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+ JIM SMITH, VK9NS +

The DX community worldwide mourns the loss of James B. Smith, VK9NS, who passed peacefully away on Norfolk Island on 10 February after a short illness. First licenced in 1947 as VS1BQ (Singapore), over sixty years Jim operated under a large number of callsigns and from many countries all over the world, including new and rare DXCC entities and IOTA groups (A35MR, A51JS, A52JS, H40AB, S21ZA, T31JS, T33JS, VK0JS, VK9WW and W1RZ/KH9, just to name a few). "I mention being dragged 'kicking and screaming' into the hobby", he said in his autobiography ("The Old Timer"), "but once there now feel that I have participated in the hobby in many ways. I have been lucky (if that is the right word) to have travelled extensively and often the travel has been related to Amateur Radio in the sense of DXpeditions. I have always been interested in DXing and being able to give something back to the hobby has been lots of fun and dare I say it often hard work". The stories of a number of his DX operations can be found on the website of the Heard Island DX Association ([www.hidxa.nlk.nf](http://www.hidxa.nlk.nf)), formed in 1980. Jim's inestimable contribution to DXing was acknowledged in 1986, when he was inducted into the CQ DX Hall of Fame.

Jim is survived by his wife Kirsti (VK9NL) and his four children: Bruce (G3HSR), Stuart, Sheena and Fraser, all living in the UK. Condolences can be sent to Kirsti at [jimkirsti@ni.net.nf](mailto:jimkirsti@ni.net.nf) "A Tribute to Jim B. Smith, VK9NS" can be found on the Documentary Archive Radio Communication's website (<http://www.dokufunk.org/vk9ns>).

>>> K5D \* DESECHEO ISLAND <<<

Due to continued questionable weather (large waves, dangerous surf, high winds and rain unusual for this time of year), the K5D Team decided that all personnel and equipment (more than seven tons) would be transported to Desecheo Island by helicopter. The first flight with five team members took off from Rincon, Puerto Rico at 12.40 UTC on 12 February, but heavy winds during the day delayed several helicopter flights. The team was quite a bit behind schedule, and K5D became QRV at 16 UTC on 13 February.

The team consists of 22 operators: eight of them (K4UEE, K9SG, N4GRN, NA5U, VE7CT, W0NB, W0RUN and W8OI) will remain on the island through 26 February; other seven (K0IR, K5AND, N6MZ, W0GJ, W2GD, W6IZT and WB9Z) will leave Desecheo on 19 February and be replaced by the third group of seven (K0JGH, K1KD, K5AC, N4NX, NP4Z, VA7DX and WP3MW).

K5D will be QRV on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, with eight stations for the HF bands, plus one station for 6 metres (SSB and CW). Suggested frequencies (please read the Special Notes on the website) where to find K5D are: 1826, 3523, 7023, 10106, 14023, 18072, 21023, 24892, 28023 and 50106 kHz (CW); 1843.3, 3781, 7084, 14190, 18165, 21295, 24987, 28470 and 50130 kHz (SSB); 3589, 7089, 10149, 14089, 18108, 21089 and 28089 (RTTY).

Bookmark [www.kp5.us](http://www.kp5.us) for updates, propagation charts, on-line logsearch and detailed information on how to contribute, as financial support is still being sought and very welcome.

An Online QSL Request System (OQRS) will be activated after the DXpedition goes QRT. You will be able to request your QSLs one of four ways: OQRS Direct, OQRS Bureau, direct mail to N200 (Bob Schenck, P.O. Box 345, Tuckerton, NJ 08087, USA) or via bureau to N200.

- 8Q - After operating as 4S7FMG from Sri Lanka (AS-003, 9-12 February), Stavros, 5B4AFM has moved to the Maldives (AS-013) and will be active holiday style as 8Q7FM until 19 February. He operates CW and SSB mainly on 30 and 40 metres. QSL for both calls via M0BBB. [TNX NG3K]
- C6 - Once again Bob, N4BP (C6AKQ) and Kevin, K4PG (C6APG) will be active from the Bahamas on 18-22 February. They plan to operate on 160 metres and either 40 or 80 metres during the ARRL DX CW Contest, and to concentrate on 30, 17 and 12 metres between antenna jobs. QSL via home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- GU - Lionel, MU0GSY will air two special event call signs from Guernsey (EU-114) to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the Worked All Britain Awards Group: GP4WAB on 14-15 February and GP7WAB on 21-22 February. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- J3 - Bill, K4LTA (J37BO) and Ruby, K4UPS (J37RO) will be active again from Grenada from 18 February until 4 March. Bill will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as J38A. They will be joined by AK4Z, KT4E and KE4TG, who will be QRV as J3/home call. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- PY - Participating stations in the South American Lighthouses Weekend (20-22 February, <http://www.grupodxb.com.ar/faros.htm>) include Hamilton, PY6HD as ZZ6Z from Subauma Lighthouse (QSL via PY6HD); Ramon, PY6KY as PS6T (requested call) from Itapua Lighthouse (QSL via PY6KY) and Scout station PY1GE from Ponta Negra Lighthouse (QSL via PY1NEZ). [TNX PY1NEZ]
- PY - PX6B is the callsign that Orlando, PT2OP will be using from Boipeba Island (SA-080) on 25 February-1 March [425DXN 927]. QSL via home call. [TNX PY1NEZ]
- TU - Paolo, F8ENY will be active as TU/F8ENY from San Pedro, Ivory Coast from 16 February to 2 March. He will operate mainly on 20 metres. [TNX F5NQL]
- UA\_ant - Nick, RW6ACM (ex R1ANL) is active as R1ANB from the Russian Antarctic station Mirny. He operates CW and SSB on the HF bands and will remain there for the next few months. QSL via RN1ON, direct or bureau. [TNX RN1ON]
- UR - Celebrating the 50th anniversary of Ukrainian club station UB5KFF, special callsign EM50KFF will be aired on all bands and modes from 14 February to 1 March. QSL via US0KW, direct or bureau. [TNX US0KW]
- V6 - Mike, KM9D (V63MY) and Jan, KF4TUG (V63TO) are now lying to anchor in the lagoon of Nukuoro Atoll (OC-259), Micronesia. They will remain there "for not less than 3 days". QSL via OM2SA. Their next stop might be Kapingamarangi Atoll (OC-163), some 300 kilometres south of Nukuoro. Keep an eye on their course at <http://www.findu.com/cgi-bin/track.cgi?call=KM9D> [TNX The Daily DX]
- YN - Hank/K8DD (YN2DD), Stan/AC8W (YN2WW), Lee/N8LJ (YN2LJ) and Jim/ will be active on all bands and modes from Nicaragua on 17-24 February. They will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as YN2DD. Check [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) for QSL information. [TNX K8DD]

- YS - Eric, K9GY will be active again from El Salvador on 18-23 February, including an entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest (21-22 February). He plans to concentrate on 160, 30, 17 and 12 metres before the contest. QSL direct to home call, or (preferably) via LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Z3 - Members of the Macedonian Telegraphic Group (MCWG) will be active as Z30MCWG from 20 February through 31 December. They will operate mainly CW on all of the HF bands. QSL direct to Z35M. [TNX Z35M]

ANTARCTIC ACTIVITY WEEK ---> The Worldwide Antarctic Program has announced that the sixth Antarctic Activity Week will be held from 16 to 22 February. The aim of this annual event is to promote worldwide interest in the Antarctic continent. Several special event callsigns from around the world are expected to take part in this year's AAW. Participating stations (QSL via operator's instructions) are announced from the following countries:

Austria OE3AGA/AAW, OE3AIS/AAW, OE3HM/AAW, OE3KKA/AAW, OE3RPB/AAW, OE3SGA/AAW, OE3WWB/AAW

Bulgaria LZ06ANT, LZ09IPY

Canada VA2WAP, VA3AAO, VA3WAP, VA7AAW

England GB0ANT, GB4IPY

EU Russia UE6ICE

France TM0ANT, TM1ANT, TM5ICE, TM8ICE

Germany DA0ANT, DR09ANT

Italy IA0IPY, II2ANT, II5AM, II5ANT, IP9IPY, IR1ANT, IR1WAP, IR2WAP, IU2ANT, IU8ANT, IY8WAP

Morocco 5D0IPY

Slovenia S50IPY

Spain EG2ANT

Switzerland HE8ICE

Ukraine UR2XO/WAP, UR5KCC/WAP, UR5KGG/WAP, UR8LV/WAP, UT1KY/WAP, UT7UA/WAP

USA K4A, N5T/ANT, W6A

Full information on the AAW can be found at <http://www.waponline.it>

ANTARCTIC ADVENTURE ---> CE9XX, FT5YJ and VP8DLM are the callsigns issued to Mehdi, F5PFP for the Antarctic cruise [425DXN 888] that will take place between 18 February and 17 March (<http://www.french-polar-team.fr/>). Plans are to visit and operate from several Antarctic bases located in the South Shetlands (AN-010) and Palmer Archipelago (AN-012), as well as on the Antarctic mainland (AN-016). Mehdi and Jean-Pierre, ON7ZM plan to operate mainly SSB on 20 metres (14315 kHz), with some activity on 17, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via F5PFP, direct or bureau. [TNX F5PFP]

CQ WW WPX RTTY CONTEST ---> A number of changes have been made in the 2009 rules, including the SWL category (thanks to Marek, SP7DQR, who has written SWL log check software and to Dan, I1-12387, who will lead the SWL log checking). Please visit <http://www.cqwpwxrtty.com/> for complete information on the contest. The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (14-15 February):

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
4M5DX	M/S HP	Venezuela	IT9DAA
D4C	SOAB LP	Cape Verde	qrz.com
EF8M	SOAB HP	Canary Is	RD3AF
ES5Q	M/S	Estonia	ES5RY
HI3CCP		Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
HI3TEJ	SOAB LP	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
J7N	SOAB	Dominica	K3TEJ
LQ0F	SOSB 40m LP	Argentina	EA5KB
LS1D	M/S	Argentina	LW9EOC
LT0H	SOAB HP	Argentina	EA7FTR
LT2F	SOAB LP or SOSB 20m	Argentina	EA5KB
LV6D	M/S	Argentina	EA5KB

NP3U	M/2	Puerto Rico	WP4U
TC3EC	M/S	Turkey	TA3GO
UU7J	M/?	Ukraine	UU0JM
V31TB	M/?	Belize	KT7G
WA2USA/4		USA	WA2USA
WP4I	SOSB 80m	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
YN2S		Nicaragua	W3HNK
Z37M	M/?	Macedonia	Z37M

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqrjwp2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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14TH IOTA DINNER ---> The 14th Annual Islands On The Air (IOTA) Dinner will be held on Friday, 17 April 2009, in the Plaza Room of the Holiday Inn Hotel and Conference Center, in conjunction with the 60th annual Visalia International DX Convention (<http://dxconvention.org/>). For additional information regarding this event, please contact Ray Benny, N6VR ([rbenny@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rbenny@sbcglobal.net)) or Will Costello, WC6DX ([wc6dx@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wc6dx@sbcglobal.net)). [TNX N6VR]

ANDORRA ---> The Andorran Radioamateurs Union (URA) reminds that the local administration has not implemented the CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-01. Therefore any C3/homecall activity should be regarded as illegal. The up-to-date list of licenced amateurs can be found at <http://www.ura.ad/>

DXCC NEWS ---> TT8JT (Chad, 2008 Operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

IARU NEWS ---> Balloting by IARU Member-Societies on four proposals presented to them in September 2008 was completed on 10 February 2009. Seventy-three Member-Societies cast votes or abstentions on the four proposals, which have been adopted. They concerned the ratification of the nominations of Timothy S. Ellam (VE6SH/G4HUA) and Ole Garpestad (LA2RR) to serve respectively as President and Vice President of the IARU for a five-year term beginning on 9 May 2009, and the admission to the IARU of the Emirates Amateur Radio Society (EARS) and the Kazakhstan Federation of Radiosports and Radioamateur (KFRR).

QSL 9M6JC ---> Buzz, NI5DX is the new QSL manager for John Lee, 9M6JC. Buzz will be able to answer all requests for contacts made with John, but there will be a delay in sending out cards until 9M6JC sends some blank cards to NI5DX. New cards will be ordered shortly and will take about 5 weeks to arrive after the order goes to the printer. [TNX K1XN and The Golist]

WAAB AWARD ---> Sponsored by the Radio Club Rio de la Plata ([www.lu5da.org.ar](http://www.lu5da.org.ar)), is it issued to licenced amateurs and SWLs for contacting amateur radio stations located at the various Argentine Antarctic bases. The Award Manager is Horacio Ledo, LU4DXU ([lu4dxu@hotmail.com](mailto:lu4dxu@hotmail.com)). [TNX W9KNI]

+ SILENT KEYS + Other recently reported Silent Keys include George + Beasley (5B4AGC/G3LNS), Niklaus Oser (HB9EAA), Bill Leahey (K0ZL), Karyn W. Allen (KA0K), Harry Nishiyama (KH6FKG), Luis Soares Beirao (S92LB), Leo J. Boberschmidt (W3LEO/MM0LEO), Donald G. Lemley Sr (W8DL) and Brice Anderson (W9PNE).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B7FQ	K5XK	DL60CHILD	DL5SE	R1ANC	RN1ON
3D2NB	W7YAQ	DR09ANT	DL5MHQ	S50IPY	S51RU
3D2OU	N7OU	EA6AM	EA6AZ	SE800M	SK6NL
4JT17X	4K4K	EG7BMC	EA7URD	SN0KURA	SP5HEN
4JT3DGF	4K4K	EK6YL	SP9LJD	SN120SG	SP9PDG
4JT5A	4K4K	EP4HR	I2MQP	SN90SW	SP9PSJ
4KT17X	4K4K	ER5GB	W3HNC	SO5AS	G4ASL
4KT8M	4K8M	ES5/5B4AHS	RA3AUU	SN90HUO	SP3HUO
4KT9W	DL6KVA	ES5/ON9CIB	RA3AUU	SU9HP	SC6A
4L1FP	LZ1OT	EX8AB	RX3RC	T20HC	DL9HCU
4L1MA	ON4RU	EY8MM	K1BV	T88MJ	JG1MJR
4L8A	K1BV	FM5CD	F5VU	TA#/KI6TIU	JA1PBV
4S7FMG	M0BBB	FT5WO	F4DYW	TM8ICE	F8DVD
4X0WFF	4X4JU	FW5RE	HA8IB	TM9FL	F5KFL
5B4AIF	EB7DX	GB0ANT	M3ZYZ	TN5SN	IZ1BZV
5D0IPY	I0YKN	GB0WW	M0DOL	TR8CA	F6CBC
5H1DF	DL7DF	GB5OBH	G4STH	TU5JD	IK2IQD
5N/LZ1QK	LZ1CL	H44MS	DL2GAC	UA0AV	W3HNC
5Z4/RW1AU	K5XK	H44SL	LA7JO	UE1RFF/3	UA1RJ
5Z4PL	DJ0TA	HE8CIC	HB9CIC	UE9CAP	RK9CYA
6W1SJ	E73Y	HE8HLM	EA7FTR	UE9GDA	RA9FDR
7S3F	SM3AF	HK0/EA7HEJ	EA7HEJ	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
7X2EB	EA7FTR	HV0A	IK0FVC	UN9PQ	IK2QPR
8P9RY	AA6YQ	HV6SP	IK0FVC	V31IA	LA4YW
9A48IFATCA	9A4WW	IA3GM	IV3LNQ	V31RW	AB7RW
9H1LC	9H1SP	IA3IPY	IQ3ME	V31TB	KT7G
9H9PYSM	9H1AJ	IP9IPY	IT9YMM	V31UH	AC7UH
9J2BO	G3TEV	IY1GM	IK1UGX	V31WO	N7WO
9J2FM	JA4ATV	J20SE	IK3GES	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ
9K2YM	EA5KB	J47XCF	SV7FSK	V8FHX	G4OHX
9M2TI	EA4ATI	J79WWW	N4USA	VK3MO	WA9BXB
9M6DXX	M0URX	J7N	K3TEJ	VP8DIF	DJ9ZB
9M6XRO	M0URX	J88XF	G3TXF	VP8DLQ	ON5NT
C6ABB	N2RFA	JW1MFA	LA1MFA	VP9400HW	VP9HW
C6AGN	W1DIG	JW9VDA	LA9VDA	VQ5FOC	W9VNE
C6APX	KC4PX	JY4NE	K3IRV	VQ9RD	KI1G
CN2BG	F8ALU	KH2/K3ZB	JH1NBN	XR3P	CE3PG
CN2XW	G5XW	KH6MB	AI4U	XT2MSF	F5CWU
CN8NK	EA5XX	KP2M	AI4U	XT2WC	F1IQH
CN8PA	EA7FTR	LM9K75Y	LA9K	XU7TZG	ON7PP
CN8SG	EA7FTR	LZ06ANT	LZ3SM	XU7XXX	KC0W
CN8VO	EA7FTR	LZ09BR	LZ1KZA	YB1HDF	EA5KB
CN8YR	EA7FTR	LZ09IPY	LZ3SM	YB4IPY	I0YKN
CN8YZ	EA7FTR	OD5PL	HB9CRV	YI1RAZ	IK2DUW
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	OD5TE	K3IRV	YI9AJ	OM3JW
CO2GL	EB7DX	OL2009FIS	OK1IF	YN2/EW1AR	W3HNC
CP6AA	IK6SNR	ON175BR	ON7BR	YN2N	TI2OHL
CP6XE	IK6SNR	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	YS1EJ	W4GJ
CQ5CQK	CT1CQK	OZ1658ROS	OZ9EDR	YY1LEF	YV1BS
CS2EPC	CT1BWU	P29ZAD	NI5DX	Z21BC	NI5DX
CS6A	CT1GFK	P40MH	OH2BAD	Z21FO	K3IRV
CT7IOV	CT2IOV	P40R	N4RR	ZF2DS	W3WKP

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D4C CT1ESV [b] PX8AA PT2AA ZS2DL NI5DX  
D70ZV 6K5XZE PY1AA PU1KGG ZV75LABRE PT2AA

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- 6W - Patrick, ON4HIL and Guido, ON4BAG will be active as 6V7P and 6V7O from Senegal on 22-28 February. They plan to operate SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-10 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- 7Q - Allan, G0IAS will be active as 7Q7AH from the shack of Harry, 7Q7HB on the southern shore of Lake Malawi starting on 23 February for one month. Being aware that Malawi is needed on Top Band, they will try to erect an antenna for 160 metres. QSL via G0IAS, direct only. [TNX G0IAS]
- 9A - A team of seven members of IOCA Group (Franjo/9A2MF, Daki/9A2WJ, Boki/9A3KB, Dado/9A3TA, Emir/9A6AA, Sven/DF9MV and Matt/DL5MFL) will be active as 9A0CI from Vela Palagruza Island (EU-090, CI-084) and lighthouse (LH-0057, CRO-012) on 8-16 May. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 10-80 metres. QSL via DE0MST, direct or bureau. They also plan to operate SSB as 9A/homecall and homecall/p from Mala Palagruza Island (EU-090, CI-461) and from the islet of Kamik Od Tramuntane (CI-960, new one for the IOCA programme). QSL via home calls. Further information will be available on <http://www.inet.hr/9a6aa/iocaplan.htm> [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9K - Celebrating Kuwait's National Liberation Day, special event station 9K48NLD will be active on 20 and 40 metres SSB and CW on 25-26 February from the KARS headquarters. QSL via 9K2RA. [TNX NG3K]
- AP - AP2ASHF (the suffix stands for Axel Helmut Scholz, Foreigner) is the callsign issued to Axel, DL7UPN. He expects to visit Pakistan "several times" before June and to operate CW, RTTY and PSK. QSL via DL7UPN. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- C5 - Stewart, GW0ETF will be on holiday in the Gambia between 23 February and 8 March and hopes to do some casual operating from the hotel with 100w and a 20m dipole, mainly CW but maybe some RTTY/PSK31. He must apply for the licence upon arrival, and he hopes to get C56/GW0ETF. QSL via home call (QSLling instructions at qrz.com). [TNX GW0ETF]
- D4 - A group of seven German operators will be active from Sal Island (AF-086), Cape Verde on 11-25 March as D44TXQ (Helmut/DL3KBQ), D44TXP (Holger/DL1COP), D44TXO (Juergen/DJ2VO), D44TXF (Gerd/DG3KAF), D44TXR (Henry/DL2RSI), D44TXI (Peter/DH2KI) and D44TXS (Franz, DL3PS/HB9EHQ). They plan to operate on 160-10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, Hell, Amtor and SSTV, with seven stations running 100 watts into vertical antennas. QSL D44TXS via HB9EHQ, others via home call. [TNX DL3PS]
- EA - Celebrating the 200th anniversary of the birth of Louis Braille,



- special event station EG3LB will be active again on 20-22 February, 27-28 February and 1 March. Expect activity on SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via EA3RKR, direct or bureau. [TNX EA3RKR]
- EI - The Galway Radio Experimenters Club will celebrate St. Patrick's Day (17 March) operating as EJ4GRC from Inishmore, Aran Islands (EU-006). They will be active on all bands and modes, and a commemorative QSL card will be sent to all stations worked. [TNX EI7DMB]
- F - The Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club (TP2CE) will be active as TP60CE from 27 February to 1 March to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Council of Europe. QSL via F5LGF. A logsearch will be available at <http://ewwa.free.fr> [TNX F6FQK]
- FG - Nicolas, F5TGR will be active as FG/F5TGR from Guadeloupe (NA-102) on 15-28 March. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL via home call, direct ore bureau. [TNX F5TGR]
- FG - Patrick, F4EBT will be active as FG/F4EBT from Basse-Terre, Guadeloupe (NA-102) from 21 March to 11 April. He plans to operate holiday style on SSB. [TNX F4EBT]
- FH - Phil, G3SWH and Richard, G3RWL will be active from Mayotte (AF-027) between 26 February and 5 March [425DXN 919]. Both of them will use the single callsign of FH/G3SWH, and their activity will be mainly on 80-10 metres CW. Subject to QRN and site conditions, there may be some 160m CW activity, and Richard may also operate some later in the trip. They plan to have two stations on the air for as many hours every day as possible. QSL via G3SWH, direct or bureau (on-line form for bureau cards can be found at <http://www.g3swh.org.uk>). [TNX G3SWH]
- FM - Dim, UT5UGR is active as FM/KL7WA (QSL via UT5UGR) from Martinique (NA-107) until 24 February. He will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as FM5KC. [TNX UT5UGR].
- FM - Al, F5VHJ will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest (7-8 March) as TO5A from Martinique. QSL via F5VHJ (direct or bureau), or LOTW. [TNX F5VHJ]
- J6 - Celebrating the 30th anniversary of their country, all amateur radio operators from St. Lucia are permitted to include the number 30 in their callsigns immediately after the prefix J6 (for instance, J630B = J69B and J630KZ = J69KZ) until 25 February. [TNX The Daily DX]
- J6 - John, W5JON will be active as J6/W5JON from Marigot Bay, St. Lucia (NA-108) from 24 March to 2 April, CQ WPX SSB Contest included. He will operate SSB on 160-6 metres, using 400 watts, dipoles and a 3-element yagi for 6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX W5JON]
- JD1\_oga- Look for JD1BLK (QSL via JM1LJS), JD1BMH (QSL via JG7PSJ) and JD1BLY (QSL via JI5RPT) to be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 29 April to 12 May. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres, plus satellite. Logsearches and further information will be available on their individual websites: <http://radio-dream.com/jd1blk/e/> (JD1BLK), <http://sapphire.ganko.tohoku.ac.jp/jd1bmh/> (JD1BMH) and <http://www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/> (JD1BLY) [TNX JI5RPT]
- KH6 - Bill, AC0W will be active as KH6/AC0W from Maui, Hawaii (OC-019) for the ARRL DX SSB Contest (7-8 March), with some possible activity on 10-80 metres SSB a few days before and after the contest. QSL via home call. Bill will upload his log to LoTW. [TNX AC0W]
- KH6 - Al, F5VHJ will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest (28-29 March) as NH7A from Hawaii. QSL via F5VHJ (direct or bureau), or LOTW. [TNX F5VHJ]
- KG4 - Dan, W0CN will be active as KG4CN from Guantanamo Bay (NA-015) from 26 February to 9 March. He will operate SSB and some CW on 160-10 metres, and will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. QSL via W0CN, direct, bureau or LoTW. [TNX W0CN]
- PY0F - Fabio/PY2AAZ, Anderson/PY2TNT, Alex/PY2WAS and Bob/N6OX will be

active as ZY0F from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) from around 23 UTC on 10 June through around 13 UTC on the 15th. Expect activity on 160-10 metres CW and SSB, plus 60m under a special licence granted by the Brazilian authorities. QSL via PY2WAS, direct or bureau. [TNX PY2WAS]

- S0 - A multi-national team of ten operators (namely EA1CJ, EA1KY, EA2RY, EA3EXV, EA5RM, EA7AJR, F9IE, IN3ZNR, UT7CR and UY7CW) will be active as S04R from Western Sahara on 12-17 April. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-10 metres with at least three stations. The pilot station will be EA5BZ. QSL via EA5RM. Further information is available at <http://www.dxfriends.com> [TNX EA5RM]
- SV - George/SV1QN, Fotis/SV1AIN, Giannis/SV1GYG and Nikos/SW1GYN will be active as homecall/8 from Zakynthos Island (EU-052) on 23-29 March. They will operate on 160-6 metres all modes. QSL via home calls. [TNX SV9AHZ]
- TA - Rene, DL2JRM will be active as TA0/DL2JRM/p from Kekova Island (AS-115) on 23-25 February. He will operate CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- UA - Look for special callsigns UE3YAR (QSL via RV3YR) and UE3YRA (QSL via RA3YC) to be aired until 24 February for the AFARU (Armed Forces Amateur Radio Union) and RDA activity programmes. [TNX RV3YR]
- VE - Heinz, VA7AQ will be active as VE9/VA7AQ from Grand Manan Island (NA-014) on 20-25 March. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA7AQ]
- VE - Cezar, VE3LYC will try to operate from the Fox Islands (NA-186) between 31 March and 3 April. This IOTA group was activated only once and very briefly by WT20/VE8 sixteen years ago, and sits at #1 on the Most Wanted NA-IOTA List. He will operate SSB and CW with 100 watts and a multi-band vertical antenna, with a focus on 20, 30 and 40 metres. Information about callsign and QSLing (direct and bureau) will be posted on QRZ.com before the expedition. The islands are polar bear resting areas, and a special permit has been obtained for this operation from the Manitoba Conservation Authority. Cezar will be accompanied by two professional guides for the duration of his stay. Costs of this operation are considerable and both group and individual donors are sought and will be graciously acknowledged. [TNX VE3LYC]
- VK - Chris, G0WFH will be active as VK7ACG from Tasmania (OC-006) from 19 October to 17 November. He will operate SSB on 160-10 metres, with a focus on the low bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G0WFH]
- VK9L - The Oceania Amateur Radio DX Group will operate as VK9LA (<http://www.odxg.org/vk9la.htm>) from Lord Howe Island (OC-004) from 23 March to 3 April, CQ WW WPX SSB Contest included. A large group of operators (IZ3ESV, K5YY, N200, N20Z, SQ8X, SQ9DIE, SV2KBS, VK1TX, VK3HJ, VK3QB, VK4FW, VK4IO, VK4VCH, VK5CP, VK5PO and W5SL) will be active on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, with seven HF stations plus one for 6m, monoband yagis, monoband verticals and a quantity of wire antennas for the low bands. QSL via VK4FW.
- VK9M - AA7JV and HA7RY will be active as VK9GMW from Mellish Reef (OC-072) between 22 March and 6 April (actual operating dates are subject to change due to weather). This will be "another low-key, simple DXpedition", with a strong focus on the low bands (although George and Tomi intend operate on all HF bands). QSL direct to HA7RY. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW. Please visit <http://www.vk9gmw.com> for further information, including detail on how contribute to the DXpedition. [TNX AA7JV]
- VP2M - Bob, AA1M (VP2MPL) and Mike, W1USN (VP2MPR) will be active from Montserrat (NA-103) from 25 February to 7 March. They plan to operate CW, SSB and PSK31. QSL via home calls. [TNX AA1M]

- W - Fred, N5IVZ will be active from South Padre Island (NA-092) on 28 February, from 14 UTC to 23 UTC. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX VA3RJ]
- ZF - Bob, K3UL will operate mainly CW as ZF2UL from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) from 28 February to 7 March. He will be active holiday style, but he plans to spend at least two nights on the low bands. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Yuji, JH2BNL (V63AR, V73J, NH0AA) and Mine, JA2NQG (V63WW, V73M, AH0F) will be active from Micronesia, the Marshall Islands, Palau and Guam as follows:

04-06 March Chuuk (OC-011) V63AR, V63WW and V63C (club call)  
 06-09 March Pohnpei (OC-010) V63AR, V63WW and V63P (club call)  
 09-11 March Kosrae (OC-059) V63AR, V63WW and V63T (club call)  
 11-14 March Majuro (OC-029) V73J and V73M  
 14-16 March Palau (OC-009) T8 callsigns TBA  
 17-19 March Guam (OC-026) NH0AA/KH2 and AH0F/KH2

They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home calls; the QSL route for the three V6 club calls is via JH2BNL. [TNX JA2NQG]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Hrane, YT1AD and David, K3LP are planning two DXpeditions to three DXCC Entities: Tokelau (ZK3) & Central Kiribati (T31) to take place in April or September 2010, and Conway Reef (3D2C) for late September 2011. In order to organize these operations, Hrane and Miki (YU1DW) will be travelling to a few South Pacific islands between 20 April and 7 May this year, and be active as follows:

22 April Samoa 5W8A (YT1AD) and 5W0DW (YU1DW)  
 22-24 April American Samoa KH8/N9YU (YT1AD)  
 25 April Fiji Islands 3D2AD (YT1AD) and 3D2DW (YU1DW)  
 27-29 April Western Kiribati T30M (YT1AD) and T30DW (YU1DW)  
 4 May Fiji Islands 3D2AD (YT1AD) and 3D2DW (YU1DW)

More information will be available at <http://www.yt1ad.info/t31> [TNX YT3W]

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A DIFFERENT KIND OF AMATEUR RADIO COMPETITION ---> The overall Amateur Radio population has diminished dramatically, and the group at Radio Arcala (OH8X) is poised to try some new methods to attract young people congregating in many non-traditional hangouts such as Virtual World on the internet.

The overall Radio Arcala strategy is spelled out on the OH8X Webpages but one of the key buttons - "On Young People's Terms" - is still to be drafted. Radio Arcala challenges members of our fraternity of all ages to draft the text for this button in a way that is both appealing and informative enough to encourage today's youth to take the step we once took. Please submit your paper (no more than 250 in length in English or Spanish) by email no later than 15 March to [oh8x@sral.fi](mailto:oh8x@sral.fi) (English) or [yv5amh@iaru-r2.org](mailto:yv5amh@iaru-r2.org) (Spanish). Details on the project can be found at <http://www.radioarcala.com> [TNX OH2BN]

APPEAL FOR HELP ---> Abubaker, DL1AL (5A1A) submitted "a very large number" of 5A1A QSL cards for ARRL awards, but they got lost between Germany and the US. "In an effort to rebuild my cards to apply for various awards, as well as to create a QSL album of contacts from Libya, I need your help", he says. "Please check your logs and if you worked 5A1A from 1995 onward, would you please send me a card to confirm the contact? You may send the card via the German bureau to DL1AL (my German callsign) or to my address in Germany".

ARRL INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST (CW) ---> 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 <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/intldx.html>. This year's event will run from from 00.00 UTC on 21 February through 24.00 UTC on the 22nd. Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxc2009.html> - good contest to you all!

K5D ---> The logsearch is now up and running on DXpedition's website (<http://www.kp5.us/>). It currently covers the period from 16 UTC on 13 February until 01.10 UTC on the 20th (67277 QSOs). The team now has "a more robust internet connection and the gap between uploaded logs should begin to shrink". The online lookup "cannot correct any problems we discover in the logs. Those will be dealt with when we're off island. In short, if you cannot find a Q in the online log, work us again just to be certain!"

LOGS ---> A logsearch for J20SE's recent operation is now up and running at <http://www.ik3ges.it/iv3fsg.htm>, and the QSL cards are being printed. [TNX IK3GES]

QSL 3V8SS ---> Antonio, IZ8CCW is the new QSL manager for 3V8SS, effective 1 January 2009. He is trying to get a hold of old logs. [TNX IZ8CCW]

WINQSLPOLICY ---> Manfred Meier, DF6EX (author of WINQSL and WIN-QSL-Collector) has just started a new project called WINQSLPOLICY. This application shows "where you can expect a return of QSL-cards via Buro, via Direct or if you just worked a Dollar-IRC-Collector". The database currently contains more than 10,000 entries, and club-licences are free of charge. Detail can be found on [www.winqsl.de/qslpolicy](http://www.winqsl.de/qslpolicy). [TNX DF6EX]

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2MD, 3B8CF, 3B8GT, 3D2AG/p, 3V8BB, 4A3A, 4K9W, 4S7NE, 4W6R, 4Z5J, 5H1C (AF-032), 5N/LZ1QK, 5R8FU, 5R8IC (AF-090), 5U5U, 5W0UK, 5Z4/9A3A, 6V7D, 7P8DA, 7W0AD, 7Z1SJ, 8P5A, 9L1X, 9M6/N2BB, 9M6XRO/p, A25/DL7DF, A45WD, A5100A, A71AN/p, AT3ANT, BD7MVZ, BG1DRJ/2 (AS-158), BG7MVZ, C21XF, C31CT, C57R, C6AQQ, C6AXD, C94KF, CE0Y/N6NO, CP4BT, CP6AA, CW2C, CX7TT, D2QMN, D60VB, DL4JS/6W, DS1REE, DU1ZV, DV5PO, E51CUK, E51KAJ, E51QQQ, E76AQ, E77DX, E79D, EA6VQ, EK3SA, EK6TA, EL2DX, EP3HF, EP3SMH, ER/RW3AH, ER4DX, ER4ER, EY8/K4ZW, FJ/G3TXF, FK8CP, FK8DD, FM1HN, FO/DJ7RJ, FO/KM9D, FY1FL, H44MY (OC-192), H44TO (OC-192), HH4/AF4Z, HI0C, HI3T, HI3TEJ, HI8ROX, HK1AT, HK1X, HK3CQ, HP1/LA5IIA, HQ8R, J3/DL5AXX, J3/DL7VOG, J3/DM2AYO, J39BS, JD1BMM, JT1Y, JX9JKA, KG4SS, KH6LC, KL1V, KL7J, KP2/NY6X, KP2/W3AVO, KP2HC, LX1NO, OA4BHY/2 (SA-075), OH3OJ/p (EU-101), OK1CZ, OK1DQT, OL0A, OM7CW, P40L, P40W, PJ2T, PJ7/W6JKV, PY0FF, R1FJT, RW0CN, S53MM, S79NS/p, SU1KM, SV3RF, SV8/HA6PS (EU-174), SV9/DL5AXX, T04X, T30XX, T47C (NA-086), T88CJ, TF3CW, TF3SG, TR50R, TT8JT, UA2FW, V31XX, V4/AH6HY, V5/HB9PHJ, VK9DWX, VP9GE, VQ5FOC, VU2BGS, VU2UR, VU4MY, VU4RG, VU7SJ, XU7ABN, YT5Z, YU1AB, YU8SM, YW1TI, Z29KM, Z360M, ZB2FK, ZC4LI, ZK3AH, ZK3MW, ZP0R, ZP6/IZ1GLO, ZY0K.

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\*\*\*\* DX INFORMATION \*\*\*\*  
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- 5N - Bodo, DL3OCH (KT3Q) will be working in Nigeria from 5 March until 24 July. He plans to operate EME and on the HF bands (160 metres included) probably as 5N/KT3Q. Hopefully he will also go and operate from IOTA group AF-076. QSL via DL3OCH. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C6 - Harry, W6DXO will be active as W6DXO/C6A from South Andros Island (NA-001), Bahamas on 1-7 March. It will be a part time holiday style operation with a focus on 12, 17 and 30 metres. QSL via KF6JQQ. [TNX NG3K]
- DU - Ed/4F1OZ, Roland/DU1KGJ, Jairus/DV1ERS and Frank/VE7DP plan to be active from Cujo Island (OC-120) from 4 UTC on 6 March to 2 UTC on the 9th. They will operate CW and SSB on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. Callsign and QSL route TBA. [TNX VE7DP]
- FP - Eric, KV1J will be active again as FP/KV1J from Miquelon Island (NA-032) on 4-9 March. He plans to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 80-6 metres, and to participate in the ARRL SSB DX Contest (SOAB). QSL via KV1J, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW. The webpage for the activity is at [www.kv1j.com/fp/March09.html](http://www.kv1j.com/fp/March09.html)
- FR - Stephane, F5UOW will be active holiday style as FR/F5UOW from Boucan Canot, Reunion Island (AF-016) on 8-22 March. He will operate mainly CW on 20 metres. [TNX F6AJA]
- JA - Ken, JS3OMH has been active as JS3OMH/6 from the Tokara Islands (AS-049) since 25 February. He first operated from Takara Island and has now moved to Kodakara island until 28 February. He is QRV during his spare time on 40 metres CW and SSB and on AO-51 FM Satellite. QSL via bureau. [TNX JR3TVH]
- J7 - John, G3LZQ will be active holiday style as J79WR from Dominica (NA-101) between 5 and 25 March. He plans to concentrate on 160 and 80 metres, and to participate in the Commonwealth (BERU) Contest on 14-15 March. QSL via G3LZQ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KG4 - Dan, W0CN (KG4CN) has had to postpone his trip to Guantanamo Bay [425DXN 929]. The new dates are 10-20 April (to be confirmed).
- PY0F - Bill, W9VA and Jim, K9PPY will be active as PS0F from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) on 3-19 March, including a M/S entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. A special e-mail address ([ps0f@aol.com](mailto:ps0f@aol.com)) has been set up; they will monitor it before/during their stay and will consider email input in planning their operating schedule. QSL via W9VA. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- TT - Frank, F4BQO will be active again as TT8CF from Chad from 27 February to 1 July. He plans to operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL direct to F4BQO. [TNX F8REF]
- V6 - Mike, KM9D (V63MY) and Jan, KF4TUG (V63TO) have left Nukuoro

(OC-259) and are now lying to anchor at Touhou Island, Kapingamarangi Atoll (OC-163).

- V8 - Special event station V85NBD25 is active until 12 UTC on 10 March to celebrate the 25th anniversary of Brunei as an independent and sovereign nation. Information on the relevant award can be found on the Brunei Darussalam Amateur Radio Association's website (<http://www.bdara.net/>). QSL via qrz.com [TNX The Daily DX]
- V8 - Kanzi Takemasa, JA4ENL will be active as V85NL from Brunei on 6-9 March. He expects to operate mostly CW on all bands. [TNX K1XN]
- VK - John, VK6HZ (VK6ARI) will be active holiday style from Rottneest Island (OC-164) between 3 and 9 March. QSL via VK6NE. A logsearch will ve available at <http://www.vk6hz.com> [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VP8 - John, G3VPW will be QRV as VP8KF from the Falkland Islands (SA-002) on 5-31 March. He will be staying with the McLeods (VP8LP/VP8AIB); the first two weeks he will be working at the Stanley Ionospheric Observatory, the further ten days are for "some DXing". He plans to operate CW and SSB on 10, 20, 15, 40 and 80 metres, with a focus on the contests (ARRL DX SSB, RSGB Commonwealth, CQ WW WPX SSB). QSL via home call. [TNX G3VPW]
- XE - Bernardo, XE2HWP will be active as XE2HWP/XF1 from Isla Magdalena (NA-078) on 28 February and 1 March. He will operate QRP on +/- 14260 and 50120 kHz. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YN - Jeff, N1SNB will be active from Nicaragua on 5-9 March. He hopes to sign YN2NB during the ARRL DX SSB Contest (SOAB) and H7/N1SNB outside the contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- YV0 - The YW0A DXpedition to Aves Island (NA-020) [425DXN 925] is still scheduled to take place in March. The team is waiting for the Venezuelan Navy to give the actual dates. Bookmark <http://yw0a.4m5dx.info> for updates. [TNX IT9DAA]
- ZF - Bob, K3UL will be active holiday style as ZF2UL from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) between 27 February and 7 March. He will operate mainly CW, with a focus on 160, 80 and 30 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

CQ WW 160-METER DX CONTEST (SSB) ---> Object of the contest is for amateurs around the world to work as many US States, Canadian provinces and countries as possible on 160 metres SSB (rules at <http://cq160.com/rules.htm>). The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (from 22.00 UTC on 27 February through 22.00 UTC on 1 March):

Call	DXCC	QSL via
4LOG	Georgia	qrz.com
C6ANM	Bahamas	WA2IYO
KP2M	US Virgin Islands	AI4U
P40A	Aruba	WD9DZV
RW2F	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
UU7J	Ukraine	UU0JM
XE1RCS	Mexico	qrz.com
ZF2AM	Cayman Isls	K6AM

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cq160s2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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BEAM HEADINGS ---> The North Jersey DX Association is provides personalized beam headings centered on your location to every entity on the DXCC list.

The Beam Headings page can be found on the redesigned NJDXA website at <http://njdx.org/dx-tools/beam-headings.php> [TNX W2DEC]

K5D ---> On 25 February the team began to scale down the operation and prepare for leaving the island, with three stations remaining QRV until local dawn on departure day. K5D went QRT at around 09.40 UTC on 26 February, after 115,728 QSOs (contact number 100,000 was made at 04.14 UTC on the 24th.) The Online QSL Request System (OQRS) has been activated, and now you are able to request your QSLs one of four ways: OQRS Direct, OQRS Bureau, direct mail to N200, or via bureau to N200.

A fourth interview with Glenn Johnson, W0GJ, expedition co-leader, can be found on the Documentary Archive's Desecheo special web page ([www.dokufunk.org/desecheo](http://www.dokufunk.org/desecheo)). The interview was given via satphone to Wolf Harrant, OE1WHC on 23 February.

QSL 4L50 ---> Beginning with 2009, the new QSL route for Omari, 4L50 is via N3SL. Omari was very active into 2000, when he took leave of radio for family obligations. N3SL does not have access to any logs prior to 1 January 2009, but current logs are in hand (log search at <http://www.qsl.net/n3sl/manager.htm>) and cards are on the way from the printer. [TNX N3SL]

QSL EA8BWW ---> Buzz, NI5DX is the new QSL manager for Damian, EA8BWW. Once logs are transferred, Buzz will be able to confirm all contacts made with EA8BWW. QSL cards will be ordered, so expect a delay of 6 weeks or more to receive your EA8BWW card. [TNX K1XN]

QSL NA-059 ---> Tim Tillman, NL8F (previous callsign NO7F/KL7) is the only full time resident amateur radio operator active from Dutch Harbor, Unalaska Island in the rare NA-059 IOTA group. QSL via K8NA (Theodore Pauck Jr, 2820 Lenox Drive, Troy, MI 48098, USA). [TNX K8NA]

QSL TG9/IV3IYH ---> All direct and e-mail QSL requests for TG9/IV3IYH received as of 27 February have been answered and logs are uploaded on LoTW. Bureau QSL cards can be requested via email to IK2ILH ([ik2ilh@libero.it](mailto:ik2ilh@libero.it)), including the QSO details. Please do not send your card when requesting a QSL via email. [TNX IV3IYH]

QSL VE1OTA ---> This callsign is used by Dana, VE1VOX when operating from an IOTA qualifier. The new QSL route for contacts made after January 2009 is via VE3EXY (direct or bureau). Cards for contacts made before January 2009 still go to VE1VOX. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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3D2HC	DL9HCU	HD2A	EA5KB [c]	PJ2T	N9AG
3V8SS	IZ8CCW	HD2A	N3ZBK [b]	PP5EG	K3IRV
4F4PA	VE7DP	HE8ICE	HB9BHY	PS6T	PY6KY
4L4WW	EA7FTR	HG3M	HA3MY	PX200JMU	PY6KW
4L6QC	LZ1OT	HG6N	HA6KNB	PX6B	PT2OP
4M4C	YV4GLD	HG7T	HA7TM	PX6T	PT2OP
4U1UN	HB9BOU	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	PY2VA	I8LWL
5B/G4MKP	M0URX	HI8LAM	EA5NI	R1ANB	RN1ON
5B8AD	W3HNK	HL5/VK6DXI	DS5UCP	R1ASP	RA1AD
5C5W	EA5XX	HP3DX	W4WX	RU0LL	IK2DUW



5D0IPY	I0YKN	HP3TA	KG6UH	RW0CWA	RW0CF
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5Z4KI	YO9AFH	IA0IPY	I0YKN	S50IPY	S51RU
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6V7P	ON4HIL	II2ANT	I2JJR	SN2K	SP2YWL
6Y1LZ	K1LZ	II2CV	IW2HAJ	SN3A	SP3GEM
7J1AAI	W1NN	II2EFA	IW2MNO	SN30	SP3WVC
7Q7AH	G0IAS	II2V	IK2AQZ	SN3R	SP6HEQ
7Q7HB	G0IAS	II5AM	IK2IWU	SN5G	SP5KCR
8P0P	8P9NX	II5ANT	IZ5BTC	SN6Z	SP6RZ
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9A5Y	9A7W	IR1Y	IK1YDB	SY2V	SV2GJV
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C6ANM	WA2IYO	KH6LC	AI4U	UE3YAR	RV3YR
C6APG	K4PG	KH6MB	AI4U	UE3YRA	RA3YC
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CS2C	OK1RF	LV6D	EA5KB	V47KP	K2SB
CT9L	DJ6QT	LW6DW	EA5KB	V48M	K2SB
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CW5W	CX6VM	LY1000NX	LY3NX	VA3AAO	VE3XN
DA0ANT	DC2SF	LY1000QT	LY2QT	VA7AAW	VE7IG
DQ4W	DK9TN	LY1000W	LY3W	VC2E	VE2SB
DR09ANT	DL5MHQ	LY6A	LY2BM	VK0BP	VK2CA
DR800GRZ	DL1ARJ	LY9Y	LY2CY	VP2E	N5AU
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DU1ZV	JA1BRK	LZ40ATSA	LZ1PJ	VP2MPL	AA1M
DU3NXE	W3HNK	LZ6W	LZ4ZP	VP2MPR	W1USN
E21EIC/8	JR5XPG [a]	LZ7J	LZ1JZ	VP2V/K6VVA	N6AWD
E21EIC/8	E21EIC [b]	LZ9A	LZ2HM	VP2VVA	N6AWD
E70R	E77E	LZ9R	LZ3YY	VP5DF	WJ2O
E74A	K2PF	M1A	G4BAH	VP8DLM	F5PFP
E77A	9A2AA	M6T	G4PIQ	VQ9RD	KI1G

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E79D	E77E	NL7G	OK1DOT	W6A	K6HFA
EF8M	RD3AF	NP3U	WP4U	WH2D	K3UOC
EF8R	EA8CAC	OA0/FT5YJ	F5PFP	XR1A	XQ1IDM
EG2ANT	EA2RC	OA4SS	KB6J	XW1B	E21EIC
EG3LB	EA3RKR	OA4TT	N6XQ	YA/IW0HPJ	IW0EFA
EG7DCA	EA7URS	OA4WW	HP1WW	YB0ECT	K3AIR
EG7LB	EA3RKR	OG2P	OH2PM	YN2DD	K8DD
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EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	OH0R	OH2PM	YN2TX	KB8TXZ
EM50KFF	US0KW	OH4A	OH6LI	YN2WW	K8DD
ER0WW	RA4LW	OH8X	OH2UA	YR2X	YO2LEA
ES5Q	ES5RY	OJ1ABOA	OH2FFP	YR5N	YO5PBF
ES5RR	ES2RR	OK5R	OK1RI	YR5O	YO5BRZ
EW6GF	DL8KAC	OL0A	OK1CZ	YR80HCS	YO6KNE
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FM5BH	W3HNK	OL1C	OK1AN	YV1FM	IT9DAA
FM5KC	F5VHJ	OL3Z	OK1HMP	YW5RTTY	IT9DAA
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GB0ANT	M3ZYZ	OM8A	OM2VL	Z30MCWG	Z35M
GM3W	GM3JKS	OP4K	ON4JZ	ZF2AM	K6AM
GM7R	N3SL	OQ5M	ON5ZO	ZM1A	ZL1AMO
GX4KPT/p	M0DOL	OR1Z	ON6IX	ZM2B	ZL2BR
H7A	TI4SU	P29VR	W7LFA	ZM3A	ZL3WW
H81L	HP1RCP	P40LE	K2LE	ZM4A	ZL4AA
HB9AV	HB9DUR	P40R	N4RR	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
HC1MD	K8LJG	P40YL	AI6YL	ZW5B	K3IRV
HC2AD	EA5KB	P49V	AI6V	ZY7C	PT7WA
HC2SL	EA5KB	PJ2DX	W0CG	ZZ6Z	PY6HD

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- [b] rest of the world
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- 5N - Bodo's ,DL3OCH (KT3Q) trip to Nigeria [425DXN 930] has been delayed and now expects to travel to Nigeria around 21 March. The callsign for his EME activities will be 5N0EME, while on the HF bands he should be using 5N/KT3Q.
- 5X - Nick, G3RWF will be active again as 5X1NH from Fort Portal, Uganda starting on 11 March until 5 May. This time he may also give digital modes a try, and will try to improve his antennas for the low bands. QSL via home call. [TNX G3RWF]
- 6W - Alessandro, IK4ALM will be active as 6W/IK4ALM from Saly, Senegal between 29 March and 9 April. He will operate SSB and QRS CW on 40-10 metres with 100 watts and a ground plane. QSL via home call. [TNX IK4ALM]
- 9A - Look for Wolfgang, 9A/OE3WGC and Gert, 9A/OE3ZK to be active from Palagruza Island (EU-090) and lighthouse from 30 May to 6 June. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via bureau to home calls. [TNX OE3ZK]
- 9M2 - Richard, PA0RRS will be moving permanently to Malaysia on 1 May. He will be active as 9M2MRS from Penang Island (AS-015), initially only on 20 metres with a dipole. He prefers CW, with SSB on request. QSL via 9M2MRS, either direct (Richard Smeets, Reef Apartment Building, 54-7-12 Jalan Low Yat, 11100 Batu Ferringhi, Penang Island, Malaysia) or through the bureau. "Via PA0RRS" is still possible, but you should be patient, as Richard will be back to the The Netherlands only for a limited time each year. [TNX PA0RRS/9M2MRS]
- 9M6 - Steve, 9M6DXX will operate as 9M8Z from Sarawak, East Malaysia (OC-088) on 26-29 March, including a SOAB HP entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. Outside the contest, look for Steve on 40 metres SSB, on which band he will be using a 3-element Yagi. QSL via M0URX, direct, bureau or LoTW. [TNX 9M6DXX]
- BV - BV2DD and other six operators from Taiwan will be active as BP0A from the P'enghu Islands (AS-103) on 27-30 March. QSL via BV2KI, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- CN - Alfredo, IK7JWX and other eight operators will be active on all bands and modes from Mogador Island (AF-065) between 18 and 26 April. They have been issued individual callsigns as follows: 5C2A (QSL via IK2AQZ), 5C2C (QSL via IK6CAC), 5C2F (QSL via I2FUG), 5C2G (QSL via IZ7GWZ), 5C2J (QSL via IK7JWX), 5C2L (QSL via I8LWL), 5C2SG (QSL via IZ7ATN), 5C2Y (QSL via I0SNY) and 5C2Z (QSL via I8YGZ). Their main QTH will be Essaouira on mainland Morocco; when on the island they will operate /p. They also plan to operate /m from three lighthouses (ARLHS MOR-019, MOR-036 and MOR-040).

Contributions will be gratefully accepted. Please e-mail mogadorisland2009@libero.it for further information, or visit <http://www.mogador2009.altervista.org/> (under construction). [TNX IK7JWX]

- CT - CT1GFK, CT1GPQ, CT1IUA and CT2IHP will be active as CS6A from the lighthouse Murtinas Posterior (ARLHS POR-126) on 15 March, from 7 to 13 UTC. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres with two stations. QSL via CT1GFK, direct or bureau. [TNX CT1END]
- CU - Martti, OH2BH (CU2KG) and Juha, OH8NC (CU2KH) are in the Azores and will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as CU2A (20m) and CU2X (80m). They may occasionally come on other bands to hand out multipliers. QSL both via OH2BH. [TNX OH2BN]
- DU - DY1C is the callsign Jairus/DV1ERS, Roland/DU1KGJ and Frank/VE7DP will be using during their operation from Cujo Island (OC-120) [425DXN 930]. Their operating schedule will be dictated by the boat schedule to the island and they anticipate to be QRV around 4 UTC on 6 March until around 2 UTC on the 8th. Look for DY1C on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres CW and SSB. QSL via VE7DP, direct or bureau. [TNX VE7DP]
- F - Christophe/F5UBH, Juan/F5IRC and Karim/F4CTJ will be active as TM2HC from Hoedic Island (EU-048) on 13-15 March. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on the HF bands. QSL via F5IRC, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - Amateur radio club CBK (<http://www.cbk67.org>) will operate special event station TM0TAN from 27 March to 10 April to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Organisation du Traite de l'Atlantique Nord (OTAN), i.e. the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO). The activity also includes participation in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via F8KHH, direct or bureau. [TNX F5AEG]
- FT5X - Gildas, TU5KG (FT5WP/mm) expects to stop at Port-aux-Francais (Kerguelen) between 8 and 10 March. If he is able to land, he will might be QRV as FT5XS (QSL via F4EFI). [TNX F4EFI]
- H40 - The Daily DX reports that the Temotu team - namely H40MS (SSB), H40FN (CW) and H40HP (2m EME) - is operating from Pigeon Island in the Reef Islands (OC-065), not from Nendo (OC-100) as previously announced. QSL H40MS via DL2GAC; QSL H40FN via HA8FW; QSL H40HP via DL2NUD.
- HH - Jan, K4QD and Don, AF4Z will be active again as HH4/homecall from the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission from 23 March to 3 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres as time and availability of AC power permit. They will also participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest, and are working with HH2JR and the Radio Club Haiti in an attempt to obtain a special 4V4 prefix for the contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX K4QD]
- I - Special stations II0IDP (QSL via IS0SDX), II0IDR (QSL via IZ0FVD), II0IGU (QSL via IK0JFS), II1ICS (QSL via I1SAF), II1IGG (QSL via I2AZ), II8ICN (QSL via IZ8JPV) and II9ICF (QSL via IT9MRM) - all representing former coast radio stations of the Italian Navy - will be active on 7-22 March for the 3rd Italian Navy Coastal Radio Stations Award (<http://www.assoradiomarinai.tk>). [TNX IT9MRM]
- I - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, special event station IY1GMN will be QRV on 13-28 June from Sanremo ([www.arisanremo.it](http://www.arisanremo.it)). The activity will coincide with a vintage-radio exhibition ("From Marconi to Nowadays") to be hosted at Villa Nobel, where Alfred Nobel lived and died in 1896. QSL via operator's instructions [TNX I1UWF]
- J3 - Colin, G3VCQ will be active as J38CW from Grenada on 12-26 March. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and possibly RTTY/PSK. He will also participate in the Commonwealth (BERU) Contest (14-15 March, rules at [www.rsgbhfcc.org](http://www.rsgbhfcc.org)). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G3VCQ]
- JA - Look for JS6RRR and JI3DST/JS6 to operate on all bands and modes

- from the Miyako Islands (AS-079) on 14-24 March. QSL via bureau. [TNX JS6RRR]
- KH0 - Look for KH0/KI3DNN (QSL via JI3DNN), KH0/N3MU (QSL via JA3CEK) and KH0/K2JA (QSL via JL3SIK) to be active from Saipan (OC-086) on 19-22 March. They plan to operate SSB, CW and some digital modes on 160-6 metres. [TNX JL3SIK]
- LU - LU4GL, LU1JB/L, LU4LC, LU9GDN, LU7LC, LU4LE and possibly others will be active as LT9L (<http://www.qsl.net/lt9l>) from the nature reserve Esteros del Ibera on 21-23 March. They will operate CW, SSB, PSK, RTTY and SSTV on 80, 40, 20 and 15 metres. QSL via EA5FL. The operation is organized by Radio Club Corrientes (LU4LG), Radio Club Villa Angela (LU4GO) and Chaco Radio Club (LU4GF). [TNX LU5FZ]
- OE - The "Radio Club of America" was established in January 1909, and issued the first amateur radio licences in April of that year. To celebrate 100 Years of Amateur Radio, the Amateur Radio Section of ORF (Austrian Broadcasting Corporation) and the Documentary Archives Radio Communication/QSL Collection will be active as OE100M on 1-30 April (contacts made on the International Marconi Day, 25 April, will be valid for the IMD Award). QSL via the bureau or direct to OE1WHC. [TNX OE1WHC]
- PA - Amateur radio operators from Ireland (EI) will be permitted to operate digital modes on 30 metres starting on 29 March, and a number of European Phase Shift Keying Club's (EPC) stations will be active on or around that date to celebrate that event. Announced stations include PA30EPC (from 28 March to 24 April, operated by Richard/PA3GWH on 10-80 metres PSK) as well as CS2EPC, DK0EPC, K1EPC, M0EPC, M10EPC, N4EPC, and possibly others. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX PA3GWH]
- S2 - S21KD is the callsign for the Korea DX Club's DXpedition to Dhaka, Bangladesh [425DXN 921]. Four operators (namely 6K2AVL, 6K2GCW, 6K5YPW and HL5FUA) will be active from 7 to 14 March on 160-10 metres the following suggested frequencies:  
 CW 1822, 3515, 7015, 10115, 14015, 18075, 21015, 24895, 28015  
 SSB 3793, 7095, 14195, 18130, 21295, 24950, 28460  
 Digital 7035, 10140, 14082, 18100, 21082  
 QSL via HL5FUA, direct or bureau. The webpages for the expedition can be found at <http://dxpedition.co.kr/>
- SV - Andreas/SV2JAO, Archelaos/SV2KBB, Kostas/SV2LLB and Litsa/SW2MIN will be active as SX2MT from the Royal Tombs Museum at Vergina, the capital of the ancient Macedonian kingdom, on 20-21 and 27-28 June for the International Museums Weekend. QSL via SV2KBB, direct only. [TNX SV2KBB]
- TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team (<http://www.tcswat.org/>) will be active as TC18M on 17-19 March to commemorate the 94th anniversary of the naval battle of 18 March 1915 during the Dardanelles Campaign. They will operate SSB and CW on the HF bands from Canakkale on the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles. QSL via TA3FB. [TNX TA1HZ]
- UA - Special event station R150ASP will be active from Gogland Island (EU-133) on 14-17 March to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Russian physicist and radio pioneer Aleksandr S. Popov. Look for activity on the HF bands SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via RF3C, direct or bureau. [TNX RA3DOX]
- V2 - Bob, W4OWY (V25WY) and Mark, W9OP (V25OP) will be active on 160-6 metres from Antigua (NA-100) on 10-19 March. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. They will also upload their logs to LoTW and eQSL. [TNX NG3K]
- VE - John/VE8EV, Wally/VE8DW and Gerry/VE8GER will be active as VX8X from Ellice Island (NA-192) on 20-23 March. They plan to operate around the clock, with an expected focus on 20m SSB and some activity on CW as well. They will also have a vertical for 40 metres. The QSL route will be announced at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) and updates

will be posted on <http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/search/label/IOTA> [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]

- VE - VY0A is the callsign Cezar, VE3LYC will be using during his 31 March-3 April activity from Fox Island (NA-186) [425DXN 929]. He will operate SSB and CW with 100 watts and a multi-band vertical antenna, with a focus on 20, 30 and 40 metres. This IOTA group was activated only once and very briefly sixteen years ago. The costs associated with this operation are considerable and both group and individual donors are being sought. QSL via VE3LYC.
- VP5 - Dave, W5CW will be active on 160-6 metres CW and SSB as VP5/W5CW from Providenciales (NA-002), Caicos Islands from 24 March to 8 April. He will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as VP59V; before and after the WPX event he will concentrate on 160, 30, 12 and 17 metres. QSL via home call (direct only). [TNX W5CW]
- W - Pete, VE3IKV (VA3RA) will operate from St. Simons Island (NA-058) on 7 March. On 9-13 March he will be active from Key West (NA-062), with a possibility of a side trip to the Dry Tortugas (NA-079) during that time frame. Expect him to be active as W4/VA3RA on 40 metres CW, between 21 UTC and 2 UTC, from all locations. [TNX VE3IKV]

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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 <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/intldx.html>. This year's event will run from from 00.00 UTC on 7 March through 24.00 UTC on the 8th. Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxs2009.html> - good contest to you all!

DXCC NEWS ---> At its last meeting the ARRL Programs and Services Committee decided that administratively the concept of "deleted entities" should be returned to the DXCC programme. The concepts for deleting an entity do not change. If an entity is deleted it will be added to the Deleted Entities List and the statistical records for DXCC participants will be adjusted accordingly, just as they had been in the years prior to 2000 (when the change from "deleting entities" to "removing entities" was introduced). Read Bill Moore's, NC1L full release on the Century Club Awards Weblog at <http://www.arrl.org/blog/Century%20Club%20Awards>

FH/G3SWH ---> Phil (G3SWH) and Dick (G3RWL) arrived back from their trip to Mayotte with over 10,000 QSOs in the log. "Looking at the DX Summit spot database", Phil says, "we appear to have been the victim of some piracy". Please note that there was neither activity by FH/G3RWL (both operators used FH/G3SWH) nor SSB activity whatsoever.

K5D POSTLOGUE ---> "The K5D DXpedition (12-26 February 2009) netted 115,783 QSOs, including one QSO with the International Space Station. The DXpedition ranks #7th for all-time number of QSOs, and the #1 DXpedition with the most 30m contacts. More importantly, we are confident that thousands of radio amateurs worldwide now have a QSO with Desecheo for an all-time new one - our overall #1 goal!  
Desecheo was #2 Most Wanted in Asia and #3 Most Wanted in Europe. We are happy to report that 40% of our contacts were with Asia and Europe - another important goal achieved!

The QSL card is in the final stages of design and will be available in the next few weeks. You may QSL directly to N200, but online QSL requests are available and highly recommended (details at <http://www.kp5.us/qsls.htm>). Logs will be uploaded to LoTW early next year. The Desecheo 2009 team wants to thank everyone for working us and helping to make this DXpedition such a success!" [TNX K4UEE and W0GJ]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (301 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (939 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2547 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (304 QSLs), Antarctic bases (723 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 246 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (245 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (95 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (533 QSLs), French Departments (522 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs) plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (105 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <http://LesNouvellesdx.fr> and send your comments to [lesnouvellesdx@free.fr](mailto:lesnouvellesdx@free.fr) [TNX F6AJA]

QSL VIA NI5DX ---> Buzz, NI5DX is the new QSL manager for ZC4TS (logs transferred, cards being ordered) and FM1II (logs transferred, cards expected "in the not too distant future"). [TNX K1XN and The Golist]

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

VK9NS ---> Bruce Smith, G3HSR, son of the late Jim Smith, recalls his father's life on the Documentary Archive Radio Communication's website (<http://www.dokufunk.org/vk9ns>). The interview was given to Wolf Harranth, OE1WHC on 5 March,

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Karl-Heinz + Moeding (DJ9CZ), John S. Kanzius (K3TUP), Harry K. Nishiyama (KH6FKG), Victor A. Babenko (RV6AB), John D. Peebles (W0LBA), Leonid I. Zverev (UA8TAB), Vasilij A. Spirin (UA9TE), George Smith (VE3CAO) and John Metcalfe (VE3HWW).

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- 9A - Special event station 9A09P will be active through the end of the year to celebrate the city of Djurdjevac. A special QSL will be issued and all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX 9A2JK]
- 9H - Valentin, DL5GA will be active as 9H3GA from Malta (EU-023) on 17-24 March. He will operate holiday style on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX DL5GA]
- C9 - Cal/WF5W, Paul/W5PF, Madison/W5MJ, Bill/K5WAF, Dale/KG5U and Jim/N4AL will be active on 160-10 metres as C91TX from Bilene, Mozambique from 25 March to 5 April. They plan to have three stations (one for CW, one for SSB and one for digital modes) with amplifiers, log periodics, a 4-square for 40m and possibly a 4-square for 80m, and a vertical for 160, 80 and 30m. They will also participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via W5PF, direct or bureau. The page for the operation can be found on the Texas DX Society's site (<http://www.tdxs.net/c91.html>). [TNX K5DX]
- E5 - Tim, NL8F will be active as E51COF from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands from 21 March to 4 April. He plans to operate SSB on 10, 15, 20, 40, 80 and maybe 17 metres. QSL via K8NA. [TNX [www.islandchaser.com](http://www.islandchaser.com)]
- GI - The Foyle & District ARC will be active as GB5SPD on 14-17 March to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. QSL via MN0AKU, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- KH4 - After a seven-year hiatus, in late January 2009 the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service announced that they would once again allow amateur radio operations from Midway Atoll (OC-030) "on a trial basis" [425DXN 926]. A multi national team of 19 operators will be active as K4M from Midway for ten days between 5 and 19 October. They will have 5-6 stations active on 160-6 metres, with at least one station on 20m around the clock. Further information, including details on how contribute to this expensive expedition, can be found at [www.midway2009.com](http://www.midway2009.com).
- OY - Lars, OZ1FJB will be active as OY/OZ1FJB from the Faroe Islands (EU-018) from 16 March to 1 April. He will be QRV during his spare time, indicatively on 21-24 UTC and 6-7 UTC, and will operate mainly CW with some SSB. He has also been permitted to operate on 60 metres, look for him on 5403.5 khz USB. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- S2 - Upon arrival in Dhaka, just in the middle of a civil unrest, the Korea DX Club's team found out that the previously issued licence (S21KD) had been revoked. They were able to get a new licence (S21ZCY) on 8 March, but they could not retrieve the radio gear

that had been confiscated at the airport. On 10 March, while the local situation was deteriorating, they surrendered and cancelled the operation, as "safety is the first priority". Their website is at <http://d Expedition.co.kr/>

- TK - Dragan/9A2SX, Igor/9A3AXX, Hrle/9A6XX and Marko/9A8MM will be active as TK/homecall from Corsica (EU-014) on 18-22 March. They will operate on 160-10 metres and will participate in the Russian DX Contest (21-22 March, <http://www.rdx.org/>) as TK7P. QSLs via 9A8MM (all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau). [TNX 9A6XX]
- V6 - Yoshi, JJ8DEN is currently active as V63PR from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia until 19 March. On 20-24 March he will be active from the Chuuk Islands (OC-011). He expects to operate CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call.
- VE - VC3Y is a special callsign for the 50th anniversary of the York Region Amateur Radio Club (<http://yrarc.com/yrarc/>). The club hopes to have it on the air as much as possible until 31 March. On 21-22 March it will be used by Doug/VE3CWO, Neil/VE3SST, Igor/VE3ZF, Valdas/VE3VO and Brent/VE3IRT to activate Bluffers Park Island (CISA new) and lighthouse. QSL via VE3CWO, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3JI and VE3ZF]
- VP5 - Art, N4PJ and Marsha, K4IRI will be active as VP5/N4PJ (CW and RTTY) and VP5/K4IRI (SSB) from Providenciales, Caicos Islands (NA-002) on 17-24 March. They will participate in the Russian DX Contest as VQ5B. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XE - Bernardo, XE2HWP will be active as XE2HWP/XF1 from Isla Santa Margarita (NA-078) on 21-23 March, possibly starting around 22 UTC on the 21st. He will operate SSB only, using a battery and a small generator to run 100 watts to a vertical antenna on the beach. He expects to concentrate on 20 metres (+/- 14260 kHz); other frequencies to look for him on are 28560, 28460, 24950, 21260, 18128, 7055 and 7155 kHz. QSL via N6AWD (direct only). [TNX XE2K]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (February 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

ALGARVE AWARDS ---> The Algarve S.T.A.R. DX Team sponsors two awards for working stations operating from islands and lighthouses of the Portuguese Algarve region. Detailed information on the Diploma das Ilhas do Algarve (Algarve Islands Award) and the Diploma dos Farois e Farolins do Algarve (Algarve Light and Lighthouses Award) can be found at <http://algarvedx.com> (click on the Awards tab). A collection of on-line logs is available at <http://algarvedx.com/logonline> [TNX CT1GFK]

DXCC NEWS ---> The recent K5D operation from Desecheo Island has been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

RSGB COMMONWEALTH CONTEST ---> The 71st edition of the Commonwealth (BERU) Contest (<http://www.beru.org.uk/>) will be held on 14-15 March, from 10 UTC to 10 UTC, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW. Please note that only operators located within the Commonwealth or British Mandated Territories are eligible to enter: "callers outside the Commonwealth call areas can be a serious problem in this contest", Alan Jubb (5B4AHJ/P3J) says, so please check the list at <http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/information/codes.shtml> before calling.

