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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3W - Yuri, RM0F (ex RA0FU) will be active as 3W9CI from the city of Hoi An (mainland Vietnam) and the Cham Islands (AS-162) between 18 and 27 March. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW or via home call (direct or bureau).

9A - Sergio, IZ3NXC will be active as 9A8NXC from Pag Island (EU-170) from 30 March to 2 April. He will operate SSB and digital modes on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via IK3GES. [TNX IZ3NXC]

C6 - Joe, W8GEX and Janet, W8CAA will be active holiday style as C6ADX and C6AYL from Exuma (NA-001), Bahamas on 19-26 March. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 40-6 metres. QSL direct to home calls. [TNX DX World]

F - Charente DX Groupe's (http://www.charentedxgroupe.fr/) members F4GBD, F5LOW, F5MNK, F5NBQ, F6HKA and ON4ZD will be active as TM3Y from Yeu Island (EU-064) on 14-20 April. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards via Club Log's OQRS or via ON4ZD. [TNX ON4ZD]

OA - Special callsign OC4SP will be active on 23-24 March from the archeological site of Pachacamac, Peru. Two stations will operate CW, SSB and various digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via OA4O.

PY - PR2CI will be active from Ilha das Couves (SA-071) on 6-8 April. Look for activity on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW or via PY2AE.

T2 - 8-15 April are the new tentative dates for 3D2AG's activity from Tuvalu (OC-015) [425DXN 1401]. In his spare time Tony will operate SSB, CW, RTTY, JT65 and FT8 on 160-6 metres. QSL direct to 3D2AG; PayPal instructions on https://www.qrz.com/db/3d2ag. He does not use LoTW or Club Log.

TJ - TJ2TT is the actual callsign issued to the Italian DXpedition Team for their 15-29 March operation from Cameroon [425DXN 1400]. Six operators will be QRV on 160-10m CW and SSB with three stations; RTTY will be used on 20m only. QSL via I2YSB . Real-time logsearch and OQRS for direct cards at http://www.i2ysb.com/idt/.

V3 - Victor, WB0TEV will be active again as V31VP from Blackman Eddy in central Belize on 22-27 March, including an entry in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via WB0TEV (direct or bureau).

V7 - Nobu, JA0JHQ (http://pandasan.jimdo.com/) will be active from Majuro (OC-029), Marshall Islands on 22-25 March. He will collect his licence and callsign upon arrival. Main activity will be during the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest, with a focus on 20 metres FT8 outside the contest. QSL via JA0JHQ, bureau or direct, and LoTW.

VK0/M - Norbert, VK0AI (home call VK5MQ) arrived at Macquarie Island (AN-005) on 12 March, and will remain there for one year. He "is

not expected to be QRV until well after the changeover of wintering crews". [TNX DX World]

VP5 - Ross, W2TT and John, AF3K will be active as VP5/W2TT and VP5/AF3K from Providenciales, Caicos Islands (NA-002) on 20-27 March. They will be QRV on 80-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY, FT8 and 6m MSK, and will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as VP5P (QSL via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS or W2TT). [TNX NG3K]

XT - Max, DK1MAX, will be active holiday style as XT2MAX from Burkina Faso from 23 March to 2 April. He will operate almost exclusively CW and FT8 on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via LoTW and eQSL only; logsearch on Club Log.

YJ - Chris, VK2YUS will be active again as YJ0CA from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu approximately between 18 and 24 March. He will operate SSB on 40 and 20 metres during the local evenings. QSL direct to home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The February 2018 issue is now available for download at http://www.425dxn.org/index.php. [TNX IZ3EBA]

9M0W ---> The final log - 23460 QSOs (79% CW) with 9561 unique calls - is now online: http://www.yt1ad.info/9m0w/qsl.html. Questions about missing QSOs should be sent to YT3W (yt3w[@]yt3w.info), who will return home on 26 March.

REBEL DXERS' PROJECTS ---> Members of the Polish Rebel DX Group launch "an extended transoceanic project called Travel Cheap to Top DXCCs". They plan to "activate interesting and difficult-to-reach rare DXCC Entities in the coming years". Plans for 2018 include a DXpedition to Central Kiribati (T31) in May, followed first by Tokelau and Swains Island, and then by Bouvet Island (3Y0I) [425DXN 1397]. They "invite all interested hams to join our extraordinary project". See http://www.rebeldxgroup.com/ for further information.

