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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 9A - Members of Radio Clubs Karlovac, Duga Resa and Croatian Flora Fauna will be active as 9A22MINE from special nature reserve "Javornik-Tisov Vrh" on 14 July. QSL via 9A1MB. Further information can be found at qrz.com. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9M2 - Look Alex, 9M2/SQ9UM to be active on 40-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY on 13-15 July, IARU HF World Championship included. QSL via home call. [TNX SQ9UM]
- CT7 - Special event station CQ73I will be active on 16-22 July for the 31st International Motorcycle Rally in Faro, Portugal. Expect activity on 80-6 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via CT1EHX. [TNX CT1END]
- CY9 - The final list of operators for the CY9M DXpedition to St Paul Island (NA-094) includes Bill N2WB, Bjorn SM0MDG, Christian EA3NT, Col MM0NDX, George EA2TA, Kevin VE3EN, Mike AB5EB, Simon IZ7ATN, Steve VA3FM and Victoria SV2KBS. They will have six transceivers, four amplifiers and a wide range of antennas, and will be QRV on 160-6 metres SSB, CW and digital modes from 26 July through 1 August. QSL via M0URX, direct or bureau (preferably through his OQRS). The logs will be uploaded to LoTW "at the earliest opportunity". Further information, including logserach and details on how to contribute, can be found at www.cy9m.com [TNX MM0NDX]
- DU - Bodo, DF8DX will be active as BW/DF8DX from Taiwan (AS-020) on 22-25 July and as DU8/DF8DX from Mindanao Island (OC-130) from 26 July to 10 August, IOTA Contest included. Side trips to other IOTA groups in the Philippines are being considered. QSL via DF8DX, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- EA - Celebrating the win in the 14th UEFA European Football Championship, amateur radio stations from Spain may use special prefixes until 31 July. EA stations may use AO, EB stations may use AM and EC stations may use AN.
- EA6 - Look for EA6/IW2NEF to be active from the Balearic Islands (EU-004) on 16-27 July. He will be QRV on the HF bands, as well as on 6 and 2 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- FJ - Ludovic, HB9EOU and Andre, HB9CVC will be active as TO2D from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) from 22 July to 4 August. They will operate SSB and RTTY on 40-6 metres. QSL via HB9EOU. Further information can be found at <http://st-barth.hb9eme.ch/>
- FO/A - Philippe, FO4BM is planning an holiday style operation as TX0HF from the Austral Islands. Target islands are Tubuai (OC-152) and Rurutu (OC-050), with expected activity on 20 metres SSB with 100 watts and a dipole. F5UKW says that the dates given at qrz.com (until 21 July for OC-152 and 21-23 July for OC-050) are not confirmed, and that the operation is delayed "until Philippe can get an airplane". QSL via F4FJH, direct only. [TNX DX World]

