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# **DX INFORMATION**

3C - Fred/KH7Y, Vicente/EA5YN, Luis/EA5BRE and Elmo/EA5BYP will be active as 3C7Y from Bioko Island (AF-010), Equatorial Guinea on 5-14 October. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY with two stations on all bands. QSL via EA5BYP. [TNX EA5YN]

3D2 - Tomas, LY1F/VK2CCC will be active as 3D2MT from the Fiji Islands from 28 August to 4 September. He plans to operate mostly CW on 80-17 metres, and to participate in the All Asian DX SSB Contest (1-2 September). QSL via VK2CCC (direct) or LY1F (bureau). [TNX NG3K]

5Z - Chris, DL2MDU will be active as 5Z4/DL2MDU from Kenya on 10-24 September. He plans to operate holiday style mainly CW. QSL via bureau to home call. [TNX DL2MDU]

6O - Filip, ON4TA visited Somalia for the first time in April and has been back to Galkayo since 3 August. His callsign is 6O0F and he operates as time permits, as this is not a DXpedition. Filip expects to remain there until 15 August. QSL via home call, bureau preferred.

70 - Chris, G4HCL plans to be active as 70/G4HCL from Sana, Yemen from 13 August until early on the 15th. He has "written permission and official authority to operate on all HF amateur bands under

supervised conditions, but warns that it may or may not be possible to obtain the specific documentation that satisfies DXCC requirements". This is a business trip, and Chris will operate (probably on 20 metres SSB only, look between 14170 and 14260 kHz) when time permits, and likely for for short periods at a time. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX 9M6DXX]

8P - Richard, G3RWL will be active as 8P6DR from Barbados (NA-021) from 27 September to 14 October. He plans to operate CW and digital modes on 80-10 metres; he also hopes to take part in the CQ WW DX RTTY Contest (29-30 September). QSL via G3RWL, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards cand be sent to g3rwl@amsat.org). It is worth noting that Richard's policy is: "duplicate QSO means no QSL". [TNX G3RWL] 8Q - Andrew, G7COD will be active for the third time as

8Q - Andrew, G7COD will be active for the third time as 8Q7AK from Embudu, Maldives (AS-013) from 30 September to 12 October. He plans to operate mainly SSB with some CW on 30-12 metres, tipically from 8.30 to 10.30 UTC and from 13 to 15.15 UTC. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G7COD]

9A - Tony, IN3YGW will be active from Rab Island (EU-136) from 25 August to 8 September. He plans to operate SSB and CW on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call (outstanding QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau after a couple of years). [TNX IN3YGW]

9A - Niko, DD1MAT will operate holiday style as 9A/DD1MAT from Dugi Otok (EU-170, CI-018) on 1-15 September. QSL via home call. [TNX DD1MAT]

9A - Francois, ON4LO will be active as 9A/ON4LO from Mali Losinj (EU-136) on 8-28 September. Expect activity on the HF bands as well as on 6 metres. [TNX ON4LO]

9A - Look for 9A/OK1JK, 9A/OK1UXH, 9A/OK1JST and 9A/OK1HWS to be active from Porer Island (EU-110) on 9-14 September. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 metres. QSL via OK1JST. [TNX F5NQL]

9A - Marco, IZ3GNG reports will be active as 9A/IZ3GNG from Primosten, Croatia on 16-19 August and from Brac

Island (EU-016) on 20-23 August. He plans to operate SSB on 40-6 metres.

9A - Marco, IK1ACX reports he will operate from Pag Island (EU-170) on 11-18 August.

9A - Look for 9A60K/p, 9A0LH and 9A7K to be aired from several Croatian islands and lighthouses between 17 and 23 August. During the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend expect activity from Susak Island (EU-136) and lighthouse. QSL for all contacts via 9A7K. Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.9a7k.com">https://www.9a7k.com</a> [TNX 9A7K]

9M2 - Aziz, 9M2AU will operate as 9M50MB on 31 August. This special callsign celebrates the 50th anniversary of Malaysian indipendence. [TNX 9M2AU]

A3 - Ron, ZL1AMO plans to operate holiday style from Lifuka (OC-169), Tonga from 27 August to 16 September. He hopes to have his old callsign (A35EA) renewed. [TNX The Daily DX]

A7 - Bill, NM7H (aka GOMKT and Y19WF) will be back in Qatar from around 1 November until around 5 January.

He will be active again as A7/G0MKT, and will operate primarily CW with some PSK and some SSB on 40-10 metres. If 6m open up and he is available, he will give that a try too. QSL via NM7H, direct or bureau. [TNX NM7H]

BY - A large group of operators will be active as homecall/2 (BY1TT/2, BD1PTA/2, BA3CE/2...) from JuHua Island (AS-151) on 10-12 August. QSL via BD1PTA. [TNX BA3CE]

BY - BD7KLO, BA4ALC, BA4ED and BD4HD will be active from Pingtan

Island (BY5, AS-138) on 23-26 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX BA7NQ]

BY - BG7JSQ expects to go and operate CW only on 10-40 metres from Xiachuan Island (AS-131) on 24-25 August. [TNX BA7NQ]

C6 - Pete/W2GJ (C6APR), Ed/K3IXD (C6AXD) and Randy/K4QO (C6AQO) will be active from Crooked Island (NA-113), Bahamas on 25-29 October. They will operate CW, SSB, and RTTY on 80-6 metres and will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as C6APR. All QSLs via

K3IXD. [TNX K3IXD] CE - XQ1IDM and CE6TBN participate in International Lighthouse/Lightshi p Weekend (18-19 August) as XR1H from Huasco (ARLS Lighthouse CHI-081). They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40-15



Huasco Lighthouse

metres. QSL via HA1AG, direct or bureau. [TNX CE6TBN] CE - The Radio Club Colonia will operate as CV7FARO from Colonia del Sacramento lighthouse (URU-007) on 18-19 August. Then operator will be running three stations on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres, plus UHF/VHF. QSL via CX1FA. [TNX CX3ZAN]

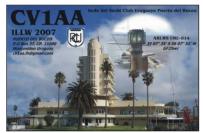
CT - Carlos, CT1CSY and Jose Luis, CT2GZB will participate in the ILLW as CQ7C from the lighthouse at Cabo Carvoeiro (ARLHS POR-006). QSL via CT2GZB, direct or bureau. [TNX CT1END]

CT - The Associacao de Radioamadores do Distrito de Leiria will participate in the ILLW as CQ5N from Nazare Lighthouse (DFP FBL-04). QSL via CT6ARL (direct only). [TNX CT1END]

CT - The Associacao de Radioamadores da Vila de Moscavide will participate in the ILLW signing CT1RVM/p from the lighthouse at Cabo Raso (ARLHS POR-011, DFP FES-04). Expect activity on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB. All of the QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau. [TNX A.R.V.M.]

 ${\sf CX}$  - The Radio Club Uruguayo will be active as  ${\sf CV1AA}$  from Puerto del Buceo - West Breakwater (ARLHS URU-

014) from about 22 UTC on 17 August until about 1 UTC on the 20th. They plan to have at least two stations active on 10-160 metres CW and SSB. QSL direct to Radio Club Uruguayo,



P.O. Box 37, 11000, Montevideo, Uruguay. [TNX CX3AL] DL - A group of about ten operators will be active with three stations (HF CW, HF SSB, VHF SSB) as DF0WFB/lh from Oland/Hallig Island (EU-042) and lighthouse (ARLHS FED-174) on 17-20 August for the ILLW. QSL via DF0WFB (bureau) or direct to DO2OS. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

DL - Marcel, DJ5MS will operate SSB as DJ5MS/p from Helgoland-Duene (EU-127) on 27-29 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

EA - Five special callsigns - namely ANOEB, AN4EB, AN5EB, AN6EB and AN7EB - will be aired between 1 and 16 September for EuroBasket 2007, the Basketball European Championship that will be held in Granada, Sevilla, Palma de Mallorca (Balearic Islands), Alicante and Madrid. QSL for all callsigns via EA4RCH, direct or bureau. Information on the relevant award can be found at <a href="https://www.radioclubhenares.org">www.radioclubhenares.org</a> [TNX EC8AUA]



Medas Islands (EU-078)

EA - A large group of operators (including EA2RC, EA3AGB, EA3CHZ, EA3ESZ, EA3FKX, EA3GHZ, EA3NM, EA5EOR, EB3GGU and EC7AKV) will be active as EG3MED from Meda Gran (EU-078, DIE E-001) on 25-26 August. They will operate CW and SSB from 2 or 3 stations equipped with yagi, dipole and vertical antennas. QSL via EA3GM, direct or bureau. This IOTA group is likely to become a rare one, as the Medas Islands are a "protected area" that will be closed to visitors next year. [TNX EA3GHZ and Mediterraneo DX Club]

EA6 - EA6ZX, EA6AFB, EB6AGX and LU6EPR will be active as ED6URB from the lighthouse De la Mola during the ILLW. They will operate SSB on all bands. QSL direct to EA6ZX. [TNX EA6/LU6EPR]

- EA8 Hans, ON6ZK will be active as EA8/ON6ZK from Tenerife, Canary Islands (AF-004) on 15-22 August. He expects to operate mainly on 20 and 17 metres SSB with 25 watts. QSL via homecall, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]
- EI Celebrating the 75th anniversary of the Irish national society, E1751RTS will be aired on 29-30 September as HQ Station for the CQIR Contest (see below). QSL via E16HB.

