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- Look for IOCUT, IOHCJ, IOJBL, IKOFTA, IKOFVC and IKOPRG to be active (on all modes 80 metres-70 centimetres) as 1AOKM from the Sovereign Military Order of Malta between 14 and 23 July. Logs will be available at <u>http://www.sixitalia.org/laOkm</u> QSL via IKOFVC (Francesco Valsecchi, Via Bitossi 21, 00136 Roma - RM, Italy). [TNX IKOFTA]
- 3W Hiroo (3W2EZD/JA2EZD) has been active with his new call (3W2B) since 5 July. He plans to go to Danang City (central Vietnam) on 7 July and may set up a new station with a 3W3 prefix, possibly 3W3A. There is a "strong possibility" that he will then go to Hon Tam Island (AS-???) and operate as 3W2B/HT. QSL via XW2A (P.O. Box 2659, Vientiane, Laos). [TNX The Daily DX]
- 4L Look for 4L50, 4L4KW, 4L1R, 4L4BR, 4L1DX to be signing 4L0DXP between 15 and 28 (possibly 31) July. They will operate from WWL LN11CP. QSL via K1WY DX Association (P.O. Box 2644, Hartford, CT 06146-2644, USA or P.O. Box 90, Eeklo 9900, Belgium). [TNX K1WY]
- 4W Antonio, 4W6GH is expected to be signing 4W6GH/p from Atauro Island (East Timor's Coastal Islands, OC-232) [425DXN 478] during the weekend. Operations started on 7 July. QSL via CT1EGH (Antonio Alberto Lopes Pereira, R Guerra Junqueiro 25-A, Vale de Milha, Corroios 2855, Portugal). [TNX CT1EEB]
- 4X Special event station 4X85EUK will be active during the 85th Esperant World Congress which will be held in Tel Aviv between 24 July and 1 August. The station will be operated by members of ILERA (International League of Radioamateurs Esperantists) on 7066, 14266, 21266 and 28766 kHz. [TNX PY3DF]
- A3 Andy, G4PIQ is active as A35IQ from Tongatapu (OC-049), Tonga for two or three weeks. He operates in his free time and he might be active from Vava'u (OC-064) as well. QSL via G4PIQ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- DL Peter, DL4FCH will be active as DL4FCH/p from Pellworm Island (EU-042, N-23 for the German Islands Award) between 15 and 28 July. Look for him on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres mostly CW. Further information and logs at <u>http://www.niksch.de/dl4fch</u> [TNX DL4FCH]

