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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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3D2 - Bob, W7YAQ and Bill, N7OU will be active as 3D2NB (W7YAQ) and 3D2OU (N7OU) from Nadi (OC-016), Fiji on 2-7 February, and as 3D2RX (W7YAQ) and 3D2RO (N7OU) from Rotuma (OC-060) on 8-21 February. They will operate mostly CW, with some RTTY and SSB, on 160-10 metres, using at both QTHs vertical antennas next to saltwater on a north-facing shore. During the ARRL CW DX Contest they will make a multi-single entry from Rotuma as 3D2RX. QSL via home calls. They will upload their logs to LoTW as soon as they get back to the USA. [TNX NG3K]

8P - The Buddies in the Caribbean DXpedition group, which specializes in 100 watt or less low power radios and the Buddipole portable antenna systems, will be active from Barbados (NA-021) from 29 January to 6 February. The eight operators will be 8P9FF (W3FF), 8P9HF (W6HFP), 8P9WZ (WZ1P), 8P9RT (WG0AT), 8P9VG (KC4VG), 8P9DG (KB9AVO), 8P9EA (K8EAB) and 8P9UN (N7UN). There will be fixed operations on 160-10m using CW, SSB, and RTTY or PSK from a villa, and portable operations from various points on the island. QSL via home calls and LoTW. [TNX N7UN]

9G - Marcel, AI6MS will be active as 9G5MS from Ghana until May. "Anyone is welcome to make a contact", he says, "though priority will be given to schools, universities, and prescheduled contacts". Marcel is volunteering with 'Medicine on the Move', and will use amateur radio with the students at the Aviation and Technology Academy in Kpong. QSL via home call.

CT9 - Dirk, DO7DP will be active as CS9/DO7DP from Madeira (AF-014) from 26 January to 9 February. He will operate SSB and PSK31 on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via DO7DP, bureau preferred. [TNX DX Newsletter]

FG - Jean-Pierre, F6ITD will be active again as FG/F6ITD from Guadeloupe (NA-102) in February and March. He will operate from Basse Terre on 1-8 February and from La Desirade on 9 February-25 March. QSL via home call and LoTW; logsearch on Club Log.

FK - Oku, JK1KSB will be active holiday style as FK/JK1KSB from New Caledonia from 29 January to 3 February. He will operate CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. During the first days his operating time will be limited to 13-18.30 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX JK1KSB]

G - Members of the UK HQ team (GR2HQ) will be active as G100C (or, depending on the station location, GM100C, GW100C, GJ100C etc) during the weekends throughout 2013. This callsign is partly to provide essential pile-up training for the national team and partly to celebrate the 100th anniversary of RSGB. All QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW, e QSL and Clublog as quick as possible after each weekend. Traditional QSL cards via M0OXO (please use his OQRS

at www.m0oxo.com). Further information will be available at www.gr2hq.com/g_100c.htm

PA - Special callsign PH00ZWAT will be used on 25-27 January from the former Radio Netherlands Worldwide's antenna park at Zeewolde Operations will start around 8 UTC on Friday and end at 13 UTC on Sunday. QSL bureau to PD2RKG.

PA - Fred, PA0FAW will be active as PF100ZOO on 1-28 February to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Burgers' Zoo in Arnhem. He will operate CW and SSB, with some digital modes. QSL via PA0FAW.

PY - Look for PY2CDR/m to operate SSB and digital modes on 40, 15 and 10 metres during the "first Brazilian Bicycle/Mobile DXpedition". The 490km ride will start on 28 January from Bertioga and end on 3 February in Rio de Janeiro. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Further information at http://grupocdr.com.br/dxp_en.htm [TNX PY2LCD]

VE - Rick, VE3ZUP will be active as VE3COLD during the Winter Field Day organized by the Society for the Preservation of Amateur Radio (www.spar-hams.org), from 17 UTC on 26 January through 17 UTC on the 27th. QSL via VE3ZUP.

VP8_sg - The RRS "James Clark Ross" is expected to arrive at King Edward Point, South Georgia on 26 January. "Due to the limited time that we will be at KEP", Mike VP8CMH (GM0HCQ) says, "I don't think I will be active as VP8SGK. Should that change I won't actually know until I am ashore. If I can operate it will most likely be CW and I will post some spots on the cluster". Bookmark www.gm0hcq.com.

YB - Look for Imam, YB4IR to be active as YB4IR/5 from Batam Island (OC-075) starting around 8 UTC on 25 January until the UTC midnight on the 28th. QSL via home call (OQRS on Clublog) and LoTW. [TNX DX World]

YI - Razi, YI1RZ is currently active as YI1RZ/2 from Bacuba until 4 February. He is running 10 watts only. QSL via IK2DUW.