EL - Arie Kleingeld (PA3A), Ad van Ginneken (PA8AD), Arie Noordzij (PA3AN) and Henk van Oosterhout (PA3AWW) will be active as 5L2MS from Liberia on 3-24 October. Their goals are to activate this DXCC Entity on 160-10 metres CW and SSB, to raise funds for a charity project in Liberia in cooperation with Mercy Ships, and to support the Liberia Radio Amateur Association (LRAA) with equipment. QSL via PA3AWW, direct or bureau (direct QSL cards can be requested via Internet). Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.liberia2007.com">www.liberia2007.com</a> [TNX PA3AWW]

- F F4ELJ, F5VCR, F0ELI and F0ELK will be active from Ouessant Island (EU-065) on 18-19 August. They will operate on 40 and 20 metres SSB as TM4CR from Creac'h Lighthouse (PB-097, FRA-029) and as TM4ST from Stiff Lighthouse (PB-099, FRA-036). QSLs via F4ELJ. [TNX F4ELJ]
- F The Radio Club de Granville will be active as F5KAQ/p from Tombelaine Island (EU-156, DIFM MA-021) from about 18 UTC on 24 August until about 12 UTC on the 26th, depending on weather and tides. Operations are expected on all bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via F5RJM, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- F Special station TM2HRH will be active on 6-19 August to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Heinrich Rudolf Hertz. QSL via bureau to F6KTN. [TNX F1SIU]
- F Special event call TM8CDX will be aired between 8 and 22 September for the 29th Convention of the Clipperton DX Club, that this year will be held at Puyloubier on 21-22 September (full details at <a href="https://www.cdxc.org/Conventions/2007">www.cdxc.org/Conventions/2007</a>-

<u>Puyloubier/puyloubier2007-e.htm</u>). Al of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau; direct requests should be sent to F5CQ. [TNX F5CQ]

- FG TO1USB is the new callsign for F1JXQ's current activity from Guadeloupe [425DXN 847]. David will remain there until 18 August. QSL via home call.
- FP Members of the Marconi Radio Club of Newfoundland will be active as FP/VO1NA from St. Pierre & Miquelon (NA-032) on 5-7 August. Expect activity on 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via VO1MRC. [TNX The Daily DX1]
- G Charles, MOOXO (<a href="http://charlesm0oxo.piczo.com/">http://charlesm0oxo.piczo.com/</a>) is again active as GB4IPY until 28 August. This is one of the IPY special callsigns celebrating the 4th International Polar Year. [TNX 9A7K]
- GJ A group of operators from the Cambridge University Wireless Society will be active as GH6UW/p from Les Minquiers Islands (EU-099) for 48 hours between 3 and 7 September. QSL via MOBLF, direct or bureau. While on "ordinary" Jersey (EU-013) they will operate as GJ7VJR/p (QSL via G7VJR), MJ0BLF/p (QSL via MOBLF), MJ0TDG/p (QSL via MOTDG) and GJ3ZAY/p (QSL via G3ZAY). [TNX G7VJR]
- GM G3ZAY and M0TDG will be in the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) on 13-17 August and will attempt to visit St Kilda (EU-059) and/or the Flannan Islands (EU-118) for a few hours as GM3ZAY/p and MM0TDG/p. The visits will be subject to weather and availability of transport and activity will only be for a few hours from each location. [TNX G3ZAY]

GM - Glyn, GWOANA will be cruising the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) on 18-28 August. He will be there on holiday with friends and amateur radio activity will be secondary, but "I will try my hardest to activate as many as I can", he says. He also hopes to activate St. Kilda (EU-059). His call will be GMOANA/p and he will operate SSB using an inverted V with battery power from a solar panel. QSL via home call. [TNX GWOANA]

GM - Look for Ed, GM0WED/p and Glenn MM3XUI/p to be active on 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres CW and SSB from North Ronaldsay Island (EU-009) until around 14 UTC on 25 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX GM3VLB]

GM - Jim, MM0BQI will be active as MM0BQI/p from Lunga, Treshnish Isles (EU-108) on 1-3 September. He plans to operate on 80-15 metres all modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

HA - Special event station HG5MISSION through 30 September for the the 5th International Congress for the New Evangelisation, that will take place in Budapest on 15-22 September. QSL via bureau. [TNX HA5GG]

HBO - Giovanni, IZ2DPX and Flavio, IW2NEF will be active as HBO/IZ2DPX and HBO/IW2NEF from Malbun,

Liechtenstein on 1-3 September. They will be QRV on HF as well as 2 metres and possibily 70 MHz. QSL direct or via the bureau. [TNX IZ2DPX]

HB9 - HB9DLO, HB9DWR, HB9HLI, HB9OMI, HB9ONN and HB9AFI will be active as HB9LH during the ILLW. They plan to operate SSB and CW from a couple of Swiss lighthouses (ARLHS SWI-003 and SWI-004). QSL via HB9DLO. [TNX HB9AFI] HC - Marcos, EA1APV will be active as HC1/EA1APV from Cotacachi, Ecuador from 21 September to 20 October. He will operate on a spare time

direct or bureau. [TNX HL1VAU]

basis, as he will be working on a project of international cooperation. QSL via home call. [TNX EA1APV] HL - Chae, HL5YI will be active from Sorok Island (AS-060) for a few days starting on 19 August. He plans to

operate on 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 meters CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX HL5YI] HL - Song/6K2BWA, Lee/DS2GWM, Kwon/DS2GXU, Cho/DS2LLD and Kim/HL2CFY will be active as HL0LPM/3 from Taenanji Island (AS-080) on 19-21 August. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres, using beam antennas and amplifiers. QSL via 6K2BWA,

HR - A team from the Radio Club de Honduras and four operators from the US plan to be active from the rare Swan Island (NA-035) on 23-28 September, weather permitting. A special callsign (HQOS or HQ6S) has been requested. Further information will be published in due course. [TNX HR2J]

I - Marco, IK1RAE (10, 12, 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres) and Max, IZ4JMA (80-6 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31) will be active as IL7/homecall from San Domino (IIA FG-001), Tremiti Islands (EU-050) between 1 and 8-9 September. Depending on local conditions, they might go and operate from other nearby islets. [TNX IK1RAE and IZ4JMA]

I - ARI Frascati members will operate as IIOERN on 14-30 September. The special callsign is for the second edition of the European Researchers' Night, that will take place on the 28th. QSL via operators's instructions. [TNX IZODIB]

I - ARI Spezia and local INORC and ARMi groups will be active as IY1SP/IP1 from Palmaria Island (not IOTA, IIA SP-001) on 20-23 September. Back in 1897 Guglielmo Marconi carried out experiments from the Navy arsenal at Spezia to the island and a few months later Palmaria hosted the first wireless coastal station in Italy. QSL via I1SAF. [TNX I1SAF]

I - Helmut, OE1MHL will be active holiday style as IC8/OE1MHL from Ischia Island (EU-031, IIA NA-001) on 7-12 October. He plans to operate SSB on the HF bands between 5-9 UTC and again between 17-20 UTC. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Logs will be available at <a href="http://www.amrs.at">http://www.amrs.at</a> [TNX OE1MHL]

