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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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Owing to the ongoing and fluid nature of the COVID-19 situation globally, announced activities might be cut short, postponed, cancelled or even extended at any time and without notice.

9A - The Radio Klub Grada Zaboka (9A0Z) has been active as 9A2CHRIS since early April to honour the memory of Kresimir "Chris" Kovarik, 9A5K (8 May 1974 - 27 February 2019). Activity will continue until the end of the year. QSL via LoTW and eQSL; a special QSL card will be downloadable on http://www.9a0z.com/. Past President of the Croatian Amateur Radio Association (HRS) and Vice Chairman of the IARU Region 1 HF Committee, Chris was the author of DXlog.net and a competitor in WRTC 2006, 2014 and 2018. In 2019 he was inducted into the CQ Contest Hall of Fame.

DL - DL25GDXF is the special callsign for the German DX Foundation to celebrate its 25th anniversary from 1 May until 31 July. QSL via DL6DH and LoTW. Contacts made between 1 May and 31 December with DL25GDXF, DF0GDX (club callsign, active since 1 February 2021) and GDXF members count towards the "25 Jahre GDXF" award - see https://gdxf.de/gdxf25/ for information.

HB9 - Special callsign HB90BERO will celebrate the 90th anniversary of the Beromuenster broadcasting station between 1 May and 31 July. QSL via LoTW and Club Log's OQRS. The Beromuenster transmitter was a medium wave AM broadcast station. Officially opened on 11 June 1931, it was shut down on 28 December 2008.

HL - Lee, HL1IWD will be active holiday style as HL1IWD/4 from the Kogunsan Islands (AS-148) on 1-3 May. He will operate CW and some FT8 on 40-20 metres. On his way back he will make a short stop over on Anmyon Island (AS-080), and will try to be QRV as HL1IWD/3. QSLs via EA5GL. [TNX The Daily DX]

I - Look for IY0CG, IY0ORP, IY0TC, IY1MR, IY1SM, IY1SP and IY5PIS to be active during the International Marconi Day (24 April). QSLs via operator's instructions. These are stations affiliated to the "Coordinamento Stazioni Marconiane Italiane", which gathers amateur radio stations operating from historic Marconi sites located in Italy. [TNX IS0JMA]

JD1_oga- Once again Harry, JG7PSJ will be active as JD1BMH from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 30 April to 7 May. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10m. QSL via JD1BMH (bureau) or JG7PSJ (direct). He does not use LoTW or PayPal. Logsearch on http://jd1bmh.webcrow.jp/

JW - LB1QI, LB2HG, LA7GIA, LA7QIA and LA8OM will be active as JW0W from Prins Karls Forland (EU-063), Svalbard on 21-26 July, including participation in the IOTA Contest. They will concentrate activity on 40, 30 and 20 metres ("but also other bands if propagation

allows"), and outside the contest they will focus on North America and Asia. QSL via M0OXO's OQRS and LoTW.

KL - The KL7RRC team currently includes Hal W8HC, Rob N7QT, Tim NL8F and Yuri N3QQ. There is currently an open slot for a 5th operator; contact team leader Yuri, N3QQ (kl7rrc[@]gmail.com) if you may be interested. Now plans are to be QRV as KL7RCC from Kiska Island (NA-070) on 7-12 July, and as KL7RCC/p from Adak Island (NA-039) on 30 June-3 July and again on 14-16 July. On Kiska the team plans to have a minimum of two stations operating SSB, CW and FT8 on 40-6m with amplifiers and a focus on the difficult trans-polar path to Europe. QSLs via N7RO. Donations in support of this challenging IOTA DXpedition can be sent via PayPal: see https://www.na-234.com/ for the direct link and further information. [TNX W8HC]

LZ - Special callsign LZ70HSC will be in use throughout 2021 to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the Radio Telegraphy High Speed Club (http://www.highspeedclub.org/). QSL via LZ2JE.

