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The 425 DX News monthly edition (August issue), edited by Maurizio Bertolino (I1-21171/IZ1CRR) is now available for free downloading in either.pdf or .doc formats at http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/ In this issue you can find articles on CS5C (Culatra Island), IOTA activation experiences by DL2GAC and S05X, as well as the usual features (the August weekly bulletins, QSL info and addresses, calendar and news from the web).

4S - A large group of Japanese operators will be active (on 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV) from Sri Lanka on 13-18 September. They plan to have five stations on the air and to concentrate on North and South America. QSL each operator via his home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

9G - Alan, G3XAQ will operating (CW only) as 9G5XA from Accra, Ghana on 13-21 September. This time he will be installing a WARC antenna at the Technical College club station so listen for him primarily on those bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G3XAQ]

C9 - Andre, ZS6WPX reports he will be active as C91Z from Mozambique for the next few months starting from 8 September. QSL direct via ZS6WPX.

CT - CT1GFK/P, CT1GPQ/P and CT2IHP/P will operate (on 40, 20, 17 and 15 metres SSB, CW and possibly RTTY) from Ilha das Ratas (not IOTA, DIP AL-13) between around 5 and 11 UTC on 7 September. Information and on line logs at http://adxg.sytes.net; QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX CT1END]

F - This year the Clipperton DX Club (http://cdxc.free.fr/) celebrates its Silver Jubilee. Special call TM8CDX will be activated on all bands and modes from 8 to 21 September for the club's annual convention. QSL via F5CQ. [TNX La Gazette du DX]

G - Weather permitting, Glyn/GW0ANA will be active from Steep Holm Island (EU-120) on 10 September, from 11 to 16 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX GW0ANA]

I - Dario, IK4MED will be active as IH9/IK4MED from Pantelleria (AF-018, IIA TP-001) on 14-26 September. He will operate mainly CW

on 10-80 metres, plus SSB and CW via Oscar 40 (U/S mode). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IK4MED]

IS0 - Geza, HA4XG will be active as IS0/HA4XG/p from Sardinia (EU-024) on 13-27 September. He plans to operate mainly CW in his early morning and late evening hours on 10-40 metres, with an emphasis on the WARC bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]

JA - Yama, JJ1JGI will be active (on 15-40 metres CW and SSB) as JJ1JGI/8 from Rishiri or Rebun Island (AS-147) on 7-10 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

JA - Look for JE7CWH/0 and JQ1SUO/0 to be active (on 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres CW and SSB) from Awa-shima (AS-117) on 13-14 September. QSL via bureau. [TNX JQ1SUO]

JW - Jurgen, DJ3KR will be active (CW only, mainly on 12, 17 and 30 metres) as JW/DJ3KR from Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen (EU-026) on 8-15 September. [TNX The Daily DX]

LA - The Skandinavisk Radioklubb will take part in the IARU Region 1 Field Day (6-7 September) as LA3SRK/P from Stokkoya (EU-036). They will have five stations on 160-10 metres SSB, CW, PSK and RTTY. QSL via SM5SIC. [TNX SM5SIC]

LZ - Weather permitting, Hristo/LZ3FN and Todor/LZ2TEO will operate from two lighthouses (namely Pomorie, ARLHS BUL-018 and Tzarevo, BUL-031) on 6-7 September. QSL via operator's instuctions. [TNX LZ3SM]

PJ2 - Geoff, W0CG will be active in his spare time as PJ2DX from Curacao (SA-006) on 6-18 September. He plans to participate in the All Asian DX SSB Contest (6-7 September) and the WAE DX SSB Contest (13-14 September). QSL via N9AG. [TNX VA3RJ]

PY0_spp - Joca, PS7JN has been active again as ZW0S from St. Peter and St. Paul Rocks (SA-014) for a few days. He expects to remain there through 17 September and to operate RTTY, PSK31, SSB and SSTV during his free time, typically between 17 and 2 UTC. His equipment includes a vertical antenna for 10-40 metres and dipoles for the WARC bands. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

SP - Peter, SP5PB will be active as SP5PB/4 from Wigry National Park, as well as from a rare Polish district for the SPPA award, from 8 September until the end of the month. Details are available at http://www.qsl.net/sp5pb [TNX SP5DDJ]

