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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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3B8 - Jacques, F1BCS will be active as 3B8/F1BCS from Mauritius Island (AF-049) from 29 November to to 17 December. Look for him on 15, 17 and 20 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK. [TNX DX World]

4W - Stuie, VK8NSB is in the planning stages for a DXpedition to East Timor in July 2011, possibly with an IOTA Contest entry from the rare OC-232 group. Those who may be interested in joining the expedition are invited to contact him at vk8nsb[@]hotmail.com [TNX DX World]

A7 - The Lufthansa Amateur Radio Club, in cooperation with the Qatar Amateur Radio Society, will be active as A71DLH from Qatar from 27 November to 3 December. Operations are planned on all bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via DL0LH and logsearch at www.dl0lh.de

BY - Steve, BA5TT will be active as B5TT from Dongluo Island (AS-138) on 27-28 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest on 160 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX BA5TT]

CT7 - Francois, ON4LO says he will be active as CT7/ON4LO/p from various Portuguese lighthouses between 1 December and 15 January 2011. He will operate SSB on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres.

F - The Council of Europe ARC (TP2CE, http://ewwa.free.fr/ will be active as TP60CE for the last time on 3-5 and 8 December to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the European Convention on Human Rights. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FQK]

GM - Col, MM0NDX and the MS0INT team (George/EA2TA, Christian/EA3NT, Vincent/F4BKV, Simon/IZ7ATN, Bjorn/SM0MDG and two more operators to be added nearer the time) will be active from three IOTA groups between 15 and 22 June 2011, weather and sea permitting. They plan to operate from the islands of Benbecula, Grimsay, Baleshare, North Uist and Berneray in the Outer Hebrides (EU-010), the St Kilda archipelago (EU-059, for three full days) and the Monach Isles (EU-111, for 24 hours). QSL via M0URX. A new MS0INT website with full details will be live soon. [TNX MM0NDX]

OE - Special event station OE40ADXB will be active on 15-31 December, to celebrate the 40th anniversary of ADXB-OE, the Austrian DX Board (OE1XBC). Look for activity on 80-10 metres SSB and CW, and digital modes on 30 and 20 metres. QSL to OE1XBC (Austrian DX Board, P.O. Box 1000, 1081 Wien, Austria). [TNX OE1WEU]

OH_ant - Mika, OH2FFP will be in charge of the next Finnish Antarctic Research Program expedition to Aboa station, Queen Maud Land (Antarctica) in December-January. He will operate again as OJ1ABOA, and he might be QRV also from nearby Wasa Station of Sweden. Around Christmas he will stay for three or fours days at Swedish Station Svea. [TNX DX World]

V7 - Yuri, N3QQ and Tim, NL8F [425DXN 1020] expect to be active from the Marshall Islands between 1 and 16 December. They plan to spend

2-3 days on Ujelang Atoll (OC-278, new one) during that time frame, indicatively "around 9-12 December", with activity as V73RRC (QSL via N7RO) on 40-6 metres CW and SSB. While on Majuro (OC-029) and Enewetak (OC-087) they will operate as V73QQ (QSL via N7RO) and V73CF (QSL via K8NA) respectively. Updates and live GPS tracking at www.oc-278.ucoz.com [TNX NG3K]

VE - John, VE8EV will be active as VE8EV/p from Banks Island (NA-129) during this weekend. He will operate mostly SSB, possibly with some activity in the CQ WW DX CW Contest and via satellite ("I'll try to at least be on all the HO-68 (SSB) and AO-51 passes that favour North America and Europe", he says).

VK - Ben, VK5ZMM and Dirk, VK5AUQ will be active from Kangaroo Island (OC-139) from 28 November to 1 December. They will operate SSB (VK5AUQ) and digital modes (VK5ZMM). QSL both calls via PA2C. [TNX DX World]

VP9 - Hans, SM3TLG will operate SSB and CW as VP9/SM3TLG from Bermuda (NA-005) on 1-5 December. QSL via home call, bureau or direct. [TNX SM3TLG]

Z2 - Mirek, VK6DXI will be active again as Z21DXI from Zimbabwe on 6-17 December. It will be a business trip and he will be QRV during his limited spare time. QSL via SP5UAF, direct or bureau. Direct requests for Z21DXI's February activity are processed and mailed on a daily basis, SP5UAF says, while bureau cards are processed twice a month. [TNX SP5UAF]

