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The 425 DX News monthly edition (September 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 a detailed report with pictures on the XF1K operation from the Todos Santos Islands (NA-162), as well as the usual features (the September weekly bulletins, QSL routes and addresses, calendar and news from the web).

- 4U_UN - Bob, N4CD reports that Pedro, HK3JJH will be operating from the United Nations HQ (4U1UN) "for two days sometime between 8 and 16 October".
- BQ9_p - The BQ9P operators expect to arrive on Pratas Island [425DXN 647] around noon (local time) on 7 October. They plan to set up the low band antenna and one yagi for 10, 15 and metres before sunset. QSL via KU9C. [TNX JI6KVR]
- F - Franck/F5JOT, Daniel/F5LGQ, Claude/F6CKH and Jean-Paul/F6GNG will operate SSB and CW as homecall/p from Cezembre Island (EU-157, DIFM MA-008) on 3-5 October. QSL via home calls. [TNX F5JOT]
- FK - Yoshi, JA7AQR will be active as FK/JA7AQR from Mare Island (OC-033, DIFO FK-013), New Caledonia until 6 October. Look for him on 40-10 metre SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct (Yoshihiro Tanaka, 1-10-6 Minamihara, Yamagata, 990-2413 Japan) or bureau. [TNX JA1ELY]
- I - Special event station II8PAX will be activated by ARI Pompei on 7 October to celebrate the visit of Pope John Paul II. QSL via IZ8CLM, direct or bureau. [TNX IW8EOB]
- KH0 - Look for KH0/JA1DM (QSL via home call), KH0T (QSL via JA1SGU), KH0V (QSL via JJ1KZI) and NH0B (QSL via JI1JMK) to be active on 40-6 metres SSB, CW and RTTY from Saipan, Northern Mariana Islands (OC-086) on 10-13 October. [TNX JA1SGU]
- KH2 - Aki Fujimoto, JR1VAY reports he will be active as AH2J from Guam on 3-6 October. QSL via home call through the JARL bureau.
- LU - GACW (<http://gacw.no-ip.org>) members Alberto/LU1DZ, Hector/LU6UO and Fernando/LW2DX will be active (on 160-6 metres CW with some SSB) as homecall/P from the rare San Juan Province of Argentina until 6

October. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX LU6EF]

PA - Martin, VE3MR will be active again as PA9MR from IOTA EU-146 on 7-25 October. QSL via VE3MR. [TNX The Daily DX]

SP - Other two special event stations will be active from Poland until 31 October to celebrate Pope John Paul II's Silver Jubilee. They are SO25JP (QSL via SP9W) and HF25JP (QSL via SP9PKZ). [TNX SP9W and SP9GKM]

T2 - After Samoa (5W0MW) and Tokelau (ZK3MW) Willi, DJ7RJ was expected to operate from Vanuatu [425DXN 644]. However, he is now reported to be on his way to Tuvalu, where he hopes to arrive around 10 October and stay until the 24th. QSL via home call. [TNX AA1M]

XU - Shirow, JF6DEA will be active as XU7ACD from Cambodia on 3-6 October. Look for him on 6 metres as well as on 40-10 metres. QSL direct to JH6QIL (Shin-Ichi Kusumoto, 1777-289 Nishi-Mochida, Aira-cho, Kagoshima, 899-5431 Japan). Further information at <http://www.ham-net.net/vu-dx/> [TNX JF6DEA]

YJ - Mike, KM9D (YJ0AMY) and Jan, KF4TUG (YJ0ATU) expect to be active on 10-160 metres CW and SSB from Tegua Island (OC-110) [425DXN 647], Vanuatu until around 12 October. QSL via OM2SA. [TNX The Daily DX]

ZK1_sc - Henrik, OZ6TL will be active as ZK1TLA from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands between 11 October and 6 November. He plans to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 in his spare time. [TNX The Daily DX]

ZL - Chas, ZL3CED will be active as ZL6FF between 20 UTC on 10 October and 8 UTC on the 11th, During the Oceania DX Contest he will use his home call. He will operate CW only on 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX ZL3CED]

