7X  -  7W0AD is the callsign issued to the group of Spanish operators for their 2-9 October activity from Algeria [425DXN 698]. QSL via EA4URE. [TNX EA5KY]

EA  - Jose Manuel, EA4AAA will operate as EA4AAA/EA5/m from the lighthouse at Cabo de Huertas (ARLHS SPA-016, E-0166 for the Spanish lighthouses award) on 18 September starting around 15 UTC. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX GM3VLB]

EL  - EL2PM is the callsign issued to Pat, EI5IF [425DXN 682]. He will remain in Liberia for another three months. [TNX F5NQL]

FO  - Unfavourable weather conditions caused Nando/IT9YRE, Claudio/I1SNW and Alfio/IT9EJW to put off their departure for Hereheretue (OC-052) until 17 September at 6 a.m. Tahiti time. The voyage will take about 48 hours and now they expect to arrive around 15 UTC on 19 September. [TNX KB5GL]

HB0  - Andy, LY2BVB will operate (on 80, 40, 20 and 15 metres CW and SSB) as HB0/LY2BVB from Liechtenstein on 20-23 September. QSL via bureau to LY2BVB. [TNX HA0HW]

I  - Gianni, IZ8CGS will be active from Lampedusa Island (AF-019, IIA AG-001, MIA MI-126) on 23-26 September. QSL via IK8VRN. [TNX I28CGS]

I  - IY4FGM, the station at the Guglielmo Marconi Foundation at Pontecchio, will be activated during the Italian HF-DX Convention next weekend (www.ari-bo.it). QSL via IK4UPU.

JA  - Look for JQ6GXP/6 to operate from Kami-Koshiki Island (AS-037, JIIA AS-037-003) from around 8 UTC on 18 September until 23 UTC on the 19th. He will go and operate from Shimo-Koshiki (AS-037, JIIA AS-037-007) until 21 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

JA  - Steve, K7USJ will be active (on 40-6 metres CW and SSB, as well as FM on 29.300 MHz) as 7J1AIL/JR6 from Iriomote, Yaeyama Islands (AS-024) from 29 September through 2 October. QSL via K7USJ (direct) or 7J1AIL (direct or bureau). [TNX K7USJ]

JW  - LA7QI (JW7QI) and LA8AW (JW8AW) will be active from Spitsbergen (EU-026) until 20 September. QSL via home calls. They will participate in the Scandinavian Activity Contest CW as JW8D (QSL via LA7QI).

S7  - Marco/HB9OCR, Piera/ HB3YIY and possibly others will operate (on the HF bands SSB, 80 metres excluded) as S79MH from Praslin Island (AF-024), Seychelles from 24 October to 6 November, CQ WW DX SSB Contest included. QSL via HB9OCR. [TNX HB9OCR]

SM  - The SI9AM station (http://www.qsl.net/si9am) will be activated will be activated during the SAC CW (18-19 September, by SM3EA, SM3FJP
and probably other SM3s) and SSB (25-26 September, by DF6JC and DL1EJS). QSL via SM3CVM, direct or bureau. [TNX SM3CVM]

TA - Berkin, TA3J will operate as TC2K4J from 24 September to 2 November. This special activity will commemorate forty silent-key operators from Turkey. QSL via TA3YJ, direct (no green stamps, please) or bureau. Further information can be found at http://www.geocities.com/tc2k4j/. [TNX TA3YJ]

TR - The Daily DX reports that Dimitri, F5SWB is going to spend two months in Gabon and plans to operate as TR8DF on all bands CW during his spare time. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

UA - Victor, RV3YR and other operators from the Fifth Ocean Flight ARC and the Brjanskij Radio Club are active as UE3YGA and UE3YGA/p from various Russian Districts in Brjansk region until 20 September. QSL via RV3YR (Victor Borodin, P.O. Box 1, Bryansk-27, 241027 Russia). [TNX RV3YR]

