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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 7P - Francisco, ZR6FAR plans to be active as 7P8FR from Lesotho on 22 August, between 08:00 and 15:00 UTC. He will operate FT8, FT4, and possibly SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via LoTW.
- A4 - Special event station A43KD will be active on 26-28 August during the first Amateur Radio Forum in the Sultanate of Oman, hosted by the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society in Dhofar Governorate (WWL LK77FA). Look for activity on the HF bands and via QO-100 using SSB, CW and digital modes. Five certificates will be available, see <https://www.qrz.com/db/A43KD> for information.
- CT9 - Miguel, LX1MDA will be active holiday style as CT9/LX1MDA from Madeira (AF-014) from 31 August to 6 September. He will operate SSB and FT8 on 40-10 metres. QSL via LoTW, or via the bureau to his home call. [TNX NG3K]
- EA - Special event callsigns EG26PDA (1-13 September), EG1PDA-EG8PDA (1-7 September) and EH1PDA-EH8PDA (8-13 September) will be activated to commemorate Day of Asturias and the principality's patron saint. Also active will be ED3PDA (19-20 September). QSL for all callsigns via EA1AUM (direct or bureau), LoTW and eQSL. More information, including online logs and downloadable certificates, can be found at <https://asturias.dxfun.com/>.
- FR - Andre, ZS6AJG will be active as FR/ZS6AJG from Reunion Island (AF-016) on 25-27 August. He will run 20 watts on 20, 15, and possibly 10 metres SSB. QSL via eQSL; he welcomes email requests for bureau cards.
- G - James, M0GQC will be active as GB100TL from Tibbetts Lookout on Lundy Island (EU-120) on 28-30 August, with most on air activity expected on 29 August. QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and QRZ; paper cards will not be available.
- J3 - Graham, MM8IJU and Eric, GM5RDX will be active again as J38LD and J38DX, respectively, from Grenada (NA-024) on 1-12 September. They will operate SSB and FT8/FT4 on 80-6 metres. QSLs via M00X0's OQRS; QSOs will be uploaded daily to LoTW and QRZ.
- PY - Team PS2L (namely PY2AE, PY2MK, and PY2TTN/PR2MB) will be active from Ilha do Mar Virado (SA-028) on 29-30 August. They will operate CW, SSB and FT8/FT4 on 40, 20, 15, and 10 metres with two stations. QSL via LoTW, or direct to Caixa Postal 79473, Sao Paulo - SP, 03089-970, Brazil.
- RI1F - Team RI1FJZ (namely R3CN, R9LR, RA1ZZ, RA9USU, RW6MD, and UA6EX) expects to depart from Murmansk on 3 September aboard the sailing yacht "Apostol Andrey", bound for Alexandra Land (EU-019), Franz Josef Land. The crossing takes approximately five days, depending on weather and sea conditions; follow the ship's progress at <https://share.garmin.com/r9lr>. Plans are to be QRV on 9-25 Septem-

ber, and to operate CW, SSB, and FT8 (MSHV) with up to seven stations on 160-10 metres, plus EME, LE0, and Q0-100. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via R9LR. See <https://ri1fjz.ru/en/> for more information

- SP - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Polish State Railways (Polskie Koleje Panstwowe), special callsigns 3Z100PKP, HF100PKP, SN100PKP, SO100PKP, SP100PKP, and SQ100PKP will be active on 1-30 September. Certificates and eQSLs will be available on HamAward (<https://hamaward.cloud>).
- TF - TF80IRA is the special callsign used by the club station of Icelandic Radio Amateurs (IRA) to celebrate the 80th anniversary since the foundation of Iceland's IARU member society (14 August 1947). Look for activity between 14 August and 31 December. QSL via the bureau, direct, and LoTW.
- V5 - Hanspeter, HB9BFM will be active as V5/HB9BFM from various locations in Namibia between 26 August and 20 September. QSL direct to home call. See <https://www.qrz.com/db/V5/HB9BFM> for more information.
- VE - Mike, VY0Z00 (VE2XB) to arrive in Coral Harbour on Southampton Island (NA-007) on 23 August, and to remain there until 22 September. He then plans to go to Naujaat (mainland Canada) on 23-28 September, and to Igloolik (NA-174) from 29 September to 26 October. [TNX The Daily DX]

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RI1FJL ---> Rough seas, wind, and fog slowed the team's navigation toward Heiss (Hayes) Island, Franz Josef Land. They finally reached their destination in the late morning UTC on 21 August.

VP0SG ---> The Northern California DX Foundation (<https://www.ncdxf.org/>) has announced a \$145,000 grant to the VP0SG DXpedition (South Georgia, March 2027). "The VP0SG team is perfectly aligned with NCDXF's vision of cultivating the next generation of DXers by including several young amateur radio operators on their team. This initiative builds on the momentum of our youth engagement efforts and is structured to provide hands-on mentoring in a challenging DXpedition environment. These young operators will be integrated into the full cycle of planning, operating, and reporting, giving them both technical exposure and personal growth in the true spirit of amateur radio". [TNX AA7A]

WW DIGI DX CONTEST ---> This year's edition of the World Wide Digi DX Contest ("WW Digi") will take place on 29-30 August (from 12:00 UTC to 11:59 UTC). The objective is for amateurs around the world to contact as many other amateurs in as many Maidenhead Grid Fields as possible using the FT4

and FT8 modes on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10m. See <https://ww-digi.com/> for complete information. WW Digi is a collaboration between the World Wide Radio Operators Foundation (WWROF) and the Slovenia Contest Club (SCC).

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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3Z75HSC    SP3LPR    AP5ARS    IK2DUW    OZ0NAVY    DF5LW
4A2MAX     EA5GL     D2ACE     EA7FTR    PJ4DX      M0URX
4L8A       M00X0     DA0LH     DK50N     PW2K       EA5GL
4X02LH     4X6ZM     DF0GDX    DL6DH     PW7T       PT7WA
4X03LH     4X6ZM     EA9KB     EA7FTR    RI0FA      RW3RN
4X04LH     4X6ZM     EG1LWH    EA1LC     RI8KR      RZ3EC
4X05LH     4X6ZM     EG5MYC    EA5RKB    SN0GIP     SQ9JTI
4X6TT      N4GNR     FM4TI     EA5GL     SN120LHS   SP1ZZ
5N0YEN     IZ8CLM    FY4JI     EA5GL     T77RN      IZ6BRN
5W1SA      JA1DXA    HC8M/5    M00X0     TC3CT      TA3X
5X4E       IQ3C0 [b]  HF85MK    SQ2WKJ    TF80IRA    TF3MH
5X4E       IZ3ZLG [d] HZ1IX     EC6DX     TI8/W2RE   EB7DX
9J2FI      DL1RTL    IR1DCI    IK1GPG    TM22LH     F4VXB
9K2GR      M00X0     IR3LH     IU3EDK    TM6KJS     F6KJS
9N1CA      EA5ZD     LZ67PP    LZ1KCP    V55LH      DL3DXX
A62A       EA7FTR    OJ0JR     OH3JR     VE2CSI     M0URX
A71AT      EA7FTR    OJ0YL     OH2YL     VK9WX      M00X0
A02026FM   EA7URM    OL0D0G    OK1FZM    VX9IR      VE9CZ
A025FDM    EA5RKB    OT26B     OR4K      XU70       DL4WK
A090A      EB7DX     OY10F     M0URX     Z21ML      N4GNR
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