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DX News

Happy New Year, DXer friends! May this year be even better than the last!

VU7LD, Lakshadweep (Laccadives) went QRT December 27th after 27 days of operation. 56,700 QSOs were made, despite poor conditions.

HA9SDA, Sara, and HA9RE, Eli, will be in the Pacific in February and March, starting with ZK3RE (Tokelau) February 3-21, possibly the 22nd, then 5W0RE (Samoa) February 26th or 27th through March 11th or 12th. They will be on 160-10M CW, SSB, and RTTY with two stations, two Yaesu FT-897D radios and a 400-watt amplifier. They will have a Spiderbeam for 20, 15 and 10 and a wire antenna for 17 and 12M. Look for them on 1815 and 1831 listening up five, 3507 or 3511, 7007, 10117, 14040, 18084, 21040, 24914, 28040 - all CW - on phone on 3789, 7047/7080, 14240, 18114, 21255, 24940, 28440; and on RTTY, 14075, 21100, and 28075. They'll change frequency if the one they're on isn't good. QSL via HA8IB.

Look for HB0/DL2OBO starting today, running through January 9, from Liechtenstein. He will have a Yaesu FT-1000 to an Ameritron AL-1200 amplifier, with spares. Antennas: verticals for 160, 80, 40 and 30 and low noise receiving antennas. He does not plan to get on 20-10. He will focus on low band CW and maybe digital modes. You can send him an SMS via his cellular phone at +4172-5934959. He will not have DX cluster. When he first fires up at 1800Z local time it will already be nighttime and he will just have a 40M vertical and will work on the other antennas the next day. <http://www.hotel-hellers-krug.de/dl2oboneu/index.html>

IW0DBJ, Luca, was in "1A" (Sovereign Military Order of Malta, "SMOM") in Rome on Friday, at the Villa Magistrate, an ancient building with nice gardens and high old trees, he says. Some antennas were put up, to be used this week in the 1A4A operation, a three-element for 20, 15 and 10, a rotatable dipole for WARC bands, and dipoles and verticals for lower bands. The ops plans some 2M WSJT meteor scatter too, which will start January 6 or 7.

Special event station DR06XVI will be on from the birthplace of Pope Benedikt XVI, 160-10M. For full info, go to <http://www.dr06xvi.de.ki>.

CE0Y/JK1FNL, Nao, will be on Easter Island January 4-7. Easter is SA-

001 for IOTA. Nao plans to be on CW, SSB and RTTY on 40, 20 and 17M. If he can he will also activate FO/NA80, French Polynesia, January 3 and 8, before and after Easter. QSL to his home callsign.

HL22 is an unusual callsign given out to DS5SWL, Kim, to mark the city of Pyeong Chang, South Korea's desire to host the 2014 Winter Olympic Games. This callsign will be on the air now until June 30, 80-10M SSB and CW. QSL to DS5SWL direct or bureau.

ST2R will be the Sudanese callsign for operator S57DX, Slavko, January through April. Slavko says he will QSL for himself, ST2R, and for ST2T who he handles cards for, when he returns home.

YC2ZBM, a club station in Indonesia, will mark the 71 years of Central Java's Kebumen Regency, January 6-10. This special activity will be on 40 and 15M, with a large QSL certificate available. Send for it to YC2TJV, P.O. Box 123, Kebumen 54300, Indonesia. Details of that are on qrz.com.

We don't have the callsign here, but I2JIN plans to operate from El Salvador, YS, January 10-31. He will be CW only.

The S21XA Bangladesh expedition is expected to be on the air January 10-16. A report we received says EA0JC, Spain's King Juan Carlos, has agreed to go along on the operation. The King will operate CW and digital because he has been having some problems with his voice.

E21EIC, Champ, plans to be in Hanoi, Vietnam, until January 7th. He may be able to get on the air.

EI100S and EI100SI are special callsigns for the 100th anniversary of Scouting in Ireland. Scout groups can borrow the callsigns by contacting EI3IP at jota at scouts.ie.

MJOAWR will be K2WR, Rich, starting January 23rd and including the CQ 160M CW contest January 27-28, when he will use the GJ2A callsign. U.S. QSL via K2WR direct; others via GJ3DVC.

KP2/K3MD, John, will be on the air February 13-20 including the ARRL DX CX Contest February 17-18. He will be portable from the north shore of St. John's for a few days before the contest with a vertical and 100 watts. QSL via K3MD.

WP3C will be in the CQWW RTTY WPX February 10-11 and ARRL DX CW February 17-18 from Puerto Rico. He will be single op all band low power. QSL via W3HNK.

3Y9SDA will be LA9SDA operating from the Troll Station on Antarctica - not Bouvet Island or Peter I. He will be mostly on 20M during January.

World traveler UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, is now QRV as 5H3VMB/5 from Tanzania's AF-074 island. As always length of time on the air and his next stop are unknown. QSL via UA4WHX. UA4WHX.

DU1EV says plans are coming together for his group's Spratlys operation. It's set for February 1-14 with the callsign DX0JP, from Pag-Asa Island. Low bands, particularly 160 and 80, and CW will be emphasized, and targeting the U.S. East Coast. They will have high power and will spend at least some time on each band, 160-2, including EME on 6 and 2. The ops planning to go are JA1BRK, JF1IST, JA1RJU, JF2XGF, 4F2KWT, DU1BA and DU1EV.

XT2C is set for January 6-20, run by the F6KOP Provins ARS group. They say they're ready. F5VHQ joins the group the second week and has the callsign XT2HQ. N2WB and N6OX arrive in Parris January 4th to make the trip, joining F9IE, F2VX and OE8KDK. F4AJQ leads the group; they leave for Ouagadougou January sixth after a rest.
<http://xt2c.free.fr/>

TM5TAF will be on the air February 12-25, from France, with F6AXX, F5MQW, F6DKV, F6FXS and F5HEW operating CW only, on HF. This is for the AAW event.

FM/F5LOW/p, Eric, will be on from Martinique January 17-26 using an Icom IC-706 and vertical, operating on all the HF bands "holiday style," on SSB and PSK. QSL via F5LOW.

LU2ERA/Z, Hugo, will be on from the South Orkneys sometime in 2007. We'll let you know when we get more information.

IZ2DPX, Giovanni, will be in Senegal, 6W, during May and plans to be on 160, 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10M using his Kenwood TS-870, there-element monobanders for 20, 15 and 10, and a V80E Titanex X for the low bands, 30, 17 and 12. After Senegal he hopes to continue on to the Cape Verde Islands, D4.

N2FW and KE0A are finishing up a week on St. Croix in the U.S. Virgin Islands, where they both have been signing /KP2. QSL N0FW/KP2 via W8QID and KE0A/KP2 via KE0A. They planned to be on all bands 160-6M until January 2.

S9SS has wrapped up his operation. He closed it up Christmas Day after his weekly 20M SSB schedule with friends back home. He put 81,260 QSOs in the log and 1,848 of those were on 160M. Charles is retiring to the North Carolina mountains near West Jefferson.

3V8SS, Tunisia, will be put on the air by GM0DHZ, January 7-February 11, 80-10M, possibly 160, CW and SSB. It will be "holiday style."

A group of Irish hams will be in Swaziland, 3DA, to operate March 16-30. Ops will be EI7CC, EI8CE, EI8BFB, EI4DJ, EI4DJB, EI3GV, GI4VIV and EI2CA.

PA2CHR says if all works out he will be QRV from the evening of January third until January sixth from 4U1ITU, ITU Geneva. The station manager has given permission for a short visit to work VHF only. Chris will have an FT-847 and 3CX800 amplifier to a 10-element 2M Yagi. Look for him on 144.358 meteor scatter. He won't be taking any skeds but will announce his antenna direction from time to time on the DX cluster. This will be the first 2M meteor scatter activity since 2000. He asks, "Please do send suffix of callsigns with Rs."

Also for the Quarantids meteor shower period, RK1B/P will be ARV. OH5LID, Janne, and a group will be on 144.388 the first period with 144.370 possible too. They say their "main idea is to try to have in our log as many calls as possible from the MWS list for MWC." They will be in KO58AP between January two and four.

JE1JKL, Saty, will be in East Malaysia this week focusing on 160 and 80M, looking for the East Coast U.S. and Europe. He'll have the 9M6NA callsign from Labuan Island, IOTA OC-133. The dates of the operation are January 4-7. He notes his sunset and sunrise are 2230Z and 1010Z. Look for him on 1826 plus or minus, listening two up or two down. Saty says he will try to put up a beverage for the first time. QSL via JE1JKL. <http://jsfc.org/jeljkl/9m6na.html>.

W9OP, Mark, and W4OWY, Bob, will be on Antigua, V2, March 19-25. They expect their callsigns to be V25OP and V25WY. Look for them on 160-10M SSB, CW, and RTTY.

W6SJ, Randy, expects to be on the air with his C6AWS Bahamas callsign January 28, through the first weekend of February, particularly for the annual FOC Marathon event.

KA2RTD notes that the 4U1UN (United Nations New York) beacon and station are off the air and will remain so for a few weeks. Engineers doing a wind load test of the building said the beacon transmissions were causing interference to their equipment. Building management asked that the station stay off the air through late January for the tests.

KU8E and K4BAI continue their plans to operate February 13-20 from the PJ4G rental QTH on Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles. They will be in the ARRL DX CW contest, K4BAI using the PJ4A callsign, single operator all band high power, and KU8E QRV with the PJ4/KU8E callsign, parttime. Outside the contest they will both sign PJ4/home callsign. QSL PJ4A, PJ4/K4BAI and PJ4/KU8E via K4BAI, John Laney, Box 421, Columbus, GA 31902-0421 USA.

YR0UE is a special Romanian callsign that will be used through January 10th to mark Romania's entry into the European Union beginning today, New Year's Day. QSL via the YO bureau to YO3KAA.

LZ2007EU, a special callsign from Bulgaria, will be operating from the headquarters of the Bulgarian Federation of Radio Amateurs. Look for this one starting today, running through April 30th, celebrating Bulgaria's accession to the European Union. QSL via LZ1BJ, bureau preferred.

GI4FUE, Charlie, plans to be on holiday stay from Marmaris until January 11th. Look for him on 20, 17 and possible 30M. It will be mostly CW using his FT-857, but he will do some SSB also.

N200 notes that the 2007 officers for the South Jersey DX Association (SJDXA) are:

PRESIDENT: BOB SCHENCK N200
VICE PRESIDENT: BOB TOMKOVICH K2RET
SECRETARY: ARNIE OBERSON W2OB
TREASURER: BOB PANTAZES W2ARP

For more information on SJDXA check out their Web site at <http://sjdxa.org/>

OH2UA, Toni, notes it's just three weeks to "the coolest" contest and DX meeting, the Contest Club Finland winter cruise, January 19-21. The ship cruises from Stockholm to Helsinki and back. Or you can join in Stockholm on Saturday, January 20 just for the day. Spaces are still available. Go to this web site for more info: www.contestclubfinland.com. The on-line booking should be done via web-form at <http://area.etapahtuma.fi/Default.aspx?tabid=2839>. Write 'CCF07' in the Accesscode field on the web-form and click 'Login' to continue registering. There will be people from at least 10 different DXCC countries on board, and "great presentations, great food, great fun, and all those old and new friends from around the world."

The South Texas DX and Contest Club, STDXCC, elected officers for 2007 at their December meeting. They are:

President: Obie D. Weathers Jr., N5VYS
Vice President: Walter Hock, KK5LO
Secretary: Ed Larose, KS5V
Treasurer: David Freiburger, K5OLE

More information on STXDXCC can be found on its website at:
<http://stxdxcc.org>

Silent Keys

ZS1FRD, Dewald Voigt, 25 years old, has died in a Skidoo accident within a few days of arriving on Antarctica. Dewald was an antenna engineer.

W3PT, Bob Marzari, 67 years old, passed away after a month in the hospital in Pennsylvania. He had been battling serious heart problems. K3SWZ, Glenn, says Bob was "a hardcore DXer on SSB and RTTY. He designed and built the world's first regenerative RTTY repeater, which was on the air in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania for many years during the seventies."

IOTA

WA2USA/5, Dennis, will on from NA-168, Grand Isle, Louisiana, between February 8-19, including the ARRL CW DX Contest February 17-18. Inside and outside the contest, he will be on 80-10M. QSL to his home callsign.

VE7JZ, John, will be on NA-061, Kaien Island, January 7-20. He will be on 40 and 20M, near the popular IOTA hangouts. QSL to hmi direct or via the bureau, direct preferred.

Signing HLOGHQ/2 and their home callsigns /2, DS2GOO, 6K2ABX and 6K2CEW will get on the air from Paengnyong Island, AS-122, sometime between yesterday and tomorrow. Weather conditions and transportation will determine the length of stay. They planned to be on 80-10M CW, SSB, RTTY and some PSK31, "as usual" for their operations. QSL via DS2GOO direct or bureau. This is to celebrate the new year and get into the annual HL QSO Party on New Year's Day.

XR7C is the Chilean callsign for CE3HDI, CE6UFF, CE6UFY, CE6UZL, LU1EJ and XQ3SA from Chiloe Island, SA-018, January 29-February 5, SSB and CW. They will be on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M. QSL via CE6AMN.

G0ORH, Ken, plans to go portable on EU-123, Arran Island off the west coast of Scotland and operate as GM0ORH, January 6-13. Ken will be doing some work with the Forest Rangers and will have an HF radio and vertical and dipoles along.

