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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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- Maurizio, IK2GZU will be active again as 5H3MB from Tanzania from 8 November to 8 December, while doing volunteer work at the Ikelu Hospital and Ilembula Orphanage. In his spare time he will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW and eQSL, or via IK2GZU (direct or bureau). [TNX IK2GZU]
- 6W Elvira, IV3FSG will be active again as 6W/IV3FSG from Senegal from 26 September to 16 October. Usually she operates SSB and digital modes in her spare time. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or direct to IK2DUW.
- 9Y Celebrating Trinidad and Tobagos' 47th Republic Day, special call-sign 9Y47RD will be active on 22-25 September. QSL via LoTW.
- DL Look for DJ1JB/p, DJ4EL/p and DJ5TM/p to be active from IOTA group EU-042 from 28 September to 4 October. Their main QTH will be Pellworm Island, with side trips to nearby Grode, Suderoog and Norderoogsand.
- HV Fabio, I4UFH will be active from HVOA, Vatican City on 23 September. OSL via LoTW, or direct to IKOFVC.
- Gaby, DF9TM and Frank, DL2SWW have been active as SD7M and SD7W, respectively, from Sturko Island (EU-138) since 18 September, and will remain there until 23 or 24 September. Their IOTA tour included activities from Orust Island (EU-043, 30 August-5 September) as SD7M/6 and SD7W/6, and Oland Island (EU-037, 7-17 September) as SD7M and SD7W. All QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and confirmed automatically via the bureau.
- SV9 Seppo, OH1VR will be active again as SV9/OH1VR from Crete (EU-015) from 28 September to 3 October. He will operate mainly CW on 160-6 metres. QSL direct to home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- T7 Celebrating "Sammarinesi nel mondo" (San Marino nationals around the world), members of the ARRSM Radio Club will operate special event station T71SNM on 24 September. QSL direct to T70A.
- Dave, KM4DYR will be active as V31DN from Ambergris Cay (NA-073) and other islands on 1-9 October. His primary goal is to activate POTAs (Parks on The Air) on 40, 20 and 10 metres SSB. QSL direct to home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VK "Amateur Radio", the official journal of the Wireless Institute of Australia, will reach 90 years of continuous publication in October. To mark this milestone, the WIA has obtained the special event call sign VK90AR for use until 31 December by any member of the WIA as well as any affiliated club. QSL via LoTW and MOOXO's OQRS.
- W If you need Wyoming for your WAS Award, note that the Shy-Wy Amateur Radio Club will be hosting the "Come and Get Wyoming" W7Y special event for the fourth year in a row from 22 September to 2 October. Operators from across Wyoming will volunteer for one hour time slots to operate W7Y on a band and mode of their choice. QSL

via LoTW. See https://shywyarc.net/wp/comeandgetwyoming/ for more information.

- ZF Mark, W5LAC will be "attempting portable QRP operation" as ZF2MS from Grand Cayman Island (NA-016) on 22-29 September. Look for him on 20-6 metres FT8 or SSB. QSL via home call.
- Active from 1 October to 31 May 2024, ZL6WG is a special event callsign promoting the 98th NZART annual conference that will be held in Christchurch on 1-2 June next year. QSL via LoTW; paper cards will not be available; https://hamradio.co.nz/award/.

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KH2/DL2AH ---> Ulrich, DL2AH has had to cancel his activity from Guam (16-30 September). He had "booked and paid from Germany via Airbnb a wonderful accommodation with a huge garden (space enough for five Triple Leg antennas)", he says, only to find out that "the offer was a fake! By lucky circumstances I found a new (affordable!) Airbnb - unfortunately without space for my antenna". His next stop will be Majuro, Marshall Islands as V73AH (4-16 October).

T22T ---> Team T22T has been active with four stations from Tuvalu since 3 UTC on 21 September, and according to Club Log has logged some 7500 FT8 QSOs so far. They have huge noise problems on the low bands. QSL via Club Log's OQRS. Updates will be posted to https://www.facebook.com/rebeldxgroup.

UK/EI DX SSB CONTEST ---> In partnership with the RSGB, the IRTS and the GMDX Group, the 2023 UK/EI DX SSB Contest will take place from 12 UTC on 30 September to 12 UTC on 1 October. The aim of this contest is to promote contacts between stations in the United Kingdom & Ireland and stations in the rest of the world. See https://www.ukeicc.com/dx-contest-rules.php for complete details. Next year's events will be held on 27-28 April (CW) and 31 August-1 September (SSB).

