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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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C6 - Randy, W6SJ will be active as C6AWS from Grand Bahama (NA-080) on 6-12 March. He plans to operate holiday style with an emphasis on 30, 17 and 12 metres, "as there seems to be special interest in them". QSL via home call. [TNX W6SJ]

DL - Clubstation DARC Ortsverband will be active as DA0HEL and DL0IH from Helgoland Island (EU-127) with the special DOK "HEL2008" from 1 through 31 March. QSL via DF6QC, bureau preferred. [TNX VA3RJ]

EA - Adolfo, EA7TV wil be active as EA5/EA7TV from Tabarca Island (EU-093) on 6-9 March. Expect him to operate mainly on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX EA7TV]

FO0 - The TX5C team set sail on 28 February around 3.00 UTC and will operate as FO5A/mm while en route to Clipperton Atoll (NA-011). Conditions permitting, they should be QRV from the island on 7-17 March. Announced frequencies are as follows:

	CW	SSB	RTTY
160m	1827	1847	-
80m	3507	3797	3577
40m	7007	7057	7037
30m	10107	-	10127
20m	14027	14197/14227	14077
17m	18078	18147	18107
15m	21027	21295	21077
12m	24897	24947	24927
10m	28027	28497	28077
6m	50107	50127	-

The pilots will be Dave Anderson/K4SV (k4sv@yahoo.com), Jean-Michel Duthilleul/F6AJA (f6aja@escaut.net) and Chris Sauvageot/DL5NAM (force12@web.de). QSL via N7CQQ, direct (P.O. Box 31553, Laughlin, Nevada 89028, USA) or bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. Bookmark http://www.clipperton2008.org/ for futher information, log search and and regular updates.

FR - Jean-Pierre, F5HIJ will operate as FR/F5HIJ from Reunion (AF-016) on 3-31 March. Look for him to be active between 18 and 20 UTC. [TNX F5NQL]

H4 - Bernhard, DL2GAC will be active once again as H44MS from Honiara, Guadalcanal Island (OC-047), Solomon Islands between 4 March and 28 April. Hermann, DL2NUD will be joining him until 7 April. The two plan to operate 2 metre EME WSJT from grid locator QI90xn. [TNX The Daily DX]

HK0 - 5J0E will be the callsign the Texas DX Society team [425DXN 877] will be using from San Andres during the ARRL DX SSB Contest. During all other times, they will be signing HK0/homecall on SSB, CW and digital modes. The operators (WF5W, W5PF, NM5G, K5WAF, W5PR and

N4AL) will be on the island from 1 to 6 March. QSL for all callsigns via W5PF. [TNX W9DX]

KH9 - Colin, WA2YUN is on work assignment on Wake Island (OC-053) "for an extended period". He will be operating as WA2YUN/KH9 as time permits. QSL via K2PF. [TNX K2PF]

PJ2 - Chad, WE9V is active as PJ2/WE9V from Curacao (SA-006) until 4 March. QSL via home call (direct, bureau or LoTW). He will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as PJ2T (QSL via N9AG or LoTW). [TNX WE9V]

V2 - Chris, M0AJT will be signing V26CC from Antigua (NA-100) on 1-14 March, BERU Contest included. He plans to operate mainly CW with some SSB using 100 watts and a multiband vertical. [TNX K1XN]

VK - John, K8UP and Marsha, N8FE will be active holiday style from Australia on 3-13 March. Expect them to operate as VK4AIJ and VK4AII on 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB. QSL via N8FE; logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX N8FE]

W - Curtis, KI6KUK and possibily other operators from the Palos Verdes Amateur Radio Club (www.palosverdes.com/pvarc) will operate as K6PV from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) from about 22 UTC on 6 March through about 23 UTC on the 10th. Expect activity on 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB. QSL via K6PV. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

ARRL INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST (SSB) ---> Object of the contest is for W/VE amateurs to work as many stations in as many DXCC countries as possible on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 metre bands, while foreign amateurs (also including KH6, KL7, CY9 and CY0) work as many W/VE stations in as many of the 48 contiguous states and provinces as possible (complete rules can be found at http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/intldx.html). The following stations have announced their partecipation in this year's event (from 00.00 UTC on 1 March through 24.00 UTC on the 2nd):

