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>>> PETER I ISLAND 2006 * 3Y0X <<<

In a press release dated 9 June, Ralph Fedor (K0IR) and Bob Allphin (K4UEE) announced that "contracts have been signed with two Chilean companies to provide a vessel and helicopter for the DXpedition to Peter I, Antarctica during January/February 2006. The actual dates of the operation will be released on or about September 1, 2005, but the general time frame will be between January 16 and the end of February, 2006".

Nine stations will be active as 3Y0X on all bands and modes; it is the team's objective to be at Peter I for a minimum of two weeks, with the actual operating time to be determined by weather and set-up time.

Most of the members of the 2005 team will participate in the 2006 DXpedition, but there are several slots available for new team members. Contact either K4UEE (mallphin@aol.com) or K0IR (rfedor@cloudnet.com) for more information. The team will be putting up approximately 70% of the DXpedition's expenses, but additional contributions from sponsors are being sought. Detailed instructions on how to contribute to the operation can be found at www.peterone.com

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- 9A - Special event station 9A10KC is active through 31 December to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Community for the Technical Culture of the City of Koprivnica. QSL via 9A7K. [TNX F5NQL]
 - EA - Josep/EA3GM, Rafael/EA3QA, Mai/EA3EGC and Miquel/EC3AMR will operate as ED3MED from Isla Meda Grande (EU-078, DIE E-001) on 19 June. They will be active in the Spanish Islands (DIE) Contest on 40 metres SSB and CW. QSL via EA3RCG. [TNX VA3RJ]
 - GM - Lorraine, MM0BCR will operate from a couple of Scottish islands during the weekend. Look for her from Crammond Island on 11 June (from around 9 UTC until around 13 UTC) and Ardwall Island, Isles of Fleet on 12 June (from around 7 UTC until around 11 UTC). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX GM3VLB]
 - GM - Geoff, G0PFH will operate on 20 and 40 metres SSB as GS2UG from Great Cumbrae Island (EU-123) on 14-15 June. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
 - GM - Peter (MM5PSL), Roger (MM1FJM), Lars (DF1LON/MM0LON) and Georg (DL1ECG/MM0ECG) will participate in the IOTA Contest as MM0ECG from Eshaness Lighthouse on Shetland Mainland (EU-012). QSL via DL1ECG, direct or bureau. Expect some activity also before and after the contest. [TNX DL1ECG]

HB0 - Bon, DK1EAW reports he will be active as HB0/DK1EAW from Liechtenstein on 22-23 June. He plans to be operate mainly CW on the HF and VHF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

I - Alfredo, IK7JWX reports that IR7LH/p will be used from various Italian lighthouses between now and 31 December. Expect activity to take place mainly during the weekends; the operators will be Alfredo himself and Vincenzo, I7PXV (CW). QSL via IK7JWX, bureau or direct.

I - ARI Versilia will activate special event station II5MD on 10-12 June for the "Meucci Day". Antonio Meucci was recognized as the first inventor of the telephone by the United States Congress, in its resolution 269 dated 11 June 2002. [TNX Info Radio by I1SCL]

I - The Egadi DX Team will operate from Santa Maria Island (EU-166, IIA TP-020) on 18-19 June. During the weekends in July plans are to operate from Isola Grande (EU-166, IIA TP-021) and, sea conditions permitting, from Scogli Porcelli (EU-054, IIA TP-008). All QSLs via IT9FXY. [TNX IT9FXY]

I - Look for IZ7AUH/p, IZ7FLP/p and IZ7FLQ/p to operate from Taranto Vecchia (not IOTA, IIA TA-004) on 22 June and from Isola della Scogliera (not IOTA, IIA LE-019) on the 27th. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ7AUH]

I - IK8UND, IK8HCG and IK8TEO will join Virgilio, IC8OZM for the IOTA Contest. The will be signing IC8OZM from the island of Procida (EU-031). QSL via home call. [TNX IC8OZM]

JA - Look for JA1KJW/8, JJ1JGI/8, JK1EBA/8 and 7N4AGB/8 to operate from Rebun Island (AS-147, JIIA AS-147-006) on 15-18 June and from Rishiri Island (AS-147, JIIA AS-147-007) on 18-21 June. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

KH0 - JA6CNL and JA6AGA will operate as KH0N and WH0C from Saipan (OC-086) on 18-22 June. Outside the All-Asian DX Contest they will operate on the WARC bands and 160 metres CW (1820/1910 KHz). QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]

KH2 - Yoshi, JE2EHP reports he will be active on 160-6 metres SSB and CW as K1HP/KH2 from Guam (OC-026) on 17-19 June. QSL via bureau to JE2EHP.

OZ - Jakob, OZ7AEI reports he plans to operate on 20 and 40 metres as OZ7AEI/p from three EU-171 islands - namely Jegindo (NJ-006), Agero (NJ-018) and Mors (NJ-002) - on 16 June starting around 7 UTC.

