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# **DX INFORMATION**

**3B8** - Mart, DL6UAA will be active again as 3B8MM from Mauritius Island (AF-049) starting on 4 April for three weeks. He will operate mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with some SSB and digital modes. QSL via DL6UAA, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

**3V** - IK7JWX and other operators (I8LWL, IC8ATA, IK2DUW, IK2GPQ, IK2PZC, IK8BPY, IK8GQY, IS0AGY, IW2NLC, IZ2GRG and IZ7ATN) will be active as TS8P and TS8P/p from the islands of Djerba (AF-083) and Kuriat (AF-092) between 27 April and 4 May. They expect to operate SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via IK7JWX. [TNX IK7JWX]

**4J** - 4J0WFF will be active on 40-10 metres CW, SSB and PSK-31 from National Reserve Yanar Dagh, Azerbaijan starting on 20 March for "no less than three days", depending on local conditions. QSL direct to 4J5T. [TNX 4J5T]

**4S** - Alex, UX4UL has been active as 4S7ULG from near Colombo, Sri Lanka (AS-003) since 10 March and will remain there until 7 April. He operates BPSK, RTTY, CW on 20-10 metres. QSL via UY5ZZ. [TNX UY5ZZ]

**8Q** - Noel, F6BGC will be active as 8Q7NC from Madoogali, Maldives (AS-013) on 13-21 March. He plans to operate holiday style on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F8REF]

**8Q** - Bodo, DL3OCH will be active as 8Q7QX from the Maldives (AS-013) from 21 March to 4 April. He plans to operate mainly CW on 40-12 metres, with some activity on 80m, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via DL3OCH, direct or bureau and LoTW. Bodo will also operate EME along with 8Q7QQ (HB9QQ), 8Q7RQ (HB9CRQ) and 8Q7HP (DL2NUD). Information on the EME activity can be found at <a href="http://www.mmmonvhf.de/">http://www.mmmonvhf.de/</a>



**9A** - Franjo, 9A2MF/p and Emir, 9A6AA/p will be active from Nature Park Papuk on 20 March. They will operate on 40 and 20 metres SSB. Information on the Croatian Flora & Fauna Programme can be found at <a href="http://www.inet.hr/9a6aa/WFF/9Awff.htm">http://www.inet.hr/9a6aa/WFF/9Awff.htm</a> [TNX 9A6AA]

**9K** - The Kuwait Amateur Radio Society will be active as 9K2F from Failaka Island (AS-118) on 1-5 April. QSL via 9K2HN. [TNX DX World]

**9Q** - Anton, ON6NL and Henk, ON4AHF are currently in the Democratic Republic of Congo working with Medecins Sans Frontieres. They expect to stay a further ten days and to operate CW and SSB as 9Q0AR/6 (from the South Kivu region) and 9Q0HQ. These are club callsigns, and the QSL route for this activity is via ON6NL for both.

[TNX dx-world.net]



**A5** - Steve, W7VOA plans to be active as A52SW from Thimpu, Bhutan from about 23 April until 1 May at least. He will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres with

100 watts and a full-length G5RV.

It will be a business trip and Steve will be active mainly on weekends and during his evening weekday hours. QSL via K2AU and LoTW. [TNX W7VOA]

**A7** - Special event station A71RCAR will be active on 4-6 April for the 2010 Regional Conference on Amateur Radio (RCAR), hosted by the Qatar Amateur Radio Society (QARS) in cooperation with the International Amateur Radio Union. QSL via the QARS bureau. [TNX PB2T]

**BY** - Nicola, IOSNY reports he will be active as BY1DX/IOSNY from Beijing between 25 April and 16 May. He will focus on 40 and 17 metres. QSL via IOSNY (direct only).



C3 - Ten C35 stations (C35CA, C35DR, C35HI, C35JM, C35KC, C35LM, C35MO, C35PR, C35SG and C35US) and ten C36 stations (C36AR, C36AT, C36BO, C36CT, C36JI, C36JS, C36MF, C36PP, C36RP and C36VM) will

be active on 1-30 April to celebrate the 30th anniversary of Andorra's IARU society (Unio de Radioaficionats Andorrans). Information on the relevant award can be found at <a href="http://ura30anys.blogspot.com/">http://ura30anys.blogspot.com/</a> [TNX F5NQL]

**CEOY** - Harald, LA9SN has had to cancel his 16-25 March activity from Juan Fernandez [425DXN 977] because of the recent tsunami that hit the island, and will go to Easter Island (CEOY) instead. [TNX The Daily DX]

**CN** - IK7JWX (5C2J), I8LWL (5C2L), IK2PZC (5C2P), IK2GPQ (5C2Q), IZ7ATN (5C2SG), IK2DUW (5C2W) and IK8GPY (5C2Y) will be active from Essaouira and Agadir, Morocco between 16 and 23 March. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX IK7JWX]

CT8 - Tom, SP5UAF and Marcin, SP5ES will be active as CT8/homecall from Sao Miguel (EU-003), Azores on 17-29 March. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, and to participate in the Russian DX and CQ CQ WW WPX SSB contests. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX SP5UAF]

CT8 - SV1GRM, SV1HER and CT1GFK will be active as CQ8SV from Corvo Island (EU-089), Azores on 20-27 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via SV1GRM. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

**CT8** - For the first time, the Azores Islands will be active under the callsign CQ8X (QSL via OH2BH) in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. The operators (CU2CE, CU2DX, DL6LAU, N6RC, OH1TV, OH2BH, OH2UA, OH6KN, OH6RM and OH8NC) might also put another station on as CR2X (QSL via OH2BH). [TNX OH2BH]

CT9 - Look for Helmut, CT9/DF7ZS (QSL via home call) to be active holiday style from Madeira (AF-014) on 24-31 March with a focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres. He will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as CR3L (QSL via DJ6QT). [TNX NG3K]

CT9 - Rosel, DL3KWR and Hardy, DL3KWF will be active as CT9/DL3KWR and CT9/DL3KWF from Madeira (AF-014) on 11-25 March. They plan to operate mostly CW and on 12, 17 and 30 metres. Hardy will also give RTTY and PSK-31 a try. QSL via home calls. E-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to <a href="mailto:dl3kwr@darc.de">dl3kwr@darc.de</a> or <a href="mailto:dl3kwr@darc.de">dl3kwr@darc.de</a> or <a href="mailto:dl3kwr@darc.de">dl3kwr@darc.de</a> respectively. Their web site is at <a href="mailto:http://www.mydarc.de/dl3kwr">http://www.mydarc.de/dl3kwr</a> [TNX DL3KWF]

DL - DB5BZ, DF9TM, DJ4RU, DK7LV, DL1BGC, DL2SWW, DL2VFR and DL4BBH will be active as DA0GLH and DF0WFF from Neuwerk Island (EU-127) and the Hamburg Wadden Sea National Park (www.wff-dl.de) on 19-21 March. They will operate SSB, CW and PSK on the HF bands, as well on 2m/70cm FM, from the 700-year-old lighthouse's



building. QSL via the DARC bureau for both calls. Direct requestes should go to DL2VFR. [TNX DL2VFR]

