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- 3B8 - Mart, DL6UAA plans to operate as 3B8MM [425DXN 693] from Mauritius until 16 November at least. He is unlikely to operate on 160 metres, as there is not enough space at the main QTH and /p activities are not allowed. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- 5B - Laci/HA6NL, Zsolt/HA6PS, Tibor/HA6ZV and Al/HA7JJS will operate as 5B/homecall from Limasol, Cyprus (AS-004) on 2-9 November. During the HA-QRP Contest (<http://www.radiovilag.hu/haqrp.htm>) they will operate as 5B/HA5RT/QRP on 80 metres with 10 watts. QSL via home calls; QSL 5B/HA5RT/QRP via HA6NL. [TNX HA0HW]
- 5Z - Miki, 5Z4YT1CS (YT1CS) [425DXN 701] will operate as 5Z4YT1CS/M from Lamu Island (AF-040) on 4-11 November. He plans to operate on 80-10 metres SSB, using 100 watts, an inverted "V" for 40 and 80m and verticals for the higher bands. QSL via YT1CS, direct or bureau. [TNX YZ1SG]
- 9L - Ivo, 9A3A is active (on 160-10 metres with 100 watts and a long wire) as 9L1ADA from Freetown, Sierra Leone until 1 November. QSL requests should be sent to Ivo's current address in Italy: Ivo Pezer, c/o UNLB, Via U. Maddalena 54, 72011 Brindisi - BR, Italy. [TNX NG3K]
- 9N - Bavarian Contest Club (<http://www.bavarian-contest-club.de/>) members Rudolf/DJ3WE, Falk/DK7YY, Ben/DL6RAI and Roberto/IV3IYH will operate from Nepal either as 9N7BCC (requested call) and with individual callsigns from 16 November to 5 December, CQ WW DX CW Contest included. They will have three stations active on 160-15 metres (possibly on 10 metres as well) and plans are to concentrate on the low and the WARC bands outside the contest. There will also be RTTY activities. Their QTH will be located at the most elevated spot in the Kathmandu valley. QSL 9N7BCC via DK7YY; the QSL routes for individual calls will be announced in due course. This operation, which is entirely financed by the participants, will celebrate the 20th anniversary of the club and will be in memoriam of its long time member Sepp Rindfleisch, DJ7CY. [TNX DJ3WE]
- 9V - Enno, PF5X will be in Singapore for about three years and on 21 October he received his 9V1CW licence. He plans to operate mainly CW on 80-10 metres and to concentrate on 30 and 17 metres. QSL via PA0KHS, bureau or direct (for airmail return to non-EU destinations, please enclose 2US\$/Euro, otherwise 1 US\$/Euro). [TNX PF5X]
- 9Y - Frank, DL2CC and Stefan, DK1MM will operate as 9Y4/homecall from Tobago (SA-009) from 27 October to 2 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as 9Y4ZC (QSL for this operation via DK1MM). [TNX DK1MM]
- C5 - Jef, ON4ACA will be in The Gambia for two weeks starting on 27

- October. He plans to operate (callsign not known) SSB and CW, possibly also on 80 and 160 metres, and to take part in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (SOSB 20 metres). QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- C6 - K8FL, K8LEE and W8GEX will operate from Eleuthera (NA-001), Bahamas from 26 October to 1 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as C6DX. [TNX K1XN and The Golist]
- C9 - Andre, ZS6WPX will operate as C91Z (mostly on SSB, with some CW and RTTY) from Mozambique from 28 October to 1 November, while his wife Magda will be active as C91Y (mostly on SSB). Andre will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL direct only via ZS6WPX. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- D4 - Alberto, IV3TAN will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as D44TD (SOSB 20m). Before the contest Andrea, IV3SKB will operate RTTY and CW. QSL via CT1EKF. [TNX IV3SKB]
- FM - Laurent, F5MUX will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as FM5BH. He will operate as TO7X [425DXN 701] before and after the contest, between 26 October and 5 November. [TNX F5NQL]
- GM - GB0SK is the call issued to the Grantham ARC for their 2-6 May 2005 operation from St. Kilda (EU-059) [425DXN 701]. On 1 May they will operate as GMOGRC/P from Great Bernera (EU-010). [TNX GORCI]
- HB0 - Christian, DL6KAC will operate as HB0/DL6KAC from Liechtenstein on 25-29 October, and will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest with the HB0/HB9AON Multi-Multi team. They will have monobanders for 40-10m and dipoles for 160 and 80 metres. [TNX DL6KAC]
- I - The Tikirriki Contest Club will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as IH9P (<http://www.ih9p.com>) from Pantelleria Island (African Italy, AF-018, IIA TP-01) as a Multi/Single entry. The operators (I2IFT, I2PJA, I8QLS, IK2ANI, IK2CIO, IK2HKT, IK2RZP, IK7JWY, IK8ETA, IN3QGY, IN3ZNR, IT9BLB, IT9WPO, IT9ZMX, OL5Y, and W1NA) will start arriving on 24 October; expect some homecall/IH9 activity on CW and RTTY before the contest. QSL via KR7X. [TNX IT9BLB]
- JW - Ole, LA4SNA is active as JW4SNA from Hopen island (EU-063) until 24 November. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]

