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\*\*\* DX INFORMATION \*\*\*\*

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- Michele, IK5ZUI will be active in his spare time as 8Q7IM from the Maldives for the next 12 months. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- C6 Cay Sal Bank (NA-219) one of the rarest IOTA groups in North America was activated for the first and only time by W5BOS/C6A in October 2000, when Lanny was able to operate for a few hours before bad weather conditions forced him to an early QRT. Bodo/DL3OCH, Rene/DL2JRM, Dan/DL5SE and Daniel/DL5YWM have announced their plans to be will be active (callsign TBA) from Elbow Cay early next year. They will be leaving Key Largo, Florida around 3 January and plans are to be QRV until the 9th (dates are wetaher dependent). They plan to have two stations active on 160-10 metres CW and SSB, and Bodo will also have an EME equipment for 70cm and 23cm contacts (skeds are welcome). QSL via DL3OCH, direct or bureau. Further information, including how to contribute to this expensive expedition, can be found at <a href="http://www.gslnet.de/na219">http://www.gslnet.de/na219</a> [TNX DL5YWM]
- Mike, KM9D and Jan, KF4TUG have been active as E51QMA from Penrhyn Atoll (OC-082), North Cook Islands since 26 October. They plan to remain there "until sometime this weekend" and then to set sail towards Christmas Island (T32). QSL via OM2SA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- E51PEN and E51PDX are the callsigns used by Bill, N7OU and Bob, W7YAQ during their operations from the Cook Islands [425DXN 808]. Expect them to be active first from Penrhyn Atoll (OC-082), North Cooks on 4-18 November. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F The Association des Radioamateurs de Paris (<a href="http://arp75.free.fr/">http://arp75.free.fr/</a>) will operate special event station 4U60UO to mark the conclusion of the 60th anniversary celebrations of UNESCO (the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, founded on 16 November 1945). The station will be active on all bands and modes from UNESCO Headquarters in Paris on 4-5 November.
- F The Association des Radioamateurs de Paris will be active as TM8KP on 11-26 November to celebrate the 80th anniversary of a radio contact between Joseph Nadal, F8KP and Barbara Dunn, G6YL, one of the two first English YLs.
- FM Lee, K5UN will be active as TO5X from Martinique (NA-107) on 21-30 November, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX K5UN]
- FT\*W Nicolas, F4EGX will be working again on Possession Island, Crozet between mid-November and December. Expect satellite operations by FT1WM during his spare time. QSL via F4EGX. Further information will be available at <a href="http://f4egx.homelinux.net/">http://f4egx.homelinux.net/</a> [TNX F5UJK]
- G Mick, G3LIK reports he will be active as GB4RN 10 November to 7 December, which will include the RNARS/INORC Activity Contest on

- 18-19 November.
- ON Look for BAFARA (Belgian Air Force Amateur Radio Association) club stations ON60AF (QSL via ON6KN, bureau or direct), ON60AP (QSL via bureau) and ON60BAF (QSL via bureau) to be active until 1 October 2007 to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Belgian Air Force. [TNX ON6KN]
- PJ4 Dan/K1TO, John/K4BAI and Vic/N4TO will operate as PJ4/homecall from Bonaire (SA-006) on 21-28 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as PJ4A (Multi-Single, High Power). QSL all calls via K4BAI. [TNX K1XN]
- SV SV1JG, SW1GZL, SV1HHC and SV1IZR have joined the SX8F group of operators who will be active from Falkonera Island (EU-113) on 15-19 November [425DXN 807]. QSL via SV1HER. The website for the expedition is at <a href="http://users.sch.gr/nkontopoul/sx8f">http://users.sch.gr/nkontopoul/sx8f</a> [TNX SV1HER]
- Special event station SX100VAR will be active from Greece from 1 January to 31 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Boy Scouts. QSL via SV1VS. Details on the relevant award can be found at <a href="http://www.qrz.com/callsign/SX100VAR">http://www.qrz.com/callsign/SX100VAR</a> [TNX SV1VS]
- Berkin, TA3J pleans to operate as TA3J/0 on all bands and modes from Sican Adasi (AS-115) between 11 and 26 November (weather permitting). QSL via TA3YJ, direct (no green stamps please) or bureau. [TNX TA3J]
- TK Christophe, F4DZY will be active from Furiani, Corsica (EU-014) until 25 November. He plans to operate mainly on the WARC bands as TK/F4DZY in his spare time. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F4DZY]
- TZ Bill, NG3K reports that the VooDoo Contest Group will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest as TZ5A (Multi-Multi, QSL via G3SXW) from Mali for the second year. Outside the contest, expect activity between 18 and 30 November by the various operators using their individual callsigns as follows:

