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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 3X - John, VE2EQL will be active as 3XY0D from KanKan, Guinea on 3-9 August. He plans to operate mostly on 20, 17 and 15 metres, with some activity on 40 metres. Look for him around 10-11 UTC and from 23 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9Q - Philippe, 9Q1TB (F5LTB) is going to leave the Democratic Republic of Congo after five years. His next assignment will be in the United Arab Emirates starting in early September, and he hopes he can get the A6 licence he has applied for. He is still active on 40-6 metres, typically between 7-8 UTC on 20 metres SSB, between 15-16 UTC on 15 metres SSB and during his evenings on 40-10 metres depending on propagation. QSL via SM5DJZ. [TNX F6NQL]
- EA - Adolfo, EA7TV will be active on 20 and 40 metres as A07TV/p from a number of lighthouses between 1 and 12 August: Cabo Roche (SPA-041), Cabo Trafalgar (SPA-052), Castillo de San Sebastian (SPA-063), Barbate (SPA-071) and Puerto Sherry (SPA-338). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX EA7TV]
- EA - The Demons DXers Team (<http://www.demonsdxers.es/>) will be active as EE1DD from Arosa Island (EU-080) on 5-6 August. They will plan to operate SSB and CW on 80-6 metres. QSL via EA1YG, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- F - In August 1908 Lieutenants Colin and Jeance of the French Navy conducted a successful radiotelephony experiment between the wireless stations at Pointe du Raz (Brittany) and on the Eiffel Tower in Paris (528 kilometres away). Celebrating the 100th anniversary of that event, the Association de Amis de la Radio du Finistre will operate as TM8RAZ from Pointe du Raz on 2-3 August. QSL via F4FKD, direct or bureau. [TNX F8REF]
- H4 - The Daily DX reports that soon Mike, KM9D and Jan, KF4TUG will begin "their next sailing season". Their first stop should be Temotu Province (H40), and they hope to be able to operate from Vanikolo Island, in the rare OC-163 IOTA group.
- F - Dirk, ON4IMM will be active as F/ON4IMM from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 10-13 August. Focus will be on 144 MHz meteor scatter, but outside the meteor shower he will be QRV on the HF bands and 6 metres. [TNX F5NQL]
- HL - Look for HL0Y/3 to be active from Sapsi Island (AS-080) on 7-11 August. Activity will be on 20 metres SSB. QSL via HL0Y. [TNX The Daily DX]
- I - Celebrating the 5th anniversary of the Strange Radio Team ([www.strangeradioteam.com](http://www.strangeradioteam.com), IQ8OM), a number of special callsigns will be aired at various times between 1 and 31 August: II0SRT, II2SRT, II5SRT, II8SRE, IO5SRT, IR1SRT, IR3SRT, IR6SRT, IU0SRE, IU3SRT, IU7SRE and IU8SRE. From outside Italy, EG3SRT, GB0SRT, PD05SRT, V55SRT, W1SRT, YU05SRT and YX5SRT are expected to join

