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- 3DA0 3DA0NL will be again active from Swaziland on 20-27 November, this time also on 40 metres. QSL via ZS6ANL (P.O. Box 6282, Homestead, 1412 South Africa).
- Yannick, F6FYD [426DXN 496] has been issued the call 5T5YD. He will be in Mauritania for six months at least and plans to operate from IOTA islands as well. QSL via home call. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- Tapani, OH5BM plans to operate from 5X1Z during the CQ WW DX CW Contest as Single Operator Single Band (10 or 15 metres). Before the contest he will be active on on 10 and 15 metres SSB/CW. QSL via SM6CAS. [TNX OH5BM]
- 8P John, K4BAI will be active as 8P9HT from Barbados (NA-021) on 22-29 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as 8P9Z. QSL both calls via K4BAI. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9H Con, DF4SA will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest with a 9H3 call from Malta (EU-023) in the SOAB low power category. QSL via DF4SA (all QSOs will be confirmed automatically through the bureau).
- Jani, A52AP (9M6US/YB0US) and Charly, A52UD (K4VUD) have extended their planned stay in Bhutan [425DXN 497] to depart 12 December (instead of the 9th as previously announced). Any changes to the arrival date (1 December) will be due to airplane delays and because it snows in Bhutan, delays are possible. QSL A52AP via N2OO; QSL A52UD via K4VUD. [TNX K4VUD]
- C6 Dick, N4RP will be active as C6AKP from South Bimini (NA-048) between 17 and 29 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL to N4RP (R. Phelps, 2805 Casita Way Apt 115, Delray Beach, FL 33445-4574, USA). [TNX The Daily DX]
- C6 Ed, WA3WSJ will operate (on 10-160 metres QRP) as C6A/WA3WSJ from Abaco Island (NA-080), Bahamas on 21-28 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL direct to WA3WSJ. [TNX ORZ-DX]
- EA Look for Pepe, EA5KB to operate from Baldovi Island (DIEI V-015, not IOTA) on 18 November and from Penyeta del Moro (EU-151) on the 19th. This latter activity is planned to take place on 10 metres (+/-

- 28.460 MHz). [TNX EA5KB]
- JA Look for Yuki, JA6LCJ/6 to operate (SSB and CW) from the Tsushima Islands (AS-036) on 17-19 November. QSL via JA6LCJ and logs at <a href="http://www5.freeweb.ne.jp/computer/lcjterm/">http://www5.freeweb.ne.jp/computer/lcjterm/</a> [TNX JA6LCJ]
- J3 Dave, G3TBK is now back in the West Indies. Look for him to be signing J3/G3TBK from Grenada, V29TBK from Antigua, VP2MDC from Montserrat and maybe other calls from other locations. He works mainly CW and concentrates on the WARC bands. QSL direct to G0IAS or through the bureau to G3TBK. [TNX G0IAS]
- J7 Paul, K5AF and George, K5KG will operate as J75KG from Dominica (NA-101) on 18-27 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest (Multi-Single). [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH2 Guam Contest Club (gcc@seo.or.jp) members Aki/JI3ERV (NH2C), Toshi/JR7OMD (WI3O), Noz/JE8KKX and Aki/JP1OGL will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as AH2R (Multi-Single) from Guam (OC-026) QSL via JH7QXJ either direct or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JI3ERV]
- KP2 Operators from the OK DX Foundation (<a href="http://www.okdxf.cz">http://www.okdxf.cz</a>) will be active from St. Thomas, Virgin Islands (NA-106) between 20 November and 3 December. Much attention will be paid to 160, 80, 40 and 6 metres. During the CQ WW DX CW Contest they will operate as KP2/OK5DX. QSL to the OK DX Foundation (P.O.Box 73, 293 06 Kosmonosy, Czech Republic). [TNX OK1TN]
- OHO Jukka, OH6LI will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest from OH0V on 10 metres. QSL via OH6LI (Jukka Klemola, Aarontie 5, 31400 Somero, Finland). [TNX OH6LI]
- P2 Paul, K1XM and Charlotte, KQ1F will operate as P29VPY and P29VCR from Loloata Island, PNG (OC-???) between 21-22 and 27-28 November. Paul expects to enter the CQ WW DX CW Contest in the single operator all band low power category, maybe with a shorter contest call. Outside the contest, when not scuba diving, they should operate on SSB, WARC bands, and possibly RTTY. QSLs via KQ1F. IOTA chasers will note that Loloata now counts for the new unnumbered Papua New Guinea's Coastal Islands East group. [TNX K1XM]

