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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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8Q - Cezar, YO8TLC will be active as 8Q7CE from the Maldives (AS-013) on 8-25 January. He plans to operate holiday style on 40, 30 and 20 metres, mainly CW and some SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX http://dx-hamspirit.com/]

A6 - Gerry, VE6LB will be active as A6/VE6LB from Dubai, United Arab Emirates from 8 January to 8 February. He plans to operate holiday style on 40-12 metres mainly CW, with 100 watss and a wire antenna. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX VE6LB]

C6 - Tom, C6ANM will be active from January through April 160-6 metres CW and SSB, including participation in the CQ WW 160-Meter DX Contests (CW and SSB) and in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. He will primarily operate from Nassau (NA-001). QSL via LoTW (preferably) or direct to WA2IYO. [TNX NE1B]

EL - Chris, ZS6RI will be active again (this time with 100 watts) as EL8RI from Liberia for one month starting on 2 January. This will be his last trip to Liberia, as he has been transferred to another country in Africa where he expects to be working on a six week on, six week off schedule. [TNX The Daily DX]

H4 - Bernhard, DL2GAC will be active again as H44MS from the Solomon Islands for three months. Expected arrival and departure dates are 21 January and 20 April. On 6-19 February [425DXN 969] he will be going to the Reef Islands (OC-065), Temotu Province along with DK9FN (H40FN) and DG1FK (H40FK), and operate as H40MS. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2GAC]

HH - Pierre, HB9AMO is now active as time permits as HH2/HB9AMO from Haiti for about one month. He operates CW only, with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via PA7FM. A log search will be available at http://www.pa7fm.nl/ in due course. [TNX PA7FM]

J6 - After travelling around the world for the last fourteen years, Derek, VE3CZF, has moved permanently to St. Lucia. Look for him to operate as J6/VE3CZF on 80-10 metres SSB and CW. QSL direct only (Derek N. Kirkham, P.O. Box 249, Vieux Fort, St. Lucia, West Indies). [TNX J6/VE3CZF]

PJ5 - Jim, K1NA will once again be active as PJ5NA from St. Eustatius (NA-145) between 10 January and 27 March. When not taking part in contests, he will concentrate on 30, 12 and 17 metres, as well as on 160, 80 and 40 metres during his nights. QSL via K1NA, direct only. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

SP - Witek, SP9MRO will be active as 3Z0RADIO (QSL via SP9SX)from 1 January through the end of the year to celebrate the 80th anniversary of the Polish Amateur Radio Union (PZK) and the 85 anniversary of IARU. Several other special event stations are expected to take part in the celebration: 3Z80PZK, 3Z85IARU, HF80PZK, HF85IARU, SN80PZK. SN85IARU, SO80PZK, SO85IARU, SP80PZK,

SP85IARU, SQ80PZK and SQ85IARU (information on the relevant award can be found at http://www.qrz.com/db/SN80PZK). [TNX SP9MRO]

VK - Peter/VK3ZPF, Hayden/VK3FRST, Marcus/VK3TST and Adam/VK3YDF will operate the scout callsign VK3SAT from the French Island (OC-136) National Park from around 4 UTC on 9 January until around 1 UTC on the 10th. They plan to be active on 80, 40 and 20 metres using wire antennas and battery powered transceivers (max 15w PEP). [TNX http://www.southgatearc.org/]

VP8_fal- Michael, G7VJR (VP8DMN) and Martin, G3ZAY (VP8DFK) will be active from the Falkland Islands (SA-002) on 21-29 January. They will operate mainly CW, with an emphasis on the low bands. QSL via home calls. [http://dx-hamspirit.com/]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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ONLINE BOOK ---> Gerard Debelle, F2VX is writing the History of Amateur Radio in the French Overseas Territories (1920-1962). The first ten chapters are now available at http://www.lesnouvellesdx.fr/histoires.php [TNX F6AJA]

