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 *** 4 2 5 D X N E W S ***
 **** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 3D2/R - Tony 3D2AG, Heye DJ9RR, Erno DK2AMM, Hans, DL6JGN and Ronald PA3EWP will be active as 3D2EU (callsign to be confirmed) from Rotuma (OC-060) from 23 February to 16 March 2018. Plans are to be QRV on 160-10 metres "all main modes". QSL via DK2AMM. More information is expected in due course. [TNX PA3EWP]
- 7X - A team from the Djelfa Amateur Radio Club (7X2VFK) and the Algerian Radio-Amateur Union will be active as 7Y7AI from Grand Cavallo Island (AF-104) between 3 and 10 October. QSL via 7X2DD. [TNX DX World]
- 4W - Roly, ZL1BQD is active as 4W6RR from Dili, Timor Leste (OC-148) until 10 October. He operates mainly FT8 and CW. QSL via ZL1BQD (direct), LoTW and eQSL. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 8Q - John, MM0VEG will be active as 8Q7BI from the Maldives (AS-013) on 7-16 October. He will operate SSB "if conditions are good, or PSK31 if they are poor" exclusively on 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW; logsearch on Club Log.
- A5 - A5A will be activated again from 29 September to 8 October by Zorro JH1AJT, Kasu VR2KF and Champ E21EIC. The main purpose of this trip is to support the launch of the Paralympic Committee with the Bhutan Olympic Committee. Activity will be on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via JH1AJT; logsearch and OQRS on Club Log.
- BY - Nicola, I0SNY will be active on the HF bands as BY1DX/I0SNY on 4-18 October. QSL via IZ3KVD (direct) or 9A5URI (bureau).
- E5_sc - Steve, KL7SB will be active as E51RAT from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 5-12 October, including participation in the Oceania DX SSB Contest. QSL via NI5DX (direct). [TNX The Daily DX]
- FR - Gust, ON6KE will be active holiday style as FR/ON6KE from Reunion Island (AF-016) from 29 September to 10 October. He will run 5-10 watts and operate FT8, JT65 and CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via LoTW, Club Log or eQSL.
- H40 - Stan, LZ1GC will be active again as H40GC from Nendo (OC-100), Temotu Province [425DXN 1343] from 30 September to 20 October. He will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 160-10 metres, with a focus on 160, 80, 40, 60 and 30m. QSL via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), home call (direct or bureau) and LoTW. See <http://www.c21gc.com/> for more information.
- JA - 8N3TA/5 will be QRV from Shodo (AS-200) from 29 September until around 00.00 UTC on 2 October. Expect activity on 80-6 metres mainly SSB and CW. QSL preferably via Club Log. [TNX JI3DST]
- S9 - Jorge, CT1BOL will be active as S9CT from Ilheu das Rolas (AF-023), Sao Tome from 30 September to 6 October. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW or home call. [TNX DX World]
- S9 - Rocco DG5AA, Rich DK8YY, Hans DL1AOB, Dieter DL1AWD and Lu DL8ALU will be active again as S9YY from Sao Tome (AF-023) on 1-12

October. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, maybe also on 60m. QSL via DH7WW, direct or bureau; OQRS on Club Log. [TNX DH7WW]

- T32 - Ken, KH6QJ will be active again as T32AZ from Kiritimati (Christmas Island, OC-024), East Kiribati on 5-10 October, including an entry in the Oceania DX SSB Contest. QSL via KH6QJ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XV - Leo, F5TMJ will be active as XV9JM from Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam starting on 1 October. Initially activity will be sporadic. RTTY and CW are his preferred modes. [TNX DX World]

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Access to the main functions of www.425dxn.org is provided by the 425DXN App for Android. It is available on Google Play - free of charge, no ads. Enjoy!

IOTA ---> Craig, VK5CE reports that all of his past IOTA operations (over 35,000 QSOs) are now available for Club Log Matching on the IOTA website (<https://iota-world.org/>). In chronological order they are:

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|----------|--------|---------------|---------|--------|-----------------------|
| VK4LDX/p | OC-172 | October 2010 | VK5CE/8 | OC-173 | August 2014 |
| VK4LDX/p | OC-171 | December 2010 | VK5CE/p | OC-220 | March-April 2015 |
| VK4LDX/p | OC-138 | March 2011 | VK5CE/6 | OC-243 | February-March 2016 |
| VK4LDX/p | OC-171 | April 2011 | VK5CE/p | OC-228 | 2016-2017 |
| VK8BI | OC-185 | April 2012 | VK5CE/3 | OC-196 | January-February 2017 |
| VK5CE/p | OC-261 | August 2013 | VK5CE/7 | OC-233 | April 2017 |
| VK5CE/4 | OC-255 | October 2013 | | | |

RI1F ---> The RI1F team [425DXN 1377] left Murmansk on the sailing vessel "Rusarc Aurora" around 20 UTC on 28 September, destination Viktoriya Island (EU-190). You can follow their voyage at https://aprs.fi/info/?call=RI1F*.

