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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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5H - Uli, DO4UB is moving to Arusha, Tanzania. For the time being, starting around 20 August, he will be active as 5H2MUA on 15 and 10 metres SSB. Next year he will bring in the rest of his equipment, with plans to operate also FT8 and be QRV on more bands and on QO-100. QSL via DO2HQS; QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]

9G - Adam, M6NXW, will be active as 9G5AS from Breman, Ghana between 26 August and 5 September. He will operate QRP on 20-10 metres SSB, FT8 and FT4. QSOs will be uploaded to eQSL, QRZ Logbook and HRD Log, neither LoTW nor paper cards will be provided.

9M - Several special event stations located in various Malaysian states and federal territories will celebrate the 67th anniversary of Malaysia's independence (31 August 1957) on 30 August-1 September. Active from West Malaysia will be 9M67MA, 9M67MB, 9M67MC, 9M67MD, 9M67MJ, 9M67MK, 9M67MM, 9M67MN, 9M67MP, 9M67MR, 9M67MT and 9M67MW. Active from East Malaysia will be 9M67MQ (Sarawak) and 9M67MS (Sabah). QSL via operator's instructions.

C9 - Gus CX2AM, Bert CX3AN and Rainer CX8FB will be active as C91BV from Mozambique on 17-24 October. They will operate CW and SSB with two stations on 40-6 metres. QSL via EB7DX.

D4 - Alex, SQ9UM will be active holiday style as D4UM from Sal Island (AF-086), Cape Verde on 16-26 August. He will operate CW, SSB, FT8 and FT4 on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call; QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log. [TNX SQ9UM]

E5_sc - Bob, ZL1RS will be active again as E51EME from Rarotonga (OC-013, grid BG08cs), South Cook Islands from 23 August to 15 September. He will focus on 6m FT8 via ionospheric propagation, with 6m EME using Q65-60A as his secondary objective. QSL via Club Log's OQRS and LoTW. See https://www.qrz.com/db/E51EME for more information and updates.

E6 - Jacek, SP5EAQ will be active as E6AQ from Niue (OC-040) from 22 October to 9 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He will operate SSB on 80-10m. See http://niue.sp7dqr.pl/ for more information. QSL via SP7DQR (http://sp7dqr.pl/en/oqrs.php) and LoTW.

F - Weather permitting, Gil, F4FET plans to operate as F4FET/p from Tombelaine Island (EU-156) on 31 August and 1 September. Camping is prohibited on the island, so he will have to walk back and forth during the day at low tide (7 kilometres on foot). He expects to be QRV for about 2.5 hours each day: 10.00-12.30 UTC +/-30 minutes on 31 August, and 11-13 UTC +/-30 minutes on 1 September. He will operate only SSB on 17 and 10 metres (on or around 18162 kHz and 28320 kHz). QSL via Club Log's OQRS. [TNX M0OXO]

F - Special callsign TM45CDXC will be active on 7-21 September for the 45th Convention of the Clipperton DX Club (https://cdxc.org/) to be held at Montceau les Mines on 20-22 September. QSL via F5CWU's OQRS (http://www.f5cwu.net/oqrs/).

FP - Thomas, DC8TM and Martina, DF3TS will be active as FP/DC8TM/p and FP/DF3TS/p from St. Pierre (NA-032) from 31 August to 3 September. They will operate SSB and FT8 from POTA sites, lighthouses and SOTA summits. See https://www.qrz.com/db/DC8TM for their planned activations.

JA - Kari, JQ7ELL will be active as JQ7ELL/7 from Tashiro Island (AS-206) on 31 August-1 September. He will operate SSB and FT8 on 80-6 metres, with a focus on 17 and 10 metres. QSL via the bureau to home call.

LU - Carlos, LU8DCH will be active again as LU8DCH/D from Martin Garcia Island (SA-055) on 15-18 August. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, QRZ Logbook, or direct to home call. [TNX DX World]

S7 - Holger, DG3FEH will be active holiday style as S79/DG3FEH from Mahe (AF-024), Seychelles on 15-27 August. He will operate SSB mainly on 40, 20, 15 metres and QO-100. QSL via the bureau to home call. [TNX NG3K]

SV - Francesco, IK6QON will be active holiday style as SV8/IK6QON from Milos Island (EU-067) on 24-31 August. QSL via home call.

