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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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- The Lufthansa Amateur Radio Club will be active as 3V8DLH from Borj Cedria, Tunisia on 24-31 January. Plans are to operate on 6-160 metres SSB, CW, PSK31, RTTY and SSTV. QSL via DJ3FK. On-line logs and pictures will be available on http://www.dj3fk.com/dxp/3v/3v start.html [TNX NG3K]
- Shabu, 5X1RI has been active on 20-40 metres SSB and CW and will remain in Uganda through 2 February. Look for him on 7004 kHz starting at 22.30 UTC. QSL to WD4ELG. [TNX WD4ELG]
- 9Q Pierre-Luc, F5HRH expects to be QRV as 9Q/F5HRH/p from the Democratic Republic of Congo on 22-28 January. QSL via home call. [TNX F5NQL]
- The IOTA activity from Cayo Jutias (NA-093) [425DXN 765] is expected to take place on 23-29 January. Look for CO3JN/1 (PSK31), CO2WL/1 (SSB), CO3LF/1 (SSB), CO3CJ/1 (SSB), CO3VK/1 (SSB) and CO3ET/1 (CW) to operate on 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres. On 28 January thei will use a special callsign, T41JM, for the Jose Marti Day, a Cuban public holiday. All QSLs direct to IZ8EBI (http://xoomer.virgilio.it/iz8_ebi/). [TNX KP4RV]
- PY Look for Rick, PY2EL/p and Wal, PY2WC/p to operate from Comprida Island (SA-024) on 26-30 January. They plan to be active on all HF bands, plus 6 metres and 144/432 MHz, on CW, SSB and digital moes. QSL via bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- S9 Jose, CT1APE and Filipe, CT2GLO will once again be active as S92RI from Ilheu das Rolas (AF-023) on 18-28 January. Expect activity on all bands and modes. QSL via CT1APE. [TNX CT1EEB]
- TY Ronald/PA3EWP, Andrea/IK1PMR, Claudia/K2LEO and Tom/GM4FDM, all of T33C fame, will operate from Benin on 15-20 March. Requested calls are TY5WP, TY1MR, TY2LEO and TY4TW respectively (they will collcet their licences upon arrival). They hope to be active on 160-10 metres all modes, with 100 watts and maybe a linear using verticals and wires from a near beach location. Expect some activity during the BARTG RTTY Contest and maybe the WPX SSB Contest. QSL TY1MR and TY2LEO via IK1PMR, TY5WP via PA7FM and TY4TW via GM4FDM. [TNX GM4FDM]
- TZ Paul Van Impe, ON7ASL will operate as TZ6PVI from Bamako, Mali this year. He expects to be active mostly on 40 metres during his evening hours. QSL via homecall or direct to ON4LN. [TNX NG3K]
- Martti, OH2BH (V31BH) and Pertti, OH2PM (V31PP) will be cruising in the Caribbean with their ladies to activate Belize in the ARRL DX CW (18-19 February) and SSB (4-5 March) contests as multi-operator all-bands. On the way to the Caribbean, Martti will stop over in the Azores to activate CU2A in the CQ 160-Meter CW Contest (28-29)

January). QSLs to their respective home callsigns. [TNX OH2BN]

XE - XE2HWB, XE2K, XE2Q, XE2TG, N6JV and N6VR will be active as XF1K from on of the islands in the the NA-124 IOTA group on 3-5 February. They plan to have three stations up and running simultaneously on 10-80 metres CW and SSB. QSL via N6AWD. [TNX XE2K]

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ANTARCTICA AWARD ---> The Award Manager (Gianni Marruccella, IZ8CGS) reports that all of the certificate requests received as of 31 December 2005 have been processed and mailed along with the complimentary map of Antarctica published by the Australian Antarctic Division [425DXN 700]. Up-to-date score tables are available at www.mdxc.org/antarctica/award.asp.