**DL** - Dan, DL5SE is going on an island & lighthouse tour on 26-29 March. He plans to operate CW only from a few IOTA and/or German Islands Award locations, as well as from lighthouses on the Baltic Sea coast. QSL via bureau. [TNX DL5SE]

**EA8** - Andrew, G7COD will be active as EA8/G7COD from Gran Canaria (AF-004) on 20-28 March. He plans to

operate SSB and CW on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.  $[TNX\ G7COD]$ 

**EI** - Stan, EI6DX and Mike, UA10MX will be active as EJ6DX from Inis Mor, Aran Islands (EU-006) on 26-28 March, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest (Multi-Single). QSL via RX3RC. Further information at <a href="https://www.ei6dx.com">www.ei6dx.com</a> [TNX <a href="https://dx-world.net">dx-world.net</a>]

**F** - The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (TP2CE, <a href="http://ewwa.free.fr/">http://ewwa.free.fr/</a>) will be active as TP60CE on 12-14 March to commemorate the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the European Convention on Human Rights. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FOK]

F - F5LON, F6CNM, F8FKD and F9OE will be active as TM4FFU on 10-11 April for the Radio Maritime Day (see below). They will operate CW only on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres bands. QSL via F8FKD. [TNX F8FKD]

**FM** - Dim, UT5UGR will be active as FM/KL7WA from Martinique (NA-107) on 19-29 March, including entries in the Russian DX Contest and the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest (as T07A). QSL for both callsigns via UT5UGR. [TNX UT5UGR]

**FP** - Paul, K9OT and Peg, KB9LIE (hamradio.pnpfarms.com) will be active as FP/homecall



and Peg, KB9LIE be active as FP/homecall from Miquelon Island (NA-032) on 5-14 July, including two single-operator entries in the IARU HF Championship. They will operate CW and SSB 80-10 metres with possibility of 160m and 6m if conditions are

good. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau, and LOTW.  $[\mathsf{TNX}\ \mathsf{K9OT}]$ 

**FR** - Ced, F4EGZ active as FR/F4EGZ from Reunion Island (AF-016) between 25 March and 19 April. He will operate on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 and 6 metres, and take part in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

FR - Stephane, F5UOW will operate mostly CW from Reunion Island (AF-016) from 9 April to 2 May. He will be active on 20 metres as FR/F5UOW until 17 April, then he will move to another QTH and operate as TO2R on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call. ITNX F6AJA]

**FS** - Alain, F6BFH and Serge, F6AUS will be active as TO5SM/p from Tintamarre Island (NA-199), Saint Martin on 21 March. The expect to be QRV from 12 to 20 UTC on 20 and 17 metres CW and SSB. QSL via F6BFH, bureau preferred. [TNX F6AUS]

**GI** - Once again the the Foyle & District ARC will be active as GB5SPD on 15-17 March to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. QSL via MN0AKU, direct or bureau.

**GJ** - David, ON4DN will be active as MJ/ON4DN/p from Jersey (EU-013) on 6-9 April. He will operate holiday style on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres SSB and digital modes, and he also plans to operate from one or more lighthouses. QSL via ON4DN, direct or bureau. [TNX ON4DN]

**GM** - MM0DGR/p will be working from Lindean Reservoir, Whitlaw Mosses National Nature Reserve on 6 March.



Look for activity on 80-10 metres BPSK63, CW and SSB. QSL via MM0DFV. Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.gmff.org">www.gmff.org</a>, a new web site dedicated to the Natural Heritage of Scotland under the WFF award programme. [TNX MM0DFV]

**GM** - MM0DGR/p will be working from Kirkconnell Flow National Nature Reserve on 13 March. Look for activity on 160-10 metres BPSK31, BPSK63, CW and SSB. QSL via MM0DFV. [TNX MM0DFV]

**GM** - MM0DGR/p will operate BPSK63, CW, and SSB from Caerlaverock National Nature Reserve on 20 March. QSL via MM0DFV. [TNX MM0DFV]

**GM** - MM0DGR/p will operate CW, SSB and BPSK63 on 40-10 metres from Den of Airlie National Nature Reserve on 27 March, including some activity during the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via MM0DFV. [TNX MM0DFV]

**GW** - Members of the Strumble Head DX and Contest Group (<a href="www.mc0shl.com">www.mc0shl.com</a>) will be activating the club call signs (MW9W and MC0SHL) on 25-30 March, including single band entries in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. Outside the WPX event they will also operate RTTY on various bands including 30m. QSLs via MOURX and LoTW.

**HH** - Operators Jan, K4QD and Don, AF4Z will be QRV as HH4/homecall from the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission from 22 March to 2 April. They will operate 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY as time permits. They will also participate in the CQWW WPX SSB Contest. They are working with HH2JR and the Radio Club of Haiti in an attempt to again obtain the special 4V4JR call used last year for the contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX K4QD]

**HK** - HK3OVP and HK3OCH will be active as 5K7SNC from the Sierra Nevada Mountain Range, Colombia on 1-2 April. Look for them around 7140 kHz. QSL via HK3OCH, direc or bureau and LoTW.

**HR** - Andrei, NP3D will be active as HR2/NP3D from Honduras on 19-29 March. He will operate on all bands and modes, with a focus on 160 metres, and will participate in the Russian DX, BARTG Spring RTTY and CQ WW WPX SSB contests as HQ2T. QSL via W3HNK or RW6HS, and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

I - Special station IR1C will be active from 15 March to 31 December in conjuction with a solidarity project in the Central African Republic. QSL via IK1APO. Further

information at <a href="https://www.ir1c.com">www.ir1c.com</a>

I - IT9ATF, IT9NPR, IT9PPG and IT9WDC will be active as IF9A from Favignana Island (EU-054) on 26-28 March. Their main focus will be the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via IT9ATF, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

I - Special station IIOSPQR will be active 1-30 April to celebrate the 2763rd anniversary of the foundation of Rome. QSL via IKOQNZ. [TNX IKOZCW]

I - Promoting the "Antonio Canova Award", special station IU3AC will be active on 1-31 May. The award is

issued by ARI Treviso (<a href="www.aritreviso.it/Diploma Canova.html">www.aritreviso.it/Diploma Canova.html</a>) to celebrate this famous Italian sculptor, who was born in 1757 in a village near Treviso. QSL via IK3GES, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX IZ3EBA]

**J3** - Sharon, M3VCQ (J38SW) and Colin, G3VCQ (J38CW) will be active from Grenada (NA-024) on 11-25 March. They will operate SSB and CW with a mini Yagi for 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres and verticals for 30, 40, 80 and 160 metres. QSL both calls via G3VCQ.

