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*** 4 2 5 D X N E W S ***
**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3D2_cr - The Rebel DX Group says they are going to Conway Reef (OC-112) this coming week (see https://www.facebook.com/rebeldxgroup/). They will be active as 3D2CR. See. A few weeks ago they had also announced plans for a reactivation of T31T from Kanton Island, Central Kiribati (OC-043) [425DXN 1403].

A2 - Dave, VE7VR will be active holiday style as A25VR from Botswana between 24 May and 3 June. He will be QRV on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

EI - EI6FR, EI7DSB, EI5IQ, HB9DGV, GM3YEH and GM7WCO will be active as EJ7NET from Inisheer Island (EU-006) on 19-23 May. They will operate "all modes" on the HF bands and 6m. QSL via operators' instructions. [TNX DX World]

FR - Thomas, F4HPX will be active as FR/F4HPX from Reunion Island (AF-016) on from 25 May to 15 June. He will operate SSB, digital modes and maybe CW on 40-15 metres. QSL via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS, or via home call (direct or bureau). [TNX DX World]

FS/PJ7 - Nao, JN1RVS and Zorro, JH1AJT will be active from both St. Martin and Sint Maarten on 20-27 May. Callsigns mentioned are PJ8RV, PJ8Z and FS/KH8Z. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and FT8. QSL PJ8RV via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS or via JA1HGY; QSL FS/KH8Z and PJ8Z via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS or via JH1AJT. [TNX The Daily DX]

I - ARI Trento and Radio Club Valsugana are active as II3ANA until 25 May for the 91st National Reunion of the Italian Army's Alpine troops. All QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau; direct cards to Sezione ARI di Trento, Via E. Conci 68/A, 38122 Trento TN, Italy. On 11-13 May Salvatore Bonomolo, IZ1BWB will operate IZ1CCK, the callsign issued to the Alpine Brigade "Taurinense".

PA - Roland, DL1EAL will be active as PA/DL1EAL from Texel Island (EU-038) on 12-24 May. He will be QRV hliday style on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call (direct or bureau), eQSL and LoTW. [TNX DX Newsletter]

TA - The landing of Mustafa Kemal Ataturk at Samsun (19 May 1919) marked the beginning of the Turkish War of Independence and heralded the establishment of the republic in 1923. Special callsign TC19M will be activated on 18-20 May to commemorate that event. Look for activity on SSB, RTTY, PSK and FT8 on the HF bands. See qrz.com for QSL information.

VK - Craig, VK5CE has added a fifth island to his IOTA Tour [425DXN 1400], and now expects to be active as follows:

04-07 June	VK5CE/6	East Lewis Island	OC-199
08-11 June	VK5CE/6	Direction Island	OC-140
15-18 June	VK5CE/6	Cheyne Island	OC-193
20-23 June	VK5CE/6	Woody Island	OC-170

26-28 June VK5CE/p St Peter Island OC-220
He will operate SSB and some RTTY and PSK63 on 40-15 metres, plus 80m ("just a bit") from OC-170 and OC-140. He will not be doing any CW or FT8. QSL via Club Log's OQRS for direct cards only (look for VK5CE/6_OC140, VK5CE/6_OC170, VK5CE/6_OC193, VK5CE/6_OC199 and VK5CE/P_OC220), or via VK5CE (direct or bureau). Bookmark https://vkiota.wordpress.com/vk5ce-6/ for more information and updates.

YB - Yosuke, JJ1DQR will be active as YB9/JJ1DQR from Bali (OC-022) on 18-21 May. He will operate SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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3Y0I ---> The Rebel DX Group has secured more than a half of their DXpedition's budget of USD 225,000, and is applying for grants from DX foundations to cover the missing amount. An initial contract with the ship's owner has been signed. A bigger ship stands for a bigger team to go to Bouvet Island [425DXN 1409]. Read the latest news, dated 10 May, on https://bouvetoya.org/.

IARU REGION III 50TH ANNIVERSARY ---> HL50IARU from Korea (1 May-31 October) and VI50IARU3 from Australia (1 April-31 August), as well as YB50IARU from Indonesia, are special callsigns celebrating the 50th anniversary of IARU Region 3, established Sidney on 12 April 1968. See http://awards-iaru-r3.org for information on the awards issued free of charge for working these and other commemorative special callsigns.

LEBANON ON 6 METRES ---> IARU Region 1 reports that Lebanese amateur radio operators have been granted permission to use the 6 metres band. The Ministry of Telecommunications has approved operations to take place between 50.000 MHz and 51.975 MHz.

