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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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5N - Tom, PA3TG will be active again as 5N/PA3TG from Nigeria on 15-25 November. He will be QRV on 30 metres CW and 20 metres SSB & CW mainly during his evening hours. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]

DL_ant - A couple of amateur radio operators will be working at the German Antarctic station Neumayer III and be QRV in their spare time. Felix, DL5XL will operate mainly CW and digital modes as DP1POL (QSL via DL1ZBO, direct or bureau, and LoTW) from November through February 2017; Daniel, DL1SU will be QRV as DP0GVN (QSL via DL5EBE) from December to February 2018. [TNX DX World]

DU - Tom, KC0W is active as 4I7COW [425DXN 1330] from the Philipppines until 22 November. He operates CW only with a focus on 160 metres. QSL via KC0W (direct only) and logsearch on Club Log.

KH6 - Eric, KH6EB works on the uninhabited island of Kaho'olawe (OC-019) for ten days every month, located at the base camp which supports the state's efforts to restore the island. He is there until 16 November, and will return on 12-21 December. During his free time in the evenings and mornings (around 16-17 UTC, 3-5 UTC and 6-9 UTC), he is QRV on 20 metres SSB (14265 kHz), PSK31 (14070 kHz) and JT65 (14076 kHz). QSL direct to KH6EB, LoTW and eQSL. [TNX qrz.com]

T8 - JJ1DQR will be active again as T88QR from Koror (OC-009), Palau on 17-20 November. Last time he was there he operated SSB mainly on 20 metres. QSL via JJ1DQR, direct or bureau

TL - TL8TT is the callsign that the Italian DXpedition Team will be using during their February 2017 DXpedition to the Central African Republic (exact dates TBA). A team of seven (I1HJT, I2YSB, IK2CIO, IK2CKR, IK2DIA, IK2HKT and JA3USA) will will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, and RTTY on one band to be selected depending on propagation. QSL via I2YSB. A band & mode survey can be found on www.i2ysb.com/idt/ along with other information, logsearch and OQRS.

UA - Special event callsign R26MDXC well be activated on 14-30 November to celebrate the 26th anniversary of the Miller DX Club of Millerovo, Rostov Oblast. QSL via RQ7L; OQRS on Club Log. [TNX R7NB]

V6 - The Nara DX Association's V6J expedition to Mwokil Island (OC-226) [425DXN 1325] has been postponed as the ship has been cancelled. Nonetheless, the team will not give up, and will wait for the next ship which is due to depart "in spring next year". Bookmark https://www.qrz.com/db/V6J for updates.

VK9N - Tim, NL8F (VK9NF) and Paula, NX1P will be active on 160-10 metres from Norfolk Island (OC-005) from 22 November to 3 December. Tim will operate SSB and JT65, while Paula will operate CW and RTTY; she also plans to be active during the CQ WW DX CW Contest,

hopefully as VK9NX. QSL VK9NF via N7RO, QSL Paula's operation via NX1P. They plan to upload their logs to Club Log and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]

VP2V - Look for VP2V/K2SX, VP2V/W1UU, VP2V/W2LK and VP2V/WA6O to be active from Tortola, British Virgin Islands (NA-023) on 22-29 November. QSL via home calls. They will partecipate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as VP2VI (QSL via W2LK). [TNX NG3K]

VP8_ant- Once again Mike, GM0HCQ is active from onboard the Royal Research Ship 'James Clark Ross'. Whilst in Antarctic and Falkland Islands waters he uses the call VP8CMH/mm, at all other times he uses GM0HCQ/mm. The ship is due to arrive at Rothera Base on Adelaide Island (AN-001), Antarctica on 27 November and depart on the 30th (dates are subject to change), and if time allows Mike will be QRV as VP8ROT. QSL for all callsigns via GM0HCQ (direct only), LoTW and eQSL. Follow the ship itinerary and Mikes' daily updates at www.gm0hcq.com and on Twitter (@gm0hcq).

