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 **** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 9L - Alfeo/I1HJT, Silvano/I2YSB, Carlo/IK1AOD, Vinicio/IK2CIO, Angelo/IK2CKR, Marcello/IK2DIA and Stefano/IK2HKT will operate from Sherbro Island (AF-056), Sierra Leone from 25 January to 13 February 2009. Further information is expected in due course. The web pages for the operation are at <http://www.i2ysb.com> . QSL via I2YSB (direct) or G6BMY (bureau).
- BY - BA4DR, BG4AJU, BG4CHO, BG4CJX, BG4CNB and BG4EIH will be active from Daqu Shan Island (AS-137) on 7-8 June. Look for them to be signing homecall/5 on 160-6 metres SSB, plus 2 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX BG4CZX]
- BY - Jack, WB8FSV will be vacationing in Qingdao, China from 10 to 30 June. In his spare time he will operate as WB8FSV/BA4IT, mostly 15, 20, and 40 metres CW. QSL direct or via the bureau. [TNX WB8FSV]
- EI - Weather permitting, Helmut, DL5DSM will be active as EJ/DL5DSM from Great Blasket Island (EU-007) on 8 June, between 10 and 15.30 UTC. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- GD - Look for GD4IOM/p to be active from the Isle of Man (EU-116) on CW only during the RSGB National Field Day on 7-8 June. QSL for this operation only via GD4IHC. [TNX MD0CCE]
- HL - Look for Kang, DS4DRE/4 and possibly others to be active on all bands CW and SSB from Och'ong Island (AS-148) and lighthouse on 14-16 June. QSL for all via DS4DRE, direct or bureau. [TNX DS4DRE]
- ISO - IK2DUW and IK2UVT will be active as IM0/homecall from Sant'Antioco Island (EU-024, IIA CI-010) on 12-23 June. They will concentrate on 6 metres. [TNX IK2DUW]
- LZ - Special event station LZ17EXPO will be active on all bands and modes between 7 and 30 June for the 17th edition of "Hobby Radio Expo", to be held in Kazanlak on 14-15 June. QSL via LZ1YE. [TNX LZ1BJ]
- S7 - DL6NBR (S79WF) and DH3NB (S79GB) will be active from the Seychelles from 14 June to 4 July. They plan to operate on 40-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- TA - TA1FR, TA1HZ, TA2DJ, TA2RA, TA2RX, TA2SK and TB2MYE will operate special station TC1MR from the National Medical Rescue Team's (UMKE) camp at Kirklareli on 6-8 June. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TA - Pavel/TA2ZAF (OK1MU), Slavek/OK1TN and Dan/OK1HRA will be active as TC0W from Kefken Island (AS-159) on 7-11 June. They will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via OK2GZ, direct or bureau. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.okdxf.eu/expedice/tc0w/>
- XT - Michael, F1IQH will be active once again as XT2WC from Bobodioulasso, Burkina Faso starting on 9 June for two or three weeks. He will operate mainly on 20 metres with 100 watts and a G5RV. Hopefully he will operate also on 6 metres, if he can get an authorization. [TNX F5NQL]
- YU - Jose, CT1FKN (aka 4W6FK and T98FKN) is in the Portuguese Army and

has been in Kosovo with KFOR for a while. He says he has received permission to be active as YU8/CT1FKN until 20 September. He can operate on the HF bands only. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (May 2008) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

50MHZ CONTEST ---> The 12th edition of the "Memorial YO7VS 50 MHz" Contest (formerly known as "Oltenia Six Meters") will be held from 14 UTC on 21 June until 14 UTC on the 22nd. The rules can be found on the YO HD Antena DX Grup's website at http://www.yohddx.ro/concursuri/MEMORIAL_YO7VS_50MHz_ENG.pdf [TNX YO2MAX]

FUNCHAL 1508-2008 ---> Celebrating the 500th anniversary of the founding of the city of Funchal, there is a short term award for contacts made with amateur radio stations operating from the Madeira Islands between 1 January and 31 December 2008. Details can be found on the Associacao de Radioamadores da Regiao da Madeira's website at <http://www.arm.pt/Concursos.htm> [TNX CT3EE]

PHOTO GALLERY ---> The Dayton Hamvention 2008 Photo Gallery (300+ pictures collected by Tom, K8CX) can be found at <http://hamgallery.com/dayton2008/>

QSL S51ZZ ---> As of 2 June, Buzz, NI5DX is the new QSL manager for Vojko, S51ZZ. Buzz can confirm past contacts, as well as any made from this date forward. [TNX K1XN]