W - Chuck, ND7K will be active (mostly on 20 metres SSB and CW, with some 40m) as ND7K/P from Bailey Island (NA-137) from 18 UTC on 19 September to 16 UTC on the 20th. This will be his last visit to the island this year. [TNX www.islandchaser.com]

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AUSTRALIAN POSTAL RATES ---> "All DXers should be aware that Australian postal rates increased by 10% starting 6th September 2004", Alan Roocroft, VK4AAR reports. "Please make allowances for this when enclosing reply postage. Also, it is not a good idea to attach Australian stamps to your SAE because 95% of DXers get the wrong series of stamps and the wrong value. Please let us do it ourselves. We know the system best and it is different to most countries".

CDXC ---> At the recent annual general meeting of Chiltern DX Club, The UK DX Foundation (www.cdxclub.org.uk), the following committee was elected: Neville Cheadle/G3NUG (President), John Butcher/G3LAS (Chairman), Peter Hart/G3SIXJ (Secretary), Nigel Cawthorne/G3TXF (Treasurer), Martyn Phillips/G3RFX (Digest Editor), Jim Kellaway/G3RTE, David Gould/G3UEG, Mark Haynes/M0DXR (Committee members). CDXC has recently made an Award of Merit to the 3B9C team. The Award of Merit programme enables CDXC, on behalf of the UK amateur community, to give recognition to deserving amateurs "For outstanding and unselfish contributions to the field of HF amateur radio and DXing". Recent winners are: 2001 D68C Comoro Islands, 1999 ZL9CI Campbell Island, 1998 9M0C Spratly Island and 1997 VK0IR Heard Island DXpeditions. [TNX G3XTT]

DX MAGAZINE MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted
Survey is being conducted now through 31 October. The survey form is available at [http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2004.html](http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2004.html) and the overall results will be published in early 2005. [TNX N4AA]

**DXCC NEWS --->** The following operations have been approved for DXCC credit:

- **4W4JEG** Timor-Leste 7 October 2003 – 30 June 2004
- **T6RF** Afghanistan 1 July – 31 August 2004
- **TT8KR** Chad 7-14 September 2004.

**EUCW CONTEST --->** The first contest organized by the Club Francophone Telegraphiste will take place on 11 November from 5 to 15 UTC. Full information is available at [http://www.on5cft.be.tf/](http://www.on5cft.be.tf/) [TNX F5NQL]

**EU SPRINT CONTESTS --->** The two Autumn events will be held on 20, 40 and 80 metres only from 15.00 UTC until 18.59 UTC on 2 October (Autumn SSB, managed by I2UIY) and 9 October (Autumn CW, managed by OK2FD) Full details (free software included) can be found at [http://www.qsl.net/eusprint](http://www.qsl.net/eusprint)

**GM SPECIAL CONTEST CALLS --->** Jurij, MM0DFV ([http://www.scotham.net](http://www.scotham.net)) provides the list of the current special contest callsigns (with their relevant QSL route) used by Scottish amateur radio clubs:

- GM0B MM0BHJ
- GM0F M0CMK
- GM0G MM0SLB
- GM2T GM4UYZ
- GM2Z MM0DFV
- GM3W GM3JKS
- GM4V MM0FVC
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- GM5C GM0EQ
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- GM7M MM0ERK
- GM7R MM1AUF
- GM7V M0CMK
- GM8W GM4XZZ
- MM2R MM1AUF
- MM7I GM3GBZ

**NCDXF --->** At its Board of Directors meeting on 11 September, the Northern California DX Foundation re-elected the following officers and directors: Len Gerald/K6ANP (President), Al Burnham/K6RIM (Vice President), Tom McShane/NW6P (Secretary), Bruce Butler/W6OAT, Dave Pugatch/KI6WF, Chuck Ternes/N6OJ, Glenn Vinson/W6OTC, Steve Merchant/K6AW, Ken Anderson/K6TA and Tim Totten/N4GN (Directors). Information pertaining to the Northern California DX Foundation is available at [http://www.ncdxf.org/](http://www.ncdxf.org/) [TNX K6RIM]