SM - Martin, SM0DTK will operate as SM0DTK/1 from Gotland Island (EU-020) between 18 June and 28 August. [TNX SM0DTK]

SV - Thanks to the help provided by Spiros, SV8CS, Daniele, IK0REH will operate on 10-80 metres CW and SSB as SV8/IK0REH/p from Zakynthos (EU-052) from 15 June to 5 July. QSL via home call, preferably via the bureau. [TNX IK0REH]

TA - Dov, 4Z4DX will be active as TA4/4Z4DX from Antalya, Turkey on 11-14 June. He also hopes to go and operate from one of the AS-115 islands. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

TK - Bon, DK1EAW will participate in the IOTA Contest as TK/DK1EAW (CW only, 24h) from Corsica (EU-014). Prior to contest activity he will also be QRV on the WARC bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DK1EAW]

UA - RW0LC, RW0LBM and RU0LM will operate as RK0LWP/0 from Opasnij Island (RRA New) on 10-12 June. QSL via RU0LM. [TNX RW0LBM]

UA - Ten operators from the Starosherbinovskaya ARC will be active as

- RW6AWW/p from Sazalniksky Lighthouse (ARLHS ERU-174, RLE-026 for the Russian Lighthouse Award) on 11-12 June. They plan to run both CW and SSB with two stations on the air. QSL via RW6CW. [TNX RW6CW]
- UA - Weather permitting, a group of operators will be active (on 40, 20 and possibly 17 and 15 metres) as UE0ISL from either Zav'yalova (AS-059) or Nedorazumeniya Island (AS-059) on 11-13 June. Another trip to this group is being planned in July. [TNX RRA/WRC Bulletin]
- UA - Vlad, RZ1OA and Dima, UA1OLM will be active from Kumbysh Island (EU-153, RRA 02-42) on 12-14 June. QSL via RZ1OA (Vlad Sadakov, P.O. Box 48, Arkhangelsk, 163040, Russia). [TNX RZ1OA]
- UA - RN1NA, RA6LBS, RK3FA and UA6BGB plan to operate as UE1NLO from a few islands (not IOTA, RRA-New) located in Lake Ladoga on 14-20 June. [TNX RRA/WRC Bulletin]
- VE - Doug, VA7DP has been granted permission to operate as VA7YVET to commemorate the "Year of the Veteran" from 4 June through 4 July. QSL direct only to VA7DP.
- VE - Pete, VE3IKV will operate on 6 metres as VD2X from Zone 2 (Labrador) in early July. The purpose of his travel is to study the high latitude sporadic-E propagation in North America and the influence of the proximity of the geomagnetic North Pole. QSL via home call. The special call sign commemorates the 100th anniversary of Mina Hubbard's trek across Labrador (<http://www.mina2005.ca/mwm/2>) and it will be operational between 15 June and 15 July. QSL via VE3IKV. [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - Bill, N8PW will be active as N8PW/1 from Mount Desert Island (NA-055) on 13-18 June. He plans to operate as time permits on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - Kyle/W4KTF, Jim/KI4FVT and Sandra/KI4HVG will be active on 40-6 metres SSB as homecall/p from Emerald Isle (NA-112) on 12-19 June. QSL all calls via W4KTF. [TNX VA3RJ]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (May 2005) is now available in .pdf format at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/>. It includes the story of the expedition to the Salut Islands (TO7C), the latest information on the KP1-5 Project and "The Way We Were" (a selection of information published by 425DXN ten years ago), as well as the usual features and several images. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA (iz3eba@libero.it).

10M CONTEST ---> The third edition of the 10 Meter Italian Contest, sponsored by the Mediterraneo DX Club (<http://www.mdxc.org/contestitalia.asp>), will be held on 25-26 June. Participation is limited to Italian amateurs only.

DXCC NEWS ---> The following operation is approved for DXCC credit: HZ1EX (Saudi Arabia) from 27 October 2004 through 31 December 2005.

QSL TT8M & TT8AMO ---> All of TT8M cards have been answered, except for a few 'problem' cards. Dennis, PA7FM expects the TT8AMO cards from the printer in the upcoming week, and he will try clear the bakclog before the end of June. Pierre, TT8AMO will be in Chad for about one more week before leaving the country for a well deserved break. Michael, TT8M will return to Chad on 16 June; he plans to concentrate on 6 and 2 metres and to try EME. On-line logs are at www.pa7fm.nl [TNX PA7FM]

QSL YE3K ---> The cards for the March 2005 operation from Kangean Island (OC-217) have been printed; requests received by IZ8CCW will be processed and mailed in a few days' time. [TNX IZ8CCW]

+ SILENT KEY + Eric Esposito, FK8GM reports that Eddy Szymanski, FK8CR became a silent key on 8 June. Over the years he was very active, and participated in the first IOTA DXpeditions to the Chesterfield Islands (FK5C, February 1993) and to Matthew Island (FK5M, December 1996).

