Neuburg was going through the village. The current castle-building exists there since 1661. Since 1807 the area belongs to bavaria. In 1987 the castle was buyed by the Ackermann-family which investigated a lot of time and money. They are also owner of the Castle in Wildenau (DL-02337)

The location of the castle of Ilsenbach and the castle of Püchersreuth is very closed together, divided by a main-road which is going from Neustadt to Plössberg. So for the WCW-weekend we selected a location between the two objects qualifying both for this activity. Additionally it 's located in the Nature Park nördlicher Oberpfälzer Wald DLFF-093. We started at 0742 UTC with DD8VX as first station in the log who

was also active from a new castle DL-04404. It was sunny but not too warm this day. Propagation was also not too well and the number of stations which were interested in castles was a bit limited. After

the first hour operating time we got visitors from the neighbour town Neustadt. Our club-member Karl DL4RU and his xyl Inge DL9RBI were showing along and we had a nice outdoor meeting there. Later we tried again the bands but opening on 20 was not so good so finally ended again later on 40 meters. The total of QSOs were 142 from this location. Last contact was with DF4JG at 1042 UTC. The second day of the World Castle Weekend I spent at home and was sporadically QRV from my homecastle in Falkenberg DL-02335 with additional 100 contacts from there as DA0CW/p. (Used the other call













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to avoid missunderstandings).

The castle of Püchersreuth was built in the year 1721 from the dy-Hundnasty of Sparneck. There was an old and a new castle however only the newer one still exists and is in private ownership. They were also for a period owner from the not too far away castle of Thumsenreuth.

73, 44, 11 cu from the next one Manfred -DF6EX-

Karl DL4RU, Inge DL9RBI with my xyl Christa

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Logs already were uploaded in the online-databases:

http://logsearch.wwff.co http://www.wcagroup.org http://logsearch.cotagroup.org

All reports from previous activites can be found at:

http://www.qrz.com/db/da0cw



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