QSL VIA AI4U ---> As of 1 July 2008 all operations by JA1BK and N6TJ that were handled by Garth, VE3HO will be transferred to AI4U. Garth will continue to answer mail for QSL requests until 1 January 2009. The operations affected are listed at <http://www.ve3ho.ca/ve3ho/ve3ho-qslmgr.htm>

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html>. Please note that QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are now eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@ari.it)

WFF AWARD ---> The newly born "World Flora Fauna" (WFF) is an award programme for contacts made with amateur radio stations operating from national parks and nature reserves worldwide. An activity week is expected to take place on 2-8 July. For complete information please visit <http://wff.qrz.ru> or e-mail the Award Manager Valery Sushkov, RW3GW (rw3gw@yandex.ru). [TNX RW3GW]

WW DXPEDITION TROPHY 2008 ---> The Strange Radio Team is conducting the third

annual survey to recognize the "DXpedition of the year" that has aroused the greatest interest in the amateur radio world between 1 June 2007 and 1 June 2008. Cast your vote at <http://www.strangeradioteam.com/wwdxt/index.asp> [TNX IZ7AUH]

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 ***** QSL ROUTES *****
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2A	VK4AN	GM7V	M0CMK	RU3NHY/1	RZ3EC
3V8BB	YT1AD	H7A	TI4SU	RW2F	DK4VW
3Z900R	SP9KJU	HA1Q	DH8VV	SA1A	SM1TDE
4L0A	UU4JMG	HA80MRASZ	HA1DAE	SA5D	SM5DJZ
4U1WED	4U1VIC	HB10DX	HB9AGH	SD2O	DL5ME
5B/AB2ZB	RA6LBS	HC2SL	EA5KB	SE6Y	SM6DED
5P5X	OZ1ETA	HC8N	W5UE	SF700BF	SK6NL
5P7Y	OZ7AM	HF30CUF	SP4CUF	SN3X	SP3SLA
5R8UO	DF8UO	HF565K	SP9DTE	SN5N	SP5KP
5X4X	DF5GQ	HF94KE	SP4YPB	SN650DN	SP9PLK
5X7FN	DC7NF	HG1848I	HA3HK	SN730B	SP1KRF
5Z4ES	K3IRV	HG3IPA	HA3JB	SN9D	SP9PZD
6L0OX	HL0NHQ	HG4F	HA4FF	SO9Q	SP9QMP
6M0W/4	HL5BMX	HG7T	HA7TM	SY8B	DL0CON
6Y1V	OH3RB	HG80HQ	HA7PL	T32XG	JA1XGI
7Q7WW	KC4D	HG80MRASZ	HA1DAE	T88CQ	JA0DCQ
7X5ST	7X2LS	HK3Q	W2GR	TA4CW	F8CVR
8J4P	JA4MRL	HQ9R	K5WW	TC17GS	TA0U
8P9TS	G0TSM	HZ1NH	EA7FTR	TC2T	TA2MW
8S6KOS	SM6WET	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	TC40TRT	TA1HZ
9H3JB	M3UJL	II0MM	IZ0INU	TF3CW	LX1NO
9M1CSP	9M2TO	II1GA	IZ0INU	TM0G	F6ANA
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	II1H	I1HJT	TM0R	F5GGL
9M2IDJ	JA6IDJ	II7PBS	I7PXV	TM40O	F5UQN
9Q1TB	SM5DJZ	II9LR	IZ0INU	TM4Q	F6FYA
9X0A	KA1CRP	IO3P	IV3TMV	TM5BBC	F2UW
A61AB	IZ8CLM	IR4X	I4EAT	TM5CW	F5SJB
A61AD	N1DG	IU3X	IV3SKB	TM5W	F5KIN
A61TX	W4JS	IU9S	IT9BLB	TM6ACO	F6KFI
A71CT	EA7FTR	J28JA	F5JFU	TM6BRE	F6KBO
A73A	EA7FTR	J28OO	K2PF	TM6GAL	F6KOV
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	J48GEO	SV8CRI	TM6SME	F6IPS
B3C	BA4EG	J48IS	DF3IS	TM7S	F6KVP
B4TB	BA4TB	JW5LJA	LA5LJA	TM7XX	F5MUX
B5A	BA5AG	JW7FJA	LA7FJA	UE1RFF	UA1RJ
C4N	W3HMK	JX9JKA	LA9JKA	UE4FRC	RZ4FZZ
CE1TT	EA5KB	JY4NE	K3IRV	UE80MD	UA9MD
CS2T	CT1ILT	K7A	K6HFA	UE9GDA	RA9FDR