I - Look for IU1L to be aired again from La Lanterna (ARLHS ITA-177, WAIL LI-005) during the ILLW on 18-19 August. QSL via bureau or direct to ARI Genova, P.O. Box 1117, 16121 Genova - GE, Italy. [TNX IZ1BZS]

I - Operators from ARI Fano and the Adriatic DX Team will be active as IQ6FU/p from Fano Lighthouse (WAIL MA-005, ARLHS ITA-065) during the ILLW. QSL via bureau or direct to P.O. Box 35, 61032 Fano - PU, Italy. [TNX IZ6ASI]

I - Look for I6/IZODIB/p, I6/IZ4IUS/p, IK6YXM/p, IK6YGM/p, IZ6ASI/p, IK6VGO/p, IK6OSZ/p, IK6UBY/p, IK6XOU/p and IK6EFU/p to be active from Senigallia Lighthouse (ARLHS ITA-181, WAIL MA-004) for the ILLW. Expect them to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres. [TNX IZ6ASI]

I - I3EJ, I3LDP, IK3JBP, IK3MZS and IW3ILP will be active as II4GOR from Goro Lighthouse (ITA-073, WAIL ER-007) during the ILLW. They plan to operate SSB and CW on all bands. QSL via IK3MZS, direct or bureau.



Swan Island (NA-035)

#### [TNX I3EJ]

I - Mauro, IK3SCB reports he plans to be active as IK3SCB/ID9 from Lipari Island (EU-017, IIA ME-001) on 18-24 August. QSL via bureau.

I - ARI Frascati will activate special call IYOORP on 11-12 August to commemorate the microwave test carried out by Guglielmo Marconi in 1932 between Capo Figari (Sardinia) and Rocca di Papa (Rome). QSL via IODJV, direct or bureau. [TNX IKOZCW]

I - Fabio, IW1DFU will be active as IA5/IW1DFU from Elba Island (EU-028, IIA LI-001) on 12-31 August. He expects to operate mainly CW on 20 and 30 metres, with some SSB activity on 20 and 40 metres, running 100 watts into vertical and/or dipole antennas. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IW1DFU]

ISO - Stefano, IK5XCT will be active as IM0/IK5XCT from Maddalena Island (EU-041, IIA OT-008) until 13 August. QSL via IK5XCT, direct or bureau (an e-mail request form for bureau cards will be available at <a href="http://www.qsl.net/ik5xct">http://www.qsl.net/ik5xct</a>). [TNX IK5XCT]

ISO - Look for IZ1DSH and IK1WEG to be active from Tavolara Island (EU-165, IIA OT-071) on 12 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 10-40 metres, possibily on 6 metres as well. [TNX IZ1DXS]

ISO - Piero, IZ1CRA reports he will be active mainly on 20 metres from Palau, Sardinia (EU-024) from 26 August to 6 September. QSL via home call, bureau preferred.

J2 - Darko, T95A is on a work assignment in Djibouti and expects to be there for at least one year. He plans on setting up a station in the near future and will be operating as time permits. The callsign J28OO has been issued to him and the QSL route will be via K2PF. [TNX K2PF]

J3 - Gerd, DL7VOG will be active as J3/DL7VOG from Grenada (NA-024) on 27-31 August and then from Carriacou Island in the Grenadines (NA-147) until 16 September. He plans to operate on 160-6 metres CW and RTTY, with some SSB upon request. QSL via homecall, bureau preferred (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to <a href="mailto:qsl@dl7vog.de">qsl@dl7vog.de</a>). [TNX The Daily DX] JA - Look for JI3DST/JI4 and/or JS6RRR/JI4 to be aired from Kasado-shima (AS-117) on 4 August for a few hours (3-8 UTC). QSL via bureau. [TNX JI3DST]

JD1\_mt - Masafumi, JA6GXK expects to be back to Minami Torishima (OC-073) from 27 August to 18 September. He plans to operate CW, SSB, PSK, RTTY and SSTV on 10-80 metres as JD1BMM. [TNX The Daily DX]

KL - Lanny, W5BOS [425DXN 840] arrived at Chignik Lagoon on 1 August at 23 UTC, and the weather was very bad and windy. He has made it to Unavikshak Island (W5BOS/ALO, NA-238), hopefully for a 2-day operation. In his latest report (2 August) he said that "if the wind co-operates I will make my way out to Semidi (W5BOS/KL7, NA-235) by the week-end, if not I will load up and go home". QSL via N6AWD. [TNX WD8MGQ]

KL - Rick, K6VVA plans to be active from Ketchikan, Revillagigedo Island (NA-041) on 7-9 September. It will be a "vacation style" operation primarly CW on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres and for the CW Sprint Contest. QSL via N6AWD. Further information will be available at http://www.k6vva.com/iota/na041 [TNX K6VVA]

LU - The Radio Club Ushuaia will participate in the ILLW from Baliza Escarpados (ARG-081). Look for AY7X on 10, 15,20, 40 and 80 metres CW, SSB and PSK. QSL via WD9EWK. [TNX EA4AAA]

LU - The Digital MDQ DX Group and the Radio Club Mar del Plata (LU2DT) will participate in the ILLW from the lighthouse at Punta Mogotes (ARLHS ARG-005). They plan to operate SSB on 40 and 80 metres, and PSK31 on 10, 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres. QSL to P.O. Box 664, 7600 Mar del Plata, Argentina. [TNX LW3ERT]

LU - Jorge/LU4WG, Pedro/LU7WW and Juan/LU4WP will participate in the ILLW from the lighthouse at Punta Ninfas (ARG-055). They plan to operate SSB, digital modes and possibily CW on 160-10 metres. QSL information at qrz.com. [TNX LU4WG]

OH - Jukka, OH3OJ will be active as OH3OJ/P from Kaurissalo Island (EU-096) from 8 August in the afternoon until 10 August in the late morning. [TNX OH3OJ]

OH - OH1BOI, OH1VL and OH1JJO will be active as OH1AV/2 from Vormo Island (EU-097) on 17-19 August. QSL via OH1BOI, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]



OJO - The Nordic team of OHORJ, OH2BH, OH2PM, SMOW and SM6U will try landing on Market Reef (EU-053) around 16 UTC on 11 August. They may appear on the air on that night as OJOB (QSL via OH2BH) and will operate CW and SSB until 16 August, when (weather

permitting) OH2HAN, OH2MZB and OH2LU will be swapping the operating duties and will air OJ0MI (QSL via OH2HAN). They will focus on RTTY, but also the weekend's lighthouse activity. Expect CW at .025 kHz, and SSB on 3790, 7040, 14190, 18140, 21290 kHz. Over the lighthouse weekend 14250-14260 kHz will be used. The Finnish Lighthouse Society has been active repairing the lighthouse for this summer and you may wish to follow their activities which include daily reporting and interesting general details

(http://www.lighthousesociety.fi/eng/). If you are a stamp collector or wish to receive your QSL card with unique Market Reef stamps, you may send SASE with 7,00 euros (10 USD) as your donation to the Finnish Lighthouse Society through respective QSL managers. [TNX OH2BN]

ON - Special callsign ON4WAR will be aired on 1-2 September as a tribute to the Belgian resistance during World War II. QSL via ON7RY. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

OX - Roland, HB9FMD will be active as OX/HB9FMD from Ilulissat, Greenland on 17-27 August. He plans to operate mainly CW on the WARC bands. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

OX - Johan, PA3EXX [425DXN 821] confirms he will be active from Rathbone Island (NA-243, new one) next week. He will operate as OX/PA3EXX/p between 19 and 23 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

OZ - Ric, DL2VFR will be active as OZ/DL2VFR from Romo Island (EU-125) from 26 August to 1 September. He plans to operate on all HF bands, mostly CW. QSL via home call. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

OZ - Ric, DL2VFR will be active as OZ/DL2VFR from Romo Island (EU-125) from 26 August to 1 September. He will operate mostly CW on 40-10 metres, and will concentrate on working Japan, the Far East and North America on 40 and 30 metres between 19 and 22 UTC. QSL via homecall through the DARC bureau. [TNX DI 2VEP]

OZ - Stefan, DF8HS will operate SSB, PSK31 and RTTY as OZ/DF8HS from Samso Island (EU-172) from 26 August to 8 September. QSL via home call. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

P4 - Bob, W3BTX (P49T) and Roy, W3TEF will operate on 160-6 metres as P41USA from Aruba between 1 and 15 September. The special callsign marks the anniversary of the tragic events occured on 11 September 2001. QSL via W3TEF, direct or bureau. [TNX W3BTX]

PJ2 - Nigel, G3TXF reports he plans to operate as PJ2G in the Worked All Europe (WAE) CW Contest (11-12 August) from the Caribbean Contesting Consortium station on Curacao (SA-006), Netherlands Antilles. QSL via G3TXF.

