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- 3A - Look for 3A/IK1SLP and 3A/IK1YLL to be active (on CW, SSB and RTTY) from Monaco between 1 and 5 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK1SLP]
- 3D2 - Joe, W8GEX will be active (40-6 metres) from Fiji (OC-016) between 5 and 9 July. QSL via W8GEX (Joe Pater, 1894 Old Oxford Rd., Hamilton, OH 45013, USA). [TNX W8GEX and Islands On The Web]
- 3D2 - Uruguay DX Group members Bert, CX3AN and Mario, CX4CR will be active (on 160-6 metres SSB and CW, with an emphasis on the low bands, calls to be announced upon arrival) from Viti Levu (OC-016), Fiji between 19 and 23 August. [TNX CX3AN]
- 3V - Fabio, I4UFH will be active from 3V8BB between 8 and 11 July, IARU HF World Championship (Single Operator SSB) included. He will put an emphasis on the low bands and on 10 metres for USA and Asia. Outside the contest he will concentrate on the WRAC bands and 2 metres (depending on antenna availability). QSL via I4UFH either direct or through the bureau (please note that Fabio can confirm also contacts made on 7 January 1999). [TNX I4UFH]
- 3W - The 3W6EZD/p activity from Hon Tam Islands (Mien Trung South group, AS-???) started as scheduled on 16 June [425DXN 423], but was quickly cut short when the local military forced the operators (Hiroo/3W6EZD, Bac Ai/3W6AR, Quang/3W6LI and Hoang/3W6KA) to go QRT. After trying unsuccessfully to obtain permission to operate from the island, on 18 June they returned to Saigon, from where Hiroo operated as XV300S. [TNX G3KMA]
- A3 - Joe, W8GEX will be active (40-6 metres) from Tonga (OC-035) between 10 and 17 July. QSL via W8GEX (Joe Pater, 1894 Old Oxford Rd., Hamilton, OH 45013, USA). [TNX W8GEX and Islands On The Web]
- A9 - David, A92GE (Honorary Secretary of the Amateur Radio Association of Bahrain) reports that A9/ON4CFI [425DXN 424] "is an unauthorised pirate operation" which might jeopardize "amateur radio operation for everyone here in Bahrain. There is no authorised guest licence here or reciprocal licence arrangements. Therefore any call of the type A9/\*\*\*\*\* is illegal". The Amateur Radio Association of Bahrain is on the Internet at <http://members.tripod.com/~A92C/>

- C2 - Jack, VK2GJH will be active (6-80 metres) as C21JH from Nauru (OC-031) between 27 June and 8 July, and again between 20 and 27 July. QSL direct only to VK2GJH (Jack Haden, Box 299, Ryde, NSW 2112, Australia). [TNX QRZ-DX]
- C6 - Steve, N4JQQ will be active as C6AFP from Treasure Cay, Abaco (NA-080) between 2 and 17 July. QSL via N4JQQ. [TNX DX News Sheet]
- C6 - Delano, C6AFV will be active (SSB and CW) as C6GI from Great Inagua (NA-113), South Bahamas between 8 and 12 July. QSL direct only to C6AFV. [TNX C6AFV].
- CE0\_ei - Hal, JL6MSN will be active (on 15 and 20 metres SSB) as CE0Y/JL6MSN from Easter Island (SA-001) on 7-8 July. QSL via JL6MSN (Haruo Araki, 4-4-14-402 Nishihonmachi, Yahatahigashi Kitakyushu, 805-0061 Japan). [TNX JL6MSN]
- ER - Look for ER7A to be active on 9-11 July and in the IARU HF World Championship. QSL via ER1DA (Valery Metaxa, P.O. Box 9537, Kishinev, MD-2071, Moldova). [TNX ER1CW]
- F - Marc, ON5FP and Kristof, ON6NN will be active as TM1OTA during their 21 July-4 August activity from EU-032 and other DIFM islands [425DXN 421]. QSL via ON4ADN either direct (Geert Decru, St Laurentiusstraat 18, 8710 Wielsbeke, Belgium) or through the bureau. [TNX ON5FP]
- FK - Jacques, F6BUM will be active (SSB and CW) as FK/F6BUM from New Caledonia as follows: from the main island (OC-032, DIFO FK-001) on 9-21 August, from Ouvea (OC-033, FK-018) on 22-24 August, from Lifou (OC-033, FK-012) on 25-30 August, from Mare (OC-033, FK-013) on 31 August-2 September and from Les Pins (OC-032, FK-020) on 3-5 September. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- FO - Hal, JL6MSN will be active (on all bands, WARC included) as FO0MSN from Moorea (OC-046), French Polynesia between 9 and 18 July. QSL via JL6MSN (Haruo Araki, 4-4-14-402 Nishihonmachi, Yahatahigashi Kitakyushu, 805-0061 Japan). [TNX JL6MSN]
- FO - Uruguay DX Group members Bert, CX3AN and Mario, CX4CR will be active (on 160-6 metres SSB and CW, with an emphasis on the low bands, calls to be announced upon arrival) from Moorea (OC-046), French Polynesia between 5 and 7 August. [TNX CX3AN]