- FP - Yuri, VE3DZ and Victor, VA2WA (VA2WDQ) will be active as FP/VE3DZ and FP/VA2WA from St. Pierre et Miquelon (NA-032) on 20-31 July. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres with two stations, and will participate in the CQ WW VHF and RSGB IOTA Contests as TO2U. An OQRS for bureau and direct cards will be available after the expedition. Further information and logs search can be found at www.to2u.contestgroupduquebec.com [TNX DX World]
- GW - Special event callsign 2012W (Two Oscar One Two Whiskey) will be activated between 21 July and 9 September on all bands and modes from Barry, Wales to celebrate the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games. Further information at www.2012W.com. QSL via GW1FKY.
- H4 - Vadym, UT6UD is active as H44UD from New Georgia Island (OC-149) until 17 July. If conditions permit, he might also visit and be QRV from OC-047 and OC-158 (17-21 July). QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- HC - Rick, NE8Z will be active again from Ecuador on 21-31 July. He be QRV on 40-10 metres as HC1MD from Cumbaya (CW and RTTY), HC1MD/HC1 from Mount Cayambe (CW), HC1MD/HC3 from Loja (CW) and HC1MD/HC5 from Cuenca (CW). QSL via K8LJG. [TNX NE8Z]
- I - Representing the Associazione Radioamatori Italiani (ARI), the following stations will participate in the IARU HF World Championship: IO0HQ (160 CW), IO1HQ (80 CW, 40 CW and 20 SSB), IO2HQ (20 CW), IO4HQ (160 SSB and 80 SSB), IO5HQ (40 SSB), IO8HQ (15 SSB) and IO9HQ (15 CW, 10 CW and 10 SSB).
- I - Antonio, IZ1NES will be active as IA5/IZ1NES from Isola d'Elba (EU-028) on 15-22 July. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- SM - Kjell, SM4DDS, will be active as 7S5A from Boko Island (EU-177) on 14-19 July. He will be QRV on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX SM4DDS]
- T8 - Shuji, JA1FMN will be active as T88FK from Babeldaob Island, Palau (OC-009) on 17-19 July. He plans to be QRV on 17 and 15 metres PSK31 and SSB, with some 6m SSB and 29MHz FM if the propagation is good. He plans to be QRV after 18 local time. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- UA - Victor, UA1OEJ will be active as UA1OEJ/p from the Solovetskiye Islands (EU-066) on 22-31 July. He will operate SSB and digital modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau; log search at <http://ralohx.ru>. [TNX qrz.ru]
- VP2M - Bob, W5UQ (VP2MUQ) and Bill, W5SJ (VP2MSJ) will be active holiday style from Montserrat (NA-103) on 17-24 July. They plan to focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres CW, with some RTTY. QSL for both calls via W5JAY. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP9 - Kyle, VP9/WA4PGM will be on honeymoon in Bermuda on 13-22 July. He will be QRV as time permits during the IARU, CQ VHF and NAQP RTTY contests, and will also looking for contacts on 6 metres. QSL VP9/WA4PGM direct to home call; cards for contacts made when he uses VP9I go via N1HRA (direct and bureau). [TNX WA4PGM]
- YB - A team of nine operators (YB3MM, YB8XM, YB9BU, YB9BZ, YB9GV, YB9KA, YC0OIL, YC9HIU and YC9MKF) will participate in the IOTA Contest as YB9IOTA from Trawangan Island (OC-150). QSL via YB9BU.

They have a website at www.mdxc.org/yb9iota/

ZL9 - The new dates for the ZL9HR DXpedition to Campbell Island (OC-037) [425DXN 1093] are from 28 November to 9 December. Team members are VK2IR, VK3YP, W2LK, K5GS, K3EL, KE4KY, ZL3CW, HA5AO, VE7DS and 9M6XRO. QSL via EB7DX and LoTW. Further information, including band/mode survey, operating frequencies, log search and details on how contribute, can be found at www.zl9hr.com. [TNX VK3YP]

IARU HF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ---> The objective of the contest is to contact as many other amateurs, especially IARU member society HQ stations, around the world as possible using the 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10m bands. This year's event (rules can be found at www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-championship) will run from 12 UTC on 14 July until 12 UTC on the 15th. The following IARU Member Society HQ stations are expected to participate:

| Call | DXCC | Mult |
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| 6D0LM | Mexico | FMRE |
| 8N1HQ | Japan | JARL |
| 8N2HQ | Japan | JARL |
| 8N3HQ | Japan | JARL |
| 8N4HQ | Japan | JARL |
| 8N8HQ | Japan | JARL |
| 8P6AW | Barbados | ARSB |
| 9A20HQ | Croatia | HRS |
| 9K9HQ | Kuwait | KARS |
| 9Y4HQ | Trinidad & Tobago | TTARS |
| A47RS | Oman | ROARS |
| AT1HQ | India | ARSI |
| CX1AA | Uruguay | RCU |
| DA0HQ | Germany | DARC |
| E70ARA | Bosnia & Hercegovina | ARABH |
| EF1HQ | Spain | URE |
| EF2HQ | Spain | URE |
| EF5HQ | Spain | URE |
| EF7HQ | Spain | URE |
| EI80IRTS | Ireland | IRTS |
| GO2HQ | various | RSGB |
| HB0HQ | Liechtenstein | AFVL |
| HC2GRC | Ecuador | GRC |
| HK3LR | Colombia | LCRA |
| HL0HQ | South Korea | KARL |
| HS0AC | Thailand | RAST |
| IO0HQ | Italy | ARI |
| IO1HQ | Italy | ARI |
| IO2HQ | Italy | ARI |
| IO4HQ | Italy | ARI |
| IO5HQ | Italy | ARI |
| IO8HQ | Italy | ARI |
| IO9HQ | Italy | ARI |
| LN2HQ | Norway | NRRL |
| LR5F | Argentina | RCA |
| LR5H | Argentina | RCA |
| LR7D | Argentina | RCA |

