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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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7P - Peter, EI7CC will be active again as 7P8PB from Lesotho on 18-30 August. This will be mainly a family holiday, and he will be QRV when circumstances permit. QSL via EI7CC, direct or bureau, and LoTW (logs will be uploaded on a daily basis to LoTW if at all possible). [TNX EI7CC]

9A - Csaba, DH7KU will be active as 9A/DH7KU from Brac Island (EU-016) from 21 August to 2 September. He also plans to visit and operate from Ciovo Island (not IOTA, IOCA CI-013) during his stay. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

CE - A team of operators from the Radio Club Provincial Chiloe (CE7BLI) will be active as XR7F from the lighthouse at Punta Corona on Isla Grande de Chiloe (SA-018) on 20-21 August for the International Lighthouse Lightship Weekend. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via CA7PGO. Information on the Chilean Lighthouses Award can be found at www.federachi.cl [TNX CE3FZL]

CT7 - CT1CSY, CT1GZB and CT2JXT will be active as CR6LH from the lighthouse at Cabo da Roca, Sintra-Cascais Nature Park for the ILLW (20-21 August). They plan to operate SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and QRS CW on te HF bands. QSL via CT1GZB. [TNX CT1GZB]

CT7 - CT1EXR, CT1JNQ, CT1JTQ and CT5KAO will be active as CR5LSV from the lighthouse at Cape Sao Vicente for the ILLW (20-21 August). They plan to operate mainly CW and PSK on all bands. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX CT1JTQ]

CX - The Radio Club Uruguayo will be active as CW1R from Punta del Este Lighthouse on 19-21 August for the ILLW. Plans are to have at least two stations active on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via bureau, or direct to CX1AA (Radio Club Uruguayo, P.O.Box 37, 11000 Montevideo, Uruguay). [TNX CX3AL]

E5_sc - Bruce, ZL1AAO will be active holiday style as E51AAO from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 19-28 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

FP - Mike, VE2XB will be active as FP/VE2XB from St. Pierre & Miquelon (NA-032) on 14-21 August. He will operate on 80-6 metres, with a special focus on the Magic Band. QSL via home call. [TNX VE2XB]

G - Members of the Otley Amateur Radio Society will be operating special event station GB0YAA on 20-21 August in support of the Yorkshire Air Ambulance Charity, which provides a rapid response air emergency service using two MD902 Air Ambulances. QSL via bureau. [TNX G0SNV]

GM - The Worked All Britain Awards Group (www.worked-all-britain.co.uk) will be active from Fair Isle (EU-012) and rare WAB squares HZ16, HZ17, HZ26 and HZ27 on 16-22 August. GS4WAB will be established at the South Lighthouse on the island, whilst GS7WAB will be used for

portable activations on other parts of the island, including the North Lighthouse. QSL via bureau, or direct via G4IAR.

GU - A large group of operators from the Telford and District Amateur Society will be active as GP3ZME/p from Guernsey (EU-114) on 19-24 August. They plan to be QRV on 80-10 metres, as well as on 6 and 2m and the SHF bands. QSL via G3ZME, bureau preferred.

HL - A team of eight operators (namely DS4EOI, HL1EJT, HL2UVH, HL4CEL, HL4MC, HL4RBR, JA1HGY and JH1AJT) will be active as D9A from Cheju Island (AS-026) on 19-26 August. This will be a special event station for 20th Asian Conference on Intellectual Disabilities. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and FM on 160-10 metres, plus 6 and 2m. QSL via JA1HGY. Log search on www.clublog.org [TNX JA1HGY]

I - Special callsign II4LXV will be in use until 31 December to celebrate the 65th anniversary of ARI Bologna. QSL via IZ4OUL (all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via bureau).

