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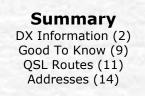


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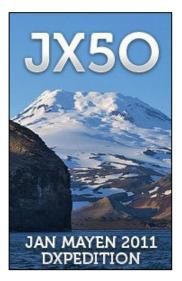


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### **DX INFORMATION**

#### **NEW DXCC ENTITY: THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN**



On 14 July the UN General Assembly admitted the Republic of South Sudan as the 193rd member of the United Nations. Consequently, South Sudan has been added to the DXCC List as a new Entity (the 341st on the "current" list, thus moving the Honor Roll threshold to 332), by way of Section II, 1(a) of the DXCC Rules.

The DXCC entity code assigned to Republic of South Sudan is 521. This is a totally new Entity for all DXers (i.e. the deleted Entity of Southern Sudan, STO has NOT been reinstated, as per DXCC Rules), and the DXCC Desk will begin immediately accepting QSOs for it, with a start date of July 14, 2011. "The deadline for the Honor Roll and annual listings is December 31, so you must submit the new entity to DXCC by then in order to retain your Honor Roll status," Bill Moore, NC1L explained. "For Logbook of The World (LoTW), you may submit all your QSOs with the Republic of South Sudan stations anytime.

There is no need to hold them out of your log or do anything differently from what you already have been doing. You do not need to assign country names or identifiers. After we issue certificates to the Republic of South Sudan license holders, LoTW will make matches and assign the correct entities automatically."

The Republic of South Sudan is also the newest addition to the CQ DX Award Countries List (it is #342, as CQ counts Kosova). Verifications confirming contacts after July 14, 2011 are acceptable for credit. No award credit is available for southern Sudan contacts made during the 1980s and 90s. The new addition will be reflected in CQ DX Honor Roll totals to be compiled near the end of September. South Sudan will count as a country (entity) multiplier for the CQ DX Marathon, the CQ World Wide DX Contest and any other CQ contests that use country multipliers.

As of 14 July, the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) has not announced a prefix block for the Republic of South Sudan.

**8P** - Carsten, DF1XC will be active as 8P9XC from Barbados (NA-021) from 23 July to 15 August. He will operate holiday style on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

**9A** - Pontus, SMORUX will be active as 9A/SMOR from the island of Hvar (EU-016) on 10-15 July. He plans to operate "from different beaches mainly during daytime". QSL via SMORUX, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org] **9A** - Daniel, DK3CH will be active as 9A/DK3CH from Dugi Otok (EU-170) from 28 July to 10 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

**9A** - Alessandro, IZ4AMS will be active as 9A8AMS from Sveti Nikola Island (EU-110) from 29 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. OSL via home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

**9A** - Andrea, IK6VXO and Italo, IK6JNH will be active as 9A/homecall from Drvenik Veli Island (EU-016) between 31 July and 5 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK6VXO]

**BV** - Twelve operators from Taiwan, Japan and Malaysia will participate in the IOTA Contest as BV100 (www.bv100.tw/EN/) from Kinmen Island (AS-102). QSL via BV2KI. [TNX NG3K]

**C2** - Pekka, OH2YY will be active as C21YY (requested callsign) from Nauru (OC-031) on 11-20 July. He will operate SSB only with a tribander and dipoles for 40, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX OH2YY]

**C9** - Dave, ZR6DG will be active as C92DG from Tofo, Mozambique on 14-28 July. Plans are "to do two DX sessions a day" along with Helge, ZS6HB. QSL via ZR6DG.



BV100 from Kinmen Island (AS-102)

be found at <a href="http://ce4a.yolasite.com/">http://ce4a.yolasite.com/</a>
 CE0\_ei - Frank, I2DMI will be active as CE0Y/I2DMI from Easter Island (SA-001) on 2-9 August. He will operate RTTY only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. All of the QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL as soon as he returns home. Further information can be found

CE - Cezar, VE3LYC and Dino, CE3PG will attempt to

operate from Pupuya Island (SA-095, new one) on 20-23

November. Weather and sea conditions can influence

significantly the landing and operation schedule. They

will be signing CE4A on 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres SSB

and CW, with two stations (100 watts) and multiband

verticals. QSL via VE3LYC, direct or bureau. Further

information, including QSLling istructions and details on

how contribute to this difficult and expensive project, can

at <u>www.mdxc.org/ce0yi2dmi/</u> **CO** - Radio Club Las Tunas will participate in the CQ WW VHF Contest (16-17 July) as T48K, on 6 and 2

metres, from Grid Square FL10mw. QSL via DK1WI. [TNX CO8ZZ] CT7 - Special event station CQ730 will

be active on 11-17 July for the 30th International Motorcycle Rally in Faro, Portugal. QSL via

CT1EHX. [TNX CT1GFK] **CT7** - CT1BOL, CT1DZR, CT1EAV, CT1EEB, CT1ENV, CT1FFU, CT1FJL, CT1HXB and CT1IZW will be active from Berlenga Island (EU-040) on 29-31 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as CR5B; outside the contest they will be signing homecall/p on all bands, 60m included. The authorized 60m band frequencies in Portugal are 5288,5 SSB & CW, 5371,5 SSB & CW,



Berlenga Grande (EU-040)

5403,5 SSB & CW. QSL CR5B via CT1BOL, others via home calls. [TNX CT1EEB]

**CT7** - Antonio CT1EPV (CU8AS), Hermann CT3FN (HB9CRV) and Siggi DL2HYH will be active as CS2W from Insua Island (EU-150) and lighthouse on 1-7 August. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40-6 metres during their daytime. QSL via HB9CRV.

**DL** - Look for Stefan, DF8HS/p to be active from Fehmarn Island (EU-128) on 9-29 July. QSL via home

call, bureau preferred. [TNX rsgbiota.org] **DL** - Volker, DL1WH will be active holiday style from Amrum Island (EU-042) from 28 July to 5 August. He will operate mainly CW with 100 watts to a vertical or dipole. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DL1WH]

**E7** - Special event station E76BARDF will be active on 10-20 July for the 6th Balkan ARDF Championship to be held in Zenica, Bosnia and Herzegovina (http://6bardf2011.net/). QSL via E71EZC. [TNX E77E]

**EI** - A group of operators from the Galway Radio Experimenters Club (EI4GRC) and the Shannon Basin Radio Club (EI2SBC) will participate in the IOTA Contest as EJ3Z from Inishbofin (EU-121). QSL via EI3Z. Operators mentioned are EI2EO, EI2II, EI3ER, EI3HA, EI4AL, EI4CF, EI5GT, EI6GGB, EI6IB, EI6JK, EI7DMB, EI8IH, EI8IU and EI9HX; on the days leading up to the contest, members will be active using their own callsigns as well

as EJ4GRC on HF and VHF. [TNX Southgate ARC] **EI** - Members of the Dalkey Island Contest Group will be active as EI1DD from the main island of Ireland (EU-115) during the IOTA Contest. QSL only via bureau. [TNX EI7CC]

ES - Juri, ES5GP will be active from Vaindloo Island (EU-149) from 27 July to 3 August. He will operate SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, 6 and 2 metres, and will participate in the IOTA Contest as either ES4GP or ES4WK. QSL via bureau. [TNX NG3K]
F - Special event station TM98TF will be active on 1-14 July for the 98th Tour de France. Expect activity on the HF bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via F6KUF, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

**F** - Russell, G5XW will be active holiday style as F/G5XW from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 4-9

July. QSL direct to home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org] **F** - Special callsign TM2CV will in use during the 19th World Meeting of 2CV Friends that will be held in Salbris, France on 26-31 July. QSL via F6KJX. [TNX F8REF]

**F** - The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (TP2CE, ewwa.free.fr) will be active again as TP50CE on 29-31 July. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FQK]

**F** - F4RTE, F5IL, F5JY, F5NKX, F5RJM, F6BFH, F8PDR and ON4LO will be active as TM5SM from the Saint Marcouf Islands (EU-081) on 11-15 August. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands (except 160 metres). QSL via F5RJM, direct or bureau.