ZL8 - Jacky, ZL3CW (F2CW) will be active again as ZM8CW from Raoul Island in the Kermadecs (OC-039) on 10-18 October. This is not a DXpedition and Jacky will operate in his spare time. QSL via ZL1AMO. [TNX ZL1AMO]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Anci, JA2ZL (www4.ocn.ne.jp/~ja2zl) will be active as ZK2ZY from Niue (OC-040) on 18-24 October and as 5W0ZY from Samoa (OC-097) on 25-28 October, probably including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He will operate on 12-80 metres (SSB, CW and RTTY from ZK2, SSB only from 5W), using 100 watts, dipoles and beams. QSL via JA2ZL either direct (Anci Yamada, 17-8-2 Takirocho, Tajima, 507-0813 Japan) or through the JARL bureau (until July 2004). [TNX JA1ELY]

VK9 TOUR ---> Some confusion seems to exist about the dates of the YLs' forthcoming DXpeditions [425DXN 631]. They will be on Christmas Island (OC-002) as VK9XYL on 13-27 October and on Cocos Keeling Islands (OC-003) as VK9CYL on 27 October-10 November. QSL to VK3DYL. (Gwen Tilson, 3 Gould Court, Mt. Waverley, Victoria 3149, Australia) Direct cards enclosing old style IRCs, insufficient postage or no SAE will be returned via the bureau. E-QSLs will not be accepted. [TNX VK3DYL, <http://www.qsl.net/vk3dyl>]
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CDXC ---> The new officers and directors of the Clipperton DX Club (<http://cdxc.free.fr/>) are Yannick/F6FYD (President), Joel/F5IPW (Vice-President), Jean-Louis/F9DK (Vice-President), Gerard/F2JD (Treasurer), Mauricette/F8BPN (Secretary). Other Board members, charged with various responsibilities, include F2VX, F4AJQ, F5CQ, F5CWU, F5IL, F5LMJ, F5OGL, F5XL, F6ANA, F6BFH, F6JOB, F8CIQ and G0LMX. [TNX F8BPN]

INDEXA ---> The International DX Association (INDEXA) has announced its directors and officers for the 2003-2004 term: Judy Roush, AA7UC (President); Bill "Pick" Pickard, WA5PAE (Vice-President); Bill Jennings, W4UNP (Secretary-Treasurer); Franz Langner, DJ9ZB (Director); Ron Wright, ZL1AMO (Director); Richard Grant, W9RG (Director); Nellie Saltiel de Lazard, XE1CI (Director). INDEXA is a non-profit organization that is dedicated to supporting rare and semi-rare DX while promoting goodwill among amateur radio operators of the world. For more information, please visit <http://www.indexa.org> or contact Bill Jennings, W4UNP (P.O. Box 607, Rock Hill, SC 29731, USA). [TNX AA7UC]

OCEANIA DX CONTEST ---> The Phone Contest will take place from 8 UTC on 4 October through 8 UTC on the 5th; the CW Contest will be held on 11-12 October. The aim of the contest is to promote HF contacts with stations in the Oceania region (VK, ZL, Pacific Islands and other locations within the IARU "Worked All Continents" Oceania boundary). Full details are available at <http://www.oceaniadxcontest.com/>

PIRATE ---> Scott, K7ZO is the QSL manager for Joe, NK7U and has received around 40 cards for QSOs made with TA0/NK7U on 9 August 2002. "This operation was a pirate/slim", he says. There are also a few cards for TA9/NN7E via NK7U on 22 November 2002: "this operation may or may not be a pirate, but NK7U is not the QSL manager if it is a good one".

QSL 7Q7RS ---> The QSL manager for Sigfrido, 7Q7RS is IW9BBX. Cards can be sent either direct (Antonello Scauso, P.O. Box 34, 98057 Milazzo - ME, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IK8PGM]

QSL PJ2P ---> The proper QSL route for the PJ2P (<http://www.pj2t.org>) operation from Curacao in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest this past weekend is KQ3F. They operated in the M/S Low Power category. [TNX K8ND]

QSL TX4PG (MARQUESAS 2003) ---> Please note that the new QSL manager for bureau cards only is IK2DIA. Direct requests should still be sent to I2YSB.

QSL YI1BGD/5 ---> "There has been a lot of confusion regarding Hasan, YI1BGD/5 and his operation out of Basrah since before 2002/2003", Cliff Underhill, GOMMI says. He has been unable to reply to any direct card received so far [425DXN 637], but on 30 September it was confirmed via Diya, YI1DZ that Hasan would like Cliff to be his QSL manager. Logs are expected to arrive "in the near future" and cards have still to be printed, so please be

patient. Also please note that Cliff can accept direct cards only, at least "for the foreseeable future", as he has pulled out of the RSGB QSL Bureau.