XW - Tony, KM0O will be active as XW0YO from Laos on 19-28 November. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, with main activity during the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via LOTW only. [TNX The Daily DX]

XZ - Zorro JH1AJT, Champ E21EIC, Franz, DJ9ZB and Madison W5MJ will be active from Myanmar on 15-22 November (callsign TBA). Zorro's main purpose of this trip is to support the local Olympic and Paralympic Committee. Activity will be on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY with two stations, using two beams for 30-10 metres and wire verticals for the other bands. QSL via JH1AJT; logsearch and OQRS on Club Log. [TNX JA1TRC]

YB - Imam, YB4IR plans to be active as YB4IR/8 from the Lucipara Islands (OC-274) on 14-18 November. QSL via home call, direct or bureau (see qrz.com for the link to Club Log's OQRS for direct cards). [TNX DX World]

YB - A large team will be active as YB16T from Panjang Island (OC-237) on 18-20 November. They will be QRV on 40, 20 and 15 metres. QSL direct to HA3JB; Indonesian stations can QSL direct to ORARI Daerah Banten.

ZD8 - Alan, K0AV will be active as ZD8V from Ascension Island (AF-003) from 21 November to 1 December. He will operate mainly CW on 160-10 metres, and will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as ZD8W along with W6NV. QSL ZD8V via K0AV and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]

CARIBBEAN TRIP ---> After several activations from various DX locations during the year 2016, Martti, OH2BH & friends are going to the Caribbean. V26BH will be QRV from Antigua on Martti's birthday (19 November), continuing with sporadic activity throughout the weekend. The party will then move forward to Dominica, in order to participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as J70BH. QSOs with V26BH and J70BH count for 5 points toward the "BOTA 70 - Birthday On The Air" award.

"In addition to these on-air activities, HamSphere(R), the Virtual Amateur Radio platform, will be introduced to the educational system of Dominica on 23 November. Under the group's supervision, selected youth teams will compete for speed and accuracy in an emergency communication drill dubbed 'Haminica 2016'. The project is sponsored by Dominica's National Telecommunication Regulatory Commission. The other end of the traffic exercise is managed/observed at the ARRL HQ". [TNX OH2BH]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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EQUATORIAL GUINEA & ANNOBON ---> KC0W's future plans include DXpeditions to both Equatorial Guinea (3C) and Annobon Island (3C0). "I will be traveling to 3C land in December to personally submit all 20+ forms to their licensing authorities", Tom says. "These proposed 50-60 day long DXpeditions will hopefully be QRV after I return to Equatorial Guinea a second time with all of my gear in January".

INDEXA NEWSLETTER ---> The Fall 2016 edition of the International DX Association's Newsletter (INDEXA) is now available for download at www.indexa.org/newsletters.html. This issue contains the story of FT4JA (Juan de Nova 2016). [TNX K8YC]

IOTA CONTEST 2016 ---> The following activations have provided sufficient documentation and have been accepted for IOTA credit: BD4KA (AS-146), BG2RHE (AS-158), BG5BWZ (AS-141), BH3PTL (AS-134), VA2NDX (NA-128) and ZY8D (SA-072). You need to upload your log file once more in order to claim QSO matches for these activations. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

WRTC 2018 ---> The official competition rules for the 2018 World Radiosport Team Championship that will be held in Germany have been released and are now available at http://wrtc2018.de/index.php/en/competition. "We have discussed the rules with potential competitors by e-mail as well as with the WRTC Sanctioning Committee", Uwe Koenneker (DL8OBF, Director of the WRTC 2018 Rules Committee) said. "Publishing the rules about 20 months before the event gives potential competitors the chance to practice according to these rules". Any questions concerning the rules should be addressed to competition[@]wrtc2018.de or to the WRTC 2018 Mailing List.

XU7AMD ---> Six members of the XU7MDC team (namely I2VGW, IZ8CCW, IT9ZZO, YB3MM and YB3TET) went on a side trip to Ta Kiev Island (AS-133) and were active as XU7AMD on 7-9 November. Electricity was limited and available only between 10 and 15 UTC daily. QSL via IK2VUC, direct (PayPal information on http://www.qrz.com/db/XU7AMD) or bureau.