JD\_oga - Brian/KG8CO (JD1BNJ), Stan/AC8W (JD1BNK), Ted/K8AQM (JD1BNM), Kirk/JF3MYU (JD1BNN) and Steve/K8KQY (JD1BNQ) will be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara between 28 March and 12 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL JD1BNN via JD1BNN (bureau) or JF3MYU (direct), others via K8AQM direct or bureau, plus LoTW. They have a website at <a href="https://www.ogasawara2010.com">www.ogasawara2010.com</a> [TNX K8AQM]



Tintamarre Island (NA-199)

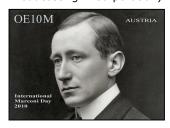
**KHO** - Yoshi, JE2EHP will be active as K1HP/KH0 from Saipan (OC-086) on 21-25 March. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via JE2EHP, bureau preferred. [TNX JE2EHP]

**KHO** - After upgrading his KH0UA license to Amateur Extra Class in December 2009, nine-year-old Yoshiki, JF1UCV will participate in this year's CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as a SOAB Rookie entrant. He will operate from the AH0BT shack on Saipan (OC-086). QSL via JF1UCV, direct or bureau. [TNX 7L1FPU]

**KHO** - Kuro, JH0MGJ will be active as AL5A/WH0 from Saipan on 24-26 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and possibly other modes on 80-10 metres, with a focus on Europe. QSL via JA7JEC. [TNX JH0MGJ]

**OA** - Daniel, DL5YWM will in Peru between 20 March and 15 May. He plans to operate in his free time as OA4/DL5YWM from Lima; side trips to different call areas are possibile, as well a "last minute" operation from an island. [TNX dx-world.net]

**OE** - The Amateur Radio Section of ORF (the Austrian Broadcasting Corporation) and the Documentary



Archives Radio Communications QSL Collection will operate special event station OE10M on 23-25 April. This is an official "International Marconi Day" station and contacts made on 24 April will be valid for the IMD Award.

QSL via the OE bureau or direct to OE1WHC. [TNX OE1WHC]

**OHO** - Look for OHO/PA0VHA, OHO/PA2A, OHO/PA2AM, OHO/PA2VMA, OHO/PA3ALK, OHO/PA3BAG and OHO/PB5A to be active from Eckero, Aland Islands (EU-002) on 15-28 May. They plan to run 3 or 4 stations on the HF bands CW, SSB and RTTY, and they will be QRV also on 6 metres. QSL via home calls. Further information to be published on <a href="https://www.pi4cc.nl">www.pi4cc.nl</a> [TNX PA2AM]

**OH** - Members of the The University of Oulu Radio Club (OH8TA) will be active as OH8T from Hailuoto Island (EU-184) on 12-14 March. They will be QRV mostly on the HF bands with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via OH8TA, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

**OX** - Reid, NORC says he will be active in spare time as either OX3RC or OX3/NORC from Thule, Greenland (NA-018) from 22 March to 23 April, and again on 1-27 May. He is going to Thule with NASA's Operation Ice Bridge. QSL via home call.

**OZ** - Look for Jakob, OZ7AEI/p to be active from Stavrby Skov lighthouse on Fyn Island (EU-172) on 26 March. He expects to be QRV on 20 and 40 metres starting around 10 UTC. [TNX OZ7AEI]

**OZ** - Look for Ben, OZ/DO1BEN and his wife Barbara, OZ/DO1IQ will be active again from Lolland Island (EU-029) on 2-9 April. They will operate on the HF bands SSB with some RTTY and PSK31. QSL via home calls. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

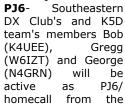
**P4** - Stefan, DK1MM will be active as P4/DK1MM from Aruba (SA-036) from 19 March to 1 April, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as P41M. QSL for both callsigns via DK1MM. [TNX NG3K]

**PA** - Anneke, PB7XYL will be active as PB88XYL on 3-30 April. This will be the first activity by the WOTA Club (Women On The Air, <a href="http://wotaclub2010.blogspot.com">http://wotaclub2010.blogspot.com</a>). QSL via PB7XYL, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

**PJ4** - Michal, OK7MT and Vit, OK5MM will be active as PJ4/OK7MT and PJ4/OK5MM from Bonaire (SA-006) from 18 March to 1 April. They will participate in the Russian DX Contest (20-21 March) and the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as PJ4L (QSL via OK7MT, direct or bureau). [TNX OK7MT]

**PJ5** - Joe, W8GEX and his co-leader, Joe AA4NN have announced their intention of operating from St. Eustatius this autumn in anticipation of the dissolution of the Netherland's Antilles. The plans call for a 10-day operation with a international crew and at least four

stations 24/7. [TNX W8GEX]



island of Saba (NA-145) on 11-15 March. Their purpose is to "finalize plans and begin building a station for the anticipated political realignment in the Netherlands Antilles later this year". QSL via home calls. [TNX K4UEE]

**PY** - Araucaria DX Group's contest station ZW5B will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as PY5GA, as a tribute to their "major elmer" Olavo Scherrer (PY5GA). Olavo passed away on 21 March at 88 years of age. [TNX PY5EG]

**S7** - Gav, GM0GAV and Rob, GM3YTS will be active as S79GM from Mahe (AF-024), Seychelles from 21 March to 1 April. They will operate on all bands with a focus on LF, mainly CW with some RTTY. As for 40 metres, "operation in S7 is only allowed on 7050 to 7100Khz", they say. So they will "be operating CW around 7050, with a QSX published at the start of the operation" on their blog (<a href="https://s79gm.blogspot.com">https://s79gm.blogspot.com</a>). QSL via GM4FDM and LoTW. A log search will be available at Club Log (<a href="https://www.clublog.org">www.clublog.org</a>). [TNX <a href="https://www.clublog.org">dx-world.net</a>]

TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity
Team (www.tcswat.org) will be active
as TC18M on 16-18 March to
commemorate the 95th anniversary of
the naval battle of 18 March 1915
during the Dardanelles Campaign.
TA3AX will operate mainly CW, while
TA1HZ might be using BPSK31 and
SSB. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]

TA - Celebrating Istanbul 2010
European Capital of Culture, the TC
Special Wireless Activity Team will
operate special event station
TC2010PSG on 20-22 March.
Information on the event and the
relevant award can be found at

www.ta0u.com [TNX IW1DQS]

TG - Roberto, IV3IYH will be active as TG9IRP from Guatemala from 20 March to 1 April, including an entry in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. He will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via IK2ILH, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to

**UR** - Celebrating its 20th anniversary, the Ukrainian Contest Club will operate as EM20UCC until 1 July. QSL via UT7UJ. [TNX UY5ZZ]

ik2ilh@libero.it), or LoTW. [TNX IV3IYH]

**V2** - Look for W4OWY (V25WY) and W9OP (V25OP) to be active from Antigua (NA-100) on 9-18 March. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. They will upload their logs to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]



