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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- Nao, JK1FNL will be active as 8Q7FF from the Maldives (AS-013) on 4-9 January. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- G Special callsign GB65ISWL will be active from several locations in the UK throughout 2011 to celebrate the 65th anniversary of the International Short Wave League (www.iswl.org.uk). QSL via G6XOU. [TNX VA3RJ]
- Shane, VK4KHZ will be active as H44DA from Honiara (OC-047), Solomon Islands on 6-16 January. He plans to be QRV on 6 metres on a daily basis, subject to favourable conditions, but he will also operate holiday style on the HF bands. QSL via VK4KHZ. [TNX DX World]
- LU_ssh Diego, LU8DIP will be active from LU1ZS, the club station located at the "Teniente Camara" base of Argentina (South Shetland Islands, AN-010), until mid-March. He operates in his spare time around 14185 kHz and 7070 kHz. "He does know CW", The Daily DX reports, "however at this time it is unknown if he will be active on that mode".
- P4 Marty, W2CG will be active again as P40CG from Aruba (SA-036) on 10-24 January. Operating time will be limited mostly to his morning and early evening hours; expect him to be QRV on 80-10 metres CW, with some SSB "on request". QSL via home call, and LoTW. [TNX W2CG]
- PY Special event station PS150PLM will be active on 1-30 January to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Brazilian scientist, inventor and radio pioneer Father Roberto Landell de Moura. Expect activity on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres mainly SSB. QSL via PS7AB (all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau). [TNX PS7AB]
- W Wade, AA8LL and Roger, K0RMK will be active as AA8LL/4 and K0RMK/4 from Key Largo (NA-062) on 10-17 January. They will operate holiday style on 40-12 metres SSB (24950, 21260, 18128, 14260 and 7155 kHz), CW (28040, 24910, 21040, 18098, 14040, 10114 and 7030 kHz) and RTTY (24925, 21079, 18102, 14079, 10139 and 7039 kHz) with 200 watts and wires. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Wade will also upload his log to LoTW and eQSL. [TNX AA8LL]
- ZF Pete, K8PGJ will be active as ZF2PG from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) on 2-9 January. He will operate holiday style on 40, 20 and 15 metres. QSL via home call.
- ZL Members of the Papakura Radio Club will be active as ZL50VK between 1 January and 31 March to celebrate 50th anniversary of the club. QSL via ZL1VK, direct or bureau. Expect logs to be

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AF-037 9L0W
                Banana Isls
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       5H3EE/3 Bongoyo Isl
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AF-075 5I3A/3
                Bongoyo Isl
                                Feb 2010
AF-083 TS8P
                Djerba Isl
                               Apr/May 2010
AF-091 TS7TI/p Plane Isl
                               Sep 2010
AF-092
       TS7TI/p Kuriat Isl
                               Sep 2010
       R0/US0IW Beringa Isl
AS-039
                                  Aug-Oct 2010
AS-185 3W6C
                Con Co Isl
                                Apr 2010
AS-193 HZ1DG/p Farasan Kebir Isl
                                   Nov 2010
                  Berlenga Grande
EU-040 CQ7OA
                                    Jun 2010
EU-062 LA/SP7IDX Engeloya Isl
                                   Jun 2010
NA-078 XF1HUQ Magdalena Isl
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NA-078 XF1HVF
                  Magdalena Isl
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NA-158 AB5EB/KL0 Kalgin Isl
                                   Aug 2010
NA-158 AD5A/KL5 Kalgin Isl
                                   Aug 2010
NA-171 XF1RCS
                 Venados Isl
                                  Nov 2010
NA-182 CK8G
                 Greens Isl
                                Apr 2010
NA-191 TI7XX
                 San Jose Isl
                                 Dec 2009/Jan 2010
NA-197 K9YNF/KL7 Fox Isl
                                  Aug 2010
NA-201 CO7PH/p Anclitas Isl
                                 Jan 2010
NA-208 VY0X
                 Ulituqisalik Isl
                                 Aug 2010
NA-231 VY0V
                 East Pen Isl
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NA-235 KL7RRC/p Chirikof Isl
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OC-029 V73QQ
                 Majuro Atoll
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OC-087 V73QQ
                 Enewetak Atoll
                                   Oct 2010
OC-114 FO/DL3APO Raivavae Isl
                                    Jan/Feb 2010
OC-114 TX3D
                 Raivavae Isl
                                 Jan/Feb 2010
OC-177 YE0A
                 Ayer Isl
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OC-211 VK6IOA Robertson Isl
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OC-260 V63MY
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OC-260 V63TO
                 Oroluk Atoll
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OC-278 V73RRC
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                Starbuck Isl
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OC-281 T32CI
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                                Apr 2010
OC-282 T32VI
                Flint Isl
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OC-295 9M6DXX/p Sebatik Isl
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OC-295 9M6XRO/p Sebatik Isl
                                  Sep 2010
SA-012 YV7/UY5ZZ Margarita Isl
                                    Oct/Nov 2010
SA-041 PX8J
                Lencois Isl
                               Jun 2010
SA-057 CW3TD
                  Timoteo Dominguez Isl Dec 2010
SA-057 CX2FAA
                  Farallon Isl
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SA-060 ZX8C
                Cotijuba Isl
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SA-060 ZX8W
                 Cotijuba Isl
                                Jul 2010
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The list includes operations where validation material was specifically required for credit to be given, as well

as operations where validation material was volunteered. In all cases, cards submitted will be accepted by Checkpoints if they meet normal standards (i.e. the island name should be printed on the card). [TNX www.g3kma.dsl.pipex.com]

OPERATOR NEEDED ---> Derek, G3KHZ is organising a 6th trip to Papaua New Guinea in April. This time the destinations will be the Feni (OC-101), Nuguria (OC-257) and Green (OC-231) Islands (OC-231). There is one place

left. If you would like to join the team, please contact Derek (g3khz[@]derekcox.plus.com). [TNX G3KHZ]

SPRATLY ISLANDS 2011 ---> Announced frequencies for the DX0DX expedition to the Spratly Islands (6 January-1 February) [425DXN 1018] are as follows:

BAND	CW	SSB	RTTY/PSK31
160m	1.824	1.840	-
80m	3.504	3.780	3.582
40m	7.004	7.084	7.035
30m	10.104	-	10.145
20m	14.024	14.195	14.080
17m	18.074	18.145	18.100
15m	21.024	21.295	21.080
12m	24.894	24.945	24.920
10m	28.024	28.495	28.080
6m	50.104	50.120	-
2m	144.100	144.200	-
70cm	432.100	432.100) -
23cm	1296.100	1296.10	- 00

An Online QSL Request System (OQRS) will be available and you will be able to request your QSLs one of four ways: OQRS Direct using PayPal, OQRS Bureau, via N2OO direct or bureau. The website for the expedition is at www.dx0dx.net.

- + SILENT KEYS + Silvano Amenta, KB5GL (ex I1SEM, IT1SEZ and IT9SEZ)

away on 30 December at 80 years of age. "He had been ill for some time", Mike, W5ZPA says, "and over the weekend he suffered a massive stroke and a heart attack". An accomplished all-mode DXer, he was well known in the IOTA circles for his activities from several IOTA groups in the US and elsewhere, notably the rare Mangaia Island, South Cooks (ZK1AGL).

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Petar Glas (9A6NGP), Gene "Jeannot" Ameriguian (K8CD), Paul N. Beane (NW8C), Aleksandr Y. Savenkov

(UR5IOK) and Frederic G. Hargesheimer (W0EBG, ex VK9FH).

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- 3B8 Josep, EA3BT and Nuria, EA3WL will be active as 3B8/EA3BT and 3B8/EA3WL from Mauritius Island (AF-049) on 23-29 January. They will operate SSB and digital modes, plus some CW, on 40-10 metres. QSL via EA3BT. A web page including log search is under construction at http://ea3bt.ure.es. [TNX EA3BT]
- Maurizio, IK2GZU will be active from Ilembula, Tanzania (callsign TBA) from 2 February to 8 March, while doing volunteer work for the local mission. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY using the mission's 3-element tribander fixed to Europe, plus verticals or dipoles "for the other bands" (160m and 80m are unlikely). QSL via IK2GZU (bureau preferred) and LoTW. Log search and an on-line QSL request form will be avilable at www.buffoli-pm.it/ [TNX IK2GZU]
- "The Daily DX" Editor, Bernie McClenny (W3UR) and his father Tony (N3ME) will be active from Barbados (NA-021) in late January. Bernie will operate as 8P9UR (26 January-2 February) and Tony will operate as 8P9ME (26 January-14 February); both will be QRV in their spare time on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Andy, G7COD is active again as 8Q7AK from North Male Atoll, Maldives (AS-013) until 16 January. He is QRV in his spare time on 80-10 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G7COD]
- 9M8 John, 9M6XRO, and Steve, 9M6DXX, will operate as 9M6XRO/8 (CW) and 9M8Z/p (SSB) respectively from Pulau Satang Besar (OC-165), East Malaysia from 25 February until early UTC on the 28th. They will run two stations with linear amplifiers to a Hexbeam and verticals located on the ocean. QSL for both callsigns via M0URX (direct or bureau), and LoTW. Alternatively, QSLs may be requested using M0URX's OQRS form at www.m0urx.com/qsl-request-form [TNX 9M6DXX]
- A6 Gerry, VE6LB will operate as A6/VE6LB from Dubai from 12 January to 9 February. It will be a "part time holiday style operation", mainly CW with some digital, running 100 watts and a 40-10 G5RV. OSL via home call (direct or bureau) and LoTW. [TNX VE6LB]
- CE Didier, F6DXE is travelling through Chilean call areas CE7, CE6, CE4, CE5 and CE3 until 20 January. He is QRV daily for one hour or so, especially when the propagation favours Europe; look for him on CW (7025 and 14025 kHz) and SSB (7140, 14205, 21250 and 28450 kHz). QSL via home call. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- CN Mounaim CN8QY, Leopoldo I8LWL (5C2L), Ruggero IK2PZC (5C2P), Alfredo IK7JWX (5C2J) and Simon IZ7ATN (5C2SG) will be active as CN2LWL (QSL via I8LWL) from Herne Island (AF-068) between 1 and 5 February. Some team members might also go and operate from the

- National Park of Dakhla using their 5C callsigns (QSL via home call). Look for updates to be posted to www.i8lwl.it [TNX IK7JWX]
- D2 Laci, OM5AM will be active as D2AM from Luanda, Angola until 17
 March. So far he has been QRV on 20 metres RTTY and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX] DU_spr The DX0DX team is still stuck in Palawan, Philippines. Hopefully
 - they will be able to depart for Thitu Island (Pagasa) on Saturday or Sunday, with "activity potentially delayed until Monday, January 10th". In the meanwhile, some team members have withdrawn from the expedition. [TNX DX World]
- DU After participating in the DX0DX DXpedition to the Spratly Islands, Christian EA3NT and Bjorn SM0MDG will be active as DU1/EA3NT and DU1/SM0MDG from Tablas Island (OC-244) on 17-21 January. They will operate CW and SSB on 40, 20 and 17 metres. QSL for both via EA3NT. [TNX DX World]
- F Francois, F8DVD will be active as TM8AAW on 12-28 February, including the 8th Antarctic Activity Week (21-27 February). He will operate on 40-10 metres mostly CW from his home QTH in Macon, France. QSL via home call, direct or bureau . Further information at http://tm8aaw.monsite-orange.fr [TNX F8DVD]
- H44 Once again Bernhard, DL2GAC (H44MS) will spend three months in the Solomon Islands, between 13 January and 12 April. He will operate SSB from Honiara, Guadalcanal (OC-047) with a 2-element beam for 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10m, dipoles for 40 and 80m and maybe a vertical for 160m. QSL via DL2GAC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HH The Radio Club d'Haiti will activate special callsign 4V1 in remembrance of those who lost their lives during the earthquake that stroke Haiti on 12 January 2010. Activity will take place from different locations at various times between 10 and 20 January. QSL via N3OS. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- The Buddies in the Caribbean DXpedition group, which specializes in 100 watt or less low power radios and the Buddipole portable antenna systems, will be active from Dominica on 1-9 February. The operators will be K8EAB, KB9AVO, KC4VG, N7UN, W3FF, W6HFP, WG0AT and WZ1P. J7 license applications are currently being processed. There will be three fixed stations active "at various times" on 160-10 metres CW, SSB, and RTTY. During the day, several teams will be battery-only, field portable from either Dominica beaches or mountain tops. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or direct to the operator's home callsign. A webpage is under development for this operation. [TNX N7UN]
- LY Several LY13 stations will be active on 12-27 January in remembrance of the tragic events occurred in Vilnius on 13 January 1991 (see www.lrmd.lt/index_en.htm): LY13A (op. LY5A), LY13B (op. LY3BY), LY13E (op. LY3NX), LY13G (op. LY1G), LY13H (op. LY2H), LY13J (op. LY3J), LY13M (op. LY3M), LY13O (op. LY8O), LY13Q (op. LY4Q), LY13T (op. LY2QT), LY13V (op. LY3V), LY13W (op. LY3W), LY13X (op. LY3X) and LY13Z (op. LY2GV). [TNX LY8O]
- P2 CT1AGF, G3JKX, G3KHZ, G3UKV and SM6CVX will be active from three IOTA groups in Papua New Guinea as follows:
 2-7 April P29VCX Feni Islands (OC-101) QSL via SM6CVX
 8-14 April P29NI Nuguria Islands (OC-257) QSL via G3KHZ
 15-18 April P29VLR Green Islands (OC-231) QSL via SM6CVX
 They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands, 6m included, with at least four stations. After the three-island tour, SM6CVX will continue the trip as follows:
 22-25 April P29VCX Misima Island (OC-117) QSL via SM6CVX

- 25-27 April P29VCX Loloata Island (OC-240) QSL via SM6CVX The website for the expedition is at www.p29ni.weebly.com [TNX SM6CVX]
- PJ2 Karl, OE3JAG will be active holiday style as PJ2/OE3JAG from Curacao (SA-099) from 30 January to 11 February. He will operate mainly CW on 40, 30, 20, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX NG3K] SM_ant Mika, OH2FFP (OJ1ABOA) [425DXN 1021] is on his way to Swedish

 Station Swed (Anterestica). He should get there during the weekend.
 - Station Svea (Antarctica). He should get there during the weekend and hopefully be active on the amateur radio bands for a few days. [TNX DX World]
- T30 Bill, N7OU and Bob, W7YAQ will be teaming up for another DXpedition to the Pacific. This time they will be active (callsigns TBA) from Tarawa (OC-017), Western Kiribati on 8-22 February, including a Multi-Single entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest. They plan to operate mostly CW with some RTTY and SSB on 160-10 metres, using 100w and verticals. QSL via home calls. [TNX N7OU]
- T7 DxCoffee (www.dxcoffee.com) invites amateur radio operators and their families to join its first anniversary celebrations to be held in San Marino. The Birthday Party weekend will include activity under the special callsign T70DXC, which will be in use on the HF bands and 6 metres between 00.01 UTC on 12 February and 20 UTC on the 13th. Plans are to have at least three stations active with a focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres, as well as on the low bands and digital modes. QSL via IZ8IYX (direct or bureau) and LoTW. Detailed information on the event can be found at www.dxcoffee.com/happybirthday/
- Tack, JE1RXJ will be active as T88RX from Palau on 21-26 January. He plans to be QRV on 160-6 metres (beacon on 50.119 MHz) CW and SSB, with a focus on the low bands CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JE1RXJ]
- TJ Frank F4AJQ, Seb F5UFX and a large team of operators (namely F1HRE, F1NGP, F2JD, F2VX, F5EOT, F5PED, F5VHQ, F6BIV, F6ENO, F8BJI, FM5CD, I2VGW, K4SV N2WB, N6OX and ON7RN) from the Radio Club de Provins (F6KOP) will be active from Kribi, Cameroon on 10-20 February. Requested call is TJ3C. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 160-10 metres, with six stations active around the clock and a focus on 160-30 metres and the digital modes. QSL via F5OGL. A dedicated website is under construction. [TNX F5NQL]
- UN A number of special event callsigns, each of them denoting a different sport, will be active on all bands and modes from Kazakhstan between 30 January and 6 February to celebrate the 7th Asian Winter Games that will be held in Astana and Almaty: UP2011AS (QSL via UN8GU), UP2011BN (QSL via UN7QCC), UP2011CS (QSL via UN6GAE), UP2011FG (QSL via UN8GZ), UP2011HB (QSL via UN6GT), UP2011H (QSL via UN2G), UP2011SJ (QSL via UN6QC) and UP2011SO (QSL via UN8GC). The Almaty Amateur Radio League's club station will be active as UN2011G (QSL via UN0GL). Further information at www.un-dx.ucoz.com [TNX UN6QC]
- V3 Gerd, DJ4KW (V31YN) and Gisela, DK9GG (V31GW) will be active from Consejo Shores, Belize from 7 January to 27 February, including a number of contests (CQ WW 160m DX CW and SSB, FOC Marathon, CQ WW WPX RTTY, ARRL DX CW). On 2-8 February look for V31YN/p to be active from Southwater Caye (NA-180). QSL via home calls (direct or bureau) and LoTW. [TNX DX World]
- V8 John, 9M6XRO, and Steve, 9M6DXX will operate from Brunei (OC-088)

for two days (22 February and 2 March), while travelling to and from OC-165 (see 9M8 above). Callsigns are yet to be confirmed, but may be V85/GD3OOK and V85/G4JVG or V85/9M6XRO and V85/9M8Z. QSL for both callsigns via M0URX (direct or bureau), and LoTW. Alternatively, QSLs may be requested using M0URX's OQRS form at www.m0urx.com/qsl-request-form [TNX 9M6DXX]

VK9X - JA1CJA (VK9XXY), JA3AVO (VK9XO), JA3BZO (VK9XA), JA3UJR (VK9XJR), JH3PBL (VK9XL), JI3DNN (VK9XN), JA3ARJ (callsign TBA) and JA3HJI (VK9XJ) will be active from Christmas Island (OC-002) on 14-20 January. Expect them to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-6 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]

XU - Wim, XU7TZG will be active as XU7KOH from Koh Russei (Bamboo Island, AS-133) until around 2 UTC on 10 January. He operates SSB and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL via ON7PP. [TNX DX World]

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CQ DX MARATHON ---> The CQ DX Marathon is a year-long DX hunt, with participants competing to see who can work the greatest number of countries

("entities") and CQ zones during the calendar year. The 2011 editionstarted at 00.00 UTC on 1 January and will end at 23.59 UTC on 31 December.

Complete rules and submission information can be found at www.dxmarathon.com - and do not forget to submit your 2010 scores by 31 January 2011. High claimed scores will be posted on the website after the submission deadline. Winners for 2010 will be announced mid-year 2011 in CQ Magazine. [TNX K9EL]

DX SOUND CLIPS ---> Tom's (K8CX) DX sound clips for 2010 can be found at http://hamgallery.com/dx2010/; the collection of 131 clips covers all the major DXpeditions, plus rare and semirare DX. This makes 13 full years of sound clips available. There are also some clips from the Sixties and the Seventies available from the homepage: "If anyone has any old HF recordings" Tom says, "I would be interested in hearing from them".

ITALY: POSTAL RATES ---> Italian postal rates for standard letter items (up to 20g) mailed abroad have increased since 1 January:

0.75 EUR Europe and countries in the Mediterranean basin (3V, 4X, 5A,

5B, 7X, CN, JY, OD, SU, YK)

1.60 EUR rest of Africa and Asia, Americas

2.00 EUR Oceania

LOTW MANAGER SERVICE ---> Would you like to use LoTW, but you think that the account creation is too complicated? Frank, W6BBS offers "to set up and manage a Logbook of The World account for you", and "will gladly work with any DXpeditions as well". Visit http://home.comcast.net/~w6bbs/lotw.htm for complete details. [TNX K4XL]

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Thirteen different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (331 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities

(1168 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (3200 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (363 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (61 QSLs), Antarctic bases (821 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 262 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (328 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (96 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (1060 QSLs), French Departments (647 QSLs) and CONUS (136 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (122 QSLs). Several cards are still and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx[@]free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

YASME EXCELLENCE AWARDS ---> In 2008 The Yasme Foundation (www.yasme.org) established the Yasme Excellence Awards, to be given "to individuals who through their own service, creativity, effort and dedication have made a significant contribution to amateur radio. The contribution may be in recognition of technical, operating or organizational achievement as all three are necessary for amateur radio to grow and prosper". The latest recipients, announced on 4 January, are: Ramon Santoyo V (XE1KK), Makoto "Mako" Mori (JE3HHT), Bruce Horn (WA7BNM), Rick Meuthing (KN6KB), Mikael Styrefors (SM2O), Alex Shovkoplyas (VE3NEA) and Pepe Ardid (EA5KB).

ZL DX HALL OF FAME ---> The New Zealand DX Hall of Fame was establihed in 2009 to honour those outstanding ZL DXers and contesters who have excelled in our radio sport hobby over many years. After much deliberation the judges (ZL1AIH, ZL3JT and ZL3NB were unanimous in their selection and have elected the next three ZL radio amateurs to the New Zealand DX Hall of Fame for 2011: John N. Shaw (ZL1BYZ), Bryan Anderson (ZL2AFT) and Peter W. Watson (ZL3GQ, SK). Details at www.nzart.org.nz/activities/dx-hall-of-fame/

[TNX ZL2AL]

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8CF, 3D2A, 3D2RR, 3DA0TM, 3W6C (AS-185), 5K5T, 5X1NH, 6W/HA0NAR/p (AF-078), 7Z1TT, 8R1RPN, 9J2KK, 9Q0AR, 9Q50ON, 9U0A, 9X0SP, AH0BT, AL7R, AO1DX/5, C91JR, C91KHN, C91WW, CE0Y/DK2ZF, CE4CT, CN2R, CY0X, E51NOU, E77DX, ER3ZZ, ES1QD, EX8AB, FJ/SM5FUG, FM1HN, GD6IA, H74LEON, HA25NAR, HC2SL, HL5FUA, HS0AC, HV4NAC, J88CF, JY5HX, KG4QW, KL7J, LU1ZA, LX1DA, LX8RTTY, LZ1ANA, MD0CCE, OD5NJ, OG5A, PJ2/DF7ZS, PJ2/DL5DRO, PJ2/K2NV, PJ2/K2TQC, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/N2MF, PJ2/W1NG, PJ2/W5MPC, PJ2/W19WI, PJ2MI, PJ4A, PJ4B, PJ4D, PJ4LS, PJ5/AA4NC, PJ5/AH6HY, PJ5/K1XM, PJ5/SP6EQZ, PJ5/SP6IXF, PJ6A, PJ7E, PX8J, PX8L, R1ANH, R11FJ, SN3A, SV1JGX, SV2GNC, TC03W (AS-154), T19KK, TM5KD, TO3GA, TO7ZG, TR50R, V31BD, V44KAI, V63CJB (OC-011), V73TM, VE7KDU/7 (NA-118), VE8EV/p, VP2ETN, VP2V/NY6X, VP5CW, VP8DMH, XU7ACY, XU7TZG, Y19PSE, YK1BA, YN4SU, ZD7FT, ZF2AH, ZL7A.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- Mats, SM6LRR will be active as 4S7LRG from Sri Lanka between 22 January and 4 February. He will focus on 160, 80 and 40 metres, with a possible "serious participation" in the CQ WW 160-Meter DX CW Contest provided that "permit for a specific good TB location is received". QSL via SM6LRR, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- 5H Sam, F6AML will be active as 5H1Z from Zanzibar Island (AF-032), Tanzania until 24 January. He plans to operate CW (3525, 7025, 10120, 14005, 18085, 21005, 24905 and 28005 kHz) and SSB (3755, 7055, 14260, 18128, 21260, 24935 and 28460 kHz). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- 5R Andy SM1IRS, Al SM4HAK and Eric SM1ALH will be active as 5R8HL from Madagascar between mid-January and early February. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres from the main island (AF-013) on 18-22 January and again on 1-4 February, and from Nosy Be (AS-057) from 22 January to 1 February. QSL via SM1ALH. They have a website at www.morateknikutveckling.se/5r8hl/index.html
- CE Johan, CE9/PA3EXX and Cezar, CE9/VE3LYC went QRT from the Wollaston Islands (SA-031) at 18 UTC on 13 January, with 4100 QSOs in the log. They "will try to land" on Diego Ramirez (SA-097) around 6 UTC on 15 January. QSL for both callsigns via VE3LYC. Bookmark http://ce9iota.weebly.com/ for updates.
- CX Commemorating the 100 anniversary of the birth of Louis Varney, G5RV (1911-2000), the inventor of the renowned multiband HF antenna, the Centro Aficionados Montevideo will be active as CW5RV until the end of the year. QSL to P.O. Box 6000, 11000 Montevideo, Uruguay.
- DU Expect Christian EA3NT, Bjorn SM0MDG and Simon IZ7ATN to be signing DU6/homecall from the Caluya Island (OC-125) until 15
 January. After that, EA3NT and SM0MDG [425DXN 1027] will go and operate from OC-244 (17-21 January). [TNX DX World]
- HL A team of seven operators will be active as HL0A (presumably /2) from Yeongjong Island (AS-105) on 15-16 January. According to the entry on qrz.com, this will be a low band activity. QSL via HL2DYS.
- SM_ant Mika, OH2FFP (OJ1ABOA) [425DXN 1027] expects to be active as as SM/OH2FFP from Swedish Station Wasa (Antarctica) during the weekend. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- T31 The expected QRV dates for the upcoming T31A DXpedition to Kanton Island (Central Kiribati, OC-043) [425DXN 1015] are 18-28 April. An international team of twelve operators (namely EA1IR, K6ZH, N1EMC, N6HC, N7CQQ, N7CW, N9NS, UX2HO, W2IJ, W6KK, W9IXX and YT1AD) will be active on 160-6 metres SSB, CW and RTTY from two operating sites. Two team members will arrive in Apia on 6 April

to inspect the equipment shipped from California and operate from 5W as time allows. The entire team will leave Apia on the 13th, and sail approximately four days. QSL via W2IJ, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.t31a.com

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Hermann, DL2NUD and Stefan, DL9GRE will be active as FK/DL2NUD (on 2m and 70 & 23cm EME) and FK/DL9GRE (on the HF bands) from New Caledonia on 16-26 January and again on 3-15 February. Between 27 January and 2 February they plan to operate from Vanuatu under individual YJ callsigns. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]

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DX DINNER ---> The Southwest Ohio DX Association (SWODXA) is pleased to again sponsor the DX Dinner, to be held in conjunction with the 2011 Dayton Hamvention on Friday, 20 May at the Dayton Marriott Hotel. Details can be found at www.swodxa.org [TNX W8GEX]

DX0DX ---> The DXpedition to the Spratly Islands [425DXN 1027] has been postponed "due to circumstances beyond the control of the DX0DX Team", Chris (VK3FY, Team Leader) regrettably announced on 11 January. In a nutshell, "there was conflicting agreements and hence the aircraft could not get approval of its flight plan". However, he says, "we have a licence, we have authority to land via ship, hence when the ship becomes available in the near future, it is my intention to activate this entity in 2011".

The complete press release is available at www.dx0dx.net

LY WPX PLAQUE ---> The LY WPX Plaque is a new permanent award for either licensed amateurs and SWLs for working Lithuanian prefixes (LY only, not

UP2) on all bands and modes. All contacts must be confirmed (by traditional QSL card, eQSL or LOTW). For further information please visit K1BV's Online DX Awards Directory (www.dxawards.com) or contact Saulius Zalnerauskas, LY5W (ly5w.sam[at]gmail.com). [TNX LY5W]

V51AS ---> Frank, V51AS has moved back to Germany and his new callsign is DH5AS. His new mailing address is: Frank Steinhaeuser, Miersdorfer Str.

23b, 15732 Schulzendorf, Germany. QSL direct only. [TNX DH5AS]

VE POSTAL RATES ---> Canadian postal rates will rise again on 17 January.

The new base prices for standard letter items are as follows:

Up to 30g CAD 0.59 Canada

U.S.A. Up to 30g CAD 1.03

International Up to 30g CAD 1.75

Stamps are subject to taxes. Actual rates can be calculated through the "Find a Rate" on-line service provided by Canada Post (www.canadapost.ca).

+ SILENT KEYS + Leonard Andrew "Woody" Woodward (W7KOP) passed away on

December 2010, at 99 years of age. According to the ARRL, he "was involved with scouting for more than 87 years", and "was known all over the world as

an unofficial ambassador of America and Scouting through his radio

contacts". Other recently reported Silent Keys include S. Hasan Mahmood Zaidi (AP2ZH), R. John Gardner (GW4KVJ), Bruno Fornelli (I1YLM), Dario Laurindi (IZ0MTV), A. George Spencer (VE3AGS), Bill Voedisch (W1UD) and John P. Basilotto (W5GI).

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- Slavo, SP2JMB and Bogdan, SP2FUD will be active as 3B8/SP2JMB and 3B8/SP2FUD from Mauritius Island (AF-049) between 4 and 24 February. Expect them to be QRV on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, including an entry in the CQ WPX RTTY Contest (12-13 February). On 18-22 February they will be active as 3B9/SP2JMB and 3B9/SP2FUD from Rodrigues (AF-017). They plan to operate CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres, and to take part in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX SP2JMB]
- 9K Amateur radio operators from Kuwait are allowed to use special prefix 9K50 from 26 January through February to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the independence of their country. The Kuwait Amateur Radio Society (KARS) will operate as 9K50NLD on 24-28 February. [TNX The Daily DX]
- A3 Yoshi, JA1NLX will be active as A35AY from Fafa Island (OC-049), Tonga on 4-9 February. He will operate mainly CW with some RTTY on 80-10 metres, using 100 watts and a vertical antenna "with lots of radials" on the beach. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Visit www.ne.jp/asahi/ja1nlx/ham/A35_2011.html for further information. [TNX NG3K]
- CN The team of operators for the 1-5 February expedition to Herne Island (AF-068) [425DXN 1027] now includes Mounaim CN8QY (QSL via I8LWL), Leopoldo I8LWL (5C2L, QSL via home call), Ruggero IK2PZC (5C2P, QSL via home call) and Alfredo IK7JWX (5C2J, QSL via home call). They will operate SSB and maybe digital modes on the HF bands and 6 metres. Check www.i8lwl.it for updates and log search after the expedition. [TNX IK7JWX]
- FH Bruno, DH1BL will be living on Mayotte (AF-027) for the next three years. Currently active as FH/DH1BL, he expects to get a FH callsign in the near future. QSL via DL7BC, direct or bureau (cards will be printed when the FH callsign is issued to him).
- FJ Daryl, W7TAE will be active as FJ/W7TAE from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) on 23-28 January. He plans to operate mainly SSB on 40, 20 and 17 metres in his spare time. [TNX The Daily DX]
- FM Rene, F5LGE is active as FM/F5LGE from Martinique (NA-107) until 30 January. He operates CW only on 80 and 160 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NBU]
- HB9 Special event callsign HB60LU will be in use until 31 December to celebrate the 60th anniversary of USKA branch of Lucerne, Switzerland. QSL via HB9DWL, LoTW and eQSL. Information on the Old Lucerne Award can be found at www.award.hb9lu.qrv.ch [TNX DX Newsletter]
- HI Claudio, HB9OAU will be active as HI7/HB9OAU from the Dominican

- Republic on 6-18 February. His main QTH will be Bayahibe (NA-096), with possible one day operations as HI2/HB9OAU from either Saona and/or Catalina islands (NA-122). He will operate holiday style on 10, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX HB9OAU]
- I Sam, LY5W will be active again as IT9/LY5W from Sicily between 24 January and 1 February, including an entry in the CQ WW 160-Meter CW Contest. QSL via home call (requests for his October-November 2010 activity are being processed right now). [TNX LY5W]
- I Special station IO5ANT will be active during the 8th Antarctic Activity Week (21-27 February) from the National Museum of Antarctica in Siena. QSL via IW5EFX. [TNX IW5EFX]
- JT Ken, K4ZW will be active as either JT1ZW and JT5DX from Mongolia between 24 January and 2 February, with an an emphasis on the low bands and the CQ WW 160 CW Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
- JX The new dates for the operation from Jan Mayen (EU-022) [425DXN 987] are 6-14 July. The group callsign issued to the expedition is JX7VPA. The team will operate CW, RTTY/PSK and some SSB on 30-6 metres no activity at all is planned on 160 and 80 metres, and also 40m "might not be usable at tat time of the year". All details will be available on a dedicated website currently under constructon (http://janmayen2011.org).
- KH2 Nobu, JR3STX and Take, JS6RRR will be active on all bands and modes as W3STX/KH2 (QSL via JR3STX) and KH2/JS6RRR (QSL via home call) from Guam (OC-026) on 10-15 February. [TNX JR3TVH]
- P4 Dee, W1HEO will be active as P4/W1HEO from the P49V contest station on Aruba (SA-036) on 3-16 April. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, with a focus on 30-10m. QSL via W1HEO, direct or bureau. [TNX W1HEO]
- PJ EA1PP, EB1HF and EC1DPM will be active holiday style from Bonaire, PJ4 (SA-006) on 5-10 February and from Curacao, PJ2 (SA-099) on 11-16 February. They will operate SSB and RTTY, including activity during the CQ WPX RTTY Contest from PJ2. [TNX EA1PP]
- PJ6 Mike, G4IUF will be active holiday style as PJ6/G4IUF from Saba (NA-145) between 27 January and 3 March. He will operate CW and SSB on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- PY A group of eight operators from APRE (Associacao Paulista de Radioamadores Escoteiros, www.apre.com.br) will be active as PR2R from Comprida Island (SA-024) on 28-30 January. They will be QRV on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 and 2 metres. QSL via PY2OP. [TNX NG3K]
- SM ON4AWT, ON5RZ and ON7DS will be active from SI9AM (the King Chulalongkorn Memorial Amateur Radio Society, www.si9am.se) in Ragunda from 26 January (evening local time) to 31 January (morning local time), including an entry in the UBA DX Contest. QSL via SM3CVM, direct or via bureau. [TNX SM3CVM]
- T8 Mike, JA6EGL and Hiro, JA6KYU will be active as T88SM and T88HS from Palau (OC-009) on 10-15 February. They plan to be QRV on 80-6 metres CW and SSB, QSL via home calls, direct only. [TNX JN6RZM]
- TA Special callsign TC2011EWU will be in use between 27 January and 6 February for the XXV Winter Universide (the World University Games organized by the International University Sports Federation) to be held in Erzurum, Turkey. QSL via operator's instructions.
- V3 V31ME and V31ML are active from Ambergris Caye (NA-073) until 26 January, as their announced operation from IOTA group NA-180 [425DXN 1023] has been cancelled. QSL via DJ4EL and DJ1JB, respectively. [TNX PB1TT]
- V3 Ken, N2ZN will be active as V31AM from Placencia, Belize on 2-8

- March, including a SOAB HP entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. Activity before and after the contest will be mostly on CW, with maybe some digital modes also. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX N2ZN]
- VE Christian, F5IDM will be active as VE7/F5IDM from Quadra Island (NA-091) on 29-31 January. Christian has lived in Hawaii since 1996, and QSLs either direct (Christian Veillet, P.O. Box 2124, Kamuela HI 96743, USA) or through the KH6 bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W A group of operators from QCWA Chapter 119 will be active as W4T from Tangier Island (NA-083) on 27-31 July, IOTA Contest included. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 metres. QSL via K5VIP. [TNX W4VIC]
- Jon, K3QF will be in Burkina Faso "for the next few weeks". He is QRV as XT2RJA in his spare time, usually during his evening hours.
 He hopes to be active in the CQ WW 160-Meter DX Contest. QSL via K3QF. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XU Wim, XU7TZG and Peter, XU7ADW will be active as XU7KOH from Koh Russei (AS-133) on 21-24 January. They will operate SSB and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL via ON7PP. [TNX DX World]
- ZS8 "The polar supply ship arrives on 15 March", Pierre, ZS8M says, and adds that his "SSB operation will most likely end on this date". However, there is a "possibilty that PSK operations will continue until May". Pierre will depart Marion Island on 5 May.

AFRICAN TOUR ---> Peter, HA3AUI is going back to Africa. He will be active in his spare time as either 6W2SC (from Cabrousse, Senegal) and J5UAP (from Varela, Guinea-Bissau) between approximately 1 February and 31 March. Peter plans to operate mainly CW and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via HA3AUI, direct only. His website is at www.cqafrica.net [TNX NG3K]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> In preparation for the September-October expedition to Conway Reef (www.yt1ad.info/3d2c/index.html), Hrane, YT1AD is in the South Pacific area until 29 January. Plans are to visit and be QRV from Samoa (5W8A, until 22 January), American Samoa (KH8/N9YU, 22-25 January) and Fiji (3D2AD, 26-29 January). QSL via YT1AD.

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CONTEST DINNER ---> The 19th Annual Dayton Contest Dinner will be held on 21 May at the Crowne Plaza Hotel. Tickets are available only on http://contestdinner.com

CQ DX MARATHON ---> Log submissions for the 2010 DX Marathon must be in by 23.59 UTC, 31 January 2011. The DX Marathon email server crashed and was down from 05.00 UTC to 22.00 UTC on 19 January. Any logs sent during that period are unfortunately lost and will need to be re-submitted. A complete list of all logs received is posted on the website (www.dxmarathon.com). [TNX K9EL]

PIRATE ---> John, ZD9GI (Gough Island, AF-030) was pirated on 17 and 20 metres CW. He has been active on SSB (15, 17 and 20m) and PSK (15 and 17m), but he does not operate CW at all. [TNX DX World]

QSL HG3DX ---> The new QSL manager is Tibi, HA1DAE. He is collecting the logs, which will be uploaded to Club Log (www.clublog.org). QSL direct or bureau. [TNX HA1DAE]

SOUTH ORKNEYS 2011 ---> Announced frequencies for the VP8ORK expedition to the South Orkney Islands (27 January to 8 February) are as follows:

BAND SSB CW RTTY

160m 1.843 1.827 -

80m 3.781 3.524 3.590

40m 7.055 7.024 7.040

30m - 10.104 10.149

20m 14.190 14.024 14.089

17m 18.145 18.070 18.103

15m 21.295 21.024 21.089

12m 24.987 24.892 24.917

10m 28.470 28.024 28.089

An Online QSL Request System (OQRS) will be available and you will be able to request your QSLs one of three ways: OQRS Direct, OQRS Bureau,

traditional direct to VE3XN. The website for the expedition is at www.vp8o.com

- + SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Livio
- + Marocco

(IK1RLI), Alain Martinet (C31LN), Drago Grabensek (S59AR), Ken Stenback

(W8KS) and Sigrid Handke (DL7CN), who passed away on 24 December 2010. She was the wife of the late Frank Turek, DL7FT (SK since August 2004).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2MD, 3B8DB, 3DA0GF, 3DA0TM, 4S7ULG, 4X6HP, 5N7M, 5R8IC, 5V7TT, 5X1NH, 8R1RPN, 9H3NO/p, 9H3UM, 9K2HN, 9L0W, 9L5VT, 9M6DXX/p (OC-295), 9U0A, 9U1RSI, 9UXEV, 9X0SP, AH0BT, C50C, C56E, C5A, C6APT, C6ARR, C6ATA, C91DL, C91JR, C91WW, CN2MR, CO4SM (NA-056), CP4BT, CP6XE, CT9/DL5AXX, CX/N3BNA, D2QV, DU1/JJ5GMJ (OC-128), E20MDN, E73M, EJ4II (EU-103), EJ8GQB (EU-103), EK6TA, EL2DX, ER1DA, ER650M, EY8MM, FK8CP, FM/JE1JKL/p, FO8RZ, GM0DHZ/P (EU-012), H40FK, H7V, HH2/OH2TA, HH2/PY3SB, HK4CZE, J28RO, J6/WB4WXE, J7N, JY4NE, JY5HX, KG6DX, KG6SL, KP2/N1WON, LA2GRA (EU-033), LU/F5AHO/p (SA-049), LU1ZA,LU1ZD, MD0CCE, MU/F5CWU, MW5B, OH0/PA3ALK, OH9AA/p (EU-126), OM2VL, OM8A, OX/DF9TM (NA-151), OX/DL2SWW (NA-151), OX/DL2VFR (NA-151), PJ2/DL5RDO, PJ2/K2TQC, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/N0YY, PJ2/N2MF, PJ2/W1NG, PJ2/W5MPC, PJ2/WI9WI, PJ2T, PJ4B, PJ4D, PJ4I, PJ4N, PJ4W, PJ5/AA4NC, PJ5/AH6HY, PJ5/K1XM, PJ5/SP6EQZ, PJ5/SP6IXF, PJ6A, PJ7/K1GI, PJ7/K1XM, PJ7E, PJ7MF, PJ7UQ, PQ0F, PX8J, PX8L, PZ5T, RI1FJ, S79K, ST2AR, SV0XCA/5, SV5/SM8C, TC0T (AS-159), TF3CY/5 (EU-168), TL0A, TO5T, TO7ZG, TX4T, V31RG, V44KAI, V47KP, V47Z, V51AS, V73TM (OC-087), VK0KEV, VK4LDX/p (OC-171 and OC-172), VP2V/NY6X, VP9HE, WH0/WH7C, XV2RZ, XW1B, XX9TLX, YC9AOS, YC9CYN, YC9DEB, YE0A, YI9PSE, YJ0HA, YJ0VK, YW5LF (SA-059), ZB2FK, ZD9AH, ZD9GI, ZL7/W1SY, ZS8M.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 1A0 A group of operators has been active as 1A0KM, the Sovereign Military Order of Malta, since 27 January. They will operate SSB,
 CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 80-10 metres with three stations until aroun
 15 UTC on 30 January. QSL direct to IK0FTA, and LoTW. [TNX I0JBL]
- Special callsigns 4X20HC and 4Z20HC will be in use from Israel between 1 February to 30 April to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Holyland Contest. QSL via 4Z4TL. This year's contest will be held on 15-16 April; rules can be found on the Israel Amateur Radio Club's website (www.iarc.org).
- 8Q Andy, G7COD will be active again as 8Q7AK from the Maldives (AS-013) from 5 to approximately 18 February. He will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G7COD]
- C6 Randy, W6SJ will be active as C6AWS from Grand Bahama (NA-001) on 3-9 February. He will operate holiday style "when not fishing", with a focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- D4 John/IK5BCM, Beppe/IK5CBE and Giovanni/IK5CRH will be active as D44TBE from Sal Island (AF-086), Cabo Verde on 2-9 February. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres, with 160m depending on the space available to them. QSL via IK5CBE, direct or bureau, and LoTW. They have a website at http://d44tbe.xoom.it/[TNX I5NXH]
- FS George, W4LW and Fred, K4FMD will be active as FS/K4UP from St. Martin (NA-105) from 28 January to 5 February. They will operate SSB on 20, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL direct to K4UP. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- HA Special event stations HG2011A, HG2011E, HG2011EU, HG2011I, HG2011N, HG2011O, HG2011P, HG2011R and HG2011U are active until 30 June to celebrate the Hungarian Presidency of the Council of the European Union. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Information on the relevant award (free of charge) can be found at qrz.com and www.mrasz.hu
- HI The Radio Club Dominicano will celebrate the Homeland Month between 26 January (birthday of Juan Pablo Duarte, one of the founding fathers of the Dominican Republic) and 27 February (167th anniversary of the declaration of indipendence). Look for HI1RCD, HI2RCD, HI3RCD, HI4RCD, HI5RCD, HI6RCD, HI7RCD, HI8RCD, HI9RCD and HI0RCD to be active on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via bureau.
- I Celebrating the club's 65th anniversary, as well as the 150th anniversary of the unification of Italy, operators from ARI Torino use special callsign II1TO until 31 December. QSL via bureau. [TNX

IK1MTX]

- J7 J79AT (QSL via WG0AT), J79AVO (QSL via KB9AVO), J79EA (QSL via K8EAB), J79FF (QSL via W3FF), J79HFP (QSL via W6HFP), J79UN (QSL via N7UN), J79VG (QSL via KC4VG) and J79ZP (QSL via WZ1P) are the callsigns issued to the Buddies in the Caribbean DXpedition group for their 1-9 February activity from Dominica [425DXN 1027]. The group specializes in 100 watt or less low power radios and the Buddipole portable antenna systems. There will be three fixed stations active at various times on 160-10 metres CW, SSB, and RTTY. During the day, several teams will be battery-only, field portable from either Dominica beaches or mountain tops.
- JW Look for Jon LA8HGA and Andreas LA8AJA to be active as JW8HGA (QSL via LA8HGA, direct or bureau) and JW8AJA (QSL via LA9VDA, direct or bureau, and LoTW) from the JW5E club station at Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard on 4-8 February. They plan to be QRV as conditions and time permit on 160-10 metres mainly CW, with some RTTY and "very little SSB". Logsearch and QSLling instructions at http://la8aja.com/expeditions/jw2011/
- LA Special callsign LM11SKI will be used between 1 February and 31 March, in conjunction with the Nordic World Ski Championships to be held in Holmenkollen, Oslo (23 February-6 March). QSL via LA4O. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- P2 Allan, VK2GR and his wife Josette, VK2FXGR will be active again as P29CW from Kiunga, in the Western Province of Papua New Guinea (OC-034), from early February to early September. This will be a low power operation on 80-10 metres CW, RTTY and SSB conducted on spare time basis while doing volunteer medical work for Australian Doctors International. QSL via VK2IR and eQSL; logs will be available on http://www.p29cw.blogspot.com/. [TNX NG3K]
- TJ TJ9PF is the callsign issued to the 10-20 February expedition to Cameroon [425DXN 1027]. Eighteen operators (F1HRE, F1NGP, F2JD, F4AJQ, F5EOT, F5PED, F5UFX, F5VHQ, F6BIV, F6ENO, F8BJI, FM5CD, I2VGW, K4SV, N2WB, N6OX, ON7RN and DJ7JC, who has replaced F2VX) expect to be active with six stations around the clock and a focus on 160-30 metres and the digital modes. QSL via F5OGL. [TNX F5NQL]
- V5 A team from the Lufthansa Amateur Radio Club in Frankfurt (http://wp.larc.ws/) will be active as V55DLH from Omaruru, Namibia on 5-12 February. Seven operators (namely Georg/DD8ZX, Bernd/DF1FF, Juergen/DH0RAK, Juergen/DH6ICE, Frank/DJ3FK, Rudi/DK7PE and Bernhard/DK7TF) plan to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-10 metres. QSL via DK8ZZ. [TNX DK8ZZ]
- VE Amateur radio operators in the Provice of Nova Scotia will be permitted to use special prefixes CJ1 and CK1 during the entire month of February to celebrate the 2011 Canada Games to be held in Halifax. VA1 stations will be allowed to use the special prefix CJ1, while VE1 stations will use the special prefix CK1. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VP5 Karol, G0UNU will be active holiday style as VP5/G0UNU from Grand Turk (NA-003) between 31 January and 6 February. He plans to be QRV around 12-14 UTC, and at other times depending on conditions. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- W Dennis, WA2USA plans to be active as WA2USA/4 from St. George Island (NA-085) between 3 February and 3 March. He will be QRV on 160-10 metres RTTY, CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W Two special event stations willbe active from California to commemorate the centennial of former US president Ronald Reagan

(1911-2004): the Ventura County ARS will operate N6R (QSL direct to N6ZE) between 5 and 8 February, while the Santa Barbara ARC will operate W6R on 4-7 February (QSL to SBARC, P.O. Box 3907, Santa Barbara CA 93130-3907, USA). [TNX WorldRadio]

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AFRICAN TOUR ---> Laci, HA0NAR will be active from Senegal (6W/HA0NAR)and Guinea-Bissau (J5NAR) between 5 and 26 February, with side trips to IOTA groups AF-078 (6W/HA0NAR/p) and AF-093 (J5NAR/p). He plans to concentrate on 160-30 metres, with a special focus on 160m from J5. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Bob, 5B4AGN will be active as T88ZM from Palau (OC-009) on 2-8 February and as KH0/G3ZEM from Saipan (OC-086) on 9-16 February. He will operate CW only. QSL via M0URX. [TNX DX World]

CQ WW 160-METER DX CONTEST (CW) ---> Object of the contest is for amateurs around the world to work as many US States, Canadian provinces and countries as possible on 160 metres CW (http://cq160.com/rules.htm). The following stations have announced their partecipation in this year's event (from 22.00 UTC on 28 January through 22.00 UTC on the 30th):

Call	Country	QSL via
3V8SS	Tunisia	LoTW
4L0A	Georgia	EA7FTR
4L8A	Georgia	K1BV
4S7LRG	_	SM6LRR
C6ANM	Bahamas	LoTW
CE1/K70		NW7O
CR2X	Azores	OH2BH
EE1R	Spain	EA4RCH
EF8M	Canary Islands	UA3DX
ER4A	Moldova	RA4LW
HS8JYX	Thailand	HS8JYX
IT9/LY5	W Sicily	LY5W
JT5DX	Mongolia	JT1CO
LS1D	Argentina	LW9EOC
LX7I	Luxembourg	LX2A
OH1VR/	VP9 Bermuda	OH1VR
OH5Z	Finland	LoTW
PJ2T	Curacao	N9AG
RW2F	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
SV5DKI	Dodecanese	SV5DKL
T70A	San Marino	T70A
TF4X	Iceland	G3SWH
UA2FW	Kaliningrad	UA2FW
UT5A	Ukraine	UR5AS
UU7J	Ukraine	UU0JM
V31YN	Belize	DJ4KW
WP3C	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
XT2RJA		K3QF
YE1C	Indonesia	YE1C
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Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/cq160c2011.html - good contest to you all!

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BLACK SEA CUP ---> The Black Sea Contest Club sponsors the Black Sea Cup International Contest, which will be held from 12 UTC on 5 February through 11.59 UTC on the 6th. For further information please visit http://bscc.in/ [TNX UR5EAW]

MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted Survey was conducted in September-October 2010 [425DXN 1010]. The top 10 DXCC Entities are North Korea (P5), Navassa (KP1), Bouvet (3Y), Yemen (7O), Heard Island (VK0), Amsterdam & St. Paul (FT5Z), Marion Island (ZS8), South Sandwich Islands (VP8), Crozet (FT5W) and Scarborough Reef (BS7). Give a look at the 100 Most Wanted listing, which also shows the results of the

2009 survey for comparison, at www.dxpub.com/dx_news.html. The complete breakdown by continent is available in the January/February 2011 issue of "The DX Magazine"; a breakdown by mode will be published in the March/April issue.

QSL A25XX ---> Lorenzo, IK1MDF says that the A25XX cards arrived from the printer on 21 January. Owing to the recent major postal rates increase [425DXN 1027], 2 USD do not cover return postage any longer to the vast majority of international destinations. At all events, he says, all of the QSOs will be confirmed through the bureau and will be uploaded to LoTW as soon as possible.

QSL HH2/PA5M ---> The QSL cards have arrived from the printer, after the first batch got lost in the mail. Direct requests with sufficient return postage will be processed "soon", PA5N says, while "all buro cards will be answered soon after".

QSL ZL8X ---> Hopefully the QSL cards will be ready by early March: "as we will have a special QSL card, the design also takes a little bit more time than usual", DL1MGB says. "Please be patient, it is worth waiting!". QSLling policy, including LoTW, is detailed at www.kermadec.de

SPFF ---> The website for the Polish Flora and Fauna Award (SPFF) can be found at http://spff.eham.pl/ [TNX SP2FAP]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include W.P. "Paddy" Gunasekera (4S7PB, past president of the Radio Society of Sri Lanka), Drago Grabner (E73F, ex YU4VGD and T94GB), Willy Fiallo (HI8MWF), Alberto Di Pietra (IW9FC) and William B. "Bill" Wilson (WA8YTM).

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- CE A large group of operators will be active as CE1Z from Punta Tetas Lighthouse (ARLHS CHI-075) during the South American Lighthouse Weekend on 25-27 February. They plan to be QRV on 160, 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres SSB. QSL via CE1WNR. [TNX NG3K]
- CN Ron, W3PV will be active as CN2PV from Rabat, Morocco from now until 1 May. He will be QRV mostly on 40 metres CW, but will also operate other bands when open. QSL via W3PV, direct or bureau. [TNX W3PV]
- CYO "Although the two previous attempts to access the island were unsuccessful, the team is eagerly looking forward to March anticipating improved weather, propagation and a successful landing", Randy, NOTG says. "We are pleased to note that routine supply flights to Sable for the small staff on the island have been successful and on schedule during January. Hopefully, this will be a continuing trend of improved flight conditions as we count down to an early March operation. Most of the DXpedition equipment and supplies are stored in the aircraft hanger in Halifax, Canada, ready to be loaded onto the aircraft". Bookmark www.cyOdxpedition.com for updates.
- HB9 The club of the Radio Amateurs Vaudois (HB9MM) has been granted permission to use the antennas at the former broadcast transmitter in Sottens and will be active as HE3OM until the end of February. The "big" (188m high) antenna is used on 160, 80 and 40m, while the "small" one (125m high) is used on 137 kHz. QSL via HB9TOB. Further information can be found at www.hb9mm.com/sottens/ [TNX HB9AFI]
- HI Look for HI2RCD to operate SSB from Isla Saona (NA-122) for 24 hours starting around 14 UTC on 5 February. Planned operating frequencies are 28400, 21285, 18135, 14205, 7155 and 3785 kHz. [TNX DX World]
- HP Look for Kai, HP1/DL2BP and Swen, HP1/DJ2ST to be active on 80-10 metres from Contadora Island (NA-072) on 6-17 February. QSL both calls via DL2BP. [TNX DX World]
- ISO Special stations IIOIDP from Cagliari (EU-024, QSL via ISOIGV) and IIOICH from La Maddalena (EU-041, QSL via IMOQMA) both representing former coast radio stations of the Italian Navy will be active on 5-20 March for the 5th Italian Navy Coastal Radio Stations Award (www.assoradiomarinai.it). [TNX ISOJMA]
- J3 Bill, K4LTA and his wife Ruby, K4UPS will be active as J37BO and J37RO from Grenada between 9 February and 10 March. Bill participate in the ARRL DX Contest as J38A. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]

- Roy, KE4TG will be active as J38RF from Grenada between 9 February and 10 March, with a focus on the digital modes. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- J6 Volkmar, DF2SS and Marc, DL1VKE will be active as J6/DF2SS and J6/DL1VKE from St. Lucia (NA-108) on 5-17 February. They plan to operate CW, RTTY and SSB on all bands with two stations. [TNX DXNL]
- PY PU7RLM, PY7GK, PY7LZ, PY7VI, PY7XC and PY7ZY will be active as PY7CRA from Itamaraca Island (SA-046) on 11-13 February. They plan to have two stations active on 40-10 metres SSB and CW. QSL to PY7CRA, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- TJ Suggested frequencies for the 10-20 February TJ9PF expedition to Cameroon [425DXN 1030] are as follows:

10m 28024 28480 28082 28122 12m 24892 24960 24918 24920 15m 21024 21270 21082 21072 17m 18071 18140 18102 18100 20m 14024 14145 14087 14072 30m 10104 10142 10142 40m 7020 7075/7120 7038 7035 80m 3524 3785 3585 3570 160m [*] 1850-1838 1842-1838 1842	Band	CW	SSB	RTTY	PSK
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40m 7020 7075/7120 7038 7035 80m 3524 3785 3585 3570	20m	14024	14145	14087	14072
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160m [*] 1850-1838 1842-1838 1842	80m	3524	3785	3585	3570
	160m	[*]	1850-1838	1842-18	38 1842

[*] AS/OC: TX 1826.5 RX 1821.5

EU: TX 1832.5 RX 1834.5 NA/SA: TX 1832.5 RX 1834.5

QSL via F5OGL, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to f5ogl.cameroon[@]free.fr) and LoTW. Logsearch and further information can be found at www.tj9pf.fr

- V2 Dave W9DR (V25DR), Tom W9AEB (V25TP) and Dave K9UK (V25DD) will be active holiday style from Antigua (NA-100) on 14-28 June. Expect V25DR to concentrate on 6 metres SSB and CW (50115 kHz), while V25DD and V25TP will operate SSB, CW and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX W9AEB
- V3 Torsten, DG7RO will be active as V31TF from Belize on 11-27 February. He will operate holiday style mainly RTTY and SSB, with some CW and SSTV on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VE John, VE8EV and Gerry, VE8GER are planning an IOTA DXpedition to Tent Island (NA-193, tentative callsign XK1T). John says they are "targeting 5-7 days in late April over the Easter holidays with the final dates to be picked at the end of March to avoid any forecast unsettled geomagnetic conditions". It will be a "high-power/yagi operation, mostly 20m, mostly SSB (but likely more CW than previous trips)". Donations can be made through the OQRS page at http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/ [TNX islandchaser.com]
- VK Andrey, VK5MAV will be active as VK5MAV/5 from Kangaroo Island (OC-139) on 15-21 February. He will operate holiday style mainly CW on 20 and 40 metres (on or around 14012 and 7012 kHz), with 100 watts, a 2-element vertical phased on 40m and a G5RV. QSL via VK5MAV, direct (see qrz.com for instructions) or bureau.
- W Pete, VE3IKV will be active as VX3X/W4 from Key West (NA-062) on 6-18 March. He will operate mainly CW with some SSB on 17, 12 and 10 metres. He will look for Europe around 12 UTC and for Asia around 21 UTC. QSL direct to VE3IKV. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- ZF John, K6AM will be active as ZF2AM from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) "for two weeks" in February, including entries in the

ARRL DX CW Contest (19-20 February) and in the CQ WW 160m SSB Contest (25-27 February). Outside the contests he will operate some SSB as time allows. QSL via K6AM (direct or bureau) and LoTW. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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AF-068 POSTPONED ---> The 1-5 February IOTA operation from Herne Island (AF-068) [425DXN 1029] has been postponed until September. On 27 January the team was travelling to reach Dakhla, when a wheel broke and their car was turned upside down. Leo, I8LWL (5C2L) suffered a fractured shoulder and a slight head injury, and was hospitalized in Marrakech. He went back home on 31 January. The other team members are in good health; 5C2J (QSL via IK7JWX) will operate from Moroccan mainland until 7 February. [TNX IK7JWX]

FT5XT ---> Gildas, TU5KG was unexpectedly active for a couple of hours on 20 metres SSB from Kerguelen on 2 February. QSL via F4EFI. He usually operates from a fishing boat while sailing in Southern Indian Ocean from the waters around Crozet (FT5WQ/mm) and Kerguelen (FT5XT/mm).

IOTA BASH ---> The seventh annual IOTA Bash will be held on 11-12 March in Boerne, Texas, about 20 miles northwest of San Antonio. The agenda will include presentations on some of the most recent IOTA expeditions and a nice social programme. Details and registration form are available on the IREF website (www.islandradio.org). [TNX AD5A]

16TH IOTA DINNER ---> The 16th Annual Islands On The Air (IOTA) Dinner will be held on Friday, 15 April 2011, at the Holiday Inn Hotel and Conference Center, in conjunction with the 62nd annual Visalia International DX Convention (http://dxconvention.org/). For additional information regarding this event, please contact Ray Benny, N6VR (rayn6vr[@]cableone.net).[TNX N6VR]

QSL PJ7E ---> "We still have about 1000 QSLs to finish up the backlog. Tom, N4XP has been mailing about 600 per week. Please be patient as it just takes time. The OQSL card requests will be caught up by next week. If you

have not received your QSL by March 1, please inquire at info[@]stmaarten2010.com and do not re-send cards at this time". [TNX W8GEX]

T32C ---> The website for the Five Star DXers Association's expedition to Kiritimati, Estern Kiribati (28 September-26 October) "goes from strength to strength, with all the latest news. For example, you can look at predicted propagation, make a donation via PayPal and other means, read about the island, and much more. At this time, though, we would particularly urge everyone to complete the survey of wanted bands and modes, which will help us in planning our operating schedule". Read the latest Press Bulletin, issued on 3 February, and participate in the survey by going to www.t32c.com

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2OU, 3W1M, 4L5O, 5B4AIA, 5H3EE, 5K0T, 5N7M, 5R8IC, 5R8RJ, 5R8X, 5T0JL, 6V7Z, 7Z1CQ, 7Z1TT, 8R1AK/p, 8R1PY, 9L5VT, A31A, A45XR, AB5EB/KL0 (NA-158), AT10BP, C31CT, C50A, C56E, C5A, CK8G (NA-182), CN8KD, CO7PH, CS1CRE, D44TBV, DT8A,

DU9/DL5SDF, E51NAA, EK3SA, EM75LWY, EU6MM, FG5LA, FG8AR, FP/AC8W, FR/DJ7RJ, HI3K, HK0GU/1, HK0GU/3, HV5PUL, IR0LI, J2/K2TQC, J28AA, J48CM, J5V, JA1PBV/6W, KC4USV, KG4WV, KH7Y, KP4AO, MU/F4EGD, MU/F5CWU, N3DG/2 (NA-111), NP4A, NP4DX, OD5NJ, OH9AA/p, OK4PA, OX/DF9TM, OX/DL1RTL, OX/DL2SWW, OX3WS, P33W, PJ2/K2TQC, PJ2/K5WLQ, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/N0YY, PJ2/N2MF, PJ2/W1NG, PJ2MI, PJ2T, PJ4/WA1Z, PJ4A, PJ4D, PJ4W, PJ4X, PJ6A, PJ7/K1GI, PJ7/K4UWH, PJ7/KC0VKN, PJ7E, PZ5T, R0/US0IW (AS-039), R11FJ, RK2FWA, S79K, S79LR, SN1A, ST2AR, T6MB, TA7/WK1S, TG9NX, TX3A, V85TX, VK0KEV, VK4LDX/p (OC-172), VK9GMW, VK9XO, VP2E/W1UE, VP2EMR, VP9HE, VQ9LA, VR2RG, VY2ZM, XF1RCS (NA-171), XV4SP, YJ0HA, YJ0VK, YW5LF (SA-059), Z21BB, Z29KM, ZB2FK,ZD9AH, ZF2AH, ZL7/N7OU, ZL7V, ZL7VR.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

DA INFORMATION

- VK8NSB, VK8FNCY, 9M6DXX, 9M6XRO and MW0JRX will be active from Atauro Island (OC-232), Timor-Leste on 16-26 September (callsign TBA). Activity will be on 10-160 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, with three stations, two using full licensed power linear amplifiers, and a third running 100 watts. Antennas will mainly be quarter-wave verticals and vertical dipoles, all located within a few metres of the ocean. For 160m an inverted-L will be used. Atauro Island was activated only once, by 4W6GH/p, back in 2000. Accommodation is very basic and will be in beach huts with no mains electricity or running water. All power for the DXpedition will be provided using hired generators. Further information will be published on a dedicated website QSL via M0URX, direct or bureau (www.m0urx.com/qsl-request-form), and LoTW. [TNX 9M6DXX]
- 6W Dave, WJ2O (www.wj2o.com) will be active as 6W/WJ2O from Senegal on 17-23 February, including a SOAB entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest. Outside the contest he will operate CW mainly on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via WJ2O. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- Bob N4BP (C6AKQ) and Kevin K4PG (C6APG) will be active on various bands and modes from Grand Bahama (NA-080) on 15-22 February and 17-21 February respectively. They will take part in the ARRL DX CW Contest on 80 metres (C6AKQ) and 40 metres (C6APG). QSL direct to home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- DU Chris, VK3FY was active for a few hours from Bayangan Island (OC-235) on 8 February. He will return to the island this coming weekend, with a group of local DU8 operators. They expect to operate SSB and CW "on the usual IOTA frequencies". [TNX DX World]
- EA8 Special event station EG8ISS will be active from 12 February to 11 March in order to publicize the first contact to be made bewteen the International Space Station and a school in the Canary Islands. All of the QSOs will be confirmed by a special QSL card "that will be automatically mailed to your QRZ.com address". The website for this event can be found at www.isscontact.eu. [TNX EA8BVP]
- EA8 Per, LA5EAA will be active as EA8/LA5EAA from the Canary Islands (AF-004) on 13-26 February. The first week he will be on La Gomera, and will then move to Tenerife. He will operate mainly CW QRP with wire antennas. QSL via home call. [TNX LA4LN]
- HH Jan, K4QD and Don, AF4Z will be active again as HH4/homecall from the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission from 18 February to 5 March.
 They will operate 80-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY as time permits.
 QSL via home calls. [TNX The Golist]
- J8 Dave, G3TBK will be active as J88DR from St. Vincent (NA-109) from

- 16 February to 14 March. He will operate on all bands CW, SSB and RTTY, and will participate in both the ARRL DX CW and SSB contests. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- KHO The Mariana Friendship Club (WH0SS) will be active as W0S from Saipan (OC-086) on 15-22 February to celebrate Silver Jubilee of the international exchange programme between Seisa Group (Japan) and Marianas High School (Saipan). Look for activity on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via JA1HGY. Log search will be available on www.clublog.org. [TNX JA1TRC]
- KHO Yuichiro, JM2RUV will operate SSB and CW as KH0/JM2RUV from the Mariana Islands on 18-21 February, including an entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- PZ Sergey, RX3APM will be active as PZ5P from Suriname on 15-22 February, including an entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres. QSL via UA4LU and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- TG David, N6HD will be active as TG7/N6HD from Guatemala between 15
 February and 7 March. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 160-10
 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TT Baldur, DJ6SI plans to be active as TT8DX from Chad on 14-24 February. Look for him mainly on CW. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- V3 Will, AA4NC will operate CW, RTTY and SSB as V31RR from Placencia, Belize on 16-23 February, including an entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL via AI4U and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- V4 John, W5JON will be active again as V47JA from St. Kitts (NA-104) from 16 February to 30 March. He will operate SSB on 6-80 metres, and will participate in both the ARRL DX SSB and WPX SSB contests as a SOAB entrant. His wife Cathy will also operate occasionally as V4/W5HAM. All QSLs via W5JON. [TNX NG3K]
- VP5 Look for VP5/AC8W (QSL via home call), VP5/KB8TXZ (QSL via home call) and VP5/N8LJ (QSL via K8ESQ) to be active from Providenciales, Caicos Islands (NA-002) on 15-23 February. This will include an entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest as VQ5D (QSL via AC8W). [TNX The Daily DX]
- XF4 XE1B, EA4AK, EA5AFP, EA5FX, EA5KM, EA8AUW and EC4DX have been authorized to be active as 4A4A from Isla Benito Juarez (Socorro, NA-030), Revillagigedo on 3-20 March. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-10 metres, and maybe 6 metres, with 2-3 stations. QSL via EB7DX (direct only) and LoTW. The website for the expedition is at www.revillagigedo2011.com, propagation forecast can be found at http://www.youtube.com/user/EA4AK and updates will be posted to https://twitter.com/EA4AK. [TNX EA4AK]

ANTARCTIC CRUISE ---> The Antarctic Adventure organized by Mehdi Escoffier, F5PFP [425DXN 976] will leave Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego on 14 February on a 6-week voyage. Plans are to visit and operate as FT5YK/p, VP8DLM and CE9XX from a number of Antarctic stations and islands. Expect him to be active on 40 metres SSB around 22-2 UTC, and possibly earlier on 20 metres. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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DXCC NEWS ---> 9X0SP (2010 operation from Rwanda) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had this

operation rejected in a recent application, send a note to dxcc[@]arrl.org to have your record updated.