- the celebrations. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX IZ8EDJ]
- I - ARI Ancona will operate special station IY6GM from Monte Cappuccini (WAIL MA-003, ARLHS ITA-104) between 5 and 17 August. The activity will celebrate the 104th anniversary of the experiments carried out by Guglielmo Marconi from that place. QSL via QSL via I6GFX, direct or bureau. [TNX I6GFX]
- ISO - Stefano, IK5PWQ and Stefano, IK5XCT will be active as IM0/homecall from Maddalena Island (EU-041, IIA OT-008) on 2-15 August. They will be active holiday style on 40,30 and 20 metres CW, with some SSB. Side trips to nearby islands are being considered. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IK5PWQ]
- ISO - Gherardo, IZ1DSH will be active as IM0/IZ1DSH from Tavolara Island (EU-165) sometime between 9 and 17 August. He plans to operate mainly SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1DSH]
- JA - Koh, JH3LBD, will be active from Nishinoomote City (rare JCC 4614 for the Japan Century Cities Award) on Tanega-shima (AS-032) on 9-11 August. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- S2 - Look for S21SHQ, the Bangladesh Scouts club stationsâ€™™ callsign, to be aired on 2-3 August for the 4th Asia Pacific Regional Air-Internet Jamboree. Expect activity on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via EB7DX. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TA - Urcun, TA0U says he will participate in the European HF Championship (<http://lea.hamradio.si/~scc/euhf/euhfc.htm>) on 2 August as TC1EU from European Turkey. He will operate SSB low power from the QTH of TA1HZ.
- TK - Nicolas, F5TGR will be active as TK/F5TGR from Porto Vecchio, Corsica (EU-014) on 9-23 August. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-40 metres, with possible side trips to some of the coastal islands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- VE - On 31 July Ken, G30CA and Cezar, VE3LYC were stuck in Goose Bay, Labrador, as the heavy fog at Nain prevented their flight from leaving. They were rebooked on a flight that could arrive in Nain on the early afternoon of 1 August. Ken and Cezar were supposed to be active as V02A [425DXN 895] from Finger Hill Island (NA-194) until 2 August. Then they will go and operate, again as V02A, from Paul Island (NA-205) on 3-5 August. QSL via VE3LYC. For further updates, including post-expedition information, please visit the V02A page on [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) [TNX VE3LYC]
- VU - Special callsigns AT25MY and AT25RG will be used until 22 October to celebrate the Silver Jubilee of the National Institute of Amateur Radio (NIAR) of India. QSL via VU2NR0.
- W - On 3 August 1958 the world's first nuclear vessel, USS Nautilus (SSN-571), reached the North Pole after an historic voyage through the Northwest Passage and beneath the polar ice pack. To commemorate the 50th anniversary of that event, special event station N9N will be active on 2-3 August. QSL via N4KC (direct); further information at <http://www.qrz.com/n9n> [TNX VA4RJ]
- YV - The YW5IOTA expedition to La Blanquilla (SA-037) [425DXN 895] is now expected to take place on 4-7 August. QSL via IT9DAA. Complete details can be found at <http://www.yw5iota.4m5dx.info>
- ZF - Randy, K5SL will be active as ZF1SI from Grand Cayman (NA-106) on

9-16 August. He plans to operate mostly on 17 metres SSB and CW (+/- 18150 and 18077 kHz), and on 40 metres CW (+/- 7033 kHz) around 4 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX K5SL]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Hide, JM1LJS and Junichi JA3RAF will be active from Wallis Island (FW) and Samoa (5W) in August as follows:

|              |       |                |        |
|--------------|-------|----------------|--------|
| 9-15 August  | FW1W  | QSL via JM1LJS | OC-054 |
|              | FW1Z  | QSL via JA3RAF | OC-054 |
| 16-19 August | 5W0HH | QSL via JM1LJS | OC-097 |
|              | 5W0MJ | QSL via JA3RAF | OC-097 |

They plan to operate SSB, CW and possibly some digital mode (by JA3RAF) on 40-6 metres from both locations, plus 80 metres from Wallis Island. QSLs via home calls (direct only). Further information (on-line logs included) can be found at [http://radio-dream.com/mini\\_pedi\\_2008/](http://radio-dream.com/mini_pedi_2008/)

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ASIA PACIFIC DX CONVENTION ---> The second APDXC will be held at the Osaka International House in Osaka, Japan on 7-9 November. Detailed information (including pictures and video from the 2005 event) can be found at [www.apdx.org](http://www.apdx.org) [TNX JA3USA]

DXCC NEWS ---> 5X4X (Uganda, current operation effective 2007) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had this operation rejected in a prior application, send a note to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]

HAMFEST INDIA ---> Hamfest India 2008, the official Hamfest of Indian amateurs, will be held in Gandhinagar, Gujarat on the 11-12 October. Full details are available on <http://www.hfi2008.com/> [TNX VU2GMN]

KL7DX ---> Mount Cleveland, the volcano that forms the western half of Chuginadak Island (NA-234), erupted on 21 July. On air activities started on the 23rd, a couple of days later than expected, and the operators went QRT on the 27th. Pictures are available at <http://na-234.ucoz.net/photo/> The QSL manager for this operation is AC7DX, direct or bureau (do not send your requests to the Alaskan address for KL7DX!).

