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OKFF-0247  
National Nature Monument Krizky



*Krizky was elected as National Nature Monument in 1962. Total size is around 4 ha. The location is on top at Slavkovsky Les Nature-Park at around 800 meters above sea-level. Krizky consists by a rocky summit with three crosses on top which were set as a symbol of gratitude in 1859. The legend says there were three brothers healed from a serious illness. On the serpentine rocks some flowers like sandwort-leaved mouse-ear are growing which are not available anywhere else in the world.*



Nature Monument Tri Krizky on top of Slavkovsky Les

We made a visit to the area some weeks ago while there was a beautiful sunny winter-day. At may 03 we decided to go there for an activation.

The Saturday morning was without too big announced contest activity. So the plan was to activate at first OKFF-0247 and after this OKFF-0299. The weather however looked not so well, two days ago we were in DLFF-036 for the castle-day with a top-temperature of

22 degrees, here we had only 5 degrees and it was looking all time like rain will come soon. So trip took a bit longer as planned we arrived the area at 0645 and were starting to search final working location. We started at 0707 UTC on 40 meters and just found a good frequency. Luciano I5FLN was the first station. The distance between the two OKFFs is at the lowest point less than 20 meters. The only difficult situation was to find parking ranges for both locations as the road between them is extreme small. OKFF-0247 has a very small activation area so that was the reason for the beginning there. Weather was wet and we soon started to get an iccold-shack in the car. The area had a very good and free offset to all directions. Received reports were excellent. Most of the well-known friends calling in earlier operations were coming in and the log was growing rapidly. In the total operating time of 70 minutes could work 186 stations. 20 meters was not so effective from there, so main-band was again 40 meters. Altogether 27 countries could





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be worked. When also 40 meters moved down from the conditions we decided to pull down the station and try to continue with another short one from the opposite-side of the area. Top 3 countries in the log from this activity were germany, italy and poland. So we turned the car and moved down about 2 kilometer at the end of of the nature-reserve there to build up again.

actual OK8WFF-QSL-card shows the nature-monument seen from distance on the right side, all QSOs will be confirmed automatically, you don't need to send a card yourself.

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All reports from previous activites can be found at: <http://www.qrz.com/db/da0cw>

Building down in OKFF-0247 and moving to OKFF-0299