**FP** - Victor, VA2WDQ will be active as FP/VA2WA from Miquelon (NA-032) on 7-11 July. His main goal is to take part in the IARU HF World Championship (SOAB CW LP), with activity on 12, 17 and 30 metres, plus 6m if



Insua Island (EU-150)

[TNX rgsbiota.org]

**G** - The Cestrian Scout Group from Chester (England) will be active as GB2COS on 29-31 July. They plan to be QRV on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 metres. The station is to coincide with and make contact with the

22nd World Scout Jamboree in Sweden (see SM below). QSL via G7BQY. [TNX G7BQY]

**GD** - Look for MD/DC5SAN, MD/DG1SBU, MD/DG5SBK, MD/DG7SF, MD/DH1SBB, MD/DJ4AK, MD/DK1SG, MD/DL1SPH and MD/DL6SBN to be active from the Isle of Man on 7-14 July. The will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. They will participate in the IARU HF World

Championship (9-10 July) as MD9Y on SSB (QSL direct only to GD3YUM). [TNX rgsbiota.org]

**GM** - Guy G3ZHL, Ken G3YKI and Trevor G8IBO hope to be active (80-6 metres may be possible) as GM3ZHL/p from various IOTA island groups in north west Scotland during a sailing trip from 9 to 22 July. The route and activations will depend totally on the weather. QSL via GM3ZHL (bureau) or direct to G3ZHL's permanent address in England. [TNX G3ZHL]

**GM** - Andre, GM3VLB plans to operate from several islands in the Shetland (EU-012) and Orkney (EU-009) groups between 28 July and 18 August. Look for him around 14257.5 kHz. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

**GM** - Lanarkshire Contest Group's member GM0ELP will be active as MM3T from the Isle of Bute (EU-123) on 30-31 July for the IOTA Contest (12 hours, CW). QSL via eQSL only, as "we do not have paper QSL cards" (but IOTA chasers will be able to claim credit online once the contest logs are uploaded to www.rsgbiota.org). [TNX

**GU** - MU/PA9M is the callsign the PA6Z Contest and DX Team will be using from Guernsey (EU-114) on 23-30 October [425DXN 1049], including a Multi-Multi entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. They will operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres with up to seven stations. QSL via PA9M, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.pa6z.nl/guernsey 2011

**GW** - The G50 Contest Group will be active as GW50 from Holy Island (EU-124) from 29 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via the bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

**I** - The following HQ stations (<u>www.ik3qar.it/iaru</u>) will represent the Associazione Radioamatori Italiani in the IARU HF World Championship: IO1HQ (40m and 80m CW), IO4HQ (15m CW, 20m CW and SSB, 80m SSB,



Île du Large, St. Marcouf (EU-081)

rsgbiota.org]

conditions allow, mainly CW before and after the contest. [TNX DX World]

**G** - Phil, G3SWH will be QRV on CW only using the special callsign MORSE (<u>www.m0rse.org</u>) over the weekend of 2-3 July 2011 on all bands from 80 to 10 metres. QSL via G3SWH. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW afterwards. [TNX G3SWH]

**G** - The Wakefield & District Radio Society will be active as GB1HI from Holy (Lindisfarne) Island (EU-120) on 15-18 July. QSL via M0OXO. 160m CW and SSB), IO5HQ (40m SSB), IO8HQ (15m SSB) and IO9HQ (10m CW and SSB). [TNX I2WIJ]

**I** - Weather permitting, the Extreme DX & Contest Group will be active as IL3A from La Certosa (EU-131) on 23 July. The operators will be Nicola IZ3EBA, Stefano IZ3NVR and Sergio IZ3NXC; look for them on 40 and 20 metres SSB and CW. QSL via IK3HHX, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ3EBA]

**I** - Alfio, IT9EJW and other ten operators (IT9ATQ, IT9GAC, IT9RKR, IT9RYJ, IT9VKY, IT9ZZO, IW9BCW, IW9GUR, IW9HLI and IW9HQP) will participate in the IOTA Contest as IT9EJW/p from Lachea Island (EU-166). QSL via IT9EJW, direct or bureau.

I - Vincenzo, IK7IMO, Piero IK7VJX and Roberto IK7XIV will be active on SSB and CW as IJ7A (<u>http://ij7a.altervista.org/blog/</u>) from San Pietro Island (EU-073) on 29-31 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via IK7IMO, direct or bureau. [TNX IK7XIV]

**I** - A large group of operators from ARMI Taranto and the 599 DX Team will be active as IJ7DX from San Pietro Island (EU-073) on 18-21 August. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands with three stations. QSL via IZ7LDC. Further information and QSLling instructions can be found at <u>www.armi.ta.it/ij7dx</u> [TNX IZ7AUH]

**I** - IK8LIU, IK8WEJ, IZ0FKE, IZ8EDJ, IZ8EGM, IZ8KNW, IZ8LKL, IZ8OJG and IZ8UZF will be active as IC8L from Licosa Island (EU-031, IIA SA-001) on 7 August. QSL via IZ8EGM, direct or bureau.

 ${\bf IS0}$  - Claudio, IZ1DNJ and a large group of operators will be active on all bands and modes as IM0P from San Pietro Island (EU-165, IIA CI-009) between 22 July and



2 August, IOTA Contest included. Depending on weather and sea conditions they will also operate from a number of nearby islands: Isola del Corno (EU-165, IIA CI-001), Isola Piana (EU-165, IIA CI-007), Isola dei

Ratti (EU-165, IIA CI-008), Isola di Calavinagra (EU-165, IIA CI-011), Isola di Stea (EU-165, IIA CI-016), Isola Genia (EU-165, IIA CI-019) and Isola Sant'Antioco (EU-024, IIA CI-010). QSL via IZ1DNJ. [TNX IZ1DNJ]

**JA** - Yoshi, JJ8DEN plans to be active as JJ8DEN/8 from a few islands in the AS-147 IOTA group: Rebun (30-31 July), Rishiri (1-2 August), Teuri (4-5 August) and Yagishiri (6-7 August). This schedule might be cancelled without notice due to sea conditions. He plans are to be QRV on 40-6 metres CW, RTTY, PSK31 and JT65A. QSL

via home call, direct or bureau. JD1\_mt - Take, JG8NQJ/JD1 is active from Minami Torishima (OC-073) until mid-October. During this period he will be QRV on 17 and 30 metres; he will return to the island in December and be active on all bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DX World]

JD1\_oga- Makoto, JI5RPT (www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/) will be active as JD1BLY from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara on 1-7 August. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 40-6 metres.



*St. Matthew Island (NA-232)* http://www.panoramio.com/photo/33998768

QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

**JW** - Fred, G3SVK says he will be active from Svalbard as JW/G3SVK for one day only, on 25 July. He will be QRV mostly on CW, but could try some SSB if time permits.

