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4X - Look for Dov, 4Z4DX to be active from Jaffa Lighthouse (ARLHS ISR-005) during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend (16-17 August). QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]

9M6 - Look for 9M6KM and 9M6KTC (Kinabalu Amateur Radio Transmitting Society) to be active on 15 and 20 metres from Tiga Island (OC-133) on 16-17 August. QSL via qrz.com [TNX JI6KVR]

CX - Operators from the Centro de Radioaficionados de Rocha will participate in the International Lighthouse and Lightship Weekend as CX1TCR from Cabo Santa Maria Lighthouse (URU-004). QSL via CX2TL (P.O. Box 29, 27000 Rocha, Uruguay). [TNX CX2TG]

EA - Look for EA1EEY to be active (SSB and CW) from Vidio Lighthouse (SPA-055, FEA D-1641) on 16-17 August during the International Lighthouse and Lightship Weekend. QSL via EA1CS. [TNX EA1WX]

EA6 - Lorenzo, IK6PTH reports he will be active as EA6/IK6PTH from Maiorca, Baleric Islands (EU-004) on 18-24 August. QSL via home call.

G - Look for GB5PW to be aired form Pendeen Lighthouse (ARLHS ENG-100) on 16-17 August. QSL via bureau or to G0CAM. [TNX G0CAM]

GW - GW0NWR/p will be active (on 80-6 metres SSB and CW) from Bardsey Island (EU-124) and Lighthouse (LH-0685, WAL-001) on 17-23 August. QSL via GW0DSJ (E. Shipton, 34 Argoed, Kinmel Bay, Rhyl, Conwy, LL18 5LN, Wales, UK). [TNX VA3RJ]

HL - The Gwangju DX Club will be active as 6L0NJ/4 from Choyak Island (AS-060) on 15-17 August. Look for them on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via DS4AEN. Logs will be available at http://www.dx.or.kr [TNX DS4DLK]

HS - Choon, E20HHK will be active as E20HHK/P from Koh Samui (AS-101) on 14-17 August (E20HHK/8 in the SEANET Contest). QSL via E21EIC. [TNX E21EIC]

I - Paolo, IK3QAR will be active from Ottagono Abbandonato Is (EU-131, IIA VE-042) in the weekend. QSL via bureau or direct.

I - Mario, IZ8DBJ will operate from the lighthouse at San Vito lo Capo (WAIL SI-026, ARLHS ITA-155) on 20-31 August. QSL via home call, direct (Mario Pesce, P.O. Box 15, 80070 Bacoli - NA, Italy) or bureau. [TNX IZ8DBJ]

I - Operators from ARI Trieste will be active on all bands as IQ3TS from Vittoria Lighthouse (WAIL FV-001, ARLHS ITA 174) on 16-17 August. QSL via IV3LNQ direct or bureau. [TNX IV3LNQ]

KG4 - Cory McDonald (N1WON) and David Price (WA4ET) will be active from Guantanamo Bay (NA-015) on 14-21 August. They will operate as KG4CM and KG4DP respectively on 6-80 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL KG4CM via N5FTR, QSL KG4DP via WA4ET. [TNX N1WON]

KH7K - Kimo Chun, KH7U along with Pat Guerin, NH6UY are organizing a DXpedition to Kure Atoll for the latter half of October. An experienced team of 12-15 operators is expected to be on the air for about ten days, CQ WW SSB Contest included. They plan to have 4-6 stations (plus 6 metres) and to operate CW, SSB and RTTY with special emphasis on Europe. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX KH7U]

LU - LT7W is the special callsign Grupo Titan will use for the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend from Punta Delgada Lighthouse (ARG-015), Peninsula Valdes, Patagonia. Details can be found at http://www.LT7W.tk [TNX LU4WG]

TF - Look for Karl, TF/DK4ARL to be active from Iceland (EU-021) on 14-21 August. QSL via the DARC bureau. [TNX DL2VFR]

TF - Once again the Icelandic Radio Amateurs (IRA) will be active as TF1IRA from Knarraros Lighthouse (WWL HP93MT) on 16-17 August. They will operate mainly on 40, 20 and 15 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31, but they will also have equipment for 6 metres and satellite. [TNX TF3AO]

