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■ "Popcorn City" looks to spread boppin' oldies worldwide. Marc Moes reports from Antwerp, page 12.



■ An expanded show floor is just one of the many changes awaiting visitors

HD Radio Gets Alpine Demo

By Michael Hedges



Markus Ruoss

LUZERN, Switzerland Interest in HD Radio received a boost from Swiss broadcasters after a successful demonstration in and around Luzern.

More than 200 broadcasters, technical specialists and regulators from six countries attended the two days of discussion and explanation of the in-band, on-channel (IBOC) digital radio system.

Swiss broadcaster and technical con-

sultant Markus Ruoss, a strong European proponent of HD Radio, organized the HD Radio Days event, held 28-29 June, as the first public HD Radio demonstration in Europe.

Field trials

HD Radio is the trade name for the IBOC digital radio system developed by iBiquity Digital Corp. in the United States. Broadcast Electronics (BE), which manufactures IBOC, page 3 ▶

FIRST PERSON

Rural Radio Grows in Mongolia

By Luke Distelhorst

DALANZADGAD, Mongolia

It was 08:00; there were no power...