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- TI Mike, K9NW will operate as TI5/K9NW (QSL via WW9DX) from Costa Rica on 21-28 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as TI5N (SOAB, QSL via TI5KD). [TNX The Daily DX]
- Rolf, SM5MX is currently based in Tokyo and will travel to Vietnam to revive his call XV9SW from 19 November to 2 December. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. He is now the only remaining XV station on CW, since only 3W calls are issued nowadays. QSL via SM3CXS. [TNX SM5MX]
- YB Kadek, YC9BU reports that YC9WZJ/p will operate from the new unnumbered Irian Jaya's Coastal Islands West group (OC-???) on 18-20

- November. Kadek himself will be signing YC9BU/p from another unnumbered group, Timor Barat's Coastal Islands (OC-???) between 28 November and 1 December. [TNX WA6GFE and Islands On The Web]
- ZD8 Jim, N6TJ will operate as ZD8Z from Ascension Island (AF-003) between 21 November and 9 December, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest (10 metres). QSL via VE3HO. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZK1\_sc Roger, W7VV will operate as ZK1VV from the South Cook Islands
   between 22 November and 3 December. He will participate in the CQ WW
   DX CW Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]

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HUNTING LIONS ---> The 30th annual Hunting Lions in the Air Contest will take place on 13-14 January. The contest is to commemorate the birth of Melvin Jones, the founder of Lionism, born on 13 January 1879. The rules can be downloaded from <a href="http://www.sarl.org.za/contests/lionita.htm">http://www.sarl.org.za/contests/lionita.htm</a> [TNX ZS5BBO]

KH6ND/KH5 ---> The Nature Conservancy's (TNC) acitivities on Palmyra have ceased for the winter and Mike Gibson, KH6ND has left Palmyra Atoll and returned to Honolulu after more than 25,000 QSOs on 10 bands and 3 modes. "Given the imminent change in ownership", Garry Shapiro (NI6T) says, "we do not know what operating opportunities will be available in the future. However, Mike and the Kingman Reef/Palmyra DX Group (KRPDXG) hope to be involved in future amateur activity from Palmyra". QSL via K4TSJ.

QSL 3B8GD ---> Mohammad, 3B8GD reports that too many direct cards sent to his POB were never delivered. With immediate effect, cards should be mailed direct to his address: Mohammad Iqbal Muttur, 69 Dr Ferriere Avenue, Stanley, Rose-Hill, Mauritius Island, Africa.

QSL FR/F6KDF/T ---> Gil, F5NOD reports that the cards are expected to arrive from the printer next week; the first batches of QSLs will be mailed during the second half of December. QSL via F6KDF (Radio Club de la Gendarmerie de Bron, 292 Route de Genas, Bron 69677, France).

QSL TA7I ---> As of 1 November the QSL manager for Ozkan, TA7I is IZ8AJQ. QSL direct only to Erminio Cioffi di Michele, Piazza Umberto I 16, 84036 Sala Consilina - SA, Italy. [TNX IZ8AJQ]

QSL ZV7G ---> If you still need a card for ZV7G (Santo Aleixo Island, SA-046, September 1999), you can send your request to Luke, PT7WA either direct or through the bureau. [TNX PT7WA]

QSL VIA RZ3AA ---> If you worked NP2KY/NH6 (Oahu, Hawaii) or NP2KY/KH5 (Palmyra), it was Roman, RZ3AA on his way to Kingman Reef. Cards should be sent direct only to Roman Thomas, P.O.Box 38, Moscow, 129642, Russia. [TNX RZ3AA]

ZL9CI ---> Ken, ZL2HU reports that "following the recent relocation of the Kermadec Dx Association we have discovered that we still have available a small number of commemmorative signed envelopes which have been postmarked in Wellington, New Zealand on 12 February 1999 and signed by all eleven members of the DXpedition Team". For furthe information please contact Ken at zl2hu@clear.net.nz

+ SILENT KEY + Mario, 5X1C became a Silent Key earlier this week. Mario joined UNWFP as telecommunications technician in the fast intervention team earlier this year. He was one of the first licensed 5X hams, mostly active in phone, satellite and digital modes. He was also the chairman for the Uganda Radio Amateur Society for a year.