R71RRC ---> A 25-minute video of the R71RRC IOTA DXpedition to Arakamchechen Island (AS-071. April 2017) is now available on YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MgYqGSvAbPQ>

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| 3G1D | XQ1FM | EG8WTD | EA8URE | PX2V | PY2KJ |
| 3G3AA | CE3AA | EH5CID | EA5IIB | R100P | RZ4AWB |
| 3G3O | CE3OP | EM1110U | US7JU | R100YP | RA1TL |
| 3V8CB | LX1NO | EP2C | EA5GL | R460KB | UA6XT |

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| 3V8TD | HB9FSA | EP4HR | I2MQP | R80ORL | R2EA |
| 3W3B | E21EIC | FP/G7VJR | M0OXO | RA44AZ | UA4CGR |
| 4K6N | RW6HS | HC5DX | W3HNK | RD0L/0 | RV3ANZ |
| 4L4ZA | DJ1CW | HF12FOG | SP9MOA | RI0ZF | R7KF |
| 4O7TC | UA3TCJ | HF27PLI | SQ8W | RI1ANO | RN1ON |
| 4U1A | UA3DX | HF35MK | SP7PL | RU80TO | UA3RF |
| 4W6RR | ZL1BQD | HF9M | SQ9UM | RW0LZ/p | RW0LZ |
| 5B/G4MKP | M0URX | HG14HST | HA2NA | RW44FF | RZ3LC |
| 5R8AL | G3SWH | HG150MONAR | HA0BW | SC40VIC | SM6JSM |
| 5T5OK | OK6DJ | HH2AA | NR6M | SN10SSR | SP7SSR |
| 5W0RA | K7AR | HL05NWPf | HL5FXP | SN30PSM | SP3PSM |
| 7Q7WW | KC4D | HP3SS | AC2OV | SU9JG | EA5GL |
| 8J1RL | 8J1RL [b] | HZ87ND | HZ1HN | T88DI | JJ1DGV |
| 8J1RL | JG2MLI [d] | II1ENG | I1ANP | T88XA | JA3KIO |
| 8J60JARE | 8J60JARE [b] | II3ENI | IQ3MP | TM150ST | F8KHG |
| 8J60JARE | JG2MLI [d] | II9ENG | IT9MRM | TM30KIS | F8KIS |
| 8P2K | KU9C | IO3ENG | IQ3VO | TM3Z | F4DSK |
| 8P50B | KU9C | JD1BON | JA1UII | TY2AC | IZ1BZV |
| 9H3I | SP9PX | KC4AAA | K1IED | TY2BP | IK2IQD |
| 9H3QQ | SP9PX | KH0XG | JL1RXW | TZ4AM | W0SA |
| 9H3XN | G4XGN | KH2L | W3HNK | TZ5XR | F5MXH |
| 9M4IOTA | 9M2000 | KH6ZM | I0MWI | UA4RX/1 | UA2FM |
| 9M4RM | 9W2XIO | LX7I | LX2A | UE800 | R2EA |
| 9N7GE | OE3GEA | LZ105PBP | LZ1ZF | UE800L | R5EO |
| 9Q6BB | W3HNK | LZ73TRC | LZ1YE | V26K | AA3B |
| A25SP | R2AD | MU/ON4ANN | M0URX | V31MA | M0OXO |
| A35W | JJ2VLY | OD5ZF | IZ8CLM | V31RJ | VE6RAJ |
| A44A | A47RS | OE6FLORIAN | OE6WIG | V31VP | WB0TEV |
| A60ARS | A61BK | OE6YHOTA | OE6SWG | V31YB | N4GNR |
| A91ARS | A92AA | OF100FI/0 | OH2BAD | V51DM | N4GNR |
| AH0J | JA1NVF | OH0JWL | DK2DO [CW] | V63FKR | JR1FKR |
| AP2NK | W3HNK | OH0JWL | DL5FF [RTTY] | V63MLO | JH1MLO |
| AT3T | VU2PTT | OH0Z | W0MM | V73NS | W3HNK |
| AT7M | VU3NPI | OH8X | OH2UA | VI4SC50 | VK4WIS |
| C37NL | C37URA | OM50SPSEKE | OM8AND | W4TMO/VE2 | N4CW |
| CN2VR | HB9CQL | OP70BFS | ON2KFJ | XT2AW | M0OXO |
| CP4BT | DJ2BW | OQ800SINT/p | ON5JE | XV3AA | JF1HJZ |
| CR3A | EA5GL | OX3LX | OZ0J | XW1IC | E21EIC |
| CR5V | M0OXO | OZ0NAVY | DF5LW | YT800YU | YU1MM |
| CR6T | CT1ESV | P40M | KB8KB | Z21MH | IZ0EGA |
| CV7S | CX7SS | P40N | K8JH | Z81D | OM3JW |
| CW4MAX | EA5GL | PA6STAR | PC7A | ZB2TT | M0URX |
| DU3LA | W3HNK | PE44FF | PH0NO | ZF1A | K6AM |
| EF9R | EA5KB | PJ2DD | PF4T | ZF2CT | W6TCP |
| EG1ESA | DL0ESA | PJ4/MW0JZE | M0OXO | ZP6ARO | IK2DUW |

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