TZ - URE President Angel Padin, EA1QF has joined the 12-23 August TZ6RD expedition to Mali [425DXN 636]. The team now consists of XE1L, N6TQS, EA1QF, EA5KM, EA5RD, EA5RM and EA5XX. QSL via EA4URE. The pilot for the operation is Massimo, I8NHJ (i8nhj@pagus.it). Logs will be available at http://www.pagus.it/tz6rd

UA - Look for RK0LXD/p to be aired (on 80m-70cm SSB and CW) from Petrova Island (RRA 16-08, RDA PK-22) until 10 August. QSL direct to UA0LQJ (Dmitry Lakhtionov, P.O. Box 119, Nakhodka-6, 692906 Russia). [TNX UA0LQJ]

UA - The Russian Robinson Club plans to be active as R3RRC/9 from the Polar Ural Mountains between 14 and 25 August. QSL via UA3SGV (Andy Blinushov, P.O. Box 180, Ryazan-35, 390035 Russia). [TNX UA3SGV]

VP5 - Look for Matt, VP5/IK2SGC to operate on 160-10 metres plus 6m from North Caicos (NA-002) on 10-19 August. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

VP5 - The VP5X contest group will participate in CQ WW DX CW Contest as M/S entry from North Caicos Island. For the time being the team includes David/KY1V, Kyle/WA4PGM, Kari/OH3RB and Juha/OH9MM. This year they are sponsoring one young amateur radio operator (18 or under) to receive an all expense paid trip (one full week) to join the team for the contest. See OPERATOR NEEDED (VP5X) in the "Good To Know" section below. [TNX OH9MM]

Z3 - Twenty-six Z3100 (Zulu Three One Hundred) special calls (Z3100A-Z3100Z) plus three club calls (Z3100IL, Z3100MK and Z3100KR) will be aired through 31 August from Macedonia to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Ilinden Revolution against the Ottoman Empire. Mome, Z32ZM will be using Z3100S mainly on 6 metres, with QSL direct to I2JSB (for Russia and other former USSR

countries via RA3AUM). [TNX Z32ZM]

ZK1_sc - Bill/K6KM (ZK1TOO), Mark/AG9A (ZK1KAT), Ralph/K9ZO (ZK1ZOO) and Kenny/K2KW (ZK1TTT) will operate from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 18-27 August. Two stations will be active when snorkeling permits on 10-40 metres CW and SSB. The team will make extra efforts to work Europeans. All QSLs via WA4WTG. [TNX K2KW]

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4L0G ---> Mamuka Kordzakhia, 4L2M reports that NARG's (National Association Radioamateurs of Georgia) club station 4L0G is now regularly active via satellite. [TNX IZ1EGT]

BRAZIL DX NET ---> Pedro, PP5SZ reports it is now held by Daniel, PT7BI on Saturdays and Sundays from 18.00 to 20.00 UTC on 14222 kHz.

CHILTERN DX CLUB ---> At the Annual General Meeting of CDXC - The UK DX Foundation held on 19 July 2003 the following were elected to the 2003/2004 committee: Neville Cheadle, G3NUG (President); John Butcher, G3LAS (Chairman); Shaun Jarvis, M0BJL (Secretary); Nigel Cawthorne, G3TXF (Treasurer); Martyn Phillips, G3RFX (Digest Editor); Jim Kellaway, G3RTE and Mark Haynes, M0DXR (Committee Members). CDXC contributes around $4,000 each year to DXpeditions and has supported 84 DXpeditions since 1992. The club also supports IREF in recognition of the interest in IOTA activities. There are now over 600 members. The CDXC web page can be found at http://www.cdxc.co.uk [TNX G3XTT]

NEW AWARDS (9A) ---> 9A7K (Kresimir Juratovic, P.O. Box 88, HR - 48001 Koprivnica. Croatia) is the Award Manager for two new awards, both of them available to either licenced amateurs and SWLs. The 9A-PFX Award is for working Croatian amateur radio stations with different prefixes, while the Croatian Islands Award (CIA) is for contacts made with stations operating from Croatian islands with residents. For further information please contact 9A7K (kresimir.juratovic@kc.htnet.hr or 9a7k@qsl.net) or visit http://www.qsl.net/9a7k or http://www.hamradio.hr/ [TNX 9A7K]