QSL ZW8M ---> Moreira, CT1AHU reports that the first batch of direct cards for the May 2003 ZW8M operation from Mexiana Island (SA-042) was mailed on 30 September. [TNX CT1END]

QSL VIA I2YSB ---> Silvano is the QSL manager for 5U7B, 5U7DW, 5U7JK, 5U7JW and 5U7RW. QSL direct only to Silvano Borsa, P.O. Box 45, 27036 Mortara - PV, Italy. On-line logs for 5U7B, 5U7DW, 5U7JW and 5U7RW are available at <http://digilander.libero.it/i2ysb> [TNX I2YSB]

QSL VIA S57DX ---> Dane, S57CQ has left Iraq, where he operated as YI/S57CQ (some 3100 QSOs) and YI9T (some 1500 QSOs); both calls are acceptable for DXCC credit. Dane is now in Guinea-Bissau (J5) until mid October. All QSL requests for his previous operations (YI9T, YI/S57CQ, 5B4/S57CQ, T9/S57CQ, 9A/S57CQ) go to S57DX (Slavko Celarc, Ob Igriscu 8, 1360 Vrhnika, Slovenia). [TNX S57DX]

VK9XAB ---> Andy, G3AB made 10,800 QSOs as VK9XAB during his recent 7-day stay on Christmas Island. Direct QSLs are being mailed now. Two weeks were spent in Indonesia prior to the VK9 activity where Andy was pleased to meet up with many well-known YB DXers in Jakarta. Some photos will be appearing soon on <http://www.g3ab.net> [TNX G3AB]

W/VE ISLANDS QSO PARTY ---> This year event it will be held on 18-19 October. Full details can be found at <http://www.eng.mu.edu/usislands/usvetest.html> [TNX VA3RJ]

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*** NEWS FROM THE WEB ***
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4M9YY: The web page for the 7-12 October 4M9YY operation [425DXN 643] is at <http://www.4m9yy.com.ve> [TNX YY5JMM]

IOCA TOUR: Full information (including pictures, QSL routes, etc) about the Croatian islands tour of 9A/RZ3EC, 9A/UA3NAN and 9A6AA is now available at <http://www.qsl.net/rz3ec/9a>. QSL cards have been printed and are being sent out. [TNX RZ3EM]

LOGS: The QSOs from the 20-27 September GB0SM (EU-011) activity have been added to the main log, which is available at <http://www.qsl.net/gb0sm> [TNX G0PSE]

LOGS: On-line logs for AL5A/NH0 (Saipan) [425DXN 645] are available at <http://www6.plala.or.jp/jh0mgj/logs/index.html> [TNX JH0MGJ]

QSL GALLERIES: A collection of 1700+ QSL cards is available on Les Nouvelle DX's web site. Six different galleries include cards for each of the 58 deleted DXCC entities, obsolete prefixes, Antarctic bases & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises), pre-1945 countries and French Departments. Several cards are still needed and your participation is welcome - please visit

<http://LesNouvellesDX.free.fr> and send send your comments to LesNouvellesDX@free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

QSL ROUTES: QSL routes for stations active during the latest CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest are listed at <http://www.contesting.info> [TNX DL/VE3ZIK]

TOP LISTS: The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings (October 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)

XZ7A: The web page for the current operation from Myanmar is at <http://www.qsl.net/dl7df/xz7a>

