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*** 4 2 5 D X N E W S ***
**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3B9 - Toshi JA8BMK, Ken JA8CDG/JN1THL and Yoshiko JQ1LCW will be active as 3B9DX from Rodrigues Island (AF-017) on 1-10 March. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 80-10 metres. QSL direct to EA5GL. [TNX DX World]

7P - Once again Peter, EI7CC will be active as 7P8PB from Lesotho on 6-26 March. He will operate holiday style from the station of his brother-in-law Gerry, 7P8CC (EI8CC, the Irish amabassador to Lesotho). QSL via EI7CC, direct or bureau. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW on a daily basis is at all possible. [TNX EI7CC]

8P - Gerry, W1VE will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as 8P1V from Barbados. The week before the contest, starting on 26 February, he will be QRV as 8P9RM on 160-6 metres, with a focus on CW and the low bands, with "some SSB and RTTY thrown in". QSL direct to home call. [TNX W1VE]

9M4_spr - Christian EA3NT had to withdraw from the 10-18 March 9M4SLL DXpedition [425DXN 1132] due to work reasons, but he has been replaced by Pista HA5AO and George HA5UK. The other operators are John 9M6XRO, Steve 9M6DXX, James 9V1YC, Don G3BJ, Tony KM0O and Ben N6MUF/DJ0YI. 9M4SLL will operate from Pulau Layang Layang, Spratly Islands (AS-051) with five stations simultaneously at peak times, using full legal power linear amplifiers on all stations and vertical antennas sited within a few metres of the ocean. Activity will be on 160-10 metres, CW, SSB and RTTY. There will be no 60m operation as that is not permitted by the Malaysian licence. QSL via M0URX (OQRS for direct and bureau cards at http://m0urx.com/). Logs will be uploaded to LoTW within a few days after the end of the operation. Further information, including suggested operating frequencies, can be found at http://m0urx.com/9m4sll [TNX 9M6DXX]

CE0_ei - Nigel G3TXF, Martin G3ZAY, Michael G7VJR and John G4IRN will be active as XR0YG from Easter Island (SA-001) on 20-27 March. They will operate mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with a focus on the low bands and Europe. QSL via G3TXF (OQRS for direct and bureau cards on Club Log). They plan to upload their logs to Club Log and LoTW during the expedition. Chile experiences regular earthquakes, and the XR0YG team is making a donation of $500 to RCCh (Radio Club de Chile) "in support of their emergency communications projects, in appreciation of their friendly backing of our expedition, especially for their help with our licenses and 30m permits for Easter Island". The website for the expedition is at http://xr0yg.com/

FM - Al, F5VHJ will be active as FM/F5VHJ from Martinique (NA-107) from 25 February to 3 March, including an entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as TO5A. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW.

[TNX NG3K]

JA - Special event station 8J6ISG will be active on all bands and modes between 1 March and 30 April to celebrate the opening of the new airport of Ishigaki (AS-024). QSL via the JARL bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

PJ2 - Ulf, DL5AXX will be active as PJ2/DL5AXX from Curacao (SA-099) from 24 February to 11 March. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres, mainly CW with some RTTY. QSL via home call; an OQRS for bureau cards can be found at www.dl5axx.de [TNX The Daily DX]

PY - PU5IKE and PP5RK will operate SSB and digital modes as ZW5WIM from Ilha da Paz (SA-027) and lighthouse on 23-24 February. QSL via PU5IKE, direct or bureau, plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX PT7WA]

UA - Celebrating the 95th anniversary of the Russian National Military Forces, special callsign UE95RA (Russian Army) will be in use until 24 February on all bands and modes. QSL via UA3YLP. [TNX RV3YR]

V3 - Lee N8LJ (V31LJ), Stan AC8W (V31AC) and Jim KB8TXZ (V31VJ) will be active from Belize from 27 February to 6 March. They plan to be QRV on 160-6 metres CW, RTTY and SSB and to operate a multi-single entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. QSL V31LJ via K8ESQ, QSL V31AC and V31VJ via KB8TXZ. [TNX AC8JF]

VP2V - Larry, KE2VB will be active as VP2V/KE2VB from the British Virgin Islands (NA-023) from 27 February to 4 March, including an entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. He will operate CW and SSB before and after the contest, hopefully on 160-10 metres. QSL via NR6M.

