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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3B8 - Darko, E70A will be active again as 3B8/E70A from Mauritius Island (AF-049) from 20 November to 3 December. He will be QRV on the HF bands and QO-100, and will join the 3B8M team for the CQ WW DX CW Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]

A3 - Oliver W6NV (A31WW), Alan K0AV (A31AV), and Terry K7TD (A31TD) will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as A31W from Vava'u Island (OC-064), Tonga. Outside the contest, indicatively between 20 November and 3 December, they will operate mainly CW on 160-6 metres. QSLs for all QSOs via LoTW.

GM - Chris, GM3WOJ and Keith, GM4YXI will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as GS7V from the Shetland Islands (EU-012), a separate multiplier for both the CQ Contests and the DX Marathon. Before and after the contest they will use GS2MP. QSLs via N3SL and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

HC - Renato has provided an update about his upcoming operation from Cojimies Island (SA-056) [425DXN 1848]. He aims to be on the air as HD4W by approximately 15:00 UTC on 15 November. He will start on 15 metres CW, expanding to additional bands across 40-10 metres and other modes (SSB and FT8) depending on propagation and final station setup. Renato plans to remain active until 21 November. QSL via Club Log's OQRS.

OX - Nadia, OZ7AM will be active again as OX7AM from Kangerlussuaq, Greenland (NA-018) from 23 November to 7 December. She will operate CW only, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and Club Log; QSL via OZ1ACB. [TNX NG3K]

PZ - Wian, PE1K will be active holiday style as PZ5KW from Surinam from 23 November to 1 December. He will operate mainly FT8 and SSB. QSL via home call and LoTW.

T8 - Nobu, JH1OLB will be active again as T88DT from Koror (OC-009), Palau between 25 November and 3 December, with main activity during the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via LoTW.

UA - Special callsigns R036DX, R036Z (Asiatic Russia), R2026DX, UE0DX (Asiatic Russia), UE36DX, UE36L, UE36O, UE3DX, UE4DX, UE6DX, and UE7DX will be activated on 16-30 November for the 36th anniversary of the Miller DX Club (https://mdxc.ru/). QSL for all callsigns via RQ7L.

VK9 - David, VK6DS will be active as VK9DS from the Cocos (Keeling) Islands (OC-003) on 20-27 November, and from Christmas Island (OC-002) from 28 November until 4 December. He will operate SSB, CW and FT8 on 80-6 metres, with a focus on operating from WWFF and POTA sites on both islands. QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log and QRZ when he returns home.

VK9N - Alan, VK3XPD and David, VK3RU will be active holiday style as VK9NA

from Norfolk Island (OC-005) on 14-19 November. They will operate CW, SSB and FT8 on 40-6 metres. QSL via VK3XPD. [TNX The Daily DX]

VP2V - Bob, GU4YOX will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as VP2VBB (SOSB 20 metres HP) from Tortola, British Virgin Islands (NA-023). QSL via LoTW, Club Log's OQRS, or direct to home call. During the days leading up to the contest he may be active as VP2V/GU4YOX while setting up and testing the station.

VP8 - Jon, MW0KZN is based at RAF Mount Pleasant, Falkland Islands (SA-002) until sometime in February 2027. "I will be doing a mix of voice, digital and (beginner) CW", he says, with activity as either VP8TAA and VP8TAA/p from SOTA and POTA sites when time permits. QSL via LoTW, eQSL and QRZ, or direct to MW0KZN.

CARIBBEAN TOUR ---> Chris, DL1MGB will be active holiday style between late November and early December as follows:

Anguilla (VP2E callsign TBA)	40-10m	20-23 November
Sint Maarten (PJ7WW)	160-10m	23-30 November
St. Martin (FS/DL1MGB)	40-10m	30 November-9 December

He will operate CW only, and will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest from Sint Maarten. QSLs via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW, or via DL1MGB. [TNX The Daily DX]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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QSL TR8CA ---> Alain announced that Jean, F6CBC can no longer manage his QSL cards due to health reasons [425DXN 1850]. QSOs with TR8CA will be confirmed via LoTW, eQSL, and QRZ on a daily basis. In addition, paper QSL cards can now be requested via Club Log's OQRS.

+ SILENT KEY + The amateur radio and IOTA community is mourning the loss of Ken Frankcom, G3OCA, who passed away in October. A prominent IOTA chaser and activator, he frequently teamed up with fellow operators over the years to activate several rare and first-time island groups. Notable highlights of his DXpedition career include TR0A/p from AF-043 (March 1999) and AF-089 (September 2000); 9G5MD from AF-084 (April 2000); DX0L (OC-126) and DZ1MS (OC-090) in October 2002; 4D2B (OC-092) and DX0C (OC-120) in March 2003; C94KF from AF-103 (August 2006); and VO2A from NA-194 and NA-205 (August 2008).

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3X4U	M0URX	HC8M	M0OXO	PH40EUDXF	PA1AW
4S7KKG	DC0KK	HP1XV	EA5HB	PI40EUDXF	PA1AW
4U1UN	HB9BOU	HS0ZMY	EA5GL	RI1ANI	RN1ON
9G5AF	EA5GL	HS0ZOY	KA3LKM	SN40KZE	SP1KZE
9K2KO	EC6DX	II3RXP	IU3OJA	SP1234KK	SP3PDO
9N1AA	N4GNR	II5ALL	IQ5DY	SX602N	SV1ENG
9X5KM	F8FUA	J3/N9GB	EB7DX	TF80IRA	TF3MH
A61Q	EA7FTR	KH8A	DL4SVA	V44KAI	W2ARP
AO40EUDXF	PA1AW	KP2AD	OK1TN	VC9VET	VE9CF
AP5ARS	IK2DUW	LZ911TD	LZ1KCP	VI40EUDXF	PA1AW
C8K	OK6DJ	OC14LEON	OA4O	VP2MCV	KG9N
CN51MV	CN8RAH	OD5SB	M0OXO	YN9H	EA5GL
CW0AGS	CX1AA	OR40EUDXF	PA1AW	YP40CSM	YO5KUC
D44PX	IZ2DPX	OT5IDPD	ON6WL	Z21ML	N4GNR
DL40EUDXF	PA1AW	OZ0ROM	DK1VK	Z66IPA	S58MU
DP0GVN	DL4BBH	PA40EUDXF	PA1AW	Z68MU	S58MU
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	PB40EUDXF	PA1AW	Z68WW	S58MU
EA6EUDXF	PA1AW	PC40EUDXF	PA1AW	ZL7STU	M0OXO
EG4DMD	EA4URA	PD40EUDXF	PA1AW	ZS1C	W2ARP
EG5ATA	EA5URD	PE40EUDXF	PA1AW	ZS6CCY	N2OO
GB070MHZ	G6UT	PF40EUDXF	PA1AW		
HA40EUDXF	PA1AW	PG40EUDXF	PA1AW		

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