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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 5X - Jay, K4ZLE will be active as 5X2A from Uganda on 10-19 October. He will operate CW and maybe some RTTY on 40-17 metres in his limited spare time, around 3-5 UTC and 18-20 UTC. QSL via K4ZLE and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C3 - Once a gain a very 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 C37URA, direct or bureau. Logsearch and other information at www.dxfriends.com/c37n2015/.
- C5 - Luc, F5RAV and Gerard, F5NVF will be active as C5LT from The Gambia on 20-27 October. They will operate SSB, CW and PSK on 80-6 metres, and will leave behind a station for Mustapha, C5MF and other future Gambian hams to use. Luc will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as C5C. QSL C5C, C5LT and C5MF via F5RAV (direct only).
- D4 - A team of eight (CX2AM, CX3AN, CX4CR, EA1ACP, EA1DVY, EA5HPX, EA7FTR and EB7DX) will be active as D4D from Boa Vista (AF-086), Cape Verde on 17-24 October. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via EB7DX.
- EI - Olivier, ON4EI will be active again as EI8GQB from Fethard, Ireland on 6-30 October using an hybrid wind-solar power system from his caravan. He will participate in the Worked All Germany (17-18 October) and CQ WW DX SSB contests as EI1A. QSL for both callsigns via PA3249, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Follow his activity and antenna experimentation on www.qrz.com/db/EI8GQB.
- FJ - G4XUM, GM4AFF, M5RIC, N0VD and possibly others will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (24-25 October) as TO4K from Saint Barthelemy (NA-146). QSL via G3NKC, logsearch on Club Log. Outside the contest, on 22-29 October, they will be QRV as FJ/homecall (QSL via home calls). [TNX DX World]
- HA - A large number of ITU suffixed special event stations will be active from Hungary on 1-31 October: HA0ITU, HA150ITU, HA1ITU, HA2ITU, HA3ITU, HA4ITU, HA5BPITU (BP stands for Budapest), HA6ITU, HA7ITU, HA8ITU, HA9ITU, HG0ITU, HG150ITU, HG1ITU, HG2ITU, HG3ITU, HG4ITU, HG5ITU, HG6ITU, HG7ITU, HG8ITU and HG9ITU. This operating event is organized by MRASZ (Hungary's IARU national society) in celebration of ITU's Telecom World 2015 conference that will be held in Budapest on 12-15 October. Log search and information on the certificates available for working the special stations can be found at www.mrasz.org. All of the QSOs will be confirmed via eQSL; paper cards should be sent direct to HA5AGP.
- HB0 - Uwe, DL4AAE, and Roman, DL3TU will be active as HB0/DL4AAE/p and HB0/DL3TU/p from Liechtenstein on 2, 3 and maybe 4 October. Weather permitting, they will try and operate from the summit of

Augstenberg (2359m a.s.l.). Expect them to be QRV on 20-10 metres CW with a focus on Asia. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau and LoTW, direct cards to home calls (OQRS on Club Log).

- HL - HL2IBC and several other operators will be active as DS0KBS from Shinshi Island (AS-148) on 8-11 October. QSL direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- KG4 - Bill, W4WV will be active as KG4WV from Guantanamo Bay on 9-23 October. Keith, KE4KDY (KG4DY) and Jim, KG9LB (KG4AW) will join him until the 16th. They will operate SSB, CW, PSK and RTTY on 160-6 metres; on 10-11 October they will be active from the Windward Point Lighthouse. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T32 - Bill KH600, Will W0ZRJ and John N0PJV will be active as T32DX from Kiritimati (Christmas Island, OC-024), East Kiribati from 27 October to 3 November. They will be QRV on 40-10 metres SSB, CW and possibly some JT9/65 with two stations running 100 watts into verticals. QSL via KH600, direct or bureau (OQRS on Club Log), eQSL and LoTW.
- V4 - Once again John, W5JON will be active as V47JA from St. Kitts (NA-104) from 6 October to 6 November. He will be QRV on 160-6 metres SSB, with planned activity during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via W5JON (direct only) and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- YB - Special event station YB16IARU will be active on 12-16 October from Bali (OC-022), Indonesia during the 16th IARU Region 3 triennial conference. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau.
- YV - Juan, YV4ET and other operators (see <http://qrz.com/db/yv4et/1>) will be active as homecall/1 or /p from Cayo Sombrero (SA-089) on 8-12 October. QSL via operator's instructions.
- ZD7 - Oliver, W6NV will be active as ZD7W from St. Helena (AF-022) between 14 October and 2 November. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, and will participate in the Worked All Germany CW and CQ WW DX SSB Contests. QSL via W6NV and LoTW.