PATAGONIA TOUR ---> Jean-Pierre, F5AHO will be active as CE/F5AHO from Riesco Island (SA-091) starting on 26 November. On 2-5 December he will be QRV from Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego (SA-008) as LU/F5AHO and perhaps from other two IOTA groups. He will operate SSB and PSK on 20 and 17 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]

CQ WW DX CW CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (27-28 November):

ZONE	CALL	CATEGORY	COUNTRY	QSL VIA
02	VE2XAA/2	SOAB	Canada	VE2XAA
05	VP9I	SO	Bermuda	N1HRA
07	H7V	M/S LP	Nicaragua	W5PF
07	HK0GU	SO	San Andres	DL7VOG
07	HQ2W	M/S	Honduras	HR2DMR
07	TI5N	M/2	Costa Rica	W3HNK
08	C6AGU	SOSB 160m	Bahamas	
08	C6AKX	SOSB 20m	Bahamas	WA4WTG
08	C6AQQ	SOAB LP	Bahamas	ND3F
08	C6ARR	SOSB 160m	Bahamas	WA4WTG
08	C6ATA	SOSB 40m LP	Bahamas	WA4WTG
08	CO8LY	SOSB 15m	Cuba	EA7ADH
08	CO8TW	SOAB LP	Cuba	HB9SVT
08	KP3Z	SOAB HP	Puerto Rico	N4AO
08	TO3A	SOAB HP	St Barthelemy	VE3EY
08	TO5T	SOAB HP	Martinique	JE1JKL
08	V26K	SOAB LP	Antigua	AA3B
08	V47NT	SOAB HP	St. Kitts	W2RQ

08	VP2E/K1XM	M/2	Anguilla	
08	VP2M???	M/S	Montserrat	K9CS
08	VP2V/N3DXX	SOAB	British Virgin Isls	KN5H
08	VP5CW	SOAB	Caicos Isls	W5CW
08	WP3C	SOAB LP	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
08	ZF1A	M/S	Cayman Isls	K6AM
09	9Y4W	SOSB 20m	Tobago	DL4MDO
09	FY5FY	SOAB LP	French Guiana	FY5FY
09	HK1AA	SOSB 80m	Colombia	EA5KB
09	HK1MW	SOSB 10m	Colombia	K4AMW
09	HK1N	SOSB 40m	Colombia	EA5KB
09	P40C	SO LP	Aruba	LoTW
09	P40L	M/S	Aruba	WA3FRP
09	P40W	SOAB	Aruba	N2MM
09	PJ2T	M/M	Curacao	N9AG
09	PJ4A	M/S	Bonaire	K4BAI
09	PZ5T	SOAB HP	Suriname	VE3DZ
10	HD2M	M/M	Ecuador	SM6FKF
14	CR2X	SOAB	Azores	OH2BH
14	EA6URA	SOSB 40m	Balearic Isls	EA3AIR
14	GI1A	SOAB HP	Northern Ireland	M0DXR
14	GJ2A	SOAB HP	Jersey	qrz.com
14	GZ7V	SOAB HP	Shetland Isls	LoTW
14	LX7I	M/2	Luxembourg	LX2A
14	MD4K	SOSB 15m	Isle of Man	G3NKC
14	MD6V	SOSB 20m	Isle of Man	G3NKC
14	MJ0ASP	SOSB 15m	Jersey	LotW
14	MW5B	SOSB 80m	Wales	G3TXF
14	TM5CW	SO	France	F5SJB
14	ZB2X	SOSB 10m	Gibraltar	OH2KI
15	9H3TX	M/2	Malta	DL5XAT
15	E7DX	M/S	Bosnia Herzegovina	E77E
15	IM0/OL5Y	SOSB 15m	Sardinia	
15	IR9Y	M/2	Sicily	IT9ABY
15	OH0X	M/S	Aland Isls	OH2TA
15	OH0Z	SOAB HP	Aland Isls	W0MM
15	OH2BH	SOAB	Finland	OH2BH
15	OH8X	SOAB	Finland	OH2UA
15	RW2F	M/S	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
15	T70A	SOAB HP	San Marino	T70A
15	TK5A	SOAB	Corsica	IZ8GCB
15	ZA3HA	M/2	Albania	HA8MT
16	ER0WW	SOAB HP	Moldova	RA4LW
16	UU5A	M/?	Ukraine	K2PF
17	EX8O	SOAB	Kyrgyzstan	EX8O
17	EY8MM	SOSB	Tajikistan	K1BV
17	UP7A	SOSB 40m	Kazakhstan	UN7AL
19	RA0FF	SOAB	Russia (AS)	RA0FF
20	P3F	M/2	Cyprus	5B4AHJ
20	P3N	SOAB HP	Cyprus	RW3RN
20	TC3A	M/2	Turkey	LZ1NK
20	TC4X	SOSB	Turkey	OH2BH
20	TC7M	SOAB	Turkey	R5GA

