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3A - Kaz, SP2FAX and Slavek, SP2JMB will be active as 3A/SP2FAX and 3A/SP2JMB from Monaco on 15-18 October. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres and 6 metres. QSL for both via SP2PI. [TNX SP2PI]

3B8 - Look for JA2AAU, JA2AIC, JA2ATE, JR2FOR and JJ2KTY to be active on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY as 3B8/homecall from Mauritius (AF-049) until 13 October. QSL via home calls. [TNX JA1ELY]

4S - Joel, F5PAC will be active again as 4S7PAG from Sri Lanka (AS-003) between 28 November and 16 December. On 9-11 December he will return to Barberyn Island (AS-171). QSL via home call, direct (Joel Sutterlin, 1 Rue du Rossberg, F-68310 Wittelsheim, France) or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

4X - Hal, W8HC (ex KC8FS) will return to Israel in October for a third consecutive CQ WW SSB Contest from the IARC Club Station 4X4REM in Reut, located between Tel Aviv and Jerusalem. Joining Hal this year is Jerry, K8OQL and they will operate as a M/S entry using 4X0WV. QSL via W8HC, direct or bureau. [TNX W8HC]

5H - Hans, DL6JGN and Jan, DJ8NK will operate (on 10-160 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as 5H1GHW and 5H1JCH from from Zanzibar Island (AF-032), Tanzania on 13-20 October. QSL via home calls. They will install the equipment donated by Han-Peter/HB9BXR and Ben/DL4MMT to Hamisi, 5H3AH, a newly licenced amateur radio operator. [TNX The Daily DX and NG3K]

6W - Benoit, F8PDR will be active either as 6W7/F8PDR or with a 6W7 callsign from southern Senegal on 10-19 October. He plans to operate on 10-80 metres mainly CW, and to emphasize 80, 40 and 30 metres. QSL via home call, direct (Benoit Le Bourgeois , Route de Chevry, 50420 Tessy/Vire, France) or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

8P - K3LP (8P9LP), K1LZ (8P9LZ), W3ARS (8P9AS), N3KS (8P9KS), N3VOP (8P9OP), W3ADC (8P9DC), W3ADX (8P9DX) and WB6CBU (8P9HC) will operate from Barbados between 25 October and 1 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as 8P9R (Multi-Multi). Before and after the contest they will operate on all HF bands, plus plus RTTY/PASK and 6 metres. QSL for all via W3ADX. [TNX NG3K]

CT - Marq, CT1BWW reports he has been granted permission to operate as CS5BWW on 8-9 October, 29-30 October (CQ WW DX SSB Contest), 19-20 November, 26-27 November (CQ WW DX CW Contest), 17-18 December. QSL via bureau to home call. He also says that the QSL cards for his PY0F activity have are arrived from the printer and direct requests are being processed right now.

EK - SP9ERV, DJ0MCZ/SP9UON and SP9LJD, with the support of EK6YL and EK6TA, will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as EK0B

(Multi-2). They will pay special attention to 160, 80 and 40 metres. Before the contest they will operate RTTY. QSL via SP9ERV. [TNX SP9LJD]

F - Special event call TM0GPK will be aired on 9-23 October for the Karting FFSA Grand Prix. Expect activity on all bands SSB and on 20 and 40 metres SSTV. QSL via F4ERQ. [TNX F8REF]

F - Special call TM1NOR will be aired on 14-16 October for the anniversary of the Battle of Hastings (http://www.battle1066.com/), fought on 14 October 1066 and won by William the Conqueror, Duke of Normandy and future King of England. QSL via F8LDX. [TNX VA3RJ]

FG - A group of French operators (namely Jacques/F1BCS, Jean-Marc/F1HDI, Gilles/F5JBE, Patrick/F6CMH, Olivier/F6EIE, Daniel/F6EPD, Irenee/F6GAL and Yves/F6JMV) will be active as TO5S from Les Saintes (NA-114), Guadaloupe from 2 to 10 or 12 November. Expect activity on HF and 6 metres CW, SSB and PSK31. QSL via F1BCS (Jacques Salomon, 15 rue de La Garenne, F-94440 Villecresnes, France). [TNX www.rsgbiota.org and F5NQL]