TZ6LF via KY7M 18-24 Nov TZ6NS via AA7A (also QRV RTTY and 2m EME) 18-24 & 27-30 Nov TZ6MF via KC7V (also QRV 160m and 2m EME) 18-24 & 27-30 Nov TZ6RF via GM3YTS (also QRV 160m) 18-24 Nov TZ6RN via G4IRN 21-24 Nov TZ6VT via K5VT 18-24 Nov TZ6WP via G4BWP 18-24 Nov

- V5 Klaus, DJ4SO will operate CW and RTTY/PSK31 on 160-6 metres as V51/DJ4SO from Namibia from 11 November to 1 December. He plans to put a special emphasis on the low bands and to participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via DJ4SO, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP8\_ant Alan Cheshire, VP8PJ (aka VK0LD, 9V0A, VK0MM, etc) reports he will be working again at the Patriot Hills Camp (MN-01 for the Antarctica Award), Antarctica until approximately 10 December. He plans to operate mainly CW (7003, 10103 and 14003 kHz) every day for an hour or so subject to work load. QSL via DL5EBE. Alan also hopes to be active as CE9/VK0LD from the nearby Teniente Parodi station of Chile (CE-NEW) and Vinson Camp (MN-02). His website is at <a href="http://www.geocities.com/vk0ld/home.html">http://www.geocities.com/vk0ld/home.html</a>
- W The Palos Verdes ARC (K6PV) will be active from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) from the afternoon of 12 November through the

morning of the 15th. Look for activity on 40 and 20 metres SSB. QSL direct to K6PV. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

XT - Maurice, F5NQL reports that XT2C is the callsign issued to the 6-20 January expedition to Burkina-Faso [425DXN 806]. The individual callsigns for the operators are as follows:

Jean-Paul, F8BJI Bob, N6OX XT2BJ XT2CI Gerard, F2VX XT2CA XT2CJ Bill, N2WB XT2CC Frank, F4AJQ XT2CK Dieter, OE8KDK XT2CD Franck, F5TVG XT2IE Bernard, F9IE Alain, F5LMJ XT2JD XT2CE Gerard, F2JD

YB - Look for Pele, YB8TAF/P to be active from Celebes (Sulawesi) Island (OC-146) on 9-14 November. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX VA3RJ]

ZD9 - The Daily DX reports that Brian, ZD9BCB expects to be active from Gough Island (AF-030) "starting sometime next week" until September 2007.

ZS - Joe, AA4NN reports he will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as ZS3NN from a location south of Port Nolloth, South Africa. CW only activity will start two days prior to the contest, on 160-10 metres WARC bands included. QSL via AA4NN.

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (October 2006) is now available at <a href="http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html">http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html</a>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA (iz3eba@ari.it).