HAM RADIO BLOGS ---> Christian, DL6KAC is putting together a directory of amateur radio blogs (http://ham-blogs.net/). "I know that there exists a huge bunch of weblogs out there", he says. "I set up this website as an effort to offer a comprehensive directory of ham radio related weblogs, but to achieve this goal I need the help of the amateur radio community. So if you are a blog user, please submit your site to the webdirectory". FAQs can be found at http://www.dl6kac.de/blog/2006/ham-radio-blogs-webdirectory/

QSL 3C2MV ---> Gerry, VE6LB reports that all the bureau cards for 3C2MV have been processed and sent to the VE outgoing bureau. All special prefix cards for VE6JO, regular VE6JO and UA6U/VE6JO cards have been cleared as well. If you do not get your cards for any VE6JO operation, please resubmit to VE6LB at the qrz.com address.

QSL 6W7/F8PDR ---> Benoit, F8PDR reports that all direct cards received through 14 January have been processed and mailed. Some 3,000 QSLs have been sent to the REF bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

QSL KG4SB ---> Jose Castillo, N4BAA reports that he now has a QSL manager to assist him. QSLs for all 2006 KG4SB contacts can go to N4BAA himself or via EA7JX, either QSL route will be good.

QSL S79RRC ---> QSLs for S79RRC/A, S79RRC/F, S79EC, and S79NAN should now go to RZ3EC, as K8SIX and VE6VK have run out of cards. [TNX IK3QAR]

QSL XE1/DL6KAC ---> Christian, DL6KAC has been notified that so far quite some pile has accumulated in Germany. Please be patient as he will not be able to respond to these QSLs until he returns to Germany in March. He hopes to mail out the first cards around May. [TNX DL6KAC]

QSL YE7P ---> Al Bailey, K8SIX is no longer able to confirm contacts made by North American stations with YE7P (OC-269) in September 2005. Those who still need a direct card should send their request to YB1TC (P.O. Box 151 BMD, Serpong 15330, Indonesia). [TNX YB1TC]

QSL MANAGER OFFERED ---> Diego, IZOEWJ offers his services to stations in needing a QSL manager. He can be contacted at izOewj@libero.it

WRTC 2006 REFEREES ---> The 47 selected Referees for the World Radiosport Team Championship to be held in July (http://www.wrtc2006.com/) are: DJ2YA, DJ6QT, DK2OY, DL6LAU, EY8MM, G3LZQ, G3XTT, G4BWP, G5LP, GM4AFF, HA3NU, I4UFH, IV3TAN, JH4RHF, JK3GAD, K1CC, K1KI, K2LE, K2SX, K3NA, K8NZ, K9JF, KC1F, KC7V, N2AA, N2GA, N3AD, N6CW, NF4A, OH2KI, PY2YP, PY8AZT, S50R, S56A, SM3CER, SM3DMP, TG9AJR, UA3AB, UA6HZ, VE3DZ, VE7AHA, VE7SV, W0GJ, W4OI, W6OAT, W6UM and WX0B. They have been selected by Committee vote, taking into account all-round contesting-skills (both SSB and CW), contesting-career, previous WRTC-experience and application-date. This list may change if any selected Referees become Competitors, either as Team-Captains, or Team-Mates, or Multi-Single/Multi-National participants. Therefore there is also a list of Back-Up Referees (namely DL2OBF, HA6ND, K0TG, LY2TA, PY2NY, RA9AB, SP9W, Y03CTK and YU1LA) who will be asked to replace Drop-Outs. [TNX PY5EG]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
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4A7L	WA3HUP	FR5EZ/3B9	F8CHM	P49T	W3BTX
4K5D	K2PF	FY/F5IRO	F5KIN	R1ANN	RZ3DJ
4K9W	DL6KVA	GU0VNK	DJ8NK	R1RDM	UA1RJ
4KR60S	4K4K	HA200CVM	HA0NAR	R1SNG	UA1RJ
4L0ABC	K3PD	HZ1IK	DK7YY	S79GRE	DL9GRE
4L0G	K3PD	IIOIP	IQOVT (d)	S9SS	N4JR
4L1FP	LZ1OT	IIOIP	IZOEAC (e)	ST/ZS5ADU	ZS5ADU
4L2M	K3PD	II1TPG	IZ1CCE	ST2LA	K3LA
4N150AA	YT1AA	II2F	IW2MVS	SU9HP	SM0CF0
4N1856T	YU1BM	IO1ALP	bureau	T30HC	DL9HCU
5R8FL	G3SWH	IO1ALP	I1JQJ (e)	T88AQ	JH6WDG
5R8HL	SM1ALH	IO1BIA	bureau	T88CM	JA6CM
5T0WF	ON6WFO	IO1BIA	I1JQJ (e)	T88CY	JA1EYL
5T5T	pirate	IO1BOB	bureau	T88ME	7N1RTO
600N	I2YSB	IO1BOB	I1JQJ (e)	T880P	7K3EOP

