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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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6W - The Senegalese ADRASEC Amateur Radio Club (6W7PCT, http://www.senrasec.org/) will be active as 6V7SPACE during the World Space Week (http://www.worldspaceweek.org/) on 4-10 October. [TNX F5NQL]

BY - David, BA4DW will operate holiday style as BA4DW/5 from Dongtou Island (AS-141) between 30 September and 4 October. QSL via home call (David Yujian Zhou, 703-5-241 XinGuang Road, Shanghai, 200080, China). [TNX BA4DW]

DU - Vincent, VR2/F4BKV will be active as DU6/F4BKV from Boracay Island (OC-129), Philippines on 1-6 October. He plans to operate holiday style on SSB and PSK31, with 100 watts into a dipole for 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via F4BKV, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW.

EY - Philippe, F4EGS will be active as EY8/F4EGS from Dushanbe, Tajikistan between 26 September and 26 November. He will operate in his spare time on 40-10 metres SSB, RTTY, PSK et CW, using 100 watts into a vertical. [TNX F8REF]

FO_mar - While Uli/DL2AH (ZK3AH) will remain on Tokelau until around the end of September, Manfred/DJ7RJ (ZK3MW) went QRT on 18 September. He is now going to the Marquesas Islands (OC-027), where he should stay for three weeks. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

GM - The Middlesex DX Group (M0MDG) will be active from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) on 4-10 October as either GB2MDG and (for SOTA operations) MS0MDG/p. QSL via 2E0VAG, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

HL - DS1MRF, DS1NPP, DS4NMJ , DS5EVU, DS5LRJ and 6K5TET will be active as DT0HH/2 from Yonghung Island (AS-105) from around 6 UTC on 3 October through around 6 UTC on the 5th. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres. QSL via DS3FGV. [TNX DS4NMJ]

HL - HL5BMX, 6K5AQY, 6K5AYC and 6K5BHZ will be active as 6M0W/4 from Paegya Island (AS-060) on 3-5 October. QSL via HL5BMX, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

I - Special event callsign II2VEM is being aired until 28 September for the Road Cycling World Championships that are taking place in Varese. QSL direct (ARI Varese, P.O. Box 26, 21100 Varese - VA, Italy) or bureau. [TNX I2RGV]

I - Members of ARI San Dona di Piave will be active as IL3T from Torcello Island (EU-131, IIA VE-011) between 1 and 31 October. QSL via IQ3SD. [TNX I5JKI]

KH2 - Aki, JR1VAY will be active as AH2J from Guam (OC-026) on 4-6 October, Oceania DX Contest (SSB). QSL via JR1VAY (bureau preferred). [TNX JR1VAY]

OD - Sylvain, F5TLN will be active as OD5/F5TLN from Lebanon between October and February 2009. He will operate SSB and some CW on all

HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

P2 - Hugh, K6HFA has had to cancel the IOTA trip to Papua New Guinea [425DXN 902]. "He is graciously leaving $3,000 (AUD) in the boat charter fund", Derek (G3KHZ) says. "This means we have a late opening for one lucky guy who only needs to pay $2,067 (AUD) plus his air fare to join us. Could this be you?" Contact Derek (g3khz(at)derekcox.plus.com) if you wish to join the team. The web page for the expedition is at http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2008/

S7 - Tom, DJ6TF will be active as S79TF from La Digue Island (AF-024), Seychelles on 2-14 October. He plans to concentrate on 30 metres and RTTY, but will also be on other bands and modes. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

SP - Look for Czeslaw, SP2QCR/1 and Witek, SP2MHC/1 to be active from Uznam Island (EU-129) on 26-28 September. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX MM0NDX]

SP - Celebrating the 200th issue of "QTC, The Polish Radio Amateurs' Journal", three special event stations will be active next month: HF200Q (1-10 October), HF200T (11-20 October) and HF200C (21-31 October). QSL via SP4KDX, direct or bureau. [TNX SP2FAP]

T3 - Toshi, JA8BMK was expected to reach Tarawa, Western Kiribati (T30XX) on 25 September. He should remain there for about 10 days while waiting for a ship to depart for Central Kiribati (T31XX). He plans to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres, with an emphasis on the low bands as well as 12, 17 and 30 metres. QSL via JA8BMK, direct only. [TNX The Daily DX]

TN - Mao, TN5MM is a new amateur radio operator from Congo. For the time being he will operate from the QTH of Nicolas, TN5SN (F8FQX), who has been in Brazzaville since 20 August [425DXN 902]. [TNX The Daily DX]

VE - Special event station VC2ARAM will be active between 3 October and 3 November to celebrate the 85th anniversary of the Association of Amateur Radio Operators in Mauricie, Quebec. QSL via VE2MO. [TNX VA3RJ]

VP8_sg - Lars, MM0DWF (www.lars-boehme.de/vp8dif/index.html) will spend "most of October" at Husvik, South Georgia (AN-007). He expects to operate again as VP8DIF during his limited spare time. QSL via DJ9ZB, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