W - Lou, W0FK plans to be active from Longboat Key (NA-034) on 2-16 March. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

W - Pete, VE3IKV will be active as W4/VA3RA from St. Simons Island (NA-058) on 2 March and from Key West (NA-062) on 3-15 March. Look for him on 30 and 17 metres CW. A side trip to the Dry Tortugas (NA-079) is planned on 11-14 March, if the weather is fine. Expect him to be signing VE3IKV/W4 while on NA-079 (a low-power battery and solar power CW operation on 30, 17 and 6 metres). QSLs via VE3IKV, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

XU - Eddy, ON4AFU (www.on4afu.net) will be active as XU7AFU from Cambodia until 14 March. He will operate CW only on 40-10 metres with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via ON4AFU, direct or bureau.

YN - Scott, K7ZO will be active as YN5Z from Nicaragua from 27 February until 3 March. His main focus will be a SOAB entry in the the ARRL DX SSB Contest. QSL direct to K7ZO and LoTW.

YS - John, NO7B will be active as YS1/NO7B from El Salvador from 21 February to 12 March. He will operate SSB only on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

ZA - Max, IZ4JMA reports he is now living in Albania and will be on the air as ZA/IZ4JMA starting from 25 February for 18 months at least. He can be QRV on all bands and modes. QSL via IZ4JMA.

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CQ WW 160-METER CONTEST (SSB) ---> 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). A list of stations that have announced their participation in this year's event (from 22.00 UTC on 22 February through 22.00 UTC on the 24th) is maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cq160s2013.html

NA-066 ---> The 20-24 February K6PV/6 activity from Santa Catalina Island [425DXN 1137] has been cancelled due to sea conditions. [TNX The Daily DX]

SA-030 ---> The 21-24 February CV5A activity from Flores Island [425DXN 1137] has been postponed until further notice while the Uruguayan Navy recovers the remains of an aircraft that crashed off Flores back in June 2012.

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2RO	N7OU	ES95E	ES5EC	OQ5A	ON4IG
3W3B	E21EIC	ES95Q	ES5RY	OU2W	OZ1ETA
3Z0SDR	SP5PPK	ES95R	ES4RC	P29NO	EA5GL
3Z20RE	SP5DZC	ES95S	ES2TI	P40L	WA3FRP
3Z2X	SP2YWL	FK8CE	LZ1JZ	P40W	N2MM
3Z51EQB	SP7EQB	FM/R5GA	UA3DX	PA6ANT	PA3FOE
3Z51FBX	SP7FBX	FM5WD	W3HNK	PA6NB	PA7JWC
3Z51MOC	SP7MOC	FR5DZ	F6CXV	PF13ANT	PA0RDY
3Z51NLH	SQ7NLH	G9W	M0DXR	PJ2/N0VD	W3HNK
3Z51OVL	SQ5OVL	GB0ANT	M0OXO	PJ2/W9NJY	WD9DZV
3Z51SDA	SP7POS	GB4R	M0DOL	PX2C	M0OXO
3Z51SZW	SP7SZW	H44KW	G3SWH	R100AIP	RW3YW
3Z55OP	SP6PNZ	HA30S	HG1S	R2013CG	UA8WAA
3Z8T	SQ8JX	HB9HLM	EA7FTR	R250GS	RL2A
3ZL301GVX	SP3GVX	HB9ICE	HB9BHY	R70RND	RW6MF
4A2I	XE2I	HC7AE	EA7FTR	RI1ANU	ZS1OIN
5B4AIZ	G3SWH	HF0A	SP9YI	RL3A	W3HNK
5C5T	EA5YU	HF2013MAX	SP3YAC	SN150AW	SP5CGN
5C5W	EA5XX	HF9Q	SP9QMP	SN150BPM	SP7PCA
5R8AL	G3SWH	HG5C	HA5MA	ST2SF	K0YAK
5W1SA	JA1DXA	HH2/EK6KB	K6EID	T30TT	W7JET
5X1C	K3FP	HI3TT	ON4IQ	T46RRC	RZ3EC
6V7S	RK4FF	HI8CSS	EA5GL	T46T	RZ3EC
6Y2T	VE3DZ	HK1NA	K6IPM	T47RRC	RZ3EC
6Y5AE	KJ4QHL	HQ2N	EA5GL	T48RRC	RZ3EC
7Z1BL	IZ8CLM	HS0ZJS	HB9PHJ	T6LG	LZ1ZF
8P9HA	WA4WTG	HS0ZKX	W2EN	T6MO	K9GY

