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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 8Q - Christian, OE3DEC will be active as 8Q7EC from the Maldives (AS-013) on 14-23 September. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via home call (direct or bureau).
- A5 - Zorro, JH1AJT and Nao, JN1RVS will be active again as A5A from Bhutan on 4-14 September. In his spare time Zorro will operate mainly FT8 in the Fox & Hound mode on 40-10 metres (7056, 10131, 14090, 18095, 21091, 24911 and 28091 KHz). On 4-7 September they will be joined by Champ, E21EIC. QSL via JH1AJT; logsearch and OQRS on Club Log. [TNX The Daily DX]
- DU - Jin, DU1IST (JF1IST) will be active as DU1IST/9 from Tawi Tawi (OC-174) from 31 August to 4 September. He will operate CW and FT8 on the HF bands. QSL via JA1HGY; logsearch and possibly OQRS on Club Log. [TNX DX World]
- EX - Special callsigns EX3NOMAD and EX3WNG will be active between 25 August and 15 September from Kyrgyzstan for the third edition of the World Nomad Games, an international sport competition dedicated to ethnic sports practiced in Central Asia. QSL via EX7DI.
- FY - Manfred, DL5FAB will be active again as FY/DL5FAB from French Guiana on 5-18 September, during the launch campaign of the MetOp-C satellite. He will operate CW and FT8 from the premises of the Radio Amateur Club de Kourou (FY5KE). A side trip to the Salute Islands (SA-020) is also being planned. QSL via the bureau to DL5FAB, or via eQSL.
- I - Look for IK7WDS, IU7EHF, IW7DOL, IZ7AUH, IZ7DMH, IZ7LDC and IZ7QSS to be active as IJ7/homecall on various bands and modes from San Pietro Island (EU-073) from 31 August to 2 September. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX IZ7LDC]
- KH0 - Harry, JG7PSJ will be active as WH0RU from Saipan (OC-086) on 12-18 September. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via LoTW, or direct to JG7PSJ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH2 - JR1VAY will be QRV as AH2J from Guam (OC-026) from 30 August to 3 September, including activity during the All Asian DX SSB Contest (1-2 September) and the Russian "Radio" WW RTTY Contest (1 September). QSL via JR1VAY, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- KH2 - Martti, OH2BH has been active as KH2X from AH2L's QTH on Guam since 30 August. He will be there until 3 September [425DXN 1425], and will participate in the All Asian DX SSB Contest. QSL for this operation via OH2BH.
- OH0 - Rainer DL1ZBO, Volkmar DL2VU and Peter DL5FF will be active as OH0JWL from the Aland Islands (EU-002) from 26 August to 7 September. They will operate CW on 80-10 metres and RTTY during the Russian "Radio" WW RTTY Contest (1 September). QSL via DL5FF. [TNX DX Newsletter]

- SP - Special callsigns SN100ID, SN100IP, SN100JH, SN100JP, SN100L, SN100PS, SN100PW, SN100RB, SN100RD and SN100S will be active between 1 September and 11 November to mark the 100th anniversary of the restoration of Poland's sovereignty as the Second Polish Republic at the end of World War I. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- SV - Oliver, DK7TX will be active as SV8/DK7TX on 9-15 September from the islands of Paxoi, Vido and Kerkyra/Corfu (all counts for IOTA group EU-052). QSL via home call. [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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IAW 2018 --- > The 5th International Air Ambulance Week will take place on 8-16 September. The event is primarily intended to help support and generate donations for flying medical services around the world. See <http://www.radio-amateur-events.org/IAW/index.htm> for complete information.

IOTA: PROPOSED ADDITIONS TO THE LIST OF VALID ISLAND GROUPS ---> On 31 August the following announcement was published on the IOTA website (<https://iota-world.org/>): "IOTA Programme Structure A.4.2 in the 2018 Directory provides for a review of the list of valid island groups to take place every five years. The last such occasion took place in June 2014 with the announcement made at the 50th anniversary celebration of IOTA's launch the following month. It resulted in 11 new groups being added.