+ SILENT KEYS + Gianni Vincis, IS0VSG passed away on 9 March. A keen  
+ DX enthusiast, in recent years he was the pilot station for 600N (2006),  
J20MM/J20RR (2007) and 9L1X (2008). Other recently reported Silent Keys  
include Cuban veteran Mario Chacon (CO8CH), Marcel Trobrillant (FM5CH),  
Giuseppe Martinelli (I7JFQ), Charles H. Watters (W4RHE), John M. Ziegler  
(W6ZZZ) and Tony Loftus (VE3FRK).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A2CWG	3A2LF	FM1FV	W3HNK	R150B	RK1B
3D2KC	DL1DA	FM1II	NI5DX	R150DMP	UA9CHA
4B2S	W7RJ	FP/KV1J	KV1J	R150IP	UA3ICV
4J9M	DL7EDH	FS5KA	W3HNK	S21RC	EB7DX
4L5O	N3SL	FT5YJ/P	F5PFP	SE800M	SK6NL
4S7BRG	HB9BRM	GB250RB	MM0DHQ	SQ0NATO	SP1PBW
4Z8BB	WC1X	GW7X	GW3SQX	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH
5X1AB	K6EID	GZ5Y	GM4SSA	T46G	CO6LC
5X1NH	G3RWF	H22H	5B4MF	TI8M	TI2KAC
6Y1V	OH3RB	H2T	5B4XF	TO2T	F6HMQ
7Z1HB	DE1ZHB	H40FN	HA8FW	TO5A	F5VHJ
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	H40HP	DL2NUD	TR8CA	F6CBC
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	H40MS	DL2GAC	TT8FC	EA4AHK
7Z1UG	DG1XG	HE8AFI	HB9AFI	TU5JD	IK2IQD
8P9NI	VE3NI	HE8AUS	HB9AUS	UE0SZB	RZ0SB
8Q7HI	WM6A	HE8CXZ	HB9CXZ	UE0SZS	RZ0SB
9J2FM	JA4ATV	HF100ZO	SP2PTU	UN5J	W3HNK
9J2YO	YO4ATW	HI3K	KB2MS	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
9K2K	EA5KB	HQ2W	HR2DMR	V25DG	K1DG
A61AB	IZ8CLM	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	V25OP	W9OP
A61CK	PE1BSX	HV4NAC	IK0FVC	V25TK	G3TKK
A61Q	EA7FTR	II0IGU	IK0JFS	V25WY	W4OWY
A61R	EA7FTR	II1ICS	I1SAF	V26F	W1MD
AH0S/KH2	JH1DVG	II1IGG	I2AZ	V26QX	K1QX
AY5F	LU5FC	II8ICN	IZ8JPV	V31DX	N7KR
AY8A	LU8ADX	J28JA	F5JFU	V31NC	XE1TNC
C31CT	EA3QS	J28KO	F6DKI	V5/DJ4SO	DJ4SO
C56ETF	GW0ETF	J42WT	SV2HPP	V5/DL2SL	DL2SL
C6A/W6DXO	KF6JOQ	J5UAP	HA3AUI	V63AR	JH2BNL
C6AXF	N1EMC	JW5HE	LA5HE	V63P	JH2BNL
CE9XX	F5PFP	KH0PR	JJ8DEN	V63TO	OM2SA
CN2WU	F5CWU	KL7FH	AC7DX	V63WW	JA2NQG
CN8IG	EA7FTR	KP4QY	AI4U	V6C	JH2BNL
CN8SG	EA7FTR	L20E	WD9EWK	V6P	JH2BNL
CN8YR	EA7FTR	LQ0F	EA5KB	V6T	JH2BNL
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	LR1H	LU2HOD	V73J	JH2BNL
CO2JD	AD4Z	LR2F	LU2FA	V73M	JA2NQG
CO6RD	8P9NX	LS2E	EA5KB	V7XX	JH2BNL
CP6AA	IK6SNR	LU/FT5YJ	F5PFP	V85NL	JA4ENL
CP6XE	IK6SNR	LU4WG	EA5KB	VC3A	VE3AT
CT7FFC	CT1GFK	LY1000CM	LY1CM	VK6ARI	VK6NE
CU2A	OH2BH	LZ131GO	LZ1KZA	VP5H	W0GJ
CU2KG	OH2BH	LZ17ARDF	LZ1ZF	VP8DLJ	G0VZM
CU2X	OH2BH	OL2009FIS	OK1IF	VP8KF	G3VPW

CX/SP9MRO	SP9SX	P3J	5B4AHJ	VP9400HW	VP9HW
D2QMN	RZ3EC	P40A	WD9DZV	VP9I	N1HRA
D44TXI	DH2KI	P49MR	VE3MR	W4/VA3RA	VE3IKV
D44TXO	DJ2VO	P49Y	AE6Y	XE2/N7DD	W7RJ
D44TXP	DL1COP	PA750ASN	PI4ASN	XU7TZG	ON7PP
D44TXQ	DL3KBQ	PH450OBL	PH7Y	XU7XXX	KC0W
D44TXR	DL2RSI	PJ4/K2NG	WA2NHA	XV9DX	OM3JW
D44TXS	HB9EHQ	PJ4G	WA2NHA	YI1RAZ	IK2DUW
DX1J	JA1HGY	PJ5NA	K1NA	YN2NB	N1SNB
DY1C	VE7DP	PJ7B	W8EB	ZC4TS	NI5DX
EA8AH	OH1RY	PJ7MF	IZ1MHY	ZF2AH	W6VNR
ED5T	EA5ELT	PS0F	W9VA	ZL3A	ZL3WW
EP3PK/P	IK2DUW	R150A	RK1A	ZL7T	ZL2AL
ET3JA	OK3AA	R150AP	RW4HB	ZP0R	ZP5AZL

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- 4U1UN - Bernie, W3UR and other four operators will be active from the United Nations Headquarters during the weekend. Activity is expected to begin around 21 UTC on 20 March and continue into midday on the 22nd. They will be QRV with two stations, with an emphasis on the low bands and special attention for Japan (20m at 21.30-23.00 UTC), VK/ZL & other Pacific (40m at 09.00-11.00 UTC), VK6 (20m at 00.00 UTC; 40m longpath at 22.30-23.30 UTC). QSL via HB9BOU. Updates will be posted on <http://twitter.com/dailydx> [TNX The Daily DX]
- 5N - 5N00CH is the callsign issued to Bodo, DL3OCH (HB9EHJ) for HF activity during his stay in Abuja, Nigeria, from 21 March until July [425DXN 931]. He plans to operate during his spare time on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. Hopefully he will also go and operate from IOTA group AF-076. Further information can be found at <http://www.dl3och.de/>. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- 5Z - Eltje/PA3CEE, Rene/PE1L and Ronald/PA3EWP will be active from Kenya on 1-12 April. They will operate as 5Z4EME on 2m and 70cm EME (details can be found at [www.emelogger.com/kenya](http://www.emelogger.com/kenya)); Ronald will also operate on the HF bands as 5Z4/PA3EWP, using verticals for 10-40 metres and a homemade amplifier. QSL 5Z4EME via PA3CEE, QSL 5Z4/PA3EWP via PA7FM. [TNX PA3EWP]
- 8P - Richard, G3RWL will be active as 8P6DR from Barbados (NA-021) on 2-24 April. He will operate holiday style on 160-10 metres CW and digital modes. Better not to expect him on the bands on 8 April, as it will be his wedding day! QSL via home call, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to [g3rwl@amsat.org](mailto:g3rwl@amsat.org)). [TNX G3RWL]
- 9A - Celebrating the 800th anniversary of the charter that granted city rights to Varazdin, the local radio club (9A1HDE/9A7A) will operate as 9A800VZ until the end of the year. The first activity will be during the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest on 28-29 March. QSL via 9A7A. [TNX 9A2X]
- 9M8 - Steve, 9M6DXX has changed his plans [425DXN 931] and will now operate as 9M8Z from Sarawak, East Malaysia (OC-088) on 21-29 March, CQ WW WPX SSB Contest included. Outside the contest, look for him especially on 40 metres SSB. QSL via M0URX, direct, bureau or LoTW. [TNX 9M6DXX]
- CT3 - Helmut, DF7ZS will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as CS9L from Madeira (AF-014). Expect some casual operating as CT3/DF7ZS between 24 and 31 March. QSL CS9L via DJ6QT, QSL CT3/DF7ZS via home call (bureau preferred). [TNX DF7ZS]
- DU - Max, M0GHQ will be visiting the Philippines between late March and

- late April. He expects to operate from the islands of Cebu (OC-129), Samal (OC-235, 29-31 March) and Mindanao (OC-130), and to attend the Philippine Amateur Radio Association's 77th annual hamvention, to be held on 17-19 April on Leyte Island (OC-129). He plans to be active on 160-10 metres (plus possibly 6 metres) SSB, PSK31 and RTTY with 100 watts and wire antennas. [TNX The Daily DX]
- E5\_sc - Bob, ZL1RS as E51EME and Lance, W7GJ as E51SIX will activate the South Cook Islands on 2 and 6 metres EME between 26 March and 4 April. They will operate from Rarotonga (OC-013, grid BG08dr). Further information can be found at <http://www.bigskyspaces.com/w7gj/E51SIX.htm> [TNX OZ6OM]
- GM - Theo, ON4ATW and others have a plan to be active as MM0RAI/p from Rockall (EU-189) for three days during the first week of May. A dedicated website is under construction and is expected to be launched by the end of March. [TNX MM0NDX]
- GW - The Strumblehead DX and Contest Group (<http://www.mc0shl.com>) will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as both MW9W and MC0SHL - depending on the number of operators there may be more calls on air. QSL via M0URX. Expect some activity on 30m RTTY before the contest. [TNX G1VDP]
- HZ - Mohamad/HZ1MD, Firas/HZ1FS and Sulaiman/7Z1SJ are active as HZ1FS/p from Hibar Island, in the Red Sea Coast South/Jizan Province group, IOTA AS-192 (new one). They expect to operate mainly SSB, with some digital modes and maybe CW, and to remain on the island until the 23rd, or even longer depending on local conditions. QSL via EA7FTR.
- I - A team from ARI San Severo and a few guest operators will be active as IL7G from the Tremiti Islands (EU-050) from 30 May to 2 June. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160m-70cm, and to participate in the 13th Gargano Contest (31 May, 6m CW and SSB). QSL via IW7EBE, direct or bureau. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW. Further information can be found at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) under IL7G. [TNX I7CSB]
- J6 - John, W5JON will be active as J6/W5JON from St. Lucia (NA-108) from 25 March to 2 April. He plans to operate on 160-6 metres and to participate in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. QSL via W5JON. [TNX The Daily DX]
- JD1\_oga- A fourth operator will be joining the three ones who will be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara between 29 April and 12 May [425DXN 929]. Dates and callsigns are as follows:
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| JD1BLK | 29 April-5 May | QSL via JM1LJS |
| JD1BLY | 29 April-5 May | QSL via JI5RPT |
| JD1BMT | 2-5 May        | QSL via JE4SMQ |
| JD1BMH | 2-12 May       | QSL via JG7PSJ |
- They plan to operate CW, SSB and data modes on 160-6 metres, plus satellite. Logsearches and further information will be available on their individual websites: <http://radio-dream.com/jd1blk/e/> (JD1BLK), <http://sapphire.ganko.tohoku.ac.jp/jd1bmh/> (JD1BMH) and <http://www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/> (JD1BLY) [TNX JI5RPT]
- JT - Alexey/UA4HOX, Vic/UA4HBW, Eugeny/RK3AD and Alex/RK4HM have been active as JT1R from Mongolia since 17 March. They will participate in the Russian DX Contest and will remain there through 25 March. QSL via RW4HB. Log search and updates can be found at [www.hamonline.ru](http://www.hamonline.ru) [TNX RA4HT]
- KH0 - Toshiyuki, JP1PZE will be active as K7XF/KH0 from Saipan (OC-086) on 3-7 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via JP1PZE, direct or bureau. [TNX JP1PZE]
- KP2 - Ann, KP2YL and Brian, KP2HC will be active from St. Croix, US Virgin Islands (NA-106) from 28 March through 7 April. Look for them on 160-6 metres CW and SSB. As always, Brian will be monitoring 6m for any band openings. QSL direct only (see [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com)), with sufficient postage to cover the upcoming US postal rate increase. [TNX KP2HC]



- OH0 - Anne, OH2YL will be active as OH0/OH2YL from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 9-14 April. She will operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX OH2YL]
- OY - Health problems have caused Lars, OZ1FJB to cancel his 16 March-1 April trip [425DXN 932] to the Faroe Islands. [TNX The Daily DX]
- OZ - Paolo, I2AE will be touring Denmark indicatively between 1 and 15 May. He plans to visit and operate on 40 and 20 metres SSB as OZ/I2AE/p from a large number of islands (most of them qualifying for IOTA groups EU-125, EU-171, EU-172 or EU-029) and lighthouses. QSL via home call. His planned itinerary can be found at <http://www.qrz.com/db/i2ae> [TNX I2AE]
- PA - Adriaan, PE2KP (previous callsign PE1KHP, [www.pe2kp.nl](http://www.pe2kp.nl)) will be active on all bands and modes as PE25KP on 1-12 May to celebrate his Silver Jubilee with amateur radio. QSL via bureau to PE2KP. [TNX PE2KP]
- VE - The VX8X expedition to Ellice Island (NA-192) [425DXN 931] has been postponed and is now scheduled to happen on 2-5 April. The plan has been revised to include more operating time on 40 and 17 metres in addition to the planned activity on 20 metres. Expect to hear simultaneous operations on two bands during peak hours. Special attention will be given to Europe and Japan. Bookmark <http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/search/label/IOTA> for updates. [TNX VE8EV]
- VK9L - Announced frequencies for the 23 March-3 April VK9LA DXpedition to Lord Howe [425DXN 929] are:  
 SSB 3797, 7084, 14250, 18165, 21290, 24987, 28470, 50100  
 CW 1813, 3513,7013, 10106, 14023, 18072, 21023, 24892, 28023, 50100  
 RTTY 10135, 14088, 18100, 21088, 24925, 28088  
 A serious emphasis will be put on the low bands, and "extensive work has taken place to make sure all operators are familiar with various sunrise sunset times throughout the world". There will be an operator on every low band every day when they are in darkness. Detailed information on the operating strategy on the low bands can be found at <http://www.odxg.org/vk9la.htm>. They also expect "huge openings" on 30 metres, and, with their station separation, they should be able to run two stations simultaneously to maximize openings. The DXpedition will have Internet capability 24 hours a day, and they intend to have photos, on-line log check and QSO totals updated on a regular basis. QSL via VK4FW, direct or bureau. Direct and bureau cards can also be requested through the On-line QSL Request Service (details on the website). Two team members (SQ8X and SQ9DIE) are also on Twitter (<http://twitter.com/vk9la>).
- VK9M - The VK9GMW team (George, AA7JV and Tomi, HA7RY) [425DXN 929] has been enroute to Mellish Reef since 17 March. However, they are currently stuck at Marion Reef to wait for the "extreme weather conditions" to improve. They hope to be able to continue their voyage on Sunday or Monday, but the low pressure system "poses a serious danger" to them. QSL via HA7RY. An Online QSL Request Service (OQRS) for bureau cards will be available after the end of the operation. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. Further information and updates can be found at <http://www.vk9gmw.com>
- YJ - Dennis, F5VHY (G3MXJ) and Nigel, G3TXF will be active as YJ0MXJ and YJ0TXF from the Aore Island Resort off Espiritu Santo (OC-035), Vanuatu from 10 UTC on 27 March to 15 UTC on 1 April. They will operate CW only, mainly on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. There will be no 160m, but if local conditions permit they will try 80 metres. QSL via home calls. On their way out to and back from Vanuatu they will operate from New Caledonia (FK/G3MXJ and FK/G3TXF, 25-26 March) and Norfolk Island (G3MXJ/VK9N and G3TXF/VK9N, 4 April). All logs will be uploaded to LoTW. The web page for the expedition can be found at [www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/YJ/YJ.html](http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/YJ/YJ.html)

- YU - Lui, HB9EDB will be active as YU/HB9EDB from the Resava Valley Amateur Radio Club (YU1ARC, <http://www.yularc.com>) from 25 March to 1 April, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. [TNX HB9EDB]
- ZF - Adrian, AA5UK will be active from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) from 25 March to 8 April. He will be using ZF2AE from Grand Cayman and ZF2AE/ZF8 from Little Cayman; he plans to operate holiday style on AO-51, SO-50, VO-52 and FO-29 satellites, and to be on the HF bands (40-10 metres) for part on the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest and the rest of his stay on Little Cayman. Look for him especially during his afternoon and evening hours. QSL via home call, direct, bureau, LoTW or eQSL. [TNX AA5UK]
- ZF - Sharon, K7WZB and Garry, K9WZB will be operating from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) from 21 April to 6 May. Look for ZF2ZB on 160-6 metres SSB, RTTY, CW and PSK 31. They will be monitoring 6 metres most of the time for opening to US and Europe. QSL direct to K9WZB. [TNX K9WZB]

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HOLYLAND CONTEST ---> The Holyland DX Contest 2008 results can be found on the IARC website ([http://www.iarc.org/?page\\_id=353/](http://www.iarc.org/?page_id=353/)), along with the rules for this years' event (18 April, 00.00-23.59 UTC). [TNX 4Z4KX]

QSL VP2MKK ---> Please note that the QSL route for the recent activity is via KK1KW (direct, LoTW or eQSL). The QSL route for contacts made with VP2MKK operated by W6KK on 2-13 December 2004 is via W8QID. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL VIA 3A2LF ---> Claude, 3A2LF is closing down the logs for 3A100GM (1995), 3A7G (1997) and 3A50R (1999). If you still need a card, please go direct to Claude Passet, 3 allée Guillaume Apollinaire, MC 98000 Monaco. Claude also still has a few blank cards for other special call signs, please e-mail him ([cpasset@monaco.mc](mailto:cpasset@monaco.mc)) and check for availability. [TNX 3A2LF]

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 QSLs received direct or through managers: 1A0KM, 3B8CF, 3DA0VB, 3V8BB, 3V8SS, 4L0B, 4L4MM, 4L8A, 4O0A, 4O0HQ, 4S7AB, 4S7NE, 4W6MM, 4X4WN, 4Z1UF, 5B/AJ20, 5B4/RW9UP, 5D0IPY, 5H3VMB, 5I3A, 5N/LZ1QK, 5R8VB, 5X1VB, 5Z4/UA4WHX, 5Z4/W0NB, 6W/DL2RMC, 6W7RV, 7P8BA, 7P8VB, 7Q7VB, 8P0P, 8P1A, 8P9MD, 8Q7AU, 8R1AK, 9J2BO, 9J2VB, 9M6XRO, 9M8Z, 9U0VB, 9X0R, 9X0VB, A45WD, A5100A, A71CV, A92GE, AP2DKH, BA0AA, BT1OB, BT1OH, BT1OJ, BT1ON, BT1OY, C4N, C6AKX, C91VB, CE0Y/N6NO, CE1/K7CA, CE9/K2ARB, CO6LC/7 (NA-086), CX/IK1PMR, CX9AU, CY0X, D20VB, D2NX, D4C, D60VB, DU3NXX, DU6BG, E51QQQ, EA9EU, EA9IB, EK6TA, EL2DX, ES1QD, ET3JA, EY7AF, FJ/G3TXF, FJ5KH, FK8CP, FM5CD, FO/DJ7RJ, FO/N6JA, FR5DN, FS5KA, FW5RE, FW8DX, H44MY, HF0POL, HI9/EA3BT (NA-122), HI9/EA3WL (NA-122), HP3TA, IE9N (EU-051), II5AM, J20VB, J88XF, JA7GAX/6 (AS-037), JA7GAX/6 (AS-049)JD1BMM, KP2/K3CT, KP2AD, N8S, OD5/UA4WHX, OH0R, OX5AA, OY/G3TXF, P29NI, PJ2/DJ8NK, PZ5TX, R1FJT, RZ0AF, SD7W/5 (EU-084), ST2VB, SV0XBM/9, SV2ASP/A, T30XX, T31DX, T32YY, T33ZZ, T77C, TA2RC, TF/DL3PS (EU-071), TF/DL3PS (EU-168), TF4M, TF60IRA, TJ3G, TN5SN, TO3R, TR50R, TT8JT, TX5C, UK9AA, UP0L, V26G, V31MR, V31PP, V51VV, V8PMB, VK9DNX, VK9NS, VP2ETN, VP6DI, VP6PR, VP8DKF, VQ9JC, VQ9LA, VR2PX, XU7AAJ, XW1A, XW1B, XX9C, YB1ALL, YJ0MM, YK9G, YN2Z, Z2/UA4WHX, Z29KM, ZD7X, ZD8UW, ZF2NN, ZK2AH, ZK3AH, ZP0R.

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- 3A - Gianni, I1UWF will be active as 3A/I1UWF from Monaco on 4 April, starting around 13 UTC. He plans to be QRV on 17 and 12 metres running 100 watts into a vertical antenna. QSL via home call. [TNX I1UWF]
- E5 - Walter, HB9XBG will be active as E5I1XBG from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands from 30 March to 16 April. Look for him on 20 metres SSB between 6 and 12 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- FJ - Oscar, EB1HF and Pablo, EC1DPM will be active as FJ/homecall from Saint Barthelemy (NA-146) on 7-12 April. They will operate digital modes only, with main activity on RTTY, on 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSLs via EC1AE (direct only). [TNX EC1AE]
- FR - Cedric, F4EGZ is active as FR/F4EGZ from Reunion Island (AF-016) until 13 April. He plans to be QRV during the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest on 10, 15 and 20 metres. Outside the contest he plans to operate on 17 and 6 metres. [TNX F4EGZ]
- HH - 4V4JR is a special callsign obtained by Jean-Robert, HH2JR for the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. He will be joining Don/AF4Z and Jan/K4QD, who have been at the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission since 24 March [425DXN 931]. QSL via K4QD, direct or bureau or LoTW. [TNX K4QD]
- OZ - Tor, DJ4MG (5P4MG) and Ela, DL1TM (OZ7TM) will be active from Vendsyssel-Thy/Nordjylland (EU-171) on 5-16 April. They will operate SSB on 160, 80, 40, 20, 17 and 15 meters, and PSK31 on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- P2 - Derek, G3KHZ (P29NI) has announced a new IOTA DXpedition to Papua New Guinea. Between 22 October and 9 November he and other four operators (namely Luis/CT1AGF, Gordon/G3USR, Steve/G4EDG and Hans/SM6CVX) will be active from the Tanga Islands (OC-102), the Green Islands (OC-231) and the Woodlark Group (OC-205). They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-15 metres, using new single band vertical dipoles for 30-15m and a ground plane for 40m. Further information is expected in due course. The web pages for the expedition are at [http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29\\_2009/index.html](http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2009/index.html) [TNX I1-21171]
- SV - Vassilis/SV8CYV, Alexandros/SV8CYR, Kostandinos/SV8IIR, Ilias/SV8FMY and George/SV8IJZ will be active as SX8P from Samos Island (EU-049) on 3-12 April. The special callsign's suffix stands for Pythagoras, the great philosopher and mathematician who was born on Samos. They plan to operate SSB, BPSK 31 and RTTY mainly on 20, 17, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via the bureau, or direct to SV8CYV. [TNX SV8CYV]

- VE - Celebrating the 50th anniversary of the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway, Canadian amateurs are allowed to use the following prefixes between 1 April and 31 May: XL (VA stations), XN (VO stations), XM (VE stations), XO (VY stations). [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VK9M - Bad weather conditions prevented the VK9GMW team (AA7JV and HA7RY) from leaving Marion Reef [425DXN 933] for several days. Eventually they departed for Mellish on 25 March, and reached their destination at 6 UTC on the 27th. They hope to be on the air by 8 UTC on 28 March. QSL via HA7RY. Please bookmark [www.vk9gmw.com](http://www.vk9gmw.com) for updates.
- VK9X - Haru, JA1XGI will be active as JA1XGI/VK9 from Christmas Island (OC-002) on 4-11 April. He plans to operate CW and digital modes on all bands. QSL via JA1XGI, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VU - Frank/DL4KQ, Sarath/VU3RSB and Jose/VU2JOS expect to be active as AT9RS from Grandi Island in the Goa State group (IOTA AS-177, new one) between 5 and 7 April (indicatively from the local midday on 5 April until the local morning on the 8th). They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on various bands, with two stations, verticals, dipoles and 500 watts. QSL via W3HMK (North and South America) and DL4KQ (rest of the world). Further information to be found at <http://www.mdxc.org/at9rs/> [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]
- W - Buzz, NI5DX and his brother Al, WD5IQR will be operating from Galveston Island (NA-143) on 30 March and, if conditions permit, on 1 April. Monday's operation is planned to be mainly SSB, with the possibility of some CW and digital modes. [TNX K1XN]
- W - The Palos Verdes Amateur Radio Club will operate as K6PV from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) on 1-5 April. They will have two stations active on 80, 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB and CW. QSL via K6PV. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YK - Saad, N5FF will be active again as YK1BA from Damascus, Syria from 30 March to 10 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY in his spare time (between 20-23 UTC, 2-5 UTC and possibly some occasional activities between 12-14 UTC). Saad thinks he will spend most of his radio time on 30, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via N5FF. [TNX K1XN]

CQ WW WPX SSB CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (28-29 March):

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
3V8SS		Tunisia	IZ8CCW
4D1N		Philippines	DV1UBY
4M5DX	M/S	Venezuela	IT9DAA
4M5IR	M/?	Venezuela	YV5KG
4V4JR	M/?	Haiti	K4QD
4Z4OQ	SOSB 20m	Israel	4Z4OQ
5B4AII	SOAB 2R	Cyprus	RW3RN
8P1A	SOAB HP	Barbados	NN1N
9A800VZ		Croatia	9A7A
9M8Z	SOAB HP	East Malaysia	M0URX
A61BK		U.A.E.	A61BK
AH0BT	M/2	Mariana Isls	7L1FPU
A01K	M/?	Spain	EA1GVG
AY5F	SOSB 15m	Argentina	LU5FC
BX5AA	SOAB HP	Taiwan	BX5AA
C91TX		Mozambique	W5PF
CN2BC	SOAB LP	Morocco	DL7BC
CN2R	SOAB	Morocco	W7EJ
CN4P		Morocco	EA5XX
CQ3T	M/S	Madeira	CT3KN
CQ7CQK		Portugal	CT1CQK
CS9L		Madeira Isls	DJ6QT

D4C	M/S	Cape Verde	qrz.com
E7DX	M/?	Bosnia-Herzegovina	E77E
EA8/OH6CS	SOSB 15m	Canary Isls	OH6CS
EA9LZ or EG9Z	SOSB	Ceuta & Melilla	EA9LZ
ED8R	M/S	Canary Isls	EA4RCH
EE2W	M/S	Spain	EB2BXL
EF8R	M/?	Canary Isls	EA8CAC
EI/ON4EI	SOAB LP	Ireland	ON4EI
FR/F4EGZ	SO	Reunion Island	
G6PZ	M/S	England	GM4FDM
GD8K		Isle of Man	GW0ANA
H22H	SOSB 40m HP	Cyprus	5B4MF
HI3C	SOSB 20m	Dominican Republic	qrz.com
HQ2W	SOAB HP	Honduras	HR2DMR
II5W		Italy	IZ5DKG
IR9P	SOAB	Italy (Sicily)	IW9HMQ
IR9Y	M/S	Italy (Sicily)	IT9ABY
J6/W5JON	SO	St. Lucia	W5JON
J88DR	SOAB	St. Vincent	G3TBK
LP1H	M/S	Argentina	EA5KB
LR2F	M/S	Argentina	LU2FA
LS1D	M/?	Argentina	LW9EOC
LS2D	M/2	Argentina	EA5KB
LX7I	SOAB	Luxembourg	LX2A
LY7A	M/M	Lithuania	LY2ZO
MC0SHL		Wales	M0URX
MJ4K	M/?	Jersey	G3NKC
MW9W		Wales	M0URX
NH7A	SOAB	Hawaii	F5VHJ
NQ4I	M/M	USA	K4PK
OL7T	M/S	Czech Republic	OK2BXU
OM0A	M/2	Slovak Republic	OM0AAO
OP4K	M/?	Belgium	ON4JZ
P40A	SOAB	Aruba	WD9DZV
PR1T	M/S	Brazil	PY1ZV
PW2D	M/?	Brazil	PY2VM
PW7A	M/?	Brazil	PY7RP
S65Q		Singapore	9V1QQ
SX5P	M/M	Dodecanese	SV5FRD
T48K	M/S	Cuba	DK1WI
TA1KC	M/?	Turkey	TA0U
TC3EC	M/S	Turkey	TA3GO
TG0AA	M/?	Guatemala	TG9ANF
TM0TAN		France	F8KHH
VC6T		Canada	VE6SV
VP59V	SOAB	Turks & Caicos	W5CW
VP8KF		Falkland Isls	G3VPW
XR1A	M/?	Chile	XQ1IDM
XR6T	M/2	Chile	CE3FED
XW1A	SOAB	Laos	E21EIC
YE0X	M/?	Indonesia	YB0ZZ
YE1ZAT	M/S	Indonesia	qrz.com
YM2W	SOSB 15m HP	Turkey	OK1TN
YM3D	SOAB LP	Turkey	TA3D
YN2BQ		Nicaragua	EA4BQ
ZM4A	M/S	New Zealand	ZL4AA
ZP0R	SOAB	Paraguay	ZP5AZL
ZT2V	M/2	South Africa	NI5DX
ZX7U	SOAB LP	Brazil	PT7ZT
ZZ6Z	SOSB 20m	Brazil	PY6HD

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained By Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxs2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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IARU NEWS ---> The Union des Radioamateurs du Congo (URAC) has applied for admission to the IARU. It represents the Republic of the Congo (capital Brazzaville, ITU-allocated prefix TN), not to be confused with the Democratic Republic of the Congo (capital Kinshasa), which is already represented in the IARU by Association des Radio Amateurs du Congo (ARAC). URAC was formed on 8 October 2008, and lists 15 members on its current roster, including three licensed radio amateurs. The closing date for receipt of votes by the International Secretariat is 11 August. [<http://www.iaru.org/call188.html>]

JAPAN (NEW PRIVILEGES) ---> Effective 29 March at 15 UTC Japanese amateur radio operators will gain new privileges, including the expansion of the 40m band (7000-7200 kHz) and the possibility of working RTTY and data on 10130-10150 kHz. [TNX JA1HGY]

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Sam, RN6BN is receiving many direct QSL cards confirming contacts made with V85SS. Sam is not the QSL manager for V85SS, who wants cards to be mailed to the address mentioned at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com)

PIRATE (EP2IA) ---> A station signing EP2IA has been QRV this week on 40 metres CW, asking for QSL via [qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com). "This was my call in the 1970's", Roger (G3SXW) says, "but I know nothing about the current operation. If the call-sign had been re-issued I would expect him to give a valid QSL route. But [qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) points at G3SXW so I must conclude that this is a pirate operation".

PIRATE (MU0X) ---> MOX is the contest callsign for Charles, M0OXO. Over the last few weeks it has been used several times along with the regional designator for Guernsey. If you have MU0X in your log, please refrain from requesting a QSL card, as Charles has never operated from Guernsey and you have worked a pirate. [TNX GU0SUP]

URE 60 ANNIVERSARY CONTEST ---> The IARU society for Spain (Union de Radioaficionados Espanoles) celebrates its 60th anniversary and sponsors the URE 60 Anniversary Contest. It will be held on from 00.00 UTC on 11 April until 23.59 UTC on the 12th, on 10, 15, 20, 40, 80 and 160 metres, Mixed mode. Detailed information can be found at <http://www.ure.es/contest/1232-ure-60-anniversary-contest-.html>

VK9LA ---> A logsearch for the current expedition to Lord Howe is now up and running at <http://www.odxg.org/onlinelog/index.php> (latest update at 1 UTC on 27 March). The first 400 QSOs on 20 metres were logged on paper logs, and will be added to the online log as soon as possible. VK9LA team members Stan, SQ8X and Peter, SQ9DIE maintain a blog (<http://vk9la.info/>) that is worth a visit and a bookmark.

+ SILENT KEYS + David Rankin, 9V1RH (VK3QV) passed away on 19 March.  
+ WIA

Federal Vice President for a number of years, he moved to Singapore in 1972 and was a founding member of the Singapore Amateur Radio Transmitting Society (SARTS). Deeply involved with IARU, he was Region 3 Secretary (1973-82), Chairman (1982-94) and Director (1994-97).

Other recently reported Silent Keys include Rich Beebe (N0PV), Ivan I. Dzjuba (UT5UG), Catherine H. Hrischenko (VE3GJH) and Dave Hammond (WC4B).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3V8SS	IZ8CCW	ER3R	ER3KAZ	RD3A	UA3DX
3Z50KPN	SP5ZRW	ER4DX	RA4LW	RF3T	RW3TJ
4F1VEM/9	VE7DP	ES6Q	ES5RY	RG3K	UA3QDX
4K0CW	DL6KVA	EV1R	EU1PA	RG9A	UA9XC
4L8A	K1BV	FK/G3MXJ	F5VHY	RL3A	W3HNC
4M5RY	EA5KB	FK/G3TXF	G3TXF	RM3M	RK3MWD
4U1UN	HB9BOU	FM5CD	F5VU	RN9S	RN9SXX
4Z5J	W0MM	GB1SPD	GI7AXB	RO9O	RZ9OO
5B/US7IDX	RN3QO	GB2RAF	G4PSH	RT3T	UA3TT
5B4AHS	RA3AUU	GB5CC	G4BJM	RT4D	RZ4CWW
5B4AII	RW3RN	GB5SPD	MN0AKU	RT6A	RZ6AZZ
5B8AD	W3HNC	HA130HALLO	HA5KHC	RT9W	RZ9WWH
5N/LZ1QK	LZ1CL	HC2SL	EA5KB	RU1A	RU1AE
5N0OCH	DL3OCH	HF80BEM	SP9ZBC	RW0A	RA0ALM
5W1VE	DL9HCU	HG6N	HA6KNB	RW0CWA	RW0CF
6V7E	RW3TN	HG7T	HA7TM	RW2F	DK4VW
6W1RW	F6BEE	HH4/AF4Z	AF4Z	SK3W	SM5DJZ
6W1SE	JR2KDN	HH4/K4QD	K4QD	SO8A	SP8YB
6W1SJ	E73Y	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	SO9Q	SP9QMP
6W2SC	HA3AUI	HP3AK	W4JS	SX1L	DL1JCZ
6Y1LZ	K1LZ	HP3DX	W4WX	SX5P	RV3ACA [a]
6Y8XF	G3TXF	HV0A	IK0FVC	SZ6P	SV1BJW
7Q7AH	G0IAS	HZ1EA	DJ9ZB	T2UF	LA5UF
7X5ST	7X2LS	HZ1FS/p	EA7FTR	T88CD	JH2BNL
8P0P	8P9NX	II0IDR	IZ0FVD	T88WW	JA2NQG
8S0PSK	SM0KCR	II9ICF	IT9MRM	TC18M	TA3FB
9A3B	9A1AA	IQ4AX	IZ4EFN	TC1RLH	TA1HZ
9A5D	9A1BHI	IY1GM	IK1UGX	TK7P	9A8MM
9A5Y	9A7W	J37T	VE3EBN	TM2HC	F5IRC
9A7B	9A4W	J38CW	G3VCQ	TM6M	F4DXW
9A7T	9A2EU	J79WR	G3LZQ	TN5SN	IZ1BZV
9H3GA	DL5GA	J79XBI	SM0XBI	U4MIR	RN3DK
9H3JT	G3PJT	J88DR	G3TBK	UA0SWA	RU0SN
9K2/SP4R	SP4GFG	JD1BIE	JE4RHL	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
9K2YM	EA5KB	JT1R	RW4HB	UA3R	RN3RQ
9M2TO	JA0DMV	JT1T	JT1KAA	UN3M	EA7FTR
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A45WG	NI5DX	KH0/KI3DNN	JI3DNN	UU7J	UU0JM
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A62ER	IZ8CLM	KH6MB	AI4U	UZ2M	US0LW
A71CV	A71AN	KH6ND	K2PF	V31WV	EA7HEJ
A71EM	EA7FTR	KH6ZM	I0MWI	V47CD	G4FAL
AH0F/KH2	JA2NQG	LM9K75Y	LA9K	V47NT	W2RQ
AL1G	AC7DX	LN3Z	LA9VDA	V63PR	JJ8DEN
AN9CNP	EA9CE	LN8W	LA9VDA	VC3Y	VE3CWO
AO5R	EA5AID	LT0H	EA7FTR	VK6AU	N1DT
B4TB	BA4TB	LT9L	EA5FL	VK9AA	DL8YR
BP0A	BV2KI	LU4DJB	EA5KB	VK9LA	VK4FW
C4I	LZ2HM	LU8XW	WD9EWK	VP2MKK	KK1KW
C4W	5B4WN	LX7I	LX2A	VQ5B	K4IRI
C4Z	G3SWH	LY7A	LY2ZO	WH2DX	KL7AF [b]
C91TX	W5PF	LZ7J	LZ1JZ	XE2/UX4UL	UY5ZZ
CN2R	W7EJ	LZ9W	LZ1ZD	XE2HWB/XF1	N6AWD



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CN8NK	EA5XX	NP4Z	WC4E	XU7ADJ	JH1NBN
CN8VO	EA7FTR	OA4TT	N6XQ	XW1B	E21EIC
CN8YE	EA7FTR	OG2U	OH2IW	YC9MDX	EB7DX
CO8LY	EA7ADH	OH0R	OH2PM	YI9HU	K3ASK
CP4BT	EA5KB	OH0Z	W0MM	YN2BQ	EA4BQ
CS6A	CT1GFK	OL3Z	OK1HMP	YR1C	YO4NA
CT8K	CT1CJJ	OL6X	OK1DVM	YR1Z	YO9GZU
D44TXF	DG3KAF	OM60KAP	OM3PA	YW4D	EA7JX
DD4B	DL3PS	P29VR	W7LFA	Z21BC	NI5DX
DJ9A	DJ9VA	P33W	RA3AUU	Z30MCWG	Z35M
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	P40YL	AI6YL	ZB2CN	DJ9WH
DQ4W	DK9TN	PH60PH	PA7HPH	ZD8RH	G4DBW
DR5N	DK5TT	PJ4/W9NJY	WD9DZV	ZF2ZL	W8ERI
E51COF	K8NA	PP5EG	K3IRV	ZM1A	ZL1AMO
E79D	E77E	PS2T	K3IRV	ZM2B	ZL2BR
EA8EW	OH1MA	PT2ZXR	DJ0XR	ZP8VAO	K2DER
EF8R	EA8CAC	PT7AG	PT7WA	ZS3Y	SQ8X
EI0W	EI2JD	PY0FF	W9VA	ZS6CCY	K3IRV
EI7DAR	EI2JD	R150ASP	RF3C	ZS9Z	ZS10IN
EK3SA	DJ1CW	R1AND	RU1ZC	ZW5B	K3IRV
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	RC3W	RW3WWW	ZX2B	PY2MNL
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[b] Russian DX Contest 2009

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- 9A - Once again Zik, VE3ZIK will be active as 9A/VE3ZIK from Bilice, Croatia on 12-21 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, with an emphasis on 80, 40 and 30 metres. He also plans to operate SSB and CW on 20 and 40 metres from Ugljan Island (EU-170) and Pasman Island (EU-170) for one day. QSL via DO7ZZ (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to ve3zik@gmail.com). [TNX VE3ZIK]
- 9H - Augusto, I2JJR will be operate holiday style as 9H3JR from Malta (EU-023) on 10-14 April. He plans to operate SSB mainly on 40 and 17 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX I2JJR]
- C9 - The C91FC team [425DXN 919] now includes nine operators from Belgium and South Africa: Steffi/ON3AEO, Filip/ON4AEO, Jose/ON4CJK, Kath/ON7BK, Adele/ZR6APT, Deon/ZS6ABR, Lucas/ZS6ACT, Sid/ZS6AYC and Gert/ZS6GC. They will operate SSB, RTTY, PSK and CW on 80-10 metres from 9 to 13 April. QSL via ON4CJK, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at <http://www.c91fc.be>
- GM - The website for the MM0RAI/p expedition to Rockall (EU-189) [425DXN 933] is now up and running at <http://www.rockall.be/>. The operators will be Patrick/ON4HIL, Theo/ON4ATW, Marc/ON6CC, Luc/ON4IA and Karel/ON5TN. They will attempt at landing on Rockall between 30 April and 1 May, and, depending on weather and sea conditions, they will be active with two stations on 80-10 metres SSB and CW for about 48 hours. QSL via ON4BR, direct or bureau. [TNX ON4ATW]
- HA - In 1849 the Hungarian city of Debrecen was the capital of Hungary for a short time during the Hungarian Revolution and War of Independence. Commemorating the events of 160 ago, special event station HG160FNY (QSL via HA0DX) will be active from 1 April until 31 July. Look for also five HA160 individual special prefixes (HA160DX, HA160KA, HA160NDE, HG160BW and HG160JUV) to be aired during that time frame. Further information on this event and the relevant award can be found at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) under HG160FNY. [TNX HA0HW]
- HS - Tony, E21IZC and others will be active as E21IZC/p from Lipe Island (AS-126) on 12-13 April. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via E21IZC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- I - Walter, IN3XUG will be active as IC8/IN3XUG from Ischia Island (EU-031, IIA NA-001) on 1-10 April. Look for him mainly on 20 and 40 metres SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call. [TNX IN3XUG]
- JT - JH1AWN and three members of the Akita DX Association (JA7AGO, JA7LU and JA7ZP) will be active from Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia on 21-28 April. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 from two

different locations, JT1KAA's shack and their hotel. Plans are to be QRV on 160-6 metres, but 160m activities will depend on local conditions. The callsigns and relevant QSL routes are: JT1AWN via JH1AWN, JT1AGO via JA7AGO, JT1LU via JA7LU, JT1ZP via JA7ZP. Cards can be sent direct or via the JARL bureau. [TNX JA1ELY]

- JW - Francois, F8DVD will be active once again from Spitsbergen Island (EU-026), Svalbard on 18-26 April. Look for him to operate as JW/F8DVD from the Longyearbyen ARC, with main activity on 40 and 20 metres SSB and CW. His 16-year-old son Victor, F0EPL will be with him. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F8DVD]
- KH4 - The dates for the K4M expedition to Midway Island [425DXN 932] are now set for 9 through 19 October. Further information, including details on how contribute to the expedition, can be found at [www.midway2009.com](http://www.midway2009.com).
- KL - The KL7RRC IOTA expedition to Ogliuga Island (NA-233, new one) [425DXN 923] is now expected between 23 July and 5 August, IOTA Contest included. Preliminary information can be found at <http://www.na-234.com/index.html> (click on "NA-233 Plans").
- LA - Fred, ON6QR will be active as LA/ON6QR from Moskenesoy Island (EU-076) on 8-12 April. He will operate CW QRP on 40-40 metres during his evenings. QSL via home call. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- OA - Marco/CE6TBN, Rene/DL2JRM, Zoli/HA1AG and Jorge/OA4BHY will be active as 4T6I from Isla La Leona (SA-098) on 10-13 April. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres with two stations. QSL via DL2JRM, direct or bureau.
- OZ - Ben, DO1BEN will be active again as OZ/DO1BEN from Lolland Island (EU-029) on 9-17 April. He plans to operate SSB and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- PY - A large group of operators from the Teresina DX Group will be active as ZW8BBC from Ilha das Canarias (SA-072) from 29 April to 3 May. Plans are to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL via PS8DX. [TNX PS7AB]
- S7 - Bernd, DL7UCX will be active as S79UCX from the Seychelles on 5-17 April. He will operate holiday style on 10-80 metres mainly CW, running 100 watts into dipoles and a vertical antenna. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- SP - Eleven special event stations will be active from Poland on 16-19 April to commemorate the World Amateur Radio Day (18 April): 3Z0WARD, 3Z2009WARD, HF2009WARD, HF84WARD, HF9WARD, SN0WARD, SN2009WARD, SP0WARD, SP2009WARD, SQ0WARD and SQ2009WARD. QSL via SP2FAP. Further information can be found at <http://www.ward.pzk.pl/> [TNX SP2FAP]
- T8 - JH0IXE (T88CW) and JA0FOX (T88NF) will be active from Palau on 4-12 April. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team ([www.tcswat.org](http://www.tcswat.org)) will operate as TC57A on 22-27 April in remembrance of the role played by the 57th Infantry Regiment of the Turkish Fifth Army during the Dardanelles Campaign in 1915. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TK - Joachim, F6BUL will be active holiday style as TK/F6BUL from Corsica (EU-014) on 8-15 April. He will operate QRP on 40-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- TK - Look for Gabriele, TK/IZ5FDD and Alessandro, TK/IW5ELA to be active from Corsica on 20-24 May. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ5FDD]
- VK9M - The VK9GMW operators have passed the 7,000 QSOs mark, with 80 metres as their most productive low band. The weather continues to be fine and they expect to remain on Mellish Reef until 10 April at least. Regular updates and on-line logs can be found at <http://www.vk9gmw.com>. QSL via HA7RY.
- VU - Yamini, VU2YAM and Manju, VU2SMS have joined the team that will

operate as AT9RS from Grandi Island (AS-177) between 5 and 7-8 April [425DXN 934]. They will run two stations, one for SSB and one for CW, with verticals and dipoles on the following announced frequencies:

CW 28040, 24920, 21040, 18098, 14040, 10114, 7030, 3530 kHz

SSB 28560, 28460, 24950, 21260, 18128, 14260, 7055, 3765 kHz

QSL via W3HMK (South and North America) and DL4KQ (rest of the world). Further information can be found at either [www.vu3rsb.org](http://www.vu3rsb.org) and [www.mdxc.org/at9rs](http://www.mdxc.org/at9rs) [TNX VU3RSB]

XU - Eddy, XU7AFU (CW) Wim, XU7TZG (SSB and PSK31) will be active as XU7KOH from Koh Russei (Bamboo Island, AS-133), on 3-6 April. QSL via ON7PP (direct only). [TNX The Daily DX]

XU - Reijo, OH4MDY will be active again as XU7MDY from Shinanoukville, Cambodia on 9-21 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and some digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX NG3K]

NORTHERN TOUR ---> Maurizio, IW4BLZ will be active on 80-6 metres as OY/IW4BLZ from the Faroe Islands on 27-29 July, and as TF/IW4BLZ from Iceland from 31 July to 11 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IK3AES]

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MMAA CW CONTEST ---> The Manchester Mineira All America CW Contest, sponsored by the Juiz de Fora CW Group, will be held on 16-17 May. Further information, including last year's event results, can be found at [www.powerline.com.br/cwjf](http://www.powerline.com.br/cwjf). Ed, PY4WAS says that a number of major changes will be introduced in 2010.

RADIO MARITIME DAY ---> On 11-12 April (from 12 UTC to 12 UTC) merchant marine radio officers from several countries will be active on the HF bands (1824, 3520, 7020, 14052, 21052 and 28052 kHz) to meet amateur radio operators for the Radio Maritime Day special event. Further information can be found at <http://www.radiomaritimeday.org>

SP-DX CONTEST ---> Organized by the Polish Amateur Radio Union (PZK) and SP DX Club, the SP DX Contest will be held from 15 UTC on 4 April through 15 UTC on the 5th, on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres Phone and CW. Complete details can be found at <http://www.spdxcontest.info/en/index.php> [TNX SP9MRO]

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

UK POSTAL RATES ---> Postal rates in the United Kingdom will rise on 6 April. The new airmail rates will be as follows:

Europe		Rest of the world
up to 10 grams	GBP 0.56	GBP 0.62
up to 20 grams	GBP 0.56	GBP 0.90
up to 40 grams	GBP 0.81	GBP 1.35

WARD AWARD ---> The WARD (World Amateur Radio Day) Award commemorates the World Amateur Radio Day celebrated by IARU on 18 April each year. The award is sponsored by MK QTC (the Polish Amateur Radio Journal) with the Polish

Amateur Radio Union's support, and it is issued to licenced amateurs and SWLs for contacts made/heard between 00.00 and 23.59 UTC on 18 April. Details can be found at <http://www.ward.pzk.pl> [TNX SP2FAP]

WCA ---> The World Castles Award is for working stations operating from castles located in Belarus, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Great Britain, Ireland, Italy, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Switzerland and Ukraine. Complete information can be found at <http://www.wcagroup.org> [TNX RN1CW]

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2OU, 3D2YA (OC-121), 3V8BB, 3V8SS, 4L4MM, 4L4WW, 4O/K1ZZ, 4S7NE, 4U1UN, 5B/AJ20, 5B4AII, 5H3RK, 5K0CW, 5K3T, 5N/LZ1QK, 5U5U, 5W0KI, 6W/DL2RMC, 6Y1LZ, 7Q7AH, 7Q7HB, 7Y3HM, 7Z1HB, 9G5ZZ, 9J2BO, 9J3A, 9L0W (AF-037), 9M6/N2BB, 9V1F1, 9X0W, 9Y4AA, 9Y4D, A35KL (OC-169), A43DLH, A5100A, A71CV, A71EM, AC50/p (NA-168), C31CT, C4N, C6APG, C91LW, CE0Y/N6NO, CE0Z/DL2AH, CE1/K7CA, CM6RCR, CT9L, CX7CO, CX9AU, CY2ZT/2, D44TD, E27EK/P, E51QQQ, EA9IB, EA9PY, EK6TA, EL2DX, ER0WW, ER1DA, ER4DX, ET3JA, EY7AF, FK5RE, FK8CP, FM5AA, FM5LD, FO/DJ7RJ (OC-027), FW5RE, GX4KPT (EU-120), H40FN, HC1MD, HE8ICE, HI3K, HI9/DL4JS, HK1AT (SA-078), HR9/IK2QPR (NA-057), HV5PUL, J3/DL5AXX, J69DS, J7N, J88XF, JA7GAX/6 (AS-047 and AS-049), JY4NE, KH8/KK6H, KP2AD, KV4FZ, LA9SN/p (EU-061), LY70A, LZ09BR, NE8Z/4 (NA-034), OH0R, OH0Z, OH4JT/1 (EU-096), OX5AA, P40R, P40ZB, PJ4/G4IUF, PJ4/K4BAI, PJ7/W8EB, PZ5TX, RK2FWA, RU0LI, S21DX (AS-127), SU9NC, SV0XBM/9, SV9/DJ7RJ, T30XX, T31DX, T33ZZ, T77NM, TK5EP, TM6M, TO3R, TO4X, TR50R, TT8JT, TT8SK, V25OP, V25WY, V26G, V31TB, V51AS, V51XG, V85SS, VK9DNX, VK9DWX, VK9NS, VP2MKK, VP2MPL, VP2VVA, VP8DLS, VP8YLH, VP8YLI, VQ9LA, VU4RG, VU7SJ, VX1RNS/p, (NA-081), W5RI/p (NA-168), XE1RCS, XV3M (AS-130), XV4BM, XW1B, YB0AZ, YB1ALL, YS3CW, YS4/K9GY, ZD8N, ZF2AM, ZK2DF, ZK3AH, ZK3MW, ZP5CGL, ZS1OLI.

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- 3V - Special event Scout station TS1LYMC (I Love You My Country) will be activated from Tunisia on 12-30 April. Expect activity on 80-10 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and SSTV. QSL to TS1LYMC, 33 Rue plaine Lune Borj Louzir, Ariana 2073 Tunis, Tunisia.
- C6 - Joe/AA4NN (C6DX), Carl/N4AA (C6AAA), Janet/W8CAA (C6AYL) and Joe/W8GEX (C6DX) will be active from Eleuthera (NA-001), Bahamas on 17-24 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands. QSL C6AAA via N4AA, QSL C6AYL and C6DX via W8GEX. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CN - Announced frequencies for the upcoming multi-operator activity from Morocco, including Mogador Island (AF-065) [425DXN 931], are the following:  
SSB 28455, 24955, 21255, 18145, 14255, 7055, 3775, 1845  
CW 28025, 24895, 21025, 18075, 14025, 10115, 7025, 3525, 1825  
RTTY 28085, 24920, 21085, 18100, 14085, 10145, 7040, 3585  
BPSK31 28075, 24915, 21075, 18100, 14075, 10145, 7040, 3595  
Activity is also expected on 2m and 6m. The current roster includes nine operators: I0SNY (5C2Y), I2FUG (5C2F), I8LWL (5C2L), I8YGZ (5C2Z), IK2AQZ (5C2A), IK6CAC (5C2C), IK7JWX (5C2J), IS0AGY (5C2B) and IZ7ATN (5C2SG). Activity is expected to start on 19 April and to finish on the 25th: the callsign to be used from Mogador will be 5C2J/p, while on the mainland each operator will use his individual callsign (/m from lighthouses). Please note that the QSL routes have changed: QSL 5C2Y via I0SNY (direct) or EA4URE (bureau), all others via IK7JWX (direct or bureau); stations in CQ Zones 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 can QSL via VK4FW (direct or bureau) for all callsigns. Further information, including online logs (to be updated on a regular basis during the expedition) and an Online QSL Request System (OQRS) for requesting your direct or bureau card, can be found at [www.mogador2009.altervista.org](http://www.mogador2009.altervista.org)
- D4 - Uli, DF8KN will be active as D44TEP from Boa Vista (AF-086), Cape Verde until 13 April. He operates QRP using a "very short aerial". QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DXNL]
- DL - DF6LPC, DJ9IE, DL3HBZ, DL5HAQ and DL8HAL will be active as DK0RZ from Hooge Island (EU-042) on 15-17 April. QSL via bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- EA - Celebrating the end of the International Polar Year,, special event station EG2IPY will be active on 13-19 April. QSL via EA2RC. [TNX F5NQL]
- GM - The Camb-Hams will be active as either GM3PYE/p and GS3PYE/p from the Island of Harris (EU-010) on 18-25 April. 2M0OVV, 2M0TXY, G0BOE, G0DDX, G1SAA, G4HUN, M0VFC, M1BXF and MM1BJP. They plan to



operate on most HF bands with two stations (SSB and digital modes), with activity also on 6, 4 and 2 metres. QSL via G4HUN, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at <http://www.camb-hams.com/coming-events/2009-dxpedition>

- LA - The Radio Club of Gardermoen will be active as LN2G for the Norsk Hammeeting 2009 (<http://www.hammeeting.no/>) that will take place in Eidsvoll on 17-19 April. Expect main activity on 20 and 40 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via LA2G. [TNX LA7VK]
- OH - Jukka, OH3OJ will be active as OH3OJ/p from Kustavi Island (EU-096) on 8-11 April. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, with main activity on 20-40 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX OH3OJ]
- VK9M - The VK9GMW team on Mellish Reef is likely to go QRT on 12 April around 20 UTC. While they have been operational sporadically on SSB, they have given up on RTTY as "it is just too much for such a small team". However, neither SSB/RTTY nor the high bands have ever been a priority for the two operators: they clearly stated from the very beginning that they specialize in low band operations, and that their focus would be on 160, 80 and 40 metres. "Many large DXpeditions do a great job of working the high bands, SSB and digital modes", they say, and "there is a very good chance that one will be on Mellish Reef soon". Regular updates and on-line logs (15,880 QSOs at 20.20 UTC on 9 April) can be found at <http://www.vk9gmw.com>. QSL via HA7RY.

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (March 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

3B7FQ ---> Although propagation and conditions were poor, Rachid, 3B8FQ made 1,500 CW QSOs during his February activity from St. Brandon. He operated just a few hours each day, in between maintenance on the meteorological equipment on the island. Operation was concentrated on 30 and 17 metres, with limited activity on 40 and 20m. By the tenth day, the battery was not recharging properly, which resulted in reduced power and sending by hand key. Colour QSL cards have been printed and are being mailed. The QSL manager for all of Rachid's operations is K5XK (Ron Evans, 2 Pembroke Drive, Bella Vista, AR 72715-8823, USA). [TNX K5XK]

A43LH ---> The Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society (ROARS) operated as A43LH from Ras Ayqah Lighthouse at Sur on 9-10 April, for the ARLHS Spring Lites QSO Party. QSL via A47RS. [TNX A41MA]

H40FN ---> Siegfried, DK9FN has posted a report on his recent H40FN activity from Pigeon Island (OC-065), Temotu Province on <http://hari-ham.com/h40fn> [TNX DXNL]

INTERNATIONAL MARCONI DAY ---> Organized by the Cornish Radio Amateur Club, G4CRC/GB4IMD, the International Marconi Day (IMD) is a 24-hour amateur radio event held annually to celebrate the birth of Guglielmo Marconi (25 April 1874). It is not a contest, but an opportunity for amateurs around the world to make contacts with historic Marconi sites using HF communications techniques. This year's event will be held on 25 April, from 00.00 UTC through 23.59 UTC. Details, including information on the relevant Award Certificates and the listing of participating stations, can be found at <http://www.gb4imd.org.uk/>

LOGS ---> A log search for the recent AT9RS operation from IOTA group AS-177 can be found at <http://www.logsearch.de/>

LOGS ---> A log search for the recent HZ1FS/p operation from IOTA group AS-192 can be found at [www.7zlsj.com](http://www.7zlsj.com).

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Theodor + Flick (DL1BO), Will L. Pounds (K7ROK), Donald W. Jones (N4TN), Alex Desmeules (VE2AFC), Charles P. Alter (W9UC) and William R. Hamer (ZL2CD).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8MM	DL6UAA	EW6GF	DL8KAC	OX2A	OZ1ACB
3D2HC	DL9HCU	EX2X	EA5KB	OX3XR	OZ3PZ
3G1C	CE1KR	FG/FR1AN	NI5DX	OY3QN	OZ1ACB
3W1M	OM3JW	FJ/EB1HF	EC1AE	OZ7TM	DL1TM
4B2S	W7RJ	FJ/EC1DPM	EC1AE	P3F	5B4AHJ
4H1T	DU1IVT	FK8GX	W3HNC	P40A	WD9DZV
4H9RG	DU9RG	FM1HN	NI5DX	P41V	AI6V
4J9M	DL7EDH	FM5BH	W3HNC	P49V	AI6V
4K9W	DL6KVA	FR/TU5KG	F4EFI	PA30EPC	MM0DFV
4L0A	EA7FTR	FR1AN	NI5DX	PA750ASN	PI4ASN
4L2M	EA7FTR	G2YL	G0WAT	PC25DIG	PI4DIG
4L4CC	RV1CC	G5O	G3VOU	PI4COM	PA3CAL
4L6QC	LZ1OT	G6PZ	GM4FDM	PI4DX	PD1DX
4M5IR	YV5KG	G8DYT	G4ATA	PJ2T	N9AG
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4T6I	DL2JRM	GD8K	GW0ANA	PR5D	PY5DC
4V4JR	K4QD	GI5K	MI0LLL	PS6T	PY6KY
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4Z8BB	WC1X	GT4BRS	GW0ANA	PW2D	PY2VM
5C5W	EA5XX	GT6BRS	GW0ANA	PW2P	PY2XAT
5D5A	I2WIJ	H22H	5B4MF	PW7A	PY7RP
5H3EE	DL4ME	H2T	5B4XF	PX2T	PY2DN
5N9NDP	IK5JAN	H44MS	DL2GAC	R150A	RK1A
5P4MG	DJ4MG	H6VA	TI4SU	R3ARS/m	RA3AKF
5Q1A	OZ5ESB	HC1HC	NE8Z	RL6YXX	N3SL
5R8FL	G3SWH	HC2A	EA5KB	RO4W	RD4WA
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HC2AQ	EA5KB	RS3A	RA3CW
5R8GZ	G3SWH	HG160FNY	HA0DX	RU3NHY/1	RZ3EC
5V7BR	F2VX	HG1S	HA1KSA	S79DF	IV3TDM
5X1NH	G3RWF	HG8R	HA8JV	S79UCX	DL7UCX
5Z4/PA3EWP	PA7FM	HI3CCP	ON4IQ	SF6D	SK6DZ
5Z4/RW1AU	K5XK	HK1N	EA5KB	SJ9WL	LA4EKA
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7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HQ9R	K5WW	SN3R	SP6HEQ
7Z1UG	DG1XG	HS0AC	HS0ZFZ	SO6I	SP6JIU
8P5A	NN1N	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	SO6V	SP6DVP
8P6DR	G3RWL	HZ1MD	EA7FTR	SO6X	SP6IXF
8R1AD	N7EAA	HZ1SK	IZ8CLM	SO8R	SQ8JLA
9A800VZ	9A7A	IC8C	IC8SDL	SQ0NATO	SP1PBW
9A8M	9A3JB	IF9A	IT9ATF	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH

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9J2CA	G3SWH	IO4T	IZ4JMA	SY2V	SV2GJV
9J2FM	JA4ATV	IO5O	IK5RLP	SZ3P	SV3DCX
9J2YO	YO4ATW	IQ0SS	IS0SNE	T48K	DK1WI
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9K2K	EA5KB	IR1A	IK1GPG	T88NF	JA0FOX
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A61AB	IZ8CLM	IR3Y	IZ3EOU	TC7KA	TA7KA
A61C	W4JS	IR6T	IK6VXO	TF3CW	LX1NO
A61I	IZ8CLM	IR9Y	IT9ABY	TF3ZA	KT6YL
A71CT	EA7FTR	IU9A	IT9SSI	TF8SM	NI5DX
A73A	EA7FTR	J28JA	F5JFU	TG9NX	N4FKZ
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AM5A	EA5RKB	JW7QIA	LA7QIA	TM4D	F5TLN
AM7M	EC7ANC	K7XF/KH0	JP1PZE	TM7F	F6KRC
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AO1K	EA1GVG	KH6CW	K7GQ	TT8CF	F6BQO
AO2R	EA2RCA	KL7DX	AC7DX	UE1CDX/1	RN1CW
AO5A	EA5URV	KL7FH	AC7DX	UE6III	RK6FZ
AO5B	EA5BZ	KL7J	N3SL	UE6IPY	UA6HPR
AO5L	EA5OL	KP4MS	W4DN	UE6NPC	RZ6MF
AO5W	EA5DWS	L20E	WD9EWK	UE9CAP	RK9CYA
AO7T	EA7KJ	LG5LG	LA4EKA	UE9FAT	RX9CYM
AP2NK	W3H NK	LO7D	LW1DRH	UN5J	W3H NK
AT9RS	W3H NK [a]	LP1H	EA5KB	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
AT9RS	DL4KQ [b]	LQ5H	EA5KB	UN7QF	EX2A
AY5F	LU5FC	LR1A	KB1JZZ	UN9PQ	IK2QPR
B4B	BA4EG	LR1H	LU2HOD	UP0L	DL8KAC
B4R	BY4RSA	LR2F	LU2FA	UP2L	UA9AB
B7P	BD7IXG	LS1D	LW9EOC	UP4L	UN7LZ
BN0N	BX4AQ	LS2D	EA5KB	UP6P	UN7PBY
BX2AAL	NI5DX	LS2E	EA5KB	UP9L	RW6HS
BY1RX	EA7FTR	LT0D	LU6DU	UR4Z	UY0ZG
BY4SA	BD4SN	LT1F	AC7DX	UR6F	UX0FF
C31CT	EA3QS	LT5X	WD9EWK	US5D	UT7DX
C4M	W3H NK	LT7H	LU1HLH	UW8M	UR5MID
C91FC	ON4CJK	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	V55X	V51YJ
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CO8ZZ	DK1WI	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	VK9N/G3TXF	G3TXF
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CS9L	DJ6QT	LY1000X	LY3X	VP59V	W5CW
CT3AS	DJ8FW	LY3V	LY2FN	VP8KF	G3VPW
CT9M	CT3EE	LY6A	LY2BM	VQ9JC	ND9M
CU5CQ	PA2JD	LZ40ATSA	LZ1PJ	VX8X	VE8EV
CV5K	CX2ABC	LZ5K	LZ1RAY	VY0A	VE3LYC
CW7T	K5WW	M4A	M0BLF	WP2Z	KU9C
CX2CC	EA5KB	M4U	G0DVJ	XR1A	XQ1IDM
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D4C	CT1ESV [c]	MJ4K	G3NKC	XU7KOH	ON7PP
D4C	IZ4DPV [d]	MS0DGR	MM0DFV	XU7MDY	OH4MDY
DB2B	DL8OBF	MW9W	M0URX	YB1/AH0J	JA1NVF
DP3D	DK3KD	NH6P	KH7Y	YE0X	YB0ZZ

DP9Z	DF9ZP	NH7A	F5VHJ	YJ0MXJ	F5VHY
DR09ANT	DL5MHQ	NP3CW	EB7DX	YJ0TXF	G3TXF
DR2W	DH3WO	OD5QB	YO3FRI	YK1BA	N5FF
DR5N	bureau	OD5WPX	I1HJT	YM2W	OK1TN
DR60NATO	DL1WH	OE100M	OE1WHC	YR5N	YO5PBF
DR800GRZ	DL1ARJ	OE2S	OE2GEN	YR80HCS	YO6KNE
DX1J	JA1HGY	OE9R	OE9XRV	YR9P	YO9HP
E51EME	ZL1RS	OG1M	OH1VR	YT0Z	YU1ZZ
E51SIX	W7GJ	OG5B	OH5BM	YT5C	YT7AW
E51XBG	HB9XBG	OG6N	OH6NIO	YT8A	YU1EA
E74EBL	E77E	OH0LQK	OH3LQK	YV1FM	IT9DAA
E7DX	E77E	OH4A	OH6LI	YW5DX	W4SO
ED3RKR	EA3RKR	OL0W	OK1DSZ	Z21GC	K3IRV
ED5D	EA5FL	OL1X	OK4PA	Z29KM	EA7FTR
ED5SSC	EA5DDK	OL45KR	OK2KR	ZF1A	K6AM
ED8R	EA4RCH	OL4A	OK1DSX	ZF2AE	AA5UK
EE2W	EB2BXL	OL50FRD	OK1FRD	ZF2BN	W4HET
EE5G	EB5GG	OL5T	OK1TNM	ZF2XY	KE1F
EE5J	EA5YJ	OL7T	OK2BXU	ZL3A	ZL3WW
EF1W	EA1WS	OL9AMPER	OK1DRQ	ZM4A	ZL4AA
EF7A	EC7ABV	OM0A	OM0AAO	ZP0R	ZP5AZL
EG7MSS	EA7DK	OM7M	OM3PA	ZP5CGL	IK2DUW
EG7SSM	EA7URM	OM8A	OM2VL	ZS4U	K3IRV
EH1K	EA1AJV	OP0P	ON6DP	ZT2V	NI5DX
EH1SSL	EA1URL	OP2A	ON5CD	ZV2C	PY2CX
EH5J	EA5DM	OP4K	ON4JZ	ZV5O	PY5QW
EH5T	EA5GPC	OQ5M	ON5ZO	ZW2B	PY2FW
EH7H	EA7AH	OQ7T	ON7TQ	ZX7A	PS7TKS
EO5M	UR0MC	OR0OST	ON6PQ	ZX7U	PT7ZT
ES9C	ES5RY	OT5A	ON7LR	ZY7C	PT7WA
ET3JA	OK3AA	OV3X	OZ8AE	ZZ6Z	PY6HD

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- 3D2 - Jan, OK2ZAW will be active from the Fiji Islands between 1 and 8 May. His itinerary is as follows:
- |         |                |        |         |
|---------|----------------|--------|---------|
| 1 May   | Viti Levu      | OC-016 | 3D2ZW/p |
| 2-4 May | Mamanuca Group | OC-121 | 3D2ZW/p |
| 4-8 May | Yasawa Group   | OC-156 | 3D2ZW   |
| 8 May   | Viti Levu      | OC-016 | 3D2ZW/p |
- He will be running 100 watts into a vertical antenna and dipoles. QSL via OK2ZAW, direct or bureau.
- 8Q - Cliff, SV1JG will be active as 8Q7SV from the Maldives (AS-013) from 29 April to 5 May. He plans to operate mostly CW and digital modes, on all bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX SV1JG]
- 9A - Aniko/HA5TAA, Feri/HA5AZZ, Neno/9A5AN, Livio/9A3KS and Tom/9A2AA will be active from a number of Croatian islands for a few days starting on 18 April. Islands named are Krk (EU-136, IOCA CI-046) and Sv. Marko (EU-136, IOCA CI-117), but the team plans to visit and operate from several other nearby islands. [TNX 9A2AA]
- C6 - K3IXD, K4QO, W2GJ and W3PP will be active from Crooked Island (NA-113), Bahamas on 23-27 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as C6APR; before and after the IOTA event C6APR will be on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. The team will sign C6AXD on RTTY and C6AQO on 6 metres (grid FL22). The calls are good for Bird Rock Lighthouse (ARLHS BAH-005). All QSLs via K3IXD. [TNX K3IXD]
- CE0Z - CE6TBN, LA5FJA, LA6EIA, LA6FJA, LA7WCA, LA8BCA and RA0FU will be active as XR0ZN from Juan Fernandez (SA-005) from 24 November to 3 December, CQ WW CW Contest included. QSL route TBA. Preliminary information can be found at <http://www.la6fja.eu/dx/XR0ZN/> [TNX NG3K]
- CT - The Algarve S.T.A.R. DX Team (<http://algarvedx.com>) will be active as CS6A from the lighthouse Doca Olhao W. (ARLHS POR-129) on 18 April, from 7 to 13 UTC. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres with two stations. QSL via CT1GFK, direct or bureau. [TNX CT1END]
- DL - Helmut, DL7VOX will be active as DL7VOX/p from Usedom Island (EU-129) from 27 April to 16 May. He will operate holiday style mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via DL7VOX, direct or bureau. [TNX DL7VOX]
- EA9 - Look for EE9IB (QSL via EA9IB), EE9RY (QSL via EA9RY) and EE9CF (QSL via EA9CF) to be active from Bonete Lighthouse (ARLHS CEU-011), Melilla on 18-19 April. [TNX The Daily DX]
- GM - Charlie/MM0GNS, Willie/GM4ZNC and Rodger/GM3JOB will be active as MS0TJT/p from the Island of Coll, Inner Hebrides (EU-008) on 3-8

- May. They hope to be QRV on 80-6 metres, and plan to operate mainly SSB, with a little CW and PSK. QSL via GM4ZNC. [TNX GM3JOB]
- HB0 - Look for Kasimir, DL2SBY and Georg, DF1SR to be active from Liechtenstein from 24 April to 4 May. They will be signing HB0/DL2SBY on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY and HB0/DF1SR on 13 and 23cm via EME. [TNX DL2SBY]
- I - Ezio/IT9OJW, Sebastiano/IT9ZIR, Dario/IT9ZZO, Vincenzo/IW9EJP, Filippo/IW9FRB, Giovanna/IW9GVP and Ferdinando/IW9HSK will be active as IG9/homecall from Linosa Island (AF-019, IIA AG-003) on 24-26 April. They plan to operate SSB, PSK and RTTY on 10-80 metres. QSL via home calls. They have a web page at [www.iw9frb.it/linosa.htm](http://www.iw9frb.it/linosa.htm) [TNX IT9EJW]
- I - Giordano/IK0XFD, Alberto/IK0ZCW, Andrea/IZ0EHO, Vincenzo/IZ0FKE, Alberto/IZ0FMA and Claudio/IZ0GKX will be active as ID9N from Vulcano Island (EU-017) on 25-30 April. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres, with a focus on the low bands. QSL via IZ0GKN. Further information can be found at [www.id9n.com](http://www.id9n.com) [TNX IZ0EHO]
- I - Claudio, IZ0KRC will be active as IC8/IZ0KRC from Ischia Island (EU-031) from 29 April to 4 May. He plans to operate SSB on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX IK0YQJ]
- JD1\_oga- Koji, JI1LET will be active as JI1LET/JD1 from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 29 April to 5 May. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 40-10 metres, and on 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JI1LET]
- JW - Francois, F8DVD will once again be active as JW/F8DVD from the Longyearbyen ARC on Spitsbergen Island (EU-026), Svalbard on 19-25 April. He plans to operate CW and SSB on all HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- OZ - Dominic/ON4AZP, Michel/ON4CAQ, Francois/ON6VP, Herman/ON7FH and Maurice/ON7KS will be active as OZ5K from Romo Island (EU-125) on 17-23 May. They will operate on 80-10 metres, as well as on 2m. QSL via ON4AMM, direct or bureau. The web pages for the activity are at [http://www.on4dst.be/iota\\_eu125\\_1.html](http://www.on4dst.be/iota_eu125_1.html) [TNX ON4CAQ]
- PY - Nine operators (namely PY1ZV, PY1NB, PY1YB, PY1IBM, PY1KN, PY2WC, PY2NDX, PY4OG and PY4OY) will be active as PT1R from Ilha Rasa (SA-079, DIB RJ-07) on 1-4 May. They plan to be QRV on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes with two stations, while another station will be active on 6 and 2 metres during the Araucaria VHF Contest (details at <http://www.avhfc.com/>). QSL via PY1NB, direct or bureau. The web page for the operation is at <http://riodxgroup.dxwatch.com/rasa> [TNX PY1NB]
- S2 - Ramon, DU1UGZ will be active as S21UGZ from Dhaka, Bangladesh until 20 June. He operates in his spare time using a low band dipole. For the time being, he will focus on 40 and 80 metres SSB and RTTY, but in May he should get a beam for 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 metres and hopefully a linear amplifier as well. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- SM - Kjell, SM4DDS will be active as 7S5A from Boko Island (Stora Alo, EU-177) on 17-19 April. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres using a G5RV. QSL via SM4DDS, direct or buro. [TNX SM4DDS]
- TI - TI7KK is the callsign to be used by Klaus/DK6AO, Gunter/TI7WGI, Andy/DH8WR, Norbert/DL2RNS, Rene/DL2JRM and Daniel/DL5YWM during their 17-20 April IOTA activity from the Murcielago Islands (NA-191) [425DXN 927]. They plan to operate around the clock on 160-10 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via DK6AO, direct or bureau. The website for the expedition is at [www.ti7.info](http://www.ti7.info). [TNX DL5YWM]
- TI - Look for Orrin, TI6/K9KEJ (QSL via EB7DX) and Don, TI6/W9YOR to be active on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB from Costa Rica from 28 April to 1 May. [TNX K9KEJ]
- TK - Manu, F4FLQ will operate holiday style as TK/F4FLQ from Corsica in

- 11-29 May. Plans are to concentrate on the digital modes and 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX F4FLQ]
- TK - Gabriele, IZ5FDD and Alessandro, IW5ELA will be active as TK/homecall from Corsica (EU-014) on 20-24 May. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40-10 metres, plus 2m. Their planned activity on 50 MHz [425DXN 935] has been cancelled as 6m are not allowed in Corsica. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ5FDD]
- V6 - Look for JA7HMZ (V63DX) and JH7IOS (V63CW) to be active on 40-6 metres from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia on 11-16 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- VE - Celebrating the 50th anniversary of the George Massey tunnel, the Delta Amateur Radio Club (www.deltaamateurradio.com) from Delta, British Columbia will be active as CG7GMT from Deas Island (CisA BC-045) on 23-24 May. Look for activity on 80 and 20 metres between 17 and 1 UTC. QSL via VE7SUN. [TNX VE7HRA]
- VE - Eight members of the "NA-128 Contest Group" (VA2RC, VA2ZO, VE2EDA, VE2EBK, VE2FSK, VE2TKH, VE2MTK and VE2QRA) will be active as CG200I from Ile Verte (NA-128) on 23-26 July, IOTA Contest included. The special callsigns celebrates the 200th anniversary of the lighthouse located on the island, and the group will operate many stations from the lighthouse keeper's quarters. Look for them on 160-6 metres all modes. QSL via VE2CQ, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.qrz.com under CG200I. [TNX VE2EBK]
- VK - Nao, JK1FNL will be active as JK1FNL/VK4 from Hamilton Island (OC-160) on 5-9 May. QSL via home call. [TNX JK1FNL]
- W - Eight operators from QCWA Chapter 119 (K4CQW, K4MIL, K5VIP, KE4AZL, KI4RXC, W4TVG, W4VIC and W8RJL) will be active as W4T from Tangier Island (NA-083) on 23-26 July, IOTA Contest included. They will run three stations on 80-6 metres CW, SSB, and RTTY. QSL via K5VIP. [TNX W4VIC]
- XU - Wim, XU7TZG will be active again as XU7KOH from Koh Russei (Bamboo Island, AS-133) from 17 April until around 5 UTC on the 20th. He plans to operate SSB with some PSK31 on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via ON7PP. Log search and further information at www.xu7tzg.be [TNX K1XN]
- YV - The Asociation de Radioaficionados de Venezuela will participate in the International Marconi Day (25 April) as 4M5M. Look for activity on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via W4SO (mail drop). [TNX YY5RNC]

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C91TX ---> New pictures and a Log Search web page for the recent Texas DX Society's operation from Mozambique can be found at <http://www.tdxs.net/c91.html> [TNX W9DX]

H44MS ---> Bernard, DL2GAC (H44MS) is back home. His activity from the Solomon Islands finished on 9 April, earlier than planned, because he could not extend his visa beyond three months. [TNX DL2GAC]

QSL GI5K & MI0LLL ---> With immediate effect, G3SWH is the new QSL manager for GI5K and MI0LLL. Phil will add a log search page for each callsign to his web site (www.g3swh.org.uk). He is also arranging for any unanswered, direct QSL requests to be forwarded to him and for the RSGB QSL bureau sub-manager to forward cards directly to him. [TNX K1XN and The Golist]



QSL KB5GL/4 ---> Silvano operated from IOTA group NA-213 on 26-28 March. He should like to remind island chasers that he QSLs direct (Silvano Amenta, 5028 Hearst Ave, Metairie, LA 70001, USA) provided that return postage is included (he says 1 USD or 1 IRC for the US, others 2 USD or 2 IRC)

SRT DX CONVENTION ---> The 6th International DX Convention organized by the Strange Radio Team (18 April) will be broadcast live on [www.strangeradioteam.com](http://www.strangeradioteam.com) and [www.mogulus.com/idxclive](http://www.mogulus.com/idxclive) starting at 12 UTC. [TNX IZ7AUH]

VK9GMW ---> George, AA7JV and Tomi, HA7RY went QRT from Mellish Reef at 4 UTC on 13 April, after fighting storms, strong winds and heavy rains over the last few days on the island. They made 20,058 QSOs (2,028 were on 160 metres). The Online QSL Request System (OQRS) has been activated for both direct and bureau cards (check <http://www.vk9gmw.com> for details). The ordinary QSL route is via HA7RY.

VK9LA ---> Band and mode statistics for the 22 March-3 April expedition to Lord Howe Island can be found at <http://www.odxg.org/vk9la.htm>. The most productive band was 40m (9111 QSOs), followed by 20m (6714 QSOs) and 30m (4458 QSOs). The grand total is 30,160 QSOs (18842 CW, 9261 SSB and 2057 RTTY).

A special piece of VK9LA memorabilia is being auctioned (see the website for the details). The money raised from the auction will be used to repair equipment that failed whilst the team was on the island. The closing date for placing your bid is 30 April.

+ CONDOLENCES + We are close in thoughts and prayers to Lucio + Antonini, IK6SNR, whose daughters Genny (24 years old) and Giusy (22) lost their lives in the earthquake that struck L'Aquila on 6 April.

+ SILENT KEY + Philippe Luty, LX2A reports the passing of his uncle + and mentor Charly Hausemer, LX1AJ. The doyen of amateur radio operators in Luxembourg, Charly passed away on 7 April at 89 years of age. He had been licensed for more than 60 years and was a founding member of the Reseau Luxembourgeois des Amateurs d'Ondes Courtes.

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8CF, 3D2NB, 3D2OU, 3DA0VB, 3G1F, 3V8BB, 4K9W, 4O/K1ZZ, 4O3A, 5B/AJ20, 5B4AII, 5H3EE, 5L2MS, 5N/LZ1QK, 5W0K, 5Z4/DL8NBE, 6W/DL2RMC, 6Y1LZ, 9H1LC, 9J2BO, 9J3A, 9M2AX, 9M2MRS, 9M6/N2BB, 9V1F1, 9V1RA, 9X0W, 9Y4D, A25/DL7DF, A25VB, A43DLH, A62ER/ND, A92GE, AH0F/KH2, C4N, C6AKQ, C91LW, C91VB, C98LW, CE1/K7CA, CM6RCR, CN2M, CO8LY, CW5W, D20VB, DU3NXE, E44M, E51SIX, E74AW, E74EBL, EA9PY, EF8M, EK3GM, EK6LP, ER0WW, ER4DX, ES8DH, ET3JA, EX2A, FH/G3SWH, FM5BH, FP/KV1J, FS5KA, FW5RE, GM7R, HC2/SM6FKF, HC2/SM7BUA, HD2M, HP1WW, HR9/IK2QPR (NA-057), HR9/K0UU (NA-057), HR9/WQ7R (NA-057), J20SE, J20VB, J39BS, J7N, J88XF, JA7GAX/6 (AS-047), JD1BMM, JT1CO, KL7RA, KP2/K3CT, KP4MS, L0W, LU2DVI/H, LY2ZZ, NA1SS, NH0AA/NH2, NI5DX/p (NA-143), OA4BQE, OA4TT, OA4WW, OX2A, P29NI (OC-181), P29NI (OC-283), P29VCX (OC-153), P29VCX (OC-284), P29VLR (OC-256), P40YL, PJ5NA, PX200JMU (SA-080), PY6KW, R35NP, RW0AJ, RW0CN, RW0CWA, RW3QC, S21DX (AS-127), S21RC/p (AS-127), ST2VB, SV9/DJ7RJ, SV9COL, T20RE, T27A, T27OU, T30XX, T31DX, T33ZZ, T88CD, T88CJ, T88WW, TF3GB, TI5N, TN5SN, TO3R, UA0CW, UA0SR, V25OP, V26G, V26MN, V47NT, V6C, V6P, V6T, V73M, V7XX, V85SS, VE0ICE (NA-047), VE0ICE/VE2, VE2XAA/2, VK9AA, VK9DWX, VP2ETN, VP2V/SP3IPB, VP2V/SP7VC, VP2VVA, VP8DLQ, VP9/W6PH, VQ9LA, VR20/p (AS-006), VR2XMT, VU7SJ, XQ4CW, XR5L (SA-070), XV4BX (AS-128), XW1B, YB2UTX, YN4SU, YW1TI (SA-066), Z2/UA4WHX, Z30U, ZD8UW, ZK2DF, ZK3RE, ZL3IX, ZS1JX, ZS6BQI, 5B4XF, 5N/LZ1QK, 6Y5/W5ZL, 7P8BA, AH2R, E51QQQ, ES1RA, FG5LA, HK3JJH/HK0B, HP2/CX2AM, HS0ZEE, JW/SM0MDG, PY0S/PS7JN, V25WY,



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- A3 - Dave, W6ZL will be active as A35KL from Vava'u (OC-064), Tonga from 25 April to 6 May. He will operate mainly CW on 40-17 metres with 100 watts and a vertical dipole; QSL via home call or LoTW. Also expect Paul, A35RK to operate CW and SSB as A35RK/p from the same location until at least 1 June; QSL via W7TSQ or LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- A5 - Hisa, JA1DOT will be active as A52DT from Bhutan from 24 April to 6 May. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CN - Darouf, CN8VO will be active as 5F1ROM from 26 April to 10 May for the FIA Touring Car Grand Prix that will be held in Marrakech on 1-3 May. QSL via EA7FTR. [TNX F8REF]
- CY0 - The expedition to Sable Island (NA-063) [425DXN 925] is now scheduled to take place on 19-26 October. Look for N0TG/CY0, WA4DAN/CY0 and AA4VK/CY0 to be active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY with three stations (one station will be operated during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest). QSL for all callsigns via N0TG. The website for the expedition is at <http://www.cy0dexpedition.com/>. On 30 April-2 May the team will conduct a "CY0 simulation test" from Core Banks (NA-067, see below).
- DL - Look for Juergen, DL1IAI/p to be active from Borkum Island (EU-047) between 27 April and 18 May. He also plans to operate from DL0BRF, the club station on the lightvessel "Borkumriff", during that time frame. QSL via bureau. [TNX DXNL]
- F - F4EKT, F5SL, F6GCP, F6GCT and F6ICX will be active as TM6KBK from 25 April to 10 May to celebrate the 40th anniversary of their radio club (F6KBK). Expect activity on all of the HF bands CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via F6GCP. [TNX F6GCP]
- F - Johann, F4FEP will be active as F4FEP/p from Saint-Nicolas Island (EU-094) on 1 May (13-16 UTC) and again on 19 May (9-16 UTC). He plans to operate with 100 watts battery powered into a vertical antenna on the beach. Look for him on 20 metres SSB (+/- 14260 kHz). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)] [TNX F4FEP]
- G - On 7th May 1909 the Admiralty began a process that was to lead to the formation of the Fleet Air Arm. Celebrating the centenary year of Naval Aviation, the Royal Naval ARS ([www.rnars.org.uk](http://www.rnars.org.uk)) will operate special event station GB100FAA on 1-15 and 19-21 May. Expect activity on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX VA3RJ]
- GD - Mark/M0MJH, Kevan/2E0WMG, Matt/2E0XIS and James/M0ZZO will be active from the Isle of Man (EU-116) from 26 April to 1 May. They

- will operate SSB on the HF bands (mainly 80, 40 and 20 metres) from most locations across the island, with the addition of VHF/UHF during SOTA activities. Look for them to sign MD0MJH, 2D0WVG, 2D0XIS and MD0ZZO, as well as GT3CO and GT7SRA. Updates will be posted to <http://m0mjh.blogspot.com/> [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- I - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, ARI Frosinone (IQ0FN) will be active as IYONGM between 25 April and 20 July. [TNX IZ0EWJ]
  - I - The 24-26 April activity from Linosa Island (AF-019) [425DXN 937] has been postponed and is now scheduled to take place on 1-3 May. IT9OJW, IT9ZIR, IT9ZZO, IW9EJP, IW9FRB, IW9GVP and IW9HSK plan to operate as IG9/homecall on 10-80 metres SSB, PSK and RTTY. QSL via home calls. [TNX IT9EJW]
  - I - Celebrating the 20th anniversary of the local ARI branch, special call sign II2ERBA will be aired on the HF bands SSB, CW and digital modes from Erba (Como) on 1-25 May. QSL via IQ2ER. [TNX IZ2DPX]
  - I - Members of ARI San Dona di Piave will be active as IL3T from Torcello Island (EU-131, IIA VE-011) between 1 and 31 May. QSL via IQ3SD, direct or bureau. Log search at <http://www.arisandona.it/il3t.html> [TNX I5JKI]
  - I - IW4BDG, IW4CEZ, IW4EKS, IW4ELT, IZ1JKW, IZ4FUA, IZ4IPI, IZ4IPU and IZ4OSA will operate special event station II4CRI from Piacenza on 2-8 May for the World Red Cross Day and to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Solferino, whose terrible aftermath (some 40,000 soldiers died or were wounded) eventually led to the establishment of the International Red Cross. QSL via IZ1JKW, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1JKW]
  - LU - The Bahia Blanca DX Group will be active as L21D from Ariadne Island (SA-021) on 1-3 May. Seven operators (LU1EUU, LU4DBP, LU4DBT, LU4ETN, LU5DEM, LU7DSY and LU8DWR) will be active on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB, CW and PSK31. QSL via LU7DSY, direct or bureau. [TNX LU7DSY]
  - SP - Seven operators from Poland and Germany will be active as 3Z0LH from Chelminek Island (not IOTA) and several lighthouses from 30 April to 9 May. QSL via SP1TMN. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - UR - Commemorating the 64th anniversary of the end of World War II, UU2JQ, UU5DX and UU5WW will operate special event station EO64JM on 1-15 May. QSL via K2PF. [TNX K2PF]
  - VE - Steve, VE2TKH will be active as X00ICE/2 from Quebec City (CQ Zone 5) until 3 May and again on 14-31 May to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the entry in service of the St. Lawrence Seaway. QSL via LoTW only (paper QSLs will not be available). [TN The Daily DX]
  - W - N0TG, WA4DAN and AA4VK will be active from Core Banks (NA-067) from 23 UTC on 30 April through 15 UTC on 2 May. The island is similar in environment (terrain, sand, sea, remoteness, etc.) to Sable Island, and the purpose of the operation will be a "test" of seven potential antennas for use at CY0 in October. AA4VK will also test the feasibility of including operating FM satellites (SO-50, AO-51, and AO-27) in the CY0 operations. Frequencies and modes of operation from NA-067 will be posted to <http://www.cy0dxpedition.com/>.
  - W - The Fall River Amateur Radio Club will be active as W1ACT/p from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) on 1-3 May, including the New England QSO Party. QSL via N1JOY. [TNX VA3RJ]
  - W - Randy, AJ4RW and a couple of other operators will be active for a few hours from Cumberland Island (NA-058) on 2 May. They plan to be QRV on 20 and 40 metres SSB from around 15 UTC until around 19 UTC. [TNX AJ4RW]
  - YJ - Kaku, JA6REX will be active as YJ0KS from Vanuatu between late April and early May. He will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres from Espiritu Santo (OC-035) on 28 April-3 May and from Tanna Island (OC-035) on 5-7 May. QSL via home call. [TNX

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A65 ---> The Daily DX reports that a few A65 callsigns have been issued to foreign residents in the United Arab Emirates (A61 is for UAE nationals, A62 for clubs and A60 for special event stations): G4BWP is A65BD (QSL via G5LP), G3XHZ is A65BE (QSL via G3XHZ), G4THN is A65BF, PA5M is A65BG (QSL via PA7FM), F8CUP is A65BH (QSL via F8CUP), F5LTB is A65BK (QSL via SM5DJZ).