OPERATOR NEEDED (VP5X) ---> If you are 18 or younger, hold a valid license, can copy 20+ WPM CW and can write an essay in English, you can send your application to join the VP5X team on a free DXpedition/Contest vacation. Send an e-mail to david @ vp5x.com (spaces inserted to prevent spam) containing an essay of 500 words or more describing how you got started in amateur radio, describe your Elmer, and explain why you should be selected for the multi-single CQ WW CW Contest operation at VP5X. The deadline for applications is 15 September. More information about this DX contest operation can be found at http://www.vp5x.com [TNX OH9MM]

OPERATORS NEEDED (PRATAS) ---> The Chinese Taipei Amateur Radio League (CTARL) is planning an expedition to Pratas Island in October and they need four experienced foreign operators for this activity. If interested please contact Paul Pai, BV4FH at bv4fh@ms2.hinet.net as soon as possible. The web page for the operation is at http://www3.ocn.ne.jp/~iota/newpage64.htm [TNX JI6KVR]

QSL 5B4AGM ---> The QSL route for contacts made during the IOTA Contest 2003 is via RW3RN (Alex Kuznetsov, P.O. Box 57, Tambov-23, 392023 Russia). [TNX RW3RN]

QSL IF9MI ---> IT9FXY has received from the printer the QSL cards for the recent operation from Marettimo Island (EU-054, IIA TP-010). QSL direct only to Gaetano Fino, Via Grotta del Toro 15/A, 91025 Marsala - TP, Italy. [TNX IT9FXY]

QSL UW0G ---> The QSL manager for the recent operation from the Kalanchakskiye Islands (EU-179) [425DXN 638] is US0ZZ: Oleg I. Koshevoy, Sadovaya str. 17 B, 57273 Mirnoe, Nikolaevskaya obl., Ukraine. The QSL cards will be available in a couple of weeks. [TNX ER1MF]

QSL ZK1EAA ---> Nik, HB9EAA reports that all direct requests for his March 2003 activities from the Cook Islands have been processed and mailed. The first batch of bureau cards will be sent out in late August. Check the QSL status at http://www.qsl.net/zk1eaa

QSL VIA DL5AXX ---> Ulf, DL5AXX reports that all direct requests for either CT3/DL5AXX and CS6V will be processed and mailed in late August. While e-mail requests for bureau CT3/DL5AXX cards are welcome at dl5axx@darc.de, there is no need to send any CS6V QSL, as all of the remaining QSOs will be confirmed automatically via bureau.

WAE DX CONTESTS ---> The dates for this year's events are: 9-10 August (CW), 13-14 September (SSB) and 8-9 Movember (RTTY). Full rules are available at http://www.waedc.de [TNX DL6RAI]

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IC8M: Pictures of the recent operation from Licosa Island can be found at http://www.mdxc.org/ic8m/photo.htm [TNX IZ8EDJ]

LOGS: On-line logs for K4SV's recent operations as 7P8DA and 3DA0SV from Lesotho and Swaziland are available at http://www.K4SV.com

LOGS: On-line logs for CS5F (EU-145) are available at http://ct1end.netpower.pt/eu145_culatra_2003/ and http://www.portal-dx.web.pt [TNX CT1END]

LOGS: On-line logs for EG9IC (AF-036) are now available at http://www.ure.es/hf/eadx/expediciones/chafarinas/chafarinas.htm

LOGS: The AS-168 (Chuk Island) log search is now up and running at http://hl1txq.karl.or.kr/chuk/index2.htm