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- GM - Jim, GM0NAI and Drew, GM3YOR will be operating CW only as 2A0APF/p and 2S0GNK/p from several islands in the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) between 10 and 16 July. They hope to be active from Lewis/Harris (IOSA OH-1), North Uist (OH-2), South Uist (OH-3), Benbecula (OH-4), Berneray (OH-5), Vatersay (OH-7), Eriskay (OH-9), Barra (OH-11), Great Bernera (OH-12), Scalpay (OH-25), Baleshare (OH-26), Grimsay (OH-27) and Vallay (OH-28). There will be some simultaneous operations from two islands and also some island changes in the same day to fulfill this schedule. QSL for both calls via MM1AUF (Kai McClintock, 13 St Andrews Drive, Gourrock, PA19 1HY, Scotland, UK).

[TNX GM3YOR]

- HB0 - Andrea, DL3ABL and Michael, DL6MHW will be active (mainly on WARC) from Liechtenstein between 26 June and 3 July. QSL via DL3ABL (Andrea Diekmann, Ginsterweg 51, 39326 Wolmirstedt, Germany). [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- I - Gerry, IZ8ANA is active as ID9/IZ8ANA from Stromboli (EU-017, IIA ME-016) until 28 June. He plans to operate as IZ8ANA/IT9 from Scoglio Pollara (EU-017, IIA ME-019) on 26 June, and from Scoglio Montenassarai (EU-017, ME-005) and La Canna (EU-017, IIA ME-004) on the 27th. QSL via home call. [TNX IZ8ANA]
- I - Look for Stefano, IK3ABY/p to be active from some islands in the Venice Lagoon (EU-131) during the weekend.
- J8 - Mike, G0GPX is active (on all bands SSB) until 2001 as J87AB from St. Vincent (NA-025). QSL direct to Mike Wise, Canouan Island PO, St. Vincent, Windward Islands. [TNX DX News Sheet]
- JT - Look for JT1FAJ (JA0HC), JT1FAK (JR0CGJ), JT1FAL (JA0IXW), JT1xxx (JR0BQT) and JT1xxx (JA0EJ) to be active (on 160-6 metres, SSB and CW) from Mongolia between 2 and 6 July. QSL via home calls. [TNX JA1ELY]
- KH3 - Rich, W5RXP will be returning to Johnston Atoll (OC-023) on 26 June. Look for W5RXP/KH3 to be active until 1 July on 15 and 20 metres with 100 watts and a yagi antenna. QSL via W5RXP. [TNX DX News Sheet]
- KH6 - YL operator Debby, N7FL will be active (10-160 metres SSB) as N7FL/KH6 from Hawaii (OC-019) between 30 June and 12 July. She will participate in the IARU HF World Championship. QSL via N7FL. [TNX The Daily DX]
- LX - Look for LX0RL to participate in the IARU HF World Championship (10-11 July) from the HQ of the Luxembourg national society at Eisenborn. QSL via bureau. [TNX LX1KQ]
- LY - Special station LY99RMD will be active between 1 and 25 July for the LY Hamfest in Klaipeda. QSL via LY3BE (Eugene Vaisman, P.O. Box 70, Klaipeda 5800, Lithuania). [TNX LY3BE]
- OA - Cesar, OA4QV will be active as OA178QV through July. The special prefix is to celebrate the 178th anniversary of the independence of Peru. QSL via home call. [TNX OA4QV]
- OJ0 - OH0RJ, LA0CX, LA1SJA and LA3KIA will be OJ0/ from Market Reef (EU-053) between 2 and 5 July. Plans are to operate on 6-160 metres mostly CW, with priority to 12 metres, with two stations. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- LA/SM - Gabriele, IK3GES will be touring Norway in July and might operate from EU-046, 033, 076, 062 and possibly other IOTA groups in that country. He also plans to stop on the Swedish island of Oland (EU-037), from where he should participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX IK3GES]
- PZ - Bob, K3BYV expects to be active as PZ5JR from Suriname until at least December. QSL via K3BYV. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SM - Look for SM1/DL5ME (on 10-80 metres, WARC excluded, mainly SSB) and SM1/DG3HWO (on VHF) to be active from Gotland Island (EU-020) between 1 and 6 July. QSL via the DARC bureau or direct to P.O. Box 9, 39028 Magdeburg, Germany. [TNX DL5ME]
- SV - Roberto, IK7XIV will be active as SV8/IK7XIV from the islands of Lefkada (EU-052) and Kithira (EU-113) between 20 July and 4 August.