Call	DXCC	QSL
3A/EA1DVY	Monaco	EA1DVY
5J0E	San Andres	W5PF
6Y1V	Jamaica	OH3RB
8P1A	Barbados	NN1N
C6ANM	Bahamas	qrz.com
CV5K	Uruguay	CX2ABC
CW6V	Uruguay	W3HNK
EA8OM	Canary Islands	DJ1OJ
HC8A	Galapagos	KU9C
HI3C	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
HR2DMR	Honduras	HR2DMR
HT2N	Nicaragua	IK2ILH
IR9Y	Italy	IT9ABY
J37K	Grenada	AC8G
J88DR	St. Vincent	G3TBK
JT1BV	Mongolia	JT1BV
KP2M	US Virgin Islands	AI4U
LT1F	Argentina	AC7DX
P40A	Aruba	WD9DZV
PJ2T	Netherlands Ant.	N9AG
PJ7B	Sint Maarten	W8EB

S21YV	Bangladesh	KX7YT
T40C	Cuba	N1KI
TF3CW	Iceland	LX1NO
TO5A	Martinique	F5VHJ
TI50DX	Costa Rica	N4NX
TI8M	Costa Rica	TI2KAC
TM2B	France	F8CIL
UU5A	Ukraine	K2PF
V26X	Antigua	K1XX
VP9/W6PH	Bermuda	W6PH
WP4I	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
XW1B	Laos	E21EIC

Give also a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxs2008.html

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QSL 8R1PY ---> The direct requests received so far have been processed and mailed, PY4KL says. He also reports he is not the QSL manager for HH/PS7EB.

VP6DX ---> VP6DX went QRT from Ducie Island on 27 February at 13.59 UTC after logging nearly 183,700 QSOs and breaking several records, including the record for the largest number of contacts made by any radio expedition. The on-line log has been updated (www.vp6dx.com) and the band/mode breakdowns are as follows:

	CW	SSB	RTTY	Band
160m	5097	1574	0	6671
80m	9756	8592	0	18348
40m	14487	14935	1	29423
30m	10576	0	3699	14275
20m	12852	17205	3479	33536
17m	11813	16603	3073	31489
15m	12366	15526	0	27892
12m	6046	7215	0	13261
10m	4301	4490	0	8791
6m	0	0	0	0
Mode	87294	86140	10252	183686