HZ1FS/P ---> A photo gallery of the 19-26 March operation from Hibar Island (AS-192) can be found at <http://www.laselki.net/vb/showthread.php?t=3680>

MDXC DX CONVENTION ---> The 4th DX Convention organized by the Mediterraneo DX Club will take place on 23-24 May at the San Luca Hotel & Congress Centre, Battipaglia (Salerno). Details can be found at [www.mdxc.org/meeting.asp](http://www.mdxc.org/meeting.asp)

NEW IRCS ---> The new International Reply Coupons (the "Nairobi model", see [www.dailydx.com/images/2008-08-08\\_irc.jpg](http://www.dailydx.com/images/2008-08-08_irc.jpg)) will go on sale on 1 July 2009, and are expected to remain valid until 31 December 2013. They will replace the current IRCS (see [www.dailydx.com/images/irc2007.jpg](http://www.dailydx.com/images/irc2007.jpg)), which must be redeemed before the end of the year, as they will expire on 31 December 2009.

QSL A61BK ---> Effective immediately, NI5DX is the QSL manager for Kahlid, A61BK. Kahlid has send his log file already, but there will be a delay in replying until the new cards arrive from the printer. [TNX K1XN and The Golist]

QSL HG1S ---> MTOSZ Radio Club of Gyor (<http://www.mttosz.t-online.hu/>) is receiving a large number of cards for QSOs made with HG1S that cannot be confirmed as they are not-in-logs. Since HG1S is a "direct only" station, you'd better check the on-line log and/or e-mail the Radio Club before running the risk of wasting your money. Also please note that local postage stamps cannot be used in Hungary! [TNX HA1DAE]

S04R ---> The expedition to Western Sahara went QRT around 5 UTC on 18 April, after five days and 37,005 QSOs (20274 CW, 14342 SSB and 2389 RTTY). The most productive bands were 20m (7650 QSOs), 17m (6914) and 30m (6389 QSOs); 1332 contacts were made on 160 metres. A log search can be found at <http://www.dxfriends.com/s04r/index.php>

USA POSTAL RATES ---> Effective 11 May, the postal rates in the US will increase. First-Class Mail for a letter up to one ounce (28.3 grams) will cost USD 0.44; First-Class Mail International for a letter up to one ounce to Canada will cost USD 0.75, to Mexico USD 0.79 and to all other countries USD 0.98.

VK9GMW: QSO DATA LOST ---> While on Mellish Reef, the VK9GMW team realized that there was "some issue" with the WriteLog file for the period between 20.20 UTC on 9 April and 09.20 UTC on the 10th. They hoped to fix it later, but unfortunately their "support team's efforts to recover the WriteLog QSO data have not produced results yet" and they are now "seeking help from WriteLog". In the meantime, please refrain from sending any QSLs or OQRS requests for any contact that took place during those 13 hours: "we apologize, understanding how this may disappoint those who have made the

QSOs, but as long as we can not recover the data, we will not able to QSL these QSOs".

+ SILENT KEY + Franz Brechtken, DL3PS (HB9EHQ) died of heart attack on + 10 April, at 45 years of age. He operated from many locations in the past, including TF/DL3PS from EU-071 and EU-168 (July-August 2008) and D44TXS (11-25 March 2009). A group of his friends will try to confirm the outstanding QSL requests, especially those for the most recent activity from Cape Verde.  
Other recently reported Silent Keys include Robert J. Hajek, Sr. (K9LTN), David C. Zulawski (KA5TQF) and Jivanlal N. Adiecha (VU2JF).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3W9HRN	DL1HRN	AO8DMR	EA4URE	KH6TE	AI4U
4K5D	K2PF	AO9DMR	EA4URE	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD
4K7Z	UA3FDX	C6AAA	N4AA	KL7Z	W7IAN
4L1AN	EA7FTR	C6AYL	W8GEX	LM2T70Y	LA2T
4L1MA	ON4RU	C6DX	W8GEX	LN2G	LA2G
4L4WW	EA7FTR	C92IO	ZS6HB	LU8XW	WD9EWK
4L8A	K1BV	CN22TMC	EA7FTR	LZ09BR	LZ1KZA
4X0X	4Z5AX	CN8YE	EA7FTR	MN0NID	MI0SAI
5B4AIF	EB7DX	CS6A	CT1GFK	NP4A	W3HNK
5C2A	IK7JWX	CU1CB	EA5KB	OD5/IZ3JHP	IK3GES
5C2B	IK7JWX	CX/PY2TJ	PT2OP	ON175BR	ON7BR
5C2C	IK7JWX	CX7CO	WB3CDX	ON4AZW	ON7YB
5C2F	IK7JWX	EE9CF	EA9CF	P29ZAD	NI5DX
5C2J	IK7JWX	EE9IB	EA9IB	PT2ZXR	DJ0XR
5C2L	IK7JWX	EE9RY	EA9RY	PY0FF	W9VA
5C2SG	IK7JWX	EG1IYA	EA1GIB	R150DMP	RV9DC
5N/LZ1QK	LZ1CL	EG2IPY	EA2RC	R3K	RN3DK
5N0OCH	DL3OCH	EG3ACM	EA3EVL	R4CG	RK4CYW
5Z4ES	K3IRV	EH5SVF	EA5URR	RK1G	RZ3LC
5Z4KI	YO9AFH	EX8AB	RX3RC	RO90	RZ900
6W1SE	JR2KDN	FM5FJ	KU9C	RW0A	RA0ALM
6W1SJ	E73Y	FT5WO	F4DYW	S04R	EA5RM
6W2SC	HA3AUI	GS3PYE/P	G4HUN	SI9AM	SM3CVM
6W7RV	F8CMT	HC2SL	EA5KB	TA4ZT	DK1AR
7Q7BP	G3MRC	HC7AE	EA7FTR	TC57A	TA1HZ
7S5A	SM4DDS	HF110OSP	SP9YST	TI7KK	DK6AO
8Q7HN	7M2VPR	HF64CGS	SP6OPZ	TM5KDB	F5SPW
9A/VE3ZIK	DO7ZZ	HP1DCP	EA5KB	TM5OIS	F5KHR
9K2YM/P	EA5KB	HP3AK	W4JS	TT8FC	EA4AHK
9M2TI	EA4ATI	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
A43WARD	A47RS	IY1SP	I1SAF	UK8FF	W3HNK
A60WARD	IZ8CLM	IY8GM	IK8WEJ	UK8LA	RW3RN
A6100	IZ8CLM	J42ARET	SV2GWY	UN7DA	EA5KB
AO1DMR	EA4URE	J88DR	G3TBK	VK0BP	VK2CA
AO2DMR	EA4URE	JT1AGO	JA7AGO	XU7FMZ	JA1FMZ
AO3DMR	EA4URE	JT1AWN	JH1AWN	XW1B	E21EIC
AO4DMR	EA4URE	JT1LU	JA7LU	YV5SSB	IT9DAA
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- 3D2 - JA1NLX will be active as 3D2YA from Mana Island (OC-121), Fiji from 29 June to 3 July. He will operate CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. He will upload the log to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- 5H - Hermann, DL2NUD (5H1HP) and Joachim, DL9MS (5H1MS) will be active from Zanzibar Island (AF-032) from 16 May to 2 June. They will operate on 2m EME/MS, with activity also on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home calls. [TNX DL9MS and DL8EBW]
- 9A - Neno, 9A5AN and Tom, 9A2AA will be active from Drvenik, Oblik, Zlarin and a few other islands in the EU-170 IOTA group between 1 and 5 May. [TNX 9A2AA]
- A6 - Philippe, F5LTB reports that at the end of the day the callsign issued to him is A65BI (not A65BK as expected, 425DXN 938). He will be in France on 6-20 May, and hopes to be QRV from the UAE by the end of the month. QSL via SM5DJZ. [TNX F5NQL]
- BV - Rene, DL2JRM will be active as BW9/DL2JRM from Kinmen Island (AS-102) until 3 May. He operates CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via DL2JRM. [TNX The Daily DX]
- BY - David, BA3CE and several other operators will be active as BY3CN/4 from Heng Tian Island (claimed to count for AS-150) on 1-3 May. Expect activity on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. [TNX BA3CE]
- BY - Terry, BA7NQ will be vacationing with his family on Hainan Island (AS-094) on 24-26 May. Depending on local conditions, he plans to operate holiday style mainly on 20, 30 and 40 metres CW around 4, 10, 16 and 23 UTC (i.e. when his daughter sleeps!). [TNX BA7NQ]
- DL - DL2SWW, DF9TM and DL2VFR will be active as DF0WFF from the Nature Reserve of Flusslandschaft Elbe during the "Green Days" weekend (13-14 June). QSL via DL2VFR, direct or bureau. Information about the German World Flora & Fauna Award (WFF) activities can be found at [www.wff44.de](http://www.wff44.de) [TNX DL2VFR]
- ES - Uwe, DL3BQA will be active as ES8/DL3BQA from Kihnu Island (EU-178) on 15-22 June. He will operate holiday style on 80-6 metres, mainly SSB with possibly some RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DL3BQA]
- F - Look for a group of French operators to be active as TM5EL from Penfret Island (EU-094) on 8-10 May. They will be operate SSB, CW and digital modes with four stations (three for the HF bands and one for VHF, UHF and SHF). QSL via F6KHI, direct or bureau. Further information an on-line logs can be found at <http://ed28.ref-union.org/>
- F - Celebrating the 60th anniversary of the Council of Europe, the



- local amateur radio club (<http://ewwa.free.fr>) will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK as TP60CE on 8-10 May. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FQK]
- F - Eight operators from the Charente DX Group (namely F1BLQ, F4EEK, F5EOT, F5LOW, F5MNK, F5NBQ, F6HKA and ON4ZD) will be active as TM0M from Molene Island (EU-065, DIFM AT-002) on 23-30 May. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 metres, and maybe on 6m as well. QSL via F6ANA. [TNX F5NBQ]
- HL - 6K5AQY, 6K5AYC, 6K5BHZ, DS4NMJ, HL2FDW and HL5BMX will be active as 6M0W/5 from Jo Island (AS-081) on 1-3 May. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via HL5BMX, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- GM - 2E0JOX, 2E0TJX, G3VCQ, M0GAV, and M3VCQ will be active from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) on 23-27 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as MM3M (QSL via G3VCQ), outside the IOTA event they might be signing GS3RCM/p. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- GW - The Barry Amateur Radio Society will be active as GB100BP from Sully, Wales on 4-31 May. The special callsign celebrates 100 years of British Petroleum. QSL via GW0ANA. [TNX GW0ANA]
- I - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, Frank, IZ7AUH will be active as IY7GM through the end of the year. QSL via IZ7AUH, direct or bureau (see [qrz.com](http://qrz.com) under IY7GM for QSLling instructions). The log will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. [TNX IZ7AUH]
- I - A special activity by ARI Portici (Naples), IQ8PC, will take place until 2 May for the 9th World Ranking Master Bowling Championship. QSL via IK8JVG. A cancellation for philatelists is available for contacts made on 1 and 2 May. [TNX IK8VRH]
- I - The fifth edition of the Mediterraneo DX Club's Members Trophy will take place on 16-17 May. The MDXC HQ station IQ8MD plus several special event stations are expected to participate in the event: 4X0MDC, HG09MDC, II0MDC, II2MDC, II8MDC, II9MDC, IO0MDC, IO1MDC, IO5MDC, IO9MDC, IQ8MD, IR0MDC, IR2MDC, IR5MDC, IR8MDC, IR9MDC, IU0MDC, IU1MDC, IU5MDC, IU8MDC, IU9MDC, LQ5D, PD05MDC, SX1MDC, TM5MDC. All of the QSOs made with these stations will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct requests should be sent to the Members Trophy Manager, Giuliano Mondini (IK2VUC). Information on the event and the relevant award can be found at <http://www.mdxc.org/memberstrophy.asp>
- JA - Look for JA1YVT/4, JL10VB/4 and 7L3ATQ/4 to be active from Oki Island (AS-041), Shimane prefecture until 4 May. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for Take, JS6RRR to be active on all bands and modes as JS6RRR, JS6RRR/JS6 and JI3DST/JS6 from the Miyako Islands (AS-079) until 11 May. His main QTH will be on Miyako-jima, (JI1A AS-079-005), but he also plans to go and operate from Ikema-jima (AS-079-001) and Kurima-jima (AS-079-003). QSL via bureau only. [TNX JS6RRR]
- KH2 - Lee, HL1IWD and Harry, WX8C will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 as AH2Y and KH2/WX8C from Guam from 29 May to 2 June. They will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as AH2Y (QSL via HL1IWD; all of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau).
- KP2 - Look for K3VX/KP2, W3WH/KP2, W3WN/KP2, W9UK/KP2 and K9CS/KP2 to be active from the US Virgin Islands (NA-106) from 28 May to 2 June, including an entry in the CQ WW PWX CW Contest as NP2SH. QSL W3WN/KP2 via W3WN, all others via K9CS. [TNX K9CS]
- LZ - Special station LZ2009KM will be active on all bands and modes on 1-31 May to celebrate St. Kiril and Methodius' Day. QSL via LZ1PJ, bureau preferred. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW. Further information at <http://www.qrz.com/db/LZ2009KM> [TNX LZ1BJ]
- OH - Special callsign OH5POPOV will be aired on 24 May to commemorate Russian physicist and radio pioneer Aleksandr S. Popov. QSL via OH5VX. [TNX OH2KI]
- OZ - DF9TM, DL2SWW and DL2VFR will operate CW and SSB as OZ0FR from

- Romo Island (EU-125) on 23-26 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via DL2VFR, direct or bureau. Further information will be available at [www.iota-expedition.de](http://www.iota-expedition.de) [TNX DL2VFR]
- P2 - The dates and callsigns for the IOTA DXpedition to Papua New Guinea [425DXN 934] will be as follows:  
 22-26 October P29VCX Tanga Islands (OC-102) QSL via SM6CVX  
 27-31 October P29VLR Green Islands (OC-231) QSL via SM6CVX  
 2-9 November P29NI Woodlark group (OC-205) QSL via G3KHZ  
 Expect activity on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. The operators will be Luis/CT1AGF, Derek/G3KHZ, Gordon/G3USR, David/M0VTG and Hans/SM6CVX. Webpage at [www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29\\_2009/index.html](http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2009/index.html)
- P2 - While the main team will leave for home after operating from OC-205, Hans (SM6CVX) plans to continue the trip. He would like to go and operate as P29VCX from the D'Entrecasteaux Islands (OC-116) on 11-13 November. QSL via home call.
- PA - VERON Section 54 (PI4ETL) will operate special callsign PH100EL from 18 June to 12 July to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first flight of aviation pioneer Charles count de Lambert, who on 27 June 1909 at Etten-Leur opened the aviation era in the Netherlands. QSL via PD0PVQ. Information on the relevant award can be found at <http://www.qrz.com/db/PH100EL> [TNX PA1BR]
- PY - Seven operators from the Associacao Paulista de Radioamadores (namely PY2IAB, PY2OMT, PY2TLB, PY3NZ, PU2OVA, PU2TEA and PU2TJQ) will be active as PT2T from Ilha da Moela (SA-071) on 11-14 June. They plan to be QRV on 80, 40, 20, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB with two stations, with a third station active on 6 and 2 metres. QSL via PY2OP, direct or bureau. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.apre.com.br/moela> [TNX PU2TJQ]
- SV5 - Ralph, DL9MWG will be active holiday style from Rhodes (EU-001) on 3-17 May. He will operate mainly CW on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DXNL]
- T7 - I4UFH, I4YSS, IK2NCJ, IK4UPB, IW2MJQ, IZ4DPV and IZ4EFN will operate from T70A, the club station of the Republic of San Marino's IARU Society, on 1-3 May. This will include an entry in the ARI International DX Contest. Look for them on 10, 15, 20, 40, 80 and 160 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via [qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com)
- UA - A number of UE80 callsigns will be aired from Omsk until 31 May to celebrate the 80th anniversary of the local airport: UE80MB (UA9MBQ), UE80MC (UA9MC), UE80MD (UA9MD), UE80ME (RW9MC), UE80MK (RA9MKL), UE80MO (UA9MAX), UE80MP (RU9MP), UE80MT (RA9MC) and UE80NS (UA9NS). QSL via home calls. Information on the relevant award can be found at <http://www.dxawards.com/inet2009.htm#OMSK> [TNX RA9MC]
- W - Bill, WD2E and Sofia, AI4KQ will be active as WD2E/4 from the Dry Tortugas Islands (NA-079) on 8-14 May. QSL via WD2E, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- YS - Nigel/G3TXF, Bob/MD0CCE and Michael/G7VJR will be active on all bands, 160m included, as YS1G from El Salvador on 16-23 May. They will be joined by Mario, YS1MAE who will do some SSB, while all other activity will be CW. QSL via G3TXF. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX G7VJR]
- ZD8 - Karol, G0UNU will be active in his spare time as ZD8KR from Ascension Island (AF-003) on 4-11 May. He plans to operate CW and SSB mainly on 20 metres (14010 and 14150 kHz), with possible activities on 30 and 40 metres. QSL via G0UNU, direct or bureau.

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8P6DR ---> Richard, G3RWL made about 3,000 QSOs during his 2-23 April activity from Barbados. He says he had a computer failure "and the last 800 QSOs were made with hand-keying and a paper log". All but about 10 CW QSOs from the computer are OK on his backup, but all his RTTY QSOs are still on the computer with no backup. QSL requests will not be confirmed until after Richard has investigated (and hopefully fixed) the problem. [TNX G3RWL]

A DIFFERENT KIND OF AMATEUR RADIO COMPETITION ---> Nineteen-year old Mark Dumpleton, 2E0NCG is the winner of the Radio Arcala Essay Contest [425DXN 929]. You can read Mark's piece and his interview at <http://www.radioarcala.com> (click on the "Young People Terms" button).

ANARTS RTTY CONTEST ---> The last running of the ANARTS WW RTTY Contest will be held on 13-14 June (rules at <http://www.anarts.com.au/rules2009.htm>) and for this year only the contest will be managed by John Barber, GW4SKA, the BARTG Contest Manager. From 2010 the BARTG HF RTTY Contest will be moved from March to the second weekend in June. [TNX F5NQL]

ANTARCTICA ---> Bob, K4MZU, Antarctic chaser and QSL manager for several US Antarctic stations, has set up an interesting website ([www.k4mzu.net](http://www.k4mzu.net)) featuring QSL galleries and an Antarctic Hams & Bases album. The site is in the beginning stages, and an Antarctic DX Chasers page is under construction. Anyone having photos of US amateur radio operators in Antarctica is encouraged to send them to Bob ([oldbibles@aol.com](mailto:oldbibles@aol.com)). [TNX K4MZU]

DXCC NEWS ---> The following operations are approved for DXCC credit:  
S04R Western Sahara 2009 Operation  
E51QQQ North Cook Islands 2009 Operations  
If you have had any QSLs rejected in a recent DXCC submission, please send an e-mail to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]

L33M ---> This is Dan's, LU3MAM recently issued contest callsign. QSL via LU1MA (Radio Club Cuyo, P.O. Box 232, 5500 Mendoza, Argentina). [TNX LU3MAM]

MMORAI/P ---> The Belgian IOTA DXpedition to Rockall (EU-189, [www.rockall.be](http://www.rockall.be)) [425DXN 935] has been cancelled. The team departed Stornoway on 27 April with flat seas, but two days later, when they reached the island, the waves were too high for them to attempt a landing. "The weather is worsening by the hour and the weather forecast for the coming days does not give any hope", Theo (ON4ATW) said.

PIRATE ---> Pasquale, IW0HEX is receiving cards for contacts made with 5Z4/IW0HEX (30m CW) in August 2008. Please note that his callsign was pirated, as he never operated from Kenya. [TNX IW0HEX]

TI7KK ---> On-line logs and two photo galleries for the recent TI7KK IOTA activity from Isla San Jose, Murcielago Islands (NA-191) are now available on the expedition's website (<http://www.ti7.info/>). The team made 7757 QSOs (4990 CW, 2483 SSB, 284 RTTY) between 17 and 21 April. QSL via DK6AO, direct or bureau.

UN2C ---> One of our readers is looking for a reliable QSL route for UN2C: I "have sent two times to Box 121 (all DX lists)", he says, "but both returned as undeliverable". Is there anybody who can help?

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

V63TO ---> A few images of V63TO from Kapingamarangi Atoll (OC-167) can be found at <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>. Mike (KM9D) and Jan (KF4TUG) were active from there on 5-15 March, with additional QSOs made on 4 April using a QRP transmitter and a newly constructed antenna for 17 metres. They are currently in Honiara (OC-047), Solomon Islands, where they hold the callsigns H44MY and H44TO.

WPX-CT AWARD ---> It is available to either licenced amateurs and SWLs for contacts made with different callsign prefixes allocated to Portugal, including Madeira and the Azores. Complete information can be found at <http://www.geocities.com/ctlbww> [TNX CT1BWW]

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2NB, 3D2RX, 3V8BB, 4L5O, 5B8AD, 5D0IPY, 5H1DF, 5N/LZ1QK, 5N0EVR, 6Y1LZ, 7Z1SJ, 8P9NX, 8Q7AK, 9H4CM, 9M6XRO, A41MX, A43DLH, A61Q, A71BX/NDQ, A71CT, A71EM/NDQ, A92GR, AH0F/KH2, C4N, C6AGU, CG2I (NA-128), CN2R, CN89NY, CN8YE, CO8LY, CQ3T, CX3CCC, DS1REE, DV5PO, E51COF (OC-013), E51KAJ (OC-013), E51QQQ (OC-014), E70T, E7DX, EA9PY, EL2DX, ET3JA, FK/JA1KAJ, FK8CP, FM1HM, FM5LD, FO5JV, FR5DN, FS5KA, FW5RE, G4GIR/KH9, H44MS, H6VA, HD2A, HH4/AF4Z, HI3/N3SY, HK0/EA7HEJ, HL1VAU/4 (AS-060), HR1AAB, HV5PUL, HZ1EA, J79WR, J7N, J88XF, JA1XGI/VK9X, JD1BMH, JT1BH, JW/OZ1LXJ, JW/SM0MDG, KH6FI, KH7C, KH7X, LY3W, LY8O, LY90W, NP4A, OA4O, OA4TT, OY9JD, P29IO, P40W, PJ2T, PJ4/K8GG, RO9O, S79MV, SN3R, SU1KM, SV5/SM8C, SV9/DJ7RJ, SV9/HA6OI, T27A, T27OU, T32YY, T88WW, TF/G3SXW, TF3CW, TF3GC, TG9AHM, TG9NX, TI8II, TJ3SL, TM7C (EU-064), TN5SN, TO4X, TO5A, TO5DX, TT8JT, UA2FCC, UA2FT, UK8UWG, UK9AA, UN8LYA, V25WY, V26F, V31YN/p (NA-180), V63WW, V6P, V73M, V7XX, V85NL, VK3IO, VK9AA, VK9CNC, VK9DWX, VP2E, VP2EC, VP2V/SP3IPB, VP5/W5CW, VP8KF, VQ9JC, VU2PAI, VU4AN/VU3RWP, W3A, XF3PAS (NA-090), XR3P, XR5L (SA-070), XU7ACY, XW1B, XX9TCC, YI1RZ, YK1BA, YK9G, YL2CV, YN4SU, YU150AU, Z30MCWG, Z36A, ZB2FK, ZD8UW, ZF2AM, ZF2NN, ZM1A, ZP6CW.

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- 5B - Jan, OZ1IIL will be active as 5B/OZ1IIL from Cyprus (AS-004) on 9-16 May. On 10 May, starting around 10 UTC, he will operate from the lighthouse at Paphos Point (ARLHS CYP-005). Updates on activity from other lighthouses will be posted at [www.oz7aei.dk](http://www.oz7aei.dk) [TNX OZ7AEI]
- GD - GB5LB is a special event station on the Isle of Man (EU-116), to promote awareness of the activities of the Royal National Lifeboat Institute. Look for activity on 10 May, 4 June, 4 July, 12 July, 26 July. QSL direct to Port St Mary Lifeboat, The Boat House, Lime Street, Port St Mary, Isle of Man IM9 5EF, UK. [TNX VA3RJ]
- GM - Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the Scottish Parliament, the Cockenzie & Port Seton Amateur Radio Club (<http://www.cpsarc.com/news.php>) will be running special event station GB10SP on 16-17 May. Operations will take place from the Scottish Parliament at Holyrood, Edinburgh, between 9 and 17 each day. QSL via GM4UYZ.
- JA - Ten special event stations (8J040M-8J940M) from each callsign district of Japan will be active between 16 May and 20 July to celebrate the expansion of the 7 MHz band in Japan. QSL all stations via the JARL bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- LZ - Special event station LZ50BNT will be operated until 31 December to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Bulgarian National Television, the national public television service of the Republic of Bulgaria. QSL via LZ1HA, direct or bureau. [TNX LZ1HA]
- OH - Special callsign OF5POPOV will be aired on 14 May to commemorate Russian physicist and radio pioneer Aleksandr S. Popov. QSL via OH5VX. [TNX OH5FFT]
- ON - 9 May is Europe Day, and the European Institutions are open to the public to show their activity and celebrate the project of the European integration. Look for OR5EU, the European Union Amateur Radio Club in Brussels, to participate in the celebrations and be active on 40-10 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via the UBA bureau. [TNX ON8VM]
- PY - A number of Brazilian special contest callsigns are expected to be QRV during the Manchester Mineira All America (MMAA) CW Contest, which will be held on 16-17 May [425DXN 935]: PP4W (PY4PW), PQ4F (PY4FQ), PQ8W (PY2WAS, from the rarest Amapa State), PR5W (PY5FB), PT5J (PP5KR group), PT5M (PY5MJ), PW1W (PY1WW), PW2B (PY2HL), PW2P (PY2XAT), PX8XL (PY8MGB), ZW1V (PY1VHF), ZW3F (PY3VK) and ZW4KL (PY4KL group). This year's event is still for stations in South and North America, in 2010 it will be world wide. [TNX PY4WAS]
- S2 - Ramon, DU1UGZ did operate as S21UGZ [425DXN 937] on 2 and 3 May,

- before being issued (on 6 May) another callsign, S21XR. He expects to remain in Bangladesh until 20 June, and to be QRV in his spare time. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SM - A team of eight operators will be active as 7S6W from IOTA group EU-043 on 14-17 May. They plan to operate on 80-2 metres with four stations. QSL for this activity via SM6WET, direct or bureau. [TNX SM6WET]
- SP - The amateur radio club of QTC, the Polish Radio Amateurs' journal (SP4KDX), will be active as HF59ED on 8-15 May to celebrate Europe Day and the 59th anniversary of the European Union. QSL via SP2FAP and eQSL.cc [TNX SP2FAP]
- SP - Special event station 3Z11EQSLCC will be active on 9-12 May to celebrate the 11th anniversary of the Electronic QSL Card Centre. QSL via SP2FAP (and eQSL.cc, of course). [TNX SP2FAP]
- UA - A large number of Russian stations using special prefix RP (where the letter P stands for "pobeda", i.e. "victory") will be QRV until 10 May to celebrate the 64th anniversary of the end of World War II. Expect many of them to be active during the 53rd CQ-M International DX Contest, to be held on 9-10 May (rules at [http://www.srr.ru/CONTEST/cq\\_m\\_9\\_eng.php](http://www.srr.ru/CONTEST/cq_m_9_eng.php))
- ZK2 - Chris, ZL1CT (GM3WOJ) is confirmed to be active as ZK2V from Niue [425DXN 923] next week. If the weather cooperates, he will land on Saturday afternoon (16 May), which is early Sunday UTC. Chris plans to be QRV until 7 UTC on 19 June. His expedition aims to to give as many stations as possible their first QSO with ZK2. To maximise QSOs, he will concentrate on CW and SSB on 80, 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. Further information and log search can be found at <http://www.zk2v.com>. Chris has been told he will have Internet access from his QTH. If so, his plans are to upload logs to LoTW on a daily or every other day basis. QSL via N3SL, direct or bureau. [TNX N3SL]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (April 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

EUROPEAN CASTLES DAY ---> The eighth edition of the European Castles Day will be held on 17 May between 6 and 16 UTC. Several stations are expected to operate from fortresses and castles in France, Belarus, Belgium, Germany, Italy, Russia, Spain, Portugal, United Kingdom and Switzerland. Information on the event can be found on Jean-Pierre's (F6FNA) web site at <http://f6fna.club.fr/jecruleanglais.html>

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for The ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (302 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (950 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2578 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (308 QSLs), Antarctic bases (744 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 246 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (248 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (95 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (595 QSLs), French Departments (527 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (106 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <http://LesNouvellesdx.fr> and send your comments to [lesnouvellesdx@free.fr](mailto:lesnouvellesdx@free.fr) [TNX F6AJA]

QSL 4X0WFF ---> The QSL route is via 4X4JU for direct requests only. Bureau cards will be sent automatically via Global QSL (<http://www.globalqsl.com/>). [TNX 4Z5KJ]

QSL 5H3RK ---> Ralph (C93Q, Z21HS, 9J2RK, SM0LRK, VK4VB) will be going QRT from Tanzania in late May. Effective immediately, QSL cards should not be mailed to Ralph's address in the US any longer, but to Australia: Ralph Karhammar, 6 Sevenoaks Street, Taringa 4068, Australia. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL TA7KI ---> The QSL route for contacts made during the recent ARI International DX Contest (2-3 May) is via TA3YJ, direct or bureau. The operator was TA3J/7, whose log search can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs/index.html> [TNX TA3YJ]

UN2C ---> Vlad, UN6T says that Nick, UN2C no longer uses P.O. Box 121, which has been closed for some time now. Cards should be sent via the bureau. Those who cannot wait or have no access to the bureau system might want to contact Vlad and see if he can help.

+ SILENT KEYS + CQ DX Hall of Famer Albert "Lee" Bergren, W0AR + (ex-W9AIW and W0AIW) passed away on 1 May at 93 years of age. "An electronics engineer, author, designer and advisor with special accomplishments in the field of antenna and radio amplifier design", ARRL says, "Bergren led or participated in many of the first Amateur Radio DXpeditions". Other recently reported Silent Keys include David L. Vest (KZ4G), Paulo Reboucas Da Silva (PY6PRS), Nikolaj V. Goldinov (RW3QI), Sandy Donahue (W4RU), Glenn Eisley (W6NDR) and Marion J. Henson (W6NKR).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
2D0WMG/p	2E0WMG	EV8DP	UA3FDX	RP3YGA	RV3YR
3A2CWG	3A2LF	EX/DM3VL	DM3VL	RP3YVF	RA3YC
3A2XO	pirate	EX7MA	IK2QPR	RP4AWR	RZ4AR
3D2AD	YT1AD	FM1HN	NI5DX	RP4DTA	RK4CYW
3D2ZW	OK2ZAW	GB0GMD	MW6VHF	RP4H	RW4HB
3V8SF	IZ8CCW	GB100BP	GW0ANA	RP4HRT	RZ4HXM
3Z0LH	SP1TMN	GB100FAA	G4ZMP	RP64PR	RA3ATX
4K51V	UA3FDX	GB6MD	GM4FDM	RP64X	UA9XC
4L6QC	LZ1OT	GB8GM	M0DOL	RP6AMZ	RX6AM
4M5M	W4SO	HC2A	EA5KB	RP6YW	UA6YW
4O6T	PB2T	HC2AQ	EA5KB	RP9J	RV9JD
4U1UN	HB9BOU	HF10GZB	SP8ZBX	RP9LL	RW9LL
4X0WFF	4X4JU	HF15PB	SP9YGD	RP9M	RA9MC
4Z5J	W0MM	HK1NK	EA5KB	RP9OMP	RZ9OJ
5C5W	EA5XX	HK1X	EA7FTR	RP9Q	UA9QCQ
5F1ROM	EA7FTR	HL9A	WX8C	RP9QA	RW9QA
5R8FL	G3SWH	HP1RIS	EA5KB	RP9SBR	RA9SBR
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HS0ZEA	OE2REL	RP9XG	UA9XOM
5R8GZ	G3SWH	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	RP9XKF	RA9XF
5V7BR	F2VX	HZ1SK	IZ8CLM	RP9YAF	RU9YF
6M0W/5	HL5BMX	ID9N	IZ0GKN	S21B	KX7YT
8Q7DV	UA9CLB	II0DIVA	IQ0RM	S21UGZ	DU1UGZ
8Q7SV	SV1JG	II2ERBA	IQ2ER	SD3N	SM3NXS
9A0CI	DE0MST	II4CRI	IZ1JKW	SN0DO	SQ2CFL



9A430KA	9A6Z	II5W	IZ5DKG	SN0PSP	SP9PNS
9G5SW	DC8XL	IL3T	IQ3SD	SN7OSP	SP7PKI
9H3KJ	W0MM	IY7GM	IZ7AUH	SN80TPRO	SP9PKZ
9J2BO	G3TEV	J28JA	F5JFU	SP1933ANH	SP5PSL
9J2FM	JA4ATV	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	SV0XBM/9	W3HNK
9J2YO	YO4ATW	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	T30M	YT1AD
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	T80K	JN3JBC
A35KL	W6ZL	JD1BMT	JE4SMQ	T88YK	JN1WTK
A35RK/p	W7TSQ	JI1LET/JD1	JI1LET	TA3J/7	TA3YJ
A52DT	JA1DOT	KH0UA	JF1UCV	TF/4Z5KJ	W0MM
A61C	W4JS	L21D	LU7DSY	TF3CW	LX1NO
A61E	EB7DX	LM9K75Y	LA9K	TF3ZA	KT6YL
A65BD	G5LP	LY1000A	LY5A	TI3/WA7UZO	AI4U
A65BE	G3XHZ	LZ18HR	LZ1YE	TI6/K9KEJ	EB7DX
A65BM	W4JS	LZ2009KM	LZ1PJ	TJ3SL	F5PSA
AL7DB	NI5DX	LZ24MAY	LZ1KZX	TM5ACS	F4CVA
AX0BP	VK2CA	MS0TJT/p	GM4ZNC	TM5EL	F6KHI
BW9/DL2JRM	DL2JRM	OA4TT	N6XQ	TM6KBK	F6GCP
BX2AAL	NI5DX	OE100M	OE1WHC	TN5SN	IZ1BZV
C31CT	EA3QS	OL25LP	OK2FB	TP60CE	F5LGF
CE1TT	EA5KB	OL77AL	OK1AL	TR8CA	F6CBC
CO6CAC	EA5KB	ON100PES	ON4TRC	UE1RFF/3	UA1RJ
CO6WD	W0SA	ON769MS	ON6MS	UE80MB	UA9MBQ
CQ5CQK	CT1CQK	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	UE80MC	UA9MC
CS7FTD	CT2FTD	PE25KP	PE2KP	UE80MD	UA9MD
CU3HQ	EA3GHZ	PJ7MF	IZ1MHY	UE80ME	RW9MC
CW1GM	CX2ABC	PT1R	PY1NB	UE80MO	UA9MAX
D80Y	6K5YPD	R3ARS/3	RA3AKF	UE80MT	RA9MC
DL0YLQ	DK2YL	R75AH	RK3AWH	UE80NS	UA9NS
DM50PSF	DL5JAN	R7M	R3AWA	UE9CAP	RK9CYA
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	RP1A	RD1AW	UE9FDR	RA9FDR
DR775TMG	DJ8QP	RP1AL	UA1CEI	UN5J	W3HNK
DU1/KI6TIU	JA1PBV	RP1CC	RV1CC	UN8LYA	UA9AB
DX1J	JA1HGY	RP1F	UA2FFX/1	UR6LFF/p	US4LGW
EG1SPA	EA1EG	RP1OS	UA1OAM	VK2IA	DL8YR
EG2OO	EC2AMN	RP1VIC	RV2FW/1	VK6XRM	G3KOJ
EG4DCM	EA4CT	RP1ZZ	UA1ZZ	W3D	N3ME
EG4MAD	EA4RCU	RP3ABB	RA3BB	WH6R	AI4U
EG7SCC	EA7URC	RP3AF	UA3DX	XU7XXX	KC0W
EI6DX	RX3RC	RP3DY	RW3DY	XX9TET	EA3NT
EM5U/p	UT2UB	RP3EOD	RU3EJ	YI9TM	WT4M
EN500I	UT7IL	RP3GMW	RA3GJ	YJ0EM	YO8CYN
EO64JM	K2PF	RP3LPP	UA3LMR	YJ0KS	JA6REX
EO64L	UT2LY	RP3LPS	RZ3LA	YO4ATW	9J2YO
EO64MF	UR0MM	RP3QUP	RK3QWW	YP1WFF	YO7GNL
ER4DX	RA4LW	RP3RQ	RN3RQ	YV7ABC	EB7DX
ET3JA	OK3AA	RP3UNN	RK3UWA	ZD8KR	G0UNU
EV5V	UA3FDX	RP3V	RK3VWA	ZF2BI	K4BI
EV6ZK	UA3FDX	RP3XMV	UA3XAC	ZS3Y	SQ8X
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- 4J - The Federation of Radio Sports of Azerbaijan is organizing an expedition to Nagorno Karabakh from 28 May to 1 June. The team will operate as 4K3K and 4J0K, including activity during the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL for both calls via RW6HS. [TNX 4J5T]
- 5B - John/5B4AIS, Paul/DH9VA, Stelios/SV1AAU, John/SV1GE, Chris/SV2DGH, Takis/SV2FWV and Sakis/SV2HNC will be active as C4SV from Cyprus (AS-004) on 23-29 May. They plan to be QRV on all bands SSB, CW, RTTY. QSL via SV2DGH. [TNX SV2DGH]
- DL - Thomas, DH1TS will be active as DH1TS/p from Amrum Island (EU-042) on 20-28 May. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- E7 - The Akademski Radio Klub (E74EBL) will operate special event call E709WRC on 17-24 May for the World Rafting Championship to be held in Banja Luka, Bosnia & Herzegovina. QSL via E77E. [TNX E77E]
- EI - Stan, EI6DX (UA1OUT) will be active as EJ6DX from Inis Mor, Aran Islands (EU-006) on 22-24 May and again from 29 May to 1 June (including an entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest on 40 metres). QSL via RX3RC, direct or bureau. Updates will be available at www.ei6dx.com [TNX EI6DX]
- F - A few special event stations are or will be active from French department 59 to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the birth of radioactivity pioneer and Nobel laureate Pierre Curie: TM6RPC (until 22 May, QSL via F8KOT), TM8RPC (until 24 May, QSL via F6KTN), TM2RPC (23 May-5 June, QSL via F6BDM), TM5RPC (25 May-8 June, QSL via F8KGS). [TNX F8REF]
- FO - Les (SP3DOI), Jan (SP3CYY), Wojciech (SP9PT), Jozef (SP9-31029) and Michel/FO5QB will be active from the Austral and Marquesas Islands between late September and late October:  
29/09-12/10 TX5SPA (requested call) Tubuai (OC-152), Austral Isls  
16/10-22/10 TX5SPM (requested call) Marquesas Isls (OC-027)  
They will have three stations and will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and Possibly PSK31 on 160-10 metres, with an emphasis on working Europe on the low bands. QSL for both calls via SP9PT. The web site for the expedition is at <http://fo2009sp.pl> [TNX SP9PT]
- FR/G - The long-awaited DXpedition to Glorioso (AF-011) is now expected to take place in July. Three or four military radio amateurs, along with two film-makers from the Defence Press Service, will be on the island on 9-28 July. The team (including F5PRU, F5IRO, F5TLN, and maybe F4EGS or F5RQQ) will be active with three stations on 160-6 metres on as many modes as possible. Callsign to be announced, QSL via F5OGL. A log search will be available and updated on a daily basis at <http://glorieuses2008.free.fr> [TNX

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- G - John, M0XIG and Tony, 2E0SBS will operate special event station GB2CT on 21-23 May from the site of the optical telegraph at Chalton, Hampshire (England). The Chalton Shutter Telegraph was one of a number that operated as a communication link for the British Admiralty between London and Plymouth. QSL via M0XIG, direct or bureau.
- G - Promoting geological heritage to the general public, special station GB6GEO will be on the air on 23-24 May from "Kent's Cavern", England's oldest "home" situated in the English Riviera (Torbay). QSL via G3VOF. Details on this event, as well as the relevant certificate, can be found at [qrz.com](http://qrz.com) under GB6GEO. [TNX G3VOF]
- GJ - Babs, DL7AFS and Lot, DJ7ZG are active as MJ/homecall from Jersey (EU-013) until 27 May. They will operate RTTY, PSK and SSB on 80-6 metres. QSLs via DL7AFS, bureau preferred. Their website is at <http://www.qsl.net/dl7afs> [TNX DXNL]
- HB0 - Tina, DL5YL and Fred, DL5YM will be active as HB0/homecall from Liechtenstein from 20 June to 2 July. They will operate holiday style on the HF bands mainly CW, possibly with some RTTY. QSL via home calls. [TNX DL5YM]
- HV - A group of operators from ARI Saronno (namely I2OGV, I2RFJ, I2ZBX, IK2DJV and IZ2LSC) will be active from HV5PUL, the amateur radio station at the Pontifical Lateran University (Vatican City), on 1, 3 and 4 June. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL to HV5PUL (see [qrz.com](http://qrz.com)). [TNX IW0DJB]
- I - IW2MZX, IZ2AJE, IZ2GLU and IZ2GMT will be active as IF9E from Levanzo Island (EU-054, IIA TP-009) on 21-24 May. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via IZ2GLU, direct and bureau. [TNX IZ2GMT]
- I - Special callsign II6AN will be aired from 27 May to 10 June to celebrate the 60th anniversary of ARI Ancona. Expect activity on the HF, VHF, UHF and SHF bands SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via IK6VXO. [TNX I6GFX]
- J6 - John, W5JON will be active on 160-6 metres as J68JA from St. Lucia (NA-108) on 20-30 October, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via W5JON. [TNX W5JON].
- KL - Don, N6IC will be active as N6IC/KL7 from Douglas Island (NA-041) during a family visit on 21-30 May. QSL via home call. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- OH0 - DJ7JC, DJ9IE, DK3QZ, DL1EKC and PA0R will be active as OH0/homecall (QSL via home calls, direct or bureau) from the Aland Islands (EU-002) from 24 May to 3 June, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as OH0EC (QSL via DL1EKC, direct or bureau). Look for them on 30, 17 and 12 metres CW outside the WPX event. [TNX DL1EKC]
- ON - Kurt, ON4CB and Francois, ON4LO will be active from Lillo lighthouse (ARLHS BEL-028) on 23-24 May. They plan to operate SSB on 20, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via bureau. [TNX ON4LO]
- OZ - Harry/PA1H and Nico/PA7PA will be active as OZ/homecall from Lango Island, off Langeland Island (EU-172) from 25 July to 1 August, IOTA Contest included. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 10-160 metres, with some activity on the VHF bands. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX PA1H]
- SV - Michael, DF3IS will be active as J48IS from Thassos Island (EU-174) on 19-25 May. QSL via home call, bureau or direct. [TNX DXNL]
- SV - The White Tower DX Team ([www.whitetowerdxt.com](http://www.whitetowerdxt.com)) will be active as SY2WT from Posidhion Lighthouse (ARLHS GRE-111) on 22-31 May, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via SV2FPU, direct or bureau. [TNX SV2FPU]
- SV5 - Darren, G0TSM will be active holiday style as SV5/G0TSM from Kos Island (EU-001) from 20 May to 3 June. He will focus on 6 and 12 metres (SSB and CW), running 100 watts to a 3-element yagi for 6m

- and a quad loop for 12m. QSL via home call. [TNX G0TSM]
- TA - TA0U, TA1FR, TA1HZ, TA2DJ, TA2JN and TA2RX will be active as TC2009UC on 16-20 May. The special callsign celebrates the final match of the 2008-09 UEFA Cup football (soccer) tournament to be played in Istanbul on 20 May. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TA - Special callsign TC2ATAM will be activated on 17-19 May to commemorate the 90th anniversary of Mustafa Kemal Ataturk's arrival to Samsun, the city where he initiated the War of Independence. Main activity will be on 20-40 metres. QSL via TA1KB. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TA - Ondra (OK1CDJ), Frantisek (OK1DF), Zdenek (OK1FIA), Pavel (OK1MU) and Slavek (OK1TN) will be active as TC098A from Kara Ada (AS-098) on 17-22 May. They will operate SSB and CW on 10-40 metres, and possibly via ES on the VHF bands. They plan to be on the air for about 16-18 hours a day with two stations. QSL via OK2GZ, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at <http://www.okdxf.eu/expedice/tc098a/en/> [TNX OK1MU]
- TK - Eva, HA3FRE and Tomi, HA4DX will be active as TK/homecall from Ersa, Corsica (EU-014) on 16-23 May. They plan to operate mainly on 30 and 40 metres CW during their evenings and nights. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
- TK - Enrico, I4GAD will be sailing in the TK waters between 17 and 23 May. He hopes to be able to operate as TK/I4GAD from the main island (EU-014) and either the Cerbicales (EU-100) and the Sanguinaires (EU-104) islands. Activity will be for a few hours only, mainly CW. [TNX I4GAD]
- TZ - Ed/W0SD, Arliss/W7XU and possibly others will be active as TZ6EI from Mali from 26 June to 5 July. Their primary focus will be 6 metres on 50103 kHz, with some HF operation planned for late night non-Sporadic E hours. "Please just send us your RST/RS signal report", they say, "we do not need your grid square". Due to the lack of an internet connection no on-line logs are planned. QSL via W7XU. [TNX W0SD]
- UR - Crisna, IZ3GWJ says he will be active as UT/IZ3GWJ from Ternopil, Ukraine until 30 May. He plans to concentrate on 20, 10 and 6 metres (locator KN29).
- UR - Special event station EM5UCC will be active on all bands and modes on 20-25 May for the 19th Conference of the Ukrainian Contest Club that will be held in Kiev. QSL via UY5ZZ. [TNX UY5ZZ]
- V3 - Terry, W6WTG (V31UR) and Sharon, N2OWL (V31WL) have postponed their July trip to Caye Caulker [425DXN 915]. New dates to be decided.
- VE - Dick/VE1AI, Frank/VE1FHW, Ella/VE1PEI, Scott/VE1QD, Gary/VE1RGB and Ken/VY2RU will be active from Brier Island (NA-127, CISA NS-011) on 22-25 May. [TNX VY2RU]
- VK9N - A group of operators from the Hellenic Amateur Radio Association of Australia will be active as VK9AAA from Norfolk Island (OC-005) on 22-29 July, IOTA Contest included. They plan to be active with multiple stations on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via W3HNK. Further information can be found at <http://vk9aaa.blogspot.com> [TNX NG3K]
- YB - YB7IM and others will be active as YE7M from Payung Payungan, Laut Kecil Islands (OC-268) on 22-24 May. They plan to operate SSB (7080, 14260, 18150, 21260 and 28360 kHz) and CW (7023, 14040, 18098, 21040 and 28040 kHz). QSL via YB7KNV.

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Steve, 9M6DXX (G4JVG) will operate as FK/G4JVG from Noumea (OC-032) from 22 May until 3 June, and as G4JVG/VK4 from North Stradbroke Island (OC-137) on 7-9 June. Both operations will be holiday style while celebrating his 25th wedding anniversary with Eva, 9M6EVA. Activity will be SSB only, using 100 watts to 'fishing rod' verticals on 40, 20, 17 and perhaps 15 metres. QSL both operations via M0URX, direct or bureau. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX 9M6DXX]

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CQ HALLS OF FAME ---> The CQ Amateur Radio Hall of Fame was established in January 2001 to recognize individuals - radio amateurs or not - who significantly affected the course of Amateur Radio, as well as radio amateurs who have made significant contributions either to amateur radio, to their professional careers or to some other aspect of life on our planet. This year's inductees are:

Bill Baker, W1BKR	Jack Kilby
Loy Barton	Alois Krischke, DJ0TR
Frank Bauer, KA3HDO	Walt Maxwell, W2DU
William Bridges, W6FA	Lt. Gen. Thomas Miller, K4IC (SK)
Fernando Fernandez Martin, EA8AK	Wilse Morgan, WX7P
George Floyd, WA4DGA (SK)	Ron Parise, WA4SIR (SK)
Eric Haseltine, AB3DI	Clay Whitehead, W6WW (SK)
Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH	

The CQ Contest Hall of Fame was established in 1986 to recognize Amateur Radio operators who have made major contributions to contesting. This year's inductee is the Rev. Paul Bittner, W0AIH.

The CQ DX Hall of Fame was established in 1967 to recognize major contributions by DXers. This year's inductees are Neville Cheadle, G3NUG and Tom Harrell, N4XP.

DXCC NEWS ---> The following operations have been approved for DXCC credit:  
J20SE Djibouti 2009 Operation  
A52DT Bhutan 2009 Operation

QSL 8P6DR ---> Richard, G3RWL says that all logs have now been recovered [425DXN 939] and all outstanding QSL requests have been answered.

QSL 9V1YC ---> The QSL route is via N5ID, but serious health problems have prevented Joe from responding to QSL requests for several months now. Randy Becnel, W5UE is "temporarily taking over answering Joe's backlog of requests", starting with direct cards for 9V1YC (bureau cards will follow as time allows). Once he has the blank cards, he will also answer N1YC/VK9X and 9V9HQ requests. [TNX Xthe Daily DX]

WRTC ---> Next year's World Radiosport Team Championship, to be held in Russia on 8-12 July, will be for the first time a Field Day style competition. The 50 teams will be scattered on a wide area in the open country to the south of Moscow. The website for the event is at <http://www.wrtc2010.ru>

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8MM, 3C0M, 3V8BB, 4K0CW, 4K9W, 4L1FP, 4L6QC, 4S7FMG, 4U1UN, 5H1DF, 5N0EVR, 5T5JA, 5U7JB, 5V7BR, 5W0DP, 5X1NH, 7Q7LA, 7Z1HL, 7Z1SJ, 8P5A, 8P9KA, 9J2CA, 9J2YO, 9K2/SP4R, 9L0W, A7/M0FGA, A71AN, A92GE, AH0BT, C31CT, CE1KR, CE8SFG, CM6RCR, CO6XN, CO8LY, CT3/DJ7RJ, D4C, DU3NXE, E51KAJ, E51QQQ, EK6TA, ER0WW, ER4DX, ES1QD, ET3JA, EU1UN, FG/K9NW, FH/G3SWH, FJ/G3TXF, FJ/SP7VC, FK/G3TXF, FK/JA1KAJ, FK/JK1FNL, FK8CP, FM/KL7WA, FM1HN, FP/VE7SV, FS/W3FF, FS/WW5L, FW5ZL, H40MS (OC-065), H44MS (OC-047), H7/K9NW, HC1MD, HC8N, HH4/AF4Z, HI3/N3SY, HI3A, HK0/EA7HEJ, HP3DX, HP3TA, HS0ZEE, HV5PUL, J28KO, J38JR, J6/W5JON, J88DR, J88XF, JA1XGI/VK9X, JD1BMH, JD1BMM, JT1CO, JT1DN, JW9VDA, JY4NE, K5D, KG4GY, KH2/JF2CRP, KH6/K9FD, KL7J, KL7Y, KP2/K3CT, LM9K75Y, N2OB/150, OA4O, OH0R, OM8A, OX/G3TXF, OX2A, OX5AA, OY9JD, P29VCX, P40K, P40TA, PJ2/N4QQ,



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- 5H - Win, DK9IP will be active as 5H2WK from Arusha, Tanzania from 28 May to 5 June. He will operate holiday style, with some activity being planned during the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX MM0NDX]
- 8Q - Giulio, IW3HVB will be active holiday style as 8Q7GP from the Maldives (AS-013) from 26 May to 4 June. He will be running 100 watts to a multiband vertical antenna, with planned SSB and PSK31 activity mainly on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IW3HVB]
- 9A - Neno/9A5AN and Tom/9A2AA will be active from several different IOCA islands in IOTA group EU-170 between 24 May and 13 June. On 24-29 May they will be joined by Livio/9A3KS, while on 5-13 June they will be joined by Tibor/HA3HP. [TNX 9A2AA]
- BY - Mee/BD4TQ, Meng/BD4TT (YL operator) and Dale/BA4TB, along with Rene/DL2JRM, will be active from Dayang Shan Island (AS-137) on 22-24 May. They plan to operate homecall/5 on all bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via home calls. [TNX BA4TB]
- EI - Robert/GI0NCA, Rudo/OM5FM and Vlado/OM7CA will be active as EI/homecall from Aranmore Island (EU-121) on 25-29 May, They plan to operate CW, RTTY and SSB on 80-10 metres from the local lighthouse (ARLHS IRE-02). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX OM7CA]
- F - Special callsign TM100C will be activated between 21 May and 4 June to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first flight of aviation pioneers Gaston and Rene Caudron. QSL via F1RR. [TNX F8REF]
- F - Once again (for the 58th year) the Association des Radioamateurs de la Sarthe will activate special event station TM6ACO for the 24 Hours of Le Mans. This year's operations will take place from 31 May to 14 June. QSL via F6KFI. Further information at <http://asso.proxiland.fr/aras72/> [TNX F5TJC]
- G - Members of the Southport & District Amateur Radio Club (<http://www.sadarc.org.uk>) will be operating special event station GB5B00 at the Best of Ormskirk Festival on 30 May. During the event they will raise money for MapAction (<http://www.mapaction.org/>), and they would appreciate as many contacts as possible to raise public awareness of this charity. [TNX G7LFC]
- H4 - Mike, KM9D (H44MY) and Jan, KF4TUG (H44TO) are now lying to anchor at Lever Harbour, New Georgia Island (OC-149) and "searching for an adequate operating location". QSL via OM2SA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HA - Laci, HA0HW will be active as SV8/HA0HW and J48HW from Thassos



Island (EU-174) from 28 May to 6 June, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. He will operate mainly CW, with some SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on various bands, with an emphasis on 40, 30, 20, 17 and 6 metres. QSL via HA0HW, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

- I - Nuccio, I0YKN reports he will be active as IY0GM until 20 July. The special callsign celebrates the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi. QSL via I0YKN.
- I - Mauri, IZ5OVP will be active as IA5/IZ5OVP from Elba Island (EU-028, IIA LI-001) on 24-25 May. QSL via home call. [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]
- I - Look for IK4GLV/4, IK4JPR/4, IK4RUX/4, IZ4CCO/4 and IZ4ISX/4 to be active from Scanno di Piallazza (EU-155, IIA FE-001) on 31 May and 1 June. They will operate CW and SSB on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IK4RUX]
- OH0 - Uwe/DL6NDK, Iris/DL6LI and Ralf/DL9GTI will be active from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 23-29 May. They plan to operate mainly CW on 80-2 metres, with some PSK31 by DL6LI. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX DXNL]
- OZ - Flemming, OZ5FM and Jakob, OZ7AEI will be active as homecall/p from the lighthouse of Vorupoere Mole Fyr (ARLHS DEN-235) on Vendsyssel-Thy Island (EU-171, DIA NJ-001) on 29 May. They plan to operate on 20 and 40 metres SSB starting around 19 UTC. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- PA - Special callsign PA08DWN will be aired on 30 May from Maassluis, near Rotterdam. Operations will take place from the radio shack of the "Elbe", a tugboat that is being restored to serve as a museumship. Expect CW only operations to take place between 8 and 15 UTC. QSL via PA3ALM. [TNX PA9HR]
- SV - Dick, PA3DEU will operate as SV8/PA3DEU from Alonissos Island (EU-072) from 25 May to 7 June. Look for him around the QRP frequencies, as he will be running 5 watts only. [TNX PA3DEU]
- TA - Karl, WA2KBZ is active as TA0/WA2KBZ from Buyukada, near Istanbul (not IOTA) until 17 June. QSL via home call. [TNX ARRL DX News]

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DX MEETING ---> Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, the sixth DX Meeting organized by the West Ligurian ARI Radio Clubs will take place in Sanremo on 20 June. The venue will be the historical Villa Nobel, where Alfred Nobel lived and died in 1896. Further information at <http://www.arisanremo.it/>

GEOPARKS WEEKEND ---> A number of stations will be active for the Geoparks Communication Weekend (23-24 May). Besides GB6GEO [425DXN 941], announced participating stations from Europe include CS8GEO (Portugal), DD0D, DK0GEO and DR9VARUS (Germany), EI2GEO (Ireland), GB1GEO (Scotland), GB2MAC (Northern Ireland), GB5GEO (Wales), YP2GEO (Romania). Geopark stations will operate around 3680, 7080, 14180, 21180 and 28480 kHz. The CS Silver Fox (YO2KAR) offers an award for working "geo-stations" between 23 May and 30 December. Please e-mail [cssilverfox@yahoo.com](mailto:cssilverfox@yahoo.com) for further information. [TNX G3VOF and N2YO]

QSL A71BU ---> This is the brand new callsign of Juma Al Kuwari (A71EM and A92GT), whose QSL manager is NI5DX. The cards for A71BU will need to be designed and ordered, so please allow 6-8 weeks before the first QSLs are sent out. Also please note that EA7FTR is still the QSL manager for either A71EM and A92GT. [TNX K1XN and The Golist]

WPX CONTEST CERTIFICATES ---> CQ WPX Contest Director Randy Thompson, K5ZD, announced on 17 May that all those who took part in the WPX Contest (SSB and CW) for 2007-08 can now download electronic versions of their participation certificates in PDF format. Please visit <http://www.cqwp.com/blog/> for further information.

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Walfried A. Sommer (DJ2UT/AK4UT), Alain Koch (F6ADQ), John N. Kirkham (KC4B), Stephen N. Wolf (KF3CV), Victor N. Glazunov (RW9CB), Sergey P. Ivanov (UA000), Alexander Letov (UT0ET) and Lynn A. Schriener (W5FO).

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3G1X	XQ1IDM	ER9V	ER1DA	OH0R	OH2PM
3Z11EQSLCC	SP2FAP	ES1WN	ES1AX	OL20FOC	OK1CZ
3Z65MC	SP5KCR	EV5SL	EW1BBA	OM800AB	OM3CAQ
4A5M	XE1AMF	EV6Z	DL8KAC	ON60ARSG	ON7KC
4L1FP	LZ1OT	EW5WFF	EW4DX	OZ5K	ON4AMM
5H1HP	DL2NUD	EX2F	RW6HS	PH55HD	PD2RKG
5H1MS	DL9MS	EY8MM	K1BV	PH60PH	PA7HPH
5N00CH	DL3OCH	F5REF	F5MJA	PR5W	PY5FB
5V7PM	DL9MBI	FM5FJ	KU9C	PT5J	PP5JAK
5Z4/RW1AU	K5XK	FM5WD	W3HNC	PX8XL	PY8MGB
7S6W	SM6WET	FM5WE	K4FJ	PY0FF	W9VA
8J7AIZ	JJ7RMS	GB10SP	GM4UYZ	R1ANB	RN1ON
8S0ITU	SM0EXP	GB1TAN	M3ZYZ	R1ANC	RN1ON
9H1MRL	9H1XE	GB2CT	M0XIG	R1AND	RU1ZC
9M2TO	JA0DMV	GB6MW	G4DFI	S21XR	DU1UGZ
9M6JC	NI5DX	H6VA	TI4SU	SE800M	SK6NL
A41MO	EA5KB	H7A	TI4SU	SM200PAX	SK2AT
A41MX	EB7DX	HF128GWS	SP9PDG	SN115MK	SP9KAJ
A61BK	NI5DX	HF59ED	SP2FAP	SN50RS	SP9ZHR
A61BK	NI5DX	HG09MDC	IK2VUC	SN90GHG	SP7PKI
A61E	EB7DX	HG3IPA	HA3JB	SX1MDC	IK2VUC
A61NA	UA6MF	HK1FGE	EA5KB	SX2CM	SV2GWY
A61Q	EA7FTR	HK4OBA	EA5KB	SX7D	SV7JAR
A61R	EA7FTR	HV0A	IK0FVC	SY2WT	SV2FPU
A6ITU	A62ER	HZ1MD	EA7FTR	TC098A	OK2GZ
AH0J	JA1NVF	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	TC1919ATA	TA6P or TA6U
BA4RF	EA7FTR	IF9E	IZ2GLU	TC2009UC	TA1HZ
BW6/VR2VYZ	XX9AH	II0CC	IW6DSM	TC2ATAM	TA1KB
C56YK	ON7YK	II0MDC	IK2VUC	TC3DEU	TA3BN
CN8KD	EA5XX	II2MDC	IK2VUC	TM1OF	F5KEQ
CN8YE	EA7FTR	II7PT/p	IK7MJA	TM5MDC	IK2VUC
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	II8MDC	IK2VUC	TM6RPC	F8KOT
CO8LY	EA7ADH	II8MM	IK8HJC	TM8RPC	F6KTN
CO8ZZ	DK1WI	IO5MDC	IK2VUC	UA0AV	W3HNC
CP4BT	EA5KB	IO9MDC	IK2VUC	UA0AZ	W3HNC
CQ5MGP	EA4URE	IR5MDC	IK2VUC	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
CQ5N	CT6ARL	IR9MDC	IK2VUC	UE1ASP	RV1AQ
CQ7MDC	IK2VUC	IU0MDC	IK2VUC	UE1CDX	RN1CW
CQ8CQK	CT1CQK	IU1MDC	IK2VUC	UE3SFF/4	RU3SD
CS5FAT	CT6ARL	IU2FV	IQ2MI	UN7QX	W7BO

CU3E	CU3CY	IU5MDC	IK2VUC	V21JI	K7JI
CX7CO	WB3CDX	IU8MDC	IK2VUC	V63DX	JA7HMZ
DU3NXX	W3HNC	IU9MDC	IK2VUC	VE1FO/p	VE1DHD
E709WRC	E77E	IY8GM	IK8WEJ	WP4NEG	EB7DX
E73T	9A2AJ	J48IS	DF3IS	XE2MX	K6VNX
EA6TS	EA6AZ	JW5LJA	LA5LJA	YE7M	YB7KNV
EE6ANR	EA6ZX	JW5NM	LA5NM	YI9KEE	OK1EE
EF5K	EA5KB	K7UGA	K7BHM	YS1/W3MKT	N1NK
EG1SPR	EA1URV	K8P	KG8P	YS1G	G3TXF
EK6LP	IK2DUW	KG4QH	KD5QHV	YV5MSG	IT9DAA
EL2AR	EL2BA	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	Z21BC	NI5DX
EM5UCC	UY5ZZ	N1R	AA4AK	ZF2XP	AI5P
ER3WFF	ER3GS	NL8F	K8NA	ZK2V	N3SL
ER5WU	W3HNC	OF5POPOV	OH5VX	ZW3F	PY3VK

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- 7X - Special event station 7U2ISM will be active from Djelfa, Algeria between 16 June and 6 July for the International Amateur Radio Meeting that will take place on 15-21 June. The event will be hosted by the Amateurs Radio Algeriens (the Algerian IARU society) and the Radio Club of Djelfa (7X2VFK). A multi-national group of operators will be active on 160-10 metres CW and SSB, with some activity on RTTY, SSTV and BPSK. QSL direct to 7X2DD. [TNX DB1JAW]
- 8Q - Nobby, G0VJG will be active as 8Q7CQ from the Maldives (AS-013) on 1-15 June. He will spend his honeymoon on Kuredu Island and he plans to operate holiday style on the HF bands SSB. He will also give 6m a try. QSL via G4DFI. [TNX NG3K]
- C6 - Mark/NA6M, Renee/N5RNA, Craig/W5TSN, Judy/KC5VVN and Scott/K2CK will be active as C6AMS from Nassau (NA-001) Bahamas on 1-14 June. They plan to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-10 metres with two or three stations. QSL via NA6M. Further information and log search at <http://www.c6ams.com/> [TNX The Daily DX]
- E5\_sc - Nigel, G4KIU has moved to Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands, where he holds the call E51SC. He plans to be active on 80-10 metres SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and some CW. QSL direct to Nigel Peacock, P.O. Box 880, Rarotonga, Cook Islands via New Zealand, or via G4KIU through the RSGB bureau. He will upload his logs to LoTW on a weekly basis. [TNX The Daily DX]
- EA - George, EC2ADN and Christian, EA3NT will be active as EG3FI from the Formigues (Hormigas) Islands (EU-078) on 6-7 June. QSL via EA3NT, direct or bureau.
- F - In June-July 1944 the BBC war correspondents used the tower of the castle at Creully as a radio studio, from where the first reports of the Battle of Normandy were broadcast. Look for special callsign TM5BBC to be aired again from Creully on 4-12 June. QSL via F2UW. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - Commemorating the 65th anniversary of the World War II "D-Day" landings in Normandy (6 June 1944), the following activities are expected to take place from France. The South Flanders DX Activity Group will operate as F/ON6JUN/P from Ranville on 3-8 June (QSL via ON5SD, direct or bureau. Henk/PA0HFT and Hans/PA0WYS will be active as F/PA65DDAY from Juno Beach, near Courseulles-sur-Mer on 5-8 June (QSL via PA0HFT, direct or bureau). Michel/F6IPS will operate as TM6SME from Emondeville, close to Sainte-Mere-Eglise on 5-14 June (QSL via F6IPS, direct or bureau). [TNX F5NQL]
- F - Pierre, F5AAR and Alain, F5OZC will be active as homecall/p from Yeu Island (EU-064) on 3-5 June. They will operate SSB and CW on 10-80 metres. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- F - Robert, F5HTR and Roger, F5LKW will be active as homecall/p from Riou Island (EU-095) on 8 June. They will operate QRP on +/- 7032 kHz. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- F - Jean-Marc, F5SGI will be active from Belle-Ile (EU-048, DIFM AT-015) on 19-31 July. He plans to operate CW on 80-6 metres, and to participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F5SGI]
- FS - John, K9EL will be active as FS/K9EL from French St. Martin (NA-105) on 4-12 June. It will be a family vacation and John plans to operate "whenever possible" on 10-80 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX K9EL]
- GM - Col, MM0NDX will be active as MM0NDX/p (QSL via M0URX) from Hirta, St. Kilda Islands (EU-059) on 24-27 July. He plans to operate

holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB, and to take part in the IOTA Contest as GM5A (QSL via GM4FDM). The website for the operation can be found at <http://eu059.wordpress.com/>

- I - Italian stations participating in the Museum Ships Weekend (6-7 June) include II3JD (QSL via IW3IE) from the submarine "Dandolo" at the Italian Navy Museum in Venice, and IY1SP (QSL via I1SAF) from the Italian Navy Museum in La Spezia. Also look for II2IGTO (submarine "Toti", QSL via IQ2MI) to be active for the IARU Region 1 Field Day over the same weekend. [TNX IT9MRM]
- ISO - Massimo, IOPNM will be active as IM0/IOPNM from San Pietro Island (EU-165) on 8-16 June. He plans to operate mainly PSK31 on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX IOPNM]
- JW - Jan/OK1JK, Jiri/OK1JST, Pavel/OK1IPS and Jiri/OK1IEC will be active as JW/homecall from Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard on 5-15 June. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via home calls. [TNX OK1JK]
- KL - The KL7RRC IOTA expedition to the Delarof Islands (NA-233, new one), originally scheduled in late July [425DXN 935], is now expected to take place around mid-June. The operators (Johnny, KE7V and Yuri, N3QQ) will reach Adak (NA-039) on 7 June and wait for the cargo ship "Coastal Merchant" to call at port (estimated time of arrival is 11 June). While on Adak they plan to concentrate on 6m operations towards North America and Japan, and to look for a charter boat. If they are able to find it, they plan to operate from Ogliuga Island on 14-19 June. Otherwise, if they have to catch a ride on the "Coastal Merchant", they will go and operate for only 24-36 hours from Gareloi Island between 12 and 14 June. QSL via UA9OBA (Russia and Europe) or N7RO (others). The website for the operation is at <http://www.na-233.ucoz.com/>
- OE - The Vienna International Centre Amateur Radio Club (4U1VIC) will operate two special event callsigns in the coming months. 4U1WED will be QRV in June to celebrate the World Environment Day, while 4U30VIC will be used in July-December to celebrate the International Centre's 30th anniversary. QSL via 4U1VIC. [TNX OE1ZKC/JH4RHF]
- OH0 - Marq, CT1BWW will be active as OH0/CT1BWW from the Aland Islands (EU-002) from 26 July to 6 August. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres. A side trip to Market Reef (EU-053) might take place on 1 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. The website is at <http://www.geocities.com/oh0ctlbww/> [TNX CT1BWW]
- OZ - Andy, DL4OK will be active as OZ/NX1S from Romo Island (EU-125) from 30 May to 6 June. He plans to operate holiday style running 100 watts into a vertical and dipoles. QSL via DL4OK, bureau preferred. [TNX DXNL]
- PA - Robert, DC2KN will be active as PA/DC2KN from Terschelling (EU-038) on 28-31 May. He plans to operate during his evening hours only. QSL cards will be sent automatically via GlobalQSL, but Robert would appreciate return cards. [TNX DC2KN]
- PA - Special event station PA6JEROEN will be active on 4-14 June from Noordwijk to celebrate the reopening to the public of the 800-year-old bell tower of St Jeroenskerk (St. George's Church). QSL via PA7DA, bureau preferred. [TNX K1XN]
- S9 - Georg, DK7LX will be active holiday style as S92LX from Sao Tome (AF-023) on 13-25 June. He will operate CW only on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau (Georg welcomes e-mail requests for bureau cards, see <http://www.qrz.com/db/s92lx>). A log search will be available at [www.logsearch.de](http://www.logsearch.de) [TNX DK7LX]
- SM - Bernd, DL8AAV will be active as SD1B/7 from Oland Island (EU-037) from 31 May to 12 June. He will operate SSB only on the HF bands. QSL via DL8AAV. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- SV - Special callsign SY2DDAY will be activated on 4-7 June to commemorate the 65th anniversary of the World War II "D-Day" landings in Normandy. QSL direct to SV2KBB.

- TA - Berkin, TA3J will be operate CW, SSB and digital modes as either TA3J/7 and TA7KI from the city of Erzincan until 2 June. QSL via TA3YJ. [TNX TA3YJ]
- TK - Silvia/EA1AP, Alberto/EA1SA, John/EA3GHZ, Alicia/EA5EWM, Raul/EA5KA and Paco/EA5RU will be active as TK9X from Corsica (EU-014) from 25 July to 1 August. They plan to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 10-160 metres. QSL via EA4URE, direct or bureau. The website for the operation is at <http://www.dxciting.com/tk9/> [TNX CT1BWW]
- UA - Nick/UA6MM, Konstantin/UA6LIC, Vlad/RV6LFH and Alex/RX6LG will be active as UE6LHP (QSL via UA6MM) and UE1RLH/6 (QSL via RA1QY) from Beglitskiy Lighthouse between 29 May and 7 June. Information on the awards sponsored by the Taganrog DX Expedition Club can be found at [www.ua6mm.narod.ru](http://www.ua6mm.narod.ru); details on the Russian Lighthouses Award can be found on the Russian Robinson Club's new website at <http://robinsons.ru> [TNX UA6MM and RA1QY]
- UA - Serge, RZ3AMW expects to be active as RZ3AMW/1 from Ryashkov Island (EU-162) from 15 June to 2 July. He plans to operate mainly CW on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX RZ3AMW]
- UR - Special callsign EM15DIG will be activated from 1 June until 31 July to celebrate the 15th anniversary of the Ukrainian branch of the Diplom Interessen Gruppe. QSL via UY5AA. Information on the relevant "UR-15-DIG" award can be found at [http://arc.sumy.net/taxonomy\\_menu/1/32](http://arc.sumy.net/taxonomy_menu/1/32) [TNX UY5AA]
- VE - The Westcoast Amateur Radio Association will be active as VE7IYOA from Victoria, British Columbia throughout June. Most activity is likely to concentrate during the weekends, including the ARRL Field Day on 27-28 June. The special callsign commemorates the International Year of Astronomy. QSL via VE7DAO.
- VE - Gregg, VE3ZZ and Noel, VE2BR will operate from VY2TT's station on Prince Edward Island (NA-029, CIsA PE-001) on 15-27 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as VY2Z (QSL to VE3ZZ), while outside the IOTA event they will be active as VE3ZZ/VY2 and VE2BR/VY2 (QSL via home calls, direct or bureau). [TNX VE3ZZ]
- VE - John, VE8EV will be active as VC8B from Sachs Harbour on Banks Island (NA-129) on 24-27 July, IOTA Contest included. He will operate SSB only, mostly on 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Bookmark <http://ve8ev.blogspot.com/search/label/IOTA> for updates.
- W - Al/WA4EWW, Bill/K5YG, Bob/WN2E, Bruce/N5SIX, Daniel/KE5KDM, Danny/N5OMG and Marshall/K5QE will be active as K5N from Burwood Island (USI LA-105S) on 29-31 May. They will be operating from rare grid EL58 with three stations, two on 6 metres and one on 80-10 metres. QSL via W5TFW. The web pages for the operation can be found at [http://www.kcvhfgridbandits.com/kc\\_vhf\\_grid\\_bandits\\_018.htm](http://www.kcvhfgridbandits.com/kc_vhf_grid_bandits_018.htm) [TNX QRZ-DX]

CQ WW WPX CW CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (30-31 May):

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL VIA
3G1C	SOAB LP	Chile	CE1KR
3V8SS	SOAB LP	Tunisia	IZ8CCW
3V9A	SOAB HP	Tunisia	YT1AD
4J0K		Azerbaijan	RW6HS
4K3K		Azerbaijan	RW6HS
4L0A	SOAB HP	Georgia	EA7FTR
4L8A	SOSB 20m	Georgia	K1BV
4M5IR	SOSB 80M	Venezuela	YV5KG
5B4AII	M/S	Cyprus	RW3RN
8P5A	SOAB HP	Barbados	NN1N
9A800VZ	M/?	Croatia	9A7A

AH0AA	SO LP	Mariana Isls	JR2SCJ
AH2Y	M/S	Guam	HL1IWD
AN8R	M/M	Canary Isls	EA8AY
C4I	M/?	Cyprus	LZ2HM
C4N	M/S	Cyprus	W3HNK
C6AKU	M/2	Bahamas	K5WW
CS9L	M/S	Madeira Isls	DJ6QT
CU2X	SO	Azores	OH2BH
E21EIC	SO LP	Thailand	E21EIC
E7DX	M/S	Bosnia & Herzegovina	E77E
EE2W	M/S	Spain	EB2BXL
EF8M	SOAB HP	Canary Is	UA3DX
EJ6DX	SOSB 40m	Ireland	RX3RC
G1A	SOAB HP	England	M0DXR
GJ3WW	SO LP	Jersey	G0DEZ
HC8N	SOAB	Galapagos Isls	W5UE
IO4T	SOAB	Italy	IZ4JMA
IR1Y	M/S	Italy	IK1YDB
IR9Y	M/S	Italy (Sicily)	IT9ABY
IU9T	SOAB	Italy (Sicily)	IT9GSF
J48HW		Greece	HA0HW
KP2B	SOAB LP	Virgin Isls	EA7FTR
LN3Z	M/S	Norway	LA9VDA
LR2F	M/S	Argentina	LU2FA
LS1D	M/S	Argentina	LW9EOC
LX7I	M/2	Luxembourg	LX2A
LY7A	M/M	Lithuania	LY2ZO
LZ8E	SOAB HP	Bulgaria	LZ2BE
LZ9W	M/M	Bulgaria	LZ1PM
NP2SH	M/2	US Virgin Isls	K9CS
OF200AD	SOSB 20m	Finland	OH5AD
OG50F	SO	Finland	OH1NOA
OG5M	SOSB 40M	Finland	OH5XT
OH0EC		Aland Isls	DL1EKC
OH0Z	M/S	Aland Isls	W0MM
OH8X	SO	Finland	OH2UA
OT5W	SOSB 40M	Belgium	ON4RU
PQ4F	SO	Brazil	PY4FQ
PR1T	M/S	Brazil	PY1ZV
PR5W	SOAB	Brazil	PY5FB
PT4C	SO	Brazil	PY4XX
RK3K	M/S	Russia (EU)	RK3QWW
RL4R	SOSB 40m	Russia (EU)	RW4PL
SD40JZ	SO	Sweden	SM5DJZ
SV9COL	SOAB LP	Crete	SV9COL
SY2WT		Greece	SV2FPU
TA3KZ	M/S	Turkey	TA3KZ
TA7KI	SOSB 20m	Turkey	TA3YJ
TC4X	SO	Turkey	OH2BH
TI5N	M/2	Costa Rica	W3HNK
TM6M	M/S	France	F6KHM
UU7J	M/?	Ukraine	UU0JM
UZ2M	M/S	Ukraine	US0LW
VC2A	M/S	Canada	VE3TA
VC6T		Canada	VE6SV
VC6X		Canada	VE6BF
VE3DZ/VP9	SOAB LP	Bermuda	VE3DZ
VK6AA	SOSB 40m	Australia	DL8YR
XU7XXX	SO LP	Cambodia	KC0W
YM3D	SOAB	Turkey	TA3D
YN2GY	SOAB LP	Nicaragua	K9GY
YP6C	SOAB	Romania	YO6VCB
ZM1A	M/2	New Zealand	ZL1AMO



ZW5B            M/M                    Brazil                    K3IRV  
Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxc2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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AUSTRALIAN SHIRES ---> Organized by the Oceania Amateur Radio DX Group, the Australian Shires Contest will be held on 6-7 June, from 6 UTC to 6 UTC, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB and CW. The objective is for amateurs around the world to contact as many VK shires as possible. Information on this event, as well as on the Worked All VK Shires Award, can be found at [www.vkshires.info](http://www.vkshires.info) [TNX K1XN and The Golist]

DXCC NEWS ---> 7Z1CQ, Saudi Arabia (current operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had this operation rejected in a DXCC application, send an e-mail to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to be placed on the list to have your account updated. [TNX NC1L]

EK6LP ---> Should you have any question about EK6LP's logs on LoTW, please refrain from emailing Aram and write to IK2DUW instead. Antonello is the QSL manager for Aram and takes care of the uploads to LoTW. [TNX IK2DUW]

MUSEUM SHIPS WEEKEND ---> Sponsored by the Battleship New Jersey Amateur Radio Station (NJ2BB), this year's Museum Ships Weekend will be held from 00.00 UTC on 6 June until 23.59 UTC on the 7th. Information on the event, including the relevant certificate and the listing of participating ships, can be found at <http://www.nj2bb.org/>

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Andy, SP6GVU says he is receiving many cards for contacts made with 9V1UV on FSK and BPSK. He is not and has never been the QSL manager 9V1UV, and has no idea where the wrong route may have originated from.