DU1/CT1EAT will be on Romblon Island, OC-244, today until January 17. He will be on 80-10M SSB and RTTY. QSL via his home call, direct or LOTW only. This is a holiday-style operation.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530

 Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
1-Jan	5-Jan	4S	4S7UCG	DL7UCX		10-237
1-Jan		5H	5H3VMB/5 (AF-074)	UA4WHX		11-001
1-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193	159
1-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
1-Jan	3-Jan	A3	A35GN	VK2GND		10-193
1-Jan	8-Jan	A3	A35TN (OC-049)	JA7GAX		10-216
1-Jan	2-Jan	A3	A35TN/N (OC-191)	JA7GAX		10-216
1-Jan		C9	C91VB/6 (AF-088)	UA4WHX		10-234
1-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	10-202	090
1-Jan	14-Jan	HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA		10-221
1-Jan	2-Jan	IS	IS0/I0JU			10-237
1-Jan	9-Jan	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JS6RRR		10-234
1-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
1-Jan	1-Jan	KP4	KP4/DL3VFH	DL3VFH		10-169
1-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
1-Jan	8-Jan	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT		10-236
1-Jan	2-Jan	W	DL group (NA-062)	home calls		10-223
1-Jan	1-Jan	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		10-239
2-Jan	7-Jan	1A	1A4A	IZ4DPV		10-232
2-Jan	4-Jan	A3	A35TN/V (OC-064)	JA7GAX		10-216
2-Jan	13-Jan	VK	VI3JAM			10-227
3-Jan	10-Jan	6W	PA3GIO/6W	PA3GIO		10-240
3-Jan	9-Jan	C6	C6ARI (NA-219)	DL3OCH	10-210	204
5-Jan		V7	V73NS			10-212
6-Jan	12-Jan	HI	W1BYH/HI3	W1BYH		10-240
6-Jan	13-Jan	PJ2	PJ4/NOVD	NOVD		10-221
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2BJ		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2C	F9IE	10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CA		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CC		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CD		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CE		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CI		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CJ		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CK		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2IE		10-218	203 192
6-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2JD		10-218	203 192

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

 Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low to low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet today, with unsettled to minor storm conditions, with isolated major storm periods at high latitudes the next two days.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>.

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>.

The sunspot number for December 31, 2006 was 28, up from a level of zero just two days earlier.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3A/IK1QBT	IK1QBT	EC5KB	EA5KB	N0FW/KP2	W8QID
3B8/F8DHM	F8DHM	EK3GM	IK2QPR	ON4DAMIAN	ON4LN
3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	EM15UARL	UT2UB	ON60EKO	ON4EKO
4L1FP	LZ1OT	EM15UN	UT5UN	OT4A	ON4AEK
4N500ZZ	4N7ZZ	EO15EK	UT4EK	P40W	N2MM
4S7UCG	DL7UCX	EO15FA	UT2FA	S07EA	EA1BT
5H3VMB/5	UA4WHX	EO15FF	UX0FF	S9SS	N4JR
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	EO15IS	US7IGF	SC0XMAS	SM0OGQ
5R8GZ	G3SWH	EO15QWX	US4QWX	SN55ATR	SP2CA
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EO15QYY	UY5YY	ST2T	S57DX
6W7RV	F8CMT	EO15UQ	UY2UQ	T30XX	JA8UWT
7Z1UG	DG1XG	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	TI4CF	W3HNK
8S30JC	SK7JC	EY8MM	K1BV	TM0ZK	F5OZK
9A35Y	9A5CY	FS/KN5G	KN5G	TM3WRC	F4ELU
9G5SW	DC8XL	GI0RTN	G0RTN	UA0KBA/3	RL3DZ
A35GN	VK2GND	HA501DAE	HA1DAE	UA1OJL/P	RZ3EC
A61AB	IZ8CLM	HA503FIN	HA3FIN	UE3GMF	RA3GJ
A61TX	W4JS	HA508VK	HA8VK	V31JP	KA9WON
C31CT	EA3QS	HA509PN	HA9PN	VP9F	N1HRA
C31LJ	VE3EXY	HF95HTA	SP9ZBC	YA/LY1Y	LY1Y
CG9NC	VE9NC	HG1956R	HA3HK	YN4SU/9	TI4SU
CN2DX	EA7FTR	HG79P	HA6ZQ	YR0UE	YO3KAA
CN8IG	EA7FTR	HL22	DS5SWL	YR1A	YO3JR
CQ00DX	CT2GZE	HS0ZFI	SM5GMZ	YS1/HB9KNA	HB9KNA
D2NX	JH7FQK	HZ1GW	GW0RHC	YT150AT	YT1AT
DA0UBOOT	DK9OS	HZ1IK	DK7YY	YZ150A	YZ7AA
DZ50HBC	DU1HBC	HZ1SK	IZ8CLM	ZS90DW	ZS4SM
EA9/EA7RU	EA7RU	KE0A/KP2	KE0A	ZY6T	PY7GK
EA9EU	EA9AZ				

VU2GMN, Gopal, reminds us that all QSLing for VU7LD, Lakshadweep is only via W3HNK:

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 115 Buck Run Road,
 Lincoln University,
 PA 19352 USA

Gopal notes that some of the operators have been receiving direct cards, which will be passed on to the ARSI ham organization to deal with.

LA9NOA (JX9NOA) has been working on his QSLs since leaving Jan Mayen in October and has "now processed all the QSLs sent to me." The cards will go into the mail in about five weeks when he returns from a business trip to Africa.

VE3XN, Garry, reports on the status of the ZL8R QSL cards that the nice four-sided color cards were printed by IT9EJW last week and should reach VE3XN by the end of January. He will then process all the requests received and mail them out in several large batches, by

country. That should happen in mid to late February. He notes one U.S. dollar is not enough for return postage from Canada to anywhere in the world other than the U.S. or Canada. You must include at least \$2 U.S. or one 2009-expiration IRC for a direct return. He notes donations are down substantially and the "Micro-Lite Penguins" appreciate your assistance. His address:

VE3XN
GARRY HAMMOND
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CANADA

SM5DQC, Osten, notes he is now the QSL manager for 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB and has the logs through December 27th, 2006. Color picture QSLs, different for each of the stations, will take a while to get back from the printer. As above, he notes if you want a direct reply it takes \$2 U.S. or one new-type IRC. Extra to cover printing costs is appreciated.

LA4GHA has been sending out JW4GHA cards for his 2005-006 operations. He was on Bear Island, EU-027 and Hopen Island, EU-063.

DL7JAN asys all the direct cards for 7P8JF, 7P8DJ and 7P8WO from September of 2006 that he has received so far have now been processed. They were mailed December 18.

YI1DZ, Diya, regrets the passing of his QSL manager, WA4JTK. Starting today, January 1, 2007, the new manager is OM3JW. So, QSL YI1DZ via OM3JW.

On The WWW

5V7SE on-line logs are now available.
<http://www.ik3ges.it/iv3fsg.htm>. Cards will not be printed until at least the end of the month. He adds, "Direct requests with expired IRCs will be processed via the bureau."

VK3QI has a video of the VI5PN IOTA operation on OC-220. It is 20 minutes long and is in two parts on www.youtube.com. Search for VI5PN or IOTA and he says you should be able to find it. Peter says a number of overseas ops expressed interest in seeing how they do an IOTA expedition under Australian conditions. Videos of earlier operations, VI5BR, VI5WCP and VI3JPI will also be coming soon.

Credits

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DX News

Ah it's great to be back at the keyboard. Hope each of you had a good holiday. I wish each of you a Happy New Year and may you work lots of good DX in 2007!

The beginning of a new year is an exciting time for DXers and Contesters. N4AA, Carl Smith, will soon have the results of "The DX Magazine's" 2006 Most Wanted list. Many contest and DX clubs change over to new officers. Many DXpeditioners and Contest ops are working on their plans for their next trip! Yesterday's issue was proof that even in the bottom of the sunspot cycle Amateur Radio DXpeditioners are still on the go. 2007 will no doubt be another exciting year for DXers. In today's issue W1JR, Joe Reisert, has written his annual year in review article (see next section, below). Also assisting in the data collection were DF3CB, K4SAV, N4PJ, N9NS and W2IRT, all of whom worked 250 or more countries during the 2006 calendar year. Congrats to each!

I know many of you are curious about the announcement from N7NG, Wayne Mills, over his resignation at the ARRL. I'm kind of bias on this one as I consider Wayne a good friend. Moving that aside for the moment anyone who is an ARRL member or DXCC member should be very concerned with who will step in as the Membership Services Manager! I urge all concerned to voice their thoughts and opinions so that the new person is pro-contesting, pro-DXing and pro-LOTW. We as DXers and contesters need someone who has the same desires and passions to correctly represent us and to give us the needed support for our part of the hobby. I recommend each of you contact your:
Section Manager (<http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/org/smlist.html>)
Division Director (<http://www.arrl.org/divisions/>)
Contest Advisory Committee member
(<http://www.arrl.org/contests/cac.html>)
DXCC Advisory Committee member
(<http://www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc/advisory.html>). This is your ARRL and you need to let them know what you want!

Now off my soapbox and on to the DX news.

3Y9SDA (LA9SDA), Dag, is operating from the Norwegian Antarctic (KC4) Troll Base until February 5th. He has been found on 20 and 40 meters running 100 watts into a dipole and ground plane. Look for him on SSB and PSK around 0730Z and again around 1900Z. QSL via LA9SDA.

FR/F4ACQ, Tibo, is running 100 watts into an inverted V dipole. He is expecting to receive his FR5 callsign soon. Tibo will be staying on Reunion Island as permanent resident. QSL information to be announced soon. He will mostly be active on 20 meters SSB.

JM1CAX, (ex JY9NX, VK9NX, YJ0NX, 3DA0NX), Koji, is now working in Angola and QRV as D2NX. He is running an IC-756PRO and IC-PW1. He was operating last week using some kind of temporary set up with just wires on the roof. Once he gets a permanent location he hopes to put up some decent antennas. Apparently housing is a real problem there. Koji did take his 160 meter antenna, but not sure if his rental house will have enough room. QSL via JH7FQK.

DT8A, Sang, reports he "will be now on the air with HL8KSJ, the original callsign for King Sejong station". He is located in the South Shetland Islands (VP8/h).

K4RB (ex-4S7EXG, SU9US, TZ6DX, YB0ASI and VU2NBT), Bob, is in Tbilisi, Republic of Georgia and has been issued the call 4L6X. He is waiting for equipment to arrive. His address is Robert Blumberg, Unit 7060 - Box 101, APO, AE 09742-7060.

Members of the Potomac Valley Radio Club (PVRC) have elected the following Officers and Trustees for 2007:

President: WX3B, Jim Nitzberg
Vice President: K4ZW, Ken Claerbout
Vice President: KD4D, Mark Bailey
Treasurer: WR3L, Dave Baugher
Secretary: WM3T, Anthony Brooks
Board of Trustees: K3MM, KE3Q, N3OC, N4ZR, W4MYA, W4ZYT, N4AF, ND3A, W3PP, K2AV

For more information on PVRC check their Web page at <http://www.pvrc.org/>.

Here in the United States the Post Offices (<http://www.usps.com/>) will be closed today in memory of President Gerald R. Ford. So no delivery or pickup of QSL cards today!

2006 DXCC Year In Review
by Joe Reisert, W1JR

DX wise, 2006 was just as challenging as 2005. The lower sunspot numbers caused the upper HF bands to be spotty but some openings were caught by those who were vigilant. At the same time, numerous ionospheric disturbances adversely effected propagation on both the upper and lower HF bands. The experts are telling us that this is normal just prior to the start of a new solar cycle. The experts are also predicting that the next solar cycle (24) will start in early 2007. Some are also predicting that the next solar cycle will be as good as the past one. That gives us some optimism!

2006 was a year of surprises. First off, although not a complete surprise, Montenegro joined the rank of nations and thus gave the DXCC its first new entity since Ducie Island in 2002. Shortly thereafter, the DXCC rules for qualifying a new entity were changed. The definition of a Point 1 Political Entities was modified to add the US Department of State Dependencies "Areas of Special Sovereignty" and the UN list of "Non Self-Governing Territories." This immediately qualified Swains Island a new entity by Point 2 Geographic Separation

and the DXCC active current list expanded to 337 entities. Finally, at the end of the year, the FCC announced its intention to eliminate the Morse Code requirements for attaining an Amateur Radio License.

The year 2006 also had a few DX surprises. With little or no fanfare, we saw a brief operation (only hours!) from Ducie Island (VP6UU) and Auckland Island (ZL2BSJ/9). Later in the year, the ZL8R Micro-lite DXpedition caught many by surprise. Of course, there were numerous operations from the new nation of Montenegro as well as the first activation of Swains Island as a new entity. Notable other semi-rare entities activated in 2006 included (but are not limited to) 3C0, 3Y0P (at last!), 5A, 6O, CE0Z, E51/N, FH, FT/X, JX, KH5, PY0S, PY0T, R1F, VU4, VU7, XF4, XW, and YX0. Solo DXpedition extraordinary Vlad, UA4WHX activated at least nine (9) semi-rare entities in Southern Africa.

I personally worked 275 entities, three (3) more than in 2005. Over 250 of these entities were worked on CW so that mode is not disappearing (yet)! I missed some entities that were only briefly activated, active during a time when propagation was not optimum, operated only on a list (which I avoid) or active while I was out of state. Therefore, I missed 13 so there were 288 entities activated during 2006, just slightly ahead of 2005. Those entities that were believed to not be active in 2006 may serve to show what is considered rare DX and are as follows:

AF (15): 3B6, 3C, 3Y/B, 9U, 9X, D6, E3, FR/E&J, FR/G, FR/T, FT/W, FT/Z, TN, VK0H and ZS8.

AS (6): 7O, BS, BV9P, E4, P5 and XZ.

EU (2): 1A and R1MV.

NA (6): CY0, CY9, FO/C, KP1, KP5 and TI9.

OC (16): 3D2C, FK/C, H40, KH1, KH3, KH4, KH5K, KH7, KH9, T2, T31, T33, VK0M, VK9M, VK9W and ZL7.

SA (4): CE0X, CE0Y, HK0M and VP8/Sand.

2007 already promises activation of some rare entities such as 1A4A (formerly 1A0KM), 3B6, 9M0, KH8/S, S2, TN, VU7, YW0 and hopefully the long awaited FR/G. Let's hope propagation improves as Solar Cycle 24 begins and that travel arrangements cooperate! I hope to see you in the pile ups.

73,
Joe, W1JR

QSN

- 1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - The guys started up late yesterday (just before 23Z) with three stations. They plan to have five stations QRV later today. QSL via IZ4DPV.
- 4S7UCG - SRI LANKA - European ops found this semi-rare one on 1828 yesterday. QSL via DL7UCX.
- EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was way up on 21382 Monday starting before 1030 until just after 1200Z.

JD1/JA1BVA - OGASAWARA - Japanese low band ops found this one first on 7015 just before 1100Z and then on 3503 afterwards.

SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Sunday Monk Apollo was QRV on 20 meters RTTY between about 12 and 13Z. He made about 50 QSOs and was working with his old TNC, which has some problems. Apollo wishes a HNY to all. QSL via QRZ.COM.

