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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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8Q - Jim, G3VDB will be active holiday style as 8Q7EJ from Vilamendhoo Island, Maldives (AS-013) on 9-25 October. Subject to hotel permission and local conditions, he plans to operate CW, RTTY, PSK31 and perhaps SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]

9H - Andreas, DL9USA will be active as 9H8C from Comino Island, Malta (EU-023) on 15-22 October. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]

H44 - Mike, KM9D (H44MY) and Jan, KF4TUG (H44TO) have been lying to anchor in the lagoon of Liapari Island (OC-149), Solomon Islands since 8 October.

HA - Radio Club Puspokladany (HA0KHW) will be active as HG0WFF from a number of Hungarian National Parks between now and October 2010. The first activity will be from the Hortobagy National Park on 12-18 October. QSL via HA0HW. [TNX HA0HW]

J5 - Jose, CT1DSV will be active as J5S from Guinea Bissau on 12-18 October. He expects to operate about 1-2 hours every night, and to concentrate activity on 17-18 October. QSL via home call. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]

JT - Jeremy, W7EME (JT1UN) and Jim, K7YO (JT1YO) will conduct the first ever EME activity from Mongolia on 10-14 October. Details can be found at http://www.w7eme.org/ulaanbaatar [TNX JT1CD]

PA - Special event station PA30IPA will be active from 10 October to 6 November to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the International Police Association Radio Club of the Netherlands. QSL via PA9LUC. [TNX The Daily DX]

PA - Ben, DO1BEN and Barbara, DO1IQ will be active as PD/homecalls from Texel Island (EU-038) on 16-22 October. QSL via DO1BEN, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

PY0T - The schedule of the Brazilian Navy has changed, and consequently also the dates for the ZY0T operation from Trindade [425DXN 961]. The team now expects to leave on 13 October and to be active from the 17th to the 20th (+/- one day either way). QSL direct to PY1NB. Bookmark http://riodxgroup.dxwatch.com/trindade-2009 for updates. [TNX PY1NB]

SP - Special event station SN100DP will be active until 11 October to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the "Dar Pomorza", the Polish sailing frigate currently preserved in Gdynia a a museum ship. Please visit http://www.sq2rh.it2.pl/sn100dp/sn100dp_about.html for Further information. QSL via SQ2RH. [TNX SQ2RH]

TA - Special event callsign TC1IEM will be aired on the HF bands for this year's Istanbul Eurasia Marathon to be held on 18 October. QSL via TA1KB, bureau preferred. [TNX TA1HZ]

T6 - Pascal, F5PTM is active as T6YA from Afghansitan until December. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via

F5OGL [TNX The Daily DX]

TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team (www.tcswat.org) will be active as TC1ELH from Eregli Lighthouse (Sea of Marmara) on 9-11 October. They plan to operate mainly on 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]

V3 - Rich, N0HJZ will be active as V31MW from Placencia, Belize on 17-26 October, including as SOAB entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL direct to home call or via LoTW. [TNX N0HJZ]

VK - Look for Ray, K9LUK to be active as K9LUK/VK4 from Fraser Island (OC-142) on 18-23 October. QSL direct to home call. [TNX www.ragbiota.org]

W - The Alamance Amateur Radio Club (K4EG) will participate in the Cape Lookout Lighthouse 150th Special Event on 10-11 October by operating from Harkers Island (NA-067). Look for them on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW and SSB, with possible activity on 17 and 30 metres as well. QSL via KA4KJI. [TNX VA3RJ]

W - Special event stations N#A will be operated from all ten US call areas with the appropriate prefix number designator on 12-18 October to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the North American QRP CW Club (NAQCC). QSL via operator's instructions. Complete details on the event can be found at http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/ [TNX VA3RJ]

W - The South Florida DX Association (K4FK) will operate as W4R from the Arthur R. Marshall Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge as part of the National Wildlife Refuge Week. The station will be active on 20 and 40 metres SSB, and possibly CW, on 17 October (from 14.00 to 18.30 UTC). QSL direct to WA4WTG. [TNX N4II]

YB - Hotang, YC0IEM now expects to be active as YC0IEM/8 from Ambon Island (OC-070, 425DXN 961) on 12-30 October. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]

ZL - Paul, ZL4PW and Ray, VK4HDX will be active from Stewart Island (OC-203) on 19-30 March 2010. They plan to operate all modes on 160-15 metres, and possibly to participate in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. They are looking for a phasing device for 2 element phased arrays for 30/40m and a solid-state linear amplifier. Please contact Paul (zl4pw@orcon.net.nz) if you are willing to assist. A website is under construction. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]

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DXCC NEWS ---> 5N0OCH (Nigeria, current operation) and 5N0EME (2009 operation) have been approved for DXCC credit. If you had QSOs rejected in a recent DXCC submission, send an e-mail to dxcc@arrl.org to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]

FT5GA ---> Due to a change in the military flight's schedule, the FT5GA team went QRT around 9 UTC on 7 October, one day earlier than planned. Activity started on 15 September, and the five operators on the island were

able to log 50,301 QSOs with 15,237 unique calls. All of the logs have been uploaded to the log search (www.clublog.org/charts/?c=FT5GA).