FS - Jean-Pierre, F5AHO will active (mainly on 20 and 17 metres SSB) as FS/F5AHO from Saint Martin (NA-105, DIFO FS-001) on 9-18 November. On 11 and 13 November, from 14 to 20 UTC, he will operate from Tintamarre Island (NA-199, DIFO FS-002). QSL via F5AHO, direct or bureau. [TNX F8DQZ and F5NQL]

G - The Leeds Talking Magazine for the Blind will be on air every Monday night in October under the special callsign GB0LTM. The station will be operated from the Leeds and District ARS. QSL via G4LAD. [TNX VA3RJ]

G - The St. Dunstan's ARS will celebrate the 90th anniversary of its founding with the special event callsign GB90STD on 7-14 October. QSL via G3STD. [TNX VA3RJ]

GM - Jim, MM0BQI reports he will be active from the Isle of Skye (EU-008) on 8-15 October. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau or LOTW.

GM - John,GM6LYJ and Andy, GM4JR will operate as GB4SLH from Southerness Lighthouse during three weekends (15-16, 22-23 and 29-30 October). [TNX F5NQL]

GU - Carol, 2E1DQZ has joined the group of operators for the 12-19 October activity from Alderney Island [425DXN 749]. A generator has been made available, so they will also be active (most probably on 16 October) from Alderney Lighthouse at Quenard Point (ARLHS GUE-004). QSL MU3SDE via M3SDE; QSL GU5XW, GU1OCN, MU0JZE and 2U1DQZ via G5XW. [TNX G1OCN]

HB0 - Kaz, SP2FAX and Slavek, SP2JMB will be active as HB0/SP2FAX and HB0/SP2JMB from Liechtenstein on 12-13 October. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres and 6 metres. QSL for both via SP2PI. [TNX SP2PI]

HI - Hiro JA6WFM/HI8 will go QRT and return home on 26 October. QSL via JA6VU. [TNX JI6KVR]

I - Look for special calls IO1ALP, IO1BIA, IO1BOB, IO1CRO and IO1CUR to be aired from 10 October through 9 November. These activities are part of the approach march to the XX Olympic Winter Games that will take place in Torino in February 2006. All of the contacts will confirmed automatically via the bureau, direct cads should be sent to I1JQJ. Full information on the Torino 2006 Award can be found at

http://www.ari-r1.it/torino2006

JA - Look for JE4YAR, JE4NKF/4 and JL4GEL/4 to operate from Miya Island (AS-117, JIIA AS-117-021), Hiroshima Prefecture on 15-16 October. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

J3 - Bill, VE3EBN will operate as J37LR from Grenada from 18 October to 16 November. Expect activity on 40-6 metres CW, SSB and PSK31. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

KH2 - Tada, JA3PPH and Yoshi, JA3EGZ will operate as KH2/JA3PPH and KH2/JA3EGZ from Guam (OC-026) on 25-28 November. They plan to operate on 40-15 metres SSB, plus 160m with a 500W amplifier. KH2/JA3EGZ will also participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as as Single Operator All Band entry. QSLs for both via JA3EGZ (Yoshikazu Mega, P.O. Box 6, Himeji, 670-8691 Japan). [TNX JA1ELY]

OZ - Tom, DL4VM plans to be active as OZ/DL4VM (on 40, 20 and 15 metres QRP CW only) from Fano Island (EU-125, NS-002 for the Danish Islands Award) on 15-31 October. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

PZ - Low Land DX-pedition Team members Ronald/PA3EWP (PZ5WP) and Rob/PA2R (PZ5PA) will be active from Paramaribo, Suriname between 23 November and 14 December. They will have two stations running with amplifiers on 10-160 metres CW, SSB, RTTY. They will also be active as PZ5C in the CQ WW DX CW and ARRL 10 Meter contests. QSLs via PA7FM (Dennis Robbemond, Loggerhof 11, 3181 NS Rozenburg, The Netherlands). Further information and on-line logs will be available at http://www.lldxt.nl/ [TNX PA2R]

T32 - Family reasons have caused Alfio, IT9EJW to drop out of the T32 IOTA expedition [425DXN 729]; the operators are Nando, IT9YRE (T32S) and Claudio, I1SNW (T32SNW). Neither Flint Island nor Millennium Island will be activated this year; operations will take place from Fanning Island (OC-084) instead. Their plans were to operate for 3-4 days from Fanning; then to return to Kiritimati (Christmas Island) and operate holiday style for another 4-5 days before getting their flight back home on 17 October. However, the latest reports indicate that their activity will be cut short owing to a typhoon approaching the area. They became QRV on 7 October in the UTC evening hours, and reportedly they will have to shut down in the UTC evening of the 8th. QSL via home calls.