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CY9SS: The live log site for the current operation from St. Paul Island is up and running at <http://logs.cy9ss.info>

PROPAGATION: The most popular propagation page at dx.qsl.net, maintained by Doug/N6RT, contains a dynamic collection of propagation information (including a nice updating greyline map) gathered from many different sources. Bookmark <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation>

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3D2LB      GM3VLB      EG#FAS      EA4FAS      T88AH      JA3IFT
4K8F       UA9AB       ET3TK       OK1CU       TI8CBT     EA7FTR
4U1UN      HB9BOU      EX9A        DF8WS       TM0L       F5OIU
5H3BL      IV3BBA      EY8BW       DJ1MM       TM4Q       F6FYA
5N4BFD     DJ9FH       EY8MM       K1BV        TM5ADP     F5KPO
5N6EAM     IK2IQD      EZ4XX       pirate      TM5B       F5XX
5N8NDP     IK5JAN      F/ON6JUN/P ON5SD       TM5BBC     F2UW
5T0JL      ON8RA       GU0IDA      GU3HFN      TM5GLM     F5KDB
5U5Z       G3SXW       HC1AJQ      EA7FTR      TM5KD      F5KKD
5W0HR      AI5P        HC1HC       NE8Z        TM6ACO     F6KFI
5X1RI      RX3RC       HL1OYF/4    HL1OYF      TM6BMC     F5IL
6K0OM/4    DS4FFD      HQ9P        HR2PAC      TM7HAM     F6KWP
6W7RV      F8CMT       HS0ZEA      OE2REL      TM7VM      F5UJZ
7Q7WW      KC4D        HZ1NH       EA7FTR      TS3B       YT1AD
7S5Q       SM5COP      II3RNA      IK3YAA      UA0ZDA/6   UA6HPR
7Z1UG      DO1HEN      IQ6CC       IZ8DDG      UE1OIY     UA1OIZ
8P7A       NN1N        IU1R        IK1PMR      UE3EDA/3   RZ3EC
8P9JG      NN1N        J39AH       WA4WTG      UE4HAI     RZ4HXG
9G5FD      G3XTT       J48SI       SV1RK       UN3M       EA7FTR
9G5HF      PA2JFD      JW8HF       LA8HF       UN7EX      RX3RC
9G5OO      DL4WK       KC0TNL/8R1  KC0TNL      V25AP      AA2AP
9J2CA      G3SWH       KH6ZM       I0MWI       V25O       LY2CY
9M2CNC     G4ZFE       KH9MH       pirate      V25TA      LY2TA
9M4SMS     9M6TW       LU1ECZ      EA5KB       V31RA      K9ZO
9M6/G3OOK  M5AAV       LX7HAM      F6KWP       V44KJ      WB2TSL
9Q0AR      SM5BFJ      LX7I        LX2AJ       VK8NSB     VK6NE
A35PX      AI5P        LZ8IARU     LZ1BJ       VP9BO      W4ZGR
A35YL      VK3DYL      MS0DGR      MM0DFV      VQ5EA      N5VI
C6AIE      WZ8D        OH0Z        OH5DX       VU3DJQ     EA7FTR
C6AKU      K9VV        OH0ZZ       K6AW        VY1JA      N3SL
CB1S       CE1VLY      OL30A       OK1MR       W2W        W3HEM
CN8IG      EA7FTR      ON6HAM      F6KWP       WW2LST     AF2HD
CN8NK      EA5XX       OY1OF       ON5UR       XQ1VLY     CE1VLY
CN8SG      EA7FTR      OY3QN       OZ1ACB      XT2JZ      SM5DJZ
CO8TW      IZ8CCW      P40A        WD9DZV      XU7TZG     ON4AJV
CP6XE      IK6SNR      P40W        N2MM        YI1HXX     IK2IQD
CS5A       CS1GDX      PJ2MI       W2CQ        YI9LZ      LZ1ZF
CS7MA      CT1BXE      PP5TO/PY1   IV3NVN      YI9MM      KC4XX
CT6OO      CS1GDX      PR2O        PY2YP       YI9VCQ     N3ST
CX2AQ      EA5KB       RA0FU/p     RA0FU       YK1BI      SP6IX
CY9SS      VY2SS       RA0FW/p     RA0FW       YL740M     YL2MU
D2U        CT1BFL      S9SS        N4JR        YN4SU      TI4SU
D4B        K1BV        SJ0X        SM6JSM      YR50KAD    YO5BJW
DR50BUND   DL1WH       SJ4OR       SM4BNZ      YT635A     YT6A
DS1NMA/4   HL1OYF      SJ4RY       SM5RGD      YU55HFG    YU1HFG
DS3MLG/4   HL1OYF      SN0LED      SP3OL      (a) YZ2M     YU1LM
DS4NYE/4   HL1OYF      SN0LED      SP3POH      (b) Z21FO    K3PD
ED1MVS     EA1LT       SN0PTG      SP9PKZ      Z24S       W3HNN
ED2FVP     EC2AHS      SN100BB     SP4GFG      ZD8I       G4LTI
ED3NBF     EA3EAP      SN10MP      SP9PKM      ZL1V       N3SL
ED5SEA     EA5FHK      SQ0IARU     SP1EG       ZL6QH      ZL2AOH
ED7CK      EA7HBC      ST2VB       UA4WHX      ZM1A       ZL1AMO
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ED8MPJ	EA8BYG	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA	ZW8A	PS8HF
EF8CID	EC8AUA	T88AG	JA6BJV	ZW8DX	PS8DX

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