Antennas at S79GM

**V2** - Babs, DL7AFS and Lot, DJ7ZG will be active as V21ZG from Antigua from 16 March to 4 April. They will operate mainly RTTY, PSK and SSB on 80-6 metres. QSL via DL7AFS, direct or bureau. Further information and log search at <a href="https://www.qsl.net/dl7afs/">www.qsl.net/dl7afs/</a>

**V6** - Mike, V63MY and Jan, V63TO have been active from **Oroluk Atoll (OC-260)** [425DXN 982] since 2 March and expect to remain there until around 12 March. QSL direct to OM2SA, or LoTW. [TNX V63MY]

**V7** - Tom, N4XP will be active as V7/N4XP from Kwajalein (OC-028), Marshall Islands on 9-22 March. He will operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, and he also plans to give 60m a try. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

**V7** - Neil, V73NS (WD8CRT) will be going QRT from Kwajalein (OC-028), Marshall Islands in late March. His next work assignment will take him to Afghanistan, starting around late April or early May. The new QSL route for V73NS is via W3HNK. [TNX The Daily DX]

**VE** - According to the latest update at qrz.com, Cezar, VE3LYC (VY0V) arrived in Thunder Bay on 25 March and was scheduled "to fly north" on the 26th. For the trip to East **Pen Island (NA-231)** [425DXN 975] he has retained the services of two local guides. They will load all the camping gear on sleds towed by snowmobiles, and the travel to the island should take around ten hours under good weather conditions. Outside temperature is expected to be -20C or even lower. "This is a rather difficult project", Cezar says, which "may have to be aborted if safety concerns dictate it".

VE - John, VE8EV will be active as CK8G from **Greens Island (NA-182)** on 15-20 April. Activated only once back in 1993, this IOTA group has been claimed by only 5.3% of current IOTA participants. "While a summer operation would be far easier, more comfortable, and (probably) cheaper", John says, "I wanted to go in April to take advantage of the better spring time propagation". He expects "around-the-clock propagation on 20m so I will concentrate on Europe during their sunrise and sunset, North America during their sunset, and Asia right after their sunrise". He will operate SSB only using a 3-element yagi antenna and an amplifier. QSL via VE8EV, direct or bureau. Updates and further information, including details on how contribute to this expensive operation, at <a href="http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/search/label/IOTA">http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/search/label/IOTA</a> [TNX VE8EV]

**VP5** - Dave, W5CW will be active as VP5/W5CW from 23 March to 6 April, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as VP50V. Before and after the contest he will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres, with a focus

on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL to P.O. Box 88, Morris OK 74445-0088, USA. [TNX NG3K]

W - Look for Bill, K9RR/4 and Rick, K8GI/4 to be active from St George Island (NA-085), from approximately 19 UTC on 19 March through about 16 UTC on the 21st. The schedule may be modified due to weather as this will be an outdoor operation. Two stations are to be in operation simultaneously on 20 March. Bill and Rick plan to operate SSB (7160, 14260, 18128 and 21260 kHz), CW (14040 kHz), RTTY (10143 kHz) and PSK63 (18102 kHz), plus some FM

satellite activity (from grid EL79) as time permits. QSL via home calls. [TNX K8GI]

**W** - W4MY and AA4XX will be active from Tangier Island (NA-083) on 20-21 March during the Virginia QSO Party. QSL via W4MY, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]

**W** - David, K2DBK will be active in his spare time as K2DBK/4 from Lido Key (NA-034) on 22-24 March. He will operate SSB only on 20 and possibly 15 metres during his afternoon hours. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

**W** - Look for Dave, ACOQG/5 to be active from South Padre Island (NA-092) on 22-28 March. QSL direct to ACOQG. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]



W - Ten operators from the Amateur Radio Outdoor Adventures will be active as K4T from Garden Key, Dry Tortugas (NA-079) from 20 UTC on 11 March until 11

UTC on the 15th. They will have three stations for the HF bands and three dedicated satellite stations. QSL via operator's instructions. Further information at aroadventures.org [TNX AI4QY]

**XV** - Retu, OH4MDY will be active again as XV2RZ from Vietnam from 26 March to 6 April. He plans to be QRV on 80-10 metres. QSL direct only to Reijo Laitinen, Mantytie 13, 76940 Nenonpelto, Finland. [TNX NG3K]

**YI** - Eric, KG4GYS says he will be active as YI9GYS from Tikrit, Iraq "for the next several months". He operates SSB on 20 and 17 metres. QSL via home call.

**YI** - Announced frequencies for the 2-11 April YI9PSE expedition to Iraq [425DXN 973] are as follows:

**CW** 1824, 3504, 7004, 10104, 14024, 18074, 21024, 24894, 28024 kHz

**SSB** 1845, 3780, 7065/7180, 14195, 18145, 21295, 24945, 28495 kHz

**RTTY** 7035, 10140, 14080, 18100, 21080, 24920, 28080 kHz

Thirteen operators (AH6HY, FM5CD, JH4RHF, K1LZ, K3LP, K3VN, N2WB, N6OX, N6PSE, W5KDJ, W0UCE, YI1UNH and YT1AD) will be active with five stations, four amplifiers and a wide range of antennas. It will be possible to follow YI9PSE via Twitter (www.twitter.com/yi9pse). QSL via N6NKT. QSLling policy and further information, including on-line logs and propagation predictions, can be found at www.yi9pse.com

YO - YO6CHB, YO6EZ, YO6GBE, YO6MP and YO6UO will

operate CW, SSB and RTTY as YP1WFF from the Cheile Bicazului - Hasmas National Park on 19-21 March, including activity during the Russian DX Contest. QSL this operation via YO6EZ. [TNX YO6EZ]

YO - Gab, HA3JB will be active as YO/HG3IPA from Romania on 25-27 March. QSL via home call. [TNX HA3JB]

YS - Roberto, I2JIN will be active as YS3CW from El Salvador from 24 March to 11 April. He plans to operate mainly CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX I2JIN]

**YU** - Celebrating the 140th anniversary of the local Volunteer Fire Brigade, Radio



V63MY (OC-260) Photo gallery at <u>dx-world.net</u>

Club Marica-Zemun (YU1AVQ) will be active as YU140Z until 31 May. QSL via YU1AVQ. [TNX VE3ZIK]

**ZK3** - ZK3OU and ZK3YA are the callsigns issued to Bill, N7OU and Bob, W7YAQ for their activity from Tokelau (OC-048). After waiting for weather and sea conditions

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to improve, eventually the boat was scheduled to leave Samoa for Tokelau on 5 March. Bill and Bob expect to be QRV from ZK3 starting on 7 or 8 March. [TNX dxworld.net]

**CARIBBEAN TOUR** ● Alain, F6BFH will be active as FG/F6BFH from Guadeloupe on 5-12 March, and as TO5SM from Saint Martin on 13-23 March. He will operate mainly CW, with some RTTY and SSB, with a focus on the low bands. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX F5NQL]