**JX** - Announced frequencies for the 4-16 July JX50 operation from Jan Mayen [425DXN 1044] are as follows: 7024 10124 14032 18082 21032 24902 28032 50094 (CW); 7034 10141 14086 18105 21086 24920 28090 (RTTY);7038 10141 14074 18098 21068 24920 28074 (BPSK-63); 7074/7144 14215 18135 21275 24955 28505 50120 (SSB). QSL via SQ8X. QSLling instructions and further information can be found at http://janmayen2011.org/

**KH8** - Ron, WA8LOW and other four operators will be active as WA8LOW/KH8 from Tutuila (OC-045), American Samoa on 1-17 August. They will run four high power stations on 160-6 metres all modes. QSL via WA8LOW. [TNX The Daily DX]

**KL** - Chuck, KL7OH has cancelled his announced activity from Sarichef Island (NA-152) [425DXN 1051]. "A valiant effort will be made for 2012", he says.

**KL** - Rick, K6VVA says that "there is a slight possibility for a brief NA-172 activation as K9AJ/KL7 right after NA-242". Rick and Mike expect to be QRV from Point Lay Barrier Island (NA-242, new one) between 22 and 26 July [425DXN 1051]. Check www.k6vva.com/iota/na242/news.html for updates.

**KL** - Yuri, UA90BA has joined the KL7RRC team (Yuri, N3QQ and Tim, NL8F) that will attempt to operate from St. Matthew Island (NA-232, new one) [425DXN 1053]. Estimated dates now are 20-26 July, depending on weather conditions. They plan to be QRV on SSB, CW and possibly PSK31 and RTTY, with full size vertical dipoles for 20, 17 and 15m and two 1/4 wave verticals for 40 and 30m. QSL via UA90BA or N7RO. Further information at http://na-234.com/ [TNX DX World]

**LA** - Helge, LA1QDA will be active from Store Sotra (EU-055) on 11-31 July. He will be QRV on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

**LA** - Chris, LA8OM will be active from Finnoy (EU-055) on 28-31 July, including an entry (24 hours CW) in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX NG3K]

**LU** - The following HQ stations will represent the Radio Club Argentino in the IARU HF World Championship: LR5F (15m and 40m CW), LR5H (10 and 20m SSB), LR6F (15 and 80m SSB), LR6H (160m SSB), LR7F (20 and 80m CW, 40m SSB) and LR7H (10 and 160m CW). QSL via LU4AA. [TNX LU8ADX]

**LX** - The Luxembourg Amateur Radio Society (RL) will participate in the IARU HF World Championship as LX0HQ. Twenty-two operators from Luxembourg, Germany and The Netherlands will be QRV from three different locations (Eisenborn at LX0RL, Eschdorf at LX7I and Bascharage at LX1TI) with nine stations. QSL via

LX2A (email requests for bureau cards can be sent to <u>Ix0hq@rlx.lu</u>) and LoTW. A live webcam from Eschdorf will be available during the contest at <u>www.lx2a.com</u>. [TNX LX2A]

**LZ** - Stan LZIGC, Dechko LZ1QV, Boyko LZ1QN, Boris LZ2JR, Nasko LZ3YY and Todor LZ5TS will be active as LZ0I from Sveti Ivan Island (EU-181) on 29-31 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via LZ1BJ, bureau preferred. [TNX LZ1BJ]

**LZ** - Laci LZ/HA0HW, Tomi LZ/HA4DX and Ivan LZ1PJ will travel through Bulgaria from the Serbian border to the Black Sea area between 6 and 21 August. They will stop in different

Bulgarian National Parks and will try to operate a few hours from each. During the second week they will go on a side trip to one of the islands in IOTA group EU-181. All activities will take place mostly on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home calls. Direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]

OH - "Working OH2HQ may land you not only another HQ multiplier but may give you a good feeling and reinforce your faith in the future of Amateur Radio". Look for four teenagers - namely Mari OH2FPK (18), Leevi OH2FHN (17), Joona OH2FPG (13) and Joel OH2FHI (13)

- will take control of Finland's 20m SSB IARUU HQ Station at Radio Arcala Read the details on www.radioarcala.com [TNX OH2BN]

OH - Ian, G4FSU will be active again as OH/G4FSU from Emsalo Island (EU-097) from 16 July to 10 August, including an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

OH - Jari, OH1JO will be active again as OH1K from Kaunissaari Island (EU-140) between 28 July and 4 August. He will operate mainly on 20 metres. QSL via OH1JO, direct or bureau.

OHO - Eric, SM1TDE will be active holiday style as OH0/SM1TDE from Eckero, Aland Islands (EU-002) on 21-24 July. Look for him around 2 kHz from the band edges on 80-10m CW. QSL via the bureau and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

OZ - Chris, DL4FO will be active as OZ/DL4FO from Tuno Island (EU-172) on 17-29 July. He will operate mainly

CW on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

OZ - Dieter, DF2SD will be active holiday style as OZ/DF2SD from Fano Island (EU-125) from 23 July to 2 August. He will operate SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via home call, direct and LoTW. or bureau, [TNX rsgbiota.org]

OZ - Axel, DL7VEA will be active as OZ7VEA from Bornholm Island (EU-030) from 24 July to 5 August, including a 12-hour entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via DL7VEA, bureau preferred. Updates will be

http://oz7vea2011.blogspot.com/ posted **I**TNX to rsgbiota.org]

OZ - Look for Rene, DH3BEA to be active as OZ/DH3BEA from Fano Island (EU-125) from 24 July to 5 August. OSL via home call, direct or bureau, [TNX rsqbiota.org] OZ - Andreas, DL7AT and other four operators will be active as OZOTX from Mando Island (EU-125) from 28 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau; direct

cards should be sent to DL7AT. [TNX rsgbiota.org] OZ - Mike, DG5LAC and Petra, DB1LPS will be active as OZ/DG5LAC from Bjorno Island (EU-172) from 29 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. Expect activity on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via DG5LAC, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

OZ - Look for OZ7BQ/p to be active from Drejo Island (EU-172) between 29 July and 5 August, including an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call (bureau preferred) and LoTW. [TNX VA3RJ]

**OZ** - Ric, DL2VFR will be active as OZ0FR/p from Aero Island (EU-172) on 6-19 August. He will operate mostly CW, with some SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]



PA - Beni ON3BL, Eddy ON4CCK, Erik ON4CCV, Francois ON4LO and Walter ON8CW will be active as PA/ON4LO/p from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146) on 22-24 July. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via ON4LO, direct or bureau. [TNX ON4LO]

PY - Special event station PT155FD will be active on 1-30 July to commemorate the 155th anniversary of the founding of the first Brazilian Fire Department in Rio de Janeiro. Activity will be on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB. OSL via PS7AB, direct or bureau (email requests for bureau cards can be sent to ps7ab@yahoo.com). [TNX PS7AB]

PY - Orlando, PT2OP will be active as PQ3C from Chui Lighthouse (ARLHS BRA-024) on 17-20 July. He will be QRV on 10-40 metres SSB. QSL via PT2OP, direct or bureau. [TNX PS7AB] PY - PU7RLM, PY7AHA, PY7GK, PY7OO, PY7VI and PY7XC will be active as PY7CRA/p from Itamaraca Island (SA-046) on 29-31 July. QSL to PY7CRA, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org] PY - Orlando, PT2OP as PQ8OP and

Fred, PY2XB as PQ8XB will be active Parazinho Biological Reserve, Bailique

from the Archipelago (SA-045) [425DXN 1051] on 17-24 August. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 40-10 metres. They will have 6m capabilities and will monitor the band for openings. QSL PQ8OP via PT2OP, QSL PQ8XB via PT7WA. [TNX PT2OP]

SM - Lars, SM3BDZ and Thomas, SM3DMP will be active as SF3U from Norra Ulvon (EU-087) on 11-13 July. They plan to be QRV holiday style on 30, 20 and 17 metres.