- Carlos, EA1ALD and Juan, EA1BD plan to operate as EA1BD from Mouro ΕA Island (EU-142) between 12 and 16 July. QSL via EA1BD either direct (Juan Sanchez Marsilla, P.O. Box 457, 39080 Santander, Spain) or through the bureau. [TNX EA1BD]
- FO - Mike, KM9D (XR0ZY) is now on Aukena in the Gambier Islands (OC-063), French Polynesia and plans to operate as FOOMOT [425DXN 478] on all bands. At this time Mike has not yet decided when he will move and where he will stop next, but it is his intention to operate also from Raivavae Island (OC-114), Austral Islands. QSL via OM2SA. [TNX OM2SA and The Daily DX]
- Gil, F5NOD reports that FR/F6KDF/T will be the callsign to be used FR/T during the 1-16 August DXpedition to Tromelin [425DXN 472, http://f5nod.waika9.com/]. QSL via F6KDF (Radio Club de la Gendarmerie, 292 Route de Genas, 69677 Bron Cedex, France).
- FS - Brian, N3OC will be active (SSB, CW and RTTY on all bands, WARC and 6 metres included) as FS/N3OC from St. Martin (NA-105) between 24 July and 2 August. He plans to participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via N3OC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Chris, GOWFH will be active as GH4BJC/p (ISWL club call) from Jersey GJ (EU-013) on 12-22 August. Look for him on SSB on 28450, 24930, 21280, 18130, 14280 kHz during the day and 28460, 21280, 18130, 14180, 7090, 3780 kHz nightime. It will be a QRP operation. QSL via bureau. [TNX GOWFH, http://www.gsl.net/g0wfh/g0wfh]
- Bill, MOBNN will be active as MMOBNN/p from the Isle of Skye GM (EU-008, IOSA NH07) between 24 July and 2 August, IOTA Contest included. QSL via MOBNN either direct (Bill Newman, 18 Reeds Ave East, Moreton, Wirral, CH46 1RQ, England) or through the bureau. [TNX MOBNN]
- ΗH - Phil, F8CUP will be active as HH2/F8CUP from Haiti (NA-096) between 25 July and 2 August. He will operate from the QTH of HH2NH. QSL via F8CUP either direct (Philippe Crochu, 18 rue d'Estalens, 32110 Nogaro, France) or through the bureau. [TNX F8CUP]
- Ι - Francesco, I5RFD reports he will be active as IG9/I5RFD from Linosa Island (AF-019, IIA AG-003) between 21 and 26 August and from Lampedusa Island (AF-019, IIA AG-001) between 28 August and 2 September. He might also operate from Isola dei Conigli (AF-019, IIA AG-004). QSL via I5RFD.
- Riccardo, IKOYUJ will be active as IA5/IKOYUJ from Giglio Island Ι (EU-028, IIA GR-002) between 3 and 13 September. He will operate mainly on CW (6-40 metres) with some PSK and SSB. QSL via IK0YUJ either direct (Riccardo Bruzzichini, P.O. Box 59, 06012 Citta' di Castello - PG, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IKOYUJ]

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IS0 - ISOIGV, ISOSLR, ISOGYD and YO3RE/ISO will be active (on HF, 6 metres and VHF/UHF SSB and CW) as IMO/ISOIGV from Isola Rossa di Teulada (EU-165, IIA CA-011) on 15 and 16 July. QSL via home call. [TNX IS0JMA]

- JA On 8-9 July Tosy, JA6VZB will be on holiday in AS-056 (Danjo Islands) and plans to operate as JA6VZB/6 during his evening/night hours on 40-10 metres mainly CW. QSL via bureau only to JA6VZB. [TNX JA6VZB]
- KH6 Bob (N2OO) and Beth Schenck (KF2BQ) will be active as KH6/N2OO and KH6/KF2BQ from Maui, Hawaii (OC-019) between 27 July and 3 August, IOTA Contest included. QSL via N2OO. [TNX N2OO]
- LZ Tony, LZ2AU reports that operators from club station LZ1KMS (namely LZ1ZM, LZ1CGM, LZ3GM and LZ5XQ) will operate from the island of Sveti Anastasiya (EU-181) from 7 to 9 July in the evening.
- OH Angelo, IKOSHF and his son IKOVSW will operate as OH5/IKOSHF and OH5/IKOVSW from Finland until September. QSL via home calls. [TNX IKOSHF]
- OX Seiji, JH6RTO/MORAA plans to operate as OX/MORAA/p from Kulusuk Island (NA-151) on 17 July. It will not be a DXpedition and Seiji will operate QRP with batteries and a dipole on 15 metres only. QSL via JH6VLF through the JARL bureau. [TNX JH6RTO/MORAA]
- OZ Look for Arne, OZ1JVX to be active from EU-030 between 11 and 16 July. He plans to operate on or around 7060 and 14260 kHz mainly in his mornings and evenings. [TNX OZ1JVX]
- SV Look for SV8/ON5CT to operate (on 10-10 metres SSB) from Samos Island (EU-049) between 12 and 25 July. QSL the bureau to ON5CT. [TNX ON4BB]
- SV Roberto, IK7XIV will be active as either J48X or SV8/IK7XIV/p from Zakynthos (EU-052) between 22 July and 2 August. He will participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau.
- SV5 Bert, PA1KW will operate as SV5/PA1KW during his holidays between 15 and 29 August. QSL via PA1KW through the bureau. [TNX PA1KW]
- T8 Nob, JA7AYE will be active as T88AY from Koror (OC-009), Palau between 19 and 23 July. QSL via JA7AYE. [TNX CE6TBN]
- TF Seiji, JH6RTO/MORAA plans to operate as TF/MORAA/p from Videy Island (EU-168) on 16 July and from Iceland (main island, EU-021) between 14 and 18 July (except the 17th, see OX above). It will not be a DXpedition and Seiji will operate QRP with batteries and a dipole on 15 metres only. QSL via JH6VLF through the JARL bureau. [TNX JH6RTO/MORAA]
- TK Serge, F6AUS is again active as TK/F6AUS until 31 July. He will try to be active from the islands of Pietricaggiosa (EU-100) or San Bainso (EU-164) for the IOTA Contest. [TNX F6AJA]
- TK Walter, IN3XUG will be active as TK/IN3XUG from Corsica (EU-014) between 11 and 22 July. QSL via home call. [TNX IN3XUG]
- UA Roma, RV3MA and Elen, RV3ACA plan to operate as UE3MIR from Yurshinski Island (not IOTA, RR-22-03) in Rybinsk Reservoir on 8-9 July. QSL via RV3ACA (Elen V. Boychenko, P.O. Box 13, Moscow, Russia, 127521). [TNX RV3ACA]
- UA Club station RZ1AWD members (namely RN1AW, RX1AW, RA1ANP, RZ1AZ, RV1CC, RW6HJV, UA3AUA) will be active as UE1CIG from Gogland island (EU-133, RRA-01-04) between on 25 July and 1 August. They will use R1GI during the IOTA Contest. QSL direct to RN1AW (P.O. Box 114, Pushkin-8, 189620, Russia) or via the bureau to RZ1AWD. [TNX RZ1AZ]

