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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3C0 - While waiting to depart for Annobon Island (AF-039) [425DXN 1788], YL2GM and EA5EL have been active as 3C3W from Bioko Island (AF-010), Equatorial Guinea since 1 September.
It has turned out that there are not only ferry services to Annobon, but also irregular flights. Their plan is therefore to be QRV from Bioko until 5 September, and then fly to Annobon (3C0W) on the following day - barring changes to their flight schedule. QSLs via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), or direct to YL2GN; full LoTW upload after six months. Bookmark https://lral.lv/3c0w_3c3w_2025/ for more information.

9M2 - Jacek, SP5APW will be active (callsign TBA) from Tioman Island (AS-046), West Malaysia on 9-16 September. He will focus on 6 metres, but "I don't rule HF activity out", he says. QSL via Club Log's OQRS.

G - Celebrating the 45th anniversary of the first Camel Trophy, special event station GB45CT will be active on 12-14 September, primarily on 40 and 20 metres SSB. The operators have all been part of the CT Communications Team for multiple events. Camel Trophy was an off-road vehicle-oriented competition that was held annually between 1980 and 2000. See https://www.qrz.com/db/GB45CT for more information.

GM - Willie, GM4ZNC will be active holiday style as GS8VL from the Isle of Coll (EU-008) on 7-12 September. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 40-6 metres. QSL via M0OXO's OQRS. [TNX The Daily DX]

GM - Paul, G4PVM will be active holiday style as GM4PVM from Isle of West Burra, Shetland Islands (EU-012) on 13-18 September. He will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW, Club Log and eQSL; paper cards will not be provided. [TNX DX World]

HZ - HZ95ND, 7Z95ND and 8Z95ND are the special callsigns for the Saudi Amateur Radio Society (HZ1SAR) to celebrate Saudi National Day on 4-23 September. QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log. Based on the number of lunar years, Saudi National Day commemorates the renaming of the Kingdom of Nejd and Hejaz to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (23 September 1932).
National societies from Gulf Cooperation Council's neighbouring countries are expected to join the celebrations and be active around 23 September, including the Bahrain Amateur Radio Society (A91ARS), the Kuwait Amateur Radio Society (9K9KSA), the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society (A43KSA) and the Emirates Amateur Radio Society (A60ARS).

JA - Once again Taka, JA8COE will be active as JA8COE/8 from Yagishiri Island (AS-147) on 4-8 September. He will operate CW, SSB and FT8

on the HF bands and 6 metres (WWL QN04qk). QSL Club Log's OQRS, or via home call.

JW - Tom, OH6VDA (LA6VDA) will be active again as JW6VDA from the Svalbard Amatorradioklubb in Longyearbyen (EU-026) on 12-22 September. Activity will be on various HF bands using SSB and FT8/FT4. QSL via Club Log's OQRS (preferred), LoTW, eQSL, QRZ Logbook, or via the bureau to OH6VDA. Do not send direct QSLs by mail.

LX - LX25GDH (3 September-3 October) and LX25GDG (3 October-3 November) are the special callsigns for Radioamateurs du Luxembourg (RL, Luxembourg's IARU society) to mark the "Trounwiessel" - the accession to the throne of Prince Guillaume, who is set to become Grand Duke on 3 October upon the abdication of his father the Grand Duke Henri. QSL via Club Log's OQRS.

OX - Bo, OZ1DJJ will be active again as OX3LX from Nuuk, Greenland (NA-018) between 4 and 16 September. One or two day trips to IOTA group NA-220 are possible. As always, this will be a working trip, and he will be QRV only in his spare time. QSL via OZ0J, Club Log's OQRS and LoTW.

SV5 - Claudio, HB9OAU will be active as SV5/HB9OAU from Karpathos Island, Dodecanese (EU-001) on 13-25 September. He will operate SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or direct to home call.

V7 - John, K5GDE has been active as V73JW from Kwajalein (OC-028), Marshall Islands since mid-July, and expects to be there until mid-January 2026. He operates mainly FT8 on 40-10 metres. QSL via LoTW, or direct to John Wiley, PSC 701 Box 495, APO AP 96555, USA. [TNX The Daily DX]

VE - Mike, VE2XB will be active again as VY0ZOO from Southampton Island (NA-007) on 5-7 September, and from Flaherty Island (NA-196) on 12-14 September. Activity will be on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL direct to VE2XB. [TNX The Daily DX]

VK - Paul, VK5PAS will be active as VI8POL on 13-29 September to celebrate Australia's 8th annual National Police Week. QSL via VK5PAS (direct or bureau), LoTW and eQSL.