SM - Hans, SMOBYD and others will be active as 7SOSFJ for the ILLW. They will operate CW and SSB on 80, 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres from the Museum Lightship Finngrundet (SWE-043) in Stockholm. QSL via SMOBYD, bureau preferred. [TNX SMOBYD]

SM - Jorgen/SM3CXS, Classe/SM3GSK, Staffan/SM3JGG, Sten/SM3NXS and Anders/SM3XGV will be active from Grimskar Island (EU-176) from about 17 UTC on 24 August until about 12 UTC on the 26th. Expect them to be signing SD3N (QSL via SM3NXS, bureau or direct) and SG3U (QSL via SM3CXS, bureau or direct) on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. [TNX SM3CXS]

SM - DL5ME and DG3HWO will be active as SD7ME from Oland Island (EU-037) on 6-11 September. They will operate CW and SSB on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL route at qrz.com under SD7ME. [TNX DL5ME]

SP - A group of operators from the Radio Club SP9PZU will be active as SN10IPA from 26 August to 16 September to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the foundation of the IPA (International Police Association) Slesian Provincial Group. QSL via SP9PZU (bureau) or SQ9ZM (direct). [TNX SQ9IWT]

SP - Look for SN2NP to be aired from a lighthouse at Gdansk Nowy Portn on 17-19 August. QSL via SP2BIK, direct or bureau. [TNX SP2BIK]

SP - SP5VYI, SP5X, SP5IUK and SP5GRU will operate special station 3Z90ZIM until 30 September to celebrate

the 90th anniversary of scouting in Przasnysz. QSL via SP5ZIM or SP5X. [TNX RA3AUM]

SU - Gab, HA3JB (<a href="http://www.qsl.net/ha3jb">http://www.qsl.net/ha3jb</a>) will be active as SU8BHI from Cairo, Egypt from 21 September to 30 November. He plans to operate CW, RTTY, SSTV, PSK and some SSB, and to participate in the CQ WW DX RTTY and CW contests. OSL via home call. [TNX HA3JB] SV - Geza, HA4XG will be active (on the HF bands plus 6 and 2 metres) from Greece between 31 August and 14 September. First he will operate as either J48XG and SV8/HA4XG from Corfu/Kerkyra Island (EU-052) from 31 August to 6 September. On 1-2 September he will take part in the IARU VHF Contest. Then he will move to Amaliapoli, on the mainland Thessalia, and be active as J44XG and SV4/HA4XG on 7-14 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]

SV - Gianni, IZ7FLP will operate SSB as SV8/IZ7FLP from Zakynthos (EU-052) on 18-25 August. QSL via home call. [TNX IZ3EBA]

SV - Vito, I3BQC will be active from Limnos Island (EU-049) on 9-26 September. [TNX I3BQC]

SV5 - Alberto, IW1RLF will operate as SV5/IW1RLF from Rhodes (EU-001) on 10-17 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IW1RLF]

SV9 - Dick, G3URA will operate mostly CW as SV9/G3URA from Crete (EU-015) from 27 August to 4 September. He will participate in the Russian RTTY Contest (1-2 September) as J49X. QSL via G3URA, direct or bureau. [TNX ARRL DX BUlletin]

SV9 - Ghis, ON5NT reports he will be active holiday style as SV9/ON5NT from Crete on 16-23 August. QSL via home call.

T3 - Toshi, JA8BMK will be active as T31XX from Kanton Island, Central Kiribati (OC-043) for about a couple of weeks in late October. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. He expects to leave Japan for T30 (via Fiji) in September, and to reach T31 one week after leaving T30 in mid-October. He might also visit Banaba Island and operate as T33ZZ, before or after the T31 activity. Toshi is looking for other operators who may join him and share the expenses (his e-mail address can be found at <a href="https://www.grz.com">www.grz.com</a> under JA8BMK). [TNX NG3K]

T32 - Gordon West, WB6NOA is expected to operate as T32GW from Fanning Island (OC-084), East Kiribati between 24 August and 3 September. This is not a DXpedition, and Gordon will be QRV in his spare time, "as long as power is available". QSL via WB6NOA. [TNX The Daily DX]

TA - TA1HZ will be active again as TC25SG [425DXN

844] on 27-31 August. He expects to operate SSB on 17, 20 and 40 metres. The special callsign celebrates the 25th anniversary of the foundation of the Turkish Coast Guard. QSL via home call. [TNX TA1HZ]

TA - TA1FR and TA1HZ will operate as TC1LHW from Karaburun Lighthouse (TUR-036) during the ILLW. QSL via TA1FR. [TNX TA1HZ]

TA - Bekir, TA2RX will participate in the ILLW signing TC4LHW from the Gelidonia Lighthouse in Antalya,

Turkey. This will be a QRP operation, as he will have to carry the equipment and walk a couple of miles to get to the lighthouse. [TNX TA2RX]

TK - Wolfgang, DL1DVP and Mike, DL3VTA will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31/63 as TK/DL1DVP and TK/DL3VTA from Corsica (EU-014) on 7-14 October. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX DL3VTA]

UA - Victor, RN1NU (RI1NU) and Roman, RN1NGJ will be active as homecall/1 from a few islands (not IOTA) located in Lake Onega between 10 and 13 August. Vasily, RU3SD and Serge, RA3RGQ expect to join them on the 13th. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX RN1NGJ]

Vlad/RV1CC, Yuri/RA0FU, UA Serge/UA1ANA, Olea/UR3IFD. Victor/RV2FW. Valery/UA0ZC. Serge/UA0ZAZ, Alex/UA0ZCC and Elena/RV3ACA planned to be active as RK1B/0 from Bering Island (AS-039) on 9-14 August. Now it seems that the island operation has been cancelled because of transportation problems. QSL via RV1CC. They have a webpage at http://www.rv3aca.ru/as039/

UA - Special callsign UE4CGT will be aired on 6-7 August from the place (RDA SA-35) where Russian cosmonaut Gherman S. Titov (1935-2000) landed 46 years ago. On 6 August 1961, he was the second man to orbit Earth; the Vostok 2 mission lasted for 25.3h and accomplished 17 earth orbits. QSL via UA4CDV. [TNX RW6HKF]

UA - Vasily/RU3SD and Alexey/UA3SGQ will be active as UE3SFF/1 from various natural reserves on 6-8 August. QSL via RU3SD, direct or bureau. [TNX UA3FDX]

UA - Nick/UE1SNA (RA1QQ), Alexey/RA1QY and Dmitriy/RN3GM plan to operate as homecall/1 from several Russian islands in the EU-162 IOTA group on 9-14 August. QSL via home calls. When operating from a lighthouse, they will be using UE1RLH/1 (QSL via RA1QY). [TNX RA1QY]

UA - Jack/RW3QC, Valery/RZ6AU, Yuri/RU6UR and Alexander/RA6UF will be active as UE6UFO from the Kharabalinsky district (RDA AO-16) and a few inland islands

(http://www.hamradio.ru/rrc/AWARDS/riia\_e.htm) on 20-27 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40, 20 and 15 metres. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX RV6LFE]

UR - Look for UR7GO/p and UR7GW/p to be active from the Sybjrski Islands (BS-15 for the Ukrainian Islands Award) on 4-5 August. [TNX UW0ZZ]

VE - Linda, VE9GLF and Len, VE9MY will be active from Orleans Island (NA-128, CISA QC-007) on 2-3 September. Operation will be mobile with 100 watts on 20 and 40 metres, after 18 UTC depending on band conditions. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to <a href="mailto:ve9my@rac.ca">ve9my@rac.ca</a>). [TNX VE9MY]

VE - George, K3GV will be active as K3GV/VY2 from Prince Edward Island (NA-029) on 2-15 September. Activity will be on 15 and 20 metres around the usual IOTA frequencies. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX K3GV]