- UA Look for RK3DZJ/1, RV3AGG/1 and UA3DPB/1 to operate two IOTA groups between 9 and 18 August. The plan to be active from EU-147 (Nemetskiy Kuzov or Russkiy Kuzov) and EU-066 (Solovetskiy and possibly Anzerskyj and Zaytchi Topi as well). QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. Logs will be available at http://rrc.sc.ru [TNX UA3DPB]
- V7 Al Hernandez, K3VN is now active in his free time as V73GI from Kwajalein (OC-028) for one to two weeks. [TNX K4QD]
- The IOTA DXpedition to Browse Island (OC-???) in the Western VK Australia Outliers and to Cassini Island in the Western Australia State North Coast Centre group (OC-???) [425DXN 471] is confirmed to take place on 1-5 September and 7-11 September respectively. The operators will be Dan/VK8AN, Len/VK8DK, Terry/VK8TM and Wally/VK6YS will be active VКбВМ (from and they as Browse, http://www.gsl.net/vk6bm) and VK6CJ (from Cassini, http://www.gsl.net/vk6cj). QSL via VK4AAR (Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton 4343, Australia). Donations to help finance this venture can be sent to VK8DK (Len Holbrok, P.O. Box 1434, Katherine, NT 0851, Australia). [TNX VK4AAR]
- VK9\_xms- Stefan, DH1SGS (SSB) and Toby, DH1TW (CW) will be active as VK9XY from Christmas Island (OC-002) between 13 and 25 August. QSL via DH1SGS either direct (Stefan Giehle, Schmidaecker 3, 73084 Salach, Germany) or through the bureau. A web site is under construction at http://www.qsl.net/vk9xy [TNX The Daily DX]
- W Steve, W3SRL will be active as W3SRL/4 from Hatteras Island (NA-067) on 9-14 July. Look for him on 20 metres at 18-19 UTC and 21-22 UTC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W Kristi, W2NTK and Ralph, WA2NTK will be active from "as many islands as possible" in NA-112 and NA-067 between 10 and 21 July. They plan to be on the air (mainly on 20 metres SSB) most evenings starting around 23.00 UTC. [TNX WA2NTK]