TX3A ---> The first update about TX3A (Chesterfield Islands, 425DXN 951) has been posted to the expedition's website. Last minute tests (including RTTY hardware and software) and preparations are under way, and many improvements have been made to the equipment. As weather is the main variable, AA7JV and HA7RY will be standing-by in Gladstone (Queensland) from 28 October, ready to sail whenever they see a weather break long enough to get them to Chesterfield (the voyage will take 60-70 hours). voyage). Therefore they do not have a fixed date for the start of operations: "in the best case, we may get on the air on November 4, but it could easily be November 10 or later". George and Tomi will have supplies for a 20-day operation. The TX3A license is valid for 15 days only, so they may operate some of the time using their own callsigns. They intend to remain on the island to participate in the CQWW CW contest. Bookmark http://tx3a.com/ for regular updates.

WW DXPEDITION TROPHY 2009 ---> The Strange Radio Team is conducting the fourth annual survey to recognize the "DXpedition of the year" that has aroused the greatest interest in the amateur radio world between 1 June 2008 and 1 June 2009. Cast your vote at http://www.strangeradioteam.com/ [TNX IZ7AUH]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A2MG	F9JS	CX4AAJ	EB7DX	OD5F	IZ8CLM
3D20CR	DJ8NK	E51NOU	N7OU	OG0A	OH2BH
3D2DW	YU1DW	EF8M	UA3DX	OG20YL	OH2YL
3D2GM	PG5M	EG2NVP	EA2DJM	OJ0B	OH2BH
3D2KJ	SP5DRH	EH3IDB	EA3DTD	OJ0J	OH0RJ
3D2MJ	SP5EAQ	EH3WRC	EA3FCY	OL22ASE	OK1TIR
3W1M	OM3JW	ER8C	ER1DA	OM8A	OM2VL
3Z40KP	SP5KP	EW5WFF	EW4DX	OM9FIRAC	OM5GU
3Z70KOC	SP5PJX	FP/G3ZAY	G3ZAY	ON25BELGICA	ON7TR
4K9W	DL6KVA	FP/M0TDG	M0TDG	ON4DAMIAN	ON7LR
4L1FP	LZ1OT	G4LAB/p	G4IAR	PA08DWN	PA3ALM
4L2IKA	EA7FTR	GA2MP	N3SL	PD55EA	PD7BZ
4S7AAG	DL1LH	HB9SPACE	HB4FR	PY0FF	W9VA
4S7BRG	LZ3HI	HB9VELO	HB9OCR	R1ANY	RK3MWD
4S7SAG	DH7SA	HF1939WW	SQ6CU	R50KTV	RA6AU
4U64UN	HB9BOU	HF35PEA	SP1NQF	RU0LL	IK2DUW
4W6FR	VK4FW	HL9A	WX8C	SN0WFF	SP5X
5B/HG3IPA	HA3JB	HS0ZEA	OE2REL	SN80WK	SP7PKI
5C5W	EA5XX	II1CAM	IW2MNO	SP80WAC	SP3PSM

5N0OCH	DL3OCH	IL7X	IK5BCM	SP90SEP	SP6PWW
5Q5NA	DK5NA	IY2M	IW2NOH	SQ80SPCU	SP9PKZ
5W0DW	YU1DW	J28OO	K2PF	SV0XAF/8	HB9EBC
5W7A	YT1AD	J68WI	WB5ZAM	SY1RY	SV1JMO
5X1THA	M0WTF	J79ZG	DL7AFS	T30AW	YU1DW
5Z4PS	M0WTF	JW3XIA	LA3XIA	T30M	YT1AD
7Q7CE	IN3VZE	JW5NM	LA5NM	T88OM	JA1FMZ
7Q7HB	G0IAS	JW5X	LA5X	TC10TF	TA1HZ
7X0MT	F5MSR	JW6RHA	LA6RHA	TI5/NP3D	W3HNK
9H3FD	PA3FHR	JW6VM	LA6VM	TX5SPA	SP9PT
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	JW7WCA	LA7WCA	UE1RLH	RA1QY
AL7R	K9IT	JW7XK	LA7XK	VC3COPP	VE3BDB
C31CT	EA3QS	JW9DL	LA9DL	VK6AU	N1DT
C37NL	C37URA	KH6MB	AI4U	XU7ACY	W2EN
C37URE	EA4URE	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD	XV3RRC	RZ3EC
C91VM	IK1RAE	LU8XW	WD9EWK	XV7RRC	RZ3EC
CM3RPN	EB7DX	LX/PA6Z	PA9M	YB0ECT	K3AIR
CN2CV	HB9CVC	LZ26ZA	LZ1KZA	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
CN8IG	EA7FTR	LZ44WFF	LZ1KZA	Z21BC	NI5DX
CU6NS	EA5KB	MS0WRC	G0MTD	ZS4U	K3IRV

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