VE - Juergen, DL7RV will be active as VO2/NF6J from Battle Island (NA-044) on 6-13 September. QSL via DL7RV. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

VK - Nobi, JA1JCF might be active as VK4JCF from Horn Island (OC-138) from 31 August to 2 September. "This activation is not very certain", he says, as "there may be unknown local difficulties at the planned QTH". If he can be QRV, expect activity on 30, 20 and 17 metres CW. QSL via home call, direct or through the JARL bureau. [TNX

www.islandchaser.com]

VK9W - George, AA7JV (VK2NU) and Tomi, HA7RY plan to be active as VK9WWI from the Willis Islands (OC-007) between 24 Septmber and 4 October, depending on weather. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX The Daily DX]

VK - Steve, GOUIH will be active again as VK2IAY/4 from a couple of Australian IOTA groups between mid-



December and mid-January. Look for him to operate from Great Keppel Island (OC-142) on 16-22 December and from South Molle (OC-160) on 7-11 January. As with his previous DXpeditions, activity will be centered around 14260, with the possibility of 15 and 17 metres also. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Steve's website is at <a href="http://www.percy.me.uk">http://www.percy.me.uk</a> [TNX GOUIH]

VP5 - W1AI reports he will be active as VP5/W1AI from Providenciales (NA-002), Turks & Caicos Islands on 1-8 September. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres. QSL via home call.

VP8\_fal- Don, VP8ON and others plan to operate again as VP8LGT from Cape Pembroke Lighthouse (FAL 001) near Stanley, Falkland Islands (SA-002) for the ILLW. QSL via VP8ON. [TNX VP8ON]

VU - Celebrating the 60th anniversary Indian Independence, members of the National Institute of Amateur Radio in Hyderabad will be active as AT60MY until 17 November. QSL via VU2NRO. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]

W - Jeff, VA3QSL will operate holiday style as VA3QSL/W4 from either Chincoteague Island (NA-083) and Assateague Island (NA-139) between 27 and 31 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

W - Rich, K3RWN will be operating from Isle of Palms (NA-110) on 1-7 September. Look for him on 10-40 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via K3RWN. [TNX The Daily DX]



W - A large group of operators from the Tennessee Valley DX Association (www.tvdxa.com) namely N4HL, WA4RMC, AD4F, WA4NFO. W4KRY. AB4GG. WA4IVO, KOMAI, K2NAN, WA4AA, KB3PGU. K4VCM. W4FOA and KI4MPK - will be active as N4R from Folly Island (NA-110) from about 23 UTC on

22 September until sometime in the morning of the 29th. The group will use 100 watt transceivers and plan to be active on 10-80 metres (SSB, CW and digital modes) and 6 metres (SSB and CW). QSL via K4KWK, direct or bureau. [TNX WA4AA]

W - Dave, W4SAR and Joe, K4SAR will be active as W4SAR/p from Chincoteague Island (NA-083) on 12-24 August. Sporadic operations are expected on 6m SSB, 20m SSB and 20m PSK31. QSL direct to W4SAR. [TNX VA3RJ]

W - Members of the Old Barney ARC (http://www.obarc.org) will be operating as W2T from the Tucker'Island Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-911, http://www.tuckertonseaport.org) on 18 August from about 13 UTC through 21 UTC. QSL via N2OO. [TNX N2OO]

W - The Englewood Amateur Radio Society plans to operate as K80NV from the Boca Grande Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-910) on Gasparilla Island (NA-069) on 18-19 August for the ILLW. [TNX VA3RJ]

W - The Greater Norwalk Amateur Radio Club will be active as N1EV from Sheffield Island (NA-136) and lighthouse (ARLHS USA-753) on 18-19 August for the ILLW. [TNX VA3RJ]

W - Once more Bob, W2IK will operate special event station W2IK/WTC911 on 11 September in memory of those who lost their lives during the World Trade Center disaster. Expect activity on the upper portions of 15, 20 and 40 metres SSB between 13 and 3 UTC. W2IK was the first callsign to be aired from Ground Zero (read the story at <a href="http://hometown.aol.com/realhamradio/">http://hometown.aol.com/realhamradio/</a>). Special QSL certificate via home call. [TNX W2IK]

W - Members of the Old Barney ARC (http://www.obarc.org) will be operating as N2OB from "Old Barney", the Barnegat Lighthouse (USA-039) on Long Beach Island (NA-111, USI NJ-001S) on 4 August from about 13 UTC through 21 UTC. Expect activity on 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via N2OB. [TNX N2OO]

W - Cory, N1URA - along with KB1IRZ, W1IF, W1SK and W1ZW - will be active from Seguin Island (NA-137) and lighthouse on 11-12 August.Theirs will be a QRP operation with CW stations using 5 watts and SSB stations using 10 watts. QSL direct to N1URA. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

XX9 - Hide, JM1LJS plans to be active again as XX9TJS from Macau, hopefully from about 9 UTC on 10 August until about 11 UTC on the 13th. Expect him to operate SSB and CW on 80-10 metres. QSL direct to JM1LJS. [TNX The Daily DX]

YV - The Association of Radioamateurs of Venezuela and the Grupo DX Caracas will be active as YW5AS from Las Aves Islands (SA-051) [425DXN 847] on 27-31 August. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on the HF bands, plus VHF FM. QSL via DL3AMA. [TNX YV5EED]

Z3 - Special callsign Z360M will be used through the end of the year to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Radio Club Nikola Tesla (Z37M, formerly Z30M) in Stip, Macedonia. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

ZD9 - Brian, ZD9BCB is now expected to leave the SANAP weather station at Gough Island (AF-030) around 14 September, a couple of weeks later than planned. According to his QSL manager, Brian is likely to be found this Sunday on 14315 kHz at 17.30. QSL SQ8AQD, direct only. [TNX SQ8AQD]

ZL7 - Jacek/SP5EAQ, Wojciech/SP9PT, Marek/SP9BQJ and Jozef/SP9-31029 plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY as ZL7/SP5EAQ, ZL7/SP9PT and ZL7/SP9BQJ from the Chatham Islands (OC-038) on 5-18 October. QSL via home calls. [TNX SP5EAQ]

MONTENEGRO & SERBIA I K6MYC, N6TQS, I2MQP, JA1BK and UT5UT will travel to Montenegro and Serbia next month. On 17-21 September they will operate as 4O1AO and 4O1M from the QTH of Gojko (YU6AO); on 21-23 September they will be at the World HST Championship (Belgrade), then they will go and operate as YT5A from the station of Hrane, YT1AD until the 26th. Expect activity on all the HF bands plus 2 and 6 metres on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV and EME. [TNX I2MQP]

ILLW & IOTA I The ILLW guidelines require that the station must be "at" or "adjacent" to the light. Adjacent means next to or as close as possible in the field next door. Rules about 'line of sight' or 'within 1000m' do not apply to this event. Several stations participating in the International Lighthouse/Lighthsip Weekend (18-19 August) will be operating from IOTA islands: just to name a few, 7S6LGT (EU-043), 7S6TL (EU-043), 8S6LGT (EU-043), 8S6LL (EU-043), CU8AS (EU-089), GB1SL (EU-124), GC4BRS/p (EU-124), LA1G (EU-061), SK2AU (EU-135), VK2LSB/4 (OC-137), VK3ILH/7 (OC-233), ZS1RBI (AF-064). Check <a href="http://illw.net/2007\_list.htm">http://illw.net/2007\_list.htm</a> for the announced operations listing including QSL routes.