VR - Vincent, F4BKV will be working in Hong Kong until 31 August 2009 at least. He is located in the Wan Chai district of Hong Kong Island (AS-006) and operates as VR2/F4BKV, mainly on PSK31 with some SSB during good propagation openings. His web site is at http://www.f4bkv.net/

W - The various facilities of Motorola's amateur radio clubs will host a special event on 4-5 October to celebrate the 80th anniversary of the incorporation of Motorola. Expect CW and SSB activity from K9MOT (Illinois), KM0TO (Illinois), W4MOT (Florida) and WA4MOT (Florida), as well as from JQ1YVR/1 (Tokyo, Japan). QSL via operators' instructions. Further information can be found at http://www.qsl.net/k9mot/activities/80.html. [TNX N4II]

ZC4 - Steve, ZC4LI will be doing SOSB 20m in the CQ WW DX RTTY Contest this weekend. He will be around from the start of the contest, but as the band does not usually open until around 3 UTC, he will be on 160m (1840 kHz +/- 10) for either CW or RTTY contacts from 1

UTC until 20 metres open. [TNX K1XN]

CQ WW DX RTTY CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (27-28 September):

ZONE	CALL	CATEGORY	DXCC	QSL VIA
07	HQ9R	SOAB LP	Honduras	K5WW
08	WP3C	SOSB 40m	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
08	ZF2DF		Cayman Islands	W4YCH
10	HC8N	M/2	Galapagos	W5UE
14	GI5K	SOAB	Northern Ireland	MI0LLL
14	HB0/DK9FEC	M/?	Liechtenstein	DK9FEC
14	LX7I	M/?	Luxembourg	LX2A
15	4O7A	SOSB 20m	Montenegro	4O7A
15	9A7T	M/S	Croatia	9A2EU
15	E73M	M/S	Bosnia-Hercegovina	E73Y or K2PF
15	OH8F	M/S	Finland	
15	Z37M	M/?	Macedonia	Z37M
16	ER0FEO	SOAB LP	Moldova	UU0JM
16	EW1AR		Belarus	W3HNK
16	UZ4E	M/S	Ukraine	UR4EYN
20	J49XB		Crete	DJ9XB
20	ZC4LI	SOSB 20m	UK Sov. Base Areas	ZC4LI
21	A61AD		United Arab Emirates	N1DG
26	E21YDP	SOAB LP	Thailand	E21YDP
28	YB0ECT	SOSB 20m	Indonesia	K3AIR
33	3V8BB	M/S	Tunisia	YT1AD
33	3V8SF	M/S	Tunisia	IZ8CCW
33	7X0RY	SOSB 40m	Algeria	
33	CN2IPA		Morocco	HA3JB
33	CN3A	M/S	Morocco	I2WIJ
33	CT9L	M/?	Madeira	DJ6QT

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqr2008.html - good contest to you all!

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LOGS ---> Pictures and log searches for OC5I (SA-073, April 2006) and OA4BHY/3 (SA-074, May 2008) can be found on JA1QXY's IOTA website (http://www5f.biglobe.ne.jp/~ja1qxy). [TNX DL5YWM]

QSL VIA IK3GES ---> Gabriele, IK3GES says that he has taken over QSL chores for IV3OWC, including Claudio's operations as 9E1C, ST2CF and TL8DPA. QSL direct only to Gabriele Gentile, Via Baratta Vecchia 240, 31022 Preganziol - TV, Italy. Gabriele also says that the direct and bureau QSL requests backlog for his 2008 IOTA activities, as well as for the stations he manages, has been cleared.

YOUNG DXPEDITIONERS ON WILLIS ISLAND ---> Twenty-two applications were received and the selection has been made. The two young amateur radio operators who will join the VK9DWX DXpedition to Willis Island are William Joshua (Josh) Fischer, W4WJF (21 years old) on 6-19 October and Rhynhardt (Rhy) Louw, ZS6DXB (25 years old) on 15-28 October.
Meanwhile, the preparations are entering the final stage and a four-men vanguard is flying to Cairns to take care of all necessary work. Further details, including information on how contribute to the expedition, can be found at http://www.vk9dwx.de/