QSL R1ANR ---> This is Alex, UA1PAW, now operating from "Blue One Runway" (aka "Novo Runway"), a logistic facility located some 14 kilometres away from Novolazarevskaja base, Antarctica. He will be there through February 2010. The correct QSL route for the current operation is via ZS1ANF (stations from Russia and Ukraine can go via RK1PWA). [TNX http://dx-hamspirit.com/]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (317 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (983 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2724 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (329 QSLs), Antarctic bases (800 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 256 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (291 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (96 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (801 QSLs), French Departments (579 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (113 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit http://LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx@free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

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 eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@fastwebnet.it)

ZL DX HALL OF FAME ---> The New Zealand DX Hall of Fame honours those outstanding ZL DXers who have excelled in our radio sport hobby over many

years. The inductees for 2010, selected by the panel of judges (ZL1AIH, ZL3JT and ZL3NB) are Dave A. Johnston (ZL1AMN), Aola B. Johnston (ZL1ALE) and Dave Brown (ZL1HY, SK). Complete details can be found at http://www.southgatearc.org/

+ SILENT KEYS + Knut Haugland (LA3KY) passed away on 25 December at 92 years of age. He was the last surviving crewman who crossed the Pacific Ocean on the legendary balsa wood raft "Kon-Tiki" in 1947. During the 101-day voyage he served as radio operator along with Torstein Raaby. Amateur radio played a critical role in the success and safety of the expedition; Haugland and Raaby operated as LI2B on the amateur bands and kept a schedule with W1AW and other US stations.
Other recently reported Silent keys include Yuri V. Fedorov (RW0QO) and Zenon Dabrowski (SQ2EET).

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******* QSL ROUTES *******
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2HC	DL9HCU	EK3GM	IK2QPR	ON100PES	ON4TRC
3D2JS	WB2TJO	EK6LP	DL8KAC	ON175BR	ON7BR
3V8SS	IZ8CCW	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	ON4DAMIAN	ON7LR
3Z02PGA	SP2FAP	EK6YL	SP9LJD	OR0A	ON6ZK
3Z10HNY	SP2FAP	ER5GB	W3HNK	OS8A	ON8VK
4A1DXXE	N7RO	EW6GF	DL8KAC	OT2X	ON6YX
4K5D	K2PF	EX2F	RW6HS	P40YL	AI6YL
4L1UN	EA7FTR	EY8MM	K1BV	P49V	AI6V
4L5O	N3SL	FK/NA8O	JK1FNL	P49X	W0YK
4L6DL	LZ1OT	FM5BH	W3HNK	PB37SEAL	PH7Y
4L8A	K1BV	FM5CD	F5VU	PC25DIG	PI4DIG
4S7BRG	LZ3HI	FM5WE	K4FJ	PD37SEAL	PD2GCM
4Z8AY	F5LGE	GB0NG	2W0XTP	R150APC	UA6MM
5R8FL	G3SWH	H7A	TI4SU	R1ANP	RW1AI
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HF35PEA	SP1NQF	RL3A	W3HNK
5R8HX	G4OHX	HG400HV	HA0HV	RW0A	RA0ALM
5V7BR	F2VX	HH2/HB9AMO	PA7FM	RW0CWA	RW0CF
7Q7BP	G3MRC	HI3CC	ON4IQ	RW2F	DK4VW
8Q7HN	7M2VPR	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	RX9FM	W3HNK
9A800VZ	9A7A	HK1KYR	EA5KB	SC0XMAS	SM0OGQ
9H3NT	EA3NT	HK4CZE	EA7FTR	SC10DXR	SM6WYA
9J2AH	EA7FTR	HK4OBA	EA5KB	SC1658OZ	SK7BQ
9K2GS	EA5KB	HQ2T	W3HNK	SH3O	SM3TLG
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	HR9/WQ7R	K5WW	SK1658OZ	SK7BQ
9V1YC	W5UE	HS0AC	HS0ZFZ	SM200PAX	SK2AT
9Y4SRR	KD4UDU	HS0ZCY/4	E21EIC	SN32ESM	SP3ZAC
A35A	W7TSQ	HV50VR	IV3KKW	SP80BEM	SP9ZBC
A61AS	YO3FRI	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	ST2AR	S53R

