7P8  - Gert, ZS6AYU plans to be active as 7P8GF from Lesotho on 23-26 October. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres CW only. QSL via ZS6AYU, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]

9L  - Zbig, SP5BTB will be active again as 9L1BTB from Sierra Leone from 25 October to 10 November. He will be QRV on 20 and 15 metres only. QSL via home call (direct). [TNX DX World]

A9  - Special event station A91ACC will be active on the HF bands during the Arab Cycling Championship to be held in Bahrain. Activity days will be 22-24 October and 28-29 October. This amateur radio event is endorsed by H.E. Shaikh Khalid bin Hamad Al-Khalifa, President of the Bahrain Cycling Association. QSL via IZ8CLM. [TNX A92AA]

D4  - The Monteverde Contest Team (http://d4c.cc/) will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as a Multi-Multi entry from the D4C station on Sao Vicente (AF-086), Cape Verde. The team includes 9A1TT, CT1ESV, E7DX/OE1EMS, HB9DUR, I4UFH, I4VEQ, IK1HJS, IT9RGY, IT9SPB, IZ1LBG, IZ4DPV, IZ4UEZ, JK3GAD, SG7A and YL2GM. QSL via IZ4DPV (direct or bureau), LoTW and eQSL. Watch the video teaser on YouTube! (http://youtu.be/gIHsOidudCY) [TNX IK1HJS]

E5_sc  - Al, K7AR will be active as E51AAR from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 21-26 October. He plans to operate mainly RTTY, but will also be active during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via K7AR, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Logsearch on Club Log. [TNX The Daily DX]

ES  - Simo, OH2HAN will be active as ES0HAM from Hiiumaa Island (EU-034) on 17-22 October. He will operate mainly RTTY on 80-10 metres, and will participate in the JARTS WW RTTY Contest. QSL via OH2HAN, bureau preferred.

FS  - Randy N0TG, Ron AA4VK and Jeff N1SNB will be active as FS/homecall from St. Martin (NA-105) on 24-31 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as FS/N1SNB. QSL all callsigns via AA4VK. [TNX NG3K]

KH0  - OH6RX and OH7WV will be active as AH0K from Saipan (OC-086) on 22-29 October and again on 20-27 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB and CW contests as Multi-Two entrants. Outside the contests, they will focus on 160-40 metres. QSL via OH6GDX. [TNX The Daily DX]

PA  - Ben, DO1BEN (www.dolben.de) and Barbara, DO1IQ will be active as PD/DO1BEN and PD/DO1IQ from Texel Island (EU-038) on 21-27 October. They will RTTY, PSK31 and SSB on 40, 20 and 10 metres. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred.

PJ6  - Look for PJ6/KB1ZOJ, PJ6/K4UUE, PJ6/N4GRN, PJ6/K5AC and PJ6/W6IZT to be active from Saba (NA-145) on 23-29 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as PJ6A. [TNX The Daily DX]

SV5  - Rich, M5RIC will be active as SW5CC from the island of Rhodes
November. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau (OQRS on Club Log). This will be a "solidarity radio operation": in an effort to "revive the Abidjan Radio Club", they will donate their equipment to TU2CI and train local operators to use it. The team will also assist local operators "who have strongly suffered from the civil war that hit the country some time ago". [TNX F4WBN and F6EXV]

VP9 - Markus, DJ4EL will be active as VP9/DJ4EL from Bermuda on 19-31 October. He will be QRV holiday style on 40-10 metres SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]

VP9 - N1SV will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest as VP9I (QSL via WW3S) from Bermuda (NA-005). Before the contest, starting on 23 October, he will be QRV as VP9/N1SV (QSL via home call). [TNX NG3K]

XW - Champ, E21EIC will be active as XW0YJY from Laos on 25-29 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. Before and after the contest he will operate CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via E21EIC and LoTW; logsearch and OQRS on Club Log. [TNX NG3K]

YB - Adhi, YB3MM (www.yb3mm.com) will be active as YB3MM/4 from Sebesi Island (OC-262) on 19-21 October. This IOTA group was activated only once, back in 2003. Adhi will operate SSB and CW on 20 and 15 metres. QSL information on qrz.com.

