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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3W - Jacek, SP5APW will be active as 3W9KJ from Dao Co To (AS-132), Vietnam from 27 September to 3 October. Main mode will be FT8/FT4 with some SSB if conditions allow. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW or via home call. [TNX DX World]

5H - Maurizio, IK2GZU will be active as 5H3MB from Ikelu, Tanzania from 25 September to 28 October, while doing volunteer work for the local hospital. In his spare time he will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on the HF bands. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW and eQSL, or via IK2GZU (direct or bureau). [TNX IK2GZU]

5H - Elena, RC5A and Yuri, RM0F will be active as 5H3CA and 5H3RRC from Mafia Island (AF-054) from 29 September to 5 October. They will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres. QSL via RC5A. [TNX DX World]

7Q - Bill KC4D (7Q7WW), Don K6ZO (7Q6M) and Junior 7Q7JN have been active from Malawi since 5 September, and will remain there until 18 September. They operate FT8, SSB and CW from the Embangweni Mission Hospital as time and power allow. [TNX NG3K]

C2 - The Latvian team going to Nauru on 16-25 September [425DXN 1474] will be signing C21WW (instead of C21W). On 6-15 September they will be active as T30L from Tarawa, West Kiribati. More information can be found on http://www.lral.lv/c21ww_t30l/.

EA - URE San Fernando (EA7URF) is participating in the official celebrations for the 500th anniversary of the first circumnavigation of the Earth [425DXN 1467]. The second of ten special event stations representing a milestone of the voyage will be AM500SAN, to be active on 21-29 September to memorialize the departure from Sanlucar de Barrameda for the Canary Islands (20 September 1519). QSL via EA7URF (bureau or direct), LoTW and eQSL.

G - Special callsign GB1JB will be activated on 10-28 September to Celebrate the 110th birthday of Jean Batten, the New Zealand aviatrix who made a number of record-breaking solo flights across the world in the 1930s. QSL direct to M0OGG.

HB0 - Look for HB0/DJ2AX, HB0/DL4APJ and HB0/DL5ARG to be active from Liechtenstein on 12-18 September, including participation in the Worked All Europe DX SSB Contest as HB0/DJ2AX. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres, and will also give 2m, 70cm, and 23cm a try. QSL via home calls. [TNX DX Newsletter]

HC - Uwe, DL8UD will be active again as HC5M from Cuenca, Ecuador on 22-31 October, CQ WW DX SSB Contest included. Outside the contest he will operate SSB and CW on 160-10 metres. QSL via DL8UD, direct or bureau; logsearch on Club Log. [TNX NG3K]

IS0 - Giuseppe, IK5WWA will be active as IM0DAE from San Pietro Island (EU-165) on 16-28 September. He will be QRV on the HF bands, as well as on 6m, 2m and 70cm. QSL via IK5WWA, direct or bureau.

JA - Taka, JA8COE will be active as JA8COE/0 from Sado Island (AS-206) on 22-24 September. He will operate CW, FT8 and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via JA8COE (direct or bureau).

JW - Look for Dario JW/IT9SSI, Antonello JW/IT9YVO and Francesco JW/IZ7KHR to be active from the JW5E club station in Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard on 7-10 September (https://io9a.it/jw-2019/). They will operate CW and SSB, with some RTTY or FT8, on 160-10 metres. QSL via home calls; all QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and LoTW after the DXpedition.

KH0 - Harry, JG7PSJ will be active holiday style as WH0RU from Saipan (OC-086) on 15-22 September. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via LoTW, or direct to JG7PSJ. Logsearch on http://jg7psj.starfree.jp/. [TNX DX World]

OE - Special callsign OE15SOTA will be active on 6-22 September to celebrate the 15th anniversary of Austria joining the Summits On the Air programme. A certificate will be available, see https://www.qrz.com/db/OE15SOTA for more information.

ON - The ONZ Oost Kust Radioclub (ON6HC) will be active on all bands and modes as OR75CLM on 1-3 November. The suffix stands for Canadian Liberation March, the annual event that celebrates the liberation of the Belgian town of Knokke on 1 November 1944. QSL via ON6HC. A certificate will be available, see http://www.onz.be/or75clm/ for information. [TNX ON3XI]

OZ - Rosel, DL3KWR will be active holiday style as OZ6SYL from near Faxe, Sjaelland (EU-029) on 9-23 September. She will operate CW, and will participate in the CW leg of the Scandinavian Activity Contest (21-22 September). QSL via OZ7AGR.

PA - Special event station PA75LIMBURG will be active from 12 September to 3 March 2020 to mark the 75th anniversary of the liberation of the Dutch province of Limburg during World War II (started on 12 September 1944 and completed on 3 March 1945). QSL via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), or via PC9DB.

PA - Commemorating the 75th anniversary of Operation Market Garden, special event station PH75MG will be active on 14-21 September. QSL via PI4CQ, direct or bureau.