QSL via SM3DMP, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

SM - Special event station SJ22S (http://sj22s.simplyscouting.se/) will be active from 27 July to 7 August during the 22nd World Scout Jamboree to be held near Rinkaby, Sweden. The site will be staffed and operated 24/7 by a select team of 40 amateur radio operators from around the world. SV - Laci, HAONAR will be active as SX8R from Thassos Island (EU-

174) from 25 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. He will be QRV on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via

home call. [TNX DX World]

SV - Look for Laci HA6NL (J48NL), Sanyi HA7JJS (J48JJ), Laci HA7PL (J48P) and Andor HA5AOP (SV8/HA5AOP) to be active from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 27 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included, OSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

SV5 - SV5BYR, SW5KKR and a group of operators from Crete will participate in the IOTA Contest as J45K from Kasos Island (EU-001, WWL KM35kj). Activity is expected to start on 27 July on the HF bands as well as on 6m, 4m, 2m even on 1,2 GHz if conditions allow. QSL via SV9DJO and LotW.

SV9 - Ron, WB2GAI will be active as SV9/WB2GAI/p from Chania, Crete (EU-015) from 29 August to 30 September. He will operate CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call (DX stations via bureau, USA stations direct). Ron still has his logs for 2001, 2005 and 2009. [TNX WB2GAI]

T32 - Giovanni, I5JHW (<u>http://i5jhw.weebly.com/</u>) will be active holiday style as T32JB from Kiritimati (Christmas Island, OC-024) on 17-24 August. He will operate SSB, CW and RTTY with 100 watts and a 7- band vertical. QSL via I5JHW, direct or bureau. [TNX I5JHW]

Bailique Archipelago (SA-045)

**T8** - Masumi JA3AVO/T88MB (CW), his wife Hiroko JH3PBL/T88MP (SSB) and their grandson Shota W7AED/T88SR (SSB) will be active as T8XO from Koror (OC-009), Palau on 22-24 July. Activity will be on 160-6 metres. QSL T8XO via JA3AVO.

**TA** - Special event station TC7EYOF will be active on 23-30 July for the 11th European Youth Olympic Festival to be held in Trabzon. QSL via YM7KA, direct or bureau. [TNX TA7OM]

**TA** - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Turkish Air Force, the TC Special Wireless Activity Team will operate as TC100TAF on 23-31 July. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]

**TA** - Look for TC1LHW (from Karaburun Lighthouse) and TC7LHW (from Yoros Lighthouse) to be active on 1-8 August. Both lighthouses are on the Black Sea coastline. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

**TI** - David, K2DBK will be active as TI7/K2DBK from northwestern Costa Rica on 10-17 July. He will operate SSB on 10-20 metres, and possibly 6m if conditions permit, mainly during his late afternoon hours. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

**TK** - Laurent, F8BBL will be active as TK11QRP from the main island of Corsica (EU-014) from 23 July to 6 August. He will operate mainly CW, with some SSB and digital modes, on 80-10 metres. QSL via F8BBL, direct or bureau, and LoTW.

**UA** - Alexei RN1ON, Yuri UA1OC and Oleg UA1PBA will be active as RK1OZM/p from lighthouse Intsy (ARLHS ERU-036) on 1-3 July. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via RN1ON. [TNX RN1ON]

**UA** - Expect Victor, R6AF to be active as R6AF/p from Sudzhuk Island (EU-185) until 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

**UA** - Nick, RA1QQ will be active again as RA1QQ/1 from Malyy Island (EU-162) and Kandalakshskiy lighthouse between 28 July and 10 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. Side trips to other islands are lighthouses are possible. QSL via home call,direct or bureau. [TNX RA1QY]

**UA** - Victor, RN1N and Dmitry, UA1NFA will operate as homecall/p from Yakostrov or Sev Kolovar (EU-147) during the IOTA Contest, as SO LP DXpedition entries. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX UA1NFA] **UN** - Mike, UN8GC and others will be active as UQ44Q

**UN** - Mike, UN8GC and others will be active as UQ44Q from the Kolsay Lakes National Park on 29-31 July. Further information and QSLling policy can be found at <a href="http://uq44q.com/">http://uq44q.com/</a>

**UR** - UR3CJR, UR3GO, UR5GDX, UR8GX and UT7CL will be active from the Kalanchakskiye Islands (EU-179) from 26 July to 3 August. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via UR8GX. [TNX DX World]

UR - Bogdan, UT7UU will be active as EO2011U between

25 July and 5 August for F1 Powerboat Grand Prix to be held Vyshgorod. He will be QRV on the HF bands using SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK 31/63. QSL via UT7UU.

**V3** - Colin, KU5B will be active as V31UB from Belize on 5-10 August. He will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 80-6 metres, and will take part in the North American QSO Party CW. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

**V6** - Look for V63FAA to be active from Kosrae (OC-059) on 25-29 July and from Pohnpei (OC-010) from 30 July to 5 August. He will operate holiday style mainly on 40 and 20 metres SSB and CW. QSL



Thacher Island (NA-148) www.flickr.com/photos/caarapix

via LOTW or direct to W6ANM. Further information can be found at <a href="http://home.comcast.net/~v63faa-2011/site/">http://home.comcast.net/~v63faa-2011/site/</a>

**VE** - Alain, F5LMJ will be active in his spare time as VE2/F5LMJ/p from Canada (mainland) in July. He will operate CW and digital modes from Saint-Sauveur (16-23 July) and Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupre (23-30 July). QSL via home call, and LoTW.

**VE** - VE9MY, VE9GLF and VO1DK plan to be active as VO1/homecall from Little Bell Island (NA-198) during "the week of 25 July". They will be QRV on 20 metres only from about 14 to 20 UTC. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau (they welcome e-mail requests for bureau cards). [TNX VE9MY]

**VE** - Rich VA1CHP, Helen VA1YL, Lynn VE1ENT, Fred VE1FA, Bill VE1MR, Bill VE3NNQ, AI VO1NO and Lowell VY2OX will be active on 80-6 metres as VX1D from Bon Portage Island (NA-126) from 26 July to 1 August. During the IOTA Contest they will use VC1D. QSL via VE1DHD.