**PACIFIC ODISSEY** ● Sergey, UX0HX and five other operators (namely Oleg/RK3FA, Leo /UR3HR, Oleg /US7UX/, Yuriy/UT1HF and Alex/UT5UY) will be active from Samoa (OC-097), Central Kiribati (OC-043) and Tokelau (OC-048) between

18 May and 6 June. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-10 metres as follows:

modes on 160-18-19 May 22 May-1 June

5W0OX T31X and T31UR

Central Kiribati Tokelau

Samoa

2-6 June ZK3X Toke

QSL for all Callsigns via UR3HR, direct or bureau. More information, including details on how contribute to the

expedition, at <a href="https://www.uz1hz.com/pacificodyssey.html">www.uz1hz.com/pacificodyssey.html</a> [TNX UT5UY]

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#### **Southern Line Islands DXpedition**

#### From 425 Dx News # 984

Nils, SM6CAS has had to withdraw from the IOTA DXpedition to the Southern Line Islands [425DXN 982], due to his wife's health. "Nils is very keen for this DXpedition to go ahead even though he cannot join us", the other four operators say. He "has been planning this for several years and he is the major financier of the project", and will still be the QSL manager for all callsigns (T32MI, T32CI, T32SI and T32VI). Announced frequencies are 28040, 24920, 21040, 18098, 14040, 10103, 7030 and 3530 kHz (CW); 28460/28495, 24950, 21260, 18128, 14260/ 14195, 7078 and 3795 kHz (SSB). 9M6DXX will operate SSB only, while the other members (G3KHZ, G4EDG, K9AJ) are primarily CW operators. They will "have up to four stations operating simultaneously", 9M6DXX says, "but since there are only four of us this is likely to be only at peak times. We hope to run two stations most of the time and at least one will be on CW. Three of the stations will be 100W, and one station will have an Acom 1010 amplifier. This will normally be used on SSB but may also be used on CW if no-one is on SSB. All antennas will be verticals situated close to the ocean". They do not know in which order they will be visiting the islands, as that "will be decided by the captain and based on the weather and sea conditions". However, they hope to be able to update the website (www.t32line.webnode.com) with the precise dates of operation as they approach each island in turn.

#### From 425 Dx News # 985

After diverting to Fanning Island to pick up passengers, M/V Kwai is expected to arrive at Christmas Island around 2 UTC on 19 March and to leave within 24 hours from that. While waiting for the ship to arrive, the Southern Line Islands team checkd their equipment and operated as T32AJ (QSL via K9AJ). They estimate to be QRV from the first IOTA new one on 24 or 25 March - it is likely to be either Malden (T32MI, OC-279) or Starbuck (T32SI, OC-280). Please note that since this is primarily an IOTA activity, the operators "will be concentrating on providing a contact with as many different stations as possible irrespective of band or mode". They will operate SSB and CW on 80-10 metres, on whichever band "is providing the best propagation conditions at the time". OSL via SM6CAS, direct or bureau.

#### From 425 Dx News # 986

The Line Islands DXpedition team started operations from Malden Island (OC-279) at 00.22 UTC on 25 March. T32MI is QRV with three stations, as "extreme temperature and high winds have limited setting up more antennas and a fourth station". They plan one more night of operation from Malden, and then head for Caroline Island (T32CI, OC-281).





### **CQ WW WPX SSB CONTEST**

The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (27-28 March):

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
3V8SS	SOAB LP	Tunisia	IZ8CCW
4L3A	M/2	Georgia	LY4A
4V4JR	,	Haiti	K4QD
5D5A	M/S	Morocco	I2WIJ
8P5A	SOAB HP	Barbados	NN1N
BX5AA	SOAB HP	Taiwan	BX5AA
C4I	M/?	Cyprus	LZ2HM
CN2BC	SOAB LP	Morocco	DL7BC
CO8LY	SOSB 15m LP	Cuba	EA7ADH
CO8TW	SOSB 20m LP	Cuba	HB9SVT
CQ3L	SOAB	Madeira	DJ6QT
CQ8X	M/?	Azores	OH2BH
CR1M	SO	Azores	SP5ES
CR1Z	SO	Azores	SP5UAF
CR2X	M/?	Azores	OH2BH
CR3A	M/?	Madeira	CT3EE
E20AS	M/S	Thailand	HS1CKC
E51COF	SO SO	South Cooks	K8NA
E51USA	SO	South Cooks	E51CG
EB8AH	M/?	Canary Isls	
EE2W	M/S	Spain	EB2BXL
EJ6DX	M/S	Ireland	RX3RC
EJ8GQB		Ireland	ON4EI
FR/F4EGZ	SO LP	Reunion	
GW9T	M/?	Wales	GW6NLP
H22H	SOAB QRP	Cyprus	5B4MF
HQ2T	SOAB	Honduras	W3HNK
HQ2W	MO	Honduras	HR2DMR
IF9A	M/?	Italy (Sicily)	IT9ATF
JU1DX	M/S	Mongolia	qrz.com
JY5CC	SOAB	Jordan	JY5CC
KHOUA	SOAB HP	Mariana Isls	JF1UCV
	Rookie		
KP3Z	SOAB	Puerto Rico	N4AO
L21D	SO	Argentina	LU7DSY

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
LX7I	SOAB	Luxembourg	LX2A
NH7A	SOAB HP	Hawaii	F5VHJ
OG0Z	SOSB 15m	Aland Isls	WOMM
OH0Z	SOSB 20m	Aland Isls	WOMM
OH8X	SO	Finland	OH2UA
OL80OK	M/2	Czech Rep.	OK1DRQ
OY6A	M/S	Faroe Isls	,
P3N	M/S	Cyprus	RW3RN
P40LY		Aruba	KB6NAN
P41M	SOAB	Aruba	DK1MM
P49Y	SOAB	Aruba	AE6Y
PJ2/OH1VR	SOSB 15m LP	Neth. Antilles	OH1VR
PJ2T	M/2	Neth. Antilles	N9AG
PJ4L		Bonaire	OK7MT
PY5GA	M/M	Brazil	K3IRV
S65Q		Singapore	9V1QQ
ST2AR	SOAB	Sudan	S53R
SZ1TEIA	M/S	Greece	
T70A	SOSB 80m	San Marino	
T77G0	SOSB 20m	San Marino	
TF1CW	SOSB 40m	Iceland	LX1NO
TG9IRP	SO	Guatemala	IK2ILH
TM5W	M/S	France	F5KIN
TO7A	SOAB	Martinique	UT5UGR
V85ZX	SOSB 20m LP	Brunei	V85ZX
VC6R		Canada	VE6SV
VC7C	M/?	Canada	VE7NA
VP50V	SOAB	Turks & Caicos	W5CW
WH0/WH7ZJ	SOSB 10m LP	Mariana Isls	JF1VGZ
XR1A	M/?	Chile	XQ1IDM
XR6T	M/S	Chile	CE3FED
YEOX	M/?	Indonesia	qrz.com
ZC4T	M/S	Cyprus UK SBA	ZC4T
ZP0R	SOAB	Paraguay	ZP5AZL

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <a href="http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxs2010.html">http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxs2010.html</a> - good contest to you all!