+ SILENT KEY + Luciano, I5FLN reports the sad news of the passing, on 14 November, of Piero Moroni, I5TDJ, one of the most renown old timers in Italy. /EX

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CQWW CW: The NG3K "Announced Operation" table for this year's event can be found at <a href="http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqc2000.html">http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqc2000.html</a>. The operations may be viewed sorted by Call, DXCC Entity or CQ Zone. [TNX NG3K, Bill@ng3k.com]

QSO lookup for the K5K DXpedition to Kingman Reef is now available LOGS: at <a href="http://www.qsl.net/krpdxg/krlog.html">http://www.qsl.net/krpdxg/krlog.html</a> The team logged 80,841 QSOs (almost 16,000 QSOs, 20% of the total, with Europe) between 03.20 UTC on 22 October and 18.48 UTC on the 31st. If your qso is not the log or if there is a mistake on the band/mode, just send a note with your QSL card. The manager will be happy to manually check the logs for any discrepancies. [TNX NI6T]

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2E0APH	G3WRO	CL6BIA	N3ZOM	OK8YD	DL1YD
3B8/DL7DF	DL7DF	CO6XN	HK6DOS	OO4CLM	ON6HC

3V8ST	DL1BDF	CO8LY	EA7ADH	P29AM	NU50
3W1A	pirate	CO8ZZ	DK1WI	P43P	I2MQP
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	CP4BT	DL9OT	PJ2/DF8AN	DF8AN
3ZOLP	SP9PTA	CP6XE	IK6SNR	PJ2/PA0VDV	PA0VDV
4K9C	PA3EPG	CQ2K	CT1BWW	PV3DC	PY3AFE
4L1TH	F6FNU	CW10MPD	CX1UU	PW7Z	PY7BEL
4L1TL	F6FNU	D2BB	W3HNK	R1AND	DL5EBE
4L1UN	IK7JTF	D44AC	EA8URL	RI4M	RN4LP
4L7AR	F6FNU	D44CF	SM0JHF	RUOLM/O	UA0MF
4L70	DL7BY	EK6LV	IK2DUW	S07CRS	JA1UT
4M5I	IK6SNR	EM1KY	UT7UA	S07U	JA1UT
4S7WHG	G3SWH	EO6F	UX0FF	S21YJ	SM4AIO
4U1WB	KK4HD	EP2MKO	UA6HCW	S21YP	G3REP
4X6TT/PP5	N2AU	EP4PTT	RZ6LS	SM/DL5RFF	DL5RFF
5A/UY0MF	UX9MZ	ES9C	ES5RY	SN2000C	SP9PKZ
5B4/RA3DJA	RU3FM	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	SN600UJ	SP9PKZ
5N0NAS	K1WY	EY8MM	K1BV	SPOZCC	SP5ZCC