**VE** - VA3KAI, VE3VY, VE3BSB and possibly others plan to be active as VE2/VE3LCA from Grosse Boule (NA-125) from 29 July to 1 August. QSL via VA3KAI, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

VK - Kan, JE1SCF will be active holiday style as KU2F/VK4 from Lizard Island (OC-187) on 18-21 July. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL via

JE1SCF, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org] **VP6** - Jacques F6BEE, Nigel G3TXF, Gilles VE2TZT, Michel FM5CD and Vincent F4BKV will be active as VP6T from Pitcairn Island (OC-044) on 20-29 January 2012. Plans are to have three stations active round-the-clock on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. Pitcairn has not seen any large-scale amateur DXpedition operation for the past decade, and VP6T has a target of more than 50,000 QSOs. Efforts will be made to give this extremely rare Entity on as many bands as possible, but especially on the low bands. QSL via G3TXF, direct or bureau, and LoTW. QSLling instructions and further information can be found at <u>www.vp6t.org</u> [TNX DX world]

 $\mathbf{W}$  - Joe, K5KUA plans to be active as K5KUA/4 from Dauphin Island (NA-213) on 4-10 July. Look for him on 40-10 metres CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

 ${\bf W}$  - Once again Jon, WB8YJF will be active as WB8YJF/4 from Ocracoke Island (NA-067) on 24-31 July. He will operate CW, RTTY and SSB on 80-10 metres, and will take part in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

W - Look for Rich, NC4EN to be active as NC4EN/2 from

Bogue Banks (NA-112) on 25-31 July. QSL direct to home call, plus LoTW and eQSL. [TNX rsgbiota.org]  $\mathbf{W}$  - AE6RS, K6GEP, W6UX and WA6WPG will be active from Anacapa Island (NA-144) on 29-31 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as W6UX/p (QSL via K6GEP). Outside the contest they will operate SSB and CW on 40-6 metres (QSL via home calls). [TNX islandchaser.com]

**W** - The Cape Ann Amateur Radio Association will be active as W1T from Thacher Island (NA-148) from 29 July to 1 August. QSL direct to W1GLO. [TNX rsgbiota.org] **W** - Look for Joe, K5KUA/5 to be active from Galveston Island (NA-143) from 29 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX rgsbiota.org]

**W** - Adam, W1ASB will participate in the IOTA Contest as W1ASB/p from Ram Island (NA-136). QSL via home call. [TNX W1ASB]

**W** - Members of the Old Barney ARC (www.obarc.org) will be operating as N2OB from "Old Barney", the Barnegat Lighthouse (USA-039) on Long Beach Island (NA-111) on 6 August from about 13 UTC through

21 UTC. Expect main activity on 20 and 40 metres SSB with two stations. QSL via N2OB. [TNX N2OO]

**XE** - Andrea, IZ2LSC will be active as XE3/IZ2LSC from mainland Mexico from 26 July to 8 August, and as XF3/IZ2LSC from Isla Mujeres (NA-045) on 9-14 August. He will operate CW (QRS), SSB and digital modes on 30-6 metres. QSL via home call (bureau), via EB7DX (direct) and LoTW. Further information at www.timpy.it/xf3



Lake Bratan, Bali Island (OC-022)

**YB** - A team of twelve will be active as YB43AR on 8-10 July to celebrate the 43th anniversary of ORARI, the Indonesian Amateur Radio Organization. They will operate from the shore of Lake Bratan on Bali Island (OC-022).

**YB** - Look for Pri, YB0ECT to participate in the IOTA Contest on 20m CW in the 12-hour category. He is located in Jakarta (OC-021). QSL via W2FB. [TNX YB0ECT]

**YV** - The Grupo DX Caracas will conduct their annual IOTA expedition to celebrate the Venezuelan Navy Day on 13-18 July. This year a team

of 15 operators will be active as YW5LR from Los Roques (SA-035) on all bands and modes. QSL via DM4TI. [TNX YV5EED]

**ZF** - Bob, W5UQ (ZF2UQ) and Bill, W5SJ (ZF2EZ) will be active from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) between 11 and 18 July. They will operate mainly CW and SSB on the HF bands, and to participate in the CQ WW VHF Contest mainly on 6 metres. QSL both callsigns via W5JAY.



**SOUTH SUDAN** ● In a press release dated 14 July the DX Friends and The Intrepid-DX Group stated they "continue to move forward with their plans to activate this new entity with a multi-national DXpedition team. With our visas in hand, the teams will soon be making their way towards Africa and ultimately to Juba, the new capital of this new nation. We will have five active stations, operating 24 hrs a day. We will be in regular contact with our US, EU and JA Pilot Stations and we will pay close attention to propagation reports from them. We ask that you please make contact with the pilot stations only during the DXpedition and to please refrain from contacting the team members directly via email. We will announce our call sign once we are in Juba and ready to become active".

On 15 July MMONDX (EU Pilot for the DXpedition) released the following schedule: "The Intrepid DX Group is meeting the DX Friends in Cairo on July 21st. On July 22nd, they all fly from Cairo to Juba, South Sudan. On July 23rd, they will meet with the Ministry of Communications to amend licenses to the new ITU prefix. They expect fown on August 10th 2011"

to be active later on July 23rd, or July 24th until shut down on August 10th, 2011". "As the ITU has not yet issued a new prefix for South Sudan", N6PSE said on 19 July, "our license that was issued in March has the call-sign of STOR (Sierra Tango Zero Romeo). That will be our call for the DXpedition unless the ITU issues a new prefix which will require that we amend our license". QSL via EA5RM. Check <u>www.dxfriends.com/SouthernSudan2011/</u> for log search, news from the team in Juba and pictures.

#### IARU HF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP



The objective of the contest is to contact as many other amateurs, especially IARU member society HQ stations, around the world as possible using the 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metre bands. This year's event (rules can be found at <a href="http://www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-championship">www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-championship</a>) will run from 12 UTC on 9 July until 12 UTC on the 10th. The following IARU Member Society HQ stations are expected to participate:

Call	DXCC	Mult
4L0HQ	Georgia	NARG
8N1HQ	Japan	JARL
8N2HQ	Japan	JARL
8N3HQ	Japan	JARL
8N4HQ	Japan	JARL
8N8HQ	Japan	JARL
<b>BV0HQ</b>	Taiwan	CTARL
BV20HQ	Taiwan	CTARL
CE3HQ	Chile	RCCH
CX1AA	Uruguay	RCU
DA0HQ	Germany	DARC
DX0HQ	Philippines	PARA

Call	DXCC	Mult
HS0AC	Thailand	RAST
IO1HQ	Italy	ARI
IO4HQ	Italy	ARI
IO5HQ	Italy	ARI
IO8HQ	Italy	ARI
IO9HQ	Italy	ARI
JU1HQ	Mongolia	MRSF
LN2HQ	Norway	NRRL
LR5F	Argentina	RCA
LR5H	Argentina	RCA
LR6F	Argentina	RCA
LR6H	Argentina	RCA

Call	DXCC	Mult
OE1A	Austria	OVSV
OH2HQ	Finland	SRAL
OL1HQ	Czech Rep.	CRC
OZ1HQ	Denmark	EDR
SK9HQ	Sweden	SSA
SN0HQ	Poland	PZK
SX0HQ	Greece	RAAG
TF3HQ	Iceland	IRA
TM0HQ	France	REF
VK5WIA	Australia	WIA
W1AW/6	USA	ARRL
YR0HQ	Romania	FRR

Call	DXCC	Mult
E7HQ	Bosnia-Herz	BA
EF8HQ	Canary Is.	URE
ES9A	Estonia	ERAU
GR2HQ	various	RSGB
HB9HQ	Switzerland	USKA

Call	DXCC	Mult
LR7F	Argentina	RCA
LR7H	Argentina	RCA
LX0HQ	Luxembourg	RL
LYOHQ	Lithuania	LRMD
NU1AW/5	USA	IARU

Call	DXCC	Mult
YS1YS	El Salvador	CRAS
YU8HQ	Serbia	SRS
Z21JHQ	Zimbabwe	RSZ
Z365HQ	Macedonia	RSM
ZF1A	Cayman Is.	CARS

### **IOTA CONTEST**



The following stations have announced their participation in this year's RSGB IOTA Contest (from 12 UTC on 30 July through 12 UTC on the 31st). For lastest additions please give a look at <u>www.rsgbiota.org</u>, and at the announced operation lists maintained by Ric, DL2VFR (<u>www.iota-expedition.com/IOTA2011/iota2011.html</u>) and Bill, NG3K (<u>www.ng3k.com/Misc/iota2011.html</u>) Other groups will be activated during the weekend, but advance information did not mention if the operators participate in the contest. Full details on the IOTA Contest can be found at www.iotacontest.com. SWLs please note that the IOTA SWL Contest has been picked up by the Mediterraneo DX Club (www.mdxc.org/swl/index.php), in

cooperation with the RSGB HF Contests Committee, and it will be held in parallel with the IOTA Contest.

