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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 9A - Look for 9A3SM/p, 9A/S500, 9A/S50X, 9A/S53Z and 9A/S58MU to be active from Vela Palagruza (EU-090) on 17-31 July. They will operate mainly CW and SSB on 80-10 metres, and will participate in the IOTA Contest as 9A21A (QSL via S58MU, direct or bureau). See <https://palagruza-2021.sejmisce.si/> for more information.
- A4 - Look for A43MI to be active from Masirah Island (AS-014) on 22-27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest as A44M. QSL for both callsigns via LoTW and Club Log's OQRS.
- CX - Celebrating the 60th anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty System, special callsign CW60ATS will be active between 1 July and 31 December. QSL via Lotw and eQSL; the log will be uploaded to Club Log.
- DL - Michael, DG5LAC will be active as DG5LAC/p from Hooge Island (EU-042) on 23-27 July. He will operate SSB during the IOTA Contest, and mainly FT8 and/or FT4 outside the contest. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW, eQSL or via home call; all QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- DL - Look for DA2W and DD2CW to be active from Rugen Island (EU-057) on 23-29 July, including two entries (CW and SSB respectively) in the IOTA Contest. The team includes DL9SCO, ON1DX, ON3UN, ON6KX, ON7TQ and Jef, DD2CW/DA2W. QSLs via the bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- EA6 - Andy, DK5ON will be active as EA6/DK5ON from the Balearic Islands (EU-004) on 12-20 June. He will operate QRP on 40-6m SSB, CW and FT8/FT4. QSL via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS; or via DK5ON. [TNX NG3K]
- FG - Michel, F6GWV and Gildas, F6HMQ will be active as TO11A from Guadeloupe (NA-102) from 12 June to 5 July. They plan to be QRV also on 6 metres, especially during the IARU Region 1 50 MHz Contest (19-20 June). QSL via F6HMQ. [TNX NG3K]
- GM - Paul, G4PVM will be active as GM4PVM from the Isle of Lismore (EU-008) from 29 June to 4 July. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via LoTW and eQSL; the QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and made available for Club Log Matching on the IOTA website. [TNX DX World]
- HA - Istvan, HA0KA and a large group will be active as HG0WFF from the Matra Landscape Protection Area on 18-20 June. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via Club Log's OQRS. The HA Flora & Fauna Award programme's website can be found at <http://wff.pannondxc.hu/en/index.php>. [TNX HA0HW]
- I - Look for Franco, IL7/IZ5IUY and Luca, IL7/IK5AEQ to be active holiday style from San Domino Island (EU-050) on 13 June-1 July and 26 June-8 July respectively. They will be QRV on 40-6 metres. QSL via home calls (bureau preferred), LoTW and Club Log. Also active from the same island will be Franco, IL7/IK4YCQ on 18-