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- KH2 - Aki, JI3ERV/NH2C; Toshi, JR7OMD/WI3O; Kaz, JG3RPL/N1BJ and Nozomu, JE8KKX/AH2K will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as AH2R (Multi-Two) from Guam (OC-026). QSL via JH7QXJ, direct or bureau. [TNX JI3ERV]
- KP2 - W3FV, K2TW and N2TK will operate as homecall/KP2 (QSL via home calls) from St. Croix, US Virgin Islands (NA-106) from 27 October to

- 3 November, including a Multi-Two entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as WP2Z (QSL via KU9C). [TNX K1XN and The Golist]
- PJ2 - Andy, DL5CW will operate mainly CW as PJ2/DL5CW from Curacao (SA-006) on 1-15 November. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DL5CW]
- SP - Juergen, DL5CE, and Dieter, DL7VAF will be active (on 160-10 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as S01CE and S01VAF respectively from Wolin Island (EU-132) on 23-24 October. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau, [TNX VA3RJ]
- T2 - Ulli, DL2AH [425DXN 700] is currently active as 3D2AH from the Fiji Islands and will be going to Tuvalu next week. His call will be T20AH. QSL via DL2AH, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- V4 - Andrei, EW1AR will be active (on all bands CW, SSB and especially RTTY) as V44/EW1AR and NC2N/V44 from Nevis (NA-104) from 25 October to 1 November. QSL via W3HMK. He will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as V49A (QSL via V44NK) on 160 metres (QRP). Look also for Boris, UU5SY to operate as UU5SY/V44 during the same period, including a SOSB (10m) entry in the contest. QSL via KC2FVN. [TNX NG3K]
- V6 - Lanny, W5BOS [425DXN 694] was stuck on Weno (Chuuk Islands) for a while because of rough seas. He eventually became active as V60 from Pulap (OC-155) on 21 October. QSL via N6AWD.
- V6 - Sho, JA7HMZ will operate as V63DX from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia from 29 October to 3 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as V63B (SOAB). QSLs via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- VE - Ron, VE3AT will operate as VC3L between 29 October and 29 November to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the inauguration of the largest power generating project in Canada. QSL via VE3AT (Ron Vander, 9 Jopling Avenue South, Islington, ON M9B 3P4, Canada). TNX VA3RJ]
- VE - VE3DZ, VE3FWA, VE2QIP and possibly VE2XAA will take part in CQ WW DX SSB Contest as VE2IM (Multi-Single) from Zone 2. Before and after the contest they will operate as homecall/2. [TNX VE3DZ]
- VE - AC8W (VA3ACW), K8DD (VE3RDD) and K8MM will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as VO2AAA from Labrador City (Zone 2). It will be either a Multi-Single or, if they can get one or two more operators, a Multi-Two entry. QSL via K8DD (VE3RDD). [TNX K8DD]
- VK - Carsten, DL2CS will be active as VK50I from Brampton Island (OC-160) between 29 October and 2 November. He will operate QRP on 40-6 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via DL2CS, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VK9_xms- David, VK2CZ will operate as VK9XD from Christmas Island (OC-002) from 25 October to 4 November, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP9 - Steve, W4DTA will be active as W4DTA/VP9 from Bermuda (NA-005) from 27 October to 1 November. QSL via home call. He will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as W40V/VP9 (QSL via W40V) as a multi-operator entry. [TNX YV5ENI]
- W - Rich, K6YR and Ed, K6SHU plan to operate from Santa Cruz Island (NA-144, USI CA-012S) during the W/VE Islands QSO Party on 23-24 October. QSL via qrz.com. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XX9 - A joint team of 34 operators from China, Hong Kong and Macao will participate the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as XX9C (Multi-Multi) from

Taipa Island (AS-075), Macao. QSL via XX9BB. The home page for the activity is at <http://www.arm.org.mo/xx9c/> [TNX VR2ZST]

YB - Hotang, YC0IEM is currently active as YC0IEM/7 from Borneo (OC-088). He operates from the QTH of Cleo, YC7SKM. QSL for both via IZ8CCW, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ8CCW]

