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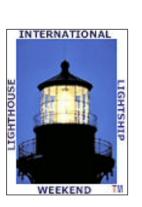
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International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend



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DX INFORMATION

3A - Patrice, F5RBB says he will be active as 3A/F5RBB from Monaco on 1-10 September. He will operate on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

3X - John, VE2EQL will be active as 3XYOD from KanKan, Guinea on 3-9 August. He plans to operate mostly on 20, 17 and 15 metres, with some activity on 40 metres. Look for him around 10-11 UTC and from 23 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

4S - The Radio Society of Sri Lanka will operate SSB and CW as 4S7LGT from the Barberyn Lighthouse on Beruwala Island (AS-171) during the ILLW. QSL to 4S7LGT, Secretary RSSL, P.O. Box 907, Colombo, Sri Lanka. [TNX The Daily DX]

5R - Jack/F1BCS, Jim/F1HDI, GII/F5JBE, Remy/F6ABJ, Michel/F6COW, Oliver/ F6EIE and Dan/F6EPD will be active from Sainte-Marie Island (AF-090) on 18-27 September. They plan to operate on 160-6 metres as 5R8GM (SSB), 5R8JM (CW) and 5R8IM (digital modes), while 5R8EM will be used on 2m EME JT65 (144.114). QSL via F1BCS. [TNX W1AW]

5Z - Valery, RW1AU is on work assignment in Nairobi, Kenya. He is active as 5Z4/RW1AU from the 5Z4RS club station. At the moment he operates SSB, until he can find a keyer. Expect him to be QRV in his spare time for the next several months. QSL via K5XK. [TNX K5XK]

7Q - Once again Ely, IN3VZE will be active holiday style as 7Q7CE from Malawi from 29 August to 11 September. He plans to operate SSB and digital modes on all bands depending on propagation. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IN3VZE]

8Q - Werner, DL1BKK and his wife Brigitte, DL1BKI will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary and 30 years of amateur radio operating holiday style as 8Q7KK from Kuramathi Island, Maldives (AS-013) from 29 August to 17 September. QSL via DL1BKK, direct or bureau (please note that 8Q7KK has been reissued, and Werner will be able to confirm contacts made only in 2008). [TNX DL1BKK]

8Q - Igor, UA9KDF will be active as 8Q7FD from the Maldives (AS-013) from 30 August to 11 September. He will operate PSK and RTTY. [TNX The Daily DX]

9A - Tom, 9A2AA is active as 9A73AA/p from Korcula Island (EU-016) for two weeks. He also plans to operate from other nearby islands as 9A2AA/p. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX YT2A]

9A - Look for Matt, 9A/S53AU to be active holiday style from Cres Island (EU-136) on 9-16 August. He will operate CW only on 80-10 metres. [TNX F5NQL]

9A - Look for Simon, 9A/IZ7ATN/p and Alessio, 9A/IZ0CKJ/p to be active from the Palagruza Islands (EU-090) on 16-23 August. Their main QTH will be Vela Palagruza and lighthouse, but they will also try to go and operate from the nearby island of Galijula and Mala

Palagruza. QSL via home calls. [TNX IQ8OM] 9A - Jan/OK1JK, Jiri/OK1JST,

Jarda/OK1JIM, Standa/OK1AGE, Tom/OK1JRA, Vojta/OK1JKV and Radek/OK1MRK will be active as 9A/homecall from Porer Island (EU-110) and lighthouse on 6-13 September. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 and 2 metres. QSL via OK1JST. Further information can be found at <u>http://jan.kepic.cz/</u> [TNX OK1JK]

9Q - Philippe, 9Q1TB (F5LTB) is going to leave the Democratic Republic of



Porer Island (EU-110)

Congo after five years. His next assignment will be in the United Arab Emirates starting in early September, and he hopes he can get the A6 licence he has applied for. He is still active on 40-6 metres, typically between 7-8 UTC on 20 metres SSB, between 15-16 UTC on 15 metres SSB and during his evenings on 40-10 metres depending on propagation. QSL via SM5DJZ. [TNX F6NQL]

9V - Special event station 9V1F1 (9V1 Formula One) will be active between 26 August and 30 September for the Formula 1 Grand Prix (<u>http://www.singaporegp.sg/</u>) that will be held in downtown Singapore on 28 September. The QSL cards will be sent via the bureau starting in October. Direct cards should be sent to either the Singapore Amateur Radio Transmitting Society (Robinson Road, P.O. Box 2728, Singapore 904728, Singapore) or the individual operator's callsign.

A4 - Four members of the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society will operate as A43LH from Ayqah Lighthouse from about 10 UTC on 16 August until around 23 UTC on the 17th. QSL via A47RS. [TNX A41MA]

C6 - Ed, K3IXD (C6AXD, RTTY) and Pete, W2GJ (C6APR, CW and SSB) will be active from Crooked Island (NA-113), Bahamas on 23-26 October. Look for C6APR to participate in the CQ WW DX



SSB Contest. Both calls are good for Bird Rock Lighthouse. QSL for both calls via K3IXD. [TNX K3IXD] CE - The Atacama Desert DX Group and the Radio Club Frontera Norte will be active as 3G1F from the lighthouse on the Peninsula del Alacran during the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend (ILLW, see Good To Know) on 16-17 August. They will operate on 40-10

metres SSB and CW. QSL via EA5KB [TNX XQ11DM] CT - Carlos, CT1CSY and Jose Luis, CT2GZB will operate SSB and RTTY as CQ8E from the lighthouse at Cabo Espichel (POR-009) during the ILLW. QSL via CT2GZB, direct or bureau. [TNX CT1END]

CT - The Algarve DX Group will be active with eleven different CT7CA* callsigns from as many Portuguese castles and fortresses on 6-7 September. QSL via CT1GFK. Further information can be found at http://ct7ca.blogspot.com/ [TNX F5NQL]

CX - The Radio Club Uruguayo will be active as CV1AA from the lighthouse at Puerto del Buceo (West Breakwater, ARLHS URU-014) for the ILLW, from about 20 UTC on 15 August through the 17th. Expect activity on 160-15 metres CW and SSB with at least two stations, and on the VHF and UHF bands with one station. QSL direct to Radio Club Uruguayo, P.O. Box 37, 11000 Montevideo, Uruguay. [TNX CX3AL]

CX - The Centro de Radioaficionados de Rocha (CX1TA) will be active as CW1T from the lighthouse at Cabo Santa Maria during the ILLW (16-17 August). Expect activity on

160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 2 metres, SSB, CW, AM, FM and BPSK31. QSL via CX1TA. [TNX CX2TG]

EA - Adolfo, EA7TV will be active on 20 and 40 metres as AO7TV/p from a number of lighthouses between 1 and 12 August: Cabo Roche (SPA-041), Cabo Trafalgar (SPA-052), Castillo de San Sebastian (SPA-063), Barbate (SPA-071) and Puerto Sherry (SPA-338). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX EA7TV]

