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3D2/R - "BJ", WA7WJR has been QRV as 3D2BJ from Rotuma (OC-060) since 3 July and was expected to set sail for Viti Levu, Fiji on 11 July [425DXN 1679]. His departure has been postponed, however, owing to bad weather conditions. He will now remain on Rotuma until 17 or 18 July. QSL via LoTW or direct to WA7WJR; you can follow his voyages on https://www.questsofdiscovery.com/current-position.

9A - Look for 9A7YY, 9A/S53Z, 9A/S54W, 9A/S58MU, 9A/S50O and 9A/S50X to be active from Vis Island (EU-016) from 24 July and 1 August. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres, and will also be active during the IOTA Contest. QSLs via the bureau, eQSL, or direct to home calls. [TNX S58MU]

F - F4FET, F4HHL, F5RAB and F8GGV will participate in the IOTA Contest as TM5K from Ouessant Island (EU-065). Before the contest they will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and FT8 on 80-6 metres. QSL via F8GGV. [TNX NG3K]

GM - Nobby, G0VJG and Emil, DL8JJ will return to Rockall (EU-189) to collect the equipment that has remained there since Cam Cameron was rescued by the Coastguard and flown back to dry land [425DXN 1678]. "Weather and seas permitting they hope to arrive by possibly 18 July at the earliest, but subject to change", DX World reports. "Should the weather and swell conditions around the islet be favourable, both Nobby and Emil will operate as MM0UKI for 90 minutes each - total of three hours operating time - on CW and SSB only".

I - II3GR is the special callsign for the annual YOTA Camp organized by ARI Grado. This year it will took place on Volpera Island (not IOTA) on 20-23 July, including participation in the second session of the YOTA Contest (22 July, 1000-2159 UTC). QSL via IV3CTT.

I - Seven operators (IK7WDS, IU7EHF, IW7DMH, IW7DOL, IZ7AUH, IZ7LDC and IZ8EGM) will be active as IJ7DX (IOTA Contest included) and IJ7SAT (on QO-100, LEO and MEO satellites) from San Pietro Island (EU-073) on 28-30 July. QSL via Club Log's OQRS.

IS0 - Giuseppe, IK5WWA will be active as IM0C from San Pietro Island (EU-165) on 16-30 July. He will be QRV on 40-2 metres, hopefully also on 80m. QSL via home call.

JA - Look for Kenji, JA4GXS to be active as JA4GXS/6 from Uji Island (AS-067) on 22 July (4-21 UTC). He will operate CW, SSB and FT8 on 40, 30, 20 and 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

OH - Jarno, OH6NJ will be active as OH6NJ/8 from Hailuoto Island (EU-184) on 24-31 July. He will operate CW, SSB and FT8 mainly on the higher bands. QSL via home call. [TNX DX World]

OZ - Ron, DL1RNW will be active as OZ/DL1RNW from Sandkas (WWL JO75jg) on Bornholm Island (EU-030) from 23 July to 5 August. He will be

QRV on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via eQSL.

SM - Members of EDR Ballerup will be active as SM7/OZ5BAL from Ven Island (EU-137) on 28-30 July, including participation in the IOTA Contest. Before the contest they will be QRV on 30, 17 and 12m, and will also operate digital modes. QSL via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS, eQSL, or via OZ0J.

TF - Mek, SP7VC and Kasia, SQ7OYL will be active as OY/SP7VC from the Faroe Islands on 23-26 July, followed by an extensive tour of Iceland (TF/SP7VC) from 27 July to 17 August. Look for activity on 50, 70 and 144 MHz, as well as on 20 metres.

TG - Dennis, KT8X will be active holiday style as TG4/KT8X from Guatemala from 23 July to 4 August. Plans are to operate CW, FT8 and possibly some SSB on 40-6 metres. QSL via LoTW only. [TNX NG3K]

V6 - Cezar, VE3LYC has resumed his plans for the DXpedition to the Federated States of Micronesia's IOTA groups OC-155 (West Chuck) and OC-299 (Yap East, new one for IOTA) that had to be put on hold because of the Covid-19 pandemic. He is now working to finalize the complex logistics of the trip, which should take place sometime in October-November. Details will be announced in due course. Bookmark https://v6iota.weebly.com/ for updates.

V7 - Bob, W0RGC expects to be active as V7/W0RGC from Kwajalein (OC-028) Marshall Islands for 2-3 weeks starting around 13-14 July. In his spare time he will operate SSB and FT8 on 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

VK9/N - David, VK5DG will be active as VK5DG/9 from Norfolk Island (OC-005) on 21-27 July. "This will be a purely portable operation", and all contacts will be made via various satellites, more information can be found on https://www.qrz.com/db/VK5DG/9. QSL via LoTW and eQSL.

VP5 - Shawn, KI5PXG will be active holiday style as VP5/KI5PXG from the Turks Islands (NA-003) on 17-24 July. He will operate SSB and FT8 on the HF bands, primarily 10 and 20 metres. QSL via LoTW.