DXCC NEWS ---> Bill Moore, NC1L reports that the following operations have been approved for DXCC credit:

 3V6T
 Tunisia
 5-15 July 2006

 3V6T
 Tunisia
 22-31 October 2006

 3V6T
 Tunisia
 22-30 November 2006

 3V7A
 Tunisia
 22-31 May 2006

9G5UR Ghana current operation effective 22 Sep 2006

9M0/9M2TO Spratly Islands 9-12 June 2006

9Q1NT Dem. Rep. of the Congo current operation effective 22 Sep 2006

C91TL Mozambique 29 June-13 July 2006

FO/F8UFT Clipperton Island 1-31 March 2005
OJOLA Market Reef 9-15 September 2006
ZA/IK7JWX Albania 10-30 July 2006
ZL9BSJ Auckland & Campbell I. 12 September 2002

KL7HBK ---> John was active from Endicott/Endeavor Island (NA-004) on 24 and 31 October, and from Barter Island (NA-050) 5-6 August, 16-17 August and

17-20 October. QSL via home call (John D. O. Larey, P.O. Box 813, Anchor Point, AK 99556, USA).

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\*\*\* NEWS FROM THE WEB \*\*\*

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IRC/GS CHART: Bill Heinzinger (W90L) has updated his IRC/GS Chart. This a
 listing of information collected from amateur radio operators
 in foreign countries explaining the amount of IRCs or Green
 Stamps they need to return a QSL request. It is available
 http://www.gsl.net/w9ol/ in either .htm and .xls formats.

QSL GALLERY: The large collection of QSL cards (3800+) on Les Nouvelle DX's web site has been updated. Eight different galleries include cards for each of the 58 deleted DXCC entities (700+ QSLs), the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (130+ QSLs, including a series for the Lakshadweep Islands), obsolete prefixes (1600+ QSLs), Antarctic bases (600+ QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 200+ QSLs), pre-1945 countries (200+ QSLs) French Departments and USA. Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <a href="http://LesNouvellesDX.free.fr">http://LesNouvellesDX.free.fr</a> and send send your comments to LesNouvellesDX@free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3YOX, 4O3T, 4O6DX, 4U1UN, 4W6AAB, 5H1HS/1, 5R8FU, 5U7JB, 5W0DP, 5W0JB, 5W0KI, 5W0TR, 5W0TT, 5W0YY, 5W1SA, 5X1GS, 7Q7CE, 9G5A/P (AF-084), 9H3LEO, 9Q1NT, 9V1JA, A52JO, A6/ON5NT, A61M, A61Q, A61Q/p (AS-021), AH2J, AY1ZA, AY8A, BG1DRJ, BG4BRN, C31JS, C56X, CN8NK, DT8A, EI7M, ER4/SP4R, ER4DX, FG/ON5NT, FM1HN, FT5XP, G3RCV/P, HH4/W4WX, HP3FTD, HS0ZBS, HV5PUL, J28JA, J5UCW, J7R, JD1BLK, JT1CO, JW8AJA, K6VVA/6 (NA-178), KH7X, KH8SI, KP5/N3KS, LU1DMG (SA-055), LU1ZD, LU1ZI, LU1ZR, LU1ZS, LU1ZV, LX1LW, LY6A, MU0FAL, OH0B, OJ0B, OJ0J, OM3DP, PP5/K1KI, RAOZD/p (AS-095), RK9UE, RZOZWA/p (AS-095), SV5/OM2TW, T32Z, TA2/OK1FIA, TA4CW, TU2/F5LDY, TX1A, TX5NK, TX5T, TY5LEO, TY5MR, TY5WP, V25WX, V31BH, V47/DL2AAZ, VP2EWX, VP5/WA2VYA, VP8LP, VU4AN/VU3KIE, VU4AN/VU3NZB, VU4AN/VU3NZC, VU4AN/VU3RWN, VU4AN/VU3RYJ, VU4AN/VU3TLY, VU4RBI, (NA-047), XE2K/XF2 (NA-246), XE2WWW/XF2 (NA-246), XF3NN (NA-135), XR9A/MM, XW1A, XX9TJB, YB2MTA, YE1ZAT, YE6P (OC-270), YU6AO, Z37M, ZD8WX, ZS5K. \*

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