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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- A9 - The Bahrain Amateur Radio Society will run special event station A91WFAD on 10-14 September for this year's World First Aid Day. QSL via LoTW, or via EC6DX. Organized annually by the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, the World First Aid Day promotes the importance of first aid training in preventing injuries and saving lives.
- GM - Paul, G4PVM will be active holiday style as GM4PVM from the Isle of Mull (EU-008) on 22-26 September. He will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL only via LoTW and eQSL. [TNX DX World]
- HZ - Celebrating the 90th Saudi National Day, HZ90ND and other 7Z90 and HZ90 callsigns (7Z90AL, 7Z90SJ, 7Z90AQ, 7Z90WW, 7Z9000, HZ90SK, HZ90SM, HZ90BW, HZ90TL, HZ90LG, HZ90BT, HZ90DG) will be active on 17-25 September. QSL via operator's instructions. Also, the Kuwait Amateur Radio Society will join the celebrations, and be active as 9K90KSA (QSL via 9K2RA).
- I - Members of ARI Grado will be active as IQ3AZ/p from Mota Safon (IIA F-046) on 12 September. They will operate SSB, CW and possibly FT8 or FT4 on the HF bands. QSL via the bureau. [TNX IK2RLS]
- JA - Kenji, JA4GXS will be active as JA4GXS/4 from Ohzushima (AS-117) on 12-13 September. He will operate CW, SSB and FT8 on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]
- JX - Erik, LA2US will be stationed at Olonkinbyen, Jan Mayen (EU-022) for six months (October 2020-March 2021), and will be active as JX2US in his spare time. He will operate CW and FT8 (Fox & Hound on 1843, 3585, 7056, 10131, 14090 kHz) with a focus on 160, 80, 40 and 30 metres, plus the other HF bands "if and when time and conditions permit". QSL via Club Log's OQRS. He will upload his log to LoTW and enable the OQRS when he returns home in April next year.
- OK - Youngsters between 8 and 15 years of age will operate special event station OL1KOTA (Kids On The Air) on 11-13 September during the "Adventure Weekend 2020" organized by the Czech Radio Club. QSL via OK1MP.
- ON - Members of the Pajottenlandse Radio Amateur Club (ON4PRA) will be active as OT5ABI from 19 September to 18 October. The special callsign's suffix stands for Acquired Brain Injury, and this activity is meant to raise awareness of the work being done by the NAH Liga. QSL via the bureau or direct to ON6LC.
- PA - Ben, DO1BEN will be active as PD/DO1BEN from Texel Island (EU-038) from 19 September to 1 October, and again on 12-22 October. He will operate SSB and digital modes on 40 and 20 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred.
- SM - QRP enthusiasts Frank, DH0JAE and Immo, DL8MF will be active as SM/DH0JAE and SM/DL8MF from Holmon Island (EU-135) on 11-16

September. QSLs via Club Log's OQRS, or via home calls. [TNX DX Newsletter]

- SM - Ric, DL2VFR and Klaus, DL7UXG will be active as SD7V/6 and SD3G/6 from Orust Island (EU-043) on 13-17 September, and as SD7V/3 and SD3G from Alnon Island (EU-087) on 18-21 September. They will operate CW, SSB and FT8/FT4 on the HF bands, and will also participate in the CW leg of the Scandinavian Activity Contest. QSL SD7V via DL2VFR, direct or bureau (the log will be uploaded to Club Log, LoTW and eQSL); QSL SD3G via DL7UXG, direct or bureau.
- W - Commemorating the 19th anniversary of 9/11, WA2NYC will be active on 10-14 September on or around 28450, 21350, 14300 and 7238 kHz. QSL via LoTW, or to WA2NYC direct or bureau.

IOTA TOUR ---> After operating as planned [425DXN 1529] from other three Norwegian IOTA groups, namely

EU-046 Senja 20-22 August,
EU-044 Mageroya 23-27 August and
EU-141 Vardo 28-29 August,

Gaby, DF9TM and Frank, DL2SWW have been active as OH/DF9TM and OH/DL2SWW from Finland since 31 August:

EU-184 Hailuoto 31 August-2 September
EU-101 Raippaluoto 3-4 September
EU-173 Reposaari 6-10 September

They are currently QRV from Kustavi Island (EU-096) until 13 September or maybe longer depending on weather. They have plans to operate also from the Aland Islands (EU-002, OH0) and IOTA group EU-097.

All QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards via home calls "will be answered until November". [TNX The Daily DX]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The August 2020 issue is now available for download at <http://www.425dxn.org/index.php>. [TNX IZ3EBA]

4V5H ---> Announced for May 2020 and then postponed twice [425DXN 1519], the 4V5H DXpedition to Haiti has been "cancelled indefinitely due to COVID-19 pandemic and current world airlines' uncertainty". [TNX DX World]

DX WORLD ---> "As there is not much DX news nor DXpeditions taking place nowadays", DX World has added a couple of new features to the popular "DX World QSL of the Day" (interesting, rare or unique QSL cards) and "DX World IOTA of the Day" (pictorial views of various islands) that were introduced a few weeks ago. Whilst the "Weekly Quiz" puts your DX knowledge to the test (<https://www.dx-world.net/quiz/>), "DXCC Entities or Islands by Drone" is a

collection of videos "showcasing particular entities or IOTA using only drone footage". Preceded by Revillagigedo (XF4), Jan Mayen (JX) and Greenwich Island (AN-010, South Shetlands), the episodes so far include Eritrea (E3), Flores Island (OC-151, Indonesia) Lakshadweep (VU7), Mangaia Island (OC-159, South Cooks), Nepal (9N), Niue (E6), Nuuk (NA-018, Greenland), Ogasawara (JD1), San Blas Archipelago (NA-170, Panama), Tuvalu (T2), Uzbekistan (UK) and Zanzibar Island (AF-032, Tanzania). Three new drone videos will be published every second day.