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| LR7F | Argentina | RCA |
| LR7H | Argentina | RCA |
| LX75HQ | Luxembourg | RL |
| LY0HQ | Lithuania | LRMD |
| NU1AW/9 | USA | IARU |
| OA4O | Peru | RCP |
| OH0HQ | Aland Islands | SRAL |
| OL2HQ | Czech Republic | CRC |
| OP0HQ | Belgium | UBA |
| OZ1HQ | Denmark | EDR |
| PI4HQ | The Netherlands | VERON |
| R3HQ | Russia | SRR |
| SK9HQ | Sweden | SSA |
| SN0HQ | Poland | PZK |
| SX0HQ | Greece | RAAG |
| TC50HQ | Turkey | TRAC |
| TG0AA | Guatemala | CRAG |
| TI0RC | Costa Rica | RCCR |
| TM0HQ | France | REF |
| VR2HK | Hong Kong | HARTS |
| VY2RAC | Canada | RAC |
| W1AW/7 | USA | ARRL |
| XR3HQ | Chile | RCCH |
| YE0HQ | Indonesia | ORARI |
| YL4HQ | Latvia | LRAL |
| YR0HQ | Romania | FRR |
| YS1YS | El Salvador | CRAS |
| YT0HQ | Serbia | SRS |
| Z30HQ | Macedonia | RSM |
| ZF1A | Cayman Isls | CARS |
| ZL6HQ | New Zealand | NZART |
| ZS9HQ | South Africa | SARL |
| ZZ7HQ | Brazil | LABRE |

An up-to-date listing of announced HQ stations and IARU officials can be found at www.dailydx.com/iaru-12.htm. Good luck to you all!

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The June 2012 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

ANTARCTICA AWARD ---> The new website for the Antarctica Award, sponsored by the Mediterraneo DX Club, is now up and running at www.mdxc.org/awardantarctica/

CLUB LOG'S OQRS ---> Club Log's OQRS (the Online QSL Request System for bureau and direct cards) is now available to all users, not just expeditions. Detailed instructions for enabling it can be found at

DXCC NEWS ---> 9X0PY (Rwanda, 24 December 2011-7 January 2012) and S21YD (Bangladesh, 1994-95 and 1998-99) have been approved for DXCC credit. If you had any of these cards rejected, please send an e-mail to bmoore[@]arrl.org to be put on the list for an update (please include the Reference number in the upper right hand portion of your credit slip to help expedite retrieval). [TNX NC1L]

LONDON OLYMPIC GAMES SPECIAL PREFIXES ---> Subject to prior authorisation, individual amateur radio operators and Club stations in the United Kingdom may use special prefixes from 21 July to 9 September to celebrate the London 2012 Olympics and Paralympic Games. The second letter in the existing call sign (D, I, J, M, U, W, etc, plus E for Intermediate licences) may be replaced by the letter "O"; where no second letter exists, the letter "O" may be added. For instance, GD0XXX (Isle of Man), GI0XXX (Northern Ireland), GJ0XXX (Jersey), GM0XXX (Scotland), GU0XXX (Guernsey), GW0XXX (Wales) and G0XXX (England) may all be amended to GO0XXX. Furthermore, calls in the series GB2012 will be available for Special Event Stations relating to the Olympics; licences will also be issued for "flagship" stations using the prefix 2012 (Two Oscar Twelve) + 1 letter relating to the location of the station (e.g. 2012L for London and 2012W for Wales).