- He will participate in the IOTA Contest (Single Operator Limited CW), probably from EU-052. Before and after the contest he will be active mostly on CW (10-30 metres). QSL via home call. [TNX IK7XIV]
- T30 - Jack, VK2GJH will be active (6-80 metres) as T30JH from Tarawa, West Kiribati (OC-17) between 8 and 20 July. QSL direct only to VK2GJH (Jack Haden, Box 299, Ryde, NSW 2112, Australia). [TNX QRZ-DX]
- TL - The TL8CG who is currently active (mainly on 15 metres SSB, QSL via IK1APO: Giovanni Calafato, Via Burlando 12/7, 16136 Genova - GE, Italy) from Central Africa is not the same TL8CG who operated in April (QSL via IZ1CQD: Gianni Caretto, Via Angioira 42, 10070 Coassolo - TO, Italy). [TNX IZ1CQD]
- UA - Nick, RA1QQ and Vlad, UA1RG plan to be active as RA1QQ/1 and UA1RG/1 from the Gulyayevskiye Koshki Islands (EU-102). Operations are expected to start "after 20th of July" and will include the participation in the IOTA Contest as RI1OTA. QSL RA1QQ/1 and RI1OTA via RA1QQ (Nick A. Smerdov, P.O.Box 24, Cherepovets, 162627, Russia), QSL UA1RG/1 via UA1RJ (Yuri Sinitso, P.O.Box 10, Vologda, 160035, Russia). [TNX RA1QHJ]

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- VE - Ivan/VE3DO [425DXN 421], Ralph/VE3LBZ and John/VE3VGI are expected to be active as VY00 from Grass Island (NA-173) in James Bay, Nunavut Land until 1 July. QSL direct only to VE3DO (P.O. Box 146, Toronto, ON, Canada M6H 4E1). [TNX VE3VGI]
- VE - Loos DX Gang members Didier, F5NZO and Eric, F5SSM will be touring Quebec between 4 and 22 August. They will be active (on 10-40 metres SSB with 100 watts and a vertical )as VE2/home call from La Madeleine Islands (NA-038) on 11-14 August; they also plan to operate as VY2/home call Prince Edward Island (NA-029) on 9 August and from other C.I.S.A. islands as well. QSL via home calls. [TNX F5NZO]
- VK - Mal, VK6LC reports that Bob, VK8BB is resident for a while on Elcho Island (OC-185). For the time being he only operates with 20 watts, a battery and a dipole, but he says he will try to improve his set up. QSL direct to Bob Beacham, Elcho Island, via Darwin, 0822 Northern Territory, Australia
- VP8\_so - VP8SO is currently active from UK Antarctic base Signy on Signy Island, South Orkney Islands (AN-008).
- VP9 - Ed, N0ED will be active as VP9/N0ED from Bermuda (NA-005) between 15 and 25 July, IOTA Contest included. He will operate CW only, on WARC bands and 160 metres (QRN permitting) before the contest. QSL via home call. [TNX N0ED]
- W - Nate, N8WNB will be on Assateague Island (NA-139) during the week of 4 July. He plans to be active on or around 14.260 MHz and maybe on 28.460 MHz as well. [TNX N8WNB and Islands On The Web]
- XU - Hiroo, JA2EZD, who has been active as XU2A from the mainland, will

operate as XUX0 from AS-133 [425DXN 424] on 26 and 27 June. QSL XU2A and XUX0 via 7L1MFS (Yoh Yoshida, 4-4-1 Arakawa, 116-0002 Japan). [TNX DX News Sheet]