# GOOD TO KNOW

2ND PHASE DX SUMMIT ● The "2nd phase DX Summit" will be made available to limited Beta testers for Easter. If you wish to be one, please e-mail Radio Arcala (oh8x@sral.fi). [TNX OH2BH]

**3COC DELAYED** ● The DXpedition to Annobon Island [425DXN 978] has been postponed while the airstrip on the island is undergoing repair for the next two or three months. The team does not consider reaching the island by ship, because it is "difficult, slow and without regularity". Bookmark www.3c0c-annobon.com for updates.

ANTARCTIC BEACON ● The R1ANF permanent beacon has been active from the Russian Antarctic station Bellinghausen on King George Island, South Shetlands since 8 March. The beacon consists of an IC-706, AT-180 antenna tuner, a switching power supply, a PROCOM HF-5000 vertical antenna and a GPS synchronized controller. The beacon is working on 14101.0 kHz and transmits the following message every full minute: "VVV R1ANF ANTBEAP (carrier signal reduced similar to the NCDXF beacons, starting with 100 watts) R1ANF AR". Another beacon is ready to be installed at Novolazarevskaya station and will be active on the same frequency using the callsign R1AND. They are part of the Antarctic Beacon Project (ANTBEAP) to explore wave propagation in the Antarctic region. Reports should be sent to Dominik, DL5EBE. [TNX DX Newsletter]

ARRL INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST (SSB) ● Object of the contest is for W/VE amateurs to work as many stations in as many DXCC countries as possible on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 metre bands, while foreign amateurs (also including KH6, KL7, CY9 and CY0) work as many W/VE stations in as many of the 48 contiguous states and provinces as possible (full rules can be found at www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2010/intldx.html. This year's event will run from from 00.00 UTC on 6 March through 24.00 UTC on the 7th. Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxs2010.html - good contest to you all!

CHILE EMERGENCY ● Following the massive earthquake that hit Chile on 27 February, IARU Region 2 and the Red Chilena Nor Austral de Servicio (RECNA) request amateur radio operators to monitor the following emergency communications frequencies: 3738, 3750, 7050, 7100, 14200, 14350, 21200, 21350, 28300 and 28500 kHz. In addition to the above frequencies, you may also want to listen to the worldwide emergency communication Center of Activity frequencies (14300, 18160 and 21360 kHz), as well as 3720, 7045 and 7060 kHz.



**CLUB LOG** • Club Log (www.clublog.org) is a web-based application that uses a large database to analyse amateur radio log files uploaded by users all over the world. It offers band-mode league tables, efficient log search tools, analysis for DXpedition planning

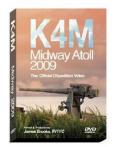
purposes and most wanted lists for DXCC entities (including by date, band or mode for example). Club Log can provide empirical propagation charts, and give back to its users the ability to find "wanted" DX spots, identify QSLing gaps and perform other analysis of their logs which might be hard to do with normal logging software. As of 5 March 2010 there were 3,030 callsigns registered in Club Log and 23,298,182 log entries available for analysis, but some continents are still underrepresented - please help balance the database in order to make reports and statistics more meaningful and representative.

**DXCC NEWS** ● 3V3S (Tunisia, 2009 operation) and D2CO (Angola, current operation) have been arrooved for DXCC credit.

**EA9IE** ● A few days ago Juan, EA9IE reached the 250,000th QSO mark and on 11 March he uploaded his full log to LoTW. "QSLling from my side does not change", he says. Cards can still be sent direct or through the bureau system. His on-line log search is at http://dx.qsl.net/ [TNX EA9IE]

**HC5AI** ● Pablo, HC5NAI passed his final test and now holds the callsign HC5AI. The original holder was his father, Alfo, who passed away in 2005. Pablo can confirm all of the contacts with HC5AI, made by either Pablo himself or his father. QSL direct only, as "there is no outgoing bureau from Ecuador" [TNX NE8Z/HC1MD]

**HELP JUAN FERNANDEZ** ● Stan, SQ8X has created a special website (<u>www.help-juan-fernandez.orq</u>) under the patronage of Radio Club de Chile. "Dedicated to help islanders of Archipelago Juan Fernandez, CEOZ", the website "is intended to inform people about what happened at the island and how to help collect funds to restore the island's infrastructure and islanders' lives. We really hope this will help them as they have helped so many times numerous hams visiting the island". Radio Club de Chile will be 100% responsible for collecting and transferring funds to the islanders.



K4M ● The K4M (Midway Atoll 2009, 44 minutes) DVD, produced by James Brooks, 9V1YC is now available; purchase information can be found at dxvideos.com

**LOGS** ● The first batch of 5R8UI logs (Nosy Be, AF-057) has been uploaded to <a href="www.mdxc.org/5r8ui">www.mdxc.org/5r8ui</a> [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]

**NOT THE MANAGER** ● Khos, JT1CD is receiving cards for contacts made with JT1BH. Khos says he is not the OSL manager for any individual Mongolian station. Please note that JT1CD is shown on grz.com as "administrator" for several JT amateurs, which does not mean he is their "QSL manager".

RADIO MARITIME DAY ● On 10-11 April (from 12 UTC to 12 UTC) merchant marine radio officers from

several countries will be active on the HF bands to meet amateur radio operators for the Radio Maritime Day special event. Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.radiomaritimeday.org">www.radiomaritimeday.org</a>

**RSGB COMMONWEALTH CONTEST** ● The 73rd edition of the Commonwealth (BERU) Contest (<a href="www.beru.org.uk">www.beru.org.uk</a>) will be held on 13-14 March, from 10 UTC to 10 UTC, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW. Only operators located within the Commonwealth or British Mandated Territories are eligible to enter, so please check the list at <a href="www.rsqbcc.org/hf/information/codes.shtml">www.rsqbcc.org/hf/information/codes.shtml</a> before calling.