MALPELO 2012---> "If you worked HK1MW, HK1N, HK1T or HK6F in January 2012 then you really worked Malpelo. These four men were the advance team setting up the gear for the HK0NA DXpedition. During that time, they operated using their home calls without using a portable identifier. These QSOs count for Malpelo. Special photo QSLs have been printed and are now available via N200", one of four ways: OQRS direct or bureau (<http://df3cb.com/oqrs/n200/>), traditional direct (Bob Schenck, P.O. Box 345, Tuckerton NJ 08087-0345, USA) or traditional bureau. [TNX N200]

NORTH KOREA ---> On 9 July Rick, K6VVA released an update "which should address some of the assumptions, speculations and inaccurate guessing I've seen posted various places". The update is a supplement to the initial "P5 CW Only & IOTA AS-197 Project" general information [425DXN 1105], and can be found as a .pdf document on <http://www.k6vva.com/p5/p5infoupdates.html> [TNX K6VVA]

QSL HG2011 ---> All of the contacts made last year with HG2011 special event stations were confirmed automatically via the bureau about four months ago, Tibi, HA1DAE says. "We don't collect QSL cards", he adds, so please refrain from sending yours. SWLs can send their QSL request by e-mail (haldae[@]t-online.hu).

V84SMD ---> A most wanted survey for bands and modes is now up and running on the 11-23 November DXpedition website: www.mdxc.org/v84smd/brunei-survey/ [TNX IZ8CCW]

WHQS AWARD ---> Once again "MK QTC", the Polish Radio Amateurs' Journal, sponsors the W-HQ-S award for working as many HQ stations as possible (at least 10) during the upcoming IARU HF World Championship. For complete

details please visit http://suchacz.eu/viewpage.php?page_id=4 or e-mail
qtc[.]post.pl [TNX SP2FAP]

WORLD LAKES AWARD ---> Details on the World Lakes Award can be found at
<http://worldlakes.info> [TNX EA5OL]

WRTC2014 RULES AND STATION TESTS ---> The official competition rules for the 2014 World Radiosport Team Championship have been published (www.wrtc2014.org/contest/wrtc-rules). Thanks to everyone who provided feedback during the rules review process," said Andy Blank, N2NT, Director of the WRTC2014 Rules Committee. "We wanted to release the rules prior to the 2012 IARU Championship so that potential competitors and the WRTC test stations would have the opportunity in 2012 and 2013 to practice under the rules". WRTC2014 will be a Two-Operator Two-Transmitter competition, where both stations will be permitted to transmit at any time. Station tests will be conducted during this weekends' IARU HF World Championship. Thirteen stations ((K1GQ, K1RQ, K1ZD, N2KW, N9NB, NI1L, W1HH, W1MA, W1MJ, W1SJ, W1UE, W1UJ and WB1Z) will be set up in the WRTC competition configuration using sites planned for 2014. The test stations will be active on 10-80 metres CW and SSB, and many of them will be operating according to the WRTC competition rules. "One mission of the station test is to confirm that all sites are relatively equal," said Tom Frenaye, K1KI, Director of the Site Acquisition and Testing Committee. "As you hear or work the test stations, please make a note of their signals in comparison to the other WRTC test stations". Signal reports and other feedback should be sent to [info@\[wrtc2014.org](mailto:info@[wrtc2014.org). Awards will be offered for working the WRTC test stations, details can be found at www.wrtc2014.org/wrtc2014-station-test-in-iaru-hf-championship/

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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| 3G90AA | CE3AA | EG6RN | EA6URL | OE50XFG | OE6WIG |
| 3V8SS | LX1NO | EH8TID | EA8NQ | OG3077F | OH3JF |
| 4S7BRG | LZ3HI | EI12VOR | EI4GRC | OH0JV | DL7RV |
| 4U1GSC | 9A2AA | EI8GQB | ON4EI | OH2DZ/p | UA1ANA |
| 5C13BL | 6K5YPD | EM44U | UT7UT | OH2FTX/p | RV1AE |
| 5C13EAI | 6K5YPD | EM4IFF | US5IQ | OH8WA/p | RA1AGL |
| 5C13IG | 6K5YPD | EO4HFF | UX1HW | OX3XR | OZ3PZ |
| 5C13KD | 6K5YPD | EO5UFF | US5UFF | OZ0FR/p | DL2VFR |
| 5C13NK | 6K5YPD | ES2012ABCS | ES2TT | P29FR | I2RFJ |
| 5C13PG | 6K5YPD | ES9EFF | ES4RX | P29VAC | K9QV |
| 5C13SG | 6K5YPD | EV68P | EW2AB | P3EU | 5B4AHO |
| 5C13VO | 6K5YPD | EV910B | EW2EO | PC100NOM | PA0FAW |
| 5C13WL | 6K5YPD | FG4NN | NI5DX | PI9SRS | PD0MP |
| 5C13WW | 6K5YPD | FP/KV1J | KV1J | PQ7FD | PS7A |