- YB - Sanji, HA7VK, a diplomat at the Hungarian Embassy in Jakarta, has been granted permission by the Indonesian licencing authorities to operate as YB0AVK. This approval is part of an agreement between the two countries allowing their radio amateurs to operate on a reciprocal basis. [TNX YC0LOW]
- YV - K2KW, N6TV and K6KM will participate in the IARU HF World Championship (10-11 July) as 4M1X (Multi-Single, 10-80 metres CW and SSB) from Venezuela. Beginning July 6, look for activity from YV1/homecall. QSL 4M1X via W4SO (mail drop), QSL YV1/K2KW via WA4WTG, QSL YV1/N6TV and YV1/K6KM via homecalls. [TNX K2KW]
- YV - This year the annual operation to celebrate the Venezuelan Navy Day will take place between 29 July and 1 August from Coche Island (SA-012). Operators from the Asociacion de Radioaficionados de Venezuela and the Grupo DX Caracas will be active as YW7C on SSB and CW. QSL via W4SO. [TNX K1XN and The Golist]
- ZK1 - Uruguay DX Group members Bert, CX3AN and Mario, CX4CR will be active (on 160-6 metres SSB and CW, with an emphasis on the low bands, calls to be announced upon arrival) from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands between 7 and 17 August. Depending on transportation, they might also operate from Manihiki (OC 014), North Cook Islands between 17 and 19 August. [TNX CX3AN]
- ZL - Uruguay DX Group members Bert, CX3AN and Mario, CX4CR might be active from Auckland (OC-036), New Zealand between 23 and 25 August. [TNX CX3AN]
- ZP - Special event station ZP99CA will be active on all modes and all bands between 00.00 UTC on 29 June and 24.00 UTC on 18 July to celebrate the 1999 Football (soccer) America Cup. QSL to Agrupacion de Radio Aficionados del Interior, Casilla de Correos 22065, San Lorenzo, Paraguay. [TNX ZP6AR]

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<<< RSGB IOTA CONTEST (24-25 JULY) >>>

The following stations are expected to participate in this year's event [see also 425DXN 401, 405, 409, 411, 413, 417, 419]:

- EU-008 - Cockenzie & Port Seton ARC as 2A0CCC/p (callsign confirmed) from the Isle of Tiree [425DXN 419]. QSL via GM0ALS. [TNX GM0CLN]
- EU-008 - GM4FDM, GM0UKZ, GM0NAI, GM4YMA, GM3NIG, 2M1EDM and GM3COB as 2S5VG/p from Gigha Island. QSL via GM3UTQ. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- EU-065 - UBA Section Golden Spur KTK (Kortrijk) from Ouessant island as TM5K (call confirmed) [425DXN 423]. QSL via ON4ON either direct (Danny Commeyne, Rozenlaan 38, 8890 Dadizele, Belgium) or through the bureau. [TNX ON9CGB]
- EU-094 - F5LMJ, G0LMX/F5MBO and F6GIN as TM5G from the Glenan Islands. They will be active (mostly on CW) between 23 and 26 July. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- EU-116 - Ivan, G3IZD as GD3IZD/p from the Isle of Man. QSL via G3IZD. [TNX DX News Sheet]
- EU-129 - DL8KWS (Frank), DL5KUD (Jo) and DL3KUD (Matt) as DL0HRO from Usedom

Island. They will be active before the contest. QSL via DL3KUD, Matthias Labude, Margaretenstr.10, 18057 Rostock, Germany. [TNX The Daily DX]

NA-018 - Fred, ON6QR as OX3NUK (or with a special callsign) from Nuuk, the capital city of Greenland. Look for him on the five bands CW and SSB. Operations will start on 23 July. QSL via ON4GO. For further information visit <http://www.ping.be/on6qr> [TNX ON6QR]

NA-083 - Stan, N2US as N2US/p from Chincoteague Island. [TNX N2US]

NA-106 - The EJ1D team [425DXN 423] as WP2Z from St. Croix, Virgin Islands. QSL via KU9C.