I - Special event callsign IR2LV will be in use between 27 August and 2 October to celebrate the 55th anniversary of ARI Vigevano. QSL via IK2AGN, direct or bureau. [TNX IK2AVH]

RI1_fjl- Evgenij, RI1FJ (UA4RX) left Heiss Island, Franz Josef Land on 9 August and has been replaced by Viktor, RI1FJL (UA3ME) for the 2011-12 season. After leaving FJL, Evgenij and Oleg,UA1PBA (ZS1ANF) operated as UA4RX/0 and UA1PBA/0 from Vize Island (AS-055) for a few hours on 11 August. [TNX DX World]

TK - Lee, F5MUX will be active as TK5UX from the island of Corsica (EU-014) from 20 August to 3 September. He will operate holiday style on the HF bands, mainly CW. QSL via F5MUX, bureau preferred. [TNX VA3RJ]

UJ - Special event station UM20Y will be active from 25 August to 10 September to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the indipendent Republic of Uzbekistan. Look for activity on the HF bands CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via UK8AR. [TNX qrz.ru]

VK - Four operators from the Ipswich and District Radio Club (VK4WIP) will be active as VI4FI (www.sandycape2011.com) from Sandy Cape Lighthouse on Fraser Island (OC-142) during the ILLW on 20-21 August. Look for activity on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via VK4MIA, direct or bureau.

W - The Great South Bay ARC, W2GSB will be active from the lighthouse on Fire Island (NA-026) on 20-21 August. QSL direct to Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club, P.O. Box 1356, West Babylon, NY 11704-0356, USA. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

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DXCC DIGITAL AWARD ---> In accordance with Minute 29 of the July 2011 ARRL Board of Directors meeting, the DXCC award for RTTY is now changed to Digital. Digital will now replace RTTY on these certificates effective 25 July 2011. [TNX NC1L]

HF-DX CONVENTION ---> The VI International HF-DX & Contest Convention organized by ARI Catania (www.arict.it) will be held at the President Park Hotel (Acicastello) on 10-11 September. Main speakers will include I2VGW, I8NHJ, IT9EJW, IT9IZY, IW9GTN, YT1AD and I1JQJ. Please contact Santo Coppola, IT9ICS (santocoppola[@]tin.it) for further information. [TNX IT9ICS]

ILLW ---> The 14th annual International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend, Conducted under the sponsorship of the Ayr Amateur Radio Group, will take place from 00.01 UTC on 20 August until 23.59 UTC on the 21st. Complete information on this popular event, including a list of participating stations (412 so far), can be found at http://illw.net/

JARVIS ISLAND 2012 ---> The DXpedition to Jarvis Island organized by Radio Expeditions Inc [425DXN 1009] has been postponed once again, this time to November-December 2012, "due to a scheduling conflict with the Braveheart".

ROCKALL 2012 ---> A team of four highly experienced IOTA activators (George EA2TA, Christian EA3NT, Simon IZ7ATN and Col MM0NDX, all part of the larger MS0INT IOTA adventure group) have plans to operate from the extremely rare and dangerous Isle of Rockall (EU-189).
Accompanied by Nick Hancock, a climber with considerable experience in inhospitable places, they aim to land and stay atop Rockall for maximum 48 hours. "With research and historical data, we believe the end of May/beginning June 2012 is a viable time period to put Rockall on the air", they say. As Rockall is an isolated speck of rock surrounded by water, weather and seas will dictate the entire expedition. Near perfect landing conditions are required, and the skipper of their yacht will have the final say.
The team is seeking donations to help offset some of the expense. To donate, you can use paypal (rockall.eu189[@]gmail.com). A website is under construction. [TNX MM0NDX]

ST0R ---> ST0R (South Sudan) has been approved for DXCC credit. The DXpedition went QRT at 7 UTC on 10 August, after 121,286 QSOs (55458 CW, 47696 SSB and 18132 RTTY) with 27,994 unique callsigns.
"We are very excited about how well the ST0R DXpedition went", Paul N6PSE says. "The DX Friends and the Intrepid-DX Groups worked well together and really enjoyed our three weeks together. We are already talking about our next DXpedition/Adventure!
We are quiet happy that we met our goal of 120,000 QSOs and set a record for RTTY contacts during a new country activation.We wish to thank all of our donors and supporters. Ordinarily we thank our donors with an individual message, however the Internet in Juba was very unreliable and we were often without any connection to the outside world other than Amateur Radio.
This week, we held another meeting with the Engineering staff of the Ministry of Communications to guide them in their ITU prefix application. We are also providing them with guidance to develop and improve their Amateur Radio program and policies". Tony, EA5RM (Team Co-Leader and QSL manager) will investigate your 'busted call' requests, if you email him directly.