QSL GALLERY ● The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Thirteen different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (327 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (1014 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2778 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (337 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (22 QSLs), Antarctic bases (803 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 256 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (304 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (96 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (868 QSLs), French Departments (601 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (116 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <a href="www.LesNouvellesdx.fr">www.LesNouvellesdx.fr</a> and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx@free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

T31 OPERATION CANCELLED ● It is with great regret that David/K3LP (Co-Leader) and Hrane/YT1AD (Leader) must inform the DX Community that after 16 months of planning, their DXpedition to Canton Island (www.yt1ad.info/t31/), slated for 11 days in October 2010, will be cancelled. "We planned 6 stations fully equipped for HF plus two additional stations for UHF/VHF/Satellite plus 13-14 operators", they say. "Our goal was to make 100,000 plus QSOs much like our N8S, Swains Island DXpedition in 2006. This decision is based on the announcement by the T31X team planned for June 2010. Unfortunately, it is cheaper to send a smaller crew with three radios and two amplifiers. In light of this recent announcement, the total cost of the trip versus the uniqueness will evaporate prior to our arrival. For this reason, we will pick another location for a future date. Minus some team member partial cash contributions and planned equipment sponsors, there were no cash donations made that need to be refunded. We will forfeit our \$40K cash deposit on the boat and seek other places in 2011". [TNX YT3W]

**TOP LISTS** ● The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at <a href="http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html">http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html</a>. Please note that QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@fastwebnet.it)

**VK9X/G6AY** ● Phil, G3SWH and Jim, G3RTE made 10,256 QSOs during their recent operation from Christmas Island. Phil's website (<a href="www.g3swh.org.uk">www.g3swh.org.uk</a>) is now up and working again, and the log has been added to the search facility (it will be uploaded to LoTW as soon as the ARRL issues the relevant certificate). [TNX G3SWH]



#### **POSTAL RATES**



**9A** ● Tom, 9A2AA reports that Croatian postal rates have changed recently and mentions a few examples:

surface mail up to 50 gr to anywhere	7.10 Kn
air mail to Europe up to 20 gr	8.10 Kn
air mail to USA up to 20 gr	10.10 Kn
air mail to Japan up to 20 gr	10.30 Kn
air mail to South America up to 20 gr	10.50 Kn

The on-line calculator at <a href="https://www.posta.hr">www.posta.hr</a> is being upgraded to reflect the new rates. Tom also says that 1 USD is approximately 5.00 Kn, 1 EUR is approximately 7.30 Kn and that 1 IRC covers air mail postage up to 20 grams to anywhere.

**HB9 &HB0 ●** Postal rates in Switzerland will rise on 1 April. The new prices for standard letter items up to 20 grams are as follows:

Europe	Economy	CHF 1.30	Other countries	Economy	CHF 1.60
	Priority	CHF 1.40		Priority	CHF 1.90

A Mail Calculator on-line service is provided by Swiss Post (<a href="www.poste.ch">www.poste.ch</a>). Please note that the same rates apply to Liechtenstein, as postal services in that Principality are operated by Swiss Post, under the terms of an agreement between the two countries. 1 IRC covers Economy postage for a standard letter item up to 20 grams to anywhere in the world. At the current exchange rate, 1 USD is +/- 1.05 CHF, and 1 EUR is +/- 1.45 CHF. [TNX HB9DKZ]

#### QSL

**D44AC** ● Mario, IK3HHX says he is receiving direct and bureau card requests for D44AC, but he is not his QSL manager. He can confirm only QSOs made between 21 March and 2 April 2002, when D44AC was operated by 4L5A. Otherwise cards should be sent diret to Carlos Pulu, P.O. Box 398, Mindelo, Sao Vicente, Cape Verde.

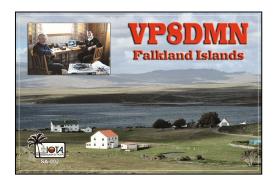
**VQ9LA** ● Starting 15 April 2010, the new QSL route will be via N0QM: Larry Arneson, 705 Rhodes Ave, Grandview, MO 64030, USA. Larry will be departing Diego Garcia in December, and he wants the mail going in the right direction prior to that. All QSL cards sent to the FPO Box will be honoured up to December 2010. [TNX VQ9LA]

QSL VIA MOOXO ● Charles, MOOXO has taken over QSLing duties for Michael, G7VJR. This covers the following expeditions G7VJR previously handled himself: CU2/G7VJR (EU-003), EI/G7VJR (EU-006), GB75UW, GD7VJR (EU-116), GJ7VJR/p (EU-013), GM7VJR (EU-008), GU7VJR (EU-114), GW7VJR, JW/G7VJR (EU-026), JX/G7VJR (EU-022), JX/SQ4MP (EU-022), OY/G7VJR (EU-018), TF/G7VJR (EU-021), VP8DMN (SA-002) and ZD8UW (AF-003). A few expeditions are not changing: YS1G is still managed by G3TXF, and GH6UW (EU-099) is still managed by M0BLF. Also, no change on K3VOA (short term guest). G7VJR's page on qrz.com sums up the correct routing for all cards. Any QSLs that are in the mail already will receive a reply, and no cards will be left unanswered. [TNX G7VJR]



Recently reported Silent Keys include Zlatko Mihelcic (9A2CE), Michel Pronier (F5ODS), Claude Cezac (F8MPA), Mike Dixon (G3PFR), Barry J. Phillimore (G4VXT), Miguel Andrade Marin (HC1AB), Antonio Monaco (IK8BPJ), John E. Kent Jr. (K1VMI), Sue C. Persing (K3SUE), Alfred L. Pedneau Sr (K5HKG), Kenneth M. Miller (K6IR), Juan Carlos Oxoby (LU1CC), Jose Sebastiao Verago (PQ2JSV), Nikolaj I. Tranevskij (RA6AGF), Peter Linsley (SV0XBM/9), Charalampos "Babis" Tsimpogiannes (SV9AQH), Herman M. Shelchkov (UA3GM), Kim D. Bednarcik (UA4OH), Vladimir M. Shimko (US9QA), William "Bill" W. Loucks (VE3AR), David Toth (VE3GYQ), Alf Coupe (VK3CQE), N. Ramachandra Rao (VU2NO), Daniel R. "Bob" Dorsey Jr. (W4RQ, ex K4UVT), Darragh (WA6IKS/HS0ZAG), Patricia Flaine Gibbons (WA6IKE), Joe T. Pinella (WA9VGY), and Jose Italo Giammattei

E. McCluer (WA6IKS/HS0ZAG), Patricia Elaine Gibbons (WA6UBE), Joe T. Pinella (WA9VGY) and Jose Italo Giammattei Risso (YS1IM).