PORTUGAL ---> New regulations will become effective in Portugal on 1 June 2009. While existing licence categories (A, B, and C) are maintained, there will be three new licence classes (1, 2 and 3) for those who get licensed after 1 June. Current "ordinary" callsigns will be kept as they are, but special events (including contests) will be issued with callsigns from the new series. The new prefix allocations are as follows:

INDIVIDUAL STATIONS

Portugal    CT7, CS7, CR7 (depending on licence class)  
Azores      CT8, CS8, CR8 (depending on licence class)  
Madeira     CT9, CS9, CR9 (depending on licence class)

NON-PROPRIETARY STATIONS

Portugal    CQ0, CS5; CR0 (civil defence)  
Azores      CQ1, CS4; CR0 (civil defence)  
Madeira     CQ2, CS3; CR0 (civil defence)

SPECIAL EVENTS

Portugal    CQ7, CR5, CR6, CS2  
Azores      CQ8, CR1, CR2  
Madeira     CQ3, CQ9, CR3

Foreign amateurs who go and operate under a CEPT licence will have to use CT7/homecall from Portugal, CT8/homecall from the Azores and CT9/homecall from Madeira. CEPT "novice" licencees will have to use CS7/hc, CS8/hc and CS9/hc as appropriate. The new legislation can be found at <http://www.icp.pt/render.jsp?contentId=931324>

ZK2V ---> Chris, ZL1CT/GM3WOJ says he made 6100 QSOs in nine days "which is a bit disappointing". Conditions are poor - he made only one QSO on 160 metres and two QSOs on 80 metres, so he is concentrating on the higher bands. Openings to Europe are often short with weak signals, which is lowering the QSO rate, but signals from JA and the USA have been strong. Chris has got a special permit to operate on 60 metres, from 11 UTC on 1 June until 11 UTC on the 8th. He can transmit only on 5403.5 kHz (USB for USA, CW for rest of world), but will listen on 5371.5 or another channel. The website (www.zk2v.com) is updated nearly every day - there is an online logsearch and all QSOs are uploaded to LoTW every few days. QSL via N3SL, direct or bureau. [TNX ZK2V]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Roberto Tortora (IZ0GKN), Jan Kikkert (PA0IJM), Nikolaj N. Fedorov (UA3WFN) and John Bearsby (VK6JB).

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2OU, 3W9JR, 4K9W, 4L6DL, 4S7NE, 4U1UN, 4V4JR, 5N/LZ1QK, 5T5JA, 5U7JB, 6W/DL4JS, 6W1SE, 8Q7DV, 8Q7HN, 8Q7SC, 9A6M, 9L0W, 9L1DX, 9M2AX, 9U0A, A52DT, A61Q, BD7NWF, C31CT, CE9XX, CP6AA, CS2C, CW5W, CY9SS, DU3NXE, EK6LP, EK6TA, ER0WW, ES1QD, ES1WN, ES1WW, ET3AA, ET3JA, EX2A, FG/K9NW, FH/G3SWH, FJ5KH, FK/G3MXJ, FK/G3TXF, FO/N6JA, FS/W3FF, FS/WW5L, FT5YJ/P (AN-006), FW5ZL, H44MS (OC-047), H7/K9NW, HC1MD, HC8N, HH4/K4QD, HI3/LY3UM, HK0/EA7HEJ, HV0A, J28JA, J6/W5JON, J79XBI, J88DR, JD1BIE, JD1BLK, JD1BLY, JD1BMM, JT1DN, JT1R, JW/SM0MDG, JW5HE, K5D, K6PV (NA-066), KH0PR, KH7XS, KL7J, KL7Y, KP3Z, LA9SN/P (EU-056), LX/DL6WT, MDOCCE, MI0SRR, MU0FAL (EU-114), NP2SH, NP4Z, OD5NJ, OH9A (EU-173), OX2A, OZ/DO1BEN (EU-029), OZ1CTK, PJ5NA, RW0CN, S51CK, S79MV, SU1SK, SU9BN, SV5/OM5AW, SV9/DJ7RJ, SX8WT (EU-072), T27A, T27OU, T30XX, T31DX, T33ZZ, TR8IG, TS7C (AF-073), UA0SJ, V26ET, V26F, V31FB, V31WO, V63PR (OC-010), V63TR, V63ZM, VE2XAA/2, VE7ICH, VK0BP, VK4/G3TXF, VK9/G3TXF, VK9AA, VK9N/G3MXJ, VK9NS, VO2FF, VP2MVX, VP2V/K9NW, VP2V/SP3IPB, VP5/W5AO, VP5T, VP6TD, VP8/LZ1UQ, VP8DLM, VP8KF, VP8YLB, VP8YLH, VP9KF, VX8X (NA-192), W5ZZ/p (NA-168), XE1KK/XF1 (NA-124), XF3PAS (NA-090), XU7MDY, XW1B, YB0DPO, YB1BA, YJ0MXJ, YJ0TXF, YK1BA, YN2DD, Z29KM, ZB2FK, ZC4VJ, ZK2V, ZL7/SP8BQJ, ZL7T, ZS6BQI.

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- 7P - Alex, UX4UL (7P8A) and Ivan, UR9IDX (7P8R) are active from Lesotho until around 10-15 June. QSL 7P8A via UY5ZZ, QSL 7P8R via UR9IDX. [TNX]
- 7X - Mike, DB1JAW will be in Algeria on 13-20 June. He will be one of the operators at 7U2ISM [425DXN 943], but he will also operate as 7X/DB1JAW from Algerian Sahara. He plans to concentrate on 30, 17 and 12 metres BPSK31, with activity also on 40 metres (7070.15 for US stations) as well as some SSB on 10, 15, 17 and 20 metres. QSL direct only via home call. [TNX DB1JAW]
- 8Q - Tom, PF4T will be active as 8Q7TB from Embudu, Maldives (AS-013) on 8-24 June. He will operate SSB on 40 and 20 metres. QSL via home call (direct) or via PA0LEY (bureau). A log search will be available at <http://8q7tb.pf4t.nl> [TNX W1AW]
- CT - Nuno, CT2FPE will be active again as CT2FPE/p from Barreta Island (EU-145) on 13 June for the Portugal Day Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- DL - Look for Gerd, DK8NT/p and Horst, DL8NBM/p to be active from Helgoland-Duene (EU-127, N-15 for the German Islands Award) on 11-17 June. They plan to operate mainly CW, with some SSB and PSK, running 100 watts into simple wire antennas: a triple leg for 30m and up, a 40/80m double dipole for Europe, and a 40m (and maybe 80m) vertical for DX. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX DK8NT]
- H4 - Mike, KM9D (H44MY) and Jan, KF4TUG (H44TO) are now active from Stirling Island (OC-162), Solomon Islands. They expect to remain there for about ten days. QSL via OM2SA. [TNX The Daily DX] HK0\_sa - 5J0BV (not 5J0M, as previously announced) will be the callsign to be used by Dennis, K7BV from San Andres (NA-033). The new dates are 18-29 June, and the new QSL route is via K7BV (direct). Dennis will concentrate on 6 metres, but he may also be QRV on the HF bands. Further information at <http://www.qth.com/k7bv/caribe2009> [TNX K7BV]
- I - Alfredo, IK7JWX reports he will be active on the HF bands and 6 metres as IY7NGM until 31 December. The special callsign celebrates the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi. QSL via IK7JWX.
- I - Special event station II0IASM will be active on the HF bands CW and SSB from Civitavecchia (Rome) on 9-10 June to celebrate the first hoisting of the naval ensign on aircraft carrier "Cavour". QSL via IK8XVA, direct or bureau. [TNX IT9MRM]
- PY - PR2R is the new callsign that will be used on 11-14 June from Ilha da Moela (SA-071) [425DXN 939]. Announced frequencies are 3505,

7005, 14025, 21025, 24895, 28025, 50115 and 144110 kHz (CW); 3799, 7065, 14195, 21295, 24945, 28495, 50115 and 144210 kHz (SSB). QSL via PY2OP, direct or bureau. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.apre.com.br/moela>

- SP - Celebrating the Golden Jubilee of the SP DX Club, special event station SP50DXC is active on all bands and modes until 30 June. The operators are SP7ASZ, SP7CVW, SP7IIT, SP7LFT and SP7TF. SP50DXC will be active again at the end of September during the annual meeting of the SP DX Club. QSL via SP7DQR. All QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX SP5UAF]
- SP - Radio Club SP8YZZ is planning a number of special event operations from Polish National Parks under the callsign 3Z8WFF. The first activity will take place from the Bieszczadzki Park Narodowy on 11-14 June, including participation in the WFF Green Days event (see below). The operators will be Wilhelm, SP8AJC and Henryk, SP9JPA. QSL via SP8AJC, direct or bureau. [TNX SP9JPA]
- SV5 - Teo, SV1GRM will be active as SX5LA from Levitha Island, Dodecanese (EU-001) on 8-14 June. Look for activity on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres CW and SSB. QSL via SV1GRM. [TNX SV1GRM]
- UR - Special callsign EM0WFF will be used by members of Radio Club UR4WWE from Roztochchia Nature Reserve on 12-14 June, including participation in the WFF Green Days event. QSL via UT7WZ, direct or bureau. Information on the "W-UR-FF" Award can be found at [http://www.islands.org.ua/wurff/index\\_e.html](http://www.islands.org.ua/wurff/index_e.html) [TNX UT7WZ]
- VP2M - John, KB4CRT will be active as VP2MRT from Montserrat (NA-103) on 11-21 June. He plans to operate CW, SSB and maybe PSK and to participate in the ARRL VHF Contest (13-14 June). QSL via KB4CRT. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP9 - Alex, W5YDX will be active holiday style as VP9/W5YDX from Bermuda (NA-005) on 10-24 June. He expects to operate mainly on 20 and 17 metres SSB. QSL via home call (direct only). [TNX W5YDX]
- VP9 - Doug, KF4VTT will be active as VP9/KF4VTT from Bermuda on 11-17 June. He will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 160-6 metres. QSL via home call (direct or bureau) and LoTW. [TNX KF4VTT]
- W - Rick, N5EYT will be active from Hatteras Island (NA-067) on 7-15 June. He will be operating only PSK31 on 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, plus LoTW. [TNX N5EYT]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (May 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

ANTARCTICA ---> A nice collection of images for a large number of Antarctic bases, including those where F5PFP and ON7ZM operated from in February-March (FT5YJ, VP8DLM and CE9XX), can be found at <http://www.french-polar-team.fr/> (click on "Antarctic Challenge" and then on "Antarctic stations, huts & refuges". [TNX F5PFP]

CORSICA ---> Maurice, F5NQL reminds all foreign amateur radio operators heading to Corsica that (a) the use of 6 metres is strictly forbidden over there and (b) the 7100-7200 extension on 40m has not been granted so far.

DXCC NEWS ---> HZ1EA (Saudi Arabia) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you have had this operation rejected in a recent submission, please send a note to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to be placed on the list for an update. Also, once completed,

if you have an account in LoTW, the update will be posted to your account.  
[TNX NC1L]

K5D QSL STATUS ---> Bob Schenck, N200 and his team have finished OQRS requests received through about 4 May. OQRS QSL processing will be resumed shortly, and the system continues to be available for QSL requests. The team is now focusing on the direct mail in the same order as the mail was received. Bob continues to do the log processing after which the QSLs will be mailed gradually by members of his QSL processing team. As of 2 June they have confirmed 26,353 QSOs, and "it will surely be a few months before we can become current".

The first large batch on CONFIRMED QSOs ONLY will be uploaded to LoTW within the next week: "by only uploading confirmed QSOs (in batches)", Bob says, "we think that this is a fair compromise that is a win/win for everyone involved". The balance of the full log will be uploaded in early 2010.

For the time being, please do not contact the QSL manager about QSL issues, but visit [www.k5d.us](http://www.k5d.us) for current QSL status. Bob will be happy to address any concerned "when things calm down". [TNX N200]

LOGS ---> A log search for the 23-30 May TM0M activity from Molene Island (EU-065) can be found at <http://users.belgacom.net/cdxg/> [TNX ON4ZD]

PHOTO GALLERY ---> The Dayton Hamvention 2009 Photo Gallery (292 pictures collected by Tom, K8CX) can be found at <http://hamgallery.com/dayton2009/> [TNX K8CX]

PORTUGAL DAY CONTEST ---> Sponsored by the Rede dos Emissores Portugueses (REP), this 24-hour event will be held on 13 June on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB and CW. Details can be found on the REP's web site at <http://rep.pt/geeklog/article.php?story=20090203150742367> [TNX CT1END]

QSL VIA W5UE ---> Randy Becnel, W5UE [425DXN 941] is the new QSL manager for 9V1YC, 9V9HQ and N1YC/VK9X. After many years of excellent service as James' QSL manager, Joe/N5ID is handing over duties to Randy in order to recuperate after an extended illness in hospital. W5UE has all the logs, blank cards and pending QSL requests for all James' callsigns, so feel free to check his website (<http://w5ue.net/qs1-w5ue.html>) for periodic updates and status of QSL requests.

Randy will also honour any requests that may be needed in the future for the following old calls held by James: 9V0YC, 9V8YC, KB1CM/VR2, KB1CM/VS6, KB1CM/ZS, KH8/KB1CM, VR2/KB1CM and VS6/KB1CM. However, all of these logs are on paper only and will require extra processing time, and Randy will probably have to manually print cards as well. [TNX W5UE]

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

VK4FRAJ ---> This is neither a pirate, nor 'a commercial station', but properly licensed Raj DeYoung, the 14-year-old son of Eddie DeYoung, VK4AN. "There is still much reluctance and confusion amongst contesters regarding VK 4-letter suffix calls", Eddie says. "My son is probably the only VK with a 4-letter suffix that operates on CW, and is VERY frustrated when contesters keep asking if his call is 2-letters or 3-letters". Australian four-letter suffix callsigns have been issued to Foundation Licence holders since 2005. They can only use commercially manufactured equipment and are allowed to operate SSB, AM, FM or "hand keyed" CW on 80, 40, 15, 10 and 2 metres, plus 430-450 MHz, with power restrictions. All Foundation class suffixes begin with an "F" plus three more letters. [TNX W1AW]

WFF GREEN DAYS ---> More than 50 stations from various countries are expected to take part in "Green Days" event organized by the World Flora Fauna programme, which will be held from 00.00 UTC on 13 June through 23.59 UTC on the 14th. Complete information can be found at <http://wff44.com/en/contest/> [TNX RW3GW/3]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8FQ	K5XK	EV1R	EU1PA	R210ASP	RU3HD
3V8SS	IZ8CCW	EW6AF	DL8KAC	R4/UT5UDX	UT2UB
3V9A	YT1AD	F/ON6JUN/P	ON5SD	RA9A	UA9APA
3W3W	OK1DOT	F/PA65DDAY	PA0HFT	RC3W	RW3WWW
3Z0DAL	SP7PGK	FK/G4JVG	M0URX	RC9O	UA9PC
3Z28FPH	SP5ZGO	FR1AN	NI5DX	RG6G	RW6HX
3Z80BEM	SP9ZBC	G1A	M0DXR	RG9A	UA9XC
4J9M	DL7EDH	G6PZ	GM4FDM	RK3K	RK3QWW
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4O2D	YU2DRA	HC2SL	EA5KB	S21RC	EB7DX
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7P8A	UY5ZZ	HK1NK	EA5KB	SV0XBM/9	W3HNK
7P8R	UR9IDX	HK1X	EA7FTR	SX9JZ	N7RO
8P5A	NN1N	HQ2R	UA3AGW	SY2DDAY	SV2KBB
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9J2BO	G3TEV	IU9T	IT9GSF	TM2RPC	F6BDM
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CS9L	DJ6QT	M7A	M0NRC	XE50C	XE1J
CU2KG	OH2BH	MM2R	GM3YOR	XU7XXX	KC0W
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CU2X	OH2BH	OA4SS	KB6J	YI9MIX	N9MIX
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DQ4W	DK9TN	OG5M	OH5XT	YM3D	TA3D
DR09ANT	DL5MHQ	OG6A	OH6QU	YN2GY	K9GY
DR09NRW	DK4DS	OG6N	OH6NIO	YN2N	TI2OHL
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DR800GRZ	DL1ARJ	OK4N	OK1DNJ	YP6C	YO6VCB
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E7DX	E77E	OL0W	OK1DSZ	YR1C	YO4NA
EE2W	EB2BXL	OL1A	OK1DF	YR8A	YO8AXP
EF3A	EA3KU	OL25LP	OK2FB	YR8V	YO8CT
EF7R	EA7AJR	OL3Z	OK1HMP	YR9P	YO9HP
EF8M	UA3DX	OL7C	OK1KVK	YW4D	EA7JX
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EN50KSR	UT1KY	PD37SEAL	PD2GCM	ZM3A	ZL3WW
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- 5H - 5H3TSA will be active on 20 and 15 metres (+/- 14290 kHz and 21360 kHz) for Tanzaree 2009, the Tanzania National Scouts jamboree that will be held at Mbeya, southern Tanzania on 12-19 June. QSL direct via 5H3HO (Hidan Ricco, P.O. Box 661945, Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania). [TNX K1XN]
- 7X - Bureaucratic hitches have caused Mike, DB1JAW to cancel his 13-20 June visit to Algeria [425DXN 944]. He was expected to be active as 7X/DB1JAW and to attend the International Sahara Meeting. [TNX DB1JAW]
- 8R - Dave/N3DB & Chris/W3CMP as 8R1DB (from 16 to 26 June) and Terry/K4RX & Ken/AC4TO as 8R1TO (from 27 June to 6 July) will operate on 6 metres from Guyana. QSL via N3DB, direct or bureau. The website for the expedition is at [www.6meterbeaconproject.org/8r2009.html](http://www.6meterbeaconproject.org/8r2009.html)
- 9H - Giorgio, IV3EPO will be active holiday style as 9H3EP from Malta (EU-023) on 23-29 June. He plans to operate almost exclusively CW on 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IV3EPO]
- CE0Y - VK9LA (Lord Howe island) veterans Stan/SQ8X and Vicky/SV2KBS are looking for one or two operators to join a DXpedition to Easter Island (SA-001) from 31 October to 15 November. "It's not top most wanted DXCC", they say, "but there is still a strong demand on contacts with that entity - especially in Europe, which will be our main target". They plan to have two stations up and running for almost two weeks and to operate as CE0Y/homecall. Further details are expected in due course. Please visit <http://dx-hamspirit.com/> for preliminary information and Stan's e-mail address. [TNX MM0NDX]
- DU - Gerard, F2JD is back to the Philippines for at least five months. He hopes to be able to renew his previous licence (DU1/G0SHN) and to visit a few island groups during his stay. QSL via F6AJA. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- F - Special event callsign TM6SCH will be in use on 15-28 June to commemorate the 65th anniversary of the liberation of the city of Cherbourg. Expect activity on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via F5LHB, direct or bureau. [TNX F8REF]
- F - Francois, F5JNE will be active from Belle Ile (EU-048, DIFM AT-015) on 16-24 June. He plans to operate CW only on 40 and 20 metres during his evening hours. On 20 June he expects to go and operate, along with Max/F5IRH, from nearby Ile aux Chevaux (EU-048, DIFM AT-109). QSL via F5JNE, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - F1UGV, F4BJW, F5DBC, F5NLR and F5SRH will operate CW and SSB as

- TM5DUM from Dumet Island (EU-064) on 20-21 June. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX F8REF]
- F - Jean-Pierre, F6ITD will be active as F6ITD/p from Belle-Ile (EU-048) on 20-28 June. He will operate SSB only on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- F - Commemorating the 150th anniversary of the birth of radioactivity pioneer and Nobel laureate Pierre Curie, special event station TM7RPC will be active from 21 June to 5 July. [TNX F1SIU]
- FO - Phil, F5PHW will be living and working on Tahiti, French Polynesia for two years (August 2009-July 2011). He plans to be active as FO/F5PHW (but he will also try to get a FO5 callsign upon arrival) and to operate CW, RTTY and some SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via F8BPN, direct or bureau. Phil's logs will be uploaded to LoTW. Further information at <http://f5phw.chez.com> [TNX F5PHW]
- FT5G - The French military amateur radio operators who will be active from Ile de la Grande Glorieuse (AF-011) on 9-28 July are Philippe/F4EGS, Freddy/F5IRO, Yves-Michel/F5PRU, Jean-Marc/F5RQQ and Sylvain/F5TLN. Their trip to Glorioso is first of all a military operation, not a DXpedition. At all events, they will have four complete stations with amplifiers, three Spiderbeams for the higher bands, verticals for 40 and 80 metres, an Inverted L for 160 metres and a K9AY array receiving system, plus a G5RV for 6 metres. They plan to be QRV during both the IARU HF World Championship and the IOTA Contest. Requested callsign is FT5GA (see "Iles Eparses" below). QSL via F5OGL, direct or bureau. Further information, including log-search, can be found at <http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/> [TNX F5NQL]
- GM - JuriJ, MM0DFV and John, GM0WRR will be active portable from the Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park during the WFF Green Days (<http://wff44.com/en/contest/>) on 13-14 June. They plan to operate SSB, CW and PSK. A special colourful QSL card will be printed. [TNX MM0DFV]
- GM - Members of the Workington and District Amateur Radio Club will operate as MS0WRC from the Island of Barra (EU-010) from 26 September to 2 October. The team will include Steve/G0MTD, Paul/M1PAF, Mark/M0WCR and Glyn/M3XUH, and they will operate mainly SSB on 80-17 metres. QSL via G0MTD, direct or bureau. [TNX G0MTD]
- GW - The Grantham Amateur Radio Club (<http://www.garc.org.uk/>) will be active as GB0YG from Holy Island (Ynys Gybi, EU-124) on 24-29 June. QSL direct only via G0RCI. [TNX G0RCI]
- I - Alex, IK8YFU, and Giovanna, IZ8FEV will be active as IF9/IQ8PP from Favignana Island (EU-054, IIA TP-011) on 18-25 July. QSL via IK8YFU. [TNX IK8YFU]
- JA - Look for 7N4AGB/6, JA1KJW/6, JA1XEQ/6, JJ1JGI/6 and JK1EBA/6 to be active from the Daito Islands (AS-047) from 25 June to 5 July, and from Tokashiki Island (AS-017) on 7-10 July. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres, with an emphasis on the low bands. QSL via home call,s direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for JJ2JQF/0 and JH9UYZ/0 to be active on all bands and modes from Awa Island (AS-117) on 26-30 June. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JT - Giampiero, I5NOC will be active as JT1NOC from Mongolia on 12-29 June. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres, and will also give 6m a try. QSL via home call. [TNX IK5HHA]
- KH2 - 7L4CEC, JA1BVY, JA1CJP, JA1HOD, JH1EMT, JJ1CDY, JL1FYW and JR1QCQ expect to be signing KH2/homecall from Guam (OC-026) until 14 June. Look for them on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and possibly RTTY. QSL via home calls. [TNX JA1CJP]
- KL - The KL7RRC team (KE7V, N3QQ and UA9OBA) has been active as KL7RRC/p from Ogliuga Island (NA-233) [425DXN 943] since 10 June. They plan to remain there until 14 June, then, depending on boat availability, they might go and operate as KL7RRC/a from the Rat

- Islands (NA-070). QSL via UA9OBA (Russia and Europe) and N7RO (others). Updates can be found at <http://na-233.ucoz.com/>
- LA - LA1MNA, LA1LSA, LA5ZN and LA9RY will be active on 6 metres and the HF bands as LA7H from Utsira Island (EU-055) on 12-14 June. QSL to LA7H, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rgsbiota.org](http://www.rgsbiota.org)]
- PA - Celebrating his Silver Jubilee with amateur radio, Adriaan, PE2KP (previous callsign PE1KHP, [www.pe2kp.nl](http://www.pe2kp.nl)) will be active again as PE25KP from 25 July to 16 August. QSL via bureau to PE2KP. [TNX PE2KP]
- SM - Jorgen, SM3CXS will be active as SG3U from Trasko Island (EU-084) until 16 June and from Grimskar Island (EU-176) on 18-21 June. He operates SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- SV - Elizabeth/K4KTG, Michael/KC6ZUS and Jonathan/KI4UOU will be active as SV/K4KTG from Thira (Santorini) Island (EU-067) between 15 June and 30 July. QSL via K4KTG. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- SV5 - Pandelis (SV5AZP), Stathis (SV5DKL), Dionisis (SV5FRD), Panagiotis (SV5AZK) and Yiannis (SV5FRI) will be active as SX5SYMI from the island of Symi, Dodecanese (EU-001) from 31 July to 3 August. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL direct to SV5FRI. Further information at <http://sx5syymi.symiakos.gr>; details on the Greek Islands On The Air (GIOTA) award programme visit <http://www.5-9report.gr/giota/index.htm> [TNX SV5FRI]
- SV9 - Ron, WB2GAI is celebrating his Golden Jubilee in amateur radio and will be active again as SV9/WB2GAI/p from Crete from 21 August to 5 October. He will operate CW on 80-17 metres. QSL via bureau. [TNX WB2GAI]
- TZ - Ed/W0SD, Arliss/W7XU and Holly/N0QJM will be active as TZ6EI from Bamako, Mali from 26 June to 5 July [425DXN 941]. Although their primary focus will be 6 metres on 50103 kHz, there will be RTTY operation concurrent with activity on 6m, plus CW and SSB operation at night after six meter sporadic E is over. The HF bands will likely to be limited to 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via W7XU. Further information at <http://w0sd.com/mali/mali.htm> [TNX W0SD]
- UA - Look for RN1AW/p, RV1AQ/p and UA1ATI/p to be active from Peschany Island (EU-133, RR-01-14) on 15-23 June. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX RN1AW]
- UA - Alik, RX9WN will be active as RX9WN/0 from Kharantsy Island (RR-21-12) and possibly also Olkhon Island (RR-21-01) between 19 and 21 June. Both the islands are located in Lake Baikal and do not count for IOTA. [TNX RX9WN]
- UR - Members of the Ternopil Amateur Radio Club will be active as UR4BZB/p from Medobry Nature Reserve on 12-14 June. QSL via UT1BC. [TNX UR5BCP]
- UR - Vladimir, UU6JJ plans to be active from the lighthouse at Mys Lukull (ARLHS UKR-135) on 13-14 June. He will operate CW and some SSB on 40-15 metres. Complete information on the Ukrainian Lighthouses Award can be found at <http://www.lights.in.ua> [TNX US4LGW]
- VE - Rene, DL2JRM was active as VE1/DL2JRM from Bells Island (NA-081) a couple of days ago, and will operate again as VE1/DL2JRM from Long Island (NA-127) on 13-15 June. Look for him on 80-10 metres CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- VE - George, WW4GA will be active as WW4GA/VO1 from Newfoundland (NA-027) from 18 June to 9 July. QSL direct to home call. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- VE - Mike, K9AJ and Bruce, KD6WW will be active as K9AJ/VY0 and KD6WW/VY0 from Thomson Island (NA-185) from the local evening on 31 July through the local morning of 3 August. They will have two stations and will operate CW and SSB around the usual IOTA frequencies. QSL via home calls. The NA-185 IOTA group is offshore Rankin Inlet, Nunavut, on the western shore of Hudson Bay and was

- activated only once by NU2L/VE8 back in 1993. [TNX K9AJ]
- YU - Special prefixes YU2009, YT2009, YU09, YT09, YT25 and YU25 will be in use from 12 June to 12 July to promote the XXV Summer Universiade (the World University Games organized by the International University Sports Federation) that will be held in Belgrade, Serbia on 1-12 July. [TNX [www.yulsrs.org.rs](http://www.yulsrs.org.rs)]
- YV - The Radio Club Venezolano will be active as YW9A from the rare Amazonas State on 20-24 June. QSL via YV5AJ, direct or bureau. Information on the Diploma Estados Venezolanos (Venezuelan States Award) can be found at <http://radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm>

PACIFIC TOUR 2009 ---> Karl-Heinz, DL2FAG will be active from Niue and Samoa in October and November as follows:

19/10-07/11 ZK2DL Niue Island (OC-040)

17/11-30/11 5W0KH Upolu Island, Samoa (OC-097)

He plans to operate mainly RTTY, PSK and SSB on 10-80 metres, using a Triple leg multiband and dipoles. After Niue and before Samoa he will be visiting New Zealand's South Island (OC-134) and be active sporadically as ZL4/DL2FAG. QSLs via home call. Log searches will be available at [www.qsl.net/dl2fag](http://www.qsl.net/dl2fag).

PACIFIC TOUR 2010 ---> Wallis Island has been added to the itinerary of the 22-day Pacific tour that is being organized to take place next year [425DXN 929]. A multi-national team of 14 operators led by Hrane, YT1AD will be active from Tokelau (ZK3, 30 September-3 October), Central Kiribati (T31, 5- 10 October) and Wallis Island (FW, 12-14 October). Details are expected in due course. Updates will be posted to the expedition's website at <http://www.yt1ad.info/t31/index.html> [TNX YT3W]

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CQ SIXTY METRES ---> Sixty metres enthusiasts can find lots of useful information at <http://www.60meters.net/>, including information on current and upcoming DX activities on 5 MHz gathered by Joe, W8GEX.

ILES EPARSEES ---> Previously placed under the administration of the prefect of Reunion, the so-called Iles Eparses (Scattered Islands, including Europa, Juan de Nova, Glorioso and Tromelin) have been administered by the French Southern and Antarctic Lands (TAAF) since 3 January 2005 and have constituted the TAAF 5th district since 21 February 2007. Amateur radio callsigns will be affected by the change as follows: Europa = FT#E, Glorioso = FT#G, Juan de Nova = FT#J, Tromelin = FT#T.

QSL 9J2FR & 9J2AA ---> Claudio, IK2RZQ says he still has logs and blank cards for either Renzo/9J2FR and Rosa Angela/9J2AA. Requests can be sent direct or via the bureau.

QSL HV50VR ---> Please note that the new QSL route is via IV3KKW: the person in charge is still Alessandro Carletti (formerly known as IW0GPN), who received his brand new callsign a few days ago. QSL direct only or LoTW. Alex says that all of the requests received so far have been processed and mailed.

SOUTH AFRICA ---> Effective 10 June, amateur radio operators from South Africa have full access to the 40m band (7000-7200 kHz), and ZR licences are allowed to operate on 14225-14350 kHz. [TNX ZS4BS]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Ted Collins

+ (G4UPS),  
Pietro Piccolo (I3UAZ), Anthony W. Malesic (K3BHL), Larry Duncan (K4WLS),  
Manoel Santos (PY2CJW), Jurij A. Golovanov (RA2FW), Vadim V. Kononov  
(U3HB), George Sanford Ardern (W4DUP), Edwin A. Address (W6KUT) and Russell A.  
Baird (ZL4DJ).

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3B8GT, 3D2AD, 3D2VB, 3DA0VB,  
3XD2Z, 4K9W, 4O3A, 4S7DA, 4U1UN, 4V4JR, 5H1X, 5H3RK, 5H3VMB, 5K0T (NA-132 and  
NA-133), 5R8VB, 5Z4/RW1AU, 7Q7VB, 7X0RY, 8Q7SC, 9J2FM, 9J2VB, 9K2YM, 9U0VB,  
9X0BV, A35VB, A61Q, A71MA, A92GR, BG4TRF, BH4QAK, C91FC, C91VB, CU3AD,  
CW6V, CX7CO, D20VB, D2BB, D44TXI, D60VB, DV5PO, E44M, E51MMM, E71DX, EA9CF,  
EA9PY, EL2AR, ES1CW, EU3AR, EW8KY, FK/G3MXJ, FM5BH, FW5RE, GJ0KYZ, H40FN,  
HC2AQ, HI9/EA3BT, HI9/EA3WL, HK0/EA7HEJ, HK1X, HL3IUA, HP1AC, HV0A, HV50VR,  
J75KG, JD1BMH, JT1DN, JW1CCA, JW5LJA, K5D, KG4AS, KH0PR, KH0UA, KH6BB,  
KH8/N9YU, KP2/K3TEJ, KP4KE, KP4YI, L21D (SA-021), LX1FX, LX8RTTY, LX9SW,  
OA4TT, OK1TN, OM7M, PS0F, PY0FF, R1ANB, R1ANC, R1ANP, S04R, T30M, T30VB,  
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- 40 - Boris, 9A2JY will be active as 40/9A2JY from Montenegro on 20-28 June. Expect him to operate holiday style on 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 8Q - Vlad, RA9LR will be active as 8Q7LR from the Maldives (AS-013) from 21 June to 2 July. He plans to operate almost exclusively digital, with some SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL via UA9LP, direct or bureau. [TNX UA9LP]
- 9A - Jernej, S59KM will be active as 9A/S59KM from Ugljan Island (EU-170) from 25 June to 2 July. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 and 2 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX S59KM]
- A3 - Bob, A35RK will remain on Vava'u (OC-064) until 27 June and will move permanently on the island on 1 December. His licence address has been officially changed and effective from 18 June all QSOs with A35RK will be from Vava'u (no longer from Ha'apai, OC-169). QSL via W7TSQ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- G - Special event station GB2RI will be active on 21-24 June from the National Exhibition Centre in Birmingham, England for the 100th Rotary International Convention. The station will operate on 80-10 metres from 7 to 17 UTC daily. QSL via G3LUW, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ0FKE+]
- I - Matteo, IV3YNB will be active holiday style as IV3YNB/p from Grado Island (EU-130, IIA GO-001) from 27 June to 11 July. He will operate CW and BPSK31 QRP. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IV3YNB]
- ISO - A group of operators from the Sardinia QRP Club will be active as IQ0QP/p from the lighthouse at Capo Bellavista on mainland Sardinia (EU-024) from about 18 UTC on 27 June until about 16 UTC on the 28th. They will operate SSB and CW on +/- 7021, 7031, 7091, 10105.5, 10115.5, 14031, 14061 and 14321 kHz. QSL direct (see qrz.com). [TNX IS0VSU]
- OE - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Vienna Technological Museum (<http://www.tmw.at/>), special event station OE100TMW will be activated on 17-21 June for 100 hours continuously. QSL via OE1XIC, bureau preferred. [TNX OE8KDK]
- PY - PT2TJ and PT2OP plan to operate from Sao Joao lighthouse on Maiau Island (SA-041) on 3-8 July (requested callsign PX8M) and from Aracagi lighthouse on Sao Luis Island (SA-016) on 8-11 July (requested callsign ZX8A). [TNX PT7WA]
- SV - Antonios, SV2FLQ will be active as SY20 on 27-29 June. This special Greek callsign is for the Olympus Marathon (<http://www.olympus-marathon.com>), the trail running event held annually on Mount Olympus. QSL via SV2FLQ (direct only).
- T7 - Vittorio/I4YSS, Filippo/IK4ZHH, Stefano/IW2MJQ, Giorgio/IZ4AKS and Max/IZ4DPV will participate in the IARU Region-1 50Mhz Contest (20-21 June) as T70A from the radio club of San Marino's IARU Society (<http://www.arrsm.org/>). They will use three antennas beaming different directions. QSL to T70A. [TNX IZ4AKS]
- V2 - Jimmy, W6JKV will be active as V29JKV from Antigua (NA-100) from 24 June to 3 July. He will concentrate on 6 metres, but he will also operate on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- W - Bill/WD2E, Sofia/AI4KQ and Paul/AA2C will be active as WD2E/4 from

the Dry Tortugas Islands (NA-079) from 24 June to 1 July. QSL via WD2E, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

W - Mark, KO1U will be active as KO1U/p from Cousins Island (NA-137) on 25 June. He will have verticals for 80-10 metres, and a 3-element for 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

YV - The 20-24 June YW9A activity from Amazonas State [425DXN 945] has been postponed to 23-27 July. QSL via YV5AJ. [TNX The Daily DX]

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QSL 4U ---> Get your missing QSLs for QSOs with 4U stations (4U1UN, 4U60UN, 4U50SPACE, 4U1ITU, 4U1WRC) at the Swiss DX Foundation's booth at Hamradio 2009 (Friedrichshafen) on 26-27 June. Bring your QSO data with you and observe the working hours of the QSL manager (to be available at the booth). Please note that cards for contacts made with 4U1ITU and 4U1WRC will be issued only if the relevant QSOs can be found in the online log at <http://life.itu.ch/radioclub/4u1/index.php> [TNX HB9BGN]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Rudi Burkard (DJ5JI), Norbert "Rob" van Essche (ON4CED), Paulo Ferreira (PY2IBS), Robert Kohli (VU2MKP), Charles Garner Hayden, Sr (W3SI) and Robert B. Brown (W3RCQ).

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3Z8WFF	SP8AJC	II2IGTO	IQ2MI	UE1RFF/3	UA1RJ
4L1UN	EA7FTR	II3JD	IW3IE	UE1RFM	UA1RJ
4L6DL	LZ1OT	IY1EY	IK1QBT	UE1ZFF	RZ1ZZ
5N0OCH	DL3OCH	IY1GMN	I1YHU	UE3KFF/3	RN3QN
5T0JL	ON8RA	IY1SP	I1SAF	UE3LFF	UA3LF
5Z4/RW1AU	K5XK	IY7NGM	IK7JWX	UE3MFF	RD3MA
7U2ISM	7X2DD	J11FGX/DU9	JF1LZQ	UE3SFF	RU3SD
8Q7TB	PF4T [a]	JT1NOC	I5NOC	UE4FFF	RA4FW
8Q7TB	PA0LEY [b]	KG4WM	WB4NCW	UE4NFF	RW4NX
8R1DB	N3DB	KH0N	JA6CNL	UE4PFF	UA4PCA
8S0HRA	SM0BYD	KL5E	NI5DX	UE65BR	RV3YR
9H9PYSM	9H1AJ	KL7RRC	UA9OBA [c]	UE6EFF	RW6HKF
9M6BRC	9M6TW	KL7RRC	N7RO [d]	UE6YFF	RA6YJ
9N7IIU	JH3IIU	LJ2T	LA5EAA	UE9SFF	RW9TP
A45WG	NI5DX	LU7YZ	EA7FTR	UE9WFF	RW9WA
A61BK	NI5DX	LX0SAR	DK4XC	UE9YFF	RA9YF
A65BD	G5LP	LY1000Q	LY4Q	UK8AME	IK2DUW
A65BJ	DL7EDH	LZ01WFF	LZ1ZF	UN7AB	DL8KAC
A65BM	W4JS	LZ18HR	LZ1YE	UP44BFF	UN7ECA
C37NL	C37URA	NL8F	K8NA	UR4BZB/p	UT1BC
C6ASH	K2CK	NP3CW	EB7DX	UX0XFF	UT2XQ
C6AWC	W5TSN	NP4A	W3HNC	VA2CGNQ	VE2CSL
CR3M	CT3FQ	OL20FOC	OK1CZ	VP2MRT	KB4CRT
CT7/CU8AT	CT1GFK	OL20HOLICE	OK1KHL	W2W	K3NEM
CV5K	CX2ABC	OM60KAP	OM3PA	XE1EE	EA5KB
DF0WFF	DL2VFR	ON100PES	ON4TRC	YI1RAZ	IK2DUW
DK32DEKT	DL1BFU	PA09SHAPE	PA0FAW	YP1WFF	YO9WF
DM800VOGT	DL8CX	PA2009DYK	PA3RGH	YT09AU	YU7AU
DR1A	DL6FBL	PH100EL	PD0PVQ	YT09CW	YT1E
DT0HF/2	HL2FDW	PI4DX	PD1DX	YT09WA	YT7WA





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- 3A - Gab, HA3JB will be active as 3A/HG3IPA from Monaco on 23-30 September, including an entry in the CQ WW RTTY DX Contest. This activity will be good for the Hungarian International Police Association Award (on-line log and information on the award can be found at <http://www.ha3jb.com>). QSL via HA3JB. [TNX HA3JB]
- 3B8 - I3LDP will be active as 3B8/I3LDP from Mauritius Island (AF-049) from 29 June to 11 July. He will operate SSB and CW on the HF bands with a vertical for 40-10 metres, and on 6 metres with a vertical dipole. QSL via I3LDP. [TNX MMonVHF and DL8EBW]
- 5R - Wayne, W5KDJ will be active as 5R8KD from the shack of 5R8FU in Antananarivo, Madagascar (AF-013) on 4-17 July. He will operate CW and RTTY on 6-160 metres and will also be active during the IARU HF World Championship. QSL via W5KDJ. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Log search at <http://www.tdxs.net/5r8kd.html> [TNX W9DX]
- 6W - Dervin, PD9DX will be active as 6W/PD9DX from Senegal from 26 June to 5 July. He plans to operate holiday style on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX PD9DX]
- 9A - Once again Zik, VE3ZIK (DO7ZZ) will be active as 9A/VE3ZIK from Bilice, Croatia between 2 July and 3 August. He plans to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, and to participate in the IOTA Contest from IOTA group EU-170. QSL via DO7ZZ, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to [zibert@t-online.de](mailto:zibert@t-online.de)). Logs will be uploaded to eQSL and LotW. [TNX VE3ZIK]
- CO - Edor, CO7PH and a group of operators from the Ceballos Radio Club plan to participate in the IOTA Contest from Cayo Coco (NA-086) as either T47C (requested callsign) or CO7PH/p. A late December expedition to Cayo Anclitas, Jardines de la Reina Archipelago (NA-201) is also being planned. [TNX CO7PH]
- CT - The Portuguese Navy Amateur Radio Group (Nucleo de Radioamadores da Armada) will be active from four lighthouses (two on mainland Portugal and two on Terceira Island, Azores) as follows:  
4 July CR5NRA Cabo Sardao (Portugal) ARLHS POR-014  
11 July CR1NRA Praia da Vitoria South Mole (Azores) ARLHS AZO-027  
18 July CR6NRA Cabo da Roca (Portugal) ARLHS POR-007  
1 August CR2NRA Lajes (Azores) ARLHS AZO-010  
QSL direct only to Nucleo de Radioamadores da Armada, ETNA - Base Naval de Lisboa, 2801-001 Alfeite, Almada, Portugal. [TNX CT1END]
- CT7 - Celebrating the 57th anniversary of the Portuguese Air Force, special event station CR57FAP will be active on 27-28 June, 1 July and 4-5 July. Expect activity on 10-80 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via CT1REP. [TNX CT1END]
- EA9 - Six operators from Ceuta will be active as ED9NA as a Multi-Multi Entry in this weekend's His Majesty the King of Spain Contest (complete information at [www.ure.es/contest/431-sm-el-rey-contest-english-version.html](http://www.ure.es/contest/431-sm-el-rey-contest-english-version.html)). QSL via EA9GW, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- F - Thomas, DL5MO will be active as F/DL5MO from Groix Island (EU-048) from 29 June to 10 July. He will operate holiday style mainly on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX

[www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]

- F - A group of operators from the Sevrans Radio Club will be active as F5KKD/p from Sein Island (EU-068) on 24-27 July, IOTA Contest included. A second activity is planned to take place from Belle Ile (EU-048) on 11-14 September. QSL for both the activities via bureau to F5KKD. The web pages for the activities are at <http://iota2009.crxcluster.com> [TNX F5NQL]
- F - To recover from the trip to Rockall and to start preparation for a new attempt, the Rockall 2009 crew and support team (ON3DX, ON4AHF, ON4ATW, ON4HIL, ON4IA, ON6CC, ON6LEO, ON6NL, ON6ZU and ON7YT) will participate in the IOTA Contest (25-26 July) as F/OT2A from Ile de Batz (EU-105). QSL via ON4HIL. [TNX ON4ATW]
- FJ - Rich, DK8YY and Ingolf, DL4JS will be active as TO8YY from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) from 29 June to 8 July. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres, with an emphasis on the low bands, 10 and 12 metres. QSL via DH7WW. [TNX DK8YY]
- G - In 1939 the radio equipment of all British radio amateurs was ordered to be confiscated for the duration of the war, but many amateurs volunteered to become Voluntary Interceptors in their own homes. They would assist the Allies in their task of intercepting encrypted Enigma messages transmitted in Morse code, which were passed to the code breakers in Bletchley Park. Commemorating the 70th anniversary of the commencement of that operation, the Scarborough Special Events Group will be active as GB70VI from 27 June until 24 July. QSL via the RSGB bureau or direct via G0000.
- GM - Iain, MM0TFU will be active as MM0TFU/p from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) on 24-27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- GW - The Strumblehead DX and Contest Group will be active as MC0SHL from Ramsey Island (EU-124) from 18 UTC on 24 July through 14 UTC on the 27th, including an entry in the IOTA Contest as MW9W. They will operate on 80-10 metres SSB, with some 30m RTTY planned by G1VDP. QSL via M0URX. Further information can be found at <http://www.mc0shl.com> [TNX G1VDP]
- KP4 - Special callsign K4G will be used from La Cana Lighthouse at Guanica, Puerto Rico (NA-099) during the World Lighthouse On The Air Contest on 4-5 July (information at [www.wlota.com](http://www.wlota.com)). QSL via WP3MW. [TNX F5NQL]
- LX - PA0JED, PA0TEN, PA1H, PA2AWU, PA2PKZ, PA4VHF, PA5CA, PA5R, PE2HG and PD9DX will be active as LX/PA6Z from Luxembourg on 4-10 October. They will operate CW, SSB and PSK31 on 160-10 metres, and they also plan to have a 6m station for meteor scatter on WSJT. QSL via PA9M, direct or bureau. More information and updates at <http://www.pa6z.nl> [TNX PA5R]
- ON - The Belgian Air Force Amateur Radio Association ([www.bafara.be](http://www.bafara.be)) will operate special event station ON16FF from 29 June to 12 July. QSL via ON6KN, direct or bureau. [TNX ON6KN]
- OY - Look for Janusz, OY/SP6IXF and Mek, OY/SP7VC to operate from the Faroe Islands (EU-018, Grid locator IP61) on 10-16 August. They plan to be active on 160-6 metres, and on 2 metres meteor scatter on FSK441. Power amplifiers will be used on all bands. Mek, SP7VC will also operate on 6 and 2 metres as SP7VC/mm during the voyage, to activate marine squares JO37, 27, 17, 18, 19, 09 and IP80,81 and 71. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX SP5UAF]
- OZ - OZ2TF, OZ7KDJ and OZ9V will be active as OZ8MW/p from Anholt Island (EU-088) on 22-27 July. They will operate CW and SSB on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres, and will participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via OZ8MW, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- PA - A team of operators from VERON A31 (Midden/Noord-Limburg) will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on all bands as PA123OLS from 29 June to 12 July for the 123rd "Oud Limburgs Schuttersfeest". QSL via PE1NCP, direct or bureau. [TNX PE1NCP]
- SP - Sixteen special event stations will be active on 1-7 July to

celebrate the Tall Ships Races 2009 regatta calling at the Polish harbour of Gdynia. Participating stations include SN2009TSR, SN09T, SN09A, SN09L, SP09L, SN09S, SN09H, SN09I, SN09P, SP09S, SN09R, SP09A, SN09C, SN09E, SQ09S and SN50ZAGLE. Information on the event and the relevant award can be found at [http://sp2zie.gd.pl/tsr\\_about.php](http://sp2zie.gd.pl/tsr_about.php) [TNX VA3RJ]

- SV - Look for SV8/OK2BOB/p and SV8/OK2BC/p to be active from Lesvos Island (EU-049) until 2 July. They operate SSB and CW on 160-10 metres, with 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres as primary bands. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- SV - Nick, SV1CEI will be active as SV1CEI/8 from Kea Island (EU-067) until 25 August. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres SSB and CW, with activity from a couple of lighthouses being planned. [TNX SV1CEI]
- SV - Theo, SV1EJD (<http://www.sv1ejd.gr/>) will be active as SV8/SV1EJD from Lesvos Island (EU-049) on 12-22 July. He plans to operate holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX SV1EJD]
- SV - Laci, HA0NAR will be active as SX8R from Thassos Island (EU-174) on 22-31 July. He will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres and will take part in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX HA0NAR]
- TY - PA8AD, PA3AN, PA3AWW and PD0CAV will be active as TY1MS from Grand Popo, Benin on 10-27 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. Their goals are to activate this DXCC Entity on 160-10 metres, to provide onsite help and raise funds for the Mercy Ships Charity Project. QSL via PA3AWW, direct or bureau. Further information (including OQRS for direct QSLing) can be found at <http://www.benin2009.com>
- UR - Vladimir, UU6JJ plans to be active from the lighthouse at Mys Chernyy (ARLHS UKR-135) on 4-5 July. Complete information on the Ukrainian Lighthouses Award can be found at <http://www.lights.in.ua> [TNX US4LGW]
- V6 - Yuki, JH1NBN (V63AQ) is in Micronesia on a business trip until 21 July, and operates on 80-6 metres in his spare time. His itinerary is as follows:
  - 22 June-4 July V6P Pohnpei (OC-010)
  - 4-12 July V6C Chuuk (OC-011)
  - 13-21 July V6T Kosrae (OC-059)
  - 21-25 July V6P Pohnpei (OC-010)He might also operate as KH2/K3ZB from Guam (OC-026) on his way back home. All QSLs via JH1NBN. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VK9N - VK9NI is the new callsign to be used during the 22-29 July Hellenic Amateur Radio Association of Australia's expedition to Norfolk Island (OC-005) [425DXN 941]. Nine operators (namely VK2FPGR, VK2GR, VK2IR, VK2RF, VK3FGRC, VK3FT, VK3FY, VK3TZ and VK5MAV) will be active on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, including activity during the IOTA Contest. QSL via W3HMK. The new website for the operation is at <http://www.vk9ni.com/>
- VR - The Hong Kong Amateur Radio DX Association will be active as VR2009EAG between 1 July and 31 December to promote the 5th edition of the East Asia Games, that will be hosted by Hong Kong on 5-13 December. Expect activity on 40-10 metres SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV, and on 6 metres. QSL via VR2XMT.
- W - The following special event stations are expected to be active during the "Original 13 Colonies Special Event", to be held from 13.00 UTC on 1 July until 04.00 UTC on the 5th: K2A (New York), K2B (Virginia), K2C (Rhode Island), K2D (Connecticut), K2E (Delaware), K2G (Georgia), K2F (Maryland), K2H (Massachusetts), K2I (New Jersey), K2J (North Carolina), K2K (New Hampshire), K2L (South Carolina), K2M (Pennsylvania). A certificate will be available, but no QSL cards will be issued. Details can be found at <http://home.comcast.net/~dzabawa/ThirteenColonies.htm> [TNX K1XN]

IOTA TOUR ---> Gabriele, IK3GES will be touring Greece, Turkey and Bulgaria starting on 28 June. His plans include activities from the Greek islands of Elafonisos (EU-113), Salamina (EU-075), Skyros (EU-060) and Amoliani (EU-174), as well as from the Bulgarian island of Sveta Anastasiya (EU-181) along with Boyan, LZ1BJ. QSL via IK3GES, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Gerben, PG5M will be active (CW only) from the Fiji Islands (OC-016), Tuvalu (OC-015) and Tarawa, Western Kiribati (OC-017) as follows:

06-07 September	Fiji	requested call 3D2G
08-14 September	Tuvalu	issued call T2G
15-16 September	Fiji	requested call 3D2G
17-23 September	Western Kiribati	requested call T30G
24-27 September	Fiji	requested call 3D2G

It will be "an ultra light solo DXpedition". QSL via PG5M, direct or bureau. Updates will be posted at <http://www.dx.to/> [TNX PG5M]

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CQWW DX CONTEST: A NEW CATEGORY ---> The new "Xtreme" category has been added to the CQ WW DX Contest "to encourage the development of new technologies in amateur radio communications in general and contesting in particular". The new category "has been established to allow amateurs to participate in the CQ WW Contest while experimenting creatively with Internet-linked stations and other new technologies that currently are not permitted in any of the contest categories". Complete details can be found at [http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/XtremeCQ\\_WW\\_Experimenter\\_June.pdf](http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/XtremeCQ_WW_Experimenter_June.pdf)

G3SWH ---> Over the past few days Phil, G3SWH has had some problems with the "QSL Request" and "Contact Me" functions of his web site (<http://www.g3swh.org.uk>), as a result of his ISP changing servers. These problems have all been resolved and the web site is now fully functional. [TNX G3SWH]

HF DX CHALLENGE ---> Every March, the Chiltern DX Club runs its "LF Challenge" to encourage operation on 40, 80 and 160 metres. Gary, ZL2IFB has "stolen CDXC's good idea and set up an HF DX Challenge to take place annually in September on the high HF bands. The CDXC Committee is not only aware of this, they support it". This activity period ("a friendly competition for DXers and not a contest as such") will be held from 00.00 UTC on 1 September through 23.59 UTC on the 30th, on 15, 12, 10, 6 and 4 metres only (where permitted) and on any mode permitted by your license. The scoring will be one single point per DXCC Entity contacted, regardless of band or mode. Further information can be found at [http://www.g4ifb.com/html/hf\\_dx\\_challenge.html](http://www.g4ifb.com/html/hf_dx_challenge.html) [TNX ZL2IFB]

+ SILENT KEYS + John B. Trampler (N0JT) passed away on 22 June at 85 years of age. He was a noted DXer and QSL manager for several stations (see 425DXN 645), and the co-founder of a popular "DX Net". Other recently reported Silent Keys include Angie Sitton (G0HGA), Steve Gibbs (GU3MBS), Joe Phillips (K8QOE), Jim Tabor (KU5S) and Victor A. Gorokhov (UA4RC). Victor was the QSL manager for R1FJT, whose activity from Franz Josef Land ended last year (all of the QSOs have been uploaded to LoTW).

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- 3B7 - Rachid, 3B8FQ has received approval and will be active as 3B7FQ from St. Brandon Island (AF-015) in August. This may be his last visit to 3B7 for the next five years. It will be a working trip, with time shared for maintenance on the island's meteorological equipment. He will depart Mauritius on 10 August and return from St. Brandon on the 30th. Operation will be SSB and CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via K5XK. [TNX K5XK] 3D2\_cr - Conway Reef (OC-112) was activated for the first time in April 1989 by 3D2CR. Twenty years after that event, Hawa, DK9KX (ex 3D2CR) will return to Ceva-I-Ra along with six other operators (namely Norbert/DJ7JC, Jan/DJ8NK, Dieter/DJ9ON, Heye/DJ9RR, Hans/DL6JGN and Ron/PA3EWP). They plan to be active between 1 and 10 October, depending on weather conditions, and to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 160-6 metres. The callsign will be announced when the operation starts. QSL via DJ8NK, direct or bureau. A web page is under construction. [TNX DJ8NK]
- 3W - In March 2008 XV3M (F6BUM) activated IOTA group AS-185, but was able to make only 577 QSOs under difficult circumstances [425DXN 886]. Those who did not work Jack will be given a new chance on 10-18 April 2010, when Hans-Peter, HB9BXE and a large group of operators from Switzerland, Germany and Vietnam will be active as 3W6C from Con Co Island. Further information is expected in due course. For the time being, please visit <http://www.3w6c.grv.ch/> and consider supporting the project with a donation. [TNX HB9BXE]
- 4W - Chris, VK4FR works for the Australian Armed Forces and is currently stationed in Dili, East Timor (OC-148) through October. He operates SSB and digital modes as 4W6FR in his spare time. QSL via VK4FW. [TNX VK4FW]
- 8Q - Pierre, HB9QQ is now active as 8Q7QQ from the Maldives until 11 July. He operates on 50183 kHz in JT65A mode (first period) around moonrise and moonset in search of Sporadic E and EME contacts. Other activities include 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via mome call. [TNX HB9PL]
- 9Y - The Trinidad and Tobago Amateur Radio Society (TTARS) will be QRV during the IARU HF World Championship (11-12 July), probably as 9Y4HQ (callsign to be confirmed). IOTA Chasers please note that activity will take place from two different locations, one on Trinidad (SA-011) and the other on Tobago (SA-009). The station on Tobago is most likely to operate on 40 and 80 metres. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CT9 - Look for CT9/DB2TR, CT9/DK7TM, CT9/DL1CW, CT9/DL1SBF and CT9/DL3ZH to operate SSB, CW and RTTY from Madeira (AF-014) on 10-15 July,

- IARU HF World Championship included. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX DL1SBF]
- DL - Harald, DF6BL will be active as DF6BL/p from Langeness Island (EU-042) on 6-13 July. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- DL - Sebastian, DL1AXX will be active as DL1AXX/p from Warder Island (EU-128, O-32 for the German Island Award) on 11-18 July. He will operate CW only on 30, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- DU - Moj, PA3GZU will be active holiday style as DU9/PA3GZU from Mindanao Island (OC-130) from 6 July to 1 August. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- EI - Members of the Dalkey Island Contest Group (namely EI2CA, EI5DI, EI6EW, EI7CC, EI7CD, EI8BP and EI8CE) will participate in the IOTA Contest (25-26 July) as EJ1DD from Clare Island (EU-121). QSL via EI7CC. Before and after the contest, on 23-27 July, look for the individual operators using EJ prefixes. [TNX EI7CC]
- FT5G - The much anticipated DXpedition to Glorioso (FT5GA) has been postponed again, hopefully at the end of August. The main cause for this unexpected postponement is a stability problem of the runway on Grande Glorieuse, which must be fixed in early July in order to allow safe landings. However, the silver lining is that two more operators (David, F8CRS and Bernard, F5LPY) will be able to join F4EGS, F5IRO, F5PRU, F5RQQ and F5TLN. They still expect to remain on the island for about three weeks, and to have four stations active 24/7 (three on the HF bands and one on 6 metres). [TNX F5NQL]
- G - The Wakefield & District Radio Society will be active as GB1HI from Holy (Lindisfarne) Island (EU-120) on 10-13 July. QSL via M3ZYZ.
- HB0 - Alain, F5LMJ will be active as HB0/F5LMJ/p from Liechtenstein on 11-24 July. He plans to operate CW and digital modes during his evening and early morning hours. QSL via F5LMJ, bureau preferred. Alain will upload his log to LoTW. [TNX F5LMJ] HK0\_sa - The Daily DX reports that Dennis, 5J0BV [425DXN 944] has extended his stay and is now expected to remain active from San Andres until 16 UTC on 6 July. QSL via K7BV.
- I - Andrea, IZ2LSC will be active holiday style as IH9/IZ2LSC from Pantelleria Island (AF-018, IIA TP-001) on 20-31 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. He will operate SSB and digital modes on 40-10 metres. QSL via IZ2LSC (bureau only). He will upload the log to LoTW. Andrea's blog is at <http://timpyblog.blogspot.com/2009/06/pantelleria-island.html> [TNX IZ2LSC]
- JA - Nine HQ stations representing JARL will be active from various regions of Japan for the IARU HF World Championship (11-12 July):
- | Call  | Band/Mode       | Location                       |
|-------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| 8N1HQ | 15m-CW          | Kimitsu City, Chiba            |
| 8N1HQ | 160m-CW, 10m-CW | Minato Ku, Tokyo               |
| 8N1HQ | 80m-Ph          | Minami-Ashigara City, Kanagawa |
| 8N2HQ | 10m-Ph          | Nakatsugawa City, Gifu         |
| 8N3HQ | 15m-Ph          | Nara City, Nara                |
| 8N3HQ | 40m-CW          | Kobe City, Hyogo               |
| 8N3HQ | 20m-CW          | Miki City, Hyogo               |
| 8N4HQ | 80m-CW, 40m-Ph  | Okayama City, Okayama          |
| 8N8HQ | 20m-Ph          | Iwamizawa City, Hokkaido       |
- Each station may be heard on other bands in the week before the contest. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX JA1BPA]
- LX - Once again LX0HQ will represent the Luxembourg Amateur Radio Society (RL) in the IARU HF World Championship. There will be twenty operators for nine stations from Eschdorf (QTH of LX7I,



- webcam at <http://www.lx2a.com>) and Esebuer (QTH of LX0RL). The new QSL route is via LX2A. Bureau cards can be requested at [lx0hqgrlx.lu](mailto:lx0hqgrlx.lu) and the log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX LX2A]
- OH - Look for UA1ANA, RA1AGL and RV1AE to be active as OH2DZ/p, OH/RA1AGL/p and OH/RV1AE/p from Reposaari Island (EU-173) on 3-6 July. [TNX robinsons.ru]
- S5 - Nineteen operators will run the twelve S50HQ stations (10-160 metres CW and SSB) that will represent ZRS during the IARU HF World Championship (11-12 July). QSL via the Slovenian QSL bureau and LoTW. [TNX S50U]
- SV - Alexandros/SV8CYR, Vassilis/SV8CYV, Ilias/SV8FMY and Giorgios/SV8IJZ will be active as SX8GR from Samos Island (EU-049) for the Aegean VHF Contest (4-5 July, rules at <http://www.5-9report.gr/>). They will operate SSB and CW on 6 and 2 metres, and on 40 and 80 metres during their nights. QSL direct to SV8FMY. [TNX SV8CYV]
- SV - Gabi, HA1YA will be active as J48YA from Zakynthos Island (EU-052) on 8-21 July, and from Thassos Island (EU-174) from 25 August to 8 September. He will operate on 6, 4 and 2 metres, as well as on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX DL8EBW and MMonVHF]
- UA - Alex, RA1QY plans to operate as RA1QY/1 from several islands in Onega Bay, White Sea on 4-11 July. IOTA groups concerned are EU-147 and EU-153, with Purluda Island (EU-153) as main target. Details can be found at <http://robinsons.ru/> (click on "News RRA"). QSL via RA1QY ,direct or bureau. [TNX RA1QY]
- YL - Special callsign YL90AIR will be used through 31 December to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the Latvian Air Forces. QSL via bureau and [eQSL.cc](mailto:eQSL.cc) [TNX YL3AD]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Gerben, PG5M reports that the dates for his September operations from Kiribati and Tuvalu [425DXN 947] have been swapped. The updated schedule is as follows:

06-07 September	Fiji	requested call 3D2G
08-14 September	Western Kiribati	T30G
15-16 September	Fiji	requested call 3D2G
17-23 September	Tuvalu	T2G
24-27 September	Fiji	requested call 3D2G

Gerben will operate CW only. QSL via PG5M, direct or bureau. Updates will be posted at <http://www.dx.to/> [TNX PG5M]

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DX SUMMIT ---> In the process of making the DX Summit service more focused on younger user segments and non-amateur radio population, two features have been added recently to the Radio Arcala (OH8X) DX Summit portal (<http://www.dxsummit.fi/>). Each spotting and spotted callsign is automatically linked to [qrz.com](http://qrz.com), providing a more human link to the personal profiles of people and to their pictures. Additionally, each line carries the name of the DXCC country spotted.

In a few months time, custom selected filters will be provided to the public allowing users to receive personalized spots. While initially the selected spots will be sent to your personal e-mail address, the ultimate aim is to offer an SMS (short message service) option to DX Summit users.

This service is a non-profit exercise for Radio Arcala, but donations will be gratefully accepted. A Help Desk for regular users and for S/W developers is being set up, and support is currently channelled through the relevant button: donations will be used to help fund exclusively the DX Summit Help Desk function, and OH8X will send you a Radio Arcala wall

calendar postpaid to those who donate. Support related to the calendar is limited to the months of July and August 2009. [TNX OH8X]

NCDXF ---> The Northern California DX Foundation Board of Directors is pleased to announce the appointment of Ed Muns, W0YK, as an Advisor to the NCDXF Board of Directors. Ed's primary duty, along with Doug Bender, WW6D, will be working with the NCDXF website (<http://www.ncdxf.org>). Since May 2008, NCDXF has provided financial help to 4W6R (Timor Lorosa'e), VK9XWW (Christmas Island), VK9CJW (Cocos-Keeling), OJ0B (Market Reef), VK9DWX (Willis Island), A5100A (Bhutan), E44M (Palestine), FW5RE (Wallis & Fortuna), K5D (Desecheo Island), VK9LA (Lord Howe Island) and S04R (Western Sahara). Contributions can now easily be made on-line using a SSL secured web server (<https://www.ncdxf.org/donate>). [TNX W0GJ]

QSL 4S7BRG ---> The new QSL route for Mario, 4S7BRG is via LZ3HI. Cards can be requested direct (Emil Stoikov, P.O. Box 8, 6000 Stara Zagora, Bulgaria) or via the bureau.

QSL HQ9R ---> It seems that quite a few people are still sending cards for HQ9R to the former QSL manager (N6FF), who has been a Silent Key since August 2007. Please note that the correct QSL route is via K5WW. [TNX K5WW]

QSL VK9LA ---> "After much haggling with the Australian Customs Department, we have finally received the QSL cards from Czech Republic", Bill Horner, VK4FW says. He had planned to have all direct QSLing done by the end of June, but this is no longer possible. On 2 July Bill left home for a two-month family holiday. He processed and mailed as many cards as he could before leaving, so "many of you will receive your cards within a few days, but there will be also many that will not". Please be patient.

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (306 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (961 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2613 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (315 QSLs), Antarctic bases (768 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 248 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (251 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (96 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (631 QSLs), French Departments (535 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (107 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <http://LesNouvellesdx.fr> and send your comments to [lesnouvellesdx@free.fr](mailto:lesnouvellesdx@free.fr) [TNX F6AJA]

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

VY1JA QRT ---> Jay, VY1JA (N8JA) says his work stint in VY0 has concluded, and he is back home in the Yukon. His last logged QSO was made on 19 October 2008 and he is retiring from amateur radio. His station has been dismantled, and he is giving/selling everything to "younger Yukon hams". Steve, N3SL will continue to keep his logs and answer QSLs, while Akio, JA3JM handles QSLing for Japan. [TNX N3SL]

WHQS AWARD ---> "QTC", the Polish Amateur Radio Journal, sponsors the 2009 W-HQ-S award for working at least ten HQ stations during the upcoming IARU HF Contest. Rules and picture of the certificate can be found at <http://www.skjkc.pl/pgs/index.php?go=news&dzial=swiat&id=362> [TNX SP2FAP]

ZK2V ---> Chris, ZL1CT reports that, despite "flat" band conditions, he made 15817 QSOs (including 1279 QSOs on RTTY) 160, 80, 60, 40, 30, 20, 15

and 12 metres during his recent ZK2V DXpedition to Niue (<http://www.zk2v.com/>). Jeff, N8CC was the overall leader with 16 band-slots out of a possible 20. QSL via N3SL, direct or bureau. All QSOs have been uploaded to LoTW, resulting in more than 2000 QSO matches.

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3D2YA	JA1NLX	DP3SSKW	DK7FK	RZ4HZW	RX4HJ
3W1M	OM3JW	E74KC	E73Y	SN09A	SP2ZIE
3Z0FLIS	SP8BBK	ED5T	EA5ELT	SN09C	SP2ZIE
3Z50KPN	SP5ZRW	ED9NA	EA9GW	SN09E	SP2ZIE
4L1FL	EA7FTR	EE1E	EA1GFP	SN09H	SP2ZIE
4L1FP	LZ1OT	EE5G	EB5GG	SN09I	SP2ZIE
4U1WED	4U1VIC	EF1W	EA1WS	SN09L	SP2ZIE
4W6FR	VK4FW	EF5K	EA5KB	SN09P	SP2ZIE
4X0X	4Z5AX	EG8FSA	EA8RKL	SN09R	SP2ZIE
5B4AIF	EB7DX	EH3AA	EA3EVR	SN09S	SP2ZIE
5J0BV	K7BV	EI7DAR	EI2JD	SN09T	SP2ZIE
5N9NDP	IK5JAN	EN300H	UR0HA	SN0DK	SP7PKI
5R8FL	G3SWH	EN50KSR	UT1KY	SN0DM/1	SP1BPW
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EO9P	UT5PW	SN0HS	SP5KP
8Q7LR	UA9LP	EY8MM	K1BV	SN0SZ	SP1PBW
8Q7QQ	HB9QQ	GB0RMM	G0FYX	SN10SKPO	SP6ZJP
8R1TO	N3DB	GB0YG	G0RCI	SN2009TSR	SP2ZIE
9A/005S	ON4ON	GB250RB	MM0DHQ	SN50ZAGLE	SP2ZIE
9A4C	9A7W	GB2MOF	GM4UYZ	SO3BMK	JA8BMK
9A800VZ	9A7A	GB2NWA	G0TOC	SP09A	SP2ZIE
9A8XA	M0XXA	GB2OH	M0CNP	SP09L	SP2ZIE
9G1YK	PA3ERA	GB2RI	G3LUW	SP09S	SP2ZIE
9H3EP	IV3EPO	GB6WRS	M3ZYZ	SQ09S	SP2ZIE
9J2FM	JA4ATV	GB70VI	G0000	SV0LR	HB9LDR
9K2YM	EA5KB	HB0/4Z5KJ	W0MM	SX2MT	SV2KBB
A61TT	IZ8CLM	HF1759BPK	SP3PJW	SX2TMN	SV2GWY
A92C	A92GR	HG7DANUBE	HA7VY	SY20	SV2FLQ
AM1A	EA1URG	HK1RRL	EA5KB	T88AC	JA8BNN
AM1S	EA1OS	HV0A	IK0FVC	TM0FDB	F6KHS
AO5B	EA5BZ	IY3GM	IW3RUA	TM5DUM	F5SRH
AO7C	EA7HMD	IY3MG	IZ3DBA	TM7RPC	F6KJU
AO7K	EC7AMT	LZ01WFF	LZ1ZF	TO8YY	DH7WW
BV2009WGK	BV7GC	LZ50BNT	LZ1HA	TZ6EI	W7XU
BX2AAL	NI5DX	OE100TMW	OE1XIC	UA0IDZ	RW0IZ
C4Z	G3SWH	OL07RRR	OK2RZ	UE6III	RK6FZ
CN2AB	HB9OAB	OL50CASTLE	OK1KPU	US5D	UT7DX
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	ON16FF	ON6KN	V29JKV	W6JKV
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	ON60ARSG	ON7KC	V44KAI	K2SB
CO6XN	N3ZOM	OX3YY	OZ7YY	V6P	JH1NBN
CR57FAP	CT1REP	P40OZ	W2OZO	VE3FRED	VE3NOO
CR6A	CT1GFK	PA123OLS	PE1NCP	VK6AU	N1DT
CX7CO	WB3CDX	PP5EG	K3IRV	VR2009EAG	VR2XMT
D2QMN	RZ3EC	R6SC	RW3WWW	XV1X	OK1DOT
D44TOI	HB9BOI	RZ1CWC/p	RN1CW	Z30V	DJ0LZ

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- 5V - Franco, I1FQH will be active as 5V7PRF from Togo on 22-31 July. He plans to operate mostly CW with some SSB on 80-10 metres, running 100 watts to a Spiderbeam for 15, 17 and 20 metres, verticals and wires for the other bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW and eQSL.cc; updates will be posted to <http://twitter.com/ilfqh> [TNX I1FQH]
- 5Z - Bob, K4UEE will be in Kenya on 10-17 July doing short term mission work (<http://www.410bridge.org>) in the village of Kwambekenya, located about 3-4 hours north of Nairobi. He is involved in several different projects including a video project and demonstrating amateur radio in the local high school. Bob hopes to be QRV for some DXing in the late evenings and early mornings local time. [TNX K4UEE]
- 7P - Pista/HA5AO (7P8AO), Frosty/K5LBU (7P8CF), Laurent/W0MM (7P8MM), John/9M6XRO (7P8OK) and Ben/DJ0YI (7P8YI) will be active from Lesotho from 29 July to 13 August. They will have two stations QRV all the time, and a third station might be on for PSK and RTTY. Activity will be on all bands, with a serious effort on 160 and 80 metres. QSL 7P8OK via M0URX, others via home calls. The web page for the expedition can be found on the Texas DX Society's site (<http://www.tdxs.net/>)[TNX K5LBU]
- 8Q - Davide, IK2AHG is active as 8Q7DI from Maayafushi, Maldives (AS-013) until 13 July. He operates holiday style mainly CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via I8ACB. [TNX IK2AHG]
- 9A - Look for 9A6NL (Laci, HA6NL), 9A/HA6PS (Zsolt), 9A/HA7JJS (Al) and 9A/HA7PL (Laci) to be active from Pasman Island (EU-170) on 20-29 July, IOTA Contest included. Before and after the contest they will operate CW, SSB nad digital modes on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
- 9Y - The Trinidad and Tobago Amateur Radio Society (TTARS) will be QRV during the IARU HF World Championship as 9Y4HQ [425DXN 948]. Activity on 10-80 metres CW and 40 metres SSB will come from the QTH of 9Y4W on Tobago (SA-009), while the rest of SSB operations will takle place from the QTH of 9Y4D on Trinidad (SA-011). [TNX The Daily DX]
- CE0Z - The November-December XR0ZN expedition to Juan Fernandez [425DXN 937] has been postponed and it is now expected to take place in March-April 2010. Updates at [www.la6fja.eu/dx/XR0ZN/](http://www.la6fja.eu/dx/XR0ZN/)
- CT7 - The Algarve Star DX Team will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-6 metres as CS28MCF on 13-19 July for the 28th International Motorcycle Rally in Faro. QSL via CT1EHX. [TNX CT1END]
- CT8 - Hermann, CT3FN (HB9CRV) and several other operators will be active

- as CR2F from Ribeirinha lighthouse on Faial Island (EU-175), Azores between 18 July and 1 August. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-6 metres, and will participate in the IOTA Contest as CR2W. QSL for both callsigns via CT1GFK, direct or bureau. The website for the operation is at <http://www.to-mk.com/neu/> [TNX VA3RJ]
- DL - Andy, DL7AT will be active as DL7AT/m from Norderney Island (EU-047) on 17-24 July. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- EA - Luis, EA1NT will participate in the IOTA Contest as AO1I from Lobeira Grande (EU-077). He will operate SSB only with an amplifier and a vertical antenna. QSL via EA1NT, direct or bureau. [TNX EA1NT]
- ES - Juri, ES5GP will be active as ES5GP/8 from Kihnu Island (EU-178) from 29 July to 9 August. He will operate SSB and PSK on all bands. QSL via home call. [TNX ES1QD]
- F - The Radio Club du Vaucluse will activate special event callsign TM1MV on 11-25 July for the arrival of this year's Tour de France (<http://www.letour.fr/indexus.html>) at Mount Ventoux. The cyclists will climb the mountain during the 20th stage, on 25 July. QSL via F5KPO. [TNX F8REF]
- FH - Willi, DJ7RJ has received the call T07RJ to be used from Mayotte (AF-027) from 22 September through 21 October. He will be leaving the island on 25 October, so he will be active as FH/DJ7RJ during the last days. Expect Will to operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres, and perhaps 6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX AA1M]
- FP - Tim, M0TDG, and Martin, G3ZAY plan to be active from Miquelon (NA-032) as FP/homecall on 24-27 September. They will operate CW and SSB; low band operation will depend on equipment availability (and airline baggage limits). QSL via home calls. Martin will also try to activate McNutt's Island (VE1, NA-126) on 29 September. [TNX G3ZAY]
- G - Once again the Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB) will be represented by GB7HQ in the IARU HF World Championship. Expect a large group of operators to be active from two separate DXCC entities (England and Scotland) on all the HF contest bands on both CW and SSB. To assist in making contacts, when you contact one operator he can give you the frequency of the next GB7HQ station to work. QSL via G3TXF (direct, bureau and LOTW). Further information, including the awards programme for contacting GB7HQ on various bands/modes, can be found at <http://www.gb7hq.com> [TNX G4IRN]
- G - John, M0XIG and Tony, 2E0SBS will operate special event station GB1TT on 16-18 July from the site of the optical telegraph at Toothill, Hampshire (England). The Toothill Shutter Telegraph was one of a number that operated as a communication link for the British Admiralty between London and Plymouth. QSL via M0XIG, direct or bureau.
- G - "Sky Sheppey 2009" celebrates 100 years of British Aviation and the part played by the pioneers of early flying and the armed services over those years on the Isle of Sheppey (EU-005). Special event station GB100SS will be active from Eastchurch on 25-27 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX F5NQL]
- GD - MD/DC5SAN, MD/DG1SBU, MD/DG3SHD, MD/DG5SBK, MD/DG7SF, MD/DH1SBB, MD/DK1SG, MD/DL1SPH, MD/DL6SBN and MD/DL8SAD are active from the Isle of Man (EU-116) until 13 July. QSL via home calls. They will use special callsign MD9Y during the IARU HF World Championship (QSL direct to GD3YUM). [TNX DXNL]
- HS - A large group of operators from the HS DX Association will participate in the IOTA Contest as HS0AC/p from Si Chang Island (AS-107). QSL via HS0ZFZ. [TNX NG3K]
- I - Paolo, IK2MLS will be active as IA5/IK2MLS from Elba Island

- (EU-028, IIA LI-002) on 3-8 August. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres as well as on the VHF bands. [TNX IK2MLS]
- ISO - Joe, IS0MKX and other 14 operators (I1BUP, I1ZB, I5OYY, IK5EKB, IK5RUN, IS0BMU, IS0EUJ, IS0IGV, IS0JMA, IS0KEB, IS0UMP, IS0ZOD, IW5ELA and IZ1DNJ) will be active as IM0M from Asinara Island (EU-165, IIA SS-061) on 22-26 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. They will have five stations active on the HF, VHF and UHF bands, SSB, CW and FM. QSL via IS0MKX, direct or bureau. The web sites for the operation are at <http://www.mdxc.org/im0m> and <http://digilander.libero.it/assoradiomarinai/asinara/home.htm> [TNX I1BUP]
- ISO - A group of operators from the Sardinia QRP Club will be active as IQ0QP from Quirra Island (EU-165, IIA CA-009) on 23 August, from about 7 UTC to 16 UTC. They will operate SSB and CW on +/- 7021, 7031, 7091, 10105.5, 10115.5, 14031, 14061 and 14321 kHz. QSL direct (see qrz.com). [TNX IS0VSU]
- J6 - Howard, WB4WXE will be active as J6/WB4WXE from St. Lucia (NA-108) on 10-20 July. He will concentrate on 6 metres, with some activity on 17 metres and possibly some other HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- JA - Look for JA6VDB/6 and JE6AQP/6 to be active from the islands of Nozaki and Ojika, in the Goto Islands group (AS-040), Nagasaki prefecture on 8-12 August. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40-15 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR+]
- LA - Chris, OE9ICI will be active as LA/OE9ICI from Hitra Island (EU-036) from 19 July to 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- OH - Ian, G4FSU will be active again as OH/G4FSU from Emsalo Island (EU-097) from 21 July to 16 August, including an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- ON - Celebrating the 65th anniversary of the liberation of Rijkevorsel by the British 49th Infantry Division (the so-called "Polar Bears"), club station ON4NOK will operate special callsign ON65POL on 18-27 September. QSL via ON7YX, direct or bureau. [TNX ON6UQ]
- OZ - Look for OZ/DL2JRM/p (CW) and OZ/DO6XX/p (SSB) to be active on 80-10 metres from Vendsyssel-Thy (EU-171) from 18 July to 1 August. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- PA - The Netherlands' national society (VERON) will be represented by PA6HQ in the IARU HF World Championship. There will be twelve stations on the air during the entire contest, CW and SSB on each band. The 2009 PA6HQ signals will come from the stations of PI4CC, PI4ZI, PI4DX, PA3GCV, PI4D and PI4COM. QSL via PA3CAL. A special award is available for working PA6HQ on six bands; details can be found at <http://pa6hq.veron.nl> [TNX PA1AW]
- PY - PY5BH, PY5DC, PY5DJ, PY5FO and PY5IN will participate in the IOTA Contest as PR5D from Ilha do Mel (SA-047). QSL via PY5DC. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- PY - Alex, PY2WAS reports he will be active as PX8W from the rarest Brazilian State of Amapa on 1-2 August. He will operate CW and SSB on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via PY2WAS, direct or bureau.
- SM - Kjell, SM4DDS will once again be active as 7S5A from Boko Island/Stora Alo (EU-177) on 12-16 July. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres. QSL via SM4DDS, direct or bureau. [TNX SM4DDS]
- SM - Anders, SM5EFX will be active as SM5EFX/2 from Ledskar Island (EU-135) on 19-31 July. He will participate in the IOTA Contest as SF2X. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- SM - Eric, SM1TDE will participate in the IOTA Contest as SA1A from his home QTH on Gotland Island (EU-020). Expect him to operate CW only on all bands. QSL via SM1TDE, bureau preferred. [TNX SM1TDE]



- SP - Mek, SP7VC and Adam, DJ0IF will participate in the IOTA Contest as SP7VC/1 and SP8RX/1 from Wolin Island (EU-132). QSL via home calls. [TNX DJ0IF]
- SV - Steffen, DM3CW will be active holiday style as J48AL from Aigina Island (EU-075) from 21 July to 3 August. He will operate CW only using 100 watts into wire antennas. QSL via DM3CW, bureau preferred. [TNX DM3CW]
- SV5 - Ermanno, IK2WZD will be active again on SSB and digital modes as SV0XAN/5 from the islands of Lipsi, Agathonisi and Arkoi (Dodecanese, EU-001) from now until 10 October. QSL via IK2WZD. [TNX IZ2ABN]
- TK - Lee, F5MUX will be active as TK5UX from Petreto Bicchisano, Corsica (EU-014) on 12-26 July. For the time being he will operate barefoot on 40-10 metres with a vertical antenna. He prefers CW, but he also operates RTTY. QSL via F5MUX. [TNX F5MUX]
- UA - In preparation of next year's World Radiosport Team Championship, four Russian teams (R31WRTC, R32WRTC, R38WRTC and R39WRTC) will participate in the IARU HF World Championship. They will operate field-day from WRTC-2010 locations and with WRTC-2010 set-ups. QSL via bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- UA - RU3YA, RV3YR, UA3YA, UA3YCX and UA3YY will operate SSB, CW and digital modes as homecall/p from Kotelny Island in river Desna (not IOTA, RII-32-02) on 24-26 July. QSL via home calls. Information on the Russian Internal Islands Award can be found at <http://robinsons.ru/index/0-6> [TNX RV3YR]
- VE - Celebrating the 40th anniversary of the landing of men on the moon (20 July 1969), special event callsign VE3MOON will be in use on 14-27 July. QSL via VE3OIJ, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VK9N - Tommy, VK2IR will be active as VK9IR from Norfolk Island (OC-005) on 19-22 July. He is the team leader of VK9NI [425DXN 947], and will operate while setting up before the team arrives. QSL VK9IR via VK2IR, direct only. [TNX NG3K]
- VP2M - Bill, W5SJ will be active as VP2MSJ from Montserrat (NA-103) on 14-21 July. His primary band will be 6m, and he will participate in the CQ WW VHF Contest (18-19 July), but he also plans to operate on the other bands, especially 30 and 60 metres. QSL via W5JAY. [TNX W5SJ]
- W - The North Carolina Contesters Club (NR3X) will be active again as N4A from the South Core Banks (NA-067) on 22-27 July, IOTA Contest included. This year's operators will be Barry/K4CZ, Dan/N3ND, Nate/N4YDU, Jack/W0UCE and Keith/W4KAZ. QSL direct to N4YDU. The webpage for the operation is at <http://w4kaz.com/n4a/> [TNX VA3RJ]
- YB - Hotang, YC0IEM will operate as YC0IEM/9 from Bali Island (OC-022) on 9-27 July. QSL via IZ8CCW, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- YO - YR0HQ will represent the Federatia Romana de Radioamatorism (FRR) during the IARU HF World Championship. A certificate will be issued free of charge for station 12, 9, 6 or 3 QSOs with the HQ station. Please visit <http://www.hamradio.ro/> or e-mail [yo3apj@yahoo.com](mailto:yo3apj@yahoo.com) for the details. [TNX YO3APJ]
- ZP - Special event station ZP15MWC will be active on 12-19 July from Asuncion, Paraguay to celebrate the 15th Mennonite World Conference Assembly. QSL direct to PA0HEL. [TNX VA3RJ]

IARU HF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ---> This year's event (rules can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/iaru.html>) will run from 12 UTC on 11 July through 12 UTC on the 12th. The following IARU Member Society HQ stations are expected or supposed to participate (also give a look at the list maintained by Bernie, W3UR on [www.dailydx.com/iaru-09.htm](http://www.dailydx.com/iaru-09.htm)):

Call	DXCC	Mult
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4L0HQ	Georgia	NARG
5N0HQ	Nigeria	NARS
8N1HQ	Japan	JARL

8N2HQ	Japan	JARL
8N3HQ	Japan	JARL
8N4HQ	Japan	JARL
8N8HQ	Japan	JARL
9K9HQ	Kuwait	KARS
9Y4HQ	Trinidad & Tobago	TTARS
AO8HQ	Canary Islands	URE
AT1HQ	India	ARSI
B1HQ	China	CRSA
B3HQ	China	CRSA
B4HQ	China	CRSA
B5HQ	China	CRSA
B7HQ	China	CRSA
BV0HQ	Taiwan	CTARL
CE3HQ or XR3HQ	Chile	RCC
CR5HQ	Portugal	REP
CX1AA	Uruguay	RCU
DA0HQ	Germany	DARC
DX1HQ	Philippines	PARA
E7HQ	Bosnia-Herzegovina	BA
EM5HQ	Ukraine	UARL
ES9A	Estonia	ERAU
GB7HQ	England & Scotland	RSGB
HB9HQ	Switzerland	USKA
HL0HQ	Korea	KARL
HQ2W	Honduras	RCH
HS0AC	Thailand	RAST
IU1HQ	Italy	ARI
IU2HQ	Italy	ARI
IU4HQ	Italy	ARI
IU5HQ	Italy	ARI
IU8HQ	Italy	ARI
IU9HQ	Italy	ARI
JY6HQ	Jordan	RJRAS
LN2HQ	Norway	NRRL
LR4D	Argentina	RCA
LX0HQ	Luxembourg	RL
LY0HQ	Lithuania	LRMD
LZ7HQ	Bulgaria	BFRA
NU1AW/KH6	Hawaii	IARU
OE1A	Austria	OVSV
OH2HQ	Finland	SRAL
OL9HQ	Czech Republic	CRC
OP0HQ	Belgium	UBA
OZ1HQ	Denmark	EDR
P40HQ	Aruba	AARC
PA6HQ	The Netherlands	VERON
R0HQ	Russia	SRR
S50HQ	Slovenia	ZRS
SK9HQ	Sweden	SSA
SN0HQ	Poland	PZK
SX0HQ	Greece	RAAG
TM0HQ	France	REF
UN1HQ	Kazakhstan	KFRR
V51NAM	Namibia	NARL
VK7WI	Australia	WIA
VR2HK	Hong Kong	HARTS
W1AW/KL7	Alaska	ARRL
XE1LM	Mexico	FMRE
XX9A	Macau	ARM
YL4HQ	Latvia	LRAL
YR0HQ	Romania	FRR
YV5AJ	Venezuela	RCV

Z30HQ	Macedonia	RSM
ZF1A	Cayman Islands	CARS
ZL6HQ	New Zealand	NZART
ZP5AA	Paraguay	RCP
ZS0HQ	South Africa	SARL
ZW5HQ	Brazil	LABRE

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5Z4/RW1AU ---> Valery, 5Z4/RW1AU, is now QRT from Nairobi, and is back home in St. Petersburg. His work assignment spanned almost one year, from August 2008 through June 2009. During that period, Val used the 5Z4RS club station in Nairobi as time allowed between work responsibilities to make almost 12,000 QSOs on 40-10 metres, using both CW & SSB. His logs have been uploaded to LoTW. Paper QSL to either RW1AU (direct and bureau) or K5XK.  
 [TNX K5XK]

E51SC ---> The Daily DX reports that Nigel, E51SC (G4KIU) has had to leave Rarotonga, South Cook Islands [425DXN 943] and return to England for family reasons. All of the QSOs (about 600) he made during his stay have been uploaded to LoTW.