9H3FW	DK7YY	II2ANT	I2JJR	T88UU	W1NN
9H3KK	SP7VC	II2E	IK2FTB	T8TT	JA1WSX
9H3RX	DJ0IF	II2V	IK2AQZ	TC1BW	TA1HZ
9K2YM	EA5KB	II5ANT	IZ5BTC	TC1DX	TA1DX
9U4U	M0URX	II5ISS	IZ5JLW	TI5W	N3YIM
9V1YC	W5UE	II9P	IT9CHU	TM0R	F5GGL
A35WH	DJ9KH	IO3X	IV3JCC	TM10WAP	F8DHE
A60A	IZ8CLM	IO5ANT	IW5EFX	TM6M	F4DXW
A65BP	UA6MF	IP8AAW	IK8FIQ	TM6X	F5VHY
AH0CI	JA3IUY	IR1ANT	I1HYW	TO22C	F6HMQ
AO1ICE	EA1WK	IR1SP	IK1NEG	TO5X	UA3DX
AO5ANT	EA5FL	IR2C	IK2FTB	UE95RA	UA3YLP
AO7WAP	EC7ZK	IR2R	IZ2EWR	V31AT	K5PI
AT3ANT	VU2UR	IY4FGM	I4KMW	V31EE	WX9U
C6ABB	N2RFA	J38RF	KE4TG	V31TP	WC0W
C6AKQ	N4BP	J52HF	I3LDP	V47JA	W5JON
C6ANM	WA2IYO	J5NAR	HA0NAR	V63ZM	M0URX
C6APG	K4PG	JX9JKA	LA9JKA	V73NS	W3HNK
C6ASP	W6KW	JY9ET	M0OXO	VA7AAW	VE7IG
C6ATN	IZ7ATN	K4A	K6EID	VK4NM/p	M0OXO
CM2XN	EA7FTR	K4K	K4MZU	VP2EC	N5AU
CM8AKY	EA7FTR	KG4KL	KN4KL	VP2ME	AI4U
CO6LC	EA5GL	KG4WV	W4WV	VP5S	K0MD
CQ8X	OH2BH	KH0WF	JH1AJT	VQ5RP	K0UU
CR1Z	OH2BH	KH2/G3ZEM	M0URX	XT2TT	I2YSB [d]
CR2X	OH2BH	KH7X	K2PF	XT2TT	IK2CIO [b]
CW5W	CX6VM	KP2M	AI4U	XU7ACQ	KF0RQ
D2EB	IZ3ETU	KP3Z	N4AO	XV2DLH	DK8ZZ
D2QV	UT0EA	KP4EE	OK1DOT	YB9GV	EA7FTR
D3AA	UA1QV	LT0H	EA7FTR	YE1ZAT	YD1JZ
EA6/KH7XX	OE6BMG	LT1F	AC7DX	YN9SU	TI4SU
EA8CMX	OH2BYS	LW9DHR	EA6SK	YO2013EYOWF	YO6MP
EA9EU	EA5KB	LX1HD	LX1NJ	YP0FOTE	YO6BBQ
ED2C	EA2RCF	LX7I	LX2A	YQ0ANT	YO2LIW
EE8E	EB7DX	LY1SCOUT	LY4Q	YQ8ANT	YO8AZQ
EF5F	EA5FV	LZ10ANT	LZ3SM	YU1700AST	YU1AST
EF7X	EA7GYS	LZ134SOF	LZ1KZX	YU313EDICT	YU1AST
EF8N	EA8NC	LZ5R	LZ1YQ	YW2LV	YV5YMA
EF8R	EB7DX	M3W	G4FAL	Z320N	Z36N
EF8USA	W2GR	M5E	G0CKV	Z320O	Z32KI
EG1ACG	EA2FC	MD2C	MD0CCE	Z320T	DJ0LZ
EG1WAA	EA1GIB	MD4K	G3NKC	ZD8KFC	NI5DX
EK3GM	IK2QPR	NH2T	W2YC	ZF2AM	K6AM
EM0I	UT2IZ	OA4SS	KB6J	ZF2DP	N4QS
EM70LI	UT3LI	OE2013SKI	OE1SSS	ZM1A	ZL3CW
ES95B	ES5QD	OK8WW	OM2FY	ZZ2T	PY2MNL

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