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	
3Z0LH	SP1PBW	H40MY	OM2SA	R2RRF	RU3DI	
4D75J	DV1JM	HB10DX	HB9AGH	R450AS	RU6UR	
4K7Z	UA3FDX	HI3T	ON4IQ	R73SRR	UA3DX	
5C5W	EA5XX	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	RU1A	RU1AE	
5D0IPY	I0YKN	HK1NK	EA5KB	SE5E	SM5AJV	
5H3AP	DL1CW	HK1RRL	EA5KB	SE6Y	SM6DED	
5R8EM	F1BCS	HK1X	EA7FTR	SF6DX	SM6FUD	
5R8GM	F1BCS	HP1RIS	EA5KB	SK3W	SM5DJZ	
5R8IM	F1BCS	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	SL0W	SM0AJU	
5R8JM	F1BCS	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	SN11IPA	SP9PZU	[a]
5Z4/UW1AU	K5XK	HZ1EA	DJ9ZB	SN11IPA	SQ9ZM	[b]
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HZ1MD	EA7FTR	SN30DPS	SP7PKI	
7Q7MT	NU5O	HZ1ZH	EA7FTR	SN325S	SP9PZK	
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	IA0IPY	I0YKN	SV5/OM5AW	OM2FY	
8Q7XR	M0DXR	IA5IG	IZ1DSH	T88IW	JF2IWW	
8S0W	SM0NJO	II2BIN	IW2KVT	TC470PDZ	TA1HZ	
9A8GES	IK3GES	II2UCI	IZ2DVI	TC4X	OH2BH	
9G1AA	PA3ERA	II3MA	IK3SHP	TK8R	OK1LX	
9G1YE	PA3ERA	IO1DCI	IK1GPG	TM2NN	F5KTU	
9H3F	JK1FNL	IP2IPY	I2AZ	TM8JPR	F6FLO	
9M2QQ	DF5UG	IQ2IR	IZ2ELV	TN5SN	IZ1BZV	
9M2TO	JA0DMV	IQ8MD/p	IZ8BGY	TT8FC	EA4AHK	
9M6XRO	M0URX	IR3IPY	IZ3DBA	TU/DB1DT	DB1DT	
9Q1TB	SM5DJZ	J49XB	DJ9XB	TY6A	F6AML	
A25/DL7DF	DL7DF	J88DR	G3TBK	UA0AZ	W3HNK	
A61CK	PE1BSX	JW4LN	LA4LN	UE1CFZ	RX1CQ	
A61TX	W4JS	JW7WCA	LA7WCA	UE3PKP	RA3PW	
A7/M0FGA	NN1N	JW8BCA	LA8BCA	UE65BR	RV3YR	
A71A	A71AN	K6P	KM6HB	UP0L	DL8KAC	
A71CT	EA7FTR	KG4SS	K4MIL	V51B	AI4U	
A71CV	A71AN	KH0UC	JE1EKS	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ	
A71EM	EA7FTR	KP4SQ	W3HNK	VK4MA	N3ZK	

AM1AFW	EA1AUM	LN3Z	LA9VDA	W0CXX	KC0CD
AT25MY	VU2NRO	LR4E	LW4EU	W4CRC	W4ATM
AY0DX	LU3DR	LU4ZS	LU4DXU	W6A	WA6RC
CE1TT	EA5KB	LW5EE	EA5FL	W6B	WA6RC
CN2IPA	HA3JB	LX8DL	LX1DA	W6CXX	KB7V
CO2WF	N1KI	LZ08IPY	LZ3SM	W6E	WA6TST
CO6CAC	EA5KB	LZ5F	LZ1ZF	W6F	WB6RER
CO6RD	8P9NX	M6T	G4PIQ	W6G	AA7DK
CP4BT	EA5KB	MS0SCG	M0SCG	W6H	KY5Q
D8TG	HL0BHQ	N0CXX	KC0ODK	W6J	KC9VF
D9D	6K2BWA	N2J	W2WP	W6K	AE5MH
DT4TG	HL0BHQ	N2Y	N2RRA	W6L	W5IAS
E51KJE	JA0KJE	NP3FM	KP4ARS	W6M	W0SOE
E51NOU	N7OU	OA4TT	N6XQ	W6O	K0DEW
E74A	K2PF	OD5QB	YO3FRI	W6P	KG0KP
E75A	E77E	OD5RZ	YO3FRI	W6Q	WD9GJK
ED5UB	EA5FL	OG1M	OH1VR	W6R	K6PDQ
EE1VV	EA9CP	OG4X	OH1MA	W6S	K6SGH
EF8R	EA8CAC	OG50F	OH1F	XE3RR	EB7DX
EG2NVP	EA2DJM	OG5B	OH5BM	XU7AEA	JF2XQP
EH1NCW	EA1CJ	OH0X	OH2TA	XU7AEB	JF2SDR
EH1OSM	EB1ERD	OH0Z	W0MM	YB0DPO	K3AIR
EH3T	EA3AS	OH1AV/2	OH1BOI	YB0ECT	K3AIR
EK6LP	IK2DUW	OH4A	OH6LI	YB1AA	W2FB
EK8PL	SP9LJD	OH5Z	OH5LIZ	YB1ALL	W2FB
EN5R	UY2RA	OH7M	OH6DX	YP2U	YO2NAA
ER600B	RW6HS	OH8X	OH6KN	YP9VIN	YO9FNR
EW5WFF	EW4DX	OJ0B	OH2BH	YR5S	YO5NL
EY8MM	K1BV	OJ0J	OH0RJ	YT30FOC	YT1E
F6KNZ	F5LCU	OL600VB	OK2JS	YV5ANF	EA7FTR
FM5WD	W3HNK	ON64POL	ON3CYV	YV5DTJ	IT9DAA
FR1AN	NI5DX	P29VR	W7LFA	YW4D	EA7JX
GB2BF	G4DFI	P29ZAD	NI5DX	ZC4GR	2M1DHG
GB2TX	M0CNP	P49T	W3BTX	ZK3AH	DL2AH
GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	PA66AW	PA2RUS	ZK3MW	DJ7RJ
GX4KPT	M0DOL	PW2D	PY2VM	ZS6CCY	K3IRV

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