QSL S50PTUJ ---> The QSL cards for Radioclub Ptuj's (S59DJK) activity as S50PTUJ (5 August-5 November 2020) are due to arrive from the printer this coming week. Direct requests will be processed immediately, all of the other QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau. Contacts made with S50PTUJ, S59DJK and S50W after 20 February are also available for credit on LoTW. [TNX S51NM]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Fernand + Leroy (F6BSF), Agostino Sereno (I1SEA), Alessandro Sarru (ISOMYN), Dick Scarvaci (K9CAN), Norma Mendel (KC5DDO), Scott Wayland (N1HXC), Matti Nummeli(VE3EEI, ex OH2ZD) and John P. Burgio (W2JB).

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******* QSL ROUTES ******

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 5X Nick, G3RWF will be active again as 5X1NH from Uganda from 19 February for eight weeks. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres (neither 160 nor 6 metres). QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX G3RWF]
- Luc, F5RAV will operate again as 6V7T from Senegal from 26
 February to 7 March, including activity during the French HF
 Championship (SSB) and the ARRL DX SSB Contest. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX DX World]
- EA EA3GHZ, EA5DTV, EA5EOR and EA5KA will be active as EG5CI from the Columbretes Islands (EU-069) on 7-10 April. QSL via EA5EOR, direct or bureau. The web pages for the operation can be found at www.dxciting.com
- CYO The team (Randy/N0TG, Ron/AA4VK and Wayne/K8LEE, who has replaced WA4DAN) has set 7-15 March as the target schedule for their third attempt at operating from Sable Island [425DXN 1031]. They will travel to Halifax on 5 March to take care of final logistics details. The team has maximized their personal schedules to be as flexible as possible to adapt to any potential weather delays. Updates will be posted to www.cy0dxpedition.com [TNX N0TG]
- FO Ted, K8AQM will be active as FO/K8AQM from Moorea (OC-046), French Polynesia on 20-25 February. He will operate holiday style with 100 watts and a vertical on 20 and maybe 30 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- HC Rick, NE8Z will be active from Ecuador between 23 February and 12 March. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres as HC1MD from Tumbaco, Pichincha Province from 23 February to 3 March, and again on 9-12 March. On 4-8 March he will be active as HC1MD/HC4 from Canoa, Manabi Province on 40-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via K8LJG.
- FS,PJ7 Jeff, VA3QSL will be active as FS/VA3QSL from St. Martin (NA-105) and as PJ7/VA3QSL from Sint Maarten (NA-105) on 23-27 February. He will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- J5 Laci, HA0NAR [425DXN 1030] is now active as J5NAR from Guinea-Bissau until 26 February. He expects to operate as J5NAR/p from IOTA group AF-093 on 21-23 February. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- JA Take, JI3DST will be active as JI3DST/JI6 from Kuchino-shima, Tokara Islands (AS-049) on 11-20 March. He plans to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 from two different locations on the island. Indicatively, between 23 and 6 UTC he will be QRV on 40-6 metres with an emphasis on 20, 17 and 15 metres; between 8 and 22 UTC he

- will add 160 and 80 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX JI3DST and JR3TVH]
- J7 Lars, SM0CCM will be active as J73CCM from Dominica (NA-101) from 21 February to 28 March. He will operate holiday style mainly CW, with some RTTY and SSB. He might also be QRV as J70SWD from the Carib Indian Territory for a few days. QSL via home call (bureau preferred) and LoTW. On 14-28 March he will be joined by Stig, SM3PHM, who will be active as J79M. He will operate mainly CW, with a focus on 160 metres. QSL via home call (bureau preferred) and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX & NG3K]
- J7 Jan, DL7JAN will be active as J79AN from Dominica from 23 February to 6 March. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres (possibly on 80m as well), with a focus on Asia. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- KG4 Look for KG4AS (QSL via N4SIA), KG4KL (QSL via KN4KL), KG4SS (QSL via K4MIL) and KG4WV (QSL via W4WV) to be active on all bands and modes from Guantanamo Bay from 22 February to 8 March. [TNX The Daily DX]
- LU Look for Ezequiel, LU1EEZ/D and Mark, LU7CAW/D to be active on 80-10 metres SSB from Martin Garcia Island (SA-055) on 23-28 February. QSL LU1EEZ direct and LU7CAW through the bureau. [TNX DX World]
- PJ4 Bert, CX3AN will be visiting Peter, PJ4NX on Bonaire (SA-006) from 20 February to 1 March. He will operate in his spare time with a callsign to be announced upon arrival. QSL via home call. [TNX CX3AN]
- PJ7 Look for Bil, PJ7/W8EB to be active from Sint Maarten from 21 February through 19 March. He will operate holiday style mainly digital modes, and will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as PJ7B. QSL via W8EB. [TNX NG3K]
- PJ7 Jan/DJ8NK, Paul/F6EXV, Kan/JA1BK and Rich/K2WR will be active from Sint Maarten between 26 October and 9 November, including a Multi-2 entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres, with two stations and possibly a third one during peak periods. Their primary callsign will be PJ7X (QSL via F6EXV); other callsigns will be PJ7NK (to be used on digital modes, QSL via DJ8NK) and PJ7J (to be used on 80 metres, QSL via JA1BK). All logs will be uploaded to LoTW a few months after completion of the operation. The website for the operation can be found at www.pj7-2011.org [TNX F6EXV]
- PY A group of seven operators from the Cantareira DX Group will be active as PR2M from Ilha da Moela (SA-071) for the South American Lighthouses Weekend on 25-27 February. QSL via PY2DEZ, direct or bureau. [TNX PY2ZA]
- Orlando, PT2OP will be active as ZW8SM from Sao Marcos lighthouse (ARLHS BRA-191) on Sao Luis Island (SA-016) on 25-27 February, and as as ZY8P from Preguicas lighthouse (ARLHS BRA-089) between 28 February and 5 March. Expect him to operate SSB on 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via PT2OP. [TNX VA3RJ]
- SV9 Willi, DJ7RJ will be active again as SV9/DJ7RJ from Crete between 24 February and 15 March. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres, with a focus on the low bands. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- V5 Klaus, DJ4SO will be active as V5/DJ4SO from Namibia between 22 February and 23 March. He will operate on 160-10 metres mostly CW and RTTY/PSK31, with some possible SSB. QSL via home call (direct or bureau) and LoTW. E-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent

- to klaus @ dj4so.de [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VE Jay, VY1JA will be active again as VY0JA from CFS Alert on Ellesmere Island (NA-008) for about five weeks starting on 26 February. He will operate mainly CW and digital modes running low power into wire antennas. QSL via N3SL (Japanese stations can go via JA3JM).
- VK Craig, VK4LDX will be active as VK4LDX/p from Horn Island (OC-138) on 10-14 March. He will operate SSB, PSK31 and RTTY on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. "I'll be on the bands as much as possible, probably 18 hours per day", he says. He also plans to update his blog (http://vk4ldxoc138.blogspot.com/) on a daily basis while on the island, "to let people know what the band openings are likely to be and where to find me". QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- VP9 Mark, AA1AC will be active as VP9/AA1AC from Hamilton Parish, Bermuda (NA-005) on 7-12 March. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX AA1AC]
- W Members of the Palos Verdes ARC will operate as K6PV from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) on 24-27 February. It will be "a dedicated but simple operation" with two stations using mainly dipoles. QSL via K6PV. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- XU Nob, JA1FMZ will be active as XU7FMZ from Cambodia on 2-28 March. He will operate holiday style on 20-10 metres SSB, with SOSB entries in both the ARRL DX SSB and CQ WW WPX SSB contests. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- YB Joni, YB9WZJ plans to take part in the IOTA Contest (30-31 July) as YB9WZJ/p from Doom Island (OC-239). QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX NG3K]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (January 2011) is now available at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

ANTARCTIC ACTIVITY WEEK ---> The Worldwide Antarctic Program has announced that the eighth Antarctic Activity Week will be held from 21 to 27 February. The aim of this annual event is to promote worldwide interest in the Antarctic continent. Several special event callsigns from around the world are expected to take part in this year's AAW. Participating stations

(QSL via operator's instructions) are announced from the following countries:

Bulgaria LZ08ANT

Canada VA3WAP, VA7AAW, VB3ANT

England GB0ANT

France TM0WAP, TM8AAW

Germany DA0ANT India AU8ANT

Italy IIOAAW, II2ANT, II3ANT, II3MNA, II5ANT, II8AAW, IO2ANT,

IO5ANT, IP1METEO, IP1NAVY, IP2ANT, IP3ANT, IP8AAW, IR0AW,

IR1ANT, IR2IR, IU1ANT

Lithuania LY100SP

Romania YO8ANT, YQ2ANT

Slovenia S50ANT

Spain AO1AAW, EG1WAP

Switzerland HB9ICE Ukraine EM15U

USA K4K, K0ANT, N5T

Complete information on the AAW can be found at www.waponline.it

ARRL INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST (CW) ---> Object of the contest is for W/VE amateurs to work as many stations in as many DXCC countries as possible on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 metre bands, while foreign amateurs (also including KH6, KL7, CY9 and CY0) work as many W/VE stations in as many of the 48 contiguous states and provinces as possible (full rules can be found at complete rules can be found at www.arrl.org/arrl-dx). This year's event will run from from 00.00 UTC on 19 February through 23.59 UTC on the 20th.

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxc2011.html - good contest to you all!

LIGHTHOUSE WEEKEND ---> The third South American Lighthouses Weekend will be held on 25-27 February. A listing of partecipating stations can be found at www.grupodxbb.com.ar/faros2011/index.htm [TNX LU7DSY]

QSL ZP6CW ---> Dough, ZP6CW says he has sent out over 18,000 QSLs via the bureau for each QSO in 2010 and 2011. Logs also uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Direct QSLs go via ZP6CU.

SOUTHERN SUDAN 2011 ---> On 9-15 January Southern Sudan held a referendum to decide whether to continue to be part of the Republic of Sudan or chose independence as a separate nation. The poll was agreed as part of a 2005 peace agreement to end two decades of war, and the results show an overwhelming vote for secession. The new country is set to formally declare its independence on 9 July. When Southern Sudan meets the current DXCC criteria, it will be a new Entity and two announcements of DXpeditions have already been made.

* First Bernie, W3UR reported that "a working group has been established to enable Amateur Radio to enter the scene with a professional, supportive role in the context of introducing the new country to the world of Amateur Radio. It should be noted that this potential new country is emerging with a limited administrative structure, and the first Amateur Radio activation should - prior to the operation - be accompanied with a well-thought-out plan prepared in partnership with Southern Sudan's relevant authorities, such as telecommunications, security and education.

The group of Alex 5Z4DZ (PA3DZN), Robert S53R and Martti OH2BH has organized such an effort in discussions with Southern Sudan's institutions and other related parties in the region. The group will also be holding discussions about the provision of potential help to Southern Sudan's prospective Amateur Radio Service with several entities, such as NCDXF, in addition to obtaining resources from Japan.

Updates will be released from time to time between now and July, and it is predicted that prospects for a new DXCC counter are some months away with preparations well underway".

* Then Paul, N6PSE announced that the Intrepid-DX Group and the DX Friends are planning a joint operation "to take place on or after July 9th 2011".

This is intended to be "a major effort, with a target of more than 150,000 QSOs. There will be up to ten stations on the air, using amplifiers along with high performance beams and vertical dipole arrays, 24 hours a day, for almost three weeks". While continuing "to move forward in our planning with representatives of the new Southern Sudan Government and the ITU/IARU", they "are not seeking donations or support until we have an official operating permit/license in hand". The website for the DXpedition is at www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/

QSLs received direct or through managers: 1A0KM, 3B8FQ, 3C0C, 3D2A, 4L0A, 4S7AB, 4Z5LA, 5B4AIF, 5B50AIF, 5B8AD, 5C5W, 5R8RJ, 5R8WW, 5R8X, 5T0JL, 5V7TT, 5W0BR, 5W0JT, 5X0CW, 5X1NH, 5Z4/G4OHX, 6V7T, 6V7Z, 7P8OK, 8Q7FF, 9H3UM, 9K2HN, 9K2YM, 9L1BTB, 9L7NS, 9Y4VU, A25SL, A25ZY, A31A, A35AY, A45XR, A73A, B7P, BT4EXPO, C50C, C56E, C5A, C6AKQ, C6ANM, C91DL, C91JR, CE0Y/DK7ZB, CE1/K7CA, CE3FZ, CN8KD, CO8LY, C08ZZ, CR2X, CR8X, CX5CW, CY0/VE1AWW, D44AC, D44TBV, DT8A, E4X, EK3SA, ER3ZZ, ER4ER, FG8AR, FO5QB, FO5RH,

FR/DJ7RJ, FR5BT, FR5DZ, FS/K9NB, GP0DTH, GW7X, HH2/OH2TA, HI3K, HI3TEJ, HK0GU, HK0GU/1, HK1R, HK1X, IM0/OL5Y, J5V, J68JA, JA1PBV/6W, JA1XGI/VK9X, JD1BMH, JT1JA, K3TRM/6Y5, KC4AAA, KC4USV, KG4WV, KL7RA,KL7RRC/P (NA-233), KL7RRC/P (NA-235), LQ0D (SA-021), LU7DSY/W (SA-065), LY3M, MJ/PA3EWP, MU/F5CWU, N9BX/4 (NA-052), OA4TT, OD5ET, OD5KU, OD5NH, OD5NJ, OH0B, OH0X, OJ0B, OY1CT, PJ2/K2NV, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/K8ND, PJ2/N2MF, PJ2T, PJ4/W9NJY, PJ4B, PJ4W, PJ4X, PJ5/AH6HY, PJ6/W6IZT, PJ6A, PJ7/K1GI, PJ7/KC0VKN, PJ7E, PX8J, PX8L, PZ5T, R11FJ, S21YX, S79GB, T6LR, T70A, T80W, T8CW, TF3SG, TG9NX, T15/KU0DM, T15N, T19KK, TL0A, UA0YAY, UK8AR, UK8OM, V47KP, V51AS, V73QQ, V73RRC (OC-278), V73TM, V8AQM, VK5AUQ (OC-139), VK9XA, VK9XXY, VP2E/K1XM, VP2EMR, VP2V/DL7VOG, VP2V/N3DXX, VP5/WA2VYA, VP8LP, VY2ZM, WP4N, XF1RCS (NA-171), XR0Y, XU7MDY, XV2RZ, XV4SP, XV9DT, XX9TLX, YB0AKM, YB2IQ, YK1BA, YN4SU, ZB3B, ZB3R, ZD9AH, ZD9GI, ZD9T, ZL7VR, ZP5RPO, ZS8M.

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- 7Q Harry, 7Q7HB is back in Malawi for at least a couple of months. He is QRV in his spare time, mostly on digital modes and CW, plus some SSB "if asked". QSL via G0IAS, direct only. [TNX G0IAS]
- Rob, PA3DEW and Vincent, PA3FQX will be active as 9G1AA from Ghana on 1-20 March. They plan to be QRV mostly on 20 and 15 SSB, with some activity on 40 metres. QSL via PA3ERA, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CT9 Rosel, DL3KWR and Hardy, DL3KWF will be active as CT9/DL3KWR and CT9/DL3KWF from Madeira (AF-014) on 10 March-6 April. They plan to operate mostly CW and on 12, 17 and 30 metres. Hardy will also give RTTY and PSK-31 a try. QSL via home calls. E-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to dl3kwr[@]darc.de or dl3kwf[@]darc.de respectively. Their web site is at www.mydarc.de/dl3kwr [TNX DL3KWR]
- CYO Announced frequencies for the 7-15 March DXpedition to Sable Island [425DXN 1033] are:

CW: 1826, 3523, 7023, 10106, 14023, 18072, 21023, 24892, 28023 kHz

SSB: 3781, 7140, 14190, 18145, 21295, 24945, 28450 kHz

RTTY: refer to the website

- The preferred QSL route is via the Online QSL Request Service available at www.cy0dxpedition.com. Traditional direct requests for all callsigns (N0TG/CY0, K8LEE/CY0 and N1SNB/CY0) should be sent to N0TG, direct or bureau. All logs will be uploaded to LoTW "after the QSL process is near completion".
- EL Silvano, I2YSB and his team (Vinicio IK2CIO, Angelo IK2CKR, Marcello IK2DIA and Stefano IK2HKT) will be active from Liberia (callsign TBA) from 31 March to 13 April. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres with three stations on the HF bands and one dedicated station on 6 metres. QSL direct to I2YSB. Further information, band/mode survey and Online QSL Request System can be found at www.i2ysb.com. Once again Arturo IK7JWY will be the pilot station for the expedition (it will be possibile to contact him through the dedicated forum at www.hamradioweb.org/forums/
- FM Dim, UT5UGR says he will be active as FM/KL7WA from Martinique (NA-107) on 2-8 March, including an entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as TO7A. QSL via UT5UGR.
- Cody, KC2LSD will be active as HK3/KC2LSD from Bogota, Colombia on 4-16 March. He will operate RTTY, PSK31, CW and SSB on 40-19 metres. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX KC2LSD]
- I Celebrating the 150th anniversary of the unification of Italy, special callsign IO4UI will be from 1 March to 30 September. QSL

- via I4JEE. All of QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX I4JEE]
- PJ7 Massimo, I8NHJ and Pier, W1NA will be active as PJ7DX from Sint Maarten (NA-105) on 2-7 March. Main activity will be during the ARRL DX SSB Contest, with some casual operating mainly CW outside the ARRL event. QSL direct to I8NHJ. [TNX I8NHJ]
- UA Look for Andrey, RV0ADW/0 to be active from Sredny Island (AS-042) until 28 February. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- V3 Ken, N2ZN will be active as V31AM from Placencia, Belize on 2-8 March, including an entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. Activity before and after the contest will be mainly on CW or digital modes, with focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via N2ZN. [TNX NG3K]
- VU4 A large group of operators from the Amateur Radio Society of India will be active as VU4PB from the Andaman Islands (AS-001) on 15-31 March. Plans are to have four stations active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY from three locations in Port Blair. Further information and details on how contribute to this epensive project can be found at http://arsi.info/dxpeditions/vu4pb-mar-2011
- ZL John, 9M6XRO will be active as ZL/GD3OOK from Waiheke Island (OC-201) between on 7-11 March. He will use wire antennas and a linear. QSL via M0URX (see www.m0urx.com) and LoTW. [TNX 9M6XRO]

CQ WW 160-METER CONTEST (SSB) ---> Object of the contest is for amateurs around the world to work as many US States, Canadian provinces and countries as possible on 160 metres SSB (http://cq160.com/rules.htm). The following stations have announced their partecipation in this year's event (from 22.00 UTC on 25 February through 22.00 UTC on the 27th):

Call	Country	QSL via
3V8SS	Tunisia	IZ8CCW
C31CT	Andorra	EA3QS
C6ANM	Bahamas	LoTW
CN2FF	Morocco	DK4VW
D4C	Cape Verde	IZ4DPV (d) or CT1ESV (b)
ED1L	Spain	EA1EJ
ED9NA	Ceuta	EA9GW
HQ2W	Honduras	OK1DOT
IH9YMC	African Italy	eQSL
UA2F	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
UA2F	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
UK9AA	Uzbekistan	UK9AA
V31TF	Belize	DG7RO
V31YN	Belize	DJ4KW
YE2T	Indonesia	YB2CPO
ZF2AM	Cayman Islands	K6AM
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+ SILENT KEYS + "Four Americans - including three Amateur Radio

+ operators -

who were being held hostage on their yacht by pirates off the coast of Oman have been killed. Scott Adam, K9ESO, and his wife Jean, KF6RVB, along with Bob Riggle, KE7IIV, and Phylis Macay were on board the S/V Quest when pirates boarded their vessel on Friday, February 18". Details on this tragic event can be found at www.arrl.org/news Other recently reported Silent Keys include Winit Kongprasert (HS1CKC), a pioneer of amateur radio in Thailand and Vice President of RAST, who lost his life on 19 February in a motorcycle accident; Jean-Jacques Hiblot (F5SHE), UK Six Metre Group's founding member Steve Richardson (G4JCC), Len Hopkinson (ZL3IE) and South African Maritime Mobile Net's founder Alistair Campbell (ZS5MU).

CALL MANAGER CALL MANAGER
3Y8XSA SM4TUV HK1X EA7FTR PY1/DJ4CW AI4U
4H1T DU1IVT HK3JCL DK8LRF PY7ZBK HB9BEI
4L4ZA DJ1CW HQ9R K5WW PZ5P UA4LU
4S7BRG LZ3HI HR2DMR OK1DOT S50ANT S51RU
4S7KKG DC0KK HS0ZGQ DK8MZ SN51CCB SP7CCB
5C5W EA5XX HS0ZID WX8C SN51DOS SP7PSQ 5H3EE DL4ME HZ1AN DJ9ZB SN51EQB SQ7EQB
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5N5K LZ1CL II0AAW IK0TRV SN51HUM SQ7HUM
5X1NH G3RWF II0UI IZ0TTE SN51MHN SQ7MHN
6W/HA0NAR HA0NAR II2ANT I2JJR SN51SEW SP7SEW
6W2SC HA3AUI II2MM IK2AQZ SN51SZW SP7SZW
7X2EB EA7FTR II2V IK2AOZ SN51WPA SO7WPA
8P3A VE3DZ II3ANT IZ3DBA SV0XBZ/9 YL2VW 8P6DR G3RWL II3MNA IQ3TS SV0XCA/5 LZ1WL
8P6DR G3RWL II3MNA IQ3TS SV0XCA/5 LZ1WL
8P9AA VE3DZ II5ANT IZ5BTC T6AF EB7DX
9A50Z 9A1CAZ II7CL IQ7MU T70DXC IZ8IYX
9H3SM OE6MBG II7ITA IQ7DV T88HS JA6KYU
9A50Z 9A1CAZ II7CL IQ7MU T70DXC IZ8IYX 9H3SM OE6MBG II7ITA IQ7DV T88HS JA6KYU 9J2BO G3TEV II8AAW I8QJU T88NK JA2AAU
9J2GS PA3CPI II8ITA I8QJŪ TF3CW LX1NO
9J2KK JK1NSR II9T IT9ESW TG9IGI I2MQP
9K2/SP4R SP7DQR IO2ANT I2AZ TI3/W7RI AI4U
9K2/SP4R SP7DQR IO2ANT I2AZ TI3/W7RI AI4U 9K50NLD 9K2RA IO5ANT IW5EFX TI5/N3KS N3YIM
9M6XRO/8 M0URX IP1NAVY IZ1HKE TI5A TI5KD
9M8XXW DJ8XW IP2ANT IK2QPR TI5KS N3YIM
9M8Z/p M0URX IP3ANT IN3UFW TJ3AY F5LGE
9M8Z/p M0URX IP3ANT IN3UFW TJ3AY F5LGE 9Q/DK3MO DF9TA IP8AAW IK2FIQ TM0R F5GGL
A61Q EA7FTR IR0AW IZ0PSA TM0WAP F8DHE
AD7UV/KH2 JA8DKJ IR1ANT I1HYW TM22P F4EUG
AO1AAW EA1GHT IR2IR IK2YVA TM38O F6ITD AU8ANT VU2LYX IR3WFF IW3ILM TM6C F6KMB
AU8ANT VU2LYX IR3WFF IW3ILM TM6C F6KMB
AY8A LU8ADX IR8ANT I8ACB TM6M F4DXW
BV100ROC BM2JCC IU1ANT IZ1POO TM6X F5VHY
C56EME PA3CEE J37T VE3EBN TM8AAW F8DVD
C6AKQ N4BP J38A K4LTA TM90RCNF F8KKH
C6ANM WA2IYO J38RF KE4TG TM95BV F6KUP
C6APG K4PG J5NAR HA0NAR TT8DX DJ6SI
CE3G CE3WDH J5UAP HA3AUI TT8FC EA4AHK

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CM3RPN	EB7DX	J88CF	EB7DX	UK8FF	W3HNK
CN2FA	DK4VW	J88DR	G3TBK	UK8IAI	P RW6HS
CN2FB	DK4VW			RA UK8	IAZ RW6HS
CN2JF	F6CTF	JW9VDA	LA9VD	A UK8IC	M RW6HS
CN2PV	W3PV	K4A	K6EID	UK8ICN	RW6HS
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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 7P Peter, EI7CC will be active as 7P8PB from Lesotho on 9-23 March. This will be mainly a family holiday, but he will be QRV from his brother-in-law's (7P8CC) station when circumstances permit. QSL via EI7CC, direct or bureau, and LoTW.
- 7P Frosty, K5LBU and Wayne, W5KDJ will be active as 7P8CF and 7P8KDJ from Lesotho on 11-20 March. They plan to have two full time stations on the air for the entire period, on 10-160m SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK. QSL 7P8CF via K5LBU (direct and LoTW), QSL 7P8KDJ via W5KDJ (direct, LoTW and eQSL). Logsearch will be available at www.tdxs.net/lesotho2011.html after the expedition.
- 9K 9K2F has been active from Faylakah Island (AS-118) since 2 March. The group will leave the island on the 7th. QSL via 9K2HN. [TNX The Golist]
- 9L The new dates for the 9L5MS operation from Sierra Leone [425DXN 1025] are 28 March-18 April. Arie PA3A, Arie PA3AN, Ad PA8AD, Bas PD0CAV and Dickson EL2DT will operate on 160-6 metres metres CW, SSB and RTTY, using three stations with amplifers and several beam and vertical antennas. They will also give 6m EME a try between 16 and 20 March. The team will provide support and raise funds for a Mercy Ships Charity Project. QSL via PA3AWW, direct or bureau (plus LoTW six months after the expedition). An OQRS for direct cards is available on the expedition's website. Further information on the project can be found at www.sierraleone2011.com
- BV A group of eight operators will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as BV100 from Liuchiu Island (AS-155). This special callsign has been used since October 2010 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Republic of China, and will be active until 31 December. QSL via BV2KI. [TNX NG3K]
- CT8 Look for Roger, CT8/G3SXW and Lionel, CT8/G5LP to be active from Sao Miguel Island (EU-003), Azores on 16-17 March. They expect to operate CW only "for several hours each day". QSL via home calls and LoTW. [TNX G3SXW]
- CYO The Sable Island DXpedition team was informed that the weather forecast for the scheduled date is not promising, and they will attempt to reach the island earlier than planned. They should be able to fly to Sable on 5 March and hopefully be QRV around 19-21 UTC. Bookmark www.cyOdxpedition.com for updates.
- F The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (TP2CE, ewwa.free.fr) will be active as TP50CE on 11-13 and 18 March to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the European Social Charter. QSL via F5LGF. CERAC will attend Ham Radio in Friedrichshafen, Germany (24-25 June) for checking logs for TP2CE, TP20CE, 3A0CE, 40OCE, TP60CE and TP50CE.

[TNX F6FQK]

- FG Jean-Pierre, F6ITD will be active as FG/F6ITD from Guadeloupe (NA-102) in March. He will operate SSB and digital modes from either La Desirade (9-16 March) and Basse-Terre (16-31 March). QSL via home call. [TNX F6AJA and Les Novelles DX]
- G Kevan, 2E0WMG (SSB) and Jonathan, G0DVJ (SSB and CW) will be active from Lundy Island (EU-120) on 21-26 March. They will be QRV on 80-10 metres. [TNX Pete's-DX-Newsdesk]
- GJ Kazu, JK3GAD (M0CFW) will be active as MJ0CFW from Jersey (EU-013) on 18-21 March. He will be QRV on 160-10 metres and will participate in the Russian DX Contest. QSL via M0CFW and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- HR Gerard, F2JD will be active as HR5/F2JD from Copna, Honduras for a couple of months between mid-March and mid-May. He will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via F6AJA. [TNX F6AJA]
- P4 Tim, WD9DZV will be active as P40D from Aruba (SA-036) on 8-13 March. He plans to operate holiday style on most bands and modes. QSL via WD9DZV. [TNX NG3K]
- PJ2 Jim/N5HZ, Don/W5FKX, David/W5XU and Mike/W5ZPA will be active as PJ2/homecall from Curacao (SA-099) on 10-17 March. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 160-10 metres from the Caribbean Contesting Consortium's Signal Point station. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Further information and log search at www.deltadx.net/Activities/PJ2/PJ2-DDXA.htm
- PY Look for PY2XB/1 to be active holiday style from Ilha Grande (SA-029) on 5-9 March. He will operate mainly CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via PT7WA, direct or bureau. [TNX PT7WA]
- V2 Bob, W4OWY (V25WY) and Mark, W9OP (V25OP) will be active from Antigua (NA-100) will be active from Antigua on 8-18 March. QSL via home calls, plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX NG3K]
- Jeff, K5MV will be active holiday style as V4/K5MV from St. Kitts (NA-104) on 10-17 March. He will operate SSB and CW on 160-6 metres. QSL via K5MV, direct and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- V5 Gert, ZS6AYU will be active as V5/ZS6AYU from various locations in Namibia on 6-16 March. He will operate holidy style on 30-15 metres CW. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX NG3K]
- VK VK3ADO, VK3DQ, VK3EI, VK3FMGF, VK3HJ and VK3MLM will be leaving Yaringa (Victoria) on 20 March on a 40-hour voyage to Deal Island (OC-195). They plan to operate from the island as VK7DI for four days, using CW, SSB and SSTV on the HF bands. QSL via VK3DQ. [TNX DX World]
- VP2V Peter G3PHO will be active as VP2V/G3PHO from Tortola, British Virgin Islands (NA-023) on 11-18 March. Main activity will be concentrated during the RSGB Commonwealth Contest, outside the contest he will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres CW. QSL via G3PHO, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- XE Ismael, XE1AY and other eleven operators will be active as XF2P from Isla de Lobos (NA-221) from 29 April to 1 May. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on the HF bands, 6 metres and satellite (AO27, AO51 and SO50). QSL via XE1AY. [TNX DX World]
- ZA I2GPT, IK2PGM, IW2HKW, IW2JOP, IZ2BKP and IZ2QCP will be active as ZA/I2GPT from Albania on 9-13 March. They will operate CW and SSB on 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via I2GPT, direct or bureau.

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ARRL INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST (SSB) ---> Object of the contest is for W/VE amateurs to work as many stations in as many DXCC countries as possible on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 metre bands, while foreign amateurs (also including KH6, KL7, CY9 and CY0) work as many W/VE stations in as many of the 48 contiguous states and provinces as possible (full rules can be found at www.arrl.org/arrl-dx). This year's event will run from from 00.00 UTC on

5 March through 23.59 UTC on the 6th. Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxs2011.html

CQ MM DX CONTEST ---> The first edition of the CQ Manchester Mineira DX Contest, sponsored by the the Juiz de Fora CW Group, will be held on 16-17 April. It is a continuation of the Manchester Mineira All America CW Contest, initially limited to Brazil (1993-1996), then expanded first to South America (1997-2006) and finally to the Americas (2007-2010). Il will run from 12 UTC on Saturday through 23.59 on Sunday, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW. Details can be found at www.cwjf.com.br [TNX PY4WAS]

DX0DX ---> After the failed attempt in January, the DX0DX expedition to the Spratly Islands (www.dx0dx.net) [425DXN 1028] has been postponed until next year. The Team Leader (Chris Dimitrijevic, VK3FY) says to be "determined to recover as much of the costs as possible to put things right for all the Team members, Sponsors, organisations and individuals involved", and "to put DX0DX off until next year will allow me time to clean up the situation from the first attempt". The new target date is April 2012. [TNX VK3PC]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Thirteen different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (333 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities

(1216 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (3252 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (367 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (61 QSLs), Antarctic bases (824 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 264 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (333 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (97 QSLs), pre-1945 countries

(1121 QSLs), French Departments (660 QSLs) and CONUS (166 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (123 QSLs). Several cards are still and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx[@]free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

QSL PJ7E ---> "We are doing very well getting out QSLs but still have about 5 mailing trays to confirm yet. Tom, N4XP, our QSL manager, expects to complete those in the next three weeks. The OQSL will be shut down on March 4th. The OQSL service has been a huge success with certificates issued with the QSLs. All of the OQSLs received at this time have been mailed. ARRL has announced that they will soon be issuing the LOTW certificates to the new PJs [actually the PJ operations have already started obtaining their certificates, and the first logs were uploaded on 4 March, Ed.]. We are ready to upload the logs at that time. The PJ7E team thanks everyone for their QSOs". [TNX W8GEX]

RSGB COMMONWEALTH CONTEST ---> The 74th edition of the Commonwealth (BERU) Contest (www.beru.org.uk) will be held on 12-13 March, from 10 UTC to 10 UTC, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW. Only operators located within the Commonwealth or British Mandated Territories are eligible to enter, so please check the list at www.rsgbcc.org/hf/information/codes.shtml before calling.

RTTY MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> All RTTY operators are invited to participate in the RTTY Most Wanted Survey 2011, conducted by K8UT and AA5AU. The survey will be running until 20 March and can be found at http://rttysurvey2011.semdxa.org (problems sould be reported directly to Larry at k8ut[@]k8ut.com). [TNX AA5AU]

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed

through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

+ SILENT KEYS + Aisea Aisake, 3D2AA passed away on 26 February

+ after a

short illness, at 62 years of age. He was the on site reference and guide to those wishing to operate from Fiji and above all from his homeland island of Rotuma. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Tapir Cassiano Araujo Sepulveda (PY6TS) and Evgenij N. Petrov (RW9MD).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 1A0KM, 3W6C, 4S7ULG, 5C5W, 5R8IC, 5R8UI, 5R8X, 5X0CW, 5X4X, 6W7SK, 7P8OK, 9H3TX, 9J2BO, 9L1X, 9L5VT, 9U0A, 9V1VV, 9X0SP, A25BI, A25CF, A25SL, A35AY, A61Q, A92GR, AT25RG, BA8AG, BT4EXPO, BV100, C31LJ, C50C, C56YK, C5A, C6ANM, CE1/K7CA, CK8G (NA-182), CN8KD, CP4BT, EP2MKO, ER4ER, ER4KAA, EW8A, FR5ZL, FY1FL, FY5HE, GD6IA, HH2/OH2TA, HI3/W1JNZ, HI3TEJ, IM0/OL5Y, J5V, J6/K8EAB, J6/W7ZT, JD1BMH, JY5HX, KH7Y, KL7RRC/P (NA-235), MU/F5CWU, MW0YVK, OH0X, OH3YI, OH9AA (EU-126), OJ0B, P29VLR, PJ2/N1ZZ, PJ2/OH1VR, PJ2A, PJ2T, PJ4D, PJ4I, PJ4W, PJ4X, PJ5/AH6HY, PJ5/SP6EQZ, PJ6A, PJ7E, PX8J (SA-041), PX8L (SA-016), PY2WO, R11FJ, S21YX, S79GB, ST2AR, SU/HA3JB, SV1ASP/A, T32CI (OC-281), T32MI (OC-279), T32SI (OC-280), T32VI (OC-282), T6AF, T6MB, T70A, T88AA, T88SM, TG9NX, TJ3AY, TL0A, TO5SM, TU2XZ, V31YY, V73QQ (OC-029), V73QQ (OC-087), V73RCC (OC-278), VK0KEV, VK9XXY, VP2MSC, VP2MXO, VY2TT, XF1RCS (NA-171), XT2RJA, XU7KOH, YI9PSE, YJ0HA, YS1/HB9KNA, YV8AD, ZD7FT, ZD9AH, ZD9T, ZS6RJ.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- RZOSR, UAOSC, UAOSE and UAOSW will be active on all bands and modes as homecalls/6W from Senegal on 17-28 March (QSL via home calls, direct or bureau). They will participate in the RDXC and CQ WW WPX SSB contests as 6V7D (QSL via UAOSE, direct or bureau). [TNX RZOSR]
- 9A Anica 9A7SSY, Franjo 9A2MF, Daki 9A2WJ and Emir 9A6AA will be active as 9A1WFF from the various protected areas located on the island of Pag (EU-170) on 11-13 March. QSL via 9A6AA. [TNX The Golist]
- Ernst, DK7AN (9N7AN) will be active from Dhulikhel, Nepal starting on 16 March. Activity will be casual and limited to 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. Ten days later he will be joined by Heinz-Josef DK5WL, Georg DL4SVA and Franz DL9GFB, and the group will operate CW, SSB, RTTY, and PSK31 on 160-10 metres as 9N7AN (and on 2 metres EME as 9N7WL) until 8 April. QSL 9N7AN via DL4SVA and 9N7WL via DK5WL, direct, bureau and LoTW. Further information can be found at www.160m.de/9N7AN/index.html
- CN Mat, MJ0ASP will be active as CN2MR from Morocco on 14-21 March. He will operate CW on 40-10 metres, with an emphasis on 30, 17 and 12m. QSL via MJ0ASP and LoTW. [TNX DX World]
- DU DZ1P is the special call 4F1EAA, 4F1OZ, 4F2KWT, 4F3XX, DU1COP and VE7DP will be using from the Polillo Islands (OC-091) on 11-13 March. QSL via 4F1OZ or VE7DP. [TNX islandchaser.com]
- FM Maurizio, IW1GGN will be active as either TO1N or FM/IW1GGN from Martinique (NA-107) on 12-18 March. He will operate holiday style mainly on 20 metres. [TNX The Golist]
- FP Al, W6HGF will be active as FP/W6HGF from Miquelon (NA-032) between 14 and 21 March. He plans to operate RTTY only on or around 1830, 3590, 7050, 10130, 14090, 18092, 21075, 24910 and 28090 kHz. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Further information can be found at www.qsl.net/w6hgf/ [TNX NG3K]
- GI Celebrating St Patrick's Day, a couple of special callsigns GB1SPD and GB2SPD will be used from Northern Ireland on 17 March. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- JA Take, JI3DST has postponed his trip to Kuchino-shima (AS-049) [425DXN 1033] owing to the major earthquake that stroke Japan on 11 March. [TNX JR3TVH]
- KP4 Celebrating his 20 years in amateur radio, Jose, KP4JRS will be active as K4J on 14-29 March. He will operate mostly RTTY and PSK31. An electronic certificate can be obtained at http://k4j.kp4jrs.com [TNX Southgate ARC]
- PJ2 Dirk, DO7DP will be active as PJ2/DO7DP from Curacao (SA-099) on

- 15-30 March. During the first week he will operate during his night hours only. Main activity will be on 10/20 and 40 metres PSK31, RTTY and SSB. QSL via the bureau, eQSL and LoTW.
- S2 Zorro, JH1AJT and other five operators will be active from Bangladesh on 15-29 March. They plan to operate, possibly as S21YX or S21YZ, with 2-3 stations on 160-6 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TJ Henry, TJ3AY has been issued special callsign TJ3FC to be used until 30 March to commemorate the 41st anniversary of the Organisation internationale de la Francophonie. QSL via F5LGE.
- V5 Special event callsign V521NAM will be in use on 19-21 March to celebrate the 21st anniversary of the independence of the Republic of Namibia and the 21st birthday of the Namibian Amateur Radio League (NARL). All amateurs in Namibia are allowed to use the special event callsign for the duration of the event, and all operators are required to send in their logs so the NARL QSL Bureau can send out special QSL cards to all worked stations. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- VK9C Tim, NL8F will be active as VK9CF from Cocos (Keeling) Island (OC-003) on 19-29 March, CQ WPX SSB Contest included. He will operate SSB on 80-10 metres, and possibly 160m. QSL via K8NA. [TNX DX World]
- Rudi, DK7PE will be active as Z22CW from Harare, Zimbabwe on 20-26
 March. He will operate mainly CW usign wire antennas. QSL via DK7PE.

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QSL ZL8X ---> "We got our first boxes with QSL cards from the printer. We already started to send the first QSL cards. DX clubs with a special QSL service for their members (GDXF, SDXF and DDXG) were the first who got them. Followed by another 1000 letters last week we continue working on the over 4000 direct request which came through OQRS". All QSOs were uploaded to LoTW the very same day the cards were received from the printer. The

latest information from the ZL8X team (10 March) can be found at www.kermadec.de

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********* QSL ROUTES *******

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5V7DX	I1FQH	II6ICA	I6HWD	T30RH T46A	SP5DRH
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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- David, VK2CZ plans to be active on 80-15 metres as 4W3A from Timor Leste for some 40 hours during the CQ WPX SSB Contest (26-27 March). QSL via M0OXO (QSLling instructions at www.m0oxo.com).
 [TNX NG3K]
- 8P Cal WF5W (8P9CW), Bill K5WAF (8P9WF), Bob WB5IUU (8P9UU) and Paul W5PF (8P9PF) will be active from Barbados (NA-021) from 24 March to 3 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY, including activity during the CQ WW WPX SSB contest. QSL for all callsigns via W5PF. [TNX The Daily DX]
- BY BJ8TA is the callsign to be used by AMSAT-China during an EME and satellites expedition on 20-23 March and 28 March-1 April.

 Activity will take place from Shangri-La County (NL97ut), Yunnan Province and from the Yunnan Astronomical Observatory of the Chinese Academy of Sciences in Chengjiang County (OL14kq). QSL via Alan Kung, BA1DU (P.O.Box 8091, Beijing 100088, China). [TNX BA1DU]
- DL Special event callsign DL0YLWM will be activated from 1 June until 31 July for the FIFA Women's World Cup the women's football (soccer) world championship to be held in Germany between 26 June and 17 July. Information on the relevant short term award can be found at qrz.com under DL0YLWM. QSL via the bureau (automatically) or direct to DL4CR. [TNX DF1DV]
- DU In remembrance of the 69th anniversary of the Bataan Death March during World War II, special event station 4D69DM will be active from Mount Samat, Bataan (Luzon Island) on 9 April. The operators will be DU1IVT, DU1RP, DU1UGZ, DU3BS and DU3LCA. [TNX DU1UGZ]
- F Celebrating the 300th anniversary of the discovery of the Ile de la Passion (3 April 1711), later known as Clipperton, the Clipperton DX Club will be active as TM300CDXC from 28 March to 11 April. QSL via F5IL. [TNX Les Nouvelles DX]
- FG Gildas, F6HMQ will be active as TO11A from Guadeloupe (NA-102) from 20 March to 1 April, CQ WPX SSB Contest included. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- FH Jose PT9ZE, Ric PY2PT, Anderson PY2TNT, Alex PY2WAS and Fernando PY4BZ will be active as TO2FH from Mayotte (AF-027) on 18-25 April. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 160-10 metres with three stations. QSLling instructions can be found at qrz.com under TO2FH.
- GJ Pete, K8PT and Craig, K3PLV will be active as MJ/K8PT and MJ/K3PLV from Jersey (EU-013) on 22-30 March. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all open bands. QSL via home calls. [TNX K8PT]
- I IT9ATF, IT9NPR, IT9PPG and IT9WDC will be active from Favignana Island (EU-054) on 24-27 March, including a Multi Single entry in

- the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as IF9A (QSL via IT9ATF). [TNX NG3K]
- OZ Stefan, DL7AOS will be active as 5P5K from Romo Island (EU-025) from 20 March to 1 April. He will be QRV on 80-6 metres, and will take part in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via DL7AOS, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PJ2 A team of six YL operators will be active as PJ2/NA6YL from the PJ2T station on Curacao (SA-099) on 18-21 March. According to their website (http://yldxpeditions.com/), they will be using PJ2W for the Russian DX Contest. QSL via NA6YL, plus LoTW and eQSL.
- PJ2 Members of the Caribbean Contesting Consortium (CCC) will activate Signal Point Station on Curacao between 22 March and 6 April. Operators mentioned are W0CG (PJ2DX), N4RV, K2PLF and possibly others. They will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest (26-27 March) as PJ2T (QSL via N9AG and LoTW), while outside the contest they will use PJ2/homecall or their personal PJ2 calls (QSL via home calls). [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PJ2 Look for Jan-Willem, PA7JWC and Monique, PD7DB to be active as PJ2/homecalls from Curacao on 15-22 April. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls (plus LoTW for PJ2/PA7JWC). [TNX NG3K]
- S2 S21YZ is the callsign the FGC DX Group is using from Bangladesh [425DXN 1036]. A multi-national team will be active with four stations on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY until 30 March. QSL via JH1AJT. Further information, including logsearch and details on how contribute to this expensive project, can be found at www.s21yx.com
- SV5 Martin ON4PO will be operate mostly SSB with some PSK as J45PO from Rhodes (EU-001) from 23 March until 2 April. QSL via home call. He will take part in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest with the SX5P contest team. [TNX NG3K]
- V3 Jim WB2REM (V31MM), Glenn KD2JA (V31GB) and Paul W4PGM (V31PM) will be active from Placentia, Belize on 23-30 March, including an entry in the CQ WPX SSB Contest as V31MM. They will operate SSB and CW on 160-6 metres, with a focus on 30, 17, 12 and 6m. QSL direct to home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VE Noel, VE2BR and Gregg, VE3ZZ will participate in the CQ WPX SSB Contest as VC2B from Mercier, Quebec (Zone 5). QSL via VE2BR. [TNX VE3ZZ]
- VK John, VK6HZ will be active holiday style from Rottnest Island (OC-164) on 20-27 March. He plans to be QRV on 40-10 metres with a focus on 17-10 meters CW and RTTY. QSL via VK6IR. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VK Craig, VK4LDX (VK8PDX) will be active as homecall/p from Magnetic Island (OC-171) on 17-20 April. He will operate SSB, PSK31 and RTTY "on whatever bands are open". QSL via VK8PDX. Further information at http://vk4ldxoc171.blogspot.com/
- VK9L A group of operators from the Hellenic Amateur Radio of Association of Australia (HARAOA) will be active as VK9HR from Lord Howe Island (OC-004) on 8-17 July. They plan to operate "on multiple bands simultaneously". Details will be available at www.vk9hr.com by late April. [TNX VK3YP]
- VP5 Dave, W5CW will be active as VP5/W5CW from 23 March to 20 April. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres, and will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB, SP DX (2-3 April), JIDX CW (9-10 April) and YU DX (16-17 April) contests as VQ51V. QSL direct to W5CW. [TNX NG3K]
- W Another Bataan Death March special event station will be activated

by the Mesilla Valley Radio Club of Las Cruces, New Mexico on 27 March, in conjunction with the 22nd annual Memorial March. Look for K5B to be QRV on +/- 3893, 7225, 14330 and 21337 kHz SSB and 14070 kHz PSK. QSLling information can be found at www.n5bl.org/bataan [TNX WB4AEJ]

- W Rick, K6VVA plans to be active as K6VVA/6 from St. George Reef (NA-184) on 8-9 April. He will operate CW and some SSB on 40-15 metres. QSL via N6AWD. The operation is weather dependent, because of the helicopter transportation involved. In case of bad weather, he says, "only one more attempt can be made before the end of April (after the Visalia Convention) due to Government restrictions. Should that happen, the NA-184 activation trip will be rescheduled for November, when flights can resume". Check www.k6vva.com/iota/na184 for updates. [TNX K6VVA]
- XE The DXXE Group (www.dxxe.org) will be active as 4A0IARU on 18-24 April. The special callsign celebrates World Amateur Radio Day (18 April) and the 86th anniversary of the founding of the International Amateur Radio Union. QSL via N7RO.
- ZF Adrian, AA5UK will be active from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) between 23 March and 5 April. Current plans are to operate holiday style on the FM/SSB satellites from Grand Cayman as ZF2AE, and primarily on the HF bands (40-10 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31) from Little Cayman as ZF2AE/ZF8, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via AA5UK (direct or bureau), LOTW and eQSL.

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (February 2011) is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

JAPAN EMERGENCY TRAFFIC ---> Due to the Japanese earthquake and tsunami disaster, it is recommended/suggested to please stay clear of the following emergency frequencies: 3520-3530, 7025-7035, 14090-14110, 21190- 21210, 28190-28210, 50100 and 51000 kHz, as well as 144.100, 145.000, 145.500, 430.100, 433.000 and 433.500 MHz. It is also suggested to stay away from the IARU Region 3 Emergency Centre of Activity frequencies (3600, 7110, 14300, 18160 and 21360 kHz).

MONK APOLLO PROJECT ---> Rick, NE8Z has been issued a "pilgrim visa" to enter Mt. Athos and will be visiting Monk Apollo (SV2ASP/A) on 9-16 April.

"I will be taking him radio equipment accessories to compliment his present ham radio station", Rick says, "Monk Apollo has shown the desire to operate from portable locations in Mt. Athos so that he can work Asia which is partially blocked by a mountain behind his Monastery". The Southeast Michigan DX Association has adopted the project of helping Monk Apollo to improve his permanent and portable stations. Details on the project and a PayPal link for donations can be found at http://live.semdxa.org/ (click the "Monk Apollo Project" button). [TNX NE8Z]

PIRATE ---> Do not waste your time on working HS0ZDZ. "The last entry in his log that I have is 31 July 2004", his QSL manager (GM4FDM) says. Three months later the genuine Ray Gerrard, HS0ZDZ (G3NOM) suffered a serious stroke and is no longer active. GM4FDM is "slowly putting Ray's logs onto LoTW. HS0ZDZ and HS0/G3NOM are already there".

QSL 8P6QL ---> The Yasme Foundation is not the QSL manager for any current or recent 8P6QL operation. The Colvins (Lloyd, W6KG and Iris, W6QL) used the callsign back in October 1981. Yasme can handle QSLs for

the 1981 operation, but nothing since. [TNX N7NG]

QSL VK4LDX/P ---> Please note that the cards for VK4LDX/p's recent activity from Horn Island (OC-138) should be sent to VP8PDX (Craig Edwards, P.O.Box 285, Alice Springs NT 0870, Australia).

- + SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Thomas
- + Klaus

(DL2RTK), Reg Moores (G3GZT), Don T. Hayter (G3JHM), Mike Wheaton (G4ZPE), Charles Kenneth Rollins (K8LGT), Jose Daniel Bernardini (LU8EDR) and Vladimir I. Prihod'ko (UA4HAU).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8/EA3BT, 3B8/SP2FUD, 3DA0HC, 3G3FZ, 3W6C, 4L/UU0JM, 4L5O, 4O3A, 4O50A, 4U1UN, 5J0BV, 5N4EAM, 5X0CW, 6Y1LZ, 7Z1HL, 8P9AG, 8P9ME, 8P9UR, 9J2BO, 9M6/KM0O, 9M6YBG, 9Q50ON, A25BI, A25DF, A35AY, A35KL (OC-169), BT4EXPO, C21TI, C31LJ, C4SV, C5YK, CE3/VE7SV, CM3RPN, CN8IG, CP4BT, CS7/PD0HNL, DP1POL, DT8A, DU1/JJ5GMJ, DU1IST, E51PJT, E51SC, EG1OTA (EU-142), EK7DX, EP2MKO, ER240C, ET3JA, FG5GP, FJ/VE3EY, FK8GX, FM/AI5P, FM/F5LGE, FO/N6JA, FP5KE, FS/F6AUS, H74LEON, HC1MD, HD2M, HZ1DG/p (AS-193), J38XX, J6/K8EAB, J6/W3FF, J68UN, JT5DX, JW5E, JW7XM, JW8AJA, JY4NE, KH2/N2NL, KH7Y, KL7RRC/p (NA-235), OH1K (EU-173), OJ0B, OX2A, OX3DB, PJ2/N1ZZ, PJ2/N2MF, PJ2/OH1VR, PJ2/W0NB, PJ2/W8AV, PJ2A, PJ2MI, PJ2T, PJ4/PG4M, PJ4D, PJ4I, PJ4N, PJ4R, PJ5/AA4NC, PJ5/AH6HY, PJ5/K1XM, PJ5/SP6IXF, PJ6A, PJ7E, R1FJM, S21YX, S50O, S79SAL, ST2AR, SY8AN, T30OU, T70A, T88CW, T94MZ, TG9NX, TO2HI, UK8UC, V31YN, V31YY, V48M, V51AS, V73NS, V73RRC, VE1AWW/CY0, VK0KEV, VP2MSC, VP5/G0UNU (NA-003), XE2WWW, XF1RCS (NA-171), Y19PSE, YN2DD, YS4/N0AT, Z23MS, Z24EA, ZD9AH, ZD9T, ZK3YA, ZL8X, ZS3D.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 4J 4K4B, 4L5A, 4J5T and 4K6AE will be active as 4J0SFR and/or 4J0LH from Absheron lighthouse (ARLHS AZE-006) on 25-27 March. They will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands, with possibile activity also from Shuvalan (AZE-007) and Amburan (AZE-008) lighthouses. [TNX RW6HS]
- 9A Dinko, 9A6AR will operate as 9A6AR/p on 20 and 40 metres from the island of Unije (EU-136) on 26-27 March, including some activity during the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- FP "Because of a loss of equipment in transit to the DX site, I was delayed in becoming operational", FP/W6HGF says. So he has decided to extend his operation [425DXN 1036] until 27 March, "to make sure everyone that wants a RTTY contact gets a chance at one". QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- GM Four operators from the Macclesfield and District Amateur Radio Society will be active as GS4MWS/p from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) on 2-7 April. QSL via M0PAI. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- GM Ray, M1REK and Andy, M1LOL will be active as MM1REK/p and MM1LOL/p from the Isle of Barra (EU-010) on 2-9 April. They will operate SSB, PSK and RTTY on 80-10 metres. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- JW Francois, F8DVD will be active again as JW/F8DVD from Spitsbergen (EU-026), Svalbard on 1-8 April. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F8DVD]
- KHO Look for WE8A/KH0 to be active from the Northern Marianas (OC-086) from 30 March to 2 April. He will operate SSB and CW on 80-6 metres, with a focus on 12, 17 and 30 metres. QSL direct only to WE8A's address in Japan. [TNX NG3K]
- OX Graham, G4MFX expects to be active as OX/G4MFX between 24 March and 18 April. This is a working trip and operating times will be very limited. He will operate SSB using 5 watts on 40, 20 and 17 metres from Sisimiut (NA-018, 24 March-9 April), Ilulissat (NA-018, 10-15 April) and possibly Aasiaat (NA-134, 16-18 April). OSL via home call.
- P2 The itinerary for the forthcoming activities from five Papua New Guinea IOTA groups [425DXN 1027] is confirmed to be as follows: 2-7 April P29VCX Feni Islands (OC-101) QSL via SM6CVX 8-14 April P29NI Nuguria Islands (OC-257) QSL via G3KHZ 15-18 April P29VLR Green Islands (OC-231) QSL via SM6CVX 22-25 April P29VCX Misima Island (OC-117) QSL via SM6CVX 26-27 April P29VCX Loloata Island (OC-240) QSL via SM6CVX Anyone with information about good propagation to this area, or any Needs for band/modes can write before 26 of March to

- sm6cvx[@]hjelmstrom.se. The website for the expedition is at www.p29ni.weebly.com [TNX SM6CVX]
- S7 Bernard/F5HEW, Norbert/F6AXX and Romain/F8DSI will be active as S79UFT from Mahe (AF-024) Seychelles until 15 April. They operate CW and some PSK on 80-10 metres. QSL via F6AXX, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- VK The VK7DI operation from Deal Island (OC-195) [425DXN 1035] has been delayed, as gale force winds prevented the team from sailing. Now they hope to depart around 18 UTC on 25 March, and to be QRV on the 28th. QSL via VK3DQ. [TNX DX World]
- VP9 Wade, AA8LL and Liz, K8LIZ will be active as VP9/AA8LL and VP9/K8LIZ from Hamilton, Bermuda (NA-005) from 30 March to 4 April. They will operate holiday style on the HF bands CW and RTTY (Wade) and SSB (Liz). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX AA8LL]
- YN NM5G (YN2MG), K5WQG (YN2ER) and N5ET (YN2ET) will operate CW, SSB and RTTY from Nicaragua until 3 April, including participation in the CW WPX SSB contest as YN2ET. QSL all callsigns via N5ET. [TNX The Daily DX]

CQ WW WPX SSB CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (26-27 March):

Call	Category	Country	QSL
3D2A	M/S	Fiji	VK4AN LoTW M0OXO HA5PP I2WIJ
3V8SS	SOAB LP	Tunisia	LoTW
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7S0X	M/2	Sweden	SM0MDG
8P3A	Е	Barbados	VE3DZ
8P5A	SOAB HP	Barbados	NN1N
9M8Z	SO	East Malaysis	a MOURX
A60A	M/?	UAE China	NI5DX
B1Z	M/2	China	EA7FTR
BV100	M/?	Taiwan	BV2KI
BX5AA	SOAB H	P Taiwan	BX5AA
CE1A	M/?	Chile	BV2KI BX5AA XQ1KZ
CN2BC	SOAB LI	P Morocco	DL7BC
CQ3L	SOAB	Madeira	DL7BC DJ6QT
CR3A	M/?	Madeira	LoTW
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	SOAB HP	Bosnia &	Herz. E77E
EI6DX	M/S	Ireland	RX3RC LoTW G5XW OK1DOT
GJ4OH		Jersey	LoTW
GJ5XW	SO	Jersey	G5XW
HQ2W	M/S	Honduras	OK1DOT
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IF9A	M/S	Sicily (Italy)	IT9ATF
IH9YMC	SO	African Ita	ly eQSL
II9K	M/S	Sicily (Italy) Sicily (Italy)	IT9HBT
II9T	M/S	Sicily (Italy)	IT9ESW

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MW9W		Wales	M0URX
P40L	SOAB	Aruba	WA3FRP
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P40W		Aruba	N2MM
PJ2T	M/?	Curacao	N9AG
PJ4/W9NJ	Y	Bonaire	WD9DZV
PX2V	M/S	Brazil	PY2KJ
SX5P		Dodecanese	SV5FRD
TO11A	SO	Guadeloupe	F6HMQ
TO5A	SOAB	Martinique	F5VHJ
V31MM		Belize	WB2REM
V47JA	SOAB	St. Kitts	W5JON
VC2B	M/S	Canada	VE2BR
VC3Z	M/?	Canada	VE3MIS
VC6X		Canada	VE6BF
VK9CF	SO	Cocos Keeli	ng K8NA
VP9I		Bermuda	N1HRA
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Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxs2011.html - good contest to you all!

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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ETHICS AND OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR THE RADIO AMATEUR ---> At its June 2008 meeting the IARU Administrative Council, noting that "poor operating behavior adversely affects the enjoyment of all radio amateurs and does not enhance the reputation of the Amateur Radio Services", endorsed and recommended the principles set out by John Devoldere, ON4UN and Marc Demeuleneere, ON4WW in their booklet "Ethics and Operating Procedures for the Radio Amateur". The booklet is currently available in 28 languages, and can be downloaded for free from quite a number of websites. The entire collection can be found at www.ham-operating-ethics.org

HR5/F2JD ---> Gerard has started his activity from Honduras [425DXN 1035] and the first batch of his log is online at http://lesnouvellesdx.fr/voirlogs.php [TNX F6AJA]

OPERATORS NEEDED ---> Operators are being sought for an expedition organized by the Oceania Amateur Radio DX Group to take place from Port Vila, Vuanuatu (YJ) from 28 September to 14 October. Preliminary plans and contact information can be found at www.odxg.org

PJ7DX ---> Logsearch and statistics for the recent PJ7DX operation from Sint Maarten can be found at www.pagus.it/pj7dx. The QSL cards have been received from the printer and requests are being processed by I8NHJ.

QSL A92IO ---> "Due to the deteriorating situation within the Kingdom of Bahrain", Dave (A92IO/EI3IO)

says, "it is becoming incresingly difficult to travel within the country. Therefore please do not send QSL requests to my Bahrain address (PO Box 31183) until further notice. Also please do not send to Ireland for the time being. At present all QSOs are confirmed by ARRL's Logbook of the World for DXCC and by eQSL for WAZ etc. Sending QSLs via EI3IO through the bureau system (not via the A9 bureau) is also OK". His website is at www.connogue.com/ei3io/html/body_a92io_as002.html

SOUTHERN SUDAN ---> Antonio, EA5RM reports that "after a long way, a lot of hard work and several successful meetings with Southern Sudan Government officials of various Ministries", the first amateur radio license was issued by the new government on 18 March. "Our DXpedition will start on July 9th from Juba so please stay tuned". Bookmark www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/ for updates.

VU4PB ---> The current expedition to the Andaman Islands "was hit by a noticeable pirate operation on 40m CW between 1527z to 1817z on 16 March", VU2PTT says. He adds that "three of our key operators have been unable to join us at VU4PB as planned due to health and family issues and we have been working hard to fill the gaps with the operators that we have".

Updates, logsearch and OQRS can be found at www.arsi.info

- + SILENT KEYS + Thormod "Tom" Boe, LA7OF, former head of the
- + European

Radiocommunications Office and current president of the Norsk Radio Relae Liga (NRRL), passed away on 21 March at 71 years of age.

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******** QSL ROUTES *******

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B4AJC	UA3DX	DU1/JJ5C	GMJ_JH5R2	XS P49	9V	AI6V	
B8AD	W3HNK	DU1IST	JA1HGY	Y PJ2V	V	NA6YL	
K3W	HK3W	DX2DP	VE7DP	PJ4/W9	NJY	WD9DZV	
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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 4W6A is the callsign to be used from Atauro Island (OC-232), Timor-Leste on 16-26 September [425DXN 1032]. Steve 9M6DXX, John 9M6XRO, Tim M0URX, Ant MW0JZE, Oliver VK8DX and Stuart VK8NSB will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 10-160 metres with four stations. This is not specifically an IOTA DXpedition, rather it is a DXCC DXpedition that happens to be from a rare IOTA group and the team will try "to give amateurs around the world a new DXCC band-mode counter on as many bands as possible". QSL via M0URX, direct or bureau. The entire log will be uploaded to LoTW "at the earliest opportunity". The group is requesting donations from DX clubs and individuals who wish to help, in order to cover the high cost of generator hire, fuel for the generators and the boat charter to and from the island. Further information, including QSLling instructions, can be found at www.4w6a.com [TNX 9M6DXX]
- 5V DL3MBG, DL5MEV, DL5MGH and DL9MBI will be active as 5V7CC from Togo from mid-April until the 28th. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY on 160-10 metres and EME. QSL via DL9MBI, bureau preferred.
- Alessandro IZ4AMS (9A8AMS), Sergio IZ4BBF, Gus IK4RQJ and Luca IK3AES will be active from the island of Sveti Nikola (EU-110) on 7-15 May. Look for 9A/IK4RQJ, 9A/IZ4BBF and 9A/IK3AES to operate CW, SSB an digital modes on 40-10 metres, while 9A8AMS will concentrate on 160, 80 and 6 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX IZ4BBF]
- 9L The 9L5MS team will be QRV later than planned, "hopefully during the weekend of April 2nd." Custom clearance of the container carrying antennas, food, water and generators is not expected before 4 April. For the time being, they will use "a minimal antenna farm" consisting of three fiberglass verticals for 40-10 metres. As soon as the other gear arrives, they "will concentrate on the low bands, using beams and receiving arrays". Bookmark www.sierraleone2011.com for updates.
- CE Cezar, VE3LYC and Dino, CE3PG are in the planning stages of an operation from Pupuya Island (SA-095). The activity could take place during the second half of November for four days. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX DX World]
- CT7 A group of operators from Portugal, Germany and Switzerland will participate in the IOTA Contest (30-31 July) as CR6W from Insua Island (EU-150). QSL via CS1GDX. Some operators will stay on the island a few more days after the contest. [TNX CT4NH]
- DL DB5BZ, DJ4FO, DJ4RU, DL1BGC, DL2VFR and DL4BBH will be active as DF0WFF from Langeness Island (EU-042) on 8-10 April. They will operate CW and SSB on the HF, VHF and UHF bands. QSL via DL2VFR,

- direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- F Twelve operators from France and Belgium will be active as TM1G from the Glenan Islands (EU-094) from 27 July to 3 August, IOTA Contest included. Their main QTH will be St Nicolas Island (DIFM AT-010); side trips to the islands of Bananec (AT-064), Cigogne (AT-061) and Penfret (AT-059) are planned after the contest weekend. QSL via ON6DP.
- FM Oliver, F6ARC will be active as FM/F6ARC from Martinique (NA-107) on 6-21 April. He will operate holiday style, using mainly CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- FO Yves, F6CTL will be active as FO/F6CTL in June-July as follows:

18-22 June Ua Pou Marquesas Isls OC-027

22-26 June Ua Huka Marquesas Isls OC-027

27-29 June Raitea French Polynesia OC-067

30 June-3 July Bora Bora French Polynesia OC-067

3-7 July Rangiroa French Polynesia OC-066

7-10 July Tahiti French Polynesia OC-046

11-14 July Rimatara Austral Isls OC-050

He will be running 100 watts into a vertical or a dipole, and will operate holiday style mainly SSB and digital modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]

- FR Olivier, F4FLF will be active holiday style as TO2Z from Reunion Island (AF-016) on 9-22 April. He plans to operate SSB, PSK and RTTY during his evenings. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- HI Marcello, IK8DNJ will be active as HI7/IK8DNJ from the Dominican Republic from 30 April to 13 May. He will operate holiday style on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via IZ8LKL. [TNX IK8DNJ]
- I Special station II1ECO will be active during the weekends between 2 April and 15 May for the "Ecolimpiadi" sports event (www.ecolimpiadi.it) to be held in Casale Monferrato (Alessandria). QSL via IZ1KIM, direct or bureau. [TNX TK1WNQ]
- JD1_oga- Mokoto JI5RPT (JD1BLY), Harry JG7PSJ (JD1BMH) and Masa JE4SMQ (JD1BMT) will be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara between 30 April and 13 May as follows:

JD1BMT 30 April-4 May

JD1BLY 30 April-7 May

JD1BMH 4 May-13 May

They will be QRV on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via

home calls. Logsearches to be found on their personal websites:

JD1BLY: http://www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/

JD1BMH: http://sapphire.es.tohoku.ac.jp/jd1bmh/

JD1BMT: http://homepage3.nifty.com/maaberu/logsjd1/logsearch.html [TNX JI5RPT]

- JW Morten, LA9DFA will be active as JW9DFA from Spitsbergen (EU-026) on 14-19 September. He will be QRV on the HF bands and possibly 6m using mainly CW, with some RTTY and SSB. He will participate in the Scandinavian Activity Contest CW (17-18 September) as JW3C. QSL both calls via LA9DFA, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX LA9DFA]
- LA Bjorn, LA5UKA and Trond, LA9VDA will be active as LA6Q from IOTA group EU-079 on 8-11 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on

80-10 metres. QSL via LA9VDA. [TNX LA9VDA] LA, SM - A group of five Dutch operators will be active as either LG5LG and

SJ9WL from Morokulien, the station on the border between Sweden and Norway (www.sj9wl-lg5lg.com), on 10-16 April Activity will be on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL for both callsigns via LA4EKA, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]

- P2 Tim, KD5SSF will spend a couple of years in Ukarumpa, Papua New Guinea, and will be active as P29ZL. He will operate PSK31 and SSB in his evenings and during the weekends, using 100 watts and inverted V antennas for 10, 15, 20, and 40 metres. [TNX DX World]
- TA Memorial station TC2J will be active on 7-10 April to honour S. Fazyl Turkan, TA2J (1950-2006), an outstanding member of the Turkish amateur radio community who passed away five years ago. He was "keen CW operator", TA1HZ says, and "an elmer who enjoyed sharing his knowledge and experience with others". QSL via YM7KK, direct or bureau. Information on the relevant free of charge award can be found on qrz.com under TC2J.
- XV Mal, VK6LC will be active from Vietnam in April. He will operate holiday style on 20 metres CW and SSB as XV2LC from Ho Chi Minh City on 10-15 April and as XV4LC from the Mekong delta on 20-25 April. QSL via VK6LC. [TNX DX World]

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TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

DIE CONTEST ---> The 13th DIE Contest will be held from 6 to 12 UTC on 19 June (80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB). There are a few changes in the rules. Islands, lighthouses and EA prefixes will count as multipliers; premium QSO points will be given for working them as well as for contacting special event DIE stations. Contest rules can be found at www.diplomadie.net [TNX EA5KB]

VK7DI ---> Hazardous sea conditions in the Bass Strait caused the VK7DI team heading for Deal Island (OC-195) [425DXN 1038] to reverse. The operation has been postponed to October, further information is expected in due course.