T30XX - WESTERN KIRIBATI - Southern Europeans were working this station on 14220 between 09 and 10Z. From 11 to 12Z he was on 75 meters. W6 and W7 Topband ops worked him on 1812 from 13 to 15Z. QSL via JA8UWT.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-074	5H3VMB/5	14202	1644	EU-029	OZ4Z	14193	2138
AS-018	UA0FAI	14020	2228	EU-061	LA9SN/P	10115	1603
AS-079	JS6RRR	3506	1201	NA-106	KE0A/KP2	14245	1650
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14008	859	OC-130	DU8DJ	14187	1353
AS-122	DS2GOO/2	14070	1101	OC-130	DU9/G4UNL	14227	1252
AS-122	HL0GHQ/2	7004	1038	OC-244	DU1/CT1EAT	18156	1258
EU-003	CU2CE	21275	1807	SA-008	LU8XW	18080	1250
EU-028	IA5TMF	14263	1008				

Look for PG5M, Gerben, to be operating while on holiday from Pulau Pangkor (AS-072) as 9M2/PG5M from January 5-7. He'll be QRV on all bands from 10 through 40 meters on CW only. Gerben will have an FT-897 and G5RV dipole. QSL via PG5M and note his QSL information on www.dx.to.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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2-Jan	5-Jan	4S	4S7UCG	DL7UCX		10-237
2-Jan		5H	5H3VMB/5 (AF-074)	UA4WHX		11-001
2-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193	159
2-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
2-Jan	3-Jan	A3	A35GN	VK2GND		10-193
2-Jan	8-Jan	A3	A35TN (OC-049)	JA7GAX		10-216
2-Jan	2-Jan	A3	A35TN/N (OC-191)	JA7GAX		10-216
2-Jan	4-Jan	A3	A35TN/V (OC-064)	JA7GAX		10-216
2-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT		11-001
2-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	11-001	10-202
2-Jan	14-Jan	HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA		10-221
2-Jan	2-Jan	HL	6K2ABX/2 (AS-122)	DS2GOO		11-001
2-Jan	2-Jan	HL	6K2CEW/2 (AS-122)	DS2GOO		11-001
2-Jan	2-Jan	HL	DS2GOO/2 (AS-122)	DS2GOO		11-001

2-Jan	2-Jan	HL	HL0GHQ/2 (AS-122)	DS2GOO	11-001
2-Jan	2-Jan	IS	IS0/I0JU		10-237
2-Jan	9-Jan	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JS6RRR	10-234
2-Jan	31-Jan	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-001
2-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217 203 202
2-Jan	2-Jan	KP2	KE0A/KP2	KE0A	11-001
2-Jan	2-Jan	KP2	N0FW/KP2	W8QID	11-001
2-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
2-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ		10-217
2-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
2-Jan	8-Jan	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT	10-236
2-Jan	11-Jan	TA	by GI4FUE		11-001
2-Jan	13-Jan	VK	VI3JAM		10-227
2-Jan	2-Jan	W	DL group (NA-062)	home calls	10-223
2-Jan	10-Jan	YO	YR0UE	YO3KAA	11-001

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The sunspot number for December 31, 2006 was 28.

QSL Info

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B8/DL6UAA, 4O3T, 7P8JF, 9J2BO, 9M6DXX, A45WD, C6AQC, C94KF (AF-103), C96KF (AF-061), CN2R, CN8IG, EA6SX, EA6UN, EW8AO, FG/K9NW, FS5HL/P (NA-199), FS5UQ, GI0KOW, H44V, HI8RV, HK0GU, HS0AC, KH6AP, KP2/N4EXA, OX3HX, OZ/DL2SWW (EU-088), P40W, R1ANF/p, RZ0AF, ST2A, SV1CQN, T31T, T32WW, T32Z, T77C, TK5EF, TK0Z, TX6A, TY5LEO, TY5MR, UA0MF, V31RG, VP2MDY, VP2MHX, VP2MQD, XT2WP, W0O, XF4DL, XW3DT, YN2SI, YR100A, YX0LIX, Z24S, ZD9ATN, ZF2CM, ZS1EL

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5R8HL, 5W0VB, 8P7A, 8R1K, 9A7A, CT3MD, ES5RW, HF0POL, HI8L, HP1/OA4WW, OH0ZZ, PS2T, S01R, S92RI, V31TM, VP25M, VY2TT, YB33AR

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9M2/PA0RRS, CT3EN, CT3IA, CT3NT, DC3HB, JH8DBJ, KH0/JA1HGY (91/92), LA4WKA, LN8W, OH6AC, S02R, SM7E, SN2B, SP2FAX, SV5/SM8C, RX3BP, UA3TCJ, VP5T, YO7LFV

W9OL, Bill, is looking for greenstamp and IRC information for his Web page at http://www.qsl.net/w9ol/IRC_Chart.htm. He only accepts GS/IRC data from residents in the countries they are reporting on. You can email him at w9ol at billnjudy.com.

Credits

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DX News

JA3AAW, Yosi, reports working JD1BME on 160 meters. Yosi ask for the QTH and QSL info and was given "MINAMI TORISHIMA ES QSL BURO". You can hear the short QSO at http://www.page.sannet.ne.jp/ja3aaw/sound/070103_JD1BME_160m.wma . Mystery solved! No word on how long JD1BME will be QRV.

On December 26, 2006 an Antarctica expedition of the "R7C Foundation" began, guided by the polar researcher and DUMA member Arthur Chilingarov. Accompanied by a TV team, the expedition will become active from the following locations between December 28th and January 15, 2007:

CE8/R7C (Punta Arenas, Chile)
CE9/R7C (Patriot Hills, Antarctica)
KC4/R7C (South Pole, Antarctica)

The ham radio operator on this expedition will be UA6DX, Igor. Activity will take place on 15, 20 and 30 meters on all modes. QSL via Box 2007, Moscow, 101000, Russian Federation. More info can be found at <http://www.planetguide.tv> .

The Mediterraneo DX Club reports "after the first 21 hours of activity" the 1A4A team "have more of 6,000 QSOs. The on-line log search does not seem to have any log info at this time. Keep a watch on <http://www.centuplo.it/logonline/inputlog.asp> .

DJ9ZB, Franz Langner, reports his trip with DJ6SI, Baldur Drobnica, to Congo (TN) is still in the works. They were originally hoping for November and then December. They are still waiting for the TN license. Seems the licensing office has changed locations. The two hope to get info soon, either by email or fax, from the Communication officer in Brazzaville. Once they do they will let us know.

K3UL, Bob Garrett, will be operating once again from the Cayman Islands as ZF2UL from March 1 through 7. He will be concentrating his efforts on 30, 80 and 160 meters, primarily on CW. Bob is looking forward to the beautiful beaches, good food, sunshine and the pileups. QSL via ZF2UL.

N9JZ, Jim, plans to be in the U.S. Virgin Islands from January 11th to 17th. He will be operating mobile. Watch 50125 on CW and SSB if the Magic Band opens. Then from 0000 to 0600Z he'll be QRV on the low

bands. 60 Meter ops will want to watch channels 1 (5330.5), 4 (5371.5) and 5 (5403.5). He will be operating as NP2/N9JZ, KP2/N9J Spec Event, and WP2/KU9UUU. So prefix hunters can catch three different ones. QSL upon receipt, no SASE required.

VU2DX was reported active on December 31st around 2230Z on 40 CW. Only problem is it was a pirate as the real VU2DX has not been QRV for several months.

QSN

- 1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - Japanese ops reported openings on 20 meters via the long path at 0630Z. Also on 40 meters short path at 2100Z. East Coast say around 0200Z on both 40 and 80 meters. Several East Coast US stations made it on 160 starting after 0600Z today. QSL via IZ4DPV.
- 9Q1D - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Gus continues to start his day usually on 20 meters CW or SSB just prior to 0600Z. QSL via SM5BFJ.
- 9V1YC - SINGAPORE - US stations should check long path on 20 CW for James starting about 0000Z around 14025 or so.
- CE1/K7CA - CHILE - Al has been very active the last few days on 160 CW beginning around 0000Z. Look for him around 1830 . QSL via K7CA.
- HB0/DL2OBO - LIECHTENSTEIN - Start looking for Tom tonight on 160 CW.
- J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Made a surprise visit to 75 yesterday just before 2030Z.
- T30XX - WEST KIRIBATI - Southern and Eastern Europeans report this semi-rare one on 17 CW between 06 and 07Z. Also on 20 meters SSB from 9 to 10 Z. US stations can look on 20 meters just before 2100Z. QSL via JA8UWT.
- VP8/LZ1UQ - SOUTH SHETLANDS - Mitko was found on Tuesday at 0340Z on 7005. QSL via LZ1UQ.
- YT60W - SERBIA - Don't be fooled by this callsign. It is not from Montenegro! QSL via YU7BCD.

IOTA

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AS-079	JS6RRR	3513	1230	NA-219	C6ARI	7013	2321
EU-015	SV9GPV	28470	1752	OC-017	T30XX	14007	2056
EU-016	9A2Y	14257	0945	OC-244	DU1/CT1EAT	14260	1236

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3-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
3-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
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3-Jan	13-Jan	VK	VI3JAM			10-227
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6F75A	EA5KB	EI100S	EI3IP	LX2007L	LX1DA
6H1CL	XE1CL	EK6YL	SP9ERV	LZ2000EU	LZ1BJ
6H1J	XE1J	FO/NA80	JK1FNL	OQ5M	ON5ZO
7S5CF	SK5AA	GC8LED/P	G8LED	SC300VL	SK6HD
A22/JA4ATV	JA4ATV	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	XE3ARV	EA5KB
C6ARI	DL3OCH	HI7/ON6AA	ON6AA	YT60W	YU7BCD
CE1/K7CA	K7CA	HK1XX	EA7FTR	ZF2SC	KA9P
CN2DX	EA7FTR	HL0GHQ/2	DS2GOO		

5X1RI's QSL manager WD4ELG, Mark, reports he spoke to the DXCC Desk yesterday. They received the appropriate paperwork and now 5X1RI is good for DXCC credit. Mark also says all QSLs received both direct and via bureau have been answered.

The XF4K (Clarion Island) logs are now on LoTW. This may be the first XF4 logs to show up on LoTW.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4L1BR, 5X1T, 8R1RPN, CP4BT, TK9Z, TR8CA, TZ6DX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LoTW: 9V1YC, BA4RF, CN8LI, HB9CVQ, P40TA, P40W, UN5J, V5/DF3GY, VY6BTF

Credits

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DX News

As of 1645Z Wednesday the 1A4A group (SMOM, Sovereign Military Order of Malta, an unusual DXCC entity) had over 10,000 QSOs in the log. That's 5,000 QSOs per day. The logs were uploaded to the log search - but not the 2 and 6 meter QSOs, a laptop isn't on-line and there was a problem with the server. There are still three stations on the air with two CW operators at the moment and a third starting Thursday night. There are currently eight operators total, all Italians, operating from two vans. One antenna is a Cushcraft A3S tribander. There is at least one amp, a Kenwood. Some of the ops, at least, expect to be back home by Friday night.

YT1AD will be in the Pacific late in the month making the arrangements for a KH8/S Swains Island DXpedition. Current plans are for Fiji, perhaps 3D2AD, January 25-26; American Samoa, likely KH8/YT1AD, February 1, and a 5W1 callsign from Western Samoa February 1-5. The N8S callsign stroke KH8 appears to be what will be used from Swains later in the year. Here's the web site: <http://www.yt1ad.info/n8s>.

The plans continue for the XT2C, Burkina Faso, expedition, with the plane departure from France set for 15Z January 6. Arrival in Ouagadougou will be 2200 local time. First signals from XT2C should be expected the morning of January 7. Organizers say that even though most of the crew is French speaking, N2WB and N6OX will be there also, and F2JD, F5VHQ and OE8KDK also speak English. F4AJQ is the team leader and F5JSD, Pascal, is the pilot station.

Look for XT2C on 50096, 28014, 28444, 28082, 28122, 24892, 24966, 24920, 21014, 21266, 21082, 21072, 18071, 18140, 18100, 14014, 14266, 14082, 14072, 10115, 10140, 10140, 7014, 7057, 3514 and 3785. On 160M, Asians and Oceania look for them on 1830, QSOX 1820-1825. Europeans, they will transmit on 1832 listening 1835-1840. NA/SA, transmit will be 1832, QSOX 1833-1835.

The UFT, Union Francaise des Telegraphistes, has a contest scheduled for Saturday, January 6, from 20-23Z and Sunday the 7th from 04-07Z. Complete rules area available in French with links to other languages at www.uft.net. Software to log the event, written by F6ENO, is available at <http://perso.orange.fr/f6eno/index.htm>.

NO2R says some last minute problems have developed in his XU7ACY trip

planning. It looks like the new QTH he was counting on operating from is unavailable. He still will be arriving in Phnom Penh on January 6 but he will have to find a QTH to operate from when he arrives in Sihanoukville on the 8th. He still plans to be there through January 30th and will keep us updated.

T88AI/JR6XIW, T88AO/JR6XIX, T88OP/7K3EOP and T88CY/JA1EYL, all Yls from Japan, plan their Palau operation for January 25-30.

VE7AHA, Andy, will be spending some time in Hawaii, KH6. Between January 15 and March 10 look for him on 40 CW where he will be looking for long path Europe and Africa at local sunrise, which is also at the EU and Africa sunset.

It looks like July, 2007 is the current thinking for the bottom of Cycle 23. The U.S. Department of Commerce's National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, NOAA, has the following prediction chart:

Predicted Sunspot Number And Radio Flux Values With Expected Ranges

-----Sunspot Number----- ----10.7 cm Radio Flux----						
YR MO	PREDICTED	HIGH	LOW	PREDICTED	HIGH	LOW
2006 07	14.8	15.8	13.8	79.7	80.7	78.7
2006 08	14.4	17.4	11.4	78.9	81.9	75.9
2006 09	14.2	19.2	9.2	78.3	83.3	73.3
2006 10	13.0	20.0	6.0	77.3	84.3	70.3
2006 11	11.4	19.4	3.4	76.1	85.1	67.1
2006 12	10.6	19.6	1.6	75.3	86.3	64.3
2007 01	10.2	20.2	0.2	74.8	87.8	61.8
2007 02	10.0	21.0	0.0	74.4	89.4	60.0
2007 03	9.9	21.9	0.0	74.0	91.0	60.0
2007 04	10.1	23.1	0.0	73.9	92.9	60.0
2007 05	10.1	24.1	0.0	73.6	94.6	60.0
2007 06	10.3	25.3	0.0	73.0	95.0	60.0
2007 07	9.5	24.5	0.0	72.0	95.0	60.0
2007 08	11.2	26.2	0.0	73.0	96.0	60.0
2007 09	13.3	28.3	0.0	74.3	97.3	60.0
2007 10	15.6	30.6	0.6	75.7	98.7	60.0
2007 11	18.3	33.3	3.3	77.4	100.4	60.0
2007 12	21.3	36.3	6.3	79.4	102.4	60.0

CORRECTION: In yesterday's Daily DX we listed 5X1RI as having been approved by ARRL for DXCC credit. This is incorrect. But, WD4ELG and 5X1RI hope to have this fixed very soon.