EA - The Demons DXers Team (<u>http://www.demonsdxers.es/</u>) will be active as EE1DD from Arosa Island (EU-

080) on 5-6 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 80-6 metres. QSL via EA1YG, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

EA - The Union de Radioaficionados de Valencia will operate special event station AO5FI on 22-24 August for the Formula 1 Grand Prix of Europe. QSL via EA5URV. Local operators are expected to use special prefixes around that time frame: for instance, EA5MB will use

ED5MB, while EA5WO will use AO5WO and ED5WO. EA - The Union de Radioaficionados de La Coruna will operate as AM1TDH from the Tower of Hercules (ARLHS SPA-276) on 15-17 August. The oldest ancient Roman lighthouse currently in operation, the Tower of Hercules is a national monument of Spain and has been



nominated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. QSL via EA1COW, direct or bureau. [TNX EA1OS] EA8 - Luis, EA8AY will be active as EE8AY from the lighthouse at Punta Delgada (ARLHS CAI-034) on Alegranza, the northernmost land of the Canary Islands (AF-004), on 22-24 August. He will operate CW, SSB, FM and digital modes on the HF bands, 6 and 2 metres. QSL via EA8NQ, direct or bureau. Further information at found can be at http://www.isladealegranza.ea8a

Tower of Hercules

<u>y.com/</u> [TNX EA8NQ]

EI - The Kerry Amateur Radio Group will be active as EI1KARG from the Cromwell Point Lighthouse, Valentia Island (EU-115) during the ILLW. QSL via EI9FVB. [TNX F5NQL]

EI - Dave/EI4BZ, Jeremy/EI5GM, Dave/EI9FBB and Mark/G4AXX will be active as EJ3HB from Great Blasket Island (EU-007) on 10-14 September. They will operate SSB and CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via EI9FBB, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at http://blasketisland2008.blogspot.com/ [TNX G4AXX]

F - Jean-Michel/F1IKA, Michel/F5IVP, Eric/F5ODA, Dave/F5SDD and Chris/F6DHI will be active as TM5F from Ratonneau, Frioul Islands (EU-095) on 15-18 August. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes with three stations. QSL via F1IKA. They have a web page at <u>http://tm5f.free.fr</u> [TNX NG3K]

F - Dimitri/FOFLH, Bastien/F4EYQ and David/F4FDA will be active as F5KKD/p from Belle-IIe-en-Mer (EU-048) and Sein Island (EU-068) between 20 and 24 August. They plan to operate SSB on the HF bands with two stations, and on 2 metres with a third station. QSL via F5KKD, direct (IOTA 2008, P.O. Box 27, 93270 Sevran, France) or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

F - Gerd, DK8NT will be active as F/DK8NT from Oleron Island (EU-032) from 24 August to 5 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

F - Benoit/F8PDR, Jean-Jacques/F5NKX, Denis/F5RJM, Rolf/F9ZG, Alain/ F5HVI, Rene/F6CMC and Alain/F6ACH will be active on all bands and modes as F5KAQ/p from Brehat Island (EU-074) on 1-8 September. QSL via F5RJM, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

F - Special event callsign TM2NN will be aired on 15-28 September for the 20th edition of Les Nuits de Nacre, the annual accordion festival that takes place in the city of Tulle. QSL via F5KTU. [TNX F5RBB]

F - In August 1908 Lieutenants Colin and Jeance of the French Navy conducted a successful radiotelephony experiment between the wireless stations at Pointe du Raz (Brittany) and on the Eiffel Tower in Paris (528 kilometres away). Celebrating the 100th anniversary of



that event, the Association de Amis de la Radio du Finistre will operate as TM8RAZ from Pointe du Raz on 2-3 August. QSL via F4FKD, direct or bureau. [TNX F8REF]

F - Members of the Radio Club Haute Saintonge (F5KLJ) will be active as TM1MAD from Ile Madame (not IOTA, DIFM AT-024) on 6-7 September. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres. [TNX F5NQL]

F - Philippe, F1TRE will be active as F1TRE/p from Ile Verte (EU-095) on 17-22 August. Main activity will be on 40, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX <u>www.islandchaser.com</u>]

F - Dirk, ON4IMM will be active as F/ON4IMM from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 10-13 August. Focus will be on 144 MHz meteor scatter, but outside the meteor shower he will be QRV on the HF bands and 6 metres. [TNX F5NQL]

FG - The TO8S operation from Les Saintes Islands (NA-114) [425DXN 891] went QRT around 22 UTC on 11 August, a few days earlier than originally planned (log search at <u>http://www.cdxc.org/dxp/2008-T08S/t08s-</u> <u>fr_logs.htm</u>). On the 12th F5IRO and F8CRS moved to Pointe des Chateaux, Guadeloupe (NA-102), where they will operate as FG/homecall until the 17th. QSLs via F8CRS. [TNX F5NQL]

FR/G - Didier, F50GL says that the infrastructure works on Glorioso [425DXN 886] will be finished at the end of this month. Didier is still "in very close contact" with the High Command for the French armed forces in the southern Indian Ocean; "all the necessary authorizations are in hand" and the DXpedition has not been cancelled, but the exact dates will depend on variables of the military transportation. Moreover, all the operators are military personnel, and their professional assignments have priority over all. "No date is fixed to date, but I'm doing all my best to lead Glorioso 2008 before the end of this year", Didier says, and adds that "without all combined elements gathered" he prefers to postpone the operation as long as necessary. The press release can be found at http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/ [TNX F5NQL]

GI - Jim, GIOPGC and others will be active as GBOREL from Rathlin East Lighthouse at Altacarry Head, Rathlin Island (EU-122) for the ILLW. QSL via the bureau. Further information can be found at http://www.gsl.net/gi0rgk/GBOREL/GBOREL.html

GM - Andre, GM3VLB and Col, MMONDX will operate primarily on 40 and 20 metres from Bass Rock (EU-123) on 16 August, for a minimun 12 hours (from first light to dusk). They will have two stations with battery power, and will operate mainly SSB. QSL via home calls. [TNX MMONDX]

GM - GB2ELH will be aired from the Esha Ness lighthouse, Shetland Islands (EU-012) during the ILLW. QSL via MM5PSL. [TNX F5NQL]

GM - Special event station GS8R will be activated on 80-10 metres SSB and CW by the Orkney Amateur Radio Club (<u>http://www.eu009.com/</u>) on 22-24 and 29-31 August to commemorate the 850th anniversary of the death of St. Rognvald, the Norse Earl who founded St. Magnus Cathedral in Kirkwall. QSL direct to GMOWED. A sister special event station (LA8EARL) is expected to operate from Bringsvaerd (Norway), which is where Rognvald was born in 1100.