LOGS: A log search for the recent 8J9HGR activity from Hegura Island (AS-117) can be found at <http://hegura.hp.infoseek.co.jp/search.htm> [TNX JI6KVR]

LOGS: A log search for RZ3AMW/1 (25 June-5 July activity from Ryashkov Island, EU-162) can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/> [TNX RZ3AMW]

QSL VIA M0CMK ---> Effective 1 August, the new address of M0CMK (QSL manager for GM7V and GZ7V) is: Linda Taylor, 18 Wyness Avenue, Little

Brickhill, Bucks. MK17 9NG, United Kingdom. [TNX GM3W0J ]

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html>. Please note that QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are now eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2E0W (i2eow@ari.it)

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Vito Lombardo (IT9LOM), Steve Rasmussen (N0WY), John F. Dormois (W5SUS) and David T. Tremayne (ZL1AV).

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\*\*\*\*\* QSL ROUTES \*\*\*\*\*  
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| CALL       | MANAGER | CALL     | MANAGER    | CALL      | MANAGER |
|------------|---------|----------|------------|-----------|---------|
| 3DA00K     | M3SDE   | EJ9FBB   | EI9FBB     | MD4K      | G3NKC   |
| 4L1FP      | LZ10T   | EK6DM    | DK6CW      | MJ0AWR    | K2WR    |
| 4L4WW      | EA7FTR  | EK6LP    | IK2DUW     | MJ0X      | M3ZYZ   |
| 4S7VK      | DJ9ZB   | EM10QRP  | UT2AB      | MM0CPS/p  | GM4UYZ  |
| 5C9FT      | EA7FTR  | ES2Q     | ES5JR      | MM0Q      | MM0BQI  |
| 5H4BL      | IV3RTL  | ES5YG/P  | ES5JR      | MM3M      | G3VCQ   |
| 5P5CW      | DL5SE   | ES8UD    | OK1HDU     | MS0EPC    | MM0DFV  |
| 5Q2T       | OZ0J    | FM1II    | ON4IQ      | N1LI      | K1DG    |
| 5R8FU      | SM5DJZ  | GB5FI    | GW4ANA     | N4A       | N4YDU   |
| 5R8VE      | F4EZG   | GB8LMI   | M3ZYZ      | N5I       | N5UR    |
| 5V7BR      | F2VX    | GI0MPG   | EI7GY      | N6KZ/p    | N6KZ    |
| 6M0HZ/2    | HL1IWD  | GI3YS    | MM0DHQ     | N6VR/p    | N6AWD   |
| 8J9HGR     | JH9UYZ  | GJ2A     | GJ3DVC [c] | NP3D/w2   | W3HNK   |
| 8N150IH    | 7K2GMJ  | GJ2A     | K2WR [d]   | NT6AA/p   | NT6AA   |
| 9A/VE3ZIK  | D07ZZ   | GJ6YB    | G3SWH      | OH0X      | OH2TA   |
| 9A70LPC    | 9A7KM   | GM2T     | GM4UYZ     | OL600VB   | OK2JS   |
| 9A73AA     | 9A2AA   | GM2Z     | MM0DFV     | OX3XR     | OZ3PZ   |
| 9A8TQF     | HB9TQF  | GM4A     | MM0DFV     | OZ0FR     | DL2VFR  |
| 9G5ZS      | ZS6EGB  | GM4W     | GM0NTL     | PA/OQ4T/p | ON4T0   |
| 9K2GS      | EA5KB   | GM5C     | GM0SEI     | PA6Z      | PA9M    |
| 9M6DXX/P   | M3SDE   | GM7A     | GM7AAJ     | PT6T      | PY6KW   |
| A35RK      | W7TSQ   | GM7V     | M0CMK      | RI1AA     | UA1AIR  |
| A71A       | A71AN   | GW8K     | GW0ANA     | S21B      | KX7YT   |
| A71CT      | EA7FTR  | GX4KPT/P | M0DOL      | S21RC     | EB7DX   |
| AM1S       | EA10S   | HB10DX   | HB9AGH     | SA1A      | SM1TDE  |
| AM8IL      | EC8AMI  | HB9BULA  | HB9EKB     | SK0HS/0   | SM0MPV  |
| AN8L       | EC8AMI  | HC2SL    | EA5KB      | SM6EQ0/p  | SM6EQ0  |
| A02008EXP0 | EA2URE  | HF650N   | SP9PKG     | SP15QJM   | SP8QJM  |
| AP2DKH     | W2FB    | HF94KE   | SP4YPB     | SP7VC/1   | SP7VC   |
| AP2TN      | DJ9ZB   | HG1848I  | HA3HK      | SP8RX/1   | DJ0IF   |