TL - Claudio, IV3OWC reports he plans to operate (licence to be collected upon arrival) in his spare time from Central Africa between 6 and 20 November. He will use car battieries and be active on 10-40 metres SSB. QSL direct to home call.

V6 - Shoji, JA7HMZ (V63DX) will be active again from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia. Look for V6A on 14-19 November; he will operate on all bands and mode, with an emphasis on 160 metres and RTTY. QSL via JA7AO. [TNX NG3K]

W - Tad, WF4W will be active from Jekyll Island (NA-058) from 26 October to 2 November. Look for him on +/- 14260, 18128, 7230, as well as on other IOTA SSB and CW frequencies. During the CQ WW DX SSB Contest he will probably be doing a mixture of calling CQ and hunting & pouncing. [TNX WF4W]

XX9 - Misao, JJ1DWB and Hide, JM1LJS will be active with personal XX9 callsigns (TBA) from Macao from around 4 UTC on 4 November until 19 UTC on the 5th. QSL direct only via home calls. Further information

at http://radio-dream.com/macau/ [TNX IK8CNT]

ZK1_sc - Ben/SM7EQL (ZK1EQL), Jan-Olof/SM7ETW (ZK1ETW) and Rikard/SM1CQA (ZK1CQA) are active from the South Cook Islands until 31 October. They will be on Aitutaki (OC-083) until the 18th; on 19-20 October they will be on Rarotonga (OC-013) and then will go and operate from Mangaia (OC-159) until the 31st. Ben's web page for the operation is at http://www.sm7eql.se/travel/zk1eql2005/zk12005main.html (please read his QSLling policy).

ZS - The official opening of the "South African Large Telescope" (http://www.salt.ac.za), situated near Sutherland, will take place on 10 November. The Boland Amateur Radio Club will run a special event station with the call sign ZS1SALT from the SALT site on 21-23 October. Activity will be on all HF bands. QSL direct to ZS1SALT, P.O. Box 273, Strand, 7139, South Africa. [TNX ZS4BS]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (September 2005) is now available in .pdf format at http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA (iz3eba@ari.it).

K7C ---> The team went QRT around at 22 UTC on 5 October (operations had started at 07.12 UTC on 25 September) after 52,113 QSOs on 160-10 metres (27917 CW, 22334 SSB, 1862 RTTY). The worldwide QSO distribution percentages are Asia 45,4%, North America 32,4%, Europe 17,9%, Oceania 2,2%, South America 1,7%, Africa 0,4%. The number of unique callsigns in the K7C log is 15,507. The dupe rate was 7.4%. No 6m QSOs were logged, although K7C fielded the gear and was ready. A preliminary summary is available at http://www.cordell.org/htdocs/KURE/KURE_pages/KURE_Preliminary_Summary.html

QRP BEACON ---> Richard, SO5GB and Stanislaw, SP5ANU have activated an "extreme-QRP" beacon on 3588 kHz in Warsaw, Poland. Power is presently 0.5mw (500uw), and they intend to reduce power, depending on signal reports, most likely in 3db steps starting on 11 October. For signal reports, comments and further information please contact Richard at translations@qdnet.pl [TNX SO5GB]

QSL 4L8A ---> OZ1HPS is no longer the QSL manager for Vakhtang, 4L8A. Cards should be sent direct only to Vakhtang Mumladze, P.O. Box 120, Tbilisi 0108, Georgia. [TNX IK3QAR]

QSL IM0X ---> Sauro, IK5EKB reports that the QSL cards for the IOTA Contest IM0X (EU-041) operation will not be printed before the end of October. Please

be patient and refrain from sending second cards.