PACIFIC TRIP I Ulli, DL2AH will be active (on 40-10 metres SSB and RTTY) from Niue (ZK2) from 29 September to 12 October, from the Chatham Islands (ZL7/DL2AH) on 16-30 October and then from Norfolk Island (VK9ANH) on 1-14 November. [TNX DL2AH]

## **GOOD TO KNOW**

ARCTIC CHALLENGE I The French Polar Team has announced a new programme called "The Arctic Challenge" for working amateur radio stations from the Arctic. Full details are available at <a href="https://f6kdf.ath.cx/f5nod/">https://f6kdf.ath.cx/f5nod/</a> [TNX F5NOD]

BOSNI A-HERZEGOVI NA I
The ITU has granted a
request from the Ministry of
Communications and
Transport of Bosnia and
Herzegovina (BiH) to replace



T9A-T9Z with E7A-E7Z. According to IARU Secretary David Sumner, K1ZZ, "While it probably will take some time for the BiH administration to implement this change, it should put to an end the use of call signs outside the ITU-allocated call sign block by stations in parts of BiH." The new prefix will be implemented "probably later this year," Sumner said. [TNX www.arrl.org]



CQI-IRELAND CALLING I The Irish Radio Transmitters Society celebrates its 75th anniversary this year and invites all radio amateurs to take part in CQIR - a once-off contest. Anyone with 75 or more QSOs logged has the chance to win a free trip to Ireland

(travel and accommodation included) for two people for one week. CQIR takes place on 29-30 September from 12 UTC to 12 UTC. Rules at <a href="http://www.irts.ie/cgi/cqir.cgi">http://www.irts.ie/cgi/cqir.cgi</a> [TNX EI5DI]

DPOMSM I This is the official callsign of the amateur radio club station on board the "Maria S. Merian", a German research vessel that is currently voyaging from Longyearyben (Svalbard) to Kiel (Germany). The crew includes four licenced amateurs (Frank/DJ3FR, Martin/DL7ARY, Hermann/DH1HP and Steffen/DF1MSM). DPOMSM can be used only when the ship is outside the 12-mile belt of territorial waters, otherwise the crew members have to use their personal callsigns /mm. The QSL cards for DPOMSM can be sent through the DARC bureau. [TNX DL5EBE]

DXCC NEWS I J5UAR (Guinea-Bissau, 2007 operation) has been accepted for DXCC credit. Those who had cards rejected for this operation, can send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:dxcc@arrl.org">dxcc@arrl.org</a> and they will be placed on the list for update. [TNX NC1L]

ILLW I This year the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend, organized and managed by the Ayr Amateur Radio Group, will take place from from 00.01 UTC on 18 August until 23.59 UTC on the 19th. Full information on this popular event can be found at <a href="http://illw.net/2007\_list.htm">http://illw.net/2007\_list.htm</a>

MEMORIAL UA41F I Special callsigns R100AK and R100IF (QSL for both via RW4HB, direct or bureau) are being used to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the birth of amateur radio veteran Alexander Kamalagin, UA41F. Information on the relevant award can be found

http://www.samaraham.ru/main.php?d=awards/ua4if\_memory\_eng. [TNX RA4HT]

NCDXC I Recently the Northern California DX Club (NCDXC) elected the following officers for the 2007/2008

vear: Eisenberg/K6YP (President): Risto Kotalampi/W6RK (Vice President); Craig Bradley/AE6RR (Secretary); Steve Jones/N6SJ (Treasurer); Phil Steffora/K6PTS Editor); (DXer Risto . Kotalampi/W6RK (Webmaster): Kolovson/W6RQ, Curt lim Abraham/W6EB and Dewey



Churchill/KG6AM (Directors). The Northern California DX Club was the sponsor of this year's highly successful Visalia DX Convention. The club is continuing the theme of the convention ("Elmering New DXers is Job #1) with presentations oriented to new DXers at the club meetings in addition to the periodic DXpedition talks. Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.ncdxc.org">https://www.ncdxc.org</a> [TNX AE6RR]

NOT THE MANAGER I Please note that Pepe, EA5KB is the QSL manager for CX2AM, but \*not\* for Gus' recent IOTA activity as HP2/CX2AM (NA-170). The correct QSL route for that operation, as well as for HP2/CX3AN and HP2/CX4CR, is via CX2AM himself, direct (Gustavo Asdrubal Frontini Acosta, Camino Ariel 4637 A Sayago, Montevideo, Uruguay) or bureau.

OJOB I The OJOB (Market Reef) operation blog, featuring several nice pictures, can be found at <a href="https://www.smow.com">www.smow.com</a>

OPERATORS NEEDED FOR TI9 I A DXpedition to Cocos Island (NA-012) is being organized to take place for six days in February 2008. SSB, CW and digimode operators are being sought; details can be found at <a href="https://www.ti9.eu.com">www.ti9.eu.com</a> and <a href="https://www.qsl.net/ti2hmg/cocos.htm">www.qsl.net/ti2hmg/cocos.htm</a>. [TNX DH8WR]

QSL 5X4A & 5X4B I Tom, DL8AAM says that "a great part" of the original paper logs went lost during the civil war in northern Uganda, where 5X4A and 5X4B were located. Tom has a large box of QSL requests he is not able to reply to, and, after ten years, there is not much hope to retrieve those logs.

QSL OX/OH1RX I Jouko was active from Greenland on 20-25 July and requests cards to be sent "via buro only" (no direct nor eQSL please).

QSL PY5EG I After more than ten years, Mac/W3HC is no longer the QSL manager for Atilano de Oms, PY5EG (aka PY2OMS, ZW5B, PS2T). The new QSL route for all of his callsigns and operations is via K3IRV (Irv McWherter, 11910 Coronada PI, Kensington, MD 20895-2323, USA). [TNX K3IRV]

QSL RA1QKI/1 & UA1QV/1 I Direct cards for either RA1QKI/1 and UA1QV/1 should be sent to UA1QV's address: Mike S. Koutjumov, P.O. Box 23, Vologda 160000, Russia.

QSL TM7A I Please note that F8BBL is the QSL manager only for the operation that took place in May 2003 from Banc d'Arguin (EU-159). The callsign was reissued and used again from 24 February to 9 March 2007. The QSL routes for contacts made this year are via F5RPB (bureau) and F5PSC (direct). [TNX F5NQL]

QSL V51AS I Frank Steinhauser, V51AS reports he has a new maildrop address: Heinrich-Heine-Strsse 35, 72555 Metzingen, Germany (the Olching address apparently is no longer valid). [TNX K1XN and The Golist]

QSL VK9DNX I Mario, DJ2MX reports that the last batch of direct QSL cards has been mailed out. He is now going to process the requests received via OQRS (the Online OSL Request System, http://www.df3cb.com/vk9dnx/), followed by bureau cards. Those who still need a direct cards please note that 3 USD or 1 IRC are sufficient for return postage to destinations outside Europe.

QSL YC5XIP I Fulvio. I1WFF is still able to confirm contacts made by Syafry, YC5XIP from the following

IOTA groups:

OC-106 11, 12, 23, 24, 27 October 1997: 28 November 1997; 6 September 1998; 23-25 October 1998

OC-107 5-11 April 2000

OC-109 2-4 October 1997. 30 - 31October 1998, 1-2 November 1998 Fulvio contact at fulvio.i1wff@alice.it before sending your direct request. [TNX I1WFF]

QSL YU6AO I Acim, YT3W reports that all of the direct cards for YU6AO received between 29 January and 25 July were processed and mailed on 27 July (about 500 envelopes).

QSL VIA IK2DUW I Antonello reports he received the latest log for Pino, ZP4KFX on 1 August. It includes QSOs made from January 2006 onwards.

QSL VIA LZ1JZ I QSL cards for contacts made with LZ/G4EDG St. Ivan Island (EU-181, 19-23 June 2007) should be sent to LZ1JJZ (Tony Stefanov, P.O Box 43 Harmanli 6450, Bulgaria). The operators Steve/G4EDG, Vasil/LZ1CL and Tony himself. LZ1JZ is



the QSL manager also for DU1LWQ, FK8DD, LZ1KSP, LZ7J, OA4DKC, OA4SI. P29K, SV1/LZ1JZ, TF1VG, TF60VG and TX1A. [TNX LZ1JZ]

ROCKALL 2008 I A team being assebled for another attempt at operating from Rockall (EU-189) for a couple of days in 2008. Current June operators include MMONDX, EC3ADC DD1MAT, and

EC2ADN. Further information will be available at http://eu189.bravehost.com/ [TNX 4X4-2238]

ST2A QRT I Jovica's (T98A, ex-T94FC) assignment in Sudan has come to an end. During the past two years he operated as STORM and ST2A, and made 40,660 QSOs (35,012 CW, 3386 SSB, 2249 RTTY and 13 PSK31), including 843 QSOs on 160m, 3916 on 80m and 585 on 6m. A few pictures illustrating living and working conditions in Sudanese desert environment are available at <a href="http://www.t93y.com/st2a">http://www.t93y.com/st2a</a> His new assignement with (United Nations High Commissioner UNHCR Refugees) is in Dakar, Senegal and will start on 1 September. Jovica's work area covers the whole West

Africa and he hopes to activate most of countries in the region. Information about amateur radio activities will follow in due course. [TNX T93Y]

TU2/F5LDY I Jean-Luc, F5LDY is expected to go QRT from Ivory Coast on 25 August, after more than 20,000 QSOs. On-line logs and pictures can be found at http://f5kee.free.fr/. QSL via F1CGN, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

YO DX CONTEST I The Romanian Amateur Radio Federation (FRR) invites radio amateurs worldwide to participate in the annual YO DX HF Contest, which will be held on 25-26 August from 12 UTC to 12 UTC. Full rules available http://www.radioamator.ro/contest/us/yodxhf2007rules. html [TNX YO2DFA]

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WRTC 2010 | The selection criteria for the next World Radio Team Championship, to be held in Russia, can be

found at <a href="http://www.wrtc.info/">http://www.wrtc.info/</a>

#### SILENT KEY

I Dick Wolf, N6FF (formerly known as KL7H) passed away on 1 August at 68 years of age. The "top West Coast topbander", says W6PBI, "he traveled on many DXpeditions and gave many topbanders a new one". He was also the QSL manager for a number of stations, of them available on http://www.n6ff.net/).