HV5PUL ---> A video of the early June activity from HV5PUL is available at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wuRbBc4GyP0> [TNX IZ2LSC]

INTERNATIONAL LIGHTHOUSE LIGHTSHIP WEEK ---> The highly popular annual Lighthouse Weekend has been extended to a full week, including two on-going activities: the ILLW Special Event (1-9 August) and the ILLW QSO Party Contest (1-2 and 8-9 August). Complete information can be found at <http://ialhp.org/>

LOGS ---> The TZ6EI web page (<http://www.w0sd.com/mali/mali.htm>) now has post DXpedition information (statistics, distances, pictures, etc.), as well as the link to the on-line logs (6 metres only). This was primarily a 6m DXpedition (546 unique calls), but TZ6EI also worked on the HF bands (over 1000 uniques on RTTY). [TNX W0SD]

QSL EK6LP ---> Antonello, IK2DUW reports that effective 1 July he is no longer the QSL manager for EK6LP. He can still confirm QSOs made through 30 June 2009; cards for contacts made after that date should be sent direct to Aram R. Manvelyan, P.O. Box 47, 3102 Gyumri, Armenia.

QSL ST2R ---> Those who still need a card for ST2R (January-April 2007) can request it by e-mail ([s57dx@yahoo.com](mailto:s57dx@yahoo.com)) and get it through the bureau. Direct cards should be sent to Slavko Celarc, Ob Igriscu 8, 1360 Vrhnika, Slovenia (return postage is USD 2 ore EUR 1). [TNX S57DX]

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This is the second attempt at sending 425DXN #950 and the relevant Calendar. Apparently something went wrong with the server yesterday, and the bulletin and/or the calendar did not reach quite a number of subscribers to the mailing list. If you got #950 regularly, please be patient and simply trash this message, as there is neither new nor updated information in it. Thank you.

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- 5B - Alan, 5B4AHJ will participate in the IOTA Contest as P3J from his home QTH on Cyprus (AS-004). Expect him to operate SSB and CW on all bands. QSL via 5B4AHJ. [TNX 5B4AHJ]
- 9A - Jane/S57L, Goran/S52P, Vinko/S53F, Brane/S56UGB and Silvo/S50X, will be active as 9A8ZRS from Vela Palagruza (EU-090) from 20 to 31 July, IOTA Contest included. They plan to operate CW, SSB and PSK31 on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres, plus 6 and 2 metres. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX F5NQL]
- 9A - Gert, OE3ZK will operate CW, SSB and RTTY as 9A/OE3ZK from the island of Korcula (EU-016) on 21-30 July, including an entry (CW) in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OE3ZK]
- A4 - A team from the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society will participate in the IOTA Contest as A43SI from Suwadi Island (AS-112). QSL via A47RS. [TNX A41MA]
- CE - The Radio Club Rancagua (CE4RG, formerly as Radio Club of Chile) was established on 22 July 1936. Celebrating their 73rd anniversary, club members will operate with special event callsign CE73RG for 73 days starting on 22 July. Expect activity on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB, CW and PSK. QSL via CE4WJK.
- CT9 - Twelve operators from Portugal and Madeira will be operate SSB, CW and digital modes as CR3D and CR3R from Chao Island (AF-046), Madeira 24-26 July. Part of the team will focus on the IOTA Contest (with two stations), while the rest will concentrate on 30, 17 and 12 metres, plus 6, 4 and 2 metres. QSL direct to CT1BOL. Further information at <http://www.qrz.com/db/CR3D> [TNX CT1BOL]
- EI - A combined team from the South Dublin Radio Club and the City of Belfast Radio Amateur Society will participate in the IOTA Contest as EJ0GI from Inis Oirr, Aran Islands (EU-006). QSL via EI2SDR. Some team members may be active under their home calls before and after contest between 23 and 27 July: one of them will be David, EI3GKB (GI8SKN), who will operate as EJ3GKB on 80-6 metres. [TNX EI3GKB]
- EA8 - Celebrating the opening of the Gran Telescopio Canarias, the

- largest optical telescope in the world (<http://www.gtc.iac.es/en/>), special event callsign AO8GTC will be used from the observatory at Roque de los Muchachos on La Palma, Canary Islands (AF-004) on 25-26 July. Expect activity on CW, SSB and digital modes by four stations. QSL via EA8RCP. [TNX EA8NQ]
- EA9 - Look for JR1AIB to be active as EA9/DJ1AIB from Melilla on 22-26 July. He will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 160-6 metres. QSL via JR1AIB. [TNX NG3K]
- ES - ES1LS, ES1QV, ES2EZ, ES2DJ and ES2QN will participate in the IOTA Contest (25-26 July) as ES0U from Saaremaa Island (EU-034). QSL via ES2DJ, bureau preferred.
- F - On 25 July 1909 Louis Bleriot became the first person to fly a powered aircraft across the English Channel from Calais to Dover. Commemorating the centenary of that historic flight, the Radio Club of Cambrai (F8KGN) will be active as TM1LB until 27 July. QSL via the REF bureau. [TNX F8REF]
- F - Ed, GW3SQX will be active as TM70 from Oleron Island (EU-032) on 25-27 July, including a CW only entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via GW3SQX, direct only. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- F - Jan, ON7JA will be active as F/ON7JA from Ile de Noirmoutier (EU-064) on 25-27 July. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- G - Commemorating Louis Bleriot's historic flight, the Dover Amateur Radio Club (<http://www.darc.org.uk/>) will operate special event station GB100LB on 25-26 July. QSL via operator's instructions.
- GI - John/EI4GK, Pete/EI4GZB, Joe/EI7GY, Declan/EI9HQ and Pete/GI4VIV will participate in the IOTA Contest from Rathlin Island (EU-122). They will operate as GI0MPG from Rathlin East Lighthouse. QSL via GI0MPG. Prior to the contest some of the operators may be active using MI/homecall. [TNX EI4GK]
- GM - Doug, GM0ELP (CW) and Simon, M0GBK (SSB) will be active as MM3T from the Isle of Skye (EU-008) on 25-26 July for the IOTA Contest. 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](http://www.rsgbiota.org) in 2010). [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- GM - Paul, M3KBU will participate in the IOTA Contest as MM3KBU/p from the Isle of Mull (EU-008). He will also be visiting several islands in either the Inner (EU-008) and the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) on 1-16 August. Please check MM3KBU at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) for updates. QSL via M3KBU. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- HB0 - David, ON4DN will be active as HB0/ON4DN/p from Liechtenstein on 24-26 July. He will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres SSB and digital modes, with a focus on 30m. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX ON4DN]
- HL - Han/DS2GOO, Yang/DS4CDA, Ryou/DS4NYE, Rocky/HL1VAU and a few other guest operators will be active as homecall/4 from Pigum Island (AS-060) on 25-27 July. They will have two complete stations with a dozen of verticals near saltwater, and will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres; if the band is open, they will also give 6m a try. QSL via home calls. During the IOTA Contest they will use D93I (QSL via DS4NYE). [TNX HL1VAU]
- IS0 - Massimo, I0PNM will participate in the IOTA Contest as IM0/I0PNM from San Pietro Island (EU-165). He will operate SSB on 40-10 metres. In the following weeks, and especially on 15-16 August, expect him to operate from the lighthouse at Capo Sandalo (ARHLS SAR-018) on 40-10 metres SSB and PSK31. QSL via home call. [TNX I0PNM]
- IS0 - Emiliano, IS0BRQ says he will be active from Ferraglione Island (EU-024, IIA CA-033) for part of the IOTA Contest. He plans to operate QRP starting early in the morning of 26 July.
- LZ - Gabriele/IK3GES, Boyan/LZ1BJ and Lyuben/LZ1ZC will be active as LZ/IK3GES, LZ1BJ/1 and LZ1ZC/1 from the island of Sveta Anastasiya (EU-181) on 24-27 July. They plan to run 100 watts into a

- 10-element log-periodic on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres, with some possible activity on 40, 30 and 6 metres. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX LZ1BJ]
- OZ - Jakob, OZ7AEI will be active as OZ7AEI/p from Bornholm Island (EU-030) on 19-26 July. He plans to operate on 20 and 40 metres SSB from a few lighthouses (updates on activations to be posted at <http://www.oz7aei.dk>). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- PA - PD5CW, PE1OPM and PE1OXV will be active from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146) on 24-26 July, IOTA Contest included. Look for activity on 80-10 metres SSB and CW. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- SM - John, G3LAS will operate SSB and CW as SM5/G3LAS from Fogdo Island (EU-084) on 23-27 July, IOTA Contest included. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SM - Kent, SM5ELV and Leif, SM5FWW will be active as SM5ELV/5 and SM5FWW/5 from Aspoja Island (EU-177) for the IOTA Contest. Non-contest activities will include PSK and 6 metres. QSL via bureau. [TNX SM5ELV]
- SV - Cliff, SV1JG and George, SV1RP will be active as SX8M from Milos Island (EU-067) on 24-27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via SV1JG, direct or bureau. [TNX SV1JG]
- TA - Special event callsign TC21BSR will be on the air from Istanbul until 20 July for the 21st annual Bosphorus Race. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- UA - A team of Russian operators will be active as UE1CBB from Bol'shoy Berezovyy Island (EU-133) on 22-27 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as RI1AA. QSL for both callsigns via UA1AIR, direct or bureau. [TNX UA1AIR]
- VE - Ken/W8ND, Butch/N8CHS and Kelly/K8MCN will be active as W8ND/VE1 from Big Tancook Island (NA-081) on 23-26 July. QSL via K8MCN, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VE - Frank, VE7DP and Heinz, VA7AQ will take part in the IOTA Contest from Taxed Island (NA-091). [TNX VA7AQ]
- VE - Cezar, VE3LYC plans to operate as VY00 from the Ottawa Islands (NA-230, new one) for three full days between 25 July and 10 August. Specific island's name and exact dates are not available at this time, but they will be announced a few days in advance of the operation. This will be Cezar's most difficult operation to date. The islands are 12-14 hours away from shore and transportation requires a large boat. Traditionally unstable weather pattern, unknown local landing conditions, high seas, the presence of ice chunks in Hudson Bay, potential presence of polar bears, all these and other logistical aspects make this trip extremely challenging. At this time Cezar seeks group and individual donors who understand and appreciate the difficult and expensive task ahead and are willing to be part of this effort. "Past support from EU stations has been disproportionate with their QSO demand (45% of QSOs but only 25% support for VY0A)", he says, but hopefully this situation will improve. [TNX VE3LYC]
- VE - VE1VOX and VE1AOE will be active as VC1W from Welsh Island (NA-154) on 12-16 August (depending on weather conditions). They will have two stations and more operators might join the expedition. QSL via VE3EXY. [VE1VOX]
- W - Steve, W3RFA and Bob, KB3NYX will operate from Smith Island (NA-140) on 25-26 July for the IOTA Contest. This will be a micro-expedition with limited equipment, as they are getting to the island by sea kayak. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- YJ - Chris, VK3QB plans to be active (requested call YJ0QB) from Vanuatu on 20-27 July. He will operate holiday style during his afternoons and evenings on 40 metres CW, with possible activity on 30, 20 and 15 metres if the bands are open. [TNX The Daily DX]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (June 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

QSL R1ANL ---> "Since most of the QSL requests for the 1997-99 R1ANL operation by Nikolay Zinin (RW6ACM) from Novolazarevskaya Base (Antarctica) remained unprocessed by the previous QSL manager (UA6AH), I took over the QSL management of this activity", Dominik, DL5EBE says. "After some delay, I finally managed to enter the handwritten log (14000 QSOs) into the computer and upload all contacts to LoTW". Those who need a paper QSL card can send their request to DL5EBE, direct (see qrz.com) or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to [weield@mac.com](mailto:weield@mac.com)). [TNX DL5EBE]

QSL VIA TA3J ---> Nilay Mine Aydogmus, TA3YJ has transferred all of her duties as a QSL manager to her husband Berkin, TA3J. Affected call signs are listed at <http://www.aydogmus.gen.tr/ta3j/qsllservice.htm> [TNX TA3J]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Jean-Luc + Maingot (F5PC), Roy S. Hartley (G0HDX), Jim Leist (KB5W), Richard R. Clay (KC0TJ), Thomas F. McDuffie (KM6K), Ernest J. Zingleman (KS4Q), Buck Barto (N9PLJ), Antoni Zebik (SP7LA), Henry L. Luhrman (W4PZV) and James E. Mullin (W8KKK).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3Z8WFF	SP8AJC	EG2EPC	EC2AMN	PJ2T	N9AG
4C50C	XE1J	EG9CLP	EA9CE	PX8M	PT2OP
4L0A	EA7FTR	EM300Q/p	UR6QS	SE2T	SM2YIZ
4S7BRG	LZ3HI	EN350AKB	UR5AKU	SG3U	SM3CXS
4U1UN	HB9BOU	ET3JA	OK3AA	SK9HQ	SM6JSM
4U1WB	KK4HD	EV5OP	DL7VFM	SM200PAX	SK2AT
4U30VIC	4U1VIC	EV6ZK	UA3FDX	SN0WFF	SP5X
4Z8BB	WC1X	EX9FF/p	EX8AB	SN50DBT	SP2AGA [1]
5N0HQ	DL3OCH	FY5LH	F5KDR	SN50DBT	SP2ZAO [2]
5N0OCH	DL3OCH	GB1HI	M3ZYZ	SO1EKO	DL1EKO
5R8KD	W5KDJ	GB7HQ	G3TXF	SU9GI	IK2ZYC
7S5A	SM4DDS	HE8HLM	EA7FTR	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HF50BORY	SP2IU	SX1L	DL1JCZ
8J0YUI	JH0ZSM	HF94JCQ	SP4JCQ	SX2CM	SV2GWY
8Q7DI	I8ACB	HF94KE	SP4YPB	SX8GR	SV8FMY
9A/VE3ZIK	DO7ZZ	HF94OLP	SQ4OLP	TK5UX	F5MUX
9A430KA	9A6Z	HP3AK	W4JS	TM0HQ	F8CRH
9A48IFATCA	9A4WW	HP3DX	W4WX	TM1LB	F8KGN
9H1KZ	G2BKZ	HP3TA	KG6UH	TM1MV	F5KPO
9J2BO	G3TEV	HQ2W	HR2DMR	TM1OOL	F6KPQ
9J2CA	G3SWH	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
9K2/SP4R	SP4GFG	II0DIVA	IQ0RM	UE2FVW	DK4VW
9K9HQ	9K2CQ	J28KO	F6DKI	UE9CAA	RU9DX
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	J48YA	HA1YA	UE9KFF	RX9KM
9M6BG	VR2BG	J79PAK	HB9CUA	UN7DA	EA5KB

9Y4HQ	DF2RG	J11FGX/DU9	JF1LZQ	UN7QF	EX2A	
A35AB	VK3SN	JW6RHA	LA6RHA	V6C	JH1NBN	
A61Q	EA7FTR	LM9K75Y	LA9K	VE3MOON	VE3OIJ	
A71BU	NI5DX	LX0HQ	LX2A	VK7WI	VK7ZE	
AM1VIG	EA1RKV	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	VP2MSJ	W5JAY	
AN3FCB	EA3LD	LY0HQ	LY8O	VP9400KD	VP9KD	
AT1HQ	VU2PTT	LY1000G	LY1G	W3STX/KH0	JR3STX	
C37NL	C37URA	LZ40ATSA	LZ1PJ	XX9LT	XX9AH	
CE1TT	EA5KB	LZ7HQ	LZ1BJ	YI1RZ	IK2DUW	
CE4CT	EA5KB	MD9Y	GD3YUM	YN2N	TI2OHL	
CR3L	DJ6QT	NL8F	K8NA	YP1WFF	YO3JW	[ 3 ]
CR5HQ	CT1REP	OE1A	OE3KAB	YP1WFF	YO7GNL	[ 4 ]
CS28MCF	CT1EHX	OH0B	OH2BH	YP1WFF	YO9WF	[ 5 ]
CX1AA	W3HMK	OH0R	OH2PM	YP30S	YO7LCB	
CX2AL	HB9IBG	OH0T	JA8BMK	YR0HQ	YO3FRI	
DQ11APOLLO	DF3JO	OH2DZ/p	UA1ANA	Z21SI	JA1PBV	
DX1J	JA1HGY	ON175BR	ON7BR	ZL6HQ	ZL1BHQ	
E73EPA	YT8BB	OP4K	ON4JZ	ZP15MWC	PA0HEL	
E7HQ	E77E	OZ1HQ	OZ1ACB	ZP5CGL	IK2DUW	
ED5D	EA5FL	P40HQ	P43JB	ZW5HQ	PY5CA	
ED8RC	EA8LE	PA6HQ	PA3CAL	ZX8A	PT2OP	

- [1] direct
- [2] bureau
- [3] 2 July 2009
- [4] 1-3 May 2009
- [5] 13-14 June 2009

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\*\*\*\* DX INFORMATION \*\*\*\*

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- 3DA0 - David, GI4FUM/EI4DJ (3DA0DJ) will be visiting Swaziland for the third time, from 30 July to 11 August. This year he will be joined by Tony/G4LDL (3DA0TB), Malcolm/GM3TAL (3DA0MH), Gerry/M0VAA (3DA0VA), Mike/NC4MM (3DA0MM) and Yuri/UT5EL (3DA0EL). The purpose of this trip is to service a scout radio station at an international scout camp near Manzini with the callsign 3DA0SS, using wire antennas and relatively low power. The main operation site will be at the Hawane Resort in Western Swaziland, where there is a good antenna farm and they can run high power. They will operate two HF stations around the clock, depending on propagation. QSLs via GI4FUM. Further details and photographs are available at <http://www.gi4fum.co.uk> [TNX GI4FUM/EI4DJ]
- 4W - Al, CT1GPQ will be active from East Timor (callsign TBA) between 3 August and 3 October. He plans to operate mainly CW, with some SSB and RTTY, on 40 and 30 metres (with a dipole) as well as on 20 and 17 metres (with square loops). Al will be part of a medical team, and will be QRV only when time permits. QSL via CT1GFK, who will also be the pilot station (he can be reached at [star@algarvedx.com](mailto:star@algarvedx.com)). Updates and on-line log search will be available at <http://algarvedx.com> [TNX CT1GFK]
- 9G - Alfeo/I1HJT, Silvano/I2YSB, Carlo/IK1AOD, Vinicio/IK2CIO, Angelo/IK2CKR, Marcello/IK2DIA, Stefano/IK2HKT and Donato/IZ2CHO will be active as 9G5TT from Busua Beach, Ghana on 13-27 November. They will have three stations active on 80-10 metres (neither 160m nor 6m are allowed) CW, SSB and RTTY. They will also operate as 9G5XX from nearby Abokwa Island (AF-084), with one station on 20 metres. Activity from the island will be planned day by day, depending on sea conditions and weather forecast. QSL via I2YSB, direct only. Further information can be found at <http://www.i2ysb.com/>
- BY - The Wangjing DX club of Beijing will be active from the Liaoning Province East Group (AS-158) on 24-26 July, IOTA Contest included. Operators mentioned are BD1HFP, BG1MFE, BG1TEM, BG1UXS, BG1WUM, BH1BRF and BH1INL. Expect them to be signing homecall/2 on 40-10 metres SSB. QSL via home calls. [TNX BH1INL]
- CP - Toni, EA5RM will be working in Bolivia in August, and expects to operate as CP1XRM in his spare time. [TNX EA5RM]
- CT8 - Hermann/CT3FN, Antonio/CU8AS, Juergen/DJ2VO and Rudi/HB9CQL will operate CW and SSB as CR2N from the Caldeira do Faial Natural Reserve on Faial Island (EU-175), Azores on 29-30 July. QSL via CT1GFK. [TNX LZ1ZF]
- EA - Niko/DD1MAT, Oscar Luis/EA1DR, Kepa/EA2DCF, Chris/EA3NT, Pablo/EA4TX, Rick/EA4ZK, Julen/EB2BXL and George/EC2ADN will participate in the IOTA Contest as AM1M from Mouro Island (EU-142). QSL via EA1DR. [TNX DD1MAT]
- EA - Celebrating the 200th anniversary of the birth of Louis Braille, special callsign EG5LB will be used again on 26 July, 2-9 August, 16 August, 23 August, 29 August and 6-7 September. QSL via EA3RKR, direct or bureau. [TNX EA3RKR]
- F - Celebrating the 60th anniversary of the Council of Europe, the local amateur radio club (<http://ewwa.free.fr>) will be active again as TP60CE on 24-26 July. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX F6FQK]
- FK/C - George, AA7JV and Tomi, HA7RY will be active as TX3A from the Chesterfield Islands (OC-176) between 23 November and 6 December (actual operating dates are subject to change due to weather and other variables). The callsign TX3A is licensed for only 14 days of operation. Should they arrive earlier or leave later than the

dates licensed, they will operate as FK/AA7JV or FK/HA7RY. Although George and Tomi intend be active also on the higher bands, this will be "another simple low-band DXpedition" with a strong focus on 160, 80 and 40 metres (in that order). QSL via HA7RY, direct or bureau. The use of the Online QSL Request Service (to be launched on the website once the expedition is over) is encouraged. The log will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Further information and updates can be found at <http://www.tx3a.com/> [TNX HA0HW and AA7JV]

- G - The Cray Valley Radio Society will be active as G3RCV/p (QSL via G4DFI) and G0FDZ/p (on 5 MHz, QSL via home call) from the Scilly Isles (EU-011) until 29 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as M8C (QSL via G4DFI). [TNX 2E0RCV]
- GM - MM1M (QSL via G3VCQ) is new callsign the Sheffield DX Net ARC will be using during the IOTA Contest. They will operate from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) until 27 July; MS0SDC/p will be in use before and after the Contest. [TNX G3VCQ]
- GW - The Barry Amateur Radio Society will be active as GB5FI from Flatholm Island (EU-124) until 28 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as GW8K. QSL via GW0ANA, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- GW - The Luton VHF Group will participate in the IOTA Contest as GW2L from Holy Island (EU-124). After the contest they will be active as GB8HI until 30 July on a part time basis. QSL for both callsigns via G8ATD.
- HL - A group of operators from the Hanyang University Wave Research Club will be active as HL0C/4 from Sonyu Island (AS-148) until 27 or 28 July. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and BPSK31 on 80, 40, 30, 20, 17 and maybe 15 metres, plus 6m. QSL via HL0C. [TNX HL2UVH]
- I - Stefano/IV3LZQ, Paolo/IV3PUT and Giovanni/IV3ODE, will be active as IA5/homecall from Capraia Island (EU-028) until 27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IV3LZQ]
- I - Filippo, IV3ZFF reports he will be active as IG9/IV3ZFF from Lampedusa Island (AF-019) on 26-29 July. Main activity will be on 10, 15 and 20 metres. QSL via home call.
- I - Paolo/IK2MLS, Maurizio/IK2MLR, Giuseppe/IZ2KPI and Antonio/IK2ULS will be active from Tinetto Island (EU-083) on 26 July, including part of the IOTA Contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK2MLS]
- I - Look for IK6XOU/p, IK6YXM/p, IZ0DIB/p, IZ4IUS/p and IZ6ASI/p to be active from the lighthouse of Cattolica (ARLHS ITA-051, WAIL ER-001) on 8-9 August. They will operate SSB and digital modes on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres. [TNX IZ6ASI]
- I - A group of operators from ARI Pesaro, ARI Fano and the Adriatic DX Team will be active as IQ6PS/p from San Bartolo Lighthouse (WAIL MA-006, ARLHS ITA-106) on 8-9 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres. [TNX I6KIU]
- I - A group of operators from ARI Genova will be active again as IU1L from La Lanterna (ARLHS ITA-177, WAIL LI-005) on 15-16 August. They will operate on 10, 15, 20, 40, 80, 6 and 2 metres. QSL direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1BZS]
- ISO - Giacomo, IZ3DBA will be active as IM0/IZ3DBA from Maddalena Island (EU-041) from 28 July to 1 August, and then as ISO/IZ3DBA from Sardinia (EU-024) until 10 August. His favourite mode is CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- JA - Celebrating its 120th anniversary, the Tokyo Dental College ARC (JA1YUC) will be active as 8J120TDC/2 from Mikomoto Island (AS-117) and lighthouse, Shizuoka Prefecture, on 26-28 July. QSL via bureau, or direct to Tokyo Dental College, 1-2-2 Masago, Mihama-ku, Chiba City, 261-8502, Japan. [TNX F5NQL]
- JA - JO3EVM will be active holiday style from Ishigaki-jima, Yaeyama Islands (AS-024) on 27-30 July. He will run 50 watts to a dipole for 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres, and will operate mostly SSB with

- some PSK31. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KL - Merle, N6PYN and Brad, KA5CDJ plan operate as N6PYN/KL7 from the Seal Islands (NA-239, new one) in late July-early August. The exact date is not known, but it "will not be earlier than July 29". They hope to be QRV around the clock for "at least two days", with activity on 20, 30 and 40 metres SSB and CW running 100 watts to a vertical dipole. QSL via N7RO. [TNX [www.islandchaser.com](http://www.islandchaser.com)]
  - OH - Jukka, OH3OJ will be active as OH3OJ/p from Hailuoto Island (EU-184) on 11-15 August. He will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres with 600 watts, a Spiderbeam for 15, 17 and 20 metres, dipoles and GPs for the other bands. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX OH3OJ]
  - OZ - Axel, DL7VEA will be active as OZ7VEA from Romo Island (EU-125) on 2-21 August. QSL via DL7VEA, direct or bureau. A log search will be available at [http://www.dl7vea.de/oz7vea-2009\\_en.html](http://www.dl7vea.de/oz7vea-2009_en.html) [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
  - PY - Jose/PY6HD, Beto/PY6RT and Nilzo/PY6AWV will be active as ZZ6Z from Itaparica Island (SA-023) until 26 July, including and entry in the IOTA Contest. They operate SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via PY6HD, direct or bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX PY6HD]
  - PY - PT2OP and PY6KW will be active from Itaparica Island (SA-023) until 27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest as PV6I. QSL via PT2OP, direct or bureau. [TNX PT7WA]
  - PY - Look for ZW6LH (QSL via PT2OP) and PR6S (QSL via PY6KW) to be active from a number of lighthouses in the Brazilian State of Bahia between 31 July and 3 August. [TNX PT7WA]
  - SM - Announced IOTA Contest activities from IOTA group EU-043 include SM6EQO/p from Styrso Island (QSL via SM6EQO) and SK6M from Tjorn Island (QSL via SM6FKF). [TNX NG3K]
  - SU - SU1AO, SU1GS and SU1SK will be active as SU8LH from the lighthouse at Ras El-Bar (ARLHS EGY-014) on 1-9 August. Expect activity on the HF bands and 6 metres SSB and CW, with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via SU1SK. [TNX SU1SK]
  - SV - Kostas/SV1DPI, Nikos/SV3BSF, Dimitris/SV1CIB and Vasilis/SV1DPJ have been active as homecall/p (QSL via home calls, direct or bureau) from Kythira Island (EU-113) since 22 July. They will be there until 26 July and will participate in the IOTA Contest as SX8Z (QSL via SV1DPI, direct and LoTW). [TNX SV1DPI]
  - UA - A team from the Kursk Technical University's radio club will operate CW and SSB as RI1OP from Purluda Island (EU-153, RRA RR-02-87) until 27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. They plan to have two stations running 100 watts into vertical antennas. QSL via RW3WW. [TNX RN1ON]
  - UA - Victor, RN1NU and Igor, UA3EDQ will operate as RN1NU/p and UA3EDQ/1 from Yakostrov (EU-147) until 27 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via home calls. [TNX [www.hfdx.at.ua](http://www.hfdx.at.ua)]
  - UA - Igor, UA0IDZ and Victor, RW0IM plan to operate as UA0IDZ/p and RW0IM/p from Nedorazumeniya Island (AS-059) during the IOTA Contest. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX [www.hfdx.at.ua](http://www.hfdx.at.ua)]
  - UA - Special callsign R45EFIR will be used on 1-10 August on all bands and modes Celebrating the 45th anniversary of radio club "Efir" (RK3PWJ, <http://www.tularadio.ru>) of the city of Efremov. [TNX UA3PNO]
  - UR - Look for US0KW/p, US0ZZ/p, UT/ER1DA/p, UT/ER3DW/p, UT/ER3DX/p, UT/ER3ZZ/p, UT2XQ/p, UT4ZG/p, UT7UT/p, UU0JM/p, UU1AZ/p, UU4JDD/p, UU4JMG/p, and UY6IM/p to operate CW and SSB from Tuzla Island (EU-180) until 27 July. QSL via home calls. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as UU7J/p (QSL via UU0JM). [TNX UT7UT]
  - UR - UR3GO, UR4QTP, UR7GO, US0GH, US0GM, UV5QAW UV5QQ, UW1GZ and UY5HF will be active as homecall/p from the the Kalanchakskiye Islands (EU-179) until 27 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as UW0G. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX UW7LL]

- V3 - Per, LA5OPA will be active as V31NP from Ambergris Key (NA-073), Belize from 26 July to 12 August. He plans to operate SSB, PSK31 and RTTY on 20 metres, with possible activity on other bands if they open to Europe. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- V7 - Yuji Oda/JH2BNL (as V73J or V7XX, on SSB and RTTY) and Fuminori Nakayasu/JA2DSQ (as V73NF, mainly on CW) will be active from Majuro (OC-029), Marshall Islands on 24-29 August. QSL direct to home calls. They have a webpage at <http://nh0aa.us/> [TNX JA2NQG]
- W - Jim, AD5ZA will be active as AD5ZA/4 from Santa Rosa Island (NA-142) on 1 August. He will operate BPSK31 on 20 and 15 metres. QSL direct to home call. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- W - Members of the Old Barney ARC (<http://www.obarc.org>) will be operating as N2OB from "Old Barney", the Barnegat Lighthouse (USA-039) on Long Beach Island (NA-111) on 1 August from about 13 UTC through 21 UTC. Expect main activity on 20 and 40 metres SSB with two stations. QSL via N2OB. [TNX N200]
- W - The Old Barney ARC (<http://www.obarc.org>) will operate again as W2T from the Tucker's Island lighthouse (USA-911) located in the Tuckerton Seaport on 15 and 16 August, from 13 UTC through 21 UTC each day. Operation will be primarily on 40 and 20 metres SSB with two stations. QSL via N200. [TNX N200]
- ZD8 - Jim, N6TJ will be active again (SSB and CW) as ZD8Z from Ascension Island (AF-003) from 30 July to 7 August. QSL via AI4U. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZF - Dave, W9CGI will be active as ZF2GC from Grand Cayman Island (NA-016) from 29 July to 10 August. He will be QRV mainly on 12 and 17 metres PSK31 and SSB, using less than 50 watts to a vertical. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]

RSGB IOTA CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (from 12 UTC on 25 July through 12 UTC on the 26th). For latest additions please visit <http://www.rsgbiota.org/>, and give a look at the announced operation lists maintained by Ric, DL2VFR (<http://www.iota-expedition.com/IOTA2009/iota2009.html>) and Bill, NG3K (<http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/iota2009.html>).

Other groups will be activated during the weekend, but advance information did not mention if the operators participate in the contest. Complete details on the IOTA Contest can be found at <http://www.iotacontest.com/>  
 SWLs please note that the IOTA SWL Contest, discontinued in 2005, has been picked up by the Mediterraneo DX Club (SWL Section), in cooperation with the RSGB HF Contests Committee, and it will be held in parallel with the IOTA Contest. Please visit <http://www.mdxc.org/swl/iota-2009.php> for detailed information. Good luck to you all!

Ref.No.	Call/Ops	QSL	425DXN
AF-004	AO8Y	EA4YK	
AF-004	EF8R	EA8CAC	
AF-014	CR3T	CT3KN	
AF-018	IH9/IZ2LSC	IZ2LSC	948
AF-018	IH9YMC	IH9YMC	
AF-046	CR3R	CT1BOL	950
AS-004	P3J	5B4AHJ	950
AS-020	BX5AA	BX5AA	
AS-059	RW0IM/p		951
AS-059	UA0IDZ/p		951
AS-060	D93I	DS4NYE	950
AS-107	HS0AC/p	HS0ZFZ	949
AS-112	A43SI	A47RS	950
AS-158	BD1HFP/2	BD1HFP	951
AS-158	BG1MFE/2	BG1MFE	951
AS-158	BG1TEM/2	BG1TEM	951
AS-158	BG1UXS/2	BG1UXS	951

AS-158	BG1WUM/2	BG1WUM	951
AS-158	BH1BRF/2	BH1BRF	951
AS-158	BH1INL/2	BH1INL	951
AS-159	YM0T	TA2RC	
EU-001	SV5/OK6Y	OK2PTZ	
EU-002	OH0V	OH6LI	
EU-002	OH0Z	W0MM	
EU-005	G1T	M0SCG	
EU-005	G2B	M0CNP	
EU-005	GB100SS		949
EU-006	EJ0GI	EI2SDR	950
EU-008	GM2T	GM4UYZ	
EU-008	GM4UBJ/p	GM4UBJ	
EU-008	GM7A	GM7AAJ	
EU-008	MM/DL6MHW	DL6MHW	
EU-008	MM3KBU/p	M3KBU	950
EU-008	MM3RDP/p	MM3RDP	
EU-008	MM3T	-	950
EU-010	MM0LSB/p	M0LSB	
EU-011	M8C	G4DFI	951
EU-013	GJ6YB	G3SWH	
EU-013	MJ0ASP	MJ0ASP	
EU-014	TK/OM2FY	OM2FY	
EU-014	TK9X	EA4URE	943
EU-015	J49A	SV9GPV	
EU-016	9A/OE3ZK	OE3ZK	950
EU-018	OY/OZ1AA	OZ1ACB	
EU-018	OY1CT	OY1CT	
EU-020	SA1A	SM1TDE	949
EU-024	IS0/OM8A	OM2VL	
EU-024	IS0BRQ/p	IS0BRQ	950
EU-028	IA5/IV3LZQ	IV3LZQ	951
EU-028	IA5/IV3ODE	IV3ODE	951
EU-028	IA5/IV3PUT	IV3PUT	951
EU-028	IA5K	IZ5BTC	
EU-031	IC8/IW8EHK	IK7JWX	
EU-032	TM7O	GW3SQX	950
EU-034	ES0U	ES2DJ	950
EU-036	LA/OE9ICI	OE9ICI	949
EU-039	F/OT3T	ON7EQ	
EU-043	SK6M	SM6FKF	951
EU-043	SM6EQO/p	SM6EQO	951
EU-048	F5SGI/p	F5SGI	943
EU-055	LA/DH0JAE	DH0JAE	
EU-059	GM5A	GM4FDM	943
EU-064	TM7C	F5CWU	
EU-067	SX8M	SV1JG	950
EU-068	F5KKD/p	F5KKD	
EU-077	AO1I	EA1NT	949
EU-083	IK2MLR/1	IK2MLR	951
EU-083	IK2MLS/1	IK2MLS	951
EU-083	IK2ULS/1	IK2ULS	951
EU-083	IZ2KPI/1	IZ2KPI	951
EU-084	SM5/G3LAS	G3LAS	950
EU-088	OZ8MW/p	OZ8MW	947
EU-090	9A8ZRS	S57L	950
EU-092	MM0Q	MM0BQI	
EU-097	OH/G4FSU	G4FSU	949
EU-105	F/OT2A	ON4HIL	947
EU-113	SX8Z	SV1DPI	951
EU-116	GD0F	M0CMK	
EU-116	MD4K	G3NKC	
EU-121	EJ1DD	EI7CC	948



EU-122	GI0ADX	MM0DHQ	
EU-122	GI0MPG	GI0MPG	950
EU-123	GM0B	MM0BHX	
EU-123	MM0TFU/p	MM0TFU	947
EU-123	MM1M	G3VCQ	951
EU-124	GW2L	G8ATD	951
EU-124	GW8K	GW0ANA	
EU-124	MW9W	M0URX	947
EU-125	OZ0FR	DL2VFR	939
EU-130	IV3YNB/p	IV3YNB	
EU-132	SP7VC/1	SP7VC	949
EU-132	SP8RX/1	DJ0IF	949
EU-133	RI1AA	UA1AIR	950
EU-135	SF2X	SM5EFX	949
EU-140	OF200AD	OH5AD	
EU-142	AM1M	EA1DR	951
EU-146	PA1WLB/p	PA1WLB	
EU-146	PA6Z	PA9M	
EU-146	PD5CW	PD5CW	
EU-146	PE1OPM	PE1OPM	
EU-147	RN1NU/p	RN1NU	951
EU-147	UA3EDQ/1	UA3EDQ	951
EU-153	RI1OP	RW3WW	
EU-156	F5RAB/p	F5RAB	
EU-157	F8CFE/p	F8CFE	
EU-165	IM0/IOPNM	IOPNM	950
EU-165	IM0M	IS0MKX	949
EU-170	9A/HA6PS	HA6PS	949
EU-170	9A/HA7JJS	HA7JJS	949
EU-170	9A/HA7PL	HA7PL	949
EU-170	9A/VE3ZIK	DO7ZZ	947
EU-170	9A6NL	HA6NL	949
EU-172	OZ/ON6QR	ON6QR	
EU-172	OZ/PA1H	PA1H	941
EU-172	OZ/PA7PA	PA7PA	941
EU-174	SX8R	HA0NAR	947
EU-175	CR2W	CT1GFK	949
EU-177	SM5ELV/5	SM5ELV	950
EU-177	SM5FWW/5	SM5FWW	950
EU-179	UW0G		951
EU-180	UU7J/p	UU0JM	951
NA-015	CO8ZZ	DK1WI	
NA-029	VY2Z	VE3ZZ	943
NA-055	W2IY/1	W2IY	
NA-057	HQ9R	K5WW	
NA-067	N4A	N4YDU	949
NA-083	W4T	K5VIP	937
NA-086	T47C or CO7PH/p		947
NA-091	VA7AQ	VA7AQ	950
NA-091	VE7DP	VE7DP	950
NA-110	AA4V	AA4V	
NA-113	C6APR	K3IXD	937
NA-128	CG200I	VE2CQ	937
NA-129	VC8B	VE8EV	943
NA-137	KO1U/p	KO1U	
NA-137	N1LI	K1DG	
NA-139	N2US/p	N2US	
NA-140	W3RFA	W3RFA	950
NA-143	N5LYG	N5LYG	
NA-198	VO1AU/p	VO1AU	
OC-005	VK9NI	VK3HR	951
OC-148	YC9MDX	EB7DX	
SA-008	LT5X	WD9EWK	

SA-023 PV6I PT2OP 951  
SA-023 ZZ6Z PY6HD  
SA-047 PR5D PY5DC 949

[TNX 2E0RCV, 5B4AHJ, A41MA, BH1INL, CT1BOL, DJ0IF, DL2VFR, EA1NT, EI3GKB, EI4GK, EI7CC, F5NQL, F5SGI, G1VDP, G3VCQ, GM3VLB, HA0HW, HA0NAR, HL1VAU, I0PNM, I1BUP, IK2MLS, IS0BRQ, IV3LZQ, IV3YNB, K3IXD, Mediterraneo DX Club, MM0NDX, NG3K, OE3ZK, ON4ATW, OPDX Bulletin, PA1H, PT7WA, RN1ON, SM1TDE, SM5ELV, Strange Radio Team, SV1DPI, SV1JG, The Daily DX, UA1AIR, UT7UT, VA3RJ, VE2EBK, VE3ZIK, www.hfdx.at.ua, www.rsgbiota.org]

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MS CONTEST ---> The VHF-DX-Portal MMonVHF, in co-operation with the magazines DUBUS and Funk-Telegramm (by Joachim, DL8HCZ), organizes the second edition of the 144 MHz Meteorscatter Sprint Contest, which will take place on 12 August (from 00.00 UTC through 23.59 UTC). Details and rules can be found at <http://www.mmonvhf.de/ctest.php> [TNX DL8EBW]

QSL VK9NI ---> Please note that the QSL route for the current VK9NI operation from Norfolk Island [425DXN 947] has changed and is no longer via W3HNK. The new route is via VK3HR (Hellenic Amateur Radio Association of Australia Inc., P.O. Box 57, Richmond, VIC 3121, Australia). The website for the operation is at <http://www.vk9ni.com>; a log search is up and running at <http://www.clublog.org/expeditions/VK9NI>

UKRAINIAN LIGHTHOUSES ---> Several activities from lighthouses in Ukraine are expected to take place between now and mid-August. Details can be found on the Ukrainian Lighthouses on the Air programme's website at <http://www.lights.in.ua/> [TNX US4LGW]

+ SILENT KEYS + Walter Cronkite (KB2GSD), the legendary CBS Evening News anchor (1962-1981), passed away on 17 July at 92 years of age. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Ken Willis (G8VR), Bill Lee (GW3MFY), Jackson "Murray" Neece (K5MDM), Antonin Vavra (OK2PCX), Sergej I. Mokrinskij (RW0AW) and Frank M. Sicuro, Sr. (W5UP).

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- 4W - 4W6AL is the callsign issued to Al, CT1GPQ for his activity from East Timor (OC-148) [425DXN 951]. Al hopes to be QRV around 7 August, and will operate in his spare time, mainly CW with some SSB and RTTY, on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via CT1GFK. Updates and on-line log search will be available at <http://algarvedx.com>
- 5B - Andy, LZ2HM will be active as 5B/LZ2HM from Cyprus on 4-11 August. He will be QRV on 160-2 metres and will participate in the WAE DX Contest CW (8-9 August) as C4I. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- CE - The Three Stars DX Group (<http://www.3stardxgroup.cl/>) will be active as XR6B from the Morro Bonifacio lighthouse (ARLHS CHI-103) on 7-9 August. They plan to operate on several bands SSB and CW. QSL via CE6AMN.
- DL - Operated by DK8ZM, DL4KWS, DO6KT, HB9KOM, OZ2KIL and PA5UL, special event station DP9S will be active from 29 July to 8 August at the German National Scout Jamboree in Buhlenberg. QSL via DK8ZM. [TNX Southgate Amateur Radio News]
- DU - Hans, DL5SDF is back on Mindanao Island (OC-130) and expects to be QRV again as DU9/DL5SDF sometime in August. He operates CW only. QSL direct to Hans Bohnet, Purok 5, Lower Bon-Bon, Libertad, Butuan City 8600, Philippines or via the DARC bureau to DL5SDF (bureau card requests will have to wait until June 2010, when he will go back to Germany). [TNX DXNL]
- EA - Five special event stations will be active on 8-23 August for the Formula 1 Grand Prix of Europe that will take place in Valencia: AM5FUV (operated by EC5BZR), AN5FUV (operated by EB5GGB), AO5FUV (operated by EA5UB), EG5FUV (operated by EA5FL) and EH5FUV (operated by EA5GVZ).
- F - Alain, F6ENO will be active from Re Island (EU-032) on 2-3 August. He will operate CW QRP on +/- 7030, 10115 and 14040 kHz. QSL via F6ENO, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - Special event call TM9CDX will be aired between 5 and 19 September for the 31st Convention of the Clipperton DX Club, this year to be held at Strasbourg on 18-19 September (details at <http://www.cdxc.org/>). QSL via F5CWU.
- G - GB4WINGS will be QRV from Windsor Great Park, England on 1-8 August. Expect activity on HF (SSB and digital modes, with some CW) and 2m (SSB) most of the day and some evenings. This is part of a communications activity for 5000 Guides and Scouts participating in international camp WINGS 2009. QSL via M0XDF. [TNX Southgate Amateur Radio News]
- HK - Cody, KC2LSD and Pedro, HK3JJH will be active as 5K5T from Gorgona Island (SA-017) between 2 and 5 August. They plan to operate SSB

- and CW on 40-10 metres. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HL - Tai, DS2NMJ will be active as DS2NMJ/2 from Tokchok Island (AS-090) on 2-3 August. He will operate SSB on 40 and 15 metres, with less than 50 watts and a GP. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DS2NMJ]
- I - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, special callsign IY1NGM is being in use until 10 October. QSL via IZ1LBG, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1LBG]
- I - Fabio, IW1DFU will be active as IA5/IW1DFU from Elba Island (EU-028, IIA LI-001) on 1-13 August. He will operate holiday style mainly CW, with a focus on 30 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IW1DFU]
- I - Look for IW6ATQ/p, IW6DLY/p and IZ6PPU/p to be active from a couple of lighthouses (ARLHS ITA-229 and ITA-230) in Ancona on 8-9 August. They plan to operate SSB and digital modes on 10, 20 and 40 metres. QSL via bureau. [TNX IZ6ASI]
- ISO - Fabrizio, IK5WOB, will be active as IS0/IK5WOB from Sardinia (EU-024) on 2-12 August. He will operate on 40, 30 and 20 metres CW only. QSL via home call. [TNX IK5WOB] JD\_oga - look for JD1BLY (QSL via JI5RPT) and JD1BNF (QSL via JO1LVZ) to be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara on 9-15 August. Activity will be on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and digital modes, plus satellite and 2m WSJT EME. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- LY - Bronius/LY1CM, Gintautas/LY2GV and Tomas/LY3X plan to be active from several Lithuanian lighthouses between 6 and 19 August. Information on the Lithuanian Lighthouses Award can be found at [http://qrz.lt/ly1cm/index\\_eng.htm](http://qrz.lt/ly1cm/index_eng.htm) [TNX IK3GER]
- P2 - After operating from OC-102, OC-231 and OC-205 between 22 October and 9 November [425DXN 939], Hans, SM6CVX plans to continue the trip on a solo basis as follows:
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|----------------|-----------------|--------|
| 11-13 November | Hastings Island | OC-117 |
| 13-14 November | Normanby Island | OC-116 |
| 15-16 November | Loloata Island  | OC-240 |
- The callsign will be P29VCX and QSL via SM6CVX. The web page for the expedition is at [http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29\\_2009](http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2009) [TNX IZ1CRR]
- SV - Pista, HA8UT and his "family" - including HA8TU (wife), HA8TT (younger daughter), HG8SS (elder daughter) and HA8SS (son-in-law) - are spending their summer holidays at Neo Potidea, Greece until 4 August. They are active as SX2Z and/or SV2/homecall on 40-6 metres CW and SSB. QSL via HA8UT, direct or bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
- T6 - Steve, W7VOA will be in Kabul to report on the Afghan national elections between 8 and 22 August. He plans to operate as T6AD when time permits, using 100 watts and a G5RV antenna with a focus on 40, 20 and 15 metres CW (and maybe PSK). QSL via K2AU. [TNX NG3K]
- TK - Laurent, F8BBL will be active as TK8B from Corsica (EU-014) on 1-15 August. He will operate holiday style mainly SSB, with some SSB. Weather and sea dependent side trips to the Lavezzi Islands (EU-164, 6 August) and the Sanguinaires Islands (EU-104, 11 August) are also being planned. QSL via F8BBL, direct or bureau. On 8 August he hopes to go to Punta di Corna Caprunu (535m a.s.l.) for the SOTA programme. [TNX F5NQL]
- UA - Jurij/UA1OC, Aleksej/RN1ON and Vladimir/UA1OMP will be active as UE1OLH from a couple of lighthouses (ARLHS ERU-002 and ERU-146) on Mud'yugskiy Island (EU-153) from 31 July to 4 August. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 80, 40, 30, 20 and 15 metres. QSL via RK1OZM, direct or bureau. [TNX RN1ON]
- W - The Cape Ann Amateur Radio Association will be active again as W1T from Thacher Island (NA-148) between 1 and 9 August, with main operation on the 8th and the 9th. Activity will take place from

either the North Tower (ARLHS USA-1027) and the South Tower (ARLHS USA-105). QSL via W1GLO (direct). [TNX VA3RJ]

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CONWAY REEF 2009 ---> The website for the 1-10 October DXpedition to Conway Reef [425DXN 948] is now up and running at <http://www.conwayreef2009.de>. Jan, DJ8NK reports that everything is on schedule: "the paperwork is done, the flights are booked, the catamaran is chartered, and the hardware is in store". [TNX DJ8NK]

EU HF CHAMPIONSHIP ---> Organized by the Slovenia Contest Club, this year's event will take place on 1 August, from 12 UTC to 23.59 UTC. Only Europe to Europe contacts count. Rules at <http://lea.hamradio.si/scc/euhf/euhfc.htm>

GEPARK CERTIFICATE ---> The English Riviera Geopark is offering a special commemorative European Geoparks Network certificate for contacts made (or heard, for SWLs) with GB6GEO and other Geopark stations. Details can be found at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) under GB6GEO [TNX G3VOF]

ILLW ---> The 11th annual International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend, organized and managed by the Ayr Amateur Radio Group, will take place from 00.01 UTC on 15 August until 23.59 UTC on the 16th. Complete information on this popular event can be found at <http://illw.net>. The list of participating stations (320+ so far) is at [http://illw.net/2009\\_list.htm](http://illw.net/2009_list.htm)

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Volker + Winterscheid (DF7IT), Paul Homer (G4BXT), Sandro Jose Tafarelo (PY2OW), Igor V. Kovalyov (RU6FZ, ex-UA6HCW), Robert J. Hudson (W4HR), George W. Edwards (W4OSE) and Robert J. Templin (W5OE).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3DA0DJ	GI4FUM	G3RCV/p	G4DFI	ON40SM	ON6KN
3DA0EL	UT5EL	G5O	G3VOU	OX3LX	OZ1PIF
3DA0MM	NC4MM	G6MC	G0WOT	OY/OZ1AA	OZ1ACB
3DA0VA	M0VAA	G7N	G3ZGC	OZ0FR	DL2VFR
3Z400IYA	SP2FAP	GB100LB	G0KOK [1]	P3F	5B4AHJ
3Z40MOON	SP9EVP	GB100LB	G3YMD [2]	P3J	5B4AHJ
4C12SG	XE1RCQ	GB100SS	M0VFC	PA6Z	PA9M
4L1UN	EA7FTR	GB4ATC	G4PSH	PE25KP	PE2KP
4W6FR	VK4FW	GB50ATG	M5AEX	PR5D	PY5DC
5C10FT	EA7FTR	GB5FI	GW0ANA	PV6I	PT2OP
5H4BL	IV3RTL	GB8HI	G8ATD	PX5B	PP5BZ
5P2OU	DF2OU	GD0F	M0CMK	R1ANB	RN1ON
5P5CW	DL5SE	GI0ADX	MM0DHQ	R1AND	RU1ZC
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	GJ6YB	G3SWH	R3ARS/1/P	RA3AKF
5V7PRF	I1FQH	GJ7TWC	G7TWC	RI1AA	UA1AIR
6V1A	6W6JX	GM0B	MM0BHX	RI1OP	RW3WW

7P8AO	HA5AO	GM2T	GM4UYZ	RN1NU/p	RN1NU
7P8CF	K5LBU	GM5M	GM4ZNC	RW0IM/p	RW0IZ
7P8MM	W0MM	GM7A	GM7AAJ	SA1A	SM1TDE
7P8OK	M0URX	GM7V	M0CMK	SF2X	SM5EFX
7P8YI	DJ0YI	GW2L	G8ATD	SK6M	SM6FKF
8J1ASAHI/1	JA1SKY	GW6W	GW4TTA	SM0S	SM5BAX
8N7HOSHI/7	JH7YES	GW8K	GW0ANA	SN0HQ	SP7DQR
9A6NL	HA6NL	H2Q	5B4KH	SN0HS	SP5KP
9A8TQF	HB9TQF	H2T	5B4XF	SN0JSM	SP9PNS
9A8ZRS	S57L	HC2AQ	EA5KB	SP8RX/1	DJ0IF
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	HF1759BPK	SP3PJW	SV0XAN/5	IK2WZD
9V1YC	W5UE	HF40MOON	SP9BRP	SX8JAO	SV2JAO
A41KJ	NI5DX	HF94FKS	SP4FKS	SX8M	SV1JG
A43SI	A47RS	HF94GFG	SP4GFG	SX8R	HA0NAR
A65BJ	DL7EDH	HF94JEN	SQ4JEN	SX8Z	SV1DPI
A65BP	UA6MF	HF94JTJ	SP4JTJ	TC21BSR	TA1HZ
AM1M	EA1DR	HG400HV	HA0HV	TK2Y	F5MZN
AM1S	EA1OS	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	TK9X	EA4URE
AN1C	EA1DGL	HL0C/4	HL0C	TM100B	F2YT
AN7APC	EA7URD	HL9A	WX8C	TM16PO	F5DRD
AN8A	EA8MQ	HS0AC/p	HS0ZFZ	TM3FFI	F8JZR
AO1I	EA1NT	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	TM3G	F6BFH
AO8GTC	EA8RCP	HZ1MD	EA7FTR	TM7C	F5CWU
AO8Y	EA4YK	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	TM7O	GW3SQX
BV0K	BV2KI	IA5K	IZ5BTC	TP60CE	F5LGF
BV2009WGK	BV7GC	IB0R	IK8HCG	UA0IDZ/p	RW0IZ
C37DXU	C37URA	IC8/IW8EHK	IK7JWX	UA3EDQ/1	UA3EDQ
C4I	LZ2HM	IC8/IY7NGM	IK7JWX	UE1CBB	UA1AIR
C4W	5B4WN	IE9T	IN3ZNR	UE1CDX	RN1CW
C4Z	G3SWH	IL7A	IK8EJN	UE1REP	UA1RJ
C6APR	K3IXD	IM0M	IS0MKX	UE3DFF	RK3DYB
C6AQO	K3IXD	IS0/OM8A	OM2VL	UE3KFF	RN3QN
C6AWL	RA3CO	J48AL	DM3CW	UE9UKK	RA9UT
C6AXD	K3IXD	J49A	SV9GPV	UU7J/p	UU0JM
CG200I	VE2CQ	JW4EU	LA4EU	V31NP	LA5OPA
CO8ZZ	DK1WI	JW9QNA	LA9QNA	VC8B	VE8EV
CR2F	CT1GFK	KH2/K3ZB	JH1NBN	VK9IR	VK2IR
CR2N	CT1GFK	KH6MB	AI4U	VK9NI	VK3HR
CR2W	CT1GFK	LZ01WFF	LZ1ZF	VQ9ZZ	N1ZZZ
CR3D	CT1BOL	M8C	G4DFI	VR2009EAG	VR2XMT
CR3R	CT1BOL	MC0SHL	M0URX	VY2Z	VE3ZZ
CR3T	CT3KN	MD4K	G3NKC	W4T	K5VIP
CT7/LZ3ND	LZ1NK	MM0LSB/p	M0LSB	WH7B	DL6DQW
D93I	DS4NYE	MM0NDX/p	M0URX	XR1A	XJ1IDM
E51AND	AB7FS	MM0Q	MM0BQI	XU7FMZ	JA1FMZ
EA8OM	DJ1OJ	MM1M	G3VCQ	XV9DX	OM3JW
EA9/DJ1AIB	JR1AIB	MM3KBU/p	M3KBU	XW1B	E21EIC
EA9/KH0AM	JE1CKA	MW0OXO/p	M3ZYZ	YC9MDX	EB7DX
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EF8R	EA8CAC	MW9W	M0URX	YM0T	TA2RC
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EW6GF	DL8KAC	OH0V	OH6LI	ZL3A	ZL3WW
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- 3B7 - Rachid, 3B8FQ [425DXN 948] will leave Mauritius by boat on 11 August and will be active as 3B7FQ from St. Brandon Island (AF-015) starting on the 12-13 through the end of the month (and possibly for a few extra days in early September). He will operate CW and SSB in his spare time. Look for him on 30-10 metres, although Rachid expects 40 and 20 metres to be most productive. He will use the island's G5RV and a vertical with a 100 watt transceiver powered by a 12 volt battery that will be charged daily. Rachid's anticipated frequencies are 7008, 10108, 14008, 18078, 21008, 24898, 28008 kHz (CW) and 7050, 14191, 18141, 21241, 24941, 28491 kHz (SSB). QSL via K5XK, direct preferred. [TNX K5XK]
- 3D2\_cr - Uwe, DJ9HX has joined the 1-10 October DXpedition to Conway Reef [425DXN 948], which means that they will be able to run up to four stations simultaneously. The callsign will be 3D20CR (3D Twenty CR), to mark the 20th anniversary of the first operation (3D2CR) from the newly born DXCC Entity. QSL via DJ8NK. The website for the expedition is at <http://www.conwayreef2009.de> [TNX DJ8NK]
- 4J - Gerard, F2VX and Yannick, F6FYD will be active as 4J/homecall from Azerbaijan on 11-29 August. They will operate SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- 5B - Terry, G4MKP will be active as 5B/G4MKP from Cyprus (AS-004) on 14-25 August. He will operate mainly CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via M0URX. [TNX NG3K]
- 9M - Mirek, VK6DXI will be active in his spare time as 9M8DX/2 from Kuala Lumpur, West Malaysia until 13 August. Then he will go and operate holiday style as 9M8DX from Kuching, Sarawak (OC-088), East Malaysia until the 18th. He will operate mainly CW from both locations. QSL via SP5UAF. [TNX VK6DXI]
- BY - A group of six operators will be active as BA7IO/4 from Heng Sha Island (AS-136) on 8-17 August. QSL direct to BA7IO. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- C2 - Dani, EA4ATI (9M2TI) expects to be active as C21TI from Nauru (OC-031) on 17-23 August. Plans are to operate SSB and CW on 160-6 metres. QSL via EA4ATI. Further information can be found at <http://c21ti.madrone.net/index.html>
- CE - Hector, CE3FZL will be active as CE2P from the lighthouse at Punta Panul (ARLHS CHI-073) on 15-16 August. He plans on 40 metres SSB. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX EA5OL]
- CE0Y - XR0YA is the callsign issued to the expedition to Easter Island (SA-001) which will take place between 31 October and 15 November [425DXN 945]. The six team members (namely Marco/CE6TBN, Leszek/N11L, Art/PA3C, Zbig/SP7HOV, Stan/SQ8X and Victoria/SV2KBS)

have been granted permission to operate on all bands, and they plan to focus on 160, 80, 40 and above all 30 metres (CW only, as digital modes on 30m are not allowed). Working Europe on 30 metres will be their priority during the first week on the island. XR0YA will have three stations with two amplifiers and several antennas. Although SSB will not be neglected, CW will be the main operating mode, with some RTTY being planned as well. QSL route TBA. Further information can be found on the expedition's web site (<http://rapanui2009.org/>). [TNX MM0NDX]

- CT7 - CT1GZB, CT1CSY and CT2JXT will be active as CR6LH from the lighthouse at Cabo Espichel (ARLHS POR-009) on 15-16 August. They plan to operate SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and some slow CW on as many bands as possible. QSL via CT1GZB, direct or bureau. [TNX CT1GZB]
- CT8 - Frank, DK5FT will be active holiday style as CT8/DK5FT from Sao Miguel (EU-003), Azores on 10-22 September. [TNX DK5FT]
- CX - The Radio Club Uruguayo will be active as CW1R from the lighthouse at Punta del Este (ARLHS URU-008) on 14-16 August. They plan to have at least two stations up and running on 80-15 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL direct to Radio Club Uruguayo, P.O. Box 37, 11000 Montevideo, Uruguay. [TNX CX3AL]
- DL - Michel/HB9DLO, Pierre-Yves/HB9OMI and Pierre/HB9SMU will be active as DL/HB9LH from Schleimunde lighthouse (ARLHS FED-217) on Lotsen Island (not IOTA, O-020 for the German Islands Award) on 8-16 August. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 80-6 metres. QSL via HB9DLO, direct or bureau. [TNX I2JJR]
- EA8 - EA8ANE, EA8AZM, EA8CAC and EA8DP will be active as AO8FLH from La Entallada Lighthouse on Fuerteventura Island on 15-16 August. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via EA8AKN, direct or bureau. [TNX EA8CAC]
- F - Martin, F4UKP will be active as F4UKP/p from Ile de Re (EU-032) on 15-22 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. He plans to operate SSB and CW, with some PSK31 and RTTY. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- FO - FO8RZ is the callsign issued to Phil, F5PHW (<http://f5phw.chez.com>) for him to use during his two-year stay on Tahiti, French Polynesia [425DXN 945]. The vertical antenna has been set up, he says, the others will follow in due course. QSL via F8BPN, direct or bureau. Phil's log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX F5NQL]
- G - Viv, G4PLY will be active as GB111HP for the rest of August. The special callsigns is a tribute to Harry Patch, who passed away on 25 July, a few weeks after his 111th birthday. He was the oldest surviving World War I veteran living in the UK. QSL via G4PLY, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- G - Celebrating the 60th anniversary of the first British amateur radio station (H. Woodhead, G2NX) to use SSB, the Marches Amateur Radio Society will be active as GB1SSB on 8-9 and 22-23 August. QSL via the RSGB bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- G - The Border Reivers Amateur Radio Society (MX0BRS) will be active as GB4SML from St Mary's Lighthouse on St Mary's Island (EU-011) on 15-16 August. QSL via M1DZT.
- I - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, Frank, IZ7AUH is active as IY7GM through the end of the year. On 9 August he will operate on 6 metres during the Alessio Ortona 50MHz Memorial (7-15 UTC). QSL via home call (see [qrz.com](http://qrz.com) under IY7GM for QSLling instructions). [TNX IZ7AUH]
- I - Giorgio, IZ4AKS will be active as IE9X from Ustica Island (EU-051, IIA PA-001) on 16-21 August. He will operate mainly SSB, with some RTTY and CW, on 40-10 metres. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX IZ4AKS]
- JD\_oga - Tack, JE1RXJ is active as JD1BNE from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara until 9 August. He operates CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX JE1RXJ]

- JW - This year's SYLRA (<http://www.sylra.is/>) meeting will be held in Kolbotn, Norway on 3-6 September (special callsign LA1SYL). After that, on 7-11 September, Ingrid/LA8FOA, Unni/LA6RHA and several other YL operators will be active as JW1SYL from Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard. QSL via LA8FOA, direct or bureau.
- KL - Boris, N3SY will be active on 40-10 metres as KL7/N3SY from the Denali National Park on 6-15 August. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- KP - The Caribbean Amateur Radio Group (WP4CRG) will be active as W4L from the Arecibo Lighthouse (ARLHS PUR-001), Puerto Rico (NA-099) between 14 and 23 August. QSL direct to CARG, P.O. Box 140031, Arecibo, PR 00614-0031, USA. [TNX VA3RJ]
- LA - Henk/PA3FMC, Ruud/PE1BTV and Hans/PH0V will be active from Utvaer Island (EU-055) on 11-17 August. Expect LA/PE1BTV and LA/PH0V to be QRV on 2 and 6 metres respectively, while LA/PA3FMC will operate SSB, CW and PSK on the HF bands. Further information can be found at <http://la2009.dxpeditie.nl/> [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- LA - Mario will be active as LA2NK and/or LA/DL5ME from Mageroya (EU-044) on 13-16 August. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL direct to DL5ME. On 19 August he will operate for some eight hours as OH9AA/p from Syvaletto (EU-126). QSL direct to DH5MM.
- LU - The Radio Club Argentino will be active as LR5D from Martin Garc a Island (SA-055) and lighthouse on 14-17 August. They plan to operate CW, SSB and FM on 160-6 metres, plus 2m and 70cm. QSL via LU4AA, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at <http://www.lu4aa.org/mgi2009.htm> [TNX LU1BCE]
- LZ - Plamen, LZ3FM will be active as LZ02WFF from Biosphere Reserve Kamchia between 11 and 18 August. He will operate mainly CW with some SSB on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL for this activation via LZ1PJ, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- OJ0 - OJ0B and OJ0J have been active from Market Reef (EU-053) since 6 August. During the weekend, Pertti/OH2PM will participate in the Worked All Europe CW Contest as OJ0B, while Pekka/OH2TA and Henry/OH3JR will operate OJ0J mainly on 30, 17 and 12 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. On 10 August OJ0B will go QRT, but OJ0J will continue until the 12th with a new team including Masaru/JA5AQC, Taka/JA5AUC, Katsu/JA4JBZ and Jaakko/OH1TX. QSL OJ0B via OH2BH, QSL OJ0J via OH0RJ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ON - ON4CB, ON4LO, ON5GQ and ON6HP will be active as OR9W from the lightship "Westhinder 1" on 15-16 August. They plan to operate SSB on various bands. QSL via ON4CB, bureau preferred. [TNX ON4LO]
- PA - Special event station PD55EA (<http://www.pd7bz.nl/pd55ea>) will be active until 28 August to celebrate the 55th anniversary of the open.air museum "Ellert and Brammert" in Schoonoord, The Netherlands. Expect activity on 10, 20 and 40 metres SSB and digital modes. All of the QSO will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards should be sent to PD7BZ. [TNX PD7BZ]
- PA - Members of the PI4VPO group will operate CW, SSB and PSK on the HF and VHF bands from Stenen Baak old lighthouse (ARLHS NET-071) on 15-16 August. QSL via PA2CNR. [TNX PA0AKN]
- PY - Jose/PY6HD, Beto/PY6RT and Nilzo/PY6AWU will be active once again as ZZ6Z from Itaparica Island (SA-023) on 14-16 August. They will operate SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres. QSL via PY6HD, direct or bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX PT7WA]
- PY - Mor, PT7ZT will be active as PT7ZT/p from Pecem Lighthouse (ARLH BRA-285) on 15-16 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX PT7ZT]
- SP - Wilhelm, SP8AJC and Henryk, SP9JPA will be active as 3Z8WFF from Krempna, Magurski National Park on 20-23 August. QSL via SP8AJC, direct or bureau. [TNX SP9JPA]
- SP - Special event station SN120OSP will be active from 21 August to 31 October from Gorowo Ilaweckie, Poland to celebrate the 120

- anniversary of the creation of the volunteer fire brigades. QSL via SP4CUF. [TNX SP4CUF]
- SV - Look for J48LH to be in use from the lighthouse at Cape Dukato on Levkas Island (not IOTA) on 6-9 August. Plans are to have three stations active on CW and SSB. QSL via SV3DCX. [TNX www.southgatearc.org]
- SV - Kostas, SV2MAC will be active as SV2MAC/8/p from Samothraki Island (EU-174) on 16-30 August. He plans to operate SSB on all the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX SV2MAC]
- TA - On 17 August 1999 a major earthquake struck northwestern Turkey and killed some 17,000 people. In remembrance of those who lost their lives, the Turkish Special Wireless Activity Team (<http://www.tcswat.org>) will operate as TC99Y (from Bozburun Lighthouse at Yalova) and TC99K (from Yelkenkaya Lighthouse at Kocaeli) on 15-16 August. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TK - Heinz, DF6ZY will be active as TK/DF6ZY from Corsica (EU-014) from 16 September to 3 October. He plans to operate on 10-80 metres mostly RTTY, with some SSB and SSTV on request. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DF6ZY]
- UR - The Ternopil Amateur Radio Club will use special callsign EM360B on 14-18 August to commemorate the 360th anniversary of the historical battle of Zboriv. QSL via UY5BC. [TNX UR5BCP]
- VE - Neil, VE3SST will be active Salisbury Island (not IOTA, CIsA ON-284) on 15-20 August. QSL via home call. [TNX VE3SST]
- VE - Cezar, VE3LYC reports that his VY00 IOTA trip to the Ottawa Islands (NA-230) [425DXN 950] has been rescheduled for 5-8 September. The islands are quite far from the mainland, and weather conditions can influence his schedule. [TNX MM0NDX]
- VK - Wally, VK6YS (<http://www.westozdx.net/index.html>) is in the process of organizing an IOTA expedition to Robertson Island, Houtman Abrolhos (OC-211) to take place between 29 December and 4 January 2010. QSL via VK4AAR. Permissions, lodging and transport have been For the time being the team includes Wally and Nigel/VK6NI, but they are looking for another two operators to share the costs. Please contact Wally ([vk6ys@iinet.net.au](mailto:vk6ys@iinet.net.au)) if interested. The Abrolhos were activated for the first and only time by VK9XZ/6 back in January 1996. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- VU - Special event station AT8LHC will be active on 20 and 40 metres CW, SSB and digital modes from Kadalur Point Lighthouse (ARLHS IND-013) on 7-16 August. QSL via VU2JHM, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

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QSL 3DA0 ---> It seems that some of the qrz.com QSL routes for the current operation from Swaziland (3DA0DJ, 3DA0EL, 3DA0MH, 3DA0MM, 3DA0TB and 3DA0VA) are not correct. David Hutchinson, GI4FUM/3DA0DJ says he is "the QSL manager for the group" and that "there will be one card printed with all 6 individual calls on it". [TNX GI4FUM]

QSL S50HQ ---> The QSL route for S50HQ (IARU HF World Championship HQ station for Slovenia) is no longer via S57XX. The new QSL manager is S54G (direct and bureau). The log has been uploaded to LoTW. [TNX S50U]

QSL VIA VE7DP ---> Frank, VE7DP says that the cards for 4F1VEM/9, 4F4PA and DY1C were printed and mailed a month ago, and the package "should arrive any day now". All direct requests will be processed by end of August, please be patient. Bureau cards can be requested by sending an e-mail to Frank

(ve7dp@rac.ca), who might also be able to help with DV4ADC and DW4DLJ (if you are getting no response via the address on qrz.com). [TNX VE7DP]

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- 3B7 - Rachid, 3B8FQ [425DXN 953] was expected to arrive to St. Brandon (AF-015) around 2 UTC on 12 August. Barring unforeseen circumstances, he now expects to extend his stay on the island, and to be operate as 3B7FQ until sometime on 3 September. Operating time will be shared with Rachid's maintenance responsibilities at the local meteorological station. QSL via K5XK, direct preferred. [TNX K5XK]
- 9M - Hans, DF5UG (9M2QQ) has been in Malaysia for a few days. On 15-16 August he will participate in the ILLW activity from Cape Rachado Lighthouse (9M4LHN); then, between 19 August and 7 September, he will be travelling to Sarawak (9M8QQ), Sabah (9M6QQ) and Brunei (V85QQ). QSL via home call. [TNX DXNL]
- 9M2 - Participating stations in the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend from West Malaysia include: 9M4LHB (Bukit Melawati Lighthouse, Selangor), 9M4LHC (Tanjung Gelang Lighthouse, Pahang), 9M4LHE (Bukit Jugra Lighthouse, Selangor), 9M4LHJ (Bukit Segenting Lighthouse, Johor), 9M4LHN (Cape Rachado Lighthouse, Melaka) and 9M4LHP (Fort Cornwallis Lighthouse on Penang Island, AS-015).
- 9M6 - Members of the Borneo Amateur Radio Club will operate as 9M4LHS from the lighthouse on Pulau Layang (also known as Pulau Layangan, OC-133), Sabah, East Malaysia for the ILLW on 15-16 August . This will be a camping and generator operation using 100 watts to vertical or wire antennas on 40-10 metres, mainly SSB, plus 2m FM. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX 9M6DXX]
- A2 - Les, W2LPL and Dan, W2DBL will be active as A25/W2LPL from Botswana on 16-19 August. They will operate SSB and PSK-31 on 20 and 40 metres in their spare time. QSL via W2LPL. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CT8 - Jan, DL7JAN and Egon, DL2IX will be active as CT8/DL7JAN and CT8/DL2IX from Faial (EU-175), Azores on 21-31 August. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- CX - The Centro de Radioaficionados de Rocha will operate as CW4T from the lighthouse at Cape Polonio (ARLHS URU-005) on 15-16 August. Expect activity on 160, 80, 40, 20, 6 and 2 metres. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX CX2TG]
- DL - DF6CQ, DG3XA, DG7TG and DJ5KK will be active on 6 metres as DF0IT



- from Helgoland (EU-127, JO34we) during the ILLW. QSL for this activity via DG7TG. [TNX www.mmmmonvhf.de]
- DL - Chris, OE3CHC and Mike, OE3MDC will be active as DL/homecall from Spiekeroog Island (EU-047) on 17-21 August. They will operate holiday style on 80-20 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home calls. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- FJ - Gary, W2VQ and Paul, WQ2N will be active as FJ/W2VQ and FJ/WQ2N from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) on 18-25 August. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and possibly PSK31 on 80-6 metres. QSL both calls via WQ2N. [TNX The Daily DX]
- GM - Amateur radio operators who are resident in Scotland may apply for special permission to replace the letter 'M' in their prefix with 'A' (for Alba, the Gaelic name for Scotland) until 30 November, as part of the "Homecoming Scotland 2009" celebrations (www.homecomingscotland.com). [TNX 9M6DXX]
- ISO - Giorgio, IZ3KVD says he will be active as ISO/homecall from Cagliari, Sardinia (EU-024) on 16-31 August. He plans to operate holiday style on SSB and digital modes. QSL via home call.
- LA - Ben, DL7BY will operate mainly CW as LA/DL7BY from Hinnoya (EU-033) on 15-22 August. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX DXNL]
- LU - Dario, LU3DR will be active as AY0DX from Baliza Espigon Este (ARLHS ARG-114) for the ILLW. He plans to operate SSB on 80, 40, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via LU3DR. [TNX LU3DR]
- OZ - Ric, DL2VFR will be active as OZ0FR/p from Vesborg Fyr lighthouse (ARLHS DEN-046) on Samsø Island (EU-172) from 22 August to 4 September. CW is his preferred mode. QSL via DL2VFR, direct or bureau. [TNX DL2VFR]
- PA - Promoting the World Statues Festival that will take place in Arnhem at the end of the month, Fred, PA0FAW will be active as PA0WSF on 14-30 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX K1XN]
- SP - Look for special station SN2NP to be active from the historic lighthouse at Gdansk Nowy Port on 14-16 August. QSL via SP2BIK. [TNX SP2BIK]
- TA - In recognition of their key role in emergency communications, the Turkish IARU member society, TRAC, has been invited to take part in the official Memorial Event for the tragic earthquake that struck northwestern Turkey on 17 August 1999. Special event station TC17A is expected to be active from around 16 UTC on 16 August until at least 1 UTC on the 17th. Look for activity on 40 and 20 metres mainly SSB, and on 30 metres CW and PSK. [TNX www.iaru-r1.org/]
- VE - Cezar, VE3LYC announces that his VY00 operation from the Ottawa Islands (NA-230) [425DXN 953] has been re-scheduled again, and is hoped to take place from 31 August to 3 September. [TNX MM0NDX]
- W - Alan, WD4AC will be operating portable from Core Banks (NA-067) on 19-22 August. Activity will be concentrated on 20 metres. QSL direct to home call. [TNX VA3RJ]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (July 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

DXCC NEWS ---> ZS8T (Prince Edward & Marion Island, operated by ZS6GCM ) and 7O1YGF (Yemen, 16-26 April 2000) have been approved for DXCC credit. As for 7O1YGF, this is the official release from Bill Moore, NC1L:

"After reviewing recently-received information regarding the 701YGF operation, and after additional dialogue with a leader of the DXpedition, the DXCC desk has approved this operation.