V62P & V62S ---> Cezar, VE3LYC will be active as V62P from Pulap Atoll (OC-155), and as V62S from Satawal Atoll (OC-299) between 25 October and 10 No-vember [425DXN 1687]. "I just finished a very informative, almost two-hour Zoom meeting with the boat captain and my contacts down in FSM", he reported on 21 September. "We reviewed every step of the logistical plan, and the captain confirmed the transportation schedule I already announced, as well as a number of other logistical details. Meanwhile, he indicated that relatively small delays may occur, due to weather conditions and/or other unforeseen reasons that may arise. However, this is not going to shorten my stay on each atoll. If anything, my stays will be longer than originally planned".

Cezar is "extremely grateful for the support received so far from several

organizations and enthusiastic individuals. It was my decision and nobody else's to embark on this rather complex and expensive endeavour, and I am prepared to bear its cost". However, he wishes to encourage more IOTA chasers and DXers to support this project and assist him in offsetting some of those expenses: https://v6iota.weebly.com/.

W8S: THE PILOTS TEAM ---> The 4-17 October DXpedition to Swains Island will be assisted by a team of Pilot stations whose job is to report on how things are going from their location and act as liaisons between the DXpedition and amateurs in their region:

Europe and Africa Jan, DL7JAN
British Islands John, G4IRN
North America Steve, N2AJ
South America Siso, HK3W
Asia Champ, E21EIC
Oceania Lee, VK3GK

Alex, PA1AW will be the Chief Pilot in charge of gathering all relevant information from regional pilots and channel such information to the W8S team on the island. See https://swains2020.lldxt.eu/the-pilots-team/ for the details.

ZD9W ---> Yuris, YL2GM left Cape Town on 15 September, but the "Lance" is progressing towards Tristan da Cunha a bit slower than anticipated. As of 19 September, the estimated time of arrival was 26 September (subject to change based on weather conditions). Bookmark https://www.lral.lv/zd9w/index.html for updates.

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

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| 4K6FO | DC9RI | EP3ASA | EA5GL | PJ4SON | M0URX |
| 4L70 | DL4WK | EP3GMR | RW6HS | PT5J | PP5JR |
| 4X01G | 4X6ZM | FO/F6BCW | F6EXV | PV2K | EA5GL |
| 4X02G | 4X6ZM | FW1JG | F4FTV | PZ5JW | EA5GL |
| 4X03G | 4X6ZM | FY4JI | EA5GL | R80OSM | UA3LLS |
| 4X04G | 4X6ZM | HC5CW | EB7DX | RI41POL | RN3RQ |
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| 9K9KSA | EC6DX | LN8W | LA6YEA | TF3D | TF3MH | |
| A22EW | EA5GL | LO7H | EA7FTR | TI1K | EA5GL | |
| A43KSA | EC6DX | LQ5A | EA7FTR | TM17LOTI | F8KIS | |
| A47RS | EC6DX | LZ5K | LZ1RAY | TM19CNR | F6CQU | |
| A60ARS | EA7FTR | NP2X | KU9C | TM200TC | F5KOI | |
| A60ARS/5 | EA7FTR | NP4Z | N4AO | TM23RBY | F8EFU | |
| A60ARS/14 | LZ1YE | OE4C/p | OE4RGC | TM23RUGB | F5KHG | |
| A60ARS/15 | EA7FTR | OG73X | OH8L | TM25DFCF | F6FNA | |
| A65CW | DL2RMC | OH0R | OH2PM | TM63RWC | F4KLW | |
| A91ARS | EC6DX | OH8X | EA4BQ | V26K | AA3B | |
| AT23IDD | VU2FI | OM830DNV | OM4AZL | V31MA | MOOXO | |
| AZ1D | EC6DX | 0035ATH | ON4ATH | V63FM | JI2UAY | |
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| CX2DK | EA5GL | OV2T | PA0ABM | VE2CSI | M0URX | |
| D44BM | EA4BQ | OV3X | OZ8AE | VK8NSB | M0URX | |
| DA0BCC | DL2JRM | OX0J | OZ0J | VK9LAA | W7YAQ | |
| DF0HQ | DL5AXX | PA30SPARC | PE5ENJ | XV9BPO | N4GNR | |
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| ED3SDC | EA1AUM | PD44WFF | PD8RW | ZA/KN7L | UA4CC | |
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| EG7FFM | EA7DK | PI40NWG | PA3GKB | ZP6AKY | IK2DUW | |
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