GM - Four members of the Cambridge University Wireless Society (namely G3ZAY, M0ERY, M0FFX and M0SCH) hope to be active as GM6UW/p from the Monach

Islands (EU-111) from mid-afternoon on 27 August until mid-morning on the 28th. The operation will take place only if the wind and sea conditions improve. [TNX G3ZAY]

GW - Ant/MW0JZE, Rob/MW0RLJ, Tim/M0URX (MW0URX), Oli/MW3SDO and Chris/G1VDP (GW1VDP) will be active (on 80-10 metres SSB with some RTTY) as GB0SH from Strumblehead Lighthouse (ARLHS WAL-029) during the ILLW. Before and after the lighthouse weekend they will operate using either MC0SHL or their personal calls. QSL GB0SH via MW0JZE, QSL MC0SHL via M0URX, all others via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]

H4 - The Daily DX reports that soon Mike, KM9D and Jan, KF4TUG will begin "their next sailing season". Their first stop should be Temotu Province (H40), and they hope to be able to operate from Vanikolo Island, in the rare OC-163 IOTA group.

HB9 - The Swiss Lighthouse Activity Group will be active as HB9LH from the lighthouse of Romanshorn (ARLHS SWI-005) during the ILLW. Michel/HB9DLO, Pascal/HB9DWR and Pierre-Yves/HB9OMI will operate SSB on 80, 40 and 20 metres. QSL via HB9DLO, direct or bureau. [TNX HB9DWR]

HI - Adriano, IK2GNW will be active as HI9/IK2GNW from Cayo Levantado (NA-122), Dominican Republic on 9-22 August. He will operate SSB and RTTY on 80-6 metres, with an amplifier and verticals and dipoles. QSL via 12YSB, direct only. A log search will be available at www.i2ysb.com

HK - Paco, EA7ATX and Juan Luis, EA7AY expect to be in Colombia starting on 4 September for quite a few weeks. They plan to be active as HK1AT and to operate from the San Bernardo Islands (SA-078) on 14-19 October. QSL via EA7ATX, direct only (proceeds will be donated to charity). [TNX www.dxfun.com]

HL - Look for HLOY/3 to be active from Sapsi Island (AS-080) on 7-11 August. Activity wil be on 20 metres SSB. QSL via HLOY. [TNX The Daily DX]

HL - A group of eight Korean operators (namely Kim/HL2CFY, Lim/DS2HRE, Kweon/DS2GXU, Han/DS2GOO, Seok/6K2GDT, Cho/6K2FNN, Song/6K2BWA and Jeong/6K2ABX) will be active as either D9D and homecall/5 from Tok Island (AS-045) on 13-18 September. They will operate CW, SSB, FSK and PSK31 on 80-10 metres with four trasnceivers, two amplifers and various vertical and wire antenna systems. QSL D9D via 6K2BWA, others via home call. [TNX DS2GO0]

HP - The Panama Canal Amateur Radio Association and the Radio Club de Panama will be active as H81L from Miraflores Lighthouse (ARLHS PAN-030) during the ILLW. Expect activity on SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via HP1RCP. [TNX HP1AC]

I - In 1928 the two villages of Albese and Cassano merged to form the new town of Albese con Cassano (Como). To celebrate that anniversary, special event callsign II2AC will be used on all bands and modes until 14 September. QSL via IZ2HPZ, direct or bureau.

I - Fabio, IW1DFU will be active as IA5/IW1DFU from Elba Island (EU-028, IIA LI-001) on 11-29 August. He will operate CW with some SSB on 10, 15, 20, 40 and possibly 30 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IW1DFU]

I - IKOCNA, IKONSY, IKOZCW, IZOKAT and IZ3DBA will be active from Isola Rossa (not IOTA, IIA GR-015) on 13



Cayo Levantado

August. They will operate SSB and CW as homecall/IA5, primarily on 20 and 40 metres. [TNX IK0ZCW]

I - Marco, IZ3GNG will be active as IF9/IZ3GNG from Favignana Island (EU-054, IIA TP-011) on 16-18 August and as ID9/IZ3GNG from Lipari Island (EU-017, IIA ME-001) on 20-22 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ3GNG]

I - I6/IZ0DIB/p, I6/IZ4IUS/p, IK6EFU/p, IK6XGS/p, IK6XOU/p, IK6YXM/p, IZ6ASI/p and possibily others will be active from the lighthouse at Senigallia (ARLHS ITA-181, WAIL MA-004) during the ILLW. Exepect activity on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB and CW. [TNX IZ6ASI]

I - Operators from ARI Fano and the Adriatic DX team will be active on 40-10 metres CW and SSB as IQ6FU/p from the lighthouse at Fano (ARLHS ITA-065, WAIL MA-005) during the ILLW. QSL direct or bureau. [TNX IZ6ASI]

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

I - IK4HDQ, IK4PLW, IK4PMX, IK4UNH, IW4DAP, IW4DEH and IZ4GXH will operate special event station IR4PA from Russi (Ravenna) on 12-14 September, for the 25th anniversary of the local welfare institution.

QSL via IK4PLW, direct or bureau. [TNX IK4PLW]

I - Celebrating the 5th anniversary of Strange Radio the Team (www.strangeradioteam.com, IQ8OM), a number of special callsigns will be aired at avrious times bewteen 1 and 31 August: IIOSRT, II2SRT, II5SRT, II8SRE, IO5SRT, IR1SRT, IR3SRT, IR6SRT, IU0SRE, IU3SRT, IU7SRE and IU8SRE. From outside Italy, EG3SRT, GBOSRT, PD05SRT, V55SRT, W1SRT, YU05SRT and YX5SRT are expected to join the celebrations. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX IZ8EDJ]

I - Marco, IN3UFW and others will operate on all bands and modes as IN3IPY through the end of the year to celebrate the International Polar Year. QSL via IN3UFW, direct or bureau. [TNX IN3UFW]

I - ARI Ancona will operate special station IY6GM from Monte Cappuccini (WAIL MA-003, ARLHS ITA-104) between 5 and 17 August. The activity will celebrate the 104th anniversary of the experiments carried out by Guglielmo Marconi from that place. QSL via QSL via 16GFX, direct or bureau. [TNX 16GFX]

ISO - Stefano, IK5PWQ and Stefano, IK5XCT will be active as IMO/homecall from Maddalena Island (EU-041, IIA OT-008) on 2-15 August. They will be active holiday style on 40,30 and 20 metres CW, with some SSB. Side trips to nearby islands are being considered. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IK5PWQ]



ISO - Gherardo, IZ1DSH will be active as IM0/IZ1DSH from Tavolara Island (EU-165) sometime between 9 and 17 August. He plans to operate mainly SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1DSH]

JA - Koh, JH3LBD, will be active from Nishinoomote City (rare JCC 4614 for the Japan Century Cities Award) on Tanega-shima (AS-032) on 9-11 August. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

JA - Look for JA1YUC/1 to be active from Uki Island (AS-117, JIIA AS-117-010), Chiba Prefecture from 17 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct (JA1YUC Tokyo Dental College ARC, 1-2-2 Masago, Mihamaku, Chiba-city 261-8502, Japan) or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

KL - John, KL7HBK might go and be active from Barter Island (NA-050) "in the next week or two". His schedule is still uncertain, as it depends on weather and work commitments. [TNX The Daily DX]

KP2 - Jaime, WP3A says he will be active as KP2B from St.Croix, Virgin Islands (NA-106) "after 20 August". He plans to operate CW on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres, with some SSB on 10 and 15 metres. Expcet activity after 4 UTC on 40 metres and after 11 UTC on the other bands. QSL direct to EA7FTR.

