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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 6W & J5 - Peter, HA3AUI has prolonged his stay in Africa and will be active as either 6W/HA3AUI from Senegal and J5UAP from and Guinea-Bissau until 10 June. QSL direct to home call. [TNX NG3K]
- 8Q - Francis, F6DPD will be active as 8Q7FB from Kuramathi, Maldives (AS-013) on 18-24 April. He will operate mainly on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB and PSK with 1000 watts and a vertical antenna. QSL via bureau to home call. [TNX F5NQL]
- DL - DJ9MD, DK8MIL, DK7JAN, DK9BTX and DO9BS will operate on all bands, 160 and 2 metres included, as DF0TM from Neuwerk Island (EU-127) on 21-24 April. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- EI - Look for EI60LRC to be aired on 10-80 metres until the end of the year to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Limerick Radio Club. QSL via EI8EM. [TNX EI8EM]
- F - Antoine, F5RAB will be active from Ouessant Island (EU-065) on 22-25 April and from Brehat Island (EU-074) on 26-28 April. He will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via bureau. [TNX F5RAB]
- GM - Four operators from the Scottish-Russian ARS (namely MM0DFV, GM0WRR, GM4TOQ and MM0GDL) will operate as MS0DGR from Holy Island (EU-123) on 18-20 April. QSL to SRARS, P.O. Box 7469, Glasgow, G42 0YD, Scotland, UK [TNX MM0DFV]
- H4 - Bernhard, DL2GAC is currently active as H44MS from Honiara, Guadalcanal (OC-047) in the Solomon Islands until 27 April. He operates on 10-80 metres SSB barefoot, as his amplifier died a few days ago. QSL via DL2GAC, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- HB0 - Gerry, IZ1DSH and Giovanni, IK1WEG will be active as HB0/homecall from Liechtenstein on 22-25 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80, 40, 20, 17 and 15 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- I - Simone, IK5RUN plans to operate from several Italian islands during the forthcoming weekends. Expect activity as IA5/IK5RUN/P on 40 and possibly on 20 and 80 metres from Isola del Giglio (EU-028, IIA GR-002), Isola di Giannutri (EU-028, IIA GR-001), Isola Argentarola (not IOTA, IIA GR-003), Formica Grande (EU-028, IIA GR-005), Isola Rossa (not IOTA, IIA GR-015) and Formica Piccola (EU-028, IIA GR-014). QSL via home call. [TNX IK5RUN]
- JA - Look for JN1VXT/1 to operate (on 40-10 metres CW, plus 6 and 2 metres SSB and CW) from Kozu Island (AS-008, JIIA AS-008-004) on 15-16 April. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for JN4MBO/5 and JA5BEX/5 to operate from Toyo Island (AS-076, JIIA AS-076-New) from 16 April. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

- LX - Theo/PA1TO, Paul/PA2CW, Martin/PA2W and Con/PE1OOM will operate as LX/homecall from Wiltz, Luxembourg on 23-29 April. They plan to be active on all the HF bands with special attention to 160m and the WARC bands. QSL via home calls. [TNX PA1TO]
- OZ - Look for Ela, OZ/DL1TM and Tor, OZ/DJ4MG to operate on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 2 metres SSB (and PSK31 on 20m) from Vendsyssel-Thy (EU-171) from 16 April until 4 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX www.rsgrbiota.org]
- PA - Martin, VE3MR will operate again as PA9MR from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146) from 15 April to 5 May. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TA - Karl, WA2KBZ plans to operate as TA0/WA2KBZ from Buyukada (not IOTA) in the Sea of Marmara from 20 April to 1 May. Expect activity on 20, 40 and 80 metres mostly CW. QSL via home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- UR - Slava/US7IGF, Roman/UR7IJQ, Alexandr/UR7IKV and Roman/UY7IQ will operate (on 40-17 metres SSB and CW) from Slovy'ans'kyi Island (SD-09 for for the Ukrainian Islands Award) on 22 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX US7IGF]
- W - The Low Country Contest Club will be active as NU4SC from Folly Island (NA-110) on 22-23 April. QSL via K3IXD, direct bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- YB - YE6N is the special call issued for the 20-27 April operation from Nias Island (OC-161) [425DXN 769]. Please note a couple of changes: the web site has been updated and moved to <http://www.toba-dx-group.net/nias/>; the new QSL route is via YB9BU (Kadek Kariana SP, P.O. Box 106, Singaraja 81100, Bali, Indonesia: do not send green stamps, he says, but new IRCs preferably issued in the country the envelope comes from). [TNX YB1BOD/6]
- YK - Saad, N5FF will be active as YK1BA from Damascus, Syria from 17 April through 5 May. He plans to operate at least 3-4 hours a day (between 01-04 UTC, 19-22 UTC and possibly 11-14 UTC) on 10-80 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via N5FF. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