YB - The YB9Y expedition to Bras Island (OC-276, new one) [425DXN 1166] is now expected to start around 12 UTC on 21 October and finish around 00 UTC on the 28th. Plans are to be QRV on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY with several stations. QSL via YB1GJS, direct or bureau (OQRS on Club Log). Further information can be found at www.yb9y.com [TNX PD9DX]

Z2 - Mirek, SP5IXI (VK6DXI) has been active as Z21DXI from Bulawayo, Zimbabwe since 14 October. He should remain there until late October at least. This is a business trip, and he is QRV in his spare time using 100 watts and simple wire antennas. QSL via SP5UAF, direct or bureau. Logsearch at www.sp5ixi.dxing.pl/z21dxi/

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The September 2013 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

AMSTERDAM 2014 ---> "Since the early planning days of this DXpedition, we
have been accumulating and storing equipment at our staging site in Atlanta, Georgia. On October 15 our packing and organizing was completed, equipment was placed on pallets, loaded into our sea container, and began its journey to New Zealand where it will be loaded aboard our ship. See the pictures on the FT5ZM's website (www.amsterdamdx.org).

BANGLADESH 2013 ---> The Mediterraneo DX Club's team in Bangladesh (S21ZBC and S21ZBB) [425DXN 1170] will operate from the Bangladesh Scouts' Headquarters, and would like to organize skeds with other Scout groups on 20-21 November. If interested, please contact IK7JTF (rborace[@]gmail.com).

HAM RADIO 2013 LECTURES ---> The lectures held at Ham Radio 2013 (Friedrichshafen) are now available on DokuFunk (the Documentary Archive for the History of Radio Communication and Electronic Media):
- OH2BH Changing Times in DX Hunt (keynote speech)
- OH6KN & OH8GLV Technology Innovations Helping DXers
- W1TP The ENIGMA and other Historic Cipher Machines. Introduction to the Enigma
- G7GCT Small Cipher Machines
- DK7ZB Development of Broadcasting in Germany 1923-2013 (In German)
- G3SVL 100 Years of the RSGB and its International Partners
The Powerpoint slides with synchronized audio are at www.dokufunk.org/talk

WAG & JOTA ---> The Jamboree on the Air is an annual event in which half a million Scouts and Guides all over the world make contact with each other by means of amateur radio. The 56th edition will take place on 19-20 October. Specific "contest-free frequencies" have been agreed with the organizers of the Worked All Germany Contest in order to avoid interference between the two events. Complete information can be found at www.darc.de/referate/dx/contest/wag/en/.

KOSOVO ---> "CQWW SSB will bring several Kosovar stations active from this new state recognized today by 105 United Nations member states and qualifying as separate country multiplier in the CQWW Contest. Among the activity, Z68BH will be operated by Martti, OH2BH, using the new antennas of Driton, Z61DX, with great support of Igor, UA2FZ.
During the most recent European DX Contest (WAEDC) many non-EU station had difficulty with their contest logging programs on Z6 prefix. A new CTY.dat file can be loaded at www.country-files.com. QSL Z68BH via OH2BH". [TNX OH2BH]

OC-239 ---> The 16-22 October expedition by YB9WZJ and YD9RQX to Waigeo Island [425DXN 1170] has been postponed, "maybe till 2014". [TNX W2FB]

WRTC 2014 ---> WRTC2014, Inc., host of the 2014 World Radiosport Team Championship (www.wrtc2014.org), has announced the fifty five teams that will be invited to compete in New England next July. Team Leaders were selected for each qualifying region based on 3 years of qualifying scores. The Team Leaders were given the choice to select any operator as a Team Mate to complete their team.

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There are four sponsored teams yet to be announced. A Team Sponsor donation earns the right to select a team. Contact Doug, K1DG (k1dg[@]wrtc2014.org), for details about the Team Sponsor program.

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