Group	Call/Ops	QSL Via	Group	Call/Ops	QSL Via	Group	Call/Ops	QSL Via
AF-003	ZD8D	DL9HO	EU-084	SK0HS/5	SMOMPV	EU-170	9A1CKL	DK8ZZ
AF-004	EF8M	UA3DX	EU-091	IQ7HK	IK7FPX	EU-172	OZ/DG5LAC	DG5LAC
AS-014	A43MI	A47RS	EU-092	GM1J	MM0BQI	EU-172	OZ7BQ/p	OZ7BQ
AS-018	RA0FF	RA0FF	EU-094	TM1G	F6CNM	EU-174	]48]]	HA7JJS
AS-025	UA0FUA	IK2QPR	EU-095	F5RAB/p	F5RAB	EU-174	J48NL	HA6NL
AS-066	RW0MM/p	RW0MM	EU-096	OH1TD	OH1TD	EU-174	J48P	HA7PL
AS-066	UA0LCZ/p	UA0LCZ	EU-097	OH/G4FSU	G4FSU	EU-174	SV8/HA5AOP	HA5AOP
AS-080	D93I	DS4NYE	EU-110	9A/S56A	S56A	EU-174	SX8R	HAONAR
AS-101	HS7AT/p	E21IZC	EU-110	9A/S56A	S56A	EU-181	LZOI	LZ1BJ
AS-102	BV100	BV2KI	EU-110	9A8AMS	IZ4AMS	EU-185	R6AF/p	R6AF
AS-107	E2E	HS0ZFZ	EU-114	MPOHTJ	MOTZO	NA-029	VE3ZZ/VY2	VE3ZZ
AS-146	BY1CW/4	BA4EG	EU-115	EI1DD	bureau	NA-032	FP/K9OT	K9OT
EU-001	J45K	SV9DJO	EU-119	RC3W/1	RW3WWW	NA-034	W4FDX	N2MFT
EU-001	SV5/DJ4MH	DJ4MH	EU-120	G7N	G5XV	NA-046	K1VSJ	K1VSJ
EU-001	SV5DKL	SV5DKL	EU-121	EJ3Z	EI3Z	NA-067	AA4XX	AA4XX
EU-007	EJOPL	EI5JQ	EU-122	MIOUDX	GI4VIV	NA-067	N4A	N4YDU
EU-008	GM0ADX	-	EU-123	GM0B	MM0BHX	NA-067	N4I	W4OTN
EU-008	GM2T	GM4UYZ	EU-123	GM7X	GW3SQX	NA-067	W40	N4YDU
EU-008	GM7A	GM7AAJ	EU-123	MM0TFU/p	MM0TFU	NA-067	WB8YJF/4	WB8YJF
EU-010	GM7V	N3SL	EU-123	MM3T	-	NA-083	W4T	K5VIP
EU-013	GJ2A	GJ3DVC	EU-124	GW50	bureau	NA-091	VE7RSV/p	VE7RSV
EU-013	GJ6YB	G3SWH	EU-124	GW8K	GW0ANA	NA-092	WD5IYT	WD5IYT
EU-015	SY9M	SV9CVY	EU-125	OZ/DF2SD	DF2SD	NA-099	NP3QE	NP3QE
EU-018	OY1CT	OY1CT	EU-125	OZ/DL2JRM/p	DL2JRM	NA-099	NP4DX	W3HNK
EU-020	SA1A	SM1TDE	EU-125	OZOTX	DL7AT	NA-104	V47JA	W5JON
EU-029	OZ8SW	OZ8SW	EU-127	DF6QC	DF6QC	NA-110	AA4V	AA4V
EU-030 EU-030	OZ4FF OZ7VEA	OZ4FF DL7VEA	EU-128	DL9LBG/m	DL9LBG	NA-114	FG5KC/p	FG5KC
EU-030 EU-034	ESOU	ES2DJ	EU-129 EU-129	DL0KWH/p DM6V/p	DL0KWH DL5AXX	NA-126 NA-128	VC1D XM2I	VE1DHD VE2CQ
EU-034 EU-036	LA/DB5YB	DB5YB	EU-129 EU-132	SP8RX/1	DJOIF	NA-120 NA-136	W1ASB/p	W1ASB
EU-038	PA3FKN	PA3FKN	EU-132 EU-133	RI1AA	UA1AIR	NA-130	N1LI	N1LI
EU-038	PA6NH	PH9HB	EU-133	UA1ANA/1	UAIANA	NA-139	N2US/3	N2US
EU-039	TM7T	ON7EQ	EU-135	SF2X/p	SM5EFX	NA-142	W4/DF2MM	DF2MM
EU-040	CR5B	CT1BOL	EU-136	9A/S57UN	S57UN	NA-142	W4S	W4PC
EU-042	DC1HPS/p	DC1HPS	EU-137	SA6G/7	SM6CUK	NA-143	AD5WB	AD5WB
EU-045	IBOR	IK8HCG	EU-140	OG5A	OH5AD	NA-143	K5KUA/5	K5KUA
EU-048	TM2BI	F6KPQ	EU-142	ED1M	EA1DR	NA-144	W6UX/p	K6GEP
EU-052	SZ8L	SV8GKE	EU-146	PA2A/p	PA2A	NA-154	VC1Z	VE1CDD
EU-054	IF9/IT9BXR	IT9BXR	EU-146	PF4C	ON4ON	NA-198	VD1B	V01LM
EU-055	LA8OM	bureau	EU-147	RK3SWB/1	RK3SWB	OC-004	VK9HR	EB7DX
EU-055	LA9RY	LA9RY	EU-147	RN1N/p	RN1N	OC-021	YB0ECT	W2FB
EU-057	DL5KUD	DL5KUD	EU-147	UA1NFA/p	UA1NFA	OC-021	YB3MM	IZ8CCW
EU-057	DL6MHW	DL6MHW	EU-149	ES4GPorESWK	bureau	OC-142	VK4NM/p	MOOXO
EU-062	LA/SP7IDX	SP7IDX	EU-150	CR6W	CS1GDX	OC-227	VK4SWE	VK4SWE
EU-062	LA/SP7VC	SP7VC	EU-162	RA1QQ/1	RA1QQ	OC-239	YB9WZJ/p	YB9WZJ
EU-068	F5KKD/p	F5KKD	EU-165	IMOP	IZ1DNJ	SA-046	PY7CRA/p	PY7CRA
EU-073	IJ7A	IK7IMO	EU-166	IT9EJW/p	IT9EJW	SA-047	PR5D	PY5DC
EU-080	ED1T	EA1HLH	EU-170	9A/DK3CH	DK3CH			

## **GOOD TO KNOW**

**4W6A** • 4W6A will be QRV on all bands and modes from Atauro Island (OC-232), Timor-Leste on 16-26 September [425DXN 1045]. Bernd Laenger, VK2IA has joined the DXpedition in order to help balance the requirement for CW operation. Col McGowan, MM0NDX (dxer59@qmail.com) has been appointed as pilot and will be responsible for providing feedback to the team on the island. The latest press release (5 July) can be found at www.4w6a.com, along with further information on the DXpedition and details on how contribute to the project.