ANDAMAN ISLANDS 2006 ---> This is the latest list of callsigns that have been issued to foreign amateurs for use during the Hamfest at Port Blair, Andaman Islands:

VU3CHE (K4VUD/HS0ZCW)	VU3RYE (DL9GFB)
VU3FRK (DL4KQ)	VU3RYF (DL9MS)
VU3GMM (XU7ACC)	VU3RYG (SP3CYY)
VU3JLW (AA4NN)	VU3RYH (WA6UVF)
VU3KIE (OH2KI)	VU3RYI (JR3MVF)
VU3NZB (DJ8NK)	VU3RYJ (W0GJ)
VU3NZC (SP3DOI)	VU3RYM (DL5OAB)
VU3OHA (W3UR)	VU3RYN (N6TQS)
VU3OHB (OH2BH)	VU3RYP (VK8FR)
VU3PLM (IZ1GLO/K2LEO)	VU3SIB (F4EGD)
VU3RIC (DJ5IW)	VU3SIC (F5CWU)
VU3RVC (DK5WL)	VU3SID (DJ7ZG)
VU3RWN (SP3GEM)	VU3SIE (DK1BT)
VU3RWO (K3LP)	VU3SIF (DL3GA)
VU3RWP (JH4RHF/OE1ZKC)	VU3SIG (DL7AFS)
VU3RYB (DL7DF)	VU3TLY (IK1PMR)

The following Indian operators have been granted permission to operate:

VU2BL	VU2GHX	VU2MTS	VU2VPR
VU2BMB	VU2GL	VU2MY	VU2WDP
VU2BVB	VU2GRM	VU2MYH	VU3DHD
VU2CKD	VU2JJS	VU2MYL	VU3HDP
VU2CMK	VU2JMA	VU2MYN	VU3LGX
VU2DBP	VU2JOS	VU2MYV	VU3LMS
VU2DH	VU2JVA	VU2NNA	VU3MUV
VU2DSV	VU2LFA	VU2PKV	VU3NOJ
VU2FI	VU2LIC	VU2RBI	VU3RNU
VU2FSX	VU2LU	VU2UWZ	VU3RSB

All of the callsigns above will have to be prefixed with VU4AN/ (e.g. VU4AN/VU3TLY). According to the information posted by Jose Jacob, VU2JOS on <http://www.qrz.com/vu4an>, operations will run from 18.30 UTC on 17 April to 18.30 UTC on the 25th.

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DXCC NEWS ---> Further supporting documentation has been received for TT8PK (Chad). Operations are accredited for DXCC for the periods from 15 March to 27 May 2004 and from 27 December 2005 to 3 October 2006.

INTERNATIONAL MARCONI DAY ---> Organized by the Cornish Radio Amateur Club, G4CRC/GB4IMD (<http://www.cornishradioamateurclub.org.uk>), the International Marconi Day (IMD) is a 24-hour amateur radio event held annually to celebrate the birth of Guglielmo Marconi (25 April 1874). It is not a contest, but an opportunity for amateurs around the world to make contacts with historic Marconi sites using HF communications techniques. Details, including information on the relevant Award Certificates and the listing of participating station in this year's event (to be held on 22 April), can be found at <http://www.gb4imd.org.uk/>

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Rob Snieder, PA2R (ex PA5ET/PA3ERC) is not the QSL manager for VP2E, 8Q7WP (2004) and J79WP (2006). The QSL route for all VP2E contacts dated 1 January 1998 to the present is via N5AU (direct). Cards for contacts made with 8Q7WP in 2004 should be routed via JA1WPX; the QSL manager for the recent J79WP activity is DL5JMN.