YOTA 2017 ---> The 7th edition of Youngsters On The Air, hosted by the Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB), will be held on 5-12 August 2017 at Gilwell Park, North London. Each IARU Region 1 member society is invited to take part with a team (maximum four persons, three aged 15-25 years plus one team leader). See the "Call for Applications" on either www.iaru-r1.org or www.ham-yota.com. The deadline for submitting applications is 31 December. [TNX IARU Region 1]

+ SILENT KEY + The doyen of French DXers, Ivan Pastre (F3AT) passed away on 8 November. He had turned 102 seven months ago. Active since the early 1930s, he favoured CW; he was fond of DX chasing and had 339/388 (current/

total) in the DXCC Mixed standings, and 338/354 in the DXCC CW standings. While in Africa with the Air Force, he operated as FQ3AT from French Equatorial Africa (Chad) and FE8AB from Cameroon in 1947-1948, and as FF8AG while stationed in Bamako (Mali), French West Africa, in 1951. [TNX F6AJA]

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8CW	NI5DX	EF1W	EA1WS	PA60WIM	PE1EZU
3G3O	CE3OP	EF2A	EA2OT	PA65HSC	DL3LUM
3G3PR	CE3LQH	EF8R	EB7DX	PA75MBD	PA0MBD
3G5EC	CE5PHI	EF8U	EA8URL	PB30EUDXF	PA1AW
3V8CB	LX1NO	EI0R	EI6FR	PD75JEEP	PD2RKG
3W3B	E21EIC	EI1A	PA3249	PI30EUDXF	PA1AW
3Z100PR	SP5KMB	EP2LMA	EA5GL	PJ2/KG2A	JJ1RJR
4J8YL	4K4K	ET3AA	N2OO	PJ2T	W3HNK
4J90HAM	4J3DJ [d]	EY8MM	K1BV	PJ4L	ON3CQ
4J90HAM	RA4AAT [b]	FM1HN	W3HNK	PJ4Q	W4PA
4JA90HR	4K4K	FM5DN	KU9C	PJ4X	W1MD
4K6AG	RW6HS	FM5FJ	KU9C	PQ5B	PP5VB
4L2M	EA7FTR	FR4NT	F4DXW	PS2T	K3IRV
4O7CC	UA4CC	FS4WBS	IZ1MHY	PV2P	PY2DY
4O7DX	YU1FW	FW5JJ	F5RXL	PW2D	M0OXO
4U0WFP	S57DX	G2F	G8HDK	PX2B	PY2LED
4X0A	4X1VF	GB4MTR	G6UT	R80PVB	RU3WR
4X2M	4X4DZ	GM2T	GM4UYZ	S01WS	EA2JG
5A1AL	W5UE	GU4FOC	G3SWH	SI9AM	SM3TIR
5B4AMM	UT5UDX	GW9X	MW1LCR	SJ0X	SM6JSM
5H3EE	DL4ME	H2T	5B4XF	SK3W	SM5DJZ
5H3MB	IK2GZU	H2X	IZ4AMS	SN8B	SP8CUR
5R8IC	F6ICX	H44MS	DL2GAC	SN8D	SP8KEZ
5R8SV	G3SWH	HA43QRP	HA5AGP	SO9Q	SP9QMP
5T4C	NI5DX	HB2K	HB9OCR	SQ6H	SQ6PLH
5U7RK	F5PRU	HB2S	HB9ACA	SU9JG	EA5GL
5W0ST	JH1BED	HB9H	HB9CXZ	SV2RSG	SV1RP
5W7X	JF1OCQ	HG43QRP	HA5AGP	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH
6V1IS	IK7JWX	HH2/VA3MPG	VE3NLS	SX1S	SV1PMR
7P8VA	K7TRB	HI3K	KB2MS	SX9C	SV9COL
7R7W	7X2VB	HK1T	EA5KB	T30JY	JA1JQY
7U9C	SM4VPZ	HK3C	NR6M	T30KJ	JA1KJW
7Z1JA	KE5JA	HK3TK	F5CWU	T30MA	JA3MCA
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	HP1RIS	HP1ALX	T30TM	VK1TX
8P1W	KU9C	HP1RN	IZ8CLM	T30VE	JA8VE
8P9IP	JH4IFF	HR2DMR	KD4POJ	T32AZ	KH6QJ
8P9JH	JH4IFF	HS70A	HS6MYW	T42A	RW6HS
9H1AE	SV2AEL	HZ1HZ	N7RO	T46A	CO6LC