PY - PX521BR is the special callsign that Peter, PY5CC will use from 22 April to 21 May to commemorate the anniversary of the Portuguese discovery of Brazil (22 April 1500). QSL via LoTW.

SM - Members of the Hisingens Radioklubb (SK6AW) will operate as SE400G from 1 May to 31 July to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the city of Gothenburg, which was granted its founding royal charter on 4 June 1621. QSL via LoTW, paper cards will not be available.

SP - Special callsigns 3Z1921PS, HF1921PS, SN1921PS, SO1921PS, SP1921PS and SQ1921PS will be activated on 1-31 May to commemorate the centenary of the third Silesian Uprising (2 May-21 July 1921). The Silesian Uprisings ("Powstania Slaskie") were a series of three armed conflicts in Upper Silesia from 1919 to 1921 in which Poles and Polish Silesians sought to break away from Germany and join the new Polish Republic, founded after World War I. QSL via operator's instructions. See https://logsp.pzk.org.pl/a/ps1921/ for information about the certificate.

UA - Special event station R75T will be active on 1-31 May to celebrate the 75th anniversary of Radio Club Stavropol. QSL via RO7T.

UA - A very large number of Russian stations using special prefix RP76 (where the letter P stands for 'pobeda', i.e. 'victory') will be active on 2-9 May to celebrate the 76th anniversary of the end of World War II. More information, including the list of participating stations and their QSL routes, is expected to be available on https://pobeda.srr.ru/ in due course.

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AGCW GOLDEN JUBILEE ---> Joining special event stations DR50AGCW and DP50AGCW in the celebrations for the 50th anniversary of the Activity Group

CW (https://www.agcw.de/) on 1-31 May will be CR50AGCW, OE50AGCW, PA50AGCW, SN50AGCW, YL50AGCW and Z350AGCW. QSL via operator's instructions.

VISALIA 2021 ---> This year's International DX Convention will be a virtual two-day meeting to be held on 15 and 16 May, with eight DX-related and eight exhibitor Zoom webinars respectively. Free pre-registration is required and is now open. See https://www.dxconvention.com/ for more information, including the programme details.

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8CW	N4GNR	HB9SPACE	HB9ACA	R60YAG	RQ7L
3G3O	XQ3OP	HB9WARD	HB9OCR	RA60YG	RQ7L
3V8SF	LX1NO	HC1M	EC5R	RC60YG	RQ7L
3W3B	E21EIC	HC1MD/2	K8LJG	RD60YG	RQ7L
4F2KWT	EA5GL	HC5EG	EA5GL	RG21DS	RQ7L
4O4T	YU1FW	HC5LM	HC5VF	RG60YG	RQ7L
4O9KOM	EB7DX	HG5D	HA8QZ	RG61PP	RZ3LC
4X70ZM	4X6ZM	HP1XT	KU9C	RJ60YG	RQ7L
4X73HU	4X6HU	HP2DFA	EC6DX	RK60YG	RQ7L
4X73KE/m	4X5KE	HZ1EARTH	HZ1SAR	RK75FF	UF2F
4X73OM	4X1OM	HZ1WARD	HZ1SAR	RL60YG	RQ7L
4X73REM	4Z5MU	HZ1XB	IZ8CLM	RM60YG	RQ7L
4X73UT	4X6UT	II2OM	IK2AQZ	RN60YG	RW3X
4X73VF	4X1VF	II5RCH	IZ5RHU	RN61YG	RQ7L
4Z73DZ	4Z1DZ	JU100DX	JT1CH	RO60YG	RQ7L
4Z73FW	RW6HS	KC4AAA	K7MT	RQ60YG	RQ7L
4Z73JJ	4Z1JJ	KC4USV	K7MT	RT60YG	RQ7L
4Z73KX	4Z4KX	KP3G	EB7DX	RU21DS	RQ7L
4Z73LA	4Z5LA	LZ70HSC	LZ2JE	RU60YG	RQ7L
4Z73MU	4Z5MU	MD2C	MD0CCE	RV60YG	RQ7L
4Z73TL	4Z1TL	MS0INT	EB7DX	RW60YG	RQ7L
4Z73UN	RW6HS	NL7RR/KH9	AL7JX	RX60YG	RQ7L
5P0WARD	OZ1ACB	OA6AMN	EA5ZD	RY60YG	RQ7L
5T5PA	PA5X	OD5PY	KU9C	RZ60YG	RQ7L
6D1A	XE2T	OD5SB	EB7DX	S79KW	N4GNR
6D2A	XE2T	OD5TX	W4JS	S79VU	N4GNR
6D3A	XE2T	OD5VB	EA5GL	SM2M	SM2LIY
9K2BS	EC6DX	OD5ZF	IZ8CLM	SM2U	SM0CXU
9K2WARD	9K2RA	OE21WARD	OE3XHQ	SN0IMED	SP9MOA
9M7DX	9W6MUL	OG2B	OH2GEK	SN80EJG	SP5EJG
9N1CA	EA5ZD	OR21WARD	ON9TT	SZ200ERS	SZ8ERS
9V1KB	EA5GL	OS21WARD	ON4NOK	TF3WARD	TF3MH
9V1VV	EA5GL	OS3DWG	ON3DWG	TG9ADM	EA5GL
A25SL	N4GNR	OS4CHK	ON4CHK	TG9ADV	EC6DX