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QSL CO2XN ---> Boris, E73Y is the new QSL manager for Jose, CO2XN, including his previous callsigns (CM2XN and CM8AKD). The QSL cards are being designed and Boris hopes to have them printed by mid-August. QSLs can be reuested via Club Log's OQRS, or via E73Y (direct and bureau). Jose will periodically upload his log to LoTW. [TNX E73Y]

QSO TODAY ACADEMY ---> The QSO Today Virtual Ham Expo was introduced during the height of the Covid-19 pandemic. After six successful events, it is evolving into the QSO Today Academy. The inaugural event will take place on 9-10 September. See https://www.qsotodayhamexpo.com/ for more information.

WRTC 2022 ---> The World Radiosport Team Championship, held in Italy in parallel with the IARU HF World Championship, is now history. Yaroslav Oleynik (UW7LL) and Yuri Onipko (VE3DZ) are the new world champions; once again Manfred Wolf (DJ5MW) and Stefan von Baltz (DL1IAO) are the runners-up, and the bronze medalists are Vedran Carapovic (9A7DX) and Zvonko Karnik (9A3LG).

#	Call	Operators		#	Call	Operators	
1	I44W	UW7LL	VE3DZ	30	I44Y	ZL3CW	VK2IA
2	I43C	DJ5MW	DL1IAO	31	I47O	N2IC	HA3NU
3	I49D	9A7DX	9A3LG	32	I42L	KU1CW	EB5A
4	I47M	F8DBF	F1AKK	33	I46F	EA8RM	EA2W
5	I47L	OM3BH	OM3GI	34	I49R	GD4XUM	G3NKC
6	I42M	ZR2A	DL9EE	35	I41D	4O3A	9A3A
7	I47V	SV2DSJ	LZ3FN	36	I44G	4X6FR	4X1DX
8	I42G	K5ZD	W2SC	37	I43O	YL3JA	UR5YKO
9	I43Z	RW7K	RA9P	38	I43L	YU5EEA	9A3SMS
10	I47K	LY4A	OM3RM	39	I42F	EW6W	EU1A
11	I49M	NN3W	N3QE	40	I47B	M0SDV	DK6SP
12	I49A	KD4D	KE3X	41	I42D	S53MM	S57K
13	I44X	EC2DX	CT1ILT	42	I44B	BA1RB	BA4TB
14	I43R	UA4FER	LZ2HM	43	I46Y	9M6NA	K5WA
15	I42V	IZ1LBG	IK3QAR	44	I43U	E21EIC	E29TGW
16	I43K	W2GD	AA3B	45	I41N	VR2XAN	IK2PFL
17	I49K	KI6RRN	N5ZO	46	I43B	VA2EW	VA2WA
18	I42W	NP4Z	N2NT	47	I41U	FY5FY	F4DXW
19	I42R	OR2F	LZ4AX	48	I46C	W1UE	K1XM
20	I46Q	SP7GIQ	SP7IVO	49	I47U	JA1BJI	JR2GRX
21	I42B	E77DX	E70T	50	I42A	CE2LR	CE3CT
22	I47P	JH5GHM	WA1Z	51	I41K	PY2NY	PY2SEX
23	I46J	RA3CO	RA3AUU	52	I43G	IZ8JAI	IZ8FWN
24	I41M	RM9I	UN9L	53	I46P	NG0C	AC0W
25	I44Z	AD6E	K6XX	54	I43V	K4AB	NN7CW
26	I46V	DL5AXX	DL7FER	55	I47C	AD5A	AB5EB
27	I44C	LZ1NK	LZ4AE	56	I47W	NE9U	K9CT
28	I41R	KO8SCA	S55M	57	I44P	DL3ON	EI5LA
29	I44Q	VE5MX	VE3EJ	58	I46O	5T5PA	KF5EYY

Awards were also given to the Phone Leaders (YU5EEA & 9A3SMS), the CW Leaders (F8DBF & F1AKK), the Multiplier Leaders (UW7LL & VE3DZ), the Accuracy Leaders (DJ5MW & DL1IAO), as well as the Best Youth Team (YL3JA & UR5YKO). A PDF file with the complete final results is available for download: https://www.wrtc2022.it/wrtc_2022_final_scores.pdf.

WRTC 2026 --- > The 10th World Radio Sport Team Championship will be hosted by the United Kingdom, and will tale place in the area known as East Anglia, in the East of England, on 7-13 July 2026.
The qualification criteria are still being determined. It is already known, however, that the first and final qualification events will be this year's CQ WW DX SSB Contest (28-29 October) and the 2025 ARRL DX SSB Contest (1-2 March), respectively. Bookmark https://www.wrtc2026.org/ for updates.

