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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- A3 - Dave, W6ZL is active as A35KL from Foa Island (OC-169) until 20 December, and from Tongatapu (OC-049) on 21-24 December. He operates mainly CW on 80-10 metres. QSL direct to W6ZL, and LoTW.
- 4S - Peter, DC0KK is active as 4S7KKG from Sri Lanka until 13 March, and will also try to go and operate from Barberyn Island (AS-171) sometime during that time frame. He prefers digital modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- 5R - Paolo, IK2QPR will be active as 5R8PR from Nosy Be (AF-057) on 17-25 January. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX IK2QPR]
- E5 - Giulio, IW3HVB will be active as E51HVB from the South Cook Islands between 20 and 28 December. He will operate holiday style from Rarotonga (OC-013) on 20-24 December and then from Aitutaki (OC-083). Expect him to be QRV on 7057, 14267, 18137, 21267, 24957 and 28567 kHz. QSL via IW3HVB, direct or bureau.
- JA - Look for Take, JI3DST to be active as either JS6RRR and JI3DST/JS6 from Miyako Island (AS-079) from 26 December to 4 January. He plans to operate SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and FM on 160-6 metres; side trips to nearby Ikema-jima and Kurima-jima are also being planned. QSL via bureau only. [TNX JS6RRR]
- S2 - S21YX is the callsign actually issued to the group of operators [425DXN 1022] who are active from Bangladesh until 21 December (originally they expected to be using S21FGC). Activity is on 160 to 10 metres, with an emphasis on 160, 80 and 40m, using CW and SSB with two stations active. QSL via JH1AJT. Logsearch at <http://ds4eoi.karl.or.kr/logs/search.html>
- T8 - Ryosei, JH0IXE will be active as T8CW from Palau from 22 December to 6 January. He plans to be QRV on 160-6 metres mainly on digital modes. QSL via JH0IXE. [TNX NG3K]
- VP8_ant- Mike, VP8DMH has been active as VP8DMH/p from Fossil Bluff station on Alexander Island (AN-018), Antarctica since 13 December. He anticipated remaining there "for one to two weeks". Expect him to be QRV in his spare time mostly on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB. QSL via G0VGS. [TNX The Daily DX]

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at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

DL POSTAL RATES ---> Effective 1 January, there will be one single postage rate for standard letters (up to 20 grams) mailed from Germany to everywhere in the world: the rate from DL to Europe will rise from EUR 0.70 to EUR 0.75, while the rate from DL to the rest of the world will go down (!) from EUR 1.70 to EUR 0.75.

DU1/F2JD ---> Gerard, F2JD has had to cancel his planned trip to the Batanes Islands (OC-093) [425DXN 1023] "due to airplane problems". [TNX F6AJA]

DXCC NEWS ---> 7Z1HB (Saudi Arabia, 2007 to present operation) and H40HP (Temotu Province, 2009 operation) have been approved for DXCC credit. If you had these operations rejected in a recent application, please send an e-mail to the ARRL DXCC Desk. Due to heavy e-mail volume, you may not receive a reply, but results will appear in Logbook of The World (LoTW) accounts, as well as online on the daily listings.

OQRS ---> Francesco, IZ7AUH reports he has enabled an OQRS Service for requesting bureau and direct cards for any of the callsigns that he manages (www.iz7auh.com)

PJ4B ---> The October 2010 PJ4B video can be viewed via the PJ4B weblog (<http://sitekreator.com/pa3gvi/pj4b-weblog.html>) as well as on YouTube (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q6X4JX1lEwk>). [TNX PA3GVI]

SILENT KEYS ---> Ahmed M. Zaidan (HZ1HZ), Saudi Arabia amateur radio community's doyen, passed away at 96 years of age. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Jack Columbus (VE1XT), Josephine C. Hansen (WB6ZUC) and Finland's legendary DXer and tester, as well as former SARL President, Axel Tigerstedt (OH5NW).