FRANCE: POSTAL RATES ● French postal rates for priority letter items (up to 20g) mailed abroad have increased since 1 July:
0.77 EUR European Union countries and Switzerland
0.89 EUR rest of the world

A postage calculator on-line service can be found at <u>www.laposte.fr</u>.

**GTC CW CUP** • The first Greek Telegraphy Club CW Cup will run from 12 UTC on 24 September through 12 UTC on the 25th. Email Stathis Maliakis, SV5DKL (<u>sv5dkl@rho.forthnet.gr</u>) for complete details. [TNX SV5DKL]

**MAJOR EQUIPMENT THEFT** • All the equipment (transceivers, amplifiers, laptops and many more items) of the Radio Club of Provins, F6KOP (those who brought you 5H1C, 5V7C, J5C, TJ9PF, TO7C, TS7C, XT2C, etc) was stolen last week. The equipment list can be found at <u>http://dx-world.net/wp-content/uploads/2011/07/F6KOP-equipment-list.pdf</u> [TNX I2VGW]



K9AJ and K6VVA

**NA-172** • Rick, K6VVA and Mike, K9AJ went QRT from NA-242 on 25 July, after 3875 QSOs. The trip to NA-172 has been cancelled because of "a combination of poor HF conditions and a limited amount of available time on the island, in addition to the trouble of changing existing travel arrangements". It will be rescheduled for July 2012. [TNX W6SC]

**NA-198** ● VE9MY, VE9GLF and VO1DK had to cancel their activity from Little Bell Island (NA-198) [425DXN 1055] because of inclement weather conditions. [TNX VE9MY]

**NOT THE MANAGER** • "For some reason I am getting more and more QSL cards for RK3AZY/1", Ric, DL2VFR says. However, he is not and has never been the QSL manager for this station.

**TOP LISTS** ● The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at <u>www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html</u>. 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 (<u>i2eow@fastwebnet.it</u>)

**WHQS AWARD** • "MK QTC", the Polish Radio Amateurs' Journal, sponsors the 2011 W-HQ-S award for working at least ten HQ stations during the upcoming IARU HF World Championship. Please e-mail <u>gtc@post.pl</u> for complete details.

#### QSL

**AP2ARS** ● Dragan, 9A6W has been guest operating from AP2ARS (the Pakistan Amateur Radio Society's station in Islamabad) for a few days. He will leave the country on 3 August. QSL for this operation only via 9A6W. [TNX The Daily DX]



**DZ1P** • "The DZ1P (11-13 March, OC-091) cards were printed and shipped on 11 June", VE7DP says, "but delivery has been delayed due to a recent postal strike in Canada. The package should arrive some time this month - PSE QRX, all direct requests will be attended to promptly".

**FT5** • Les Nouvelles DX has printed a small batch of cards for FT5ZB (Amsterdam, 1988), FT0ZB (Amsterdam, 1988) and/or FT2XE (Kerguelen, 1988). If you still need a QSL, you can send your request to F3CJ, either direct (Joel Cathelain, Les Antennes, 4 hameau des Tilleuls, 62118 Pelves, France) or via the bureau. [TNX F6AJA & Les Nouvelles DX]

**IL3A** • Bureau cards for the Extreme DX & Contest group's activities from the Venice Lagoon islands can be requested by email from the QSL manager IK3HHX (<u>mariohhx@tiscali.it</u>). [TNX IZ3EBA]

**PJ2T** ● The new QSL manager is W3HNK. QSL cards that have already been sent to the late N9AG (SK) will be forwarded to W3HNK, so there is no need to resubmit. Future logs will continue being uploaded to LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]

**PZ5P** • Vladislav, UA4LU (QSL manager for PZ5P, April 2011) reports that many direct cards sent to the USA are being returned to sender. If you went direct and are still waiting for a card to arrive, please contact him (<u>ua4lu@mail.ru</u>). [TNX US4EX]

**VP2VV** ● Cards for contacts made on 20-23 June 2011 should go to N6EE (all other dates QSL via VP2VQ). Ron uploaded hhis VP2VV log to LoTW on July. [TNX N6EE]

**VIA IOMWI** ● Stefano, IOMWI reports he is in charge for the direct QSLling for KH6/K80Q, KH6/KC0TEA, KH7M and WH7M. QSL to Stefano Cipriani, Via Taranto 60, 00055 Ladispoli RM, Italy.

**VIA SM6CVX** • All direct requests for last April's P29VCX (OC-102,OC-117 and OC-240) and P29VLR (OC-231) IOTA activities have been processed and mailed. If you do not receive yours within a reasonable period of time, please contact Hans ( $\underline{sm6cvx@hjelmstrom.se}$ ). Cards for requests that did not include return postage have been sent via the bureau. [TNX SM6CVX]

**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 (333 QSLs), the 60 deleted DXCC entities (1308 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (3407 QSLs), staations from Magrebh from 194 to 1962 (377 QSLs), D5 and DL5 stations from 1945 to 1962 (63 QSLs), Antarctic bases (832 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 264 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (347 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (97 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (1243 QSLs), French Departments (692 QSLs) and CONUS (226 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (126 QSLs). Several cards are still and your participation is encouraged - please visit www.LesNouvellesdx.fr and send your comments to lesnouvellesdx@free.fr [TNX F6AJA]



**+ SILENT KEYS +** Henry Lewis (**G3GIQ**) passed away on 5 July. "Henry was one of the hobby's real gentlemen and will be greatly missed by his many friends, not just here in the UK but worldwide from the many close contact made over the air and at conventions", G3KMA says. "A long-time supporter of the DXCC and IOTA programmes he amassed very large scores in both, 336/371 in DXCC and 1058 in IOTA. He was a founding member of CDXC - the UK DX Foundation. He also served in the early years of RSGB's tenure of IOTA as an IOTA checkpoint and Committee Member".

Timothy Lloyd Anderson (**KOOR**) lost his life on 16 July when a communications tower he was helping dismantle was blown over by a gust of wind. Tom Embree (**NCOK**) was seriously injured in the accident.

Scott A. Lehman (**N9AG**) passed away on 19 July. A top-notch contest operator, he was also the QSL manager for J64AS, J68AS, J6A (1998 only), J6DX, J6LSC, PJ2/K9SG, PJ2C (March 2003), PJ2H (March 2002), PJ2HQ, PJ2Z(October 2001) and PJ2T (he answered "literally hundreds of thousands QSL requests", N0VD says. "If you are waiting for a PJ2T confirmation, please be patient").

FOC and HSC member Jens Sperling (**DL7AKC**) passed away at 45 years of age. A 100% CW operator, he took part in the D68C (2001), 3B9C (2004) and 3B7C (2007) DXpeditions.