LA - Mek, SP7VC will be active as LA/SP7VC from the Lofoten Islands (EU-076) on 8-15 August. He will operate on 80, 40 and 20 metres with dipoles and 700 watts, as well as on 144.355 MHz (FSK441 random MS). QSL via his home call. [TNX SP5UAF]

LU - A group of operators from the Radio Club Argentino (namely LU1AMH, LU1ARG, LU1BCE, LU4BR, LU5ANL and LU7ADC) will be active on 80-6 metres SSB and CW as LR5D from Martin Garcia Island (SA-055) on 14-18 August, including activity from the island lighthouse during the ILLW. QSL via LU4AA. [TNX LU1ARG]



Martin Garcia Island (SA-055)

ΤU The Bahia Blanca DX Group (http://www.grupodxbb.com.ar/) will activate seven different lighthouses simultaneously for the ILLW: Morro Nuevo (ARLHS ARG-048; operators LU9ESD/W, LU4ETN/W, LW9EAG/W); San Gregorio (ARG-062; operators LU1EUU/W LU5DEM/W and others); Cabo Aristizabal (ARG-023; operators LU7DSY/W, LU5DIT/W, LU6DBL/W); Puerto Rosales (ARG-095; operators LU3DXG/D, LU5EAO/D, LU8EHQ/D, LU7EUZ/D, LU5DKT/D, LW5DAD/D, LW2ENB/D); Baliza Chica (ARG-083; operators LU8DWR/D, LU8DIP/D , LU3DZO/D, LU4ELE/D, LU4UZW/D, LU4DBP/D); Baliza Punta Atalaya (ARG-099: operators LU6DRN/D, LU6EU/D); Claromeco (ARG-014; operators LU7HW/D, LU3HKA/D, LU7EHL/D, LU7DR/D, LU4DBT/D). Expect activity on all bands and modes. The QSL manager is LU7DSY (Carlos Alberto Almiron, P.O. Box 709, 8000 Bahia Blanca - Buenos Aires, Argentina). [TNX LU9ESD]

ON - Francois, ON4LO and Kurt, ON4CB will be active from Doel lighthouse during the ILLW. They will operate on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via bureau. [TNX ON4LO]

OZ - Thomas, DH8IAT says he will be active as OZ/DH8IAT from Samsoe Island (EU-172) on 9-22 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

OZ⁻ The EDR Radio Club Hurup will be active as OZ5THY/p from the lighthouse of Lodbjerg (ARLHS DEN-022) on Vendsyssel-Thy Island (EU-171) on 16-17 August. Look for main activity on 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via bureau or direct. [TNX OZ7AEI]

OZ - Jakob, OZ7AEI will be active as OZ7AEI/p from the lighthouse on Tuno Island (EU-172) on 16 August. He plans to operate SSB on 20 and 40 metres strating around 12 UTC. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OZ7AEI]

P2 - Hugh, K6HFA will be on Manus Island (OC-025) on 4-9 November. Before that, he will participate in the IOTA trip [425DXN 895] to OC-181 (P29VLR, 20-26 October) and OC-041 (P29NI, 28 October-3 November). The expedition now has a web page at http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2008/ [TNX I1-21171]

P4 - Roy/W3TEF, Bob/W3BTX and Joop/P43JB will operate again as P41USA from Aruba (SA-036) on 3-12 September. Expect activity on 160-2 metres. The special callsign marks the anniversary of the tragic events occured on 11 September 2001. QSL via W3TEF. [TNX NG3K]

PA - PA3CNI and PA3AAF will operate CW with some SSB from Blokzijl lighthouse during the ILLW. QSL via home calls. [TNX PA3CNI]

PA - Members of the Voorne Putten radio club will be active during the ILLW with three stations from three different lighthouses: PA6GDR from Goedereede (NET-039) on Goeree Overflakkee (EU-146), PA6SB from Stenen Baak (NET-071) and PI4VPO/LT from Maasvlakte. Expect activity on 40, 20 and 2 metres in the daytime hours only. QSLs via PA2CNR. [TNX PA0AKN]

PA - Jos, PA1JOS and others will operate SSB and CW as PA6SCH of from the lighthouse Scheveningen, national а monument of The Netherlands, during the ILLW. QSL via PA1JOS. Further information can be found at www.qrz.com/pa6sch [TNX PA3EFR] Special event station PΑ -PA90CORUS will be active on all



bands and modes from CORUS Steel IJmuiden on 1-28 September to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the steelworks in IJmuiden. QSL via PB7CW. Further information can be found at <u>http://www.pb7cw.net/corus</u> [TNX PB7CW]

PJ2 - PJ2LS, PD1DRE and PJ2GT will be active as PJ2LS/LH from Punt Kanon lighthouse on Curacao (SA-006) during the ILLW. QSL via PD1DRE (bureau). [TNX F5NQL]

PJ2 - Joeke, PAOVDV will be active as PJ2/PAOVDV from Curacao (SA-006) on 2-29 October. He will operate CW only. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX PAOVDV] P7 Rich/OM2TW, Joe/OM5AW, Steve/OM5AA, David/OK1RK and Vlada/OK1NY will be active as PZ5Z from Suriname on 21-30 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. They will operate SSB and CW on 160-10 metres, plus 6 and 2 metres, with an emphasis on the low bands and 2m EME. QSL via OM2FY, direct or bureau. Further information (logsearch included) be found can at http://www.omOc.com/suriname/ [TNX NG3K]

S2 - Look for S21SHQ, the Bangladesh Scouts club stations' callsign, to be aired on 2-3 August for the 4th Asia Pacific Regional Air-Internet Jamboree. Expect activity on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via EB7DX. [TNX The Daily DX]

S2 - S21RC, S21AM and other operators from Bangladesh are planning to be active from St. Martin's Island, in the rare AS-127 IOTA group, for six days in December. Actual dates and callsign are pending, and at the moment they are looking for support. Please visit <u>http://s2iota.eb7dx.com/</u> or e-mail David, EB7DX (<u>eb7dx@eb7dx.com</u>) if willing to help them. [TNX EB7DX]

SM - Kjell, SM4DDS will be active as 7S5A from Boko island (Stora Alo, EU-177) on 11-16 August. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres. QSL via SM4DDS, direct or bureau. [TNX SM4DDS]

SM - Once again a group of operators from the Kungalv Radio Club will be active as 7S6LGT from the lighthouse on Vinga Island (EU-043) during the ILLW. QSL via SK6NL.