VP8DMH ---> Mike, VP8DMH was QRV from the British Antarctic Survey's King Edward Point Base, close to the old whaling village of Grytviken, South Georgia, on 23 March. This was a stop-off en route from Rothera to Port Stanley, Falkland Islands, at the end of Mike's posting to Rothera. QSL via G0VGS. [TNX 5B4AHJ]

ON-LINE LOG SEARCHES

5M2TT http://www.i2ysb.com

9N7AN http://logsearch.de/index.php/logsearch

S21YZ http://www.s21yx.com/log.php

S79UFT http://www.uft.net/1-s79/searchlog_adif.php

- + SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Robert
- + Williams

(G4LVQ/EA7FGS), Wah How "Howie" Lee (KH6CD), Yury G. Sinitso (UA1RJ), Krishnappa Ramaswamy (VU2BRK) and Michael R. Koss (W9SU), the owner of Industrial Communication Engineers (ICE), who passed away on 28 March at 57 years of age.

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A/K3OX, 3C0CW, 3G1M, 3G1P,

4O10TA (EU-163), 4L5O, 4S7KG, 4Z5AD, 5H3VMB, 5R8FJ, 5R8HL, 5R8X, 6Y5/KC2VLC, 7P8CF, 7Z1HL, 9J2BO, 9J2VB, 9J2YO, 9Q50ON, A25DF, A35AY, A35KL (OC-169), A52RY, AA1AC/VP9, AH0J, AP2ARS, BU2AQ, C50C, C6AGN, C91VB, CE1/K7CA, CE4WJK, CP6XE, CR2X, CT3DZ, CX/LU1FAM, CY0X, D20VB, D44AC, D4C, DU1/JJ5GMJ, EK7DX, ER4DX, EV8XZ, EW8A, FG/DL1CW, FG5GP, FJ/SM5FUG, FM/AI5P, FR5WO, FW5RE, GW6W, HB0/T93Y, HC2/SM0COP, HH2/PY3SB, J39BS, J68PJ, J68UN, J88DR, JW/OK1IEC, K3NT/V73, KG4KL, KH2L, KH6MB, KP2M, LP2F, LY100SP, N6HD/TG7, NH7A, NU1AW/KH6, OD5NJ, OH3JR/VP9, OJ0B, OX2A, OX3DB, OY/G3SXW, OY1CT, PJ2/DL5RDO, PJ2/N2MF, PJ2/OH1VR, PJ2A, PJ2MI, PJ2T, PJ4/W9NJY, PJ4D, PJ4G, PJ4I, PJ4W, PJ6/K4UEE, PJ7E, R1FJM, R35NP, R11FJ, S50O, ST2AR, T30OU, T30YA, T6MB, TC0W, TG7/N6HD, T15KS, TK5MH, TL0A, TM6M, TS8P (AF-083), TT8DX, UA0CA, UT9NA, V44KA, V44KAI, V73QQ (OC-087), V73RRC (OC-278), V73TM, WA2USA/4, YI9GYS, YJ0HA, YL3FX, YV5MSG, YW5LF, Z37M, ZB2FK,ZD9T, ZL8X.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3D2_r Eddie, VK4AN (3D2A) says that a team of Pacific DXers (http://pacific-dxers.com) "have all permits in place" and are planning operate from Rotuma for three weeks in June. The callsign has not been assigned yet, but they expect to be issued with either 3D2P or 3D20R, with 3D2A/R as an alternative. Current operators include VK4AN, 3D2DD and VK4FW; they are seeking expressions of interest from experienced CW, SSB and digital mode operators and possibly a 6m enthusiast. [TNX DX World]
- An advance party of three T31A team members is currently in Apia, Samoa to inspect the equipment shipped from California. They operate as 5W0JK (QSK via W2IJ), 5W0QQ (QSL via N7CQQ) and 5W0X (QSL via W9IXX) as time allows. The entire team will leave Apia on 13 April; the voyage to Kanton (T31) will take about four days.
- 9A Look for 9A/HA5AUC, 9A/HA5BWW and 9A/HA7PC to be active from Rab Island (EU-136) on 11-18 April. They will operate mainly CW with some SSB on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX HA0HW]
- 9N Dov, 4Z4DX (9N7DX) and his wife Anat (9N7YL) will be active from Nepal on 13-30 April. Dov plans to operate mainly on 20, 12, 15, 10 and 6 metres CW, RTTY and PSK31, with some SSB. QSL via 4Z4DX. The website for the operation is at www.9n7dx.com
- A2 Filip, ON4AEO and other seven operators from Belgium and South Africa will be active as A25FC from Botswana on 14-18 April. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 metres. QSL via ON4CJK. [TNX NG3K]
- DL DJ9MD, DK8MIL, DK7JAN and DK9BTX will be active as DF0TM from Sylt Island (EU-042) on 15-18 April. QSL via bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- F Special event call TM26UFT will in use on 10-24 April for the 26th annual general meeting of the Union Francaise des Telegraphistes, the French CW Society (www.uft.net). All of the QSOs will be confirmed by the bureau and LoTW. Direct cards should be sent to F6ICG. [TNX F5NQL]
- FJ Anne, OH2YL will be active as FJ/OH2YL from Saint Barthelemy (NA-146) on 15-27 April. She will operate CW only on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call, bureau or direct, and LoTW. Further information and OQRS for bureau cards can be found at www.fjoh2yl.com [TNX DX World]
- G Celebrating 45 years of the Havering & District ARC, GX4HRC/A is active (CW only) from the QTH of Fred, G3SVK. QSL via G3SVK (who still has the complete logs of the 3V8DX DXpedition in 1982). [TNX G3SVK]
- HI The Radio Club Dominicano will be active as HI1RCD from Isla Beata

- (NA-122) from around 14 UTC on 9 April until 14 UTC on the 10th. Five operators will be QRV on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via bureau.
- KP4 Special event station N4S will be active on 80-10 metres SSB from Puerto Rico on 11-12 April to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the first manned space flight by Russian cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin (12 April 1961) and the 30th anniversary of the first flight of the Space Shuttle Columbia (12 April 1981). QSL via WP3GW. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- LA The 8-11 April LA6Q activity from IOTA group EU-079 [425DXN 1039] has been postponed to a later date.
- SM Fred, SM7DAY will be active as SM7DAY/p from Senoren Island (EU-138) on 16-23 April. He will operate CW and/or SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX SM7DAY]
- The Intrepid-DX Group continues to move forward with their plans to conduct the T6PSE DXpedition [425DXN 1017] to take place from Afghanistan during ten days in May. Due to security concerns, the exact dates and location of the DXpedition will not be announced until the eve of their activation. Their primary objective is to provide as many DXers as possible a "new one" with this rare DXCC entity and, as a secondary objective, to give as many band-slots as possible. "We anticipate that we will be working EU amateur stations nearly around the clock", they say, "but we will ask for their cooperation to allow us to work North and South America during those brief periods each day when propagation will permit us to work those far away regions". The website for the expedition can be found at www.intrepid-dx.com/t6pse/index.php [TNX N6PSE]
- VE The "NA-128 Contest Group" (www.qsl.net/na128cg/)will be active as XM2I from Isle-aux-Grues (NA-128, C.Is.A QC-038) on 29-31 July. They will be operate SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 on 80-6 metres with "many stations", including an entry in the IOTA Contest. A short activity from Isle-aux-Oies (C.Is.A. QC-038) might take place after the contest. QSL via VE2CQ. [TNX VE2EBK]

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AUSTRALIAN POSTAL RATES ---> Effective 4 April, the new rates for airmail letters are AUD 1.55 for destinations in the Asia/Pacific zone, and AUD

2.25 for destinations in the rest of the world. Postage calculator and currency converter on-line services are provided by Australia Post (http://auspost.com.au/)

BRITISH POSTAL RATES ---> Stamp price rises in the United Kingdom took effect on 4 April. The new rates for airmail letters are as follows:

Up to 10 gr Europe GBP 0.68 Rest of the world GBP 0.76 Up to 20 gr 0.68 1.10 Up to 40 gr 1.00 1.65

QSL NAVASSA 1993 ---> Jun, OE1ZKC (JH4RHF) reports that the original logs for the 1993 DXpedition to Navassa Island have been retrieved from the widow of Vance LePierre (N5VL/W5IJU), the team leader and QSL manager.

Should you still need a card for KH2S/KP1, KH2W/KP1, KH2Y/KP1, NF6S/KP1 or W5IJU/KP1, you can send your request to Jun Tanaka, P.O. Box 1200, 1400 Wien, Austria. "I will try to put all of log data into electric

format", Jun says, "and upload to LoTW. He can be contacted at jh4rhf[at]arrl.net

QSL SU1SK ---> Hawk, SM5AQD is the QSL route for SU1SK, but he has neither the logs nor the blank QSL cards. He simply collects the QSLs (direct only, see qrz.com) and forwards the information to Said, who checks his log and mails the cards from Egypt. "I am very sorry", Hawk says, "but a QSL card via bureau is impossible to arrange for me and him". [TNX NG3K]

QSL V31JP ---> Lon Miller, KA9WON is no longer the QSL manager for V31JP.

According to qrz.com, cards should be sent direct to Joseph L. Pontek Sr., P.O. Box 280, Dangriga, Stann Creek District, Belize. Joe also uses LoTW.

QSL ZL8X ---> "Nearly 4,000 letters are out now", DL1MGB reported on 4 April, "All direct OQRS requests until end of February were sent. Mario [DJ2MX] will continue now with the direct mail he received". Please refrain from sending emails about your cards' status, as they will go unanswered. "Please be patient until we sent out ALL QSL cards".

+ SILENT KEYS + Lothar Wilke, DL3TD (ex DM2DUK and Y24UK) died at 58

+ years

of age in his house fire in the early hours of 7 April. He was DARC DX and Contest manager, and the driving force behind the successful DF0HQ/DA0HQ contest station.

Gerard LeDrean (F6IJW) passed away a few days ago after a long illness of heart complications. Gerard was also active in the 1980s as FH8CL from Mayotte and FR5ER from Reunion Island.

Dianna R. Killeen (KB6NAN) passed away on 6 April at 62 years of age.

"K6KLY, Russ, will be taking over QSLing chores as Dianna was a QSL manager for several stations", The Daily DX reports. "He expects to have the logs after April 23rd".

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 3D2_cr The 3D2C activity from Conway Reef [425DXN 1007] is now planned to take place on 1-6 October. However, the team is considering going to Rotuma instead. They already have the callsign 3D2R and are working on getting a landing permit. Bookmark www.yt1ad.info/3d2c/index.html for updates.
- 3D2_r Eddie, VK4AN (3D2A) now says that the Pacific DXers are planning operate from Rotuma for three weeks sometime between October and November (not in June, as they announced last week). They say they "have all permits in place", but the callsign has not been assigned yet. Please refer to http://pacific-dxers.com for future information.
- 9M2 Mirek, VK6DXI will be active as 9M8DX/2 from Kuala Lumpur, West Malaysia on 25-30 April. This will a business trip, with some CW activity during the local evening hours. QSL via SP5UAF. [TNX VK6DXI]
- A6 Sergej, UA9B (ex UA9BI) will be active as A6/UA9B from the QTH of A65BR on 16-22 April. He will operate holiday style mainly CW with some SSB. QSL via home call (bureau via UA9AB). [TNX A65BR]
- CE Luis, CX1EK says he is currently active as CE2/CX1EK until 15 May. QSL direct to Luis Matho, 2303 Nordok Place, Alexandria VA 22306, USA.
- CT7 The Algarve STAR DX Team (http://algarvedx.com) will be active as CR6A from the "Submerged Fortress" near Olhao, in southern Portugal, on 17 April. The fortress is only accessible by boat at a very low tide. Expect activity on 40-10 metres CW and SSB. [TNX CT1GFK]
- EA Celebrating World Amateur Radio Day (WARD), special event station AO5WARD will be active on the HF bands and 6 metres on 17-18 April. QSL via EA4URE. [TNX EA5TW]
- F Francois, ON4LO will be active on 40-10 metres SSB as F/ON4LO/p between 22 April and 4 June. He plans to operate from a few lighthouses during his trip. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX ON4LO]
- FS Look for Pascal, F5JSD to be active as FS/F5JSD from Saint Martin (NA-105) until 21 April. He operates holiday style on 40-10 metres CW. He might also visit Sint Maarten and be active as PJ7/F5JSD. QSL via home call (bureau preferred) and LoTW. [TNX F5NQL]
- GM GMDX Group members GM0ELP, GM4ZNC, MM0BQI and MM0GPZ will be active as GB5TI from Lunga, Treshnish Isles (EU-108) from 28 April to 1 May. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres with two stations. QSL via MM0BQI (bureau card should be requested from

- gb5ti.qsl[@]gmail.com) and LoTW. [TNX MM0BQI]
- HA Celebrating the 15th anniversary of the International Police Association, special callsign HG15IPA will be in use until the end of the year. Activity will be on 160-10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV. QSL via HA3JB. Information on the HA-IPARC Award can be found on grz.com under HG15IPA. [TNX HA0HW]
- HKO The DX Colombia Amateur Radio Club is organizing a DXpedition to Malpelo Island for 2012. The plan is for a multi-national team of 12 operators to be active as HK0NA on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, with at least three stations. The website for the expedition is at http://hk0na.wordpress.com/
- Members of the Samutsakhon Amateur Radio Club (HS7AT) will take part in the IOTA Contest as HS7AT/p from Samui Island (AS-101). QSL direct to HS7AT. [TNX NG3K]
- ARI Frascati will participate in the International Marconi Day
 (30 April) as IY00RP from the Geophysical Museum at Rocca di Papa
 (Rome). Activity will be on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via IZ0FVD. [TNX I0GOD]
- LA Mek, SP7VC and Waldi, SP7IDX will be active as LA/SP7VC and LA/SP7IDX from Vega Island (EU-062) from 23 July to 2 August. They plan to operate holiday style on 80-6 metres SSB and RTTY with two stations (one for the HF bands and one for 6m), and to participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX SP7IDX]
- OZ Ben, DO1BEN (www.do1ben.de) and Barbara, DO1IQ will be active as OZ/homecalls from Lolland Island (EU-029) on 22-30 April. They will operate SSB and some RTTY and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL for both via DO1BEN, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- OZ Look for Noel, OO4O (ON4APU) to be active as OZ/OO4O from Fyn Island (EU-172) on 1-6 May. He will operate mainly SSB on the HF bands. QSL via the Belgian QSL bureau and LoTW. [TNX OO4O]
- PY0T Junior, PY2ZA plans to be active (on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, BPSK and RTTY) as PP0T from Trindade Island (SA-010) for a couple of months. He expects to leave the mainland on 25 April on a Brazilian Navy's supply ship, and to reach the island on the 29th. Bookmark www.trindade2011.com for further information and updates. QSL via EB7DX (direct) and LoTW.
- T31 The T31A DXpedition, originally planned to take place on 17-28 April [425DXN 1028], is behind schedule. The Daily DX reports that the new plans are for the team to depart Apia (5W) at 5 UTC on 16 April. The voyage to Kanton takes approximately four days, and hopefully T31A will be QRV by 21 April. Suggested operating frequencies are as follows:
 - CW 1826, 3504, 7004, 10104, 14024, 18074, 21024, 24894, 28024, 50099 kHz
 - SSB 1843, 3798, 7084, 14195, 18145, 21295, 24945, 28495, 50120 kHz
 - RTTY 3582, 7043, 10140, 14080, 18100, 21080, 24920, 28080 KHz QSL via W2IJ, direct or bureau. The website for the expedition is at www.t31a.com
- TA The TC Special Wireless Activity Team (www.tcswat.org) will be active as TC57A on 21-25 April in remembrance of the role played by the 57th Infantry Regiment ("Alay") of the Turkish Fifth Army during the Dardanelles Campaign in 1915. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TK ON1DNF, ON4PJA, ON7IQ, ON7JPS, ON7QC will be active as TK4DS from Corsica (EU-014) on 21-24 April. They will operate SSB and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via ON4PJA, bureau preferred. They have

- have website at www.tk4ds.be [TNX NG3K]
- TT8 Phil, F4EGS will be active again as TT8PK from N'djamena, Chad between 15 April and 15 June. He will be QRV in his spare time. Last year he operated mainly CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via F4EGS, direct or bureau.
- UA Special callsign R25CH will be activated on 22-29 April from seven districts in Bryansk area for the 25th anniversary of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster. QSL via RW3YC. [TNX RV3YR and RA3YC].
- VK9L The new website for the 8-17 July DXpedition to Lord Howe Island [425DXN 1037] can be found at www.lordhowe2011.com. Plans are for VK9HR to be QRV on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via EB7DX (direct) and LoTW.
- XE The XF2P expedition to Isla de Lobos (NA-221) [425DXN 1035] has a website at http://xf2p.puebladx.org/. Twelve operators will be active on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 and 2 metres between 29 April and 1 May. QSL via XE1P, direct or bureau.
- XV Rich DK8YY, Udo DL2AQI, Ingolf DL4JS and Sigi DL8AKI will be active as XV4YY from Phu Quoc (AS-128) on 18-28 April. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-10 metres. QSL via DH7WW, direct or bureau. [TNX DH7WW]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> JH4VUC will be active as AH0CD from Saipan on 17-19 April, as AH0CD/KH2 from Guam on 20-22 April and as T88VU from Palau on 23-25 April. He will operate SSB only on 40, 15, 10 and 6 metres. QSL via JH4VUC. [TNX NG3K]

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DANISH POSTAL RATES ---> Effective 1 April, the new rates for letters (up to 50 grams) mailed from Denmark to international destinations are as follows:

Europe Economy: DKK 9.00 Priority: DKK 11.00

Rest of the world Economy: DKK 11.00 Priority: DKK 13.00

A postage calculator is provided by Post Danmark (www.postdanmark.dk). Currency conversion between Danish Krone and US Dollar (see for instance

www.oanda.com) shows that USD 2.00 are no longer enough for letters mailed outside Europe.

ROYAL WEDDING SPECIAL PREFIXES ---> Subject to prior authorisation, amateur radio operators in the United Kingdom may use special prefixes from 29 April to 9 May to signify the marriage of H.R.H. Prince William and Miss Catherine Middleton. The existing Regional Secondary Locator (D, I, J, M, U and W, plus E for Intermediate licences) in the existing call sign may be replaced by the letter "R"; where no Secondary Locator exists, the letter "R" may be inserted as a Secondary Locator. For instance, MD0ABC (Isle of Man), MI0ABC (Northern Ireland), MJ0ABC (Jersey), MM0ABC (Scotland), MU0ABC (Guernsey), MW0ABC (Wales) and M0ABC (England) may all be amended to MR0ABC. Details can be found at www.rsgb.org/operating/weddingcall/

US POSTAL RATES ---> Effective 17 April, the U.S. Postal Service (www.usps.com) will implement a postage rate increase for a number of mail classes. The rates for First Class Mail International letters up to 1 oz (28 grams) will be as follows:

Canada and Mexico USD 0.80

Rest of the world USD 0.98

+ SILENT KEY + Ann Z. Keegan, KP2YL (ex W2AZK) passed away on 11 April

+ on

the island of St. Croix. She is survived by her husband Brian, KP2HC.

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8/EA3BT, 3B9/F6HMJ, 3C0C, 4L1MA, 4S7KKG, 4S7NE, 5H3EE, 5N5K, 5R8HL, 5R8X, 5X1XA, 6W/AA1AC, 6Y3T, 7P8PB, 9M6JC, 9M6XRO/8 (OC-165), 9M8Z/p (OC-165), 9Q50ON, A22/JA4ATV, A25DF, A35KL, A41OO, A45XR, A65CA, AA1AC/VP9, AC5O/p (NA-168), AP2NK, BV100, C21DL, C31CT, C31JI, C5YK, C6AGN, C6AVD, CE1/K7CA, CO2NO, CO2WL, CR2X, CR3L, CT9L, CU2KG, D2CQ, D44TBE, E21EJC, EK6RL, EL2AR, ET3BN, EU7SD, EW8A, EW8O, EX8AB, FG/DL1CW, FJ/SM5FUG, FM/KL7WA, FM5AA, FO8RZ, FP/N9JZ, FR5ZL, HH4/K4QD, HK0GU/1, HL5FUA, HS0ZCW, HS0ZDY, IH9/IK2HKT, J79WTA, J8/W9DR, JT1CO, JW/DJ3KR, JW7XM, JY4NE, K4M, KG6DX, KH0/G3ZEM, KH2/N2NL, KH2L, LU1XS, LY100SP, LY50A, MD0CCE, MJ/K3PLV, N1YC/VK9X, NH0S/KH2, NH2T, NP2Q, OJ0B, OX/DF9TM (NA-151), OX/DL1RTL (NA-151), OX/DL2SWW (NA-151),

OX/DL2VFR (NA-151), OX3XR, OY1CT, PJ2/K2NV, PJ2/K2PLF, PJ2/K2TQC, PJ2/WI9WI, PJ2A, PJ2DX, PJ2T, PJ4A, PJ4B, PJ4D, PJ4G, PJ4R, PJ6/K4UEE, PJ6/N4HH, PJ6/W6IZT, PJ7/K4UWH, PJ7DX, PJ7E, PX8J, PZ1DV, R1FJM, RP2F, S9DX, ST2AR, SV2ASP/A, SV8/SV2FPU, SV9/DJ7RJ, T30OU, T30XG, T30YA, T5X, T6AF, T77C, T88ZM, TC4X, TG9AHM, TJ3AY, TM5EL (EU-068), TO3A, TT8CB, TT8DX,

TT8JT, TT8PK, UA9FAR, UK9AA, UN8GV, V25OP, V31WA, V44/AA1M, V44KA, V85/9M6XRO, V85/9M8Z, V8FEO, VC9A (NA-014), VK0KEV, VK4LDX/p (OC-138), VK9CF, VK9NN, VP2E/K1XM, VP2V/G3PHO, VP2V/KN5H, VP2V/N3DXX, VP9/W6PH, XF1HUQ (NA-078), YJ0HA, YL3FX, YN7SU, YV5MSG, YW5LF, Z29KM, Z35T, Z37M, ZA1Z, ZB2FK, ZB3R, ZD9T, ZL8X.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 4J YL2GM will be active as 4K3AC from Azerbaijan from 25 April to 3 May. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands with 100 watts. QSL via YL2GM. [TNX NG3K]
- 9A Leo, S50R will be active as 9A/S50R from Lastovo Island (EU-016) on 25-30 April. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- 9G Kees, PE1KL and Lisa, PA2LS will be active as 9G5LK from Ghana from 28 April to 6 May. They will operate SSB, digital modes and CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via PA2LS, direct or bureau, and LoTW. They have a website at www.pe1kl-pa2ls.com [TNX NG3K]
- 9J Chris, ZS6RI is active as 9J2RI from Zambia for a year or two on a "6-week on/6-week off" work schedule. According to his qrz.com entry, direct cards should be sent to Chris J. de Beer, Box 333, Bethlehem, GA 30620, USA. He will upload his log to LoTW at least once every 6-week rotation, and probably even weekly. Bureau cards will be sent once a year.
- EI The Cork Radio Club will be active as EI5IMD on 30 April from the original Marconi site at Brow Head. The station will be active on all bands CW and SSB. QSL via EI9FBB, bureau or direct. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- F Didier, F4ELJ will be active as F4ELJ/p from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) from 30 April to 7 May. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- GM M0UTD, MM0GHM and MM0GOR will be active as MS0KLR from the Isle of Eigg (EU-008) on 26-29 April. QSL via bureau to MM0KLR, or direct to MM0GHM. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- GW Phil, MW0DHF and Ken, GW1FKY will be active as GB4MBC (Marconi's Birthday Celebration) from Flat Holm Island (EU-124) on 30 April. They plan to operate on many of the HF bands and amateur satellites when access is possible. QSL via MW0DHF. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- LA Bjorn, LA5UKA and Trond, LA9VDA will be active as LA6Q from IOTA group EU-079 from 29 April to 1 May. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via LA9VDA, direct or bureau (email requests for bureau cards can be sent to la9vda[at]gmail.com
- OE The Amateur Radio Section of ORF (the Austrian Broadcasting Corporation) and the Documentary Archives Radio Communications/QSL Collection will operate special event station OE11M from 29 April to 1 May. This is an official "International Marconi Day" station and contacts made on 30 April will be valid for the IMD Award. QSL via the OE bureau or direct to OE1WHC. [TNX OE1WHC]
- UR Special callsigns EM25UC (QSL via UR7UC) and EM25U (QSL via UT3UZ)

- will be in use on 22-30 April for the 25th anniversary of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster. [TNX UR7UC and UT3UZ]
- VE Phil, VE1WT will be active as VE1WFF from the Kejimkujik National Park, Nova Scotia on 27-29 April. Plans are to be QRV on 40, 20 and 15 metres SSB, with a possibility of 30m CW. QSL via VE1WT, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VK0_m The Daily DX reports that Denis, ZL4DB is returning to Macquarie Island "with plans to be there starting in late April for a period of three months". He will be active as VK0M/ZL4DB/p only on SSB, with the assistance of Kevin (VK0KEV). QSL via ZL4PW, direct or bureau.
- VR, YB Vincent, F4BKV will be "casually active" as VR2/F4BKV from mainland Hong Kong from 27 April to 6 May, and as YB9/F4BKV from Bali Island (OC-022) on 7-9 May. His preferred modes are SSB and PSK. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Logsearch and Online QSL Request System for bureau cards can be found at www.f4bkv.net [TNX DX World]
- YV Celebrating the birthdays of Samuel F. B. Morse and Guglielmo Marconi, special event stations 4M5CW and 4M5M will be active on 27 and 30 April respectively. QSL both calls via W4SO (maildrop).
- ZA Mitko, LZ1UQ and Andy, LZ2HM will be active as ZA/LZ1UQ and ZA/LZ2HM from Albania from 26 April to 5 May. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Three operators (W6KK, EA1IR and YT1AD) have withdrawn from the T31A expedition to Kanton Island. Carlos, EA1IR and Hrane, YT1AD will be active from Fiji (3D2IR and 3D2AD, 20-22 and 26-29 April), Tonga (A35IR and A35AD, 22-26 April) and American Samoa (KH8/EA1IR and KH8/N9YU,

29 April-1 May). [TNX YT3W]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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DXCC NEWS ---> The following operations have been approved for DXCC credit:

ZD9AH Tristan Da Cunha & Gough 2010 operation

ZD9T Tristan Da Cunha & Gough 2010-2011 operation

If you had these operations rejected in a recent application send a note to dxcc[@]arrl.org to have your record updated. [TNX NC1L]

INTERNATIONAL MARCONI DAY ---> Organized by the Cornish Radio Amateur Club, the International Marconi Day (IMD) is a 24-hour amateur radio event held annually to celebrate the birth of Guglielmo Marconi (25 April 1874). It is not a contest, but an opportunity for amateurs around the world to make contacts with historic Marconi sites using HF communications techniques.

This year's event will be held on 30 April, from 00.00 UTC through 23.59 UTC. Details, including information on the relevant Award Certificates and the listing of participating stations, can be found at www.gb4imd.org.uk

IOTA 50TH ANNIVERSARY MARATHON ---> The year 2014 marks the 50th anniversary of the launch of the Islands On The Air (IOTA) Programme by British SWL Geoff Watts, BRS-3129. To celebrate the occasion, the RSGB IOTA Manager and Committee announce an exciting activity period in which all licensed amateurs world-wide are invited to participate.

For a two-year period (from 00.00 UTC 1 January 2012 until 23.59 UTC 31 December 2013), IOTA chasers are encouraged to contact as many different IOTA groups as possible, and IOTA activators to play their part

by operating from as many groups as possible, with special emphasis on the less-frequently activated ones. Certificates and awards will be available to both 'Chasers' and

'Activators' to reflect attainment of graduated bands of performance together with attractive prizes for top scorers. The challenge provides a level playing field for everyone, because everyone starts with a clean slate on 1 January 2012.

The full rules of the IOTA 50th Anniversary Marathon can be found on G3KMA's website (www.g3kma.dsl.pipex.com) and soon on the RSGB IOTA website (www.rsgbiota.org).

QSL 9M6TMT ---> As of 18 April, Buzz (NI5DX) is no longer the QSL manager for 9M6TMT. Tom has decided to handle the QSL duty himself. [TNX The Golist]

QSL EX8AB ---> Being "sick of getting 'empty' directs", Bek, EX8AB now encourages those who need a card from him to bypass pilferers by using PayPal. Instructions can be found at www.agromarket.kg/ex8ab/ [TNX EX8AB]

ROYAL WEDDING CALLSIGNS ---> Alan, 5B4AHJ has created a web page (www.shacklog.co.uk/RoyalWedding.htm) containing all the Royal Wedding special callsigns [425DXN 1041] that he is currently aware of. The purpose is to help clarify which special calls are QRV from which DXCC Entity.

Please report any errors and omissions to him.

- + SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Gavin
- + Morrison

(GM3MOU/G3MOU), Ivan I. Kovalenko (RA6AG) and Dariusz Kaminski (SP7TES).

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******** QSL ROUTES *******

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3W3B	E21EIC	AO8WRD	EA4URE	OY6FRA	OY1JD
4A0IARU	N7RO	AO9WRD	EA4URE	E P29NI	G3KHZ
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- 3A Andrea, IZ2LSC will be active as 3A/IZ2LSC from Monaco on 30 April and 1 May. He will be running 100 watts into a multiband vertical antenna, with planned activity on 40-10 metres SSB and QRS CW. QSL via home call (bureau preferred) and LoTW.
- Special callsign 3A2CWG will be in use on 1-31 May to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Monaco Telegraphy Group (3A-CW-G). QSL via 3A2LF.
- Special callsign 4JV3AM will be in use on 4-20 May to celebrate the 66th anniversary of the end of World War II and honour Azerbaijani hero Mamish Abdullayev. QSL via RW6HS (direct only). [TNX RW6HS]
- 5R Giorgio, IZ4AKS will be active as 5R8KS from Nosy Be (AF-057) from 31 May to 6 June. He plans to operate holiday style on 40-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via IZ8IYX. Further information at www.dxcoffee.com/5r8ks/
- 8P Fred, PY2XB will be active as 8P9XB from Barbados (NA-021) on 8-21 May. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-6 metres (beacon on 50.099 MHz). QSL via PT7WA.
- 9M2 VK6DXI's trip to Malaysia [425DXN 1041] has been delayed. He will be active as 9M8DX/2 from Kuala Lumpur, West Malaysia on 2-7 May, one week later than expected. This will a business trip, with some CW activity during the local evening hours. QSL via SP5UAF. [TNX VK6DXI]
- Thomas, HB9SVT will be active as DL/HB9SVT from Fehmarn Island (EU-128) from 22 May to 12 June. He plans to be QRV on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and BPSK31, and to operate from several lighthouses. QSL via homecall, direct or bureau, plus LoTW and eQSL. Detailed information can be found at www.hb9svt.ch/dl-hb9svt [TNX HB9SVT]
- GM A group of Camb-Hams members will be active as GS3PYE/p and GS6PYE/p from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) on 1-8 May. They will be QRV on most HF bands SSB, digital modes and some CW, as well as on 6, 4 and 2m, plus 70cm via satellites. QSL via M0VFC, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.dx.camb-hams.com [TNX M0VFC]
- HI Ronny, ON4ARV will be active as HI7/OT4R from Punta Cana, Dominican Republic (NA-096) on 2-20 May. He will operate SSB on 10, 15 and 20 metres on a daily basis between 20 and 22 UTC. QSL via LoTW and eQSL only. [TNX NG3K]
- HL A group of eight operators will be active as HL0A from Kanghwa Island (AS-105) from 29 April to 1 May. QSL via HL2UVH.
- HL Han DS2GOO, Son DS3HWS, Chae DS5BSX and possibly others will be

- active from Pigum Island (AS-060) on 7-9 May. Plans are to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls. Log search at http://ds2goo.karl.or.kr/2011/Pigum_Island/ after the operation. [TNX HL1VAU]
- The Extreme DX & Contest Group (www.extremegroup.org) will operate as IL3A from several different islands in Venice Lagoon between 30 April and 30 October. QSL via IK3HHX, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ3EBA]
- I Promoting the "Antonio Canova Award", special station II3AC will be active on 1-31 May. The award is issued by ARI Treviso (www.aritreviso.it/Diploma Canova.html) to celebrate this famous Italian sculptor, who was born in 1757 in a village near Treviso. QSL via IK3GES, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ3EBA]
- Lucio, IK8EJN and other operators from ARI Termoli will be active as IL7A from the Tremiti Islands (EU-050) in May. QSL via IK8EJN. [TNX IK8EJN]
- JX The website for the 6-14 July JX7VPA operation from Jan Mayen [425DXN 1029] is now up and running (http://janmayen2011.org/). Stan, SQ8X and other seven operators will be active on 40-6 metres with three stations. Their primary modes will be CW and RTTY, with some SSB and BPSK63 "when time and conditions permit". QSL via OQRS (direct and bureau) or SQ8X direct. Further information, including logsearch (after the operation) and details on how contribute to this expensive project, can be found on the expedition's website. [TNX SQ8X]
- KHO Kan, JJ2RCJ will be active as AH0/AB2RF from Saipan (OC-086) on 1-5 May. He will focus on RTTY and PSK. QSL via JJ2RCJ and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- OK Members of Radio Club OK1KWN will operate special event station OL950CHEB will be active on 1-31 May to celebrate the 950th anniversary of the city of Cheb. QSL via OK1MO.
- PA Gerard, PD2GCM and Bertus, PD2GJS will be active as PD04ISLE from the nature reserve of Tiengemeten Island (EU-146) starting on 1 May. They will operate SSB and some RTTY and PSK on 20 and 40 metres. The activation will be continued throughout 2011. QSL via PD2GCM, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at http://pd04isle.webklik.nl
- SP Special station SQ100MSC will be active between 1 May and 31 July to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the second Nobel Prize awarded to Maria Sklodowska Curie. QSL via SP5XSL. Information on the relevant award can be found at qrz.com under SQ100MSC.
- SV5 Fred, PA1FJ will be active as SV5/PA1FJ/p from Karpathos Island (EU-001) on 8-14 May. He will operate SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- UA Celebrate the 66th anniversary of the end of World War II, special callsign R1945HS will be in use on 1-31 May. QSL via RW6HS (direct only). [TNX RW6HS]
- UN Celebrating the 50th anniversary of the first manned space flight, special prefixes UN50, UO50, UP50 and UQ50 are in use from Kazakhstan until 31 May. The following stations are expected to be QRV: UN50SK (home call UN7GWC), UO50G (home call UN2G), UP1ASTR (home call UN0GL), UP50ASTR (home call UN6GK), UP50F (home call UN7FW), UP50YG (home call UN7Z), UQ50G (home call UN6QC), UQ50L (home call UN7LZ), UQ50P (home call UN7PL). Information on the relevant award at http://un-dx.ucoz.com/index/yuri_gagarin/0-36 [TNX UN6QC]
- V4 Once again John, W5JON will be active as V47JA St. Kitts (NA-104)

- from 12 July to 2 August. He will operate SSB on 80-6 metres, and will participate in the CQ WW VHF Contest and the RSGB IOTA Contest. His wife Cathy, W5HAM will occasionally operate as V47HAM. All QSLs via W5JON. [TNX W5JON]
- V8 John, 9M6XRO will be active again as V85/9M6XRO from Brunei on 4-9 May. He plans to operate RTTY, CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via M0URX. [TNX The Golist]
- VE Special event callsign VC2CQ85 will be in use on 1-31 May for the 85th anniversary of the Club Radio Amateur de Quebec (CRAQ). QSL via VE2CO. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VE John, VE8EV and Patrick, VE8GER will be active as XK1T from Tent Island (NA-193) on 16-19 June. They will operate mainly SSB with some CW on 20 metres; some activity on 30, 17, and 15 metres is also likely. Updates will be posted to http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/
- W The HAMCOW (HAM Radio Communications On Wheels, http://hamcow.net) team will be active as W1ACT from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) and Gay Head Lighthouse from 6-8 May. QSL via N1JOY, direct only. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- XE Special event station 6J5M will be active on 1-6 May for the Cinco de Mayo festivities, celebrating the anniversary of the Battle of Puebla (1862). QSL via XE1AMF. Information on the relevant award che be found at http://diploma.puebladx.org/

CARIBBEAN TOUR ---> Torsten, DL1THM and Anja DH2AK will be active as ZF2TH and ZF2AT from Grand Cayman Island (NA-016) on 6-13 May, and as DL1THM/C6A and DH2AK/C6A from New Providence Island (NA-001), Bahamas on 13-20 May.

Activity will be holiday style and mostly on 20 meters SSB. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The March 2011 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

AZERBAIJAN ---> Frequency allocations on 40 and 80 metres have been expanded, and amateur radio operators from Azerbaijan (4J, 4K) are now allowed to use 7000-7200 kHz and 3500-3800 kHz. [TNX 4J5T]

DX DINNER ---> The Southwest Ohio DX Association (SWODXA) announces that a limited number of dinner tickets are still available for the DX Dinner to be held in conjunction with the Dayton Hamvention. This year's event will be on 20 May at the Dayton Marriott. For programme details and to order tickets, go to www.swodxa.org or www.swodxa.blogspot.com [TNX W8GEX]

MT. ATHOS VISIT ---> "I have just returned from my 2 week visit to Greece and pilgramage to Mt. Athos", Rick NE8Z reports. "Monk Apollo, SV2ASP/A greeted me with open arms. I was able to make a donation of various pieces of radio equipment to his monastery which will allow him to operate from two or more portable hilltop locations.

SEMDXA members provided him with a new MFJ Keyer, LDG antenna tuner and a Heil BM-10 headset. Budd W3FF and his son Chris donated a complete Buddipole Antenna system. The ARRL donated 8 log books, band plan charts and a backpack for the portable equipment transportation. Both portable locations have clear 360 degree views to all directions unlike the Docheiariou Monastery which has a large mountain blocking signals to and from Asia.

Father Apollo is presently active on the radio daily between 1700-2100z on 160, 30, 17 and 12 metres CW, SSB

and RTTY. He is building a new ham shack which will be ready in a few months. Once he is in the new QTH he will install his new 40 foot tubular tower and a Step-IR 3 element yagi that was donated to him by Dominik, DL5EBE". Slideshow on the SEMDXA website at

http://live.semdxa.org/tiki-list_file_gallery.php?galleryId=24

RUSSIA JOINS CEPT ---> The Russian State Radio Frequencies Commission decided on 10 March 2011 that the Russian Federation shall join CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-01 and ECC Recommendation (05)06 (CEPT Novice), thus making it possible for every CEPT License holder to operate on the territory of the Russian Federation, within a limit of three months, without any additional permission. The call sign to be used shall be RA/Personal Call sign. [TNX IARU Region 1]

SILENT KEYS ---> James McLaughlin, WA2EWE (T6AF, ex YI9EWE) was one of the nine Americans killed on 27 April in a shooting at Kabul airport. He had been serving in Afghanistan as a flight instructor since late 2008, and was regularly active on the bands, mainly RTTY and PSK.

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Angus "Gus" Duncan Taylor (G8PG), Petr A. Taranov (RK6ACM) and R. Neville Copeland (ZL2AKV).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3DA0GF, 4L/UU0JM, 4L5O, 4X4FR, 4Z5RT, 5B8AD, 5D5A, 5R8HL, 5R8X, 5X0CW, 6O0N, 6W/AA1AC, 6W/EI6DX, 6W/HA0NAR/p (AF-078), 7Z1TT, 8P6DR, 9L0W, 9M6XRO/8 (OC-165), 9M6XRO/p (OC-295), 9M8DX/2, 9Q50ON, 9V1YC, A25SL, AP2NK, C37N, C4I, C6ANM, CP4BT, CP6XE, CR2X, CS2C, CW3TD (SA-057), CX6VM, D2CQ, D44BS, DU1IST, E21EJC,

E51CG, EP2MKO, ET3SID, FG5FR, FM4LV, FM5BH, FM5WD, FR5ZL, FS/K4UP,

HC1MD/HC4, HI3TEJ, HK3CQ, HK3JJH, HR5/F2JD, HR9/WQ7R, IS0R, J37BO, J39BS, J5NAR, J5NAR, J6/VE3CZF, J68UN, J8/W9DR, J88DR, JT5DX, JW9VDA, JY4NE, JY5HX, K6PV/6 (NA-066),

KH0/G3ZEM, KH0/KT3Q, KH2/WX8C, MJ/K3PLV, MU0FAL, OD5NJ, OH0/OH7MM, OH0B, OH0BP, OH0X, OJ0B, OM3EY, OX/DL1RTL (NA-151),

OX3XR, P40D, P40YL, PJ2DX, PJ2T, PJ4/K2NG, PJ5/AA4NC, PJ5/SP6EQZ,

PJ5/SP6IXF, PJ6A, PJ7/KC0VKN, PJ7/VA3QSL, PJ7E, PZ5RA, R1AND/AT10BP, R1ANP, R1ANP/A, R11FJ, S9DX, SV9/DJ7RJ, T30OU, T6AF, T88ZM, TC4X, TI5KS, TJ3AY, TO3A, TT8DX, UA0YAY, UA2FCB, UA2FR, V25OP, V47KP, V51AS, V85/9M6XRO, VK4LDX/p, VK9CF, VP5/W5CW, VP9GE, VQ9RD, VR2XMT, VU2JBK/AT10, XE2WWW, XL2I (NA-128), YB0NFL, YS3CW, Z22CW, ZA3HA, ZB2FK, ZD9T, ZF2AM, ZF2LC, ZL8X, ZW8B (SA-025).

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- 4X Special callsigns 4X13AR and 4Z13AR will be in use on 10-26 May during the 13th edition of the Arthur Rubinstein International Piano Master Competition. Look for activity on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via 4Z5NS. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- 9M2 Vlad, RA9LR plans to be active as 9M2/RA9LR from Langkawi Island (AS-058) between mid-May and mid-July. He plans to operate PSK, RTTY, CW and some SSB. [TNX DX World]
- 9N Sam, K0YAK is active in his spare time as 9N7AK from Nepal (http://9n7ak.wordpress.com) until 4 July, while on work assignment at the US Embassy in Kathmandu. Activity is on 20 to 10 metres SSB and PSK31. QSL to home call.
- F Special callsign TM90LH will be in use again on 14-15 May, 4-5 June and 9-10 July to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the Societe Havraise de Telegraphie Sans Fil (F6KOH), one of the oldest amateur radio clubs in France. [TNX F8REF]
- FJ Wim, OS1T (ON4CIT) will be active as FJ/OS1T from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) on 14-22 May. He will operate mainly SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres, with a focus on 6 metres when conditions allow. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. QSLling instructions and further information at http://cendyshop.be/FJ-OS1T.html [TNX islandchaser. com]
- G Ricky G0LZX, Paul G0WRE and Kev M0TNX will be active as GB0HI from Holy/Lindisfarne Island (EU-120) from about 5 UTC on 14 May until aout 5 UTC on the 15th. Plans are to operate SSB with some digital modes and CW, on 40, 30, 20, 17 and 15, plus 6m if conditions allow. QSL via M0OXO (see www.m0oxo.com for instructions). [TNX M0TNX]
- Ezio IK2AHB, Diego IW2MZX, Andrea IZ2AJE, Enzo IZ2GLU and Fabio IZ2GMT will be active on the HF bands and possibly 6m as IG9E from Lampedusa Island (AF-019) on 18-23 May. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes (PSK31 and RTTY) with three stations. QSL via IK2AHB, direct or bureau. Log search at www.vbdxc.altervista.org [TNX IZ2GMT]
- JX JX5O is the new, special callsign issued for the 6-14 July operation from Jan Mayen [425DXN 1043]. The team now includes HB9ASZ, NI1L, SM0MDG, SQ8X, SQ9C, SQ9DIE, SV2KBS and TF3ZA. Further information can be found on the expedition's website (http://janmayen2011.org/) [TNX SQ8X]
- LZ Special station LZ2011KM is active on all bands and modes until 31 May to celebrate St. Kiril and Methodius' Day. QSL via LZ1BJ (bureau preferred). [TNX LZ1BJ]
- SV5 The "DX Plus" Hellenic Amateur Radio Team will operate CW, SSB and

digital modes as SX5F from Farmakonisi (EU-001) on 14-22 May. QSL via bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

- VK9L The VK9HR expedition to Lord Howe (OC-004), originally scheduled to take place on 8-17 July [425DXN 1041], has been postponed to 23 July-2 August so that the team will be able to participate in the IOTA Contest. The website for the expedition is at www.lordhowe2011.com
- Lighthouse special event station W3P will be operating from the annual Waterfront Festival at the Piney Point Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-601) on 14 May from 14 until 20 UTC. Look for activity on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB and PSK31. QSL via KA3UNQ (direct). [TNX KA3UNQ]

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AEGEAN RTTY CONTEST ---> The second edition of the Aegean RTTY Contest will be held from 12 UTC on 21 May through 12 UTC on the 22nd. Complete information can be found on the Aegean DX Group's web site (www.aegeandxgroup.gr, click on "contest") of from the Contest manager Alexander Karpathiou, SV8CYR (sv8cyr[@]gmail.com). [TNX SV8CYV]

AUSTRIA: POSTAL RATES ---> Postal rates in Austria raised on 1 May. The new prices for standard letter items up to 20 grams sent by Priority Mail are EUR 0.70 for destinations within Europe and EUR 1.70 for the rest of the world.

DXCC NEWS ---> 4A4A (Revillagigedo, 2011 operation) has been approved for DXCC credit.

QSL 4UITU, 4U1UN & D44TOI ---> Get your missing QSLs for QSOs with 4UITU, 4U1UN and D44TOI (2009 and 2010) at the Swiss DX Foundation's booth at Hamradio 2011 (Friedrichshafen) on 24-25 June. Bring your QSO data with you and observe the working hours of the QSL manager (to be available at the booth). [TNX HB9BOU

QSL 9M6JC ---> As of 18 April, Buzz (NI5DX) is no longer the QSL manager for 9M6JC. John has decided to handle the QSL duty himself. [TNX The Golist]

QSL EU-094 ---> All of the contacts made by F/ON6DP/p ,F/ON7PC/p and F/ON4LRG/p on 9-10 April from St Nicolas Island (EU-094) have been confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards are via home call.

[TNX ON6DP]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Thirteen different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (333 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities

(1257 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (3327 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (372 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (62 QSLs), Antarctic bases (827 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 264 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (338 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (97 QSLs), pre-1945 countries

(1183 QSLs), French Departments (675 QSLs) and CONUS (200 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (126 QSLs). Several cards are still and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx[@]free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

QSL MANAGER OFFERED ---> Ken, G3OCA offers his services as a QSL Manager for any station in need

(particularly IOTA expeditions). Both bureau and direct cards accepted. He can be contacted at g3oca1[@]ntlworld.com

QSL VIA EB7DX & EA7FTR ---> Owing to a serious health problem in their family, David, EB7DX and his father Francisco, EA7FTR expect to be "a little slower" than usual in processing QSL requests for the stations they manage. Please be patient. [TNX EB7DX]

T6PSE CANCELLED ---> Given the current circumstances, and with careful consideration, the team has decided to cancel their plans for a DXpedition from Afghanistan. "There is just too much uncertainty in the region for us to continue to move forward with our plans", Paul N6PSE says. "In the next several weeks, I will refund all donor/sponsor monies that have been given to support our plans". See www.intrepid-dx.com for the press release dated 2 May.

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

- + SILENT KEYS + A Charter member and the first President of the
- + North

Jersey DX Association, Benjamin H. Stevenson (W2BXA) passed away on 5 May at 97 years of age. He had a total of 390 DXCC Entities, and obtained the first CQ WAZ and the first Satellite DXCC. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Vakhtang "Vakho" Sakhokia (4L5T, ex-UF6DG), Kesang Namgyel (A51KC), Sydney Sefton (G3ZBA), Ray Forrester (K4RRF), Aleksej A. Starkov (UA1BX) and George Wesley Johnston (W6YWH).

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3A5DG	3A2LS	EV25M	EW8OM	OH0I	OH3BHL
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3Z55JNK	SQ1PSE	FG4NO	F4AVX	OL2011V	P OK1DRQ
4F9HXB	DL5SDF	FM1HN	NI5DX	OL950CF	HEB OK1KWN
4JS0RGE	4K4K	FM4LV	W3HNK	OM2011I	HWC OM0CS
4JV3AM	RW6HS	FM5CD	F5VU	OM2011I	IHF OM5CD
4JV6NS	4K4K	FM5WD	W3HNK	OM55TV	OM3MB
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4L6DL	LZ1OT	GB2GM	2E0GSD	PP0T	EB7DX
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4M5M	W4SO	GB4M	M0DOL	R1945HS	RW6HS
4T100MP	OA4O	GB4MBC	MW0DH	F RP66A	A RK10WA
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- 8R Alex, W1CDC will be active as 8R1A from Guyana on 13-24 May. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9A Jan, PA4JJ will be active holiday style as 9A/PA4JJ from Porec (Croatian mainland) on 6-24 June. He will operate RTTY and PSK31 most of the time. QSL via home call (OQRS on http://www.pa4jj.nl). [TNX PA4JJ]
- CO Gustavo, CO2NO and Lazaro, CO2WL will participate in this weekend's Volta RTTY Contest (www.contestvolta.com) as SOAB entrants. QSL both via HA3JB (direct). [TNX HA3JB]
- CT7 Algarve STAR DX Team (http://algarvedx.com) members CT1EHX, CT1GFK and CT1IUA will be active as CR55PQ from the Escola de Tropas Para-quedistas (the Portuguese Paratroopers School), which celebrates its 55th anniversary. Look for activity on 80-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY on 21-23 May. QSL via CT1EHX. [TNX CT1GFK]
- CT7 Special event station CS2HD will be active ob 23-29 May for the Harley Davidson owners international meeting that will take place in Tavira, Portugal. QSL via CT2FPE. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- DU DV1UD, 4F1OZ, 4F2KWT and possibly one more operator are planning an expedition to take place from the rare Jolo Group (OC-119) "sometime later this month". The callsign might be DX8DX or DX8J; "alternatively, they may use DU8/homecalls". [TNX DX World]
- F Joel F1BLQ, Michel F5EOT, Eric F5LOW, Laurent F5MNK, Fabrice F5NBQ and Bertrand F6HKA will be active as TM0Z from Batz Island (EU-105) on 21-26 May. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-6 metres with at least four stations. QSL via F5EOT, direct or bureau. Further at http://www.frag33.org/www.cdxg.org/TM0Z.html [TNX F5NBQ]
- G Kev, M0TNX and Paul, G0WRE will be active as GB2HI from Hilbre Island (EU-120) on 20-22 May. He will operate SSB with some CW on 40, 30, 20, 17 and 15 metres, plus 6 and 2 metres if conditions allow. QSL via M0OXO (see www.m0oxo.com for instructions). [TNX M0TNX]
- GM Vincent, F4BKV plans to be active from Shetland (EU-012), Orkney (EU-009) and Great Cumbrae (EU-123) on 11-13 June prior to joining the MS0INT team (see below). [TNX MM0NDX]
- GM The proposed timetable for the MS0INT IOTA expedition [425DXN 1021] is as follows:
- 14 June MM/F4BKV & MM0NDX/p South Uist (afternoon) EU-010
 - 14 June MM/F4BKV & MM0NDX/p Berneray (evening) EU-010
 - 15 June MM/F4BKV & MM0NDX/p Benbecula (morning) EU-010 15 June MM/F4BKV & MM/EI6DX Grimsay (afternoon) EU-010

- 15 June MM/EA5KA & MM/EA3OR North Uist (afternoon) EU-010 15 June MM/EA3NT & MM0NDX/p Baleshare (afternoon) EU-010 MM/IZ7ATN & others: Berneray (evening) 15 June EU-010 16-17 June MS0INT/p Monach Isles EU-111 17-20 June MS0INT St Kilda Archipelago EU-059 Activity from EU-059 will run until 8 UTC on 20 June at the latest. There will be three stations active on CW and SSB on the HF bands and 6 metres (RSGB 50MHz Trophy Contest included). "We will attempt to follow this schedule as closely as possible", Col MMONDX says, "but since the weather and seas dictate this expedition, our plans may change suddenly". QSL for MS0INT and MS0INT/p via M0URX, all QSLs for MM/homecall via RX3RC. The website for the expedition is at www.ms0int.com
- HB0 Gabriele I2VGW, Andrea IZ2LSC and Tony IZ3EZV will be active as HB0/homecall from Liechtenstein on 2-5 June. They plan to operate holiday style CW, SSB and RTTY, with main focus to be given to 12, 17 and 30 metres and the upper HF bands. They will also give 6 metres a try. QSL via home calls. [TNX IZ3ESV]
- I IT9AHI, IT9DVZ, IT9TFX, IT9TQH, IT9YMM, IT9ZIV and IW9FSG will be active as IE9Z from Ustica Island (EU-051) on 20-23 May. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on the HF bands, plus 6 and 2 metres. QSL via IT9TFX, direct or bureau. [TNX IT9YMM]
- JW Jon, LA8HGA will be active as JW8HGA from Longyearbyen (EU-026),
 Svalbard on 19-23 May. He will operate CW only on the HF bands.
 QSL via LA8HGA, bureau or direct. [TNX NG3K]
- KL Yuri, N3QQ and other Russian Robinson Club members plan to operate as KL7RRC from St. Matthew Island (NA-232, new one) indicatively between 29 July and 5 August. "Our plans depend on weather, final permissions from the US Fish and Wildlife Service and transportation availability", they say. QSL via UA9OBA and N7RO. Check http://www.na-234.com/ for updates.
- LU Members of the Radio Club de los Andes will be active as LU8YE/Y from the shores of Lake Meliquina on 20-22 May. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 80-10 metres with two stations. QSL via EA7FTR. [TNX LU7YS]
- OJO Pasi, OH3WS will be active as OJ0W from Market Reef (EU-053) on 14-21 May. He will operate CW and SBB on the HF bands in his spare time. QSL via OH3WS. [TNX NG3K]
- OZ Look for Mic, OZ/DG5LAC to be active on 80-10 metres SSB from Vendsyssel-Thy (EU-171) on 13-19 May. QSL via home call (direct or bureau), LoTW and eQSL. [TNX DG5LAC]
- OZ A group of German Scouts will be active again as OZ1RDP (www.oz1rdp.de) from Romo Island (EU-125) on 10-14 June. They plan to operate SSB and BPSK31 mainly on 80, 40, 30 and 20 metres, and on 2m JT65. QSL via DL9BCP, direct or bureau. [TNX DL9BCP]
- PY Orlando, PT2OP and Fred, PY2XB are in the planning stages of an operation to take place from IOTA group SA-045 during the second half of August. Further information is expected in due course.

 [TNX islandchaser.com]
- SM Rick, SM6U and other 4-7 operators will be active as 7S6W from Vinga Island (EU-043) on 19-22 May. They will have four stations active on 80-10 metres SSB and CW with some RTTY. Updates will be posted to http://sm6.se/7s6w/ [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- SV Laci, HA0HW will be active again as SV8/HA0HW from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 26 May to 5 June, including an entry in the CQ WPX CW Contest as J48HW. He will operate on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX HA0HW]

- SV9 OK1AMM, OK1HH and OK2BOB will be active as SV9/homecall/p from Crete (EU-015) on 17-28 May. They will operate CW and SSB on all bands, with a focus on 17, 12, 10 and 6 metres. A side trip to Gavdos Island (EU-187) is also being planned. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- T2 Haru, JA1XGI will be active as T2XG from Tuvalu (OC-015) on 17-24 May and as 3D2XG from Nadi, Fiji (OC-016) on 24-27 May. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via JA1XGI, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]
- TA Special callsigns TC1919ATA and TC130ATA will be activated on 18-20 May and 16-22 May respectively to commemorate the the start of the Turkish war for independence and the 130th anniversary of the birth of Mustafa Kemal Ataturk. QSL TC1919ATA via TA6P and TA6U, QSL TC130ATA via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TJ Henry, TJ3AY has been issued special callsign TJ3IC to be used until 30 May to commemorate the 51st anniversary of the independence of Cameroon. QSL via F5LGE.
- VE Rick, K6VVA and Oliver, W6NV will be active as K6VVA/VE7 from Quadra Island (NA-091) on 2-5 June. They will operate mostly CW with some SSB on 40-15 metres. QSL via N6AWD, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.k6vva.com/iota/na091/ [TNX K6VVA]
- VE Look for Gregg, VE3ZZ/VY2 to be again active from VY2TT's superstation on Prince Edward Island (NA-029) from 25 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VE3ZZ]
- W Rick, K6VVA and Garry, NI6T will be active as K6VVA/6 from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) on 24-26 May. They will operate mostly CW with some SSB on 40-15 metres. For 5-6 hours on 25 May Rick will be QRV from a 1,600 feet elevation QTH primarily for Asia, where this IOTA group is a most wanted. "Please only one QSO per band/mode", he says, "even if you hear two separate K6VVA/6 stations on the same band/mode". QSL via N6AWD, direct or bureau. Further information at http://www.k6vva.com/iota/na066 [TNX K6VVA]

SOUTH PACIFIC TOUR ---> Pista, HA5AO and George, HA5UK will be active from Fiji (requested call 3D2UK), Tuvalu (requested call T2HA), Western Kiribati (requested call T30HA) and possibly Banaba (requested call T33HA) between 1 October and 15 November. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY with two stations on 160-10 metres. QSL via HA5AO, direct or bureau, and LoTW. More details are expected in due course. A log search will be available at http://ha5ao.novolab.hu/ [TNX HA0HW]

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4W6A ---> 4W6A will be QRV on all bands and modes from Atauro Island (OC-232), Timor-Leste on 16-26 September [425DXN 1039], and everything is on schedule for the expedition. Team members' air tickets have been booked and paid for, a boat has been chartered, the accommodation on Atauro and the generators have been booked, arrangements have been put in place for sufficient fuel to be transported to the island. Hopefully the team will be able to use an Internet connection on the island, and, if this proves to be reliable, logs will be uploaded to Club Log (www.clublog.org) and LoTW on a

daily basis. The latest press release (11 May) can be found at www.4w6a.com, along with further information on the DXpedition and details on how contribute to the project.

MIDWAY ISLAND ---> "I have just been assigned to work on Midway Island as the Chief Communications Officer", Joe W5FJG says. "I hope to be on the air as KH4/W5FJG either the last week of May or the first week in June. I will be stationed here for at least one year.

At this time I have an Icom Ic-7000, but no antenna. I am working within the guidelines of the Island administrators on getting an antenna in the air to start off with. I intend to work from 6 through 40 (80 if a suitable antenna can be obtained). SSB, CW, RTTY and other digital modes will be worked.

I am seeking donations of (or funds for the purchase of) a Multi-Band Vertical and or smaller 3el yagi. Also looking for donations for other station equipment.

Since I will be here for one year or more, I am looking to build a permanent Amateur radio shack that will keep Midway on the air long after I have departed.

Will provide more info such as QSL route and operating times later". Joe can be contacted at joeyjeepusa[@]yahoo.com

MILLS ON THE AIR ---> The Mills On The Air weekend will be held on 14-15 May, with amateur radio operations taking place from several mills in the Netherlands and in the UK. Announced activities include PD6MILL from De Eendracht (QSL via PD7BZ) and GB6MW from Meopham Windmill (QSL via G4DFI). Further information on the event can be found at www.pd6mill.com [TNX PD5JFK and M0MCV]

SILENT KEYS ---> Frank R. Smith (AH0W) passed away on 30 April at 61 years of age. A well known DXer, he conducted and participated in several DXpeditions, e.g. 4J1FM/4J1FW (Malyj Vysotskij 1992), XF4M (Revillagigedo

1994), AH4/AH0W (Midway 1996), K7K (Kure 1997), K4M (Midway 1997), XW30/XW30A (Laos 1998), 3B9R (Rodrigues 1999).

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Earl H. "Sonny" Marsh (KE4LDJ), Earl M. Ringle (N7ER), Gerard "Jerry" Scarano (W1ZM) and Marwin H. Gonsior (W6FR).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 1A0KM, 3B8/EA3BT, 3B8/EA3WL, 3B8/F6HMJ, 3DA0GF, 3DA0TM, 3G1M, 4A4A, 4L1MA, 4S7NE, 5B/UT0U, 5M2TT, 5V7DX, 5X1NH, 6O0X, 6W/HA0NAR/p, 6W/WJ2O, 7P8KDJ, 7Z1TT, 8R1RPN, 8R1Z, 9L0W, 9M2CNC, 9M6XRO, 9M6XRO/p (OC-133), 9Q/DK3MO, 9Q50ON, 9V1DR, 9V1SV, 9Y4ZC, A25AN, A65BP, A73A, AH0/AB2RF, BQ100, BV100, C6ANM, CP6AA, CT3FT, CW3TD (SA-057), CW5R (SA-039), CX9AU, D2CQ, D44BS, D44TBE, DU1AV, DU1IST, E21EJC,

E51CG, EP2MKO, ER3ZZ, ET3SID, EU3AR, FG4NN, FG5DH, FG5FR, FP/N9JZ, FP/W6HGF, FR/F8APV, FY1FL, H44DA, H44MS, H7/AJ9C, HC1MD/HC4, HC2/SM6FKF, HD2M, HK1X, J28RO, J39BS, J5NAR, J6/VE3CZF, J88DR, JD1BMH, JT5DX, JY4NE, JY5CC, K8LEE/CY0, KP4DKE, KP4MS, LX1DA, LX9DX, MJ/K3PLV, MS0INT (EU-118), MU/F5CWU, N0TG/CY0, N1SNB/CY0, OA1F, OD5NJ, OX3XR, OY1CT, P4/W1HEO, P40D, P40V, P40YL, P49V, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/N0VD, PJ2/W5FKX, PJ2T, PJ4A, PJ4B, PJ4I, PJ7DX, PJ7E, PX8J, PZ5RA, R1ANP, R11FJ, S21N, S9DX, SU/HA3JB, SV0XCA/5, SV5BYR, SV9/DJ7RJ, SV9CVY, T30AQ, T77V, TF3GC, T18II, TJ3AY, TK5MH, T05SM, TR8CA, TZ3M, UA0SR, UA0ZC, UA2FCB, UK8FF, UN3F, UN7QX, V21ZG, V25OP, V44KAI, V47KP, V55DLH, V73RRC (OC-273), V85AVE, V85TL, VK0KEV, VK4LDS/p (OC-171), VK5MAV/5 (OC-139), VK9C/G6AY, VK9CF, VP5/W5CW, VR2XMT, VU4PB, XE2WWW, XF1RCS (NA-171), XV2RZ, XW1B, XX9TLX, YB0AKM, YS0IARU, Z22CW, Z23MS, ZA1FD, ZA1G, ZB2FK, ZC4LI, ZD8O, ZD9T, ZF2LC, ZL50VK, ZL8X.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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- Paul, WQ2N will be active as 3W2N from various regions of Vietnam between 23 May and 8 June. This will be a business trip, and Paul expects to be QRV in his limited spare time on 40-15 metres mainly CW. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- 9M2 Keith, GM4YXI plans to operate CW and SSB on 20, 17, 15 and maybe 12 metres as 9M2/GM4YXI from Pulau Perhentian Besar (AS-073) between around 10 UTC on 20 May until around 2 UTC on the 22nd. QSL via N3SL. [TNX GM3WOJ]
- 9M2 The dates for RA9LR's activity from Langkawi Island (AS-058) [425DXN 1044] are 24 June-10 July. He will be active as 9M2/RA9LR on SSB, CW and digital modes, with a focus on the low bands. QSL via home call, direct (preferred) or bureau. [TNX RA9LR]
- 9N A large multi-national team of operators from the Mediterraneo DX Club will be active as 9N0MD from Nepal on 13-21 November. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-10 metres, with 3-4 stations and a focus on the low bands and RTTY. QSL route TBA. The team plans to give away trophies and prizes. Further information can be found at www.mdxc.org/nepal
- F The Radio Club of the French Army's 28th Transmission Regiment (F5KIN) will be active as TM28RT on 21-22 May during the "open doors" event. Operators F5RQQ, F8DFP and F8NAN will be active on the HF bands CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via bureau to F5KIN. [TNX F5NQL]
- F Once again (for the 60th year) the Association des Radioamateurs de la Sarthe will activate a special event station for the 24 Hours of Le Mans. The callsign will be TM24H and operations will take place from 29 May to 12 June. QSL via F6KFI. Further information at http://asso.proxiland.fr/aras72/ [TNX F5TJC]
- G Promoting geological heritage to the general public, special station GB6GEO will be on the air from "Kent's Cavern", England's oldest "home" situated in the English Riviera (Torbay), for the 4th Geoparks Communication Weekend on 28-29 May. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau; the QSL route for direct cards is via G3VOF. Details on this event, as well on the relevant certificate, can be found at qrz.com under GB6GEO. [TNX G3VOF]
- J7 George K5KG, Dan K1TO, Jim WI9WI and Chris NX4N will be active as J79FCG (QSL via K1TO), J79WI (QSL via WI9WI) and J71W (QSL via NX4N) from Dominica (NA-101) on 21-31 May. They will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands and 6 metres, and will participate in the CQ WPX CW Contest as J7A (QSL via NX4N). [TNX NG3K]
- OY Look for OY/PA0VHA, OY/PA2A and OY/PA2AM to be active from Streymoy, Faroe Islands (EU-018) from 23 May to 2 June. They will

- be QRV on the HF bands CW and RTTY, as well as on 6 and 4 metres and via satellite AO-51. QSL via home calls. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OZ Thomas, DL4VM will be active as OZ/DL4VM from Fyn Island (EU-172) between 28 May and 18 June. He will operate mainly on 30, 15 and 6 metres CW and PSK. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PJ4 John, K4BAI and Dick, K4IQJ will be active as PJ4/K4BAI and PJ4/K4IQJ (QSL via home calls)from Bonaire (SA-006) on 24-31 May. They will operate mainly CW with some SSB and RTTY by K4IQJ. Look for K4BAI to participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as PJ4A (QSL via K4BAI). [TNX The Daily DX]
- SV Cliff, SV1JG will participate in the CQ WPX CW Contest as SX8V from Milos Island (EU-067). Before and after the contest he will operate as SV8/SV1JG. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- V2 Darrell, AB2E will be active again as V26E from Antigua (NA-100) between 24 and 31 May, CQ WW WPX CW Contest included. Outside the contest he will operate on the low bands or 30, 17 and 12 metres.
 QSL via AB2E (direct) and LoTW. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- V3 Mike, VE2XB will be active as V31XB from Caye Caulker (NA-073), Belize from 19 May "for several weeks". He will be QRV on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX VE2XB]

IOTA TRIP ---> Bert, DL2RNS and Ric, DL2VFR will be leaving on 24 May and going north. Planned IOTA activities include:

EU-087 (Alnon or Hemson) as SD7V/3 and SM3/DL2RNS most likely on 26 May;

EU-044 (Mageroya) as LA/DL2VFR and LA/DL2RNS on 28-31 May (mostly CW);

EU-139 (Seskaro) as SD7V/2 and SM2/DL2RNS on 1 June.