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- Don, W9DC reports he plans to activate Santa Rosa Island (NA-142) between 20 UTC on 12 July and 4 UTC on the 14th. He will concentrate on 14 and 21 Mhz IOTA frequencies on SSB but CW will be used if conditions are poor. QSL via W9DC either direct (Don Chamberlain, 2 Coxswain Place, Salem, SC 29676, USA) or through the bureau. Santa Rosa is an approved island for the NA-142 group after Dauphin Island was removed and placed in a new group (NA-213). "I decided to put out this island", Don says, "since most folks have Dauphin but still need the Florida component of NA-142".
  - Harry, AA2WN reports he will again be active from time to time this summer from Kent Island, Maryland. QSL via AA2WN. Please note that according to the newly published Directory 2000 Kent Island does not qualify for IOTA.

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- YO Pit, YO3JW is active as YP1W from Sacalinu Mare Island (EU-183). QSL via home call.
- YV Look YW5LF to be active (on 10-160 metres SSB and CW) from Los Frailes (SA-059) on 12-16 July. QSL via W4SO (mail drop). [TNX DL2GG/YV5]
- Plans for G3ZEM's operation from Tristan da Cunha (AF-029) ZD9 in September [425DXN 471] are now well advanced. All travel arrangements have been finalised and ZD9ZM is expected to hit the airwaves on 5 September and to leave the island on the 25th. The primary mode of operation will be CW and frequencies ending in 3 will be favoured, listening up 2. A limited amount of activity on RTTY is also contemplated. QSL via K4CIA either direct (William G McDowell, 13208 Norwood Road, Raleigh, NC 27614-9134, USA) or through the bureau (bureau cards can be requested by e-mail to k4cia@mindspring.com). The ZD9ZM website is at http://www.dxtechnology.com/zd9zm; it will continue to be developed over coming weeks and will be updated with relevant information during the ZD9ZM operation. [TNX G3ZEM]

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IARU CHAMPIONSHIP ---> The following stations have announced their participation in the IARU HF World Championship (8-9 July):

- ER The Moldovian National Team from the Amateur Radio Society of Moldova (ARM) as ER7HQ. QSL via ER1FF. [TNX ER1BF]
- G The RSGB HQ station GB3RS will be activated by Steve, G4JVG and his team on 10 metres SSB/CW. Further information on <u>http://www.gm7v.com</u> [TNX GM3WOJ]
- G The RSGB HQ station GB5HQ will be activated by the GM7V contest team on 160-15 metres SSB/CW. Further information on <u>http://www.gm7v.com</u> [TNX GM3WOJ]
- I Operators from ARI Albino, Bergamo, Brescia and Lissone from ARI HQ station IU2HQ (Multi-Multi). QSL via I2MQP. [TNX I2IFT]
- I Sergio, IK4AUY as IR4B (single operator SSB). QSL via IK4AUY (Sergio Cartoceti, Via di Corticella 241, 40128 Bologna - BO, Italy). [TNX IK4AUY]
- LX Luxembourg amateur radio national society HQ station under the new call LX0HQ. QSL via LX1KQ. Before the contest look for LX0RL (<u>http://lx0.resenta.lu/~rl</u>). [TNX LX1KQ]
- UA2 Russian HQ station R3SRR/2 from Kaliningrad. QSL via bureau. [TNX UA2FM]
- UR Ukrainian National Team from the Ukrainian Amateur Radio Leaque (UARL) as EMOHQ. QSL via UX2MM. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

ZS - Gary, ZS5NK and Edwin, ZS5BBO as ZS5T. QSL via ZS5BBO (Edwin Musto, P.O. Box 211032, Bluff, 4036, South Africa). [TNX ZS5BBO]

RSGB IOTA CONTEST ---> The following stations are expected to participate in this year's event (29-30 July) [see also 425DXN 471, 474, 475, 477]:

- EU-064 Eddie, EA3NY from Noirmoutier Island as SOAB (SSB). He will be on 5 hours before and 2 hours after the contest. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- AS-102 BV2KI, BV2KS, BV2NT, BO2AB, BX2AB, BX4AF, JA1EFO and JR7TEQ as BO0K from Kinmen Island. They will be on the island from 28 to 31 July

and plan to operate on HF bands SSB, CW and digital modes, on 6 metres SSB and CW and 2 metres. QSL via BV2KI. [TNX JI6KVR] PY2TNT, PY2DCE, PY2AHX, PY2XIS and PY2RAZ as ZW2I from Sao Sebastiao SA-028 Island. QSL direct to P.O. Box 2605, Mogi das Cruzes - SP, 08780-990 Brazil or through the bureau. [TNX PY2MTF] SA-047 Radio Scouting Club of Maringa operators PY5VC/Arthur, PY5ZF/Solemar, PY5EIS/Claudio, Roger/PY2ROP and Glaucio/PY5GJV as PY5GVC (http://www.gsl.net/py5gvc/) from Mel Island. They will be on the island from 28 to 30 July. QSL via PY5GVC. [TNX PS7AB] Look also the announced operation lists maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/iota2000.html and Ric, dl2vfr at http://www.iota-post.de /EX S DX@WW \$425WW479D 425 DX News #479 [4/5] 8 July 2000 No 479 BID: \$425WW479D ------\*\*\* 4 2 5 D X N E W S \*\*\* \*\*\*\* GOOD TO KNOW ... \*\*\*\* ------Edited by I1JQJ & IK1ADH

DALMATIA NORTH GROUP (EU-170) ---> The following comes from Roger Balister, G3KMA, RSGB IOTA Manager: "As the result of a file mix-up at the data preparation stage two small errors crept into the island listing for the Croatian IOTA groups in Directory 2000. The IOTA numbers of the islands activated by the 9A5V team should have read as follows:

Misjak	=	Not IOTA	(IOCA	CI-066)					
Zecevo	=	Not IOTA	(IOCA	CI-147)	(Zecevo	near	Krk	is	EU-136)
Veliki i Mali Sikavac	=	EU-170	(IOCA	CI-136)					
Pag	=	EU-170	(IOCA	CI-082)					
Vir	=	EU-170	(IOCA	CI-141)"	' <b>.</b>				

MUSEUM SHIPS WEEKEND ---> It will take place between 13.30 UTC on 15 July and 19.00 UTC on the 16th. Forty-two museum ships are expected to take part in this year's event. A list of all ships is available at <a href="http://www.ziplink.net/~rcal/salem/ops.html">http://www.ziplink.net/~rcal/salem/ops.html</a> [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

QSL FO0AAA ---> The FO0AAA QSL cards are being processed every day, but you need to be patient, as the response to the expedition is very large. If you do not receive a QSL for an individual band/mode that you think you should have, please send a note to N7CQQ (QSL manager) in a month or two. A large number of "Not in Logs" were the result of a pirate operating on 40 metres CW (mainly on 8 March). If you have not yet sent your request, note that N7CQQ only needs one card or an attached list of QSO information. Your QSL will be one card, using a printed label with up to 5 QSOs listed on each label; each QSL card can hold up to 4 labels. The program keeps track of the labels printed and if you send duplicate requests without a note they will not be processed. [TNX N7CQQ]

QSL SM4DDS/5 ---> Kjell, who operated from Aspoja Island (EU-177) on 27-30 June, reports that direct cards may be sent either to Thailand, where he lives and works (Kjell Bonerfalt, P.O. Box 140, Chiang Mai 50000, Thailand),

or to Sweden (Kjell Bonerfalt, Oskarsvagen 4B, S-702 14 Orebro, Sweden). Bureau cards can be requested at kjellb@loxinfo.co.th

QSL UA0SJ ---> Yuri operates from Zone 18 and is very active in contest (both CW and SSB). Cards should be sent direct only to Yuri A. Maltsev, P.O. Box 2304, Bratsk-city, 665700, Russia. [TNX UA0SJ, ua0sj@windoms.sitek.net]

QSL UR5ZEL/p ---> Yuri, UR5ZEL operated from Berezan' Island in the Mykolayivs'ka/Khersons'ka Oblast - Black Sea Coast group (EU-179) on 2 July. He plans to be active from other islands in this group through September. QSL via UR5ZEL either direct (Yuri Turbel, P.O.Box 43, 54003, Nicolaev-3, Ukraine) oe through the bureau. [TNX UR5ZEL]

QSL XX9AU ---> The new address is Cheang Vai Ip, P.O. Box 8005, Macau.