SM - Look for Jorgen, SM3CXS to be active as SG3U from Grimskar Island (EU-176) on 23-31 August. On 29-31 August he will be joined by Sten, SM3NXS, who will be signing SD3N. Both stations will operate CW and SSB. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX SM3CXS]

SP - SP2BIK, SP2BRN, SP2IZC and SP2TQW will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 as SN2NP from the historic lighthouse at Gdansk Nowy Portn on 15-18 August. QSL via SP2BIK, direct or bureau. [TNX SP2BIK]

SV - The SX8WT activity from Alonissos Island (EU-072) will be shorter than previously announced [425DXN 893], and will now take place from 29 August to 2 September. QSL via SV2HPP. [TNX SV2FPU]

SV - Laci, HAOHW will be active as J48HW and SV8/HAOHW from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 30 August to 10 September. He will operate mainly CW, with some SSB, RTTY and PSK31 as well, on the HF bands (mainly on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres) and on 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX HAOHW] bureau or direct.

SV - Vito, 13BQC will be active from a few Greek islands on 3-20 September. His itinerary includes Kalymnos and nearby Telenods (SV5, EU-001) for about one week, then Ikaria (SV8, EU-049) or other SV5 islands such as Leros, Leipsoi or Patmos. He plans to operate mostly on 15, 20 and 40 metres SSB. [TNX 13BQC]

SV - One of the most important founding figures in Western Philosophy, Aristotle was born 24 centuries ago in Stageira. Commemorating that event, SV2GWY, SV2XI, SV7HRJ and SW2HQF will be active as SX24STG during the IARU Region 1 Field Day (6-7 September). QSL via SV2GWY.

SV9 - IOUZF, IKOEFR, IKOYUT and IZOFWD will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as J49I from Crete (EU-015). They will be active on 160-10 metres mainly CW from 26 November to 1 December. QSL via IKOEFR. [TNX IKOEFR]

T2 - Aki, JA1KAJ will be active from Tuvalu (OC-015) on 2-8 September. He plans to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and possibly on PSK31 and SSTV on 80-10 metres, with a 3element yagi and a long wire for the low bands. QSL via JA1KAJ, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

TA - The "Finnish-Turkish Friendship Consortium" (including OH2BH, OH2PM, OH8NC, TA1HZ and others) will be active as TC4X on several occasions during 2008. The location is in the city of Alanya, Asian Turkey. The first activity from 5 through 12 August coincides with the Worked All Europe DX Contest (CW). QSL via OH2BH. [TNX OH2BH]

TA - TA1HZ and TA2RX will be active as TC1YLH from Yesilkoy Lighthouse (TUR-055) during the ILLW. Main bands to be used are 15, 20, 40 and 2 metres. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]

TA - Urcun, TAOU says he will participate in the
EuropeanHFChampionship

(http://lea.hamradio.si/~scc/euhf/euhfc.htm) on 2 August as TC1EU from European Turkey. He will operate SSB low power from the QTH of TA1HZ.

TA - Karl, WA2KBZ is active as TA0/WA2KBZ from Buyukada Island (not IOTA) until 1 September. He operates mostly CW on 40, 30, 20, 17 and possibly 15 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]

TA - Jacek, SP5OXJ will be active as TA4/SP5OXJ from Alanya, Turkey on 17-20 August. He plans to operate CW and "various digital modes" on 30-20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX SP5OXJ]

TF - Once again the Icelandic Radio Amateurs (IRA) will operate as TF1IRA from the lighthouse of Knarraros during the ILLW (16-17 August). QSL via TF3GB, direct or bureau. [TNX TF3AO]

TK - Nicolas, F5TGR will be active as TK/F5TGR from Porto Vecchio, Corsica (EU-014) on 9-23 August. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-40 metres, with possible side trips to some of the coastal islands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]

TN - Nicolas, F8FQX (www.f8fqx.fr) will be in Congo for 3-4 years starting on 20 August. He has applied for the callsign TN5SN and hopes to be QRV in late Octoberearly November. Plans include activity on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via IZ1BZV.

UA - The two-month RZ1QXA and UE1RFF IOTA expedition to AS-068, AS-086, AS-087, and AS-104 [425DXN 899] has been cancelled. [TNX I4EAT]

UA - Look for UE3YAR to be aired on 8-10 August to celebrate the Russian Air Force Day for the AFARU (Armed Forces Amateur Radio Union) and RDA activity programmes. QSL via RV3YR. [TNX RV3YR]

UA - Celebrating the 65th anniversary of the end of the Nazi occupation during World War II, special event station R65BO will be active from Bryansk and its surroundings between 25 August and 25 September. QSL via UA3YY. [TNX RV3YR]

UA - RAOLD, RUOLL, RUOLM, RWOLBM, RWOLC and RWOLZ will be active as ROL/p from Opasnyy Island (IOTA status to be determined, RRA RR-16-10) on 2-7 September. QSL via IK2DUW. [TNX IK2DUW]

UR - Garry, USOVA will operate as USOVA/p from Tarkhankutsky Lighthouse on 15-19 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX USOVA]

V4 - Dave, AH6HY will be active as V4/AH6HY from St. Kitts (NA-104) from 26 September to 3 October. He will operate SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]

VE - On 31 July Ken, G3OCA and Cezar, VE3LYC were stuck in Goose Bay, Labrador, as the heavy fog at Nain precented their flight from leaving. They were rebooked on a flight that could arrive in Nain on the early afternoon of 1 August. Ken and Cezar were supposed to be active as VO2A [425DXN 895] from Finger Hill Island (NA-194) until 2 August. Then they will go and operate, again as VO2A, from Paul Island (NA-205) on 3-5 August. QSL via VE3LYC. For further updates, including post-expedition information, please visit the VO2A page on www.grz.com [TNX VE3LYC]

VE - Special callsign VC3RCS will be aired from 15 August through 15 September to commemorate the 50th anniversary of CFS Alert, the Canadian Forces signals intelligence intercept facility located on Ellesmere Island. QSL via VE3SRS. [TNX VA3RJ]

VE - George, K3GV, will be active as K3GV/VY2 from Prince Edward Island (NA-029) on 1-22 September. Activity will be on 15 and 20 metres around the usual IOTA frequencies. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX K3GV]

VU - Special callsigns AT25MY and AT25RG will be used until 22 October to celebrate the Silver Jubilee of the National Institute of Amateur Radio (NIAR) of India. QSL via VU2NRO.