On 31 May they might also operate for a couple of hours as OH9/DL2VFR and OH9/DL2RNS from the Pallas-Yllasttunturin National Park. QSL via homecalls, and for SD7V via DL2VFR. [TNX DL2VFR]

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CQ 2010 HALL OF FAMERS ---> CQ Magazine announced on 20 May its 2010 Hall of Fame inductees. The CQ Amateur Radio Hall of Fame was established in January 2001 to recognize individuals - radio amateurs or not - who significantly affected the course of Amateur Radio, as well as radio amateurs who have made significant contributions either to amateur radio, to their professional careers or to some other aspect of life on our planet. This year's inductees are: Nate Brightman (K6OSC), Robert Schmieder (KK6EK), E. King Stodola (W2AXO, SK), Bob Gunderson (W2JIO, SK), Dave Bell (W6AQ), Cardinal Roger Mahony, Archbishop Emeritus of Los Angeles (W6QYI), Ron Moorefield (W8ILC), Loretta Ensor (W9UA, SK), Malcolm Raff (WA2UNP, SK), Allen Taflove (WA9JLV), Sylvia Margolis (SK) and Ted McElroy (SK).

The CQ Contest Hall of Fame (established in 1986) and the CQ DX Hall of Fame (established in 1967) honour those amateurs who not only excel in personal performance in these major areas of amateur radio, but who also "give back" to the hobby in outstanding ways. This year's inductee to the CQ Contest HoF is John Sluymer (VE3EJ). The 2011 inductee to the CQ DX HoF is Michael J. McGirr (K9AJ).

DXCC NEWS ---> VU4PB (Andaman & Nicobar Islands, 2011 operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

EU PSK DX CONTEST ---> The EU PSK Club amateur radio operators all over the world to participate in the 8th European PSK DX Contest, to be held on

21-22 May (from 12 UTC to 12 UTC). The objective of the contest is to establish as many contacts as possible

between radio amateurs around the world and radio amateurs in Europe using the BPSK31 mode. Rules can be found at www.eupsk.com

IOTA: RULE CHANGES ---> With the publication this month of the new IOTA Directory a number of rule changes have come into force including the raising of the minimum QSO threshold from 200 to 1000 QSOs for first-time activated new IOTA groups and amendment of the handling of islands previously deleted following a deletion of a DXCC entity, allowing acceptance of old Penguin Islands and Red Sea Islands QSOs for AF-070 and

AS-009 respectively. A note of the main changes has been uploaded to G3KMA's website (www.g3kma.dsl.pipex.com).

QSL P40L ---> "Now that P40L is active again, I am getting QSL requests and emails for/about both old and fairly new QSOs", Erik K5WW says. Please note that he has not been the QSL manager for P40L for a couple of years; the current QSL route is via WA3FRP.

WRTC-2014 ---> Tim Duffy (K3LR), Craig Thompson (K9CT) and George DeMontrond III (NR5M) are the initial members of the WRTC-2014 Advisory Council. The Advisory Council consists of individuals who have experience in the execution of major events and are willing to provide significant

financial resources to the project. The 2014 World Radiosport Team Championship will be held in New England (www.wrtc2014.org).

+ SILENT KEY + George Ripley (GD3AHV) passed away on 11 May at 90 years

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age. He was one of the very first 6m permit holders in the UK who started operating on 50 MHz back in February 1982.

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4K7Z	UA5DX	GB0HI	M0OXO	SN600KW	SP2KFL	
4K9W	DL6KVA	GB4S	M0DOL	SO1CC	DL1CC	
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4L8A	K1BV	HC2AQ	EA5KB	ST2BY	BA1AI	
4S7VK	DJ9ZB	HC2SL	EA5KB	ST2NH	EA7FTR	
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4Z13AR	4Z5NS	HF45BRP	SP9BRP	SV0XBZ	Z/9 YL2VW	
5B4AIF	EB7DX	HF800Z	SP6CES	SV0XCC/	9 LZ1YE	
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5X1VJ	UV5EVJ	HG15IPA	HA3JB	SY7R	SZ7SER	
6W7FZ	DK6ZZ	HG30LP	HA0LP	T2XG	JA1XGI	
7S6W	SM6MIS	HI8CJG	EA7FTR	T32TV	KH6CG	
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- 3D2_r Choi, HL5FUA and Yoon, 6K2GCW plan to be active as 3D2CJ from Rotuma (OC-060) on 17-24 June. They expect to be QRV on the following announced frequencies:
 - CW 1822, 3515, 7015, 10115, 14015, 18075, 21015, 24895, 28015 KHz SSB 3802, 7095, 14195, 18130, 21295, 24950, 28460 KHz Digi 7035, 10140, 14070, 14082, 18100, 21070, 21082 KHz QSL via HL5FUA. Log search and propagation forecast can be found at www.dxpedition.co.kr [TNX HL5FUA]
- 9A Special callsign 9A16PB will be in use between 28 May and 13 June to celebrate the visit of Pope Benedict XVI to Croatia (4-5 June).
 QSL via 9A2MF. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- CN Richard, F8FGU will be active as CN2RN from the Middle Atlas range between 31 May and 20 June. He will operate SSB and CW on the HF bands. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX F8REF]
- CT7 CT1EJB and CT2JYX will be active as CR5WFF from Tejo International Nature Park on 28-29 May. QSL via CT1EJB. [TNX CR5WFF]
- E7 A team of eight operators from the Austrian Military Radio Society (www.amrs.at) will be active as E711AMRS from Bosnia-Herzegovina on 3-5 June. They will operate SSB, digital modes and some CW with three stations. QSL via OE4RGC, direct or bureau.
- E7 ARABiH, the Bosnia & Herzegovina Amateur Radio Association, will be represented in the IARU HF World Championship (9-10 July) by twelve stations signing E7HQ. QSL via E77E. Information on the awards issued for working E7HQ can be found on the Bosnia and Herzegovina Contest Club's web site (www.bhcc.ba). [TNX E77E]
- F Commemorating the 67th anniversary of D-Day special station TM6JUN will be active once again from Utah Beach on 1-15 June. Look for activity on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via F5SAZ. [TNX F8REF]
- F Special event callsign TM50JPL ("Le jour le plus long") will be in use on 4-5 June from Rivedoux-Plage on Re Island (EU-032), one of the locations where "The Longest Day", the famous war film about the events of D-Day, was shot fifty years ago. QSL via F8FZC. [TNX F8REF]
- FP Paul, K9OT and Peg, KB9LIE will be active as FP/K9OT from Miquelon Island (NA-032) from 21 July to 4 August, including participation in the IOTA Contest. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres, with 40, 30, 20 and 17m as main bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Their website is at www.hamradio.pnpfarms.com [TNX NG3K]
- FS John, K9EL will be active as FS/K9EL from Saint Martin (NA-105) on 7-19 June. He will operate CW, SSB and some RTTY on 80-6 metres.

- QSL via home call and LoTW. He might also do some 6m operation from PJ7. [TNX K9EL]
- GM Simon M0VKY, Brian G0JKY, Drew G7DMO and Graham 2E0VPT will be active as MS0RSD from the Isle of Skye (EU-008) on 4-11 June. They will operate SSB and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL via M0URX, direct and bureau. More information at dadarsdxpedisleofskye.webs.com
- HL The Korea Contest Club will be active as D9K from the Ch'uja Islands (AS-084) on 4-6 June. Plans are to perate CW, SSB and RTTY on all the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via operator's instructions.
- HL A group of operators from the GyeongNam DX Club (namely 6K5AQY, 6K5AYC, 6K5BHZ, HL5BMX, HL2FDW, DS4NMJ, HL2DYS and HL2UVH) will be active as 6M0W/5 from Kadok Island (AS-081) on 4-7 June. QSL via HL5BMX. [TNX DX World]
- Bert, 7Z1IR (DK6IR) and Hamdi, 7Z1TT plan to be active as 7Z1IR/p and 7Z1TT/p from Marzok Island (claimed to qualify for IOTA group AS-191, new one) on 3-5 June. They hope to have two stations active on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 and maybe 40 metres. QSL via DK6IR. [TNX islandchaser.com]
- I Paolo, IK2MLS will be active as IA5/IK2MLS from Elba Island (EU-028) from 27 June to 2 July. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres. [TNX IK2MLS]
- Freddy J28RO and Darko J28AA will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as J25DXA, with special antennas for the low bands. Outside the contest, this special callsign will be used by Marek J28WR and Mohamed J28AP on SSB. Vincent J28JV will join the teams in his spare time. Look for activity on 27-30 May. QSL via F8DFP, direct (with IRCs) or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- PJ4 Ed W0SD, Edith W0OE and Peter PJ4NX will be active as PJ4E from Bonaire (SA-006) on 4-19 June. Although there will be some HF operation (mainly RTTY), this activity will be focussed on 6 metres (50103 kHz). QSL via W0SD. [TNX DX World]
- SV SV2FPU and others will be active as J48O from Kastri lighthouse on Othonoi Island (EU-052) on 17-25 June. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-10 metres and a focus on 6m (50093 kHz CW and 50143 kHz SSB). QSL via SV2FPU. [TNX SV2FPU]
- SV Vanni, IK4RUX will be active as SV8/IK4RUX from Zakynthos Island (EU-052) on 4-14 July. He will operate SSB on 80-10 metres, with possible activities from lighthouses and other islands in that area. QSL via IK4RUX, direct or bureau. [TNX IK4RUX]
- T8 Taka JF1BVG (T88ZA), Toshi JP1IOF (T80T) and Toshi JE1SYN (T8YN) will be active from Palau on 24-27 June. They plan to have two stations active on 80-6 metres SSB, CW, FM, RTTY, and PSK31. QSL via home calls. [TNX JE1SYN]
- VE Look for Klaus, DK6AO to be active as VE7/DK6AO from Quadra Island (NA-091) between 30 May and 7 June. QSL via DK6AO, direct or bureau. Updates will be posted to www.dk6ao.de [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- VK9C Wally, VK6YS will be active as VK9CI from Cocos (Keeling) Island (OC-003) on 1-7 June. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres, mainly during his early morning and evening hours, with a focus on the digital modes (PSK31, some RTTY and "occasional play" on Olivia). QSL via VK6YS.
- VP5 Dave, W5CW will be active as VP5/W5CW until 14 June. Look for him to operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres. He will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest and the ARRL VHF QSO Party (11-12 June) as VP5CW. QSL direct to home call. [TNX NG3K]
- VP9 Doug, KF4VTT will be active as KF4VTT/VP9 from Bermuda (NA-005) on 10-17 June. He will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and possibly PSK31 on

- 160-6 metres when time permits. He also hopes to be active on 6m during the ARRL VHF QSO Party. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX KF4VTT]
- W Swen, DF2MM will be active as W4/DF2MM from Santa Rosa Island (NA-142) between 18 July and 25 August. He will operate holiday style and will participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DL2VFR]
- ZD8 Gerd DJ4KW, Werner DJ9KH, Wolf DK1IP, Arno DL1CW and Rainer DL7OR will be active as ZD8D from Ascension Island (AF-003) from 24 July to 9 August, IOTA Contest included. They plan to be QRV on 160-6 metres with two stations, mainly on digital modes and CW, with some SSB. QSL via DL9HO. They have a website at www.zd8d.de [TNX DJ9KH]

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CQ WW WPX CW CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (28-29 May):

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maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxc2011.html - good contest to you all!

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(SA-031 and SA-097), CE9/VE3LYC (SA-031 and SA-097), CO6CAC, CO6WR, CW5R, CW5W, D2SB, D2SG, DU1/JJ5GMJ, DU1IST, E21EJC, E51CG, E7DX, EA6AZ, EA6BH, EA6LP, EA9EU, EA9PY, ED9M, EK7DX, ER1DA, ER3ZZ, ES1TU, EU3AR, EX2A, FG5DH, FG5FR, FG5GP, FO8RZ, FP/W6HGF, FP5BZ, GB10GKA, GJ0KYZ, GJ4CBQ, H40AA, H44MS, HC2AQ, HD2M, HH4/AF4Z, HK3JJH, HK6K, HP3AK, HP3HK, HS0ZCW, J6/W7ZT, J69MV, J79AN, J79FF, JT5DX, JY5HX, K6VVA/6 (NA-184), K8LEE/CY0, KG4WV, KP2/EB7DX, LA6Q (EU-079), LY21A, N0TG/CY0, N1NSB/CY0, NH0J, OA4TT, OD5TE, OY1CT, OY6FRA, P29NI (OC-257), PJ2/DL6LAU, PJ2/K2TQC, PJ2T, PJ4/EA1PP, PJ4A, PJ4I, PJ4LS, PJ6/G4IUF, PJ6A, PJ7/K2GSJ, PJ7DX, PR2R (SA-024), PY2XB/1, R1ANH, R1IJF, R11ANC, R11FJ, S9DX, SV2ASP/A, SV9/OZ7YY, SV9CVY, T30AQ, T30RH, T32BB, T32TV, TC3WFF, TJ3AY, TJ3FC, TT8DX, TT8FC, UK8FF, UK8OM, UN7QX, US0FF, V31TF, V31TP, V44KAI, V47KP, V48M, V51KC, V55DLH, V63TR, V73E,

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3D2_r The 17-24 June 3D2CJ activity from Rotuma [425DXN 1047] has been postponed until September. Apparently HL5FUA and 6K2GCW will be joining forces with other operators. Check www.dxpedition.co.kr for updates
- 4J Mac, JA3USA will be active as 4JA3USA from Azerbaijan on 6-10 June. QSL via home call. [TNX 4J5T]
- 9A Csaba, DH7KU will be active as 9A/DH7KU from Pag Island (EU-170) on 12-22 June. He will operate holiday style on 40 and 20 metres CW. QSL via home call. [TNX DH7KU]
- DL Pavel, RU5A and Jurek, SP5VYI will be active as DL/RU5A and DL/SP5VYI from Usedom Island (EU-129) on 10 June. QSL via home calls. [TNX RU5A]
- GW The Strumblehead DX & Contest Group will once again be active from Ramsey Island (EU-124) using the club call MC0SHL on 9-13 June. They will operate SSB and RTTY with three stations on 80-6 metres, and will take part in the WFF Green Day on 11-12 June. QSL via M0URX. Further information can be found at www.mc0shl.com [TNX G1VDP]
- HL The 4-6 June D9K expedition to Ch'uja Island (AS-084) [425DXN 1047] has been cancelled. Instead DS1OYR, DS4NYE, HL1OYF, HL1VAU and possibily others will be active as either homecalls/3 and D9K from Anmyon Island (AS-080). QSL D9K via DS4NYE, others via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HZ The 3-5 June 7Z1IR & 7Z1TT operation from Marzok Island (AS-191) [425DXN 1047] has been postponed until possibly sometime next week.
- I ARI Milano will participate in the Museum Ships Weekend (4-5 June) as II2IGTO (submarine "Toti") and II2EBE (training ship "Ebe") from the National Museum of Science and Technology. Look for activity on 80-10 metres (plus possibly 6m) CW and SSB. QSL via IQ2MI, bureau preferred.
- Gianni, I1UWF will be active as I1UWF/p from the lighthouse at Capo dell'Arma (WAIL LI-001, ARLHS ITA-013) on 11 June in the morning. He will operate on 40 and 20 metres SSB and RTTY (14270, 14080, 7080 kHz). [TNX I1UWF]
- 8J1MORSE is a special memorial station that commemorates the 220th anniversary of the birth of Samuel Morse and the 110th anniversary of the first successful Morse Code communication across the Atlantic Ocean by Guglielmo Marconi. 8J1MORSE will be operated until 30 November by members of A1 Club Japan from the various Japanese call areas (8J1MORSE/2, 8J1MORSE/3, etc). All of the QSOs will be confimed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards should be sent to 8J1MORSE, 1-14-1-11-B Yoshino, Higashi-ku, Nagoya,

- 461-0027, Japan. Further information, including details on the relevant awards (free of charge) at http://8j1morse.a1tokai.net/
- JW Roar, LA1EOA will operate SSB as JW1EOA from Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard on 10-15 June. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- LU Look for LU1EEZ/D, LU2JFC/D, LU7CAW/D and LU9ACJ/D to be active from Martin Garcia Island (SA-055) and lighthouse on 4-5 June. They will be QRV on 80, 40, 10 and 2 metres. [TNX F5NQL]
- PA Look for Alex, DL1KD to be active as PA/DL1KD from Texel Island (EU-038) on 6-20 June. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- SP Look for SO5UM/1, SP5BUJ/1, SP5VYI/1, SP5X/1, SQ5AWR/1 and SQ5Q/1 to be active from Wolin Island (EU-132) on 8-13 June. They will operate SSB, CW and some digital modes with two or three stations. On 11-12 June they will be signing SN0WFF for the WFF Green Day. QSL SO5UM/1 via RU5A, QSL SN0WFF via SP5X, others via home call. [TNX RU5A]
- TA Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Turkish Air Force, the TC Special Wireless Activity Team will operate as TC100HKK from the Air Force Command (Hava Kuvvetleri Komutanligi) until 6 June. The first ten direct QSL cards will get the special First Day Cover stamp. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- UR The Bila Tserkva Radio Club will be active as EM0UBC from the Oleksandriia Dendrological Park on 9-12 June. QSL via UR4UXD. A free of charge certificate can be requested by e-mail (bcrc[@]ukr.net). [TNX UR7UD]
- VP2M John, KB4CRT will be active on 40-2 metres as VP2MRT from Montserrat (NA-103) on 8-18 June, ARRL VHF QSO Party included. QSL direct to KB4CRT, or via LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- YN Look for W5MJ (YN2MJ) and W5PR (YN2PR) to be active from Nicaragua on 9-13 June. YN2MJ will be QRV mostly on 160 and 80 metres with an emphasis on Europe, while YN2PR will be be QRV on 6 metres, ARRL VHF QSO Party included. [TNX The Daily DX]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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ET3AA ---> "On 30 May 2011 the reopening of the club station of EARS, our Ethiopian member society took place. Professor Doctor Heiko Schroeder, Head of the Technical Faculty of the University of Addis Ababa and Hans Blondeel Timmerman, President of IARU Region 1 cut the ribbon. Donations from STARS and others helped to enable the revival of ET3AA. Led by Sid ET3SID the club installed their their shack and built antennas on top of the roof of the Technical Faculty of the University of Addis Ababa". The full story is available on the IARU Region 1 website (www.iaru-r1.org).

MUSEUM SHIPS WEEKEND ---> Sponsored by the Battleship New Jersey Amateur Radio Station (NJ2BB), this year's Museum Ships Weekend will be held from 00.00 UTC on 4 June until 23.59 UTC on the 5th. Information on the event, including the relevant certificate and the listing of participating ships, can be found at www.nj2bb.org

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

SEANET CONTEST & CONVENTION ---> This year's SEANET Contest will take place on 4-5 June (24 hours). The results will be announced at the 39th SEANET Convention, to be held in Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei Darussalam on 17-20 November. Full information on the Contest and the convention can be found at www.seanet2011.com

SOUTH SUDAN DXCC STATUS ---> By Martti Laine, OH2BH: "With great anticipation, DXers the world over are looking forward to the 9th of July

this year as the predicted day of South Sudan's declaration of

independence. Indeed, that declaration is set to happen, but it will not yet guarantee the birth of a new DXCC entity, at least at that time. The DXCC rules are written in such a way that only a new country's membership in the United Nations and/or its ITU country prefix will result in the anticipated DXCC counter. The U.S. State Department Geographer's list of Dependencies and Areas of Special Sovereignty obviously does not apply in

The opinion from the ARRL is that no exceptions will be made in this case.

They state that the event date - i.e. declaration of independence - will not cause potential QSOs to be counted retroactively. Rather, Newington categorically assumes that U.N. membership, which will most likely come first, followed by the release of an ITU prefix by the U.N. telecommunications agency, will lead to country status.

The prospect of a new country has taken an unexpected turn just recently.

The country's borderline has never been settled between North and South Sudan in the area (Abyei) where most of the oil reserves are located. It was agreed under the 2005 Peace Agreement that the border issue will be resolved by the people in that province. A referendum to settle the matter has not happened. Instead, the North (ST2) has entered the disputed province with force. Additionally, the North has stated that they will not support an independent State in the south unless the contested region is

theirs. The matter now remains totally in limbo

(http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-13560829).

While the amateur radio project announced earlier this year by 5Z4DZ, ST2AR, W3UR and OH2BH is well underway, it is not yet reasonable to swing your antennas toward South Sudan, as we speak. The project has two

well-known DXers now permanently based in South Sudan: SM7PKK and

YI1DZ/ST2DZ. The knowledge and the professional presence are in place to proceed with an immediate activation as soon as the above country status matters are resolved. More news to follow". [TNX OH2BN]

WORLD CASTLES WEEKEND ---> Organized by the World Castles Activity Group, it will be held on 25-26 June. Several stations are expected to operate from fortresses and castles in Belarus, Belgium, Croatia, Czech

France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Romania,

Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, The Netherlands, Ukraine and the United Kingdom. Information on the event can be found at www.wcagroup.org [TNX RN1CW]

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3D2_r A large multi-national team will be active from Rotuma Island (OC-060) in late September-early October. "Hrane Milosevic, YT1AD has recently visited Fiji and has obtained the license of 3D2R and a landing permit. We have received the Rotuma Island Council's official approval as well as from the Prime Minister's Office. The team of 19 operators will meet in Fiji on 24 September and sail to Rotuma with an arrival slated for the 27th. We will be active on all bands and modes from 27 September to 7 October. We will focus on the low bands at this time of the year and will make every effort to satisfy the needs of EU operators. At this time, we are seeking Foundation, Club and Individual Sponsors to help us defray the costs of carrying out this DXpedition". QSL via YT1AD. The website for the expedition is at www.yt1ad.info/3d2r/index.html [TNX N6PSE]
- BY A group of eight operators will be active as BY4QA/5 from Tantou Shan Island (AS-137) from 30 June to 3 July. They will operate mainly SSB with some CW on the HF bands. QSL via BD4QK, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- BY A large team of operators will be active as BY1RX/4 from Furong Island (AS-160) on 2-9 July. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres with four stations. QSL via BA4TB. More information at http://www.qrz.cn/as160 [TNX BA7JS]
- C2 NJ7N, NL8F, VK4AN, VK4FW and two more operators will be active as C21AA from Nauru (OC-031) from 10 November to 6 December. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres, with three complete stations on the HF bands as well as a dedicated 6m station. QSL via VK4FW direct, bureau or through OQRS (instructions at www.vk4fw.com/oqrs.php). The website for the expedition can be found at http://c21.pacific-dxers.com/C21AA.html
- C6 N5KM and N4BP will be active as C6A/N5KM and C6AKQ with two stations from Freeport, Grand Bahama (NA-080) until 13 June, including an entry in the ARRL June VHF Contest as C6AKQ (QSL via N4BP). Outside the contest they operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres.
- DL Hans, DL2RU will be active as DL2RU/p from Usedom Island (EU-129) on 12-17 June. He also plan to visit Ruden Island (EU-057) for one day. Look for him around 7028, 10122, 14040/14044 and 18086 kHz.
 QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- GM Bob, G0BUX will be active as GM0BUX/p from North Uist (EU-010) on 12-17 June. He will operate SSB, CW and PSK31 on the HF bands, but will also participate in the Practical Wireless 144 MHz QRP Contest on 12 June (www.pwcontest.org.uk). QSL via G0BUX. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

- GU The PA6Z Contest and DX Team will be active as MU/PA6Z from Guernsey (EU-114) on 23-30 October, including a Multi-Multi entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. They will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres with up to seven stations. QSL via PA9M, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.pa6z.nl/guernsey_2011 [TNX PD9DX]
- HB0 DG1SFJ, DJ8KI, DL4ML and DL4MP will be active as HB0/homecall from Liechtenstein on 18-21 June. They will be QRV on 80-2 metres SSB,
 CW, RTTY and PSk31. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]
- Special station II3NKE will be active on 18-19 June from the premises of the former Nike Hercules Missile NATO Base "Tuono" at Passo Coe, near Folgaria. QSL via IN3SJG, direct or bureau.
- I Giovanni, IK5BCM and Valeriano, IK5ABG will be active as IF9/IK5BCM and IF9/IK5ABG from Favignana Island (EU-054) on 2-9 July. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL for both callsigns via IK5BCM, direct or bureau. [TNX I5NXH]
- I Alex, IK8YFU will be active as ID9/IK8YFU from Stromboli Island (EU-017) on 23-30 July. He plans to be QRV on 40-10m as well as on 6m. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX IK8YFU]
- KH0 Tony, JA6CNL will be active as KH0N from Saipan (OC-086), Northern Marianas on 17-21 June. He will participate in the All Asian CW DX Contest, with a focus on 80, 30, 17 and 12 metres CW outside the contest. QSL via JA6CNL. [TNX The Daily DX]
- OJO This coming Saturday (11 June) Martti OH2BH, Pertti OH2PM and Pekka OH2TA will land on Market Reef (EU-053) for three days to finalize the semi-permanent antenna installation and to test the new power plant. They will have two stations active as OJ0B primarily for 30, 17 and 20metres CW and SSB. It is also expected that one of the lighthouse keepers, Harri OH6VM/OH0VM will follow the group for another week with the beam. OJ0B QSL via OH2BH. [TNX OH2BN]
- OZ Jakob, OZ7AEI (www.oz7aei.dk) will be active as OZ7AEI/p from the lighthouse on Fur Island (EU-171) on 11-12 June. Look for him on 40 and 20 metres SSB. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- PA The PG6N team will be active from Noordwijk Lighthouse (ARLHS NET-019) on 11-18 June. They will be QRV on the HF bands as well as on 6 and 2 metres. QSL via PA7DA (bureau preferred). [TNX The Golist]
- PY0F Marcelo, PY2FN will be active as PY0FO from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) on 2-9 July. He will operate CW only on 160-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. He has a website at www.py0fo.com.br [TNX QRZ DX]
- SM Bernd, DL8AAV will be active as SD1B/5 from Aspoja Island (EU-177) from 19 June to 1 July. QSL via DL8AAV, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- T8 Nao, JK1FNL says he will be active again as T88NA from Palau on 18-20 June. QSL via home call.
- TK Marco, IW2IGA and Sebastiano, IK2WZM will be active as TK/IW2IGA and TK/IK2WZM from Corsica (EU-014) on 18-25 June. They will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IW2IGA]
- V2 David K9UK (V25DD), David W9DR (V25DR) and Thomas W9AEB (V25TP) will be active holiday style from Antigua (NA-100) on 14-28 June. Look for V25DR to concentrate on 6 metres SSB and CW, while V25DD and V25TP will operate SSB, CW and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. They have a website at www.6meterdxgroup.com/Antigua_DXpedition.html; QSL via home calls.

- VK Aki, JA1NLX will be active as JA1NLX/VK4 from Lizard Island (OC-187) in 19-23 August. He will be QRV on 40-10 metres CW (7015, 10115, 14040, 18095, 21040, 24920 and 28040 kHz) and SSB (14260, 18128, 21260, 24950 and 28460). QSL via home call (all of the QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau and LoTW). He has a blog at http://ja1nlx-aki.blogspot.com/ [TNX JA1NLX]
- W Howie, K1VSJ will be active from his QTH on Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) from 16 June until 5 September. He plans to be QRV during the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W Look for Todd, N4LA (www.n4la.com) to be active from Bogue Banks (NA-112) on 19-25 June. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres SSB. QSL direct only, or LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- ZD7 Nigel, G3TXF plans to be active as ZD7XF from the QTH of Barrie, ZD7MY on St Helena (AF-022) between 22 and 30 June. He will operate CW only mainly on the HF bands, but he will also be taking antennas for 80 and 160 metres as well as for 6m. There will not be any Internet access in the shack; logs will be uploaded to both LoTW and ClubLog whenever practical. QSL via G3TXF. The webpage for this activity is at http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/ZD7XF/ZD7.html

CHANNEL ISLANDS ---> MJ/EA1AP and MJ/EA1SA from Jersey (EU-013) on 12-17 June, and as MU/EA1AP and MU/EA1SA from Guernsey (EU-114) on 17-21 June. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-6 metres, and will participate in the IARU 50 MHz Contest from Guernsey. QSL via home calls. The website for the operation is at www.gdgdxc.net/channel_islands/

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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DXCC NEWS ---> TJ9PF (Cameroon, 2011 operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. Special note: "We have been notified that the TJ9PF QSL labels have been printed with the year 2001 instead of 2011. This is a known software bug that has been fixed. Regardless, we do not believe the integrity of the TJ9PF logs or operation are affected by this printing error. Also, the TJ9PF logs have now been uploaded to LoTW, providing a primary source of QSO confirmations. We will add instructions to the DXCC system internally to note this operation's correct year. No one wants to promote the wasting of resources to reprint labels or cards, or to require resending of cards to fix an error which has little effect on the program. DXCC will accept TJ9PF QSLs showing the date as 2001". [TNX NC1L]

DXCC NEWS ---> VK0KEV (Macquarie Island, 2011 operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. "If you've had this operation rejected in a recent application please send a note to dxcc[@]arrl.org. You can verify the update to your record either by checking your LoTW account, or, you'll see a change in the live daily listing on the DXCC web site". [TNX NC1L]

J48O ---> The website for the 17-25 June operation from Othonoi Island (EU-052) [425DXN 1047] can be found at www.j48o.com

MARKET REEF ---> "A group of Finnish DXers have agreed with the Finnish Lighthouse Society (FLS), the folks currently operating and renovating the Market Reef lighthouse, that a permanent SteppIR beam can remain on the roof of the building and can be used by visiting DX groups at the cost of modest compensation to the FLS. New services also include a large generator/battery plant able to supply 3x 230 VAC 10A each (6KW) on a 24/7 basis for visiting groups. In spite of inclement weather with icy storms, the SteppIR beam survived another winter season (2010/2011), and you can see its location by looking up the daily diary of the lighthouse for April 25, 2011 at

www.majakkaseura.fi

FLS encourage radio visits to Market Reef from Aland Islands. If you plan to make a trip of your life as a small group and get into instant pileups, please contact the Finnish Lighthouse Society (info[@]majakkaseura.fi) for more details". [TNX OH2BN]

QSL ZL8X ---> The last 1,000 envelopes have been mailed, and all of the direct requests (through OQRS or by mail) have been processed. So "if you don't have your QSL card in your mail in 10 to 15 days", DL1MGB reported on

7 June, "please contact us via our contact form on our website

(www.kermadec.de). We already started with processing all bureau requests which were received through our Online QSL Request System. They will be sent via bureau around end of June". A photo book containing 140 pictures "from the beginning of the adventure till the last sunset" can be purchased on the website.

SOUTH SUDAN ---> The Intrepid-DX Group and the DX Friends/Tifariti Gang

(www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011)continue to move forward with their plans to activate Southern Sudan. "We have held several successful meetings with representatives of the Government of Southern Sudan", they say in their Press Release #3 dated 6 June. "We have been issued an amateur radio license for the purpose of this DXpedition. The Government of South Sudan is very supportive of our plans to visit Juba and to help them celebrate the birth of their new country.

The Government of South Sudan will declare their independence from Sudan on July 9th, 2011. They have applied to the UN for admission as a member state. The UN General Assembly and Security Council will vote on the matter in the weeks following the declaration of independence.

While there have been attacks and fighting in the disputed border region of Abyei, these issues are not expected to derail the emergence of this new country.

We plan to be in the new capital of Juba and to be ready to start our DXpedition upon admission by the UN.

We will have 18 operators operating

24X7 on seven active stations.

At this time, we are seeking Foundation, Club and Individual Sponsors to help us defray the costs of carrying out this DXpedition". [TNX N6PSE]

+ SILENT KEYS + Alexey A. Voronkin (UR5EDU) lost his life on 8 June,

+ when

he fell from his tower while trying to fix the antenna. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Kurt Klement (HS0ZIE/SM7WGP), Jack L. Sheldon (KG7X), Sergei P. Velikanov (RX6CU), Vladimir E. Pakhorukov (UA9YC), Terry Young (VP6TY), Guy J. Shields (W4GBU), Russell W. Shepherd, Jr. (W4SKW) and John W. Lynch (WA3G).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A/F8ATS, 3D2A, 4A0IARU, 4A4A, 4L1MA, 4O3A, 4S7BRG, 4Z20HC, 4Z5RT, 5B4AIF, 5H0RS, 5H1HS, 5H1Z, 5K3W, 5M2TT, 5R8HL, 5X1NH, 7X2BK, 7X4AN, 7Z1TT, 9H4JX, 9L0W, 9M2CQC/p (AS-072), 9N7AN, 9N7DX, 9N7JO, 9Q50ON, 9V1DR, 9V1YC, 9Y4D, A25AN, A25HQ, A41KJ, A41OO, A45XR, A61BK, A65CA, A71BU, A92GR, AH0/AB2RF, AP2MB, B7P/7 (AS-131),

BD2BT, BH7PAZ, C37NL, C4N, C56FR, CE2/CX1EK, CE9/PA3EXX (SA-031 and

SA-097), CE9/VE3LYC (SA-031 and SA-097), CO6CAC, CO6WR, CW3TD, CW5R, CW5W, CX5CR, D2SG, DU1IST, E21EJC, E74A, E77AW, EA6BH, EA6LP, EA9EU, EA9PY, ED9M, EK7DX, ER3MM, ES3AX, EX2F, FM5BH, FP5BZ, GJ4CBQ, HA25NAR, HC2A, HC2AQ, HH4/AF4Z, HK6K, HP1/IQ6CC, HS0ZCW, HV4NAC, IS0HQJ, J28RO, J38A, J5NAR,

J5NAR/p (AF-093), J79AN, J7A, J88DR, JT1CS, JT5DX, JX9NOA, K6VVA/6,

K8LEE/CY0, KF6ZWD/HC2, KG4WV, KH0PR, KH7X, KH8/AI5P, LA6Q, LY21A, N0TG/CY0, N1SNB/CY0, NH0J, OA4/DL5YWM, OA4TT, OE11M, OH0I, OH6MM, OM3SX, OY/SP6IXF, OY1CT, P29NI (OC-257), P29TL, PJ2/DL6LAU, PJ2/K6AM, PJ2MI, PJ2T, PJ4/K4IQJ, PJ4/PG4M, PJ4LS, PJ7/K7GSJ, PJ7DX, PJ7MF, R1ANH, RI1ANC, RI1FJ, RK50G,

S51V, S9DX, SU1SK, SV2ASP/A, SV5/IK2WZD,

T30AQ, T32TV, T6JC, T88AA,

TC3WFF, TE6U (NA-155), TE8CH (NA-116), TE8CI (NA-117), TG9AHM, TI5KD, TJ3AY, TJ3FC, TJ9PF,

TK5MH, TT8DX, UA3BS, UK8FF, UK8GKW, UK8LBZ, UK8QQ, UK8VA, V31TP, V51KC, V55DLH, V63JY, V85/9M6XRO, V73NJ, V73NS, V85SS, V85TL, VK9C/G6AY, VP2MMM, VP5/NY6X, VP5/W5CW, VP8DMH, VP9/AA1AC, VP9/W6PH, VQ51V, VR2UW, VR2XMT, VU2PAI, VU4PB, VY0X, XR0ZA, XV2RZ, YB1TJ, YI1RZ, YI9NS, Z21BB, ZA3HA, ZB3R, ZD7FT, ZD9AH, ZD9T, ZL8X, ZM1A, ZS2DL, ZS6X, ZS8M.

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 9A Massimo, IZ5LDD will be active as 9A/IZ5LDD from Losinj (EU-136) on 19-27 June. He will operate SSB and digital modes. QSL direct to home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- 9M8 Members of the Amateur Radio Club Sarawak, 9M8RC expect to be active from IOTA group OC-165 on 25-26 June. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 80-10 metres. [TNX 9W8WAT]
- EA6 EA3GLB, EA3NY, EA3QS and EA6SB will be active as EH6CI from Cabrera Island, Balearic Islands (EU-004) on 17-19 June. QSL via EA5KB (direct) or EA3NY (bureau).
- EI Martin G3ZAY, Dominic M0BLF and Tom M0TOC will be active as EJ/homecalls from the Aran Islands (EU-006) on 24-26 June, and from Inishbofin Island (EU-121) on 27-28 June. They will operate SSB and CW on the HF bands, but thwy will also check 6 metres. QSL to the operator's home call, direct or via bureau. [TNX G3ZAY]
- FS John, K9EL will be active as FS/K9EL from Saint Martin (NA-105) between 20 June and 3 July. "The first week will be limited due to family vacation, but the second week will be devoted to operating", he says. He will operate CW, SSB and some RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call and LoTW. He might also do some 6m operation from PJ7 "depending on demand and conditions". [TNX K9EL]
- GJ Members of the Bristol Contest Group will be active as GJ6YB/p from Jersey (EU-013) on 17-19 June. This is inteded to be a 6m expedition, including participation in the IARU 50MHz Contest. QSL via G3SWH. [TNX NG3K]
- GM G0HIK, G3IZD, G3VUS and G7MRL will be active as GM0HIK (on 50, 70, 144 and 432 MHz) and GM3IZD (on the HF bands) from Islay (EU-008) from 25 June to 1 July. QSL via G0HIK and G3IZD respectively. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- Franco, IK4YCQ will be active holiday style as IH9/IK4YCQ from Pantelleria Island (AF-018) on 18-23 June. He will operate SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX IK4YCQ]
- J6 Howard, WB4WXE will be active as J68HS from St. Lucia (NA-108) from 25 June to 15 July. He will concentrate on 6 metres and, when that band is quiet, on 12, 17, 40 and 160 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH0 Look for AH0CE (JE3NRO), KH0/KC2ZSG (JA3AQW), KH0K (JE4SMQ), KH0UY (JO3FRH), KH0XD (JO3RKP) and WH0/WU2K (JA3TMM) to be active from Saipan (OC-086) on 24-26 June. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-6 metres. QSL via their JA home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- PJ7 W6JKV and K6MYC will be active as PJ76 (on 6 metres) and PJ7EME (on 2 and 6m EME) from Sint Maarten from 24 June to 4 July. [TNX

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- SV Special callsign SX0A will be in use between 25 June and 4 July for the Special Olympics World Summer Games to be held in Athens. Special Olympics is an international organization dedicated to empowering individuals with intellectual disabilities to become physically fit, productive and respected members of society through sports training and competition. QSL via SV2GWY. Further information on this operating event can be found at http://sx0a.blogspot.com/
- Eric, K9GY will be active as T6MO from Afghanistan "for a year at least". He is QRV during his spare time (according to The Daily DX, likely times could be 01.30-04.30 UTC, 06.30-08.30 UTC and 11.30-17.30 UTC) on 40-10 metres. No 30m operation is allowed. QSL via K9GY (direct) and LoTW.
- VE For the fourth year in a row, Sarah, NQ6K expects to be working on Devon Island (NA-009, VY0) for the Haughton Mars Project, and this time she intends being active on the HF bands from there. The field season is likely to run "from sometime around late June/early July through early to mid August", with amateur radio operations during a "roughly 2 week period". Updates are expected to be posted to http://findatlantis.com/wiki/index.php/Devon_Island_2011_DXpedition [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W Look for Yigal, K2EFG to be active portable from Fire Island (NA-026) on 18-23 June. He will be QRV on 40 and 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The May 2011 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

DAYTON PHOTO GALLERY ---> The Dayton Hamvention 2011 Photo Gallery (254 pictures collected by Tom, K8CX) can be found at http://hamgallery.com/dayton2011/.This is the 15th year for the Dayton Photo Galleries. You may submit your own Dayton photos to be included in this gallery (read the guidelines listed on the top of the page). [TNX K8CX]

- + SILENT KEYS + Pierre Pasteur (HB9QQ) passed away on 11 June at 80
- + years

of age. "Pierre was a multi-faceted Ham who was not only a seasoned DXer", Peter HB9PL says, "but a highly regarded expert in VHF/UHF work and the 'magic band'. He was author of numerous technical papers and a book about VHF/UHF operating modes and techniques. Unforgettable were his VHF and EME expeditions to HB0, 8Q7, V51". Other recently reported Silent Keys include Dennis C. Morris (K4ZJ), Merlin D. Anderson (K8EFS), Mikhail A. Kudryashov (RA4CQ), Sergey K. Rostenko (RJ3AR), Douglas E. Westover (W6JD), Colin Hall

(ZL3AFZ) and R. L. Pluck (ZL3PD).

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******** QSL ROUTES ******

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 3D2 Dmitrij, RW6AML will be active as 3D2ML from Waya Island (OC-156), Fiji on 6-17 July. He will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home call.
- Georg DK7LX, Wolf DL4WK, Sigi DL7DF, Frank DL7UFR, Jan SP3CYY and Leszek SP3DOI will be active as 3XY1D from Guinea between 18 October and 1 November. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV on 160-6 metres with several stations, one of them dedicated exclusively to the digital modes. QSL via DL7DF, direct or bureau. Further information at www.dl7df.com [TNX NG3K]
- Malcolm, GM3TAL will take part in the Scottish Scouts "New Horizons" expedition to Malawi (1-25 July), and plans to be active as 7Q7MH from the Malawi National Scout Campsite at Makwawa. Look for activity on 20, 17, 15, 10 and possibly 6 metres, using CW and SSB. QSL via G0IAS (direct only). The website for the expedition is at www.7q7mh.org
- 9A Dante, IK5ASN will be active as 9A8ASN from the island of Cres (EU-136) on 12-30 July. He will be QRV on 20 and 40 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX IZ5FSA]
- 9M8 The 25-26 June 9M8RC operation from Talang Talang Besar (OC-165) has been postponed until 2-3 July. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- BY Ma, BD4JWU will be active as BD4JWU/4 from Chang Island (AS-146) on 29-31 July. Look for activity on 80-10 metres CW (plus possibly 6m). QSL via home call. [TNX BD4JWU]
- CT8 Angelo DM1AC, Carsten DM1CG and Joachim DL9MS will be active as CR2EME from Sao Miguel (EU-003), Azores from 29 June to 5 July. Activity will be on the HF bands, 6m ES and as well 2m EME/TEP. QSL via DL9MS. [TNX VA3RJ]
- EA6 Michael, DL4ABO will be active holiday style as EA6/DL4ABO from Mallorca (EU-004), Balearic Islands on 1-5 July. He will operate CW only (QRP) on 20 and 17 metres in his late evening hours. QSL via home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- ES Frank, DL1FT (www.dl1ft.de) will be active as ES0FTZ from Saaremaa Island (EU-034) on 3-9 July. He will operate holiday style on 80-20 metres SSB and PSK31. QSL via DL1FT. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- F F0GHK, F1SRC, F4EHM, F4FFZ, F4FHZ, F5CBQ and F6DZD will be active as TM2BI from Belle-Ile-en-Mer (EU-048) from 28 July to 2 August. They will be QRV on 80-2 metres and will participate in the IOTA
- Contest. QSL via F6KPQ. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX] FO_mar F05QB and a large group of operators from Russia and Ukraine will

be active from Tahiti (French Polynesia) and Nuku Hiva (Marquesas Islands) as follows:

16-19 October TX3T Tahiti (OC-046)

19 October-1 November TX7M Nuku Hiva (OC-027)

CQ WW DX SSB TX5A Nuku Hiva (OC-027)

1-4 November TX3T Tahiti (OC-046)

They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 180-10 metres with four stations at the same time on different bands/modes. QSL via RZ3EC (bureau cards can be requested online) and LoTW. Further information (including log search, band plan, and band/mode survey) can be found at www.tx7m.com [TNX RZ3EM]

- GM Kevin, 2E0LSR and Julian, 2E0DJR will be active as 2M0LSR/m from the Isle of Skye (EU-008) on 1 July, and as 2M0LSR/A from North Uist and as 2M0LSR/p from several other islands in the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) on 2-8 July. QSL via 2E0LSR, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- GU 2E0SQL, M0GEJ, M0PCB, M0TZO, M1BXF and MU6FER will be active as MP0HTJ from the island of Guernsey (EU-114) 28 July and 2 August, IOTA Contest included. QSL via M0TZO, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- Lucio, IK8EJN and other operators from ARI Termoli will be active as IL7A from the Tremiti Islands (EU-050) during July and August. QSL via IK8EJN. [TNX IK8EJN]
- J2 Jean-Francois, F4FUC will be active as J28UC from Djibouti starting in July for a couple of years. Activity will be on 40-10 meters using 100 watts, a vertical antenna and a dipole. QSL via home call.
- J7 Mike, VE2XB will be active as J79XB from Dominica (NA-101) starting on 6 July for a few weeks. He plans to be QRV on all bands, 6m included. QSL via home call. [TNX VE2XB]
- JA The following HQ stations representing JARL will be active from various regions of Japan for the IARU HF World Championship (9-10 July):

Call Band/Mode Location

8N1HQ 15m CW Kimitsu-shi, Chiba

8N1HQ 160m CW Minato-ku, Tokyo

8N1HQ 10m CW Minato-ku, Tokyo

8N2HQ 80m CW Nagoya-shi, Aichi

8N3HQ 40m CW Kobe-shi, Hyogo

8N3HQ 10m Ph Kobe-shi, Hyogo 8N3HQ 20m CW Miki-shi, Hyogo

8N4HQ 80m Ph Okayama-shi, Okayama

8N4HQ 40m Ph Okayama-shi, Okayama 8N4HQ 15m Ph Okayama-shi, Okayama

8N4HQ 15m Ph Okayama-shi, Okayama 8N8HQ 20m Ph Iwamizawa-shi, Hokkaido

All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the JARL bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

- KH8 Scott, W4PA and possibily others will be active as K8A from American Samoa on 17-28 November. The operation will focus on CW, digital modes and the low bands. K8A will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest, in either the SOAB, Multi-Single, or Multi-2 category, depending on the number of operators involved. QSL via W4PA, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.k8a2011.com [TNX NG3K]
- KL The first-time activation of IOTA group NA-242 [425DXN 1011] is on schedule. Rick, K6VVA and Mike K9AJ will be QRV for "at least three days" between 22 and 26 July. They plan to operate mainly CW on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres with two complete stations. QSL via

- N6AWD. Please visit www.k6vva.com/iota/na242/news.html for further information, including details on how contribute to this expensive project.
- KL The KL7RRC IOTA expedition to St. Matthew Island (NA-232), originally scheduled to take place bewteen 29 July and 5 August [425DXN 1045], has been postponed until 2012. See www.na-234.com/
- KL Chuck, KL7OH plans to operate from Sarichef Island (NA-152) between 1 and 15 August. He will run 100 watts into a Carolina Windom. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- LA LJ2T will be active again from the Signals Museum of the Norwegian Armed Forces near Lillehammer from 30 June to 3 July. Activity will be on all bands between 160m and 70cm using CW, SSB, FM and the digital modes. QSL via LA5EAA.
- OJO Max ON5UR, Marc ON8AK, Jelmer PA5R and Dervin PD9DX will be active as OJ0UR from Market Reef (EU-053) on 13-20 August. QSL via M0URX, direct or bureau (QSLling instructions at www.m0urx.com). The web pages for the expediton can be found at www.united-radio.be [TNX PD9DX]
- PA Members of the Belgium International Police Association Radio Club (ON4IPA) will be active as PA/ON4IPA from Texel Island (EU-038) on 2-8 July. They plan to operate OSK, RTTY and SSB with two stations. QSL via ON6ZV, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- PJ2 DJ8NK, DJ9ON and DK9KX will be active as PJ2/homecall from Curacao (SA-099) from 26 June to 7 July. They will concentrate on 6 metres (50144 kHz), but they will also operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres. [TNX NG3K]
- PY PY5BH, PY5DC, PY5DJ, PY5FO and PY5IN will participate in the IOTA Contest (30-31 July) as PR5D from Mel Island (SA-047). QSL direct to PY5DC. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PY PQ8OP and PQ8XB are the callsigns that Orlando, PT2OP and Fred, PY2XB will be using from the Bailique Archipelago (SA-045) during the second half of August [425DXN 1045]. QSL PQ8OP via PT2OP, QSL PQ8XB via PT7WA. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX PS7AB]
- SM Anders, SM5EFX will be active as SF2X/p Ledskar Island (EU-135) between 1 July and 1 August. Main activity will take place during the IOTA Contest (30-31 July). QSL via SM5EFX, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- SM Lars, SM6CUK will be active as SA6G/7 from Ven Island (EU-137) from 28 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX rsgbiota]
- SV Fred, DJ5RT will be active as SV3/DJ5RT/p from either Sapientza and Schiza (both count for IOTA group EU-158) between 25 June and 16 July. He will operate QRP SSB on 20 metres. QSL direct to home call. [TNX DXNL]
- SV Nick, SV1CEI will be active as SV1CEI/8/p from Kea Island (EU-067) in July and August. He will operate CW and some SSB, and be DRV holiday style on the HF bands, and on 6 and 2 metres if conditions allow. QSL via home call. [TNX SV1CEI]
- TF Oleksiy, VE2XAA will be active as TF/VE2XAA (QSL via home call) from Iceland on 6-11 July. He will participate in the IARU HF World Championship as TF4X (QSL via G3SWH). [TNX UT3UA]
- Salvador EA3QS, Antonello IT9YVO, Fabrizio IW3SQY, Giorgio IZ4AKS and Francesco IZ8GCE will be active as TY1KS from Benin on 6-15 August. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres with 2 stations. QSL via IZ8IYX, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.dxcoffee.com/ty1ks [TNX IZ4AKS]

- VE Special event station VY1T will be active from 29 June to 1 July for the Grand Opening of Aeradio Exhibit at the Teslin Historical and Museum Society in Teslin, Yukon. QSL via VY1EEN. [TNX The Golist]
- VE Dave, VO1LM will take part in the IOTA Contest (30-31 July) as VD1B from Bell Island (NA-198). Look for him on 40 and 20 metres SSB. QSL via home call (direct or bureau), LoTW and eQSL.
- VK Andrew, VK4NM and Peter, VK4LAT will be active as VK4NM/p from Fraser Island (OC-142) between 29 July and 1 August. Look for them on 80-10 metres, with primary activity during the IOTA Contest. QSL direct to M0OXO. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- VU The Bangalore Amateur Radio Club (VU2ARC) is active as AT8VTM from the Visvesvaraya Industrial and Technology Museum in Bangalore until 27 June for the 10th International Museums Weekend. QSL to VU2JHM.
- W The following stations will be active during the "Original 13 Colonies Special Event", which will be held on 1-5 July: K2A (New York), K2B (Virginia), K2C (Rhode Island), K2D (Connecticut), K2E (Delaware), K2F (Maryland), K2G (Georgia), K2H (Massachusetts), K2I (New Jersey), K2J (North Carolina), K2K (New Hampshire), K2L (South Carolina) and K2M (Pennsylvania). Further information on the event and the relevant certificate can be found at www.13colonies.info
- W KE4TZN, KG4CXY, KI4BKC, KI4IWS, W4OTN and WA4WPD will be active as N4I from Core Banks (NA-067) from 29 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. They will operate CW and SSB; before and after the contest they will be QRV also on 6 metres and possibily satellite in various modes. QSL via W4OTN, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota]
- YJ Andy, P29CS will be active as YJ8A from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu until 17 July. QSL via M0URX. [TNX DX World]

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V47DA ---> The Daily DX reports that Conny, DL1DA "has not been QRV as V47DA from St. Kitts and Nevis for several years. He does not know anything about the recent June 2011 activity".

 $+ \ SILENT \ KEYS + Dan \ Holloway, \ VK8AN \ passed \ away \ on \ \ 20 \ \ June. \ \ "He \ \ had$

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serious illnesses over the last several years", VK4AAR says, "but passed away due to severe pneumonia". Dan operated from several new or rare IOTA groups, eg VK8AN/p (OC-229, 1999), VK6BM (OC-234, 2000), VK6BSI (OC-243, 2001), VK6AN (OC-266, 2004), VK6LI (OC-071, 2004) and VK6DHI (OC-206, 2005). His major long lasting effort was to Troughton Island (OC-154), between the 1990s and early September 2003, when he went QRT from there.

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Francisco Campos Crespo (EA4BT), Johnny Roche (EI5CJB), Paddy McGorman (EI7BS), Tim Haynes (G8PTP), Erkki Korpelainen (OH1DG), Raimo Molarius (OH7QC) and Desmond Roy Hearsum (W8PR).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2LF, 3D2A, 3D2DX, 4A0IARU, 4A4A, 4K8M, 4S7NE, 5M2TT, 5N5K, 5R8HL, 5W0NU, 5X1T, 5Z4KI, 6W/PA3EWP, 8R1A, 9H1PS, 9H1XT, 9N7AN, 9N7DX,

9Q50ON, 9V1WW, 9X0VB, 9Y4D, A45XR, AH0/AB2RF, AO9IB, BT4EXPO, C4N, C56FR, CE2/CX1EK, CE2/VE7SV, CN8KD, CN8NK, CO8LY, D2AM, E51JD, EA9IB, ED9M, EP4HR, ER1LW, EX2A, EX2F, FG5FR, FM/F6ARC, FM5CD,

H44MS, HH2/HB9AMO, HH2/PA5M, HH2/PY3SB, HH4/K4QD, HI3/W1JNZ, HS0ZIN, HV4NAC, J28RO, J79AN, J79M, J79ZZ, J7A, J7N, JD1BLY, JD1BMH, JX9NOA, JY5HX, K8LEE/CY0, KG4EM, KH0PR, KH6MB, KH8/AI5P, LU7HN, LU8EEM, LZ2VU, MJ/K3PLV, N0TG/CY0, N1SNB/CY0, OD5NJ, OM3SEM, P29CS, P29NI (OC-257), P29TL, P29VCX (OC-101), P29VCX (OC-117), P29VLR (OC-231), PJ2/K8LEE, PJ4/K4BAI, PZ5T, RI1FJ, S51V, S79UFT, S9DX, ST2AR, SU1SK, SV5/G0SGB/p, SV9/LA4XFA, T6JC, TA0/WA2KBZ, TG9ANF, TG9NX, TI5N, TI8II, TJ3AY, TJ9PF, TK5MH, TT8DX, UK7F.

UK8GKW, UK8OM, UK8QQ, UK8VA, V44KJ, V5/DJ2HD, V73QQ, VP2ETN, VP2MM, VP2V/NY6X, VP5/WA0MHJ, VP5CW, VP8DMH/p (AN-018), VP8ORK, VR2XMT, VU4PB, WP3C, XE1RCS, XU7ABW, XU7DLH, XV2RZ, XV4YY, Z2/K0YY, Z21DXI, ZB3R, ZD7FT, ZD8RH, ZD9T, ZK2A, ZK2BQI, ZL50VK, ZS3D, ZS8M.

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 9A Pontus, SM0RUX will be active as 9A/SM0R from the island of Hvar (EU-016) on 10-15 July. He plans to operate "from different beaches mainly during daytime". QSL via SM0RUX, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- BV Twelve operators from Taiwan, Japan and Malaysia will participate in the IOTA Contest as BV100 (www.bv100.tw/EN/) from Kinmen Island (AS-102). QSL via BV2KI. [TNX NG3K]
- C2 Pekka, OH2YY will be active as C21YY (requested callsign) from Nauru (OC-031) on 11-20 July. He will operate SSB only with a tribander and dipoles for 40, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX OH2YY]
- CE Cezar, VE3LYC and Dino, CE3PG will attempt to operate from Pupuya Island (SA-095, new one) for at least three days in mid-November [425DXN 1039]. Weather and sea conditions can influence significantly the landing and operation schedule. They will be signing CE4A on 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres SSB and CW, with two stations (100 watts) and multiband verticals. QSL via VE3LYC, direct or bureau. Further information, including QSLling istructions and details on how contribute to this difficult and expensive project, can be found at http://ce4a.yolasite.com/
- E7 Special event station E76BARDF will be active on 10-20 July for the 6th Balkan ARDF Championship to be held in Zenica, Bosnia and Herzegovina (http://6bardf2011.net/). QSL via E71EZC. [TNX E77E]
- F Special event station TM98TF will be active on 1-14 July for the 98th Tour de France. Expect activity on the HF bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via F6KUF, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- F Russell, G5XW will be active holiday style as F/G5XW from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 4-9 July. QSL direct to home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- FP Victor, VA2WDQ will be active as FP/VA2WA from Miquelon (NA-032) on 7-11 July. His main goal is to take part in the IARU HF World Championship (SOAB CW LP), with activity on 12, 17 and 30 metres, plus 6m if conditions allow, mainly CW before and after the contest. [TNX DX World]
- G Phil, G3SWH will be QRV on CW only using the special callsign M0RSE (www.m0rse.org) over the weekend of 2-3 July 2011 on all bands from 80 to 10 metres. QSL via G3SWH. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW afterwards. [TNX G3SWH]
- GD Look for MD/DC5SAN, MD/DG1SBU, MD/DG5SBK, MD/DG7SF, MD/DH1SBB, MD/DJ4AK, MD/DK1SG, MD/DL1SPH and MD/DL6SBN to be active from the Isle of Man on 7-14 July. The will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. They will

- participate in the IARU HF World Championship (9-10 July) as MD9Y on SSB (QSL direct only to GD3YUM). [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- GM Guy G3ZHL, Ken G3YKI and Trevor G8IBO hope to be active (80-6 metres may be possible) as GM3ZHL/p from various IOTA island groups in north west Scotland during a sailing trip from 9 to 22 July. The route and activations will depend totally on the weather. QSL via GM3ZHL (bureau) or direct to G3ZHL's permanent address in England. [TNX G3ZHL]
- Claudio, IZ1DNJ and a large group of operators will be active on all bands and modes as IM0P from San Pietro Island (EU-165, IIA CI-009) between 22 July and 2 August, IOTA Contest included. Depending on weather and sea conditions they will also operate from a number of nearby islands: Isola del Corno (EU-165, IIA CI-001), Isola Piana (EU-165, IIA CI-007), Isola dei Ratti (EU-165, IIA CI-008), Isola di Calavinagra (EU-165, IIA CI-011), Isola di Stea (EU-165, IIA CI-016), Isola Genia (EU-165, IIA CI-019) and Isola Sant'Antioco (EU-024, IIA CI-010). QSL via IZ1DNJ. [TNX IZ1DNJ]
- JX Announced frequencies for the 4-16 July JX5O operation from Jan Mayen [425DXN 1044] are as follows:
 CW 7024 10124 14032 18082 21032 24902 28032 50094
 RTTY 7034 10141 14086 18105 21086 24920 28090 BPSK-63 7038 10141 14074 18098 21068 24920 28074 SSB 7074/7144 14215 18135 21275 24955 28505 50120
 QSL via SQ8X. QSLling instructions and further information can be found at http://janmayen2011.org/
- KL Rick, K6VVA says that "there is a slight possibility for a brief NA-172 activation as K9AJ/KL7 right after NA-242". Rick and Mike expect to be QRV from Point Lay Barrier Island (NA-242) between 22 and 26 July [425DXN 1051]. Check www.k6vva.com/iota/na242/news.html for updates.
- KL Yuri, N3QQ plans to operate as KL7RRC from Adak Island (NA-039) between 29 Jul and 3 August, IOTA Contest included. After that, if transportation is available, he will go and operate as KL7RRC/p from Kiska Island (NA-070) indicatively between 6 and 12 August. QSL via N7RO or UA9OBA. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- LX The Luxembourg Amateur Radio Society (RL) will participate in the IARU HF World Championship as LX0HQ. Twenty-two operators from Luxembourg, Germany and The Netherlands will be QRV from three different locations (Eisenborn at LX0RL, Eschdorf at LX7I and Bascharage at LX1TI) with nine stations. QSL via LX2A (email requests for bureau cards can be sent to lx0hq[@]rlx.lu) and LoTW. A live webcam from Eschdorf will be available during the contest at www.lx2a.com. [TNX LX2A]
- PY Special event station PT155FD will be active on 1-30 July to commemorate the 155th anniversary of the founding of the first Brazilian Fire Department in Rio de Janeiro. Activity will be on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB. QSL via PS7AB, direct or bureau (email requests for bureau cards can be sent to ps7ab[@]yahoo.com). [TNX PS7AB]
- UA Alexei RN1ON, Yuri UA1OC and Oleg UA1PBA will be active as RK1OZM/p from lighthouse Intsy (ARLHS ERU-036) on 1-3 July. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via RN1ON. [TNX RN1ON]
- W Joe, K5KUA plans to be active as K5KUA/4 from Dauphin Island (NA-213) on 4-10 July. Look for him on 40-10 metres CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

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QSL PZ5P ---> Vladislav, UA4LU (QSL manager for PZ5P, April 2011) reports that many direct cards sent to the USA are being returned to sender. If you went direct and are still waiting for a card to arrive, please contact him (ua4lu@mail.ru). [TNX US4EX]

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Walter

+ Brilli

(I0WWJ), Takao Togashi (JA7AGO) and Patrick Crepelliere (F6BLQ), who played an instrumental role in getting the Democratic Republic of Congo back on the air.

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- C9 Dave, ZR6DG will be active as C92DG from Tofo, Mozambique on 14-28
 July. Plans are "to do two DX sessions a day" along with Helge,
 ZS6HB. QSL via ZR6DG.
- CO Radio Club Las Tunas will participate in the CQ WW VHF Contest (16-17 July) as T48K, on 6 and 2 metres, from Grid Square FL10mw. QSL via DK1WI. [TNX CO8ZZ]
- CT7 Special event station CQ73O will be active on 11-17 July for the 30th International Motorcycle Rally in Faro, Portugal. QSL via CT1EHX. [TNX CT1GFK]
- DL Look for Stefan, DF8HS/p to be active from Fehmarn Island (EU-128) on 9-29 July. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- DL Volker, DL1WH will be active holiday style from Amrum Island (EU-042) from 28 July to 5 August. He will operate mainly CW with 100 watts to a vertical or dipole. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DL1WH]
- G The Wakefield & District Radio Society will be active as GB1HI from Holy (Lindisfarne) Island (EU-120) on 15-18 July. QSL via M0OXO. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- I The following HQ stations (www.ik3qar.it/iaru) will represent the Associazione Radioamatori Italiani in the IARU HF World Championship: IO1HQ (40m and 80m CW), IO4HQ (15m CW, 20m CW and SSB, 80m SSB, 160m CW and SSB), IO5HQ (40m SSB), IO8HQ (15m SSB) and IO9HQ (10m CW and SSB). [TNX I2WIJ]
- KL Once again Yuri, N3QQ (http://na-234.com/) has changed his plans [425DXN 1053]. The latest information is that he and Tim, NL8F will go and operate as KL7RRC from St. Matthew Island (NA-232, new one) this year. Estimated dates are 19-22 July, but they are subject to change, depending on weather conditions. QSL via N7RO or UA9OBA. [TNX N3QQ]
- LA Helge, LA1QDA will be active from Store Sotra (EU-055) on 11-31 July. He will be QRV on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- LU The following HQ stations will represent the Radio Club Argentino in the IARU HF World Championship: LR5F (15m and 40m CW), LR5H (10 and 20m SSB), LR6F (15 and 80m SSB), LR6H (160m SSB), LR7F (20 and 80m CW, 40m SSB) and LR7H (10 and 160m CW). QSL via LU4AA. [TNX LU8ADX]
- OH "Working OH2HQ may land you not only another HQ multiplier but may give you a good feeling and reinforce your faith in the future of Amateur Radio". Look for four teenagers namely Mari OH2FPK (18), Leevi OH2FHN (17), Joona OH2FPG (13) and Joel OH2FHI (13) will

- take control of Finland's 20m SSB IARU HQ Station at Radio Arcala. Read the details on www.radioarcala.com [TNX OH2BN]
- OHO Eric, SM1TDE will be active holiday style as OH0/SM1TDE from Eckero, Aland Islands (EU-002) on 21-24 July. Look for him around 2 kHz from the band edges on 80-10m CW. QSL via the bureau and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- OZ Chris, DL4FO will be active as OZ/DL4FO from Tuno Island (EU-172) on 17-29 July. He will operate mainly CW on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OZ Andreas, DL7AT and other four operators will be active as OZ0TX from Mando Island (EU-125) from 28 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau; direct cards should be sent to DL7AT. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PY Orlando, PT2OP will be active as PQ3C from Chui Lighthouse (ARLHS BRA-024) on 17-20 July. He will be QRV on 10-40 metres SSB. QSL via PT2OP, direct or bureau. [TNX PS7AB]
- SM Lars, SM3BDZ and Thomas, SM3DMP will be active as SF3U from Norra Ulvon (EU-087) on 11-13 July. They plan to be QRV holiday style on 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via SM3DMP, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- SV9 Ron, WB2GAI will be active as SV9/WB2GAI/p from Chania, Crete (EU-015) from 29 August to 30 September. He will operate CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call (DX stations via bureau, USA stations direct). Ron still has his logs for 2001, 2005 and 2009. [TNX WB2GAI]
- T32 Giovanni, I5JHW (http://i5jhw.weebly.com/) will be active holiday style as T32JB from Kiritimati (Christmas Island, OC-024) on 17-24 August. He will operate SSB, CW and RTTY with 100 watts and a 7-band vertical. QSL via I5JHW, direct or bureau. [TNX I5JHW]
- TI David, K2DBK will be active as TI7/K2DBK from northwestern Costa Rica on 10-17 July. He will operate SSB on 10-20 metres, and possibly 6m if conditions permit, mainly during his late afternoon hours. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- VE Alain, F5LMJ will be active in his spare time as VE2/F5LMJ/p from Canada (mainland) in July. He will operate CW and digital modes from Saint-Sauveur (16-23 July) and Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupre (23-30 July). QSL via home call, and LoTW.
- VE VE9MY, VE9GLF and VO1DK plan to be active as VO1/homecall from Little Bell Island (NA-198) on 2 or 3 August, weather permitting. They will be QRV on 20 metres only from about 14 to 20 UTC. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau (they welcome e-mail requests for bureau cards). [TNX VE9MY]
- YB A team of twelve will be active as YB43AR on 8-10 July to celebrate the 43th anniversary of ORARI, the Indonesian Amateur Radio Organization. They will operate from the shore of Lake Bratan on Bali Island (OC-022).
- YV The Grupo DX Caracas will conduct their annual IOTA expedition to celebrate the Venezuelan Navy Day on 13-18 July. This year a team of 15 operators will be active as YW5LR from Los Roques (SA-035) on all bands and modes. QSL via DM4TI. [TNX YV5EED]
- ZF Bob, W5UQ (ZF2UQ) and Bill, W5SJ (ZF2EZ) will be active from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) between 11 and 18 July. They will operate mainly CW and SSB on the HF bands, and to participate in the CQ WW VHF Contest mainly on 6 metres. QSL both callsigns via W5JAY.

IARU HF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ---> The objective of the contest is to contact as many other amateurs, especially IARU member society HQ stations, around the world as possible using the 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10

metre bands. This year's event (rules can be found at www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-championship) will run from 12 UTC on 9 July until 12 UTC on the 10th. The following IARU Member Society HQ stations are expected to participate:

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8N1HQ Japan	JARL
8N2HQ Japan	JARL
8N3HQ Japan	JARL
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8N4HQ Japan	
8N8HQ Japan	JARL
BV0HQ Taiwan	CTARL
BV20HQ Taiwan	CTARL
CE3HQ Chile	RCCH
CX1AA Uruguay	RCU
DA0HQ Germany	DARC
DX0HQ Philippines	PARA
E7HQ Bosnia-Herzeg	
EF8HQ Canary Island	
ES9A Estonia	ERAU
GR2HQ various	RSGB
HB9HQ Switzerland	USKA
HS0AC Thailand	RAST
IO1HQ Italy	ARI
IO4HQ Italy	ARI
IO5HQ Italy	ARI
IO8HQ Italy	ARI
IO9HQ Italy	ARI
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LR6H Argentina	RCA
LR7F Argentina	RCA
LR7H Argentina	RCA
LX0HQ Luxembourg	RL
LY0HQ Lithuania	LRMD
NU1AW/5 USA	IARU
OE1A Austria	OVSV
OH2HQ Finland	SRAL
OL1HQ Czech Repub	
OZ1HQ Denmark	EDR
SK9HQ Sweden	SSA
SN0HQ Poland	PZK
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4W6A ---> 4W6A will be QRV on all bands and modes from Atauro Island (OC-232), Timor-Leste on 16-26 September [425DXN 1045]. Bernd Laenger, VK2IA has joined the DXpedition in order to help balance the requirement

for CW operation. Col McGowan, MM0NDX (dxer59[@]gmail.com) has been appointed as pilot and will be responsible for providing feedback to the team on the island. The latest press release (5 July) can be found at www.4w6a.com, along with further information on the DXpedition and details on how contribute to the project.