OPERATING PRACTICE ---> Mark Demeuleneere, ON4WW is the author of "Operating Practice", an informative and useful article that makes suitable and fruitful reading for novices and old timers alike. It can be found at

<http://www.on4ww.be/op.html>.

QSL LIECHTENSTEIN 2006 ---> The QSL cards for the January 2006 DXpedition to Liechtenstein (<http://www.t93y.com/hb0>) have been received from the printer and all direct QSL requests for HB0/T93M, HB0/T93Y, HB0/T94DX, HB0/T94JJ and HB0/T96Q have been processed and mailed by DJ2MX and T93Y. [TNX T93Y.]

QSL UE1RDA ---> Yuri, UA1RJ reports that hes has been replaced by Sergey, RW1QN as QSL manager for UE1RDA.

QSL VIA HS0ZCW ---> Charles Harpole, K4VUD/HS0ZCW is going to attend the Ham Fest at Port Blair and operate as VU4AN/VU3CHE. Effective immediately, all QSLs for the following calls: 9N1UD, 9N7UD, A52UD, AC4TT, HS0ZCW, K4VUD, V26V, VU3CHE, VU4AN/VU3CHE and XW1UD should go to this new permanent address: Charles Harpole (Phosit), 95/1 Moo 1, Thambon, Ban Kok, Amper Meung, Samut Sakhon 74000, Thailand. No stamps of any kind nor IRCs should be sent, US currency is all right. [TNX K4VUD/HS0ZCW]

QSL VIA RW1AI ---> Mikhail, RW1AI reports his new address is as follows: Mikhail N. Fokin, P.O. Box 13, St. Petersburg 193312, Russia. He has logs and QSL cards for R1AND (1999), R1ANP (2000), R1ANT (2005), R1ANJ (2006), as well as ZS1/RW1AI, ZL3/RW1AI, KC4/RW1AI and RW1AI/ant. All logs for 4K1, 4K4 and 4K0 operations before 1991 are closed. QSL for KC4/N2TA go direct only via grz.com.

QSL VIA UA1PAC---> Alan, UA1PAC returned from the Antarctic expedition on 11 February and in the near future he will continue processing direct and bureau request for the April-May 2000 and April 2001 UA1PAC/p and UA1PA0/p operation from Vaygach Island (EU-086) and RK1PWA/p operation from Storozhevoy Island (EU-086). The cards for ZS1/UA1PAC and UA1PAC/mm are being printed. UA1PAC's new address is: Aleksej V. Kuz'menko, P.O.Box 599, Arkhangelsk, 163000 Russia, but there's no need to send duplicates. [TNX UA1PAC]

XR4PI ---> Bad weather, strong winds and rough seas caused Zoli/HAlAG and Marco/CE6TBN to cancel their 8-9 April XR4PI operation from Pupuya Island (SA-NEW) [425DXN 779].

+ SILENT KEY + B. Dambii, JT1AG has passed away at 85 years of age. Licenced in February 1960, he was the first individually licenced amateur radio station in Mongolia. [TNX JT1CD]

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*** NEWS FROM THE WEB ***
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LOGS: On line logs for all of Radio Club Vologda's operations - including R1PQ (EU-035), RF1P (EU-102), RI1POD (EU-102), RI1POM (EU-086), UE1QAA/1 (EU-102), UE1RCV/1 (EU-188), etc - can be

found at <http://www.rcv.ru/?i=logs> [TNX UA1QV]