VU - A large group of operators from the Bangalore Amateur Radio Club will be active as AT8LH from both the Mahabalipuram lighthouses, old (ARLHS IND-011) and new (ARLHS IND-016) on 15-24 August. QSL via VU2JHM. Further information can be found at http://www.grz.com/at8lh [TNX F5NQL]

W - On 3 August 1958 the world's first nuclear vessel, USS Nautilus (SSN-571), reached the North Pole after an historic voyage through the Northwest Passage and beneath the polar ice pack. To commemorate the 50th anniversary of that event, special event station N9N will be active on 2-3 August. QSL via N4KC (direct); further information at http://www.grz.com/n9n [TNX VA4RJ]

W - AB3FX, KB3PVA and KB3NVH will operate holiday style mostly on 20 metres as AB3FX/4 from Ocracoke Island (NA-067) on 10-16 August. QSL via AB3FX, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rgsbiota.org]

W - Members of the Cape Ann Amateur Radio Association will be active as W1T from the North Tower (ARLHS USA-1027) on Thacher Island (NA-148) on 16 August. They expect to operate on 40 metres (CW) and 20 metres (SSB and PSK) from 13 to 18 UTC. QSL via W1GLO (direct).

W - The Old Barney ARC will operate special event station W2T from the Tucker's Island lighthouse (USA-911) located in the Tuckerton Seaport (http://www.tuckertonseaport.org) on 16 August, from 13 UTC through 20.30 UTC. Operation will be primarily on 40 and 20 metres SSB and local 2m FM. QSL via N2OO. [TNX N2OO]

W - Eagle Harbor Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-253) will be active during the ILLW (16-17 August) using the special call K8E. On 18-23 August expect activity to take place also from other lighthouses in that area. QSL via N8MR, direct or bureau. Further informatin can be found at

http://www.kc8nah.com/Interests/Eagle Harbor/illw08.htm [TNX N8MR]

XU - Yuichi, 7K3BKY will be active as XU7YYY from Cambodia on 3-8 September. He will operate mainly CW, but will also give the All Asian DX SSB

but will also give the All Asian DX SSB Contest a try. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX

NG3K] YV - The YW5IOTA expedition to La Blanquilla (SA-037) [425DXN 895] is now expected to take place on 4-7

August. QSL via IT9DAA. Complete details can be found at <u>http://www.yw5iota.4m5dx.info</u>

ZD8 - Bob, VP8LP, will be active as ZD8LP from Ascension Island (AF-003) between 15 August and 14 September. He will be using only a vertical antenna, but he intends to be very active on 40-10 metres as propagation permits. QSL via home call (direct). [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

ZD9 - 11 August was Tom's (ZD7X) last day on St. Helena. He made over 45,000 QSOs on all HF bands since September 2007. Tom had planned on going to Tristan da Cunha after St. Helena [425DXN 902], but according to his latest e-mail message to his QSL manager (WOMM) "there is a 90% chance of no Tristan right now [...] Does not look good due to a bunch of



Thacher Island (NA-148)

reasons!". If ZD9 cannot be done Tom is planning to go to Qatar (A7) and try to get a licence there. If that does not work, he will then head to Asia. [TNX WOMM]

ZF - Randy, K5SL will be active as ZF1SI from Grand Cayman (NA-106) on 9-16 August. He plans to operate mostly on 17 metres SSB and CW (+/- 18150 and 18077 kHz), and on 40 metres CW (+/- 7033 kHz)around 4 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX K5SL]

ZP - Jan, DL7UFN and Rolf, DL7VEE plan to operate as ZP6/DL7UFN and ZP6/DL7VEE from the QTH of Tom, ZP5AZL in Asuncion, Paraguay on 4-14 September. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX DL7VEE]

ARCTIC I Serge, RZ6MF and Oleg, UA6LP are participating in the "Arktika-2008" expedition (17 August-30 September) to the Arctic basin region, and are active as UE6MAC/mm while on board the research vessel "Akamik Fedorov". In early September they

expect to be signing UE6MAC/O from the new Russian drifting station "North Pole-36". Depending on weather and sea conditions, they might also operate from Wrangel Island (AS-027) and/or Franz Josef Land (EU-019). QSL via RZ6MF. [TNX UA6LP]

PACIFIC TOUR I Ulli, DL2AH and Willi, DJ7RJ are going to Apia, Samoa (5W) and then to Nukunonu, Tokelau (OC-048) for three weeks, tentatively starting around 2-5 September. After

that, they will return to 5W before going on to their next destination. DL2AH has a mind to visit Manua Island (OC-077), American Samoa between 7 and 27 October and Tonga between 29 October and 9 November. DJ7RJ will fly back to Los Angeles on 21 October.



Wallis Island (OC-054)

PACIFIC TOUR I Hide, JM1LJS and Junichi JA3RAF will be active from Wallis Island (FW) and Samoa (5W) in August as follows: 9-15 August FW1W QSL via JM1LJS OC-054, FW1Z QSL via JA3RAF OC-054 16-19 August 5W0HH QSL via JM1LJS OC-097, 5W0MJ QSL via JA3RAF OC-097 They plan to operate SSB, CW and possibly some digital mode (by JA3RAF) on 40-6 metres from both locations, plus 80 metres from Wallis Island. QSLs via home calls (direct only). Further information (on-line logs included) can

be found at http://radio dream.com/mini_pedi_2008/

SCANDINAVIA TOUR I Gabi, DF9TM and Frank, DL2SWW will be visiting and operating from Sweden (SD7M and SD7W), Finland (OH/homecall) and the Aland Islands (OH0/homecall) between 5 and 23 September. They plan to be active from IOTA groups EU-002, EU-084, EU-087, EU-096, EU-101 and EU-173. QSL via home calls. Updates on their itinerary will be available at http://www.iota-expedition.com/scand/scand.html [TNX DL2VFR]

GOOD TO KNOW

DESECHEO 2008 | First hand information delivered by a reliable source indicates that "there is a tentative agreement to facilitate access to the Desecheo Island National Wildlife Refuge by amateur radio operators in conjunction with future U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service management activities in the refuge. The plan would allow amateur radio activation of Desecheo for up to 14 days under strict guidelines and close USFWS supervision. USFWS expects to grant a Special Use Permit for amateur radio operations to one group selected from among large number of prior applicants. These applicants have recently been contacted by the agency and provided a number of stringent requirements that must be met. They were told that if they are still interested in operating from Desecheo they had 45 days to submit a proposal. The letter was dated 30 June 2008, with an August 14th deadline. The final selection will be made based upon which proposal best satisfies USFWS requirements. The timing of this operation is still uncertain, but is likely to be in the September through December 2008 time frame. The actual dates of the operation are dependent on a number of variables, but the team and DXers should have a minimum of 30 days notice. We are not sure, but we believe as many as a dozen proposals have been submitted. Apparently, the final selection will be made by a three person panel".