ZA - Martti, OH2BH and Pertti, OH2PM will be in Albania on 26-31 October, finalizing Project Goodwill Albania (www.zala.com) related activities with the hopes to bring a number of new students on the air. They will be accompanied by the IARU folks assisting the Albanian Telecom in variety of regulatory issues. Expect ZA/OH2BH and ZA/OH2PM to be active during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest, most likely in two single-band categories. QSL to their home calls. [TNX N4GN]

ZK1_sc - Ronnie, SM7DKF will be active as ZK1DKF from Rarotonga (OC-013) from 28 October to 1 November and from Aitutaki (OC-083) on 2-13 November. QSL direct only to SM7DKF (Ronnie Nilsson, Vaestra Haeggviksvaegen 12, SE-236 32 Hoellviken, Sweden). Further information can be found at <http://www.sm7dkf.se/index-info.htm> [TNX VA3RJ]

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DXCC NEWS ---> Tony, IK1QBT reports that OD5RMK (IOTA Contest 2004 operation from Ramkin Island), as well as OD5/I1HJT, OD5/I1NVU and OD5/IK1QBT, have been accepted for DXCC credit.

QSL 600JT ---> Joe, VA6JWT [425DXN 702] expected to arrive to Galkayo, in the Puntland autonomous area of Somalia, on 21 October. He is new to HF, but will operate as 600JT in his spare time from the local radio club. QSL cards should be sent to Joe Talbot, VE6 Incoming Bureau, Box 1515, Gibbons, Alberta T0A 1N0, Canada. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL VIA PA7FM ---> Michael, PA5M went QRT from Benin on 17 October, four days earlier than originally planned, and is currently back home in the Netherlands. In the last couple of months he operated as 5U7DX, TZ6M and TY5M. The QSL manager for all is PA7FM (Dennis Robbmond, Loggerhof 11, 3181NS Rozenburg, The Netherlands). He reports that while there is no backlog for TZ6M, the 5U7DX cards have not yet arrived from the printer and the TY5M QSLs have to printed. Do not forget that 1 USD does not cover postage for destinations outside Europe; direct requests without sufficient return postage will be answered through the bureau. On-line logs for all of Michael's operations (YI/PA5M, 9U5M, ST2DX, 5U7DX, TZ6M and TY5M) can be found at <http://www.pa7fm.nl> [TNX PA7FM]

TX9 ---> The German team went QRT from the Chesterfield Islands around 19 UTC on 20 October (a couple of days earlier than planned, owing to the schedule of their skipper). On-line logs will be available at <http://www.df3cb.com/chesterfield/>. QSL for CW and 6m QSOs via DL4XS (Maike Voss, Friedrichsthal 21, 51688 Wipperfuerth, Germany); QSL for SSB and RTTY QSOs via DL5NAM (Chris Sauvageot, Guttenburg 19, 91322 Graefenberg, Germany).

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ANTARCTICA AWARD: Gianni, IZ8CGS reports that the Rules for the Antarctica Award are now available in Japanese language (thanks to Yuki, JI6KVR, who is also the AA Checkpoint for Japan) in the Download area on www.mdxc.org/antarctica

WAEDC RTTY: It will take place on 13-14 November (rules at www.waedc.de) and Walter Dallmeier, DL4RCK has prepared a special edition of RCKRtty (freeware), which can be downloaded at www.rckrty.de. [TNX DL4RCK]

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2MW, 3D2XX, 4K9W, 4S7RO, 4TOI (SA-052), 5H3RK, 7P8NK, 7S2E, 8Q7RC, 9K2MU, 9V1UV, 9Y4/AJ9C (SA-009), A25/DJ6SI, A61AJ, A61R, A7/GOMKT, A71A, A92GR, AT0BI (AS-169), AT0RI (AS-173), AY1ZA (AN-008; AA LU-14), C6AKA, CP6/DF9GR, D44TT, EA5KB/7(EU-152), EK7DX, EM1HO (AN-006; AA UR-01), EW6GF, EW8AM, EY8MM, EZ8BO, F5LGQ (EU-081), FK/AC4LN (OC-079), FP/KB9LIE, FP/N9NK, H8A, HF0POL(AN-010; AA SP-01), HI3TEJ, HO1A, HP1/DJ7AA, HP1AC, J5X, J68GS, J73CCM, KG4PC, KH0/K7WD, KH2T, KP4USA, MD4K, ND7K/P (NA-137), OA4DJW, OC31 (SA-074), OH0JWH, OJ0J, OY4TN (EU-018), P43JB, PT1G (SA-029), RI0IMA (AS-170), RI9KM (AS-089), RK3DZJ/1 (EU-066 & EU-147), RW2F, SK7AX, T33C, T77EB, TF8GX, TN3S, UE0ZZZ (AS-095), UK8OAR, V51SG, VP2EN, XQ3BRN, XV2LC, XX9TST (AS-075), ZL7/G3TXF, ZP6T, ZS8MI.

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