CQ WW 160-METER CONTEST (CW) ---> Objective of the contest is for amateurs around the world to work as many US States, Canadian provinces and countries as possible on 160 metres CW (http://cq160.com/rules.htm). The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (from 22.00 UTC on 25 January through 22.00 UTC on the 27th):

Call	Country	QSL via
3V8BB	Tunisia	LX1NO
CR2W	Azores	HB9CRV
CS2F	Portugal	UA2F
E71A	Bosnia & Herz.	E71A
E7DX	Bosnia & Herz.	E77E
EY8MM	Tajikistan	K1BV
HK1R	Colombia	K6IPM
HK1X	Colombia	EA7FTR
LX7I	Luxembourg	LX2A
NH0Z	Mariana Isls	JJ2VLY
OH0Z	Aland Isls	W0MM
OH8X	Finland	OH2UA
OL7M	Czech Republic	LotW
OZ1IKY	Denmark	LotW

PI4W	Netherlands	PA8F
RA0FF	Russia (AS)	LotW
T6MO	Afghanistan	K9GY
UN/RT9T	Kazakhstan	RT9T
UU7J	Ukraine	LotW
UZ2M	Ukraine	US0LW
VK3EGN	Australia	VK3EGN
XE1RCS	Mexico	XE1RCS
Z6/S56A	Kosovo	S56A

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cq160c2013.html

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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CQ MAGAZINE ---> Editor Rich Moseson (W2VU) announced on 22 January that CQ DX Hall of Famer Wayne Mills (N7NG) has been named CQ magazine's DX Editor. A renowned DXer, DXpeditioner and contester, he succeeds Carl Smith (N4AA), who has stepped down after writing the magazine's DX column for 13 years. Wayne will begin writing the CQ DX column as of the magazine's April 2013 issue.

DXCC NEWS ---> 5V7TH (Togo, 2012 operation), S07EA (Western Sahara, 2006-2007 operstion), XWPA (Laos, 2010-2011 operation) and XW4XR (Laos, current operations) have been approved for DXCC credit.

QSL A92IO ---> Dave, A92IO is now preparing to leave Bahrain. Until 1 June, direct cards can be sent to Dave Court, P.O. Box 31183, Budaiya, Bahrain. After 1 June, direct cards must be sent to Dave Court, Connogue, River Lane, Shankill, Co. Dublin, Ireland. All bureau cards must be sent via EI3IO. "Do not expect a quick answer to QSLs in the period September to December 2013", Dave says, as "I will be moving house in September". A92IO uploads his logs to eQSL and LoTW.

QSL TF4M & TF4X ---> Phil, G3SWH has been appointed as QSL manager for Thor, TF4M's operations from September 2004 to the present. Thor has recently joined RSGB which means that cards for TF4M and TF4X can now be sent and received via the RSGB bureau. Logsearch for both calls at www.g3swh.org.uk [TNX G3SWH]

+ SILENT KEY + Silvano Fabbri, C91A (IK4GRJ) lost his life on 20 January in a motocross accident near Maputo. He was 60 and for thirty years he had lived in Mozambique, where he had founded a prominent telecommunication company.