Considering the length of time that has passed since this operation, we ask that DXCC participants who would like to claim credit for 701YGF follow the options below:

\* Send the 701YGF card ONLY to DXCC with a SASE, or return postage if outside the US; DXCC will process the card and applicants will not be charged a submission fee. 701YGF cards included with other cards will be handled as part of a normal submission.

\* Bring the card to a DXCC Card Checker. The card checker will forward the confirmation to the DXCC desk for processing. Again, there will be no submission fee if this is a single-card submission. You must fill out an application form, however.

In all other cases applicants can include their QSL card with their next submission, and it will be handled normally. We will work with the 701YGF team to use Logbook of the World if possible.

Remember, the cutoff date for the 2009 DXCC Annual listing and Honor Roll list is December 31, 2009. We encourage applicants to handle this sooner rather than wait until the last minute".

30 METRES ---> The 30 Meter Multi Mode Weekend will be held on 22-23 August to promote experimenting and using different digital modes on that band. Information can be found on the 30 Meter Digital Group's website at <http://30mdg.net/Events.html> [TNX F5NQL]

QSL 701YGF ---> Those who still need a paper QSL card for 701YGF can send their request to DJ3XD (he was the original QSL manager for CW QSOs, but now he will handle SSB and RTTY as well). The logs are expected to be uploaded to LoTW within a couple of weeks' time. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL ZK2V ---> "We are in the process of finalizing the QSL design for ZK2V and expect to have cards in hand in about 6 weeks", N3SL says. "Please be patient and do not re-QSL".

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3DA0EL	GI4FUM	EX7MK	IK2QPR	PA80ZERO	PA3CAL
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701YGF	DJ3XD	IO7Y	IO5NY	SX2Z	HA8UT
7Q7SI	JA1PBV	IQ8RB/p	IZ1CCE	SX5SYMI	SV5FRI

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DR60NATO	DL1WH	OD5SK	IZ8CLM	Z29KM	EA7FTR
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EG5LB	EA3RKR	ON769MS	ON6MS	ZP5KO	PY4KL
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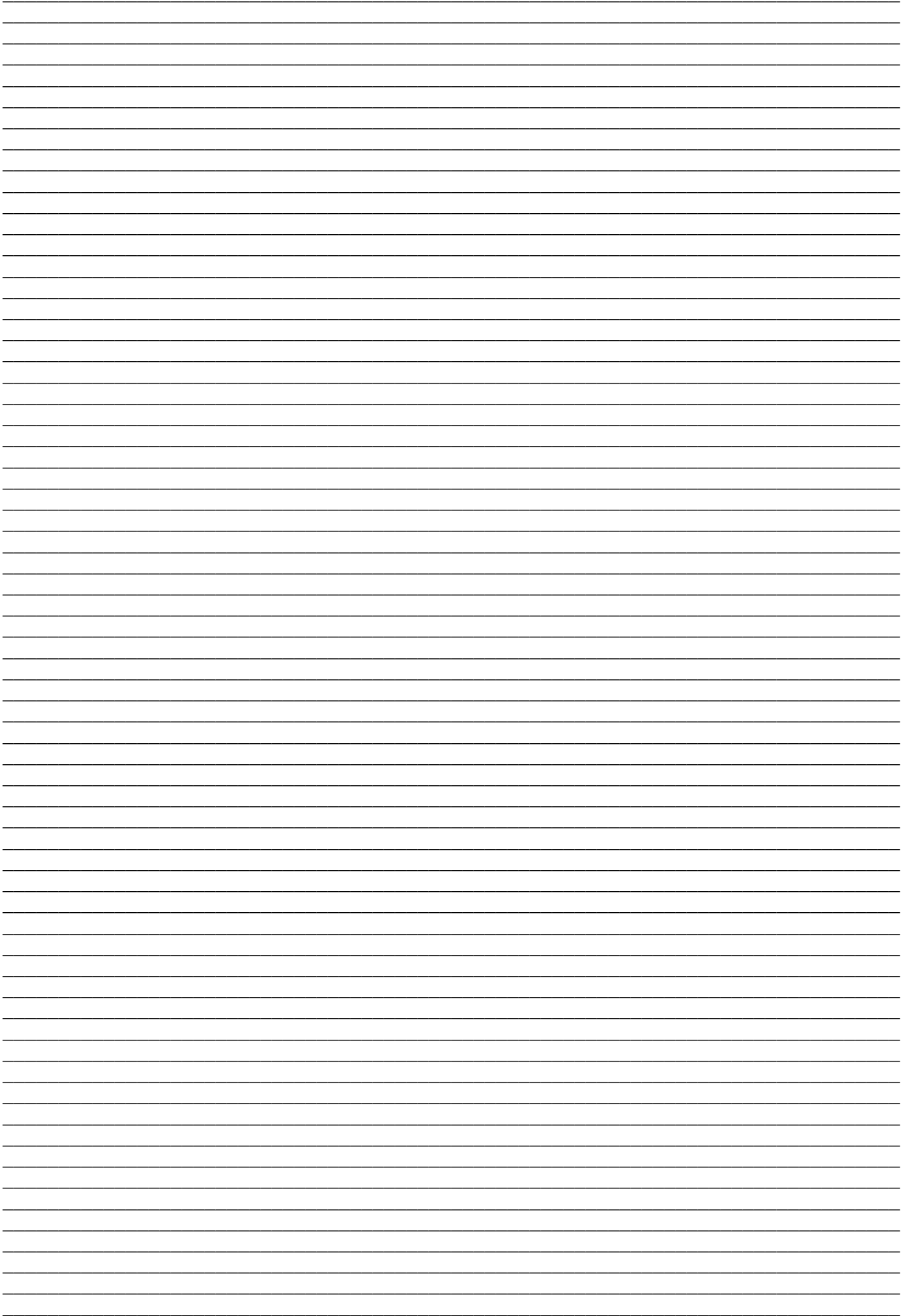
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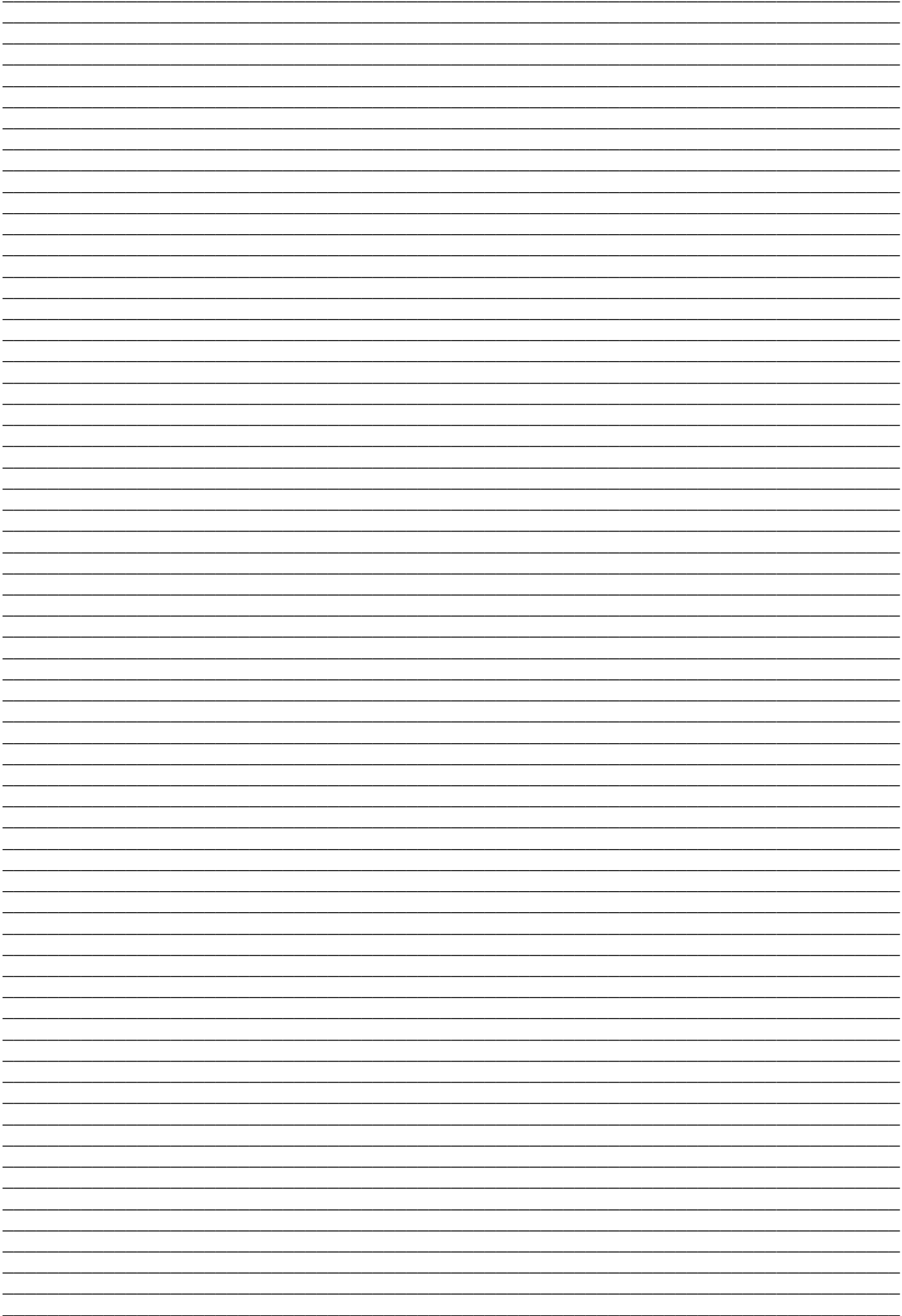
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- F - Members of the Radio Club Haute Saintonge (F5KLJ) will operate SSB, CW and digital modes as TM1MAD from Ile Madame (not IOTA, DIFM AT-024) on 5-6 September. QSL via F5KLJ, bureau preferred. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - Commemorating the 150th anniversary of the birth of radioactivity pioneer and Nobel laureate Pierre Curie, special event stations TM150RPC (QSL via F5KAZ) and TM0RPC (QSL via F5KEB) will be active on 6-20 September and 19 September-2 October respectively. [TNX F1SIU]
- G - The Cray Valley Radio Society will be holding a "Ham Radio Summit Festival" on 30 August (10-19 UTC) from Shooters Hill, the highest point in South East London. Expect activity on the HF bands and 2 metres using the special callsign GB4SH. QSL via G4DFI. More details at [www.qrz.com](http://www.qrz.com) [TNX 2E0RCV]
- KH0 - Kuny/7L1FPU (W1FPU) and his nine-year-old son Yoshiki/JF1UCV (KH0UA), Tomo/ JQ1OCR (N2QP) and his wife Yuri/KE7TWK, Hajime/AH0BR and Moto/W1NDE will be active as AH0BT from the Mariana Islands (OC-086) on 4-7 September, including a M/M entry in the All Asian DX Contest (SSB). QSL via 7L1FPU, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- LX - Theo/PA1TK, Kees/PA5WT and Rob/PA3GVI will be active as LX/homecall from Luxembourg on 4-7 September. Theo will operate in the IARU VHF Contest (144 MHz), while Kees and Rob will focus on the HF bands (80-10 metres, CW and SSB). QSL via home calls. [TNX PA3GVI]
- OH0 - Peter (OH0JWL, CW), Horst (OH0/DF6FL, CW and SSB) and Siegfried (OH0/DL9ZE, SSB and RTTY) will be active from Eckeröe, Åland Islands (EU-002) from 28 August to 12 September. Expect them to be QRV on 10, 15, 17 and 20 metres as preferred bands. QSL OH0JWL via DL5FF, others via home calls. [TNX DXNL]
- OH - OH1BOI, OH1JJO and OH1FEQ will be active as OH1AV/2 from Vormo Island (EU-097) on 28-30 August. QSL via OH1BOI. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- ON - Special callsign ON4DAMIAN will be in use on 5-6 September and 3-4 October to mark the canonization of Father Damiaan de Veuster (1840-1889), a Belgian missionary who helped lepers on the Hawaiian island of Molokai. QSL via ON7LR, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- P2 - Allan, VK2GR will be active in his spare time as P29CW from Kiunga, Papua New Guinea (OC-034) between September and December. QSL direct only via VK2IR. [TNX MM0NDX]
- PA - In October 1934 the KLM Douglas DC-2 "Uiver" (callsign PH-AJU) won the handicap section of the MacRobertson Trophy Air Race from London to Melbourne. Celebrating the 75th anniversary of that event, special station PA75AJU will be active on 1-29 September. QSL via PA3CAL, direct or bureau. [TNX PA3CAL]
- SP - The Second World War started on 1 September 1939 with the invasion of Poland. A large number of "No More War" special stations will be active from that country between 1 September and 6 October: HF70NMW, SN70NMW, SO70NMW, HF70A, HF70E, HF70M, HF70N, HF70O, HF70R, HF70W, SN70A, SN70E, SN70M, SN70N, SN70O, SN70R, SN70W, SO70A, SO70E, SO70M, SO70N, SO70O, SO70R and SO70W. The event is organized by PZK, the Polish IARU society, and is supported by the



- Ministry of National Defence. Information on the relevant award can be found at <http://www.pzk.org.pl/nomorewar> [TNX F5NQL]
- SV - A group of 11 operators will be active on the HF bands SSB as SX2IMA from Mount Rachia for the Greek Field Day on 5-6 September. QSL via SV2JAO (direct only). [TNX SV2LZX]
- UA - Mike/RA1ALA, Alex/RX1AW and George/RW3AKN will be active as homecall/1 from Nemetskiy Kuzov Island (EU-147) from 29 August to 4 September. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- V5 - Look for V5/DJ2HD, V5/DK1CE and V5/DH3WO to be active from Namibia on 5-26 September. They will operate holiday style on 40-10 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- VE - Juergen, DL7RV will be active again as VO2/NF6J from Battle Island (NA-044) on 4-11 September. Look for him on 30, 20 and 15 metres CW only. QSL via DL7RV, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- W - Dick/N7RO, Johnny/KE7V and Yuri/N3QQ are expected to be active as N7RO/p from Tatoosh Island (NA-169) until 30 August. QSL via N7RO. [TNX N3QQ]
- W - A large number of stations from the US will add /140 to their callsigns on 2-9 September to celebrate the 140th anniversary of the birth of Hiram Percy Maxim, W1AW (1869-1936), co-founder and first president of the American Radio Relay League. Information on the event and the relevant certificate can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2009/08/17/11025/?nc=1>
- ZS - Special event callsign ZS10WCS will be aired from South Africa from September through 12 July 2010 for the FIFA World Cup (<http://www.fifa.com/worldcup/index.html>). Expect activity on a daily basis from 1 June through 12 July, while during the months leading up to the event the callsign will be in use during the weekends. QSL via the South African Radio League's bureau, whose mailing address for direct QSLing is: SARL, P.O. Box 1721, Strubensvallei 1735, South Africa.

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Don/G3BJ and Hilary/G4JKS will be active as FO/G3BJ from the Austral Islands (Rurutu, OC-050 and Tubuai, OC-152) on 4-16 September, and as ZK2BJ from Niue (OC-040) on 18-25 September. They will operate holiday style mainly on CW on 10, 15, 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres. [TNX The Daily DX]

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AGB NEMIGA CONTEST ---> The Activity Group of Belarus sponsors the AGB-NEMIGA Contest to be held on 18 September, from 21 to 24 UTC, on 80 metres CW and SSB. Participation certificates in PDF format will be e-mailed to all entrants. Complete rules can be found at [http://www.ev5agb.com/contest/agb\\_nemiga.htm](http://www.ev5agb.com/contest/agb_nemiga.htm) [TNX EU1EU]

FT5GA ---> Propagation predictions for 6m from Glorioso do not look promising at all, and the only available antenna would be a 2-element HB9CV. The FT5GA has decided that it would not be worth the trouble, and therefore they will be QRV only on the HF bands (160-10 metres). [TNX <http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/>]

LOGS ---> The logsearch for 4W6AL is at <http://www.algarvedx.com/>.

SCC RTTY CHAMPIONSHIP ---> Organized by the Slovenia Contest Club, it will be held on 29-30 August (from 12 UTC to 11.59 UTC). Rules and results can be found at <http://lea.hamradio.si/~scc/rtty/rtty.htm> [TNX S50XX]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Heinz Topp (DJ2LE), William Allen (N6XD) and Denis Yakovlev (RA3LL). Vlad, UA6JD and his family would like to express their gratitude to the dozens of radio amateurs from all over the world who have offered their sympathy and condoncolences for the loss of Harry, UA6JW ([www.qrz.com/db/ua6jw](http://www.qrz.com/db/ua6jw)).

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4J0FR	F6FYD	EO16IZ	US6IKN	PA09WSF	PA0FAW
4K/F2VX	F2VX	ES20W	ES1QD	PA110LL	PH2CV
4K9W	DL6KVA	ET3JA	OK3AA	PA150SLH	PA0HFT
4L6QC	LZ1OT	EU6DA/p	IK2DUW	PA6URK	PA3GNE
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4W6AL	CT1GFK	FJ/W2VQ	WQ2N	PI4F	PD1WAT
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CP4BT	EA5KB	II8LPC	IZ8IQO	V55V	DJ8VC
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CW4T	CX1TA	KG4NL	N2NL	VR2009EAG	VR2XMT
CX7CO	WB3CDX	KH2/K6SV	K6HRO	W2T	N200

DA2009LH	DH3WO	KH2/K7BV	K6HRO	W8L	K8PT
DK0WFF/P	DK6AN	KH6MB	AI4U	XR1A	XQ1IDM
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DP3SSKW	DK7FK	KL7CQ	AC7DX	XX9LT	XX9AH
DQ11APOLLO	DF3JO	L61E	LU2DT	YB0ECT	K3AIR
DU3NXE	W3HKN	LA9K	LA3QNA	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
E77XZ	DK6XZ	LM2T70Y	LA2T	YN2N	TI2OHL
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EG2FSB	EA2RKW	LZ01WFF	LZ1ZF	Z21BC	NI5DX
EG6CIB	EA6JN	LZ40ATSA	LZ1PJ	Z36T	DJ0LZ
EH7FFD	EB7DX	MA0FME	IZ2FME	ZD8DC	KJ4GNB
EK6LP	DL8KAC	MS0ARG	MM0CIN	ZL1IRD	DF7EF
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	N7C	N7HG	ZL4IR	W8WC
EK6YL	SP9LJD	N7L	K7VV	ZL6LH	ZL1VK
EM360B	UY5BC	OH0J	OH1RX	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
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- 3DA0 - Arnold, WB6OJB will operate SSB only as 3DA0JK from Swaziland until 8 September around 12 local time. QSL via WB6OJB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 5B - Andy, LZ2HM will be active as 5B/LZ2HM from Cyprus on 10-15 September. He will be QRV on 160-2 metres and will participate in the WAE DX SSB Contest as C4I. QSLs via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- 6W - Sebastien, F8IJV will be honeymooning at Le Calao, Senegal on 15-30 October and will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as 6V7Q. He might also be active (SSB and digital modes) before and after the contest. QSL via F8IJV, direct or bureau. [TNX F6AJA]
- 8Q - Andy, G7COD will be active again as 8Q7AK from Embudu, Maldives (AS-013) on 11-25 October. He plans to operate SSB and CW on 80-12 metres (suggested frequencies and operating schedule at <http://www.qrz.com/db/8q7ak>). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G7COD]
- CE0Y - The 31 October-15 November DXpedition to Easter Island [425DXN 953] has received permission to shorten their call from XR0YA to XR0Y. This callsign was used twice in the past (1995 and 2000), and the QSL route for this year's event will be announced soon. Bookmark <http://rapanui2009.org/> for updates, further information and details on how to contribute. [TNX MM0NDX]
- CT7 - A group of operators from the Cambridge University Wireless Society (G3ZAY, M0BLF, M0HSW, M0RLM and M0TJH) will be active as CT7/homecall from IOTA group EU-145 on 5-6 September. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40-10 metres with two stations and wire antennas. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Web page at [www.domsmith.co.uk/amateur-radio/dxpeditions/2009/ct/](http://www.domsmith.co.uk/amateur-radio/dxpeditions/2009/ct/) [TNX M0BLF]
- CY0 - The 19-26 October DXpedition to Sable Island [425DXN 938] by WA4DAN, N0TG and AA4VK has been postponed sine die because of serious health problems affecting one of the team members' son (read the news release at <http://www.cy0dxpedition.com/>). Hopefully the operation will be rescheduled, but for the time being it is understandably being placed on 'hold' while waiting for better times.
- EA6 - Adrian, AA5UK will be active again as EA6/AA5UK from Ibiza, Balearic Islands (EU-004) on 14-29 October, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He plans to operate holiday style on 160-10 metres SSB and digital modes. Activity on various satellites is also being planned. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW and eQSL. [TNX IZ3EBA]
- F - The new dates for the operation from Belle Ile (EU-048) [425DXN 947] are 4-7 September. Six operators will be active as F5KKD/p on the HF and VHF bands, SSB, CW and PSK31. QSL via F5KKD. Further information at <http://iota2009.crxcluster.com> [TNX F5NQL]
- F - A group of operators from the Radio Club of Granville (F5KAQ) will be active from Saint-Nicolas Island (EU-094) on 11-18 September. Alain/F5HVI, Jean-Jacques/F5NKX, Denis/F5RJM, Alain/F6ACH, Rene/F6CMC, Alain/F6ENO, Benoit/F8PDR and Rolf/F9ZG will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, with activity also on 6 and 2 metres. Expect them to be signing F5KAQ/p and homecall/p.

- QSL via F5RJM, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - Special event callsign TM2NN will be aired on 12-22 September for the 21st edition of Les Nuits de Nacre, the annual accordion festival that takes place in the city of Tulle. QSL via F5KTU [TNX F8REF]
  - FS - Look for Gregg, FS/W6IZT to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-6 metres from St. Martin (NA-105) on 5-13 September. QSL via N7XG direct, bureau and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - G - Special event callsign GB50ATG has been celebrating the Golden Jubilee of BARTG, the British Amateur Radio Teledata Group, since 1 July. GB50ATG will be on the air until 30 June 2010, and it will be operated by four of the BARTG committee on a rota basis. This month the call is being used by GW4SKA, who will also participate in the CQ WW DX RTTY Contest. QSL via M5AEX. Details on the GB50ATG certificate can be found at <http://www.bartg.org.uk> [TNX K1XN]
  - G - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Girl Guides, special callsign GG100GN will be used from several locations through the anniversary year, starting on 5 September at Abington Park (England). It is the first ever use of a GG prefix. QSL via bureau. [TNX MM0NDX]
  - G - Depending on weather, Jon, M0OVL will be active as M0OVL/p from the Farne Islands (EU-109) on 25 and 26 September. He has been granted permission to operate only between 10 and 14 UTC on both days. Look for him on 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX M0OVL]
  - GM - Ken, G0ORH reports he will be active as GM0ORH from the Isle of Arran (EU-123) on 20-27 September.
  - HL - Mike, KE7WRJ will be active as HL9QST from Korea from 10 September to 13 November. He will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres, "at least 8 hours a day during the week, and longer over the weekends". QSL via KE7WRJ. He will upload his log to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
  - I - Peter, DJ2OS will be active as IC8/DJ2OS from Capri Island (EU-031) on 10 September. He will operate QRP on 20 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DJ2OS]
  - ISO - Sardinia QRP Club's members Alessandro, IS0ZAJ and Franco, IS0VSU will be active as IM0/IQ0QP from Isola dei Cavoli (EU-165) on 6 September. They plan to operate CW, SSB and PSK31 from around 9 to 15 UTC on 20 and 40 metres. QSL direct (see [qrz.com](http://qrz.com)). [TNX IS0VSU]
  - ON - The Radio Club de Binche will operate special event station ON4WAR on 5 September (7-16 UTC) and 6 September (6-14 UTC) to commemorate the Belgian resistance during World War II. QSL via ON7RY, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at <http://www.on7ry.be> [TNX ON9CDR]
  - OZ - Michael, DK5NA will be active again as 5Q5NA from Romo Island (EU-125) on 6-25 September. QSL via home call. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
  - P4 - Roy/W3TEF and Bob/W3BTX will operate again as P41USA from Aruba (SA-036) on 8-17 September. The special callsign marks the anniversary of the tragic events occurred on 11 September 2001. QSL via W3TEF. [TNX NG3K]
  - PJ4 - Michiel/PJ4M and Marco/PE2MC will be active as PJ4/homecall from Bonaire (SA-006) on 10-16 September. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-10 metres and to participate in the WAE DX SSB Contest using the callsign of Peter, PJ4NX. QSL via home calls. On-line logs will be available at <http://www.pi4cc.nl/pj4> [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
  - S7 - Mauro, HB9ENI will be active as S79MI from Praslin Island (AF-024), Seychelles on 21-26 October, CQ WW DX SSB Contest included. He plans to operate SSB and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW. [TNX HB9ENI]

- SV5 - Aegean DX Group members Alexandros/SV8CYR, Vassilis/SV8CYV, Ilias/SV8FMY, Giorgios/SV8IJZ, Giannis/SW8MFF and Dirk/ON5CT will be active as SX5AG from Agathonisi Island, Dodecanese (EU-001) on 4-7 September. They plan to operate SSB and digital modes on 7, 20, 40 and 80 metres, as well as on 12, 10 and 6 metres SSB if there is propagation. QSL via SV8CYR. [TNX SV8CYV]
- T3 - Craig, N3BQR will be active as T31AA from the Phoenix Islands (Central Kiribati) on 10-25 September. According to The Daily DX, he will be "on some sort of research trip", and plans "to go to at least six of the eight islands for one to two days each" and to operate mainly on 20 metres SSB.
- TK - Nicolas, F5TGR will be active as TK/F5TGR from Porto Vecchio, Corsica (EU-014) on 6-18 September. He plans to operate SSB and CW on 40-10 metres, and a side trip to IOTA group EU-100 is being considered as well. QSL via the bureau. [TNX F6AJA]
- TK - Rene, DL2JRM will be active as TK/DL2JRM/p from the main island of Corsica (EU-014) on 10-13 September and from the coastal island of San Cipriano (EU-164) on 14-15 September. The latter will be a solar powered QRP operation on 40-10 metres, CW only. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- VE - Cezar, VE3LYC (VY00) has been in the NA-230 area since 29 August. Everything was ready for the trip, but strong winds and heavy rain prevented him and his crew from setting sail for a few days. In his latest report (3 September, 18.30 UTC) Cezar said that the weather was improving, and that if it would continue to do so, he hoped to set sail on 4 September in the local morning hours.
- W - The Tri-County Amateur Radio Club of North Texas, WC5C (<http://www.wc5c.org/>) will be active from Willow Island (not IOTA, USI TX061L) on 5 September and Greer Island (not IOTA, TX058L) on 19 September, from around 14 to 22 UTC. Operations will mainly be on 20 and 40 metres SSB, but they also operate on other bands and modes (PSK31 and CW). [TNX K1XN]
- YV - Look for Pasquale, YV5KAJ/7 to be active from Margarita Island (SA-012) until 11 September. He operates on 40, 30 and 20 metres using digital modes. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZK2 - Koji, JM1CAX (ZL4NX) will be active as ZK2NX from Niue (OC-040) on 18-25 September. He plans to be QRV on 40-10 metres, and to concentrate on Europe especially on RTTY. QSL via JM1CAX, direct or bureau. [TNX ZL4NX]

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6Y1V ---> Once again the 6Y1V team sponsors one young operator (21 or under) to receive an all expense paid trip to operate in the 2009 CQWW SSB or CW contest from Jamaica. The deadline for applications is 30 September. Complete details can be found at <http://www.6y1v.com/youth.htm>

DX MAGAZINE MOST WANTED SURVEY ---> The DX Magazine's annual Most Wanted Survey is being conducted now through 15 October. The survey form is available at [http://www.dxpub.com/dx\\_survey2009.html](http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2009.html) (please note that it is not a complete list of all DXCC Entities: if you need something that is not listed, simply use the "Additions or Comments" space at the end of the form). The overall top 100 will be posted on the web site around 15 January 2010. [TNX N4AA]

EZ8CQ ---> Alexander, EZ8CQ says he now uploads his logs to LoTW. Should you not being able to find a QSL record, please drop him a line ([alexandrit2001@mail.ru](mailto:alexandrit2001@mail.ru)).

OY2J ---> Trygvi, OY4TN reports that this is not a pirate, but the genuine Johan, OY2J, who is once again active on the amateur radio bands. He had been QRT for several years, but now, being in retirement, he has found the time to set up his station. [TNX W1AW]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (313 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (969 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2652 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (319 QSLs), Antarctic bases (789 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 248 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (270 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (96 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (682 QSLs), French Departments (551 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (108 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <http://LesNouvellesdx.fr> and send your comments to [lesnouvellesdx@free.fr](mailto:lesnouvellesdx@free.fr) [TNX F6AJA]

QSL 4J0FR ---> Please note that Jean-Michel, F6AJA is not the QSL manager for the recent operation (QSL via F6FYD). Jean-Michel only has logs and blank cards for the activities of August 1995 and December 1997-January 1998 (log search at <http://www.lesnouvellesdx.fr/voirlogs.php>). [TNX F6AJA]

QSL J79PAK ---> Effective immediately, the new QSL route for the late J79PAK (HB9CUA) is via EA7FTR. There is no need to resubmit cards already mailed to HB9CUA or HB9HLM [425DXN 955], as all of the direct requests will be forwarded to EA7FTR. Please be patient, as the hand written log is being typed by N1NK and a new QSL card is being designed.

TONGA ---> A35A is the first special callsign, to be used during contests and special events, issued to Paul, A35RK under the new Tongan licensing procedures that became effective a few days ago. Citizens and long-term residents will get A35xx (ordinary callsigns) and A35x (special callsigns), while visiting operators will get A31xx (ordinary callsigns) and A31x (special callsigns for visiting groups of operators). [TNX The Daily DX]

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

WAEDC ---> The SSB leg of the Worked All Europe DX Contest (WAEDC) will be from 00.00 UTC on 12 September until 23.59 UTC on the 13th. Complete details can be found at <http://www.waedc.de/>

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2AG/p, 3V8BB, 3V9A, 4J15TX, 4L8A, 4T6I (SA-098), 4U1UN, 5H2WK, 5J0BV, 5K0T (NA-132 and NA-133), 5K5T (SA-017), 5R8KD, 6W1SJ, 7O1YGF, 7P8CF, 7P8R, 9J2CA, 9Y4D, 9Y4VU, A35ZS, A71AN, AX0BP, C37NL, CG200I (NA-128), CM6YAC, CP1FF, CV5A, D44TD, DY1C (OC-120), EK6TA, EU5ROPE, HD2M, HK7AAG, HZ1FS/p (AS-192), IL7G, IY8WAP, JW/OK1JK, KG4NL, KL7HBK, KP2/K3TEJ, LU1ZA, LU1ZV, LX8RTTY, LZ2009KM, PX8W, T31DX, TI7KK (NA-191), TL0A, TO3R, TO5E, TZ6EI, UN6P, V29JKV, V31NL, V63MY, V63TO, VC8B (NA-129), VE1/DL2JRM/p (NA-127), VE3DZ/VP9, VE8RCS/VYO (NA-008), VK9GMW, VP8DLM, VP8KF, VQ9LA, WX3B/p (NA-139), XW1B, YN2N, YO9HP, ZC4RAF, ZF1A, ZZ6Z (SA-023).

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- 3W - Sergey (RA3NAN), Oleg (RK3FA), Eugene (RZ3EC), Andy (RZ3EM) and Andrey/UA6BGB will be active from three Vietnamese IOTA groups between 24 September and 1 October as follows:
- |                        |        |             |        |
|------------------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| 24-26 September        | XV6RRC | Ngu Island  | AS-185 |
| 27-28 September        | XV7RRC | Cham Island | AS-162 |
| 29 September-1 October | XV3RRC | Tam Island  | AS-157 |
- This is a tentative schedule, as actual dates will depend on local. They plan to operate on 160-10 metres with two stations equipped with amplifiers and several antennas. QSL via RZ3EC, direct (Eugene Shelkanovtcev, P.O. Box 70, Orel, 302028, Russia) or bureau (bureau cards can be requested on-line). The logs will be uploaded to loTW. Bookmark <http://xv6rrc.com> for further information and updates. [TNX RZ3EM]
- 5R - Daniel, DF8UO will be active again 5R8UO from Madagascar (AF-013) on 12-20 September. He will operate mainly CW and digital modes on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW. [TNX DXNL]
- 9A - Look for Oliver, 9A/DG7XO and Wolfgang, 9A/DL7CB to be active from Ugljan Island (EU-170) on 13-19 September. QSL via home calls (bureau preferred). [TNX DX Newsletter]
- CT9 - Matthias, DJ8OG will be active as CT9/DJ8OG (QSL via home call) from Madeira (AF-014) until 15 September. He will operate on 80-10 metres and will participate in the WAE DX SSB Contest as CR3L (QSL via DJ6QT). [TNX DXNL]
- F - F0FZK, F4AHE, F4ASQ, F4CRE, F4EOQ, F8CNX and possibly F4EQH will operate as TM85NI from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 12-13 September. QSL via either F4ASQ or F8CNX. [TNX [www.onlineradio.fr](http://www.onlineradio.fr)]
- FT5G - The FT5GA team (F4EGS, F5IRO, F5LPY, F5PRU and F8CRS) is expected to depart Paris in the local early evening on 11 September, destination St. Denis, Reunion Island. The military flight to Glorioso (via Mayotte) is scheduled on 14 September. The team will remain on Grande Glorieuse for about three weeks. QSL via F5OGL, direct or bureau. Bookmark <http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/> for further information and updates. [TNX G7VJR]
- JD1\_og - Look for JD1BLP (QSL via JO2JDJ) and JD1BLY (QSL via JI5RPT) to be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara on 19-22 September. They plan to operate on 40-6 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. [TNX NG3K]
- OE - The Vienna International Centre Amateur Radio Club (4U1VIC) will participate in the WAE DX SSB Contest as 4U30VIC. Although it is Austria for DXCC, it counts as separate multiplier for WAEDC. QSL via 4U1VIC. [TNX NG3K]
- OH0 - OH6EI will participate in both the Scandinavia Activity Contests (CW on 19-20 September and SSB on 26-27 September) as OH0Z from the Aland Islands (EU-002). QSL via W0MM. Detailed information on SAC can be found at <http://qrq.se/sac/> [TNX NG3K]
- OZ - Jakob, OZ7AEI will be active on 20 and 40 metres as OZ7AEI/p from the lighthouse of Roedvig E Mole on Sjaelland Island (EU-029) on 12 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- OZ - Bernd, DL8AAV will be active as OZ/DL8AAV/p from Laeso Island

- (EU-088) on 14-26 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- OZ - Rene, DL2JRM will be active as OZ/DL2JRM/p from Romo Island (EU-125) on 18-20 September. He will operate mainly CW on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- PA - Special event station PA09MONUMENT will be active on the HF bands and 2 metres from Noordwijk Lighthouse on 12 September, for the Open Monumentendag (the European Heritage Days in the Netherlands). QSL via bureau to PA7DA. [TNX PA7DA]
- SV - Fred, PA1FJ will be active as SV8/PA1FJ/p from Samos Island (EU-049) from 14 September to 2 October. He will operate SSB QRP on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team (www.tcswat.org) will be active as TC3BLH from Balyos Lighthouse (Sea of Marmara) on 19-23 September. They plan to operate mainly on 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX TA1HZ]
- TK - Volta DX Team and Project DX Team members Ern/I2FUG, Oscar/IK2AQZ and John/IK2JYT will be active as TK/homecall from Corsica (EU-014) on 19-24 September. They will operate on all bands SSB, CW and digital modes, with two stations using small amplifiers, verticals and loop antennas. Side trips to the islands of San Cipriano (EU-164), Forana (EU-100) and Grande Sanguinaire (EU-104) are also being planned. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IK2JYT]
- UA - Alex/RA1QY, Dmitry/RX1CQ and other operators will be active as UE1CDX/1 (QSL via via RN1CW, direct or bureau) and UE1RLH/1 (QSL via RA1QY, direct or bureau) from several lighthouses on Kotlin Island (EU-133) on 12-13 September. They will operate CW and SSB on 20, 30 and 40 metres. [TNX VA3RJ]
- UR - UR5KHZ, UR5KO, US0KW and UX2KA will operate CW and SSB as US0KFF/p from the Rivnenskiy Nature Reserve until 16 September. QSL via US0KW. [TNX US0KW]
- Z2 - Kazuo's, Z29KM next work assignment will be in Indonesia and he will be leaving Zimbabwe in mid October. He will remove his 5-band yagi in a couple of weeks, and although he will continue to be QRV as long as possible, his signals on the higher bands will be weaker. He reports having "too much QRN" on the low bands. Look for him on RTTY (18105 kHz) around 11 UTC, on SSTV (18130 and 14227 kHz) around 16 UTC and on CW (10120 kHz) after 18 UTC. QSL via EA7FTR. [TNX Z29KM]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Bill, N7OU will be active as ZL7/N7OU from the Chatham Islands (OC-038) on 18-30 September, and as E51NOU from Rarotonga (OC-013, South Cooks) on 5-30 October. He will operate CW only on 80-10 metres, running 100 watts to a vertical, from both locations. QSLs via N7OU. [TNX NG3K]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (Augsut 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA.

CO8DM ---> Doug, CO8DM says he now has a LoTW account and is working on his old paper logs in order to upload all of his QSOs. Should you not being able to find a QSL record, please drop him a line (co8dmster@gmail.com) to fix the problem.

QSL EX8AB & EX9FF ---> Bek, EX8AB (EX9FF) says that RX3RC is no longer his QSL manager. Cards should be sent to Narynbek Djunushev, P.O.Box 1855, Bishkek, 720000, Kyrgyzstan. [TNX EX8AB]

QSL HK0MZ/0M ---> Jairo Vargas, HK5MQZ was active from Malpelo Island in June 2001. Those who still need a card can go direct to Jairo's daughter, Jenny (415 Kensington Lake Circle, Brandon, FL 33511, USA), who "is helping clean things up". [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL R1FJT ---> The Daily DX reports that, after the passing of QSL manager UA4RC [425DXN 947], QSL cards should be sent to: R1FJT, P.O. Box 252, Almetjevsk, Republic of Tatarstan, 432452 Russia ("this PO Box is still registered to UA4RC, even though he is a Silent Key", but "it is believed that the callsign should work as proper identification").

+ SILENT KEYS + Vernon R. Robinson (P29VR and W7GSP) passed away on 11 August. Vern was active from Papua New Guinea for 16 years, and his QSL manager (W7LFA) says he has all the logs for his entire operation. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Dennis T. Connors (KD2S), Robert D. Joy (W0EAN) and Sam Brown (WA4IUM).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2GM	PG5M	GA2MP	N3SL	SN70N	SP2CA
3DA0JK	WB6OJB	GA5CX	GM3YTS	SN70NMW	SP4KEV
3W1M	OM3JW	GB1WT	M0XIG	SN700	SP8ZBX
3Z70RG	SP9KAG	GB4SH	G4DFI	SN70R	SP2UUU
4X6HP	EA7FTR	GB65BTF	GW4XKE	SN70W	SP2LNW
5B8AD	W3Hnk	GB80RBP	G0ACK	SO1RE	DK8RE
5Q5NA	DK5NA	HB9VELO	HB9OCR	SO70A	SP9YGD
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HF14MTR	SP7PAC	SO70E	SP4JAE
9H3DZ	PA2AM	HF1939WW	SQ6CU	SO70M	SQ9JKD
9H3S	PA3HGP	HF70A	SP5PSL	SO70N	SP2YWL
9H3X	PE1NGF	HF70DWS	SP2PMW	SO70NMW	SP3ZIR
9H3YM	PE1OFJ	HF70E	SP5X	SO700	SP9KAJ
9H9PA	PB9ZR	HF70M	SP8MI	SO70R	SP4NDU
9M2TI	EA4ATI	HF70N	SP5KDK	SO70W	SP5PPK
9M2TO	JA0DMV	HF70NMW	SP6ZDA	SP70WAR	SP2PHA
9M8QQ	DF5UG	HF700	SP2KFQ	SQ80SPLG	SP9PKZ
A65BJ	DL7EDH	HF70R	SP4ICP	SQ80SPQL	SP9PKZ
A65BM	W4JS	HF70W	SP2KDS	SV0XBM/9	W3Hnk
A65BP	UA6MF	HI8ROD	EA7FTR	SX2IMA	SV2JAO
AH0BT	7L1FPU	IY0GMN	IQ0RM	SX5AG	SV8CYR
AL5A/WH0	JA7JEC	IY1DCI	IK1GPG	SY7A/p	SV7LNK
AM8RHG	EA8CNB	IY2M	IW2NOH	SZ3P/p	SV3DCX
BA1RB	EA7FTR	J47OCF	SV7FSK	T30GM	PG5M
C4M	W3Hnk	J11FGX/DU9	JF1LZQ	TC2X	TA1HZ
CE1TT	EA5KB	JU85TTC	JT1DN	TJ3SL	F5PSA
CR3L	DJ6QT	JW1SYL	LA8FOA	TM150RPC	F5KAZ
CT7/LZ3ND	LZ1NK	JW8FNA	LA8FNA	TM1MAD	F5KLJ
D2QMN	RZ3EC	LA/LX9EG/p	LX1NO	TM8POR	F0DTB
DU1MGA	RX3RC	LA1SYL	LA8FOA	TM9CDX	F5CWU
E51USA	E51CG	LY100BY	LY3BY	TU2/F5LDY	F5LDY
E73DX	DJ2MX	LZ44WFF	LZ1KZA	UE1OAC	UA1OIW

EG1SDC	EA1AUM	LZ50IM	LZ2VP	UE1WFF/3	RW3OW
EG1SFF	EA1EAU	LZ8WHST	LZ1PJ	UE4FDA	RA4FJV
EG2SDC	EA1AUM	OH0JWL	DL5FF	UK8WFF	RL3FU
EG3SBD	EA3ALZ	OJ0B	OH2BH	UN3F	EA5KB
EG3SDC	EA1AUM	OL16B	OK5MM	UP3WFF/m	RL3FU
EG4SDC	EA1AUM	OL16BND	OK2BEW	UP44BFF/7	UN7ECA
EG5SDC	EA1AUM	ON4DAMIAN	ON7LR	V8AQM	W3HNK
EG5WSP	EA5RKB	ON4WAR	ON7RY	VO2/NF6J	DL7RV
EG6SDC	EA1AUM	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	VU2UR	SM3DBU
EG7SDC	EA1AUM	P41USA	W3TEF	VY00	VE3LYC
EG8SDC	EA1AUM	PA2009YSL	PF1JM	W7A	AI4U
EG9SDC	EA1AUM	PC400BKL	PC2F	YI9HOC	K2AX
EI9JF	LZ3HI	PF16SDT	PD1KSA	YI9TM	WT4M
EM0WFF	UT7WZ	PH75AJU	PA3CAL	YP9VIN	YO9FNR
ER3WFF	ER3GS	PJ2P	DL8OBQ	YV5KAJ/7	EA5KB
ER4DX	RA4LW	SG3U	SM3CXS	ZD8Z	AI4U
ER4KAA	RA4LW	SN0PL	SP5KP	ZG2FK	ZB2FK
ER5GB	W3HNK	SN70A	SP2KMH	ZG2FX	G3RFX
FO/G3BJ	G3BJ	SN70E	SP1MWF	ZG2JK/P	ZB2JK
FS/W6IZT	N7XG	SN70M	SP9KN	ZS2DL	NI5DX

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- 3W - The 3W6C team members are starting to make the extensive preparations necessary for the 10-18 April 2010 DXpedition [425DXN 948] to Con Co (AS-185), Vietnam. A large group of operators will be running four stations 24 hours a day, with a target of 60,000 QSOs on as many different bands as possible, including 160 and 80 metres. Such an extensive operation requires considerable financial resources, and fund raising has just started. Detailed information on how contribute to the expedition can be found at [www.3w6c.qrv.ch](http://www.3w6c.qrv.ch) [TNX HB9DST]
- 7Q - Barrie, G4AHK will operate holiday style as 7Q7BJ while travelling around Malawi, from 23 September through 12 October. He plans to focus on 160, 80 and 40 metres. QSL via G4AHK. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9M6 - Steve, 9M6DXX, will operate (SSB only) as 9M8Z from Sarawak, East Malaysia (OC-088) on 22-26 October, including a SOAB HP unassisted entry in the CQWW DX SSB Contest. QSL via M0URX direct, bureau or LoTW (see [www.m0urx.com](http://www.m0urx.com) for details on e-mailing requests for bureau cards). [TNX 9M6DXX]
- 9M6 - Steve, 9M6DXX, and John, 9M6XRO will be active from Pulau Labuan (OC-133) on 6-8 November (and possibly for one or two hours from 00.00 UTC on 9 November). Look for 9M6DXX/p on 10-80 metres SSB, and for 9M6XRO/p on 10-160 metres CW and RTTY. They will be using linearamplifiers to a multi-band vertical and a 160m inverted-L, both mounted very close to the ocean. They hope it will be possible to operate on 160m CW at the same time as SSB on the other bands. QSL both 9M6DXX/p and 9M6XRO/p via M0URX, direct or bureau or LoTW. [TNX 9M6DXX]
- A4 - San/A45WH (VU2CEO) and Manoj/VU2MCJ, along with a couple of SWLs, will be active as A45WH/p from Masirah Island (AS-014) on 22-24 September. Expect activity on 160, 80, 40, 30 and 20 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL direct to A45WH. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C3 - A large group of operators from Spain will participate in the CQ WW DX RTTY Contest as C37URE from Andorra. This operation is a joint effort between the two IARU societies of Andorra (URA) and Spain (URE) in celebration of URE's 60th anniversary. QSL via EA4URE, direct or bureau. Further information at <http://c37ure.ure.es/>
- C9 - Marco, IK1RAE says he will be active as C91VM from Mozambique on

5-23 October. He will operate SSB on 40-10 metres running 100 watts into a vertical antenna. Side trips to one or more IOTA groups (AF-061, AF-066, AF-072, AF-088) are also being planned. QSL direct only, as proceeds will be donated to charity project in the village of Malangute (QSLling policy details to be announced on qrz.com under C91VM).

- ET - Jim, WU0I is a US Foreign Service Officer presently stationed in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. He expects to be QRV as ET3JD by about October, and to operate PSK31 and possibly RTTY (for contests mostly), SSB and CW ("my CW is pretty rusty", he says, "so please be patient with me!"). He will try to get on 40, 20 and 15 metres, plus 30 and 17 metres, using home-made wire antennas. QSL direct to Jim DeLoach, 2030 Addis Ababa Place, Dulles VA 20189-2030, USA (please indicate if you would like his card to come via U.S. mail or Ethiopian mail; no preference stated means he will use whichever is cheapest for your QTH). Bookmark <http://www.deloach.net/ET3JD.html> for updates. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- G - The Bittern DX Group will operate special event station GB2TX on 19-20 September as part of "Transmission 2009" to raise money for the British Wireless for the Blind Fund (<http://www.blind.org.uk/>). QSL via M0CNP. [TNX VA3RJ]
- G - Kevan, 2E0WMG will be active from St. Agnes, Scilly Isles (EU-011) on 22-23 September. He will operate SSB only on 80, 40 and 20 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX K1XN]
- KL - Hugh, K6HFA says he will try to be active as K7A from a few islands in Alaska between 21 September and 5 October. IOTA groups mentioned include NA-236 (new one), NA-222, NA-216 and NA-087. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via K6HFA, direct or bureau (direct QSLling policy at [qrz.com](http://qrz.com)). [TNX [www.islandchaser.com](http://www.islandchaser.com)]
- OD - The Radio Amateurs of Lebanon (RAL) will be operating special event station OD5F for the duration of the 6th Francophone Games, which will be held in Beirut from 27 September to 6 October. QSLs will be handled by the RAL QSL bureau. [TNX IARU]
- PA - Special callsign PA08DWN will be aired on CW on 2-3 October during the annual Furiade maritime event at Maassluis, near Rotterdam. Operations will take place from the radio shack of the "Elbe", a tugboat that is being restored to serve as a museumship. QSL via PA3ALM. [TNX PA9HR]
- PJ5 - Dave, AH6HY will be active as PJ5/AH6HY from St Eustatius (NA-145) from 26 September to 1 October. He will operate holiday style on 10-40 metres, mainly SSB with some CW. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- SP - Kris, SP6DVP (SO6V) has been granted permission to operate as SN40DVP until 30 November to celebrate his 40th anniversary in amateur radio. QSL via SP6DVP, direct or bureau. [TNX SP6DVP]
- SP - Special event stations SN2009B, SN2009EM, SN2009K, SN2009L and SN2009W will be active from Poland from 25 September to 4 October for the Women's Volleyball European Championship. On-line logs and details on the relevant award can be found at <http://www.sq7mzh.pl/>
- SV - A group of 8 operators will be active on the HF bands SSB, CW and RTTY as SY2G from Mount Paiko on 19-21 September for the International Day of Peace. QSL via SV2JAO (direct only). [TNX SV2LZX]
- T7 - Gerd/DJ5TT, Thomas/DK9FEC, Peter/DL1FX and Rainer/DL1ZBO will be active as T70A from from the radio club of San Marino's IARU Society (<http://www.arrsm.org/>) on 24-27 September. They will operate CW, SSB and various digital modes on 80-10 metres, anche will participate in the CQ WW DX RTTY Contest. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- V2 - Bud, AA3B will be active as V26K from Antigua (NA-100) between 26 November and 1 December, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. This will be an all CW operation on the contest HF bands



only. QSL via AA3B. [TNX AA3B]

VP8\_sg - Lars, MM0DWF (www.lars-boehme.de/vp8dif/index.html) will be working again at Husvik, South Georgia (AN-007) between early October and mid November. He expects to operate again as VP8DIF during his limited spare time, running 100 watts to a G5RV on RTTY, CW and SSB (in that order). QSL via DJ9ZB, direct or bureau. [TNX G4DY0]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Hrane, YT1AD and Miki, YU1DW will be travelling to a few Pacific islands between 30 September and 8 October as follows:

30 September-1 October	KH8/N9YU (QSL via YT1AD)	American Samoa
2-3 October	5W8A (YT1AD) and 5W0DW (YU1DW)	Samoa
4-6 October	3D2AD (YT1AD) and 3D2DW (YU1DW)	Fiji
6-8 October	T30M (YT1AD) and T30W (YU1DW)	Western Kiribati

The main reason for this trip is to prepare all necessary documents for the expedition to T31,ZK3 and FW8 in September-October 2010 (www.yt1ad.info/t31) [TNX YT3W]

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\*\*\*\* GOOD TO KNOW ... \*\*\*\*  
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FT5GA ---> The first batch of QSOs (1049 contacts made between 06.04.23 UTC on 15 September and 02.04.40 UTC on the 17th) has been uploaded to <http://www.clublog.org/charts/?c=FT5GA>

KP2 QSL BUREAU ---> The ARRL US Virgin Islands Incoming QSL Bureau's new address is: Virgin Islands QSL Bureau, P.O. Box 25782, Christiansted, St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands 00824. Comments or questions on this bureau's operation may be directed to Ann Keegan, KP2YL (kp2yl@arrl.net). [TNX NC1L]

PIRATE ---> Toze, CT1GFK reports that a large number of stations (many of them from France and Italy) worked a pirated 4W6AL on 20 metres SSB on 12 September, while the genuine 4W6AL only made 4 QSOs. Check the log (<http://algarvedx.com>) before sending your QSL.

PIRATE ---> "I'm sorry to have to inform you that the activity on 20 metres CW earlier this month by a station signing ZF2NT was a pirate operation", Phil/G3SWH says. "Bruce is still in California".

QSL 9M2MRS ---> Rich, 9M2MRS (PA0RRS) reports that his incoming mail is being tampered with and green stamps are being stolen. Direct QSL requests should be sent to his address in the Netherlands (R.W.L. Smeets, Schoorveken 100, 5121 NM Rijen, The Netherlands). [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

SURINAME ---> Ramon, PZ5RA is sorry to be no longer able to help visiting amateurs to get a licence, which he has done for ten years. He will try to have a licence permanently issued for guests to use (<http://dxholiday.com/sa/pz.htm>), but those who want an individual licence will have to apply direct to TAS (Telecommunications Authority Suriname). [TNX PZ5RA]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Gianfranco Chiodi (I0CHF), Valerij P. Radashkevich (RU9WM), F. Martin Hankins (W5HTY) and Vincent Mattera (WB2AAP).

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2AG/p, 3DA0EL, 3V9A, 4T6I, 5B4/AJ20, 5B4/R3CC, 5B4AII, 5H3VMB, 5J0BV, 5K0T, 5K5T (SA-017), 6H1IM,

6W6JX, 7O1YGF, 7P8CF, 7P8R, 7Q7CE, 7Q7SI, 7Z1SJ, 9J2VB, 9V1YC, A35XR, A35ZS, A45XR, A61Q, BD1HFP/2, C6AGU, CE2/K0MD, CO8LY, D4C, E73M, EA8CQS, EA9/KH0AM, ER4DX, ES1WW, ET3JA, FT5YI, FW5ZL, H44MY, HC7AE, HU1M, HZ1FS/p, J39BS, JD1BLY, JD1BMH, JT1CO, JY4NE, JY8YV, K5D, KG6DX, KP4MS, LY0HQ, N3DXX/6Y5, OH0E, OJ0B, OJ0J, PV8ADI, PX6B (SA-080), PX6T (SA-080), PX8M (SA-041), PZ5RA, R1ANR, R7HQ, RW2F, S79NS, SV2ASP/A, T30XX, T31DX, T77NM, TC4X, TG9NX, TK/I4GAD, TL0A, TM5EL (EU-094), TN5SN, TO3R, UA0IDZ/p (AS-059), UA9ZZ, V51AS, V63TO, V85SS, VC8B, VI2BV90, VK9GMW, VK9WWI, VP8YLG, VP9/VE3DZ, VQ9JC, VR10XMT, VR20080, VR2009EAG, VR2XMT, VU7RG, XE2PEA, YJ0AWG, YL2BJ, Z21SI, Z29KM, ZS1REC, ZX8A (SA-016), ZY0F.

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- 4W - Al, 4W6AL (CT1GPQ) will go QRT from East Timor on 27 September and return home the next day. A log search can be found at <http://algarvedx.com> (latest update at 15.48 UTC on 24 September). [TNX CT1GFK]
- 5B - 5B4AHE, 5B4MF, 5B4XF, 5B4ZN and 5B8AP will operate as homecall/p from Agios Georgios Island (AS-120) on 26 September, from around 6 UTC until around 16 UTC. They will have two stations active on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 7Q - Once again Ely, IN3VZE will be active holiday style as 7Q7CE from Malawi on 2-20 October. He plans to operate SSB and RTTY on all bands depending on propagation. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IN3VZE]
- A5 - JA1FJJ will be active as A52FJJ from Thimpu, Bhutan on 8-20 October. He plans to operate SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via JA1FJJ. [TNX NG3K]
- BY - David, BA4DW will be active as BA4DW/4 from Dongxilian Island (AS-135) for 4-5 days between 1 and 8 October. He will operate holiday style on 20 metres with 100 watts and a dipole. QSL via home call. [TNX BA4DW]
- I - Several operations from Italian lighthouses are scheduled to take place on 27 September for the Lighthouse Activity Special Event organized by the Strange Radio Team. Information on the event and the relevant award can be found at <http://www.strangeradioteam.com>
- J6 - Bill, WB5ZAM will be active as J68WI from St. Lucia (NA-108) from 28 September to 11 October. He will operate SSB and CW, possibly also on 160 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- JW - Erling/LA6VM (JW6VM), Halvard/LA7XK (JW7XK) and Just/LA9DL (JW9DL) will operate CW, SSB and digital modes from Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard on 26-30 September. They will participate in the SSB leg of the Scandinavian Activity Contest (SAC) as JW5X. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KL - Hugh, K6HFA says that the tentative dates for his operations from Alaskan islands [425DXN 959] are as follows: until 25 September from IOTA group NA-087, 26-30 September from NA-236 (new one), then from NA-216 or NA-222 until 3 October. He plans to operate as K7A on 20, 30 and 40 metres CW and SSB. QSL via K6HFA. [TNX K6HFA]
- OH - Anne, OH2YL will be celebrating her 20th anniversary in amateur

- radio using a special callsign (OG20YL) on 25-27 September. She will operate CW on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX OH2YL]
- OH0 - Martti/OH2BH, Ville/OH2MM and Pekka/OH2TA will travel to the Aland Islands to compete head-to-head as OG0A with the OJ0B team (see below) in the Scandinavian Activity Contest. QSL via OH2BH. [TNX OH2BN]
- OJ0 - Pekka (OH1TV), Ilmo (OH2BO), Pertti (OH2PM) and Lars (OH0RJ) will be active as OJ0B and OJ0J from Market Reef (EU-053) on 25-29 September, including an entry in the Scandinavian Activity Contest on SSB as OJ0B. Most of the time from Friday evening to Monday evening two stations will be on the air, with a focus on the low bands, especially on 160 metres (1815 kHz). QSL OJ0B via OH2BH, QSL OJ0J via OH0RJ [TNX The Daily DX]
- PY - Jim/PY7XC, Ciro/PY7ZY, Andre/PY0FF, Renner/PY7RP, Leo/PP1CZ and Mike/K9AJ will be active as PW6C from Coroa Vermelha (SA-062, the 8th most wanted IOTA group in South America) on 11-16 November. They plan to run three stations 24/7 from two operating sites, and to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via K9AJ. Further information can be found on the expedition's website (<http://www.pw6c.com>). [TNX PY7XC]
- ST - Robert, S53R is now working in Sudan and expects to be QRV (requested call ST2X) in late September-early October. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call.
- VE - Special event callsign VC3COPP will be activated from various parts of the province of Ontario on 2-31 October to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Ontario Provincial Police Force. QSL direct to via VE3BDB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XV - The Russian team in Vietnam [425DXN 958] are facing a "crazy typhoon" in the area of Ngu Island (XV6RRC, AS-185). The weather forecast is bad for the next five days, and the operation has been postponed. They are now travelling to the Cham Island (XV7RRC, AS-162) area and see what's the weather like over there. Their original plan also included activity from Tam Island (XV3RRC, AS-157). Please visit <http://xv6rrc.com/> for the regular updates provided by the team through Twitter.

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Rick, AI5P will be active holiday style from four Pacific entities during October and early November:

1-8 October FK/AI5P New Caledonia  
 10-18 October YJ0PX Vanuatu  
 22-31 October AI5P/VK9N Norfolk Island  
 1-6 November ZL/AI5P New Zealand

He will operate mainly CW. QSL via home call. [TNX MM0NDX]

CQ WW DX RTTY CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (26-27 September):

ZONE	CALL	CATEGORY	DXCC	QSL VIA
07	TI5/NP3D	SOSB 40m	Costa Rica	W3HNK
07	TI5/WW4LL	SOSB 20m	Costa Rica	WW4LL
08	WP4I	SOSB 80m	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
08	ZF2SX	M/?	Cayman Isls	K4SX
09	YV5VD	M/S	Venezuela	EA5KB
13	LS1D	M/S	Argentina	LW9EOC
14	C37URE	M/M	Andorra	EA4URE
14	GB50ATG	SO	Wales	M5AEX
14	LX7I	M/2	Luxembourg	LX2A
15	ES5Q	M/?	Estonia	ES5RY
15	OM8A	M/S	Slovakia	OM2VL
15	T70A	M/?	San Marino	T70A
15	Z37M	M/?	Macedonia	Z37M
16	ER0FEO	SOAB LP	Moldova	UU0JM
20	5B/HG3IPA	SO	Cyprus	HA3JB

20	SX5R	SOAB 20m HP	Dodecanese	SV5DKL
20	SY1RY	M/?	Greece	SV1JMO
28	YB0ECT	SOSB 20m LP	Indonesia	K3AIR
33	3V8SS	SOAB LP	Tunisia	IZ8CCW
33	EF8M		Canary Isls	UA3DX
39	FT5GA	M/S	Glorioso Isls	F5OGL

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqr2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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CLIPPERTON DX CLUB ---> The Clipperton DX Club (<http://www.cdxc.org/>) elected the following officers to serve for 2009/10: Flo/F5CWU (President), Frank/F4AJQ, Sylvain/F4EGD, Didier/F5OGL and John/F5VHQ (Vice-Presidents), Laurent/F8BBL (Treasurer), Gerard/F2JD (Assistant Treasurer), Sebastien/F8IJV (Secretary) and Laurent/F1JKJ (Assistant Secretary). [TNX F5NQL]

DIAMOND JUBILEE WAZ ---> The Worked All Zones (WAZ) award was introduced in the November 1934 issue of R/9 magazine, a predecessor of today's CQ. To celebrate the 75th anniversary of WAZ, CQ is offering a special, limited-time version of the award. The Diamond Jubilee Worked All Zones will be issued upon presentation of log extracts showing two-way contacts with each of the 40 CQ zones of the world during the period from 1 November 2009 to 31 December 2010. Details can be found at <http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/DiamondWAOct09.pdf>

DXCC NEWS ---> The following operations have been approved for DXCC credit: T6AB (Afghanistan, 2008-09 operation), T6AF (Afghanistan, current operation) and TX3A (Chesterfield Islands, 2009 operation). [TNX NC1L]

FT5GA ---> The on-line log (<http://www.clublog.org/charts/?c=FT5GA>) now contains 20330 QSOs (latest QSO made at 13.56 UTC on 24 September). It has been confirmed that FT5GA is being pirated: "if your QSO is not online", F5CQ says, "it will be quite sure you have been cheated", and you had better try work them again. Bookmark <http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/> for updates.

LOGS ---> A log search for Florentin, FT5WO is now up and running on the Nouvelles DX's website (<http://www.lesnouvellesdx.fr/voirlogs.php>). [TNX F6AJA]

PIRATE ---> The station R1FJA/p, which was repeatedly spotted on the DX Cluster over the past few days, is a pirate. The genuine R1FJA is now RL3DS, and has not been active from Franz Josef Land for many years. The only station currently active from FJL is Victor, R1FJM. [TNX RZ10M]

QSL 7P8AO ---> Pista, HA5AO has received the 7P8AO cards from the printer, and will process QSL requests as follows: first, those who donated to the charity project [425DXN 955]; second, those who QSLled direct with sufficient funds; third, those who QSLled direct with IRCs; fourth, bureau cards (including direct requests with 1 USD only). Pista has uploaded (and will upload) to LoTW the QSOs with those stations who have already sent (or will send) a donation; remaining contacts will be uploaded "at least a year later on". QSLling instructions can be found at <http://ha5ao.novolab.hu/> [TNX HA0HW]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8FQ	K5XK	HK1X	EA7FTR	SF6DX	SM6FUD
3Z0ILQ	SP5DDJ	HK4CZE	EA7FTR	SF7WT	SM7WT
3Z70IIWW	SP6OPZ	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	SI6T	SM7LZQ
3Z70OWG	SP9PSB	HV0A	IK0FVC	SI9AM	SM3CVM
4L0A	EA7FTR	HZ1FS	EA7FTR	SJ6A	SM6JSM
4L2M	EA7FTR	J28KO	F6DKI	SK2T	SK2AT
4L4WW	EA7FTR	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	SK3W	SM5DJZ
4L5O	N3SL	JD1BNA	JL1UTS	SK7DX	SM7DXQ
4L6DL	LZ1OT	K4C	K4EU	SM0S	SM5BAX
4U30VIC	4U1VIC	K4P	WP4NND	SM0Y	SM0OY
4W6AL	CT1GFK	K6P	KM6HB	SM2T	SM2EZT
4X0T	4Z5FI	K7A	K6HFA	SM5J	SM5PHU
5H3EE	DL4ME	KL7J	N3SL	SM5R	SM5AQD
5R8UO	DF8UO	LN3Z	LA9VDA	SM6A	SM6BGA
6W7RV	F8CMT	LN8W	LA9VDA	SM6C	SM6CTQ
7S5Q	SM5COP	LP2F	LU1FDU	SM6Q	SK6AW
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	LT0H	EA7FTR	SM6X	SM6CLU
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	LX30AK	LX1CC	SM6Z	SM6BZE
8R8USA	8R1AK	LX7I	LX2A	SN12IPA	SP9PZU
8S0W	SM0NJO	LZ17ARDF	LZ1ZF	SN2009B	SP2PBY
9G1YE	PA3ERA	N4H	W4NSC	SN2009EM	SP7PGK
9G1YK	PA3ERA	OE4XRC	OE4RGC	SN2009K	SP9PNB
9H3ZW	OK1CDJ	OF200AD	OH5AD	SN2009L	SP7PAC
9J2BO	G3TEV	OG1M	OH1VR	SN2009W	SP6PRT
9J2FM	JA4ATV	OG4X	OH1MA	SN40DVP	SP6DVP
9K2AI	NI5DX	OG5B	OH5BM	SQ80SPDE	SP9PKZ
9K2YM	EA5KB	OG6N	OH6NIO	SY2G	SV2JAO
9N7IIU	JH3IIU	OG7X	OH4XX	T2G	PG5M
A41KJ	NI5DX	OG9W	OH2BCI	T31AA	N3BQR
A41MO	EA5KB	OH0R	OH2PM	T88ZS	JA2ZS
A45WH/p	A45WH	OH0X	OH2TA	TA4CW	F8CVR
A61BK	NI5DX	OH0Z	W0MM	TC3BLH	TA1HZ
A61Q	EA7FTR	OH1N	OH1BOI	TF8GX	KT6YL
A65BB	S57DX	OH2T	OH2KW	TI4CF	W3HNK
A65BG	PA7FM	OH2U	OH2IW	TK2Y	F5MZN
A65BI	SM5DJZ	OH3I	OH3BHL	TM0RPC	F5KEB
A7/M0FGA	NN1N	OH4A	OH6LI	TM100VDF	F6BDE
A71BX	EA7FTR	OH4E	OH2MM	TM2NN	F5KTU
A71EM	EA7FTR	OH5Z	OH5LIZ	TM5FKB	F6GVH
AO5WSP	EA5RKB	OH8X	OH2UA	TM85NI	F4ASQ
AY4D	EA5KB	OH9W	OH2NRV	TO7RJ	DJ7RJ
C4I	LZ2HM	ON30NTM	ON6KN	TR8CA	F6CBC
C4N	W3HNK	ON65POL	ON3CYV	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
CN8YR	EA7FTR	OQ5M	ON5ZO	UE1CDX/1	RN1CW
CO8LY	EA7ADH	OR4A	ON4BW	UE1RFF	UA1RJ
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	OV5A	OZ5DL	UE1RLH/1	RA1QY
DR09ANT	DL5MHQ	OY3AA	OZ1ACB	UE3KFF	RN3QN
DT09KSE	HL5FXP	OZ0MF	DH1LAO	UE3QRP	UA3LMR
DX1J	JA1HGY	P29CW	VK2IR	UE3RFF/3	RK3RB
EG9CCL	EA9CE	P49X	W0YK	UE670LS	RK3FWI
EH1DAA	EA1WS	PA09MONUMENT	PA7DA	UE6FFF	RK6FZ
EH1OSM	EB1RD	PD6MILL	PD7BZ	UE6GFF	UA6HPR
EH1PAZ	EA1RCM	PH60PH	PA7HPH	UE6LPP	UA6MM

EH3SDC	EA1AUM	PJ7MF	IZ1MHY	UE6RK	UA6IC
EH5VE	EA7URD	PX5B	PP5BZ	UE6UFF	RW3RN
EK3SA	DJ1CW	R1ANB	RN1ON	UN5J	W3HNC
EK6LP	DL8KAC	R1ANC	RN1ON	UN7DA	EA5KB
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	R1AND	RU1ZC	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
EN500I/p	DM5BB	R1FJM	RX3MM	UN9LW	DL8KAC
EV1R	EU1PA	R50K	RW4HB	US0KFF/p	US0KW
EV2A	EW2AA	R73SRR	UA3DX	VQ9JC	ND9M
EY8MM	K1BV	RC3W	RW3WWW	VR2009EAG	VR2XMT
F5KAQ/p	F5RJM	RG9A	UA9XC	XT2HLV	HB9HLV
FK8GX	W3HNC	RL3A	W3HNC	XU7TZG	ON7PP
FO8RZ	F8BPN	RN9S	RN9SXX	YB0AZ	W7TSQ
FT5GA	F5OGL	RU1A	RU1AE	YR550BU	YO3KSR
FT5WO	F4DYW	RW2F	DK4VW	YY7MAE	EB7DX
GB0BSR	G2BKZ	SA0A	SM0AIG	Z23MS	UA3DX
GB2ADU	GW4XKE	SA1A	SM1TDE	Z29KM	EA7FTR
GB2TX	M0CNP	SA3C	SM3CZS	ZK2BJ	G3BJ
GB50ATG	M5AEX	SA6G	SM6CUK	ZK2NX	JM1CAX
GM0HIK	G0HIK	SC3N	EA8CN	ZL30MDG	ZL3RG
GM3IZD	G3IZD	SD3D	SM3DXC	ZL7/N7OU	N7OU
GM7MRL	G7MRL	SE0X	SM0MDG	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
H2E	5B4AGE	SE4U	SM4EXP	ZP8VAO	K2DER
HF65PW	SP5KCR	SE5E	SM5AJV	ZS3Y	SQ8X
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- 3V - DF1LON, DJ7IK, DJ8NK, DJ9CB and DL9USA will be active as 3V3S from Sousse, Tunisia from 23 November to 2 December, including an entry in the CW WW DX CW Contest. They will operate from the premises of 3V8SS, and they will donate their antennas (verticals and a Spiderbeam) to that Radio Club. QSL via DL9USA. A website is under construction at <http://www.3V3S.tk> [TNX DJ7IK]
- 4U1UN - 4U1UN will be active on 19-25 October on all bands and modes with a large team of operators (F4EGD, F5CWU, G3SXW, JK3GAD, K2DO, K2LE, K2QI, KA2D, KA2RTD, LA4OFA, LA5IIA, N2GA, N2UN, N2YBB, NN1N, OH0XX, OH2BH, OH2NB, OH6LI, PY5EG, UA9AB, W2VQ and WQ2N). Antennas and security access to the building are heavily restricted but the team will do their best to make this rare station available to all. Activity will be from 8 a.m. until midnight local time (12.00-04.00 UTC) each day. All-night activity is planned for 23 and 24 October. Some of the operators will form an international team for CQ WW DX SSB Contest participation in the "Two Transmitter" (M2) category. QSL via HB9BOU. LoTW upload will be done after the operation. [TNX OH2BN]
- 8R - Ed/PU8TEP, Abilio/PV8AZ, Paulo/PV8DX, Ivanildo/PV8IG, Ivan/PY1YB, Anderson/PY2TNT, Alex/PY2WAS and Peter/8R1WD will be active as 8R1PY from Lethem, Guyana from 31 October to 4 November. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and BPSK on 160-6 metres. QSL via PY2WAS, direct or bureau. [TNX PY2WAS]
- CO - Celebrating the VII Conference of the Federacion de Radioaficionados de Cuba, the Camaguey City Radio Club will operate as T47C on 3-4 and 10-11 October. Eight operators will be active on 160-10 metres (plus 2 metres) CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX CO7WT]
- CT8 - The Radio Arcala team will be in action from the Azores starting 5 October for one week. Look for Martti, CU2KG (OH2BH); Juha, CU2KH (OH8NC) and Toni, CU2KI (OH2UA) on a variety of bands during a maintenance operation from their contest station CR2X ([www.cu2a.com](http://www.cu2a.com)). QSL via home calls. [TNX OH2BH]
- DL - Peter, DL3APO/p and Gerd, DL5AWI/p will be active from Hainich National Park on 5-7 October. They will operate CW and SSB on various HF bands. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX DL3APO]
- EA8 - Jean, ON5JV and Georgette, ON6AK will be active as EA8/homecall from Tijoco Bajo, Tenerife Island (AF-004) between 20 November and 10 February 2010. Activity will be on 40-10 metres during their evenings. They plan to use 100 watts into a vertical 14AVQ. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX ON5JV]
- FP - Eric, KV1J and Tom, W8TOM will be active as FP/KV1J and FP/W8TOM from Miquelon Island (NA-032) on 20-27 October. They plan to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 160-6 metres, and to participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as FP/KV1J. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Their logs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Further information at <http://www.kv1j.com/fp/october09.html>
- G - Dave, G4IAR and Judith, G4IAQ will be active as G4LAB/p from the Isles of Scilly (EU-011) on 9-19 October. QSL via G4IAR, direct

- only. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- HB9 - Special event station HB9SPACE will be active during the World Space Week (4-10 October) from the Amateur Radio Club at the Swiss Air Force Museum (<http://www.hb4fr.ch>) in Payerne, Switzerland. QSL via HB4FR (bureau) or HB9ACA (direct). [TNX The Daily DX]
- I - Valeriano/IK5ABG, Giovanni/IK5BCM, Beppe/IK5CBE, Giovanni/IK5CRH and Enrico/IK5DFE will be active as IL7X from San Domino Island (EU-050, IIA FG-001) on 5-9 October. They plan to operate on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via IK5BCM. [TNX IK5BCM]
- JW - Arne/LA7WCA as JW7WCA, Maurits/LA3XIA as JW3XIA and John/G4ATA as JW/G4ATA will be active from Svalbard on 8-13 October. They plan to operate SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls. More information is available at <http://www.g4ata.co.uk> [TNX G4ATA]
- KH4 - The team for the 9-19 October K4M expedition to Midway Island [425DXN 935] includes 9V1YC, AA4NN, DJ9ZB, I8NHJ, K6TD, K9CT, KH7U, N1DG, N4PN, N4XP, N6HC, N7CQQ, ND2T, W6KK, W6OSP, W8GEX, WA7NB and WB4JTT. Announced frequencies are:  
 SSB 28475, 24945, 21295, 18145, 14200, 7078, 3799, 50115  
 CW 28024, 24894, 21024, 18074, 14024, 10104, 7004, 3504, 1826.5, 50115  
 RTTY 28080, 21080, 18100, 14080, 10140, 7040  
 An Online QSL Request System (OQRS) will be activated after the DXpedition goes QRT. You will be able to request your QSLs one of three ways: OQRS Direct, OQRS Bureau, direct mail to Midway 2009, Box 333, Bethlehem, Georgia 30620-9989, USA. All of the contacts will be uploaded to LoTW "within 12 months of the last QSO" at the latest (LoTW QSLling policy is detailed at [www.midway2009.com](http://www.midway2009.com)).
- KL - The Alaska 50th Anniversary of Statehood Special Event will be on the air from 18 UTC on 18 October until 6 UTC on the 19th. There will be fifteen or more stations on from around the state of Alaska all using KL50 on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. Operation will be scheduled to facilitate working North American stations, though all stations worldwide are encouraged to participate. QSL confirmation will be electronically via LOTW and eQSL, and via mail to AC7DX. Further information on the event can be found at <http://www.kl50.com> [TNX AC7DX]
- OK - Special station OL22ASE ([www.qrz.cz/ol22ase](http://www.qrz.cz/ol22ase)) will be active on 1-15 October for the Association of Space Explorers' XXII Planetary Congress to be held in Prague, Czech Republic on 4-10 October. QSL via OK1TIR, direct or bureau. [TNX OK1TIR]
- PY0T - Four operators from the Rio DX Group (namely PY1NB, PY1ON, PY1YB and PY1ZV) will be active as ZY0T from Trindade (SA-010) from around 16 UTC on 11 October until around 6 UTC on the 16th (dates may vary depending on the schedule of the Brazilian Navy). They plan to operate SSB and CW with two stations on 160-10 metres. QSL via PY1NB (direct only). Further information can be found at <http://riodxgroup.dxwatch.com/trindade-2009> [TNX PY1NB]
- SP - Special event station HF35PEA will be active on all bands and modes from 1 October to 31 December to celebrate the 35th anniversary of Radio Club SP1PEA. QSL via SP1NQF, direct or bureau. [TNX SP1NQF]
- TK - Look for Tony/IK2SNG, Augusto/IK4RQJ and Sergio/IZ4BBF to be active as TK/homecall from from Calenzana, Corsica (EU-014) on 8-12 October. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 10-40 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IK4RQJ]
- VE - Noel, VE2BR and Gregg, VE3ZZ/Gregg will operate Multi-Single in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest with the special call VC2Z from Mercier, Quebec (Zone 5). QSL via VE2BR. [TNX VE3ZZ]
- W - Special event station K4L will be active from Hunting Island (NA-110) on 17-18 October to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the lighthouse. QSL via K3LLH. Further information at <http://pws.prserv.net/K4L/> [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]

- W - Members of the The St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society (N4AUG, www.saarsham.net) will be active from Lacosta Island (NA-069) on 17-18 October. They plan to be QRV on 20, 40 and 80 metres from about 12 UTC on the 17th until about 19 UTC on the 18th. QSL direct to N4AUG (St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society, P.O. Box 860084, Saint Augustine, FL 32086, USA). [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- YB - YC0IEM expects to be active as YC0IEM/8 from Ambon Island (OC-070) on 4-23 October. QSL via IZ8CCW.
- YV - The Radio Club Venezolano will operate as YW8AJ from Monagas State on 9-12 October. QSL via YV5AJ, direct or bureau. Information on the Venezuelan States Award can be found at <http://radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm> [TNX The Daily DX]

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DXCC NEWS ---> D2QMN's current operation from Angola has been approved for DXCC credit. Anyone who had this operation rejected in a recent DXCC submission can send a message to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to be placed on the list to be updated. [TNX NC1L]

FT5GA ---> The on-line log (<http://www.clublog.org/charts/?c=FT5GA>) now contains 37285 QSOs (latest QSO at 15.20 UTC on 1 October) with 12171 unique callsigns. The team will remain on the island until 8 October. QSL via F5OGL, direct or bureau. As for LoTW, "uploading is not on the agenda to day", the FT5GA team says, "but we never said the log will not be uploaded in the future. We will have a lot of things to do before, for a long long time". [TNX F5NQL]

QSL ZK2V ---> The entire batch of direct ZK2V cards (about 1400 envelopes, confirming 2979 QSOs) was expected to be to the post office on 29 September, "with the exception of about 100-125 cards that require 'special handling'". Bureau cards will be tackled next. [TNX N3SL]

QSL STATISTIC ---> The idea beyond this service (<http://adok.dyndns.org>) is "to share the information stored in your local logger database with others - so when deciding wheter to send your paper QSL to a station you can take a look how others have received cards from that station". [TNX RX9TX]

QSL VIA W5KDJ ---> Wayne, W5KDJ (3DA0KDJ, 5R8KD, A25KDJ, C91KDJ, SV0WWW, TF2WJN, YN2KDJ) says he does not accept QSL cards via the bureau. He will only confirm direct cards with SASE or SAE + return postage, or via eQSL and LoTW.