# **QSL ROUTES**

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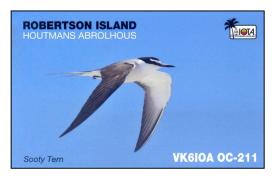
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3Z0PDXA	SP3POZ	EMOX	UT2XQ	PJ2/WB9Z	AF9H
4A2S	W7RJ	EO2FFF	UT2FA	PJ2T	N9AG
4K5D	K2PF	ES75ERAU	ES1QD	PJ4/K2NG	WA2NHA
4L0G	EA7FTR	FP5BZ	F5TJP	PJ4G	WA2NHA
4L2IKA	EA7FTR	GB0VUL	G8JIP	РЈ7В	W8EB
4L50	N3SL	GB0WWF	M00X0	PJ7MF	IZ1MHY
4S7ULG	UY5ZZ	HA100KONE	HA5AZZ	PY7ZBK	HB9BEI
5B4AIF	EB7DX	HC1HC	NE8Z	PZ5LP	PA1LP
5C5W	EA5XX	HF100HP	SP1ZCV	R1FJM	RX3MM
5E50SA	EA7FTR	HG0WFF	MHOAH	RK1G	RZ3LC
5H6CC	IN3ATM	HH2/LA5IIA	LA4YW	RW2F	DK4VW
5N50EAM	IK2IQD	HH2/PA5M	PA7FM	RZ1CWC/p	RN1CW
5N50K	LZ1CL	HI3K	KB2MS	SN50SPP	SP9PSJ
5N7M	OM3CGN	HK1N	EA5KB	SP9YFF	SQ9IDG
5R8UI	IZ8CCW	HL105KRC	DS5FNE	SZ3P	SV3DCX
5V7BR	F2VX	HS0AC	HSOZFZ	T46A	CO6LC
5W5A	K6HFA	IIOIDP	ISOSDX	T88ME	7N1RTO
6W1SJ	E73Y	IIOIDR	IZOFVD	TF2CT	EA7FTR
6Y9V	WD9DZV	II1ICS	I1SAF	TF3CW	LX1NO
7P8A0	набао	II1IGG	I2AZ	TF3ZA	KT6YL
8P0P	8P9NX	II3ICZ	IW3IE	TF8GX	KT6YL
8P55AW	8P6AW	II4A	IK4ADE	TI5N	W3HNK
8P5A	NN1N	II8ICN	IK8JPV	TI8M	TI2KAC
8P9JG	NN1N	J28AA	K2PF	TM7CC	F9IE
8P9RY	AA6YQ	J37B0	K4LTA	TO5A	F5VHJ
9A0HRS	9A3JB	J37K	AC8G	TP60CE	F5LGF
9G5XA	G3SWH	J5UAP	HA3AUI	TY2SF	IK2IQD
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9M4STE	9W2ZE	J7Y	K1LI	UN7AB	DL8KAC
900AR/6	ON6NL	JI1FGX/DU9	JF1LZQ	UN7CC	KI6Y
9Q0HQ	ON6NL	JW5HE	LA5HE	V26M	W3HNK
9V1UV	N5UCF	KHOAC	K7ZA	V63MY	OM2SA
9Y/DL2DBE	DJ5BWD	L21D	LU7DSY	V63TO	OM2SA
A61R	EA7FTR	LP1H	EA5KB	VG6XDX	VE6LB
A65BD	G5LP	LR2F	LU2FA	VK6AU	N1DT
AP2NK	W3HNK	LT0D	LU6DU	VK9C/NL8F	K8NA
AY8A	LU8ADX	LU6FOV	EA5KB	VK9CFNEGE VK9CF	K8NA
BX2ABD	JN3TVX	LW3DC	EA5KB	VP2MCC	G4FAL
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C56KR	OZ8KR	LW5EE	EA5FL	VP2MPE VP2MPR	W1USN
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C6AMM	K1CN	LX7I	LX2A	VU3DJQ	EA7FTR
C6AWS	W6SJ	LY11A	LXZA LY5A	W1M	N7UN
CE1Z	CE1TKL	LY11BY	LY3BY	W2R	AB2IO
CM3RPN	EB7DX	LY11BY LY11GV	LY2GV	XR2A	CE3BBC
	CT1CDP				
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CN3A	I2WIJ	LY11QT	LY2QT	YI9VDW	W4VDW
CN8WL	IOYKN	LY20INDP	LY1CT	YN2EA	W5PF
CO2WL	HA3JB	LY20NX	LY3NX	YN2MG	W5PF
CO6CAC	EA5KB	LY20PSK	LY3X	YN2TKI	W5PF
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CR2X	OH2BH	LZ44WFF	LZ1ZF	YU140Z	YU1AVQ
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CX1JJ	EA5KB	OC4FZ	OA40	ZK3OU	N7OU
DR200HU	DG8MH	OD5O	OD5NJ	ZK3YA	W7YAQ

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DR775TMG	DJ8QP	ON300N	ON4CAS	ZL4M	ZL4PW
E71DX	E77E	OV1CDX	OZ1GML	ZP0R	ZP5AZL
E72W	E77E	OX2A	OZ1ACB	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
ED5M	EA5FL	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	ZP8VAO	K2DER
EG1AAW	EA1GIB	P3J	5B4AHJ	ZS6CCY	K3IRV
EG7DCA	EA7URS	P40A	WD9DZV	ZV7C	PT7JP
EG7EA	EA7URM	P40N	W3HNK	ZX1MH	PT2OP

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3B8GT	RX3DD	E51COF	K8NA	P40YL	AI6YL
3Z0RADIO	SP9SX	E74A	K2PF	P41M	DK1MM
4J0WFF	4J5T	E79D	E77E	P49MR	VE3MR
4J3M	DL7EDH	EJ8GQB	ON4EI	PJ4/W9NJY	WD9DZV
4J9M	DL7EDH	EM20UCC	UT7UJ	PJ4L	OK7MT
4L3A	LY4A	EN1IFF	UR3IBV	PW5G	PP5VB
4L4CC	RV1CC	EP3PK	IK2DUW	PX2T	PY2DN
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4S7LF	OZ6ZV	EX2U	IK2QPR	S79GM	GM4FDM
5C2J	IK7JWX	EX7MK	IK2QPR	SE800M	SM6VVT
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5C2Q	IK2GPQ	FM1HN	NI5DX	SN80PZK	SP5PPA
5C2SG	IZ7ATN	FM5WD	W3HNK	SN85IARU	SP4OZ
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5C2Y	IK8GPY	GB5SPD	MN0AKU	SQ85IARU	SP3MGM
5P5CW	DL5SE	на125ннот	HA6MW	ST2AR	S53R
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7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HC7AE	EA7FTR	T32MI	SM6CAS
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CE9/R1ANF	RK1PWA	J88DR	G3TBK	VQ9ZZ	N1ZZZ
CN2R	W7EJ	JD1BNA	JL1UTS	VX3S	VE3NNG
CO3JN	EB7DX	JT1GCW	6K2GCW	W4/VG3RA	VE3IKV
CR1M	SP5ES	K1HP/KH0	JE2EHP	XV2RZ	OH4MDY
CR1Z	SP5UAF	KL7J	N3SL	YB8BYL	EA7FTR
CX2AQ	EA5KB	LX30AK	LX1CC	YB8EXL	EA7FTR
CX7CO	WB3CDX	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	YP1WFF	YO6EZ
D2CQ	CT1IUA	LY20W	LY5W	YS3CW	I2JIN
D2EB	IZ3ETU	LZ180FT	LZ2VP	Z21BB	W3HNK
D2QMN	RZ3EC	MCOSHL	M0URX	Z21FO	K3IRV
D44TD	CT1EKF	MM0DGR/p	MM0DFV	Z22JE	K3IRV
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DA0HEL	DF6QC	OL10AMPER	OK1DRQ	ZF2UL	K3UL
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DF0WFF	DL2VFR	P29CS	MOURX	ZP6/N3BNA	KA2AEV
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