+ SILENT KEY + Louis Varney, G5RV, the inventor of the renowned G5RV multiband HF antenna, died on 28 June at the age of 89.

+ SILENT KEY + Marq, CT1BWW reports the sad news of the passing of Mario Miranda, DJ0MW/CT1DNP, well known in the IOTA circle for his several operations from Portuguese and German islands.

QSL received via direct: 1A0KM, 3B8MM, 3D2QB, 4F7/SM3SGP (OC-129), 4M7X, 4U1VIC, 4W/N5KO, 4W/W3UR, 4W6/VK2QF, 4W6EB, 4W6MM, 4X0A, 5C8M, 5H3/WD8SDL, 5H3US, 5R8ET, 5T5U, 5W1CW, 9E1C, 9G5CW, 9M6XXT, 9N1AA, A41LZ, A52A, A61AJ, C6AKA (NA-054), CE0Y/LX1NO (SA-001), CE0Y/UA6AF, CE0ZY (SA-005), CN8WW, CT3BX, DX4RIG (OC-202), EP2FM, ER1OA, FH/TU5AX (AF-027), FO0AAA, FO0CLA, FO0EEN, FO0HWU, FR5FD, FS/N7KG, FT5XN, FW/G3SXW, FW/G3TXF, FY5HY, H44PT, HK0VGJ, HR1LW, HS0ZCY, HU4U, HV5PUL, J64AS, J68ID, J68ID, JA7YCE/6 (AS-023), JW9VDA, K5PP/P (NA-120), KH8/KK6HC, MC0CDX (EU-106), OA4DJW, OH0B, OZ1KSN (EU-171), OZ5MJ (EU-172), P3A, PY0F/PY2ZDX, RA0LOM/0 (AS-062), RM0M (AS-066), RM0M, T32B, T99W, TX0DX, UA0FZ, UE0XZZ (AS-064), VK9WI, VP2VF, XQ0YAF, XR0ZY, XU7AAV, YI9OM, YL2EC, ZK3CW, ZK3DX, ZP6/N3BNA, ZS31ER.

QSL received via WF5E QSL Service: 3C5DX, 3D2DK, 3W7TK, 4L8A, 5R8GC, 5T5U, 6K0IS/2 (AS-105), 6K97EAG, 6M0HZ/2 (AS-090), 6Y2A, A61AJ, AH8LG, BA4TB, BD7NQ, BT2HC, CE77AA, CF7KDU/P (NA-118), DU6/K9AW, DX1S, E21CJN, E44A, E44/JA1UT, E4/OK5DX, FO0AWI, FO0XUU, FR5ZQ/T, FT5ZG, HS98AG, JX7DFA, NH6D/KH3, KL1SLE (NA-040), NO7F/KL7 (NA-059), K8VHN/P, LO0D, LU1ZC, N2OO (NA-111), NL7Z, R1MVA, S92YN, S92YV, T20FW, T95A, TE5T, TJ1PD, TN7OT, PR2YL (SA-024), PW5V (SA-027), UE0LEZ, V63X (OC-059), V73ZZ, N4XP/V7, VD7D (NA-118), VE7TLL/P (NA-061), VK9YY, VP2EREM, VP5GN, VP8CKN, VR2MM, พ7พ (NA-169), XU2A, XZ1N, ZK3RW, ZX0Z (SA-067), ZY5YZ (SA-026), ZY8R (SA-070). 

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