3V - 9A3A, I8LWL, IK7JWX, IK7UXW, IZ7ATN and local operators from 3V8ST, 3V8SA and 3V8SQ expect to be active on all bands and modes as TS7TI/p from Plane Island (AF-091) and Kuriat Island (AF-092) between 14 and 23 September. QSL via I8LWL (www.i8lwl.it) [TNX IK7JWX]

6W - Enrico, IK2FIL will operate as 6V7X from Le Calao, Senegal during the "last two weeks of September". Main activity will take place during the CQ WW RTTY Contest (25-26 September), while outside the contest he will operate on 30 metres RTTY after 21 UTC. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau, LoTW and e QSL. Direct requests should be mailed to IK2FIL. He has a website at http://6v7x.jimdo.com/

7X - Afif, 7X2RO and other six operators will be active as 7V2PI from Pisan Island (AF-097) on 16-20 September, weather permitting. They will operate CW and SSB on or near the usual IOTA frequencies. QSL via EA5FL, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

DL - Andreas, DL2AGB will be active on 80-10 metres as DL2AGB/p from Ruegen Island (EU-057) on 12-16 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

F - Theo, ON4ATW plans to operate as F/OR2T/p from Porquerolles Island (EU-070) for a few hours (approximately 10-18 UTC) on 11 September. [TNX DX World]

GJ - Craig, K3PLV will be active as MJ/K3PLV from Jersey (EU-013) on 14-22 September. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX K3PLV]

GM - Six members of the Middlesex DX Group will be active as GB2MUL from the Isle of Mull (EU-008) on 18-24 September. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 80-2 metres. QSL via 2W0VAG, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]

I - Look for Claudio, IZ0KRC to be active as IA5/IZ0KRC from Giglio Island (EU-028, IIA GR-002) on 10-20 September. He will operate holiday style SSB and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. Guenter, DL3NBI will be active as IA5/DL3NBI from the very same island on 12-29 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

OJ0 - Pasi, OH3WS will be active as OJ0W from Market Reef (EU-053) on 12-22 September. He will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands during his spare time. QSL via OH3WS. [TNX OH3WS]

OZ - Bernd, DL8AAV will be active as OZ0AV from Laeso Island (EU-088) on 13-24 September. QSL via home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

PA - A couple of holiday style operations are going to take place from IOTA group EU-038. Roland, PA/DL1EAL will operate from Texel on 11-23 September, while Marcel, PD5MVH/p will be active from Schiermonnikoog on 13-25 September. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]
TA - Karl, WA2KBZ is active as TA0/WA2KBZ from Buyukada Island (not IOTA) until the end of the month. QSL via home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]

TF - Rene, DL2JRM and Netti, DO6XX will be active as TF/DL2JRM/p and TF/DO6XX/p form Iceland (EU-021) on 18-23 September. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgridota.org]

UR - Yuri, UR5RQB says he will operate SSB, CW and PSK-31 from Berdyanskiy Lower Lighthouse (ARLHS UKR-003) between 14 and 24 September. During the last four days he will be joined by UR4QX, UR3QKD, US4QWX.

ZL7 - Kaz, JH1HRJ (ZL3JP) will be active again as ZL7J from the Chatham Islands (OC-038) on 17-21 September. He will operate SSB, CW and possibly RTTY on 160-10 metres, with special attention to 160 and 80m. QSL via JH1HRJ, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]

CQ SA SSB CONTEST ---> "To encourage greater participation of South American amateur in international contests", the CQ SA SSB Contest will be held on 9-10 October. Complete information can be found at www.brcontest.com [TNX PY2EB]

DX-CODE OF CONDUCT ---> "It is no secret that the on-the-air behavior of hams, especially in pileups, has gotten worse in the last few years. Unpleasant, uncivil, impolite behavior of our fellow hams reduces the enjoyment of our hobby". How can you help improve ethical conduct? Look at http://dx-code.org and "learn more about how to operate and best use your operating skills to make it into the DX log, in a way that is both efficient and follows the ethical standards of operating on the amateur bands". [TNX ST2AR/S53R]

DX MAGAZINE MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted Survey is being conducted now through 15 October. The survey form is available at www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2010.html (please note that it is not a complete list of all DXCC Entities: if you need something that is not listed, simply use the "Additions or Comments" space at the end of the form). The overall top 100 will be posted on the web site around 15 January 2011.

HELP KADEK ---> Kadek, YB9BU (ex YC9BU) lost his logs and QSL cards in the fire that destroyed his house in early April 2007 [425DXN 837]. He would like to apply for DXCC, WA2 and WAS: "if you ever worked YC9BU or YB9BU since 2003", Steve (W2FB) says, you can help Kadek by reissuing a QSL card (bureau is all right).

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES ---> On 9 September "delegations from the Netherlands
Antilles signed a declaration in The Hague reforming the status of these five former Dutch island colonies in the Caribbean", Radio Netherlands Worldwide reports. "As of 10 October 2010, the Dutch Antilles will cease to exist as a country. Curacao and Sint Maarten will become separate countries within the Kingdom of the Netherlands, while Bonaire, Saba and Sint Eustatius will become special Dutch municipalities".

QSL MANAGER OFFERED ---> Kire, Z33BMW offers his services to stations needing a QSL manager. He can be contacted at z33bmw[@]yahoo.com

QSL PX8J & PX8L ---> The QSLs are being processed, Ciro PY7ZY (py7zy[@]gmail.com) says. The first batch will be mailed on 15 September, followed by a second batch on the 30th. Check www.px8j.com after 15 September for a list of problem QSLs.

WRTC 2014 ---> The United States will host the next World Radiosport Team Championship, to be held in New England on July 2014. The selection was announced by WRTC Sanctioning Committee chairman Tine Brajnik (S50A), as the US group, led by the Yankee Clipper Contest Club won out over a group from Bulgaria. Further information at www.radio-sport.net

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Manel Dotu Pascual (EA3EJA, President of ARMIC, the Association of Disabled Blind Radioamateurs of Catalonia) and David Bishop (VE7PO).

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