QSN

1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA (SMOM) - This operation is pretty easy to work from many places, tougher from the western half of the U.S. K6TA reports he was readable on 40 CW starting around 0430Z, but the CW op at the time moved to 160 then. There was a short 40 SSB opening at their sunrise and a few Southern California W6s made it through. 14080 RTTY at 12Z, 7085 at 12Z, 24945 at 1150Z, 28490 at 11Z working Europe, 3515 good for much of the U.S. 7003 seemed to be the best bet for the western U.S., and 10105.

3W2TXR - VIETNAM - Shoji was on 21245 at 1155Z, 21228 the day before at 04Z working Japan. QSL via JA2TXR.

4S7UCG - SRI LANKA - 7005 at 23Z, 1828 at 19Z and 2130Z. 10105 at 13Z. Via DL7UCX.

9M2MRS - WEST MALAYSIA - Rich was on 18070 at 05Z, 0810Z, 09Z, and 1410Z; 7008 at 2355Z, 7011 at 1540Z, 10105 at 1455Z. QSL via PA0RRS.

JD1BME - MINAMI TORISHIMA - 1812 at 1115Z this morning, 1816.5 at 1140Z, 1220Z and 1920Z yesterday.

T30XX - WEST KIRIBATI - 3507 and 3517 in the 08Z hour, 14220 at 07Z, 7088 at 19Z, 3793 at 1830Z.

YU6DZ - MONTENEGRO - 7005 at 2120Z, 10108 at 1230Z and 1500Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-108	IH9YMC	14260	2000	EU-175	CU3ABR	14071	1435
AF-074	5H3VMB/5	7001	2135	NA-005	VP9BO	7063	0110
AS-079	JS6RRR	7017	2345	NA-219	C6ARI	10102	2345
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14166	0830	OC-064	A35TN	18073	1845
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	3507	1030	OC-244	DU1/CT1EAT	14260	1200
EU-008	MM0LUP	14260	1230	SA-008	LU8XP	21300	1410

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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4-Jan	6-Jan	4U1I	4U1ITU			11-001
4-Jan		5H	5H3VMB/5 (AF-074)	UA4WHX		11-001
4-Jan	10-Jan	6W	PA3GIO/6W	PA3GIO		10-240
4-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193	159
4-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
4-Jan	7-Jan	9M6	9M6NA (OC-133)	JE1JKL		11-001
4-Jan	4-Jan	A3	A35TN/V (OC-064)	JA7GAX		10-216
4-Jan	9-Jan	C6	C6ARI (NA-219)	DL3OCH	10-210	204
4-Jan	7-Jan	CE0Y	CE0Y/JK1FNL (SA-001)	JK1FNL		11-001
4-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT		11-001
4-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	11-001	10-202
4-Jan	14-Jan	HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA		10-221
4-Jan	9-Jan	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JS6RRR		10-234
4-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME	bureau		11-003
4-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
4-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
4-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
4-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
4-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
4-Jan	8-Jan	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT		10-236
4-Jan	11-Jan	TA	by GI4FUE			11-001
4-Jan	13-Jan	VK	VI3JAM			10-227
4-Jan	10-Jan	YO	YR0UE	YO3KAA		11-001

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will remain at a very low level the next three days.

The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active today, quiet to unsettled Friday and Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>.

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>.

The sunspot number for January 2, 2007 was 31, a climb from the zero level four days earlier.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
1A4A	IZ4DPV	9M2MRS	PA0RRS	K0B	KI0HV
4K6OF	UA3FDX	C6ARI	DL3OCH	K1Y/7	K4VD
4S7UCG	DL7UCX	D2NX	JH7FQK	VP9BO	W4ZGR

6H1CL XE1CL FK8GX W3HMK

IK5CBE, Beppe, says the IA5/IK5CBE log, can be found at <http://digilander.libero.it/gioticci>. Beppe says, "Please be patient because Montecristo Island DXpedition QSLs are still to be printed and they will be ready not earlier than 15 days." The delay was due to the illness of one of the team members. Montecristo is IOTA EU-028.

7W2MO, Algeria, cards are still being printed, says OM2VL, Laci. He hopes to have the blanks sometime this month.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 5H3EE, 9H3MR, CU2JU, FK8CP, HB0/PA5MW, HK3BVD, J68LP, LZ2JE, OX3KQ, TX6A, UA9SC and YK1AO.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: AH3D, CT3MD, HF0POL and RW4AA.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: DA0BCC, DJ9MH, FS/KN5G, HI3A and KL1V.

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DX News

The VU7RG Lakshadweep (Laccadives) Islands operation is scheduled to happen January 15-25. The latest news is that operation will be permitted from Minicoy Island, one of the group. It is IOTA AS-106. `106 is said to be the most wanted island group on the IOTA list in Asia. It will be the fourth VU7RG operating site. The last operation from Minicoy Island was decades ago and, says DL4KQ, Frank, on behalf of NIAR and the VU7RG team, "It was extremely difficult to obtain this additional permit. Once again NIAR and Bharathi, VU2RBI, made it possible. first the 30M permit and now Minicoy!" Frank says IOTA hunters can expect two to three fully equipped stations from Minicoy, on both SSB and CW. The Minicoy stations will identify as VU7RG/VU and will use different "regular frequencies" than the other Lakshadweep stations. The www.vu7in web page will have updates.

3V8SS, Tunisia, will be on the air from the "Sousse Club station" starting January eighth for a week. The operator will be GM0DHZ, Alex. He will concentrate on the 80 through 20M bands. Look for him on CW in the bottom 20 kHz of the band and phone on 14200 at 5PM and "tea time" (presumably local) and between 3780 and 3800. He will operate in the early mornings or evenings, and daytime operating "will probably be out," unless poor weather outside forces him inside. Alex also will make an effort to get on 160M, but CW only. This is not a dedicated DXpedition, but a parttime operation.

SM5DQC, Osten, has the whereabouts of "the three musketeers" who have been on from Kinshasa. 9Q1TB is on vacation in France, planning to return to 9Q in a week or so. 9Q1EK leaves January 22nd for a few weeks' vacation in South Africa. 9Q1D leaves January 14th for two weeks' vacation in Sweden. When 9Q1D, Gus, returns from Sweden he will be taking along the "makings" of a 160M antenna. Osten says that operating from a city of eight million people, there is way too much noise to operate 160M, so the ops will be looking for a quiet QTH outside the city for that purpose.

LU2ERA/Z, Hugo, is now active from the Orcadas Base in the South Orkney Islands. Most of the time you will hear him on the air in the company of LU4DXU, Horacio.

KI7VR, Bruce, will be spending two weeks in the U.S. Virgin Islands, signing KP2/KI7VR starting January 24th. He will sign KP2ZZ for the

contests he gets in while there. Look for him to concentrate on 160-30M. QSL via G4OOR, or via the bureau or on eQSL.

Of course, KP2 is a popular vacation spot and easy to get to. KP2/N9EAJ, John Block, will be going there too. He will be on from St. John Island, the smallest of the three, and most of which is a wildlife preserve, February 10-17. John says, "It's a vacation with family and friends so I will be operating as time permits - probably early mornings and evenings. Mostly SSB but I plan on taking my keyer along also!"

K3LP corrects us on the Swains Island (KH8/S) callsign for the YT1AD group, planned for this year. David says it will be just N8S, not N8S/KH8, "much like K7K Kure Island." Each operator will have his own individual callsign for ZK3 and 5W1. Thank you to K3ZJ for first getting approval for 1X1 callsigns in the U.S. and possessions.

Spain's King Juan Carlos, callsign EA0JC, is not going to be part of the upcoming S21XA DXpedition after all. EA3WL, Nuria, noting December 28th is Spain's "Fool's Day," says she thinks that DX news hoax was just a joke.

JT1CD, Khosbayar N., says that at a conference on November 18th, Mongolian hams established a new organization, MARS, the Mongolian Amateur Radio Society. He says MARS will officially represent Mongolia to the IARU on behalf of all the amateur radio societies of Mongolia. The Daily DX isn't quite clear but we think it is, at this point, premature to say this new organization will replace MRSF, Mongolia's IARU member society heretofore. JT1CD says, "MARS will continue to pay its due to IARU and the QSL bureau will be working permanently in the future." Here is the list of the organization's officers:

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QSN

1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA (SMOM) - 10105, 7010, and 3510 are good places to look for this rare one, currently quiet active in a DXpedition. Europeans don't seem to be having much trouble getting through and East Coast U.S. is faring well also. South America and the Middle East aren't having too much trouble either. The West Coast of the U.S. is having more trouble, being farther away from the 1A4A modest portable setup.

7040 RTTY. Japan could copy on 7010 at 2340Z but had trouble getting through the loud European callers. 3790 in the 23Z hour. 1840 at 2250Z. 1845 working Japan at 2220Z. Stations to the east of SMOM and Italy, e.g. Asia and Australia, could copy on 7010 in the 22Z hour. N4BAA had 1A4A 579 in Virginia on 28010

at 1535Z. W6UB got him on 24950 at 1528Z.

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - 7004 at 0220Z, 3505 at 0140Z the last two days,
18070 at 14Z, 10105 at 0235Z January third.

4S7EA - SRI LANKA - 14189 at 0210Z, 18075 at 1545Z, 14025 at 1210Z.

5H3VMB/5 - TANZANIA - 7073 QSX 7177, 2320Z.

7X4AN - ALGERIA - VE3IQ, Jim, says, "It's nice to hear Algeria on CW."
Mohamed was on 7003 at 2145Z yesterday. QSL to his
QRZ.COM address.

CE0Y/JK1FNL - EASTER ISLAND - 14020 at 0015Z.

HZ1IK - SAUDI ARABIA - Manfred has been busy concentrating on RTTY.
7039 at 0115Z, 7065 from 2135-2245Z, 14083 at 1130Z.
QSL via DK7YY.

T30XX - WEST KIRIBATI - 10107 at 0130Z and 2020Z, 18118 at 0050Z.
3795 at 1920Z and 3799 before that.

VP8DIZ - FALKLAND ISLANDS - 14215 at 0115Z, his first appearance since
New Year's Day, when he was on 21250. QSL via G7KMZ.

IOTA

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AF-074	5H3VMB/5	7073	2235	NA-015	CO8LY	21278	1700
AS-015	9M2MRS	7008	0000	NA-034	KM4RX	14260	1615
AS-079	JS6RRR	21060	0520	NA-110	AA4V	18155	1615
EU-003	CU1AAD	18137	1240	NA-219	C6ARI	7005	2325
EU-008	MM0LUP	14070	2155	OC-064	A35TN	14008	0600
EU-042	DK8OL	14263	1145	OC-134	ZL3RG	14071	0525
EU-067	SV1FXN	28510	1755	SA-011	9Y4/G3NXJ	7082	2255

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5-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT		11-001

5-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	11-001	10-202
5-Jan	14-Jan	HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA		10-221
5-Jan	9-Jan	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JS6RRR		10-234
5-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME	bureau		11-003
5-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
5-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
5-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
5-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
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5H3VMB/5	UA4WHX	HZ1IK	DK7YY	UE3DDX/3/P	RZ3FR
6I2HUM	XE2HUM				

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 7P8DJ, 7P8AA, 9A1A, 9S1X, C31BO, C96KF, CN2WW, CN8KD, EA2LU, FS/K3LP, FT5XP, FT5XP/MM, FY1FL, GI0KOW, IK4GRO, JW4GHA, NH6P, OX3KQ, T77C, TF/DL2JRM, TX6A, V63JY, YD1RYL, YN4SU/9, ZD9ATN and ZD9BV.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 6V6U (160M), 9A80A, EA5KB, ED1URS, FT5XO, HH4/K4QD, IE9/IZ8DBJ/P, IP1A, IQ3GO/P, IR1DCI, IS0/IK4VET, J3/J79XBI, J79WP, OH0/ES1QD, S01R, TZ6LF, VP2V/DL4WK and YV/AA2AP.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: A25/DF3GY, P40W, RK0AXX and VP8CMH/MM.

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DX News

The DX0JP Spratly Islands DXpedition has been moved up a day. The target dates are now January 31-February 13.

Bangladesh expedition organizers say they're in the final countdown to departure. All the team members have met in Barcelona, Spain and today boarded the two flights taking them to Dhaka, Bangladesh. They hope to arrive today at 2AM local time, which is 08Z. They will set up the stations and hoped to be on the air by Tuesday at 18Z, signing the S21XA callsign. They plan to be on the air continuously for seven days. A "latest news" and a "pilot page" have been added to the S21XA web site.

A group of Irish hams plan a DXpedition to Swaziland to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and the 75th Jubilee of the Irish Radio Transmitters Society, IRTS. The March 16-30 operation will also include the CQWW WPX SSB Contest. The ops signed up are EI2CA, EI7CC, EI8CE, EI8BFB, EI4DJ (GI4FUM), EI4DJB, EI3GV and GI4VIV. A Yahoo newsgroup just for this operation has been set up: <http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/AFR175/>. You have to ask the moderator for inclusion. Once in, you will be able to ask for skeds.

The Worldwide Antarctic Program's (WAP) Fourth Antarctic Activity Week (AAW) will be February 19 at 00Z until 24Z February 25th. These stations have announced they plan to be active. Note that none of these will actually be transmitting from Antarctica.