CS9L	DJ6QT	KH2/K1IWD	HL1IWD	UN7AB	DL8KAC
CT7LHA	CT1GFK	KH2/WX8C	WX8C	UN9L	LZ1YE
CT7LHF	CT1GFK	KH7X	K2PF	UP0L	DL8KAC
CT7LHM	CT1GFK	LN3Z	LA9VDA	UP4L	UN7LZ
CT7LHP	CT1GFK	LN8W	LA9VDA	UP6P	UN7PBY
CT7LHR	CT1GFK	LO2F	AC7DX	UU7J	UU0JM
CT7LHV	CT1GFK	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	UW5U	UY2UA
CT7LHZ	CT1GFK	LU7YZ	EA7FTR	UX2X	UT2XQ
CT9M	CT3EE	LX0RL	LX1KQ	UZ2M	US0LW
CW5W	CX6VM	LX7I	LX2A	UZ8M	US0MR
CX7TT	K5WW	LY7A	LY2ZO	V25JK	W4BCX
D4C	IZ4DPV	M7A	M0NRC	V4/9H3TI	DL2AAZ
DK0GEO	DK5AN	MJ0LON	DF1LON	V8WTD	V85SS
DL2008DKT	DL8BEH	OD5PL	HB9CRV	VB3E	VA3RVK
DP3D	DK3KD	OG0R	OH2PM	VC2M	VE2TZT
DQ4W	DK9TN	OG6N	OH6NIO	VO2TM	K3TM
DQ5A	DL8SCG	OG7X	OH4XX	VP5E	K0OK
DR1A	DL6FBL	OH0/PA0VHA	PA0VHA	VU3DJQ	EA7FTR
DR5L	DK3QZ	OH0/PA2A	PA0VHA	WP3C	W3HNK
E73BB	K2PF	OH0/PA2AM	PA0VHA	XU7TZG	ON7PP
EA6UN	EC6TK	OH0/PA3ALK	PA0VHA	XW1A	E21EIC
EE2W	EB2BXL	OH0/PA3BAG	PA0VHA	XW1B	E21EIC
EE7E	EC7ABV	OH0/PB5A	PA0VHA	XX9TTR	VR2RR
EF1A	EA1BLX	OH0J	OH1RX	YE100K	YB0KYM
EF3A	EA3KU	OH2/DL5ME	DH5MM	YI9AJ	OM3JW
EF8M	RX3DU	OH2IPA	OH4MDY	YI9WV	NI5DX
EG1FAS	EA4FAS	OJ0B	OH2BH	YL1S	YL1ZS
EG8CID	EA8AUW	OK6Y	OK2PTZ	YL5T	YL3DQ
EG8FAS	EA4FAS	OL1C	OK1AN	YL6W	YL2GD
EG8FOR	EA8NQ	OL3Z	OK1HMP	YL8M	YL2KL
EM80U	UT4UZA	OL7C	OK1FKV	YL9T	YL2TW
EM80UAP	UY5AP	OL7R	OK1WMV	YM3CC	LX1CC
EM9F	UT9FJ	OM7M	OM3PA	YN4SU	TI4SU
EN80UN	UX7UN	OP5T	ON5UM	YQ9W	YO9WF
EO80UA	UY2UA	OZ5W	OZ1KRF	YR1C	YO4NA
EO80UKY	UT5UKY	P33W	RA3AUU	YT30FOC	YT1E
ES9C	ES5RY	P40A	WD9DZV	YW4D	EA7JX
ET3JA	OK3AA	P40L	K5WW	ZB2FX	G3RFX
EU5ROPE	UA3FDX	PA6Z	PA9M	ZD7X	W0MM
EV2A	EW2AA	PJ2T	N9AG	ZF2AM	K6AM
EV6Z	DL8KAC	PS2T	K3IRV	ZF2DO	N5DO
EX2X	EA5KB	PT4C	PY4CEL	ZF2JO	W4YCH
F/ON6JUN	ON5SD	R150C	RZ0CWA	ZM1A	ZL1AMO
G5O	G3VOU	R1FJT	UA4RC	ZM2M	ZL2AL
G6PZ	GM4FDM	RG3K	UA3QDX	ZP8AE	EA7FTR
GB0PIA	2E0OYG	RL6YXX	N3SL	ZS0HQ	ZS4BS
GB6GEO	G3VOF	RT3T	UA3TT	ZX5J	AI4U
GM3USR/P	G3USR	RT4M	RN4LP	ZY7C	PT7WA

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