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| 5C13YR | 6K5YPD | GB5NTT | M0XIG | PW7FD | PS7AB |
| 5C13YZ | 6K5YPD | H44UD | UT6UD | R200BS | RK3CQ |
| 5C13ZG | 6K5YPD | HF490GM | SP5PMU | RT6A/p | R7AA |
| 5H3CMG | ZR6CMG | HG0WFF | HA0HW | SN15POW | SP6ZJP |
| 5T0JL | ON8RA | HV5PUL | IW0DJB | SN7L | SP7PGK |
| 7T50I | 7X2ARA | II2BVI | IZ2QHV | SU1SK | SM5AQD |
| 7U50I | 7X2ARA | II5BP | IW5EGT | SW8Y | HA1YA |
| 7V50I | 7X2ARA | IY7MD | IQ7MU | SX9S | SV9AUE |
| 7W50I | 7X2ARA | K2A | KU2US | T6JP | 5Q2J |
| 8P9NX | W3HNK | K2B | KI4TYK | T6TJ | 9A6AA |
| 9J2CA | G3SWH | K2C | KE1JF | T6VT | 9A6AA |
| 9N1FE | EA5ZD | K2D | K1PL | T88WJ | JS3LSQ |
| A61AS | YO3FRI | K2E | NY3C | TC6BLH | TA1HZ |
| A61E | IZ8CLM | K2F | KB3IFH | TJ3AY | F5LGE |
| A61K | EA7FTR | K2G | K4PHE | TK12IOTA | F8BBL |
| A61LL | EA5ZD | K2H | K1PUB | TM0TSR | F4FJH |
| A61Q | EA7FTR | K2I | KA2FIR | TM17H | F8FZC |
| A61ZX | IZ8CLM | K2J | K4KCS | TM300BD | F4FXO |
| A71CM | NI5DX | K2K | W1STT | TM5BSM | F5NFS |
| A71DLH | DL0LH | K2L | KG4RUL | TM70TE | F5KBB |
| A71EM | EA7FTR | K2M | N2MZZ | TM70TRAN | F6AST |
| AH0J | JA1NVF | K4O | NP3O | TO5U | K9FY |
| AM8EPF | EA8URV | KH0XG | JL1RXW | TR8JH | F6FWT |
| AO6UP | EB7DX | KH8RRC | N7RO | V47JA | W5JON |
| C31CT | EA3QS | KP4RV | AI4U | V85AVE | W3HNK |
| CG3B | VE3FOI | L99F | LU5FB | VP2MSR | G3USR |
| CK6S | VE6AO | LU1ZV | LU4DXU | VQ9JC | ND9M |
| CO6HLP | EA7FTR | LU4ZS | LU4DXU | XU7ACY | W2EN |
| CO6LE | EA5GL | LY12TFS | LY3BY | YB7XO | F4BHW |
| DA0TTO | DL6MKA | LY2012TAFISA | LY2QT | YE0M | YB1GJS |
| DP75PLAN | DJ5XX | LY54SOP | LY5W | YU9VB | UA4WHX |
| DP7COTA | DL7RAG | MC0SHL | M0URX | Z38VB | UA4WHX |
| DT01 | DS3MBB | NH0J | JJ2VLY | ZD8BG | KI4PRK |
| E51AND | AB7FS | NP2KW | EB7DX | ZF2AH | W6VNR |
| E717S | E73ESP | NP4Z | N4AO | ZW364PA | PY5PDC |

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