6W/HA3AUI	HA3AUI	IO1CRO	bureau	T88SM	JA6EGL
7S2AT	SK2AT	IO1CRO	I1JQJ (e)	TF3ZA	KT6YL
8P9NX	WOSA	IO1CUR	bureau	TR8CR	F8EN
9A150NT	9A6AA	IO1CUR	I1JQJ (e)	UE1QSK	UA1RJ
9A650C	9A7K	IO1FRE	bureau	UE1RDM	UA1RJ
9G1YK	PA3ERA	IO1FRE	I1JQJ (e)	UN7AB	DL8KAC
9G500	DL4WK	IO1FSK	bureau	UN8GU	IZ8CCW
9J2BO	G3TEV	IO1FSK	I1JQJ (e)	V25G	G400C
9M2MRS	PA0RRS	IO1JUM	bureau	V25OHX	G4OHX
A6/OD5TX	W4JS	IO1JUM	I1JQJ (e)	V26VR	G400C
A6/UT5UDX	UT2UB	IO1LUG	bureau	V31JP	KA9WON
A61Q	EA7FTR	IO1LUG	I1JQJ (e)	V31JZ/P	NN7A
A71CT	EA7FTR	IO1NOR	bureau	V31YN	DJ4KW
CEOZ	CE3BSQ (a)	IO1NOR	I1JQJ (e)	V44KJ	WB2TSL
CEOZ	F6AJA (b)	IO1SHO	bureau	V73VE/P	JF10CQ
CEOZ	N200 (c)	IO1SHO	I1JQJ (e)	V8FBO	G0KB0
CN8SG	EA7FTR	IO1SKE	bureau	V8FBR	GOKBO (e)
CO6LPB	EA7FTR	IO1SKE	I1JQJ (e)	V8FBR	RN6BR (d)
CO8LY	EA7ADH	IO1SPE	bureau	V8FVV	GOKBO (e)
CX9AU	KA5TUF	IO1SPE	I1JQJ (e)	V8FVV	UA6AF (d)
D2DX	OH2BAD	J3/DL3VFN	DL3VFN	VP8AIB	VP8LP
DP5P	DL3JJ	JW0IC	RV1CC	VQ9JC	ND9M
DP5Z	DL6GV	JW5E	LA5NM	W4FDX	W2NDP
DT0HF	HL2FDW	JW5NM	LA5NM	XU7ACY	K2NJ
DU6BG	K6BG	JW9VDA	LA9VDA	YT150T	YU1FJK
DU9/N0NM	W4DR	KP4SQ	W3HNK	YU150AU	YU7AU
EK6LP	IK2DUW	LU1ZI	LU4DXU	YU150BM	YU1BM
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	LU8XW	WD9EWK	YU7TESLA	YU7BPQ
EL2PM	EI5IF	LX8DL	LX1DA	YV5ANF	EA7FTR
EW6GF	DL8KAC	LZ50KSB	LZ2SX	YZ150AA	YZ1AA
EY8CQ	DJ1MM	MJ/PA3GIO/P	PA3GIO	Z21GC	K3PD
FK8HW	VK4FW	MMOXAU	DJ6AU	ZB2/G3TXF	G3TXF
FO/DL5XU	DL3APO	MUOEXV	F6EXV	ZF2DS	W3WKP
FR5EZ	F8CHM	ON40DST	ON4AMM	ZF2ZL	W8ERI

- (a) Central and South America
- (b) Europe and Africa
- (c) North America, Japan and others
- (d) bureau
- (e) direct

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