ASIA PACIFIC DX CONVENTION I The second APDXC will beheld at the Osaka International House in Osaka, Japan on 7-9 November. Detailed information (including pictures and videao from



the 2005 event) can be found at <u>www.apdxc.org</u> [TNX JA3USA]

CANADA I At it July 2008 meeting the Board of Directors of Radio Amateurs of Canada (RAC) adopted a new HF Band Plan, which can be found at http://www.rac.ca/service/bandplans/hfband_e.php [TNX VA3RJ]



DX MAGAZINE MOST WANTED SURVEY I The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted Survey is being conducted now through 15 October. The survey form is available at http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2008.ht

<u>ml</u> The overall top 100 will be posted on the web site around 15 January 2009. The survey has changed significantly, in response to a number of comments in recent years. The Entities to choose from (about 300) do not include "the ones we felt were not justified to be included, such as W/K, VE, G, DL, F, I, etc" (but if you want them included in your response, simply use the "Additions or Comments" space at the end of the form). There is also a new column ("160-30"), for those who want to express a need for contacts on 160, 80, 40 and 30 metres. [TNX N4AA]

DXCC NEWS I 5X4X (Uganda, current operation effective 2007) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had this operation rejected in a prior application, send a note to <u>dxcc@arrl.org</u> to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]

HAMFEST INDIA I Hamfest India 2008, the official Hamfest of Indian amateurs, will be held in Gandhinagar, Gujarat on the 11-12 October. Full details are available on <u>http://www.hfi2008.com/</u> [TNX VU2GMN]

ILLW I The 10th annual International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend, organized and managed by the Ayr Amateur Radio Group, will take place from 00.01 UTC on 16 August until 23.59 UTC on the 17th. Full information on this popular event can be found at http://illw.net. The official list of entrants is at http://illw.net/2008_list.htm

KL7DX 1 Mount Cleveland, the volcano that forms the western half of Chuginadak Island (NA-234), erupted on 21 July. On air activities started on the 23rd, a couple of days later than expected, and the operators went QRT



on the 27th. Pictures are available at <u>http://na-234.ucoz.net/photo/</u> The QSL manager for this operation is AC7DX, direct or bureau (do not send your requests to the Alaskan address for KL7DX!).

LOGS

I A log search for the recent 8J9HGR activity from Hegura Island (AS-117) can be found at <u>http://hegura.hp.infoseek.co.jp/search.htm</u> [TNX JI6KVR]

I Pictures and log search for the 25-30 June operations by OY/LA7WCA and OY/LA6FJA from Elduvik, Faroe Islands are now available on-line (http://www.la6fja.eu/dx/oy.html). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Please note that whilst 1 IRC covers return postage to all destinations, 2 (two) USD no longer do. [TNX LA6FJA]

I A log search for RZ3AMW/1 (25 June-5 July activity from Ryashkov Island, EU-162) can be found at http://dx.qsl.net/ [TNX RZ3AMW]

I The log search for the recent YU8/S56M operation can be found at <u>http://s50clx.infrax.si</u> [TNX S50U]

MICRO-DXPEDITIONING UNCOVERED I Low-cost

airlines have brought us a new era, along with modern technology which provides us with high-calibre 100 watt transceivers for less than three kilos. "Micro-DXpeditioning Uncovered", the new book (100+ pages, with pictures) by Roger Western, G3SXW, collects the stories of visits to over 20 mostly European DXCC entities, all done on the cheap, mostly just day-trips or over-night For further stays. information, please contact G3SXW (e-mail address at qrz.com).



QSL VIA LA5YJ I Over the past few years Hugo, LA5YJ operated as 9N7YJ, JW5YJ, MIOYJR, S21XF, ST2YJ and XU7ACW. The QSL route for ST2YJ is still via LA4YW, the other callsigns are handled by Hugo himself. The blank S21XF cards were expected to arrive from the printer earlier this week. All of the bureau cards for 9N7YJ and

XU7ACW have been sent out. The 9N7YJ log will be closed on 31 December 2008, if you still need a QSL card please go direct (Hugo B. Ark, Rute 509, N-1766 Halden, Norway). [TNX LA5YJ]

QSL VIA MOCMK I Effective 1 August, the new address of MOCMK (QSL manager for GM7V and GZ7V) is: Linda Taylor, 18 Wyness Avenue, Little Brickhill, Bucks. MK17 9NG, United Kingdom. [TNX GM3WOJ]

QSL VIA MOURX I Please note that Tim, M3SDE, has upgraded his license and his new callsign is MOURX. He is the QSL manager for the following callsigns: 3DAOOK, 9M6/G3OOK, 9M6DXX, 9M6XRO, 9M6XRO/p, 9M8Z, A25OOK, C91XO, G1VDP, G3OOK, GM3OOK, MOSDZ, MOXXT, MU3SDE, OY4TN, V8FEO, V8FRO, VK6JB, XU7DXX, XU7XRO, YI9DAZ, ZK1SDE, ZK1SDZ, ZK1WET, ZK1XMY and ZS6/GM3OOK. Tim has retained his previous call and has made arrangements with the RSGB QSL Bureau to receive all cards which arrive for M3SDE. [TNX K1XN]

ROCKALL 2009 I A new attempt at landing and operating from Rockall Island (EU-189) is being organized by Andy Strangeway, aka "Island Man", tentatively between 19 May and 1 June. Details can be found at http://islandmanrockallexpedition2009.com/.

SAC 2008 I Organized this year by SSA, the Swedish Amateur Radio Society, the 50th edition of the Scandinavian Activity Contest (SAC) will take place on 20-21 September (CW) and 27-28 September (SSB). To celebrate the Golden Jubilee, three special Anniversary Awards will be available for contacts made with Scandinavian stations during the contest. Complete information can be found at <u>http://www.qrq.se/sac</u> [TNX SM6LRR]

SRT CONTEST I The Strange Radio Team will hold its HF SSB Contest on 20-21 September. Look at http://www.strangeradioteam.com/srt-contest.asp for ______ complete information. [TNX IZ8EDJ]



THE OLD TIMER I "The Old Timer. 60 years in the hobby of Amateur Radio (1947-2007)" is a 581-page book written by Jim Smith, VK9NS. It is the fascinating story of "my travel through life and my becoming involved in the hobby of Amateur Radio". The book is available (also in CD format) at www.jimkirsti.com

Amateur Radio 1947-2007 TOP LISTS I 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, 12EOW (i2eow@ari.it) YO DX HF CONTEST I The Romanian Amateur Radio Federation (FRR) invites amateur radio operators all over the world to participate in the annual YO DX HF Contest, which will be held on 30-31 August (from 12 UTC to 12 UTC). Participants in the contest who meet the award requirements will receive the YO All Districs Award (1st class) free of charge. Complete contest rules and results of lats year's edition can be found at http://www.hamradio.ro/ [TNX YO2DFA]

ZS8T I This is the latest press release posted by Rhynhardt Louw (ZS6DXB) on http://zs8t.net/ (21 August): "In April, Petrus ZS6GCM arrived on Marion Island to begin a year of work. Sometime in May he erected the SteppIR vertical he took along and ran into a few difficulties. He did make one contact during the month but efforts to resolve these difficulties were unsuccessful and Petrus' work commitments impeded our efforts to communicate via other methods with Petrus. It has been over two months since we have heard from Petrus and are as much in the dark as the DX Community as to his plans. At this point we are at a loss why Petrus has not been able to find time to put ZS8T on the air, he certainly made the efforts to obtain permissions and training before leaving for the Island. We must assume his job as administrator to the scientific community was much more than he contemplated. Petrus is on Marion Island for 7 more months. If and when Petrus surfaces we will inform the DX Community. We are as disappointed as you".



