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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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A3 - Takio, JH3QFL will be active as A31AA from Nuku'alofa on Tongatapu Island (OC-049), Tonga on 13-22 May. He will operate FT8 on 80-6 metres. QSL via LoTW, or direct to JH3QFL. [TNX DX World]

C5 - Look for C5B [425DXN 1823] to be active from the Bijol Islands (AF-060) on 3 May, from 09:30 UTC to 14:00 UTC. Plans are to be on the RS44 satellite and on the HF bands, possibly focusing on 17 metres. [TNX The Daily DX]

CE0Z - Felipe, XQ7IR, will be active as 3G0Z from Robinson Crusoe Island (SA-005), Juan Fernandez for "approximately three weeks" in May [425DXN 1821]. A side trip to IOTA Group SA-101 is being planned: "there is now a very strong possibility of carrying out a short but highly valuable operation from Alejandro Selkirk Island, with an estimated on-air window of approximately 24 to 36 hours", Felipe says.
"This activation will depend entirely on the final logistics costs involved in moving part of my radio equipment to the island, as well as securing enough gasoline to keep the generator running during the operation. Should this operation take place, it will be under the callsign XR0Z, which has already been requested and officially authorized by SUBTEL. At this moment, everything is under evaluation and the project remains open, but the chances are real and increasing". Bookmark https://www.robinsoncrusoe2026.net for updates. The first and so far only operation from SA-101 took place in February 2020 (CB0Z, operated by IT9YRE and K9AJ).

DL - DR170TESLA is the special callsign for members of DARC's Ortsverband Mainz (DL0MZ) to celebrate the 170th anniversary of the birth of Nikola Tesla between 1 May and 31 December. QSL via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), or via DK8ZZ.

E5/S - Tom, K7TLM and Leslie, KD7YZE will be active as E51TLM from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 4-9 May. They will operate QRP on 28385 kHz (SSB) and 28060 kHz (slow CW) between 19:00 and 01:00 UTC. QSL via K7TLM, direct or bureau.

EI - Look for Pete M1PTR and Kieron M5KJM (EI6KP) to be QRV as EJ6KP/p from Arranmore Island (EU-121) on 21-23 May. They will operate SSB on 40, 20 and 15 metres during the local daytime hours. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW, or via M5KJM (direct or bureau).

I - Commemorating the centenary of the Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile Transpolar Flight, members of ARI Colli Albani will operate under the special callsign II0NRG between 12 May and 31 July. The suffix stands for "Norge", the Italian-built airship that achieved the first verified journey to the North Pole (11-14 May 1926) and completed the first flight across the polar ice cap from Europe to America. QSL via I0KNQ. A certificate will be available, details

will be published on QRZ.

JA - Take, JI3DST and Ken, JA4GXS will be active as JI3DST/6 and JA4GXS/6 from the Danjo Islands (AS-056) between 08:00 UTC on 15 May and 22:00 UTC on 16 May, with 22-23 May as backup dates in case of bad weather. As the islands are uninhabited and lack a regular ferry service, AS-056 is currently the second most wanted IOTA group in Japan. They plan to operate SSB, CW, FT8 and FT4 on 40, 30, 20, 17 and 6 metres, running battery power to a wire dipole for HF, and a 2-element delta loop for 6m. Suggested frequencies are:
7055, 7120, 14260, 18128, 50120 (SSB)
7025, 10115, 14040, 18098, 50120 (CW)
7074, 10136, 14074, 18100, 50313 (FT8)
7070, 10130, 14090, 18090, 50313 (FT8 MSHV)
7047. 5, 10140, 14080, 18104, 50318 (FT4)
The QSL routes will be announced at a later date.

LZ - The foundations of Bulgaria's organized amateur radio movement were laid in 1926, w hen 38 enthusiasts established the Bulgarian Radio Club - a predecessor to today's Bulgarian Federation of Radio Amateurs (BFRA). Celebrating this centenary, members of the BFRA will be active as LZ100LZ on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and digital modes between 1 and 31 May. See https://lzprint.eu/lz100lz-award/ for the certificates.

TF - Rikk, WE9G will be active as TF/WE9G from Borg, Iceland (EU-021) on 10-19 May. He will operate FT modes with some limited SSB on CW on various bands. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW and QRZ, or via home call (direct and bureau).