NA-127 - John, VE1JS from Brier Island (C.IS.A. NS-011) on all bands SSB, Single Operator, 24 hours. QSL via VE1JS either direct (1999 CBA only) or through the bureau. [TNX VE1JS]

NA-139 - Brian, N3OC as N3OC/p from Assateague Island. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

NA-169 - N6HR (Hillar), N6VV (Lew) and possibly others as W7W from Waadah Island. Plans are to be active before, during and after the Contest, indicatively between 22 and 27 July. [TNX The Daily DX]

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>>> FIRST TRANSATLANTIC 2M CONTACT <<<

Beginning on 26 June and continuing until 4 July, two groups of amateurs will attempt to make the first transatlantic 2-way contact on 144 MHz and win the Brendan Trophies (<http://www.irts.ie/brendan.htm>). The group in Scotland (led by Bill Ward, GM0ICF) will be signing 2S0ICF/p from the lighthouse at Ardnamurchan Point, while the group in Canada (led by Paul Piercey, VO1HE) will be signing VO1AA from Cabot Tower, the site where Marconi received the first transatlantic signal in 1901. They will operate on +/- 144.075 MHz at 15-18 wpm CW. One station will call the other for a 15 minute period then, if no contact is made, the other station will call for 15 minutes. All on-air operations will be recorded electronically. Operating times will be between 12.00 and 20.00 UTC daily for the entire period, but most likely not the entire 8 hours per day. "We encourage stations on both sides of the Atlantic to join us in this attempt", Paul (VO1HE) says, "either to make contact with us or give us propagation reports". You can send your reports to Paul at volhe@rac.ca [TNX VO1HE]

3V8DJ ---> Giovanni, I5JHW reports some 5550 QSOs on SSB, 750 on CW and 110 on RTTY were logged in 33 hours from Jerba island (AF-083/p). Some bureaucratic problems prevented the operators from starting the activity before 17 (local time) on 19 June. Eventually they were allowed to operate on 40, 20 and 15 metres with 100 watts from the Centre de Stage et Formation Continue located on Jerba. QSL via I5JHW either direct (Giovanni Bini, Via Santini 30, 51031 Agliana - PT, Italy) or through the bureau.

BA4DW ---> This is David's (aka BD4DW, BG4DW, BZ4DJW) new callsign. QSL to David Y. J. Zhou, P.O. Box 040-088, Shanghai, 200040, China.

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO ---> Patrick E. Crepelliere (F6BLQ), by mandate and on behalf of Cyprien Kahundira Vagheni (President of A.R.A.C.), reports the Amateur Radio National Society of the Democratic Republic of Congo (ARAC) has been officially recognized by the local Ministry of PTT. The Society's address is ARAC, P.O. Box 1459, Kinshasa 1, Democratic Republic of Congo (fax 00 1916 314 8601). ARAC is applying for the callsign 9Q0AR, and 18 individual 9Q1 (Kinshasa) licence applications are presently being submitted to the licencing authority. ARAC is now taking all necessary steps with IARU Region 1. For further information, please contact Patrick at Mobile.Crepelliere@vm.trimail.com

HAM FAIR 1999 ---> Japan's largest amateur radio convention will be held on 20-22 August in Yokohama. Further information is available at [http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4\\_Library/A-4-6\\_ham-fair/ham-fair.htm](http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-6_ham-fair/ham-fair.htm)

IREF ---> Bob Nadolny, WB2YQH (the editor of The 599 Report) has been selected as Secretary for the Island Radio Expedition Foundation, Inc. IREF was founded to raise funds in support of amateur radio expeditions to rare and new islands qualifying for the IOTA award. The Foundation has begun accepting donations and more information can be found at [www.sat.net/~iref](http://www.sat.net/~iref) [TNX AD5A]