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|---------|------------|------------|--------|----------|--------|
| AY0DX   | LU3DR      | HI3K       | KB2MS  | SV0XAF/8 | HB9EBC |
| B7P/7   | BD7IXG     | HK1FGE     | EA5KB  | SX5C     | SV1HER |
| B00M    | BV2KI      | HK4SAN     | EA5KB  | SX5P     | SV5FRD |
| C31CT   | EA3QS      | HL14ARDF   | HL2CFY | SX8R     | HA0NAR |
| C4I     | LZ2HM      | IA5K       | IZ5BTC | TA0GI    | TA2MW  |
| C4W     | 5B4WN      | IC8R       | IC80ZM | TF/DJ2V0 | DJ2V0  |
| C6APR   | K3IXD      | IG9/IT9HUV | IT9DQM | TF/DL3PS | HB9EHQ |
| C6AXD   | K3IXD      | IG9/IT9RBW | IT9DQM | TK5XN    | F2YT   |
| C91R    | CT1BXT     | II5EME     | IW5EIJ | TM0FIL   | F6KPQ  |
| CG2I    | VE2CQ      | IM0S       | IS0UWX | TM7C     | F6KOP  |
| CN2DX   | EA7FTR     | IM0T       | IS0BMU | TM8BS    | F6KRD  |
| C07PH/p | W3HNC      | IO1DCI     | IK1GPG | UA0AZ    | W3HNC  |
| CQ2I    | CT1CJJ     | IQ80M/7    | IZ8EDJ | UE1CBB   | UA1AIR |
| CQ9U    | CT1BOL     | IR8TRT     | IK8MRA | UE10SV   | UA10IW |
| CS8DFG  | CT1DRB [a] | IS0/IU3SRT | IZ3DBA | UE3LFF   | UA3LAF |
| CS8DFG  | EA4URE [b] | J28JA      | F5JFU  | UE3MFU   | RK3MWI |
| CT95S   | CT1BOL     | J2800      | K2PF   | UE6EFF   | RW6HKF |
| CU1F    | CT1GFK     | J42POL     | SV2JAO | UW2F/p   | UT0FT  |
| CU1T    | CT1GFK     | J48JJ      | HA7JJS | VC1T     | VE1RGB |
| CX2AQ   | EA5KB      | J48NL      | HA6NL  | VG1CHP   | VA1CHP |
| CX2CC   | EA5KB      | J48P       | HA7PL  | VQ9RD    | KI1G   |
| D2NX    | JH7FQK     | J48PS      | HA6PS  | VX1AI    | VE1AI  |
| D80HQ   | HL10YF     | J49A       | SV9GPV | VX10P    | VE10P  |
| DP4D    | DJ4MG      | J79DP      | HB9TPQ | VX1QD    | VE1QD  |
| DR6IOTA | DM5DX      | JT1FDB     | DD0CW  | VY2TT    | K6LA   |
| E51AGY  | ZL2AGY     | JW7QIA     | LA7QIA | W1AW/KL7 | W1AW   |
| E76AQ   | E73TW      | K4S        | KP3S   | XU7AJW   | OR4U   |
| EA8AK   | W3HNC      | K6IAA/KH2  | JK1IAS | YM0T     | TA2RC  |
| EE1MI   | EA1DR      | K9AJ/VY0   | K9AJ   | YR5TF    | Y05BFJ |
| EG1BBE  | EA1GHI     | KD6WW/VY0  | KD6WW  | YW6A     | YV5AJ  |
| EH5K    | EA5KB      | KH6ND      | K2PF   | YW6AJ    | YV5AJ  |
| EH8RDB  | EC8AMI     | KL7DX      | AC7DX  | ZA1E     | I2MQP  |
| EI0W    | EI2JD      | LA2008TSR  | LA7J   | ZC4DG    | G00AB  |
| EI7JW   | OK1TN      | LA6Q       | LA9VDA | ZP4KFX   | IK2DUW |
| EJ0GI   | EI2SDR     | LZ130J     | LZ2JB  | ZS4U     | K3IRV  |
| EJ5GM   | EI5GM      | LZ5F       | LZ1ZF  | ZW6GK    | PY7GK  |

[a] direct

[c] others

[b] bureau

[d] USA stations

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