This time IOTA Management has decided to bring forward the review to give a chance for any new groups announced to be activated in 2019, the target year. The review process is scheduled to start with an announcement of some additions at this year's RSGB Convention and may possibly finish with a top-up at next year's Friedrichshafen Ham Radio event.

Any new groups will be very few in number, probably between 5 and 10. It should be noted that only proposals that meet the programme criteria at Sections B and C of the IOTA Programme Structure chapter (2018 Directory) will be considered and, as guidance, it is unlikely that any additions will be made to the Europe list because it is already generously covered.

Proposals for consideration should be sent to G3KMA ([g3kma\[@\]dsl.pipex.com](mailto:g3kma[@]dsl.pipex.com)) by 1 October with a short justification (one paragraph please) in terms of the programme criteria". [TNX G3KMA]

RI0B ---> The "Apostol Andrey" departed from Arkhangelsk around 6 UTC on 27 August. The voyage to Dikson Island, where the rest of the team will join the expedition, will take about eight days. Along all the way the RI0B team will be operating as RT9K/mm from the yacht. Read the DXpedition's diary on http://legendsarctic.com/dnevnik_ekspedicii_ri0b.

WRTC 2018 ACTIVITY PROGRAMME ---> Five awards were available for contacts

made with the 63 Y8 stations in the World Radiosport Team Championship (14-15 July). The results can be found on - and the certificates can be downloaded from - the WRTC 2018 website (<http://www.wrtc2018.de>) under the menu item "Activities".

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***** QSL ROUTES *****

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3E1FD	HP1RCP	EH1MCP	EA1AUM	PS2T	K3IRV
3W3B	E21EIC	EH7FDA	EA7URI	PV7B	PT7BI
3W9XG	DF2XG	EI0CAR	EI4JR	R1530IG	UA3VLO
3Z9K	SP9EZM	EI0LHL	EI5HXB	R18ARMI	R4AS
4K6FO	DC9RI	EI1E	EI5KF	R25RFF	RZ3EC
4K6N	RW6HS	EJ0DXG	M0OXO	R25RMA	RZ3EC
4L1AN	N4GNR	EM25URD	UR7UT	R25RRA	RZ3EC
4L6QL	RW6HS	ET3AA	N2OO	R25RRC	RZ3EC
4O7CC	UA4CC	EX3NOMAD	EX7DI	R75WKB	R5WW
4U1A	UA3DX	EX3WNG	EX7DI	RI1ANL	RN1ON
4U1UN	HB9BOU	FG/HG0R	HA0NAR	RI1ANW	RN1ON
4W6VA	K7TRB	FR5FC	EA7FTR	RT65KI	UA3AKO
4X6TT	N4GNR	GB0NHL	GM0TKB	S51LGT	S51LGT [b]
5B4ALG	EC5AC	GB0SNB	G3SVK [d]	S51LGT	S53EO [d]
5B4ALX	IZ4AMS	GB0SNB	GB0SNB [b]	SD1A	SM1TDE
5E5A	EA7FTR	GB1BPL	2W0DSP	SD5F	SM6GOR
5P2C	DL8UD	GB250CC	G0BPK [d]	SE6N	SA6AXR
5Q5W	DL2SWW	GB250CC	GB250CC [b]	SK7BORE	SK7DX
7X3WPL	7X3DL	GB2ELH	GM0GFL	SN0BPS	SP1PNW
8S7LHJ	SK7CA	GB2LBN	GM4UYZ	SN100POL	SP1PMY
9A0HRS	9A3JB	GB2SL	G1TDN	SN140LHG	SP1ZZ
9A200S	9A2MF	GB2THL	GM3WIJ	SP100N	SP9MA
9A8CW	9A8CW [b]	GB4LL	G4WUA	SP50ZCF/1	SP9ZCF
9A8CW	UA6LCW [d]	GB5HCL	M0KZC	SP85NISK0	SQ7FPD
9A8DV	IK6VXO	GW0A	GW4SKA	SU9JG	EA5GL
9H3KC	EI8GVB	H2X	IZ4AMS	SV8/YO3FCA	M0IPU
9J2BO	G3TEV	HF0ZHP	SP2ZCH	SX10HF	SZ2T
9M4LHB	9M4CHS	HF100I	SP4LVK	SX1L	DL1JCZ
9M4LHJ	9W2BUG	HF73RIESE	SP6PWS	T2AT	N7SMI
9M61MC	9W2PTA	HF909OG	SP6KGJ	T32TV	KE5EE
9M61MQ	9W8KIF	HG0WFF	HA0HW	T41FR	CO1CP
9Q6BB	W3HNK	HG25RRC	HA1AG	T43A	RW6HS
A61EK	IZ8CLM	HH2AA	NR6M	T43SD	CO3JK
A61QQ	A61BK	HK3JCL	DK8LRF	T46FY	EA5GL
A61ZX	IZ8CLM	IP1T	I1ANP	T46LC	CO6CG
A65DR	N4GNR	K4G	K8EAB	T6TM	W2GR
A71YY	M0OXO	KH2X	OH2BH	TM0LHG	PA0HEL
AT3LH	VU2YQ	KP4LH	WP4DT	TM100HAB	G3WPF