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FT4TA ---> The Tromelin Island 2014 video is now available on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/D-ig1VU5Jxk>. This is in addition to the book, which can be read online at <http://blur.by/1KGFCIT> (in French) and <http://blur.by/1LziqfS> (English version). [TNX F5NQL]

OCEANIA DX CONTEST ---> The Oceania DX Contest will be held on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB on 3-4 October and CW on 10-11 October, from 8 UTC on Saturday to 8 UTC on Sunday. Oceania region stations (VK, ZL, Pacific Islands and other locations within the IARU "Worked All Continents" Oceania boundary) can work anyone anywhere, non-Oceania stations can only work Oceania stations. Complete information at www.oceaniadxcontest.com.

RSGB IOTA WEBSITE BREACH ---> At 04:48 UTC on 27 September, an automatic bot gained access to the IOTA website database and was able to exploit a bug in the IOTA code in order to reset the password for every user on the site. This is why you might not have been able to log into the site. There is no sign in the system logs that any data was read or that personal data was compromised. Once the IT team was aware of the issue, they immediately took the database offline for analysis and corrected the bug. User passwords are stored in a hashed format in the database, not in plain text. In accordance with best practice, however, we'd like to encourage all users of the IOTA website to change their passwords. Additionally, if you have used your IOTA password on other websites, you should change the passwords on those other sites also. If you have any further questions or concerns, please contact [iota.online@\[rs\]gb.org.uk](mailto:iota.online@[rs]gb.org.uk). [TNX G3KMA]

S79C ---> In a little over six weeks from now, the S79C team will be on air from Coetivy Island (AF-119, new one for IOTA) [425DXN 1270]. "Planning and logistics are now complete", and the team's aim is "to work all corners of the globe using a combination of verticals and hexbeams placed near the waters edge". The timeframe (16-23 November) has been chosen "to maximise propagation paths to all geographical areas". Even though "all groups and organisations contacted from this area have refused our funding requests", S79C will focus on working West Coast North America during peak propagation times, as they realize that "even regular S7 is still much needed" in this area. Donations are still gratefully accepted, and advance donors will be rewarded with a free QSL. See <http://af119new.com> for information and follow the team on Twitter (@af119). [TNX EI9FBB]

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 ***** QSL ROUTES *****
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3D2PM	KK7L	EH3FPT	EA3RCY	PI70VERON	PA3CAL
3D2YA	JA1NLX	EH8FPC	EA8NQ	PJ4M	PH2M
3D2YJ	JA8ECS	EM1000UKW	US5UCC	PJ6A	N4NX
3G1D	XQ1FM	EN7P	UT1PG	PY70FEB	PS7AB
3G3O	CE3OP	ER4A	ER1FF	R00KVB	UA4WHX
4K6FO	DC9RI	ES9C	ES5RY	R120ER	RV3SBS
4M1F	YV1JGT	ET3AA	N20O	R120SE	RV3SBS
4M1M	YV1CTE	FG4NN	NI5DX	R2015IM	UA3LMR
4M4C	YV4YC	FR4PV	F5OZK	RI0KV	UA4WHX
4O7TC	UA3TCJ	FR5FC	EA7FTR	RI1ANZ	RN1ON
4U20B	9A2AA	G2F	G8HDK	SD7M/6	DF9TM
4U5F	S57DX	G9V	M0PCB	SD7W/6	DL2SWW
4U70VIC	4U1VIC	GB150MHR	G0FYX	SH6HUL	SM5YRA
5C5W	EA5XX	GW0A	GW4SKA	SO4M	SP4MPG
5Q0T	HA8MT	HB9WFF	HB9FBI	SV5/MW0JZE	M0OXO
5R8AL	G3SWH	HC2AO	RC5A	SW9XB	DJ9XB

