9M2 - Hary, 9M2GET and maybe others will operate SSB and CW as 9M2SM from Perhentian Besar (AS-073) on 26-29 September. QSL direct to 9M2GET. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

BY - Look for Zhang BA3AX/2, Wang BA3CE/2 and Lu BD3AEO/2 to be active from Juhua Island (AS-151) on 2-5 October. They will be QRV on 20-10 metres. QSL for all callsigns via BA3AX, direct or bureau. [TNX BA3AX]

C6 - Phil, G3SWH and Georg, DK7LX will operate CW only as C6AYS from New Providence Island (NA-001) on 9-11 October after their VP5 activity from Grand Turk Island [425DXN 1205]. QSL via G3SWH, direct or bureau (OQRS on www.g3swh.org.uk) and LoTW. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

DL - Stefan, DF8HS will be active from Fehmarn Island (EU-128) from 29 September to 24 October. QSL via bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

DU - Dindo (DV1UD) will be active as DX8DX from Pangutaran Island (OC-188) and Tongkil Island (OC-119) starting around 25-26 September, hopefully for "at least three days on each island". He will operate mainly CW running 100-500 watts into multiband verticals, and might be joined by a second operator who would concentrate on SSB. QSL via M0OXO (OQRS for direct and bureau cards on his website); updates will be posted to www.m0oxo.com/dx8dx.html [TNX VK3FY]

E3 - Zorro, JH1AJT started activity as E30FB at 12 UTC on 17 September and made some 1400 QSOs by 2 UTC on the 19th. He will try to be QRV as much as possible in his limited spare time until the 22nd [425DXN 1219], with better signals as the missing amplifier eventually made it to Asmara. Activity has been on 15 and 20 metres so far, with operations on 17 metres planned during the weekend. He has no access to the Internet, so logsearch will be available only when he returns home. "We will also provide OQRS and LoTW confirmation in due course", JA1TRC says. Zorro does not expect "a large number of QSOs this time, however, FGC Radio team will conduct a team DX-Pedition to Eritrea in near future".

E5_sc - Mathias, DJ2HD and Gerhard, DJ5IW will be active holiday style as E51HDJ (QSL via home call) and maybe E51XIW from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands from 30 September to 6 October. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY from E51AND's station. Next they will join the VK9DLX team on Lord Howe.

FR - Look for Sven FR/DJ2CW and Willi, FR/DJ7RJ to be active from Reunion Island (AF-016) from 30 September to 8 October, and from 30 September to 29 October respectively. They will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX World]

I - A team from ARI San Benedetto del Tronto will be active as IQ6SB/8
from Termoli Lighthouse on 21 September. They plan to have two stations active on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB and CW. QSL via bureau. [TNX IK6XEJ]

I      - Bob, OK2BOB will be active holiday style as IA5/OK2BOB from Isola del Giglio (EU-028) on 21-28 September. He will operate SSB and CW mainly on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OK2BOB]

JT     - Special event station JU80R is active from Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia until 30 September for the 80th anniversary of the Mongolian National Public Radio. QSL via LoTW and eQSL, or direct to JT1CD. [TNX JT1CD]

KH6    - Jeff, VA3QSL will be active holiday style as KH6/VA3QSL from Maui (OC-019) on 27 September-3 October and from Hawaii (OC-019) on 4-10 October. He will operate SSB, CW and possibly digital modes on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX VA3RJ]

LZ     - Special event station LZ14IARU will be active until 26 September from the venue of the triennial General Conference of IARU Region 1, which is being held in Albena on 21-27 September. QSL via the bureau. [TNX ZS4BS]

OJ0    - On 20 September Juha, OH9MM, and Martti, OH2BH will attempt a landing on Market Reef to put OJ0AM on the air for one week on all bands. "They also plan to proceed with an experiment of real and virtual Amateur Radio coexisting by conducting a first-ever activity from Market in Virtual Reality". This operation is part of the celebrations for the Golden Jubilee the OH-DX-Ring (OH2AM), created back in August 1964 by "a bunch of schoolboys" whose idea was "to form a club focusing on DX and contests and reaching out beyond the borders of their own country". Read the "Recap of OH-DX-Ring" on www.qrz.com/db/OJ0AM, and expect also OH0AM (Aland Islands) and OF2AM to appear on the bands during the next coming weeks. QSLs via OH2BH, with "special certificate size combo OP2AM/OH0AM/OJ0AM QSL cards for those contacting all three stations". [TNX OH2BH]

OZ     - Mike, DG5LAC will be active holiday style as OZ/DG5LAC from Romo Island (EU-125) from 27 September to 3 October. He will be QRV on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via home call, bureau or direct, plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

PJ7    - A team of five operators plans to be active from IOTA group NA-247 (St.Maarten's coastal islands, new one) in late September/early October. Complete information is expected in due course. [TNX DX World]

VK9L   - In less than four weeks VK9DLX will be QRV from Lord Howe Island [425DXN 1210]. The main team will arrive on 12 October, but some team members will arrive a few days earlier. SP5XVY will arrive on 5 October, DF7TH on the 9th, DJ5IW and DJ2HD on the 10th. So don't be surprised if you hear VK9DLX some days earlier than expected; the main focus of this advance operation will be RTTY. The website for the DXpedition is at www.lordhowe2014.org.

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QSL CO6LC ---> IZ1GDB is the new QSL manager for CO6LC. QSL direct to Riccardo Iozzia, Via Adamello 26, 10093 Collegno TO, Italy.

QSL YBOAZ ---> W4JS is the new QSL manager for YBOAZ. QSL direct (John R. Sproat Jr, 1419 E Manasota Beach Rd, Englewood FL 34223-6341, USA) or bureau.

SAC 2014 ---> Organized by the Nordic Amateur Radio Union, the Scandinavian Activity Contest's aim is for Scandinavian stations to work as many non-Scandinavian stations as possible and vice versa. Scandinavian stations are defined as located in the Aland Islands, Denmark, Faroe Islands, Finland, Greenland, Iceland, Jan Mayen, Market Reef, Norway, Svalbard and Sweden. The dates and times for this year's contest (SAC) are:
CW 20-21 September (12 UTC to 12 UTC)
SSB 11-12 October (12 UTC to 12 UTC)
Complete information of the SAC events can be found at www.sactest.net.

W1AW WAS ---> Look for ARRL Centennial stations W1AW/5 from New Mexico and W1AW/7 from Idaho to be on the air starting at 00.00 UTC on 24 September until 23.59 UTC on the 30th. Complete information on the ARRL Centennial QSO Party can be found at www.arrl.org/centennial-qso-party.

YJ0X ---> "Everything is on schedule for our arrival in Vanuatu on October 3rd", the team reported on 15 September (http://yj2014.wordpress.com/). "We hope to have at least two of the stations working and at least one aerial up for that evening. The emphasis the next day will be installing the contest band antennas all ready for the Oceania DX contest SSB leg later on that day. Soon after the contest, we'll be adding the WARC band antennas and 6m set-up, and when time permits the 160m antenna. We will be looking for openings to South America and Africa, the two continents most needing YJ for a new one, so if you're outside these areas, please QRX for the very short time it will take to work through callers. Regarding the Oceania SSB and CW legs, Clublog real-time uploads will be switched off during this time and uploaded soon after the contest ends".

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