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Walter Brilli (IOWWJ), Enzo Ruggiero (IW7EER), Takao Togashi (JA7AGO), Pericles Costa Lima (PT7BR), V. Rajan Henry (VU2HY), M. V. P. Kini (VU2SX), Stig E. Ekblad (W2JWF), Jamie Pye (ZL2NN) and Patrick Crepelliere (F6BLQ), who played an instrumental role in getting the Democratic Republic of Congo back on the air.







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4L1MA	ON4RU	GB5EPC	MOTVT	SN08XUM/9	SP9XUM
6Y2X	DL2AAZ	GB8EPC	EA6SK	SN1JK	SQ50VL
8N2H	JR2BOF	GJ6YB/p	G3SWH	SO3IA	VK6IA
9G5XA	G3SWH	HC7AE	EA7FTR	ST2NH	EA7FTR
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	HG15IPA	HA3JB	SXOA	SV2GWY
9M2IDJ	JA6IDJ	HG650D	HAOKA	SX4ME	SV2HWR
9M4CJB	9W2BUG	HI3DX	EB7DX	SY2011BAY	SV7BAY
9M6XRO	MOURX	HI3TT	ON4IQ	SY2011JJZ	SV7JJZ
9Q6CC	CX2CC	HP1/IZ6BRN	IZ8CLM	SY2DIO	SZ2RCP
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A61C	W4JS	J48YA	HA1YA	SY7SOG	SV7FSK
AHOBT	7L1FPU	J68HS	WB4WXE	T32TV	KH6CG
AHOCE	JE3NRO	JW7QIA	LA7QIA	T6SH	K1BV
AHOJ	JA1NVF	JW9DL	LA9DL	T80T	JP1IOF
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BY4QA/5	BD4QK	K8HX/KH2	JE1HXZ	T88NA	JK1FNL
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CN8QN	EA7FTR	KHOR	JE6DND	T8YN	JE1SYN
CO4SM	HA3JB	KH2/N2NL	W2YC	TM1CF	F4DJG
CR5WFF	CT1EJB	KR1YYT/KH2	JR1YYT	TM30ARAD	F6KTM
D2EB	IZ3ETU	LJ2T	la5eaa	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
DU1IST	JA1HGY	LZ220SM	LZ3SM	UQ7EPC	MMODFV
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FO/F6CTL	F6CTL	SD1B/5	DL8AAV	ZD7XF	G3TXF
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3D2ML	RW6AML	EM7KAA/P	IK2DUW	ON30NOL	ON5LL
4F9HXB	DL5SDF	EO50QN	UT7UJ	OZ1HQ	OZ1ACB
4M200AJ	YV5AJ	ES0/OH7TT	RD1AR	P29FR	I2RFJ
4T100MP	OA40	ES9EFF	ES4RX	P33W	UA3DX
5B4AJC	UA3DX	EX9T	EX8MLE	PA/ON4IPA	ON6ZV
5C12M	EA7FTR	F08RZ	F8BPN	PI9SRS	PD9RAY
5H3EE	DL4ME	FP/VA2WA	VA2WDQ	PJ4C	N5WR
5W1SA	JA1DXA	GB1HI	MOOXO	PR2B	PY2BW
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9A0HQ	9A3JB	HB9HQ	HB9JOE	PV2P	PY2DY

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9J2RI	ZS6RI	HF1K	SP1KIZ	S21RC	EB7DX
9K2GS	EA5KB	HGOHQ	HA8IB	SF2X/p	SM5EFX
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AG2CW/KH2	7M2GCW	II9K	IT9HBT	ST2AR	S53R
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BV20HQ	BM2JCC	K1HP	JE2EHP	TM90RCNF	F8KKH
BY1RX/4	BA4TB	KB7OBU/KH2	JA3VXH	TM98TF	F6KUF
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CN3A	I2WIJ	KP4MS	W4DN	VK5WIA	VK5CP
CO6CAC	EA5KB	LR5F	LU4AA	VP5CW	W5CW
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CO8LY	EA7ADH	LR6F	LU4AA	WH7Z	WOCN
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ED1R	EA4RCH	OD5PY	KU9C	ZF2EZ	W5JAY
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4K9W	DL6KVA	EG7FPR	EA7HFS	SV0XAN/5	IK2WZD
4L1FX	DJ1CW	EJ3Z	EI3Z	SV0XBZ/5	YL2VW
4L1UN	EA7FTR	EJ4GRC	EI8DD	SV0XCC/9	LZ1YE
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5B4AIF	EB7DX	EN5R	UY2RA	T6TL	N4FF
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5N4LRJ	G8JWT	EO0UD/P	UR7UT	TC100TAF	TA1HZ
5Q2T	OZOJ	E02011U	UT7UU	TC23BSR	TAOU
5Q2J	OZ2JBC	ER44Z00	ER1RR	TC2BK	TA7EB
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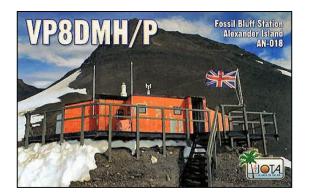
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7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	на50нн	НАОНН	TM1G	ON6DP (d)
7Z1TT	NI5DX	HFOMSC	SP4ICP	TM2BI	F6KPQ
8P9XC	DF1XC	HGOWFF	НАОНЖ	TM2CV	F6KJX
8Q7HA	9K2HS	HK6AAY	EA5KB	TM36Z00	F5SSN
9A04JB	9A3JB	II8JC	IQ8BB	TM40KFH	F6KFH
9A8TQF	HB9TQF	IMOP	IZ1DNJ	TM95SOM	F5KOU
9G5SW	OK1DOT	IP7W/p	IK7JWX	TP50CE	F5LGF
9M2/KM9D	OM2SA	JY5MM	IK2DUW	V31RN	K3TRM
9Q/DK3MO	df9ta	K6VVA/KL7	N6AWD	V63FAA	W6ANM
A62ER	EA7FTR	KL7RRC	N7RO	VC9M	VE9MSR
A65BB	S57DX	KU2F/VK4	JE1SCF	VK9HR	EB7DX
AHOJ	JA1NVF	MWOREN	DJ60I	VX1D	VE1DHD
B0100	BM2JCC	OD5NF	HB9CRV	W40	N4YDU
C31CA	EA1PO	OD5NJ	EA5BYP	W4T	K5VIP
C37NL	C37URA	OD5QB	YO3FRI	WHOAU	JP3WAU
C92DG	ZR6DG	OH1K	OH1JO	XE1RK	EA5ZD
C92IO	ZS6HB	OH3I	OH3BHL	XE2OR	W5OZI
CE2/VE7SV	VE7WY	OL90FOLK	OK7MT	XE3/IZ2LSC	EB7DX (d)
CN2LW	HB9EOU	OZOTX	dl7at	XE3/IZ2LSC	IZ2LSC (b)
CO3ET	IZ8EBI	OZ7VEA	DL7VEA	XM2I	VE2CQ
CP6LA	HA3JB	P29CS	MOURX	XT2WC	F1IQH
CX7CO	WB3CDX	P29CW	VK2IR	YS3CW	I2JIN
D2CQ	CT1IUA	PJ7TM	K2GSJ	ZC4MIS	KF6RCP
D2QR	RW6HS	PQ3C	PT2OP	ZD8D	DL9HO
D2SG	GM4FDM	R34CZF	rv9cva	ZD9GI	ZS1A



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