QSL HK3C ---> M0URX is the new QSL manager for John, HK3C. Tim will also be looking after John's older callsigns of HK3AK and HK3OZ. The logs have been uploaded to M0URX's OQRS (https://www.m0urx.com/oqrs/logsearch.php) and are live. A new QSL card will be designed shortly.

ROYAL WEDDING SPECIAL PREFIXES ---> Subject to prior authorisation, amateur radio operators in the United Kingdom may use special prefixes starting at 23 UTC on 18 May through 21 May to signify the marriage of H.R.H. Prince Henry of Wales to Ms Meghan Markle. The Regional Secondary Locator (D, I, J, M, U and W, plus E for Intermediate licences) in the existing call sign may be replaced by the letter 'R'; where no Secondary Locator exists, the letter 'R' may be inserted as a Secondary Locator. For instance, MD0ABC (Isle of

Man), MI0ABC (Northern Ireland), MJ0ABC (Jersey), MM0ABC (Scotland), MU0ABC (Guernsey), MW0ABC (Wales) and M0ABC (England) may all be amended to MR0ABC. Alan, 5B4AHJ is maintaining a Club Log Helpdesk article to help clarify which special calls are QRV from which DXCC Entity. The list does NOT include stations operating from England (Club Log does not need an exception for them): https://clublog.freshdesk.com/support/solutions/folders/98233 and select "2R, GR & MR prefixes - Royal Wedding, 2018".

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3F6IC	HP1AVS	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	RP73AU	RK1OWZ
3V8CB	LX1NO	JD1BMH	JD1BMH [b]	RP73AZ	R9AV
3W9XG	DF2XG	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ [d]	RP73BR	RA3Y
4L0ONY	DL7CM	KM4FOC	K2SX	RP73GE	RC3G
4O7CC	UA4CC	KT5FOC	W0VX	RP73GF	RA3TYL
4U29MAY	9A2AA	LY80FOC	LY2PX [*]	RP73GS	RK9JYY
4U80FOC	S57DX	LZ110SAE	LZ1KCP	RP73GV	UA3XS
5C2P	IK2PZC	LZ73ZZ	LZ1ZF	RP73GY	R7PL
9A18WARD	9A3JB	M0RSE	G3SWH	RP73I	RW4HB
9H3GO	IZ8ALA	MX0SNB	G3SVK	RP73IB	RW1AM
9H3JI	F5SGI	N8FOC	W8AV	RP73IP	RA4L
9J80FOC	G3TEV	OD5TE	IZ8CLM	RP73IZ	UB4W
A52AEF	JH3AEF	OE18WRCD	OE6FBD	RP73K	R5WW
A52IVU	JA3IVU	OE6PUPIL	OE6WIG	RP73KC	UB7K
A52YL	WA0WOF	OH0KA	OH3KAV	RP73KF	RW4NW
C8T	ON1DX	OJ0W	OH3WS	RP73KR	RU6K
C96RRC	R7AL	OK7FOC	OK1TN	RP73L	RW1F
C98RRC	R7AL	OT70ACC	ON7SS	RP73LD	RA6CA
CN8PG	EA7FTR	OT70ALT	ON7SS	RP73M	R5CA
CQ7H	CS0RCL	OT70ARA	ON7SS	RP73MG	R6MG
CR62EBU	CS5LX	OT70AST	ON7SS	RP73MK	UA4AVA
CS20ARC	CS5ARC	OT70ATH	ON7SS	RP73MM	UA3RU
DB25ONN	DL8NBM	OT70ATO	ON7SS	RP73MP	UA9PM
DF80FOC	DF4XX	OT70BDX	ON7SS	RP73MS	R6LO
DJ80FOC	DJ5IL	OT70BFA	ON7SS	RP73ND	R2DFJ
DK80FOC	DK7LX	OT70BTS	ON7SS	RP73O	R2EA
DL80FOC	DJ1YFK	OT70BXE	ON7SS	RP73ON	RZ3LC
DM200MARX	DG0CH	OT70CLR	ON7SS	RP73OT	R4RT
DM80FOC	DL5YL	OT70CPN	ON7SS	RP73P	RK9LWA
DP80FOC	DL6KVA	OT70CRD	ON7SS	RP73PK	RG3B
DU1IST	JA1HGY	OT70DIG	ON7SS	RP73PP	R2ZAC
E51KMR	KM7R	OT70DST	ON7SS	RP73QP	RW3O
E725SRRS	E77E	OT70EKO	ON7SS	RP73S	RV3LZ
EF4MGP	EA5DY	OT70ERA	ON7SS	RP73SE	UA7R
EG1DCC	EA1COW	OT70GDV	ON7SS	RP73SF	UA9JSF