Famous Belgian sailor Willy de Roos (ON8RP and VK9XR/mm) passed away on 4 August at 85 years of age. In 1977-78, aboard his ketch "Williwaw", he sailed through the Northwest Passage, from Greenland to the Bering Straight, and then went on to round

Cape Horn and sail back to Begium, thus becoming the first one to circumnavigate the Americas counter clockwise.

Bob Leek, VE3TFD, a 25-year veteran of the Toronto Fire Department, lost his life in the response to a propane depot explosion that occurred on 10 August.

Steve Baily (NOUS) and his wife Carolyn (NOLAL) were killed in a home attack on 10 August. The alleged murderer has been arrested.

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Patrick J. McNamara (EI9CB), Doug M. Hill (G3ZWH), Doug M. Hill (G3ZWH), Giuseppe Cavallera (I1CEO), Vincenzo Ranellucci (IK1TSM), Vito Lombardo (IT9LOM), Glenn Swanson (KB1GW), Pete Weymouth (M1SOM), Steve Rasmussen (NOWY), Vic Dubois (N4TO), Alan P. Burgstahler (N7BF), Valery F. Shishlov (RA1PAW), Gojmir Blenkus (S53AW), Victor D. Solovev (UA0IDX), Tom Kneitel (W4XAA), John F. Dormois (W5SUS), William R. Moore (W8KVU) and David T. Tremayne (ZL1AV).

ITALIAN ISLANDS I Alfredo, IK7JWX provides the list of Italian islands he and his friends have operated from between 12 April and 27 July 2008:

12 Apr 25 Apr 01 May	Gallipoli Sant'Andrea Capezzone	LE-10 BR-05 LE-04, EU-91	IK7JWX, IK7FPX IK7JWX, IK7FPX IK7JWX, IK7FPX	06 Jul 12 Jul 19 Jul	La Terra Mogghia Gabbiani	LE-29 LE-15 LE-14	IK7JWX, IK7VJX IK7JWX, I7PXV IK7JWX, I7PXV
24 May	Gallipoli	LE-10	IK7JWX, I7PXV	20 Jul	Penna	LE-22	IK7JWX, IK7VJX, I8LWL, IK8GQY
01 Jun	Sant'Andrea	BR-05	IK7JWX	25 Jul	Cuccio	LE-18	IK7JWX, IK7VJX, I8LWL, IK8GQY
02 Jun	Chianca	LE-17, EU-91	IK7JWX, IK7VJX	26-27 Jul	Grande	LE-02, EU-91	18LWL/7 (IOTA Contest)

September 1, 2008

Many have been wondering what the status with regard to the Republic of Kosovo is as of today, both in general and in amateur radio terms specifically. Substantial progress has been made, and a new approach to get Kosovo totally on its own feet is well on its way. The United Nations (UNMIK) has scaled down its administrative role while the European Union (EULEX) has initiated its supporting role to help integrate the "interim administration" functions into the local institutions.

The United Nations Frequency Management Office (FMO) is one of those local institutions. This Office was responsible for authorizing Amateur Radio operations before and after the Kosovar declaration of independence, but as of today the FMO does not exist nor are licenses issued. You may still hear some stations operating as YU8 since those licenses issued in the past have not been specifically terminated.



Undoubtedly, Kosovo as a "country" has all required country requirements; (A) a defined territory, (B) a permanent population and (C) a government and (D) is capable of interacting with other countries with whom it has established diplomatic relations. As of today, the Republic of Kosovo is recognized by 46 countries representing many leading states and all geographical continents.

From an Amateur Radio and DXCC perspective, a great deal of confusing discussion has taken place; one side argues that the DXCC criteria needs to be honored at all times. Others see the criteria as not being engraved on a tablet of stone but that the rules facilitate "entities" dynamically in the context of an ever-changing world. Both views have some merit and should be appreciated.

Western Sahara (SO), another disputed DXCC country, is currently recognized by 48 countries and even today it is not a member of the United Nations nor does it have a dedicated ITU prefix. At the time Amateur Radio entered this desert country, no one had argued that it belonged to DXCC. When Swains Island was up for DXCC discussion it was decided that the DXCC criteria had to be changed and so Swains entered the scene. Swains was added not decades ago - but just recently.

Before Swains Island, DXCC used three "measuring sticks"; UN membership, ITU prefix or IARU society. In facilitating Swains, the ARRL Board of Directors decided to keep the UN and ITU parts but changed the IARU rule to recording of an event by the US Department of State, which again opened up another gate for more DXCC entities.

Now Kosovo meets the highest US Department of State criteria - Kosovo is an independent state recognized by the United States and easily passes the US State Department gate, if that gate is honored in the right spirit. With DXCC rules in place as they existed before Swains, Kosovo would enter through the IARU gate because of its permanent amateur radio population and its national society, SHRAK.

The above is just an illustration of the dynamics of the DXCC at any given time, following the dynamics of the world.

The world outside Kosovo abounds with many other examples that offer a slightly different perspective in the international arena. Another oft-mentioned entity - Northern Cyprus - is recognized only by Turkey, and the situation regarding Cyprus remains deadlocked. Two new cases - South Ossetia and Abkhazia - are recognized by the Russian Federation and probably soon by Belarus (EW) and Venezuela (YV). If they ever achieve wider recognition apart from the countries subject to the current conflict, they will become another set of DXCC candidates.

An immediate UN membership gate is pointed more in the direction of those that get themselves established with no gun fire. The UN's potential for resolving conflicts to its own satisfaction is seriously hampered by the Security Council veto structure that plays a major role in eliminating new countries at that gate.

So, the ARRL is left to define a workable recognition based country criteria - be it qualitative and/or quantitative. Kosovo with its almost 50 recognitions is the first one at the gate. Delaying action on the Republic of Kosovo so that it does not qualify for anything is not an option for the ARRL. Kosovo is a country with a permanent amateur radio population and therefore Kosovar amateurs should be welcomed to our community.

Back to the practical world; YU8/OH2R QSLs for the first amateur radio operation from the Republic of Kosovo were printed last week by Gennady, UX5UO and they will be in the mails in a few days. We thank Gennady for his efforts and support in making these full-color cards meet the spirit of the Kosovo case as they represent a special moment for those involved with the Kosovo project and those who follow world events as well as the development of the DXCC program.

You can view these cards at http://www.dailydx.com/Kosovo.htm

You may read more about YU8/OH2R and Kosovo at www.n4gn.com/yu8/

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