VE - Thomas, DC8TM and Martina DF3TS will be active as VO1/DC8TM/p and VO1/DF3TS/p from Newfoundland (NA-027) on 24-30 August, 5-6 September and 11-16 September, and from Fogo Island (NA-198) on 7-10 September. They will operate SSB and FT8 from POTA sites, lighthouses and SOTA summits. See https://www.qrz.com/db/DC8TM for their planned activations.

YJ - Luke VK3HJ, Chris VK3QB, Patrick VK2PN and Olgierd VK5XDX will be active as YJ0VK from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu on 20-26 August. They will operate CW and FT8 on 40-6 metres. QSL via M0OXO's OQRS; QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log. They will try to keep their FB page up-to-date: https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61555552575381.

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Bill, G0VDE will be active as VP6WR from Pitcairn Island (OC-044) on 5-15 September, and as FO/G0VDE from Mangareva (OC-063), French Polynesia on 17-21 September. He plans to operate SSB, FT8 (probably Multi-Stream MSHV) and some RTTY (depending on demand) on 80-6 metres using a linear amplifier. See http://vp6wr.com for more information. QSLs via M0URX's OQRS.

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Stan, LZ1GC and Ted LZ5QZ will be active as E51SGC from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 6-24 November, and as A35GC from Nuku'alofa (OC-049), Tonga on 25 November-6 December. They will operate CW, SSB, FT4, FT8 and RTTY on 160-6 metres with three stations and a focus on 160, 80 and 60m. QSLs via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), LoTW, or via LZ1GC. More information will be available on https://www.c21gc.com/.

SPANNING THE GLOBE ---> 18 October 2024 marks the centenary of the world's very first trans-global two-way radio communication. The contact was made between Cecil Goyder, operating the Mill Hill School station (G)2SZ, and Frank Bell, (Z)4AA, operating from the South Island of New Zealand.
To commemorate the 100th anniversary of that historic contact, and celebrate

the dawn of mass global communication, radio amateurs in the United Kingdom and New Zealand will be operating four special event stations:

ZM100DX	early September-26 December	from locations around ZL
GB2NZ	29 September-26 October	from locations around the UK
ZL4AA	12-20 October	from Shag Valley, New Zealand
G2SZ	14-20 October	from Mill Hill School, England

QSL for all four calls via M0OXO's OQRS. The Goyder-Bell Award will be available for contacts made with the stations celebrating the centenary. Complete information can be found on https://www.gb2nz.com/.

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3D2Z: TEAM MEMBER CHANGE ---> Due to personal reasons, Hal, W8HC has stepped down from the on-island team, and has been replaced by Dean Chapman, W2FQ. His primary role over the next few months will be to lead the fundraising campaign for the DXpedition to Rotuma Island (15 November-4 December): https://rotuma2024.com/.

WW DIGI DX CONTEST ---> This year's edition of the World Wide Digi DX Contest ("WW Digi") will take place on 24-25 August (from 12:00 UTC to 11:59 UTC). The objective is for amateurs around the world to contact as many other amateurs in as many Maidenhead Grid Fields as possible using the FT4 and FT8 modes on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10m. See https://ww-digi.com/ for complete information. WW Digi is a collaboration between the World Wide Radio Operators Foundation (WWROF) and the Slovenia Contest Club (SCC).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A/DL2COM, 3B9FR, 4L8A, 4S7KM, 4U1UN, 5U5K, 7P8EI, 7Q7EMH, 8E1YB, 9X2AW, AH6HY, AP2FLY, C21TS, CP5HK, D2UY, D2XX, DS1TUW/2 (AS-105), DS1TUW/2 (AS-122), DU3/F4EBK, FM4LV, GB13COL, J645DS, JT1CO, JW/WE9G, K6VHF/HR9 (NA-057), MD0CCE, PU0FDN, PY0F, S01WS, S21AM, T77NM, TI7W, TR8CR, V31MA, V3A, VI60IOTA, VK4A, VK9DX, VP6MW, VP8LP, VP9I, VR2XAN, WP3C, XP3A, XV9T, XW3DT, YI1WWA, YI1YY, Z62NS, ZD7BG, ZP0X.

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