I Sigi Kleine, DL3AMA passed away unexpectedly on 14 August at 66 years of age. Please note that he was to be the QSL manager for the 27-31 August YW5AS IOTA operation from SA-051; the new QSL manager is DM4TI.

# NEWS FROM THE WEB

LOGS I The Team Botswana log search is now up and running at http://www.tdxs.net/A2.html. It includes the logs for A25CF, A25DW, A25HQ (IRAU Contest), A25KDJ, A25OOK and A25SL. EME logs for A25HL may be added later, as Hal kept only paper logs.

LOGS | On-line logs for the July 2007 1A0KM activity are available at www.pagus.it/1a0km [TNX I8NHJ]

latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listinas are now available http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. Please send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@ari.it)

#### 70/G4HCL

The following report was posted by Steve Telenius-Lowe, 9M6DXX on 16 August and it is reprinted here with his permission.

Chris Lorek, G4HCL, is back home after his business trip to Yemen. He sent me a long e-mail just after he got back and, with his permission, I'm copying it below as I think it makes interesting reading.

Steve, just landed home, poured myself a beer (got to get the priorities sorted first!), not even thought of unpacking yet. Many thanks for your help and assistance over the last few days, it was much appreciated. I did go on 14333 TX/RX yesterday at 10.00 and 13.00 GMT and put a few calls out on the hour until around 5 mins past, before going back to 14215 TX, but no takers whatsover on 14333. As well as listening to the cacophony on my two listening frequencies of 14210 and 14220 (adjacent channels on the radio) I also programmed in 14215 TX and 14333 RX on the next channel. G4PWA (copying me 33, copied him 58 around 14.40 local 11.40 GMT) and a little later G00IL (59 both ways at 15.37 local 12.37 GMT) made it on the 2nd day on my 14210/14220 RX, so there was a path to the UK, but no callers whatsoever audible on 14333.

Now then, another favour! Do you know who it is to contact at ARRL regarding DXCC accreditation, or should I just give them a ring and ask to speak to the appropriate person / section? What I have is not a 'Ministry of Communication' document, but instead an 'authority'. It states that I have been authorised to use the HF equipment at Sana'a International Airport on the HF amateur bands between 13th and 15th August 2007 and that I should use the callsign 70/G4HCL. It is on the headed paper of the aircraft authority and signed by Mr Walid Hamed, Communications Manager, and stamped in red with their official stamp.

So I can only try! Again, if you'd like to publicise the above please feel free do do so as I'm sure many people will be wondering whether any permission or authority was indeed present. Maybe public support could even go some way to persuading the DXCC desk to accept it?

Attached is a camera-phone photo of the antenna I was using, a HF biconical (plus massive radial ground mat). As you may see it's rather a big thing! Many amateurs probably don't know what one of these things is, basically a wide band loss-free (i.e. no traps) professional HF omni. It's fed with LDF450 Heliax from the air-conditioned rack-mounted equipment site from where the photo was taken, which housed the rack-mounted Codan 9360 125W transceiver I was using, fed into a rack-mounted Transworld Radio 1000W linear amplifier system. I used it locally on the 2nd day, on the 1st day I used it remotely from the airport's Operation Control Centre a few km away under landline control. The antenna's not just a bit of wire or a simple trapped dipole as some amateurs have possibly thought, no excuses whatsoever in terms of poor antennas or TX power at my end! If I was weak in some areas that was down to propagation rather than anything else. Incidentally as part of my visit I fully checked the biconical antenna both physically and with an AIM4170 Antenna Analyser.

I must say it was a lot easier the 2nd day as I didn't have all the other comms in the Control Centre to contend with, all set to max volume with the operators shouting into the mics. Why they don't use headsets is something I'll just have



to accept; adacent operators just turn their own RX volume way up so they can hear it over the the adjacent operator's RX, and believe the louder they shout the better they can be heard at the distant end! I often had my ear right next to the remote control speaker - wish I could have had some headphones to plug in to the front panel socket!

As few on-air problems I contended with, as well as being a totally 'raw' pile-up operator on the receiving end;

- 1) Many stations, despite repeated announcements by myself on 14215 that I could only listen EXACTLY 5.0 kHz above and below due to equipment limitations, persisted in calling a little off frequency to 'get in with a chance'. A few were extremely strong but unreadable as off-frequency, I could sometimes get a few letters etc. and asked them to call at exactly 210 or 220 as appropriate but they ignored this and persisted in calling off-frequency, which spoiled everyone else's chances while they were QRMing.
- 2) The 'guarantee' operators, i.e. work the station once then work him again to make sure. One 59PA station I had to tell no less than three times that he was already in my log at 59, he just kept calling. I'm sure you're well familiar with this, but it's much more of a pity here though as with my very limited time on air it prevented others having a contact during that time.
- 3) The 'constant carriers' for several minutes at a time, i.e. if I can't or don't want to work him then I'll make sure others have a hard time.
- 4) Another minor bone of contention was, even though I'd given the guy's callsign in phonetics, and "thank you for my 5 by x", then his report, was "please confirm my callsign" which again wasted time. OK they were making sure, or maybe they didn't hear me giving their callsign in phonetics, but I'm sure most were just making sure as they probably knew or guessed I was a 'raw' operator. Mind you, I usually had to try several times to get a guy's full callsign due to others QRMing after I repeatedly requested "only the DK2P? please go ahead" or whatever, but it was only when I got a full callsign that they got a report from me.
- 5) The persistant 'two letter' callers; most callers realised I only responded to full callsigns. I suppose it's a matter of personal choice but in this instance I quickly found that I didn't want to proceed with 'the EM station go ahead' as very, very few bothered to comply and the cacophony continued, whilst 'the JE1E station please confirm your callsign' route tended to result in a bit more of a quieter RX frequency for a few seconds at least.

Anyway that's a load off my chest but again I'm sure you've heard all this before! If I was on for, say, a week at 8 or more hours a day I'd have no problems with the above, it's just a pity that my operation time was so limited and many other's didn't get a contact because of the above."

#### Five Star DXers Association I St. Brandon DXpedition Bulletin No. 6, 27 August 2007

The 3B7C St.Brandon Island expedition is getting close, with the advance party of Neville G3NUG, Don G3BJ and Don G3XTT flying out this Friday 31st August. On arrival they will supervise the unloading of the shipping container (6 tons of gear) onto the Sainte Rita, a converted trawler which will take equipment and team the 24 hour crossing to Isle du Sud. The generators (six of 5kW capacity each) have already been taken out to the island by the regular supply vessel.

The remainder of the team arrives Monday 3rd September and will board the ship immediately, ready for sailing. We expect to arrive on Isle du Sud on 4th September, but operations are not expected to commence



until midnight UTC on Friday 7th September, by which time all stations and antennas will have been assembled. However, the 6m beacon on 50.090MHz will be activated at the earliest opportunity so that 6m DXers can start to monitor for possible openings.

#### **TEAM MEMBERS**

We are delighted that Michel FM5CD has joined the 3B7C team, bringing us up full strength with 20 operators, enough to man all operating positions whenever the bands are open.