SV - Look for Michael, SV8/DF3IS to be active on 40-10 metres SSB and CW from Thasos Island (EU-174) on 11-25 September. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

SV9 - A group of SV9s will be active as J49C from Skinakas Observatory in central Crete (1750m a.s.l.) during the IARU Region 1 Field Day SSB Contest (6-7 September). QSL via SV9ANK. [TNX SV9ANJ]

UA - Vas/RU3SD and Serge/RU3ST plan to operate as RU3SD/1 and RU3ST/1 from six islands in the IOTA White Sea Coast Group (EU-147) between 6 and 14 September. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. They might also operate as UE3SFF/1 (QSL via RU3SD) from a natural reserve. [TNX UA3FDX]

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V7 - Bruce, AC4G will operate again as V73CW from Kwajalein (OC-028), Marshall Islands on 8-13 September. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

VK - Trevor, VK7TS will operate as VK7TS/4 from Magnetic Island (OC-171) on 6-10 September. Look for him on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VK4CEJ]

VK - Peter/VK3QI, Keith/VK3FT, Paul/VK3AJJ and Paul/VK3KXG plan to operate from the Baudin Rocks/Godfrey Islands (OC-228) on 25-29 September. Look for them on the usual IOTA frequencies SSB and CW, with an emphasis on 30 & 40 metres CW and 20, 17 & 15 metres SSB. Operating dates are much dependant on weather conditions, which can be very unpredictable at this time of the year. This will be a special event, commemorating the 200th anniversary of the death of Captain Nicolas Baudin, the French explorer who died in September 1803 on the island of Mauritius during his return to Europe from exploration of the Australian coastline. A special commemorative callsign has been applied for and the operators are particularly interested in having contacts with as many French stations as possible. QSL via VK3QI direct or through the VK3 QSL bureau. [TNX VK3QI]

W - Tony, WF1N and Lou, W1DIG will be active (on 0, 15, 20 and 40 metres SSB) from Appledore, Isles of Shoals (NA-217) starting around 18 UTC on 5 September until about 12 UTC on the 8th. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. E-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at a.spino@snet.net (WF1N) and megawatt@snet.net (W1DIG). [TNX WF1N]

W - The Long Island Amateur Radio Simplex club will operate (on 40 and 20 metres SSB) as W2LIS from the USS Intrepid air craft carrier in New York Harbor on 6 September. [TNX W2RVL]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Willi, DJ7RJ will continue being active as 5W0MW from Samoa (OC-097) until 14 September. He will then go to Tokelau (ZK3) and be there from around 17 September until the 28th. Willi will be back to Samoa until about 9 October, when he will move to Vanuatu (YJ) from 10 to 19 October; his last stops will be again at Samoa and then American Samoa. QSL via DJ7RJ. [TNX The Daily DX]

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DXCC NEWS ---> The following stations from Bhutan have been approved for DXCC credit: A51AA, A51KC, A51PK, A51UD, A51WD and A51YL.

QSL HV3SJ ---> All the logs for this call sign have been destroyed and any reported operation using this call is a pirate. [TNX The Golist]

QSL KC4AAC (AN-012) ---> Larry, K1IED reports that all QSL cards for contacts made between 4 August and 3 October 2002 have been sent out. For the time being he has not any logs for QSOs prior or after those dates.

QSL P29KM ---> Kazuo Miyamura, P29KM (also H44H and H40H) reports he will be leaving PNG in early October and his current address (P.O. Box 321, Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea) will not be available any longer. Unless you are 100% sure that your direct QSLs can reach him no later than 30 September 2003, you should address them to Dr. Kazuo Miyamura, 1-50-12 Kaji, Hakodate 041-0852, Japan.

QSL VY0/W2NTJ ---> Cezar, VE3LYC reports he has received VY0/W2NTJ's log for the period 7 July-24 August 2003. Jack logged 345 QSOs from Long Island (NA-173), 119 QSOs from Kugong in the Belcher Islands (NA-196) and a handful of contacts from near Nemaska, Quebec (VE2). Operations from NA-196 took place on 6-8 August and again on 16-17 August. QSL direct to VE3LYC.

QSL VIA IK2DUW ---> Antonello reports he is now the QSL manager also for Alex, RA0CL (ex UA0CJQ).