A61KM	NI5DX	HZ1DS	DJ9ZB	TF3ZA	KT6YL
A61R	EA7FTR	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	TF8GX	KT6YL
A62ER	IZ8CLM	IY0GMN	IQ0RM	TI4CF	W3HNK
A65CA	RV6AJJ	IY1Y	IK1MDF	TI7XX	DL2JRM
A71BU	NI5DX	IY2M	IW2NOH	TM6WRC	F4ELU
A71BX	EA7FTR	IY7NGM	IK7JWX	TN5SN	IZ1BZV
A71CT	EA7FTR	J28KO	F6DKI	TR8CA	F6CBC
A71EM	EA7FTR	J28OO	K2PF	TT8FC	EA4AHK
BY1TTY	BD1LLB	J5V	JA1PBV	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
C31CT	EA3QS	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	UE4LWM	UA4LCH
C4EURO	5B4AHO	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	UK8OAH	IK2QPR
CN10NY	EA7FTR	K3C	K3LP	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
CN8IG	EA7FTR	KH0AC	K7ZA	UP100FPW	UN1F
CN8KD	EA5XX	KH6CW	K7GQ	V73NS	WD8CRT
CN8NK	EA5XX	KH6LC	AI4U	VE2DX	VE2STN
CN8YE	EA7FTR	KH6MB	AI4U	VE3PARK	VE3NOO
CO6CAC	EA5KB	KP4MS	W4DN	VK6ANC	VK6NE
CO6RD	8P9NX	KP4SQ	W3HNK	VK6IOA	VK4AAR
CO7EH	AD4C	LA6YEA	LA9VDA	VK8NSB	VK6NE
CO8LY	EA7ADH	LM2T70Y	LA2T	VP8DMH	G0VGS
CT3AS	DJ8FW	LM9K75Y	LA9K	VP9400KD	VP9KD
CT7/LZ3ND	LZ1NK	LU1ZD	LU4DXU	YB8FL	EA7FTR
CU3YLA	CU3BL	LU3OE	EA5KB	YJ0NA	JK1FNL
CU5AQ	EA5KB	LU5FF	EA5KB	YN2N	TI2OHL
CU6NS	EA5KB	LW3EWZ	EA5KB	YN4SU	TI4SU
CX2CC	EA5KB	LX30AK	LX1CC	YP2GEO	YO2KAR
CX4AAJ	EB7DX	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	YW5EID	EA5KB
CX5TR	EA5KB	LY09XMAS	LY2QT	Z21BC	NI5DX
D2QMN	RZ3EC	LY7M	LY2BW	Z22JE	K3IRV
D44TT	K1BV	LZ09IPY	LZ3SM	Z23MS	UA3DX
DP3SSKW	DK7FK	LZ131GO	LZ1KZA	ZA1E	I2MQP
DR60NATO	DL1WH	LZ44WFF	LZ1KZA	ZF2BI	K4BI
DR800GRZ	DL1ARJ	MP1SWL/A	G6XOU	ZM2B	ZL2BR
DU3NXE	W3HNK	N3UJ/KH0	JH1URT	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
E77A	9A2AA	NP4A	W3HNK	ZS10WCS	ZS4BS
E77DX	E77E	OD5ET	EB7DX	ZS1EL	K4YL
E77XZ	DK6XZ	OF200AD	OH5AD	ZS1OIN	R3AR
EA8OM	DJ1OJ	OG20YL	OH2YL	ZS2DL	NI5DX
EA9EU	EA5KB	OH9SCL	OH9UV	ZS4U	K3IRV
EG2MDB	EA2URV	OK/EI6DX	RX3RC	ZS6CCY	K3IRV

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