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Thirteen different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (333 QSLs), the 60 deleted DXCC entities

(1308 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (3407 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (377 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (63 QSLs), Antarctic bases (832 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Françaises, 264 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (347 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (97 QSLs), pre-1945 countries

(1243 QSLs), French Departments (692 QSLs) and CONUS (226 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (126 QSLs). Several cards are still and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx[@]free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

QSL VP2VV ---> Cards for contacts made on 20-23 June 2011 should go to N6EE (all other dates QSL via VP2VQ). Ron uploaded his VP2VV log to LoTW on 5 July. [TNX N6EE]

QSL VIA I0MWI ---> Stefano, I0MWI reports he is in charge for the direct QSLling for KH6/K8OQ, KH6/KC0TEA, KH7M and WH7M. QSL to Stefano Cipriani, Via Taranto 60, 00055 Ladispoli RM, Italy.

QSL VIA SM6CVX ---> All direct requests for last April's P29VCX (OC-102,OC-117 and OC-240) and P29VLR (OC-231) IOTA activities have been processed and mailed. If you do not receive yours within a reasonable period of time, please contact Hans (sm6cvx[@]hjelmstrom.se). Cards for requests that did not include return postage have been sent via the bureau. [TNX SM6CVX]

SOUTH SUDAN ---> On 9 July "the people of Southern Sudan will declare their independence from Sudan and will become the new Republic of Southern Sudan.

Vice President of South Sudan, Dr. Riek Machar Teny has announced that admission as a member state of the United Nations will take place on July 14th, 2011.

The DX Friends and the Intrepid-DX Group continue to monitor the UN General Assembly and Security Council votes and are moving forward with our plans for a large multi-national DXpedition to take place soon after the UN admission occurs.

Equipment has been procured and is being staged for rapid delivery to Juba, the new capital of Southern Sudan. Team members have applied for their visas and we are awaiting them now.

We have held several successful meetings with representatives of the Government of Southern Sudan. We have been issued an amateur radio license for the purpose of this DXpedition. The Government of South Sudan is very supportive of our plans to visit Juba and to help them celebrate the birth of their new country.

We plan to soon be in the new capital of Juba and to be ready to start our DXpedition after admission by the UN. We will have 18 operators operating

24/7 on seven active stations.

At this time, we are seeking Foundation, Club and Individual Sponsors to help us defray the costs of carrying out this very important DXpedition.

Our official website is http://www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/" [TNX N6PSE]

SOUTH SUDAN ---> The Northern California DX Foundation is pleased to announce a major grant to the Intrepid DX Group and the DX Friends who have joined together to activate the new entity of the Republic of Southern Sudan. Licensing is imminent and operation could begin in the next few days. [TNX W0GJ]

WHQS AWARD ---> "MK QTC", the Polish Radio Amateurs' Journal, sponsors the 2011 W-HQ-S award for working at least ten HQ stations during the upcoming IARU HF World Championship. Please e-mail qtc[@]post.pl for complete details.

+ SILENT KEYS + Henry Lewis (G3GIQ) passed away on 5 July. "Henry was

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of the hobby's real gentlemen and will be greatly missed by his many friends, not just here in the UK but worldwide from the many close contacts made over the air and at conventions", G3KMA says. "A long-time supporter of the DXCC and IOTA programmes he amassed very large scores in both, 336/371 in DXCC and 1058 in IOTA. He was a founding member of CDXC - the UK DX Foundation. He also served in the early years of RSGB's tenure of IOTA as an IOTA checkpoint and Committee Member". Other recently reported Silent Keys include Enzo Ruggiero (IW7EER) and Jamie Pye (ZL2NN).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8CF, 3D2A, 3D2XD, 4A4A, 4J3M, 4JA3USA, 5I3A, 5M2TT, 5N3NDP/1, 5N9NDP, 5R8PR, 5U5U, 6W2SC, 8P9AA, 8P9UR, 9H1XT, 9L5MS, 9M2/R6AF/p (AS-097), 9M2TO, 9N7AN, 9U0A, 9V1DR, 9X0SP, A65BR,

A92IO, BU2AI, C91IW, CN8NK, CP6UA, CW3TD, CX5BW, D2AM, DU9RG, EG5CI (EU-069), EK3GM, ER0WW, ER4DX, EX2F, F9IE/VK3/p, FJ/OH2YL, FO5RH, FP/KV1J, HC1MD, HH2/HB9AMO, HH2/PA5M, HL5/DL3OCH, HR9/WQ7R, HV5PUL, IS0/WH0Q, J5UAP, J6/VE3CZF, J68HZ,J79FCG, JD1BMH, JT5DX, K8LEE/CY0, KF4VTT/VP9, KG4EM, KH7X, N0TG/CY0, N1SNB/CY0, N7ET/DU7, OD5PY, OH0R, ON5PO, P29VCX, P29VLR, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/PB2T, PJ4/K4IQJ, PJ4E, PJ6D, PZ5T, S9DX, ST2AR, SU1SK, SV2ASP/A, SV5AZP, T2XG, T31A, T6AG, T6TL, T77EB, TF2JB, TG9AHM, TG9NX, TJ3AY, TJ9PF, TL0A, TO2FH, TO7RJ, TT8DX, TZ9A, UA0ZC, UA2FL, UK9AA, UN6P, UN7PBY, V44KJ, V5/DK1CE, VK9NN, VP2EMR, VP2ETN, VP5/AC8W, VP5CW, VP8DMH/p (AN-018), VP8NO, VP8ORK, VP9/AA1AC, VP9HE, VR10XMT, VR2XMT, VU2PHD, VU2PTT, VU4PB, XU7ABW, XU7ACY, XW1B, YJ0HA, YL2BJ, YL2GB, YN2ET, YN2MG, Z23MS, ZB2FK, ZD7FT, ZD8PRL, ZK2A.

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>>> NEW DXCC ENTITY: THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN <<<

On 14 July the UN General Assembly admitted the Republic of South Sudan as the 193rd member of the United Nations.

Consequently, South Sudan has been added to the DXCC List as a new Entity (the 341st on the "current" list, thus moving the Honor Roll threshold to 332), by way of Section II, 1(a) of the DXCC Rules. The DXCC entity code assigned to Republic of South Sudan is 521. This is a totally new Entity for all DXers (i.e. the deleted Entity of Southern Sudan, ST0 has NOT been reinstated, as per DXCC Rules), and the DXCC Desk will begin immediately accepting QSOs for it, with a start date of July 14, 2011.

"The deadline for the Honor Roll and annual listings is December 31, so you must submit the new entity to DXCC by then in order to retain your Honor Roll status," Bill Moore, NC1L explained. "For Logbook of The World (LoTW), you may submit all your QSOs with the Republic of South Sudan stations anytime. There is no need to hold them out of your log or do anything differently from what you already have been doing. You do not need to assign country names or identifiers. After we issue certificates to the Republic of South Sudan license holders, LoTW will make matches and assign the correct entities automatically."

The Republic of South Sudan is also the newest addition to the CQ DX Award Countries List (it is #342, as CQ counts Kosova). Verifications confirming contacts after July 14, 2011 are acceptable for credit. No award credit is available for southern Sudan contacts made during the 1980s and 90s. The new addition will be reflected in CQ DX Honor Roll totals to be compiled near the end of September. South Sudan will count as a country (entity) multiplier for the CQ DX Marathon, the CQ World Wide DX Contest and any other CQ contests that use country multipliers.

As of 14 July, the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) has not announced a prefix block for the Republic of South Sudan.

- 8P Carsten, DF1XC will be active as 8P9XC from Barbados (NA-021) from 23 July to 15 August. He will operate holiday style on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- I IK8LIU, IK8WEJ, IZ0FKE, IZ8EDJ, IZ8EGM, IZ8KNW, IZ8LKL, IZ8OJG and IZ8UZF will be active as IC8L from Licosa Island (EU-031, IIA SA-001) on 24 July. QSL via IZ8EGM.
- I A large group of operators from ARMI Taranto and the 599 DX Team will be active as IJ7DX from San Pietro Island (EU-073) on 18-21 August. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands with three stations. QSL via IZ7LDC. Further information and QSLling instructions can be found at www.armi.ta.it/ij7dx [TNX IZ7AUH]
- KL Yuri, UA9OBA has joined the KL7RRC team (N3QQ and NL8F) that will attempt to operate from St. Matthew Island (NA-232) [425DXN 1053]. Estimated dates now are 20-26 July. They plan to be QRV on SSB, CW and possibly PSK31 and RTTY, with full size vertical dipoles for 20, 17 and 15m and two 1/4 wave verticals for 40 and 30m. QSL via UA9OBA or N7RO. [TNX DX World]

- OH Ian, G4FSU will be active again as OH/G4FSU from Emsalo Island (EU-097) from 16 July to 10 August, including an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OZ Dieter, DF2SD will be active holiday style as OZ/DF2SD from Fano Island (EU-125) from 23 July to 2 August. He will operate SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OZ Axel, DL7VEA will be active as OZ7VEA from Bornholm Island (EU-030) from 24 July to 5 August, including a 12-hour entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via DL7VEA, bureau preferred. Updates will be posted to http://oz7vea2011.blogspot.com/ [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PA Beni ON3BL, Eddy ON4CCK, Erik ON4CCV, Francois ON4LO and Walter ON8CW will be active as PA/ON4LO/p from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146) on 22-24 July. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via ON4LO, direct or bureau. [TNX ON4LO]
- T8 Masumi JA3AVO/T88MB (CW), his wife Hiroko JH3PBL/T88MP (SSB) and their grandson Shota W7AED/T88SR (SSB) will be active as T8XO from Koror (OC-009), Palau on 22-24 July. Activity will be on 160-6 metres. QSL T8XO via JA3AVO.
- TA Special event station TC7EYOF will be active on 23-30 July for the 11th European Youth Olympic Festival to be held in Trabzon. QSL via YM7KA, direct or bureau. [TNX TA7OM]
- TK Laurent, F8BBL will be active as TK11QRP from the main island of Corsica (EU-014) from 23 July to 6 August. He will operate mainly CW, with some SSB and digital modes, on 80-10 metres. QSL via F8BBL, direct or bureau, and LoTW.
- VK Kan, JE1SCF will be active holiday style as KU2F/VK4 from Lizard Island (OC-187) on 18-21 July. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via JE1SCF, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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MAJOR EQUIPMENT THEFT ---> All the equipment (transceivers, amplifiers, laptops and many more items) of the Radio Club of Provins, F6KOP (those who brought you 5H1C, 5V7C, J5C, TJ9PF, TO7C, TS7C, XT2C, etc) was stolen last week. The equipment list can be found at http://dx-world.net/wp-content/uploads/2011/07/F6KOP-equipment-list.pdf [TNX I2VGW]

SOUTH SUDAN ---> In their latest press release (14 July) the DX Friends and The Intrepid-DX Group (www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/) state they "continue to move forward with their plans to activate this new entity with a multi-national DXpedition team. With our visas in hand, the teams will soon be making their way towards Africa and ultimately to Juba, the new capital of this new nation. We will have five active stations, operating 24 hrs a day.

We will be in regular contact with our US, EU and JA Pilot Stations and we will pay close attention to propagation reports from them. We ask that you please make contact with the pilot stations only during the DXpedition and to please refrain from contacting the team members directly via email. We will announce our call sign once we are in Juba and ready to become active".

On 15 July MM0NDX (EU Pilot for the DXpedition) released the following schedule:

"The Intrepid DX Group is meeting the DX Friends in Cairo on July 21st. On July 22nd, they all fly from Cairo to Juba, South Sudan. On July 23rd, they will meet with the Ministry of Communications to amend licenses to the new ITU prefix. They expect to be active later on July 23rd, or July 24th until shut down on August 10th, 2011".

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 9A Daniel, DK3CH will be active as 9A/DK3CH from Dugi Otok (EU-170) from 28 July to 10 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest.
 QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- 9A Alessandro, IZ4AMS will be active as 9A8AMS from Sveti Nikola Island (EU-110) from 29 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- CE The CE4A expedition to Pupuya Island (SA-095, new one) [425DXN 1052] is now scheduled to take place on 20-23 November (dates may change in case of bad weather conditions). Cezar, VE3LYC and Dino, CE3PG will operate CW and SSB on 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres with two stations (100 watts) and multiband verticals. QSL via VE3LYC, direct or bureau. Further information, including QSLling istructions and details on how contribute to this difficult and expensive project, can be found at http://ce4a.yolasite.com/
- EI A group of operators from the Galway Radio Experimenters Club (EI4GRC) and the Shannon Basin Radio Club (EI2SBC) will participate in the IOTA Contest as EJ3Z from Inishbofin (EU-121). QSL via EI3Z. Operators mentioned are EI2EO, EI2II, EI3ER, EI3HA, EI4AL, EI4CF, EI5GT, EI6GGB, EI6IB, EI6JK, EI7DMB, EI8IH, EI8IU and EI9HX; on the days leading up to the contest, members will be active using their own callsigns as well as EJ4GRC on HF and VHF. [TNX Southgate ARC]
- EI Members of the Dalkey Island Contest Group will be active as EI1DD from the main island of Ireland (EU-115) during the IOTA Contest. QSL only via bureau. [TNX EI7CC]
- ES Juri, ES5GP will be active from Vaindloo Island (EU-149) from 27 July to 3 August. He will operate SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, 6 and 2 metres, and will participate in the IOTA Contest as either ES4GP or ES4WK. QSL via bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- F Special callsign TM2CV will in use during the 19th World Meeting of 2CV Friends that will be held in Salbris, France on 26-31 July. QSL via F6KJX. [TNX F8REF]
- F The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (TP2CE, ewwa.free.fr) will be active again as TP50CE on 29-31 July. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FQK]
- F F4RTE, F5IL, F5JY, F5NKX, F5RJM, F6BFH, F8PDR and ON4LO will be active as TM5SM from the Saint Marcouf Islands (EU-081) on 11-15 August. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands (except 160 metres). QSL via F5RJM, direct or bureau.
- G The Cestrian Scout Group from Chester (England) will be active as GB2COS on 29-31 July. They plan to be QRV on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 metres. The station is to coincide with and make contact

- with the 22nd World Scout Jamboree in Sweden (see SM below). QSL via G7BQY. [TNX G7BQY]
- GM Lanarkshire Contest Group's member GM0ELP will be active as MM3T from the Isle of Bute (EU-123) on 30-31 July for the IOTA Contest (12 hours, CW). QSL via eQSL only, as "we do not have paper QSL cards" (but IOTA chasers will be able to claim credit online once the contest logs are uploaded to www.rsgbiota.org). [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- GU MU/PA9M is the callsign the PA6Z Contest and DX Team will be using from Guernsey (EU-114) on 23-30 October [425DXN 1049], including a Multi-Multi entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. They will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres with up to seven stations. QSL via PA9M, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.pa6z.nl/guernsey_2011
- GW The G5O Contest Group will be active as GW5O from Holy Island (EU-124) from 29 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via the bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- Weather permitting, the Extreme DX & Contest Group will be active as IL3A from La Certosa (EU-131) on 23 July. The operators will be Nicola IZ3EBA, Stefano IZ3NVR and Sergio IZ3NXC; look for them on 40 and 20 metres SSB and CW. QSL via IK3HHX, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ3EBA]
- I Alfio, IT9EJW and other ten operators (IT9ATQ, IT9GAC, IT9RKR, IT9RYJ, IT9VKY, IT9ZZO, IW9BCW, IW9GUR, IW9HLI and IW9HQP) will participate in the IOTA Contest as IT9EJW/p from Lachea Island (EU-166). QSL via IT9EJW, direct or bureau.
- JW Fred, G3SVK says he will be active from Svalbard as JW/G3SVK for one day only, on 25 July. He will be QRV mostly on CW, but could try some SSB if time permits.
- KH8 Ron, WA8LOW and other four operators will be active as WA8LOW/KH8 from Tutuila (OC-045), American Samoa on 1-17 August. They will run four high power stations on 160-6 metres all modes. QSL via WA8LOW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KL Chuck, KL7OH has cancelled his announced activity from Sarichef Island (NA-152) [425DXN 1051]. "A valiant effort will be made for 2012", he says.
- LA Chris, LA8OM will be active from Finnoy (EU-055) on 28-31 July, including an entry (24 hours CW) in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- LZ Stan LZ1GC, Dechko LZ1QV, Boyko LZ1QN, Boris LZ2JR, Nasko LZ3YY and Todor LZ5TS will be active as LZ0I from Sveti Ivan Island (EU-181) on 29-31 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via LZ1BJ, bureau preferred. [TNX LZ1BJ]
- OH Jari, OH1JO will be active again as OH1K from Kaunissaari Island (EU-140) between 28 July and 4 August. He will operate mainly on 20 metres. QSL via OH1JO, direct or bureau.
- OZ Look for Rene, DH3BEA to be active as OZ/DH3BEA from Fano Island (EU-125) from 24 July to 5 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OZ Mike, DG5LAC and Petra, DB1LPS will be active as OZ/DG5LAC from Bjorno Island (EU-172) from 29 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. Expect activity on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via DG5LAC, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OZ Look for OZ7BQ/p to be active from Drejo Island (EU-172) between 29 July and 5 August, including an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call (bureau preferred) and LoTW. [TNX VA3RJ]
- PY PU7RLM, PY7AHA, PY7GK, PY7OO, PY7VI and PY7XC will be active as

- PY7CRA/p from Itamaraca Island (SA-046) on 29-31 July. QSL to PY7CRA, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PY Orlando, PT2OP as PQ8OP and Fred, PY2XB as PQ8XB will be active from the Parazinho Biological Reserve, Bailique Archipelago (SA-045) [425DXN 1051] on 17-24 August. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 40-10 metres. They will have 6m capabilities and will monitor the band for openings. QSL PQ8OP via PT2OP, QSL PQ8XB via PT7WA. [TNX PT2OP]
- SM Special event station SJ22S (http://sj22s.simplyscouting.se/) will be active from 27 July to 7 August during the 22nd World Scout Jamboree to be held near Rinkaby, Sweden. The site will be staffed and operated 24/7 by a select team of 40 amateur radio operators from around the world.
- SV Laci, HA0NAR will be active as SX8R from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 25 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. He will be QRV on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- SV Look for Laci HA6NL (J48NL), Sanyi HA7JJS (J48JJ), Laci HA7PL (J48P) and Andor HA5AOP (SV8/HA5AOP) to be active from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 27 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SV5 SV5BYR, SW5KKR and a group of operators from Crete will participate in the IOTA Contest as J45K from Kasos Island (EU-001, WWL KM35kj). Activity is expected to start on 27 July on the HF bands as well as on 6m, 4m, 2m even on 1,2 GHz if conditions allow. QSL via SV9DJO and LotW.
- TA Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Turkish Air Force, the TC Special Wireless Activity Team will operate as TC100TAF on 23-31 July. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- UA Expect Victor, R6AF to be active as R6AF/p from Sudzhuk Island (EU-185) until 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- UA Victor, RN1N and Dmitry, UA1NFA will operate as homecall/p from Yakostrov or Sev Kolovar (EU-147) during the IOTA Contest, as SO LP DXpedition entries. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX UA1NFA]
- UN Mike, UN8GC and others will be active as UQ44Q from the Kolsay Lakes National Park on 29-31 July. Further information and QSLling policy can be found at http://uq44q.com/
- UR UR3CJR, UR3GO, UR5GDX, UR8GX and UT7CL will be active from the Kalanchakskiye Islands (EU-179) from 26 July to 3 August. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via UR8GX. [TNX DX World]
- UR Bogdan, UT7UU will be active as EO2011U between 25 July and 5 August for F1 Powerboat Grand Prix to be held Vyshgorod. He will be QRV on the HF bands using SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK 31/63. QSL via UT7UU.
- V6 Look for V63FAA to be active from Kosrae (OC-059) on 25-29 July and from Pohnpei (OC-010) from 30 July to 5 August. He will operate holiday style mainly on 40 and 20 metres SSB and CW. QSL via LOTW or direct to W6ANM. Further information can be found at http://home.comcast.net/~v63faa-2011/site/
- VE VE9MY, VE9GLF and VO1DK now expect to be active as VO1/homecall from Little Bell Island (NA-198) [425DXN 1053] during "the week of 25 July". Their announced plans were for activity on 20 metres from about 14 to 20 UTC. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau.
- VE Rich VA1CHP, Helen VA1YL, Lynn VE1ENT, Fred VE1FA, Bill VE1MR,

- Bill VE3NNQ, Al VO1NO and Lowell VY2OX will be active on 80-6 metres as VX1D from Bon Portage Island (NA-126) from 26 July to 1 August. During the IOTA Contest they will use VC1D. QSL via VE1DHD.
- VE VA3KAI, VE3VY, VE3BSB and possibly others plan to be active as VE2/VE3LCA from Grosse Boule (NA-125) from 29 July to 1 August. QSL via VA3KAI, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W Once again Jon, WB8YJF will be active as WB8YJF/4 from Ocracoke Island (NA-067) on 24-31 July. He will operate CW, RTTY and SSB on 80-10 metres, and will take part in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- W Look for Rich, NC4EN to be active as NC4EN/2 from Bogue Banks (NA-112) on 25-31 July. QSL direct to home call, plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W AE6RS, K6GEP, W6UX and WA6WPG will be active from Anacapa Island (NA-144) on 29-31 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as W6UX/p (QSL via K6GEP). Outside the contest they will operate SSB and CW on 40-6 metres (QSL via home calls). [TNX islandchaser.com]
- The Cape Ann Amateur Radio Association will be active as W1T from Thacher Island (NA-148) from 29 July to 1 August. QSL direct to W1GLO. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W Look for Joe, K5KUA/5 to be active from Galveston Island (NA-143) from 29 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- W Adam, W1ASB will participate in the IOTA Contest as W1ASB/p from Ram Island (NA-136). QSL via home call. [TNX W1ASB]
- XE Andrea, IZ2LSC will be active as XE3/IZ2LSC from mainland Mexico from 26 July to 8 August, and as XF3/IZ2LSC from Isla Mujeres (NA-045) on 9-14 August. He will operate CW (QRS), SSB and digital modes on 30-6 metres. QSL via home call (bureau), via EB7DX (direct) and LoTW. Further information at www.timpy.it/xf3

SOUTH SUDAN ---> The Intrepid-DX Group/DX Friends advance team was expected to arrive in Juba, South Sudan on 20 July with a list of tasks to perform in advance of the main team. "As the ITU has not yet issued a new prefix for South Sudan", N6PSE said on 19 July, "our license that was issued in March has the call-sign of ST0R (Sierra Tango Zero Romeo). That will be our call for the DXpedition unless the ITU issues a new prefix which will require that we amend our license". According to the expedition website (www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/), the team plans to be QRV on all bands and mode with at least five stations between 25 July and 10 August.

QSL via EA5RM.

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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FRANCE: POSTAL RATES ---> French postal rates for priority letter items (up to 20g) mailed abroad have increased since 1 July:

0.77 EUR European Union countries and Switzerland

0.89 EUR rest of the world

A postage calculator on-line service can be found at www.laposte.fr.

NOT THE MANAGER ---> "For some reason I am getting more and more QSL cards for RK3AZY/1", Ric, DL2VFR says. However, he is not and has never been the QSL manager for this station.

QSL DZ1P ---> "The DZ1P (11-13 March, OC-091) cards were printed and shipped on 11 June", VE7DP says, "but delivery has been delayed due to a recent postal strike in Canada. The package should arrive some time this month - PSE QRX, all direct requests will be attended to promptly".

QSL FT5 ---> Les Nouvelles DX has printed a small batch of cards for FT5ZB (Amsterdam, 1988), FT0ZB (Amsterdam, 1988) and/or FT2XE (Kerguelen, 1988).

If you still need a QSL, you can send your request to F3CJ, either direct (Joel Cathelain, Les Antennes, 4 hameau des Tilleuls, 62118 Pelves, France) or via the bureau. [TNX F6AJA & Les Nouvelles DX]

+ SILENT KEYS + FOC and HSC member Jens Sperling (DL7AKC) passed away at + 45

years of age. A 100% CW operator, he took part in the D68C (2001), 3B9C (2004) and 3B7C (2007) DXpeditions.

Timothy Lloyd Anderson (K0OR) lost his life on 16 July when a

communications tower he was helping dismantle was blown over by a gust of wind. Tom Embree (NC0K) was seriously injured in the accident.

Scott A. Lehman (N9AG) passed away on 19 July. A top-notch contest operator, he was also the QSL manager for J64AS, J68AS, J6A (1998 only), J6DX, J6LSC, PJ2/K9SG, PJ2C (March 2003), PJ2H (March 2002), PJ2HQ, PJ2Z(October 2001) and PJ2T (he answered "literally hundreds of thousands QSL requests", N0VD says. "If you are waiting for a PJ2T confirmation, please be patient").

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Pericles Costa Lima (PT7BR), V.

Rajan Henry (VU2HY), M. V. P. Kini (VU2SX) and Stig E. Ekblad (W2JWF).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2A, 4J3M, 4L/UU4JMG, 4L6AM, 5I3A, 5M2TT, 5N7M, 6W2SC, 6Y5WJ, 8Q7SV, 8R1Z, 9K2VO, 9L5MS, A25HQ, A61BK, A71BX, C31PP, CE9XX, CR5CQK, CX5BW, EA/FT5YK, EG5CI, ER1EA, EX8MLE, FG5FR, GD6IA, HC/FT5YK, HK7AAG, HS0AC, HV0A, HZ1FI, J28JA, J5UAP, JD1BMH, JT1DA, K8LEE/CY0, KC4/FT5YK, KG4WW, KP2/K3CT, KP4EIT, LY3BH, N0TG/CY0, N1SNB/CY0, OA4TT, OA4VIE, OD5/DL6SN, OD5NH, P29VCX, P29VLR, PJ2T, PJ4E, PJ76, PP0T, PZ5RA, S9DX, ST2AR, ST2EB, SV2ASP/A, SY8S (EU-060), T2XG, T30XG, T31A, T6AF, T88KL, TG9AHM, TG9NX, TJ3AY, TJ9PF, TL0A, TO2FH, TO2T, TO7RJ, TT8DX, TZ6U, UN2C, V73NS, VK0KEV, VP8DLM, VP8ORK, VU4PB, YB8FL, YL4U, YN2ER, YN2ET, YN2MG, ZA/I2GPT, ZB2X, ZB3R, ZL8X, ZY6Z (SA-080).

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 9A Andrea, IK6VXO and Italo, IK6JNH will be active as 9A/homecall from Drvenik Veli Island (EU-016) between 31 July and 5 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK6VXO]
- CE0_ei Frank, I2DMI will be active as CE0Y/I2DMI from Easter Island (SA-001) on 2-9 August. He will operate RTTY only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. All of the QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL as soon as he returns home. Further information can be found at www.mdxc.org/ce0yi2dmi/
- CT7 CT1BOL, CT1DZR, CT1EAV, CT1EEB, CT1ENV, CT1FFU, CT1FJL, CT1HXB and CT1IZW will be active from Berlenga Island (EU-040) on 29-31
 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as CR5B; outside the contest they will be signing homecall/p on all bands, 60m included. The authorized 60m band frequencies in Portugal are 5288,5 SSB & CW, 5371,5 SSB & CW, 5403,5 SSB & CW. QSL CR5B via CT1BOL, others via home calls. [TNX CT1EEB]
- CT7 Antonio CT1EPV (CU8AS), Hermann CT3FN (HB9CRV) and Siggi DL2HYH will be active as CS2W from Insua Island (EU-150) and lighthouse on 1-7 August. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40-6 metres during their daytime. QSL via HB9CRV.
- GM Andre, GM3VLB plans to operate from several islands in the Shetland (EU-012) and Orkney (EU-009) groups between 28 July and 18 August. Look for him around 14257.5 kHz. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- Vincenzo, IK7IMO, Piero IK7VJX and Roberto IK7XIV will be active on SSB and CW as IJ7A (http://ij7a.altervista.org/blog/) from San Pietro Island (EU-073) on 29-31 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via IK7IMO, direct or bureau. [TNX IK7XIV]
- I IK8LIU, IK8WEJ, IZ0FKE, IZ8EDJ, IZ8EGM, IZ8KNW, IZ8LKL, IZ8OJG and IZ8UZF will be active as IC8L from Licosa Island (EU-031, IIA SA-001) on 7 August. QSL via IZ8EGM, direct or bureau.
- Yoshi, JJ8DEN plans to be active as JJ8DEN/8 from a few islands in the AS-147 IOTA group: Rebun (30-31 July), Rishiri (1-2 August), Teuri (4-5 August) and Yagishiri (6-7 August). This schedule might be cancelled without notice due to sea conditions. He plans are to be QRV on 40-6 metres CW, RTTY, PSK31 and JT65A. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- JD1_mt Take, JG8NQJ/JD1 is active from Minami Torishima (OC-073) until mid-October. During this period he will be QRV on 17 and 30 metres; he will return to the island in December and be active on all bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]
- JD1_oga- Makoto, JI5RPT (www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/) will be active as JD1BLY from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara on 1-7 August. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- LZ Laci LZ/HA0HW, Tomi LZ/HA4DX and Ivan LZ1PJ will travel through Bulgaria from the Serbian border to the Black Sea area between 6 and 21 August. They will stop in different Bulgarian National Parks and will try to operate a few hours from each. During the second week they will go on a side trip to one of the islands in

- IOTA group EU-181. All activities will take place mostly on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home calls. Direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
- OZ Ric, DL2VFR will be active as OZ0FR/p from Aero Island (EU-172) on 6-19 August. He will operate mostly CW, with some SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- TA Look for TC1LHW (from Karaburun Lighthouse) and TC7LHW (from Yoros Lighthouse) to be active on 1-8 August. Both lighthouses are on the Black Sea coastline. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- UA Nick, RA1QQ will be active again as RA1QQ/1 from Malyy Island (EU-162) and Kandalakshskiy lighthouse between 28 July and 10 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. Side trips to other islands are lighthouses are possible. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX RA1QY]
- V3 Colin, KU5B will be active as V31UB from Belize on 5-10 August. He will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 80-6 metres, and will take part in the North American QSO Party CW. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- VP6 Jacques F6BEE, Nigel G3TXF, Gilles VE2TZT, Michel FM5CD and Vincent F4BKV will be active as VP6T from Pitcairn Island (OC-044) on 20-29 January 2012. Plans are to have three stations active round-the-clock on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. Pitcairn has not seen any large-scale amateur DXpedition operation for the past decade, and VP6T has a target of more than 50,000 QSOs. Efforts will be made to give this extremely rare Entity on as many bands as possible, but especially on the low bands. QSL via G3TXF, direct or bureau, and LoTW. QSLling instructions and further information can be found at www.vp6t.org [TNX DX world]
- W Members of the Old Barney ARC (www.obarc.org) will be operating as N2OB from "Old Barney", the Barnegat Lighthouse (USA-039) on Long Beach Island (NA-111) on 6 August from about 13 UTC through 21 UTC. Expect main activity on 20 and 40 metres SSB with two stations. QSL via N2OB. [TNX N2OO]
- YB Look for Pri, YB0ECT to participate in the IOTA Contest on 20m CW in the 12-hour category. He is located in Jakarta (OC-021). QSL via W2FB. [TNX YB0ECT]

IOTA CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's RSGB IOTA Contest (from 12 UTC on 30 July through 12 UTC on the 31st). For lastest additions please give a look at www.rsgbiota.org, and at the announced operation lists maintained by

Ric, DL2VFR (www.iota-expedition.com/IOTA2011/iota2011.html)

and Bill, NG3K (www.ng3k.com/Misc/iota2011.html)

Other groups will be activated during the weekend, but advance information did not mention if the operators participate in the contest. Full details on the IOTA Contest can be found at www.iotacontest.com

SWLs please note that the IOTA SWL Contest has been picked up by the Mediterraneo DX Club (www.mdxc.org/swl/index.php), in cooperation with the RSGB HF Contests Committee, and it will be held in parallel with the IOTA Contest.

Good luck to you all!

Group	Call/Ops	QSL VIA
AF-003	ZD8D	DL9HO
AF-004	EF8M	UA3DX
AS-014	A43MI	A47RS

AS-018	RA0FF	RA0FF
AS-025	UA0FUA	IK2QPR
		-
AS-066	RW0MM/p	RW0MM
AS-066	UA0LCZ/p	UA0LCZ
AS-080	D93I	DS4NYE
AS-101	HS7AT/p	E21IZC
	-	
AS-102	BV100	BV2KI
AS-107	E2E	HS0ZFZ
AS-146	BY1CW/4	BA4EG
EU-001	J45K	SV9DJO
EU-001	SV5/DJ4MH	
EU-001	SV5DKL	SV5DKL
EU-007	EJ0PL	EI5JQ
EU-008	GM0ADX	2100 Q
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EU-008	GM2T	GM4UYZ
EU-008	GM7A	GM7AAJ
EU-010	GM7V	N3SL
	GJ2A	
EU-013		GJ3DVC
EU-013	GJ6YB	G3SWH
EU-015	SY9M	SV9CVY
EU-018	OY1CT	OY1CT
EU-020	SA1A	SM1TDE
EU-029	OZ8SW	OZ8SW
EU-030	OZ4FF	OZ4FF
EU-030	OZ7VEA	DL7VEA
EU-034	ES0U	ES2DJ
EU-036	LA/DB5YB	DB5YB
EU-038	PA3FKN	PA3FKN
EU-038	PA6NH	PH9HB
EU-039	TM7T	ON7EQ
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EU-040	CR5B	CT1BOL
EU-042	DC1HPS/p	DC1HPS
EU-045	IB0R	IK8HCG
EU-048	TM2BI	F6KPQ
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EU-052	SZ8L	SV8GKE
EU-054	IF9/IT9BXR	IT9BXR
EU-055	LA8OM	bureau
EU-055	LA9RY	LA9RY
	DL5KUD	DL5KUD
EU-057		
EU-057	DL6MHW	DL6MHW
EU-062	LA/SP7IDX	SP7IDX
EU-062	LA/SP7VC	SP7VC
EU-068	F5KKD/p	F5KKD
EU-073		IK7IMO
EU-080	ED1T	EA1HLH
EU-084	SK0HS/5	SM0MPV
EU-091	IQ7HK	IK7FPX
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EU-092	GM1J	MM0BQI
EU-094	TM1G	F6CNM
EU-095	F5RAB/p	F5RAB
EU-096	OH1TD	OH1TD
EU-097	OH/G4FSU	G4FSU
EU-110	9A/S56A	S56A
EU-110	9A8AMS	IZ4AMS
EU-114	MP0HTJ	M0TZO
EU-115	EI1DD	bureau
EU-119	RC3W/1	RW3WWW

EU-120	G7N G5XV
EU-121	EJ3Z EI3Z
EU-122	MI0UDX GI4VIV
EU-123	GM0B MM0BHX
EU-123	GM7X GW3SQX
EU-123	MM0TFU/p MM0TFU
EU-123	MM3T -
EU-124	GW5O bureau
EU-124	GW8K GW0ANA
EU-125	OZ/DF2SD DF2SD
EU-125	OZ/DL2JRM/p DL2JRM
EU-125	OZ0TX DL7AT
EU-127	DF6QC DF6QC
EU-128	DL9LBG/m DL9LBG
EU-129	DL0KWH/p DL0KWH
EU-129	1
	1
EU-132	SP8RX/1 DJ0IF
EU-133	RI1AA UA1AIR
EU-133	UA1ANA/1 UA1ANA
EU-135	SF2X/p SM5EFX
EU-136	9A/S57UN S57UN
EU-137	SA6G/7 SM6CUK
EU-140	OG5A OH5AD
EU-142	ED1M EA1DR
EU-146	PA2A/p PA2A
EU-146	PF4C ON4ON
EU-147	RK3SWB/1 RK3SWB
EU-147	RN1N/p RN1N
EU-147	UA1NFA/p UA1NFA
EU-149	ES4GP or ESWK bureau
	CR6W CS1GDX
EU-150	
EU-162	RA1QQ/1 RA1QQ
EU-165	IMOP IZ1DNJ
EU-166	IT9EJW/p IT9EJW
EU-170	9A/DK3CH DK3CH
EU-170	9A1CKL DK8ZZ
EU-172	OZ/DG5LAC DG5LAC
EU-172	OZ7BQ/p OZ7BQ
EU-172 EU-174	- 1
EU-174	J48NL HA6NL
EU-174	J48P HA7PL
EU-174	SV8/HA5AOP HA5AOP
EU-174	SX8R HA0NAR
EU-181	LZ0I LZ1BJ
EU-185	R6AF/p R6AF
NA-029	VE3ZZ/VY2 VE3ZZ
	FP/K9OT K9OT
NA-032	
NA-034	W4FDX N2MFT
NA-046	K1VSJ K1VSJ
NA-067	AA4XX AA4XX
NA-067	N4A N4YDU
NA-067	N4I W4OTN
NA-067	W4O N4YDU
NA-067	WB8YJF/4 WB8YJF
	W4T K5VIP
NA-083	
NA-091	VE7RSV/p VE7RSV
NA-092	WD5IYT WD5IYT

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NA-099	NP4DX	W3HNK
NA-104	V47JA	W5JON
NA-110	AA4V	AA4V
NA-114	FG5KC/p	FG5KC
NA-126	VC1D	VE1DHD
NA-128	XM2I	VE2CQ
NA-136	W1ASB/p	W1ASB
NA-137	N1LI	N1LI
NA-139	N2US/3	N2US
NA-142	W4/DF2MM	DF2MM
NA-142	W4S	W4PC
NA-143	AD5WB	AD5WB
NA-143	K5KUA/5	K5KUA
NA-144	W6UX/p	K6GEP
NA-154	VC1Z	VE1CDD
NA-198	VD1B	VO1LM
OC-004	VK9HR	EB7DX
OC-021	YB0ECT	W2FB
OC-021	YB3MM	IZ8CCW
OC-142	VK4NM/p	M0OXO
OC-227	VK4SWE	VK4SWE
OC-239	YB9WZJ/p	YB9WZJ
SA-046	PY7CRA/p	PY7CRA
SA-047	PR5D	PY5DC

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GTC CW CUP ---> The first Greek Telegraphy Club CW Cup will run from 12 UTC on 24 September through 12 UTC on the 25th. Email Stathis Maliakis, SV5DKL (sv5dkl[@]rho.forthnet.gr) for complete details. [TNX SV5DKL]

NA-172 ---> Rick, K6VVA and Mike, K9AJ went QRT from NA-242 on 25 July, after 3875 QSOs. The trip to NA-172 has been cancelled because of "a combination of poor HF conditions and a limited amount of available time on the island, in addition to the trouble of changing existing travel arrangements". It will be rescheduled for July 2012. [TNX W6SC]

NA-198 ---> VE9MY, VE9GLF and VO1DK had to cancel their activity from Little Bell Island (NA-198) [425DXN 1055] because of inclement weather conditions. [TNX VE9MY]

QSL AP2ARS ---> Dragan, 9A6W has been guest operating from AP2ARS (the Pakistan Amateur Radio Society's station in Islamabad) for a few days. He will leave the country on 3 August. QSL for this operation only via 9A6W. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL IL3A ---> Bureau cards for the Extreme DX & Contest group's activities from the Venice Lagoon islands can be requested by email from the QSL manager IK3HHX (mariohhx[@]tiscali.it). [TNX IZ3EBA]

QSL PJ2T ---> The new QSL manager is W3HNK. QSL cards that have already

been sent to the late N9AG (SK) will be forwarded to W3HNK, so there is no need to resubmit. Future logs will continue being uploaded to LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]

STOR ---> The STOR log search is now current for QSOs made between 15.36 UTC on 22 July and 13.18 UTC on he 29th. A total of 47,011 QSOs has been made with 14,235 unique callsigns.

Check www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/ for log updates, news from the team in Juba and pictures.

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******* QSL ROUTES ******

CALL MANAGER CALL MANAGER CALL MANAGER
3A2CWG 3A2LF D93I DS4NYE SA6G/7 SM6CUK
4J3DF RW6HS DL0SOP DL4SVA ST0R EA5RM
4J7WMF RX3RC DP3LUNA DK1PM SV0XAF/8 HB9EBC
4K9W DL6KVA EG7FPR EA7HFS SV0XAN/5 IK2WZD
4L1FX DJ1CW EJ3Z EI3Z SV0XBZ/5 YL2VW
4L1UN EA7FTR EJ4GRC EI8DD SV0XCC/9 LZ1YE
5B4ABP OE2GEN EN125WFF UR5WD SX8R HA0NAR
5B4AIF EB7DX EN5R UY2RA T6TL N4FF 5H4BL IV3RTL EN85W UR5WA T8XO JA3AVO
5H4BL IV3RTL EN85W UR5WA T8XO JA3AVO
5N4LRJ G8JWT EO0UD/P UR7UT TC100TAF TA1HZ
5Q2T OZ0J EO2011U UT7UU TC23BSR TA0U
5Q2J OZ2JBC ER44ZOO ER1RR TC2BK TA7EB 5R8XB ON8XB ES4GP ES5GP TC7EYOF YM7KA
5R8XB ON8XB ES4GP ES5GP TC7EYOF YM7KA
5TOJL ON8RA FG4NO F4AVX TI4CF W3HNK
5X1SF GM4FDM FP/K9OT K9OT TK11QRP F8BBL
7S5A SM4DDS GS2UG G0PFH TK9VOCE TK1LG
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- 7P Expect 7P8FM (QSL via ZS4FM) and 7P8DEF (QSL via ZS4DEF) to be active from Lesotho until 9 August. Look for activity on 160, 80, 40, 30, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB, typically between 5-8 UTC and 14-22 UTC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9M2 Alex, SQ9UM will be active as 9M2/SQ9UM from 6 August to 4 September. He plans to operate CW, RTTY and some SSB on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX SQ9UM]
- 9N Fernando, WP4FE has been in Nepal since 2008, working as a pediatrician in a mission hospital in Banepa. Expect him to be QRV in his spare time, on 20 metres only, under is newly issued callsign (9N1FE). QSL to Fernando A. Cardona, P.O. Box 88, Kathmandu, Nepal. [TNX DX World]
- CT9 Giovanni, IZ2DPX will be active as CT9/IZ2DPX from Madeira (AF-014) on 7-21 August. He plans to be QRV on the HF bands and possibily 6 metres. QSL via IZ2DPX (bureau) or IK2DUW (direct). [TNX IZ2DPX]
- DU Maarten, PA3GZU will be active holiday style as DU9/PA3GZU from Mindanao Island (OC-130) between 12 August to 4 September. He will operate SSB and PSK31 on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- F Geoffrey, F4FVI and Chris, HB9ELV will be active as TM0NOI from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on between 12-14 August. QSL via F4FVI (bureau) or HB9ELV (direct). Further information can be found at qrz.com under TM0NOI.
- GU Bob, M0MCV will be active holiday style as MU0MCV from Guernsey (EU-114) on 9-16 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX M0MCV]
- HK0_m The team for next year's DXpedition to Malpelo [425DXN 1041] is now complete and includes HK1MW, HK1N, HK1R, HK1T, HK1X, HK3JJH, DJ9ZB, K4UEE, K5YY, LU9ESD, OH0XX, VE7CT, W6IZT, WB9Z and YV5SSB/6. They will depart from Buenaventura, Colombia on 22 January 2012 for the 235 mile voyage to Malpelo. Depending on sea and landing conditions, they expect to be QRV within 36 hours after landing for about 10-12 days. The team will return to Buenaventura on 6 February.

Operations are planned on 160-6 metres on CW, SSB and digital modes, from two operating sites with 6-7 stations QRV on open bands. "Our antennas will be strategically deployed to maximize our signal and to ensure DXers worldwide will have an opportunity to QSO us. We expect to dedicate one antenna solely to Asia as that direction is usually blocked by a mountain top". QSL via N2OO. Contributions are being sought from DX Foundations, DX Clubs and individual DXers. You may contribute directly to DXARC (Colombia)

- or to K4UEE (North America), DJ9ZB (Europe) or JA1ELY (Asia). Further information on the DXpedition and details on how you can help can be found at www.hk0na.com [TNX K4UEE and DJ9ZB]
- KH A group of five operators will be active as KH7Q (QSL direct via AH6NF) from the rare Kalawao County on the island of Molokai (OC-019) during the Hawaii QSO Party, to be held from 4 UTC on 27 August through 22 UTC on the 28th (http://www.karc.net/HQP). The team will be there from 25 to 29 August, with some activity on 12, 17 and 30 metres before and after the contest as time permits. [TNX KH7U]
- LX Look for Alex LX/PA1AW, Ronald LX/PA3EWP, Dennis LX/PA7FM and Jo LX/PA9JO to be active from Wiltz, Luxembourg from 30 August to 6 September. They will operate on all bands (160-2m) and modes. QSL for all callsigns via PA1AW, direct or bureau, and LoTW. An OQRS will be available on the expedition's website. On-line logs and further information can be found at http://lx2011.lldxt.nl.
- PA Will, PE1OPM and Manfred, PE1OXV will be active as PE1OPM/p from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146) on 9-12 August. QSL via PE1OPM, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PJ7 Travis, AF6WU and Kjerstin, KJ0DVA will be active as PJ7/homecalls from Sint Maarten (NA-105) on 11-15 August. They will operate SSB mainly on 15, 17 and 20 metres. QSLs via AF6WU (direct preferred) and LoTW. [TNX VA3RJ]
- PJ7 Isao, JH1ROJ will be active from Sint Maarten possibly as PJ7ROJ on 18-25 August. He plans to operate CW and SSB on all bands, with 500 watts, a HF6V and a 2-element beam for the higher bands. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX JH1ROJ]
- SM Hans, DK3PZ will be active as SM1/DK3PZ from Gotland Island (EU-020) on 13-20 August. QSL via home call, bureau or direct. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- UA Celebrating the 90th anniversary of the Komi Republic, special event callsign UE90K will be in use from various Districts until 31 August. Further information can be found at http://srr.komi.ru/contest/komi90/grafik en.html. QSL via UA9XL.
- W A group operating as K1HRO/1 will be active from the White Island lighthouse, White Island (Isles of Shoals) on 7 August. They plan to have two SSB stations and one CW station. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W Butch, N8CHS will be active as N8CHS/4 from Santa Rosa Island (NA-142) on 7-12 August. QSL direct to home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- W The Old Barney ARC (www.obarc.org) will operate again as W2T from the Tucker's Island lighthouse (USA-911) located in the Tuckerton Seaport on 13 and 14 August, from 13 UTC through 21 UTC each day. Operation will be primarily on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB with two stations. QSL via N2OO. [TNX N2OO]
- W Special memorial station N3U will be active on 8-15 September in remembrance of United Flight 93 and the tragic events that occurred on 11 September 2001. QSL via W3PN. [TNX W3BTX]
- YB John, 9M6XRO and Steve, 9M6DXX will be operating holiday style as YB9/GM3OOK and YB9/G4JVG from Bali (OC-022) from 12 to 15 September on a stopover while on their way to Timor-Leste for the 4W6A DXpedition. Activity will be part time but on all bands 6 to 80m using CW and RTTY (YB9/GM3OOK) and SSB (YB9/G4JVG) using 100W to beam antennas. QSL both YB9/GM3OOK and YB9/G4JVG via M0URX, direct, bureau, LoTW and OQRS (see www.m0urx.com). [TNX 9M6DXX]
- ZL Paul, ZL4PW will be active as ZL4RUGBY between 19 August and 31 October to celebrate the playing in New Zealand of the 2011 Rugby

World Cup. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX ZL4PW]

IOTA TOUR ---> Alessandro, IZ4AMS will be active as DL/IZ4AMS from Helgoland Island (EU-127) on 11-13 August and as PA/IZ4AMS from Texel Island (EU-038) on 14-17 August. He will operate holiday style on 20 metres SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

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9N0MD ---> "The Nepal 2011 team is pleased to announce a new and improved website in response to the interest our DXpedition has generated. Please visit our new site www.mdxc.org/nepal2011 to keep up to date on the status of our expedition and keep in contact with our team members and pilots". [TNX IZ8CCW]

DXCC NEWS ---> Changes have been made to the DXCC e-mail contact system and dxcc[@]arrl.org is no longer in use. "In an effort to better serve our clients", Bill Moore (NC1L) says, "we have created a number of new e-mail addresses that will be delivered to the most appropriate person depending upon the subject. Please visit http://www.arrl.org/awards-branch-contacts for a listing of the new e-mail addresses and the general topics that they cover".

STOR ---> The remaining STOR team members will do their "best for to keep at least 4 stations on the air during the weekend". K1LZ will be working mainly on the low bands until 10 August sunrise ("QRM and QRN levels are over 599+10 and our daily storm does not help with statics noise"). The log search is now current for QSOs made through 12.13 UTC on 5 August. A total of 96,877 QSOs have been made with 23,952 unique callsigns. Check www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/ for log updates, news from the team in Juba and pictures.

T32C ---> The container of equipment for the T32C expedition to Kiritimati, Estern Kiribati (28 September-26 October) has reached Fiji and is due to ship soon to T32. "The team is now pretty much complete, with no less than 41 operators, some of whom will be there for the whole period, others will be there for the first or second half. At any one time there will be around 30 operators on the island, permitting us to operate round the clock on all bands with, propagation and other factors permitting, two stations QRV on each of 80 through 10". The latest Press Bulletin, issued on 2 August, and extensive information on the DXpedition can be found at www.t32c.com [TNX G3XTT]

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

WRTC-2014 PROMOTIONAL VIDEO ---> Professionally produced by James Brooks (9V1YC), with narration provided by Erik Thompson (KA6UAI), a promotional

video about the 2014 World Radiosport Team Championship is now available for viewing from the home page of the WRTC web site (www.wrtc2014.org). "Using footage from previous WRTC competitions, the video conveys the energy, excitement, and sporting goodwill that results when amateur radio contesters from around the world come together to compete on a level playing field". [TNX K5ZD]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Donald R.

+ Maziarz

(N2VA), Alexandr V. Bezmenov (RX9LW), Costas Georgiou (SV1OE), Alexandr Bespalchik (UA4RO), Robert John Carscadden (VY2RO), Liscum Diven (W7IR), Duncan M. Carman (W7JEN) and E. H. Henshall (ZL3MU).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8MM, 3D2NC, 3DA0TM, 4A4A, 4L1MA, 4S7NE, 4U1ITU, 5M2TT, 5R8UI, 5U5U, 5U7JB, 5V7CC, 5Z4FM, 7P8CC, 7Q7HB, 9K2OD, 9L5MS, 9M2CNC, 9M6NA, 9N7AK, A25AN, A73A, BU2AQ, BX100, C50C, C6ABR, CN2PV, D2EB, DU1IST, E21EJC, EA6BH, EA9/G3TXF, EL2DT, EX8AB, EX9T, FJ/OH2YL, FJ/OS1T, GB4CI, GR1VDP, GR3TXF, GR4RCG, H40FN, HB0/PC5A, HC1HC, HI3/W1JNZ, HP1IBF, HP1XX (NA-072), HZ1BL, HZ1FI, J68HS, J88CF, JD1BMH, JW7QIA, JX/G7VJR, JX/SQ4MP, K6VVA/VE7 (NA-091), KH8/N9YU, MS0INT (EU-059), MS0INT/p (EU-111), OH0R, P29VCX, PJ2/K2TQC, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ4B, PJ4E, PJ5/SP6IXF, PJ76, PW2D, R11FJ, S21YZ, ST2NH, ST2R, SV2ASP/A, SV5AZP, SV5BYR, SZ1SV, T2XG, T6AF, T6JC, T6TL, T88TW, T88ZZ, T8XO, TG7/HR2DMR, TG7WW, TJ9PF, TK5EP, TL0A, TO2FH, TZ9A, UK8UC,UP4L, V25Z, V73ZZ, V85/9M6XRO, V85TL, VK0KEV, VK9CI, VK9XJR, VP5/W5CW, VP5CW, VP8DMH, VP8ORK, VQ9LA, VR2BG, VR2XMT, XK1T (NA-193), XW3DT, YB0AKM, YN4SU, YV5KM/OA4, ZD7FT, ZD7XF, ZD8W, ZD8ZZ, ZD9GI, ZK2A, ZL7VR, ZS8M, ZY6Z (SA-080).

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DA IN ORMATION

- 7P Peter, EI7CC will be active again as 7P8PB from Lesotho on 18-30 August. This will be mainly a family holiday, and he will be QRV when circumstances permit. QSL via EI7CC, direct or bureau, and LoTW (logs will be uploaded on a daily basis to LoTW if at all possible). [TNX EI7CC]
- 9A Csaba, DH7KU will be active as 9A/DH7KU from Brac Island (EU-016) from 21 August to 2 September. He also plans to visit and operate from Ciovo Island (not IOTA, IOCA CI-013) during his stay. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- CE A team of operators from the Radio Club Provincial Chiloe (CE7BLI) will be active as XR7F from the lighthouse at Punta Corona on Isla Grande de Chiloe (SA-018) on 20-21 August for the International Lighthouse Lightship Weekend. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via CA7PGO. Information on the Chilean Lighthouses Award can be found at www.federachi.cl [TNX CE3FZL]
- CT7 CT1CSY, CT1GZB and CT2JXT will be active as CR6LH from the lighthouse at Cabo da Roca, Sintra-Cascais Nature Park for the ILLW (20-21 August). They plan to operate SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and QRS CW on te HF bands. QSL via CT1GZB. [TNX CT1GZB]
- CT7 CT1EXR, CT1JNQ, CT1JTQ and CT5KAO will be active as CR5LSV from the lighthouse at Cape Sao Vicente for the ILLW (20-21 August). They plan to operate mainly CW and PSK on all bands. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX CT1JTQ]
- CX The Radio Club Uruguayo will be active as CW1R from Punta del Este Lighthouse on 19-21 August for the ILLW. Plans are to have at least two stations active on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via bureau, or direct to CX1AA (Radio Club Uruguayo, P.O.Box 37, 11000 Montevideo, Uruguay). [TNX CX3AL]
- E5_sc Bruce, ZL1AAO will be active holiday style as E51AAO from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 19-28 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- FP Mike, VE2XB will be active as FP/VE2XB from St. Pierre & Miquelon (NA-032) on 14-21 August. He will operate on 80-6 metres, with a special focus on the Magic Band. QSL via home call. [TNX VE2XB]
- G Members of the Otley Amateur Radio Society will be operating special event station GB0YAA on 20-21 August in support of the Yorkshire Air Ambulance Charity, which provides a rapid response air emergency service using two MD902 Air Ambulances. QSL via bureau. [TNX G0SNV]
- GM The Worked All Britain Awards Group (www.worked-all-britain.co.uk) will be active from Fair Isle (EU-012) and rare WAB squares HZ16, HZ17, HZ26 and HZ27 on 16-22 August. GS4WAB will be established at

- the South Lighthouse on the island, whilst GS7WAB will be used for portable activations on other parts of the island, including the North Lighthouse. QSL via bureau, or direct via G4IAR.
- GU A large group of operators from the Telford and District Amateur Society will be active as GP3ZME/p from Guernsey (EU-114) on 19-24 August. They plan to be QRV on 80-10 metres, as well as on 6 and 2m and the SHF bands. QSL via G3ZME, bureau preferred.
- HL A team of eight operators (namely DS4EOI, HL1EJT, HL2UVH, HL4CEL, HL4MC, HL4RBR, JA1HGY and JH1AJT) will be active as D9A from Cheju Island (AS-026) on 19-26 August. This will be a special event station for 20th Asian Conference on Intellectual Disabilities.
 They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and FM on 160-10 metres, plus 6 and 2m. QSL via JA1HGY. Log search on www.clublog.org [TNX JA1HGY]
- I Special callsign II4LXV will be in use until 31 December to celebrate the 65th anniversary of ARI Bologna. QSL via IZ4OUL (all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via bureau).
- Special event callsign IR2LV will be in use between 27 August and 2 October to celebrate the 55th anniversary of ARI Vigevano. QSL via IK2AGN, direct or bureau. [TNX IK2AVH]
- RI1_fjl- Evgenij, RI1FJ (UA4RX) left Heiss Island, Franz Josef Land on 9 August and has been replaced by Viktor, RI1FJL (UA3ME) for the 2011-12 season. After leaving FJL, Evgenij and Oleg,UA1PBA (ZS1ANF) operated as UA4RX/0 and UA1PBA/0 from Vize Island (AS-055) for a few hours on 11 August. [TNX DX World]
- TK Lee, F5MUX will be active as TK5UX from the island of Corsica (EU-014) from 20 August to 3 September. He will operate holiday style on the HF bands, mainly CW. QSL via F5MUX, bureau preferred. [TNX VA3RJ]
- UJ Special event station UM20Y will be active from 25 August to 10 September to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the indipendent Republic of Uzbekistan. Look for activity on the HF bands CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via UK8AR. [TNX qrz.ru]
- VK Four operators from the Ipswich and District Radio Club (VK4WIP) will be active as VI4FI (www.sandycape2011.com) from Sandy Cape Lighthouse on Fraser Island (OC-142) during the ILLW on 20-21 August. Look for activity on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via VK4MIA, direct or bureau.
- The Great South Bay ARC, W2GSB will be active from the lighthouse on Fire Island (NA-026) on 20-21 August. QSL direct to Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club, P.O. Box 1356, West Babylon, NY 11704-0356, USA. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

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DXCC DIGITAL AWARD ---> In accordance with Minute 29 of the July 2011 ARRL Board of Directors meeting, the DXCC award for RTTY is now changed to Digital. Digital will now replace RTTY on these certificates effective 25 July 2011. [TNX NC1L]

HF-DX CONVENTION ---> The VI International HF-DX & Contest Convention organized by ARI Catania (www.arict.it) will be held at the President Park Hotel (Acicastello) on 10-11 September. Main speakers will include I2VGW,

I8NHJ, IT9EJW, IT9IZY, IW9GTN, YT1AD and I1JQJ. Please contact Santo Coppola, IT9ICS (santocoppola[@]tin.it) for further information. [TNX IT9ICS]

ILLW ---> The 14th annual International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend, Conducted under the sponsorship of the Ayr Amateur Radio Group, will take place from 00.01 UTC on 20 August until 23.59 UTC on the 21st. Complete information on this popular event, including a list of participating stations (412 so far), can be found at http://illw.net/

JARVIS ISLAND 2012 ---> The DXpedition to Jarvis Island organized by Radio Expeditions Inc [425DXN 1009] has been postponed once again, this time to November-December 2012, "due to a scheduling conflict with the Braveheart".

ROCKALL 2012 ---> A team of four highly experienced IOTA activators (George EA2TA, Christian EA3NT, Simon IZ7ATN and Col MM0NDX, all part of the larger MS0INT IOTA adventure group) have plans to operate from the extremely rare and dangerous Isle of Rockall (EU-189).

Accompanied by Nick Hancock, a climber with considerable experience in inhospitable places, they aim to land and stay atop Rockall for maximum 48 hours. "With research and historical data, we believe the end of May/beginning June 2012 is a viable time period to put Rockall on the air", they say. As Rockall is an isolated speck of rock surrounded by water, weather and seas will dictate the entire expedition. Near perfect landing conditions are required, and the skipper of their yacht will have the final say.

The team is seeking donations to help offset some of the expense. To donate, you can use paypal (rockall.eu189[@]gmail.com). A website is under construction. [TNX MM0NDX]

ST0R ---> ST0R (South Sudan) has been approved for DXCC credit. The DXpedition went QRT at 7 UTC on 10 August, after 121,286 QSOs (55458 CW, 47696 SSB and 18132 RTTY) with 27,994 unique callsigns.

"We are very excited about how well the ST0R DXpedition went", Paul N6PSE says. "The DX Friends and the Intrepid-DX Groups worked well together and really enjoyed our three weeks together. We are already talking about our next DXpedition/Adventure!

We are quiet happy that we met our goal of 120,000 QSOs and set a record for RTTY contacts during a new country activation.

We wish to thank all of

our donors and supporters. Ordinarily we thank our donors with an individual message, however the Internet in Juba was very unreliable and we were often without any connection to the outside world other than Amateur Radio.

This week, we held another meeting with the Engineering staff of the Ministry of Communications to guide them in their ITU prefix application. We are also providing them with guidance to develop and improve their Amateur Radio program and policies". Tony, EA5RM (Team Co-Leader and QSL manager) will investigate your 'busted call' requests, if you email him directly.

+ SILENT KEYS + Microwave pioneer Ludovico "Vico" Zauli (I4ZAU, ex + I6ZAU)

passed away on 2 August. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Mario Borri (IK1CHM) and Nikolai N. Malikov (U3CN).

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- Lance, W7GJ (5W0GJ) will conduct a 6m EME DXpedition to Samoa on 22-31 August. QSL direct to home call. Further information, including details on the QSO procedure that he uses "most effectively during these types of operations", can be found at http://www.bigskyspaces.com/w7gj/Samoa2011.htm
- 9H Gab, HA3JB will be active as 9H3IP from Malta (EU-023) on 16-27
 September. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres CW, RTTY,
 PSK31, SSTV and SSB. He plans to participate in the CQ WW RTTY
 Contest (SOSB). QSL direct to HA3JB. [TNX HA3JB]
- 9U Pierre, ON7CIP is Bujumbura, Burundi and plans to be active as 9U7T (callsign to be confirmed) in his spare time. He is likely to be QRV only on 20 metres SSB and/or PSK31. QSL via home call.
- CE Quite a number of activities are expected to take place from Chilean lighthouses on 19-21 August for the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend: CE2C (Cofradia Nautica del Pacifico, by CE3RAC), XR2BRL (Baliza Rio Limari, by CE2UNE), XR2FCU (Punta Curaumilla, by CE2AA), XR2FPC (Punta Condell, by CE2AA), XR2FPD (Punta Duprat, by CE2AA), XR2Q (Quintay, by CE3ETE), XR6Z (Morro Gonzalo, by CE6AMN), XR7F (Faro Corona, Chiloe Island, by CE7BLI). [TNX CE3FZL]
- CN Ampelio ISOAGY (5C2B), Alfredo IK7JWX (5C2J), Leo I8LWL (5C2L), Ruggero IK2PZC (5C2P), Simon IZ7ATN (5C2SG), Mounaim CN8QY and Belkaid CN8QX will be active from Herne Island (AF-068) on 22-29 September. They plan to operate on all modes and bands, 6m included. [TNX IK2PZC]
- DL Willy, DL1BJN and other operators will be active "on several modes and bands" as DL0EM from Wybelsum Lighthouse on 19-21 August for the ILLW. QSL via bureau. [TNX DL1BJN]
- EX Special event station EX20ID will be active from 26 August to 4 September to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the indipendence of the Kyrgyz Republic and to promote the national award sponsored by the Amateur Radio Union of Kyrgyzstan (information can be found at (www.qrz.ru/awards/detail/2213.html). [TNX EX8AB]
- FK FK stations have been granted permission to change their prefix to TX for the XVI South Pacific Games that will be in Noumea, New Caledonia from 27 August to 10 September. [TNX The Daily DX] E5_sc -
- Andy, AB7FS is active again holiday style as E51AND from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cooks until 3 September (and will be back on 19-31 December). He operates straight key slow CW on around 14050 kHz and also he oftens check into the ANZA net (05.15 UTC on 14183 kHz). "I'm not a DXer", he says, "much more of a rag-chewer so please have patience with my operating procedures. I'm on the air to have fun, not to score the maximum number of contacts in the

- shortest time". QSL via AB7FS.
- F Special callsign TM11NOR will be active until 31 August to celebrate the 1100th anniversary of the creation of the Duchy of Normandy. QSL via F5UBH. [TNX F8REF]
- FS Gregg, W6IZT will be active as FS/W6IZT from Saint Martin (NA-105) on 20-29 August. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via N7XG, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HP HP2TP is the callsign to be used from the lighthouse at Punta Toro, Panama during the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend. QSL via HP1RCP.
- ISO Max, IZ4JMA will be active as IS0/IZ4JMA from Isuledda (EU-024) on 3-10 September, and as IM0/IZ4JMA from Maddalena Island (EU-041) on 10-17 September. He plans to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- LU The Radio Club Argentino will be active as LR5D from Martin Garcia Island (SA-055) on 18-22 August, including participation in the SARTG WW RTTY Contest (www.sartg.com). Outside the contest expect SSB, CW and FM activity on the HF bands, as well as on 6 and 2 metres and UHF. QSL via LU4AA, direct or bureau. [TNX LU7ADC]
- OH OH1BOI, OH1JJO and OH1W will be active as OH1AV/2 and OH1N/p from Vormo Island (EU-097) on 19-21 August. QSL via OH1BOI, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- OHO Nao, JA1HGY will be active as OH0HG from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 2-4 September. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY and will participate in the All Asian DX Phone Contest. Before and after OH0, he will be active as OH0HG/OH2. QSL via JA1HGY. Nao will be visiting Finland to celebrate the golden jubilee of his friendship with Martti, OH2BH. [TNX JA1HGY]
- OJO PA0VHA, PA2A, PA2AM, PA3ALK and PA3BAG will be active as OJOCC from Market Reef (EU-053) from 27 August to 2 September. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on all bands, including 4 and 6 metres. QSL via PA2A, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- OZ Look for OZ/DL2GF to be active from Fanoe Island (EU-125) from 22 August to 3 September. He will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- PA Ben, DO1BEN (www.do1ben.de) and Barbara, DO1IQ will be active as PD/homecalls from Texel Island (EU-038) on 22-28 August. They will operate SSB and some RTTY and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL for both via DO1BEN, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- PA PA3EJE, PA3GON, PA8F, PD0LUR, PD2JAM, PD5EK and PE1MPA will be active as PG6MILL from "De Valk" in Montfoort on 30 September and 1 October. They plan to operate on 80-10 metres all modes, and to use a full size quad antenna to be mounted on the arms of the windmill. QSL via PE1MPA, direct or bureau. [TNX PE1MPA]
- PJ2 Anja, DH2AK and Torsten, DL1THM will be active holiday style as PJ2/DH2AK and PJ2/DL1THM from Curacao (SA-099) from 21 August to 8 September. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- S7 DL5RDO will be active as S79DO from La Digue and Mahe (both count for AF-024), Seychelles from 21 August to 6 September. He will operate mainly CW on 40-10 metres (the allocation on 40m starts at 7050 kHz, so look for him around 7055 on CW and "somewhat higher" on SSB). QSL via DL5RDO, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- SM Fred, SM7DAY will be active as SM7DAY/p from Senoren Island (EU-138) on 21-28 August. He will operate SSB and CW on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX SM7DAY]
- SP A large group of operators from Poland and Germany (namely SP1EG,

- SP6TRX, SP9DTE, DF7MR, DL1HRG, DL9FR, DM2TO, DM3VA, DM7DX, DM7EA and DM7MA) will be active as SN1LH from the lighthouse in Niechorze on 2-6 September. Plans are to be QRV on as many bands and modes as possible. OSL via operator's instructions. [TNX DM2TO]
- SU - Gab, HA3JB will be active again as SU/HA3JB from Egypt between September and late November. He plans to operate CW, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV and some SSB, and to take part in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL direct to HA3JB. [TNX HA3JB]
- Celebrating the 20th anniversary of the independence of Ukraine. UR special event station EO20UR will be active on 22-28 August from the capital city of Kyiv and other districts (see qrz.com). QSL via UT7UR.
- George, K3GV will be QRV as K3GV/VY2 from Prince Edward Island VE (NA-029) on 1-30 September. He will be mainly active on 20 and 15 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX K3GV]
- VK3ATX, VK3DWH, VK3CH and VK3ATA will be active from Gabo Island (OC-196) until 21 August. They are QRV on 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres (see http://vk3atx.net/).
- VK - Members of the Hellenic Amateur Radio Association of Australia (www.haraoa.com) will be active as VK2CL from the lighthouse on Montague Island (OC-223) on 19-22 August. QSL via VK2IR. [TNX NG3K]

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EA-FLT 2011 AWARD ---> Representing the football teams competing in the Spanish Premier League, twenty stations (EF1AST, EF1DFP, EF1DR, EF1HLW, EF2RC, EF2TW, EF4GEL, EF4RCH, EF4TD, EF5AR, EF5DY, EF5GUI, EF7CIN, EF7FT, EF7JB, EF7TV, EF8AKN, EG5DM, EG5FL and EG5KB) will be active from 23 August to 11 September for the "EA Football League Teams Award". Details can be found at www.ea-flt.com [TNX EA5OL]

NCDXF ---> G. Kip Edwards, W6SZN is the new Secretary of the Northern California DX Foundation effective 1 August 2011. Kip rejoined NCDXF as a

director approximately two years ago and replaces Tom McShane, NW6P, who resigned for health reasons. [TNX W0GJ]

QSL 3V8SS ---> Please note that as of 1 July 2011 the new QSL route for 3V8SS is via LX1NO (Norbert Oberweis, 16 rue des Anemones, L-8023 Strassen, Luxembourg).