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3B9ZL	FR5ZL	ED5SCN	EA5AOK	SN28SMS	SP3ZAH
3D2MO	OM2SA	EG03PFG	EA3MM	SV8/OL8R/P	OK1FCJ
3DA0DX	ZS5WI	EG6CEN	EA6NY	T32SC	JA0SC
3DA0SV	K4YL	EG9IC	EA4URE	TA2ZF	UT2UB
3DA0WC	VA7DX	EJ5E	EI2SDR	TE8IP	TI2KAC
3XY1L	UY5XE	EJ7M	EI6HB	TK/F8KGM	F5USK
3XY8B	KA5BQM	EJ9HQ	EI9HQ	TM0MN	F6JOB
3Z0I/1	SP6ZDA	EN3WLL	UR4WXQ	TM3ON	ON4ON
3Z0IL	SP8ZBX	ES8X	ES2NA	TM5T	ON4GO
3Z0PW	SP5KEH	F/ON6NN/P	ON5MF	TM7Z	F5CWU
4D71HBC	DU1HBC	FM/IV3JVJ	IV3TDM	TU43CI	TU2CI
4D71LA	DU7LA	FM5GU	KU9C	UE0SAA/P	RA0WA
4J6ZZ	UT3UY	FP/K9OT	K9OT	UR4PWC/P	UT5PW
4K0CW	DL6KVA	FP/KB9LIE	KB9LIE	UT2HZT/P	UX2HB
4L1RK	RW6HS	GB5FI	GW0ANA	UW0G	US0ZZ
4L5O	K1WY	GJ2A	GJ3DVC	V25A	K9MDO
4O8AA	UA3DX	GM5C	GM0DEQ	V25YL	WB9YBL
5H3RK	VK4VB	GU8D	G3LZQ	V73MJ	JF1NZW
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	GW8K	GW0ANA	VC3XXV	VE3JDF
5R8GZ	G3SWH	H44V	JA1PBV	VE9ND	VE9XA
5Z4PV	PA3CBV	HF750MP	SP3PKK	VP2MID	W8QID
7P8DA	K4YL	HL0C/5	HL0C	VP2MLE	K8LEE
7Q7BP	G3MRC	HL0Y/2	HL0Y	VP2MPF	W9IXX
8P6FH	WB2KSK	HL9CW	N7RO	VP2MVU	W8KVU
8P9JG	NT1N	IB0P	I5JHW	VP2MX	N8QET
8Q7HX	DJ9HX	IC8M	IZ8EDJ	VP2VFM	G0IAS
9A5DJ/P	OK1DJG	IL7M	IZ8CGS	VY1JA	N3SL
9A6K/P	9A3QB	IM0M	IS0BMU	VY2TT	K6LA
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9H3JR	DJ0QJ	J49DIA	SV9ANK	W2/NP3D	NP3D
9H3TM	DL1ASA	JD1YAB	JA1MRM	W3I	AE4MK
AP2NK	W3HNK	JW6VJA	LA6VJA	WR3W/KH2	JA0DAI
BI4HS	BY4AJT	JW7QIA	LA7QIA	XM9WGS	VE9WGS
BI5P	BA4RD	KD6WW/VY0	KD6WW	XU7ACT	G3SWH
BN0F	JL1ANP	KG4NL	N2NL	XU7ACU	G3SWH
BV2B/BV9W	BV2KI	LG5LG	SM5DJZ	XU7ACW	LA5YJ
C6AMK	N8IK	LZ1KSL	LZ4BU	YC0IEM/9	IZ8CCW
C6ASB	AK0M	M/ON4CJK	ON4ADN	YE2Y	YB2UJY

C6ASC	AK0M	MD4K	G3NKC	YE5X	IZ8CCW
CO0R	bureau	MM5PSL	WA7OBH	YI/KV4EB	K0JN
CO3VK	IZ8EBI	N6XIV/KH9	K2FF	YI/NG5L	K1QS
CO6XN	N3ZOM	OA4WW	OH0XX	YI/OM2DX	OM3JW
CS4B	CS1GDX	OH0TA	OH2TA	YN4SU	TI4SU
CS5C	CT1AHU	OH0Y	OH6YF	YW6P	EA7JX
CS5F	HB9CRV	P29VVB	UA4WHX	Z3100A	Z31A
CT6B	CT1EEN	PA6Z	PA1KW	Z3100F	Z33F
CT7RW	CT1HXB	PI4HQ	PA3CAL	Z3100G	Z33A
CT9D	CS3MAD	PR2C	PY1NEZ	Z3100I	Z31CZ
CT9M	CS3MAD	PS2I	PY2BEG	Z3100J	Z35G
CU9X	CU3AK	R1100PS	RA1WZ	Z3100K	Z34M
CY9A	N5VL	R1PQ	UA1RJ	Z3100M	Z35M
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DU9/DK2PR	DK2PR	RI1CGR	RN1AW	Z3100X	Z32XX
E21CJN	W3PP	RK3IWT/1	RV3IL	Z3100Z	DJ0LZ
E4/DF3EC	DF3EC	S79IRN	G4IRN	ZF2FF	K8FFO
ED1MFG	EA2ICA	SK0HS/5	SM0MPV	ZL1MFW	ZS1FJ
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