Callsign	Ref. Number	Opeartaors
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GB0ANT	WAP-72	M00XO
HB9ICE	WAP-81	HB9BHY, HB9BHW, HB9CET and HB9DPO
II1ANT	WAP-32	IW1QN, I1SCL, IK1HJS, and IK1YDB @ SRTLIGURIA
II2ANT	WAP-30	I2JJR/HB9TZA
II4ANT	WAP-17	IK4QIB
II5ANT	WAP-25	IZ5BTC @ SRT TOSCANA
II0ANT	WAP-16	I0NZK @ ARI CASSINO
IO2ANT	WAP-77	I2AZ (CW only)
IO8IAA	WAP-82	IK8WEJ
IOOANT	WAP-35	I0YKN and IOOCD
IR1ANT	WAP-02	I1HYW

IR2ANT	WAP-04	IK2DUW
IR4ICE	WAP-67	IZ4AKS
IR7ANT	WAP-74	IZ7AUH and A.R.I. Taranto (Taranto HF Team)
IR0ANT	WAP-10	IK0ESM
IU7ANT	WAP-15	IK7JWY
IU8ANT	WAP-44	I8QJU
IU0ANT	WAP-19	IZ0BTV @ SRT Lazio
K4A	WAP-73	K6IED
K4Z/ANT	WAP-78	W4KDS
TM1ANT	WAP-37	F5SIH
TM2ANT	WAP-40	F4DNW
TM3ANT	WAP-38	F5PFP
TM5ANT	WAP-29	F5NOD
TM5TAF	WAP-79	F6AXX, F5MQW, F6DKV, F6FXS and F5HEW
TM8ANT	WAP-14	F8DVD
TM8WAP	WAP-80	F5XL, F5MLE and F5VHQ
TM0ANT	WAP-08	F6KDF'S RADIO CLUB
TM0TAF	WAP-43	F4TTR and ARS Provins (France)
VA3ANTA	WAP-71	VE3XN
VA7ANTA	WAP-70	VE7IG
YQ2ANT	WAP-75	YO2BP

And check out their web page, <http://www.ddxc.net/wap>.

9M4SIX is the new callsign for the Malaysian Amateur Radio Transmitting Society, MARTS, for 6M use. The 9M4SIX beacon is now transmitting on 50005 from the QTH of 9M2TO, Tex. MARTS, JA1OCZ, and JI1ETU contributed to setting it up.

CT9F, Madeira Islands, is a special callsign obtained to do some operating from the Ponta do Pargo Lighthouse. This operation will be January 19-21 with operators CT3FN, HB9CQL, DJ8VC, CT3MD, CT3EE, CT3KU, CT3DZ, CT3KY, CT3DL, CT3BD, CT3EN, CT3IA and others. They will be on 160-10M CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via CS3MAD, ARRM, P.O. Box 4694, 9058 Funchal, Madeira Islands.

VP9I will be the Bermuda callsign for WA4PGM, Kyle, in the CQ 160M CW Contest January 27-28, single op. QSL via N1HRA, bureau or direct. Direct mailing address: William R. Champagne, 105 Main St., Ashaway, RI 02804, USA. The log will also be put on eQSL and LoTW.

YS3/I2JIN, Roberto, will be on the air from El Salvador January 10-31, all bands, mostly CW. The on-line log will be on Roberto's site, <http://www.i2jin.com/>. QSL to his home callsign in Italy.

IK2BTI, Franco, will operate in 9G, Ghana this month. He leaves home January 10 and has applied for a license. He hopes to be there for several months and operate CW and SSB.

A group of Italian hams are promoting the XXIII Winter Universiade, the World University Games organized by the International University Sports Federation. The Torino Paralympic Radio Sport Team will have a special QSL, available through the bureau or direct from IZ1CCE, for working IZ1CCE, IZ1DNR, I1HYW, IK1JNP, IK1SOZ or IK1ZNN between January 17 and March 1. For more info, check out <http://www.universiadetorino2007.org/ENG/home.aspx>.

8J49JARL is a special callsign from Japan January 7-May 20 for the 49th JARL Annual General Meeting. The conference will be in Okayama. QSL via the bureau.

LZ50DX will be the special callsign for Radio Bulgaria's DX Editor, LZ1AF, Dimiter Petrov. He mostly operates CW. He will be on the rest

of the year with the special call, to mark the 50th anniversary of Radio Bulgaria's DX Programme, which started up on November 17, 1957. A special QSL will go out through the bureau.

YR0UE, Romania, is a special callsign to mark Romania's joining of the European Union. This one is on now through January 10. QSL via YO3KAA, bureau preferred.

YU60BCD and YT60W will be on the rest of the year. These special callsigns are an operation of the Radio Club "Mihajlo Pupin," YU7BCD, celebrating their 60th anniversary. QSL via YU7BCD, direct or bureau.

EY7MM, Nodir, will be on from Dushanbe, Tajikistan, for the CQ 160M CW Contest January 27-28. He will be single op, high power, with webcluster. He will concentrate on making QSOs with North America and giving out new ones. Contact him at ey8mm.codan.ru/ to set up schedules. QSL via K1BV bureau or direct.

K4NO, Greg, is traveling to Belize for some operating from the V31MD QTH. Greg will be on February 14-19 including the ARRL DX CW contest February 17-18. He plans to be on all bands and the popular modes. QSL via his home call direct or bureau.

There's a new video out, all about the history of the Northern California DX Foundation, NCDXF. N4GN, Tim Totten, says it explains NCDXF's history and many accomplishments. Included is video of the many DXpeditions NCDXF has sponsored. Produced by 9V1YC, James Brooks, the video is 10 minutes long. It will be available on DVD within a few weeks but you can already view it on-line, at <http://www.ncdxf.org>. Or you can download it from Google video at this site: <http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-1969114446660423090>.

G3PJT, Bob, and wife Rosemary will be traveling in New Zealand February 19-March 3, then will go to Rarotonga until March 17th. Bob will be active with the E51PJT callsign from Rarotonga using a K2 to a Butternut vertical. He will be especially active in the RSGB Commonwealth Contest March 10-11.

LU2ERA/Z, Hugo, currently on from the South Orkney Islands, can sometimes be found on 14315 after 2200Z.

XU/9M6XRO, John, will be on from a borrowed QTH February 1-10. He will be in Sihanoukville, Cambodia, using the callsign XU7XRO, CW, SSB, and possibly digital modes. XU7ADI and XU7DXX, Pete and Steve, are also along on the trip and will use their own callsigns. QSL XU7XRO via M5AAV, Graham Ridgeway, 6 Pilgrim Street, Nelson, Lancs, BB9 0JQ, United Kingdom. Direct preferred but bureau will be answered too. Here's a related web site: <http://www.qth.com/dxshack/XU/XUtop.htm>.

The Western Washington DX Club (WWDXC) has chosen its 2007 officers. And he-e-e-r-r-r-e they are!

President - Brian Moran, N9ADG
Vice President - Harry Hudson, K7LAZ
Secretary - Alan Burgstahler, N7BF
Treasurer - Marina Zuetell, N7LSL
Director (3 year term) - Dick Swanson, K7BTW
Director (3 year term) - Jim Hadlock, K7WA

They have a Web site at <http://www.eskimo.com/%7Eoolon/wwdxc/>

QSN

1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - The team will be shutting down early today. West Coast ops had an opening on 30 meters Saturday at 0130Z. They also had a chance on 17 SSB Saturday just before 1600Z. An hour later they were on 20 CW working W6 and W7.

9M6NA - EAST MALAYSIA - 160M - 1826.5 from 1000-1530Z and 21-23Z the last couple of days.

9Q1D - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - 30M - Gus was on 10116 from 0025-0140Z. QSL via SM5BFJ.

9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - 7000.5 at 2340Z, 18070 at 1550Z, 21010 at 1440Z and 14004 from 21-2230Z. QSL via SM5DQC.

BX0ZR - TAIWAN - 10104 at 2340Z, 3502 and 3505 between 1920-23Z, 7007 from 14-15Z.

CE0Y/JK1FNL - EASTER ISLAND - Nao was found on 14008 from 2145-2220Z, 14079 at 2130Z and 18077 at 1530Z.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Jean-Claude was on 14285 at 15Z, 21270 at 1420Z and 18130 at 08Z. QSL via F5JFU.

JD1BME - MINAMI TORISHIMA - 1812.4 at 1955Z, 1824 at 1840Z, 1816.5 at 1125Z, 1822.5 at 0830Z and 3514 at 21Z.

OX3KQ - GREENLAND - On 3799 SSB at 0100-0200Z. Also, 14202 at 13Z. QSL via his home call, which is OZ1LUN.

R1AND - ANTARCTICA - From the Russian Novolazarevskaya Base. Wally is often active on 14160 around 1700Z. Also, 7003 at 0030Z and 03Z, 7002 from 2230-2350Z and 7006 before that. 10103 at 21Z. QSL via RU1ZC.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - 1828-1830 between 1900-2130Z. 10102 from 13-14Z and 7001 at 11Z.

SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Monk Apollo was reported on 7005 CW Saturday between 0120 and just after 0400Z. Then on Sunday on 20 SSB between 14 and 15Z. 14080 at 1445Z, 14215, 14220 and 14225 between 1400-1440Z. 7005 at 03Z, 22Z and 04Z (03-04Z two nights in a row).

T30XX - WEST KIRIBATI - 28007 at 0425Z working Japan, 28480 at 04Z also heard in nearby Asia, 24942 at 0330Z, 3507 at 1630, 1850 and 0220Z, 3799 at 1545Z, 1812.5 at 1500Z and 1840Z.

VP8/LZ1UQ - AN-010, working a pileup on 14200 SSB at 0040Z. It's Ditmar from Bulgaria. QSL to his home call. He should be there until March 1. Also, 7046 and 7055 RTTY between 0255-0555Z, 14078 RTTY at 2320Z and 21082 from 20-22Z.

XT2C - BURKINO FASO - 3785 from 0330-05Z and 7014 at 02Z.

YA/LY1Y - AFGHANISTAN - 7003 at 0140Z, 10102 at 0110Z, 1825 at 0030Z, 3509 at 21Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-072	9M2/PG5M	14020	0100	EU-035	UA1ONY	3509	0420
AS-079	JS6RRR/JS6	18120	0310	NA-219	C6ARI	10104	2100
EU-009	MM3LLU	7091	0110	OC-049	A35TN	18073	2225
EU-024	IS0DFC	21260	1015				

DS4DRE/4, Kang, is active from Hong Island, IOTA AS-093, South Korea, through June 30. He is on 80-10M SSB and CW. QSL to his home ac11, direct or bureau

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
8-Jan	14-Jan	3V	3V8SS		11-005	001
8-Jan		5H	5H3VMB/5 (AF-074)	UA4WHX		11-001
8-Jan	10-Jan	6W	PA3GIO/6W	PA3GIO		10-240
8-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193	159
8-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
8-Jan	14-Jan	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-005
8-Jan	22-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005
8-Jan	8-Jan	A3	A35TN (OC-049)	JA7GAX		10-216
8-Jan	21-Jan	BV	BX0ZR	W8UVZ		10-235
8-Jan	9-Jan	C6	C6ARI (NA-219)	DL3OCH	10-210	204
8-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT		11-001
8-Jan	8-Jan	FO	FO/NA80	JK1FNL		11-001
8-Jan	13-Jan	GM	GM0ORH (EU-123)	G0ORH		11-001
8-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	11-001	10-202
8-Jan	14-Jan	HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA		10-221
8-Jan	12-Jan	HI	W1BYH/HI3	W1BYH		10-240
8-Jan	9-Jan	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JS6RRR		10-234
8-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME	bureau		11-003
8-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
8-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
8-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
8-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
8-Jan	13-Jan	PJ2	PJ4/N0VD	N0VD		10-221
8-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
8-Jan	8-Jan	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT		10-236
8-Jan	11-Jan	TA	by GI4FUE			11-001
8-Jan		V7	V73NS			10-212
8-Jan	20-Jan	VE	VE7JZ (NA-061)	VE7JZ		11-001
8-Jan	13-Jan	VK	VI3JAM			10-227
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2BJ		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2C	F9IE	11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CA		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CC		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CD		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CE		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CI		11-001	10-218

8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CJ		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2CK		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2IE		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2JD		11-001	10-218
8-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
8-Jan	10-Jan	YB	YC2ZBM			11-001
8-Jan	10-Jan	YO	YR0UE	YO3KAA		11-001
9-Jan	11-Jan	3D2	3D2CX (OC-016)	JA7GAX		10-216
10-Jan	16-Jan	S2	S21XA	EA3BT	11-001	10-238
10-Jan	31-Jan	YS	by I2JIN			11-001
11-Jan	17-Jan	KP2	NP2/N9JZ, KP2/N9J			11-003
11-Jan	17-Jan	KP2	WP2/KU9UUU			11-003
12-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will continue at very low levels.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet with isolated unsettled periods.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for January 6, 2007 was 47, continuing its steady climb.

QSL Info

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7P8JF, A22/JA4ATV, FO/KM9D, HK3BVD, HK0DU, S52A, SU8IOTA, T6X, V63JY, XF4DL, YI9E and YX0LIX/YX0A.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: F5RRS, P40W, RK0AXX and TZ5A.

On The WWW

The Mediterranean DX Club, MDXC, has gotten photos and video from the 1A4A SMOM operation. It is now on-line at www.mdxc.org. They report the 1A4A team had made 20,000 QSOs by January fifth.

K8CX has 166 DX sound clips from 2006 at his Ham Gallery site. It is <http://hamgallery.com/dx2006/>.

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DX News

WD8CRT, Neil, will again be QRV as V73NS from the island of Roi-Namur on Kwajalein Atoll effective January 12, 2007 and will remain there for the next two years. Activity will be on 6 through 160 meters on CW and possibly some digital. QSL via V73NS direct or via the V7 bureau.

DK2WV, Karl, is now on holiday on Mauritius (AF-049) until January 20th. He'll be active as 3B8/DK2WV on HF with an amplifier and dipole. Karl plans to also be QRV as 5R8HG on Madagascar (AF-013) from January 21-23. QSL via his home call via the bureau.

Today around 1800Z the S21XA, Spanish team, is expected to be QRV from Dhaka, Bangladesh. Team members include EA3BT, Josep (SSB/Digital), EA2PA, Tony (CW), EA3WL, Nuria (YL/SSB/Digital), EA5FX, Fernando (CW) and EA8CAC, Juan (CW/SSB). This will be a 6 through 160 meter operation on CW, SSB and RTTY. They have a Web page at <http://www.ea3bt.com/s21xa.htm>. Plans are to have on-line logs. They have three pilot stations for this operation. QSL via EA3BT.

QSN

1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - The Italian team ended their activity Monday around 1100Z. They made just over 32,000 QSOs and plan another operation next year. QSL via IZ4DPV.

BX0ZR - TAIWAN - the team was active on 80 meters CW starting just before 1100Z yesterday.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh started up on 18111 just before 0800Z and then moved to 14190 just prior to 1000Z until just after 1200Z.