Z60A ---> Z60A went QRT at 20.20 UTC on 12 March. This initial activation of DXCC's newest Entity totalled 98,450 QSOs with 30,541 individual callsigns from 174 DXCC Entities. The delegates to a variety of support functions and radio operating represented 12 countries. "They worked well together in a real ham's spirit and assisted local Kosovar hams in many ways now that they will be on their own among the global amateur radio community". The operators were Z61DX, Z61FF, Z61VB, Z62FB, Z63DBB, DD2ML, DJ5IW, DL3DXX, DL5AXX, DL5CW, DM5TI, ES2RR, G3TXF, IK0FVC, K9JF, OG2M, OH0XX, OH2BH, OH1MA, OH3JR, OM3PC, OM5RW, PB2T, OZ1IKY, S50A, S51F, S57AW and VE7NY. A LoTW upload will be done soon and QSLs are at the printers next week. [TNX N7NG]

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******* QSL ROUTES *******

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8CW	NI5DX	EM25URD	UR7UT	OE100GBK	OE8GBK
3B8XF	G3TXF	EY8MM	K1BV	OE100IIO	OE5IIO
3B9FR	M0OXO	G6XX	M0OXO	OE100RNS	OE3RNS
3C0W	YL2GN	GB2GP	GI4FUM	OE100SGU	OE1SGU
3W2TXR	JA2TXR	GB80GGCN	G0TOC	OE100VIE	OE4VIE
4B4B	XE1B	GD6XX	M0OXO	OE100XHQ	OE3XHQ
4J100RO	4K4K	GI6XX	M0OXO	OE100YSC	OE3YSC
4J28MAY	4J5A	GJ6XX	M0OXO	OE100YXK	OE8YXK
4M6R	EA5GL	GM6XX	M0OXO	OV1RR	OZ1HHH
4S7IGG	LZ1PJ	GU6XX	M0OXO	P29LL	EA7FTR
4S7KKG	DC0KK	GW6XX	M0OXO	PF2018YLS	PA0MBD
4U13FEB	9A2AA	H44MS	DL2GAC	PJ2ND	K8ND
4X6TT	N4GNR	HF100ZHP	SP5ZHH	PJ4/K2NG	WA2NHA
5R8AL	G3SWH	HF800W	SQ6ILG	PJ4KY	M0URX
5W20SAMOA	EA5GL	HG5OLDT	HA0KA	PJ7TM	K2GSJ
5X8C	ON6NL	HH2AA	NR6M	PZ5K	G3NKC
6W/IV3FSG	IK3GES	HH70A	W3HNK	R105AP	RV3YR
7X3WPL	7X3DL	HI3K	KB2MS	RG61PP	RZ3LC
8N1UEC/JD1	JA1ZGP	HK3C	NR6M	RI1ANA	RN1ON
8P1W	KU9C	HK3TK	F5CWU	RI1ANL	RN1ON
8Q7WK	OE1MWW	HK4L	EA5GL	T32TV	KE5EE
9A36W	9A6W	HP3SS	AC2OV	T88XH	JA0EKI
9H3AF	G8MLQ	II0ICH	IM0QMA	TJ2TT	I2YSB
9H6A	9H1BT	II0IDP	IS0GFR	TM17HF	F6BCC
9J2BO	G3TEV	II0IDR	IZ0FVD	TN5R	EA5RM
9M0W	YT1AD	II1ICS	I1ANP	TO5A	F5VHJ
9N1AA	N4GNR	II1IGG	I2AZ	TX5X	KH6OO
9Q6BB	W3HNK	II3ICZ	IQ3GA	TY7C	F5GSJ
9V1YC	W5UE	II5IDK	IQ5LI	V26PD	NR6M
A5A	JH1AJT	II5VC	IZ5MMH	V31AX	M0URX
A60SF	A61BK	II7ICT	IZ7AUH	V31GX	G4SGX
C37NL	C37URA	II8ICN	IK8FIQ	V31VP	WB0TEV
C6AKT	M1KTA	II9IGB	IT9CKA	VP2ETE	W3HNK
C93PA	PA5X	II9IGJ	IT9MRM	VY0ERC	M0OXO
CB3R	XQ3SK	J42CPMV	SV2HXV	XR0YD	DL4SVA
CE2SV	N7RO	J68SL	WF2S	XV1X	RW6HS
CO7RR	KU9C	JW2US	LA2US	XV9NPS	JA2NPS [b]
CP4BT	DJ2BW	JW7QIA	LA7QIA	XV9NPS	JA2ODB [d]
CP4MG	EA5KB	KH6BB	K1ER	XX9B	PP1CZ
CQ8M	EA5GL	LZ115RF	LZ1YE	YV1KK	OH0XX
CR140AA	CU3AA	LZ140LO	LZ1ZF	YV1YL	OH0XX
CR6T	CT1ESV	LZ25TRC	LZ1YE	Z81D	OM3JW

CV7S	CX7SS	NP2X	KU9C	ZF2AE	AA5UK
D44KIT	HB9OBD	NP4A	W3HNK	ZF2CA	G4CWH
DA0HEL	DF6QC	OE100AIR	OE8AIR	ZF2LC	W2SM
DL0IH	DF6QC	OE100AJT	OE7AJT	ZF2MJ	N6MJ
DP0GVN	DL5EBE	OE100BKC	OE3BKC	ZF2NR	K0NR
DU1/A61M	A61BK	OE100EGN	OE5GEN	ZV2C	PY2CX
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