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Alicia Salinas

(CA6GMR), L.J. Smith (G3HJF), Cliff Goddard (G4LAA), Mike Voss (GW8ERA), Tokuro Matsumoto (JA7AO), Thomas S. Hammond (NOSS), Vilmar Vilson Andrade (PP5WA), Alexander V. Semyonov (UN3F), M.S. Millowick (VK5MS), Jimmy Mistry (VU2IJ) and Hal S. Christensen (W4RIM).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8MM, 3D2A, 3D2YU, 3DA0TM, 3DA0ZO, 4A4A, 4S7AB, 4S7ULG, 5M2TT, 5N6/YL2SW, 5R8X, 5T5HC, 5V7CC, 5Z4KI, 6Y5/AI5P, 8P0P, 8R1AK/p, 9H1BT, 9H4JX, 9H5PF, 9K2YN, 9L1MS, 9M2CNC, 9M6CT, 9U5D, 9V1YC, 9Y4D, A45XR, A71BU, BU2AQ, C6AGU, CN8KD, CN8SG, CO2WF, CO2WL, CO6RD, CO6WD, CO8LY, CP4BT, CR2X, CX1AA, D2AK, D2EB, D44TD, DU11ST, EA9IB, EL2DT, EX9T, FG5FR, FJ/OH2YL, FJ/OS1T, FM1HN, FM5AA, FS/K1XM, GB4CI, GR4RCG, HA5JI, HC2SL, HK4CZE, IG9E, J6/K8LEE, J6/W0SA, J68HS, J68ID, J79FCG, J87AB, JW/DJ3KR, JW7QIA, JX/G7VJR, JX/SQ4MP, K6VVA/VE7, MJ/K3PLV, MS0INT, OA4SS, OH0R, OH0X, OJ0B, P29VCX (OC-102), PJ2/N0VD, PJ2/W8QID, PJ4E, PJ76, PW2D, PY0FO, PY2XB/1 (SA-029), S21YZ, ST2AR, SV2ASP/A, SV5AZP, SV9ANK, T6JC, T6TL, T70DXC, T8XO, TC4X, TE8X, TG7/HR2DMR, TG7WW, TL0A, TM0Z, TO2FH (AF-027), TX4T, TZ6DEL, TZ9A, UK8UWG, UO5OOW, V25DD, VK0KEV, VK8NSB, VK9LA, VK9NN, VO1KT, VP5CW, VR2XMT, VU4PB, XE3MAYA, YB0AKM, YL2UZ, YN7SU, YS1AG, YV4DYJ, YV5KM/OA4, YW5M, ZD7FT, ZD7XF, ZD8W, ZK2A.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

DA INTORMATION

- 7Q Harry, 7Q7HB is back at Club Makokola in Malawi until 23 November. He will be QRV when it is possible, because "at this time there is a poor electricity situation" and "diesel for generators is scarce". QSL via G0IAS (direct only). [TNX G0IAS]
- 9A Special callsign 9A20V will be in use from Vukovar, Croatia until
 21 November in remembrance of the tragic events of 20 years ago.
 Look for activity on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. The QSL manager for direct requests is 9A6DR. [TNX 9A6DR]
- Look for Silverio 9A/IK3IUL, Ampelio 9A/IK3JBP, Calogero 9A/IW3ILP and Giacomo 9A/IZ3DBA to be active from Porer Island (EU-110) on 14-16 October. They will operate mainly CW with some SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX IZ3EBA]
- 9H Raul, IC8ATA will operate holiday style as 9H3AT from Malta (EU-023) from 29 August to 5 September. QSL via home call.
- 9H Jasper, PB2JJ will be active as 9H3JN from Malta on 2-14 September. He will operate mostly CW with some SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- H40 Jacek, SP5DRH will be active as H40KJ from Pigeon Island (OC-065), Temotu Province on 8-21 October. He will concentrate on 160 metres (with a focus on Europe) as long as there is propagation otherwise he will concentrate on 80m CW and RTTY (17 and 15 metres). Further information can be found at www.sp5drh.com/h40/. QSL via SP7DQR, direct or bureau, and LoTW.
- HB0 Jan, OK1XD will be active as HB0/OK1XD from Liechtenstein between 1 and 10 September. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres mainly RTTY and PSK31, with some SSB and CW. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- I Claudio, IZ0KRC will be active as IA5/IZ0KRC from Elba Island (EU-028) from 28 August to 8 September. He will operate holiday style on 40-2 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- I Aldo, IK2ANI will be active as IF9/IK2ANI from Favignana Island (EU-054) on 1-6 September. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 30-6 metres. [TNX IK2ANI]
- KL Rick, K6VVA will be active as K6VVA/KL7 from Revillagigedo Island, Alexander Archipelago (NA-041) from around 4 UTC on 6 September until around 6 UTC on the 8th. He will operate mainly CW on 30, 20 and 17 metres with a focus on Europe and Asia, where this IOTA group is particularly needed. Later on 8 September he will move to the other side of the island for a "needed partial holiday", but he will also be QRV for North America, South America and Africa, and possibly operate the CW Sprint contest as KL8C on 11

- September. QSL via N6AWD, direct or bureau. Check for updates www.k6vva.com/iota/na041/ [TNX K6VVA]
- OJO PG4M reports that the OJ0CC operation from Market Reef [425DXN 1059] has been cancelled. One of the team members broke his leg during the trip, and the group is returning home. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ON The Radio Club de Binche will operate special event station ON4WAR on 3 September (11-20 UTC) and 4 September (10-18 UTC) to commemorate the Belgian resistance during World War II. QSL via ON7RY, bureau preferred. [TNX F8REF]
- OZ Look for Horst OZ/DF6FL, Siegfried OZ/DL9ZE and Peter OZ/DL5FF to be active from Bornholm Island (EU-030) from 27 August to 10 September. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- PA Promoting the World Statues Festival that will take place in Arnhem at the end of next month, Fred, PA0FAW will be active as PA11WSF on 1-25 September. He will operate mainly CW and PSK31. OSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- P4 W3BTX and W3TEF will be QRV as P49T from Aruba (SA-036) from 31 August to 7 September. Expect holiday style activity on 160-10 metres SSB and CW. QSL via W3BTX. [TNX NG3K]
- TU The Italian DXpedition Team (namely Alfeo I1HJT, Silvano I2YSB, Carlo IK1AOD, Vinicio IK2CIO, Angelo IK2CKR, Marcello IK2DIA and Stefano IK2HKT) will be active as TU2T from Cote d'Ivoire in October-November (dates TBA). They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres with 3-4 stations. QSL direct to I2YSB. Further information, band/mode survey and OQRS can be found at www.i2ysb.com. Once again Arturo IK7JWY will be the pilot station for the expedition (it will be possibile to contact him through the dedicated forum at www.hamradioweb.org/forums/) [TNX I1HJT]
- UA Commemorating the 300th anniversary of the birth of Russian scientist Mikhail V. Lomonosov, special station R300ML will be active from various districts of Arkhangelsk Region between 1 September to 30 November. QSL via RN1ON. [TNX RN1ON]
- VE Commemorating the Centennial of Parks Canada, the world's first national parks service, special prefixes will be available for use in Canada from 1 September to 31 October. Canadian stations with a VA prefix can use CF, VY can use CI, VO can use CH, and VE can use CG.
- W Look for Wayne, K9YNF to be active as K9YNF/1 from Peaks Island (NA-137) on 25-30 September. He plans to be QRV on or around 14260 and 18128 kHz SSB and 14070 kHz PSK31, running 100 watts into a vertical dipole. QSL via home call. [TNX K9YNF]
- YJ A team of eight operators (namely Ian VK3BUF, Michael VK3GHM, Lee VK3GK, Luke VK3HJ, Dianne VK3JDI, Chris VK3QB, Ben N6MUF and Tom NQ7R) will be active as YJ0VK from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu from 30 September to 12 October. They plan to operate three stations "as often as possible" on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY/PSK31, with an emphasis on 12, 17 and 30 metres. They have also been granted permission to operate on 60m. QSL via VK2CA, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Log search and further information can be found at http://yj0vk.odxg.org/
- SOUTH PACIFIC TOUR POSTPONED ---> "Due to difficulties in organizing and making arrangement for the transportation to Banaba", Pista HA5AO and George HA5UK [425DXN 1045] have postponed their 8-week tour until January-February 2012. Activity will start on 12 January from Tuvalu (T2HA), followed by Fiji

(3D2HA) on 26 January. On the 31st they will leave for Tarawa, Western Kiribati, where they will be active as T30HA until 23 February. Hopefully they will be able to go and operate from Banaba (T33HA) for 7-10 days during this time frame. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes with two stations on 160-10 metres. QSL via HA5UK, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Bookmark http://ha5ao.novolab.hu/ for updates.

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3D2XX (1988) ON LOTW ---> The computer disks have been lost, but W6SZN has the paper log. You can email your QSO data to Kip (kedwards[@]itol.com) and he will upload the requests to LoTW once a week or so. This was the first DXpedition to Rotuma. [TNX The Daily DX]

4W6A ---> The 4W6A team now has a Titanex V160E vertical antenna for use on 160 metres. They had previously planned to use an 18m Spiderbeam pole as the support for a 160m inverted-L. With the arrival of the Titanex, the 18m Spiderbeam pole will now be used for a full-size 80m quarter-wave folded monopole vertical instead. All the antennas will be located on the beach within a few metres of the ocean.

4W6A will be QRV from Atauro Island (OC-232), Timor-Leste on 16-26 September. There will be up to four station active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY.

QSL via M0URX, direct or bureau (OQRS at www.m0urx.com). The entire log will be uploaded to LoTW as quickly as possible after the end of the operation or, if possible, also during the DXpedition. Further information can be found at www.4w6a.com [TNX 9M6DXX]

QSL VIA W8AEF ---> "Due to poor health, Dan Brown (NA7DB) has passed logs for all of the following over to W8AEF", The Daily DX reports:

9M0M 1-9 Mar 2001 XZ1ZV 30 Jan- 2 Feb 2000

NA7DB/HP4 4-13 Jan 2003 XZ5DB 31 Mar - 3 Apr 2002

XZ1L 30 Jan - 2 Feb 2000 ZK1AAG 6-17 Mar 1994 XZ1VS 31 Jan - 2 Feb, 2000 ZK1WTU 6-10 Mar 1994 XZ1YL 30 Jan - 2 Feb 2000 ZK1ZRD 6-17 Mar 1994

There are no cards left for some of those activities, so he will issue "just a note confirming the contact rather than a printed QSL. Logs will be loaded to LoTW when time permits".

XF4L (1989) ON LOTW ---> Some of the computerized logs have been lost, and only one third of the QSOs has been uploaded to LoTW. However "the paper logs remain intact and individual QSOs can be uploaded by contacting OH2BU". [TNX The Daily DX]

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3A Look for 3A/IZ7EVZ to be active from Monaco on 7-10 September. He plans to operate SSB on 80 and 160 metres only. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- The Holyland DX Group (4X1VF, 4X4DZ, 4X6HP, 4Z4KX, 4Z5FI and 4Z5LA) will be active as 4X5A from Akhziv Island (AS-100) from about 7 UTC on 21 October until about 12 UTC on the 22nd. They will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres with two stations and verticals. QSL via 4Z5LA. [TNX NG3K]
- A2 Gert, ZS6AYU will be active again as A25/ZS6AYU from Jwaneng, Botswana on 9-12 September. He will operate CW hoping that "the QRM is not going to be so bad as last time and also that condx are better". QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- F Weather permitting, Mathieu (MJ0ASP) will be active as F5SHQ/p from Cezembre Island (EU-157) on 4 September. He will operate CW only on or around 14040 and 10104 kHz. QSL via MJ0ASP. [TNX DX World]
- F Simon IZ7ATN, Vincent F4BKV and Christian EA3NT will be active as TM0INT from Tombelaine Island (EU-156) on 10-11 September. They will have two stations running 100 watts into vertical dipoles. QSL via EA5KA. [TNX DX World]
- F F6DXE, F4ELK and F4ELI will be actuve as TM5Q from Quemenes Island (EU-065) from 30 September to 2 October. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via F4ELI, direct or bureau.
- FP Eric, KV1J and Jack, KV1E will be active as FP/KV1J and FP/KV1E from Miquelon Island (NA-032) from 25 October to 1 November. Plans are to operate SSB and RTTY, with some CW and PSK31, on 160-10 metres, plus 6m "if indications of openings". FP/KV1J will take part in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (SOAB HP). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau, and LoTW, Information on satellite activity and and other details can be found at www.kv1j.com/fp/october11.html
- G M0SFT, M0TGN and M0TTE will be active as MX0WCB from St Martin's Island (EU-011) on 11-17 September. They will operate mainly QRP on 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via M0WAY. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- LY Twenty-three LY37 special event callsigns will be aired until 18 September to celebrate EuroBasket 2011, the 37th European Men's Basketball Championship being held in Lithuania. Further information, including details on the relevan award, can be found on the Lithuanian Amateur Radio Society's website (www.lrmd.lt). [TNX The Daily DX]
- OX Jiri OK1IEC, Jan OK1JK, Jiri OK1JST and Vaclav OK1VVT will be active as either OX4OK and OX/homecall from Kangelussuaq, Greenland (NA-018) on 16-26 September. They plan to be QRV on

- 80-10 metres and conditions and 2m EME. QSL via home calls or via OK1JST.
- OZ Jakob, OZ7AEI and others will participate in the IARU Region 1 Field Day (3-4 September) as OZ7MOR/p from Mors Island (EU-171). They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- OZ Martin, DC8MH and Michael, DL4ABO will be active as 5P7T and 5P7N respectively from Fano Island (EU-125) on 9-11 September. They will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands with two stations. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PJ6 Fred, K9VV will be active as PJ6/NP2X from Saba (NA-145) on 4-9 September. He will operate holiday style primarily on CW with some SSB. QSL via K5WW. [TNX NG3K]
- SM Axel, DL7ULF and Peter, DL7VMM will be active from SI9AM (King Chulalongkorn Memorial Amateur Radio Society, www.si9am.se) in Ragunda on 8-13 September, including an entry in the WAE DX SSB Contest. Outside the WAE event they will operate SSB and CW on 160-10 metres. QSL via SM3CVM, direct or bureau. [TNX SM3CVM]
- SV9 Look for SV9/ON6DSL/p to be active holiday style from Crete (EU-015) on 2-9 September. He will be QRV on 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- T8 Tatsuo, JA8CMC (T88TO) and Atsushi, JA8FAA (T88GO) will be active from Palau (OC-009) on 16-19 September. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls.
- TK Look for TK/IW5ELA and TK/I5NOC to be active from Corsica on 4-11 September. They will be QRV on 40, 20 and 15 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau.
- TK Patrice, F5RBB and his wife Mireille, F4FRL will be active as TK/homecall from Corsica on 10-24 September. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 40-10 metres. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- V4 Once again John, W5JON will be active as V47JA from St. Kitts (NA-104) from 10 October to 5 November. He will operate SSB on 80-6 metres, and will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. His wife Cathy, W5HAM will occasionally operate as V47HAM. All QSLs via W5JON. [TNX W5JON]
- V5 DD8ZX, DF2UU, DF3GY, DJ6OV and a few local operators will be active on 80-10 metres as V55V/p during the IARU Region 1 Field Day on 3-4 September. QSL via DJ8VC. [TNX DF3GY]
- V6 JA7HMZ (V63DX) and JA7GYP (V63T) will be active from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia on 3-8 October. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-6 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- VK9L Merv, N6NO will be active as VK9OL from Lord Howe island (OC-004) on 10-18 September. The operation celebrates Merv's 75th birthday and 60 years of ham radio. He plans to be QRV on 40-10 metres, with a focus on CW and European openings. QSL via N6NO, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX N6NO]
- W The Northeast Wireless Radio Club will operate special event station NW2C on 11 September, in remembrance of the tragic events that occurred ten years ago. Activity will take place on SSB, CW and RTTY from historic Fort Totten, Bayside (NY) from 17 to 23 UTC. Further information can be found at www.nw2c.org. [TNX KC2SYF]
- ZK2 Steven, ZL4CZ will be active as ZK2AB from Niue (OC-040) on 9-16 September. He will operate holiday style using a Buddipole and a multi-band vertical. QSL via home call (direct).
- ZL To celebrate the Rugby World Cup, New Zealand amateurs are permitted to replace their ZL prefix with the ZM prefix throughout September and October. In addition, special event stations are

already QRV, including ZL4RUGBY (operated by ZL4PW) and ZL6RWC (operated by the Papakura Radio Club, QSL via ZL1VK). [TNX DX World]

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INDEPENDENCE DAY BRAZIL CONTEST ---> The Cantareira DX Group sponsors the Independence Day Brazil Contest, whose third edition will be held on 3-4 September on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres BPSK31. Complete details can be found at www.brcontest.com [TNX PY2ZA]

INDEXA ---> The International DX Association's (www.indexa.org) recently elected officers are Gary Dixon K4MQG (President), John Scott K8YC (Vice President), Bill Jennings W4UNP (Secretary-Treasurer), Mac Shimamoto JA3USA (1-year Director), Franz Langner DJ9ZB and Carl Smith N4AA (2-year Directors), Bob Allphin K4UEE, Lynn Lamb W4NL and Richard Grant W9RG (3-year Directors). [TNX W4UNP]

QSL 4J1FS ---> Anatoly, RX3AU (ex UW3DH) has logs and some blank QSL cards for the 1989 and 1991 4J1FS operations from Malyj Vysotskij Island. QSL to Anatoly I. Volynshchikov, P.O. Box 930, 101000, Moscow, Russia [TNX RX3AU]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Fourteen different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (333 QSLs), the 60 deleted DXCC entities (1319 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (3448 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (382 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (65 QSLs), Antarctic bases (834 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 266 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (354 QSLs), the Indian Ocean (101 QSLs) and (new!) the Americas (41 QSL from 1945 to 1970), pre-1945 countries (1304 QSLs), French Departments (704 QSLs) and CONUS (247 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (128 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx[@]free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

QSL PP8ZAC ---> PY4KL (the Grupo Juizforano de CW, www.cwjf.com.br) is the new QSL manager for Agustin, PP8ZAC, and has the logs from 2009 onwards. This is the only station active on CW from the rare Amazonas State. [TNX PY4WAS]

ROCKALL 2012 ---> The website for MS0INT (Isle of Rockall, EU-189) is now up and running at www.eu189.com

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it)

YASME FOUNDATION: GRANT TO EARS ---> Ethiopia came back on the air May 30, 2011 with the re-opening of the Ethiopian Amateur Radio Society station

ET3AA. Professor Heiko Schroeder, head of the technical faculty of the University of Addis Ababa and PB2T, Hans Blondeel Timmerman, President of IARU Region 1, cut the ribbon in a reopening ceremony.

The Board of Directors of The Yasme Foundation (www.yasme.org) became aware that 25 club members were scheduled to take the amateur radio license examination in late July and that the fee for taking the exam was about one month's salary in Ethiopia.

Accordingly, the Board voted unanimously in favor of a grant to cover one-half of the examination fees for all 25 applicants, the remaining one-half having been previously committed from the Radio Society of Great Britain. Yasme Vice-President and Director Fred Laun, K3ZO, was instrumental in making possible this grant. [TNX W6SZN]

- + SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Ronald S.
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(AB8K), Peter W. Dahl (K0BIT), Rytis Zumbakis (LY4U, ex LY2BIL), Aleksandr V. Gorelov (UA0YO) and Christina D. Check (W8HBI).

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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3D2_r - Preparations for the large multi-national 3D2R DXpedition to Rotuma [425DXN 1049] are going according to plan. The team will meet in Suva (Fiji) on 22 September and depart for Rotuma on the 25th. They expect to be QRV on 27 September and to complete the DXpedition on 7 October. 3D2R will be active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and SSTV, plus 6 and 2m EME, with a focus on Europe and Africa when propagation permits. QSL via YT1AD and LoTW (logs to be uploaded some six months after the expedition). Further information - including log search (to be updated on a daily basis), suggested frequencies and details on how contribute to this expensive project - can be found at www.yt1ad.info/3d2r/index.html

- The bulk of the equipment, including the linear amplifiers, the Titanex V160E vertical, Hexbeam and other antennas, left Darwin, Australia, on 6 September. It has all arrived safely in Dili, Timor-Leste, and is now awaiting the arrival of the 4W6A team next week.

Due to a late change of airline timetable, 9M6DXX and 9M6XRO will not now arrive in Dili before the afternoon of 16 September. The chartered boat taking the team and the equipment to Atauro Island has therefore been rescheduled to later that afternoon. It is likely that only one or two stations will be on the air that day, as the team will run out of daylight before all the antennas can be erected. The remainder of the antenna work will commence at first light the following morning (approximately 21.15 UTC on 16 September) and 4W6A should be fully operational by the morning

(UTC) of 17 September.

4W6A will be QRV on all bands 10 to 160 metres, using CW, SSB and RTTY with up to four stations simultaneously. Col, MM0NDX, is the pilot for 4W6A and is responsible for providing feedback to the team. He may be contacted at dxer59[@]gmail.com. QSL via M0URX, direct or bureau (http://m0urx.com/oqrs). The entire log will be uploaded to LoTW as quickly as possible after the end of the operation or, if possible, also during the DXpedition. Log search and further information can be found at www.4w6a.com [TNX 9M6DXX]

- 7P Arnold, WB6OJB (7P8JK) and Frosty, K5LBU (7P8CF) will be active again from Lesotho on 14-22 September. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Pine ZS6OB (7P8EME), Wynand ZS6ARF (7P8QRO), Dick ZS6BUN (7P8BUN), Pieter ZS6PA (7P8PA), Dan HB9CRQ (7P8RQ) and Hermann DL2NUD (7P8HP) will be active from Lesotho on 14-26 September. The group will will operate under the call sign 7P8EME and cover all the VHF-UHF frequencies from 50 MHz to 1.296 MHz (4m excluded) on EME, with some activity (mainly CW) on the HF bands as well as on 2 and 6m tropo and Meteor scatter. The operation is under the auspices of the South African Radio league.
- 7Q Ely, IN3VZE will be active as 7Q7CE from Malawi between 16 September and 3 October. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- A5 Andy UA3AB (A52AB), Ralph K0IR (A52IR), Paul W8AEF (A52PP), Pat W0BM (A52PC) and Glenn W0GJ (A51B) will be in Bhutan between 25 October and 1 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as single band entrants: A52IR on 80m, A52PC on 40m, A52PP on 20m, A52AB on 15m and A51B on 10m. They will be on other bands and modes outside the contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX W0GJ]
- GM A team of Belgian operators (ON4HIL, ON4ATW, ON4AHF, ON4VJ, ON5TN, ON7YT and possibly others) will set sail for Rockall (EU-189) on 23 September. The voyage takes about four days: weather and sea conditions permitting, they plan to be QRV as MM0RAI/p for up to 48 hours on 27 or 28 September. Activity will be on 80-10 metres SSB and CW with two stations. QSL via ON4ATW, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.rockall.be [TNX ON5TN]
- Guenter, DL3NBI will be active as IA5/DL3NBI from Isola del Giglio (EU-028, IIA GR-002) on 14-22 September. He plans to operate PSK, RTTY and SSB mainly on 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- I Look for IP1/IQ1SP (on the HF bands, SSB and CW) and IP1/IK1WVR (on 6 and 2 metres SSB) to be active from Tino Island (EU-083, IIA SP-002) on 16-18 September. The special permission granted by the Italian Navy is for activities to take place only from 8 to 14 UTC each day.
- JA Ken, JS3OMH will be active as JS3OMH/6 from various islands (Kodakara, Taira and Akuseki) in the Tokara Archipelago (AS-049) on 8-14 September. He operates CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JR3TVH]
- OZ Bernd, DL8AAV will be active as OZ0AV from Laeso Island (EU-088) on 12-24 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- SV Fred, PA1FJ will be active as SV8/PA1FJ/p from Thasos Island (EU-174) on 13-19 September. He will operate SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- T5 Murat, TA1AMC ("a member of the Turkish Ministry of Health's National Medical Rescue Team") is active in his spare time as

- T5/TA1AMC from Mogadishu, Somalia. DXCC wise, NC1L says this operation "is currently on hold for supporting documentation" (source: The Golist). WFWL, as Murat will be there until around late November. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T8 Ulf, DL5AXX will be active as T88UE from from Palau (OC-009) on 18-27 September. He will participate in the CQ WW RTTY Contest as T8XX. QSL both callsigns via DL5AXX. [TNX DX World]
- W The Pearl River DX Association will be operating memorial station W2WTC (World Trade Center) on 8-30 September, with activity on 17,20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via K2HJB. [TNX K2HJB]
- W Once again Joe, K5KUA will be active as K5KUA/5 from Galveston Island (NA-143) on 17-18 September. He operates CW only. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- YU To celebrate and promote the 16th IARU World Amateur Radio Direction Finding Championship, to be held in Serbia next year (10-15 September), four special callsigns will be in use between now and 20 September 2012: YT16ARDF, YU16ARDF, YT16IARU and YU16IARU. Information on the ARDF event can be found at www.ardf2012.org
- ZA Tevfik, TA1HZ will be active as ZA1TC from Albania until 14 September, including an entry in the WAE DX SSB Contest. QSL via the TA bureau, or direct to TA1HZ.

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DX MAGAZINE MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted Survey is being conducted now through 15 October. The survey form is available at www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2011.html (please note that it is not a complete list of all DXCC Entities: if you need something that is not listed, simply use the "Additions or Comments" space at the end of the form). The STOR confirmations are not expected to be available before the deadline for the new Entity to be included in this survey, so South Sudan is not on the form this time.

The overall results will be published in the January-February 2012 issue of The DX Magazine, and the world-wide results will be posted to the web site around 15 January 2012 as well. The breakdown by mode/Low Bands will be published in the March-April 2012 issue of the magazine.

IARU REGION 1 HF BAND PLAN ---> The 22nd General Conference of IARU Region 1, held at Sun City (South Africa) on 13-19 August, made some changes to the Region 1 HF Band Plan. On 40 metres the CW contest preferred segment was withdrawn, and four new 10m FM Repeater channels were introduced which required a shift of the 10m FM Simplex channels. The revised Band Plan can be found at www.iaru-r1.org

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3A Manel, EA3EGB will be active as 3A/EA3EGB from Fort Antoine, Monte-Carlo on 18-19 September. He plans to operate SSB and RTTY on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX RN1CW]
- Dennis, W1UE will be active as W1UE/6Y5 from Jamaica (NA-097) from 17 September to 4 October. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY, with a focus on the low bands. He will participate in the CQ WW RTTY Contest (24-25 September) and the California QSO Party (1-2 October) as 6Y6U. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C5 Twelve operators (namely OK1DIX, OK1DO, OK1DSZ, OK1FFU, OK1NU, OK1RI, OK1RK, OK5MM, OK8WW/OM2TW, OM2IB, OM5AW and OM6NM) will be active as C50C from The Gambia from 21 October to 1 November, and again on 20-29 November. They will participate in the both the CQWW DX SSB (29-30 October) and CQWW DX CW (26-27 November) contests as C5A (Multi-Multi). They will be QRV on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres with 3-4 stations (and with 6 stations during the contests). QSL both callsigns via OM2FY, direct or bureau. Logsearch and further information can be found at www.om0c.com [TNX OK8WW]
- CE Luis, CX1EK will be active again as CE2/CX1EK between 16 September and 19 October. He operates mainly CW on 12 and 17 metres. QSL direct to Luis Matho, 2303 Nordok Place, Alexandria VA 22306, USA. [TNX CX1EK]
- F Special event call TM33LDX is active until 24 September for the 33rd Convention of the Clipperton DX Club, this year to be held at Barbatre, Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 23-24 September (details at www.cdxc.org). QSL via F5CWU and LoTW. [TNX F5NQL]
- F Look for Sergio, IZ4BBF to be active as F/IZ4BBF from Sainte-Marguerite Island (EU-058) on 13-16 October, with operations planned on 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX IZ4BBF]
- GJ G3ZAY, G7VJR, JA1LZR, JF1PJK and JQ2GYU will be active as GJ6UW from Jersey (EU-013) on 2-7 December. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands, with an emphasis on 160 and 80m for Asia and Japan when propagation is available. The station will include a JA-facing beverage, an 80m vertical array and a 4-square for 40m. On other HF bands, they hope to use the Jersey club station. QSL via M0BLF. All logs will be on Club Log and posted to LoTW during the expedition. [TNX G7VJR]
- KHO Al, W6HGF will be active as W6HGF/KHO from Saipan (NA-086), Mariana Islands on 21-30 September. He will focus on RTTY, with participation in the CQ WW RTTY Contest, but will also use other modes when time permits. QSL via home call (direct) and LoTW (preferred). [TNX NG3K]

- LX A group of operators will be active as LX8M from Luxembourg on 22-25 September, including an entry in the CQ WW RTTY Contest. They will operate CW, SSB and various digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via operators' instructions. [TNX DL1FX]
- OJO An international team of twelve operators will be active as OJOX from Market Reef (EU-053) for 3 weeks starting on 19 September, weather permitting. The three one-week shifts are as follows: 19 September DL3DXX, DH7SA, DL5CW, SP5XVY 27 September OH1TV, OH2BAD, OH2BO, OH5BM G3TXF, OH2BH, OH2PM, SM0W, SM6U The first group plans to run three stations, especially on WARC and low bands, but also in the CQWW RTTY Contest. The second group will take up where the previous group left off. The third group will cover more bands and the SAC SSB Contest. Their announced frequencies are: 1813 or 1826.5, 3523, 7023, 10123, 14003 or 14033, 18083 or 18083, 21003 or 21033, 24893 or 24903, 28003 or 28033 kHz (CW); 1843, 3770, 7070, 14170, 18130, 21280, 24960, 28490 kHz (SSB); 10140 and 18108 kHz (RTTY). QSL via OH2BH. You can follow the happenings via the Market Reef Diary (www.majakkaseura.fi/eng/market/). Log search will be available at www.clublog.org [TNX OH2BN]
- OZ DG0OGM, DK1AW, DL3ARK, DL4AMK and DL5ASE will be active as OZ/homecall from Helnaes Island (EU-172) from 24 September to 1 October. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and BPSK on 160-10 metres. [TNX DX World]
- PJ4 A large group of operators from the Provins ARC (F6KOP) will be active as PJ4C from Bonaire (SA-006) on 12-23 January 2012. They will be QRV on all bands and modes, with at least six stations and 80,000 QSOs (and hopefully the new RTTY world record) as their goal. Bookmark www.pj4c.com for further information and updates. [TNX F5NQL]
- PJ5 Janusz, SP6IXF and Wlodek, SP6EQZ will be active again as PJ5/SP6IXF and PJ5/SP6EQZ from Sint Eustatius (NA-145) from 19 October to 4 November. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres with two high power stations. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. A dedicated website is under construction. [TNX SP5UAF]
- PZ Peter, PA1LP will be active as PZ5LP from Surinam between 18 September and 15 October. He will operate mainly PSK and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via PA1LP (direct or bureau), LoTW and eQSL. [TNX NG3K]
- SP Special event station HF36POL will be active from Poland between 20 September and 6 November to celebrate the departure of the 36th Polish Antarctic Expedition to Arctowski station (South Shetlands). QSL via SP9YI, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- TK Heinz, DF6ZY will be active as TK/DF6ZY from Corsica (EU-014) between 18 September and 1 October, with a focus on RTTY and PSK31. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- TU 27 October to 11 November are the dates for the TU2T DXpedition to Cote d'Ivoire [425DXN 1060]. Seven operators will be active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY with 3-4 stations. QSL via I2YSB (direct) or IK2CIO (bureau). Further information, band/mode survey and OQRS can be found at www.i2ysb.com. A dedicated forum where to contact the pilot station IK7JWY is at www.hamradioweb.org/forums/
- YJ Ben, DJ0YI and Tom, NQ7R are both part of the YJ0VK DXpedition [425DXN 1060], and plan to operate mainly CW and digital modes before and after the main operation as YJ0ABP and YJ0ANR

respectively. They will arrive at Port Vila (OC-035), Vanuatu on 27 September and be active until the 30th, when the main group arrives. After the main operation closes, they will remain and operate until 15 October. QSL YJ0ABP via DJ0YI, QSL YJ0ANR via NO7R. [TNX NO7R]

ZK2 - Nine operators from Germany (DF1AL, DJ9HX, DJ9RR, DK1AX, DK1MA, DL2HWA, DL7JAN, DL7VEE and DM2AYO) will be active as ZK2C from Niue (OC-040) on 3-17 February 2012. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres with three stations. QSL via DL7JAN, direct or bureau. Further information, including suggested frequencies, log search and the OQRS for both direct and bureau cards, can be found at http://zk2c.hkmann.de/

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CQ DX AWARDS NEW MANAGER ---> Keith Gilbertson, K0KG has been named the new CQ DX Awards Manager. His appointment follows the retirement of Billy Williams, N4UF, after more than three decades of service to the amateur radio DXing community. Effective immediately, any correspondence relating to the CQ DX Award program should be directed to: Keith Gilbertson, 21688 Sandy Beach Lane, Rochert, MN 56578-9604, USA. Keith may be reached by e-mail at keith.gilbertson[@]q.com.

OCEANIA DX CONTEST ---> The 2011 Oceania DX Contests will be held on 1-2 October (SSB) and 8-9 October (CW), from 8 UTC to 8 UTC. The aim of the contest is to promote HF contacts with stations in the Oceania region (VK, ZL, Pacific Islands and other locations within the IARU "Worked All Continents" Oceania boundary). Complete information can be found at www.oceaniadxcontest.com

SAC ---> The dates and times for the 53rd Scandinavian Activity Contest are: CW 17-18 September (12 UTC to 12 UTC)

SSB 8-9 October (12 UTC to 12 UTC)

Complete information of the SAC events can be found at http://sactest.net

SPRATLY 2012 ---> While next year's DX0DX expedition to Thitu Island (Pagasa) [425DXN 1035] has been cancelled for good, another operation is being planned to take place from Layang Layang, Spratly Islands in April 2012. "Members of the Malaysian Amateur Radio Transmitter Society (MARTS) and the 9M4SDX Team are behind the project". Further information is expected in due course. [TNX DX World]

VP8ORK ---> The South Orkeny Islands 2011 DVD (52 minutes), produced by James Brooks, 9V1YC is now available: "against the backdrop of stunning Antarctic scenery find out what took for the MicroLite Penguins to bring

another one of the DX world's most unique, and most wanted, on the air". Purchase information can be found at www.dxvideos.com

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Massimo Muracchioli (IZ5RYG), Filippo Varvello (I1FVT), John R. Sheller (K8RR) Judith A. Nelson (KC1RI) and Jim Robertson (ZL2JR), one of only two stations from New Zealand to achieve DXCC on 160 Metres.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- The Federation of Radio Sports of Azerbaijan and the Safari DX Activators Club are organizing an expedition to take place from Nagorno Karabakh from 30 September to 2 October. The team will operate as 4K3K, 4J0K and 4J0SFR. [TNX 4J5T]
- DL Markus, DJ4EL will be active as DJ4EL/p from Helgoland-Duene (EU-127) from 30 September to 3 October. He plans to be QRV on 40, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- DL DF6LPC, DJ9IE, DL3HBZ, DL8HAL and DL5HAQ will be active as DK0RZ from Hallig Hooge (EU-042) on 5-8 October. They plan to operate CW, SSB and PSK31. QSL via bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- F The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (TP2CE, ewwa.free.fr) will be active again as TP50CE on 23-24 September to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the European Social Charter. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- FP Martin, G3ZAY and others will be active from the island of Miquelon (NA-032) on 24-30 September. Look for FP/G3ZAY, FP/G4EAG, FP/M0BLF, FP/M0TOC, FP/M0VFC and FP/M1BXF to be QRV with four stations on 80-10 metres CW and SSB, possibly with some 160m operation. QSL via home calls.
- FR Willi, DJ7RJ will be operating as FR/DJ7RJ from Reunion Island (AF-016) on 4-26 October. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, with a focus on the low bands using a 500 watt amplifier into an inverted L antenna. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- GM The MM0RAI/p team will depart for Rockall (EU-189) on 24 September, one day later than previously announced [425DXN 1062]. Look for hem to be signing ON4ATW/mm during the 4-day voyage from Antwerp to the island. Bookmark www.rockall.be for updates.
- GM A group of operators from the Workington Radio Club and the Sands Contest Group will be active as MS0WRC from the Isle of Tiree (EU-008) on 1-8 October. QSL via G0MTD, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- I Weather permitting, members of the Extreme DX & Contest Group will be active as IL3A from Lido Island (EU-131) on 24 September. They will be QRV on 40, 20 and 15 metres. QSL via IK3HHX, direct or bureau.
- I Look for Alessandro, IZ4AMS/p (www.modxit.it) to be active from Tinetto Island (EU-083) on 9-10 October. He will be QRV on 80, 40 and 20 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX IZ4AMS]
- PA Ric, DL2VFR will be active as PA/DL2VFR from Ameland Island (EU-038) between 30 September and 6 October. He will operate mainly CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

- SV5 Villy, LA4GY will be active as SV5/LA4GY from Rhodes (EU-001) between 25 September and 10 October. He plans to operate QRP on 40-6 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- T2 The C21A DXpedition to Nauru [425DXN 1049] has been postponed until next year, as the airline "could not guarantee the flight due to internal problems". A new destination has been arranged and now "most of the same team" (namely K4ZLE, NL8F, VK4AN, VK4FW, VK4NEF and W5SL) will be active as T2T from Tuvalu (OC-015) from 11 November to 8 December. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres with 3-4 stations. QSL via VK4FW. The log will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL within 12 months. Further information can be found at http://t2t.pacific-dxers.com/
- T32 The T32C expedition to Christmas Island "has hit some logistical problems", G3XTT reported on 16 September. The container "with its 6 tonnes of kit got as far as T30 (Tarawa), but onward shipping to T32 has proved impossible, despite our best efforts and promises from those involved in 3D2, T30 and T32. The ship that was due to bring our container from Tarawa has broken down and is being towed to Fiji for repairs".

The team will go ahead anyway. They will have "ten FT-450D radios, which we will hand carry to T32, along with several lightweight linears. We will also take enough hardware to set up verticals and vertical arrays for all bands 160 through 10. It may even be possible to run multiple stations on some bands, though not to the extent that we had previously planned. All our computer equipment was to be hand-carried in any case, so daily log updates to ClubLog will be unaffected. Unfortunately, unless our container makes an unlikely late arrival on the island, 6m EME will have to be abandoned, and we will not have the 4-square arrays for 30 and 40. But we will do our best to set up phased systems or other antenna Configurations to achieve gain, especially towards Europe where will continue to focus our efforts".

The expedition dates (28 September-26 October) are unaffected, "but we cannot realistically expect to have stations running on nine bands by the first weekend, though we will aim to be on some bands, at least. As we will not have everything pre-kitted, there will be a lot of building and configuration work to do once we arrive at Christmas".

Check the expedition's website (www.t32c.com) for updates on the latest happenings and for interacting with the team once they start operations - "your feedback will be especially important so that we can maximise every band opening".

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CQ WW RTTY DX CONTEST ---> This year's event will run from 00.00 UTC on 24 September through 24.00 UTC on the 25th. Rules can be found at www.cqwwrtty.com and an Announced Operations listing is maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqr2011.html

DLFF ---> The website for the DL Flora & Fauna Award can be found at

www.wff-dl.de. As of 1 October the new Award Manager will be Friedrich zur Hellen, DL4BBH. [TNX DL2VFR]

JARL QSL BUREAU ---> As of 1 October 2011 the Japan Amateur Radio League's (JARL) QSL Bureau will have a new address: JARL QSL Bureau, 1324-3 Kanba, Hikawa-cho, Izumo-shi, Shimane, 699-0588, Japan.

NWRW 2011 ---> The National Wildlife Refuge Week combines Amateur Radio communication capabilities with enjoyment of the outdoors to help others learn about the National Wildlife Refuge System. Amateur radio stations are operating from a number of wildlife refuges this week (8-16 October) under guidelines established in cooperation with the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service. Information on this special event can be found at www.nwrweek-radio.info

QSL 5D5A & CN3A ---> Effective 1 September 2011, Bob I2WIJ is no longer the QSL manager for CN3A e 5D5A. Contacts are confirmed via LoTW, or through the OQRS at clublog.org [TNX I2WIJ]

QSL VIA EA5GL ---> Pedro, EA5GL resports he has the logs since 1997 for JA6WFM's activities as HC5WW, HC5WW/HC8, HD5J, HQ3J, HR3/JA6WFM, HR3J, JA6WFM/HC5, JA6WFM/HI8, JA6WFM/TG9, NP3J, NP3J/HI3, TI5EBU, TI5WFM, YN6WFM and YN6WW. He will also be the QSL manager for Hiro's next operations. QSL to Pedro Miguel Ronda Monsell, C/ Maximiliano Thous 16-24, 46009 Valencia, Spain.

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******* QSL ROUTES ******

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- 5N Bodo, DF8DX (ex DL3OCH) will be active as 5N7Q from Abuja, Nigeria on 3-15 October. He will be QRV with 100 watts on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW.
- 5V Arnaud, F4FOO will be active as 5V7MA from Togo between 19 December and 4 January. He will operate SSB on 20-10 metres during his spare time. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F4FOO]
- 6O Michael, PA5M is likely to be active in his spare time as 6O0M from Somalia on 2-4 October. QSL via PA7FM. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 8Q Oku, JK1KSB will be active as 8Q7SO from Mirihi Island, Maldives (AS-013) from 28 October to 3 November. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JK1KSB]
- 9M2 Andrea, IZ1MHY expects to be active holiday style as 9M2/IZ1MHY from Redang Island (AS-073) until 9 October. He plans to operate holiday style on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]
- 9M2 Rich, PAORRS will be active again as 9M2MRS from Penang Island (AS-015) between 31 December and 13 February 2012. This time he will operate exclusively CW, PSK and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, as well as LoTW and eQSL. [TNX PAORRS]
- Rich, N0HJZ will be active as C6ARW from Grand Bahama (NA-080) on 27-31 October, including a SOAB Low Power entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. Outside the contest he will operate CW and SSB on 10-160 metres (but not on 30, 17 or 12m). QSL via home call (direct) and LoTW. [TNX N0HJZ]
- CY0 Al, VE1AWW will be back to Sable Island starting on 5 October through the end of the year. He will be active as CY0/VE1AWW in his spare time. QSL via home call. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- GM The MM0RAI team met with "a huge storm with heavy seas" on 28 September and sailed back to St Kilda. After studying the swell and wind charts, they came to the conclusion that Saturday morning looks favourable to a second attempt at reaching and climbing Rockall. They expect to leave St Kilda on 30 September in their late morning; the voyage takes about 14 hours. The plan is to operate from the rock during their daylight hours only on 1 October. Check www.rockall.be for updates
- HB9 Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the Radio Museum of Monte Ceneri, the Insubria Radio Team will be active as HB9IRC on 1 October (8-20 UTC) and 2 October (6-13 UTC). They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via HB9OCR, bureau preferred. [TNX IZ2LSC] HK0_sa Daniel, DL5YWM will be active as HK0/DL5YWM from San Andres Island

(NA-033) on 5-13 October. He will operate SSB and CW on 40-6

- metres. A side trip to Providencia (NA-049) is being considered. QSL via DL5YWM. [TNX DL5YWM]
- HL A large team of operators will be active as HL0V from Anmyon Island (AS-080) on 1-3 October. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres, plus 6 and 2m. QSL via HL2UVH.
- I Once again special callsign IR3MD will be in use by ARI Rovereto between 30 October and 30 November. The prefix stands for Maria Dolens, the mighty bell casted after World War I to commemorate the fallen in all wars. QSL via IZ2GOT, Information on the relevant award can be found at qrz.com [TNX IN3VHA]
- JA Kan, JE1SCF plans to be active in his spare time as JE1SCF/JR6 from the Yaeyama Islands (AS-024) on 6-8 October. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- KHO Look for JF2SKV to be active as NH0S from Saipan, Mariana Islands (OC-086) on 27-31 October. He will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK, and will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via JF2SKV. [TNX NG3K]
- PJ2 Joeke, PA0VDV will be active as PJ2/PA0VDV from Curacao (SA-099) from 24 November to 13 December. He will operate CW only on 80-10 metres, and will *not* participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest (look for him on 30, 17 and 12 metres during that weekend). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX PA0VDV]
- PJ4 Wim, ON4CIT (OS1T) will be active as PJ4J from Bonaire (SA-006) from 27 October to 9 November. He plans to focus on RTTY and SSB on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, plus LoTW and eQSL. An OQRS will be activated on Club Log. Further information at www.dxpedition.be/pj4j.html [TNX ON4CIT]
- PY Members of the Teresina DX Group will be active as ZW8TS from the Sete Cidades National Park on 6, 8 and 9 October. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via PS8NF. Further information and details on the Brazilian National Parks Award can be found at www.teresinadxgroup.com [TNX The Daily DX]
- TK DJ2MX, DJ4MZ, DK4YJ, DK5TX, DK9TN, DL2MLU and DL6RAI will be active as TK/homecall (QSL via home calls) from Corsica (EU-014) on 23-28 November. They will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest as TK4W (Multi-2). An OQRS for TK4W will be activated at www.dq4w.de/2011/tk4w; traditional direct cards should be sent to DJ2MX. [TNX DK9TN]
- UR Special event stations EM15UCRF (UT3UZ), EM15E (UR5EDX), EM15H (UR7HAJ), EM15I (UT5IM), EM15J (UU0JX), EM15L (UR5LO), EM15M (UR3MP), EM15PA (US9PA), EM15Q (UR4QX), EM15R (UT5RX), EN15J (UU5JW), EN15L (UT5LO) and EO15L (UX1LA) will be active on 12-19 October to celebrate the 15 anniversary of the Ukrainian State Centre of Radio Frequencies (UCRF). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX UT3UZ]
- V2 Bud, AA3B will be active as V26K from Antigua (NA-100) on 24-28
 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. This will be an all CW operation on the contest HF bands only. QSL via AA3B.
 [TNX AA3B]
- VE Special event station VC3ARCI will be active during the entire month of October to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the QRP Amateur Radio Club International. QSL via VA3JFF. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VE Look for Heinz, VA7AQ/7 and Frank, VE7DP/7 to be active from Pender Island (NA-075) starting around 22 UTC on 1 October until 22 UTC on the 3rd. They will be QRV on 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX islandchaser.com] VK0_m Trevor, VK8TH has been active as VK0TH from Macquarie Island

(AN-005) since 24 September. He runs 100 watts into a 5-band vertical and a 40m dipole. QSL via JE1LET (direct only). In addition, Kevin, VK0KEV hopes to more more active in the coming weeks, before he leaves th island in November. [TNX The Daily DX] - Members of the Kennehoochee ARC (W4BTI) will be active as K4L from St George Island (NA-085) and lighthouse on 5-9 October. They plan to operate CW, SSB, PSK and RTTY on 160-6 metres. An OQRS will be activated at the conclusion of the operation (details on qrz.com). Traditional direct requests should be sent to The Kennehoochee Amateur Radio Club, P.O. Box 1245, Marietta, GA 30060, USA.

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SAVE DX LOGS! ---> This appeal comes from Bob Schenck, N2OO: "If anyone knows of any DX or DXpedition logs and blank cards that are in jeopardy of being trashed, PLEASE save them! If you are a QSL Manager and can't be bothered any more, PLEASE contact us! Contact the QSL Managers Society and we pledge to locate a quality replacement QSL Manager. Just because a DXpedition log is old does not mean that it is not worthy of being saved!" Please visit www.qsl.net/qslmanagers or email qslmanagers [@]qsl.net

T32C ---> This is the FSDXA Christmas Island DXpedition Bulletin No.6, realeased by Don Field (G3XTT) on 30 September.

"This Bulletin is written Friday afternoon Christmas Island time. We have been busy the past two days erecting antennas for all bands 160 through 10, as well as setting up stations and the IT network, which interconnects all logging positions and provides lots of data for helping us plan the operating schedules once we are under way. Everything has gone well during set-up, with great co-operation from the staff of the Captain Cook Hotel. For the record, our advance party (G3NUG, G3USR, DK1II) made around 1800 QSOs on 10 and 20m, using 100 watts (FT-450D) to a small vertical by the sea, so we are confident that we should be able to make a big impression on the bands once we are fully operational.

Our plan is to commence operations at midnight local time today here in Christmas, which is 1000 UTC Friday 30th September [recte: Saturday 1 October, ed.]. We expect to be active on several bands from the start. We do, however, have only one station per band for the time being, so for the first few days will probably alternate modes on a (roughly) 24 hour basis. On the non-WARC bands we expect to start on CW and then, at 1200 UTC on Saturday, move to SSB and make a serious multi-multi entry in the Oceania contest (which runs for 24 hours). This should get our SSB operations off to a great start. We are able to work all comers in the contest, so we very much want your call, whether you are taking part or just need a T32 QSO. We will give you a contest report (RS + serial number); if you are taking part please give us your serial number in return.

OTHER DXPEDITIONS: We are very much aware that there are other expeditions active at this time, and will take every care to avoid causing any sort of mutual QRM. This may well mean that we operate on frequencies other than those that we pre-announced. No doubt we will be spotted on the Cluster network, in any case.

ONGOING PLANS: We remain committed to maximising band openings to Europe, but expect the number of callers in the first few days to make this

difficult if not impossible. But bear in mind that we will be active for 3 weeks and four weekends, so there should be plenty of opportunities (propagation permitting) for a QSO. We will continue to send out news and photographs when the opportunity arises - our website is being regularly updated by webmaster G3WPH and those of who you who use Twitter can follow us on G7VJR's Twitter feed (@G7VJR)".

QSL via G3NUG. QSLling instructions and updates can be found at www.t32c.com

- + SILENT KEYS + Helio "Carl" Carlota (PY2DBU) passed away on 25
- + September. A

highly respected member of the Brazilian amateur radio community, he was a serious DXer and certificate hunter, and also served an IOTA Checkpoint in the past.

Jean Joveneau (F9LX), a member of the FO0XX DXpedition to Clipperton Island (1985), passed away on 25 September at 80 years of age.

Wilson Greatbatch (W2QBO) passed away on 27 September, aged 92. An electrical engineer, he was the inventor of the implantable cardiac pacemaker, which has led to heart patient survival rates comparable to that of a healthy population of similar age.

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2ML (OC-156), 3Z200CHOPIN, 4A4A, 4L1BR, 5C12M, 5R8IC, 5Z4/DL8NBE, 7Q7HB, 7X4AN, 8P9AA, 8Q7CE, 9H4JX, 9K2YM, 9L0W, 9X0VB, A35KL, A73A, A92IO, BV100, C21YY, C31CT, C5YK, C91KHN, CE9/VE3LYC, CN2FB, CO2WL, CP4BT, D44BS, DZ1P, E51PMR, EH9AI, EK7DX, ER1LW, ES3AX, ES9C, EY7AD, FM5DN, FM5LD, FO/F6CTL, FO8RZ, FT5GA, H77REX, HC1HC, HC1HW, HH2/OH2TA, HI8CSS, K8LEE/CYO, KP2/NY6X, KU2F/VK4, MS0INT, OY/PA2A, PJ2T, PJ6D, PP0T, R1ANB, S21YZ, SU9VB, SV2ASP/A, SX5F, T31A, T48K, T6AF, TG9/DL5RMH, TG9AHM, TL0A, TO2FH, V31RN, V5/DJ2HD, VK9NN, VP5/NY6X, VP8ORK, VR2XMT, VU2PHD, YL2BJ, YL3FX, YS3CW, ZB3B, ZF2EZ, ZK2A, ZS26BI.

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- 9H DL8KX and DD8ZJ will be active as 9H3KX from Malta (EU-023) on 8-14 October. They will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via DL8KX.
- 9H Eight German operators (namely DG0OHD, DK8YY, DL1AOB, DL1AWD, DL4JS, DL5AOL, DL8ALU and DO5KO) will be active as 9H9OB from Malta (EU-023) on 14-22 October, WAG Contest included. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on the HF bands, plus SSB and CW on 2m. QSL via DH7WW, direct or bureau. [TNX DH7WW]
- 9L Jan DJ8NK, Heye DJ9RR, Karl-Heinz DK2WV, Andy DL5CW and Andreas DL9USA will be active as 9L0W from Banana Island (AF-037), Sierra Leone from 22 November to 4 December. They will operate CW, RTTY/PSK and SSB on 160-10 metres with four stations, and will take part in the CQ WW CW Contest. QSL via DK2WV. Further information can be found at www.mdxc.org/9l0w/
- A7 Six operators from the Lufthansa Amateur Radio Club, in cooperation with the Qatar Amateur Radio Society, will be active again as A71DLH from Qatar on 22-29 October. Operations are planned on all bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via DL0LH and logsearch at www.dl0lh.de
- Seven operators (namely I4UFH, IK1HJS, IK2NCJ, IT9SPB, IZ4DPV, IZ4UEZ, IZ8FWN) will be active from the D4C contest station on Sao Vicente Island (AF-086, www.d4c.cc) between 10 and 30 October, including a multi-op entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via IZ4DPV (direct) or CT1ESV (bureau), plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX NG3K]
- Achim, DL1DAW will be active as D44TZN from Sal Island (AF-086) on 12-18 October. He plans to operate holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY, and to take part in the WAG Contest (15-16 October). All of the QSOs wil be confirmed automatically via the DARC bureau and LoTW. Direct cards via DL1DAW.
- Scout station II5BP will be active during the 54th Jamboree On The Air (15-16 October). QSL via IW5EGT (but all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau). [TNX IW5EGT]
- Bjorn, LA5UKA and Trond, LA9VDA will be active as LA6Q from Spjaeroy Island (EU-061) until 9 October. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 40-10 metres and 6m MS. QSL via LA9VDA, direct or bureau (email requests for bureau cards can be sent to la9vda[@]gmail.com). [TNX LA9VDA] VK9_c Lot, DJ7ZG and Babs,
- DL7AFS (www.qsl.net/dl7afs/) will be active as VK9CX from the Cocos (Keeling) Islands (OC-003) from 19 October to 9 November. They plan to operate RTTY, PSK and SSB on 80-6 metres. OSL via DL7AFS.
- W Look for Jim, KA3UNQ/p to be active from Middle Hooper Island (NA-140) on 8 October. He will operate SSB on 40 and 20 metres

- starting around 13 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX usislands.org]
- W Weather permitting, Dragan K0AP, Hector AD6D (XE2K) and Mike AB5EB will be active from Grand Island (NA-089) on 14-16 October. They plan to be QRV as K0AP/5, AD6D/5 and AB5EB/5 on 40-10 metres CW and SSB with two stations. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]
- XV Mio, JR3MVF and Chae, HL1KDW will be active as XV2YL and XV2KDW respectively from Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam until 12 October. Most of their operation will be on 20 and 15 metres. [TNX QRZ-DX] ZS_ant -
- Gerard, ZS7KX (home call ZS6KX) will be stationed at the SANAE IV Base (Queen Maud Land, Antarctica) until mid-February 2012. "I am operational on 20 meters, frequency 14.175 MHz at about 14 UTC, weather permitting", he says.

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3D2R ---> It went QRT from Rotuma earlier than originally planned, at 11 UTC on 5 October. The team expected to depart the island at 12 UTC, and to reach Suva (Fiji) on the 8th. The final log update will be uploaded upon arrival in Suva. The 3D2R log search can be found at www.qslnet.de/member/yt3w/yt1ad/logsearch.php.

CQ DX MARATHON ---> CQ Magazine has announced "a significant expansion in the number of DX Marathon plaques to be awarded each year". Presently there are only two plaques (for the top Unlimited Class and for the top Formula Class scores); starting with the announcement of the 2011 Marathon results (June 2012), additional plaques will be awarded for the top CW, top SSB, top Single Band (10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40, 80) and top Continental scores. An additional sponsor for top Digital Mode score is desired. Please contact the DX Marathon Administrator, K9EL (k9el[@]dxmarathon.com) if you wish to sponsor this plaque. Details on the new plaques and qualifying scores can be found on DX Marathon website (www.dxmarathon.com).

MALPELO 2012 ---> The Malpelo 2012 DXpedition's team now consists of 18 operators representing eight countries. Two members of the team will travel to Malpelo for a reconnaissance visit in late October. The purpose is to check out possible operating sites and make final decisions on the type and placement of antennas, as they want to try to have antennas oriented for all parts of the DX world.

Every effort is being made to extend the length of time available for operating. It appears that they can get to the island one day earlier and may have the option of staying a few extra days. The current plan has the team QRV on or about 23 January for 12-14 days. Operations are planned on 160 through 6 metres on CW, SSB and one digital mode. N2OO and the SJDXA will handle QSL duties.

The Malpelo team is paying all their transportation expenses to/from Colombia and putting up about one-half of all the DXpedition costs. To cover the remainder of our expenses, contributions are being sought from DX Foundations, DX Clubs and individual DXers. You may contribute directly to DXARC (Colombia), K4UEE (North America), DJ9ZB (Europe) or JA1ELY (Asia/JA). See www.hk0na.com for further information on how you can help. [TNX K4UEE]

ROCKALL ---> Patrick, ON4HIL and Rudi, ON7YT were active on 40m as MM0RAI/p from Rockall (EU-189) from 15.45 UTC on 1 October until 06.52 UTC on the 2nd. The logsearch is now up and running at www.rockall.be

SAC SSB ---> The Scandinavian Activity SSB Contest will be held on 8-9 October, from 12 to 12 UTC. Radio Arcala has set up a special DX Summit sub-page (www.dxsummit.fi/sac) so you can follow the Nordic country-to-country battle and also find exclusively individual Nordic spots. [TNX OH2BN]

T32C ---> The DXpedition to Christmas Island has passed the 60,000 QSO milestone (57% CW, 40% SSB and 3% RTTY, but the team is "making an effort to increase the RTTY percentage").

This "has turned out to be something of an unplanned Field Day style operation", G3XTT reported on 5 October, "and we now have no expectations of our container of equipment arriving while we are here on Christmas Island. Instead, the team hand carried just over one metric tonne of equipment (poles, cables, radio gear, computers, etc) to the island". Antenna-wise, they have "two-element vertical dipole arrays by the sea for 20 through 10, quarter-wave verticals with elevated radials for 30 and 40, a quarter wave vertical with ground radials for 80 and a 15m high T antenna with ground radials for 160. We also have two Beverage receive antennas for 160 and now have additional vertical dipoles for 10, 15 and 20 to allow us to retask the low band stations as second stations on those bands when LF is closed. We are continually refining our antenna systems within the limits of the wire, poles and coax that we have here, though the second tranche of operators who arrive in a week's time will bring more". The current continental percentages are 54% NA, 24% AS, 17% EU, 5% others: "we have pretty much been working all comers to clear the decks so that we can begin to focus more on Europe where band openings are much more limited than to the US and Japan". The latest press release, as well as the logsearch and a feedback facility, can be found on the T32C website (www.t32c.com).

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it).

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3D2EG	K3IRV	EF7R	EA7AJR	P29ZAD	NI5DX	
3D2R	YT1AD	EF8M	UA3DX	PI35EDE	PI4EDE	
4J0K	RW6HS	EK6LP	RN4LP	PZ5LP	PA1LP	
4K3K	RW6HS	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	R230Z	UA6GX	
4L1UN	EA7FTR	ER4A	RA4LW	R80TV	R7AA	
4L4ZA	DJ1CW	ES9C	ES5RY	RA3CQ	M0OXO	

4M1F EW6DX **RV7AB** YV1JGT EB7DX DL6ZFG SP3PJW 4M5L YV5LI EY0A **UA4LCH** SN0ZH 4M5RY EA5KB EY8DX **UA4LCH** SO4M SP4MPG 4W6AAD VK3ZGW EY8MM K₁BV SP0DXC SP7DQR 5C2B **ISOAGY** FK8GX W3HNK ST2NH EA7FTR 5C2J **IK7JWX** SV3BEF FK8HW VK4FW SZ3I 5C2P IK2PZC FY8DK F5TJP T32C **G3NUG** 5C2S 9A6AA **IZ7ATN** GB11NH G4OSB T₆BP 5C5W EA5XX GB40HMSB **GOTOC** T6RH NI5DX G0OOO 5K3R HK3R GB650JP T88KH JH3KEA 5N51EAM IK2IQD GM7R N3SL TC3IRESC TA0U 5N70 DF8DX HA50HG HA0HG TI2CF W3HNK 5T0JL ON8RA HB9IRC HB9OCR **TM380** F6ITD 5Z4/PA5M PA7FM HB9SFGB HB9EDG TM4P F6CXJ 600M PA7FM **HB9SPACE** HB9ACA TP50CE F5LGF TR8JH F6FWT 6Y6U W1UE HC2SL EA5KB 7X2VX F4EPP HF100MSC SP1NQF **UA0YAY** IK2QPR 9A12AO 9A2GA HF225DT SP9PTA **UK8OM** 4Z5OG 9G1YE PA3ERA HG15IPA HA3JB UN7MMM EA7FTR 9L1BTB SP7BTB HG7T HA7TM V44KAI W5TFW 9N1FE EA5ZD HK0/DL5YWM DL5YWM V63DX JA7HMZ DF9TA 9Q6AL HK1NA K6IPM V63T JA7GYP A61M EA5GL HL0V HL2UVH V7/KD4TL KD4TL A65CB EB7DX HL5KY W3HNK V85/WK1S JA1PBV A65CF EA7FTR HP1/IZ6BRN IZ8CLM VK0TH JE1LET AY8A LU8ADX IQ0HV/0 IK0ZRR VP9I N1HRA BG5RSO BA4EG **IR5ONU I5KKW** W1S K1NIU BU100 BM2JCC J28RO F8DFP W₁Y WA1VKO BV100 BV2KI J28UC F5RQQ **XU7ACY** W2EN BV100ROC BM2JCC J49XB DJ9XB YB#/WK1S JA1PBV C31CT EA3QS JG8NQJ/JD1 JA8CJY YB0MWM/9 YB9WZJ C4Z G3SWH JW6VM YB9WZJ/9 YB9WZJ LA6VM CM8AKD EA7FTR JW7XK LA7XK YJ0ABP DJ0YI CN8QY **I8LWL** JW8DW LA8DW YJ0AGK VK3GK CO2NO HA3JB K4L N4NX YJ0ANR NQ7R CP6LA HA3JB KB7OBU/KH2 JA3VXH YJ0VK VK2CA CR3L LM9L4OY DJ6QT LA9L YS3CW **I2JIN** CR5D CT1FJO LS₁D LW9EOC YW4D EA7JX LT0H EA7FTR YW5T YV5JBI CR6K CT1ILT CV5K CX2ABC LU7YZ EA7FTR YY1MA EB7DX CX2TG EA5KB LX7I LX2A ZL50GH **ZL1ANH ZL2AL** CX2TQ IK2DUW LY775A LY5A ZM4T CX5TR EA5KB MM0RAI/p ON4ATW ZS3Y SQ8X MS0WRC **ZS6CCY** CX7CO WB3CDX **GOMTD** K3IRV D2SG GM4FDM NH7O EA5GL ZS6TQ K3IRV DQ1175E DL5DCL OG0I OH2TA ZV2K PY2SHF ZW1AS PY1NP E70YL E77E OK8FK DK7FK ED5CEF EA5CEE OM55TV OM3MB **ZW8TS** PS8NF

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3DA Subject to licence approval, Gert ZS6AYU (as 3DA0GF on CW) and Hannes, ZS6BZP (as 3DA0HC on SSB) will be active from Swaziland on 21-24 October. They will be QRV on 40-10 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- Members of Pafos Radio Club will be QRV as 5B4PRC/p for the WFF Programme from Lara Bay, Akamas Peninsula, on 20 October (5-14 UTC). [TNX 5B4AHJ]
- Seb, F8IJV will be active once again as 6V7Q from Senegal from 22 October to 11 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He will operate mainly SSB, possibly with some CW and digital modes, on 160-6 metres. QSL via F8IJV, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- C2 Joe, LA5UF plans to be active as C21UF from Nauru (OC-031) on 17-24 October, and as CE0Y/LA5UF from Easter Island (SA-001) on 3-11 November. He will operate mainly CW and PSK31 from both locations. QSL via home call.
- E5 Bill, N7OU will be active as E51NOU from Rarotonga (OC-013, South Cook Islands) between 17 October and 7 November. He will operate CW only on 80-10 metres during his spare time. On 8-22 November he will go and operate CW only on 160-10 metres from Manihiki Atoll (OC-014, North Cook Islands), with a focus on Europe and a callsign TBA. QSL via N7OU. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- EA6 Mike, DL4ABO will be active as EA6/DL4ABO from the Balearic Islands (EU-004) on 19-24 October. He will operate QRP mainly on 30 metres CW. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- EA6 Adrian, AA5UK will be active as EA6/AA5UK from Ibiza, Balearic Islands from 20 October to 3 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres mostly SSB and digital modes, with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX NG3K]
- EA8 Members of the Teide DX Group will be active as EG8FBN from the lighthouse "Buenavista del Norte", Tenerife (AF-004) on 22-23 October. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on the HF, VHF and UHF bands. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau; direct cards should be sent to EA8NQ. Further information can be found at www.ea8ay.com/EG8FBN/ [TNX EA8NQ]
- F The Radio Club Havrais (F8KHN) will be active as TM2TJV on 24-30 October for the Transat Jacques Vabre, the yachting race on the coffee trading route between Le Havre (France) and Puerto Limon (Costa Rica). [TNX F8REF]
- F F5IL, F5IRC, F5THW, F5UBH and F5UPO will be active as TM5HT from

- Houat Island (EU-048) on 28-30 October. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL via F5THW, direct or bureau. [TNX F8REF]
- G Kev, M0TNX and Martin, M3POG will be active again as GB2HI from Hilbre Island (EU-120) on 21-23 October. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-10 metres, with an emphasis on the lower bands. QSL via M0OXO, LoTW and eQSL. [TNX DX World]
- HR Rick, AI5P will operate holiday style as HR9/AI5P from Roatan Island (NA-057), Honduras from 22 October to 5 November. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH2 JA1OZK will be active as KH2KY from Guam (OC-026) on 22-29 October. He will operate on the HF bands. QSL via JA1OZK.[TNX NG3K]
- KL Subject to a few final details and weather, Rick K6VVA will be active as K6VVA/KL7 from the Bethel County group (NA-240, new one for IOTA) on 28-30 June 2012. Bookmark www.k6vva.com/iota/na240 for updates. [TNX islandchaser.com]
- LU Special callsign L90AA will be in use on 21-31 October to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the Radio Club Argentino (RCA), one of the oldest amateur radio societies in the world and IARU founding member in 1925. Look for activity on all bands and modes. QSL via LU4AA. [TNX LU1ARG]
- FS, PJ7- Jean-Pierre, F5AHO will be active as either FS/F5AHO from Saint Martin (NA-105) and PJ7/F5AHO from Sint Maarten (NA-105) between 17 and 30 November. During the weekends (19-20 and 26-27 November) he plans to operate as FS/F5AHO/p from Tintamarre Island (NA-199). He will operate SSB, RTTY and PSk31 on 20 and 17 metres. QSL via F5AHO. [TNX Les Nouvelles DX]
- PZ Stefan, DK1MM will be active as PZ5MM from Suriname from 25 October to 1 November, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- TL Rudi, DK7PE will be active as TL0CW from Bangui, Central African Republic from 26 October to 3 November. He plans to operate CW on 160-10 metres, with an emphasis on 160 and 80 metres. QSL via DK7PE.
- VE Once again Noel VE2BR and Gregg VE3ZZ will operate M/S in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest with the special call VC2Z from Mercier, Quebec (Zone 5). QSL via VE2BR. [TNX VE3ZZ]
- VK Laurie, VK7ZE and others plan to be active as VK7ZX from King Island (OC-233) on 3-7 November, weather permitting. They will be on air as much as possible, mainly on 20 and 40 metres. "This is not a DXpedition", he says, "just a few friends on holiday participating in the Cape Wickham lighthouse 150th Anniversary celebrations". OSL via VK7ZE.
- XE XE2HUQ, XE2HQI and XE2HVF will be active as XF1C from Coronados Island (NA-165) on 7-12 November. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via XE2HUQ.
- ZA Steve HA0DU, Joe HA0LC, Imi HA0MK, Laci HA0NAR and Fatos ZA1G will be active as ZA20QA from Vlore, Albania from 25 October to 1 November. They will operate CW, AAB and RTTY on 160-2 metres, and will participate in the CQWW SSB Contest. The special callsigns is in remembrance of HA0NNN and HA0MM, who back in 1991 were the leaders of the ZA1QA team. QSL via HA0NAR.
- ZF OE2ATN, OE2SNL and OE2WNL will be active as ZF2OE from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) from 21 October to 2 November. They plan to operate on various bands, 160 amd 80 metres included, CW, RTTY and SSB. QSL via OE2WNL, bureau preferred (QSLling policy can be found at www.zf2oe.net).