LU2ERA/Z - SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS - Was working on a list on 14188 Monday between 0000 and 0200Z. QSL via LU4DXU.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - West Coast ops found this semi-rare one on 7001 at 1130Z.

XT2C - BURKINA FASO - The team was reported yesterday as

follows:

GMT Frequencies

00 3785, 7014
01 3785, 7014
02 3785, 7014
03 3785, 7014
04 3785
05 3785
06 3514, 14082, 14266
07 3514, 14082, 14266, 18140
08 14082, 14266, 18140
09 14082, 14266, 18140
10 14082, 14266, 18140
11 14082, 14266, 18140
12 14082, 14266, 18101, 21266, 24892, 24966, 28444
13 14082, 18071, 21266, 24892, 28444
14 14082, 14266, 18071, 21266
15 14082, 14266, 18071, 18102, 21266
16 14082, 14266, 18071, 21266
17 10122, 14082, 14266, 18071, 21266
18 7057, 10122, 10141, 14082, 14266, 21266
19 3785, 7057, 10122, 10141, 14082, 14266
20 3514, 3785, 7057, 10141, 14082, 14266
21 3514, 7057, 10141, 14195
22 7057, 10141, 14195
23 7057, 10115, 10141

YA/LY1Y - AFGHANISTAN - Several Pacific Northwest DXers reported this station on 7015 just before 1530Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AN-008	LU2ERA/Z	14188	0107	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14257	0846
EU-003	CU2AAD	18127	1212	EU-114	MP1SWL/P	14260	1504
EU-009	MM3LQK	14260	1407	OC-049	A35TN	14008	0759

VE2XB, Mike, is back on Southampton Island (NA-107) operating as VE2XB/VY0 for the next two months.

JN4MBO/5 will be active from Ushima Island (AS-076) on the HF bands on SSB on January 10. QSL via JN4MBP direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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9-Jan	11-Jan	3D2	3D2CX (OC-016)	JA7GAX		10-216
9-Jan	14-Jan	3V	3V8SS		11-005	001
9-Jan		5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX		11-001

9-Jan	10-Jan	6W	PA3GIO/6W	PA3GIO	10-240
9-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193 159
9-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS	10-226
9-Jan	14-Jan	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-005
9-Jan	22-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-005
9-Jan	21-Jan	BV	BX0ZR	W8UVZ	10-235
9-Jan	9-Jan	C6	C6ARI (NA-219)	DL3OCH	10-210 204
9-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT	11-001
9-Jan	13-Jan	GM	GM0ORH (EU-123)	G0ORH	11-001
9-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	11-001 10-202
9-Jan	14-Jan	HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA	10-221
9-Jan	12-Jan	HI	W1BYH/HI3	W1BYH	10-240
9-Jan	9-Jan	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JS6RRR	10-234
9-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME	bureau	11-003
9-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002 001
9-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217 203 202
9-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
9-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ		10-217
9-Jan	13-Jan	PJ2	PJ4/N0VD	N0VD	10-221
9-Jan	16-Jan	S2	S21XA	EA3BT	11-006 001
9-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
9-Jan		V7	V73NS		10-212
9-Jan	20-Jan	VE	VE7JZ (NA-061)	VE7JZ	11-001
9-Jan	13-Jan	VK	VI3JAM		10-227
9-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2C	F9IE	11-002 001
9-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004 10-208
9-Jan	10-Jan	YB	YC2ZBM		11-001
9-Jan	10-Jan	YO	YR0UE	YO3KAA	11-006 001

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will continue at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled.

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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1A4A	IZ4DPV	BX0ZR	W8UVZ	PA3GIO/6W	PA3GIO
4K9W	DL6KVA	C6ARI	DL3OCH	R0UPOL	RD1AL
4L1FP	LZ1OT	CE0Y/JK1FNL	JK1FNL	R1AND	RU1ZC
4U1WB	KK4HD	CN2DX	EA7FTR	ST2R	S57DX
5H3VMB	UA4WHX	CN8YZ	EA7FTR	SV1/SP5IXI/VK6DXI	
5R8GZ	G3SWH	CQ0ODX	CT2GZE	TI4CF	W3HNC

6H1AY	XE1AY	CU1AAD	EA5KB	U4MIR	RN3DK
6H1CL	XE1CL	FK8GX	W3HNC	UE1QSK	UA1RJ
6H1YYD	EA5KB	HB0/DL2OBO	DL2OBO	UE3DDX/3/P	RZ3FR
6I2HUM	XE2HUM	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	UE9JFF	RA9JG
6I2URF	XE2URF	HK1JKL	EA5KB	UK8FF	W3HNC
6I2XW	XE2YW	HK1X	EA7FTR	VK6BN	EA7FTR
6Y5/DJ7CF	DJ7CF	J20SA	ON7SAT	XT2C	F9IE
9J2CA	G3SWH	LU2ERA/Z	LU4DXU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ
9K2YM	EA5KB	LX2007D	LX1KC	YA/LY1Y	LY1Y
9M2MRS	PA0RRS	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	YI9KEE	OK1EE
9M2MRS	PA0RRS	ON60EKO	ON4EKO	YI9TU	N200
9M6NA	JE1JKL	P49X	W0YK	YR0UE	YO3KAA
BP100S	BX4AN				

The ARRL LOTW Web page reports VE3EJ, John Sluymmer, has over 417,000 QSOs in the system, all made from his Ontario QTH. He has "250 Mixed countries and almost 1400 Challenge countries all confirmed with Logbook of the World". Congratulations to the current "King of LOTW".

G3SWH, Phil Whitchurch, has recently acquired a copy of the log for the XU7ABC operation by G3XAQ (May 3-6, 2001). Anyone still needing a card can apply for one via the usual channels, i.e. direct with adequate return postage and SAE, e-mail (phil@g3swh.demon.co.uk) for a bureau reply or via the RSGB bureau.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5A7A, DT8A, G3FPO, GI0KOW, HB0/PA5MW, HK0GU, PJ2T, XF4IH (sent registered), YT6A, ZF2BI

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: E25AJ, KP2/OK5DX, KH0/JM1YGG, 4Z3M, YC3MM, J6/DL1VWR, T88CQ, CE3/DM3XI, T88YU, 8R1RPN, DT8A, TK/DL7HZ, OF/F5JGT, TI2/VK6DXI, V25PR, PZ5XX, 5H1HS, OC4P, KH2/NP2KY, HP1/OA4WW, FG/OH7KD, XU7ADE, T88AA AND OA/9A6DX

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: LY3M

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DX News

The BX0ZR team started off their operation yesterday after having some problems with their Titanex V160. The antenna broke twice. Thankfully one of the locals runs an antenna factory and they were able to repair the antenna. The 72 foot antenna is now up and they worked some US on 40 and 80 meters and multiple JA's on 160 meters. They will be operating from the fish farm until January 20-21, with heavy concentration on the low bands and 12, 17 and 30 meters. QSL via W8UVZ.

Many of the 33 VU7RG international ops are now on their way to Cochin, India. Some have already arrived. The boat is expected to set sail on January 12th. They plan to be QRV on January 14th at 1830Z. This would be local midnight on January 15th in the Lakshadweep Islands. Plans are to have 12-14 stations QRV from four different islands. Yes VU7RG will be the call for the islands of Agatti, Bangaram and Kadmat, which all count for AS-011 for IOTA. We now can officially announce the team will be also QRV from Minicoy Island (AS-106) with the callsign VU7MY. Look for this activity between January 15th and January 31st.

K2LS, Larry will once again be operating as 4X/K2LS from Ramat Bet Shemesh, Israel from January 15 through February 11. He will be mostly on CW.

Yesterday the ARRL DXCC Desk approved the 5X1RI operation (May 5, 2005 - February 3, 2006) from Uganda.

YU60BCD and YT60W will be on the rest of the year from Serbia. These special callsigns are an operation of the Radio Club "Mihajlo Pupin," YU7BCD, celebrating their 60th anniversary. QSL via YU7BCD, direct or bureau.

VU4AN Presentation in Atlanta

W3UR, Bernie McClenny, will be giving the VU4AN presentation at the January meeting of the Southeastern DX Club (SEDXC), which will be held at 8:00 PM on Friday January 19th on the campus of Southern Polytech Institute in Marietta, GA. A bio and directions can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/y464hk>. The event is open to all.

QSN

BX0ZR - TAIWAN - The guys were parked on 160 CW from 0930 until after 2230Z. QSL via W8UVZ.

EA6BF - BALEARIC ISLANDS - Look for Josep on Topband starting about 2330Z.

HR9BFS - HONDURAS - 6 meter DXers from Texas and Alabama found Boyd on SSB yesterday between 0200 and 0230Z.

HS0AC - THAILAND - Was on 14020 yesterday around 1240Z.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - US stations were working Jean Claude via the long path on 14165 from 1515 to 1615Z on Tuesday. QSL via F5JFU.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Jack was on 14086 at 1030Z, on 10109 at 1400Z and on 1827 at 1500Z.

S21XA - BANGLADESH - The Spanish team started up yesterday on 7005 just after 1800Z. QSL via EA3BT.

V85SS - BRUNEI - Ambran was reported on 10105 Tuesday at 1030Z.

XT2C - BURKINA FASO - Japanese ops found them first on 160 on 1826 at 1845Z and then on 30 PSK31 on 10142 just before 2000Z. VK's were hearing them long path on 7057 just before 0700Z and short path on 18071 just before 0900Z. Some W6 and W7 stations found them on 18140 shortly after 1800Z. Nice signals reported on 21266 at 1500Z into W1. QSL via F9IE.

XU7ACY - CAMBODIA - Pete was on 7003 just before 1530Z. He began on 1823 around 1730Z. QSL via K2NJ.

YI9KT - IRAQ - Richard was working W1-4 today on 80 CW just before 0230Z. QSL via SP8HKT.

ZD9BV - TRISTAN DA CUHNA & GOOGH ISLAND - Yesterday Andy showed up on 14221 at 1800Z where he was working Africa, Europe and South America. Watch for him over the next few days around this time and frequency.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8BXE	14071	1846	EU-004	EC6UJ	7076	2340
AF-004	EA8CN	10106	2223	EU-009	GM0WED	14028	1526
AF-018	IH9YMC	14260	1022	EU-010	GM4KGK	10116	1445
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	7007	0358	NA-027	VO1JNS	7060	2225
AS-020	BX0ZR	7008	2220	SA-002	VP8LP	14191	0042
AS-020	BX5AA	14243	0005				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530

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10-Jan	20-Jan	3B8	3B8/DK2WV (AF-049)	DK2WV		11-007
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10-Jan	14-Jan	3V	3V8SS			11-005 001
10-Jan		5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX		11-001
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10-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
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10-Jan	10-Jan	JA	JN4MBO/5 (AS-076)	JN4MBO		11-007
10-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
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10-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low with a chance for isolated C-flare activity from Region 933.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet.

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K9W	DL6KVA	S21XA	EA3BT	XU7ACY	K2NJ
4L1FP	LZ1OT	ST2R	S57DX	YI9E	WU5E
BX0ZR	W8UVZ	UA0AZ	W3HNK	YR0UE	YO3KAA
LU5FZ	EA7FTR	V31JP	KA9WON		

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 5A7A, 8P9AM, 9J2BO, A22/JA4ATV, E21EIC/P (AS-126), EA2LU, EI6IZ, EX9A, FS/AA4V, FT5XO, GD6IA (EU-116), HZ1IK, IS0/WH0Q, J3A, J37CCM, KH0/JR4GPA, R1ANF, T77EB, TG9ANF, TY5MR, V26K, V5/DJ8VC, V63JY, V73RY, V73YK, VK9AA, XU7ACZ, YO2LDC, YX0A, YX0LIX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5Z4DZ, C6AOC, FG/JJ2RCJ, S01R, T88AA, V31NO, V31RV, V47/AB2RF, VU3RIC, VU4AN/VU3RWO, YE6P

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4L2M, 9V1YC, A25/DF3GY, GM0GAV, J41V, K9FD/KH6, P40K, P40TA, P40W, RA9LE, RK0AXX, TZ5A, V5/DF3GY, VP8CMH/MM, YN2EJG, YO6BHN, YV6BTF, ZL2AMI

Corrections

VE2XB, Mike, is back on Southampton Island (NA-007 not NA-107) operating as VE2XB/VY0 for the next two months.

EY8MM (not EY7MM), Nodir, will be on from Dushanbe, Tajikistan, for the CQ 160M CW Contest January 27-28. He will be single op, high power, with webcluster. He will concentrate on making QSOs with North America and giving out new ones. Contact him at <http://ey8mm.codan.ru> to set up schedules. QSL via K1BV bureau or direct.

Credits

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DX News

To celebrate the 170th birth anniversary of the Bulgarian national hero Vasil Levski (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vasil_Levski), who was born on July 18, 1837 in Karlovo, the Balkan Contest Club LZ1KZA will use special call LZ170VL from now until the end of the year. LZ170VL counts for 10 points in the "St. Teodosii Tyrnovski" award (<http://www.balkanclub.org>). QSL via LZ1KZA via the LZ QSL Bureau.

Members of the upcoming second Lakshadweep DXpedition will be boarding the ferry on January 12th. In fact the Agatti Island team members expect to arrive about 20 hours later. That would be around noon (local) on the 13th. This will give them approximately 27 hours of set up time before hitting the air waves. The VU7RG papers state they can not start until January 15th (local). This will be 1830Z on January 14th.

The S21XA team reported having a few start up problems. Their antenna masts arrived bent. They had to use some old rusty masts that were on the hotel roof. All of the antennas have been assembled except the 160 meter antenna, which should be completed by today. "They will try to be very active on 80 and 160 meters", says pilot stations EA3AJI, Pere.

Look for W8EB and his XYL W8DVC to be QRV from St. Maarten as PJ7/W8EB and PJ7/W8DVC from February 25th through March 25th. They will be operating on 10 through 160 meters on CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY. During the ARRL SSB DX Contest W8EB will be operating as PJ7B. QSL via their home calls.

The PJ2T contest station at Signal Point, Curacao will be active in the CQ World Wide 160 CW Contest on January 27-28. QSL PJ2T via N9AG or Logbook of the World (LOTW).

WB5ZAM, Bill, is heading back to St Lucia where he expects to be QRV during his annual vacation/DXpedition as J68WI from April 1-13. He'll be on CW and SSB.