+ SILENT KEY + Xavier Paradell, EA3ALV reports the passing of Miquel Pluvinet, EA3DUJ, Executive Director of CQ Radio Amateur (the Spanish version of CQ Magazine) on 29 August.

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LABRE-RJ: The new web site for Rio de Janeiro State federation of LABRE (Liga Brasileirade Radioamadores) is at http://www.labre-rj.org [TNX PY1XP]

TOP LISTS: The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings (September update) are now available at http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist.html - please send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@fastwebnet.it)

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3D2II	ZL2III	H44VV	UA4WHX	UE0UG	RW0UM
3DA0MT	NA5U	HC1/N1KO	W1ZS	UE0UM	RW0UM
3Z0PW	SP5KEH	HF19KST	SP2PI	UE0UT	RW0UM
4D71X	NZ7X	HI3NR	KB2MS	UE0UU	RW0UM
4K0GNY	GM0GNY	HP1AC	EA5KB	UE0UV	RW0UM
4L8A	OZ1HPS	HP1RIP	EA7FTR	UE0UW	RW0UM
4S7VK	DJ9ZB	HS0ZEV	DF4PV	UE0UWC	RW0UM
5N0EVR	LZ3XV	J45KOS	DK9NCX	UE0UZ	RW0UM
5N0HVC	OK1DXE	JD1YAB	JA1MRM	UE0UZW	RW0UM
5R8GT	DK8KD	KH6ZM	I0MWI	UE0UZZ	RW0UM
5X2A	K4ZLE	LT0H	EA7FTR	UE4HFF	RU4HG
7Q7CE	IN3VZE	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	UE9GDA	RA9FDR
9G1AA	PA3AWW	LU1NDC	EA7FTR	UN7QX	W7BO
9K2GS	W6YJ	LU1ZV	LU4DXU	V31LZ	LZ3RZ
9L1SS	pirate	LU4ZS	LU4DXU	V63SXW	G3SXW
9Y4/DL1MGB	DL1MGB	LU5FII	WD9EWK	V63TXF	G3TXF
9Y4TBG	DL4MDO	LW2DFH	EA5KB	V73MJ	JF1NZW
A92ZE	K4SXT	LY500AF	LY4AF	VK1CW/4	JA6EGL
CQ3U	CT1AHU	LY500BH	LY2BH	VK9XAB	G3AB
DS22UG	HL0KHQ	OA6CY	EA5KB	VP5VAC	WA4JTK
E21CJN	W3PP	OD5UT	K3IRV	VQ9JC	WB9IHH
EA2CND/P	EA2BR	OH0JWL	DL5FF	VU2UR	SM3DBU
ED1NSN	EA1CNF	OH2IPA	OH4MDY	VU3DJQ	EA7FTR
ED4MAD	EA4RCU	OH2V	OH6YF	XF1K	N6AWD
ED6LGH	EA6LP	P29KPH	K5YG	XQ6ET	W8UVZ
ED9PCC	EA9BO	RK8VWC	RW0UM	XW1A	E21EIC
EK3GM	DK6CW	RX8V/P	RW0UM	YA0J	JG1OWV
EM1UA	JA2JPA	S21B	KX7YT	YA1D	JG1OWV
EN100WAY	UT7WZ	SP0ARDF	SP2LQC	YI/F5ORF	KU9C
EO12CWW	UT7CWW	SU9BN	EA7FTR	YI/KV4EB	K0JN
EO12ID	US7IGF	T88ME	7N1RTO	YI/S57CQ	S57DX
EO12IM	UX8IXX	T88RN	JG1VGX	YI9R	K2PF
EO12J	K2PF	TM5GAP	F5IQJ	Z3100F	Z33F
EW6YR	DL8KAC	TT8FC	EA4AHK	Z3100G	Z33A
EW8AM	DL8KAC	TZ6L	WA3HUP	Z3100R	Z33A
G3HTA/P	G3RUV	UA0AZ	W3HNK	ZB2FX	G3RFX
GB0SKY	MM0DFV	UA0JQ	IK2DUW	ZK1USA	ZK1CG
H40VB	UA4WHX	UE0LZZ/P	UA0LD	ZP6CW	ZP6CU

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