MARCONI MEMORIAL CONTEST ---> Full information on this WW CW only contest, which will take place from 14 UTC on 26 June and 14 UTC on the 27th, is available at [www.qsl.net/ik6ptj/marconi.htm](http://www.qsl.net/ik6ptj/marconi.htm) [TNX IK6PTJ]

OPERATORS NEEDED ---> "Operation Double Trouble" [425DXN 419] to Central Kiribati (T31, OC-043, 23 September-3 October) and Tokelau (ZK3, OC-048, 7-12 October) still needs one or two skilful operators. Suitable candidates must be able to handle SSB and CW (RTTY a plus) pile-ups and be available for about six weeks. Participants fee is \$1500 (\*not\* including tickets, accommodation etc before and after the DXpedition). If you are seriously interested in joining the team, please send detailed list of your qualifications to the organizer, Mats 5X1Z/SM7PKK at [home.mats.persson@wfp.or.ug](mailto:home.mats.persson@wfp.or.ug) [TNX SM6CAS, nils.sm6cas@swipnet.se]

QSL 9N7RW & SV1/G4ERW ---> The \*new\* QSL manager for both these operations is Roger Quaintance, G0DIZ. The logs are being passed to him and he will sent all direct and bureau cards as soon as possible. Roger is available to manage other expeditions and individuals, please contact him at [g0diz@qsl.net](mailto:g0diz@qsl.net) [TNX G0DIZ]

QSL OD5NJ ---> Gaby, OD5NJ [425DXN 420] reports bureau cards are OK, but as each QSL costs 0.10 US\$, he is still sending out cards for contacts made in 1994. "Please be patient", he says, "and give me time".

QSL PT2HO ---> Cards should be sent either direct to PT2HO (Guto, P.O.Box 07903, Brasilia - DF, 70649-970 Brazil) or through the bureau via PY1CAS. [TNX PY1KS]

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QSL VIA VK2GJH ---> Jack reports the following logs are closed after five years: 5W1JH, A35JH, A92JH, C21NI, FO0JH, H44JH, KC6JH (Yap), KX6JH (Majuro), T20JH, V63JH (Pohnpei) and VK8JH. [TNX QRZ-DX]

QSL VQ9CV ---> Cards should be sent to the operator's home call (ND1V). Please note once more [425DXN 417] that his current address is: Rob Wright, 1409 Eaglestone Arch, Chesapeake, VA 23322, USA (CBA is not good any longer). [TNX VQ9CV]

SEANET CONTEST 1999 ---> The CW and SSB events will be held on 17-19 July and 21-22 August respectively. The contest Manager is 9M2FK (Eshee Razak, P.O. Box 13, 10700 Penang, Malaysia). For further information please visit <http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Hollow/4283/seanet.html> [TNX V85GA]

SEANET CONVENTION 1999 ---> For the first time the Convention will be held in Brunei Darussalam (V8), between 19 and 21 November. For more details please visit <http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Hollow/4283/seanet.html> or contact Haji Hassan, V85HG (v8hg@brunet.bn) or Gary Woods, V8GTW (gwoods@brunet.bn) or Gerald Ashcroft, V85GA (Gerald@brunet.bn). [TNX V85GA]

SOMALILAND ---> Tomo, JE9IKG [425DXN 424] is now using 600A. He expects to be active until 29 June. QSL via home call.

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DIFO: The latest DIFO challenge results are available at <http://perso.easynet.fr/~f5nod/difoclass.html> [TNX F5NOD]  
LOGS (CY9): The logs for the June CY9SS St. Paul Island DXpedition are now at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs> [TNX N6RT]  
RCKRtty: The new version RCKRtty V1.30 is now available with full contest support. The programme can be downloaded from <http://home.t-online.de/home/dl4rck/> [TNX DL4RCK]  
THE DAILY DX: The Daily DX Search Engine is at <http://www.dailydx.com/search.html>

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QSL received via direct: 1A0KM (IK0FVC), 3A/K8PYD, 3B9FR, 3D2DK, 4L1BR, 4L4MM, 4U1UN, 5A21PA, 5T5U, 5Z4LI (G3SWH), 6Y5/PA3ERC, 6Y5/PA3EWP, 7X4AN, 8P9JA (K4MA), 8Q7DV, 9A1CZZ/P (EU-110), 9G5VJ, A35RK (W7TSQ), BA1CO (W3HC),

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