QSL VIA YB9BU ---> Kadek is the QSL manger for the following stations: YC9MKF (Timor Island, OC-148), YC9YKI (Yapen Island, OC-147), YC8RRK (Sangihe Island, OC-210) and YC4FIJ (Belitung Island, OC-144). All of them can usually be found on 15 metres SSB daily starting around 12 UTC. [TNX YB9BU and JN6RZM]

SCHOOLS ON FREQUENCY ---> The Schools on Frequency Award, sponsored by the Calabria DX Team, is for contacting amateur radio stations operating from various Italian schools. The award is free of charge and will be sent to the applicant by e-mail as a .pdf file attachment. Further information can be found at www.polistenaweb.it/sof or from the Award Manager Alessandro Pochi', IK8YFU (ik8yfu@tele2.it). [TNX IK8YFU]

W/VE ISLANDS QSO PARTY ---> The 11th W/VE Islands QSO Party, sponsored by the US Islands Awards Program (USI), will take place from 16 UTC on 22 October through 23.59 UTC on the 23rd. The object is to work as many American and Canadian islands on 160 through 6 metres as possible. Amateurs and SWLs worldwide are welcome to participate. Full information can be found at http://www.eng.mu.edu/usislands/usvetest.html

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*** NEWS FROM THE WEB ***
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DX SPOTS: Rod Elliott, VE3UW has collected the DX spots from the OH2AQ Web Cluster since January 1997. The collection - from January 1997 up to September 2005 - is available at http://www.425dxn.org/dxspots/, as well the software (DXINFO v2.0) which will enable you to handle the files (instructions at the URL above).

LOGS: On-line logs for 3DA0LJ, 7P8LJ, 9M6LJT, A25LJ, BW2/JM1LJS, JD1BLK (Ogasawara), JM1LJS/JD1 (Ogasawara), KH2VL, KH2VL/KH0, KH2/JM1LJS, T88LJ, V5/JD1BLK, V63LJ and V73J are available on http://radio-dream.com/logsearch/logsearch_index.html [TNX IK8CNT]

LOGS: Thanks to the kind efforts of Doug, N6RT, the on-line log for GB0SM (EU-011) has been updated to include the 2005 operation and is now available for checking at http://www.qsl.net/gb0sm. QSL via G0PSE (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to g0pse@qsl.net). [TNX G0PSE]

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8CF, 3D2EA, 3D2RR, 3V8BB, 4U1WB, 4X4WF, 5T5BAB, 5W0HR, 7P8ZZ, 7W4HI, 7X5JF, 8P2K, 8P9AM, 9G5GA, 9M2/G3TMA (AS-074), 9Y4/DL6RAI, 9Y4ZC, A35PX, A61AJ, AX0MT, BA5TT/5 (AS-138), BD7IN/7 (AS-131), BQ9P, C6AKQ, C91CW, C93DY (AF-098), CE0ZIS, CN2MP, CY0AA, ET3TK, EX8AA, EY8AM, FJ5DX, FP/VE7SV, HH4/N2WB, HK0/N2WB, HK3JRL, HP2AT, HV0A,

J68AS, J68GS, J79WWW, JR6TYH/JD1, KP2/N4EXA, LA/SA4V (EU-036), LB9JE, LY3BG, OA4DJW, OJ0J, P43E, PY0/PS7JN, PY0FF, RA0FU, RK0LWW/P (AS-066),RZ0ZWA/P (AS-095), S21AR, S61FD (AS-019), S79S, S92LZ, S9MX, S9SS, SF50A (EU-037), T6X,TG9NX, TI8CBT, TK5EF, TO7C, UX2IQ/P (EU-179), V44KJ, V51/DL5XL, V63ME, V73GE, VC6X, VP2MDY, VP9/K3TRM, VS9ASP, VU2TS, WB9CIF/J6, WP4U, WW2END, XE1MEX, XX9C, YB7M, YI/N5JEH, YI9OM, YV6BTF, YW8D (SA-063), ZC4LI, ZK1COW, ZK1EPY, ZK3DX, ZL7/AI5P, ZW0S.

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