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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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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 Pubic 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 possibily 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 OF2AM/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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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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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 YB0AZ ---> W4JS is the new QSL manager for YB0AZ. 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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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8BAE	K5XK	EG5VAL	EA5DM	PX2A	PY2VM
3Z0TECH	3Z6AEF	EG6RAY	EA6QY	S01MZ	EA1BT
3Z50AYP	SP7DQR	EG7MAL	EA7RM	S79LCA	HB9LCA
4K6FO	DC9RI	EG7SFC	EC7AKV	SN0S	SP5IOU
4O0HST	SP1RKR	EG7UDA	EB7KA	SP55DXC	SP7DQR

4U20B	9A2AA	EG8COR	EA8URL	SW8WW	HA0HW
5H9GB	G4SVV	EH2HJ	EA2IR	SX2IMA	SV2JAO
5Q1A/p	OZ5ESB	FS/PJ7MF	IZ1MHY	T6EU	AK4JK
5R8SV	G3SWH	GB0SBC	MM3YMU	T6T	RW6HS
5W1SA	JA1DXA	GB2LGR	G4NRZ	T6YA	F5OGL
8P2K	KU9C	GB4ADU	G4LRG	T88KH	BM2JCC
8Q7AF	EA1AF	GB70BTF	G4LRG	TA7AOF	TA1HZ
9H3JA	EA5IDQ	GD0EMG/p	G3NKC	TF/NA8O	JK1FNL
9H5G	NI5DX	GW0AAA/p	G3TXF	TG9/AB0FU	JA2SWH
9H9NC	9H1SP	GX8HRC	G3SVK	TG9NT	RW6HS
9K9GHL	9K2QA	HB9SOLAR	HB9ACA	TM1MAD	F5KLJ
9M4DX	JA6IDJ	HC1GVT	KK4GV	TM27NN	F5KTU
9M51CP	9M2RDX	HF0S	SP5XHJ	TM36CDXC	F5CWU
9M51RP	9M2GET	HF200P	SP9PKE	TM59FDL	F5KDB
9M51SB	9M6ZIM	HF80PLOCK	SP5ZBA	TM77AR	F5NTZ
9M51TR	9M2FUL	HG0WFF	HA0HW	TM80CLC	F8KHS
9M6XRO	M0URX	HG140JLO	HA8KW	TM850CS	F6FNA
A25TQ	N6TQ	HG15SPORT	HA7PL	TM89IARU	F6KMF
A52AEF	JH3AEF	HS0ZFS	LX1KQ	TY1AA	I2YSB
AH0CO	JA1JHQ	II0IABJ	IK0ZME	TZ6HY	DJ9ZB
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	II0IAET	IZ0EUX	UE16HQ	R4AAS
C91GBA	EA4GBA	II0IAML	IS0IGV	UE16MM	RN3RQ
CG3C	VE3RHE	II0IGZF	IZ0FVD	UE16MP	RY2S
CO6HLP	EA7FTR	II1IAST	IK1RKN	UE16MT	R4AAS
CO6LC	IZ1GDB	II5IHLP	I5NQK	UE16SA	UA6ABE
CR5MV	CR7AKN	II9IAGM	IT9YEM	UE16SF	UA3RF
CR6LH	CT1GZB	II9IAIQ	IT9CFP	UE16ST	R9XC
CY0C	VE1RGB	IR2ENG	I2MYF	UN160G	UN0GL
D44KS	EB7DX	IS0/3Z0R	SP9SX	UO160G	UN0GL
D8A	6K5YPD	J47ALT	SZ2T	UP160G	UN0GL
DB50FIRAC	DL8DWL	KH2/KH0K	JE4SMQ	V26K	AA3B
DP0GVN	DL5EBE	KI1U/VE9	KI1U	V26OC	N3OC
DR20RAFG	DK0GSK	LX/PA1AW	PA1AW	VK6ISL	VE3LYC
E2A	E21EIC	LX/PA3EWP	PA1AW	VK9AN	N7QT
E2C	E20PFE	LX/PA9JO	PA1AW	VK9NT	VK2CA
E30FB	JH1AJT	LX/PB5X	PA1AW	VP5B	K4ISV
E51AOW	LA8OW	M0UKI/p	M0OXO	VU2EXP	RW6HS
EA6/G3SZU	M0OXO	OJ0W	OH3WS	XT2CML	LZ1CLM
EG1CEL	EA1YO	OP147MN	ON2KP	XU7TZG	ON7PP
EG1DEP	EA1DR	OP14A	ON7LU	YB9/DJ7XJ	OZ7XJ
EG1RSO	EA1AST	OP14N	ON4CRD	YF1AR/p	N2OO
EG2EIB	EA1WK	OP14V	ON4GDV	YL100PW	YL2PP
EG3BAR	EB3CW	OY1OF	M0URX	YS1/AB0FU	JA2SWH
EG3CAT	EB3JP	OZ0AV	DL8AAV	YV4MT	EA5GL
EG4ATB	EA4TX	P29NI	G3KHZ	YW5RYL	YV5AJ
EG4ATM	EA5DY	P29VCX	SM6CVX	Z81D	OM3JW
EG4ESP	EA4TD	PA175RR	PI4KST	ZD9XF	G3TXF
EG4GET	EA4ZK	PA70KP	PA1TX	ZD9ZS	ZS1S
EG5CVF	EA5WP	PA70OMG	PB0AEZ	ZL7X	JA0VSH
EG5ELX	EA5BY	PA70PARA	PA1WBU	ZS9Z	ZS1OIN
EG5GRA	EA5FID	PA950SLD	PA3FOE	ZW5B	K3IRV
EG5LEV	EA5URL	PI1000GAZ	PI4GAZ	ZX2B	PY2MNL
EG5RMA	EA5FL	PJ4DX	M0URX	ZY1SG	PY1AA

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