VU4AN/: Andrea, IK1PMR (VU4AN/VU3TLY) has prepared a propagation prediction table for the Andaman Islands; it can be found at <http://www.ik1pmr.com/dx-pedititions/vu4/wincap/>
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
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3B8/IW1GIO	IW1GIO	EY8DQ	DJ1MM	R45CG	RK4CYW
3DA0VB	UA4WHX	FM5WD	W3HNC	R45G	RK3DZB
3W2TXR	JA2TXR	FO5RH	F2HE	R4G	RZ4CWW
3Z10ZHL	SP6ZDA	FR/TU5KG	F4EFI	RI1NU	RN1NU
4K9W	DL6KVA	FS/K9EL	K9EL	RK1G	RZ3LC
4L1FP	LZ1OT	GB0MPA	GW0ANA	RK1NWU/P	RN1NU
4L1GMC	LZ1OT	GB2WFS	G4DQF	S01R	EA5RM
4L1MA	ON4RU	GX2UG/m	G0PFH	SA2006EM	SM6YOU
4L1UN	RW6HS	H44MS	DL2GAC	SF0L	SM0LQB
4S7VK	DJ9ZB	HA50MHZ	HA5X	SI0E	SM0EPO
5H3EE	DL4SM	HG2006S	HA1CW	SP0TPAX	SP7DQR
5N6EAM	IK2IQD	HK3JCL	DK8LRF	SX7ML	SV7CUD
5N8NDP	IK5JAN	HP1DCP	EA5KB	SY05AIA	SV2FWV
5R8GZ	G3SWH	HR9/EA1APV	EA1APV	T30CXX	W0CXX
5X1GS	WB2YQH	HS0ZFS	LZ1KQ	T88AP	WB6OJB
5Z4DZ	PA1AW	HZ1MD	PA2V	TA3J/0	TA3YJ
5Z4KI	YO9AFH	HZ1NH	EA7FTR	TF3ZA	KT6YL
600M	PA7FM	IQ8SO	IZ8GNH	TF8GX	KT6YL
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	J5UAF	IV3DHD	TM4BFL	F4DCG
8N6HIGO	JG6TXW	J5UAP	HA3AUI	TR8CA	F6CBC
8P2K	KU9C	J5UCW	IK2ILH	TT8LN	F5TLN
8Q7BO	M0BOX	J5UDX	IK2ILH	U4MIR	RN3DK
8S4S	SM6YOU	J70SWD	SM0CCM	UA1ONY	RZ3EC
9A650C	9A7K	J73CCM	SM0CCM	UA1PBN/1	RK1PWA
9G1YK	PA3ERA	J79XBI	SM7XBI	UE3QRP/3	UA3LMR
9G500	DL4WK	JD1BMB	DJ0FX	UE3YAR/P	RV3YR
9H3UV	G3MXZ	JD1BMC	DL2DX	UE4HDA	RW4HB
9J2SZ	SP8DIP	JV800BV	JT1BV	UN5J	W3HNC
9K2MU	WA4JTK	JW0HZ	SQ5TA	UN7AB	DL8KAC
A6/OD5TX	W4JS	LZ13ARDF	LZ1KZA	UN7QX	W7BO
AT0AI	VU2SWS	LZ80R	LZ1BJ	UN8GF	IZ8CCW
BV50CRA	BV2KI	MM0MWW	GM0IFM	UO45YG	RX3RC

C56JHF	SM0JHF	MW0UTD/P	M0UTD	UP2006YG	UN7BF
C6ARA/MM	N1RA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM	UQ45YG	UN7BF
CN2BC	DL7BC	OO5S	ON5SY	V31JP	KA9WON
CN8YZ	EA7FTR	OP5T	ON5UM	V44KAI	K2SB
CP6XE	IK6SNR	OQ5M	ON5ZO	VK0AG	VK3BER
D2DX	OH2BAD	OQ7M	ON7EM	VP8CMH/MM	GM0HCQ
DA0DSC	DK1RF	OR0B	ON6AK	VP8DJB	F5PFP
DA0FIFA	DL9ZEA	OR2M	ON4IA	VP8SGK	GM0HCQ
DL2JRM/BY8SK	DL2JRM	OR4B	ON5JV	W0NB/BY1PK	W0NB
DP4K	DK3DM	OR7A	ON7CK	XU7TZG	ON4AJV
DR100NAU	DL1RG	OT4A	ON4AEK	YB0ECT	K3AIR
DU1/KI4KJP	WY4N	OY4TN	ON5UR	YB0IR	W4JS
DW9HGF	EA7FTR	P29BW	N5FTR	YB1GJS	N5FTR
DZ50HBC	DU1HBC	P29SS	N5FTR	YB9YKI	YB9BU
EG7MSS	EA7URM	P29VR	W7LFA	YI9RTG	WH7USA
EI90GPO	EI8JR	PA/ON4OSA	ON4AWT	YS1ECB	EA7BO
EK6LP	IK2DUW	PJ4/W9NJY	WD9DZV	YZ6150AMD	YZ6AMD
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	PZ5DK	PA0DKA	ZK1HCU	DL9HCU
EL2PM	EI5IF	R3K	RN3DK	ZP8AE	EA7FTR

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