Silent Key

QSN

- 9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Georges started up on 10103 late (2230Z) yesterday and continued through 0000Z. QSL direct via SM5DQC.
- BX0ZR - TAIWAN - Several W4 stations found them long path on 80 CW just prior to 2300Z. QSL via W8UVZ.
- EY7AF - TAJIKISTAN - North American stations should look for Eduard most days on 30 meters long path between 1230 and 1330Z.
- J2 - DJIBOUTI - Multiple W4 DXers were working J20SA, Eric, on 14260 and J28JA, Jean-Claude, on 14180 from 1930 to 2000Z. QSL J20SA via ON7SAT. QSL J28JA via F5JFU.
- R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - RTTY ops from Europe reported Jack on 14087 after 1015Z. ZL's had an opening on 30 meters today at 0830Z.
- S21XA - BANGLADESH - W6, W7, and VE7 had an opening on 20 meters between 0030 and 0140Z. The Spanish ops were found Wednesday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 7005
01 7005
02 14005
03 14005
04 14005 18145
05 14005 18145
06 14005 18145
07 14005 18145
08 14005 18145
09 14005 18145
10 14005 18145
11 14005 18147
12 10105 14197
13 10105 14197
14 10105 14197
15 10105 14197
16 7055 10105 14197
17 7055 10105
18 7055
19 7055 10105
20 7055 10105
21 7055 10105
22 7055 10105
23 7055 10107

- XT2C - BURKINA FASO - The team was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 1832 7014 10115
01 1832 7014
02 7014
03 7014

04 7014
05 7014
06 7014 14266
07 7014 14014 14266 18140
08 14014 14266 18140 24921
09 14014 14266 18140 24921 24966
10 14266 18103 18135 21072 21266 24966
11 14266 18103 18135 21072 21266 24966 28444
12 14266 18103 24920 24966 28444
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15 14014 14266 18103 18140 21266 24966
16 14014 14266 18103 18140
17 14014 14266 18103 18140
18 10141 14014 14266 18140
19 10141 14014 14266 18140
20 1848 7012 10115 10141 14266
21 1830 7055 10115 10141
22 1830 7055 10115 10141
23 1830 3514 7057 10141

ZD9BV - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Andy was busy on
14197 after 1920Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-020	BX0ZR	3511	1449	EU-038	PE1DTU	14260	1234
AS-020	BX5AA	14256	2349	NA-062	W4/DL5SE	14013	1619
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14027	0814	SA-046	PY7MV	14210	1813
EU-034	ES0IC	3582	2105				

W4MOT/4, the Motorola Amateur Radio Club (Florida Chapter), will operate from Key Biscayne, part of the Florida State South East group (NA-141), on February 3, 2007 from 1400-2230Z. This operation will also activate the Cape Florida lighthouse, ARLHS USA-118. Look for activity on CW, BPSK31 and SSB on the IOTA frequencies from 10 through 40 meters. QSL via W4MOT, direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -
CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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11-Jan	14-Jan	3V	3V8SS		11-005	001
11-Jan		5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX		11-001
11-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193	159
11-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
11-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
11-Jan	14-Jan	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-005
11-Jan	22-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005

11-Jan 21-Jan BV	BX0ZR (AS-020)	W8UVZ	10-235
11-Jan 17-Jan DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT	11-001
11-Jan 13-Jan GM	GM0ORH (EU-123)	G0ORH	11-001
11-Jan 14-Jan HI	HI8/ON4AA (NA-096)	ON4AA	10-221
11-Jan 12-Jan HI	W1BYH/HI3 (NA-096)	W1BYH	10-240
11-Jan	JD1/MT JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau	11-003
11-Jan 5-Feb KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002 001
11-Jan 28-Jan KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217 203 202
11-Jan 17-Jan KP2	NP2/N9JZ KP2/N9J (NA-106)		11-003
11-Jan 17-Jan KP2	WP2/KU9UUU (NA-106)		11-003
11-Jan 30-Apr LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
11-Jan 20-Jan OA	OA4/N6XQ		10-217
11-Jan 13-Jan PJ2	PJ4/N0VD (SA-006)	N0VD	10-221
11-Jan 16-Jan S2	S21XA	EA3BT	11-006 001
11-Jan 30-Apr ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
11-Jan 20-Jan VE	VE7JZ (NA-061)	VE7JZ	11-001
11-Jan 13-Jan VK	VI3JAM		10-227
11-Jan 20-Jan XT	XT2C	F9IE	11-002 001
11-Jan 30-Jan XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004 10-208
11-Jan 31-Jan YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006 001

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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CF7CRH	VE7CRH	HJ4OBA	EA5KB	YN4SU	TI4SU
DU9/N0NM	W4DR	SD3N	SM3NXS	YU60BCD	YU6BCD
EX2X	EA5KB				

As of Tuesday (January 9th) morning, KU9C, Steve has about 25% of the YX0A/YX0LIX QSL card requests in the mail. He still has many more to do, so please be patient. Steve reports "There were a number of QSOs that DID NOT make it in the initial logs that are on line. I've recently received a final update, and am checking the 'not in logs' thoroughly against these new logs. Unfortunately, this is going to slow me up a bit, but I want to make sure you get credit for as many QSOs as I can match! A number of you requested QSLs for other stations I manage. I've been able to finish many of these before the YX0 cards arrived, so that hasn't slowed me down...but for those of

those I missed, this will slow the request down substantially. Please do not re-submit, as this just adds confusion." Steve will be putting up the logs in LOTW, but this will be after he gets the direct cards mailed.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: FO/N6JA, YA1BV

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

On The WWW

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DX News

DL9HCU, Udo, is now active from Nauru running QRP as C21HC for "a few days". Watch for him around 14025 just before 0500Z. QSL via DL9HCU.

DT8A, Lee, has sent his equipment back home. He will be leaving King George Island, South Shetlands on January 25th.

K4FMD, Fred, and W4LW, George, will be QRV as VP5/K4UP from the Turks and Caicos Islands from February 3 through February 10, while on holiday. Activity will be on 10, 12, 15 and 20 meters. QSL via K4UP.

Local Nepali hams, led by 9N1AA, Satish, along with 9N7JO, Stig, are once again working on establishing a club station to honor the late 9N1MM, Father Moran. They are looking at a location that could support a 160 meter antenna.

OH2BH, Martti, and OH8NC, Juha, will be in the Azores from January 23rd to 29th. They will be QRV using their portable call signs on 80 and 160 meters. During the CQ World Wide 160 Meter CW Contest Martti will operate as CU2A. QSLs via home calls and CU2A via OH2BH.

The S21XA team has uploaded the first batch of logs to their Web site <http://www.ea3bt.com/bangladesh/bangla-last.htm>. They now have just over 5,000 QSOs. They setup the following antennas: C3 (10, 12, 15, 17, 20 meters), C3SS (10, 12, 15, 17, 20 meters), an HF2V vertical (40 and 80 meters), a Cushcraft dipole (12, 17 and 30 meters), an Alfa-Eco dipole (12 and 17 meters) and a 4 element yagi for 6 meters. They will be adding a 160 meter kit to the HF2V and a long wire, also for Topband. Plans are to run two stations 24/7 until the 16th. They have had some good North American West Coast openings on 20 meters around 0000Z most days. Also North American can try 40 meters around 2300Z.

Members of the upcoming VU7RG Lakshadweep DXpedition set sail today (at noon local VU2 time). It will take about 24 hours to get to the islands. They have all their equipment and antennas.

The upcoming (first half of February) J20M/J20R Moucha Island, Djibouti DXpedition by the all Italian group is getting ready. They will be putting in an emphasis on 40, 80 and 160 meters. Since they will be QRV from an island there will be no Internet access, however they plan "to sail to the mainland every 3-4 days to upload the log".

F2HE, Alain, will once again be QRV as FO5RH from Tuamotu (OC-066), French Polynesia starting January 16th. He says that he can not receive QSLs via the FO QSL Bureau and that he can only answer via the bureau only one time per year when he returns once back home.

Dayton DX Dinner
By K4ZLE, Jay Slough

The SouthWest Ohio DX Association is pleased to sponsor the 22nd annual DX Dinner to be held in conjunction with the 2007 Dayton HamVention. The dinner will be Friday evening, 18 May, at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, located in Dayton city center. This is the same venue as in years past. The program details are not final yet, but we will have a good one. As in the past, there will be some nice attendance prizes - last year the main prize was an Icom IC-756 Pro III! We have upgraded the menu this year. Tickets are \$36.00 per meal, payable in US funds to SWODXA. (Sorry, we do not process PayPal or Credit Card payments.) Please advise if you want a vegetarian meal when you order. You may order from Jay Slough, K4ZLE, at his CBA. SASE would be appreciated. We attempt to honor group seating requests when tickets are ordered together. There is not a bad seat in the house, but seating is definitely limited. Come join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. Further information may be obtained from Jay at: k4zle <at> yahoo <dot> com. K4ZLE's CBA is 8183 Woodward Dr., West Chester, OH 45069, USA.

Dayton Contest Dinner
By K3LR, Tim Duffy

The North Coast Contesters are pleased to announce the 15th Annual Dayton Contest Dinner. 2007 Contest Dinner tickets are on sale now exclusively via the WEB this year at <http://www.contestdinner.com>. Master of Ceremonies for the Contest Dinner is CQ Magazine Contest Editor John Dorr, K1AR. The 2007 Contest Hall of Fame Inductions will be formally announced by the CQ World Wide Contest Director Bob Cox, K3EST. We are thrilled to have Dr. Barry Merrill, W5GN as our keynote speaker. The Contest Dinner will be held on Saturday night, May 19, 2007 at 6:30 PM. Cash bar opens at 5:30 PM. Located at the Crowne Plaza Hotel (Official Contest Hotel) 5th and Jefferson Streets (Next to the Convention Center) Dayton (Downtown), Ohio in the VAN CLEVE BALLROOM.

Menu: Prime Rib of Beef, Potato, vegetables, rolls, chocolate fudge cake, choice of beverage, coffee, tea or iced tea.

Vegetarian menu available by request at the Contest dinner.

Price is \$34.00 per person or \$265.00 for a reserved table of 8.

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You must bring your WEB receipt to the dinner to get in.

Seating is random. Tables are set in rounds of 8.

Tickets are only available on <http://www.contestdinner.com>

There will be no Contest dinner tickets for purchase at the door.

Many contest operators from around the world attend this event. If you enjoy radio contesting, you do not want to miss this Contest dinner.

We expect a quick sell out just like past years. Go to the web and get your tickets early!

Topband: DXpedition Advice for Anyone
By W4ZV, Bill Tippett

1. Avoid using exact multiples (e.g. 1830.00) of 9 and 10 kHz (i.e. not 1818, 1827, 1836, 1810, 1820, 1830 and 1840). 9 kHz multiples often have BCI images or harmonics in Europe and 10 kHz multiples have the same in North America. Many Europeans make the mistake of operating on 1830.00 which is the worst possible choice for stations in North America to copy them (1A4A is the most recent example).
2. Avoid using 1817.5 when working North America. W1AW uses this for bulletins and code practice.
3. Remember to listen for JA's in their 1810-1825 window before JA sunrise (i.e. 20-22z).
4. ALWAYS split at least 2 kHz (editor's addition: on CW and 3 kHz on SSB).
5. Multiples of 0.5 kHz are good to avoid other image problems (e.g. 1826.5, 1827.5, etc).
6. Use appropriate modes and code speed. This normally means CW with speeds in the range of 20-30 WPM. Remember that you may be hearing stations much better than they are hearing you since NA/EU stations are probably using higher power to larger antennas than a typical DXpedition. QRN may also be very different at the NA/EU side compared to what you hear.
7. Try to operate around the clock early in the expedition. This will give you a good idea when propagation may exist, which is not always at sunrise/sunset times.

QSN

BX0ZR - TAIWAN - The guys were reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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03 18071
04 18071
05 14028
07 18078
08 14016 18078
09 3505
10 3505
11 1823 3505
12 1823 3505
13 3508 7010
14 3513 7005
15 3511 7009
16 3504 7009

17 3504
 18 3505
 21 3504
 22 1812

- EX8M - KYRGYSTAN - Sergey likes to show up on 160 CW as early as a few minutes before 0100Z and sometimes as late as 0215Z.
- LU1ZAB - ANTARCTICA - Dan at Matienzo Base was on 14188 just before 0000Z today.
- LU2ERA/Z - SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS - Showed up on 14188 Thursday around 2315Z.
- S21XA - BANGLADESH - Texas 40 Meter ops were copying the S2 on 7050 on SSB via the long path Thursday at 1330Z. The operator was QSX up 5 KHz for Europe and Asia. They are expected to have their 160 antenna up and hope to run KW on CW station tonight. So far the CW station has only been running 100 watts as one of the two amps died.
- XT2C - BURKINA FASO - VE1, VE2, VE3, W1-5, and W8 reported an opening yesterday on 10 CW between 1400 and 1500Z. W6 and W7 stations found them on 15 CW and SSB around 17Z and 20 SSB just before 1900Z.
- XW3DT - LAOS - Seems that Alex has returned to Laos who was back on the air yesterday on 10108, listening up 1, just before 1600Z.
- ZB2FK - GIBRALTAR - Ernie was on 14006 at 1230Z on Thursday.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8AX	14217	1745	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	18127	1308
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	7007	0310	NA-004	KL7HBK	7089	0644
AS-015	9M2MRS	7007	1535	NA-015	CO8LY	7006	0158
AS-020	BX0ZR	3505	1135	NA-062	W4/DL5SE	14010	1529
AS-020	BX5AA	14241	2359	NA-062	W4/DL5YWM	14260	1619
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14023	0751	SA-046	PY7MV	14200	1030
EU-008	MM0LUP	18167	1431				

We may get some rare IOTA news from the Pacific over the weekend. If a special alert email will be sent out. Apparently it is top secret until something happens! I can't say any more until then.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
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12-Jan 20-Jan 3B8	3B8/DK2WV (AF-049)	DK2WV	11-007
12-Jan 14-Jan 3V	3V8SS		11-005 001
12-Jan 5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX	11-001
12-Jan 15-Jan 7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193 159
12-Jan 31-Jan 9G	by IK2BTI		11-006
12-Jan 28-Feb 9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS	10-226
12-Jan 14-Jan 9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-005
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12-Jan 31-Jan YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006 001
14-Jan 25-Jan VU7	VU7RG Lakshadweep		11-005 10-217 188
15-Jan 11-Feb 4X	4X/K2LS		11-008
15-Jan J7	J79XBI	SM0XBI	10-239
15-Jan 25-Jan JT	JT1/K4ZW		10-234

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QSL Info

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A71EM	EA7FTR	FP5EJ	K2RW	LU2ERA/Z	LU4DXU
C33IU	G0OYH	HC2SL	EA5KB	OZ/DJ0DX	DJ0DX
CE1/K7CA	K7CA	HZ1IK	DK7YY	R0UPOL	RD1AL
CX2AQ	EA5KB	JW5NM	LA5NM	ZS6CCY	K3PD
EW6GF	DL8KAC				

Indications are the UA4WHX, Vladimir, will soon be ending his African tour as he says "I am more or less on the way home now". For those waiting to QSL once he is finished it is ok to just send one card with a listing of all the QSOs that you wish to confirm as there is no need to send separate QSLs for each stop. Vladimir will make it perfectly clear to the DX community when he will be heading home.