**QSL 8J1RL --->** The QSL cards for contacts made with Syowa Station (AN-015, JA-02 for the Antarctica Award) from February 2004 to January 2005 will be forwarded to JARL Bureau in April 2005 after the operators return to Japan. On-line logs at [http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-7_8j1rl/frame.htm](http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-7_8j1rl/frame.htm)

**QSL VIA I28CCW --->** Antonio is the QSL manager for the following stations: 5B/IT9SSI (AS-004 and AS-120), 5B/I28CCW (AS-004 and AS-120), 8A3M (OC-250), CO8TW (NA-015), CU3X (AF-014), ED8MDC (AF-004), H40AT (OC-065), H44AT (OC-149), IB0DX (EU-045), IB0MDC (EU-045), IC8/I28CCW (EU-031), ID8/I28CCW (EU-144), II8CS, II8MDC, IL7M (EU-050), IO8MDC (EU-144), IQ8ARI, IQ8BP, IQ8CS, IQ8MD, IR1MDC, IR2MDC, IR5MDC, IR6MDC, IR8CS, IR8M, IR8MDC, IR9MDC, IT9/I28CCW (EU-025), IU8MDC, IU8W, J3/F4TVY (NA-024), J6/F4TVY (NA-108), J79TUY (NA-101), KB5GL/5 (NA-089, Apr 03), RIOCM (AS-172), UN8GDR, UN8GF, UN8GU, UP7GMD, V8AQZ (OC-088), VU2DPM (AS-153, Jan 02), VU2HFR (AS-153, Jan 02), VU2JSH (AS-153, Jan 02), VU2KFR (AS-153, Jan 02), VU2SKD (AS-153, Jan 02), YB3ZES (OC-021), YB3ZES/P (OC-237), YB3ZMI (OC-237), YCOIEM
QSL VIA VK4AAR ---> Alan is the QSL manager for the following stations: 9V0A, 9V1DX, C21RH,KH2VM, P29RH, V63PD, VI0ANARE, VK0MM, VK6AN (OC-266), VK6BM (OC-234), VK6BSI (OC-243), VK6LI (OC-071), VK8AN, VK8AN/6 (OC-154), VK8AN/8 (OC-229), VK8AV/3 (OC-136), VK8DP, VK8MI (OC-173), VK8RH, VK8XC, VU3RSB, YJ8AA, ZK2JJ, ZK2PJ. QSL direct only to Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton 4343, Australia.

UKRAINIAN DX CONTEST ---> Sponsored by the Ukrainian Contest Club (UCC) and the Ukrainian Amateur Radio League (UARL), it will take place on 160-10 metres (WARC bands excluded) CW, SSB and RTTY, from 12 UTC on 6 November through 12 UTC on the 7th. Full rules are available at http://urcc.com.ua/ [TNX F5NQL]

+ SILENT KEY + Captain Lee E. Reisenweber, K3RGD/VP2VE passed away on 21 February at the San Juan VA Medical Center, San Juan, Puerto Rico. He is interred at Puerto Rico National Cemetery Bayamon. First licensed at the age of 12, Lee was president of the BVI Amateur Radio League. During the Vietnam War he served in the United States Marine Corps. Lee's family asks that anyone knowing Lee that have pictures or stories they can share to please send them to D. L. Borgman, 11111 NE 105th Avenue, Archer, Florida 32618, USA or email to dlb@borgmangroup.com

ANTARCTICA: A page of links to Antarctica related web sites has been added to the Antarctica Award page at www.mdxc.org/antarctica [TNX IZ8CGS]

LOGS: On-line logs for IU1L's operations from La Lanterna (ARLHS ITA-177, WAIL LI-005) in the 2003 and 2004 International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekends are available at www.arigenova.it [TNX IZ1BZS]

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