YOTA CONTEST 2023 ---> The second session of this year's YOTA Contest, organized by the IARU R1 Youth Working Group in cooperation with the Hungarian

Amateur Radio Society (MRASZ), will take place on 22 July (1000-2159 UTC) on the five classic bands CW and SSB. Everyone can work everyone. The complete rules can be found on https://ham-yota.com/contest.

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3D2BJ	WA7WJR	GR2HQ	M0OXO	RI1ZZ	RZ3EC
3Z90LOT	SP1KRF	HB9WFF	HB9FBI	RJ30RR	RZ3EC
4A7A	XE2T	HF90LOT	SP1PMY	RK30RR	RZ3EC
4L6QL	RW6HS	HG23TISZA	HA7VK	RL30RR	RZ3EC
4U1A	UA3DX	IB9A	IZ2WFL	RM30RR	RZ3EC
4U1UN	HB9BOU	II4SPZ	IQ4FE	RN30RR	RZ3EC
7Z1CQ	EC6DX	II9RRC	RZ3EC	RO30RR	RZ3EC
8Q7HU	EB7DX	KH6RRC	N7RO	RT30RR	RZ3EC
9A0HQ	9A2EU	KL7RA	N4GNR	RU30RR	RZ3EC
9A150TESLA	9A7R	KL7RRC	N7RO	RV30RR	RZ3EC
9A8GHJ/p	OE7GHJ	KL7SB	N4GNR	RW30RR	RZ3EC
9G5AF	EA5GL	KP2B	EB7DX	RX30RR	RZ3EC
A25SX	DL1SX	KP2M	NZ4DX	RZ30RR	RZ3EC
A41DX	M0OXO	L70V	LU1VZ	S50HQ	S58MU
A41KB	ON7LX	LB5GI	M0OXO	S573DX	S57DX
A47HQ	EC6DX	LR8FTDMC	F1ULQ	SK9HQ	SM6JSM
A61DI	EA7FTR	LY1933DG	LY2NZ	SN0HQ	SP3CGK
A61Q	EA7FTR	LY90DG	LY5O	SN100WS	SP9KKA
A71HQ	A71A	LY90FLY	LY2MM	SN300CITY	SP4GAP
BM0QSO	BM2JCC	LY90SD	LY2NZ	SN90LOT	SP1KZE
BV0HQ	BM2JCC	LY90SG	LY2NZ	SO90LOT	SP1PKW
C37HQ	C37URA	LZ04RN	LZ1ZF	SP80WON	SP3PDO
CR3Y	OM2FY	LZ0HQ	LZ1BJ	SP90LOT	SP1PBT
CR5HQ	CT1REP	LZ1015RW	LZ3GA	SQ90LOT	SP1KM
CX2DK	EA5GL	LZ30RRC	RZ3EC	ST0HQ	ST2M
D2EB	IZ3ETU	MD7C	M0OXO	TF/4X6TT	N4GNR
DA0HQ	DL5AXX	MJ0X	M0RTI	TF3W	TF3MH
DL100TC	DL4CQ	OE0HQ	OE3KAB	TF3XO	EA5GL
DR30RRC	RZ3EC	OE100XBB	OE5WRO	TM0HQ	F5CWU
DS0AHQ	6K2EHQ	OJ0JW	OH1JW	TM110TDF	F8GGZ
E2HQ	E21EIC	OL30RRC	RZ3EC	TM13COL	F5OGL
E750ESP	E73ESP	OL70KVK	OK6RP	TM25DFCF	F6FNA
E775BYZ	E74BYZ	OM2MEDVE	OM2GM	TM33TDF	F6KUQ
E7HQ	E70ARA	OM30RRC	RZ3EC	TM34JM	F6KEH
E7TESLA	E74BYZ	OP0HQ	ON4CAS	TM63TDF	F4KLW
ED8M	EA8DIG	OY/4X6TT	N4GNR	V85A	EB7DX
EE7P	EA7ATX	OY/M0JHQ	JA0JHQ	VB3BACON	VA3RT
EF4HQ	EA4URE	OZ1HQ	OZ1ACB	VB3P	VA3KWZ
EF6T	EA3AIR	P3N	RW3RN	VC1933	VE1FQ

EF8BBM	EA4BQ	PA6HQ	PA1AW	VE2CSI	M0URX
EI0HQ	EI4BZ	PJ2HQ	W3HNK	VI25AREG	M0OXO
ER7HQ	ER1FF	PJ4A	K4BAI	VY0ERC	M0OXO
ES1NOA/0	OH1NOA	R30RRC	RZ3EC	XM3I	VE3NE
FW1JG	F4FTV	R3RRC	RZ3EC	YT0HQ	YU1SRS
G6XX	M0OXO	RA30RR	RZ3EC	Z21ML	N4GNR
GB0RRC	RZ3EC	RC30RR	RZ3EC	Z30HQ	Z37RSM
GB5SGS	G3KME	RD30RR	RZ3EC	ZF1A	K7ZO

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