21	4L0A	SOAB HP	Georgia	LoTW
21	4L5O	SOSB 80m	Georgia	N3SL
21	4L8A	SOAB	Georgia	K1BV
22	8Q7DV	SOAB	Maldives	UA9CLB
22	VU2PAI	SOAB HP	India	VU2PAI
22	VU2PTT	SOAB	India	VU2PTT
24	B5TT	SOSB 160m	China	BA5TT
24	B7P	M/S	China	BD7IXG
26	HS0AC	M/S	Thailand	HS0ZFZ
26	HS0ZEE	SOAB	Thailand	qrz.com
26	HS8JYX	SOSB 15m	Thailand	HS8JYX
26	XU7ACY	SOAB LP	Cambodia	W2EN
27	AH0BT	M/2	Mariana Isls	7L1FPU
27	AH0DX		Mariana Isls	WX8C
27	AH2R	M/S	Guam	JH7QXJ
27	DU1/JJ5GMJ	SOAB LP	Philippines	JH5RXS
27	KG6DX	SOSB 15m	Guam	KG6DX
27	NH2T	SOAB HP	Guam	W2YC
27	V63YT	SO	Micronesia	JE1SCJ
28	9M2CNC	SOSB 20m	West Malaysia	G4ZFE
28	9M6/KM0O	SOAB	East Malaysia	KM0O
28	YE1C	M/S	Indonesia	YE1C
29	VK6AA	SOAB HP	Australia	DL8YR
32	FO8RZ	SOAB HP	French Polynesia	F8BPN
32	ZK2A	M/?	Niue	PA3LEO
32	ZL7NV	SOSB 20m	Chatham Isls	W6NV
32	ZL7V	SOSB 15m	Chatham Isls	OH1VR
33	3V3A	SOAB LP	Tunisia	
33	5C5T	M/S	Morocco	EA5YU
33	CN2R	SOAB HP	Morocco	W7EJ
33	CN3A	SOAB	Morocco	I2WIJ
33	CR3E	SOAB	Madeira Isl	W3HNK
33	CR3L	M/2	Madeira	DJ6QT
33	EA8CMX	SOSB 80m	Canary Isls	OH2BYS
33	EA8CUU	SOSB	Canary Isls	OH6CS
33	ED8T	SOAB	Canary Isls	EA8AY
33	ED9M	M/S	Ceuta & Melilla	HA1AG
33	EF8M	SOAB	Canary Isls	UA3DX
33	IH9GPI	M/M	African Italy	IH9GPI
33	IH9R	SOSB 40m	African Italy	IZIGAR
33	IH9X	SOSB 80m	African Italy	IK1QBT
34	ST2AR	SOAB LP	Sudan	S53R
34	SU/HA3JB	SOSB	Egypt	HA3JB
35	5N7M	SOSB 10m	Nigeria	OM3CGN
35	6V7Y	SOAB LP	Senegal	RX3RC
35	9L5VT	M/2	Sierra Leone	G3SXW
35	C5A	M/M	The Gambia	OM2FY
36	9J3A	SOAB LP	Zambia	S57S
36	ZD8O	SOAB	Ascension Isl	OH0XX
37	5X1XA	SOSB 20m	Uganda	G3SWH
37	5Z1N		Kenya	G3RWF
37	5Z4EE	SOAB	Kenya	NV7E
37	J28AA	SOAB LP	Djibouti	K2PF

37	J28RO	SOAB HP	Djibouti	F8DFP
38	ZS2DL	SOAB HP	South Africa	NI5DX
38	ZS4TX	SOSB 10m	South Africa	ZS4TX
39	5R8WW	SOAB	Madagascar	OH0XX
40	TF3CW	SOSB 20m	Iceland	LX1NO

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqc2010.html - good contest to you all!