- 27 July. He will be QRV on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau; he will upload his log to LoTW and Club Log.
- J5 - Silvano, I2YSB and the Italian DXpedition Team have announced plans to be active as J5T (CW, SSB and RTTY) and J5HKT (FT8) from Bubaque Island (AF-020), Guinea Bissau on 7-19 October. They will be QRV on 160-10 metres with four stations. QSL via I2YSB (OQRS for direct cards on <http://win.i2ysb.com/logonline/>). Updates will be posted to <http://www.i2ysb.com/idt/>.
- OH0 - OH0100AX is a special callsign for the Alands Radioamatorer (OH0A) to celebrate until 9 June 2022 the 100th anniversary of the Aland Islands' self-government from Finland. The special callsign's suffix is the Internet country code top-level domain of the Aland Islands.
- OJ0 - Team OJ0C (this time including OH2BH, OH2GEK, OH2TA, OH3JR, OH5BM and KO8SCA) will be active again from Market Reef (EU-053) on 12-21 June. They will focus on FT8 on 6 metres and the higher bands. QSL via OH3JR.
- PA - Special callsigns PC375BR (operated by PC2LR), PD37500 (operated by PD4L), PA375KL (operated by PC2F) and PA375YN (operated by PA7ML) will celebrate the 375th anniversary of Brooklyn from 15 June until the end of the year. Named after the Dutch town of Breukelen, the most populous of New York City's boroughs was settled in 1646 by the Dutch West India Company for their colony of New Netherland.
- S5 - Celebrating the 30th anniversary of Slovenian independence (25 June 1991), S5 stations are allowed to add "30" to their suffix from 26 June to 31 December. For instance, S50A, S57AW and S57ZT will be signing S5030A, S5730AW and S5730ZT respectively. ZRS, Slovenia's IARU member society, will issue a special award; complete information can be found on the Slovenia Contest Club's website: http://lea.hamradio.si/scc/diploma_30let/index_eng.htm.
- VP8 - Once again VP8HDM will be activated from the Historic Dockyard Museum in Stanley, Falkland Islands on 19-20 June during the first of two (<http://www.radio-amateur-events.org/IMW/>) International Museums Weekends. QSL direct to VP8LP.
- W - Allan, KV4T and his wife Bridget, KS4YT will be active again from Grand Isle (NA-168) on 22-26 July. During the IOTA Contest they will operate two stations on 20 and 40 metres (SSB/CW). QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or direct to home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- YB - Adhi, YB3MM will be active as YB3MM/0 from Pari Island (OC-177) on 19-20 June. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via IZ8CCW.
- YB - YB9BHJ, YB9BUD, YB9ELS, YD9BUV and YF9DSW will be active as 7D9BA from Lembongan Island (OC-022) on 25-28 June. They will operate CW, SSB, FT8/FT4 and some RTTY on 80, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via LoTW or direct to EA7FTR; realtime logsearch on Club Log.

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UEFA EURO 2020 ---> The 16th edition of the UEFA European Football Championship, the quadrennial international men's football (soccer) championship of Europe, will be held on 11 June-11 July in multiple cities across Europe to mark the 60th anniversary of the tournament. Originally scheduled for 2020, it has been postponed because of the pandemic, but it has retained the original name of UEFA Euro 2020. Special callsigns celebrating the event include

4J21EURO	QSL via DC9RI
4K21EURO	QSL via DC9RI
5P2UEFA	QSL via OZ1ACB [425DXN 1569]
DL21EURO	QSL via the bureau, or direct to DK5ON [425DXN 1557]
PF20EURO	QSL via PA0RDY, direct preferred
R21EURO	QSL via R1II
TM21EURO	QSL via F4GFE, direct or bureau
UE16FA	QSL via R1AU
UE1FA	QSL via RV1CC
UE2FA	QSL direct to RC1C

In addition, ED7EFS will be active on 14-27 June from Seville, one of the host cities of the tournament (the special callsign's suffix stands for "Euro Football Seville"). QSL via EA7URS, LoTW and eQSL.

See <https://www.grz.com/db/R21EURO> for information about the certificates available for contacts made with R21EURO, UE16FA, UE1FA, UE2FA and stations operating from the various countries participating in the tournament.

SHEMYA ISLAND (NA-037) ---> "Fred, KL7FBI arrived on Shemya Island on 14 May", VE3LYC reports, "and so far had a very busy work schedule. There is no cell phone coverage on the island, and he only has access to email communication at work. He installed an inverted V and during the last week operated with 100W, always on 14260 kHz, for very short periods of time after work, testing the propagation. Nevertheless, he is scheduled to leave the island on July 10 and during the remaining period of time will try to be more active. Please note that he leaves work daily at 3 UTC, not only during the weekdays, but often during the weekend as well. As such, he intends to show up on 14260 kHz (he operates only SSB) after 4 UTC, calling CQ IOTA. If a pile-up forms, he will announce that will operate split. In case that he doesn't need to go to work during the weekend, he will try to show up at different times, but always on the above QRG". [TNX VE3LYC]

+ SILENT KEY + Robert Babec, E77E (ex YU4WU and T98U) passed away unexpectedly on 10 June. He was avid DXer and the responsible for the outgoing QSL Bureau of the Amateur Radio Association in Bosnia and Herzegovina (ARABiH).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 4S7AB, 5A1AL, 7C8M (OC-236), 8P6ET, 8Q7VR, CP6UA, JX2US, NL0H (NA-040), RI0Q (AS-152), T6AA, T88SS, UA1ATD/p (EU-133), VP8LP, XU7AKU, XV1X, ZF5T, ZF9CW.

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