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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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5W - Jacek, SP5EAQ will be active as 5W0AF from Apia, Samoa (OC-097) from 21 September to 12 October. He will operate SSB on 80-10m. QSL via LoTW and SP7DQR's OQRS (https://www.sp7dqr.pl/en/oqrs.php). See https://5w0af.dxing.pl/ for more information.

5X - Antonio plans to be active as 5X3M from Uganda at various times until December 2027. Humanitarian work is the main purpose of these trips; in his spare time he will operate SSB only on various HF bands. QSL via IK7WUL. See https://www.qrz.com/db/5X3M for more information.

DL - DB26YLBB (for the FIBA Women's Basketball World Cup 2026) and DM0CRACY (for International Day of Democracy) are two special callsigns to be used by the DARC Team SES between 1 and 30 September. QSLs via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW, DCL (DARC Community Logbook), or via DK5ON

EA - Organized by the Union de Radioaficionados de Gijon (EA1URG), the 42nd edition of the special event commemorating Day of Asturias and the principality's patron saint, popularly known as the Santina de Covadonga, will take place between 1 and 13 September. Four special callsigns will be active from Spain: AM42SDC and EG42SDC (1-13 September), EG1SDC (5-8 September), and EH1SDC (9-13 September). In addition, CB1SDC will be active from Chile (1-13 September). See https://santinadecovadonga.ure.es for online logs and downloadable certificates. QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW, eQSL, and QRZ.

F - Francois, F8DVD will be active as F8DVD/p from various POTA sites on Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 1-10 September. He will operate SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call and LoTW.

HK0_sa - Renato, PY8WW will be active holiday style as HK0/PY8WW from San Andres Island (NA-033) on 3-7 September. He plans to operate SSB, CW, and digital modes on 20-6 metres. QSL via Club Log's OQRS and LoTW.

I - Team IR3LH will be active from Trieste's Lanterna, an ancient historic lighthouse standing at the entrance of the Old Port, on 5 September. QSL via IU3EDK and LoTW.

I - Luca, IK5AEQ will be active as IA5/IK5AEQ from Giannutri Island (EU-028) on 9-14 September. He will operate SSB, FT modes and RTTY on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call (direct or bureau), LoTW, and Club Log.

JA - Look for JA4GXS/4 and JN4JXL/4 to be active from Kasado Island (AS-117) on 5 September, from 07:00 to 22:00 UTC. They will operate FT8, FT4, CW, and SSB on 40, 30, 20, 17, and 6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

P2 - Barring possible red-tape hiccups, Maxim, OH7O will be active as P29YY from Kavieng on New Ireland Island (OC-008), Papua New Guinea

between 29 August and 8 September. QSL via M0OXO's OQRS, LoTW, and QRZ. See https://oh7o.com/p29yy/ for updates.

T32 - Ken, KH6QJ will be active again as T32AZ from Kiritimati (Christmas Island, OC-024), East Kiribati in September and October, for the SSB legs of the All Asian DX Contest (5-6 September), the Worked All Europe DX Contest (12-13 September), the Oceania DX Contest (3-4 October), and maybe the Arizona QSO Party (10-11 October). QSL via KH6QJ, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

T8 - Nobu, JA0JHQ will be active again as T88PB from Koror (OC-009), Palau on 4-7 September, with main activity during the SSB leg of the All Asian DX Contest. QSL via LoTW (preferred), or direct to JA0JHQ.