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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CLUB LOG ---> "The brand new Club Log server (c/o NCDXF) is now in the data centre, and I have finished configuration work to make it ready", G7VJR has announced. All services will be stopped early on 6 September, and Club Log will be down while the database migrates from the current primary server. Michael expects it will take a few hours to restore service. "Look for a noticeable leap in performance" when the migration is completed.

DX UNIVERSITY ---> Established in 2011, The DX University is a multi-media program offering information, instruction and varied learning opportunities

for DXers and DXpeditioners alike. The DX University has presented in-person sessions at several conventions.
The DX University website is part of the DXU program. The site has been recently revamped, and presents ideas and techniques for DXers and DXpeditioners aimed at improving operating skills and lessening the growing chaos on the DX bands: https://dx-university.com/. The media include audio and video files as well as articles and programs from previous in-person presentations.

IOTA NEWS ---> The logs for the IOTA Contest 2025 island stations have now been added to the IOTA database and are available for QSO matching. Record-holders who have made IOTA contacts in an IOTA contest after 2003, can claim credit for them without submitting QSLs, provided that the contact details match. Go to https://iota-world.org/, log in, select "Add Contest QSOs" under the "My IOTA" tab, and choose either "Upload Contest Log" or "Manual QSO Entry". The 2025 RSGB IOTA Contest complete results are available on https://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfresults.pl?Contest=IOTA%20Contest&year=2025

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's website has been updated. Seventeen different galleries include 23,023 cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (2015-24), the 62 deleted DXCC Entities, obsolete prefixes, stations from Maghreb from 1945 to 1962, Allied Forces stations in Germany (1945-80), special stations commemorating ITU and IARU, stations using the United Nations prefix (4U), Antarctic bases and TAAF (Terres Australes et Antarctiques Francaises), amateur radio "globetrotters", the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean, the Indian Ocean and the Americas (1945-1969), pre-1945 countries, French Departments and CONUS, plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC. Your participation is welcome: http://www.lesnouvellesdx.fr/galerieqsl.php. [TNX F6AJA].

+ SILENT KEY + Kirsti Jenkins-Smith, VK9NL passed away on 30 August at home on Norfolk Island, aged 89. She operated alongside her late husband, Jim Smith (VK9NS), and was involved in several DXpeditions. She authored two books: "Heard Island Odyssey" (1985) tells the complete story of the perilous VK0JS DXpedition to Heard Island in 1983, while "QRV. A DXer's Life for Me" (1994) is a personal account sharing her experiences and adventures as a DXer.

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3C3W	YL2GN	EJ4GRC	EI4GRC	PD06LH	PD2TX
4U1GSC	9A2AA	FM4LV	KU9C	PD07LH	PD2TX
8Q7JH	DL3JH	FY4JI	EA5GL	PD08LH	PD2TX
9X2AW	M0OXO	HC2GRC	LY5CA	PD09LH	PD2TX

A25LS	DB2LS	HC5DX	N4GNR	PZ5JW	EA5GL
A71AT	EA7FTR	HG0WFF	HA0HW	R10SOTA	RA9WJV
A71EM	M0OXO	HG40CW	HA3NU	R1530IG	RV3VR
A71QQ	M0OXO	HK3JCL	DK8LRF	R80ATOM	R9HCV
C21TS	M0OXO	HS0ZJF	ON4AFU	RA80RA	R9HCV
CB1SDC	EA1AUM	II4RADS	IQ4FE	SN0RV	SP7VC
CW200DI	CX1AA	J88BTI	IK2DUW	SW9IL	DJ5IL
DL0BEETHOV	DJ6SI	LY789A	LY5A	SZ2TIF	SZ2TSL
DP0GVN	DL4BBH	LZ117ME	LZ1KCP	T88CL	JG2RMR
ED5FSB	EA5J	OJ0MN	OH1MN	TJ1GD	SP3EOL
EG1SDC	EA1AUM	OJ0Z	OH1LEG	TM120ESP	F5JSQ
EG2SDC	EA1AUM	OL1TWR	OK2VK	TM17FFF	F4GFE
EG3SDC	EA1AUM	OX3LX	OZ0J	VE2CSI	M0URX
EG41SDC	EA1AUM	PA01LH	PD2TX	VI100SIG	M0OXO
EG4SDC	EA1AUM	PD00LH	PD2TX	VK4NM/p	M0OXO
EG5SDC	EA1AUM	PD01LH	PD2TX	VK5KI	M0OXO
EG6SDC	EA1AUM	PD02LH	PD2TX	VR2KF	JH1OGX
EG7SDC	EA1AUM	PD03LH	PD2TX	VU24DX	M0OXO
EG8SDC	EA1AUM	PD04LH	PD2TX	VY0ZOO	VE2XB
EG9SDC	EA1AUM	PD05LH	PD2TX	XW4YY	M0OXO

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