9H3IT	IK4ALM	IB4A	IZ4VYY	T6EU	AK4JK
9H3MI	IZ4RTB	IB4K	IZ4COW	T6TM	W2GR
9H3NO/p	LX1NO	IB4X	IZ4ORO	T88AB	JR1UBR
9H6A	9H1BT	IB9T	IT9TQH	T8TH	JR1GSE
9M2X	9M2YOT	II2S	IZ2FOS	TC0F	TA2FE
9M4DX	JA6IDJ	II4A	IK4ADE	TF3CW	LX1NO
9M8K	JR3WXA	II5ALL	IW5EIJ	TI5/W4TTT	WB2REM
9Q6AL	DF9TA	II8FOL	IZ8PWN	TI5M	TI2KAC
9Q6BB	W3HNK	II9P	IT9CHU	TI5W	W4FS
9Y4W	DL4MDO	IO2X	IK2NCJ	TK2A	F5HNQ
A31MM	EA5GL	IO5O	IK5RLP	TK9R	IK8UND
A60FD	A61BK	IO5P	IZ5NFD	TM1A	F6KOP
A61BM	A61BK	IO9A	IT9YVO	TM2T	F8DHE
A61FJ	LZ1YE	IQ2XZ	9A8MDC	TM3R	F5UTN
A62A	A61BK	IR3MD	IZ2GOT	TM4L	F8ARK
A73A	A71A	IR3Z	IN3XUG	TM6M	F4DXW
A9110RR	A92AA	IR4M	I4IFL	TM7X	F5BSB
AH0K	OH6GDX	IR6A	IK6QON	TM85VGC	F5OEV [d]
AH2R	JH7QXJ	IR6T	IK6VXO	TM85VGC	F6KUF [b]
AO2016DSS	EA2URD	IR8C	IZ8TDP	TM8VG	F8KFL
AT2W	W1UE	IR9W	IW0HBY	TR8CA	F6CBC
B7M	BG7LHY	IY1A	IW1ARB	UN7AB	DL8KAC
B7P	BA4EG	IY1EY	IK1QBT	UN9L	LZ1YE
BM0DX	BM2JCC	J42T	SV2DCD	UP0L	DL8KAC
BY5HB	BG5EFD	J68ABM	W6ABM	UP2L	UA9AB
C37NL	C37URA	J68GD	K9AW	V26B	KA2AEV
C44C	M0URX	J68KF	N7BF	V31YN	DJ4KW
C4A	5B4KH	J68MT	WT4BT	V47T	W2RQ
C91IW	ZS1WY	JT5DX	JT1CO	V63AJ	DF8AN
CB0Y	XQ7UP	JY9FC	E73Y	V63AKB48	JI1MDM
CB1H	CE1DY	KH2/W7GVC	JO7GVC	V6H	JH3QFL
CB1W	XQ4CW	KH2F	JA2TBS	VC3R	VE7VR
CB3R	CE3KHZ	KH7CW	K2WR	VC7X	VE7JH
CE0Y/NO9E	NO9E	KH7M	KH6ZM	VE2DXY	KD3RF
CE3CT	EA5KB	KL7RA	N6TR	VE2IM	VE3DZ
CE6TC	CE3FED	KP2M	NZ4DX	VE9AA	VE3IKV
CN2AA	UA2FM	KP3Z	N4AO	VI50DC	M0OXO
CN2R	W7EJ	KW4XC/HI9	OE3MZC	VK2IA	DK2BJ
CN3A	IV3ZXQ	L77D	LU6DC	VK4KW	N3SL
CO0CB	CO8NDZ	LP1H	EA5KB	VK4NM	M0OXO
CO6HLP	IZ1DSH	LT7F	EA5KB	VP2MDG	K2DM
CO6LC	IZ1GDB	LU8YE	IK2DUW	VP2V/K6TOP	NR6M
CQ8M	CU2ARA	LX7I	LX2A	VP5DX	NU4Y
CR2B	EA1BP	LZ960SPA	LZ1KCP	VP5S	K0MD
CR3A	EA5GL	M4A	M0BLF	VP6AH	DL2AH
CR5C	OK4PA	M6T	G4PIQ	VQ96JC	ND9M
CR6K	CT1ILT	MD1E	M0OXO	VU2RMS	RW6HS
CR6T	CT1ESV	MD1U	M0OXO	VY0ERC	M0OXO
CV5Q	CX2ABC	MD2C	MD0CCE	WP3C	W3HNK
CV7S	CX7SS	MD7C	M0OXO	XE2B	EA5OL
CX2DK	EA5GL	MW0JZE	M0OXO	XL3A	VE3AT
CX5UA	EA5KB	MW5R	MW0EDX	XR6N	CE6VMO
CX9AU	EA5GL	NP2J	K8RF	XT2AGI	M0OXO