5R8FL	F5TBA	EY8TM	F6FNU	SP2000S	SP5ZCC
5T5U	JA1UT	FM/G3TXF	G3TXF	SU1ER	WA3HUP
5W0DW	K6BAZ	FM5WD	W3HNK	SU9ZZ	OM3TZZ
5X1AN	DK9LM	FO0DEH	ON4QM	SY2A	SV2ASP
5X1GS	WB2YQH	FO0DER	3D2AG	T32R	K4TSJ
5X1Z	SM6CAS	FO0POM	SP9FIH	T88QG	JA1QGT
6K2000DX	HL1XP	FY/DL5CF	DL5CF	T99ZZ	DL3BZZ
6Y5WJ	G0NAN	GC0EZQ	GW0KJZ	TG4/F6BFH	F6BFH
7Q7KZ	JA2LZF	GD4UOL	G4UOL	TG9IGI	I2MQP
8P9FX	G3RFX	GU4YWY	G4YWY	TS7N	DL6BCF
9A900Z	9A2DM	HF0POL	SP3WVL	TU5GD	N5FTR
9AY2K					
	9A1A	HK0EHM	WD9DZV	TZ6JA	JA3EMU
9G1AA	PA3ERA	HS0ZAR	K3ZO	UE9XAB	UA9XEN
9G100	PA3ERA	HV5PUL	IWODJB	UE9XAC	UA9XK
9G5EE	PE1LUC	HZ1AB	K8PYD	UK8LA	RW3RN
9G5FH	G4BWP	II3A	IV3RAV	UN7EG	DL8KAC
9G5MD	F5VCR	II7LE -	IK7DXP	V31YN	DJ4KW
9G5MD (AF-0		IQ7J	IK7JWX	V8PNA	N4PN
9G5MF	KC7V	IT9/KA2UWX	IT9CUP	VI2FFG	VK2FFG
9G5RF	GM3YTS	J3/W1AIM	W1AIM	VK6BRP	K3MLA
9G5SX	G3SXW	J79GU	DL7VOG	VK6DIR	VK6NE
9G5VT	K5VT	JK7TKE/JD1	JK7TKE	VK9LEH	AA4EH
9G5WP	PE1PFN	JW5RIA	LA5RIA	VP2EF	AC8G
9G5XA	G3XAQ	JW8VS	F4DBF	VP2EK	W8ILC
9K2/N6BFM	W8CNL	JW9XGA	LA9XGA	VP2EV	W8GEX
9K2LOW	9K2RA	K0DI/KP2	K0DI	VP8DBQ	M1AIB
9K2ZZ	W8CNL	K1HP/KH2	JE2EHP	VP8DBR	G0SWC
9K9Z	W8CNL	K5K	K4TSJ	VYOTA	VE2BQB
9M2/G3PMR	G3PMR	KH2/JH2ABL	JH2ABL	XQ0Y k	CD6WW (26-30.10.00)
9M6C	9M6BRC	KH2/JH2KDP	JH2KDP	XT2AW	DF2WO
9M6LJT	JM1LJS	KH2/JJ2MST	JJ2MST	YB7N	WB7B
9M6TA	N4PN	KH2/JL2WNA	JL2WNA	YI1DKS	IK2DUW
9N7NC	JA9CNC	KH2/JQ2PTN	JQ2PTN	YI9OM	OM6TX
9N7RB	W4FOA	KH2/JR1ERU	JR1ERU	YS2EJ	W4GJ
A35BQ	I6BQI	KH2F	JA2TBS	YU130Z	YU1AVQ
A35MO	OM2SA	KH4/NH6D	N6FF	Z31GB	NN6C
OI,10 CE7	OLIZON	MITA / IMITOD	TAOT. T.	721GD	TATAOC

A35TO	OM2SA	KH6ND/KH5	K4TSJ	Z35M	Z32KV	
A52B	JR7TEQ	KR6CZ/KH2	JA2VFW	ZB2CN	DJ9MH	
A52DX	JF1PJK	LO0D	F6FNU	ZK1AGL	KB5GL	
A52JA	JK1AFI	LO7H	LU7HN	ZK1BQI	I6BQI	
A52W	JH1NBN	LV5V	LU5VV	ZK1NDK	JR2KDN	
A52XX	JA1PCY	N600BFM	W8CNL	ZK1YRE	IT9YRE	
AB8EW/KH2	JH2SON	OD5IU	LX1NO	ZK2VF	W7TVF	
AH6PN/HR6	W7TSQ	OD5PN	LX1NO	ZL/DL7IO	DL7IO	
C6AFP	N4JQQ	OD5TE	K3IRV	ZL4IR	W8WC	
CE8/KD6WW	KD6WW	ZM8CW	ZL3CW	ZS6AL	W4SMG	
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