ZK2 - Chris, GM3WOJ will be active again as ZK2V from Niue (OC-040) from 21 October to 20 December. QSL via N3SL and LoTW. Keith, GM4YXI will join him for the first two weeks and will be participate in the CQWW DX SSB Contest (29-30 October) as ZK2X. Further information and updates can be found at www.zk2v.com

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3D2RI ---> This is the callsign of the new Rotuma Island High School Club Station, established thanks to the equipment donated by the 3D2R DXpedition team. The new Club Station has been active since 6 October. QSL via KH6CG.

425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The September 2011 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

FUNDING FOR OPERATIONS FROM RARE IOTA GROUPS ---> "With the 50th Anniversary IOTA Marathon [425DXN 1042, ed.] starting in January it would be great if we could get together a list of organisations who would be prepared in principle to help fund operations from the rarer IOTA groups during this two year period. Without lots of operations from this tier of IOTA groups the marathon will not achieve the success it deserves. For this purpose we have decided that "rarer IOTA groups" means groups worked by less than 33% of record-holders at the start of day 1 of the operation. Would DX funding bodies and individuals who are prepared to contribute to this two year IOTA initiative please let me know on g3kma[@]dsl.pipex.com. The intention is that grants would be made directly by contributors to the operation involved as is current usual practice, not through the IOTA Committee. However if we get a good response, we will consider providing some additional funding from a source of funds available to the IOTA Committee." Full details on the 50th Anniversary Marathon can be found at (www.rsgbiota.org). [TNX G3KMA]

MS0INT (ROCKALL 2012) POSTPONED ---> "With careful consideration and much deliberation, we have decided to postpone our intended activation of the islet for at least one year", Col MM0NDX says (see www.eu189.com for the complete release issued on 8 October). "This decision was not taken easily considering our planning and organisational aspects were going extremely well. Suffice to say, we believe an activation so soon after the Belgian effort [MM0RAI/p, ed.] now makes Rockall a less attractive target - that is the crux of our decision. It is not lost on us that the majority of the world, outwith a proportion of Europe, still require EU-189 for their IOTA scores. With that in mind, this planned activity will not be cancelled, only postponed".

Instead of Rockall, MM0NDX and his team are organizing an operation from "another excellent location", which "involves a rare DXCC and IOTA". Further information will be released "one week before departure, sometime in mid-2012".

Wolf Harranth, OE1WHC reports that "a comprehensive Rockall web page from early plans in the mid-60's (with hinterto unpublished documents) to MM0RAI/p including an interview with Patrick, ON4HIL" has been compiled by Documentary Archives Radio Communications and can be found at www.dokufunk.org/rockall

QSL ATOULH ---> The QSL cards for the 19-21 August operation from the lighthouse at Uttan Point have been printed and Deepak, VU2CDP is mailing them out. Email requests for bureau cards can be sent to vu2cdp[@]yahoo.co.in. He plans to send out the bureau cards "as part of my annual dispatch to the VU buro in December". [TNX VU2CDP]

SPRINT CONTEST ---> The Michurinsk Contest Group and Tambov division of SRR organize an Autumn Sprint Contest that will be held on 21 October, from 14 to 18 UTC, on 160,80 and 40 metres CW and SSB. Complete details can be found at http://rw3rq.tamb.ru/sprint_eng.htm [TNX RN3RQ]

T32C ---> "We have been asked to be more precise about our 80/160m scheduling at European sunrise", the T32C team wrote on 14 October. "Starting today (Friday 14 October), we will operate CW on 80m for two days at European sunrise, then we will operate 1 day on SSB. The pattern will be repeated, so CW days will be 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24 October. SSB days will be 16, 19, 22, 25 October. On 160m we are always on CW from our sunset to Western European sunrise".

T32C now has over 131,000 QSOs in the log, including 70k with North America, 25k with Asia and 30k with Europe: "as the JA and US pile-ups continue to diminish", the team reported on 10 October, "we hope the percentage of EU will increase. However, the decline in solar activity since we first started has not helped. That said, we are on track to set at least a few new records".

They continue "to cover as many band/mode openings as we can, with the equipment we carried here. We are currently able to operate two stations simultaneously on 10, 15 and 20 and are looking at being able to do the same on 12 and 17 to make the most of the main band openings, but with limited coaxial cable (it's heavy to hand carry!) we are having trouble achieving the antenna separation we ideally need". Read the latest news from the island at www.t32c.com

+ SILENT KEYS + Jose Castejon Lara (YV5ANT) passed away at 70 years of age. He was one of the best CW operators and contestmen in Venezuela, and took part in several expeditions to YV islands, including four operations from Aves between 1979 and 2006.

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Vladimir I. Shamalo (RX6AV), Stojan Cvetkovic (YU1SW), Metodija Najceski (Z31VL), Craig "Tex" B. Kennedy (N5TX, President Emeritus and Co-founder of Six Meter International Radio Klub) and Paul Zrobok (G0UZP), who died suddenly on 6 October at 57 years of age.

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2LF, 3B8FQ, 4L1BR, 4L1MA, 4M5CW, 4O/G3SXW, 4O3ANT, 5B50J, 5J0T, 5W0NU, 6Y1LZ, 7Z1SJ, 8P9AA, 8R1A, 9H0HSJ, 9K2HN, 9K50UU, 9L0W, 9L5VT, 9M2CQC, 9M6XRO, 9Y4LAS, A35KL, A71BU, A92GE, BA1KW, BU2AQ, C31CT, C6ABR, CP4BT, CS2W (EU-150), EA9EU, EH9AI, EP3PTT, ER1LW, ES3AX, FG/F6AUS, FG5FR, FG8AR, FK8IL, FO/HA5G/p, FP/W6HGF, GB5TI (EU-108), HB60RF, HC1HC, HC2AQ, HH2/PY1ZV, HH7/N3BNA, J38A, J79WE, KH6SH, KP2B, LX1NO, MN0VFW/p, NP2X, NP3CW, OX6YL, P43A, PJ4D, PJ6D, PJ7ROJ, R1ANB, R1FJT, RA2FF, R11FJ, S21YZ, ST0R, SU9VB, SV9GPV, T31A, T32JB, T6AF, T6JC, TA3DD, TG7WW, TG9/DL5RMH, TG9NX, T15/N3KS, TL0A, TO4IPA, TS8P, UA2F, UA9FQY, V31RN, VK0KEV, VK6DXI, VK9HR, VK9IR, VP50V, VP8ORK, VP9NI, VU2PHD, VU4PB, XU7ACY, XX9LT, YL2BJ, YN2ER, YV4DYJ, ZB2FK, ZB3B, ZK3OU, ZP6CW, ZS8M.

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- 3D2 K4ZLE, VK4AN (3D2A), VK4FW (3D2T), VK4NEF and W5SL will be active from Fiji between 26 October and 9 November, prior to the T2T DXpedition to Tuvalu. Look for 3D2A to take part in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest.
- 9V Martin, F8UKP will be stationed in Singapore (AS-019) for the next three years. He will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK as 9V1RM in his spare time. QSL direct and LoTW. [TNX F5NQL]
- BY David, BA4DW plans to be active as BA4DW/7 from Weizhou Island (AS-139) on 21-24 October. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- C3 Once again a large multi-national team of operators will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as C37N from Naturlandia, the Theme Park in the Pyrenees. QSL via EA4URE. Further information at www.dxfriends.com/c37n/
- F Vittorio, I2GPT and other operators will be active as F/I2GPT from Sainte Marguerite Island (EU-058) on 22 October. They will operate CW and SSB with two stations mainly on 12, 17 and 30 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX DX Coffee]
- HA The Puskas Tivadar Radioclub will operate special station HG5BNV until 13 November to celebrate the 115th Budapest International Fair. QSL via HA5KHC. [TNX HA5BA]
- HB0 Mek, SP7VC will be active as HB0/SP7VC from Liechtenstein on 25-31 October, CQ WW SSB Contest included. He will operate SSB on 160-10 metres, plus 6m if the band is open. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- ISO Peter, DJ2OS will be active as ISO/DJ2OS from Sardinia (EU-024) 21-28 October, with planned side trips as IMO/DJ2OS from Caprera Island (EU-041) on 23 October and from San Pietro Island (EU-165) on the 25th. Expect him to operate mainly on or around 10115, 14040 and 14260 kHz. [TNX DJ2OS]
- P4 Robert, W5AJ will be active as P40P from Aruba (SA-036) on 26-30 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. Outside the contest he will focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres RTTY. QSL direct to W5AJ or LoTW. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PJ6 Members of the Prairie DX group (N9PD) will be active on 160-10 metres as PJ6T from Saba Island (NA-145) from 26 October to 1 November, CQ WW DX SSB Contest included. QSL via N9PD and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- PJ7 Charlie, K4UWH and George, W4BUW will be active as PJ7/homecalls from Sint Maarten (NA-105) from 29 October to 11 November. They will operate mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with some activity on 60m SSB. [TNX The Golist]
- SV Peter HA5OV (J48OV) and Laci YU7CM (J48CM) will be active from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 26 October to 2 November. They will

- participate in the CQWW SSB Contest as single band entrants, on 40 and 80 metres respectively. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T8 Nob JA1KSO (T88NB), Hiroshi JH1WXT (T88XT) and Tsuyako JR1WMO (T88WL) will be active as T8AA from Koror (OC-009), Palau from 29 October to 2 November, CQWW SSB included. QSL T8AA via JH1WXT, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- V3 Mike, W7ASF (V31MH) and Tom, KB7JAL (V31TS) will be active from Belize from 26 October to 4 November. They will operate SSB and PSK31 on 80-20 metres, with activity during the CQ WWi DX SSB Contest. OSL via home calls.
- VK The Scout Member Amateur Radio Team will be active as VI6CHOGM during the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting to be held in Perth, Western Australia on 28-30 October. Activity will be on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres SSB, as well as PSK31 and SSTV. All of the QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau. The address for direct cards is Scout Members Amateur Radio Team, Scout Association Of Australia (WA), P.O. Box 467, West Perth WA 6872, Australia. Further information can be found at http://vi6chogm.com
- VP5 Look for Tony, VP5/K4QE (CW, QSL via home call) and Frank, VP5/WA2VYA (SSB, QSL via home call) to be active from the Caicos Islands on 25-31 October. They will participate in the CQWW SSB Contest as VP5T (QSL via N2VW); outside the contest they will emphasize grayline openings on 160, 80, 40 and 30 metres, plus 17, 12 and 10m when the bands are open. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TU Suggested frequencies for the 27 October-11 November TU2T DXpedition to the Cote d'Ivoire [425DXN 1063] are 1823, 3505, 7005, 10106, 14025, 18075, 21025, 24895, 28025 and 50105 kHz (CW); 3780, 7056, 7180, 14195, 18145, 21295, 24945, 28495 and 50105 kHz (SSB); 10140, 14080, 18104, 21080, 24902 and 28080 kHz (RTTY). QSL via I2YSB (direct) or IK2CIO (bureau). Further information at www.i2ysb.com; a dedicated forum can be found at www.hamradioweb.org/forums/
- XE Special event station 4C1JPG will be active until 30 October to celebrate the XVI Pan American Games that are being held in Guadalajara. Activity will be on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and satellite. QSL via LoTW (preferred), by the bureau or direct to XE1GZU.
- ZD8 Marko, N5ZO will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest as ZD8O (SOAB) from Ascension Island (AF-003). QSL via OH0XX. He will be on the island by 20 October and will leave on 1 November, with some CW and SSB activity on the HF bands (30, 17 and 12 metres excluded) before the contest. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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9N1AA ---> "Satish is back on the air after a very long time of inactivity", Carl N4AA (n4aa[@]dxpub.com) reports. "I have agreed to resume acting as his QSL Manager. I now have his logs for the first few days of his operation in mid-October 2011. I do not have ALL of his old logs. Many of those were lost when his computer was confiscated and are no longer available. If you want me to check for any OLD contacts, email me the data and I'll look, but it is doubtful that I can confirm many, if ANY, of those

JOTA ---> CR2AEP, CR2ARQ, CR2ASM, CR2ASS, CR2BSA, CR2JNT, CR3ASA, CR3EPM, CR5AAE, CR5AAR, CR5ACB, CR5ACE, CR5AEA, CR5AEA, CR5AEC, CR5AED, CR5AEE, CR5AEM, CR5AEO, CR5AER, CR5AEV, CR5ALV, CR5AMF, CR5AMO, CR5APA, CR5APL, CR5APM, CR5APR, CR5AQA, CR5BAE, CR5BJA, CR5BRG, CR5CEO, CR5COR, CR5EAL, CR5EAP, CR5ECC, CR5ECH, CR5ECM, CR5EEC, CR5EMC, CR5EMG, CR5EPA, CR5EPC, CR5EPG, CR5EPM, CR5EPO, CR5ESB, CR5ESC, CR5ESJ, CR5ESS, CR5EVA, CR5FAV, CR5FMG, CR5FOV, CR5FSA, CR5GEU, CR5GPS, CR5JNE, CR5JRA, CR5JRB, CR5JRC, CR5JRP, CR5JRV, CR5JVC, CR5LRS, CR5LUZ, CR5LVT, CR5MAF, CR5MFR, CR5MON, CR5MSP, CR5NGC, CR5NSF, CR5NSL, CR5PAE, CR5PEN, CR5RNC, CR5SAC, CR5SAE, CR5SCD, CR5SJT, CR5SME, CR5SNT, CR5STR, CR5VNT, CR6CNE, CR6DNR, CR6FNA and CR6JAM were reported active during the 54th Jamboree On The Air (15-16 October). QSL via bureau. [TNX CT1END]

QSL NA-089 ---> AB5EB/p, AD6D/5 and K0AP/5 made over 3700 QSOs with 2600 unique calls during their ecent activity from Grand Island [425DXN 1066]. Each of them will have all the logs: "so if you worked more then one of us and would like a card for each contact", Mike AB5EB says, "you can send all the cards to one operator who can answer for all three calls. It does not matter who you send the card to". [TNX islandchaser.com]

STOR & LOTW ---> "As you may know, the distribution of STOR QSL cards has begun. The Republic of South Sudan was recently added to the DXCC entities list, so each QSO confirmed by our manager will be the confirmation of a new one.

Because of this, the DXCC Desk has expressed the concern that they may be overwhelmed by thousands of applications to credit the new entity. Consequently, we have decided to make an exception, and upload to the LOTW all the individual donor QSOs and OQRS ones, by 1st November". [TNX EA5RM]

T32C ---> "The QSO count is currently [on 21 October, Ed.] at 188.75k with 49% CW, 41% SSB and 9% RTTY. As you might guess we are working hard to exceed 200k.

During the day (local time) we are running a 6m beacon on 50.102.MHz. If you hear the beacon please put a note on the cluster and we will break the beacon and try for QSOs. So far we have had 99 six metre QSOs, mainly with the West coast USA and Hawaii. The beacon has been heard in Japan and South America. We have also completed a number of 6m EME QSOs.

With just a few days to go to the end of the DXpedition we are beginning to plan the station close down. There will be a phased shut down beginning at 1600z on Monday 24th October, with the last station closing by 0100z on Tuesday 25th. We will keep the 'high rate' stations running as long as possible.

If you look at the on line log and QSOs that were previously in there appear to be missing, don't despair, query the log a little later, they will be there".

- + SILENT KEYS + David Caouette (N6DAC) was killed in Seal Beach,
- + California
- on 12 October, when a gunman, driven by a desire to kill his ex-wife, went on a deadly shooting rampage, leaving eight people dead. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Charlie McCrystal (GI6DCC), Elmer W. Schwittek (K2LAF), Donald A. Sereni (KB6KTV), Anatoly M. Sayapin (RW0JB, ex UA0UB), Vladimir A. Ulyanov (UA5DX, ex UA3FDX), K. R. Vasantha Kumar (VU2VWN), Charles R. Imsande (W6YLJ) and Dudley N. Kaye-Eddie (Z22JE).

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- Once again Retu, OH4MDY will be active as XV2RZ from Vietnam from
 1 November to 12 December. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 80-6
 metres. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- 6W Mark, AA1AC will be active on 80-10 metres as 6W/AA1AC from Le Calao, Senegal on 4-11 December. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX AA1AC]
- Rob, GM3YTS and Gav, GM0GAV will be active as 7Q7GM from Malawi from 31 October to 13 November (http://7q7gm.blogspot.com/). They will operate CW only, with a special effort on 80 and 160 metres.
 QSL via GM4FDM. All QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW as soon they return home. [TNX DX World]
- 7X Special callsign 7U1MA (Metro d'Alger) will be in use on 1-30 November to mark the opening of the underground (subway) of Algiers. QSL via bureau or direct to 7X2ARA.
- 8Q Jim, G3VDB will be active as 8Q7EJ from the Maldives (AS-013) from 31 October to 13 November. He will operate holiday style on the HF bands using CW, PSK31, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- 8Q Cesare, I0WDX will be active as 8Q7CC from the Maldives on 2-12
 November. He will be QRV on 40-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call (direct). Further information at www.dxcoffee.com/8q7cc/
- 9N The 14-24 November 9N7MD DXpedition's team now includes I2VGW, I8YGZ, IV3BSY, IZ2ESV, IZ2GNQ, IZ2KXC, IZ3NXC, IZ8CCW, 4Z4DX, 4Z4OQ, CE6TBN, F1HRE, F5EOT, F9IE, ON7RN, XE1L, XQ3SA and YB3MM, They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY with four stations around the clock (one dedicated to RTTY) on the following announced frequencies:

SSB 1840, 3799, 7080, 14200, 18145, 21295, 24950, 28470 CW 1826.5, 3505, 7005, 10105, 14025, 18075, 21025, 24895, 28025 RTTY 3600, 7040, 10140, 14085, 18100, 21080, 24930, 28085 The pilot stations will be IZ8BGY (Europe and Asia) and N1DG (USA). QSL via IK2VUC, direct or bureau (an OQRS for direct/bureau cards will be activated on the website after the DXpedition goes QRT). All of the QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW after four months. Further information, including logsearch and details on the Nine-November Trophy for working 9N7MD, can be found at www.mdxc.org/nepal2011/

- A5 Shin, JA2PSV will be working in Bhutan until September 2013. He is active as A52SV in his spare time on 15, 12 and 10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK with 100 watts and a vertical wire whip. QSL via JA2PSV and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- A5 LA9DL and LA6VM will be active as A52DL and A52VM from Bhutan on 3-13 November. They will operate CW (A52VM), digital modes and SSB

- (A52DL) on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]
- CE9_ant- Tomas, CE3VPM will be active as CE9VPM from Chilean Air Base Presidente Gabriel Gonzalez Videla, Antarctica starting in November until March 2012. Activity will be on 20 metres and possibly other bands. [TNX DX World]
- CY0 Ron AA4VK, Jeff N1SNB and Murray WA4DAN will be active as homecall/CY0 from Sable Island (NA-063) from 28 December to 6 January. "During the March 2011 operation, propagation was not favorable on the high bands", they say. "Also, Japan was devastated by a tsunami in the early days of the DXpedition and, as a result, our many JA friends went QRT, as they responded to take care of their country". The team plans to be QRV on all bands, but "a special emphasis will be directed to providing a new country or band-country on the high bands. Further, a special goal will be to work stations from Japan that understandably missed out on the March 2011 operation". The website for the expedition is at www.cy0dxpedition.com
- EA6 Laci HA7PL, Csaba HA6PJ, Zsolt HA6PS and Alex HA7JJS will be active as EA6/homecall from the Balearic Islands on 1-8 November. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres, with main focus on participation in the HA QRP Contest (80m, CW only) as EA6/HA5RT. QSL EA6/HA5RT, EA6/HA6PJ and EA6/HA6PS via home call direct or eQSL; QSL EA6/HA7JJS and EA6/HA7PL via home call direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
- F Special station TM44RT will be active on 4-6 November to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the French Army's 44th Transmission Regiment. QSL via F5KBB. [TNX F8REF]
- FG Armin, DK9PY will be active as FG/DK9PY from Guadeloupe (NA-102) on 6-25 November. He will operate CW only on 80-10 metres, with a focus on 30, 17 and 12m. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K1
- HZ Abdul, 7Z1CQ and a large group of operators will be active as 7Z7AA from Jabal Al Lith (AS-191, new one) on 17-25 November. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY with six stations (200 watts) on 160, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via 7Z1CQ. The website for the expedition can be found at www.dxcoffee.com/7z7aa/
- The Buddies in the Caribbean DXpedition group, which specializes in 100 watt or less low power radios and the Buddipole portable antenna systems, will be back to St Lucia (NA-108) on 4-12 December. This time the operators will be AA4OC, K9CJM, N7BF, N7UN (J68UN), W3FF (J68FF), WD9CMD, WF2S and WU1B. There will be three fixed stations active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB, and RTTY or PSK. At the same time, several teams will be battery-only, field portable either from St Lucia beaches or mountain tops. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or direct to the operator's home call. Further information can be found at http://suitcasedxpeditions.com [TNX N7UN]
- KHO Kan, JJ2RCJ will be active as AH0/AB2RF from Saipan, Mariana Islands (OC-086) on 3-6 November. He plans to focus on digital modes (RTTY and PSK63/31) and 80-30 metres. QSL via JJ2RCJ, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Online log at www.qsl.net/ab2rf/KH0.htm [TNX JJ2RCJ]
- KH8 The 17-28 November K8A DXpedition to American Samoa [425DXN 1051]
 has been "postponed indefinitely due to logistical problems". [TNX
 The Daily DX]
- KP4 Puerto Rico's coat of arms was granted by the Spanish Crown in 1511, which makes it the oldest currently used in the Americas.

- Celebrating this 500th anniversary, the Puerto Rico Amateur Radio League (www.prarl.org) will operate special event station K4E on 5-19 November. QSL via KP4ES (direct).
- OZ Special callsign 5P12EU will be in use from 1 January to 30 June to celebrate the Danish Presidency of the Council of the European Union. Bureau cards can be requested by sending an email to qsl[@]5p12eu.dk; the QSL route for direct requests is via OZ0J. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Check www.5p12eu.dk for further information, including details on the relevant award. [TNX OZ0J]
- PY Jim, PY7XC and others will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as PX7C from Itamaraca Island (SA-046). QSL via PY7CRA. [TNX PY7CX]
- SM Marcel, ON6UQ and and Jef, ON4ACA will be active from SI9AM (King Chulalongkorn Memorial Amateur Radio Society, www.si9am.se) in Ragunda from 27 October to 2 November. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres and to participate in the CQWW DX SSB Contest. QSL via SM3CVM, direct or via bureau. [TNX SM3CVM]
- TA Special callsign TC88TC will be in use until 30 October fro the cities of Istanbul, Giresun and Edirne to celebrate the 88th anniversary of the birth of the Republic of Turkey. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TT8 Phil, F4EGS has been in Chad since 23 October and will remain there until 23 December. He will be active again as TT8PK in his spare time. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- V7 Neil, WD8CRT expects to be active again as V73NS from Kwajalein (OC-028), Marshall Islands by early November. He should remain there for three years. QSL via W3HNK. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VE Toshi, JA8BMK and Keith, VE7MID will be active as VE2/JA8BMK and VE7MID/VE2 from Zone 2 on 1-9 November. Their activity will concentrate on 160 and 80 metres, with a full size 80m vertical, a 160m L and two beverages. [TNX NG3K]
- VE Michael, VE3NOO will operate as VE3FRST on 1-30 November to celebrate the International Year of Forests. QSL via VE3NOO. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VK Special callsign VK100ARV will be in use for the month of November to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Amateur Radio Victoria (www.amateurradio.com.au). QSL via bureau.
- VK9 Pekka, OH2YY will be active as VK9XM from Christmas Island (OC-002) on 4 and again on 8-11 November, while on 5-7 November he will be active as VK9CM from Cococs-Keeling (OC-003). He plans to operate SSB on 40-10 metres from both locations. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- VP2M Gregor DF7OGO (VP2MGO), Tom K3WT (VP2MWT), Ron N0AT (VP2MTA), Vlad N0STL (VP2MTL) and Bill W0OR (VP2MOR) will be active from Montserrat (NA-103) between 18 November and 6 December. They will be signing VP2MWG (QSL via N0AT, direct, bureau and LoTW) during the CQWW DX CW and ARRL 160 Meter contests; before and after the contests they will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres.
- VP9 Look for Paul, VP9KF (G4BKI) to operate CW only from Bermuda (NA-005) on 2-16 November. Operation will focus on the higher bands, where eleven previous trips, in the last five years, have resulted in very few QSOs. QSL direct only to W4/VP9KF (Paul Evans, 6809 River Road, Tampa, FL 33615, USA). Further information can be found at http://vp9kf.com [TNX W4/VP9KF]
- VU Amateur radio operators from India have been granted permission "to suffix /F1 at the end of their callsigns to mark the first ever Formula 1 race in India this weekend. Use of the suffix is

- allowed until 31 October". [TNX VU2CDP]
- ZD8 Steve, G3ZVW will be active as ZD8N from Ascension Island (AF-003) from 21 November to 2 December. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres, and will take part in the CQWW DX CW Contest. QSL via G3ZVW, direct or bureau. [TNX G3ZVW]
- ZD8 Oliver, W6NV (ZD8W, QSL via home call) and Jorma, OH2KI (ZD8X, QSL via home call) will be active from Ascension Island on 21-29 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as ZD8W (Multi-Single); before and after the contest they will focus on the low bands. [TNX W6NV]

CQ WW DX SSB CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (29-30 October):

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	VC3R	
	FP/KV1J	
		M/S Canada VE2BR
	VP9I	SO Bermuda N1HRA
	XE1RCS	
07	HQ2W	SOAB QRP Honduras OK1DOT
07	HU1YS	
07	TI8M	M/2 Costa Rica TI2KAC
07	V31MH	Belize W7ASF
07	V31TS	Belize KB7JAL
07.	HQ2GL	SO Honduras W9GL
08	6Y9X	SOAB HP Jamaica KQ1F
08	8P5A	SOAB HP Barbados NN1N
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08	FM5FJ	SOSB 20m LP Martinique KU9C
08	KP2B	MO (remote) US Virgin Isls K2DER
08	KP2M	M/M US Virgin Isls AI4U
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08	NP4Z	SOAB Puerto Rico N4AO
08	PJ5/SO6X	SO St. Eustatius SP6IXF
08	PJ6T	Saba N9PD
08		M/2 Sint Maarten F6EXV
08	T46A	
08		SOAB HP Martinique F5VHJ
		M/S Antigua KA2AEV
		SOAB St. Kitts W5JON
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	FY/F5HR	
09	FY5KE	SOSB 15m French Guiana
09	P40A	SOAB Aruba WD9DZV
09	P40P	SOAB Aruba W5AJ
09	P40W	SOAB HP Aruba N2MM
09	PJ2T	M/M Curacao W3HNK
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11	PS2T	M/? Brazil K3IRV

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15	1191	N1/2	Italy (Sicily)	119CHU
15	IR7R	M/S	Italy I	Z7GXB
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28	YE2R	M/M	Indonesia Indonesia	EB7DX
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31	KH7X	M/M	Hawaii	K2PF
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33	CN2R	SOAB	Morocco Morocco	W7EJ
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35	C5A	M/M	The Gambia	OM2FY
35	D4C	M/?	Cape Verde	LoTW
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37	5Z4EE	SOAB	HP Kenya	NV7E
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Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqs2011.html - good contest to you all!

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4W6A ---> Logs were uploaded to LoTW a few days after the end of the DXpedition and QSL cards have been ordered. As of 23 October, QSLs for over 11,000 QSOs have already been requested either direct or by OQRS. These requests have already been processed and the direct QSLs will be sent as soon as the cards are received from the printers. Bureau cards requested by OQRS will be sent out soon afterwards, with direct mailings to the major QSL bureaux of the world.

A report on the DXpedition with a few photos and videos can be found at www.m0urx.com, while 150 more photographs have been uploaded to the Gallery on www.4w6a.com. More videos taken by VK8DX and MW0JZE can be found on

YouTube - search "4W6A" and look for the videos uploaded by "mw0jze". [TNX 9M6DXX]

DXCC NEWS: SPECIAL PAPER APPLICATION OFFER FOR ST0R ---> The cards for the 2011 ST0R operation from the new DXCC entity of South Sudan are now being received by DXers around the world. With next year's publishing deadline for 2011 results fast approaching on 31 December 2011, the ARRL will offer a special, reduced-price option for those DXCC participants who have already made at least one application during 2011.

You MUST have already made a submission in the 2011 calendar year via either LoTW or via a traditional, paper application. If you have made an application already in 2011, then you may submit a paper ST0R QSL (no other cards, just the ST0R South Sudan card) following these rules:

- * Enclose \$5.00 (check, money order, CC#, or cash at your risk) for USA amateurs;
- * Enclose \$6.00 (check, money order, CC#, or cash at your risk) for non-USA amateurs:
- * Enclose an SASE for the return of the STOR card;
- * This special submission is ONLY for the ST0R card;
- * If ANY other card(s) are included this will be considered a full submission subject to full fees, even if you already submitted in 2011;
- * These submission conditions apply ONLY if you have already made a submission in 2011;
- * This offer DOES NOT apply if you have not yet made your 2011 submission. All DXCC fees are in effect as you can include this card with your regular submission;
- * This special offer expires on December 31, 2011 and is NOT extended into 2012. [TNX Bill Moore NC1L, ARRL Awards Branch Manager]

EARTHQUAKE EMERGENCY ---> Radio Amateurs in Turkey remain active in the response to the earthquake that struck Van province on 23 October. Assistance has been given by TRAC in setting up VHF/UHF networks to relief agencies and some traffic is being carried on the 144 MHz band. The need for HF operations is reducing, however there is still a government station which may operate on 7.092 MHz USB. Amateurs are still requested to be careful when operating between 7.092 and 7.095 MHz to avoid interference to ongoing relief operations. [TNX IARU Region 1]

IOTA EU-155 ---> The retention of EU-155 in IOTA list is in doubt. "The IOTA Manager was informed at Ham Radio 2011 Friedrichshafen that the two barrier islands listed as qualifying for EU-155, Baron and Scanno di Piallazza, no longer exist. Authoritative information has now been provided by a local operator to show this probably to be the case. It is worth noting that the Po Delta is a remarkably fragile natural environment with barrier reefs, as and when they occur, subject to change by tide and storm. IOTA rules require that, in the absence of qualifying islands, the group concerned should be suppressed. One final check will be made on the latest satellite pictures expected shortly following which a decision will be taken and a notice issued. In the meantime, no new operations claiming to take place from EU-155 will be regarded as qualifying for credit". [TNX Roger Balister, G3KMA, RSGB IOTA Manager]

RADIO ARCALA & CQWW SSB CONTEST ---> Radio Arcala (www.radioarcala.com) will deploy five stations in this year's event:

CR2X from the Azores operated by OH2UA;

OH0X from the Aland Islands operated by OH2PM; OH2BH from Southern Finland operated by OH6UM; OH8X from Northern Finland operated by OH6KZP; OJ0X from

Market Reef operated by OG9X, OH0XX, OH2BH, OH6VM and SM0W. All CQWW QSOs, SSB and CW, by Radio Arcala stations will be confirmed on a single X-rated QSL card and via LoTW. [TNX OH2BN]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Claudio + Cateni (I1IIO), Alexei K. Ryabchikov (UA9CM), Mikhail V. Netrebyuk (UR5YN) and

(I1IIO), Alexei K. Ryabchikov (UA9CM), Mikhail V. Netrebyuk (UR5YN) and Bill Leavitt (W3AZ).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A/IZ7EVZ, 3Y0E, 4K8M, 4L1MA, 4L1UN, 4S7KM, 5H3VB/5 (AF-074), 5H9PD, 5N7M, 5V7CC, 5X0CW, 6W/RK4FF, 8P9AA, 8P9NX, 9H4JX, 9H5BZ, 9K2HN, A61ZX, A71CM, AH0J, C31BO, C31CT, C91KHN, C91R, C06RD, CU2AF, CX7CO, DL2RNS/HI8, DU1GM, E21EJC, EA9IB, EK6GB, EX9T, EZ75R, FG5FR, FG5LA, FO/N6JA, GU3UOQ, HG1S, HH3/N3BNA, HI3K, HI3TEJ, HI8SAR, HS0ZCW, J28RO, JW7QIA, KL7RRC (NA-232), MD0CCE, MD9Y, NH0J, NH0Z, OA4TT, OD5NJ, OH0GG, OH0RJ, OX6YL, OY6FRA, PJ4LS, RI1ANC, RI1FJ, RI1FJA, S79DO, ST0R, ST2AR, SV2ASP/A, SV5BYR, T30AQ, T6MO, T6TL, TI2MEF, TK5MH, TU5JD, TY1KS, UW8I, V63DX, VK0KEV, VK9HR, VP2MNK, VP9/N0JK, W6HGF/KH0, XX9LT, YB0NFL, YL2BJ, Z22CW, ZC4MIS, ZD9AH, ZK2A, ZK2AB, ZS8M.

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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 5R Once again Eric, F6ICX will be active as 5R8IC from Sainte-Marie Island (AF-090) from 15 November to 17 December. He will operate mainly CW, with some RTTY, PSK63 and SSB, on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- Joachim DL9MS (8P9MS), Frank DL8YHR (8P9DL) and Hermann DL2NUD (8P9HP) will be active holiday style from Barbados (NA-021) on 7-21 November. Plans are to be QRV on the HF bands, plus 6 and 2m EME. There is also the possibility of some EME activity on 1296.120 MHz. QSL via home calls. [TNX VA3RJ]
- HB9 In memory of Steve Jobs, the HB9ON Radio Group will be active as HB9STEVE until 30 November. Look for activity on CW, with some SSB. QSL via LoTW and eQSL; direct cards should go to HB9DHG (QSLling instructions at qrz.com).
- GU Depending on ferry crossings, Ron, G4DIY and Lee, G0DBE will be active on 40-10 metres as GP0STH from Guernsey (EU-114) starting on 5-6 November for 4-5 days. QSL via G4DIY (direct only) and LoTW. [TNX M0TNX]
- KL The KL7RRC team plans to operate from IOTA group NA-240 (Bethel County, new one) around 5-8 January. Target islands as Kikegtek, Pingurbek or Kwigluk. All plans are subject to weather and transportation availability. QSL via UA9OBA and N7RO. Bookmark www.na-234.com for updates.
- ON_ant Karel, ON5TN will be staying at the Belgian Antarctic base "Princess Elisabeth", Antarctica between 16 November and late February 2012. He plans to operate again as OR4TN in his spare time. Updates will be posted on qrz.com under OR4TN. QSL via ON5TN. [TNX ON5NT]
- PJ4 Look for Hennie, PJ4/PE1MAE to be active again from Bonaire (SA-006) for 4-5 months starting this coming week. QSL via home call (bureau) or direct to PA2NJC. [TNX PA2NJC]
- PJ5 Gerd, DL7VOG will be active as PJ5/DL7VOG from Sint Eustatius (NA-145) from 13 November to 4 December, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as PJ5G. He plans to operate mostly CW and RTTY on all bands, with a focus on the low bands and JA stations during his sunset and sunrise. QSL via home call, bureau (preferred) or direct. Email requests for bureau cards can be sent to qsl[@]dl7vog.de [TNX The Daily DX]
- PY Cris, PY7GK and Ben, PY7VI plan to operate SSB, CW and PSK31 from Itamaraca Island (SA-046) on 5-6 November. QSL via home calls. [TNX VA3RJ]
- T2 The island nation of Tuvalu is suffering from a severe shortage of fresh water. "Because of major back logs of very urgent freight (especially water)", the T2T operators [425DXN 1064] are permitted

- to carry "just 23kgs of luggage" on the plane and will have only two stations active. "We have absolutely no choice unless we cancel the operation totally", VK4FW says.
- W If they are granted permission by the Makah Tribal Council, Yuri N3QQ and Johnny KE7V will be active as N3QQ/p and KE7V/p from Waadah Island (NA-169) this coming weekend. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres with two stations. The operation also depends on weather. QSL via N7RO. [TNX DX World]
- YB Special event station YB26SEAG will be active on 11-17 November for the 26th Southeast Asia Games to be held in Jakarta and Palembang, Indonesia. QSL direct to YB2DX.
- ZD8 Tom, K7ZZ and Al, W6HGF will be active as ZD8ZZ and ZD8F respectively from Ascension Island (AF-003) on 8-22 November. Tom will focus on CW, Al will focus on RTTY and both will operate SSB "when the opportunity arises". The plan to operate two stations, with multiple antennas for 160-6 metres. QSL via home calls and LoTW. Further information at www.qsl.net/w6hgf/ZD8F-index.html.

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TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it).

MALPELO 2012 ---> Three members of the HK0NA team have just completed a seven day reconnaissance visit to the island. This will be a very demanding DXpedition for several reasons - read the summary of their observations and view some very revealing pictures on www.hk0na.com. K4UEE, N4GRN and W6IZT will travel to Colombia on 5-8 November for a planning meeting with team leader, Jorge HK1R and other team members. With the information gained on the recent reconnaissance visit, decisions can be finalized concerning camp/ operating sites, antenna types and placement, safety measures and other critical decisions necessary to the ultimate success for the DXpedition. One critical decision to be made concerns the duration of the operation, as they have permission to stay on site for 17 days versus the 14 days now planned. They will be reviewing the DXpedition budget to determine if they can afford the extra \$15,000 expense for three additional days. Contributions are gratefully accepted at www.hk0na.com/sponsors [TNX K4UEE]

QSL A51PN ---> "Last week when in Bhutan, I met Pradhan, A51PN", Glenn Johnson (W0GJ/A51B) says. Pradhan "is now 73 and in good health and living a quiet retired life", but he "was very active from 1972 to 1983 when he worked in the Wireless Dept of the Bhutan government. He gave me his stack of log books to digitize and upload to LOTW, about 30,000 estimated contacts. I will be able to answer QSL requests for anyone needing a card for A51PN. He has meticulous notes in his logs about QSLs that were returned". QSL to Glenn R. Johnson, 207 Bear Creek Ln NW, Bemidji MN 56601, USA.

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's

web site has been updated. Fourteen different galleries include more than 9500 cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities, the 60 deleted DXCC Entities, obsolete prefixes, stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962, D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962, Antarctic bases & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean, the Indian Ocean and the Americas (from 1945 to 1970), pre-1945 countries, French Departments and CONUS. plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC. Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx[@]free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

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******* QSL ROUTES ******

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3D2T	VK4FW EG8FB	N EA8NQ PJ7NK DJ8NK
3W9HRN	N DL1HRN EI7N	M EI6HB PJ7X F6EXV
3Z100HT	CA SP9ZBC EI8G	GQB ON4EI PR2P PY2OE
3Z100MS	SC SP8AQA EK6	6LP RN4LP PS2T K3IRV
4L0A	EA7FTR EK6TA	DJ0MCZ PT5T K3IRV
		L SP9LJD PU5FJR PP5JR
4L1MA	ON4RU EL2D	T EL2FM PW2D M0OXO
4L9QQ	UR9QQ EN150)W UR5WA PW7T PT7WA
5B4AJC	UA3DX ER44Z	ZOO ER1RR PX7C PY7CRA
		RA4LW PZ5MM DK1MM
		AA RA4LW R1NA DL5DSM
5N6/YL2	SW YL2SW EW	76AF DL8KAC RI1FJA RX3MM
5Q1A	OZ5ESB EW6DX	X EB7DX S01MZ EA1BT
5R8A	JH8JWF EX2X	EA5KB S5530N S55N
5T0JL	ON8RA EY8MM	M K1BV SH6HUL SM5YRA
5Z4EE	NV7E FG4NN	NI5DX SI9AM SM3CVM
6V7Q	F8IJV FM5FJ	X EB7DX S01MZ EA1BT EA5KB S5530N S55N M K1BV SH6HUL SM5YRA NI5DX SI9AM SM3CVM KU9C SJ2W SM2LIY IE KV1E SN2B SP3CGK
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		G3BJ SN8B SP8CUR
		M0URX SO4M SP4MPG
		I M0OXO SO8A SP8YB
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8Q7EJ	G3VDB GW9X	MW1LCR T8AA JH1WXT
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8R1EA	AH8DX H2T	5B4XF TC3EC TA3GO
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A52DL LA9DL IO7T IZ7ECL TM7X F5BSB	
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AC2BF/KH2 JA1OHP JV7A WV6E UP0L DL8KAC	
AH0/AB2RF JJ2RCJ K3IS/KH0 JA6DFN UP2L UA9AB	
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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- Sigi, DL7DF will be active as 5Z4HW from near Mombasa, Kenya from 23 November to 6 December. He will operate holiday style on 160-10 metres CW, SBB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Sigi's website is at www.dl7df.com
- 8Q Yuki, JH1NBN will be QRV in his spare time as 8Q7ZB from Male,
 Maldives (AS-013) on 15-29 November. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9M6 Saty, JE1JKL will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest as 9M6NA (SOAB) from Labuan Island (OC-133), East Malaysia. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Email requests for bureau cards can be sent to 9m6na[@]jsfc.org. [TNX NG3K]
- C6 K2KW, KB7Q, KE7X, N6XG, N6XR and WA6O will be active from Eleuthera (NA-001), Bahamas on 18-28 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as C6AAW (QSL via WA4WTG); outside the contest they will use their personal C6A callsigns. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- C9 Mike, K9NW will be active as C91NW from Mozambique on 21-29 November. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres, including a SOAB entru in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- E5 E51MAN is the callsign that Bill, N7OU [425DXN 1067] will be using from Manihiki Atoll (OC-014), North Cook Islands. He will operate CW only on 160-10 metres with a focus on Europe He had planned to be there on 8-22 November, but his flight has been delayed. When on Rarotonga (OC-013, South Cook Islands) Bill uses E51NOU. QSL via N7OU.
- EA9 DF4SA, DL6KVA, EA9LZ, HA1AG, HA3NU and N5KO will participate in the CQWW DX CW Contest as ED9M in the M/S category. QSL via HA1AG and LoTW. [TNX DL6KVA]
- EL The VooDoo Contest Group will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest as EL2A (Multi-Multi) from Liberia. Operation with personal callsigns will start on 21 November: AA7A as EL2NS, G3SXW as EL2A, G4BWP as EL2WP, KC7V as EL2MF, KY7M as EL2LF and N7CW as EL2CW. QSL EL2WP via G5LP, others via home call. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ET Krassy K1LZ, David K3LP, Al K3VN and Curt K7CU will be active from the ET3AA club station in Addis Ababa Ethiopia between 8 and 13 December. Krassy will operate 80 and 40 metres, and David will operate 160 and 30 metres during the local evening to early morning hours; Al and Curt will be QRV during day/early morning hours on all other bands using SSB. Details on this project, which includes training sessions for university students, can be found at www.k3lp.com [TNX DX World]

- F The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (http://ewwa.free.fr/) will be active again as TP50CE on 2-4 December to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the European Social Charter. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FQK]
- FJ Look for FJ/VE3TA and FJ/VE3EY (QSL via home calls) to be active from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) on 22-29 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as TO3A (QSL via VE3EY).
- HK Paco, EA7ATX (http://sa040.blogspot.com/) will be active as HK1/EA7ATX from Tierrabomba Island (SA-040) on 17-20 November. He will operate SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX DX World]
- JA Hiro, JA6WFM and Naomi, JM6EBU will be active as JF6YME/6 from Yoron Island (AS-023) on 21-23 November. QSL JA6WFM, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- J6 Bill, K9HZ will be active as J68HZ from St. Lucia (NA-108) from 19
 November to 3 December. He plans to be QRV on 7155 and/or 14155
 kHz between 16 and 24 UTC daily. QSL via K9HZ, LoTW and eQSL.
- J7 Ken, JN1THL and Yoshi, JK1KHT will be active as J79KT and J79YK from Dominica (NA-101) on 13-20 November. QSL for both callsigns via JN1NDY (direct). [TNX VA3RJ]
- J7 Mike, VE2XB will be active as J79XB from Dominica from 5 January "for several weeks". He plans to operate holiday style on 160-10 metres, and possibly 6m if there are openings, with some focus on 80, 40 and 30m. QSL via home call. [TNX VE2XB]
- KH2 JR1VAY will be active as AH2J from Guam (OC-026) on 11-14 November. He will participate in the JIDX SSB and WAE RTTY contests. QSL via JR1VAY, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- KH3 Susan, W7KFI has been granted permission by the US Department of the Air Force to land her vessel, the USSV Dharma, "at Johnston Atoll for a period of seven days in either November or December 2011" (the USAF permit can be seen at www.dxcoffee.com/eng/). However, she does not plan to set sail before mid-January, and her QSL manager (KH6CG) says that the permit has been extended to January-February. She should be QRV as KH3/W7KFI starting around 21 January; she will operate mainly CW and SSB with a 43ft vertical. [TNX DX World]
- V3 Dennis, K2SX and Les, W2LK will be active as V31SX and V31AO from Belize on 22-29 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as V31AO (Multi-Single); before and after the contest they will operate mainly CW with some RTTY and 6m. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- V5 Klaus, DJ4SO will be active again as V5/DJ4SO from Namibia from 17 November to 14 December. He will operate mostly CW, RTTY and PSK31 with some SSB on 160-6 metres, and will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest. QSL via DJ4SO, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Email requests for bureau cards can be sent to klaus[@]dj4so.de [TNX The Daily DX]
- V8 Special event station V84SEA will be activated for the 39th SEANET Convention, to be held in Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei Darussalam on 17-21 November.
- VU Special callsign AU2JCB will be in use on 40-10 metres SSB between 19 November and 4 December to celebrate the birthdate of Indian physicist and radio pioneer Jagadish Chandra Bose. QSL direct to VU2DSI. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W Look for K9RR/4 and K8GI/4 to be active from Cedar Key (NA-076) on 12-15 November (from around 20 UTC on Saturday through around 1 UTC on Tuesday). QSL via home calls, direct (preferred) or bureau.

- They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK63 on 40, 30, 20, 15 and 15 metres. [TNX DX World]
- XU Mal, VK6LC will be active holiday style as XU7AEO from Cambodia until 21 November. He operates mainly CW with some SSB. QSL via home call. Direct only.
- XV Kurt, DL5CO will be active as XV2CO from Vietnam between 12 November and 5 December. He will operate holiday style mainly CW with some SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- YN Mike, AJ9C will be active as YN2CC from Nicaragua from 24 November to 5 December. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres, and to take part in the CQ WW DX CW and ARRL 160 Meter contests. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- Antonio, DL4EA (EA4KT) will be active as Z24EA from Zimbabwe on 13-21 November. He plans to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

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NCDXF ---> The Northern California DX Foundation (www.ncdxf.org) board of directors voted on 7 November to welcome back Charles "Rusty" Epps (W6OAT) to their board. W6OAT was also elected as President effective 1 January 2012. Current President, Bruce Butler (W6OSP) will continue on the board as Treasurer. Glenn Johnson (W0GJ) will continue as Vice President and Kip Edwards (W6SZN) will continue as Secretary. NCDXF plans on adding additional individuals to their board in early 2012. [TNX W0GJ]

OJOX ---> The OJOX DXpedition to Market Reef came to an end after more than 66,000 QSOs with 26,921 uniques (141 stations made it on all 9 bands offered). Please visit www.qrz.com/db/OJOX for logsearch, pictures and other information. The OJOX operating team included 14 operators (DH7SA, DL3DXX, DL5CW, OG9X, OH0XX, OH1ND, OH1TV, OH2BAD, OH2BH, OH2BO, OH5BM, SM0W, SM6U and SP5XVY): "while the gang experienced all kinds of weather in fighting for their landings and departures, they were satisfied in being able to catch some good high-band openings, offering OJ0 on those bands and modes for the first time". If you are interested in operating from Market Reef in 2012, you may contact the Finnish Lighthouse Society (www.majakkaseura.fi). [TNX OH2BN]

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2LF, 3A2MD, 4J0WFF, 4L1MA, 4L1UN, 4O3A, 4S7KM, 5C12M, 5N6/YL2SW, 5R8KS, 5Z4/JA7SGV, 7Q7CE, 7Z1HL, 9H3IP, 9J2FM, 9K2YM, A61Q, A61R, A61ZX, A92GR, AB5EB/p (NA-089), BA1KW, BV1EL, C31CT, CE0Y/DK2ZF, D44AC, DS3HWS, E51PMR, EA6UN, EK6GB, EK6TA, ER1EA, ER3ZZ, ET3BN, EY0A, FG5DHFK8CP, FO/N6JA, FR5HA, HB0/OK1XD, HC1HW, HC2A, HC2SL, HI3/KB2MS, HI3K, HV5PUL, J39BS, JG8NQJ/JD1, JT1RF, JW/LB9UE, JW8BCA, JY4NE, NH0Z, OH0X, OJ0UR, RC0F, R11FJAS79DO, ST0R, SU1SK, SV2ASP/A, T6RH, T77C, T88UE, T8XX, TA1FA, TI2MEF, TI5/KI4TRG, TK5MH, TL0A, TO2FH, UN7PBY, V26OB, V63DX, V85/WK1S, V85SS, VK0TH, VK9HR, VK9NN, VK9OL, VP2EMR, VP8DMN, VR2UW, VR2XMT, VU2NKS, W6HGF/KH0, YB0/WK1S (OC-177), YB0NFL, YB3XM, YB8/WK1S (OC-221), YB9/WK1S (OC-022), YL2BJ, YV1DIG, YW5LR, ZA/LZ2HM, ZA/OK1MBZ, ZD8D, ZL7VR.

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- 5X Nick, G3RWF will be active again as 5X1NH from Uganda for three weeks starting on 23 November. Usually he operates CW and digital modes, with some SSB. This time he hopes to "make a dent in the low bands". QSL via home call and LoTW.
- Jeff, N1SNB will be active as 6V7V from Senegal on 23-29 November,
 CQ WW CW Contest included. Outside the contest he will focus on
 160-80 metres CW and SSB. QSL via N1SNB. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- E5 Bill, N7OU is now active as E51MAN from Manihiki, North Cook Islands. Because of the delay in Rarontonga, Bill has moved up his departure date from Manihiki to 6 December. QSL via home call (remember: all QSOs with E51NOU are South Cooks, and all QSOs with E51MAN are North Cooks).
- FO_ci Bob/KK6EK, John/N7CQQ and others will be active as TX5Q with two stations from Clipperton Island for approximately one week in March 2012 (tentative QRV dates are 10-15 March). This will be a "multi-disciplinary expedition", and the team "will also deploy and use the innovative satellite-internet system (DXA) for real-time display of the expedition activities". They are looking for a doctor/DXpeditioner to act as informal medic for the trip (contact robert[@]schmieder.com if interested). Details about the DXpedition can be found at www.cordell.org/CI/ [NX N1DG]
- FK Sam, FK8DD will operate as TX8NC from Lifou Island (OC-033) during the CQWW CW Contest. He plans to be active on 27 November from 00 to 22 UTC. QSL via LZ1JZ. [TNX LZ1JZ]
- GM Special event callsign GB2PG will be in use from 18 November to 15 December to commemorate the 90th anniversary of first short wave transatlantic amateur radio transmission sent from the US (by Minton Cronkhite, 1BCG) and received in to Scotland (by Paul Godley, 2ZE). QSL via GM0DEQ. [TNX VA3RJ]
- GM The Stirling & District Amateur Radio Society will operate special event callsign GB0SA on 26-27 November to celebrate St Andrew's Day. Activity will take place from the National Wallace Monument in the City of Stirling. QSL via GM4UYE. [TNX DX World] I_ant -
- Massimo, IW0HEU is active as II0MZ from the Mario Zucchelli Station at Terra Nova Bay, Antarctica (AN-016) until February 2012. He perates SSB only mainly on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via IW0EFA, bureau preferred.
- W0MU, N1NK and G0DVJ will be active as J6/homecall from St. Lucia (NA-108) from 21 November to 1 December. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as J6M (QSL via N1NK and LoTW); before and after the contest they will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-6 metres.
- JD1 oga- Yoshi, JG4IQC will be active as JG4IQC/JD1 from Ogasawara on 23-25

- November. He will be QRV on 20-10 metres CW in his spare time. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- KH6 Dave, WJ2O will be active as KH6/WJ2O from Hawaii on 22-30 November, CQ WW DX CW Contest included. Outside the contest, he will concentrate on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via WJ2O. [TNX NG3K]
- PJ7 Masa, K1GI (JN3NFQ) will be active as PJ7I from Sint Maarten (NA-105) on 24-28 November. He will be QRV on 80-10 metres with 500 watts. QSL via JG2BRI.
- SV Special event station SX100A will be active on 2-4 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Greek warship "Georgios Averof". The operation will take place from the ship's radio room. QSL via bureau. [TNX SV1HER]
- Arkady, UA4CC will be active as T8CC or T88UU from Palau on 7-16 December. He plans to operate holiday style on 160-10 metres (and maybe 6m as well) CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via UA4CC, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX UA4CC]
- TL TL8ES is the callsign issued to Elvira, IV3FSG, who has been in M'Baiki, Central African Republic for some time now. She plans to operate SSB, RTTY and PSK in her spare time. QSL via IK3GES. [TNX IV3FSG]
- TN TN9SN is the new callsign issued to Nicolas Sinieokoff, ex-TN5SN, by the new licensing authorithy in the Republic of Congo. He plans to have it renewed for 2012, as he will be there until July. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP2E Pete, VE3IKV will be active from Anguilla (NA-022) between 25 November and 3 December. He plans to operate as VP2EAT on 40-10 metres during the CQ WW DX CW Contest, and on 17, 12, 10 and 6 metres afterwards. QSL via VE3IKV (direct). [TNX NG3K]
- VP2V Art, N3DXX will be active as VP2V/N3DXX from the British Virgin Islands (NA-023) on 23-30 November, including an entry in the CQ WW CW Contest. Outside the contest he plans to focus on 160 metres. QSL via AA7V, direct only. [TNX NG3K]
- W Once again Joe, K5KUA will be active as K5KUA/5 from Galveston Island (NA-143) on 18-23 November. He operates CW only. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- XE Manuel, XE2HUQ will be active as XF1M from Santa Margarita Island (NA-078) from 29 November to 3 December. He will operate CW and SSB on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via XE2HUQ.
- XZ "After one year of discrete discussions with senior officials within the Myanmar Ministry of Post & Telecommunications, and the Ministry of Tourism, I have received an invitation to visit Myanmar, and to operate a PSK31 'micro' DXpedition for about 4 days from the historic city of Bagan", Simon HS0ZIB says. "It is possible that the date for my visit will be very soon". This "initial operation would be on 20 metres only, using about 50 watts output power into a PAR wire antenna", and Simon hopes it "will be the first of many micro DXpeditions by me to Myanmar". [TNX DX World]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The October 2011 issue is now available for

E35X ---> "It has come to my attention that rumors are going that I am planning an expedition to Eritrea using the call sign E35X", Erling LA6VM says. "These rumors have no basis in any real situation".

E35X was the callsign used by LA6VM (along with LA1EE, LA7XK, LA9DL and JF1IST) back in June 1993, soon after Eritrea declared its independence and gained international recognition.

ID9DXC ---> This is the callsign the DXCoffee IOTA team will use from various islands in the Eolie group (EU-017) in 2011 and 2012. The first activity was expected to take place on 18 November from Panarea Island. QSL via IT9YVO, direct or bureau. Information at www.dxcoffee.com/id9dxc/

RADIO ARCALA & CQWW CW CONTEST ---> Radio Arcala (www.radioarcala.com) will deploy five six stations in this year's event: 9H9BH from Malta (operated by OH2BH), CR2X from the Azores (operated by OH2UA), OH0X from the Aland Islands (operated by OH2TA), OH2BH from Southern Finland (operated by OH2IW), OH8X from Northern Finland (operated by ES2RR) and TC2X from Asiatic Turkey (operated by OH2PM). [TNX OH2BN]

VQ9JC ---> Jim, ND9M is back at Diego Garcia (AF-006), Chagos Islands and expects to be QRV at least until 1 March 2012. The local licensing office renewed his regular license (VQ9JC) for two years and also issued another short-term special prefix callsign (VQ91JC) for him to use from 19 November through 4 December. This will include a SOAB Low Power entry in the CQ WW CW Contest.

His usual QRV hours are 12.00-16.30 UTC on most days. He operates from the club station, where the current situation is far from being optimal. "Visitors over the last few months disconnected a number of coax and other cables without labeling them first", he says, "so I'm doing a lot of cable tracing (and labeling!). Much of the cabling work that VQ9LA did over the years has been removed for no apparent reason.

The finals in both amps (Alpha 99 and AL80B) have failed, so I'll be running barefoot for the foreseeable future. The amps are owned by the Navy, but the Navy hasn't provided any equipment repair support for several years, and I'll have to buy the replacement finals out of pocket, but that won't happen for several months.

Also, the log periodic (10-30 MHz) works well, but the rotator binds around 020 degrees when turning clockwise (from north towards east). There's an apparent issue with strain on the coax caused by turning the rotator and maybe even the connection at the top of the 30-meter tower; the SWR skyrockets when the rotator is turned beyond 020 degrees as it moves to the east.

For now, the antenna will be left facing northwest rather than risk causing permanent damage until I can get up there. This heading favors the path to Europe and the Americas, but obviously hurts the paths to JA and VK/ZL to the east as well as Long Path to NA to the south, but it can't be helped at this point.

The single remaining HF rig is an IC-760 which has a lot of years and miles on it, but its performance is still adequate. (There's an FT-920 that's barely good enough for QRP on a couple bands.) I brought an FT-857 from home which I'm using to work the LEO satellites. It will also serve as a back up for HF should the 760 come into hard times.

I'll be putting up a 5-element 6M beam. That antenna won't be on the tower, but should still be high enough to take advantage of the openings that have finally started appearing. I'll use the FT-857 for working 6M as well as

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CALL	MANAGER CALL MANAGER CALL MANAGER
3D2SJ	K4ZLE CN2OS/p PD0JOS N3QQ/p N7RO
3W1M	OW3JW CO4SM HA3JB NP4DX W3HNK YV5MM CP4BT EA5KB OD5KU EB7DX
4M6M	YV5MM CP4BT EA5KB OD5KU EB7DX
4S7BRG	LZ3HI CX1JJ EA5KB OF150M OH8DR
	EB7DX D2QV UT0EA OL60OU OK2BMI
5C5W	EA5XX DX1J JA1HGY ON30CLM ON3AIM
	HK3R E51MAN N7OU P29FR I2RFJ
	IK2IQD E51NOU N7OU P3N RW3RN
5N7M	OM3CGN EA6DX EB7DX P40GH WA2TTI
5R8IC	F6ICX EG1GCA EA1DST PA25OSK PI4WAL IZ8CCW EG5VOR EA5KB PJ7GH W4BUW
5R8UI	IZ8CCW EG5VOR EA5KB PJ/GH W4BUW
	F4EPP EM150LF UT2LF PJ7MF IZ1MHY
	DJ9ZB EM2G UR7GO R300ML RN1ON
	NI5DX EU8ZZ EW8DD RI1FJL RX3MM
/Z/AA	7Z1CQ FG4NO F4AVX SU1HZ F4FJH
8P9MS	DL9MS FM5CD F5VU SUISK SM5AQD
8Q/ZB	JH1NBN FO4BM F4FJH SU9VB UA4WHX W3HNK GP0STH G4DIY SV0XCC/9 LZ1YE
33/A	WOHINK UPUSTH U4DIT SVUXCC/9 LZTTE
9AU4JB	9A3JB GT1IOM GD1MIP T2T VK4FW
	9A6DR HA40KKC HA5MA T32TV KH6CG
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OK2VM	EA5KB HC7AE EA7FTR TM40KFH F6KFH
OI 1RTR	SP7BTB HF1918RO SP3POW TY2BP IK2IQD
	4Z4DX HG0WFF HA0HW V63KZ JA0VSH
N7MD	IK2VUC HK1/EA7ATX EA7ATX V63MP JA0VSH
A41KJ	
	NI5DX HK1N EA5KB V85NL JA4ENL
	YO3FRI HK1R K6IPM V85RY EA5KB
	EA5ZD HP2BWJ EA5GL VK9CM OH2YY
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A61E	EB7DX HZ1MD/p EA7FTR VQ9JC ND9M
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A61Q	EA7FTR J79KT JN1NDY XU7AEO VK6LC
_	IZ8CLM J79WTA HB9MFM XV2CO DL5CO
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	JA3JND KE7V/p N7RO YL2EC N3SL
AH2J	JR1VAY KH0/KH2F JA2TBS Z24EA DL4EA
	W3HNK KH0O JA2FJP ZD8F W6HGF
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*** DX INFORMATION ****

- 8Q Bert, CX3AN and Mario, CX4CR will be active as 8Q7HU from the Maldives (AS-013) from 25 January to 5 February. They plan to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 80-6 metres. QSL via CX3AN.
 [TNX CX3AN]
- 9J Niko, S53A is active again as 9J3A from the Kafue National Park, Zambia until 30 November. Main activity will take place during the CQ WW CW Contest, as either a SOSB (10m) or a SOAB entry, low power. QSL via S57S, direct (preferred) or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- 9U Francesco, IV3TMM will be active as 9U3TMM from Bujumbura, Burundi from 28 December to 4 January. He plans to operate SSB and RTTY on the HF bands. QSL via home call, bureau preferred.
- BV Yuri, N3QQ plans to be active possibly as BW/N3QQ from Kinmen Island (AS-102) on 3-6 December. He will operate SSB and CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via N7RO. [TNX DX World]
- DP0_ant- Felix, DL5XL and Lars, DL1LLL will be active as DP0GVN from Neumayer III Station, Antarctica starting in December. DL5XL will return to Germany in late February 2012, while DL1LLL will remain at the base until February 2013. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- Peri, HB9IQB will be active as E44PM from Palestine for a couple of weeks starting on 16 December. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres with a focus on CW and 12, 17 and 30 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Further information, log search included, can be found at www.hb9iqb.ch/palestine.html
- F On 14 December 1911 a team of five people led by Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole for the first time in history. Francois, F8DVD will be active as TM100SP during December to commemorate that 100th anniversary. Expect activity on 40-10 metres mainly SSB. QSL via F8DVD, direct or bureau.
- FY F4ACR, F4CRE, F4DNU, F5OQK, F6AIM, FY5LH and possibly others will be active as T05G from Ile Royale (SA-020), French Guiana on 2-7 January. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 160-6 metres. QSL via F5KDR. Further information and log search can be found at http://f5kdr.free.fr/
- HH Pierre, HB9AMO will be active as HH2/HB9AMO from Haiti until 9 January. He operates CW only in his spare time, usually during the weekends and his evening hours. QSL via PA7FM and LoTW.
- J7 Volker, DL8WEM will be active as J79WE from Dominica (NA-101) until 8 December. He operates mainly CW on 40-10 metres, and will take part in the CQ WW CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- JD1_mt Take, JG8NQJ will be active again [425DXN 1056] as JG8NQJ/JD1 from Minami Torishima (OC-073) from mid-December until mid-March 2012.