SWL CLUSTER ---> DX Watch (<http://www.dxwatch.com/>), the popular Internet access for amateur radio DX cluster with additional tools, now has a newly born brother cluster devoted to SWL and general listening activity: <http://swl.dxwatch.com> [TNX PY2ZX]

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

VHF-DATABASE ---> The latest issue of the VHF-DATABASE (2.60 - 10/2009) is now available to private users as well as DX-Cluster Sysops on MMonVHF, the VHF-DX-Portal. Information can be found at <http://www.mmmmonvhf.de/dbase.php> [TNX DL8EBW]

XV#RRC ---> Typhoon Ketsana affected the plans of the Russian team in Vietnam. The XV6RRC operation from Ngu Island (AS-185) was cancelled, but they were able to log 2149 QSOs operating as XV7RRC from Cham Island (AS-162) for 17 hours on 26 September, then the weather deteriorated and forced them to leave the island before it was too late. On 28 September-1 October they made 10543 QSOs as XV3RRC from Tam Island (AS-157). A log search for both activities can be found at <http://xv6rrc.com/>; QSL via RZ3EC.

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Mehmed Cosovic (T99A, ex-YU4CA, a doyen of amateur radio in Bosnia), Vladimir I. Kuzichev (UY5IA), John G. Marshall (W0JM) and Travis G. Casanova (W5GED).

QSLs received direct or through managers: 3DA0EL, 3DA0MH, 3DA0MM, 3DA0TB, 3DA0VA, 3G1M (SA-069), 4S7NE, 4X4DK, 4X4WN, 5K0T, 5V7PRF, 7P8MM, 7P8OK, 7P8YI, 7Q7BP, 7Q7HB, 7X4AN, 8Q7DV, 9J2FM, 9L1X, A25/DL7DF, A35ZS, A43DLH, A45XR, A92HB, AH6RQ, B1Z, BA7IO/4 (AS-136), BX0ZR, BX5AA, C21TI, C6AGU, CG200I (NA-128), CQ2I, CU2A, D44AC, D44TXS, DY1C (OC-120), EA9/KH0AM, EA9IB, EA9LS, ES3AX, EU3AR, EX2T, FM1FV, FT5YI, GB0SGB/p, GB5HOD, GB5KIL, GI0KOW, GJ6YB (EU-013), H44MY (OC-162), HA0NAR, HC8N, HR9/WQ7R, HV5PUL, JD1BMH, K5D, K7C, N6PYN/KL7 (NA-239), OJ0B, OJ0J, OY/LA6FJA, P29NI, PR5D (SA-047), PV8ADI, PX6T (SA-080), PX8M (SA-041), S04R, TI2KI, TJ3SL, TL0A, TM2HC, TM5EL (EU-094), TO3R, TO8YY, TY5ZR, UA0AV, UP5G, V31WC, V51YJ, V55X, V63MY (OC-259), V7XX, V85SS, V8AQM, VK0BP, VK9CNC, VK9GMW, VK9LA, VK9NI, VP2ETN, VP8YLH, VR2C, XX9TCC, XY3C, YJ8TZ, ZB2FK, ZC4LI, ZF2DX, ZF2ZB, ZK2V, ZK3AH, ZL7/SP5EAQ, ZX8A (SA-016).

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- 8Q - Jim, G3VDB will be active holiday style as 8Q7EJ from Vilamendhoo Island, Maldives (AS-013) on 9-25 October. Subject to hotel permission and local conditions, he plans to operate CW, RTTY, PSK31 and perhaps SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- 9H - Andreas, DL9USA will be active as 9H8C from Comino Island, Malta (EU-023) on 15-22 October. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- H44 - Mike, KM9D (H44MY) and Jan, KF4TUG (H44TO) have been lying to anchor in the lagoon of Liapari Island (OC-149), Solomon Islands since 8 October.
- HA - Radio Club Puspokladany (HA0KHW) will be active as HG0WFF from a number of Hungarian National Parks between now and October 2010. The first activity will be from the Hortobagy National Park on 12-18 October. QSL via HA0HW. [TNX HA0HW]
- J5 - Jose, CT1DSV will be active as J5S from Guinea Bissau on 12-18 October. He expects to operate about 1-2 hours every night, and to concentrate activity on 17-18 October. QSL via home call. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- JT - Jeremy, W7EME (JT1UN) and Jim, K7YO (JT1YO) will conduct the first ever EME activity from Mongolia on 10-14 October. Details can be found at <http://www.w7eme.org/ulaanbaatar> [TNX JT1CD]
- PA - Special event station PA30IPA will be active from 10 October to 6 November to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the International Police Association Radio Club of the Netherlands. QSL via PA9LUC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- PA - Ben, D01BEN and Barbara, D01IQ will be active as PD/homecalls from Texel Island (EU-038) on 16-22 October. QSL via D01BEN, bureau preferred. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- PY0T - The schedule of the Brazilian Navy has changed, and consequently also the dates for the ZY0T operation from Trindade [425DXN 961]. The team now expects to leave on 13 October and to be active from

the 17th to the 20th (+/- one day either way). QSL direct to PY1NB. Bookmark <http://riodxgroup.dxwatch.com/trindade-2009> for updates. [TNX PY1NB]

- SP - Special event station SN100DP will be active until 11 October to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the "Dar Pomorza", the Polish sailing frigate currently preserved in Gdynia a a museum ship. Please visit [http://www.sq2rh.it2.pl/sn100dp/sn100dp\\_about.html](http://www.sq2rh.it2.pl/sn100dp/sn100dp_about.html) for Further information. QSL via SQ2RH. [TNX SQ2RH]
- TA - Special event callsign TC1IEM will be aired on the HF bands for this year's Istanbul Eurasia Marathon to be held on 18 October. QSL via TA1KB, bureau preferred. [TNX TA1HZ]
- T6 - Pascal, F5PTM is active as T6YA from Afghansitan until December. He plans to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via F5OGL [TNX The Daily DX]
- TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team ([www.tcswat.org](http://www.tcswat.org)) will be active as TC1ELH from Eregli Lighthouse (Sea of Marmara) on 9-11 October. They plan to operate mainly on 20 and 40 metres SSB. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- V3 - Rich, N0HJZ will be active as V31MW from Placencia, Belize on 17-26 October, including as SOAB entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL direct to home call or via LoTW. [TNX N0HJZ]
- VK - Look for Ray, K9LUK to be active as K9LUK/VK4 from Fraser Island (OC-142) on 18-23 October. QSL direct to home call. [TNX [www.ragbiota.org](http://www.ragbiota.org)]
- W - The Alamance Amateur Radio Club (K4EG) will participate in the Cape Lookout Lighthouse 150th Special Event on 10-11 October by operating from Harkers Island (NA-067). Look for them on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW and SSB, with possible activity on 17 and 30 metres as well. QSL via KA4KJI. [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - Special event stations N#A will be operated from all ten US call areas with the appropriate prefix number designator on 12-18 October to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the North American QRP CW Club (NAQCC). QSL via operator's instructions. Complete details on the event can be found at <http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/> [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - The South Florida DX Association (K4FK) will operate as W4R from the Arthur R. Marshall Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge as part of the National Wildlife Refuge Week. The station will be active on 20 and 40 metres SSB, and possibly CW, on 17 October (from 14.00 to 18.30 UTC). QSL direct to WA4WTG. [TNX N4II]
- YB - Hotang, YC0IEM now expects to be active as YC0IEM/8 from Ambon Island (OC-070, 425DXN 961) on 12-30 October. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]
- ZL - Paul, ZL4PW and Ray, VK4HDX will be active from Stewart Island (OC-203) on 19-30 March 2010. They plan to operate all modes on 160-15 metres, and possibly to participate in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. They are looking for a phasing device for 2 element phased arrays for 30/40m and a solid-state linear amplifier. Please contact Paul ([zl4pw@orcon.net.nz](mailto:zl4pw@orcon.net.nz)) if you are willing to assist. A website is under construction. [TNX [dx-hamspirit.com](http://dx-hamspirit.com)]

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DXCC NEWS ---> 5N00CH (Nigeria, current operation) and 5N0EME (2009 operation) have been approved for DXCC credit. If you had QSOs rejected in a recent DXCC submission, send an e-mail to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]

FT5GA ---> Due to a change in the military flight's schedule, the FT5GA team went QRT around 9 UTC on 7 October, one day earlier than planned. Activity started on 15 September, and the five operators on the island were able to log 50,301 QSOs with 15,237 unique calls. All of the logs have been uploaded to the log search ([www.clublog.org/charts/?c=FT5GA](http://www.clublog.org/charts/?c=FT5GA)).

TX3A ---> The first update about TX3A (Chesterfield Islands, 425DXN 951) has been posted to the expedition's website. Last minute tests (including RTTY hardware and software) and preparations are under way, and many improvements have been made to the equipment. As weather is the main variable, AA7JV and HA7RY will be standing-by in Gladstone (Queensland) from 28 October, ready to sail whenever they see a weather break long enough to get them to Chesterfield (the voyage will take 60-70 hours). Therefore they do not have a fixed date for the start of operations: "in the best case, we may get on the air on November 4, but it could easily be November 10 or later". George and Tomi will have supplies for a 20-day operation. The TX3A license is valid for 15 days only, so they may operate some of the time using their own callsigns. They intend to remain on the island to participate in the CQWW CW contest. Bookmark <http://tx3a.com/> for regular updates.

WW DXPEDITION TROPHY 2009 ---> The Strange Radio Team is conducting the fourth annual survey to recognize the "DXpedition of the year" that has aroused the greatest interest in the amateur radio world between 1 June 2008 and 1 June 2009. Cast your vote at <http://www.strangeradioteam.com/> [TNX IZ7AUH]

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3A2MG	F9JS	CX4AAJ	EB7DX	OD5F	IZ8CLM
3D20CR	DJ8NK	E51NOU	N7OU	OG0A	OH2BH
3D2DW	YU1DW	EF8M	UA3DX	OG20YL	OH2YL
3D2GM	PG5M	EG2NVP	EA2DJM	OJ0B	OH2BH
3D2KJ	SP5DRH	EH3IDB	EA3DTD	OJ0J	OH0RJ
3D2MJ	SP5EAQ	EH3WRC	EA3FCY	OL22ASE	OK1TIR
3W1M	OM3JW	ER8C	ER1DA	OM8A	OM2VL
3Z40KP	SP5KP	EW5WFF	EW4DX	OM9FIRAC	OM5GU
3Z70KOC	SP5PJX	FP/G3ZAY	G3ZAY	ON25BELGICA	ON7TR
4K9W	DL6KVA	FP/M0TDG	M0TDG	ON4DAMIAN	ON7LR
4L1FP	LZ1OT	G4LAB/p	G4IAR	PA08DWN	PA3ALM
4L2IKA	EA7FTR	GA2MP	N3SL	PD55EA	PD7BZ
4S7AAG	DL1LH	HB9SPACE	HB4FR	PY0FF	W9VA
4S7BRG	LZ3HI	HB9VELO	HB9OCR	R1ANY	RK3MWD
4S7SAG	DH7SA	HF1939WW	SQ6CU	R50KTV	RA6AU
4U64UN	HB9BOU	HF35PEA	SP1NQF	RU0LL	IK2DUW
4W6FR	VK4FW	HL9A	WX8C	SN0WFF	SP5X
5B/HG3IPA	HA3JB	HS0ZEA	OE2REL	SN80WK	SP7PKI
5C5W	EA5XX	II1CAM	IW2MNO	SP80WAC	SP3PSM
5N0OCH	DL3OCH	IL7X	IK5BCM	SP90SEP	SP6PWW
5Q5NA	DK5NA	IY2M	IW2NOH	SQ80SPCU	SP9PKZ
5W0DW	YU1DW	J2800	K2PF	SV0XAF/8	HB9EBC
5W7A	YT1AD	J68WI	WB5ZAM	SY1RY	SV1JMO
5X1THA	M0WTF	J79ZG	DL7AFS	T30AW	YU1DW
5Z4PS	M0WTF	JW3XIA	LA3XIA	T30M	YT1AD
7Q7CE	IN3VZE	JW5NM	LA5NM	T88OM	JA1FMZ



7Q7HB	G0IAS	JW5X	LA5X	TC10TF	TA1HZ
7X0MT	F5MSR	JW6RHA	LA6RHA	TI5/NP3D	W3HNC
9H3FD	PA3FHR	JW6VM	LA6VM	TX5SPA	SP9PT
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	JW7WCA	LA7WCA	UE1RLH	RA1QY
AL7R	K9IT	JW7XK	LA7XK	VC3COPP	VE3BDB
C31CT	EA3QS	JW9DL	LA9DL	VK6AU	N1DT
C37NL	C37URA	KH6MB	AI4U	XU7ACY	W2EN
C37URE	EA4URE	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD	XV3RRC	RZ3EC
C91VM	IK1RAE	LU8XW	WD9EWK	XV7RRC	RZ3EC
CM3RPN	EB7DX	LX/PA6Z	PA9M	YB0ECT	K3AIR
CN2CV	HB9CVC	LZ26ZA	LZ1KZA	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
CN8IG	EA7FTR	LZ44WFF	LZ1KZA	Z21BC	NI5DX
CU6NS	EA5KB	MS0WRC	G0MTD	ZS4U	K3IRV

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- 3A - Gianni, I1UWF will be active as 3A/I1UWF from Monaco on 24 October for the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He plans to operate mainly on 20 metres, with some activity on 15 and 10 metres, running 100 watts into a vertical antenna. QSL via home call. [TNX I1UWF]
- 4X - Yoshi, JE2EHP will be active as 4X/K1HP from Israel between 29 October and 5 November. He will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via JE2EHP, bureau preferred. [TNX JE2EHP]
- 5Z - Enrico/5Z4ES, Frank/IK8TEO, Tony/IK8UHA and Antonio/IK8VRH will be active as 5Z0H from Kenya between 10 and 21 February 2010, including operations from Wasini Island (AF-067) and Lamu Island (AF-040). They plan to have two stations active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via IK8VRH (direct, bureau and LoTW). The website for the operation is at <http://www.ddxc.it> [TNX IK8VRH]
- D6 - Sam Serge, F6AML will be active as D68F from the Comoro Islands (AF-007) on 13-23 November. He will operate CW (1828, 3520, 7020, 10115, 14020, 18071, 21020, 24951 and 28020 kHz) and SSB (3775, 7075, 14265, 18140, 21265, 24960 and 28480 kHz), with a focus on the low bands. QSL via F6AML, direct or bureau. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- DU - Alex, DV1UBY will be active as 4D1N during the CW WW DX SSB and CW Contests. He will be also looking for DX contacts on 15, 20 and 40m with 10 watts until the end of the year. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX DV1UBY]
- DU - Manfred, DL4IAS will be active as DV7/DL4IAS from Bantayan Island (OC-129) from 20 October to 5 November. He plans to operate PSK, SSB and CW on 40, 30 and 20 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- EL - Chris de Beer, ZS6RI is working on a project in Liberia, and will hopefully be QRV in late October-early November. He will be working six weeks in Liberia, and then three weeks at home in South Africa, for the foreseeable future. He plans to operate CW QRP with vertical and wire antennas; if there seems to be activity he might upgrade the antennas and the radio, and operate also SSB and maybe digital modes. [TNX ZS6RI]
- FK - Jean-Louis, F5NHJ will be active as VR2/F5NHJ from Cheung Chau (AS-006), Hong Kong on 21-23 October and as FK/F5NHJ from New Caledonia, either Grande Terre (OC-032) and Lifou or Mare (OC-033), from 26 October to 11 November. He plans to focus on 30 metres digital modes. QSL via F5NHJ. [TNX F5NQL]
- G - Jeff, G4SOF will be running GB2BD for Bideford Devon Scouts for this year's Jamboree On The Air (17-18 October). Information on the 52nd JOTA can be found at <http://www.scout.org/>. [TNX G4SOF]
- G - Mick, G3LIK reports he will be active as GB4RN (GB4 Royal Navy) on 1-28 November, which will include the RNARS CW Activity Contest (rules at [http://www.rnars.org.uk/RNARS\\_Contest\\_2009.htm](http://www.rnars.org.uk/RNARS_Contest_2009.htm)) on 21-22 November.
- GI - Chris, M0DOL and Merv, MI0TMW will be active as GN4KPT/p and EI/GN4KPT/p from a number of castles in Northern Ireland and Eire between 25 October and 4 November. QSL via M0DOL. [TNX MI0TMW]
- GM - Oscar Luis/EA1DR, George/EC2ADN, Christian/EA3NT, Col/MM0NDX and Bjorn/SM0MDG are planning an operation to be held from rare IOTA group EU-118 (Flannan Isles) in June 2010. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]

- I - Look for IU1CL to be aired from Camogli Lighthouse (WAIL LI-015, ARLHS ITA-189) on 24-25 October. QSL via IZ1MLV, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1MLV]
- KH0 - AA6CM/KH0 (operator JA6CM), KH0UV (operator JR6DRH), KK6WW/KH0 (operator JA6EGL) and WH0AA (operator JA6GLD) will be active from Saipan on 22-26 October. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH0 - Yoshi, JK2VOC will be active as KH0/JK2VOC from the Northern Marianas (OC-086) on 23-26 October, including and entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. Before the contest he will operate on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K]
- PA - Special callsign PB65BP will be in use on all bands SSB and digital modes until 11 November to commemorate the 65th anniversary of the liberation of Breda by the Polish 1st Armoured Division (29 October 1944). QSL via PA1WLB. [TNX K1XN]
- PY - Jose/PY6HD, Beto/PY6RT and Nilzo/PY6AWU will be active as ZZ6Z from the Abrolhos Archipelago (SA-019) from 29 October to 2 November (dates may vary depending on Brazilian Navy schedules). Expect them to operate SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL direct to PY6HD. [TNX PY6HD]
- PZ - Mike, AJ9C will be active as PZ5M from Suriname on 22-29 October. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres, and to take part in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- SV5 - Martin, ON4PO will be active as J45PO from the SX5P contest station on Rhodes Island (EU-001) on 21-29 October, before and after the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- V2 - Tom, K7ZZ will be active as V25Z from Antigua (NA-100) on 19-28 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. Outside the SSB event the will concentrate on CW. QSL direct to home call. He will upload his log to LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- V3 - Pete, K8PT will be QRV as V31PT from Ambergris Cay (NA-073) from 24 November to 6 December. This will be a holiday style operation on 40-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via K8PT. [TNX K8PT]
- V6 - JA7HMZ (V63DX) and JA7GYP will be active with a focus on the low bands from Pohnpei(OC-010), Micronesia on 25-31 October. QSL via home call. A part time participation in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as V6B is being considered. [TNX NG3K]
- VE - The Vancouver Olympics Amateur Radio Group (VOARG) is promoting and coordinating the operation of a series of special event callsigns to commemorate the Vancouver 2010 Winter Olympic and Paralympic Games to be held in February and March next year. Three special callsigns will be activated by amateur radio operators and groups resident in British Columbia as follows: VG7V (1 October-30 November 2009), VG7W (1 December 2009-31 January 2010), VG7G (1 February-31 March 2010). A web site with additional details is under construction. QSL direct (VOARG, 9362-206A St., Langley, BC V1M 2W6, Canada) or bureau. All of the QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com>]
- VE - Yuri, VE3DZ plans to operate as VE2IM from Sept-Iles, Quebec (Zone 2) on 21-26 October, including an entry in the CW WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via VE3DZ. [TNX NG3K]
- VK9X - Rene/DL2JRM, Tom/DL2RMC, Sid/DM2AYO and Harry/DM5TI will be active as VK9XX from Christmas Island (OC-002) from 21 November to 5 December, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as VK9XW. They plan to have two stations up and running 24/7 on 160-10 metres, with a focus on the low bands and CW. QSL both callsigns via DL1RTL, direct or bureau. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW. Further information at <http://www.dl2rmc.com/tom/VK9X2009/>
- VK9X - Phil, G3SWH and Jim, G3RTE will be active from Christmas Island (OC-002) on 20-27 February 2010. They will both use the single callsign of VK9X/G6AY, and they will operate CW only on 80-10 metres (no activity on 160 metres). Propagation permitting, they

plan to have two stations on the air for as many hours every day as is possible. QSL via G3SWH, direct or bureau (requests for bureau cards can be submitted by using the relevant form on Phil's website). Please visit [www.g3swh.org.uk/christmas-island.html](http://www.g3swh.org.uk/christmas-island.html) for further information. [TNX G3SWH]

- VP2M - George/K2DM (VP2MDG), Peter/K3ZM (VP2MZM), Glen/W4GKA (VP2MKA) and Jim/AD4J (VP2MIJ) will be active from Montserrat (NA-103) on 20-28 October, including a Multi-Single entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as VP2MDG. Outside the contest look for VP2MDG on 6m SSB and for VP2MZM on 160m CW. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VP2V - Steve, KN5H and Art, N3DXX will be active from Tortola, British Virgin Islands on 21-28 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as a Multi-Single entry, and will operate CW, RTTY and on 30, 17 and 12 metres before the contest. QSL direct to KN5H. [TNX KN5H]
- VP5 - Look for VP5/WA2VYA, VP5/W2WAS and VP5/N2VW to be active from Providenciales (NA-002), Turks and Caicos Islands on 20-27 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as VP5T. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XU - Peter, XU7ACY and Wim, XU7TZG will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as XU7KOH from Koh Russei (Bamboo Island, AS-133), with some CW activity before the contest. QSL via ON7PP (direct only). [TNX NG3K]
- YN - Mike, K9NW will be active from Nicaragua on 22-27 October, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. Callsigns will be HT2N (QSL via K9NW for this year's event only) during the contest and YN2NW (QSL via K9NW) before and after the contest. [TNX K9NW]
- YV - The Grupo DX Caracas (<http://gdxc.org/>) will celebrate their 20th anniversary by operating as YW5F From Farallon Centinela (SA-058) on 6-9 November. They will be active on on 80-2 metres SSB, CW, FM and digital modes. QSL via DM4TI. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- Z3 - IT9SSI, IT9YVO, IZ5MOQ, IZ8CCW, IZ8CGS, IZ8IYX and IZ8JAI, along with Z36W and Z35X, will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as Z37M. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards for this operation only should be sent to IQ8MD (Mediterraneo DX Club, Ufficio Cosenza Veneto, Casella Postale 360, 87100 Cosenza - CS, Italy). [TNX IZ8CCW]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (September 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA (iz3eba@iz3eba.it)

DXCC NEWS ---> The recent FT5GA operation from Glorioso has been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

NWRW 2009 ---> The National Wildlife Refuge Week (11-18 October) combines Amateur Radio communication capabilities with enjoyment of the outdoors to help others learn about the National Wildlife Refuge System. Amateur radio stations (including K4M from Midway) are operating from a number of wildlife refuges this week under guidelines established in cooperation with the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service. Information on this special event, including details on the relevant certificate, can be found at <http://www.nwrweek-radio.info> [TNX K4RT]

QSL HR9/WQ7R ---> Effective 14 October, the new QSL manager for HR9/WQ7R is Erik, K5WW (no longer via AI4U). [TNX K5WW]

QSL ZC4VJ ---> Cards received at the PO Box address in Cyprus will continue to be answered, but the new QSL route is via M0URX (QSLling details can be found at <http://www.m0urx.com>). LoTW logs will continue to be uploaded by Andy, ZC4VJ. [TNX ZC4VJ]



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- A3 - Paul, A35RK "originally thought his new A35A call had restrictions and was to be used for contest and special events, however that is not the case". Effective immediately, Paul has chosen A35A as his new permanent callsign. QSL via W7TSQ, direct or bureau or LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- A3 - Ramon, XE1KK will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as A31KK from Fafa Island (OC-049), Tonga, on 20 metres. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW.
- F - F5IL, F5IRC, F5THW and F5UBH will be active as TM5SN from Sein Island (EU-068) from 30 October to 2 November. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via F5IL, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- FP - Eric, KV1J and Tom, W8TOM have rescheduled their activity from Miquelon [425DXN 961], which has been postponed to 7-15 November. They will operate as FP/KV1J and FP/W8TOM on 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Their logs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Further information at <http://www.kv1j.com/fp/october09.html>
- FT5W - Flo, FT5WO will be active from Alfred Faure Base on Ile de la Possession, Crozet Islands [425DXN 916] until 14 or 15 November. Usually he can be found on 17 and 20 metres during the weekends between 6 and 13 UTC. Look for him on or around 14260-14280 and 18165 kHz. QSL via home call (F4DYW), direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HA - Radio Club Puspokladany (HA0KHW) will be active as HG0WFF/p from the Orseg National Park on 22-29 October. QSL via HA0HW. [TNX HA0HW]
- I - Mauro, IN3SAU will be active as IB0/IN3SAU from Ponza Island (EU-045) for about ten days starting on 26 October. He plans to operate SSB, RTTY and BPSK31 on 80-10 metres. [TNX IN3SAU]
- JT - Celebrating the 75th anniversary of the Mongolian Border Service Institute, special event station JU75BSI will be active on 23 October-20 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via JT1CH and LoTW. [TNX JT1CD]
- P2 - Rough seas and bad weather conditions are delaying the voyage to the Tanga Islands (OC-102). The team (CT1AGF, G3KHZ, G3USR, M0VTG and SM6CVX) sheltered in Putt Putt cove on New Britain Island (OC-008) and operated as P29VSR (QSL via G3USR), then reached Muliamba harbour on New Ireland (OC-008). Their estimated time of arrival to Tanga is now around 2 UTC on 24 October. Bookmark [www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29\\_2009/index.html](http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2009/index.html) for updates.
- ST - Robert, S53R, will be active as either ST2KSS or ST2X (pending license) during the CQWW DX SSB Contest, on 15 or 20 metres. [TNX NG3K]
- T6 - David, CT1DRB has been active as T6AG from Afghanistan since 21 October. He will remain there for about six months. He operates CW only, for the time being on 30 metres (hopefully other bands will follow, but he might have problems with 20 and 80 metres). QSL via EA3GHZ, direct or bureau. Updates and logsearch will be available at <http://t6ag.nra.pt/> [TNX EA3GHZ]
- T8 - Kozo, JR8DHE will be active as T88KP from Koror (OC-009), Palau on

24-29 October, including activity during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest.  
 QSL via home call. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]

- TF - Rene, DL2JRM will be active as TF/DL2JRM/p from Iceland (EU-021) from 31 October to 2 November. He will operate CW on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- TZ - Mac, TZ6JA will be back to Mali on 26 October for one month, and hopes to operate SSB only during his early morning and late evening hours between 2 and 23 November. He will have two transceivers, a small amplifier, a 2-element beam for 40 and 20 metres and a G5RV. QSL direct only to Makoto Obara, P.O. Box 59, Tama, Tokyo, 206-8691 Japan. [TNX JA1ELY]
- YJ0 - Tomas, VK2CCC (LY1DF) will be active as YJ0CCC from Efate Island (OC-035), Vanuatu from 30 October to 5 November. It will be a part time operation focused on 80 metres CW, with some 160 and possibly 40m activity. He will also give 60 metres a try (5404.5 kHz USB). QSL via VK2CCC, direct or bureau. He will upload his log to LoTW. Updates will be posted to [qrz.com](http://qrz.com) under YJ0CCC. [TNX NG3K]
- VK - VK6IOA is the callsign to be used from the Houtman Abrolhos (OC-211) [425DXN 953] between 31 December and 4 January. For the time being the team includes Wally/VK6YS, Nigel/VK6NI and Bruce/KD6WW, but they are still looking for a fourth operator, ideally with reasonable CW skills. Please contact Wally ([vk6ys@inet.net.au](mailto:vk6ys@inet.net.au)) if interested. Current plans are for two stations operating simultaneously, with a Spiderbeam for 20, 17 and 15 metres, a vertical dipole for 40-10 metres and a 1/4 wave vertical for 40/30 metres. QSL via VK4AAR.

CQ WW DX SSB CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (24-25 October):

ZONE	CALL	CATEGORY	DXCC	QSL VIA
++++	C6APR	In our thoughts and prayers		++++
02	VE2DXY	M/2	Canada	KD3RF
02	VE2IM	SOAB HP	Canada	VE3DZ
05	4U1UN	M2	UN Headquarters	HB9BOU
05	AA4V/VP9	M/2	Bermuda	AA4V
05	VC2Z	M/S	Canada	VE2BR
07	HQ2W	SOAB HP	Honduras	HR2DMR
07	HT2N	SOAB	Nicaragua	K9NW
07	TI5N	M/S	Costa Rica	W3HNK
07	TI8M	M/2	Costa Rica	TI2KAC
07	V31MW	SOAB HP	Belize	N0HJZ
07	YS1YS	M/S	El Salvador	YS1GMV
08	8P5A	SOAB HP	Barbados	NN1N
08	J68JA	SOAB	St. Lucia	W5JON
08	KP2M		U.S. Virgin Isls	AI4U
08	KP4KE	SOAB	Puerto Rico	OK1DOT
08	NP2B	M/S	US Virgin Isls	qrz.com
08	NP4Z	SO HP	Puerto Rico	WC4E
08	PJ7/AH8DX	SOAB	Sint Maarten	AH8DX
08	T46A	M/S	Cuba	CO6LC
08	TO7A	SOAB HP	Martinique	UT5UGR
08	V25Z	SOAB LP	Antigua	K7ZZ
08	V26B	M/?	Antigua	KA2AEV
08	VP2MDG	M/S	Montserrat	K2DM
08	VP2V/KN5H	M/S	British Virgin Isls	KN5H
08	VP5T	M/M	Turks & Caicos Isls	N2VW
08	ZF2AH		Cayman Isls	W6VNR
09	9Y4D	SOSB	Trinidad & Tobago	qrz.com
09	FY5KE	M/S	French Guiana	FY5KE
09	PJ2T	M/M	Curacao	N9AG
09	PJ4K	M/2	Neth. Antilles)	ZP5AZL
09	PZ5M	SOAB HP	Suriname	AJ9C
10	HC8A	SOAB HP	Galapagos Isls	KU9C



12	CE1W		Chile	HA1AG
12	CE4CT	M/2	Chile	EA5KB
12	XR6T	M/?	Chile	CE3FED
13	CX7TT	SOAB	Uruguay	K5WW
13	LP1H	M/S	Argentina	EA5KB
14	AM3SSB	M/S	Spain	EA3JW
14	CR2X	SOAB HP	Azores	OH2BH
14	EA6/AA5UK	SOAB	Balearic Isls	AA5UK
14	EE6E	SOSB 40m	Balearic Isls	EA6DD
14	G6PZ	M/S	England	G6PZ
14	GJ2A	M/M	Jersey	qrz.com
14	HB0/HB9AON	M/?	Liechtenstein	DJ2YE
14	LX7I	SOSB 20m	Luxembourg	LX2A
14	OY3AA	SOAB HP	Faroe Islands	OZ1ACB
14	PA6Z	SOSB 80m	The Netherlands	PA9M
15	4O3A	SOAB HP	Montenegro	qrz.com
15	E71A	SOSB 80m	Bosnia-Herzegovina	E71A
15	E73M	SOAB	Bosnia-Herzegovina	E73Y or K2PF
15	E77DX	SOAB	Bosnia-Herzegovina	OE1EMS or E77E
15	E77XZ	SOSB 15m	Bosnia-Herzegovina	DK6XZ
15	IF9A	M/S	Italy (Sicily)	IT9ATF
15	IO3R	M/S	Italy	IN3UFW
15	IQ5DY	M/?	Italy	bureau
15	OH0Z	M/S	Aland Isls	W0MM
15	OK0K	M/M	Czech Republic	OK1WMV
15	RW2F	M/?	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
15	TK/IV3UHL	SOSB 20m	Corsica	IV3UHL
15	TK9R	SOAB	Corsica	IK8UND
15	Z37M	M/?	Macedonia	IQ8MD
16	ER4DX	SOAB	Moldova	RA4LW
20	5B/G3RXQ	SOAB HP	Cyprus	G3RXQ
20	5B/HA5PP	SOSB	Cyprus	HA5PP
20	C4I	M/?	Cyprus	LZ2HM
20	P33W	M/S	Cyprus	RA3AUU
20	TB3A	SOSB	Turkey (Asia)	LZ1NK
20	TC7KA	M/S	Turkey	TA7KA
21	4K7Z	M/S	Azerbaijan	UA3FDX
21	4L3A	SOSB 80m	Georgia	LY4A
21	4L8A	SOSB 20m	Georgia	K1BV
21	9K2HN	M/S	Kuwait	9K2HN
22	VU2PAI	M/S	India	qrz.com
23	JT1ZO	SOAB	Mongolia	OH0XX
23	JU1DX	M/2	Mongolia	qrz.com
23	JU75BSI	M/S	Mongolia	JT1CH
24	B5TT	SOSB 80m	China	BA5TT
24	B7P	M/?	China	BD7IXG
24	BX5AA	SOAB HP	Taiwan	BX5AA
24	VR2C	M/S	Hong Kong	WA4WTG
26	E21NPZ/8	SOSB 40m LP	Thailand	E21NPZ
26	HS0AC	M/?	Thailand	HS0ZFZ
26	HS8JYX	SOSB 20m	Thailand	HS8JYX
26	XU7KOH	M/S	Cambodia	ON7PP
27	4D1N	SOAB	Philippines	DV1UBY
27	AH0BT	M/2	Mariana Isls	7L1FPU
27	AH2R	M/S	Guam	JH7QXJ
27	KG6DX	SOAB HP	Guam	KG6DX
27	KH0/JK2VOC	SOAB	Mariana Isls	JK2VOC
27	NH0DX	SOAB	Mariana Isls	JL3RDC
27	T88KP	SO	Palau	JR8DHE
27	V6B	M/S	Micronesia	LoTW
28	9M6/JJ2CJB	SO	East Malaysia	JJ2CJB
28	9M6/W8AY		East Malaysia	RA3AD
28	9M8Z	SOAB HP	East Malaysia	M0URX

28	YE0X	M/?	Indonesia	YE0X
28	YE2R	M/2	Indonesia	EB7DX
29	VK8NSB	SOAB	Australia	VK6NE
31	AH6XX	M/2	Hawaii	K2WR
32	3D2MJ	SOSB	Fiji Isls	SP5EAQ
32	A31KK	SOSB 20m	Tonga	LoTW
32	E51USA	SO	South Cooks	E51CG
32	FO8RZ	SOSB	French Polynesia	F8BPN
32	ZM2M	M/2	New Zealand	ZL2AL
33	3V8SS	SOSB 15m	Tunisia	IZ8CCW
33	AO8A	M/2	Canary Isls	OH1RY
33	CN2R	SOSB	Morocco	W7EJ
33	CN3A	M/S	Morocco	I2WIJ
33	CN4P	SO LP	Morocco	EA5XX
33	CQ3Z	M/S	Madeira Isls	CT3AB
33	CR3A	M/?	Madeira Isls	CQ9K
33	EA8/OH6CS	SOSB	Canary Isls	OH6CS
33	EA8CMX	SOSB	Canary Isls	OH2BYS
33	EE9K		Melilla	direct
33	EE9Z or ED9NA	M/2	Ceuta & Melilla	EA9LZ
33	IG9R		(African) Italy	IK8HCG
33	IG9S	SOSB 15m	(African) Italy	IZ8GCE
33	TS9A	M/?	Tunisia	bureau
34	ST2KSS or ST2X	SOSB	Sudan	qrz.com
35	6V7Q	SOAB LP	Senegal	F8IJV
35	6W1RY	SOAB HP	Senegal	F5VHJ
35	TY1MS		Benin	PA3AWW
38	3DA0WW	M/S	Swaziland	3DA0TM
38	ZS9X	M/?	South Africa	K3IRV
39	S79MI	SO LP	Seychelles	HB9ENI
40	TF3CW	SOSB 40m	Iceland	LX1NO

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqsz2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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DXCC NEWS ---> The following operations have been approved for DXCC credit: T6AB (Afghanistan, 2008 and 2009 operation), T6AF (Afghanistan, current operation) and TX3A (Chesterfield Islands, 2009 operation). Also, DXCC credit for YI/KV4EB has been extended through 9 January 2004 (originally it covered the period from 20 April to 28 November 2003). [TNX NC1L]

JD1BNA ---> Toshi, JA1ELY says that the station signing JD1BNA on 17 metres CW between 9 and 13 September was a pirate.

QSL OQ50USA ---> The OQ50USA log (year 1994) will be closed on 1 January 2010. QSL cards can still be requested direct from Paul Demelle, ON6DP. [TNX ON6DP]

QSL VK7ACG ---> Cards should be sent direct to G0WFH (no bureau): Christopher Gresswell, 121 Gramby Court, Milton Keynes, MK1 1NG, England. [TNX G0WFH]

QSL VIA IK3GES ---> Gabriele reports that all of the direct requests for this year's IOTA operations have been processed and mailed. He says that 1 IRC can be redeemed for a postage that covers up to three QSL cards in the same envelope. After 31 December direct requests with IRCs expiring on that date will be processed via the bureau. The list of callsigns Gabriele is the QSL manager of can be found at qrz.com under IK3GES.

VK9 CALLSIGNS ---> The Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) has decided to discontinue the use of a VK9 callsign suffix letter to denote each of the six External Territories that are DXCC Entities (VK9C for Cocos/Keeling Island, VK9L for Lord Howe Island, VK9M for Mellish Reef,

VK9N for Norfolk Island, VK9W for Willis Island and VK9X for Christmas Island). From 1 November, callsigns for the VK9 DX entities will fall in line with the practice for issuing callsigns for all other VK call areas, with the suffix only denoting the class of licence issued (Advanced, Standard or Foundation). Under the provisions of the Amateur Licence Conditions Determination, portable operation is permitted with a radio amateur using their home callsign /VK9 and stating their location. [http://amateurradio.com.au/node/856]

+ SILENT KEYS + The amateur radio and contest community worldwide mourns the tragic loss of the entire C6APR team. Edwin F.Steeble (K3IXD/C6AXD), James R. "Randy" Hargenrader (K4QO/C6AQO), Peter Radding (W2GJ/C6APR) and E. Dallas Carter (W3PP) lost their lives on 21 October when their aircraft crashed and burst into flames shortly after take-off from Summerville, South Carolina. They were headed to Crooked Island, Bahamas, where they expected to take part in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest.

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3B8FQ	K5XK	EH1SRT	EA1AST	PB65BP	PA1WLB
3Z0MK	SP7PTK	EK3SA	DJ1CW	PJ4/K2NG	WA2NHA
4L3A	LY4A	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	PJ4/W9NJY	WD9DZV
4L8A	K1BV	EL2DT	EL2FM	PJ7MF	IZ1MHY
4U1UN	HB9BOU	EN500I	DM5BB	PZ5M	AJ9C
5B4AIF	EB7DX	ER650MD	ER4DX	R1ANB	RN1ON
5R8FL	G3SWH	FM/KL7WA	UT5UGR	R1ANC	RN1ON
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	FO8RZ	F8BPN	R1FJM	RX3MM
5R8HT	F4DBJ	FP5BZ	F5TJP	RC80MO	RZ3FR
6V7Q	F8IJV	FS/K1XM	KQ1F	RK0L	UA0LW
6W1RY	F5VHJ	FT5WO	F4DYW	SN0HUB	SP9YST
8Q7AK	G7COD	GA5CX	GM3YTS	SN0JP	SP9PKZ
8Q7EJ	G3VDB	GB75XX	G3KWK	SN100DP	SQ2RH
9A430KA	9A6Z	GJ4CBQ	GM4FDM	SN120OSP	SP4CUF
9H1KZ	G2BKZ	GP0STH	G4DIY	ST2KSS	ST2M
9H3RV	HB9DGV	H44MY	OM2SA	SX1L	DL1JCZ
9H8C	DL9USA	HC7AE	EA7FTR	SX5R	SV5DKL
9H9MSG	9H1SF	HF700BW	SQ8JIU	SZ6P	SV1BJW
9J2BO	G3TEV	HG0WFF	HA0HW	T6AG	EA3GHL
9J2CA	G3SWH	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	T6YA	F5OGL
9J2FM	JA4ATV	HL09SEA	HL1OYF	TC1ELH	TA1HZ
9K2/SP4R	SP4GFG	HL9BSA	WX8C	TC1IEM	TA1KB
9M2IDJ	JA6IDJ	HP3DX	W4WX	TO7RJ	DJ7RJ
9M4SJP	9M2TO	HR9/WQ7R	K5WW	TS9A	YT1AD
9M6DXX	M0URX	HS0ZIL	DL2LAH	TX5SPM	SP9PT
9M8Z	M0URX	HZ1SBS	HZ1HN	TY1MS	PA3AWW
A52FJJ	JA1FJJ	II0JAM	IZ0PSA	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
A61BN	NI5DX	II0SRT	IS0LFZ	UE0QDA/0	RN0QQ
A65BE	G3XHZ	II2ANA	IZ2JNN	UE4FDA	RA4FJV
A65BI	SM5DJZ	II2SRT	I2JJR	UE4FRC	RZ4FZZ
A65BM	W4JS	II4SRT	IZ4GAC	UE9YFF	RA9YF
A65CA	RV6AJJ	II5GAL	IZ5DMC	UN5J	W3Hnk
A7/M0FGA	NN1N	II8IYA	IQ8MJ	UN7AB	DL8KAC
AA6CM/KH0	JA6CM	II8SRE	IZ8LKL	V25Z	K7ZZ
BY3MM	BD3NHK	IQ0PM	IW0HLZ	V26BZR	W2BZR
C56YK	ON7YK	IQ8OM	IZ8EDJ	V26MH	HB9OCR
C92IO	ZS6HB	IR0JOTA	IW0FFP	V26OC	N3OC
CE2WZ	M3ZYZ	IR5SRT	IZ5MMN	V31MD	NM2D
CM2IR	EB7DX	IR8JOT	IW8PQ	V31MW	N0HJZ

CN2AW	DL1DAW	IR8JOT	IW8PQ	VK2IA	DL8YR
CN2JD	F8AEJ	IR8SRE	IZ8FFA	VK8NSB	VK6NE
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	IR9BP	IT9RGY	VP2MDG	K2DM
CP6XE	IK6SNR	IU7SRT	IZ7AUH	VP2MKA	W4GKA
CT3AS	DJ8FW	IY3XX	IV3ZXQ	VP2MZM	K3ZM
CU2DX	CU2AA	IY8GM	IK8WEJ	VP8DIF	DJ9ZB
CU2KG	OH2BH	J37K	AC8G	VP9400HW	VP9HW
CU2KI	OH2UA	J45PO	ON4PO	VQ9JC	ND9M
CX7CO	WB3CDX	J5S	CT1DSV	VR2009EAG	VR2XMT
DA0CA	DC2YY	J68JA	W5JON	VU3DJQ	EA7FTR
DF0SX	DL1CW	J11FGX/DU9	JF1LZQ	W4PL	W4KRY
DL0TUM	DJ4MZ	KG4YU	KJ5YU	WH0AA	JA6GLD
DL0XM	DL3XM	KH0AC	K7ZA	XU7TZG	ON7PP
DL2F	DL2FDL	KK6WW/KH0	JA6EGL	YC0IEM/8	IZ8CCW
DL60CHILD	DL5SE	KL5O	AC7DX	YJ0PX	AI5P
DM3W	DM3EF	LA6Q	LA9VDA	YN2NW	K9NW
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	LX30AK	LX1CC	YP1WFF	YO3JW
DP4D	DJ4MG	LZ5K	LZ1RAY	YT5W	YU1BFG
DP4K	DK3DM	OL50BMI	OK2BMI	ZF2AH	W6VNR
DP9I	DK7JQ	OM9AAW	DF8AA	ZF2UL	K3UL
DQ3Q	DL1SMA	ON100PES	ON4TRC	ZK2DL	DL2FAG
DQ4W	DK9TN	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	ZL30MDG	ZL3RG
DR1X	DF8XC	OY3AA	OZ1ACB	ZM1A	ZL1AMO
DR800GRZ	DL1ARJ	P29CW	VK2IR	ZM2B	ZL2BR
EG1FST	EA1EG	P29VSR	G3USR	ZM2M	ZL2AL
EH1FST	EA1EG	PA30IPA	PA9LUC	ZY0T	PY1NB
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- 5H - Harald, DL7VSN (5H1HS) will be touring Tanzania in November, and will operate mainly CW and RTTY on the HF bands with 100 watts and various dipoles. He will be QRV probably from 1 November from the Kilimanjaro area, and from 18 November from Serengeti and Tarangire National Park. If flight/boat plans go well, he will also try to go and operate from an IOTA group for one or two days. QSL via home call. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- 9J - Niko, S53A will be active again as 9J3A from Zambia on 25-30 November, CQ WW DX CW Contest included. QSL direct to S57S. [TNX NG3K]
- CE\_ant - Celebrating the 200th anniversary of the independence of Chile, the Radio Club de Concepcion (<http://www.ce5ja.cl/>) will operate as XR9JA from the Chilean Navy Base "Arturo Prat" on Greenwich Island, South Shetlands (AN-010) on 10-25 January 2010. The operators will be Dago/CE5COX, Carlos/CE6UFF, Luis/XQ5CIE and Didier/F6DXE. They plan to operate on all bands SSB, CW and PSK31, plus Satellite AO-51. QSL via CE5JA, direct or bureau. [TNX CE1KR]
- CE0Y - Announced frequencies for the 31 October-15 November XR0Y DXpedition to Easter Island [425DXN 957] are as follows:  
CW 1826, 3505, 7005, 10120, 14005, 18073, 21005, 24893, 28023  
RTTY 3580, 7034, 14091, 18102, 21083, 24923, 28085  
SSB 1843, 3725, 7075, 14200, 18140, 21295, 24935, 28480  
There are three QSL routes. [1] Stan, SQ8X will handle cards for Europe, Asia, Africa and Oceania (direct and bureau). [2] The Radio Club de Chile will handle cards for North, Central and South America (direct and bureau). [3] An Online QSL Request System (OQRS) will be activated on the expedition's website when XR0Y gets on the air. In addition, the XR0Y logs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL sometime in 2010. Please visit <http://rapanui2009.org/> for updates, further information and details on QSLling policy.
- ES - Ben, OZ5AAH will operate CW and SSB as ES1/OZ5IPA from Estonia for the International Police Association Contest (7-8 November, rules at <http://www.ipa-rc.de>). QSL via OZ5AAH. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F - The Radio Club Havrais (F8KHN) will be active as TM1TJV will be activated on 4-8 November for the Transat Jacques Vabre, the yachting race on the coffee trading route between Le Havre (France) and Puerto Limon (Costa Rica). [TNX F8REF]
- F - Look for Didier, F4ELJ/p to be active from Wrac'h Island (not IOTA) and lighthouse on 7-8 November. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F4ELJ]
- FK/C - The TX3A license for the Chesterfield DXpedition [425DXN 962] has been extended, and AA7JV and HA7RY will be able to use that callsign from 2 November until 6 December. George and Tomi left Gladstone (Queensland) on 26 October and reached Suamarez Reef the day after. They had to stop there to wait for the weather to improve; hopefully the voyage will be resumed on Saturday with TX3A being expected to be QRV by 3 November in the local evening hours. QSL via HA7RY. Bookmark <http://tx3a.com/> for regular updates.
- GD - Tom, GM4FDM and Ronald, PA3EWP will be active as GD4FDM and MD/PA3EWP from the Isle of Man (EU-116) on 6-9 November. They will concentrate on the low bands CW, and Tom will do some RTTY as well. QSL GD4FDM via GM4FDM, QSL MD/PA3EWP via PA7FM. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HBO - Kazik (DL2SBY), Tomi (HA4DX) and Laci (HA0HW) will be active as HBO/homecall from Masessa, Liechtenstein on 6-13 November. They

- plan to operate CW and some SSB with three stations, and to concentrate on 160, 80 and 40 metres. QSL via home calls, bureau preferred. [TNX HA0HW]
- KP2 - Look for KP2/K1ZE, KP2/N3XF and KP2/W1EQ to be active from St. Croix, US Virgin Islands on 4-11 November. QSL via home calls and LoTW. They will operate CW, SSB and possibly RTTY on 160-10 metres, and will participate in the ARRL CW Sweepstakes (7-9 November) as KP2M (QSL via AI4U). [TNX NG3K]
- LY - Orlando, PY2TJ, will be active on the HF bands as LU/PY2TJ from Tierra del Fuego (SA-008) on 1-7 November. QSL via PT2OP. [TNX www.dx-hamspirit.com]
- PY - Special callsign PW2SIDC will be in use from several Brazilian States, including Fernando de Noronha, until 22 November to celebrate the V Seminario Internacional de Defesa Civil to be held in Sao Paulo. QSL via PS7YL, direct or bureau. [TNX PS7YL]
- PY - Fred, PY2XB and Alex, PY2WAS will be active as PW2IO and PW2TA respectively from Cabras Island (SA-071) on 19-23 November. They will operate SSB and CW with two separate stations, mainly on 15, 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres. Landing on the island is difficult and the operation may be postponed in case of bad weather. QSL PW2IO via PT7WA, QSL PW2TA via PY2WAS. [TNX PT7WA]
- SM - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physics awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, eight special callsigns (SI0GM, SI1GM, SI2GM, SI3GM, SI4GM, SI5GM, SI6GM and SI7GM) will be aired from Sweden between 9 November and 10 December. Details on the relevant award offered by the Swedish Amateur Radio Society can be found at <http://awardmanager.se/>
- T8 - Pista, HA5AO will be active as T88CI from Koror (OC-009), Palau between 25 November and 10 December. He plans to operate holiday style mainly CW on 80-10 metres, and to participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. Logsearch will be available at <http://ha5ao.novolab.hu/> [TNX HA0HW]
- UA\_ant - Mike, RW1AI expects to depart St. Petersburg aboard the oceanographic research ship "Akademik Fedorov" on on 1 November and to reach Progress station (Antarctica) around 16 December. He plans to be active from the local club station (R1ANP) throughout 2010. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VK - Special event callsign VI50LZ will be in use on the HF bands between 31 October and 8 November to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Elizabeth Amateur Radio Club. QSL via VK5LZ, direct or bureau. [TNX W1AW]
- VP2M - Tom/DL2RUM (VP2MUM), Rudi/DM2XO (VP2MXO) and Jan/DJ8NK (VP2MNK) will be active from Montserrat (NA-103) on 3-15 November. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VP9 - Look for Paul, VP9KF to operate CW only from Hamilton Parish, Bermuda (NA-005) on 4-18 November. QSL direct only to W4/VP9KF (Paul Evans, 6809 River Road, Tampa, FL 33615, USA). Further information can be found at <http://vp9kf.com>
- XV - Manfred/DK1BT, Wolf/DL4WK, Andy/DL5CW, Sigi/DL7DF and Frank/DL7UFR will be active as XV4D from Phu Quoc (AS-128), Vietnam on 4-17 November. They will operate on 160-10 metres with two stations for CW and SSB, and a third station for RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV. Bernd, DF3CB will be the pilot for the expedition. QSL via DL7DF, direct or bureau. Further information and updates at <http://www.dl7df.com/>
- YU - Alex/HA7JJS (YU9JJS), Laci/HA6NL (YU9NL), Laci/HA7PL (YU9PL) and Zsolt/HA6PS (YU9PS) will be active from Serbia from 30 October to 8 November. Special callsign YT36QRP will be used during the HA-QRP Contest on 80 meters CW (1-7 November). QSL YT36QRP via YU7CM, others via home calls (direct or bureau). [TNX HA0HW]
- Z2 - Fernando, EA4BB has been active as Z21BB from Harare, Zimbabwe for a few days and expects to remain there for the next couple of years. "For the time being I have only dipoles and delta loops for

10, 15 and 20", he says. "I plan to build new antennas for WARC bands as well as two loops for 40 and 80, and maybe to increase power (for the time being I am limited to 100W). Also, later in the year I hope I will put up a 3-element beam for 10, 15 and 20. For now I am mostly on CW, but I will scale up SSB operations as I improve my antenna system". QSL via W3HNK. [TNX Z21BB]

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DXCC NEWS ---> 3D20CR and 3D2CV (Conway Reef, 2009 operations) and K4M (Midway Island, 2009 operation) have been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

MONGOLIAN DX CONTEST ---> The Mongolian Amateur Radio Society (MARS) invites licensed amateurs and SWLs to participate in the Mongolian DX Contest, to be held on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY on 21-22 November (from 00.00 UTC on Saturday through 23.59 UTC on Sunday). Please e-mail jtlkaa@gmail.com for further information. [TNX JT1CD]

PIRATE ---> The station signing TL8/IZ2EVL on 26 October was a pirate. The genuine Emanuela, IZ2ELV was in Italy and she does not operate CW.

QSL VIA F4EFI ---> Gwenael, TU5KG operated from France as TM0C and TM0T during this year's CQWW RTTY and CQWW SSB respectively. The QSL manager for both these activities is F4EFI, direct or bureau. [TNX TU5KG]

QSL VIA W3HNK ---> W3HNK is taking over as QSL manager for either CR3E (to be QRV during the CQ WW DX CW Contest) and CT3NT. [TNX CT1BOH]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Tito Livio Esteves Xavier (CT1VM), Odoardo Tiberi (I0TIC), Dorando Guidotti (I5BKB), Raffaele Cafaro (IZ8CET), George Hanna Hakim (OD5RL), Boleslaw R Stolkowski (SP2CCO), Viktor I. Mudrenko (UA0LDX) and Paul Vydareny (WB2VUK).

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 4S7NE, 5B/AJ20, 5B4AIF, 5B4AII, 5C5W, 5H3EE, 5K0T, 5Q1A, 5W0JT, 5X1VB, 6W/DL4SJ, 7P8R, 9H3QC, 9N7JO, 9Y4W, A71A, AM8IL, C31PP, C52C, CC0Y, EP3PTT, EP3UN, FP/G3ZAY, FP/M0TDG, FY5PO, HI3/LY3UM, KG4NL, KL7J, N7RO/p (NA-169), NH8/K3LP, OD5NJ, OF200AD (EU-140), OH0R, OY2J, PY0FF, PZ5TT, R7HQ, RW2F, T6AB, T77NM, T88ZS, TO3R, TO5AA, TO5AA, TO8YY, UM8LA, V31XX, V51AS, VK9DWX, VK9GMW, VO2/NF6J, VP2MSJ, VQ9LA, XU7TZG, XU7XXX, YB0DJ, YI1RZ, YL2BJ, YL2KO, YT5W, ZF1A, ZK2V, ZP8VAO. \*\*\*\*\*  
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- 9L - The VooDoo Contest Group (this year's operators are Ned/AA7A, Nick/G3RWF, Fred/G4BWP, Bud/N7CW and Gary/ZL2IFB) will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as 9L5A (Multi-Two or Multi-Multi) from Sierra Leone, on all six contest bands. There may be some activity on 30, 17 and 12 metres before and/or after the contest. The main callsign is 9L5A (QSL via G3SXW), G3RWF may activate his 9L1NH call (QSL via home call) and AA7A his 9L7NS call (QSL via home call). There will be no daily logs, but LoTW upload will be soon after returning home. [TNX G3SXW]
- D2 - Paulo, CT1ITZ is active as D2PJB from Porto Ambo, Angola until 29 November. He operates SSB only on 80-10 metres and "be aware he likes to ragchew". QSL via CT1IUA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- E51 - Henrik, OZ6TL is active as E51TLA from Raratonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands until around 25 November. He operates holiday style using mainly RTTY. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ER - Moldova became an independent principality in 1359. Celebrating the 650th anniversary of that event, ER650M (QSL via ER1DA) and ER650MD (QSL via ER4DX) are currently active until 30 November. [TNX ER1DA]
- FK/C - George and Tomi dropped anchor in the lagoon of Chesterfield in the local morning of 2 November and became QRV at 11.17 UTC on the 3rd. As a reminder, while TX3A will not disregard the higher bands, this expedition is heavily focussed on the low bands. On 160 metres look for them on 1830.5 kHz, listening below 1825 for Japan and above 1825 kHz for the rest of the world. QSL via HA7RY. Updates and log search (currently 2922 QSOs until 21.05 UTC on 5 November) can be found at <http://tx3a.com/>
- I - Look for IC8ATA, IC8/IK7JWX, IC8/IW8EHK, IC8/I8LWL and IC8/IK8GQY to be active from Procida Island (EU-031, IIA NA-002) on 6-8 November. They will operate SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on the HF bands and possibly 6 metres. Side trips to the islands of Ischia and Vivara are being considered. [TNX IK7JWX]
- I - Fabio, IK0IXI and other INORC members will operate as II0TRM on 16-22 November to commemorate the 70th anniversary of Theodore R. McElroy's (W1JYN) code receiving record (75.2 wpm: corrected to today's standard, that would be 72.2 wpm). QSL via IK0IXI, direct or bureau. [TNX I0LYO]
- KC4 - Bill, K7MT will be returning to McMurdo Station (KC4USV) on Ross Island (AN-011), Antarctica between 15 November and 20 February 2010. He expects to be QRV for Europe at 18 UTC on Saturdays; he also plans to be on 14243 kHz on Sundays at 00.00 GMT, and to operate PSK-31 (14070 kHz) and CW (14043 kHz) as well, if time permits. QSL via K1IED. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- OX - Paco/EA4BT, Ramon/EA4NA, Emilio/EA7AAW and Salvador/EA7SB will be active as OX/homecall from Narsarsuaq, Greenland (NA-018) on 12-19 November. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-10 metres. QSL via EA4BT, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to [dx4dx@telefonica.net](mailto:dx4dx@telefonica.net)) and LoTW. The web pages for the expedition are at <http://www.dx4dx.com/ox/index.html> [TNX EA5BWR]

- T30 - Dave, N1EMC (T30KI) and Mike, N1IW (T30IW) will be active from Tarawa, West Kiribati (OC-017) on 10-16 November. They will operate SSB and CW on 6, 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 60 metres (no activity on 80 or 160m). QSL via N1EMC (direct) and LoTW. Their web page is at <http://dx.t30dx.net/> [TNX The Daily DX]
- TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team ([www.tcswat.org](http://www.tcswat.org)) will be active as TC1YLH from Yesilkoy Lighthouse between 6 and 23 November, mainly during the weekends. QSL via TA1HZ. [TNX TA1HZ]
- UA - Oleg, UA0ZAL has been a resident on Bering Island (AS-039) since September 2007. In recent times he was active mainly on 40 metres CW. QSL via RV1CC, direct or bureau.
- UA - Vasily, RA9LI will soon relocate to Troynoy Island (AS-086), where he expects to operate in his spare time as RA9LI/0 for one year. QSL via UA9LP. [TNX I4EAT]
- VE - After his recent and memorable trip to the Ottawa Islands, Cezar (VE3LYC) will attempt to activate East Pen Island (NA-231, new one) for three days between 26 and 31 March 2010. Intended callsign will be VY0V, which will be applied for in due course. Cezar reminds everyone that an earlier try he undertook with G3OCA in July 2007 was unsuccessful. The outcome of this new attempt will be determined by local conditions, weather and safety factors. At this time, Cezar is looking for group and individual donors who understand and appreciate the nature of this difficult project and are willing to join in the effort. Support for this project is welcome via PayPal at [tiberius.trifu@gmail.com](mailto:tiberius.trifu@gmail.com) [TNX VE3LYC]
- VP8\_ant - VP8DMH is the callsign issued to Mike, M0PRL, who is currently stationed at Rothera Base on Adelaide Island (AN-001), Antarctica. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- VP8\_fal - CX2AM, CX3AN, CX3BH, CX3CE, CX4AAJ and CX4CR will be active as VP8BUH (SSB) and VP8BUG (CW and digital modes) from Port Stanley, Falkland Islands (SA-002) on 14-21 November. They will have three stations and plans are to focus on the low bands as well as on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via EB7DX. Further information and logsearch at <http://www.qsl.net/vp8bug> [TNX CX3AN]

PACIFIC TOUR ---> Gerhard/DJ5IW, Norbert/DJ7JC, Andrea/IK1PMR, Franz/OE2SNL, Wil/PA0BWL and Claudia/PA3LEO will operate CW, SSB and RTTY from Samoa, Tonga, New Zealand, the South Cook Islands and Singapore in November-December. Their schedule is as follows:

11-18 Nov	Upolu (OC-097)	DJ5IW, DJ7JC, IK1PMR, PA0BWL and PA3LEO under individual 5W callsigns
19 Nov-1 Dec	Tongatapu (OC-049)	A31IW, A31JC, A31LEO, A31MR, A31SN and A31WL, plus A31A for the CQ WW DX CW Contest
2-5 Dec	Waiheke Island (OC-201)	ZL/DJ5IW, ZL/DJ7JC, ZL/IK1PMR, ZL/OE2SNL, ZL/PA0BWL and ZL/PA3LEO
5-12 Dec	Rarotonga (OC-013)	E51BWL, E51LEO, E51NAA, E51PMR, E51SNL and E51XIW
15-17 Dec	Singapore (9V)	9V1/DJ7JC, 9V1/IK1PMR, 9V1/PA0BWL and 9V1/PA3LEO

On Upolu, Tongatapu and Rarotonga they will have four stations, and plans are to focus on Europe, the low bands, 12, 17 and 30 metres and RTTY. QSL for all callsigns via PA3LEO. QSLling instructions, logsearch and further information can be found at <http://www.pacificdxpedition.com>

SOUTH AMERICA TOUR ---> Alain, F6BFH and his wife Danielle will be visiting Chile and Argentina between 6 November and 15 December. It will be a "backpacker style" travel and Alain plans to operate CW (14040, 18098 and 21040 kHz) and some SSB (14260, 18146 and 21206 kHz). His current plans include IOTA activities from an island in the SA-085 group (along with CE6TBN, sometime around 9-10 November), Chiloe Island (SA-018, 22-26 November) and Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego (SA-008, soemtime between 6 and 11

December). QSL via F6BFH, direct or bureau. Updates will be posted on <http://alan-f6bfh.blogspot.com/> [TNX F5NQL]

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9G5TT & 9G5XX ---> The pilot for the 13-27 November DXpedition to Ghana [425DXN 951] is Arturo, IK7JWY. He can be contacted through the dedicated forum at <http://www.hamradioweb.org/forums/forumdisplay.php?f=45>

DXCC NEWS ---> VQ9JC (Chagos Island, current operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. This operation was previously rejected as a shipboard operation. DXCC exchanged correspondence with the operator and determined that this operation was actually land-based thereby satisfying the conditions of DXCC Rule 8. If you had this operation rejected send an e-mail to [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) to receive credit. [TNX NC1L]

NCDXF ---> At a board meeting this week, the Northern California DX Foundation (NCDXF) elected officers for 2010. Bruce Butler (W6OSP) will remain as President, Glenn Johnson (W0GJ) will remain as Vice President and Tom McShane (NW6P) will remain as Secretary/Treasurer. The NCDXF Board of Directors reluctantly accepted the retirement of Len Geraldini (K6ANP) and Al Burnham (K6RIM) from the Board of Directors after many years of excellent leadership. At the present time, the NCDXF Board is planning on operating with 9 directors.

The NCDXF's website (<http://www.ncdxf.org>) has been upgraded and newsletters are now available in electronic format and can be downloaded from the website. The latest newsletter features "the rest of the story" and an excellent summary of the 701YGF Yemen operation, which was only recently approved for DXCC.

Please note that the NCDXF mailing address has been recently changed: NCDXF, P.O. Box 2012, Cupertino, CA 95015-2012, USA. [TNX W0GJ]

OQRS FILES LOST ---> On 31 October Bill, VK4FW lost both his laptop and the external backup stick drive, "all suspected from AC surge", he says. So "all Online QSL Request System files for 4W6FR are at this time lost, as well as any OQRS VK9LA files for the last 4 days. If any of you have sent for QSL request for the above, please kindly resend me full details to [vk4fw@westnet.com.au](mailto:vk4fw@westnet.com.au)".