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3W3B	E21EIC	HC2SL	HD2A	OE2013V	OE6WIG
3W7W	W3HNK	HF21WOSP	SP9PDG	OE2013W	OE1W
3Z21WOSP	SP5YOW	HG2W	HA2QW	OE2013Y	OE2IGP
4L1MA	ON4RU	HG7SNOW	HA7PL	OE2013Z	EI7JZ
4L1UN	EA7FTR	HI8CSS	EA5GL	OG9W	OH2BCI
4L6AM	EA7FTR	HK1MW	K4AMW	OH0TA	OH2TA
5B4AJC	UA3DX	HK1R	K6IPM	OH0X	OH2TA
5N4EAM	IK2IQD	HK1T	EA5KB	OJ1ABOA	OH2FFP
5N7M	OM3CGN	HK1X	EA7FTR	P40YL	AI6YL
5R8AL	G3SWH	HL0A	6K5YPD	P49V	AI6V
5R8UI	IZ8CCW	HP1/IZ6BRN	IZ8CLM	PH6SKCC	PA3CLQ
5T0JL	ON8RA	HP1CQ	EA7FTR	PJ7TM	K2GSJ
5Z4/EA4ATI	EA4YK	HP3AK	W4JS	PW7F	PS7HD
6W2SC	HA3AUI	HR2/NP3J	EA5GL	R1943S	RZ4AWB
7X5KBS	EA7FTR	HS0ZGQ	DK8MZ	RI1ANC	RN1ON
7X5NZ	EA7FTR	HS0ZJS	HB9PHJ	RI1ANF	RK1PWA
7X5QB	EA7FTR	HZ1SK	IZ8CLM	RI1ANP	RN1ON
7Z1BL	IZ8CLM	HZ1TT	IZ8CLM	RV9DC	EA6SK
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	II3CV	IK3HHX	S21B	KX7YT
7Z1TT	NI5DX	J76A	N3ME	SI9AM	SM3CVM
9J2BO	G3TEV	J77A	W3UR	SN3WOSP	SP3KET
9K2/SP4R	SP7DQR	JG8NQJ/JD1	JA8CJY	SQ0WOSP	SP7YLD
9M2TO	JA0DMV	JT5DX	JT1CO	T6LG	LZ1ZF
9M6ZAE	W3HNK	JX9JKA	LA9JKA	T6MH	W2GR
9V1DR	JF3DVR	JY4CI	K2AX	T6MO	K9GY
9X0PY	SM6CPY	JY5MM	IK2DUW	T6T	RW6HS
A61E	IZ8CLM	KH0K	JE4SMQ	T88HK	JE6DND
A61K	EA7FTR	KH2L	W3HNK	TR8CA	F6CBC
A61LL	EA5ZD	KH6/KH0WF	JH1AJT	TY2BP	IK2IQD
A65BR	UA9AB	KH7Y	EA5GL	TZ6BB	W3HNK
A65CB	DU1AZ	KL7J	N3SL	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
A65CF	EA7FTR	KP4BD	NP3O	UA2FL	RN3RQ
AE6XY/VK9L	JA1CJA	KP4MS	W4DN	UE70Q	RM3Q
AH0J	JA1NVF	L22D	LU7DSY	UK8OM	4Z5OG
AL7DB	NI5DX	LU1FAM	AC7DX	UT2G	UR7GW
C5YK	ON6EG	LU8EEM	LU7DR	V31AE	EB7DX
C6AGH	W4BUW	N3A	NW3DC	V31RL	AD7AF
C6AJR	W8GEX	N4D	WP4CRG	V31RR	AI4U
C6ANM	WA2IYO	NH0J	JJ2VLY	V44KAI	W5TFW
CM2AME	RW6HS	NH0Z	JJ2VLY	V73NS	W3HNK
CN8KD	EA5XX	NH7O	EA5GL	VK6AA	DK2BJ
CO8TW	HB9SVT	NL8F	K8NA	VU2RBQ	DJ9RB
CP4BT	EA5KB	NP4A	W3HNK	W7AVO/VK9L	JA3AVO
CT8/CT3FN	HB9CRV	OD5PY	KU9C	W7PBL/VK9L	JH3PBL
CX2DK	EA5GL	OD5RW	K8NA	WA2O/KH0	JF7ELG
D2QR	RW6HS	OE2013A	OE8SKQ	XE1RK	EA5ZD
D3AA	UA1QV	OE2013B	OE2RWL	XR3Y	XQ7UP

DU1IST	JA1HGY	OE2013C	OE4RGC	XV1X	RW6HS
E77DX	OE1EMS	OE2013D	OE1ZKC	XV4DDD	JA2VWG
EI8BLB	EI3JB	OE2013E	OE4VIE	XV4LU	JA7LU
EX7MW/7	UN8GC	OE2013F	OE7SPI	XV4Y	OK1DOT
FG4NN	NI5DX	OE2013G	OE9SEI	XV9NPS	JA2NPS [b]
FK8CE	LZ1JZ	OE2013I	OE7XCI	XV9NPS	JA2ODB [d]
FK8DD	LZ1JZ	OE2013J	OE5DFL	YB0AR	YB9BU
FK8GX	W3HNK	OE2013K	OE1DIA	YB0ECT	W2FB
GB2LBC	MX0WRC	OE2013L	OE5FSL	YP0WFF	YO2KQT
GB2OL	GM0WED	OE2013N	OE5NNN	YS3CW	I2JIN
GB4FE	M0DOL [SSB]	OE2013O	OE3XOA	YV1DIG	EA7JX
GB4FE	M1EDF [CW]	OE2013P	OE8SPW	Z320B	Z31WW
GB6WLB	G6XOU	OE2013R	OE9HGV	Z320K	Z33A
HA110RAEM	HA8MT	OE2013S	OE2GEN	Z320X	Z30A
HA30S	HG1S	OE2013T	OE7XCI	Z81D	OM3JW
HB9HLM	EA7FTR	OE2013U	OE3GCU	ZF2PG	K8PGJ

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