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| 3C0V | DJ9ZB | ED3TCT | EA3EVR | P3A | W3HNC |
| 3D2LL | JA2LLK | ED6MAT | EA6ACF | PJ2MI | W2CQ |
| 4D71HBC | DU1HBC | ED7SAC | EA7DA | PS7/ZY2A | PT2AA |
| 4L1MA | ON4RU | EM225G | UR3GM | PY9BT | PP2BT |
| 4O8AA | UA3DX | EM5U | UT2UB | R10RRC | RV3ACA |
| 4S7PBG | JH3PBL | EO6F | UX0FF | RK0LXD/p | UA0LQJ |
| 4V200H | HH2JR | EW6AC | DL8KAC | S9SS | N4JR |
| 4Z8EE | OK1EE | EX2M | W3HNC | SN25JP | SP4GFG |
| 5B4AHJ | G3PMR | FK/AC4LN | UA4WHX | SO1VAF | DL7VAF |
| 5N0NHD | JH8BKL | FM5BH | W3HNC | SR25JP | SP6KFA |
| 5R8FU | SM5DJZ | FO/DF6IC | DF6IC | SU9NC | OM2SA |
| 5R8HA | G3SWH | FO/DL1IAN | DL1IAN | SV0JD/SV8 | DL6NBA |
| 5X2PV | PA3CBH | FO/DL3GA | DL3GA | SX8X | SV8ENI |
| 7Q7HB | G0IAS | FW/AC4LN | UA4WHX | T88BA | G4OHX |
| 8P9AM | UT2UB | GB0SAM | M0RAW | T88UG | K7ZZ |
| 8P9SH | KU9C | GB75BF | G4DFI | T88ZX | K7ZZ |
| 8S5A | SM5AJV | HC8N | W5UE | T99RM | DL2JRM |
| 8S5X | SM5HJZ | HE2GR | HB9DOT | TA0KA | DJ6QT |
| 8S6UEA | DL1CC | HF25JP | SP9PKZ | TA2ZF | UT2UB |
| 8S7A | W3HNC | HF8JP | SP8QED | TA4ZT | DK1AR |
| 9G100 | PA3ERA | HF8KAF | SP8KAF | TG9NX | N4FKZ |
| 9H3GQT | YL2GQT | HJ3ISB | EA5KB | TM9NL | F5AXP |
| 9H3KKL | YL2KL | HS0ZEA | OE2REL | TR8CA | F6CBC |
| 9H3M | YL2KL | II1D | IZ1CCE | UE3SFF/P | RU3SD |
| 9H3MMD | YL2MD | IO1DCI | IK1GPG | UE3YGA/P | RV3YR |
| 9H3YM | PE1OFJ | J42A | SV2AEL | UE6FBR | RN6FJ |
| 9H3ZR | PB9ZR | J45XB | DJ9XB | UT0U | UT2UB |

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| 9J2BO | G3TEV | JW5X | LA5X | UT4UZA/P | UX7UN |
| 9J2KC | JL1NKC | JW6VM | LA6VM | UT5UDX | UT2UB |
| 9L1DX | EA4CEN | JW7XK | LA7XK | V31LZ | LZ3RZ |
| 9N7DZ | UA4AX | JW9DL | LA9DL | V31XW | G7UXW |
| 9Y4ZC | DL4MDO | JY4NE | K3IRV | V51KC | WD4AWD |
| A41KJ | N5FTR | JY9QJ | DL5MBY | V63SC | JM1LBO |
| A52SM | SM7EHU | K2K | K2KGB | V73MJ | JF1NZW |
| A61AR | UA6MF | K4R | KG4KWW | V85RH | JH7FQK |
| AL5A/NH0 | JH0MGJ | K7WD/KH6 | JH7IMX | V8A | JH7FQK |
| CL6BIA | N3ZOM | KH0AC | K7ZA | VK4SRW | PA0RRS |
| CN2R | W7EJ | KH6ZM | I0MWI | VP5/AH6HY | AH6HY |
| CN8KD | EA5XX | KL7FAA | AC7DX | VP8DGA | G0WJN |
| CO3CJ | IZ8EBI | KP2D | KU9C | XZ7A | DL7DF |
| CO6TB | N3ZOM | KP4SQ | KD8IW | YA3R | K3KN |
| CO6XN | N3ZOM | LN1B | LA1B | YC0KTS | LZ1YE |
| CO8CY | EA5KB | LN2T | LA2T | YI1UNH | WA3HUP |
| CP8XA | DL3NAZ | LZ100JVA | LZ1PJ | YI9X | OM3JW |
| CU3DJ/P | KZ5RO | M0SDX | UT2UB | YM2ZF | UT2UB |
| D4B | K1BV | N1VK/VE2 | JL3SIK | Z28JL | G3UUV |
| DL2GG/YV5 | DL3AMA | OH0B | OH2BH | ZA1E | I2MQP |
| DS0DX/2 | HL1XP | OH0PM | OH2PM | ZL/9V1SM/P | W3HNC |
| DU3NXX | W3HNC | OH0V | OH6LI | ZV5OKT | PP5ZP |
| DU9/N0NM | W4DR | OH0WK | OH3WK | ZY2A | PT2AA |
| ED2LUZ | EA2CV | OH0XY | OH6XY | ZY5BI | PP5ZP |
| ED3TCA | EA3DQU | OK8BWW | CT1BWW | ZY5JP | PY5ZHP |

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