QSL VIA W8ZA ---> Bob is taking over the QSL chores from the late K3IXD for C6APR, C6AXD and K3IXD cards. His address is Bob Biss, 680 Wren Lane, Harpers Ferry, WV 25425-4938, USA [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (315 QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (978 QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2681 QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (324 QSLs), Antarctic bases (795 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Francaises, 255 QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (285 QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (94 QSLs), pre-1945 countries (719 QSLs), French Departments (569 QSLs) and USA (50 QSLs), plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (112 QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is encouraged - please visit <http://LesNouvellesdx.fr> and send your comments to [lesnouvellesdx@free.fr](mailto:lesnouvellesdx@free.fr) [TNX F6AJA]

THAILAND ---> Thailand's National Telecommunications Commission has approved a request by the Radio Amateur Society of Thailand to expand 40

metres. Effective 6 November, E2 and HS stations will have primary use of 7.0 to 7.2 MHz. [TNX ARRL DX News]

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

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Artur Gil Machado (CT2HNI), Len R. Borley (G4LIK), Anatoly M. Bakharev (RV6B0), Valerij Buhtiarov (UA0AGAI, "Subbu" K.P. Subramanya (VU2FF) and Robert Allen Craft, Jr. (W6FAH).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2KJ	SP5DRH	GN4KPT/p	M0DOL	RC3W	RW3WWW
3D2MJ	SP5EAQ	GW9T	GW6NLP	RC90	UA9PC
3DA0WW	3DA0TM	H2E	5B4AGE	RG9A	UA9XC
3V8SS	IZ8CCW	HA5X	M0XXA	RK0L	UA0LW
3W1M	OM3JW	HB0/HB9AON	DJ2YE	RK3K	RX3OM
3Z40KP	SP5KP	HC2SL	EA5KB	RL3A	W3HNC
4H1T	DU1IVT	HC8A	KU9C	RL4R	RW4PL
4L0A	EA7FTR	HF35PEA	SP1NQF	RM3F	UA3DPX
4L1FP	LZ1OT	HG6N	HA6KNB	RT6A	RZ6AZZ
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4M5IR	YV5KG	HK1NK	EA5KB	RZ1CWC	RN1CW
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4X0A	4X1VF	HQ2W	HR2DMR	SJ2W	SM2WMV
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5H3EE	DL4ME	HS0ZAR	K3ZO	SN3R	SP6HEQ
5P3WW	DL1YAW	HT2N	K9NW	SN6Z	SP6RZ
5Q1A	OZ5ESB	IF9A	IT9ATF	SO6X	SP6IXF
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7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	IG9S	IZ8GCE	SO8R	SQ8JLA
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8P5A	NN1N	IO4T	IZ4JMA	SX5P	SV5FRD
8P9JG	NN1N	IO5O	IK5RLP	SY2V	SV2GJV
8Q7LM	DL7ULM	IQ1RY	IK1HXN	T46A	CO6LC
8R1PY	PY2WAS	IQ3RK	IZ3BUQ	T88KP	JR8DHE
9A3B	9A1AA	IQ3UD	IV3DSH	TA4ZT	DK1AR
9K2K	EA5KB	IQ4RN	IK4GNI	TC7KA	TA7KA
9K2YM	EA5KB	IR4M	IK4WMH	TF3CW	LX1NO
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	IR4X	I4EAT	TG9NX	N4FKZ
9M6XRO	M0URX	IR5T	IK5ORP	TI5N	W3HNC
9M8YY	JR3WXA	IR7DLI	IK7JWX	TI8M	TI2KAC
9Y4W	DL4MDO	IR8P	IZ8FWN	TJ3SL	F5PSA
A31KK	XE1KK	IR9Y	IT9ABY	TK9R	IK8UND
A35A	W7TSQ	IS0/K7QB	IN3QBR	TM0T	F4EFI
A41MX	EB7DX	IU1CL	IZ1MLV	TM2S	F5PED
A61BK	NI5DX	IU9T	IT9GSF	TM5SN	F5PIL
A61C	W4JS	J28KO	F6DKI	TM6M	F4DXW
A61R	EA7FTR	J43J	DJ5JH	TM9R	F6KNB

A71BU	NI5DX	JT1ZO	OH0XX	TN5SN	IZ1BZV
A71CT	EA7FTR	JU75BSI	JT1CH	TO7A	UT5UGR
A73A	EA7FTR	JY4NE	K3IRV	TR8CA	F6CBC
AH0BT	7L1FPU	KH6LC	AI4U	TX3A	HA7RY
AH2R	JH7QXJ	KH6MB	AI4U	UA3R	RN3RQ
AH6XX	K2WR	KH7X	K2PF	UE1ASP	RV1AQ
AL1G	AC7DX	KP2M	AI4U	UE3LFF	UA3LAF
AL7R	K9IT	KP4AO	W3HNK	UN4L	UA9AB
AM1A	EA1URG	KP4KE	OK1DOT	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
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AM3SSB	EA3JW	L20E	WD9EWK	UN7RBX	DL1USB
AM5A	EA5RKB	L33M	LU1MA	UN7RK	DL1USB
AO1J	EA1JJ	L73D	EA5KB	UN8GV	RD3AY
AO3A	EA3BOX	LM2T70Y	LA2T	UN9L	LZ1YE
AO5R	EB5GG	LN3Z	LA9VDA	UN9PQ	IK2QPR
AO8A	OH1RY	LN8W	LA9VDA	UP0L	DL8KAC
AY0DX	LU3DR	LP1H	EA5KB	UP2L	UA9AB
AY4D	EA5KB	LQ0F	EA5KB	UP4L	UN7LZ
B1Z	EA7FTR	LR1H	LU2HOD	UP6P	UN7PBY
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B4TB	BA4TB	LT0D	LU6DU	UT3L	UR5LO
B7M	BG7LHY	LT1F	AC7DX	UU7J	UU0JM
B7P	BD7IXG	LT4S	LU8SAN	UW0K	US0KW
BT4NG	BG4OGO	LT7H	LU1HLH	UW8I	UT2IZ
C4I	LZ2HM	LU/PY2TJ	PT2OP	UX2X	UT2XQ
C4W	5B4WN	LU1ZD	LU4DXU	UZ0U	UY5ZZ
C4Z	G3SWH	LU6FOV	EA5KB	UZ7M	UT9MZ
CE1VCZ	XQ1KY	LV6D	EA5KB	V26B	KA2AEV
CE1W	HA1AG	LW3EWZ	EA5KB	V48M	K2SB
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CE4B	CE4ETZ	LY6A	LY2BM	V63T	JA7GYP
CE4CT	EA5KB	LY7A	LY2ZO	VC2Z	VE2BR
CN2R	W7EJ	LY7Z	LY2TA	VE2DXY	KD3RF
CN3A	I2WIJ	LZ100SO	LZ2VP	VE2IM	VE3DZ
CN4P	EA5XX	LZ1195IR	LZ1KZA	VI50LZ	VK5LZ
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CO6CAC	EA5KB	LZ44WFF	LZ1KZA	VK6NC	VK6NE
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CO8ZZ	DK1WI	M4A	M0BLF	VP2MIJ	AD4J
CP4BT	EA5KB	M4U	G0DVJ	VP2MNK	DJ8NK
CQ9T	CT3KN	MI0M	MI0SAI	VP2MUM	DL2RUM
CR2X	OH2BH	MM1LOL/p	M1REK	VP2MXO	DM2XO
CR3A	CQ9K	N4EE	W3VT	VP5DX	NU4Y
CR3L	DJ6QT	N7JAL/KH2	JM1WJI	VP5T	N2VW
CR5R	CT1EEK	NH6P	KH7Y	VR2C	WA4WTG
CR5SBK	CT2FPE	NP4A	W3HNK	VY2ZM	K1ZM
CR5T	CS6ARC	NP4Z	WC4E	XE1EE	EA5KB
CR6K	CT1ILT	NY8A/KH2	JG1ITH	XE2K	XE2DN
CS2P	CT1BWU	OA4SS	KB6J	XE2S	WD9EWK
CX7TT	K5WW	OD5ET	EB7DX	XE3N	EA5FL
D2EB	IZ3ETU	OE2S	OE2GEN	XR0Y	CE3AA [c]
D2PJB	CT1IUA	OE8Q	OE8SKQ	XR0Y	SQ8X [d]
DR1A	DL6FBL	OG20YL	OH2YL	XR6T	CE3FED
DR5N	DK5TT	OG5B	OH5BM	XU7FMZ	JA1FMZ
DR775TMG	DJ8QP	OH0X	OH2TA	XU7KOH	ON7PP
DX1J	JA1HGY	OH0Z	W0MM	XV1X	OK1DOT
E51NOU	N7OU	OH4A	OH6LI	XV4D	DL7DF
E51TLA	OZ6TL	OH5Z	OH5LIZ	XV9DX	OM3JW
E51USA	E51CG	OH8X	OH2UA	YA1DIR	EA4URE
E73M	E73Y	OK1T	OK1TP	YC9MDX	EB7DX
E73W	E73Y	OK7M	OK1DVM	YE2R	EB7DX
E77DX	E77E	OL1X	OK4PA	YJ0CCC	VK2CCC
E77XZ	DK6XZ	OL4A	OK1DSX	YL7X	YL2LY

E79D	E77E	OL5Q	OK1HRA	YM3A	LZ1NK
E7DX	E77E	OL7T	OK2BXU	YR8V	YO8CT
EA8AH	OH1RY	OM7M	OM3PA	YR9P	YO9HP
EA8CMX	OH2BYS	OM8A	OM2VL	YS1YS	YS1GMV
EA9EU	EA5KB	OT5A	ON7LR	YT36QRP	YU7CM
EB1WW	EA1KY	OT5P	ON7RN	YT6T	YU7CM
ED5R	EA4RCH	OX2A	OZ1ACB	YT8A	YU1EA
ED5T	EA5ELT	OZ/OE9SDV	OE9SDV	YT9X	YU1AAX
ED9DMC	EA9BV	OZ7A	OZ7AMG	YU9JJS	HA7JJS
EE2W	EB2BXL	P29NI	G3KHZ	YU9NL	HA6NL
EE6E	EA6DD	P29VCX	SM6CVX	YU9PL	HA7PL
EE9Z	EA9LZ	P29VLR	SM6CVX	YU9PS	HA6PS
EH5T	EA5GPC	P33W	RA3AUU	YW4D	EA7JX
EI/GN4KPT/p	M0DOL	P40A	WD9DZV	YW5L	W4SO
EI7M	EI6HB	PA6Z	PA9M	YW5T	YV5JBI
EI9JF	LZ3HI	PE25KP	PE2KP	Z21BB	W3HMK
EK8WA	SP9LJD	PI4DX	PD1DX	Z37M	IQ8MD [e]
EL8RI	ZS6RI	PJ2T	N9AG	ZL3A	ZL3WW
EM65A	UT7AXA	PJ4K	ZP5AZL	ZM4A	ZL4AA
EN65MF	UR0MM	PQ5B	PP5JD	ZP8VAO	K2DER
ER4DX	RA4LW	PS2T	K3IRV	ZS4U	K3IRV
ER650M	ER1DA	PV2P	PY2DY	ZS9T	ZS1QRM
FR1AN	NI5DX	PW2D	PY2VM	ZS9X	K3IRV
G5O	G3VOU	PW2SIDC	PS7YL	ZV2C	PY2CX
GA2MP	N3SL	PW5G	PP5VB	ZV2K	PY2WAR
GB0AD	2W0XTP	PX2T	PY2DN	ZW5B	K3IRV
GI5K	G3SWH	PX5E	AI4U	ZX2B	PY2MNL
GJ2A	GJ3DVC [a]	PY0FF	W9VA	ZX5J	AI4U
GJ2A	K2WR [b]	R1AND	RU1ZC	ZY2C	PY2ADR
GM0B	MM0BHX	R1ANY	RK3MWD	ZY7C	PT7WA
GM2T	GM4UYZ	R50KTV	RA6AU	ZZ5Z	PP5JAK
GM7R	N3SL	RA9A	UA9APA	ZZ6Z	PY6HD

[a] others

[b] USA

[c] North, Central South America

[d] Europe, Asia, Africa, Oceania

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\*\*\*\* DX INFORMATION \*\*\*\*

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- 3W - Retu, OH4MDY and Henry, OH3JR will be active from Vietnam as XV2RZ and XV2JR respectively until 7 December. They operate CW, SSB and RTTY on the HF bands. QSL for both calls via OH4MDY (direct only). [TNX The Daily DX]
- 5R - Eric, F6ICX will operate only CW on 80-10 metres as 5R8IC from Sainte-Marie Island (AF-090), Madagascar from 17 November to 14 December. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX F6GCP]
- 6W - Tom, GM4FDM and Ronald, PA3EWP will be active as 6W/GM4FDM and 6W/PA3EWP from Senegal from 26 January to 9 February. They plan to concentrate on the low bands and RTTY, with an emphasis on North America and Japan. QSL 6W/GM4FDM via home call, QSL 6W/PA3EWP via PA7FM. Tom will upload his logs on LoTW, during the operation or as soon as he arrives home. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- T7 - Aurelio, IZ0EGM will operate SSB and CW as T70A during the ARRL 10 Meter Contest (12-13 December) from the radio club of San Marino's IARU Society. QSL information on qrz.com [TNX IZ0EGM]
- 8P - Brian, ND3F will be active as 8P9SS from Barbados (NA-021) from 22 November to 2 December, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- A4 - Celebrating Oman's National Day, the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society will be running special event station A43ND until 25 November on various bands and modes. QSL via A47RS. [TNX A41MA]
- C9 - Igor, UY5LW will be active as C91LW from Maputo, Mozambique from 13 November to 3 December. He will operate CW with some RTTY and PSK on 80-12 metres, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. Activity on 160 metres will depend on local situation. QSL direct to UY5LW. Logsearch and further information can be found at <http://www.c91lw.dixer.com.ua> [TNX UR4LRQ]
- CE - Alain, F6BFH and Marco, CE6TBN [425DXN 966] plan to be active from IOTA group SA-085 on 15 November. Look for activity on 20, 17 and 15 metres CW and SSB. [TNX F5NQL]
- CE0Y - Roberto, YV5IAL will be active as CE0/YV5IAL from Easter Island (SA-001) on 8-11 January. This will be a QRP, portable, holiday style operation, with PSK31 activity on 14070.15 kHz from 22 to 1 UTC, and occasionally on 40, 30 and 15 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX YV5GRB]
- CT9 - DJ2YA, DJ6QT, DL1CW, DL5AXX and SV1RP will be active as CT9/homecall from Madeira (AF-014) from 24 November to 3 December, including a M/2 entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as CR3L (QSL via DJ6QT). [TNX SV1RP]
- D2 - D2CQ is the newly issued callsign that Paulo, CT1ITZ (ex D2PJB) [425DXN 966] will be using from Angola until 29 November. QSL via CT1IUA. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- DU - Jouko, DU/OH1RX will be active from Manila during the LZ DX Contest (<http://lzdxb.fra.org/>) on 21-22 November. QSL via home call, direct or bureau (preferred). [TNX OH1RX]
- EA8 - The Teide DX Group will be active as EF8BFH from Punta del Hidalgo Lighthouse on Tenerife, Canary Islands on 14-15 November. They will be active on the HF bands, 6 and 2 metres and on 70 cm, using SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via EA8NQ, direct or via bureau. [TNX EA8NQ]
- F - Special station TM5TUR will be promoting amateur radio during the

Science Week at the Turgot Secondary School in Limoges on 16-20 November. QSL via F6KTW. [TNX F8REF]

FG - Serge, F6AUS will be active as FG/F6AUS and TO4D (in contest) from La Desirade, Guadeloupe (NA-102) until March. [TNX F6AUS]

FK - JA1NLX will be active as FK/JA1NLX from Ouvea Island (OC-033), New Caledonia on 19-23 November. He plans to operate CW and RTTY on 40-10 metres, and possibly on 80m as well, with 100 watts and a vertical antenna. QSL via JA1NLX direct, bureau or LoTW. Further information and log search at [http://www.ne.jp/asahi/ja1nlx/ham/fk\\_2009.html](http://www.ne.jp/asahi/ja1nlx/ham/fk_2009.html) [TNX NG3K]

HB9 - Special event station 4U1AIDS will be active from UNAIDS (the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS) headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland on 1-7 December to encourage amateur radio operators to participate in the World AIDS Day. Started on 1 December 1988, the aim of World AIDS Day is to raise money, increase awareness, fight prejudice and improve education. QSL to Andrey Fedorov, UNAIDS, 20 Avenue Appia, CH-1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland. Further information on this event can be found at [<http://www.DX-World.com/4ulaid>]

HL - DS2AGH and others will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as 6M0HZ/2 from Kanghwa Island (AS-105). QSL via DS2AGH. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]

I - COTA (Carabinieri on the Air) members will be active as IQ6CC on 20-22 November to celebrate Saint Mary "Virgo Fidelis", patron saint of the Carabinieri, the Italian military police. QSL via IW6DSM, direct or bureau. [TNX I6YOT]

I - Tony/IK1QBT, Claudio/I1NVU and Emilio/IZ1GAR will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as IG9X (SOSB 15m), IG9U (SOSB 80m) and IG9W (SOSB 40m) respectively. Outside the contest, between 22 November to 1 December, they will operate as IG9/homecall with a focus on the low bands. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK1QBT]

JA - Takeshi, JI3DST will be active as either JS6RRR and JI3DST/JS6 from the Miyako Islands (AS-079) on 21-30 November, including activity during the CQ WW DX CW Contest. His main QTH will be on Miyako-jima (JI1A AS-079-005), but he also plans to go and operate from Ikema-jima (AS-079-001) and Kurima-jima (AS-079-003). QSL via bureau only. [TNX JI3DST]

P2 - Bad weather has forced Hans, SM6CVX (P29VCX) to cancel his planned operation from Hastings Island (OC-117). He is now active from Normandby Island (OC-116) until 01.00 UTC on 14 November. The trip to Loloata (OC-240) is still on his agenda. QSL via SM6CVX. [TNX IZ1CRR]

PA - The only trolleybus system in operation in the Netherlands is in the city of Arnhem, which adopted it sixty years ago. Special callsign PC60TROLLEY will be aired from 17 November to 15 December. QSL via PA0FAW. [TNX F5NQL]

PA - Special event callsign PD450OBL will be in use from 24 November through 20 December to celebrate the 450th anniversary of the Dutch village of Oud-Beijerland. QSL via PD0LDC. [TNX PD0LDC]

PJ4 - Hennie, PE1MAE will be active as PJ4/PE1MAE from Bonaire (SA-006) until 1 December. He operates SSB mainly on 80 and 40 metres. QSL via PA2NJC. [TNX PA2NJC]

T8 - Jun, JJ1BMB will be active as T88AA from Palau until 22 November. He operates SSB only on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX JE1LFX]

TT - Jovica, E78A has been in Chad since 25 September, and has had his TT8JT renewed. He will be active from Abeche during the next three or four weeks. He operates CW during his spare time, as he is working for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees. Activity during the CQ WW DX CW Contest is not confirmed at this moment. QSL via E73Y, direct or bureau. [TNX E73Y]

V3 - Alex, KU1CW will be active as V31CW from Belize from 23 November to 2 December. He will operate CW only, including an entry in the

- CQ WW DX CW Contest. His wife Natasha will be active as V31YL, SSB only prior and after the contest. QSL via LoTW (preferred) or via KU1CW. [TNX KU1CW]
- V8 - Hans, SM3TLG will be active as V88/SM3TLG from Brunei (OC-088) on 15-19 November. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ]
- VE - Mike, W7ASF will be active as VY2/W7ASF from Prince Edward Island (NA-029) on 18-24 November, including an entry in the ARRL SSB Sweepstakes (21-23 November). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]
- VP2V - Look for Gerd, VP2V/DL7VOG to be active from Anegada, British Virgin Islands (NA-023) from 15 November to 2 December. He will operate CW and RTTY on all bands, including activity during the CQ WW DX CW Contest (hopefully under a shorter VP2V callsign). QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- VU\_ant - Bhagwati Prasad Semwal, VU3BPZ will be part of the 29th Indian Antarctic Expedition, between mid-November and March 2011. He will be located at Maitri Base and will operate mainly on 20 metres SSB as AT10BP. QSL direct to the qrz.com address. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- XE - XE3N, XE3PP, XE2WK and XE3RR will be active as XF3RR from Isla El Cerrito (NA-153) on 10-14 December. Organized by the Radio Club Cancun, this will be a low scale operation as the island is a protected area. Suggested frequencies are 3790, 7060, 14260, 18140 and 21260 kHz (SSB); 3585, 7044, 10104, 14085, 18104 and 21085 kHz (RTTY). IOTA group NA-153 was activated for the first and only time back in 1994. QSL via EB7DX.
- XU - Wim, XU7TZG (XU7KOH) will be active from Koh Russei (AS-133) on 13-16 November. He plans to operate SSB (14260, 18128 and 21260 kHz) and PSK31 (14040, 18100 and 21080 kHz). QSL via ON7PP. [TNX ON7PP]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The latest issue (October 2009) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html>. Articles and pictures should be sent to Nicola Baldresca, IZ3EBA (iz3eba@iz3eba.it)

DXCC NEWS ---> YI9TM (current operation from Iraq) has been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

LOGS ---> On-line logs for the recent Pacific tour by YT1AD and YU1DW (3D2AD, 3D2DW, 5W0DW, 5W7A, KH8/N9YU, T30AW and T30M) can be found at <http://www.YT1AD.info/t31> [TNX YT3W]

LOGS ---> The on-line log for DU1/G0SHN's activity from Manila (June 2009 to present) is at <http://LesNouvellesDX.fr/voirlogs.php>. Gerard will be back home around 20 November, and will return to the Philippines in February 2010. He plans to have a new antenna for him to use while visiting other DU islands. [TNX F6AJA]

LOGS ---> A logsearch for T6AG is available at <http://t6ag.nra.pt/> (2098 QSOs logged up to 9 November at 19.37 UTC).

+ SILENT KEYS + We are close in thoughts and prayers to Ake Broman, SM4EAC who lost his wife Margret, SM4PUR on 25 October. "She was a keen DXer", Ake says, "and had only two more countries to go to get them all". Other recently reported Silent Keys include Bruce A. Makas (K1MY), Alexander Dobrev (LZ1XP), Oleg V. Abramov (RU6BN), Boris N. Alekseev

(U5UF), Vladimir I. Bashmakov (UA1OV) and Viktor F. Eryukin (UA3RG).

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- 9G - Alan, G3XAQ will be active as 9G5XA from Ghana until 4 December. He operates CW on all bands. QSL via G3SWH. The log will be uploaded to [www.g3swh.org.uk](http://www.g3swh.org.uk) on his return. [TNX G3SWH]
- A2 - Mike, K9NW will be active as A25NW from Botswana between 23 November and 1 December, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- A6 - The Lufthansa Amateur Radio Club, in co-operation with the Emirates Amateur Radio Society, will be active as A65DLH from Dubai on 23-30 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-10 metres. QSL via DO7ZZ (bureau preferred). [TNX DO7ZZ]
- CE - Alain, F6BFH has had to cancel the IOTA trip to SA-085 [425DXN 967] because of rough seas. He and his wife Danielle are now going to Chiloe Island (SA-018), where they expect to remain from 21 through 25 November. Alain plans to operate SSB and CW on 20, 17, 15 and maybe 30 metres. QSL via F6BFH, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- CT7 - Members of the Algarve STAR DX Team (<http://algarvedx.com>) will be active as CR6A from Fuzeta-Barra Lighthouse on Armona Island (not IOTA) between 7 and 13 UTC on 22 November. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-15 metres. QSL via CT1GFK.
- FM - Saty, JE1JKL will be active from Martinique as FM/JE1JKL/p on 25-27 November, and as TO5T during the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- J6 - K9HZ will be active again as J68HZ from St. Lucia (NA-108) from 21 November through 5 December. He plans to operate on 80, 40 and 20 metres during his evening hours. Look for him around 14155, 7155 and 3770 kHz SSB, and 14050, 7050 and 3550 CW. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- KH0 - Lee, HL1IWD and Harry, WX8C will operate as AH0/AH2Y and KH0/WX8C from Saipan for the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via HL1IWD (but all of the QSOS will be confirmed automatically via the bureau). [TNX HL1IWD]
- KP2 - Look for KP2/K3CT and KP2/K3TEJ to operate CW and RTTY from the US Virgin Islands from 24 November to 1 December. QSL via home calls. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as KP2M (QSL via AI4U).
- T7 - Dario, IZ2EER and Agostino, IK2FIQ will operate from T70A, the club station of the Republic of San Marino's IARU Society on 26-30 November. This will include activity during the CQ WW DX CW on 80 metres. [TNX IZ2EER]
- TJ - Lionel, F5PSA (TJ3SL) will QRT from Cameroon around 15 December. Until that date, he will try to be QRV daily. His latest activity was on 20 and 17 metres SSB. QSL via F5PSA. [TNX F5NQL]
- V5 - Klaus, DJ4SO will be active again as V5/DJ4SO from Namibia from 23 November to 15 December. He plans to operate CW, RTTY, PSK31 and some SSB on 160-10 metres, and to take part in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau, and LoTW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VP6 - Al, ZL1AMD (VP6AL) has been on Pitcairn Island (OC-044) since early September and will remain there until March on a 6-month

assignment as the island's medical officer. The Daily DX says that Al "prefers picking up calls on 20 metres" rather than generating his own pile-up. QSL direct only to Al McDonald, c/o PDC Hahei, RD1, Whitianga 3591, New Zealand.

- VU - Special callsign AU8JCB will be in use between 28 November and 1 December to celebrate the birthdate of Indian physicist Jagadish Chandra Bose. QSL via VU2DSI. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XU - Wim, XU7TZG (XU7KOH) will be active from Koh Russei (AS-133) 20-23 November. He plans to operate SSB (14260, 18128 and 21260 kHz) and BPSK (14040,15 18100,15 and 21080,15 kHz). QSL via ON7PP. [TNX ON7PP]
- YN - Eric, K9GY (YN2GY) will be active from Nicaragua on 26-29 November, CQWW DX CW Contest included. Outside the contest he will focus on 30, 17 and 12 metres CW. QSL direct to K9GY (but LoTW preferred). [TNX The Daily DX]

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D68F ---> Serge, F6AML has had to cancel his 13-23 operation from the Comoro Islands [425DXN 967]. In a text message earlier this week he mentioned "a confused and instable political situation" as well as "some big radio problems". [TNX F5NQL]

LOGS ---> On-line logs for P29VSR (OC-008), P29VCX (OC-102), P29NI (OC-205) and P29VLR (OC-231) are now available at [www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29\\_2009/](http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/p29_2009/) (logs for P29VCX's activity from OC-116 and OC-240 will be added later).

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Steve, WB6RSE is receiving cards for V51AS, but he is not and never has been his QSL manager. Cards should be sent direct to Frank Steinhauser, Am Rosenkothen 17, 40880 Ratingen, Germany.

PSK63 QSO PARTY ---> The European PSK Club invites amateur radio operators all over the world to participate in the 4th EPC PSK63 QSO Party 2009 to be held on 22 November. Complete rules can be found at <http://www.eu.srars.org/>

QSL 7X0DX & 9M8DX ---> In early November Tom, SP5UAF received, processed and mailed out all of the outstanding direct requests for 7X0DX and 9M8DX (whose QSL manager, DL4DBR, passed away on 2 January). Those who still need a bureau card should resubmit via the bureau to SP5UAF, or send an e-mail request to either [tom.sp5uaf@gmail.com](mailto:tom.sp5uaf@gmail.com) or [sp5uaf@sp5zcc.net](mailto:sp5uaf@sp5zcc.net) [TNX SP5UAF]

QSL TF4X ---> Phil, G3SWH reports he has been appointed QSL manager for TF4X. There is already a log search facility on his web site (<http://www.g3swh.org.uk>), and any direct QSL requests already sent to TF4X will be forwarded to him.

X-TREME ---> IZ5MMK, IZ5MOQ and IZ5NFD, kindly hosted by NP2KW, are testing the HF Remote Base located in St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands (<http://np2kw-hf-remote.yolasite.com/>). This test has been established to allow amateurs to participate in the next contests (CQWW, WPX) into the X-treme Category, while experimenting creatively with Internet-linked stations and other new technologies. Note that the QSL will be only via NP2KW and note that the contacts are not valid for DXCC. [TNX IZ5MMK]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Jorge Camboni (CX8BBH), Rowley Shears (G8KW), David L. Wiesen (K2VX), John J. Hughes (K6MB), Hector Hugo Galvan (LU2XT), Evgeny A. Kostromin (UA4RZ), Lawrence T. Fadner (W3GN) and George M. W. Badger (W6TC).

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3Z30C	SP9DTE	FK8DD	LZ1JZ	SN17BN	SP5IKO
4K9W	DL6KVA	FK8HW	VK4FW	SN65LOK	SP5KCR
5C5W	EA5XX	FO8RZ	F8BPN	SO65LOK	SP5KCR
5N00CH	DL3OCH	GD4FDM	GM4FDM	SP40DUV	SP9GR
5R8IC	F6ICX	HF1NSN	SP1EG	T30IW	N1IW
5W0AP	PA3LEO	HP3AK	W4JS	T30KI	N1EMC
5W0CF	PA3LEO	HS0ZCY/4	E21EIC	T6AG	EA3GHZ
5W0IW	PA3LEO	II0TRM	IK0IXI	T6YA	F5OGL
5W0KH	DL2FAG	IQ6CC	IW6DSM	T88AA	JJ1BMB
5W0KY	VK2ZKY	IY0GMN	IQ0RM	TC1YLH	TA1HZ
5W0NM	PA3LEO	IY1Y	IK1MDF	TM1TJV	F8KHN
5W0WL	PA3LEO	IY2M	IW2NOH	TM5TUR	F6KTW
5W2IQ	WB2IQU	J37LR	VE3EBN	TT8JT	E73Y
6V7S	UA1OMX	JV1A	WV6E	TX3A	HA7RY
6W/EI6DX	RX3RC	KH0/KF7FKH	JE1HXZ	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
8P9NS	VE3OBP	KH0/KI6TIU	JA1PBV	UA0ZAL	RV1CC
9A430KA	9A6Z	KH2FB	JA2TBS	UE1WFF/0	RW3OW
9A800VZ	9A7A	KH9/WA2YUN	K2PF	UE4PFF/4	UA4PCA
9G5TT	I2YSB	LX8RTTY	LX1DA	UN5J	W3HNK
9G5XX	I2YSB	LZ55OUV	LZ1PM	V6P	JH1NBN
9H9JR	DJ0QJ	MD/PA3EWP	PA7FM	VK6ANC	VK6NE
9J2FM	JA4ATV	N6NY/NH0	JK1FUP	VP2MDC	G3TBK
9M6DXX/p	M0URX	NP3M/516	WP3S	VP6AL	ZL1AMD
9M6XRO/p	M0URX	ON25BELGICA	ON7TR	VP8BUG	EB7DX
A31A	PA3LEO	OX/EA4NA	EA4BT	VP8BUH	EB7DX
A43ND	A47RS	OY4TN	M0URX	VP8DIF	DJ9ZB
A65BE	G3XHZ	P29CW	VK2IR	VP9BO	W4ZGR
A65CA	RV6AJJ	PC60TROLLEY	PA0FAW	VY1RST	KL7JR
AC2BF/KH2	JA1OHP	PJ4/PE1MAE	PA2NJC	W2FJP/KH2	JA2FJP
AP2NK	W3HNK	PW2IO	PT7WA	W3FO/KH2	JH0CEO
C91LW	UY5LW	PW2TA	PY2WAS	W6KNH/KH0	JQ1KNH
CM3RPN	EB7DX	PW6C	K9AJ	WH2D	K3UOC
CN34MV	EA7FTR	R100W	RV9WB	WN1Y/NH2	JF1VGZ
CO6RD	8P9NX	R1ANB	RN1ON	XU7EEE	JE7JDL
CO6XN	N3ZOM	R1ANC	RN1ON	XV2JR	OH4MDY
D2CQ	CT1IUA	R1ANR	RZ3BJ	XV2RZ	OH4MDY
DP1POL	DL1ZBO	R1FJM	RX3MM	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
DQ11APOLLO	DF3JO	RA9LI/0	UA9LP	YI9TM	WT4M
EF8BFH	EA8NQ	RK2FWA	DK4VW	YN2N	TI2OHL
EG7CE	EA7NL	S21B	KX7YT	YN4SU	TI4SU
EK6LP	DL8KAC	SI0GM	SM6JSM	YP1WFF	YO3JW
EN500I	DM5BB	SI1GM	SM6JSM	YP2GEO	YO2KAR
ER5GB	W3HNK	SI2GM	SM6JSM	YW5F	DM4TI
ER650MD	ER4DX	SI3GM	SM6JSM	YW8AJ	YV5AJ
ES1/OZ5IPA	OZ5AAH	SI4GM	SM6JSM	ZB2CN	DJ9WH
EW6GF	DL8KAC	SI5GM	SM6JSM	ZC4VJ	M0URX
EY8MM	K1BV	SI6GM	SM6JSM	ZD8DC	N2WE
FK/JA1NLX	JA1NLX	SI7GM	SM6JSM	ZW5UN	PP5EG

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- 9M6 - Tony, KM00, is currently (25-30 November) operating as 9M6LSC from the Langkah Syabas Beach Hotel club station on all 10-160 metres, mainly (or all) CW, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL this operation only via KM00. [TNX 9M6DXX]
- CE0Y - Lars, SM6CUK will be active as CE0Y/SM6CUK from Easter Island until 6 December, including and entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. He operates CW only, with a special temporary authorization to use 30 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CX - Ghis, ON5NT will be active as CX5NT from Uruguay on 12-17 December. He plans to operate holiday style during the local evening and night hours, typically on 30 and 40 metres CW. QSL via ON5NT. [TNX ON5NT]
- EA - Adolfo, EA7TV will be active as EG7OFM on 28-29 November from La Rabida Monastery. The special callsign is in celebration of the 800th anniversary of the Order of Friars Minor, founded by Saint Francis of Assisi. QSL via EA7TV, bureau preferred. [TNX EA7TV]
- F - TM23T, TM4TLT and other special stations will be activated for the 23rd annual Telethon, the fund-raising event organized by the French Muscular Dystrophy Association that will take place on 4-5 December. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX F8REF]
- GM - MS0INT is the callsign issued to the IOTA expedition to the difficult to access Flannan Isles (EU-118) [425DXN 963]. Weather permitting, a team of five determined operators (EA1DR, EC2ADN, EA3NT, MM0NDX and SM0MDG) will be active from this rare group on 18-21 June. QSL via M0URX. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- H40 - Siegfried, DK9FN will be active again as H40FN (QSL via HA8FW) from the Reef Islands (OC-065), Temotu Province on 6-19 February. He will operate CW only, with a strong emphasis on 160 and 80 metres, while Bernhard, DL2GAC (H40MS, QSL via home call) will operate SSB and Hans-Peter, DG1FK (H40FK, QSL via home call) will operate mainly PSK31. Further information to be found at <http://hari-ham.com/h40fn/>
- HH - Steve, VE2TKH is active in his spare time as HH2/VE2TKH from Petionville, Haiti until 15 December. He focuses on 30, 20, 17 and 15 metres, but power is currently only available between 01.00 to 11.00 UTC, while between 11 and 6 UTC he runs battery power. QSL via M0URX. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- HL\_ssh - Sang Hoon Lee, DS4NMJ will be active as DT8A from the Korean Antarctic base King Sejong on King George Island South Shetlands (AN-010) for 14 months, from 5 December 2009 through 31 January 2011. He plans to operate on all bands mainly CW, with some SSB and RTTY. QSL via HL2FDW. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- I - II0SB/mm from an Italian Navy Coast Guard patrol boat (QSL via IS0MKX) and II3SB from Burano Island (IOTA EU-131, IIA VE-010, QSL via IW3IE) will be two stations participating in the 5th International ARMI Contest to be held on 5-6 December (details at <http://www.assoradiomarinai.tk>). [TNX IT9MRM]
- IS0 - A group of operators from the Sardinia QRP Club (IQ0QP) will be active from the lighthouse at Capo Sant'Elia (ARLHS SAR-019, WAIL SA-008) on mainland Sardinia (EU-024) from about 18 UTC on 12

December until about 10 UTC on the 13th. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres. QSL direct (see qrz.com). [TNX ISOVSU]

- KP2 - Sharon, K7WZB and Garry, K9WZB will be active as K2V from Saint Croix, US Virgin Islands (NA-106) on 2-14 December. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres, with special attention for 6m openings. QSL via K9WZB (direct only). On-line log at <http://www.clublog.org/logsearch/K2V> [TNX NG3K]
- OH - Santa Claus Land (OH9SCL) will be again active in December from the Artic Circle. Activity will be on 10-160 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via OH9UV. [TNX The Daily DX]
- OZ - Special event station 5P15COP will be active on 160-6 metres SSB, CW and digital modes on 7-18 December from Sjaelland (EU-029) during the United Nations Climate Change Conference that will be held in Copenhagen. QSL via OZ5BAL, direct or bureau. Further information, including detail of the relevant certificate, can be found at <http://www.5p15cop.dk> [TNX OZ1JTE]
- PA - Special event station PB500GT will be active from 28 November to 13 December to celebrate the 500th anniversary of Grote Toren, the great bell tower that is the main landmark of the city of Breda. QSL via PA1WLB. [TNX F5NQL]
- S2 - S21RC, S21AM, S21S and S21D will return to St Martin's Island (AS-127), Bangladesh on 21-25 February. They plan to operate as S21DX with two stations. QSL via EB7DX. They are looking for a few pieces of equipment, instructions on how to help and further information can be found at <http://iota.s2dx.org/> [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- ST - ST2AR is the new callsign issued to Robert, S53R [425DXN 960]. Look for him to participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. For the time being, QSL via S53R (direct only). [TNX NG3K]
- TF - Darren, G0TSM will be in Reykjavik, Iceland from 27 November to 1 December. He hopes to make some S&P QSOs during the CQ WW DX CW Contest as TF/G0TSM. QSL via home call. [TNX G0TSM]
- TI - TI7WGI, DH8WR, DL2JRM and DL3ALF will be active as TI7XX from San Jose Island (NA-191) from 30 December to 5 January. They plan to operate CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY on all bands with two stations. QSL via DL2JRM, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- V3 - Wil, EA7HEJ (PA0WWV) will operate SSB and CW as V31WV from Belize until 20 December. QSL direct only to Wil Lameree, Apartado Postal 107, 21830 Bonares, Huelva, Spain.
- VE - Special callsign VE3PARK will be in use on 1-31 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Canada's National Parks System. QSL via VE3NOO. [TNX F5NQL]
- VP2M - Mike, W1USN will be operate mainly SSB and PSK31 as VP2MPR from Montserrat (NA-103) from 28 February to 13 March. Bob, AA1M will operate mostly CW as VP2MPL on 6-11 March. QSL via home calls. [TNX AA1M]
- VP2V - Kurt, W3HQ will be active as VP2V/W3HQ from Virgin Gorda, British Virgin Islands (NA-023) on 4-16 December. He will operate CW only, with a focus on 160 and 10 metres during the weekends, and on 30, 12 and 17 metres during the week. QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]
- XU - Norbert, F6AXX and Alain, F6HBR will operate CW only (3520, 7020, 10115, 14020, 18071, 21020, 24891 and 28020 kHz) as XU7UFT from Sihanoukville, Cambodia on 3-8 December. QSL via F6AXX, direct or bureau. Direct cards will be replied to after 15 January 2010. [TNX F5NQL]
- YB - Adhi, YB3MM will be active in his spare time as YB3MM/p from Bawean Island (OC-197) between 4 and 9 December. His activity will be limited to 15 metres CW. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX IZ8CCW]

CQ WW DX SSB CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (28-29 November):

ZONE	CALL	CATEGORY	DXCC	QSL VIA
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05	VP9I	SOAB LP	Bermuda	N1HRA
07	TI5A	SOSB 20m LP	Costa Rica	TI5KD or K2PLF
07	TI5N	SOSB 15m	Costa Rica	W3HNC
07	V31CW	SO	Belize	KU1CW
07	YN2GY	SO	Nicaragua	K9GY
07	YS4U	M/S	El Salvador	N0AT
08	6Y1V	M/2	Jamaica	OH3RB
08	8P5A	SOAB HP	Barbados	NN1N
08	8P9SS	SOAB LP	Barbados	ND3F
08	CM8CAD	SOSB 40m LP	Cuba	qrz.com
08	CO6LP	SOSB 40m	Cuba	CO6LP
08	CO8LY	SOSB 15m LP	Cuba	EA7ADH
08	CO8TW	SOSB 160m LP	Cuba	HB9SVT
08	FM5CD	M/S	Martinique	F5VU
08	HI3TEJ	SOAB LP	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
08	J38XJ	SO QRP	Grenada	LoTW
08	KP2M	M/?	US Virgin Islands	AI4U
08	NP4Z	SOAB HP	Puerto Rico	WC4E
08	T48K	M/?	Cuba	DK1WI
08	TO4D	SO	Guadeloupe	F6AUS
08	TO5T	SOAB HP	Martinique	JE1JKL
08	V26K	SOAB LP	Antigua	AA3B
08	V47NT	SOAB HP	St. Kitts	W2RQ
08	WP3C	SOSB 80m	Puerto Rico	W3HNC
08	ZF2AM	SOAB	Cayman Isls	K6AM
09	9Y4W	SO	Tobago	DL4MDO
09	FY5KE	SOAB QRP	French Guiana	FY1FL
09	P40A	SOAB	Aruba	WD9DZV
09	P40W	SOAB	Aruba	N2MM
09	P49Y	SOAB HP	Aruba	AE6Y
09	PJ2T	M/2	Netherlands Antilles	N9AG
09	PJ4A	M/?	Netherlands Antilles	K4BAI
09	YW4D	SOSB 40m	Venezuela	EA7JX
10	HC8N	M/M	Galapagos Isls	W5UE
11	ZP0R	SOAB	Paraguay	ZP5AZL
12	CE0Y/SM6CUK	SOAB LP	Easter Island	SM6CUK
13	CW7T	M/2	Uruguay	K5WW
13	LU8YE	M/2	Argentina	EA7FTR
14	4U1ITU	M/S	ITU Geneva	4U1ITU
14	CR2X	SOAB HP	Azores	OH2BH
14	CR5X	M/S	Portugal	DJ9MH
14	EE2W	M/M	Spain	EB2BXL
14	GJ2A	SOAB HP	Jersey	qrz.com
14	GU4YOX	SOSB 20m	Guernsey	GU4YOX
14	LX7I	M/M	Luxembourg	LX2A
14	MD4K	SOSB 15m	Isle of Man	G3NKC
14	MD6V	SOSB 20m	Isle of Man	G3NKC
14	MJ0ASP	SOSB 80m	Jersey	MJ0ASP
14	MZ5B	SOSB	Scotland (Shetland)	G3TXF
14	OQ3R	SOAB	Belgium	ON4RU
14	OY6A	M/S	Faroe Isls	LoTW
14	TM0R	M/S	France	F5GGL
14	TM2S	M/S	France	F5PED
14	ZB2X	SOSB 10m	Gibraltar	OH2KI
15	IR9X	SO	Italy (Sicily)	IW9HLM
15	IU9T	SOAB	Italy (Sicily)	IT9GSF
15	OH0V	SOSB 160m	Aland Isls	bureau
15	OH0Z	SOAB HP	Aland Isls	W0MM
15	RW2F	M/?	Kaliningrad	DK4VW
17	EY8MM	SOSB 160m	Tajikistan	K1BV
20	4X/RV2FW	SOSB 40m	Israel	UA1 bureau
20	4Z5J	SOSB 80m	Israel	W0MM

20	5B/G4IRN	SOSB	Cyprus	G4IRN
20	5B/HA5PP	SOSB	Cyprus	HA5PP
20	C4I	M/?	Cyprus	LZ2HM
20	C4W	SOAB	Cyprus	5B4WN
20	P33W	M/S	Cyprus	RA3AUU
20	SV9COL	SOAB	Crete	SV9COL
20	TC4X	SO	Turkey	OH2BH
20	YM3A	SOSB 40m	Turkey (Asia)	LZ1NK
20	ZC4T	SOAB	UK SBA Cyprus	qrz.com
21	4L0A	SOAB HP	Georgia	EA7FTR
21	4L8A	SOSB 20m	Georgia	K1BV
21	9K2HN	SOSB 80m	Kuwait	9K2HN
21	A73A	M/S	Qatar	EA7FTR
22	VU2PAI	SOAB HP	India	VU2PAI
22	VU2PTT	SOAB or SOSB	India	VU2PTT
23	JU1DX	M/2	Mongolia	qrz.com
23	JV1A	SOAB	Mongolia	WV6E
24	B7P	M/M	China	BD7IXG
25	6M0HZ/2	M/?	South Korea	DS2AGH
26	E20WXA	SOSB 40m LP	Thailand	E20WXA
26	E21AOY	SOSB 15m QRP	Thailand	E21AOY
26	E21EIC	SOAB	Thailand	LoTW
26	E21IZC	SOSB 20m LP	Thailand	E21IZC
26	HS0AC	SOAB	Thailand	HS0ZfZ
26	HS8JYX	SOSB 20m	Thailand	HS8JYX
26	HS8KGG	SOAB LP	Thailand	HS8KGG
26	XU7ACY	SOAB LP	Cambodia	W2EN
26	XW1B	SOAB	Laos	E21EIC
27	4D1N	SO	Philippines	DV1UBY
27	AH0/AH2Y		Saipan	HL1IWD
27	AH2R	M/S	Guam	JH7QXJ
27	KG6DX	SOSB HP	Guam	KG6DX
27	KH0/WX8C		Saipan	HL1IWD
27	T88CI	SOAB	Palau	HA5AO
28	9M6LSC	SOAB	East Malaysia	KM00
28	YB0ECT	SOSB 20m	Indonesia	K3AIR
29	VK6AA	M/S	Australia	DL8YR
29	VK8NSB	SOAB	Australia	VK6NE
29	VK9XW		Christmas Island	DL1RTL
30	TX3A	SOAB LP	Chesterfield Isls	HA7RY
31	KH6ZN	SOAB HP	Hawaii	AI4U
32	A31A		Tonga	PA3LEO
32	A35A	SOSB 80m LP	Tonga	W7TSQ
32	A35KL	SOAB LP	Tonga	W6ZL
32	FO8RZ	SOAB	French Polynesia	F8BPN
32	TX1B	SOAB	New Caledonia	LZ1JZ
32	ZM4T	M/2	New Zealand	ZL2AL
33	3V3S	M/S LP	Tunisia	DL9USA
33	AN8R	M/?	Canary Isls	EA8AY
33	CN2R	SO	Morocco	W7EJ
33	CN3A	SO	Morocco	I2WIJ
33	CR3E	SOAB	Madeira	W3Hnk
33	CR3L	M/2	Madeira Isls	DJ6QT
33	EA8CMX	SOSB	Canary Isls	OH2BYS
33	EA8URL	M/M	Canary Isls	EA8URL
33	EA9/OL8R	SO LP	Ceuta & Melilla	OK1DRQ
33	EF8M	SOAB HP	Canary Isls	UA3DX
33	IG9U	SOSB 80m	(African) Italy	I1NVU
33	IG9W	SOSB 40m	(African) Italy	IZ1GAR
33	IG9X	SOSB 15m	(African) Italy	IK1QBT
34	ST2AR	SOSB 15m	Sudan	S53R
35	6V7R	SOAB HP	Senegal	UT5UGR
35	6W1RW	SOAB HP	Senegal	F6BEE

35	9L5A	M/2	Sierra Leone	G3SXW
35	D4C	SO	Cape Verde	qrz.com
36	9J3A	SOAB LP	Zambia	S57S
36	ZD8RH	SOAB	Ascension Isl	G4DBW
38	A25NW	SOSB	Botswana	K9NW
38	V5/DJ4SO	SOSB	Namibia	DJ4SO
38	ZS4TX	SOAB	South Africa	LoTW
39	5R8ZO	SOAB HP	Madagascar	OH0XX
40	TF/G0TSM	SOAB	Iceland	G0TSM
40	TF3CW	SOSB 40m	Iceland	LX1NO
40	TF4X	M/S	Iceland	G3SWH

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqc2009.html> - good contest to you all!

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ARRL 160 METER CONTEST ---> Object of the contest is for amateurs worldwide to work W/VE amateurs on 160 metres CW only (complete rules can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/160-meters.html>). This year's event will run from 22.00 UTC on 4 December through 16.00 UTC on the 6th.

IOTA ANNUAL UPDATE (NEW DEADLINE) ---> The deadline for this year and future years is 31 JANUARY (one day earlier than previously). Applications or updates submitted online on or before 31 January 2010 will count for the 2010 Honour Roll and Annual Listings so long as the supporting cards sent to checkpoints are postmarked no later than that date. Updates postmarked after 31 January will be processed in the normal way but scores will be held over to the following year's listing. To remain listed in the performance tables participants will need to have updated at least once since February 2005. On-line credit for QSOs made during the 2009 IOTA Contest is expected to be claimable around Easter 2010.

NAVAL CONTEST ---> This year's International Naval Contest will be organized by the Nucleo de Radioamadores da Armada (NRA), the Portuguese Navy Amateur Radio Club. Complete details on the event, that will be held on 12-13 December, can be found at <http://www.nra.pt/>

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Marc, F6DAY says he is receiving cards for 5R8AL, but he is not and has never been his QSL manager.

QSL GA2MP ---> This special event callsign will be in use until 30 November. Current logs are in LoTW as of 19 November. QSLs are on order, but will not be in-hand before the cutoff for DXCC (31 December). If anyone needs a card for their 2009 DXCC submission, N3SL can fill your request using a GS2MP card. Simply indicate that with your QSL. Those who already have sent an SASE, email N3SL ([n3sl@arrl.net](mailto:n3sl@arrl.net)) with the request to confirm using the GS2MP card. All others will be answered when the new cards arrive. [TNX N3SL]

QSL 9M6LSC ---> Please note that the QSL route for contacts made on 25-30 November 2009 (CQWW CW included) is via KM00. The callsign was used also by Brian, 5B4AIZ/G4ODV on 6-9 March 2008 (QSL via G3SWH). For all other operations as 9M6LSC QSLs should go via JN1WTK. [TNX 9M6DXX]

QSL PT5UN & ZW5UN ---> The new QSL route for both ZW5UN and PT5UN is via K3IRV.

TX3A ---> If the weather holds fine as forecast, TX3A is expected to go QRT at the end of the CQ WW DX CW Contest at 24 UTC on 29 November (i.e. on 30 November at 10 AM Chesterfield time). They will depart for Australia on 1 December.

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Ron Levy (K2CO), Kenneth L. Adams (K5KA), Andy Jarema (N6TCQ), John F. Mayger, Jr. (W4DJ), Bob Taylor (W5LBT) and Tracy Hull, TL8HW. "In the late 1980's he was very active from Bangui, Central African Republic", Paul, W4FC says. "He was a Baptist missionary and served there for over 20 years until the political situation prohibited him from returning. He died from a heart attack at the age of 69 in Clermont, FL. He gave out many new country contacts while there".

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2GM, 3W1M, 4U1ITU, 4U1UN, 4W6AL, 5H1EE, 5N00CH, 5V7SE, 7X0DX, 8R1DB, 8R1TO, 9G5ZZ, 9M2AX, 9M6/JJ2CJB, 9Y4D, A45WG, A61BK, A7/M0FGA, A73A, AH0BT, BA8AG/4 (AS-136), BD9TD, C31CT, CE1KR, CO8LY, CP4BT, DX1J, E51NOU, E51QMA, E51TUG, EA9IE, EA9LZ, EK6LP, EK6TA, EK7DX, EY7AD, EY8MM, FG5LA, FK8GM, FO/G3BJ (OC-050 & OC-152), FP/G3ZAY, FR1AN, FS/K1XM, GP0STH, GT4IOM, H40MY (OC-178, OC-192, OC-162), H44TO (OC-192), HP3AK, J28JA, J29ZG, J5UAP, J69MV, J79ZG, K7A (NA-236), K9AJ/VY0 (NA-185), KD6WW/VY0 (NA-185), KH7XS, KL5O, LA2NK (EU-044), OX2A, OY3AA, PJ5/AH6HY, R1ANB, T2G, T30GM, T70A, TK9X, TO8YY, TY5ZR, UN4L, V51AS, V8FGM, VE1/G3ZAY, VK9LA, VU2PAI, WP3C, YI1RZ, YI9TM, YL2GN, YO4ATW, Z21BC, Z35M, Z37M, ZK2NX, ZL7/N7OU, ZS6RJ.\*\*\*\*\*  
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- BY - Celebrating the launch of the Amateur Radio satellite XW-1, special event station BT3WX will be active from Taiyuan, Shanxi Province until 20 December. Look for activity on 160-10 metres and on VHF/UHF amateur satellite bands, including FM, SSB, CW, RTTY and PACSAT modes. QSL via BA1DU. [TNX BA1DU]
- CO - Ed, CO7PH plans to operate SSB and CW as CO7PH/p from Cayo Coco (NA-086) on 17-31 December and from Cayo Anclitas (NA-201) on 2-5 January. [TNX CO7PH]
- D2 - Paulo, CT1ITZ (D2CQ, ex D2PJB) was expected to QRT in late November [425DXN 967], but is now reported to remain in Angola until 27 December. He operates SSB only. QSL via CT1IUA. [TNX F5NQL]
- DL - DF9TM, DL2SWW and DL2VFR will operate CW and SSB as DF0WFF from Biosphere Reserve Schaalsee on 4-6 December. QSL via bureau. Information on the DL Flora & Fauna Award can be found at <http://www.wff-dl.de/> [TNX DL2VFR]
- FM - Fernando, EA1BT will be active on the HF bands as TO1BT from Martinique (NA-107) on 8-15 December. QSL via home call. [TNX F5NQL]
- HA - Radio Club Puspokladany (HA0KHW) will be active as HG0WFF/p from three different Hungarian National Parks between 5 and 10 December. QSL via HA0HW, bureau preferred. [TNX HA0HW]
- HR - Victor, N800 and Andrei, NP3D will be active as HR2/N800, HR2/NP3D and HQ2S from Honduras on 10-20 December. They will operate CW, RTTY and SSB on all bands. Victor will participate in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest, and Andrei will take part in the OK DX RTTY Contest. QSL HR2/N800 via home call (or via UA9TF for ex CIS countries) QSL HR2/NP3D and HQ2S via W3HMK (or via RW6HS for ex CIS countries) and LoTW. [TNX NG3K]
- I - IQ3GA/3 - not II3SB as previously announced [425DXN 969] - will be active from Burano Island (IOTA EU-131, IIA VE-010) for the 5th International ARMI Contest to be held on 5-6 December (details at <http://www.assoradiomarinai.tk>). QSL via IW3IE. [TNX IT9MRM]
- ON\_ant - Karel, ON5TN has been active as OR4TN from the Belgian Antarctic base "Princess Elisabeth", Antarctica since 1 December. He will remain there until the end of January 2010, with activity on the amateur radio bands during his spare time. Look for him between 21 and 23 UTC around 7007 (CW) and 7077 (SSB). Updates will be posted on [qrz.com](http://qrz.com) under OR4TN. QSL via ON5TN.
- T6 - Jack, W4JJ is now active as T6LC from Gardez (Paktia Province), Afghanistan. He expects to operate mainly on 40 and 20 metres CW and SSB, 1430-1800 UTC as time permits. QSL via K4MJN. [TNX NG3K]
- VK9 - David A. Burton, VK9WBM will be working at the weather station on Willis Island (OC-007) for the next six months. He plans to operate on the HF bands and 6 metres in his spare time. QSL via VK4DMC. [TNX [www.southgatearc.org](http://www.southgatearc.org)]
- XE - The 10-14 December XF3RR IOTA expedition to Isla El Cerrito (NA-153) [425DXN 967] has been cancelled. The Radio Club Cancun plans to organize another operation from a different island in the same IOTA group in a few months' time.
- XU - Peter, XU7ACY and Wim, XU7TZG will be active as XU7KOH from Koh

Russei (AS-133) on 11-14 December. They will operate CW (Peter) and SSB and PSK31 (Wim) on 80-10 metres. QSL via ON7PP, direct only. [TNX NG3K]

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2010 IDXC ---> The 61st Annual International DX Convention, sponsored by the Southern California DX Club, will be held at The Holiday Inn Hotel & Conference Center Visalia on 16-18 April 2010. Preregistration began on 1 December. Complete details can be found at <http://www.dxconvention.org/>. For questions regarding registration or DX stations who need lodging assistance, please email Cathy Gardenias, K6VC at the address located on the website under registration. [TNX N6RV]

A35A ---> "Paul, A35A's move to Vava'u (OC-064) has been postponed indefinitely, and perhaps cancelled altogether", The Daily DX reports [425DXN 946]. "He remains QRV from Lifuka Island, Ha'apai (OC-169) until further notice".

CQ DX MARATHON ---> Each year, from 1 January to 31 December, CQ Magazine sponsors a challenge to work as many countries and zones as possible in the calendar year. The 2009 edition of the CQ Magazine DX Marathon ends soon, but there is still time to fill in some missing countries and zones. For complete rules and submission information, please visit [www.dxmarathon.com](http://www.dxmarathon.com) [TNX K9EL]

CQ WW CLAIMED SCORES ---> Valery, RW3GU maintains an Unofficial Claimed Scores web page (<http://pileup.ru/>) for the 2009 CQ WW DX Contest (SSB and CW). Scores are based on 3830 reflector posts and claimed results from CQWW logs received page.

K5D ---> The long anticipated K5D (Desecheo 2009) DVD is now available for sale. It was written, produced and narrated by Bob Allphin, K4UEE and edited by Ed Boutwell, W4ZSB. This is their seventh DXpedition DVD. To purchase a copy, go to [www.kp5.us](http://www.kp5.us) and click on the link on the first page. [TNX K4UEE]

RDA TRIP ---> Denis, RA4FJV says that his Russian District Award 2009 trip is over after some 7000 QSOs made as UE4FDA and RA4FJV/m from 28 different districts. On-line logs can be found at <http://www.ra4fjv.org/logs/search.html>; QSL dia RA4FJV, direct (Denis Ogurok, Chernyshevskogo 1-1, 442153, Nizhny Lomov, Russia) or bureau.

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

TX3A ---> The Online QSL Request System for TX3A is now up and running at <http://tx3a.com/qs1.html> (it can be used for either direct and bureau cards).

+ SILENT KEYS + Andrej V. Golopurov, RU1AO is one of the victims of the Nevsky Express train disaster on 27 November. He was returning from Moscow to Saint Petersburg for the CQ WW CW. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Ben Clarkson (G7WHO), Paul Knight (KE5OVA), CQ Amateur Radio Hall of Famer Jerry Sevick (W2FMI), Antonio Scolamiero (YV4DDK) and New

Zealand's Top DXer Roy Jackson (ZL4B0).

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3G1X	XQ1IDM	EV1Z	EU1UN	PA6Z	PA9M
3G3V	VE7SV	EV2A	EW2AA	PB500GT	PA1WLB
3V3S	DL9USA	EV8D	EW8CY	PD450OBL	PD0LDC
3W1M	OM3JW	EX2X	EA5KB	PI4COM	PA3CAL
3Z40KP	SP5KP	FM5CD	F5VU	PJ2T	N9AG
4D1N	DV1UBY	FR1AN	NI5DX	PJ4A	K4BAI
4L0A	EA7FTR	FY5KE	FY1FL	PS2T	K3IRV
4L2M	EA7FTR	G5O	G3VOU	PT5A	AI4U
4L6AA	K6VNX	GB2MWT	M0XIG	PT5UN	K3IRV
4L8A	K1BV	GM0F	M0CMK	PW2B	PY2HL
4M5IR	YV5KG	GM7R	N3SL	PZ5X	K5UN
4W6AAD	VK3ZGW	GM7V	M0CMK	RA6AX	W3HNK
4X0G	W3GG	GW6W	GW0ETF	RA9A	UA9APA
4Z5J	W0MM	GW7X	GW3SQX	RC3W	RW3WWW
5B4AHS	RA3AUU	H2E	5B4AGE	RG3K	UA3QDX
5B4AIA	UA6MF	H7A	TI4SU	RG6G	RW6HX
5B4AIV	LZ3CQ	HC2A	EA5KB	RK3SWS	RA3SI
5B8AD	W3HNK	HC2SL	EA5KB	RK9CWA	UA9CGA
5H3EE	DL4ME	HC8GR	W5UE	RL4R	RW4PL
5N7M	OM3CGN	HE8HLM	EA7FTR	RM3F	UA3DPX
5N7MGI	OM3CGN	HF35PEA	SP1NQF	RN9S	RN9SXX
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HG3R	HA3NU	RO4W	RD4WA
5R8ZO	OH0XX	HG400HV	HA0HV	RP68MB	RZ3FR
6W1RW	F6BEE	HG6N	HA6KNB	RT3F	RK3DZB
6Y1V	OH3RB	HG7T	HA7TM	RU0LL	IK2DUW
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EP3PK	IK2DUW	P49V	AI6V	ZW5UN	K3IRV
ER4DX	RA4LW	P49Y	AE6Y	ZY7C	PT7WA

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- 3V - Commemorating the 10th anniversary of Scout amateur radio club 3V8ST, special station 3V10A will be active until 31 December from the headquarter of Tunisian Scouts in Tunis. QSL direct (see qrz.com) or bureau.
- C5 - Eric, SM1TDE will be active holiday style as C56SMT from The Gambia from 10 December to 3 January. He will operate mainly CW (2 kHz from the band edges), with some RTTY and SSB. QSL via SM1TDE, bureau preferred. [TNX SM1TDE]
- C5 - Niels, OZ8KR will be active again as C56KR from Bakuto, The Gambia on 5-24 March. He will operate holiday style on 80-10 metres SSB. QSL via OZ8KR. [TNX OZ8KR]
- CE0Z - Lars, SM6CUK is now active as CE0Z/SM6CUK from Robinson Crusoe Island, Juan Fernandez Archipelago (SA-005) until 14 December. He operates CW only on all bands (160 metres excluded). QSL via SM6CUK, direct or bureau. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]
- CE0Z - Toshi, JA8BMK will be active as CE0Z/JA8BMK from Juan Fernandez from 19 January to 2 February. He plans to operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 160-10 metres, with a focus on the low bands. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- CX - Ghis, ON5NT will be active as CX5DNT (not CX5NT as previously announced) from Uruguay on 12-17 December. He plans to operate holiday style during the local evening and night hours, typically on 30 and 40 metres CW. QSL via ON5NT. [TNX ON5NT]
- DU - Lee, HL1IWD will be active as DU1/HL1IWD from Manila, Philippines from 31 December to 3 January. QSL via bureau to home call. [TNX HL1IWD]
- GI - Special event station GB1HF will be operated from Northern Ireland starting on 14 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first powered flight in Ireland by Harry Ferguson (31 December 1909). The station will be on air from the Harry Ferguson Memorial, Dromore will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres. QSL via MI0SAI, direct, bureau and LoTW. [TNX [www.southgatearc.org](http://www.southgatearc.org)]
- J6 - John, VE8EV will be active as J68/VE8EV from St. Lucia (NA-108) on 18-20 December. He will operate SSB and CW on all bands, mostly during the RAC Canada Winter Contest. All contacts are welcome during the contest, stations outside of Canada just sent RS(T) and a serial number. QSL to home call. [TNX VE8EV]
- J6 - John, W5JON will be active again as J68JA from Marigot Bay, St. Lucia on 2-11 March. He plans to operate on 160-6 metres (including 60 metres) and to participate in the ARRL International DX SSB Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX W5JON]
- JD1\_mt - Masa, JD1BMM is active from Minami Torishima until 16 December. He will return on 20 January 2010 and will remain until mid-February, for what it is likely to be "the last chance to make a QSO with JD1/M" for some time, The Daily DX reports. The Japanese Coast Guard radio station on the island closed down on 1 December, and the amateur radio club will close in February.
- JD1\_oga - Harry, JG7PSJ (JD1BMH) and Makoto, JI5RPT (JD1BLY) will be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara from 27 December to 1 January.



They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres, with a focus on the low bands, and via satellite. QSL via home calls. Further information, including on-line logs and QSLling instructions, can be found at <http://www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/> (for JD1BLY) and <http://sapphire.es.tohoku.ac.jp/jd1bmh/> (for JD1BMH). [TNX JI5RPT]

- P4 - Marty, W2CG will be active as either P40C or P40CG from Aruba (SA-036) on 5-26 January. He plans to operate primarily CW and RTTY on 80-6 metres, usually between 12-14 UTC and 20-24 UTC, other times as schedule permits. QSL via W2CG, direct or bureau (but LoTW preferred). [TNX W2CG]
- SP - Special event station HF150LZ will be active until 27 December to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Ludwik Zamenhof, the inventor of Esperanto. QSL via SP4YPB.
- TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team ([www.tcswat.org](http://www.tcswat.org)) will be active as TC2IYK on 12-13 December from the Istanbul Sailing Club from the International Naval Contest 2009. QSL via the bureau or direct to TCSWAT, PK 73 Karakoy, 34421 Istanbul, Turkey. [TNX TA0U]
- VK - The Hellenic Amateur Radio Association of Australia will be active as VI2BI from Broughton Island (OC-212) on 5-7 February. The team will include Tommy/VK2IR, Peter/VK2NN, Allan/VK2GR, Raffy/VK2RF, Paul/VK2HV and John/VK3JHA, and they plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL direct to VK2CL. They have a web page at [www.vi2bi.blogspot.com](http://www.vi2bi.blogspot.com) [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- YI - YI9PSE will be active from Erbil, Iraq in late spring or early summer of 2010. Paul, N6PSE and others (for the time being JH4RHF, N6NU, N6OX, NI6T, VE7CT and W8HW) plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres with at least three stations for 7-9 days. QSL via N6NKT. Details can be found at <http://www.yi9pse.com/> [<http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- YV - Celebrating his Silver Jubilee in amateur radio, Pasquale, YV5KAJ will be active as YW5EID from La Tortuga (SA-044) on 26-29 December. This special callsign's suffix is in honour Pasquale's Elmer, Anacleto Marrai (IW5EID), who has been invited as guest operator. Look for activity on 12, 15, 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres usign SSB and digital modes (RTTY, BPSK and Olivia). QSL via EA5KB. [TNX YV5KAJ]
- ZL - The new dates for the IOTA activity from Stewart Island (OC-203) [425DXN 962] are 12-23 March. Ray, VK4DXA (ZL4TY) and Paul, ZL4PW (ZL4M) will operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-10 metres. Information at [http://www.zl4pw.orconhosting.net.nz/OC203/si\\_index.htm](http://www.zl4pw.orconhosting.net.nz/OC203/si_index.htm) [TNX [dx-hamspirit.com](http://dx-hamspirit.com/)]

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BAHRAIN & 6 METRES ---> The Daily DX reports that radioamateurs from Bahrain can now operate on 6 metres (50.0-50.5 MHz on a primary and exclusive basis, and 50.05-52 MHz on a secondary basis) and on additional frequencies on 136 KHz, 1.8 MHz, 7 MHz, 430 MHz and higher bands. They can not operate on these newly allocated frequencies until their licenses are amended.

INDIA & 30 METRES ---> The Wireless Planning & Communication Wing of the Ministry of Communications in India has written to the President of the

Amateur Radio Society of India (VU2GMN) to inform that 10.100-10.150 MHz has been allocated to Amateur Services on a secondary basis in India. Earlier, temporary permissions were issued from time to time for 10 MHz. It has also been communicated that the 50-52 MHz (6m) band cannot be allocated now since it has already been allocated to other services. [TNX dx-hamspirit.com]

+ SILENT KEYS + The ARRL reports that William A. "Bill" Wilson (K6ARO), passed away on 5 December at 95 years of age. First appointed as presidential envoy to Rome in 1981, he was appointed the first full ambassador to the Holy See in 1984, serving until 1986. Other recently reported Silent Keys include Attilio Sacco (I1BAY), former President of ARI Sanremo.

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3D2GM, 3D2KJ, 3D2MJ, 3D2OU, 3DA0JK, 4L8A, 4U1UN, 4W6AL, 5B4KH, 5H3EE, 8J1RL (AN-015), 8R1DB, A41MX, A52FJJ, AH0BT, AL7R, BD2RJ/2 (AS-151 and (AS-158), C31CT, CT8/DL7JAN (EU-175), CU3EJ, D2NX, E51QMA, E51TUG, E7/KX7M, ES1WN, ES3AX, ET3JA, FJ/WQ2N, FK/JA1NLX (OC-033), FM5LD, FO/SP9PT (OC-046), FP/G3ZAY, FP/KV1J, FR5ZL, FT5GA, H40MY, H44TO, HK1/AC8W, HK3JJH, HK3O, HV5PUL, JT1CO, JV1A, JY4NE, K9RR/4 (NA-138 and NA-142), KH0/JR4GPA, KH7C, KL7HBK, KV4FZ, LU5OM, LX/PA6Z, LX1NO, LY2ZZ, MJ/OH2KI, N2OB (NA-111), OH1AA (EU-096), OX3XR, PZ5M, R1ANB, R1ANC, R1AND, R1ANY, SV5/G0TSM, T2G, T30GM, T68G, TF3CW, TG0AA, TG9NX, TI7DBS, TM0M (EU-065), TX5SPA (OC-152), TX5SPM (OC-027), TY1MS, UA0FAI (AS-018), UA0ZC, UA2FFW, UN8GV, VE1/G3ZAY (NA-126), VK9LA, VP2VVV, VP8DIZ, VY00 (NA-230), W3FO/KH2, WN1Y/NH2, WP4U, YW5F (SA-058), Z21BB, ZB2EO, ZB2FK, ZF2UL, ZK2NX.

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- 4S - Peter, DC0KK is now active as 4S7KKG from Sri Lanka until 7 January. He operates SSB, CW and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
- 5N - Nick, LZ1QK has been active as 5N/LZ1QK from Nigeria since October 2008. He has now received four callsigns for him to use from different locations (5N3LQK, 5N3WQK, 5N4LQK and 5N4WQK). Next year he will operate under a special callsign (5N50K) celebrating the 50th anniversary of independence of Nigeria. The QSL route for all calls is via LZ1CL. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 5R - Sam, G4OHX will be active as 5R8HX from Antananarivo, Madagascar (AF-013) from 28 December until 3 January. He plans to operate mainly CW "on as many bands as possible". QSL via home call, direct only.
- GM - Using their club callsign GS2MP (North of Scotland Contest Group), Chris/GM3WOJ and Jim/GMONAI will be operating their vintage Yaesu transmitters/receivers and transceivers from 1 January through 31 December. Each calendar month they will use a different Yaesu radio and amateurs worldwide are invited to work GS2MP and earn points towards the "Yaesu Heritage Year Award". Operation will mostly be on 40 and 20 SSB and CW. More details can be found at <http://www.gm7v.com/yaesu2010.htm> [TNX GM3WOJ]
- J8 - George, K2CM will be active from Bequia Island (NA-025) from 8 January to 12 February. He will operate SSB and CW on 20 and maybe 40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX [www.rsgbiota.org](http://www.rsgbiota.org)]
- KH9 - The Daily DX reports that Colin, KH9/WA2YUN now expects to remain on Wake Island (OC-053) for "about another year". He is active in his limited spare time. QSL via K2PF.
- ST - The Khartoum Sea Scouts Radio Club (ST2KSS) will be active as ST26ASC until 28 January to celebrate the 26th Arab Scout Conference that will be held next month. QSL via ST2M. [TNX ST2M]
- VE - Steve, N6QEK will be active as VY1/N6QEK from Whitehorse, Yukon from 30 December to 4 January, including the ARRL RTTY Roundup. He plans to operate RTTY, PSK31 and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via N6QEK. Further information can be found at <http://www.n6qek.com> [TNX NG3K]
- VP8\_fal- Michael, G7VJR and Martin, G3ZAY will be active as VP8DMN from the Falkland Islands (SA-002) on 21-29 January. They will operate mainly CW, with an emphasis on the low bands. QSL via G7VJR, direct or bureau. All QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- XE - The Grupo DXXE (<http://www.dxxe.org/>) will be active from various locations as 4A1DXXE on 20-31 December to celebrate their 5th anniversary. This will be an all band SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 operation. QSL via N7RO (direct or bureau) and LoTW. [TNX XE1R]
- YJ - Nao, JK1FNL will be active as YJ0NA from Port Vila (OC-035), Vanuatu from 28 December to 4 January. He will operate on 40-6 metres with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via home call. [TNX JK1FNL]

YJ - Franko (9A3DW), Hrle (9A6XX), Marko (9A8MM) and possibly a fourth operator will be active as YJ0MM from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu on 21-28 January. They plan to have two medium power stations active on 160-10 metres CW, SSB and RTTY using verticals and spiderbeams. QSL via 9A8MM, direct or automatically via the bureau. Further information can be found at <http://vanuatu.rkp.hr/>

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BLACK SEA CUP ---> The Black Sea Contest Club sponsors the Black Sea Cup International Contest, which will be held from 12 UTC on 6 February through 11.59 UTC on the 7th. For further information please visit <http://bscc.in/> [TNX UR5EAW]

DXPEDITION OF THE YEAR SURVEY ---> Col, MM0NDX is conducting an online survey to recognize the DX World of Ham Radio DXpedition of the Year 2009 - please visit <http://dx-hamspirit.com/dxpedition-of-the-year-2009/> and cast your vote!

QSL P29CS ---> Andy, P29CS (Lihir Island, OC-069) advises not to use his qrz.com address for sending cards, as it is his location only and the cards will not get to him. Andy is presently looking for a QSL manager, but this might take a while. [TNX VY0PW]

+ SILENT KEY + Recently reported Silent Keys include Tadahiko + Honma (JA1UE), Karel Debrouwere (ON5BV), Arnold J. Polsbroek (PZ1AP), Nikolaj S. Esipenko (RA3XG), Karlis Sleckaitis (YL2MD) and Antonio Scolamiero (YV4DDK).

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3Z84NKP	SP2FAP	CP4BT	EA5KB	R1ANB	RN1ON
4K9W	DL6KVA	CR5CQK	CT1CQK	R1AND	RU1ZC
4S7KKG	DC0KK	CX5DNT	ON5NT	R1ANR	RZ3BJ
5B4AIF	EB7DX	CX7CO	WB3CDX	RA9LI/0	UA9LP
5N3LQK	LZ1CL	D2CQ	CT1IUA	RK2FWA	DK4VW
5N3WQK	LZ1CL	DL0PFB	DL8HCI	S21B	KX7YT
5P15COP	OZ5BAL	DP1POL	DL1ZBO	SB1658OZ	SK7JC
5R8GZ	G3SWH	DQ11APOLLO	DF3JO	SK1658DK	SK7CE
5R8IC	F6ICX	DR09ANT	DL5MHQ	SN10GSW	SP6PZG
5T5BV	JA1PBV	DR775TMG	DJ8QP	SN230KBS	SP9PKS
5T5YL	JQ1LCW	E51BWL	PA3LEO	SP40DUV	SP9GR
6W7RV	F8CMT	E51LEO	PA3LEO	ST2NH	EA7FTR
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	E51NAA	PA3LEO	SU9HP	SC6A
9A430KA	9A6Z	E51PMR	PA3LEO	T6AF	WA2EWE
9G5SW	OK1DOT	E51SNL	PA3LEO	T6AG	EA3GHZ
9H6A	9H1XT	E51XIW	PA3LEO	T6LC	K4MJN
9J2BO	G3TEV	E74A	K2PF	TA2ZAF	OK1TN
9J2CA	G3SWH	EA8AH	OH1RY	TC2IYK	TA1HZ
9J2FM	JA4ATV	EV1R	EU1PA	TJ3SL	F5PSA

9K2YM	EA5KB	EW6DX	EB7DX	TM55T	F6KUP
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	FK8DD	LZ1JZ	TO1BT	EA1BT
9M2TO	JA0DMV	FK8GX	W3HNK	UE4CSU	RA4CSP
9N7IIU	JH3IIU	FM1FV	W3HNK	UE9DMR	RU9CK
9V1/IK1PMR	PA3LEO	FO8RZ	F8BPN	UE9WA	RW9WA
9V1/PA3LEO	PA3LEO	GB1HF	MI0SAI	UE9WFJ	RX9WN
A41KJ	NI5DX	GM5XW	G5XW	UE9WS	UA9WS
A61AB	IZ8CLM	HF150LZ	SP4YPB	UE9WURC	RV9WB
A61BK	NI5DX	HG0WFF	HA0HW	UK8OK	EA7FTR
A61BN	NI5DX	HI3CCP	ON4IQ	UN7AB	DL8KAC
A65BE	G3XHZ	HI8LAM	EA5NI	UN7TK	EA7FTR
A65BG	PA7FM	HP3DX	W4WX	UN9PQ	IK2QPR
A7/M0FGA	NN1N	HR2/N800	N800	VP9400HW	VP9HW
A71QND	A71CO	HR2/NP3D	W3HNK	VY1RST	KL7JR
AN5CRM	EA5URL	IQ3GA/3	IW3IE	WH0DX	JM1LJS
AP2NK	W3HNK	IR7DLI	IK7JWX	XV4TUJ	OK1DOT
AY0DX	LU3DR	KC4AAA	K1IED	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
AY8A	LU8ADX	KC4USV	K1IED	Z30MCWG	Z35M
BT3WX	BA1DU	LT1A	LU3CT	ZC4VJ	M0URX
BX2AAL	NI5DX	LZ55OUV	LZ1PM	ZF2AH	W6VNR
C56SMT	SM1TDE	LZ80DO	LZ2VP	ZL/DJ5IW	PA3LEO
C91J	ZS5J	OA4TT	N6XQ	ZL/DJ7JC	PA3LEO
CE0Y/SM6CUK	SM6CUK	OR4TN	ON5TN	ZL/IK1PMR	PA3LEO
CE0Z/SM6CUK	SM6CUK	OY3AA	OZ1ACB	ZL/OE2SNL	PA3LEO
CE1/K7CA	NW7O	OZ1658ROS	OZ9EDR	ZL/PA0BWL	PA3LEO
CN2JB	F5MMY	P29CW	VK2IR	ZL/PA3LEO	PA3LEO
CN8QN	EA7FTR	PC60TROLLEY	PA0FAW	ZM4G	ZL2IFB
CO6WD	8P9NX	PD09XMAS	PD5X	ZS9X	K3IRV
CO7PH/p	W3HNK	PY0FF	W9VA	ZX5J	AI4U

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\* TO ALL OUR READERS \*  
\* WARMEST THOUGHTS AND BEST WISHES \*  
\* FOR A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY \*  
\* AND A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR \*  
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- 9A - Tom, 9A2AA enjoys operating from Croatian islands and has activated more than 500 of them ("exactly 523") so far. For this reason he has been granted permission to use special prefix callsign 9A500AA from 1 January through 31 December. QSL 9A2AA. [TNX 9A2AA]
- GJ - ON4PQ, ON5HC, ON5MF, ON7PQ and ON7USB will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-10 metres as MJ/OP9X/p from Les Minquiers (EU-099), Jersey from 31 March to 7 April. QSL via ON4PQ, direct or bureau. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.eu099.be> [TNX ON4PQ]
- HS - Joerg, DL1MJF will be active again as HS0ZGQ from Thailand from 30 December to 25 January, including a one week side trip to Koh Samui (AS-101). He will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres using 100 watts and a dipole. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KL - Yuri/UA9OBA, Merle/N6PYN and Yuri/N3QQ plan to operate as KL7RRC from Chirikof, Semidi Islands (NA-235, new one) in late July or early August. This will be a "typical Russian Robinson Club operation" for about one week, depending on weather conditions. After the Chirikof operation is completed they might go and operate as N6PYN/KL7 from the Seal Islands (NA-239). Further information is expected in due course. [TNX [www.islandchaser.com](http://www.islandchaser.com)]
- OH - Celebrating her 20th anniversary in amateur radio, Anne, OH2YL will be active again as OG20YL from 30 December to 3 January. She will operate CW on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX OH2YL]
- PA - Celebrating the 600th anniversary of the charter that granted city rights to Purmerend, special event station PC600P will be active



on 1-27 January, 1-28 May and 1-28 September. QSL via PA3HGP. All of the QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL after each activity period, and will be confirmed automatically via the bureau after the last activity period. Local operators are expected to operate under special prefix callsigns (i.e. PA600MIR, PA601FR, PA602SWL, PA603HGP, PD602YL, PE603HG, etc) during the same time frames. Information on the relevant short time award will be available at <http://hamradio.nikhef.nl/afdeling/waterland/> [TNX PA0MIR]

- PJ4 - Hennie, PE1MAE will be active again as PJ4/PE1MAE from Bonaire (SA-006) for a couple of months starting around 10 January. He will operate SSB mainly on 40 metres around 00.00 UTC. QSL via PA2NJC, direct or bureau. [TNX PA2NJC]
- PY0F - Fred, PY2XB will be active as PY2XB/PY0F from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) from 23 January to 3 February. He will operate on all bands CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK, and will participate in the CQ WW 160M DX Contest (CW) as PQ0F. QSL via PT7WA, direct or bureau. [TNX PT7WA]
- V8 - Jan, DL7JAN will be active as V88/DL7JAN from Bandar Seri Begawan, the capital city of Brunei (OC-088), from 22 February to 3 March. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]
- VK - The VK6IOA expedition to the Houtman Abrolhos (OC-211) [425DXN 964] has changed destination, and will be going to the Wallabi group instead of Robertson Island. The operators (Wally/VK6YS, Nigel/VK6NI and Bruce/KD6WW) expect to be QRV by 4 UTC on 31 December. They plan to have three stations active at the same time. QSL via VK4AAR. The web page for the expedition can be found at <http://www.westozdx.net/index.html>
- VK - VI2AJ2010 is the very special callsign to be used by Scouts under the guidance of Fishers Ghost Amateur Radio Club members (VK2FFG) during the 22nd Australian Jamboree (4-14 January). QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX VK2IA]
- VP2M - Mike, W1USN will be operate mainly SSB and PSK31 as VP2MPR from Montserrat (NA-103) from 28 February to 13 March. Bob, AA1M will operate mostly CW as VP2MPL on 3-11 March. QSL via home calls. [TNX AA1M]
- XE - Celebrating the Centennial of the Mexican Revolution and the Bicentennial of Mexico's Independence, the Radio Club Queretaro (XE1RCQ) will operate as 4A1B from 1 January to 31 December. QSL via LZ3HI. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW.
- YI - YI9PSE will be active from Erbil, Iraq [425DXN 971] on 3-11 April. Paul, N6PSE and others (for the time being AH6HY, JH4RHF, K3VN, N2WB, N6NU, N6OX, NI6T, W8HW and YI1UNH) plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres with at least three stations at the same time. QSL via N6NKT. Further information can be found at <http://www.yi9pse.com/> [TNX <http://dx-hamspirit.com/>]

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5R8IC ---> A few pictures of Eric's (F6ICX) latest activity as 5R8IC (AF-090) can be found at <http://f6kbb.free.fr/5r8ic/5r8ic.htm>; a log search (including his activity in 2008) is available at <http://logsearch.de> [TNX F6GCP]

CAROLINA DX ASSOCIATION ---> At its annual meeting held on 9 December, the Carolina DX Association (<http://www.cdxa.org/>) elected the following officers to serve for 2010: Ted Goldthorpe/W4VHF (President), Paul Ponak/AD4IE (Vice President), Cliff Wagoner/W3ZL (Secretary-Treasurer),

John Scott/K8YC (Newsletter Editor), Dick Williams/W3OA (Contest Manager), Joe Simpkins/K4MD and Paul Sturpe/W3GQ (Cluster Managers), Wayne Setzer/WB4BXW (Webmaster). [TNX K8YC]

OH CONTEST/DX CONFERENCE ---> The 15th annual CCF (Contest Club Finland) and OHDXF (OH DXFoundation, <http://www.ohdxfi.fi>) Contest & DX Conference will be held at the Islande Hotel in Riga, Latvia on 22-24 January. Further information, prices and registration details are available at <http://www.contestclubfinland.com/CCF/>

QSL C4SV ---> The Cyprus Amateur Radio Society (CARS) QSL bureau is receiving significant numbers of QSLs for C4SV. The QSL manager for C4SV is SV2DGH, and QSLs should be sent to him at via the RAAG (SV) QSL bureau. C4SV QSLs should NOT be sent to the CARS bureau. At best, QSLs sent to the CARS bureau will suffer significant delays. [TNX 5B4AHJ]

WILLIS ISLAND ---> Dave, VK9WBM [425DXN 970] has been on Willis Island for a while and is experiencing unexpected problems. "I am slowly getting on HF", he says, "but I am not there yet. I cannot erect a mast, the soil is coral rubble and sand and will not hold a guy peg. The soil is a bone dry insulator and I have been unable to get any viable earth. The longwire has worked 2 stations and is to be removed and replaced with a balanced antenna. This will take a bit of work as I have no ATU except the Icom AH4, an unbalanced only auto ATU. On 6m I am unable to mount the beam anywhere useful. It can only point out to the ocean. I have built a 300ohm slim jim and worked about 40 stations, mainly VK2 but with some VK3,4,5 and one ZL2. Listen for me in the afternoons on 6m, between 0400z and 0900z". When he is "reliably on HF", he anticipates it "will be 40m and harmonics only". [TNX MM0NDX]

+ SILENT KEYS + Recently reported Silent Keys include Fritz Zwingli (HB9RE), Roberto Rossi (I5RRE), Giuseppe Montuschi (IK4EPI), Gary D. Poorman (K4VT), Henry W. Herman (W3UJ) and Fred "Angus" Small (ZL3FS).

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QSLs received direct or through managers: 3A2MD, 3D20CR, 3D2GM, 3D2KJ, 3D2MJ, 3D2NB, 3X5A, 4J3M, 4S7NE, 4U1ITU, 4X/N2TA, 5F1ROM, 5H3EE, 5H3VMB/5 (AF-074), 5K0T, 5N00CH, 5Q1A, 5W0KH, 5X1VB, 6Y1V, 6Y5WJ, 7P8MM, 7P8VB, 7Q7HB, 8P9SS, 8R1PY, 9H3DB, 9J2FM, 9M6DXX/p (OC-133), 9M6JC, 9M6XRO/p (OC-133), A52FJJ, A71BU, A92GR, AI5P/VK9N, AP2TN, BA4TB, BD4QH, BU2AQ, BW3/DJ3KR, C37URE, C6ATA, C91VM/5 (AF-088), CE1/K7CA, CE2/K0MD, CM6RCR, CP4BT, CX5BW, CX7CO, DU3NXE, E51NOU, EA9/OL8R, EA9EU, EE9K, ER8C, ES1LBK, EY8MM, FK8CP, FM5LD, FO/F6CTL, FO/G3BJ, FO5RH, FP/KV1J, FT5GA, GJ2A, H44MY (OC-127), HH7/N3BNA, HI8RV, HV0A, HZ1AN, IM0A (EU-165), IY1NGM, J20VB, J68JA, J79ZG, JD1BMM, K5D, KH7XS, KL7RRC/p (NA-233), KV4FZ, LA2NK (EU-044), LX/PA6Z, OJ0B, OX3R, P29NI (OC-205), P29VCX (OC-102), P29VLR (OC-231), P49Y, PJ4A, PY0FF, PZ5M, S04R, ST2R, SU8LH, SY2A, T27OU, T2G, T30GM, T77NM, T88CW, TK9X, TM0M, TN5SN, TO4X, TO8YY, TX5SPA, TX5SPM, TY1MS, TZ6JA, UA9UZZ, UU4JDD/p (EU-180), UU4JDD/P (EU-180), V47NT, V51AS, VK9DWX, VP2MDG, VP2MNK, VP2MXO, VP2V/DL7VOG, VP2V/KG9N, VP2V/KN5H, VP2VVV, VP8DIF, VP8YLC, VP9KF, VQ9LA, VQ9RD, VR2009EAG, W3FO/KH2, WN1Y/NH2, XE2WWW, XE2YBG, XV2RZ, XV4D, YJ0CCC, YN2N, YW5F, Z21BC, ZA0/IK7JWX, ZB2EO, ZB2FK, ZC4VJ, ZD7X, ZK2BJ, ZL7/N7OU.

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