#### QSLing

Bureau cards can be requested via the webpage. The QSL Manager is Neville G3NUG (qrz.com for address) but please note that we don't need cards for individual contacts - a listing in log order is best.

#### ONLINE LOGS AND CONTACT WITH 3B7C

Other than our radio gear, contact with the outside world is limited to an Iridium satphone which will be used primarily for uploading logs on a daily basis.

The online log lookup, reached via the 3b7c.com website, breaks new ground because it will feature a lookup for your zone, showing what times you, or others in your zone, have made contact with 3B7C on each band. If you have not worked 3B7C at all, just enter your country prefix for the data to show both country data (if available) and zone data. If you have worked 3B7C on one or more bands, put your call into the search engine for confirmation that you are in the log, and also for the data on best times to work 3B7C on the other bands. Note that this information is not "predicted" but rather derived by analysing all the QSOs in 3B7C's current log. To make it more fun, the search facility also shows you which operator you have worked on each band.

Ahead of this real-time data, team member Eric K3NA has prepared some detailed propagation forecasts which can be found on the webpage.

If you have any feedback for the team, it can be emailed to <a href="mailto:3b7c@g3wgv.com">3b7c@g3wgv.com</a>. Messages will be read by John G3WGV in the UK and a daily digest of key information sent by him to the island to help with the planning of operating schedules, etc. Please do not expect John to engage in detailed correspondence - his task is merely to pass information on to the team. Any significant news from the island will be mailed to John who will upload it to the 3B7C web site as required.

#### 3B7C Web Page: http://3b7c.com

The website also features a leaderboard which shows the top 100 band/mode slot DXers. There are 38 potential slots. No prizes this time, just have fun.

We look forward to working you from 3B7, on many bands and modes! We will, as promised previously, ensure that towards the end of the expedition we spend time operating CW at lower speeds for the benefit of those who are new to the mode.

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# **QSL ROUTES**

From 425 DX News # 848

From 425 DX News # 850

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2E0PLA	N2RJ (a)	GW0VNK	DJ8NK	RK3MWL/1	UA3MQM
2E0PLA	ON4IQ (b)	GW6GW	GW0LKJ	SA1A	SM1TDE
3Z100S	SP6ZDA	GW8K	GW0ANA	SB300L	W3HNK
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	GZ0F	M0CMK	SE2T	SM2YIZ
4K9W	DL6KVA	HB4FV	HB9TJM	SK6M/P	SM6DYK
4L4WW	EA7FTR	HC8/LX1NO	LX1NO	SN0IPY	SP5UHW
4L8A	DJ1CW	HC8/LX2LX	LX1NO	SN100S	SP9ZHR
4N160SRS	YU1SRS	HF15SZL	SP5PSL	SN10P	SP9KJU
4X7AZ	4Z5LA	HF1HF	SP1DTG	SN10POW	SP6ZJP
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5Z4ES	K3PD	HK4OBA	EA5KB	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA
6W1SE	JR2KDN	нозс	HR2RCH	SV0XAF/8	HB9EBC
9A/W1ADX	IN3DEI	HR9/WQ7R	N6FF	SV1GYG/8	SV1GYG
9A6NL	HA6NL	HR9BFS	N6FF	SV1QN/8	SV1QN
9A7T/p	9A2EU	HS0ZGQ	DL1MJF	SX5P	SV5FRD
9A9Z/p	9A1ADE	HZ1IK	DK7YY	T88DX	JI3DLI
9G5ZS	ZS6EGB	HZ1SK	IZ8CLM	T94CT	K2PF
9K2YM/P	EA5KB	HZ1ZH	EA7FTR	T96Q	T93Y
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9M6XRO	M5AAV	IBO/OMOC IBO/OM2FY	OM2FY	TMOFIL	F6KPQ
		IBO/OM2F1 IBO/OM2TW	OM2F1 OM2FY	TM7BA	F5NCU
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A52AM	JA0JHA	IBO/S55M	OM2FY	TO1YR	FM1HN
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C6AQ0	K3IXD	J48NAR	HA0NAR	UR5FCZ/p	UR5FCZ
C6AXD	K3IXD	J48YL	DK7AO	UR5FEL/p	UR5FEL
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	JD1BMM	JA6GXK	UT9FJ/p	UT9FJ
CO7PH/P	W3HNK	JX3EX	LA3EX	UW0G	UT7GX
CQ7P	CS1GDX	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	UX2IQ/p	UX2IQ
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ED1CA	EA1CA	MM3M	G3VCQ	VC1W	VE1RGB
EE5KB	EA5KB	MS0EPC	MM0DFV	VE1OTA/VE9	VE1VOX
EI75IRTS	EI6HB	NOT	K0BLT	VE2CJCT	VE2FGL
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EJ/GORTN	GIORTN	OH0X	OH2TA	VK1GG	VK1TX

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EM15B	UT1BC	OH0Z	MMOW	VO1GAM	VO1MX
EM5F	UX0FF	OH2DZ/P	UA1ANA	VO1J	VO1AU
EN80AL	UT8AL	OH2U/5	OH2IW	VP6TD	ZL2HGR
EU940OR	UA3FDX	ON1000B	ON5LL	VR100S	VR2HKS
F/OT3T	ON7EQ	OZ8MW/P	OZ8MW	VR10AJ	VR2AJ
FW0MO	OM2SA	PA/006C	ON6CC	VR10NN	WA4WTG
FW0YL	OM2SA	PA/OQ1C/p	ON4ON	VR10PX	VR2PX
G7N	G6FOP	PA/OR2T	ON4ATW	VR10UW	VR2UW
GB100BI	bureau	PA100WSJ	PI9SRS	VR10XMT	VR2XMT
GB100J	bureau	PB2M/P	ON8UK	VY2Z	VE3ZZ
GB1DS	M0KZC	PC6IOTA	PG7V	W4H	K4MM
GB1HI	M3ZYZ	PI4HQ/p	PA3CAL	W5BOS/AL0	N6AWD
GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	W6I	N2OWL
GB5BBS	M5GAC	PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	W7ASF/KL7	W7ASF
GB5FI	GW0ANA	PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH	WH2D	K3UOC
GB5SI	MMOBQI	R2MWO	DL1FCM	WP4I	W3HNK
GB6RH	G0GDU	R6SE	RW3WWW	XW1A	E21EIC
GI3YS	MM0DHQ	RI1AA	UA1AIR	YB3MM/9	IZ8CCW
GJ6YB	G3SWH	RI1CA	RK3FA	TOMY	TA2RC
GM0B	MMOBHX	RI1GK	RV1AQ	YU60BCD	YU7BCD
GM2T	GM4UYZ	RI1NU	RN1NU	YW1DX	IT9DAA
GM2Z	MMODFV	RK1B/P	RK3FA	ZF2DK	K2DBK
	(a) North	America (	b) others	(c) Japan	

CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2AA	VE6VK	HB100JAM	HB9DNA	R30ZF	RZ9CVA
3Z1TSR	SP1PBT	HB100S	HB9AOF	R41WP	RA3LBA
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406AA	9A6AA	HC2SL	EA5KB	RS90	UA90BA
5HORS	IT9YVO	HF100S	SPSZPZ	SA25QW	SK6QW
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6F75A	EA5KB	HF63PW	SP5KCR	SF89IB	SM6CLU
600F	ON4TA	HF63PW	SP5KCR	SI89B	SM6CLU
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A52SW	K2AU	IA2IPY	I2MQP	T88TX	JI2TXU
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A71CT	EA7FTR	IR1IPY	IZ1GJK	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
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AN7AL	EA7NL	IU0IPY	I0YKN	UA9ZZ/P	RW3RN
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DA0WWYC	DC1RJJ	LX2007G	LX1KC	UN3M	EA7FTR
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DR100SC	DH8IAT	OD5XX	W9RG	VP8DIZ	G7KMZ

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EL2DT	WA4TII	OL60SJI	OK2PO	Z22JE	K3PD
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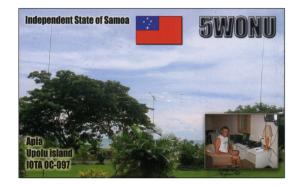
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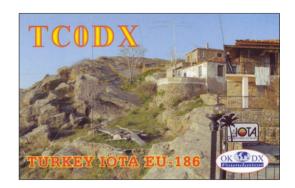
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