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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QSL VU2PAI ---> Pai, VU2PAI has uploaded to LoTW about 100,000 QSOs dating back to 1995. He still has many paper logs, which sooner or later will be entered into his computer. Pai still has traditional cards for his operations as VU2PAI/C, AT0PAI, AT2PAI and VU2PAI/50, as well as for his IOTA activities from St. Mary's Island (AS-096) and Sacrifice Rock (AS-161). "Do not send 'green stamps'", he says: IRCs are all right, but he prefers you to affix "2-3 beautiful stamps" on your envelope to him, for his collection (and do not forget to include a self-addressed envelope or address sticker). Queries can be sent to vu2pai[@]gmail.com [TNX VU2PAI]

QSL 3B9FR ---> Robert, 3B9FR "has health problems that have been keeping him from operating and answering QSL cards", The Daily DX reports. "The health problem has been going on for some years and requires special care", so "hold your cards until further notice".

QSL VIA N3SL ---> Steve, N3SL is the QSL manager for two special contest callsigns issued to individual GM operators: GM2V (GM3WOJ) and GM5X (GM4YXI). Additionally, GM7V, a long-standing club callsign, is moving to Steve as the manager. GM2V and GM5X QSLs are in the process of being printed, but possibly not "in hand" before the end of the year. GM7V cards are being shipped to Steve from Scotland, arrival date unknown. If anyone should need one of these calls confirmed for a 2010 DXCC submission, please send your request with a note, and Steve will confirm with a different GM card. If you've already sent him a request and need a card now, email him at n3sl[@]arrl.net. [TNX N3SL]

QSL VIA OH3WS ---> Pasi, OH3WS says that the OJ0W (Market Reef, 11-22 September 2010) and OH0/OJ0W (Aland Islands, 10 September 2010) cards were sent to the OH Bureau a few days ago. His next activity from Market Reef will be in April/May 2011.

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Andreas Pavlidas (5B4AC), Henry F. Zimmerman (K4FU), Kurt Heidergott (K7UU), Jose Queiroz Souto (PR7NJ), Vladimir A. Kryganov (UA3ZK) and John H. Possehl, Jr. (W3KV).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B9/IZ4AKS, 4K9W, 4L0A, 5J0BV,

5T5AZ, 5T5BV, 5V7DX, 5V7TT, 6V7W, 7P8JK, 7V2PI (AF-097), 7X2GX, 8R1RPN, 9M6DXX/p (OC-295), 9M6XRO/p (OC-295), 9U1VO, 9V1/IK1PMR, A31A, A51A, A71EM, A92IO, AL7A, AM1G (EU-080), AP2NK, C35JM, CE3RR, CE9/R1ANF, CO8LY, CR2X, CT3FQ, CU2KG, D44TD, D4C, DS1REE, DT8A, E4X, EA9IB, EI185RNLI, EK6LP, FP/KV1J, FY5HE, GP0STH, H74LEON, HV0A, HZ1GW, IS0E, J28RO, J3/AA8LL, J3/DL7VOG, JA1NLX/VK4 (OC-171), JI1LET/JD1, JT1CO, JW/HB9LEY, JW/JQ2GYU, K7A, K8GI/3 (NA-140), K8GI/4 (NA-085), KG4WV, KG4WW, KH0N, KH2/N2NL, KK6WW/KH0, KL7J, KP4QI, MJ/DL2BY, N9BX/4 (NA-069), OA4SS, OH0B, OJ0B, PJ2/DL5RDP, PJ2/K2NV, PJ2/K8LEE, PJ2/OH1VR, PJ2/PB2T, PJ2/W1NG, PJ2/W9JUV, PJ2DX, PJ4/PG4M, PJ4/W9NJY, PJ4I, PJ4LS, PJ4N, PJ5/AH6HY, PJ6/K4LMY, PX8L (SA-016), PY3DX/p, RK9KWZ/p (AS-083), SU/HA3JB, SU1SK, SV9/N0RB, T88NA, TA0/WA2KBZ, TG9ADM, TS7TI/P (AF-092), TY5ZR, UK8AR, UK8OM, UN5J, V44KAI, V47KP, V85TL, V85TX, VB1H, VE2XB/VY0 (NA-007), VE7IG/2 (NA-177), VE7RSV/7 (NA-091), VI2BI (OC-212), VI2MI (OC-223), VK4LDX/P (OC-172), VP2EMR, VP5/N1WON, VP8DMH, VY0JA, XR0Y, XT2EME, XU7ACY, XW1B, YB1ALL, YE0A (OC-177), YL2BJ, Z21BB, Z30U, ZD7FT, ZK3YA, ZL4M, ZL7J, ZP6/N3BNA, ZS8M.

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