+ SILENT KEYS + Microwave pioneer Ludovico "Vico" Zauli (I4ZAU, ex I6ZAU) passed away on 2 August. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Mario Borri (IK1CHM) and Nikolai N. Malikov (U3CN).

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
4L4WW	EA7FTR	ES0U	ES2DJ	PY6/PY1JR	PU1KGG
4L5O	N3SL	ES4GP	ES5GP	R10RTRS	R7AA
4T100MP	OA4O	EX2F	RW6HS	R2011UFO	RA9FDR
5B/RV1AW	RU1AE	EY8MM	K1BV	R50CGT	UA4CDV
5B50J	5B4AHJ	FG4NN	NI5DX	R70BP	UA3YY
5N4EAM	IK2IQD	FK/I5JHW	I5JHW	RC3W/1	RW3WWW
5N7M	OM3CGN	FK8GX	W3HNK	RI1ANC	RN1ON
5R8FL	G3SWH	FM5BH	W3HNK	S79NU	DL8NU
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	FM5CD	F5VU	SA1A	SM1TDE
5R8UI	IZ8CCW	FY5LH	F5KDR	SA6G/7	SM6CUK
5Z4ES	K3IRV	G5W	G3BJ	SF2X/p	SM5EFX
8P9NX	W3HNK	G7N	G5XV	SG3U	SM3CXS
9A/VE3ZIK	DK8ZZ	G8A	G0DBE	SK0HS/5	SM0MPV
9A1CKL	DK8ZZ	GB50RSARS	G0SWY	SO1EKO	DL1EKO
9A1WFF	9A6AA	GB5FI	GW0ANA	SP0CFF	SP2FAP
9A8BEN	DO1BEN	GJ6YB	G3SWH	SP8RX/1	DJ0IF
9H3PW	ON7PX	GM0B	MM0BHX	SP9YFF	SQ9IDG
9J2BO	G3TEV	GM1J	MM0BQI	SY9M	SV9CVY
9J2RI	ZS6RI	GM2T	GM4UYZ	SZ5RDS	SV5AZP
9Q6AL	DF9TA	GM7A	GM7AAJ	SZ8L	SV3DCX
A35CT	KI0SO	GM7V	N3SL	T32TV	KH6CG
A41MX	EB7DX	GM7X	GW3SQX	T6MO	K9GY
A43MI	A47RS	GW8K	GW0ANA	TC0G	TA3TTT
A45WW	A61AM	GZ5Y	GM4SSA	TC2T	TA2MW
A61AS	YO3FRI	HB10K	EA7FTR	TC2X	OH2BH
A61BK	NI5DX	HC2AQ	EA5KB	TF8GX	KT6YL
A61BM	IZ8CLM	HC2SL	EA5KB	TG9NX	N4FKZ
A61BS	NI5DX	HG15IPA	HA3JB	TM0NOI	F4FVI (b)
A61E	EB7DX	HG200LST	HA5GY	TM0NOI	HB9ELV (d)
A61K	EA7FTR	HG30LP	HA0LP	TM190NB	F4GFE
A61LL	EA5ZD	HG650D	HA0KA	TM30ARAD	F6KTM
A61Q	EA7FTR	HI3TT	ON4IQ	TM5SM	F5RJM
A61ZX	IZ8CLM	HK4CZE	EA7FTR	TM7FDM	F5MSS
A65BI	SM5DJZ	HP1/IZ6BRN	IZ8CLM	TM7T	ON7EQ
A65CB	EB7DX	HR9/WQ7R	K5WW	TM89YON	F5KCC
A71BU	NI5DX	HS0ZEX	DL9MDZ (b)	TT8FC	EA4AHK
A71CM	NI5DX	HS7AT/P	E21IZC	TY1KS	IZ7KHR
A71CT	EA7FTR	HZ1ZH	EA7FTR	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	IB0R	IK8HCG	UE90K	UA9XL