C4II	M0SDV	LC9S	LA9GSA	TM100LGG	F4GRW
C91CCY	K3IRV	LI5TA	LA4F	TM2LW	F4ELJ
C93PA	PA5X	LY/SN0WFF	SP5C	TM3Z	F4DSK
CN8SG	EA7FYR	LZ30STM	LZ1ZF	TM5AF	F5NED
CP4BT	DJ2BW	LZ35PAR	LZ1ZF	TM64YL	F4GDI
CR5L	CT1DSV	MN0NID	MI0SAI	TM89SRY	F5KCC
CR6LH	CT1GZB	N2OB	N20O	UN9GD	DL8KAC
CR6YLH	CT2ISX	OE18BALLON	OE3RNS	V31MA	M0OXO
CS2LH	CS5LX	OI1AY	OH1AJ	V31TA	EA5GL
CV7S	CX7SS	OJ0C	OJ3JR	V47FWX	M0URX
CW1R	CX1AA	OM777CS	OM0CS	VI70MI	M0OXO
CX1T	IK2DUW	OM80PAR	OM3PA	XR2FPA	CE2AA
CX2TQ	IK2DUW	ON4RAT	ON4LG	XT2BR	F8FUA
D73V	6K0MF	ON9BD	ON6EF	XU7AEX	F6CTW
D90HE/3	DS2GOO	OX3LX	OZ0J	YR9F	YO9FNP
DA2018LH	DL3DXX	OZ0IL	DL1UWE	YV1KK	OH0XX
DF0WLG	DM5DX	P29LL	EA7FTR	Z68HZ	TA1HZ
DL0DFF	DL3HBZ	P33W	UA3DX	ZB2LGT	ZB2BU
DP0GVN	DL5EBE	PA6FUN	PA3HHT	ZL1R	ZL1SLO
EA6/EA3HSO	N4GNR	PA6SCH	PI4DHG	ZL6LH	ZL1VK
EG1FSR	EA1UVR	PA6VEN	PD1JFB	ZS9V	M0OXO
EG1JRA	EA1RKA	PI4ECC	PA0MBD	ZV7L	PT2OP
EG7SCC	EA7HBC	PJ4DX	M0URX	ZW8T	PS8HF
EH1LHA	EA1RKA	PR2D	PY2LCD	ZY4ULD	PY4RR
EH1LSI	EA1AUO	PR5T	PY5NF	ZZ2P	PY2AA

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