PA - The Vereniging van Radio Zend Amateurs (VRZA) will be active as PA100PCGG on 6-10 November to celebrate "Idzerda Day" and the 100th anniversary of PCGG. QSL via the bureau. Located at The Hague and established by engineer Hanso Idzerda, radio station PCGG began broadcasting a regular schedule of entertainment programmes on 6 November 1919. It is believed to have been Europe's first sustained broadcasting station, as well as one of the first stations in the world to transmit entertainment intended for a general audience.

S7 - Lance, W7GJ will be active as S79GJ from La Digue Island (AF-024, WWL LI75vp), Seychelles on 21-29 September. This will be a 6m EME DXpedition: "I urge you to gain experience with JT65A", he says, "and especially review the QSO procedure that I use most effectively on these DXpeditions". When "not aimed up at the moon", he adds, "I very well may be on SSB or FT8 mode. For FT8, I will be using 50.313 MHz". Plans are to tear down on 30 September, but he might "be able to get on 20m FT8 for some activity during the first few days of October" before departing for home on the 5th. QSL direct only to home call. See http://www.bigskyspaces.com/w7gj/ for

planned operating schedules and other information.

T8 - T88FM (JM1LIG), T88MK (JO3LVG) and T88RR (JA6UBY) will be active from Koror (OC-009), Palau on 12-20 September. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres. QSL via home calls.

TT - Jean-Louis, ZS6AAG (F5MAW) has been sporadically active as TT8JLH from N'Djamena, Chad since late August. He works for Medecins Sans Frontieres, and will be QRV in his spare time until 14 October. QSL via eQSL only. [TNX The Daily DX]

W - AB5EB, AD5A, AD6D, K0AP, N5LN, W5GAI and possibly others will be active as K5P from Isle au Pitre (NA-089) and N5C from Cat Island (NA-082) on 4-6 October. They plan to activate both islands simultaneously. QSL via K0AP for both operations. [TNX DX World]

YB - ORARI Daerah Banten (http://iota.ordabanten.or.id/) will be active as 7I1TI from Tunda Island (OC-237) on 6-8 September. QSL via HA3JB, logsearch on Club Log.

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CLUB LOG LIVE STREAMS ---> Live Streams is a new feature that Michael, G7VJR has added to Club Log. It provides a console view of a Club Log callsign in real-time, including a map showing the location of the QSOs. Each time new QSOs are uploaded to Club Log, the Live Stream is automatically updated and a graphical indication of which bands are in use is presented to help DXers. Live Streams is available to any Club Log user. The idea is that it can be used standalone (very helpful if a DXpedition is logging in real-time) and can also be embedded in other web pages or bookmarked. Instructions can be found on https://clublog.freshdesk.com/support/solutions/articles/3000092445

ENIGMA RELOADED ---> The 6th "Enigma Reloaded" event will take place from 27 September to 12 October. Complete information on the event and the associated award is available at http://www.enigma-reloaded.it/.

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's website has been updated. Sixteen different galleries include 17,287 cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (2009-18), the 62 deleted DXCC Entities, obsolete prefixes, stations from Maghreb from 1945 to 1962, Allied Forces stations in Germany (1945-70), special stations commemorating ITU and IARU, stations using the United Nations prefix (4U), Antarctic bases and TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean, the Indian Ocean and the Americas (from 1945 to 1969), pre-1945 countries, French Departments and CONUS, plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC. Your participation is encouraged: http://www.lesnouvellesdx.fr/galeriegsl.php. [TNX F6AJA].

VP8/VP8DXU ---> The project planning for the 2020 DXpedition to the South

South Orkney Islands [425DXN 1474] continues: other companies have joined the corporate sponsors team, the operators are making their travel arrangements (at their own expense) to meet the "Braveheart" in Chile, and during the week of 20 October team members will meet to consolidate, integrate, test and pack the equipment for its transport to Punta Arenas. The fundraising campaign continues, as "the inconvenient truth is that amateur radio DXpeditions to the Southern Ocean, and other rare entities that require a ship charter, are expensive. While the team members will shoulder much of the cost of the project, we depend on corporate sponsors, clubs/foundations and individuals to share the cost. Ham radio is our hobby, businesses require full payment for their services. To date, 37 clubs/foundations and over 300 individuals have shown their support for the project. With 6 months before sailing we are at 48% of our fundraising goal", the VP8/VP8DXU team reported on 1 September. "A subsequent DXpedition to South Orkney Island will likely not take place for a long time. If you need South Orkney for an ATNO, band fills, or plan to play in the pileups, we would appreciate your help before we sail". Visit https://sorkney.com/ and consider making a donation. [TNX K5GS]

QSLs received direct or through managers: 1A0C, 3B9VB, 4U1A, 5T5PA, 7X4AN, A41NN, CE2AWW, CN8LI, DJ9IN (EU-047), E44WE, EM1U (AN-006), FH/UA4WHX, FK8CP, HK1NA (SA-082), J48GEO (EU-049), JG7PSJ/7 (AS-206), MI0SAI, MJ0IKL, RU6DX/p (EU-185), S01WS, S70VB, S9A, SK9HQ, SV8NAJ (EU-052), T2AR, V31DL, V84SAA, XR0ZRC (SA-005), XR1RRC (SA-069), YB0MWM, YL2BJ.

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