- QSL via bureau or direct to JA8CJY. [TNX The Daily DX]
- JD1_oga- JG7PSJ will be active as JD1BMH from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 30 December to 7 January. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. OSL via JG7PSJ. Further information can be found at http://sapphire.es.tohoku.ac.jp/jd1bmh/
- KH2 Aki, JR3QFB will be active as W3JH/KH2 from Guam (OC-026) from 30 November to 5 December. He will operate SSB, RTTY and PSK on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via JR3QFB. [TNX The Daily DX1
- T2 - K4ZLE, VK4AN and VK4FW will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest as T2V from Tuvalu. The other T2T team members will continue to operate non-contest modes and bands. QSL via VK4FW. [TNX NG3K]
- From 17 January to 2 February 2012, a team of six operators will be active from Kiritimati (OC-024), Eastern Kiribati:

T32WW QSL via KB8TXZ AC8W T32TR OSL via KB8TXZ K8AQM

T32TX OSL via KB8TXZ KB8TXZ

KG8CO T32CO QSL via KB8TXZ

T32LJ QSL via K8ESQ N8LJ

VO1AU T32AU QSL via VO1MX

They will operate CW and SSB (plus RTTY and PSK by T32WW and T32CO) on 160-6 metres. The group will put in a full effort for the CQ WW 160m CW Contest (27-29 January) as T32XX (QSL via KB8TXZ). [TNX VO1AU1

- A group of German operatos will be active from Namibia as follows:
 - 2 December 16 January V5/DJ2BQ QSL via DJ2BQ
 - 26 December 5 January V5/DH3WO QSL via DH3WO
 - 26 December 5 January V5/DK1CE QSL via DH3WO
 - 26 December 16 January V5/DJ2HD QSL via DJ2HD
 - They will be QRV on 160-10 metres, with DJ2HD concentrating on the low bands and RTTY. [TNX NG3K]
- VP5 Dave, W5CW will be active as VP5/W5CW from 23 November to 14 December. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres, and will participate in the CQ WW CW, ARRL 160 Meter ARRL 10 Meter contests as VP5CW. QSL via W5CW. [TNX NG3K]
- CQ WW DX CW CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (26-27 November):

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04	VC3R	SOAB F	ΗP	Canada	VE7VR	_
05	VP9/N3Al	D SO L	P	Bermuda	W3HN	ΝK
07	HP1DCP	SO	P	anama	EA5KB	
07	HQ2X	SOSB 1	0m	Honduras	IK2IL1	H
07	HQ9R	SOAB I	НP	Honduras	K5W	W
07	TI5A	SOSB	Co	osta Rica	TI5KD	
07	V31AO	M/S	В	elize	W2LK	
08	6Y3M	M/S	Jai	maica	VE3NE	
08	C6AAW	M/M		Bahamas	WA4W	ΓG
08	C6AQQ	SOAB	LP	Bahamas	ND3	F
08	J6M	M/?	St L	ucia	N1NK	
08	J79WE	SO	Do	minica	DL8WEM	
08	KP2MM	SOAB	LP	Virgin Isl	s LoTV	V
08	NP4Z	SO	Pue	rto Rico	N4AO	
08	PJ5G	SO	Sint	Eustatius	DL7VOG	

08	TO3A	M/S St Barthelemy	VE3EY
08	TO7A	SOAB HP Martinique	UT5UGR
08	V26K	SOAB LP Antigua	AA3B
08	VP2EAT	SO Anguilla	VE3IKV
08	VP2MWG	C	N0AT
08		DXX SOAB British	
08	VP5CW	SOAB Turks & Ca	
08	YN2CC		
		C	AJ9C VAM
08	ZF1A	M/S Cayman Isls	
09		SOAB LP Colombia	
09	9Y4W	SO Tobago	
09	FY5FY	SOSB LP French Gui	
09	FY5KE	SOSB 15m French Gu	
09	HK1AA	SOSB 160m Colombi	a EA5KB
09	HK1MW	SOSB 80m Colombi	a K4AMW
09	HK1N	SOSB 10m Colombia	
09	HK1R	SOSB 15m Colombia	
09		SOSB 40m Colombia	
09	HK3TU	SOSB 20m Colombia	
	P40F	SOAB Aruba	R5GA
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09	P40W	SOAB HP Aruba	N2MM
09	PJ2T		W3HNK
09	PJ4A		K4BAI
09	PZ5T	SO Suriname	VE3DZ
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14	ED1R	M/2 Spain	EA4RCH
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35	9G5XA	SO	Ghana	G3SWH
35	9L0W		Sierra Leone	DK2WV
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Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqc2011.html - good contest to you all!

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HBFF ---> The website for the newly established Swiss Parks Award can be found on the Radio Club Locarno's web site (www.hb9rl.ch). [TNX HB9OAE]

+ SILENT KEYS + Jean-Pierre Guillou (F9RM) has recently passed away.

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active DXer since 1948, he had 336/380 (current/total) confirmed in the ARRL DXCC Mixed standings, and was the IOTA Honour Roll leading station for a very long time.

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Rashed Saffar Abdulla (A71AN), Pedro Jose Ruiz Sanchez (EA4AYU), Charlie McCrystal (GI6DCC), Uwe Stobbe (HS0ZGW/DF3HS), William H. Taylor, Jr. (K6TQ), Franciso "Pancho" Jovanovics (LU3OE), Raymond Biltgen (LX1RB), Frederick Donald Muehlen, Jr. (N5WLA), Heinz H. Blankenhagen (NR0X), Leonid V. Belyj (RU3DS), Pavel Malyuta (RZ0AK), Edwin "Bunty" Z. Wattman (W1SIK) and Edward E. Reinberg (W6JI).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2MD, 3DA0GF, 4L1UN, 4L8A, 4S7BRG,5B8AD, 5C2P (AF-068),5R8KS, 5W0YA, 5Z4/JA7SGV, 6W/AA1AC, 6W/PA3EWP, 6W/WJ2O, 7P8JK, 7Z1TT, 8Q7DV, 8Q7QX, 9M6XRO,9Q6AL,A25BI, A41OF, A41OO, A45XR,A61Q, A92GR, AA4V/VP9, C31BO, C31CT, C31MO, CX6DH, DU3/N0QM (OC-042), ET3AA, FG/K9NW, FG5DH, FK8DD, FM5BH, FM5WD, H77REX, HH2/HB9AMO, HH2/PA5M, IT9EJW/p (EU-166), J6/K8EAB, J6/VE3CZF, J79EA, J88DR, JG8NQJ/JD1, JT1RF, K0AP/5 (NA-089), K9YNF/1 (NA-137), MM0RAI/p (EU-189), NH0S, OJ0UR, PJ5/SP6EQZ, PJ7MF, PQ8XB (SA-045), PY0FO,PY2XB/1 (SA-029), R11FJA, S01MZ, S21YZ, S79UFT, ST0R, T88UE, T8XX, TF8GX, TG7WW, TI2CF, TI5N, TM5SM (EU-081),TX8CE, TX8DD, TZ6TR, UG6GAE, UK/JA0VSH, V25Z, V26M, V26OB, V31AT, V31XB (NA-073), V44KAI, V63DX, V73ZZ, V85/WK1S, VK0KEV, VK0TH, VK7HVK/p (OC-233), VP2MMM, VP8DMN, VU2ELJ, VU2XO,XV1X,XV2RZ, YB0/WK1S, YB0AKM, YB1GJS, YB8/WK1S, YB9/WK1S, YJ0ANR, YN2GA, YN2MJ, Z2/K0YY, Z21BB, Z24S, Z30U, Z35T, ZD7X, ZD8D, ZD8ZZ, ZF2PI, ZK2V, ZK3YA.

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**** DX INFORMATION ****

- 3D2_r Tony, 3D2AG will be active again as 3D2AG/p from Rotuma between 9 December and 9 January 2012. He will operate barefoot on 80-6 metres SSB and CW, and the station will be entirely run on renewable energy solar panels and batteries. This "green" activity will coincide with the launch of the International Year of Sustainable Energy For All 2012. QSL direct only (see qrz.com). [TNX DX World]
- KC4 Francis KD0MUM is now based at Palmer Station on Anvers Island (AN-012), Antarctica until April 2012. He plans to operate on 20 metres as KC4AAC in his spare time. QSL via K1IED. [TNX DX World]
- LY On 14 December 1911 a team of five people led by Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole for the first time in history. Vilmantas, LY3BY will be active as LY100SP on 5-25 December to commemorate that 100th anniversary. He will operate mainly CW on the HF bands. QSL via LY3BY, directo or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PY The Cantareira DX Group will be active as ZV2LOW from the island of Montao de Trigo (SA-071) on 3-4 December. This will be a QRP operation on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres CW and SSB. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX PY2ZA]
- UR Celebrating the 20th anniversary of the Urainian Amateur Radio League (uarl.org.ua) number of special callsigns will be in use on 1-30 December: EM20C (via UX5PC), EM20L (via US0LW), EM20LTD (via UR3LTD), EM20UARL (via UT7UT), EM20UJ (via UR5UJ), EM20UKR (via UR7UC), EM20UU (via US7UU), EM20V (via UR2VA), EN20C (via UX7CQ), EN20UARL (via UT5UIA), EN20UO (via UX5UO), EN20UP (via UT4UP), EN20UZ (via UR5UZ), EN20W (via UR5WA), EO20IGN (via US7IGN), EO20IM (via UW5IM), EO20IO (via UX3IO), EO20IZ (via UX5IZ), EO20K (via UR4KWA), EO20M (via UX7MA), EO20UD (via UR7UD), EO20UM (via UT0UM), EO20UR (via UT7UR), EO20X (via UT5XA), EO20ZZ (via US0ZZ), EO20HC (via UT2HC), EO20UU (via UT7UU).
- T8 Eugene, RA0FF will be active as T88OW from Koror (OC-009), Palau from 30 December to 8 January. He will operate mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with a focus on 160 and 80m. QSL via home call (direct) and LoTW.
- V2 Dan, K6IF will be active as V25R from Antigua (NA-100) on 9-11 December. Operations will concentrate on 10 metres SSB during the ARRL 10 Meter Contest, with limited activity on 40 and 20 metres after 10m close at night. QSL via K6IF. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- V6 Chip, K7JA and his wife Janet, KL7MF will be active as V63RR and V63QQ from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia on 5-12 December. They will operate holiday style on 20-6 metres. QSL via K7JA. [TNX NG3K]
- VE To celebrate the 75th anniversary of the CBC/Radio Canada, Canadian amateurs may use the following prefixes on 1-31 December:

VG for VA, VX for VE, XJ for VO, XK for VY. [TNX Southgate ARC] VP8_ant- Mike, VP8DMH (M0PRL, http://clarkema.org/) will be spending three months at Halley Station V (Antarctica), until the end of February 2012, working as a summer operator and helping out with the move to the new base (Halley VI). "The short summer season will obviously be very busy, especially with the commissioning of the new station, but my intention is to put both the old and new base on the air as time permits", he says. QSL direct to M0PRL.

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ARRL 10 METER CONTEST ---> The annual ARRL 10 Meter Contest will be held on 10-11 December. Complete details can be found at www.arrl.org/10-meter

DXCC NEWS ---> ARRL Awards Branch Manager Bill Moore, NC1L reports that 5X1VJ (Uganda, 2011 operation) has been approved for DXCC credit.

MALPELO 2012 ---> This is the latest information released by the HK0NA DXpediton organizers on 28 November.

"Recently three US members (K4UEE, N4GRN and W6IZT) of the Malpelo 2012 DXpedition flew to Cartagena, Colombia and met with six of their Colombian counterparts. The purpose of the two day meeting was to make some critical decisions about the upcoming DXpedition to Malpelo Island. Also, checklists and inventories were finalized and all team members' responsibilities were assigned.

Since it is highly unlikely that the various Colombian authorities will permit another DXpedition to Malpelo anytime soon; a decision was made to extend the DXpedition to 16-17 days from the previous 12-14 day plan. The approximate dates of operations will be January 21, 2012 through February 5/6, 2012.

Four team members will travel with all equipment, radios, antennas and infrastructure to Malpelo in early January. They will be transported by the Colombian Navy. They will arrive about two weeks prior to the rest of the team and will set up camp, the two operating sites, radios and antennas. They will spend about 30 days on the island. This will allow the rest of the team to begin radio operations immediately upon arrival by chartered vessel.

As mentioned there will be two operating sites, each with a complete complement of antennas and radios with amplifiers. The first operating site will be co-located with the Colombian marine's camp on the east side of the island. It is clear to East Coast USA, EU and Africa. In order to have a clear shot at JA/Asia, the Pacific region and W6/W7; the second operating site will be located near the top of the highest mountain peak on the island. However, to lessen the physical risks to the team members, the operating site will be located on platforms situated below the actual peak. Still, it will be a 45 minute uphill climb to reach the platforms. The antennas for that site will be on the top of the mountain peak. At times, there will be as many as nine stations QRV with the capability of dual mode operations on all bands.

Safety of the team is paramount. We will be installing a winch system to hoist team members and all of our equipment from our chartered ship's Zodiac onto the island. From there, manpower will carry the equipment the

300 meters straight uphill to the marine camp. The trail to the elevated operating site is extremely dangerous. We will utilize harnesses and safety ropes to minimize the risks. This is going to be a difficult and expensive DXpedition. Every effort will be made to maximize QSOs while protecting the safety of the team members. It is a delicate balance. Your financial support is necessary and gratefully accepted. Contributions can be made via our website at: www.hk0na.com/sponsors

QSL A71CV ---> Buzz, NI5DX, has assumed the duties of QSL manager for Abdulla A71CV, whose previous manager (A71AN) is now a SK. Abdulla will soon send Buzz his logs and the two will work on the design of a new QSL card. No cards should be expected from NI5DX until the new QSLs are received from the printer (the process could take as long as 6-8 weeks). [TNX The Golist]

QSL ET3AA ---> The QSL route for contacts made with ET3AA and ET3SID on 8-13 December [425DXN 1071] is via N2OO. Either direct and bureau cards can be requested online by going to www.qsl.net/n2oo/history/qsl-n2oo.htm

T2T ---> The T2T DXpedition to Tuvalu (www.t2t.pacific-dxers.com/T2T.html) will go QRT on 3 December, a few days earlier than planned. "We have been doing everything possible to avert this", VK4FW says, "but realistically have no choice due to persistent power problems". The T2T online log totals (on 30 November there were 39347 QSOs) also include contacts made by T2V during the CQ WW DX CW Contest. Speaking of which, during the contest "we inadvertently sent 32 as our zone. So if you put that in your log, then you copied our exchange Correctly. We have since realised that it should have been 31... and have advised the contest committee. How this error will be managed will be up to them. We sincerely apologise for this mistake!"

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi I2EOW (i2eow[@]fastwebnet.it).

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CALL MANAGER CALL MANAGER CALL MANAGER 3DA0NW K9NW EX2X EA5KB SG3U SM3CXS 3V8SS LX1NO EY3M W5UE SJ2W SM2LIY 3Z5W SK3W SP5KP EY8MM K1BV SM5DJZ 4J11BAKUTEL 4J5A EY8ZE W5UE SN3R **SP6HEQ** 4K7Z UA5DX F6ICG SN6F SP6PRT F8UFT 4K85K 4K4K FM/KL7WA UT5UGR SO4M SP4MPG 4K9W DL6KVA FM1HN NI5DX SO8A SP8YB 4L2M EA7FTR FY5LH F5KDR SO9Q SP9QMP 4L5O N3SL G5D G3UJE SP0OTC SP2IW UA6MF ST2AR 5B4AIA G6T M0URX S53R 5H3CMG ZR6CMG GB0SA GM4UYE SU/HA3JB HA3JB

5H3EE DL4ME GM5X N3SL SV0XBZ/9 YL2VW 5T0JL ON8RA HB10K EA7FTR SX1L DL1JCZ 5W0OJ DL4RDJ HB9CA HB9FMU T2V VK4FW 5X1NH G3RWF HC2SL EA5KB T₆RH NI5DX 5Z4HW DL7DF HF3R SP3GEM T6RS N8WP 6V7V N1SNB HG7T HA7TM T6SM **IZ7VLL** 6W7RV F8CMT HH2/HB9AMO PA7FM T88CR JA8CCL HI3A ON4IO 6Y3M VE3NE TC2X OH2BH TC3A 7X5OB EA7FTR HK1AA EA5KB LZ1NK 8P5A TC7B NN1N HK1X EA7FTR W3HNK TF3CW 8Q7DV R9DX HP1WW OH0XX LX1NO HO5X TF3W 9G5MP W3HNK IK2ILH TF3GB HQ9R 9G5XA G3SWH K5WW TI5A TI5KD 9H3PP HA5PP HR5/NQ5W W0MM TK4W DJ2MX **9H9BH** OH2BH HT7A TI4SU TL8ES **IK3GES** DL2RMC 9J2BO G3TEV HZ1FI TM4Q F6FYA 9J3A S57S IB3X TM6M F4DXW IV3ZXQ 9L0W DK2WV ID9DXC IT9YVO TM6X F5VHY 9M2CNC IH9R **IZ1GAR** TM90RCNF F8KKH G4ZFE 9M2IDJ JA6IDJ **II0MZ IW0EFA** TM95BV F6KUP **9M2TO** JA0DMV II1A IK1SPR TO3A VE3EY TO7A 9M6JU JA1RJU II3MM IZ3DBA UT5UGR 9M6NA JE1JKL II9T IT9CHU TP50CE F5LGF 9M8YY JR3WXA IO5O IK5RLP TR8CA F6CBC 9N1FE EA5ZD IR2R IZ2EWR TX8NC LZ1JZ 9Y4W DL4MDO IR4M I4IFL UA2FL RN3RQ JA2PSV A52SV IR4X I4EAT UE70K RN3DK A61M EA5GL IR8C **IZ8TDP** UE70MB RD3FI A640 EA5ZD IR9Y IT9ABY **UK8OAH** IK2QPR A65CA RV6AJJ IS0/K7QB IN3QBR UN7MMM EA7FTR J28AA K2PF A71EM EA7FTR UN9GD DL8KAC A73A EA7FTR J28RO F8DFP UN9L LZ1YE J68HZ AH0BT 7L1FPU K9HZ UP0L DL8KAC AH0J JA1NVF J6M N1NK UP20BEW UN7BEW JH8PHT J79WE DL8WEM UP20CH AH0KT UN7CH UP20GW AH0S/KH2 JH1DVG JD1AHC JA1BVA **UN9GW** AH2R JH7QXJ JD1BMV JK1EBA UP20IT **UN7IT** AC7DX UP20KAZ AL1G JF6YME/6 JA6WFM UN7ECA **AU2JCB** VU2DSI JT5DX JT1CO UP20LU UN9LU EA7FTR JT5NM **UA4NW** UP20LWZ B1ZRW6HS JT5NW B₃C BA4EG RW4NW UP20M **UN7MAU** BV100 BV2KI JY4NE K3IRV UP20N **UN7NFD** BV100ROC BM2JCC JY5MM IK2DUW UP20NF **UN7NF** BM2JCC KB7Q/C6A WA4WTG UP20PT BW100 **UN8PT** KC4USV UP20RK BX100 BM2JCC K1IED UN7Z C4Z G3SWH KG4AJ AH0AJ UP20CC EA5KB C50C OM2FY KH2RU/KP4 NP3O UP20MAC **UN7MAC** C5A OM2FY KH6LC WA6WPG UP20NR **UN7NR** WA4WTG UP20TO C6AAW KH7M KH6ZM UN7TO C6AKX WA4WTG KH7X K2PF UP2L UA9AB C6AQQ ND3F KP2B K2DER UP5P **UN7PL** C6ATA WA4WTG KP2M AI4U V26K AA3B C6ATR N6XG LN3Z LA9VDA V31AE EB7DX C91JR **GI4FUM** LN8W LA9VDA V31AO W2LK C91NW K9NW LP1H EA5KB V31QS N4QS CE1/K7CA NW7O LS1D LW9EOC V31SX K2SX CE4A VE3LYC LT1F AC7DX V44KAI W5TFW

CF3A VE3AT LU8YE EA7FTR V85/9M6XRO M0URX CM8AKD EA7FTR LW6DG EA5KB V85/9M8Z M0URX CN2LO ON4LO LX5T LX1KC V85/AH2Y HL1IWD LX7I LX2A VA2WDO CN2R W7EJ VE2EKA CN8KD EA5XX LZ5R LZ1YO VK0TH JE1LET CO2JD AD4Z LZ8E LZ2BE VK4UC N3SL CO6CAC EA5KB LZ9A LZ2HM VK6AA DL8YR CO6LC EA5GL LZ9W LZ1PM VK6LW VK6IR CO₆LP EA5GL MD2C MD0CCE VK8NSB M0URX 8P9NX CO6RD MD4K G3NKC VP2EAT VE3IKV CO8LY EA7ADH MW5B G3TXF VP2MGO DF7OGO VP2MOR CO8ZZ DK1WI NH2T W2YC W0OR CR2X NL7G OH2BH OK1DOT VP2MTA N₀AT W3HNK CR3E W3HNK NP4A VP2MTL N0STL CR3L DJ6QT NP4Z N4AO VP2MWG N₀AT CR5WFF OD5PY KU9C CT1EJB VP2MWT K3WT CR6K CT1ILT OE3K VP2V/N3DXX K2PF OE1DIA CR6T CT1ESV OE4A **OE4RGC** VP5CW W5CW OH0V VP9/N3AD CS2C OK1RF OH6LI W3HNK CS2W HB9CRV OH0Z W0MM VQ91JC ND9M OH8X W3JH/KH2 JR3OFB CT9/E77XZ DK6XZ OH2UA CW5W OK3R OK1DVM WA6O/C6A WA4WTG CX6VM D2SG GM4FDM OK6W OK1MU WH0E JH3LFL XE2B D44TLL YL2KL OL3Z OK1HMP EA5OL D4C CT1ESV OL60DG OK1DG XF1M XE2HUQ D7G HL4CEL OK1DRQ OL8M XR3A CE3DNP D9G DS4GGM OM7M OM3PA XR45EI CE1SZZ DU1/JJ5GMJ JH5RXS OM8A OM2VL XU7ACY W2EN OZ1PIF XV1X E73W E73Y OX3LX OK1DOT E74X E77E OX3XR OZ3PZ XV2LC VK6LC **P33W** UA3DX XV2RZ E74Y EA5KB OH4MDY XV9DX E77A 9A2AA P3J 5B4AHJ OM3JW E77E P3Z 5B4AFM XW1A E7DX E21EIC P40F EA6URA EA3AIR R5GA YI1RZ **IK2DUW** EA8OM DJ1OJ P40K WM6A YL6W YL2GD EA9EU EA5KB P40L WA3FRP YN2CC AJ9C ED1R P40W N2MM YP8T YO8KGA EA4RCH PG65ISWL PA0FAW YP9W ED9M HA1AG YO9WF EF2A EA2AYD PJ2T W3HNK YR1C YO4NA PJ4A YR9F YO9FNP EF8M UA3DX K4BAI EF8S OH2BYS PJ5G DL7VOG YS1RS EB7DX RX3RC PJ7I JG2BRI YS3CW EI6DX I2JIN EK3SA DJ1CW PJ7TM K2GSJ YW4D EA7JX EK6LP RN4LP PJ7XK JA7WFT Z300D Z35M Z35X EK6TA DJ0MCZ PR5B 6K5YPD DJ0LZ EL2A G3SXW PW2D M0OXO ZD8N G3ZVW EL2ES PW7T PT7WA ZD8W AA7A W6NV PX2V EL2LF KY7M PY2KJ ZD8X OH2KI EL2MF PZ5T VE3DZ ZF1A KC7V K6AM EL2WS N7CW R115GV RU3XP ZF2BI K4BI R1941MB **EMORSE** UZ9RR R2DX ZF2SL AC6T R1941OM ZK2V EM0UBC UR4UXD UA3A N3SL EM1000USK UT8UF **RI1ANC** RN1ON ZL2J ZL2JU EO12WFS UR5WA **RU0LL** IK2DUW ZM4M ZL4PW EO20HC UT2HC S01MZ EA1BT ZM4T ZL2AL EP3PK IK2DUW S550ACP S59ACP ZP5R **ZP5KO** SM1TDE ER4A RA4LW SA1A ZS2DL NI5DX

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- 4J 4J29RA and 4K29RA are the special callsigns issued in celebration of the 85th anniversary of the first amateur radio station in Azerbaijan (RA29, a club station located in Helenendorf, present-day Goygol). QSL via 4J5T.
- Peter,DC0KK will be active again as 4S7KKG from Sri Lanka (AS-003) from 12 December until 10 March 2012. His preferred modes are CW and digital modes (RTTY, PSK and WSJT). QSL via home call (after the direct requests are processed, he will confirm all of the remaining QSOs through the bureau).
- Gerry, VE6LB will be active again as A6/VE6LB from Dubai, UAE from 20 December to 10 January. He will operate holiday style mostly CW with 100 watts and a G5RV antenna, with a focus on 12 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, LoTW and e QSL. Email requests for bureau cards can be sent to ve6lb[@]telus.net [TNX NG3K]
- BY Rick, K1NIU will be active as BA1BJ from Beijing on 10-11 December. Activity will be on all HF bands using SSB. QSL direct to home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- CE Special event station XR45EI is active Iquique, Chile, until 25 December to celebrate the 45th anniversary of the local newspaper (La Estrella de Inquique). QSL via CE1SZZ (Caupolican Marquez Vergara, Editor of the newspaper since 1997), direct or bureau.
- F4 Peri, HB9IQB will be active as E44PM from Palestine [425DXN 1073] for one week starting on 16 December. CW will his main mode; however, "taking into consideration the many e-mails from SSB Ops", he says, "I will try to spend not less than 20% of the time in that mode". QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Further information, log search included, can be found at www.hb9iqb.ch/palestine.html
- ET David K3LP, Paul N6PSE, Al K3VN and Bill N2WB will be active from Ethiopia until 13 December [425DXN 1071]. The goal of the trip are to administer US FCC Amateur Radio License examinations for 58 students at the Institute of Technology of the University of Addis Ababa, to create the University of Addis Ababa Technology Incubation Program (TIP), to install antennas for the low bands (160 and 80m) at the University and to be active as ET3AA and ET3SID on 160-6 metres using CW and SSB. The team will operate from Sid May's QTH using ET3SID, and from the university using ET3AA. QSL for both callsigns via N2OO he will only have the logs for contacts made by ET3AA and ET3SID on 8-13 December 2011. See http://www.k3lp.com/et3aa_december_2011.htm for additional information and updates. [TNX K3LP]
- FH Giovanni IK5BCM, Giuseppe IK5CBE and Giovanni IK5CRH will be active as TO4M from Mayotte (AF-027) from 28 January to 5 February.

- They will run two stations with amplifiers, and will operate SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY on 80-10 metres using wire dipoles and two rotary dipoles for 10 and 12m. QSL via IK5CRH, bureau preferred. All of the QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL as soon as possible. They have a website at http://to4m.xoom.it/ [TNX I5NXH]
- FS Tom, DL2RUM is active as FS/DL2RUM from St Martin (NA-105) until 12 December. He operates CW, SSB and RTTY with 600 watts. QSL via home call. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- H40 Sigi, DK9FN and Peter, DG1FK will be active again as H40FN (CW) and H40FK (digital modes) from Nendo (OC-100), Temotu Province on 11-24 February. QSL H40FN via HA8DD (new QSL manager), QSL H40FK via DG1FK. Further information, QSLling instructions and operating tips can be found at qrz.com under H40FN. Pictures and wrap-ups of H40FN's 2009-11 expeditions can be found at www.hari-ham.com
- HK Oscar, HK6PRO plans to be active as HK6PRO/1 from Palma Island (SA-078) on 8-12 January. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- JD1_oga- Makoto, JI5RPT (www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/) will be active as JD1BLY from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 24 December to 2 January. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-6 metres and satellite (no 6m EME). QSL via home call. [TNX JI5RPT]
- KH2 Haru, JA1XGI will be active as W8XGI/KH2 from Guam (OC-026) on 12-14 December. He will operate mainly CW, with a focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via JA1XGI, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- T8 Eugene, RA0FF will be active as T88OW from Koror (OC-009), Palau from 30 December to 8 January. He will operate mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with a focus on 160 and 80m. QSL via home call (direct) and LoTW.
- UN A large number of UP20 stations are active until 31 December to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Kazakhstan's independence.
 Details on the relevant award can be found on the website of the KFRR's HF Committee (http://kw.cqun.kz/)
- V3 Norman, 5B4AIF will be active as V31NB from Placencia, Belize on 16-27 December. He plans to operate SSB "on as many bands as possible" and to take part in the OK DX RTTY Contest (17 December). QSL via EB7DX.

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CE4A ---> The logsearch for CE4A (Pupuya Island, SA-095) is up and running at http://ce4a.yolasite.com/

DX2GO ---> Kelly, N0VD has developed a new mobile enhanced DX web cluster. "This specially developed web interface allows for mobile devices of many types to access the DX Cluster while at the same time providing customization to you which can be done after creating an account. While there are sure to be some mobile device compatability issues, most smart phones released within the past few years should be able to interact with Dx2Go". It can be accessed at http://m.dx2go.com.

9L0W ---> The logserach for 9L0W (Banana Island, AF-037)is up and running at http://www.mdxc.org/9l0w/

QSL 3D2R ---> QSL requests for USA stations received until 15 November have been processed and mailed. The next batch is expected after 1 January 2012, and now US stations can send their request to WD5COV (David Jorgensen, 18645 Cortez Road Se, Deming NM 88030). All others still go via YT1AD. Some 2000 cards have already been sent, the rest will follow within a couple of months. See www.yt1ad.info/3d2r/ for updates.

QSL J6M ---> The new QSL route for J6M (CQ WW DX CW Contest 2011) is via W0MU (Mike Fatchett, P.O. Box 3500, Parker CO 80134, USA; an OQRS can be found at http://w0mu.com). The log has been uploaded to LoTW.

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2LF, 3A2MD, 3D2AD, 3D2R (OC-060), 3DA0GF, 3DA0HC, 3W2BB, 4L0CR, 4U1ITU, 4W6A (OC-232), 5C2B/p (AF-068), 5C2P, 5M2TT, 5R8NL, 5W1A, 5W8A, 5Z4/DL8NBE, 6O0M, 6Y5/W1UE, 6Y9X, 7Z1HL, 8Q7EJ, 8Q7SO, 8R1AK, 8R1EA, 9G5SG, 9J2BO, 9K2OD, 9M2CLN, 9M6XRO, 9Q50ON, 9Y4LAS, A45XR, A52IR, A52PP, A71CT, A73A, A92GR, AH0J, AP2NK, AP2TN, BA7DW/7 (AS-139), BG0APU, BT1OB, BT1OH, BT1OJ, BT1OY, BTG1ON, BV1EL, C31CT, C35JM, C4N, C56JC, C6AKQ, CN8QY/p (AF-068), CO8LY, D2QV, D44AC, D9A (AS-026), DU3/N0QM, E51CG, EA9EU, EK6LP, EK6TA, ES5QD, ET3AA, EW6DX, FG/K9NW, FG4NN, FM5BH, FP/G3ZAY, FR4NT, GB1OL, GD4IHC, GJ7DNI, HH2/PA5M, HI3TEJ, HK1AA, HS0ZCW, HV0A, HV50VR, IB0/IZ0UIM (EU-045), IJ7A (EU-073), J28AA, J28RO, JW3TR, JY4CI, JY6ZZ, K0AP/5 (NA-089), K8GI/4 (NA-076), LA4WKA (EU-055), LT1F, LX8RTTY, LY37LY, LY775A, MM0RAI/p (EU-189), MS0WRC (EU-008), NH0S, OD5NJ, OH0Z, OL100VP, OL10AMPER, OL2011VP, OL35OLP, OL50KRASOV, OL80OK, OM5DP, OY1CT, P29VCX, PJ2T, PJ5/SP6IXF, PJ7E, PJ7N, PJ7X, PJ7XK, R25CH, RI1ANC, RI1FJA, ST0R, ST2AR, SU1SK, SV0XCA/5, SV2ASP/A, T32MI (OC-279), T32SI (OC-280), TF2JB, TF2MSN, TF3CW, TF8GX, TG9ADM, TK5EP, TL0A, TM5SM (EU-081), TY1KS, UA9CUA, UN8GV, V44KJ, V51GB, V55A, V63DX, V63J (OC-277), V85NL, VE7MID/VE2, VK0KEV, VK0TH, VK3EI/p (OC-136), VP2MSC, VP2MVX, VP8LP, VP9HE, VR2XMT, VU2XO, WA1DJK (NA-055), XQ4CW, XT2RJA, XU7ACY, XU7TZG, XV2RZ, XV2W, XV2YL, YB9/GM3OOK (OC-022), YJ0ANR, YL2AG, Z24EA, Z30UZB2B, ZB3R, ZD7VC, ZD8ZZ, ZK2V, ZS8M.

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- Phil, G3SWH and John, EA5ARC (G3OLU) will be active from Swaziland on 21-29 February. The two will be using a single callsign (TBA) and will operate CW only on 80-10 metres with two stations. QSL via G3SWH, preferably via the OQRS facility on Phil's web site (www.g3swh.org.uk), otherwise direct or bureau. Subject to a good Internet connection, there will be on-line log on Phil's web site and daily uploads to LoTW. [TNX G3SWH]
- 9X Carl, SM6CPY will be active holiday style as 9X0PY from Rwanda from 24 December to 7 January. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]
- Look for JS6RRR and JS6RRR/6 to operate from Miyako Island (AS-079) from 23 December to 5 January. Activity will be on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and FM. Side trips to the nearby islands of Ikema and Kurima are also being planned. QSL via bureau.
- P4 The IARU affiliated Aruba Amateur Radio Club (P43ARC) "has been lobbying, for over 15 years, to update the current and very outdated legislation governing Amateur Radio in Aruba". A special event activity under the callsign P41HQ is taking place "in order to raise awareness with our officials and to show international support". All of the QSOs will be confirmed via I2MQP; if you want to show your support, even if you do not work P41HQ, please follow the special instructions at http://qrz.com/db/p41hq
- VK John, VK6HZ will be active again as VK6ARI from Rottnest Island (OC-164) on 23-30 December. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- VP6 On 12 January the VP6T team [425DXN 1056] will start the journey to French Polynesia, with the first stop in Tahiti (OC-046) for 3 days before taking a small airplane to Mangareva Island (OC-063). They plan to be active from Tahiti and if time permits also from Mangareva as TX6T (QSL via G3TXF). From Mangareva, they will sail for approximately 3 days; depending on weather, they expect to be QRV from Pitcairn Island (OC-044) on or around 20 January. The stay on Pitcairn has been extended for one extra week, and VP6T will be on air until 4 February. Plans are to have three stations active round-the-clock on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. Efforts will be made to give this extremely rare Entity on as many bands as possible, but especially on the low

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Additionally to the VP6T expedition, Vincent F4BKV will be active from the following locations:

bands. QSL via G3TXF, direct or bureau, and LoTW. QSLling instructions and further information, including details on how contribute to this expensive project, can be found at www.vp6t.org

9 February E51BKV from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cooks
10-15 February E51BKV from Mangaia (OC-159), South Cooks
16 February E51BKV from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cooks
18-25 February FK/F4BKV from Ouvea (OC-033), New Caledonia
26 February FK/F4BKV from Noumea (OC-032), New Caledonia
He will operate SSB, RTTY and PSK31 running 500 watts to monoband VDA for
17, 15, 12 and 10m, and monoband verticals for 40, 30 and 20m. QSL via home
call, direct or bureau, and LOTW. Logsearch and OQRS (for bureau cards only)
can be found at www.f4bkv.net [TNX DX World]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The November 2011 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

DXPEDITION OF THE YEAR ---> The poll for the "DXpedition of the Year" as voted by readers of DX World.net can be found at http://dx-world.net/2011/dx-world-dxpedition-of-the-year-2011/. The criteria behind the poll is to remind operators of the many notable DXpeditions which occurred during the last 12 months and to vote for their favourites (*five* choices overall). Poll closes on 15 January 2012. [TNX MM0NDX]

ET3AA: STUDENT LICENSE PROJECT RESULTS ---> The results of the US FCC Amateur Radio License examinations administered for 62 students at the Institute of Technology of the University of Addis Ababa on 10-13 December are as follows: 5 Extra Class, 36 General Class and 16 Technician Class Licenses issued; five did not receive a license.

"After we get our logs combined", K3LP says, "we'll upload the results to the Logbook of the World plus post the results as a search function. Thanks to everyone for their understanding regarding the low bands. A future goal will be set to operate from a remote location with exceptional receive antennas". QSL ET3AA and ET3SID via N2OO for 8-13 December 2011 only.

HS0AC ---> "After over five weeks of inundation by flood water at the Asian Institute of Technology campus at Kilometre 42 on Phaholyothin Road, a team of RAST members led by station manager Finn, OZ1HET and President Chaiyong, HS1QVD visited the club station there on Saturday, December 10". Finn describes the situation as follows: "The club station was completely destroyed, everything in there spoiled so we could only 'scrap' all out as garbage. All furniture had fallen apart and everything was full of mud and smelling very bad". The "HS0AC Horror Story", along with several impressive pictures, can be found at www.qsl.net/rast/

IOTA ANNUAL UPDATE ---> The deadline for the 2012 Honour Roll and Annual Listing approaches. Applications and updates submitted online on or before 31 January will count for the 2012 tables so long as the supporting cards sent to checkpoints are postmarked no later than that date. Updates postmarked after 31 January will be processed in the normal way but scores will be held over to 2013. Listing in the tables is restricted to those participants who have updated their scores at least once in the previous five years (in the case of the 2012 tables this means since the 2007 annual listings). Please submit online and not on paper - card volumes are now

such that paper applications place an unacceptable burden on checkpoints. The 2012 tables will appear on www.rsgbiota.org in the Spring.

QSL 3B7C & 3B9C ---> T32C has prompted renewed interest in getting missing cards from those trips. The following have taken over QSLing responsibilities for the 3B7C (2007) and 3B9C (2004) DXpeditions: 3B7C QSLs should now be sent to M0ZAK (Jim Steel, 6 Central Avenue, Shepshed, Leics LE12 9HP, United Kingdom) and 3B9C QSLs should now be sent to G3RAU (Derek Moffatt, Mill House, Middle Street, Glentworth, Gainsborough, Lincs DN21 5BZ, United Kingdom).

QSL KG4AJ ---> Buzz, NI5DX, has assumed the duties of QSL manager for Norm, KG4AJ, who expects to be at Guantanamo Bay for two years. A new QSL card will be designed, and it will take about 4 weeks to receive the cards once the order has been placed. Buzz is awaiting a log transfer from Norm, then he will able to confirm all past contacts with KG4AJ.

QSL T32C ---> "The card design has been finalised and we plan to start mailing cards in January after the Christmas postal rush", G3XTT stated in the latest press release dated 11 December (see www.t32c.com). "We have a team of 10 QSL managers ready to start processing the T32C cards and we estimate that we will eventually confirm around 140,000 QSOs". As for LoTW, "we promised an upload within six months and, in practice, it will be very much earlier. We wanted to upload as clean a log as possible and have made some 500+ editorial changes to the log as a result of feedback from the log uploads to Club Log and notes received from many of the Deserving. But we are very conscious that many of you want to do a DXCC update before year-end. Therefore, LoTW permitting, we plan to start the upload on 15 December, just over six frenetic weeks after our return from T32C. Uploading 213k QSOs is a huge task and we don't necessarily expect it to go smoothly first time (D68C, 3B9C and 3B7C all experienced problems), so the upload may take several days to complete".

+ SILENT KEYS + Harry Berry, G0JMU (7Q7HB) died of a massive heart + attack

on 12 December. He was regularly active from Malawi for a few months every year. "All of his logs are in my possession", his QSL manager (G0IAS) says, "any outstanding cards will be answered".

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Benjamin Alfonza Shaver Jr (AA4XU), Derek Nicholls (G0GTC), Giulio Biagini (I5HUE), George J. Wesley (KB2VO), Don Schmidt (N8AC), Robert H. Ekleberry (W4CKD), John E. Hamlet Jr (W4ZW), Frank James Connelly (W7ND), W. H. Deverall (ZL1VS) and Bert Howes (ZS6HS).

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- * TO ALL OUR READERS
- * WARMEST THOUGHTS AND BEST WISHES *
- * FOR A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY *
- * AND A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR *

- 3D2 Akira, JA1NLX will be active as 3D2YA from Yanqeta Island (OC-156), Fiji on 15-21 March. He plans to operate mainly CW, possibly with some RTTY and SSB, on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Further information can be found at http://ja1nlx-aki.blogspot.com [TNX NG3K]
- 8P Look for 8P9VX (K3VX), 8P9WH (W3WH) and 8P9CS (K9CS) to be active from Barbados (NA-021) on 14-22 February. They will participate in the ARRL CW DX Contest as 8P5Y (Multi-Single). QSL all via K9CS. [TNX K9CS]
- 8Q Berti, HB9SLO will be active holiday style as 8Q7LO from the Maldives (AS-013) from 27 December to 2 January. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- CT9 Mathieu, MJ0ASP will be active as CT9/MJ0ASP from Madeira (AF-014) from 28 December to 7 January. He will operate CW on 40-10 metres.
 QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX DX World]
- CYO Ron, AA4VK and Murray, WA4DAN will be active as homecall/CYO from Sable Island (NA-063) from 29 December to 6 January [425DXN 1069]. They plan to be QRV on all bands with two stations. QSL for both callsigns via WA4DAN (direct); bureau cards via each operator's home call. Updates, suggested frequencies and OQRS can be found at www.cy0dxpedition.com
- DL Jan-Henrik, DG8HJ will be active as DG8HJ/p from Fehmarn Island (EU-128) on 1-8 January. QSL via home call, bureau or direct. [TNX rgsbiota.org]
- EA_ssh Adrian, EA1CYK is active in his spare time as EA1CYK/p from Antarctic base "Gabriel de Castilla" on Deception Island, South Shetlands (AN-010) until March 2012. He might also visit and be active from the base "Juan Carlos I" on Livingston Island (South Shetlands). QSL via EA7LS. [TNX DX World]
- I The Extreme DX & Contest Group will use special callsign II3CV between 25 January and 25 February to celebrate the Carnival of Venice. QSL via IK3HHX, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Complete information on the relevant award can be found at www.extremegroup.org [TNX IZ3EBA]
- JD1_oga- Koji, JI1LET will be active as JI1LET/JD1 from Chichi-jima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 24 December to 1 January. He plans to

- operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call.
- JW LA2XNA (JW2XNA) and LA8HGA (JW8HGA) will be active from Spitsbergen (EU-026), Svalbard on 16-20 March. They will operate SSB and PSK31 (JW2XNA) and CW (JW8HGA) on 160-10 metres, with an emphasis on the higher bands. QSL via home calls, direct to bureau, and LoTW. [TNX LA8HGA]
- PA Look for Marcel, PD5MVH/p to be active from Vlieland Island (EU-038) until 6 January. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- PA ON5TC, ON5TQ, ON6QO and ON8VP will be active as PA/homecall from Schouwen-Duiveland (EU-146) on 26-29 December. They will operate mainly CW on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- PJ7 Wojciech, SP9PT and other five Polish operators will be active as PJ7PT from Sint Maarten (NA-105) on 5-18 March. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL via SP9PT. A website is under construction at www.pj7pt.com [TNX SP9PT]
- T8 Starting on 23 December, look for T88KI (QSL via JL3TOG), T88XC (QSL via JA0FKK) and T8CW (QSL via JH0IXE) to be active from Palau until 6, 7 and 8 January respectively. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and JT65A on 160-6 metres. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP9 Kei, KG2A (JJ1RJR) will be active as VP9/KG2A from Bermuda (NA-005) from 26 December to 1 January. He will operate SSB and CW on the HF bands. QSL direct to KG2A. [TNX NG3K]
- W Rick, K6VVA will be active as K6VVA/7 from Vashon Island (NA-065, www.k6vva.com/iota/na065) on 1-3 January. He will operate mainly CW on 40-10 metres. QSL only via N6AWD, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- YS A large team of operators from Germany, Czech Republic and El Salvador will be active as HU2DX from 29 January to 10 February. They plan to be QRV on 160-10 metres all modes running four stations simultaneously, with a focus on the low bands and digital modes. QSL via DH7WW, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.hu2dx.de

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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IOTA 50TH ANNIVERSARY MARATHON ---> The 50th Anniversary Marathon starts on 1 January 2012 [425DXN 1042]. For a two-year period (from 00.00 UTC 1 January 2012 until 23.59 UTC 31 December 2013), IOTA chasers are encouraged to contact as many different IOTA groups as possible, and IOTA activators to play their part by operating from as many groups as possible, with special emphasis on the less-frequently activated ones. As participants will need the island name, not just the IOTA reference number, for the island station worked, those who post spots on the clusters are encouraged to include the island name in their postings where there is more than one IOTA group possibility. Full details of the Marathon are available on www.rsgbiota.org.

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Al, VE1AL has received two cards for contacts made with 3V8S during the CQ WW DX CW Contest 2009. "I am not and never have been the QSL manager for this operation", Al says, and adds: "also, I still receive cards for ZK2DD and VA1S. I have the logs for the ZK2DD operation

for only July 1979. If the call was re-issued, I cannot help. The VA1S logs are no longer available. I won't return the QSLs to the senders because of new, onerous, charges by RAC for membership and use of its outgoing bureau".

ON5NT ---> Ghis reports that as of 20 December his new mailing address is: Ghis Penny, P.O.Box 6, 9700 Oudenaarde, Belgium (mail sent to his old POB 93 will be forwarded). The operations Ghis is the QSL manager for are listed on qrz.com

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Walter + Schreuer (K1YZW), Pat Parrish (K4YR), Michael W. Smith (N8GUZ), Aleksandr V. Rybak (UT0UA), Larry Amodeo (W2AX) and Zoran Levkov (Z30V).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8FQ, 3D2R, 3DA0GF, 3XY1D, 4K9W, 4L1MA, 4W6A, 4Z5LA, 5B4AJC, 5C2J, 5T0JL, 5W1SA, 6L2BJ, 6O0M, 7Q7GM, 7Z1HL, 8P3A, 8Q7CC, 8Q7SO, 8R1AK, 9G5SG, 9H1BT, 9H1XT, 9J2RI, 9K2HN, 9M2CLN, A52IR, AP2NK, AP2TN, C4N, C6ATA, CP8/DF7NX, D2QR, D9A (AS-026), DU2/JJ5GMJ, E72U, E77A, EA9/G3TXF, EA9EU, EK3GM, EK6TA, EL8RI, ER3MM, ER3ZZ, EW8OG, EX8DX, EY8MM, FK8GX, FP/M0BLF, FR/DJ7RJ, FR4NT, GJ7DNI, HB0/IZ3ESV, HL3IUA, HL5BLF, HQ9R, HR9/WQ7R, HS0ZBS, HS7AT/P (AS-101), HV50VR, HZ1FI, HZ1MD/p (AS-193), J28AA, J28RO, J69MV, J79KT, J79ZG, JD1BMH, JF6YME/6 (AS-023), JT1CS, JV5A, JW3TR, JY4CI, JY5HX, JY6ZZ, JY7P, K4M, K8HH/C6A, KC4AAC, KC4USV, KH4/W5FJG, LT1F, LY2OU, NH0S, NH0S/KH2, OD5/DL6SN, OD5NJ, OJ0UR, OX4OK, OY/PA2AM, OY1OF, P40W, PJ4/JH5GHM, PJ7/W4BUW, PJ7NK, PJ7X, PJ7XK, PQ8P, PQ8XB, RA2FF, RI1FJA, STOR, SU9VB, SV2ASP/A, SV5BYR, T32TV, T6RH, TI8II, TJ3AY, TJ3IC, TK5MH, TK5UX, TL0A, TO7ZG, TU2T, TZ9A, UA0BA, UA0SR, UA0YAY, UA9CUA, UK8OAR, UN7BEW, V21ZG, V26K, V31QS, V47KP, V51GB, V63KZ, V85TL, VI2MI (OC-223), VK0TH, VK7ZX (OC-233), VK8DX, VK9CX, VP2MXF, VP5CW, VP8LP, VP8ORK, VP9/AA4V, VP9/K2XX, VP9HE, VP9KF, VY0V, XU7ACQ, XU7ACY, XV1X, XV2YL, YB0AKM, YF1AR, YJ0ABP, YJ0HA, YK9A, YL2BJ, Z36T, ZA1E, ZA1G, ZB2B, ZD7VC, ZD7XF, ZD8ZZ, ZL8X.

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- 3DA 3DA0PW is the callsign issued to Phil, G3SWH and John, EA5ARC (G3OLU) for their 21-29 February activity from Swaziland [425DXN 1076]. They will operate CW only on 80-10 metres with two stations. They have a webpage at www.g3swh.org.uk/3da0pw.html. QSL via G3SWH and LoTW. [TNX G3SWH]
- 9A The 9A prefix was issued to Croatia (previously YU2) twenty years ago. To celebrate this anniversary, several Croatian individual and club stations have been granted permission to add "20" to their prefixes (e.g. 9A0Z = 9A200Z, 9A1MM = 9A201MM, 9A2AA = 9A202AA, etc) from 1 January through 31 December 2012. Information on the relevant award can be found at www.hamradio.hr
- CYO AA4VK and WA4DAN arrived in Halifax, Nova Scotia on 27 December in preparation for the Sable Island DXpedition [425DXN 1077]. Severe winds made it unsafe to fly on 28 December, and the "beach runway" on the island has been covered with water since the 29th. "Due to the uncertainty of when the runway will be suitable for landing", they reported on the 30th, "we decided to delay the DXpedition and return to the US".
- FO The VP6T team will be active as TX6T from Tahiti (OC-046) [425DXN 1076] both on their way to and returning from Pitcairn. The tentative dates are 15-16 January and 8-10 February. There might be a short operation as TX6T/p from Mangareva (OC-063) on 6-7 February, but that activity will depend on the early arrival of the return boat from Pitcairn. QSL via G3TXF. [TNX DX World]
- FW Laci, HA0NAR (www.ha0nar.hu) and other two operators will be active as FW0R from Wallis Island (OC-054) between 25 January and 23 February 2012. They will run two stations with amplifiers on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, with a focus on 160, 80, 40 and 30m. On 5-10 February they will operate as TW0F from Futuna Island same DXCC Entity but a different (and rarer) IOTA group, OC-118. QSL for both callsigns via HA0NAR.
- HK0 On 26 December four HK0NA team members (HK1N, HK1T, HK6F and HK1MW) departed from the Colombian Navy Base Bahia Malaga, destination Malpelo Island. The advanced team will set up two operating sites, 11 stations, 18 antennas and the wireless network in order to allow the main group to begin radio operations immediately upon their arrival on 21 January. Bookmark http://hk0na.com for updates.
- KH3 Susan, W7KFI has to postpone her operation from Johnston Atoll [425DXN 1071] for 4-6 weeks. The US Fish & Wildlife Service requires the she "pulls her boat out of the water and has the hull scraped, then repainted. The shipyard who would do this work cannot get Susan an appointment until approx four weeks from now",

- her QSL manager (KH6CG) reported on 24 December, "so shove off date will be beginning February at earliest". [TNX DX World]
- PJ2 Ron, N6EE and Chet, W6XK will be active as PJ2N from Curacao (SA-099) during the ARRL RTTY Round-Up (7-8 January). QSL via LoTW or direct to NN6NN. They also plan to operate digital modes as PJ2/N6EE and PJ2/W6XK before and after the contest. [TNX DX World]
- PJ4 Peter, PA8A will be active holiday tyle as PJ4B from Bonaire (SA-006) on 8-22 January. QSL via PA8A, direct only. [TNX NG3K]
- PJ7 Paolo, IK2QPR reports he will be active as PJ7/IK2QPR from Sint Maarten (NA-105) on 8-16 January. QSL via home call.
- T8 Mike JA6EGL, Yasu JA6UBY, Masa JH6KXG and Yu JE6DND will be active as T88SM, T88CP, T88BI and T88HK from Palau (OC-009) on 11-19 January. They plan to be QRV on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL direct to home calls. [TNX JN6RZM]
- VK Peter VK3ZPF, Matt VK2ADF and Kevin VK3KAB will be active as VK3SAT from French Island (OC-136) on 7-8 January. It will be a lightweight, battery powered operation on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. Further information can be found at qrz.com under VK3SAT.
- VP9 Jamie, WW3S will be active as VP9/WW3S from Bermuda (NA-005) on 5-10 January, including activity in the ARRL RTTY Roundup. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W The Baton Rouge ARC (W5GIX) will be active from Grand Isle (NA-168) on 6-8 January. Operators mentioned are AD5VC, K5DF, K5DFD, N5IB, W5AJD and W5XU; they plan to be QRV on 80-10 metres and possibly 6m SSB, CW, and digital modes. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- XU Alex, UA9YAB and Alex, UA9YPS will be active as XU7YAB and XU7YPS from Cambodia on 3-6 January. A side trip to IOTA group AS-133 is also planned. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]
- YV A team of Venezuelan operators will be active as YX6AJ from Angel Falls, the world's highest waterfall, in the Canaima National Park on on 3-6 January. QSL via YV5AJ.

ANTARCTICA ---> Mika, OH2FFP will operate from a few bases in Antarctica between mid-January and mid-February. Callsigns to be used are OH2FFP/p from Nordenskiold multinational camp, OJ1ABOA from the Finnish station Aboa and SM/OH2FFP from the Swedish station Wasa.

Bhagwati, VU3BPZ expects to arrive at Bharati, India's new reasearch station located in the Larsemann Hills on Princess Elizabeth Land in early January. He will remain at the base until March 2013, and he plans to be QRV on the HF bands in his spare time, possibily with a special callsign. QSL via I1HYW. [TNX DX World]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****

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CCC JUBILEE AWARD ---> This award is to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth II and especially her position as head of the Commonwealth of Nations. The award is for working stations located in at least 60 out of the 139 qualifying Commonwealth Call Areas between 1 January and 31 December 2012. No QSL or other verification will be required. Certificates will be available for download and printing by stations claiming the contacts required. Full details at www.beru.org.uk/CCCaward/CCCindex.html

CQ DX MARATHON ---> Each year CQ Magazine sponsors a challenge to work as many countries and zones as possible in the calendar year. The 2011 edition of the CQ Magazine DX Marathon ends on 31 December, and logs are due no later than 31 January 2012. See the DX Marathon website for complete details (www.dxmarathon.com). Also, a new Yahoo Group has been created to help share information and answer questions regarding the Marathon. Once signed into Yahoo Groups, search for 'DXMarathon'. [TNX K9EL]

DIAMOND DXCC CHALLENGE ---> To celebrating the 75th anniversary of the DXCC Award, the ARRL has created the Diamond DXCC Challenge, which will run from 1 January through 31 December 2012. The country list to be used for the Diamond DXCC Challenge is based upon the list of 231 places shown in 1937. The idea is to work nowadays entities (not only traditional DXCC entities, but also cities, IOTA groups, and various sub-political entities inside DXCC entities) that represent the places listed 75 years ago. Complete details can be found on the dedicated web pages at www.arrl.org/diamond-dxcc

CONTEST UNIVERSITY ---> Early bird registration is now open for 2012 Dayton Contest University (CTU) will be held on 17 May at the Crowne Plaza in Dayton, Ohio. It will be the sixth year for CTU Dayton. Topics, professors and registration form can be found on http://contestuniversity.com

DX UNIVERSITY ---> DX University (DXU) is the twin to the very successful Contest University (CTU), providing high-caliber offerings for beginning and experienced DXers alike. The first session will be held on 20 April 2012 at the Holiday Inn in Visalia, California. Among the lecturers are AA7A, G3SXW, K4UEE, K9LA, N7NG, W3UR, W6OAT, W9KNI and XE1KK, many of whom are inductees of the CQ DX Hall of Fame. Learn the secrets of operating techniques for working DX, optimizing stations & antennas for DXing, about propagation, information sources, awards, and ethics, remote operating, QSLing and much more. You will also get the DXpeditioner's view of how DXers should operate to get into the log. Complete information can be found at www.dxuniversity.com; registration will begin on 2 January 2012. [TNX G3SXW]

DXCC NEWS ---> E44PM (Palestine, 2011 operation) and 5N6/YL2SW (Nigeria) have been approved for DXCC credit. The latter had been on hold pending a review of the status of the location (in accordance with DXCC rule 8 regarding it being "land-based"). If you had credit for 5N6/YL2SW rejected in the past, send a note to bmoore[@]arrl.org to have your record updated. You can see the results when the change has been done to your record by checking your LoTW account or, the DXCC daily numbers. [TNX NC1L]

HS0AC ---> The Northern California DX Foundation announced a "Christmas gift" of \$500 to help rebuild and re-equip the Radio Amateur Society of Thailand's HS0AC Club station that was destroyed by recent flooding [425DXN 1076].

The three towers and multi-band yagis were not harmed, the clubhouse itself can be refurbished and used again, and the HS0AC computer logs are safe. However, there are no surviving radios: 14 rigs were lost along with amplifiers and all other devices (read the "HS0AC Horror Story" at www.qsl.net/rast/)

HSOAC is appealing to the world to help re-build. The goal is to get at least one complete station replaced as soon as possible, but replacement will expand as funding is available. This station is open for operation by any licensed amateur, from anywhere, and for decades has represented Thailand in contests and as a first HS DX contact. Please help Thailand

hams by donating any amount via PayPal (donate[@]rast.or.th). All donations will go entirely to rebuilding the station.

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IOTA NEWS ---> The following operations (January-December 2011) have
provided acceptable validation material and are therefore approved for IOTA
credit:
AF-068
         5C2B
                   Herne Island (September 2011)
                  Herne Island (September 2011)
AF-068
         5C2J
AF-068
         5C2P
                   Herne Island (September 2011)
         5C2S
                   Herne Island (September 2011)
AF-068
                     Herne Island (September 2011)
AF-068
         CN8QY/p
AF-093
         J5NAR/p
                     Jeta Island (February 2011)
AS-073
         9M2/IZ1MHY Redang Island (September/October 2011)
AS-191
         7Z7AA
                    Jabal Al Lith Island (November 2011)
EU-069
         EG5CI
                    Columbretes Islands (April 2011)
         MM0RAI/p
EU-189
                      Isle of Rockall (October 2011)
NA-184
                      St George Reef (April 2011)
         K6VVA/6
NA-232
         KL7RRC
                      St Matthew Island (July 2011)
NA-242
         K6VVA/KL7 Point Lay Barrier Island (July 2011)
OC-101 P29VCX
                     St John's Island, Feni Islands (April 2011)
OC-117
         P29VCX
                     Misima Island, Louisiade Archipelago (April 2011)
OC-136 F9IE/VK3/p Phillip Island (February 2011)
OC-139 F9IE/VK5/p Kangaroo Island (March 2011)
OC-231
        P29VLR
                     Nissan Island, Green Islands (April 2011)
OC-232
        4W6A
                    Atauro Island (September 2011)
OC-239
         YB0MWM/9
                        Doom Island (October 2011)
OC-239
        YB9WZJ/p
                      Doom Island (October 2011)
OC-240 P29VCX
                     Loloata Island (April 2011)
OC-257
        P29NI
                   Nuguria Islands (April 2011)
SA-031
         CE9/PA3EXX Herschel Island, Hermite Islands (January 2011)
SA-031
         CE9/VE3LYC Herschel Island, Hermite Islands (January 2011)
SA-045 PQ8OP
                    Parazinho Island (August 2011)
SA-045 PQ8XB
                    Parazinho Island (August 2011)
SA-095
         CE4A
                   Pupuya Island (November 2011)
SA-097
         CE9/PA3EXX Gonzalo Island, Diego Ramirez Islands (January 2011)
SA-097
         CE9/VE3LYC Gonzalo Island, Diego Ramirez Islands (January 2011)
The list includes operations where validation material was specifically
required for credit to be given, as well as operations where validation
material was volunteered. In all cases, cards submitted will be accepted by
Checkpoints if they meet normal standards (i.e. the island name should be
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MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted Survey was conducted in September-October 2011 [425DXN 1062]. The top 20 DXCC Entities are:

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1. P5
      North Korea
                           11. VK0 Macquarie Island
2. KP1 Navassa Island
                             12. HK0 Malpelo Island
                           13. FT5T Tromelin Island
3. 3Y Bouvet Island
4. VK0 Heard Island
                            14. SV/A Mount Athos
5. 70 Yemen
                          15. ZL9 Auckland & Campbell Isls
6. FT5Z Amsterdam & St. Paul Isls 16. PY0S St. Peter & Paul Rocks
7. FT5W Crozet Isls
                            17. KH5 Palmyra & Jarvis Isls
8. BS7H Scarborough Reef
                               18. KH5K Kingman Reef
9. VP8 South Sandwich Isls
                               19. KH9 Wake Island
10. ZS8 Marion Island
                            20. FT5J/E Juan de Nova Isl, Europa Isl
The 100 Most Wanted listing, with the results of the 2010 survey for
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printed on the card). [TNX www.g3kma.dsl.pipex.com]

comparison, is expected to be posted to www.dxpub.com/dx_news.html around

15 January. The complete breakdown by continent is available in the January/February 2011 issue of "The DX Magazine"; a breakdown by mode will be published in the March/April issue.

QSL 9J2CA ---> "I have just resumed QSL managership for James, 9J2CA in Lusaka, Zambia", Phil G3SWH says. "James is mainly QRV on the digital modes with the occasional foray on to CW". QSL direct (Phil Whitchurch, 21 Dickensons Grove, Congresbury, Bristol, BS49 5HQ, United Kingdom) or LoTW. An on-line log search can be found at www.g3swh.org.uk/9j2ca.html

QSL JX5O ---> Members of the JX5O team report that "due to unforeseen circumstances", Stan, SQ8X, will be delaying the sending of QSLs until sometime in January at the earliest. Updates on this issue should be forthcoming on the JX5O website (http://janmayen2011.org/) [TNX KA3NRX]

QSL MANAGER OFFERED ---> Juan Carlos, EA7HBC (ea7hbc[@]gmail.com) is willing to offer his services (including the QSL cards colour printing) to any amateur radio station in need. [TNX EA7HBC]

US POSTAL RATES ---> Effective 22 January 2012 the U.S. Postal Service (www.usps.com) will implement a postage rate increase for most mailing services. The rates for First-Class Mail International letters up to 1 oz (28 grams) will be as follows:

Canada and Mexico USD 0.85 Rest of the world USD 1.05

VE POSTAL RATES ---> Canadian postal rates will rise again on 16 January.

The new base prices for standard letter items up to 30g are as follows:

Canada CAD 0.61 U.S.A. CAD 1.05

International CAD 1.80

Please note that stamps are subject to taxes that can vary from Province to Province. Actual rates can be calculated through the "Find a Rate" on-line service provided by Canada Post (www.canadapost.ca).

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******* QSL ROUTES ******

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CALL CALL CALL MANAGER MANAGER MANAGER ______ 3W7W W3HNK DR60BENE DG2MEL NP4A W3HNK 3Z50HK SP5ZRW DU1/JJ5GMJ JH5RXS OD5PY KU9C 3Z85LKK SP8AUP E51AND AB7FS OF150M OH8DR N3SL E51EME OG73X 4L5O ZL1RS OH8L 4L6DL LZ1OT EA1CYK/p EA7LS OH9SCL OH9UV 4S7BRG LZ3HI EA6/G3SZU M0OXO ON44NUTS ON4RCA 4S7KKG DC0KK EA8OM DJ1OJ OY10F M0URX 4T100MP OA4O EK3GM IK2QPR PA30BR PA1BR 5B8AD W3HNK DJ0MCZ PG65ISWL PA0FAW EK6TA 5H3CMG ZR6CMG EL2DT EL2FM PJ7TM K2GSJ 5N4EAM IK2IQD EM0RSE UZ9RR R650FN UA4FU 5R8AL G3SWH EM1000USK UT8UF RIIANC RN1ON

5R8UI **IZ8CCW** EM20LTD **UR3LTD** S5530N S55N 5R8XB ON8XB EN70JFD **UU4JWC SCOXMAS** SM0OGQ 5V7MA F4FOO EO12WFS **UR5WA** SF6DX SM6FUD 5V7SI JA1PBV EO20HC UT2HC SN225DT SP8KKM 7X5OB EO20UM SN225LDT SO9DEN EA7FTR UT0UM 7Z1HL DJ9ZB ER4DX RA4LW SP0CFF SP2FAP 7Z1SJ EA7FTR EX2X EA5KB SP9YFF/P SQ9IDG 8J1R EX8VZ RW6HS **JA1YSW** ST2AR **S53R** 807LO HB9SLO FG4NN NI5DX SV0XCC/9 LZ1YE 8S7A W3HNK FK8GX W3HNK T32TV KH6CG 9A04JB 9A3JB FM5BH W3HNK T6BP 9A6AA 9G5SI **JA1PBV** FM5CD F5VU T88XC JA0FKK 9J2BO **G3TEV** FM5WD W3HNK T8CW JH0IXE 9K2/SP4R SP7DQR FM5WE K4FJ TC1ACAT TA0U 9K2UU EA5ZD G4FOC G3SWH TC9SAM TA1HZ SP7BTB HA40KKC TF3CW 9L1BTB HA5MA LX1NO 906AL DF9TA HB10K TG9NX EA7FTR N4FKZ **9Q6CC** CX2CC HB9WFF/p HB9FBI TM8SOE F8DFO 9X0PY SM6CPY HC2SL TM90RCNF F8KKH EA5KB A41KJ NI5DX HF225DT SP9PTA TR0A/p **SM7EHU** HF6WGC EB7DX SP6CES TR8CA F6CBC A41MX JA4ATV HG15IPA A52ATV HA3JB UK8IZ RW6HS 4Z5OG A61AS YO3FRI HG200LST HA5GY **UK8OM** UK8OWW A61BK NI5DX HG5MORSE HA5BA 4**Z**5**O**G A61BK NI5DX HH2/HB9AMO PA7FM UN1L W3HNK **UN7AB** A61LL EA5ZD HR9/WQ7R K5WW DL8KAC UN9L A61Q EA7FTR HV50VR **I0JBL** LZ1YE A61R EA7FTR HZ1AN DJ9ZB **UP0L** DL8KAC A65BP **UA6MF** HZ1DG EA7FTR UP20BEW **UN7BEW** A65CA **RV6AJJ** HZ1DS DJ9ZB UP20CC EA5KB DL2RMC UP20CH A65CB EB7DX HZ1FI UN7CH IZ8CLM HZ1MD EA7FTR UP20GW **UN9GW** A65EE A71CT EA7FTR HZ1PS IZ8CLM UP20IT **UN7IT** AH0J **JA1NVF II0MZ IW0EFA** UP20LU **UN9LU** NI5DX II2ITAL IK2AQZ UP20LWZ AL7DB RW6HS IZ4OUL AU50GOA VU2SMS II4LXV UP20N **UN7NFD** BA5HAM IK2DUW II4PRI IZ1JKW UP20NR **UN7NR** BM2JCC IZ3DBA UP20PT BO100 IQ3LE **UN8PT** BQ100 BM2JCC J28AA K2PF UP20RK UN7Z BU100 BM2JCC J28RO F8DFP UP20T UN6T BV100 BV2KI J69KZ W3HNK UP4L UN7LZ BV100ROC BM2JCC JD1BLY JI5RPT V25RV JN1RVS JG7PSJ V5/DK1CE DH3WO BW100 BM2JCC JD1BMH C31CT EA3QS JY4CI K2AX VK0TH **JE1LET** C6ANM WA2IYO KC4AAA K1IED VK6ANC VK6IR CE2/VE7SV VE7WY KC4USV K1IED VK6ARI VK6HZ CE9VPM CE3VPM VK8NSB KG4AJ NI5DX M0URX CM8AKD EA7FTR KH2/N2NL W2YC VP8DMH M0PRL KH7Y EA5GL VQ9JC CN8KD EA5XX ND9M CO6LC EA5GL KL7J N3SL VU2UR SM3DBU CO6LP EA5GL KL7SB NI5DX W₁S K1NIU CO6RD 8P9NX KP3A W3HNK WH0AU JP3WAU CO8LY EA7ADH KP4BD EA7FTR XE1B EB7DX CP4BT EA5KB KP4ED EB7DX XE2B EA5OL CT3AS DL3BK KP4EIT EA5GL XU7ACY W2EN CX2AQ EA5KB **KP4JRS** EA7FTR XU7TZG ON7PP CX7BZ CX2ABC KP4MS W4DN XV4Y OK1DOT

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D2QV	UT0EA	LY2011XMA	AS LY2QT	YI9EO	N4EO
DF0DLFF	DL7AFS	LZ85R	LZ1BJ	YT16IARU	YU1EA
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	NH7O	EA5GL	Z21LS	DE1ZHB
DQ1175E	DL5DCL	NL7G	OK1DOT	ZF2HZ	K9HZ
DR1050EF	B DL2VM	NL8F	K8NA	ZL3RG	9A3JB
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