TQSL: NEW VERSION ---> A new version (v2.5.5) of LoTW's Trusted QSL (TQSL) has been released: <http://www.arrl.org/tqsl-download>. This version has new features as well as corrections for defects found since TQSL 2.5.4 was released. This release also includes an update to the most recent TQSL configuration file. TQSL 2.5.5 can be installed to upgrade any older version. On all three supported platforms (Windows, MacOS and Linux), installing TQSL 2.5.5 will replace older versions of Trusted QSL while preserving your Callsign Certificates, Station Locations, and preferences.

+ SILENT KEY + Vilho "Vili" Virtanen, OH3VV passed away on 9 September at 94 years of age. "Vili was one of the most active and internationally known OH hams in the 1960's through the Finn-Net operated by him and his late XYL, Irmeli, OH3TJ". Martti, OH2BH recalls. "Vili was involved in a vast variety of activities and all foreign hams visiting Finland experienced his hospitality and camaraderie. Vili was a true DXer and contester in the terms' realest meaning - he had worked them all, Kosovo was his last one. He was also a contester who participated and won the very first SAC in 1958 (OH5QN), and still jumped into the 60th SAC last year, using a specially granted callsign, OH2A".

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
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3D2TS	M00X0	EG7SDC	EA1AUM	0A4EA	EA5GL
4A50CRH	XE2AU	EG8SDC	EA1AUM	0A9DVK	IK6BFH
4D3X	W3HNK	EG9SDC	EA1AUM	0D5TX	W4JS
5B4AAB	G8CLY	EH1LSI	EA1AU0	0D5UI	IZ8CLM
5B4AMM	UT5UDX	EH1SDC	EA1AUM	0H0B	OH2BH
5P1PT	DL1PT	EH2SDC	EA1AUM	0X3LX	OZ0J
5P2F	DL6LZM	EH3SDC	EA1AUM	P3N	RW3RN
5P4W	PA3DAT	EH4SDC	EA1AUM	P42WW	P41G
6Y6STAYHOME	EA5GL	EH5SDC	EA1AUM	PD538RNI	PD0ARI
8P2K	KU9C	EH6SDC	EA1AUM	PI30COM	PA1AW
8P6ET	KU9C	EH7SDC	EA1AUM	PI4AMF/p	PA3EYC
9A0DIG	9A3SM	EH8SDC	EA1AUM	PI4HAM/p	PB1WB
A61C	EA7FTR	EH9SDC	EA1AUM	R120LA	RZ5D
A61ZX	IZ8CLM	GB1LAA	M0HEM	R13KHL	RQ7L

A62A	EA7FTR	GB1WSP	M0URX	R450AKSU	RM6LW
A71SDC	EA1AUM	GS8VL	M00X0	R450STAR	RM6LW
A91WFAD	EC6DX	HF100HCH	SP9ZHC	R500LWTK	R2PT
A96A	EC6DX	HF750SP	SP9PRR	RW9JZ	RW6HS
A05CLE	EA5GTU	HI7M	RW6HS	SK50AX	SK7AX
AP2MKS	EA5GL	HK3JCL	DK8LRF	SX300ML	SV2GWY
AT9SS	VU2NSL	H01SDC	EA1AUM	TG9ADM	EA5GL
CB6P	CE6TRA	IA5M0	IK4ALM	TG9A0R	EC6DX
CB6Q	CE6TRA	II0IADU	IM0SDX	TI5/N3KS	M0URX
CB6T	CE6TRA	II0IGLO	IZ0EUX	TM107TDF	F8GGZ
CB6TEB	CE6TRA	II2IARD	I2QIL	TM17TDF	F8FZC
CM6RK	EA7HBC	II4PTN	IQ4FE	TM24HC	F6KFI
D2EB	IZ3ETU	II5IACF	IZ5KID	TM40PB	F6KDL
D4Z	IK2NCJ	II5IHMW	IZ5GHJ	TM5SF	F8KGS
DA0DOM	DL8CWA	II8IGNL	IU8CEU	UN9L	LZ1YE
DK70DARC	DK50N	II9IABJ	IT9YBL	UP5B	UN7Z0
DU1R	DU1UGZ	II9IASG	IT9MRM	UP7L	UN6LN
EG1SDC	EA1AUM	II9IHPM	IT9CKA	VE2CSI	M0URX
EG2SDC	EA1AUM	LX9DX	LX2A	VE2IM	VE3DZ
EG3SDC	EA1AUM	LY784A	LY5A	VP8DPD	G3WIP
EG4SDC	EA1AUM	LY784QT	LY2QT	XR210CHI	XQ7UP
EG5SDC	EA1AUM	LZ595IP	LZ1KCP	ZF2LZ	NN1C
EG6SDC	EA1AUM	N3U/FLT93	W3BTX	ZP9MCE	EA5ZD

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