A60WARD/5	A61BK	OS4OSA	ON6EF	TG9AOR	EC6DX
A91WARD	EC6DX	OS5CDG	ON5CDG	TG9AWS	W3HNK
AO7WRD	EA7URU	OS6HC	ON6HC	TM60YURI	F1UJT
AP2SD	EA5ZD	OS6ZV	ON6ZV	TM618T	F6FMT
AU2HFI	VU2MUD	OS8ON	ON8ON	TM7IGRY	F1DHX
CE2SV	N7RO	OT30CRD	ON4CRD	TM96WARD	F6BEE
CM2IU	RW6HS	OY9JD	EA5GL	TZ4AM	W0SA
CN8GC	RW6HS	PA21AGR	PE1RLN	U4MIR	RN3DK
CN96JQ	RW6HS	PA21WARD	PA3EFR	UP4L	UN7LZ
CO5LB	RW6HS	PA96Q	PA0Q	UP55L	RW6HS
CO7FR	IK2DUW	PC19HOPE	PA7HPH	V31MA	M0OXO
CQ83AS	HB9CRV	PJ2MAN	EC5AHA	V51LZ	EA5GL
DP44WCA	DF6EX	PJ4BZL	M0URX	VI100AF	M0URX
DU6/PE1NSQ	EA5GL	PJ4EVA	M0URX	VK100AF	M0URX
EG5DMR	EA5RKB	PR3R	PY3ZZR	XR96IARU	CE3AA
EH4WRD	EA4RCH	PT5W	PP5NY	XW0LP	EA5GL
EN35U	US0UX	PV7T	PR7TU	YG9WKB	EB7DX
EO35IZ	UX5IZ	R1961AG	RA4CEO	YL0WFF	YL2CQ
EO35UC	UR4UWA	R1994YU	RQ7L	YV7MAY	EA8MU
EP3ASA	EA5GL	R1996VK	RQ7L	Z81D	OM3JW
FS4WBS	IZ1MHY	R2014NC	RQ7L	ZA/IW2JOP	IW2HAJ
GB0DOE	G0PNM	R35CHA	RZ5D	ZF1EJ	K6AM
GB0SG	G4XEX	R35YCH	RW3YS	ZF2CH	VO1IDX
GB6QE	G7KHV	R60CTC	RQ7L	ZM1A	ZL3CW
GH5DX	EB7DX	R60MCC	RQ7L	ZM1M	ZL1BBW
HB15SOTA	HB9DPR	R60RDK	RA4DAR	ZZ1M	PY1SAD

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