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****** QSL ROUTES ******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A/EA1DVY	EA1DVY	FJ/SP3IPB	SP3IPB	LY90Y	LY2CY
3W2TXR	JA2TXR	FJ/SP6IXF	SP6IXF	LZ05ANT	LZ3SM
3Z10UM	SQ9UM	FJ/SP7VC	SP7VC	LZ08IPY	LZ3SM
4L1MA	ON4RU	FK8DD	LZ1JZ	LZ130LO	LZ1KZA
4S7BRG	HB9BRM	FK8GX	W3HNK	MJ0AWR	K2WR
4U1UN	HB9BOU	FR5EZ	F8CHM	N2D	N2MFT
5H1HD	OK1HDU	GB0ANT	M3ZYZ	N5T/ANT	W5BOS
5N8NDP	IK5JAN	GJ2A	K2WR	OL5COTA	OK2SJI
5W1VE	DL9HCU	GM7V	M0CMK	OY3QN	OZ1ACB
5X1NH	G3RWF	H7/IV3IYH	IK2ILH	P40LE	K2LE
5Z4HW	DL7DF	HA800LP	HA0LP	PJ4/K2NG	WA2NHA
6W2SC	HA3AUI	HA800MO	HA0MO	PJ4O	N4GG
6Y1V	OH3RB	HA800NAR	HA0NAR	R3ANT	RN3ANT
7X5JF	DJ8QP	HA801CW	HA1CW	R6ANT	UA6HPR
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HA802ERO	HA2ERO	S01MZ	EA1BT
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	HA806NF	HA6NF	SB1658OZ	SK7JC
7Z1UG	DG1XG	HA80MRASZ	HA1DAE	SC1658OZ	SK7BQ
8J3GOSE	JA3ZNJ	HB0/N0MX	DJ2MX	SK1658OZ	SK7BQ
8P9JG	NN1N	HB9ICE	HB9BHY	ST2BSS	ST2M
8P9RY	AA6YQ	HC2SL	EA5KB	SU9HP	SC6A
8R1PW	G3SWH	HC2AQ	EA5KB	SY2V	SV2GJV
8S0PSK	SM0KCR	HG1848I	HA3HK	T32OU	N7OU
9A70LPC	9A7KM	HI3C	ON4IQ	T32YA	W7YAQ
9A73AA	9A2AA	HI3T	ON4IQ	T32Z	K3IRV
9K2PL	EA5KB	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	T99D	DJ2MX
9K2YM	EA5KB	HS0AC	HS0ZFZ	TC2T	TA2MW
9K47NLD	9K2HN	IA0ANT	I0YKN	TM0ANT	F6KDF
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	IA0IPY	I0YKN	TM1ANT	F5SIH
9M6XRO	M5AAV	IA3GM	IV3LNQ	TM1R	F6KVP
9Q1TB	SM5DJZ	II1ANT	IZ1GJK	TM2OFL	F5KFL
9Q1EK	SM5DJZ	II2ANT	I2JJR	TM5H	F4ABC
A71EM	EA7FTR	II2EFA	IW2MNO	TM5ICE	F5IL
A71CT	EA7FTR	II3ANT	IZ3DBA	TM6M	F4DXW
AI4GN/AH0	7K3BKY	II5ANT	IZ5BTC	TM8ANT	F8DVD
AO1WAP	EA1CS	IO2ANT	I2AZ	TO5A	F5VHJ
C21DL	DJ2EH	IO4T	IZ4JMA	TR8CA	F6CBC
C4EURO	5B4AGC	IO4WAP	IK4QIB	UE3YAR/P	MM0DFV
C6AGU	HA7RY	IP0ANT	IZ0HAM	UK8FF	W3HNK
C91R	CT1BXT	IP0WAP	IW1CYZ	UN3M	EA7FTR
CN2XW	G5XW	IQ8IPY	IK8WEJ	UN7QF	EX2A
CN3A	I2WIJ	IR0ANT	IK0JFS	V26F	W1MD
CN8YZ	EA7FTR	IR0IPY	IZ0HTW	V31JZ/p	NN7A
CN8IG	EA7FTR	IR1ANT	I1HYW	V31MN	DF8AN
CN8KD	EA5XX	IR2WAP	IK2FIQ	V31TP	WC0W
CN8SG	EA7FTR	IR8PS	I8ACB	V31YN/P	DJ4KW
CN8YE	EA7FTR	IR8WAP	IK8WEJ	V44KJ	WB2TSL
CO2WF	N1KI	IU8ANT	I8QJU	V49A	V44NK
CO7EH	AD4C	J20MB	F4FMI	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ
CO7PH	W3HNK	J28JA	F5JFU	VA2WAP	VE2LHP
CO8TW	HB9SVT	J28OO	K2PF	VA3AAO	VE3XN
CP6XE	IK6SNR	J37LR	VE3EBN	VA3WAP	VA3NQ

CT9L	DJ6QT	J37T	VE3EBN	VA7AAW	VE7IG
CV5K	CX2ABC	J47XCF	SV7FSK	VP6DX	DL6LAU
DA0ANT	DC2SF	J79XBI	SM5FWW	VP8DIF	DJ9ZB
DM800BFD	DL3JVN	J7DX	W9IU	VP8DLG	DL2AH
DR25RIN	DL8OBQ	JA6WFM/HC5	JA6VU	VU2BMS	DL2GAC
E51WWA	AD7AF	K4A	K6EID	W7G	W7BJN
EA8/OH6L	OH2BYS	K9A/ANT	K9PPY	WH2D	K3UOC
EE5E	K1DG	KG6WTW/KH2	JF1TEU	XU7ACY	W2EN
EF5K	EA5KB	KP2ZZ	G4OOC	XU7XRO	M5AAV
EG5Y	EA5CY	LQ5H	EA5KB	YB4IPY	I0YKN
EG7DCA	EA7URS	LR2F	LU2FA	YE2IPY	YB2TJV
EK3AA	IK2QPR	LX7I	LX2A	YQ2ANT	YO2BP
EK3GM	IK2QPR	LY90A	LY2ZZ	YU8/OH2R	OH2BN
EK6DM	DK6CW	LY90BY	LY3BY	YU8BH	VK1AA
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	LY90CM	LY1CM	ZD7X	W0MM
ES90E	ES5JR	LY90FW	LY1FW	ZD8RH	G4DBW
ES90M	ES1QD	LY90M	LY3M	ZF2AH	W6VNR
ES90X	ES7FU	LY90MM	LY2MM	ZF2NE	W5ASP
ET3JA	OK3AA	LY90Q	LY4Q	ZP0R	ZP5AZL
EV5IPY	EW4IDP	LY90W	LY3W	ZP9EH	K5WW
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