5W1SA	JA1DXA	HF10FOG	SP9MOA	SX8HOMER	SV8GXQ [d]
6Y4K	VE3NE	HH2AA	NR6M	SX8HOMER	SZ8XIO [b]
7X3WPL	7X3DL	HK1T	EA5KB	T2GC	LZ1GC
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HK3C	NR6M	T41GDXC	RW6HS
9A88AA	9A2AA	HL2ZBD	JK3IJQ	T42GDXC	RW6HS
9H3UA	UT6UA	HV0A	IK0FVC	T44GDXC	RW6HS
9J2BO	G3TEV	HZ1HZ	N7RO	T46D	K4TXL
9J2HN	JR2KDN	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	T46X	EA5ZD
9J2JOCV	JL1IHE	II2EXPO	IQ2MI	T47GDXC	K2AU
9K2YM	EA5KB	II3PG	IQ3VI	T48C	EA5KB
9M10CSB	9W2VVH	II3WW	IQ3BM	T48D	EA7TV
A45WH	NI5DX	II9IACR	IT9DTU	T48G	K2AU
A61DD	IZ8CLM	IQ8MD/p	9A8MDC	T6EU	AK4JK
A61EK	IZ8CLM	JG8NQJ/JD1	JA8CJY [d]	T88ON	JA3JND
A61KM	A61BK	JG8NQJ/JD1	JG8NQJ [b]	T88QB	JF2SQB
A61SM	A61BK	KH2/KU0Q	JR1EFG	TM48B	F5HNQ
A62A	IZ8CLM	KH6ZM	I0MWI	TM51SP	F6AJM
A65DC	IZ8CLM	KP2M	AI4U	UA9CDC	G3SWH
AO2015STJ	EA1EG	L33M	LU3MAM	UE25R	RN3RQ
AP2NK	W3HNK	LT0H	EA7FTR	UN0OA	RW6HS
CE2AWW	N7RO	LT1F	AC7DX	V31DL	DL1AS
CE4SES	EA5KB	LU8EEM	LU7DR	V73A	JH3QFL
CN8QN	EA7FTR	LV1F	LU4FTA	V73H	JJ3CIG
CN8SG	EA7FTR	LX/PE2J	PG3VA	V73YL	JP3AYQ
CO2VE	RW6HS	LX7I	LX2A	VA3IED/VY0	VA3IED
CP4BT	DJ2BW	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	VC7X	VE7JH
CR3A	EA5GL	LZ130SAK	LZ1KCP	VE1DXA	VE7IG
CR3L	DJ6QT	MD0RLA	M0OXO	VK2DX	W3HNK
CR5D	CT1FJO	OE2E	OE2GEN	VK8NSB	M0URX
CW4MAX	CX2DK	OE40MURECK	OE6WIG	VK9LN	NI1L
CX2UI	IK2DUW	OG25YL	OH2YL	VO1/OZ1AA	OZ1ACB
CX9AU	EA5GL	OH0Z	W0MM	VP2ETE	W3HNK
D4C	IK2NCJ	OH1NAVY	OH1AJ	VP2MAC	K8ESQ
DL0WRTC	DF1QR	OJ0DX	DL3DXX	VP2MLJ	K8ESQ
DU1/JA3FJE	JN3VQM	OL9A	OK2ZAW	VP9I	WW3S
E51AAR	K7AR	OM2015TITANIC	OM2FY	WS5K/KH8	M0URX
E51DLD	W6HB	ON130CLAES	ON6LC	XV2VTC	VK6LC
E51MBX	N7BX	OP15R	ON4OS	XV5HS	EA5ZD
E51MKW	KZ1W	OP2CDO	ON4CRD	YE3B	YB3MM
E51MQT	N7BX	OR90VL	ON5VL [b]	Z21LS	DE1ZHB
EA8DED	OH2BP	OR90VL	ON6DP [d]	Z21MG	OK6DJ
EA8JK	EB7DX	OX3LX	OZ1PIF	Z81D	OM3JW
EA9LZ	EA5KB	OX3XR	PA3249	ZA1KS	Z62FB
ED1A	EA1AST	P40BC	DL2MLU	ZL3X	ZL3PAH
EG4IBR	EA4URP	P49X	W0YK	ZP9MCE	EA5ZD
EH2AKZ	EA2RCH	PD17WFF	PD5MVH	ZZ2T	PY2MNL

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