XT - Harald, DF2WO will be active again as XT2AW from Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso on 6-19 May. He will operate CW, SSB and FT modes on various HF bands and the QO-100 satellite. QSL via M0OXO's OQRS.

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3Y0K ---> All QSOs for all donors and for those who requested a direct QSL via OQRS through 25 April have been uploaded to LoTW. Further uploads will continue every two weeks. Any LoTW enquiries should be sent to busted@3y0.no

QSL 9M2/KM9D ---> Thanks to Steve, OM3JW, Club Log's OQRS has been enabled for Mike's activity from Rebak Island (AS-058).

QSL NOT VIA DL5EBE ---> Ric, DL2VFR reminds everyone that since 1 July 2025 the QSL route for DP0GVN and DP0POL has been via DL4BBH only. Also, ZS1ANF and ZS7ANF are via RK1PWA only. "A lot of these cards are still addressed via DL5EBE for some reason", he says. "This means that it takes a very long time to forward them again".

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******* QSL ROUTES *******

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3DA0PA	EA5GL	DA100LH	DK5ON	IY1TO	IW1FGZ
4O7CC	UA4CC	DK100LH	DK5ON	IY4FGM	I4KMW
4W/EA2TA	IZ7ATN	DL100LH	DK5ON	IY5PIS	IU5RTR
4W/EA3NT	IZ7ATN	DP44WCA	DF6EX	IY6GM	IK6VXO
4X01G	4X6ZM	EG1PLA	EA1AUM	IY7M	IZ7XNB
4X6TT	N4GNR	EH7SCB	EA7URM	J79WTA	HB9MFM
5P0WARD	OZ1ACB	EN40CNP	UX2CT	JD1BMH	JD1BMH [b]
5P0WHD	OZ1ACB	ET3AA	N2OO	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ [d]
5P4MG	DJ4MG	FM4TI	EA5GL	JG8NQJ/JD1	JA8CJY [d]
5Q2ET/p	YT2ET	GB2IMD	GW4TTA	JG8NQJ/JD1	JG8NQJ [b]
5Q5W	DL2SWW	GB9IOW	ON6EF	JT0LR	R9LR
5W1SA	JA1DXA	HA235A	HA2NA	LG5LG	LA7TIA
5X4E	IQ3CO [b]	HA235E	HA2NA	LY58FIDI	LY1BWB
5X4E	IZ3ZLG [d]	HA235L	HA2NA	LZ96PENEV	LZ1KAK
5Z4/MM0ZBH	M0OXO	HA235M	HA2NA	NL8F	N7RO
5Z4AB	IZ0EGA	HA235MSE	HA2NA	OE26M	OE1XRW
7P8WR	IZ0EWJ	HA235O	HA2NA	OT26EPIC	ON8JJ
8A147KAR	N2OO	HA235R	HA2NA	OV9M	DF9TM
8A147NI	N2OO	HA235S	HA2NA	R1945ML	RQ7L
8A147RA	N2OO	HA235U	HA2NA	RP81ML	RQ7L
8A147TI	N2OO	HB9AF	HB9HJI	SJ9WL	LA7TIA
9A44FF	9A3ST	HB9CC	HB9KNY	SN120OSP	SP3BW
9J2FI	DL1RTL	HB9FB	HB9ELZ	SP1920KW	SP3PDO
9K2KO	EC6DX	HB9SO	HB9BA	SX20RCK	SV2BXZ
A60PE/14	LZ1YE	HC5AI	M0OXO	SX8LGT	SV1ENG
A60PE/21	EA7FTR	HK4X	EA5GL	T32AZ	KH6QJ
A60PE/5	EA7FTR	HL59KDJC	HL1IBG	TM8DW	F4FET
A65HS	9K2HS	HP1XV	EA5HB	TX9W	K5WE
AO150PTM	EA7URM	HS0ZJF	ON4AFU	UN0GY	M0OXO
AU2M	M0OXO	HS0ZOA	EB7DX	UP60L	RW6HS
C21TS	M0OXO	HS0ZOY	KA3LKM	VP8VPC	VP8LP
C6APS	WA4PAW	HV1CN	IK0PHU	XV9R	EA5GL
CX2RA	EA7FTR	IY0GA	IS0JMA	Z81D	OM3JW
CX6TU	EA7FTR	IY0IMD	IZ0QPO	ZW7M	PT7WM

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