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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CALL          MANAGER      CALL          MANAGER      CALL          MANAGER
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4B2S          XE2S          EG1MRL       EA1GHH        PT3T          PY3FOX
4K9W          DL6KVA          EH7JA        EA7NL         R1ANP         RW1AI
4L4WW         EA7FTR          FP5BZ        F5TJP         S21YX         JH1AJT
4S7BRG        LZ3HI          FR5DZ        F6CXV         SK50AU        SK2AU
5K3B          HK3O           GB1YDD        M0OXO         SN0CGL        SP6OPZ
5N50K         LZ1CL          GX4HRC/A     G3SVK         SO200FCM      SP5PB
5R8IC         F6ICX          H74LEON      TI4SU         SP9YFF/P      SQ9IDG
7P8RU         RV9WJ          HD2A         EA5KB         ST2UOK        EA7FTR
9G1YK         PA3ERA          HF40SEP      SP9PTA        T48T          EA5KB
9K2/SP4R      SP7DQR          HH2/PY3SB    PY2WC         T6AF          EB7DX
9L1BTB        SP7BTB          HI3CC        ON4IQ         T6TL          N4FF
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| 9M2MRS | PA0RRS | HS0ZGQ | DL1MJF | T88SC | JA1LPH |
| 9M6/W8AY | R2AD | HV50VR | IV3KKW | TC2010GT | TA1HZ |
| 9M6RHM | NI5DX | HZ1PS | IZ8CLM | TJ3AY | F5LGE |
| 9M6XX/2 | JA5DQH | II2IGTO | IQ2MI | TM0T | F4EFI |
| 9Q/DK3MO | DF9TA | II7IADU | IK7WDS | TM22P | F4EUG |
| 9Q50ON | ON4BR | II7IASM | IK7WDS | TM4TLT | F4KIP |
| A35KL | W6ZL | II7IGPR | IZ7AUH | TM55SN | F6KUP |
| A35MZ | KJ6BBP | J68UN | N7UN | TR8CA | F6CBC |
| A41KJ | NI5DX | J6BP | N7UN | UA0SR | W3HNN |
| A65BD | G5LP | J79WTA | HB9MFM | V25R | K6IF |
| A65BG | PA7FM | J11FGX/DU9 | JF1LZQ | V31RG | K4VU |
| A65BI | SM5DJZ | KG4EM | KB7GJ | V73RRC | N7RO |
| A65BP | UA6MF | KH6ZM | I0MWI | VK0KEV | JE1LET |
| A65BR | UA9AB | LR2F | LU2FA | VK9NN | PA3LEO |
| AT16BSG | VU2NRO | LT4S | LU8SAN | VP2ETN | JN1RVS |
| BV100 | BV2KI | LX8RTTY | LX1DA | VP5WW | KX4WW |
| CE200BC | CE3WDH | N7JAL/KH2 | JM1WJI | VP8DMH/p | G0VGS |
| CE20RKV | CE1RKV | NH2B/KH0 | JA1BAN | VQ9JC | ND9M |
| CE4CT | EA5KB | OA4TT | N6XQ | VQ9LA | N0QM |
| CE4SES | EA5KB | OE40ADXB | OE1XBC | VQ9ZZ | N1ZZZ |
| CN8IG | EA7FTR | OF50VRA | OH4TY | W2W | K3NEM |
| CN8KD | EA5XX | OG20YL | OH2YL | W8XGI/KH2 | JA1XGI |
| CQ7GIL | CS1AAM | OH9SCL | OH9UV | XE1CDF | XE1YYD |
| CR2T | CU2AF | ON25NOK | ON7YX | XR2A | CE3BBC |
| CU2KG | OH2BH | ON60BLV | ON4CRD | XR33M | CE3BBC |
| CW5R | CX2ABC | OP4A | ON6LY | XU7FMZ | JA1FMZ |
| D2QV | UT0EA | P40K | WM6A | Z21BB | W3HNN |
| D2SG | GM4FDM | P40TA | WM6A | Z21DXI | SP5AUF |
| D44TBV | JA1PBV | PA11HNY | PB5X | Z23MS | UA3DX |
| DT0HF | HL2FDW | PA65VERON | PA3CAL | ZC4TS | NI5DX |
| DU1/F2JD | F6AJA | PB10XMAS | PB5X | ZD9GI | ZS1A |
| EA8AH | OH1RY | PC10SANTA | PB5X | ZF2LA | K9LA |
| ED1R | EA4RCH | PE10MERRY | PB5X | ZF2YL | AE9YL |

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