UR - Special callsigns EO210WLP and EM70WWW will be active from 1 September until 31 December for the 210th anniversary of the Lviv Polytechnic National University, and for the 70th anniversary of the Polytechnic's club station. QSLs via LoTW; see qrz.com for the certificates available for QSOs made with the special callsigns. [TNX UR5BCP]

VE - The Daily DX reports that Mike, VY0ZOO (VE2XB) now expects to be active as follows:

23 August-23 September	Coral Harbour (NA-007)
24-29 September	Sanikiluaq, Belcher Islands (NA-196)
30 September-4 October	Naujaat (mainland)
5 October-6 November	Igloolik (NA-174)
7 November-10 December	Salluit (mainland Quebec, VE2)
11-22 December	Coral Harbour (NA-007)

V4 - Toni W5RCX and Tom K0YA will be active as V47RCX and V47YA, respectively, from St. Kitts (NA-104) on 9-30 September. They will operate CW, SSB, FT8 on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSLs via LoTW, or via home calls. [TNX NG3K]

W - Jon, WB8YJF will be active from Ocracoke Island (NA-067) on 6-19 September. He will operate CW, FT8/FT4, RTTY, and some SSB. QSL via home call, LoTW, Club Log, QRZ.com. [TNX DX World]

Z3 - Celebrating the 35th anniversary of the Republic of North Macedonia, members of the Radioamaterski Sojuz na Makedonija (Z37RSM) will be active as Z335MK on 1-15 September. QSL via the bureau, or direct to Z37RSM. See https://hamlog.online/club/rsm/1988/ for the award.

Z6 - Giovanni, IZ2DPX will be active as Z68PX from Grashtice, Kosovo on 4-11 September. He will operate SSB and FT8/FT4 on 60-6 metres. QSL via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS, or via home call.
Also active will be Angelo, IZ1CTE as Z68BR (QSL via LoTW, or via home call).

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RI1FJL ---> Heavy fog delayed the landing until late on 21 August, and transporting nearly 1,000 kilograms of equipment to the station proved to be a lengthy process. While the team set up the digital site inside the main building, limited antenna space prompted them to construct a second position for CW and SSB operations in an old barn nearby.
RI1FJL has been QRV since 11:30 UTC on 22 August. Their FT8 station on 20 metres initially used an incorrect callsign (RI1JFL), but the team later corrected it and uploaded the log to Club Log as RI1FJL. Due to a very weak Internet connection, log uploads are currently slow, fragmented, and prone to failing on the first try: https://clublog.org/logsearch/RI1FJL.
On 28 August the team reported that "the expedition dates have been pushed back. We plan to be active for another week".

ZK3ZL: POSTPONED ---> The Tokelau DXpedition has been postponed from November 2026 to November 2027 due to an administrative error that resulted in the team losing their return ferry bookings.
All preparations (callsign, equipment, airline tickets, permits, etc.) were fully finalized, but with no other reasonably priced transportation alternative, the project must be rescheduled.
The team appreciates the DXers and clubs that made a donation to the DXpedition. Donors who would like their contribution refunded can send an email to refund[@]pdxg.net with their name and callsign. Unrefunded donations will be kept in escrow while the team works with the island administration to reschedule the project. As more information becomes available, updates will be posted to https://tok-dx.com.

+ SILENT KEY + Diego Thobie, F4HAU tragically passed away on 23 August in a motorcycle accident at the age of 48. First licensed in 2012, he was an active contest operator and a passionate island activator. Over the years, he also participated as a team member in major DXpeditions such as FT4JA (Juan de Nova 2016), 3B7A (St. Brandon 2018), XW4DX (Laos 2023), 9L5A (Sierra Leone 2024), and FP5KE (Saint Pierre & Miquelon 2025).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A/IU3EDK, 3B9G, 3Y0K, 4K5MO, 4S7AB, 4Z5LA, 5H1KB, 5H3DX, 5N7QBR, 5R8AL, 5V7RU, 5W1SA, 5Z4/MM0ZBH, 7Z1AO, AT44I, AU2M (AS-169), C21TS, C31US, CY0S, D44EC, D4OL, EP5TJS, FK4AP, FO/F6BCW (OC-066), HD8R, HH2K, HV0A, IA5/IW0RLC, J51A (AF-020), LZ0A, S79/DL2SBY, SU3YM, T77RN, UN0GY, UN7GL, VJ2L (OC-004), VP8VK, VY0ZOO/VE2, XT2AW, XX9TXN, YN7DS, ZA1E, ZF2OO.

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