EG1MAR	EA1UVR	OT70GNT	ON7SS	RP73T	R2PT
EG5MGP	EA5DY	OT70GTM	ON7SS	RP73TF	UA4YE
EG8CID	EA8URL	OT70HCC	ON7SS	RP73TG	UA9APA
EM44WFF	UT4WA	OT70HRT	ON7SS	RP73TP	R8IA
EM73L	US4LG	OT70KTK	ON7SS	RP73TR	RX7M
EM73LL	UX2LL	OT70LGE	ON7SS	RP73TV	R2IN
EM73Q	UR6QV	OT70LIR	ON7SS	RP73VF	RK3VWA
EM73V	UT4VWA	OT70LLV	ON7SS	RP73WW	RD1AH
EM80FOC	UR5MM	OT70LUS	ON7SS	RP73X	R9XC
EN73U	UT7UD	OT70LVN	ON7SS	S92HP	CT1ENW
EO73L	UR4LJ	OT70MCL	ON7SS	SC80FOC	SM2EKM
EP2LMA	EA5GL	OT70MLB	ON7SS	SF3HF	SM3NXS
EV73F	EW3W	OT70NBT	ON7SS	SF80FOC	SM6CUK
EV73GA	RW6HS	OT70NLB	ON7SS	SK50AJ	SM5CBN
EV73K	EW8EQ	OT70NNV	ON7SS	SM80FOC	SM1TDE
EV73KP	RW6HS	OT70NOL	ON7SS	SP0C130E	SP2TMT
EV73M	EW1I	OT70ODE	ON7SS	SP304PAF	SP5KCR
GB1FOC	M0IHT	OT70ONZ	ON7SS	SP305PAF	SP5KCR
GB1TDY	G0OOO	OT70OSA	ON7SS	SP308PAF	SP5KCR
GB2FOC	G4BYG	OT70OSB	ON7SS	SP315PAF	SP5KCR
GB4FOC	G3SWH	OT70OST	ON7SS	SP663PAF	SP5KCR
GB4TDY	M0SCG	OT70PHI	ON7SS	SP9E	NE8Z
GB5CLB	G4JYN	OT70RAM	ON7SS	T32TV	KE5EE
GB5LBC	G4USW	OT70RAT	ON7SS	T43A	RW6HS
GB80FOC	G3SWH	OT70RCA	ON7SS	TC0AX	M0SDV
GB9OSA	ON6EF	OT70RSX	ON7SS	TM0CXX	F6FMT
GB9RAF	MI0MOD	OT70SNW	ON7SS	TM18PGM	F4FCE
GC4FOC	G3SWH	OT70THN	ON7SS	TM2CV	F8GGZ
GH4FOC	G3SWH	OT70TLS	ON7SS	TM40KOP	F6KOP
GP4FOC	G3SWH	OT70TRA	ON7SS	TM53J	F6KSU
GS4FOC	G3SWH	OT70TWS	ON7SS	TM5FI	F5XX
GX4FOC	G3SWH	OT70UBA	ON7SS	TM5SE	F4KJP
H40D	VE3LYC	OT70WLD	ON7SS	TM8U	ON8AZ
HA60FMV	HA5FMV	OT70WRA	ON7SS	UE73KM	RW6HS
HA80FOC	HA9RT	OT70WRC	ON7SS	V47JA	W5JON
HF40CUF	SP4CUF	OT70WTO	ON7SS	VA3FOC	VE3USP
HF60PKI	SP7PKI	OT70YLC	ON7SS	VU8FOC	VU2PTT
HH2MK	EB7DX	OT70ZTM	ON7SS	WA1FOC	K1SA
HH6/N3BNA	KA2AEV	OZ80FOC	OZ8SW	YB3LZ/8	YB3MM
HH70A	W3HNK	PA80FOC	PA5V	YB3TET/8	YB3MM
IB1CN	IK1UGX	PF2018BOL	PA0MBD	YT73DP	YU1SU
II0FOC	IK0YGJ	PF80FOC	PA0ABM	YU70SRV	YU7APV
II1HKK	IQ1DZ	PH00GEVEEN	PA4HM	Z61KR/P	9A1R
II30CJ	IW2HAJ	PH80FOC	PA0ABM	ZA/SP6JZL	DL6EBH
II3AC	IK3GES	R1945HS	RW6HS	ZL1FOC	ZL3CW
II3GIRO	IV3TMM	RA07DR	RQ4A	ZL80FOC	ZL2AGY
II4TES	IQ4FE	RP73AB	RA0SMS	ZS9FOC	ZS1C
IR0FOC	IS0AFM	RP73AD	R4FD	ZV2MU	PU2WDX

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