CY0/VA1AXC	JE1LET	NP3A	WD8CW	XT2AW	M0OXO
D2EB	IZ3ETU	NP3U	WP4U	XU7AMD	IK2VUC
D4C	IK2NCJ	OA4SS	KB6J	XU7MDC	IK2VUC
D4E	KU9C	OD5ZZ	NI5DX	XV9NPS	JA2NPS [b]
D73G	6L0NJ [b]	OE2S	OE2GEN	XV9NPS	JA2ODB [d]
D73G	HL4CEL [d]	OE6Z	OE6CLD	XW1IC	E21EIC
DF0HQ	DL5AXX	OH0I	OH3BHL	XX9O	XX9AU
DL0POLIO	DJ4MG	OH0X	OH2TA	YB1/W0MDX	9M2MDX
DM16RRV	DL0MLU	OH5NQ	OH5CZ	YB8UTI	YB3MM
DU1/JA3FJE	JN3VQM	OH8X	OH2UA	YB9KA	HA3JB
DU1IST	JA1HGY	OK3C	OK2ZC	YE1AR	N2OO
DU3LA	W3HNK	OK5W	OK1MJA	YN5Z	K7ZO
DX2R	W3HNK	OK6T	OK1DCF	YP0C	YO3CZW
E2A	E21EIC	OK7K	OK1BN	Z3B	Z33B
E2X	E20GMY	OK7O	OK1DOL	ZA/IK2RLM	IZ2LSP
E51RR	ZL1BQD	OL9R	OK6RA	ZB2CN	DJ9WH
E703QLA	E71CQ	OM7M	OM3PA	ZB2TT	M0URX
E74A	K2PF	OM8A	OM2VL	ZF1A	K6AM
E7DX	E77E	OP16N	ON4CRD	ZF2AH	W6VNR
EA9KB	EA7FTR	OR1Z	ON6IX	ZF2ZB	JH1NBN
EA9LZ	EA5KB	OR2F	ON8LDS	ZF9CW	K0DEQ
ED1R	EC1KR	OR3A	ON6CC	ZS6CCY	K3IRV
ED3X	EA3JW	OR70AF	ON2KFJ	ZV1LM	PY1AA
ED8W	EA8DO	OT100EV	ON6LC	ZW8L	PY8WW
ED8X	RN3RQ	P33W	UA3DX	ZY2A	PP2BO
EE3A	EA3ATM	P3X	5B4AMM	ZZ2T	PY2MNL

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