B4X	BA4XA	IC8L	IZ8EGM	UK8OK	EA7FTR
BP100	BX4AQ	IC8R	IC8OZM	UK8OM	4Z5OG
BU100	BM2JCC	II7UI	IK7SLT	UN1F	DF6PB
BV100	BV2KI	IJ7A	IK7IMO	UN1L	W3HNK
BV100ROC	BM2JCC	IP3WFF	IZ3DBA	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
BW100	BM2JCC	IQ7HK	IK7FPX	UP7Z	UN7ZZ
BX100	BM2JCC	IQ9MQ	IT9MRM	UP80NR	UN7LAN
BY1CW/4	BA4EG	IR1DCI	IK1QFM	V25A	W9NJB
CA3KHZ	EA5KB	IY6GM	IK6VXO	V31UB	KU5B
CE0Y/I2DMI	I2DMI	J45K	SV9DJO	V44KAI	W5TFW
CM8AKD	EA7FTR	J48JJ	HA7JJS	V47JA	W5JON
CN8CZM	EA7FTR	J48LH	SV3DCX	V84CBS	V85ZX
CN8KD	EA5XX	J48NL	HA6NL	V85AVE	W3HNK
CN8NK	EA5XX	J48P	HA7PL	V85TX	W3HNK
CN8QN	EA7FTR	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	VC1D	VE1DHD
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	JT1LU	JA7LU	VC1Z	VE1CDD
CO3CJ	EB7DX	K3D	KB3NPA	VK4NM	M0OXO
CO6CAC	EA5KB	KH2/N2NL	W2YC	VK9IR	EB7DX
CO8LY	EA7ADH	KP2M	AI4U	VQ9ZZ	N1ZZZ
CR2T	CU2AF	KP4JRS	EA7FTR	W1T	W1GLO
CR5B	CT1BOL	LY2011USCARS	ES2TT	W4S	W4PC
CR6R	CT1CJJ	LY53SOP	LY5W	W6UX/p	K6GEP
CR6W	CS1GDX	LZ02WFF	LZ1BJ	WA8LOW/KH8	WA8LOW
CS2W	HB9CRV	LZ05WFF	LZ1BJ	XE1FSK	EA5KB
CX4ACH	IK2DUW	LZ0I	LZ1BJ	XF3/IZ2LSC	EB7DX (d)
D2EB	IZ3ETU	M3I	G0ORH	XF3/IZ2LSC	IZ2LSC (b)
DL0WFF	DL2JIM	MD2C	MD0CCE	XU7ACY	W2EN
DM6V	DL5AXX	MI0M	MI0SAI	YB0AKM	EA7FTR
DQ1175E	DL5DCL	MI0UDX	GI4VIV	YB0AR	YB9BU
DR60BENE	DG2MEL	MU0HTJ	2E0SQL	YB0ECT	W2FB
DU1/JJ5GMJ	JH5RXS (d)	MU0MCV	M0MCV	YB3MM	IZ8CCW
DU1/JJ5GMJ	JJ5GMJ (b)	N4A	N4YDU	YB8EL	EA7FTR
DU3/N0QM	N0QM	N4I	W4OTN	YC8AHH	EA7FTR
DW8BXU	JF1LZQ	N6L	K6LSN	YF8RIM	EA7FTR
E2E	HS0ZFZ	NP2X	K5WW	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
E70WFF	E77E	NP3CW	EB7DX	YI9OBM	N2OBM
E7DX	E77E	OD5PY	KU9C	YL11WCA	YL2IU
ED1M	EA1DR	OG5A	OH5AD	YM2KK	TA2AHS
ED1T	EA1HLH	OH0VM	OH6VM	YN2RP	NN3RP
EF8M	UA3DX	OL9CX	OK1AYU	YP0IP	YO8TLC
EG1URE	EA1AE	OM55TV	OM3MB	YP5WFF	YO5OAG
EI8GQB	ON4EI	ON30CLM	ON6HC	YR30DP	YO8AXP
EJ0PL	EI5JQ	OZ/AL3T	DL7ET	YR6WFF	YO6KNE
EK3GM	IK2QPR	OZ0FR/p	DL2VFR	Z21BB	W3HNK
EK6LP	RN4LP	P29FR	I2RFJ	Z330A	Z30A
EM0UBC	UR4UXD	P29ZL	W1YRC	ZB2FX	G3RFX
EO18IKF	US6IKF	PA11HJ	PA9LUC	ZM4M	ZL4PW
EO18IQ	UR3IQ	PA6NH	PH9HB	ZP5KO	PY4KL
EO60RUL	UZ9RR	PA6Z	PA9M	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
ER44WFF	ER1RR	PF29CAVENTE	PA7HPH	ZP6VLA	EA5KB
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