KC6AWX, Robert T. Devine, ARRL 6th District Incoming QSL Bureau Manager, recently had a hard disk crash and has lost a listing of possible volunteers for the W6 QSL bureau. Anyone who was interested or now may be interested can submit their request at <http://www.kqlz.com/qslibureau6.html> .

W3HNK, Joe, received the HQ4R (NA-060) QSL cards and has begun sending them out.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers:

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5R8RJ, 9A80A, F5JLH, HB0/DL2SBY, IS0/DL2SBY (EU-024), OH0JFP, S01R, S9A, S92SV, ST2A, TK/DL2SBY (EU-014), TZ6RN, ZA1UT

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT3EN, SN5N, VP5/K7BTW, YN2EJG, ZL4AD

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DX News

We got a note within this hour that JT1/K4ZW will be QRV "in a few minutes." Ken says interference from a Chinese radar might be a challenge, "but we'll see how things go." Exotic travel, Ken!

The other Lakshadweep IOTA group, Minicoy Island, AS-106, the VU7MY station, started up this morning just before 0900Z. The VU7RG callsign is also currently on with multiple stations on three islands other than Minicoy. (See the QSN section.)

The S21XA crew is operating away. They say conditions are not as good as they would wish but they are doing their best, and "considering" all the openings towards the U.S. that they can. If they hear a signal from W/VE they immediately call for North America.

XV9TH, Torsten, home call SM3NFB, is living in Hanoi, Vietnam. SM5DQC says Torsten does not operate CW, but there were CW spots for him January third on 21018. AA4XR, Bruce, and E21EIC, Champ were visiting and Champ "did make a number of CW QSOs." QSL XV7TH via SK7AX.

K0BJ says he will be visiting his timeshare in the Caymans, ZF, for the first time since Hurricane Ivan. He will operate the ZF1A station using his own ZF2CM callsign, with lots of family activities and scuba, "so it's low-key Dxing. Largely WARC band CW. I plan to be in the CQ 160 CW." QSL via LoTW, or via K0BJ bureau or direct.

We got an e-mail from YB5AQB, Bob (aka 9V1GO, G4VGO, KY0C, EI7IU and SV0BV) as he was ready to leave for the airport headed for Kuwait. >From there Bob was going to Iraq on a contract assignmnt. He expects to be near Basra with the callsign YI9CC/5. Bob says getting permission to operate from Kuwait shouldn't be too difficult either, "showing up with my US Extra license (KY0C) and getting a call." He's not sure if it will be a 9K2 call or 9K2/KY0C. He plans to be in the 160M contest later in the month from Iraq with his K2 rig and 500 watt amp he has in his suitcase. He also has taken along beverage feedpoint transformers and the "KD9SV DXpedition rx box." Bob's contract is for 60 days in Iraq after an initial two weeks in Kuwait, then home for 10 days. So, he says, you can look for YB5AQB to be active on and off. His operating time in Kuwait will be limited as he will be living in an apartment. He says in Basra he will be in a compound outside of the town, which will give hmi room for the receive antennas which, he hopes, will give a good chance for those who need

YI on the top band.

The 9A8K group from the Amateur Radio Club Koprivnica will have a special anniversary callsign to mark their 60 years of operation. It will be 9A60K. QSL via 9A7K. There will be a "Koprivnica City Award" for QSOs with the hams of the city. One QSO with 9A60K qualifies you for a special award. For info, check out <http://www.9a7k.com/>. And the 9A7K address: Kresimir Juratovic, 9A7K, P.O. Box 88, HR-48001 Koprivnica, CROATIA.

W9RPM, John, notes that 5A1A/DL1L, Abubaker Assid, is currently going to school in Germany. From there, says John, Abubaker is able to get a visa to visit the U.S., and he has always dreamed of going to the Dayton Hamvention. John is teaming up with KA9FOX, Scott, to try to help Abubaker with the finances of such a trip. You can send a donation to John Kjos, W9RPM, 2723 East Burr Oak Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin, 54601, USA. Make out the check to John Kjos. All donations will be promptly refunded, he says, if 5A1A is not able to make it after all.

5H1Z will be on from Tanzania's Zanzibar Island (IOTA AF-032) January 18-29 on 80-10M CW and SSB using 400 watts to vertical antennas. The operator will be F6AML, Serge, previously on the air as TX6A, 5H1C and TO7C. It will be a working trip for Serge and every day he will be traveling to the capital, Dar es Salaam or to the Kenyan border. His favorite bands are 80, 40, 17 and 12. He will be on 17 and 12 at the end of the day then go to 80 and 40 after dark. He will make an effort to work the North American West Coast and Japan. QSL via the French REF Bureau or direct with SAE and one IRC, or for European, one USD - two USD for the rest of the world.

FM/F6CMH, Patrick, will be on January 18-28 from Martinique. This is IOTA NA-107. He will be on 20 and 15 near the IOTA frequencies. QSL to his home call.

Still having trouble holding a frequency on 80, XU7ACY (op NO2R, Peter) says he will look between 3520-3525 for a clear spot and 1821 on 160M. He may have to move around a lot due to severe "local" QRM, including all the activity from VU7, S21, BX0 and himself all at once. He says he will be going out to look for a better QTH. Peter thinks the best shot at the North American East Coast on 80 is from 2200-2230Z and on 160M for the East Coast it's 2315-2330Z. Pilot station W2EN, Doug, says Peter continues to concentrate on 160, 80 and 40M CW. QSL via K2NJ. Peter has been sending his logs back by email. Due to his constantly changing QTH and other conditions there, Peter cannot make any schedules but is trying to operate during the good openings.

XU7DFM, XU7EGZ and XU7PPH will be the Cambodian calls for JA3DFM, JA3EGZ and JA3PPH March 16-19. They plan to be on all HF bands and modes from Sihanoukville. QSL to their home callsigns.

Several other ops plan to be on from Cambodia January 31-February 10. 9M6DXX, Steve, will have the XU7DXX callsign. 9M6XRO, John, will be XU7XRO. And SM6GMZ, Pete, will be XU7ADI. QSL XU7ADI via SM6GMZ, XU7DXX and XU7XRO via M5AAV. `DXX will concentrate on SSB an `XRO on CW.

KC4/K2ARB, Adam at the Patriot Hills Base on Antarctica, says a group of Korean researchers are setting up a field camp at the Martin Hills location, 82 01 South, 88 04 West. The "2006/2007 Korea Expedition for Antarctic Meteorites" includes two hams, HL1TJF and HL1TR, who will both sign KC4/home call. Look for them through the end of this month. KC4/K2AFB has provided them an HF rig and dipole. They are on

40 and 20M SSB. Look on 14188 and 7040 from 2300Z.

DJ6SI, Baldur, says the reason for the delay in getting on the air from TN, Congo, is licensing authority has changed from the Frequency Bureau to the Ministry for Posts and Telecommunications. During the changeover his dossier was lost and he is having to send his files again.

5T5DY is F8PDR, Benoit, ex-6W7/F8PDR. Look for him February 5-18 from Nouakchott, the capital of Mauritania, mostly on CW, 80-10M using 100 watts to a vertical and G5RV. He is not being allowed to use an amplifier. He plans to focus evenings and nighttimes on 160 and 80. He says 5T0JL has been helpful with the official formalities of licensing. QSL via the French REF-Union Bureau, or direct to Benoit Lebourgeois, route de Chevy, F-50420 Tessy sur Vire, FRANCE.

UA3AB, Andy, plans to use his Montenegro callsign, YT3B, in the CQWW CW 160 from the YT6A hilltop location. He will be using his Elecraft K2, "to see how it performs on topband." He may do some SSB and CW outside the contest also. QSL via UA3AB.

9Q1D starts his two-week vacation in Sweden this week but 9Q1TB is now back in Kinshasa after his vacation. 9Q1EK, Georges, has postponed his vacation. He will now be away in South Africa January 28-February 12. SM5DQC, Osten, says he has not yet received the 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB QSLs from the printer, LZ1JZ, so DXers will have to wait a little longer. Osten says there is no longer a printer specializing in QSLs in Sweden.

9Q1TB has given us a fresh update. He says he and his neighbor, 9Q1EK have been encouraged by what they've gotten done on 160. They set up an inverted-L just yesterday. Philippe says, "The signals are not much open over Africa, but we've heard a lot of Europeans. We aren't awaited too much, for nobody has answered us. We will persevere, and in case of good results, a second antenna will be set up at home." Philippe adds that if you want to go to Google Earth you can see both their houses. Point to 4-19-40.00 S, 15-16-31.80 E. "On the left you can see George's house and on the right it's mine." They coordinate their on-air time because their stations are so close together. And they share most of their antennas too. QSL 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB via SM5DQC direct only, Osten B. Magnusson, Nyckelvagen 4, SE-59931 Odeshog, Sweden.

ZD7M, Mike Dersham, is getting the loan of a tribander and installation help from ZD7VC, Bruce Salt. Mike has a goal of making at least a thousand QSOs before long.

G3VTT AND G3XAQ have booked a trip to the Canary Islands, EA8, starting February 22 and lasting two weeks. They will have the popular K2 rig along, a doublet antenna and some sort of wire antenna for 80. Their wives will also be along. Says, Colin, `VTT, "I've never been to EA8 before so I am intrigued to hear the noise levels and propagation off the coast of Africa."

PA5M, Michael, goes back to Somalia on the 17th for a stay of 7-10 days. He will be signing the 600M callsign again. He is currently in Kenya, where he has applied for a license. Most of his activity will be in his evening hours; he will be working in the daytime. His setup is 100 watts from an FT-857 to wire antennas, the same as last year. There is a log search on <http://www.pa7fm.nl>. QSL via PA7FM, Loggerhof 11 3181NS Rozenburg, The Netherlands. Says manager PA7FM, "Please do take in mind old IRC's are no longer accepted while at the same time 1 US\$ does NOT cover inside Europe postage any longer. so

Europe 1 new IRC or 2 US\$, outside Europe 1 new IRC or 2 US\$."

G7COD, Andrew, has put out this activity plan for his 8Q7AK, Maldives, operation January 21-February 2.

09:00 to 10:00 UTC 18133, 21253.
13:00 to 15:15 UTC 14.183, 18133, 21.253.
16:00 to 17:00 UTC 10.123, 14.183.

Look for C56NN from The Gambia January 22-29 with LY4Y, Jay (also known as M3UNN) operating. He will be at the C5DXC QTH in the daytimes and possibly some other QTH some evenings and nights. He hopes to put up a 160M dipole.

II0BH will be a special event station by the ARI Aprilia members January 20-28 to mark the 63rd anniversary of the amphibious landing near Anzio, Italy during World War II. The "BH" suffix in the callsign stands for "beach head."

Special Brazilian callsign PX8II currently on the air is to promote the XV Pan American Games to be held in Rio de Janeiro July 13-29. PV8IG, Ivan, has been operating. QSL direct to his home call.

Another special activity is ZY7LUX from Guarabira, Brazil for the annual festival that started January 5 and runs through February 3. This one is on 160-6M SSB, CW, RTTY And PSK31. QSL via PR7AR direct or bureau.

Swedish callsign SC5L will be on January 28-June 26 to celebrate the third centenary of Carl Linnaeus (1707-1778), the Swedish botanist, physician and zoologist known as "the father of modern taxonomy." The Uppsala Radio Club, SK5DB, is running this operation. QSL via the bureau or direct to SM5XSH (SE5S). Info on a related award can be found on www.qrz.com under the SC5L callsign.

RK3DT, Alex Sinchukov, is back in Laos putting his XW3DT callsign on the air until January 20. QSL via P.O. Box 11, GPO, Hong Kong, and do it before May this year, he says.

C6AWN will be on from the Bahamas March 19-26. W1CGT, Foster, says he plans to get from two different islands, South Andros, IOTA NA-001, and New Providence, also NA-001. He will spend most of his time on 40 and 20. Particularly look in his mid-afternoon on 14260 and 14300.

EA8/OH2BYS, Mauri, will be in the ARRL DX CW contest February 17-18. He will be single op single band 20M. QSL via OH2BYS.

OM7M will be in the ARRL DX CW from Slovak Republic. This is the LBCC club who plan to go multi-2. QSL via OM3PA.

Pianist W3IO, Burnett Thompson, is currently in the Shanghai, China area playing a series of concerts. There is no word on whether he will be able to find a station to guest op.

N4AA, Carl Smith, has published his annual most wanted countries survey in "The DX Magazine." Except that Swains Island, KH8/S, was omitted and would otherwise have been #1, the results are:

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|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1) Scarborough Reef (BS7) | 6) Glorioso (FR/G) |
| 2) Lakshadweep (VU7) | 7) Bouvet (3Y/B) |
| 3) North Korea (P5) | 8) Desecheo (KP5) |
| 4) Yemen (7O) | 9) Marion Island (ZS8) |
| 5) Navassa (KP1) | 10) Heard Island (VK0/H) |

AF-004	EC8AXS	18120 1550	EU-025	IW9DNI	14223 1100
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	7004 0735	EU-034	ES0IC	14083 1300
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14170 0825	NA-110	AA4V	21260 1540
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	10105 2320	OC-129	JA7QVK/DU7	14260 1340
EU-016	9A2Y/P	14261 1450	SA-046	PY7MV	14200 1900
EU-019	R1FJT	14017 2120			

W3UR put out a bulletin this weekend about the T30MO, OC-084 rare IOTA activity. This one is Fanning Atoll in Eastern Kiribati with KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, operating. Fanning is also known as Tabuaeran. Mike will do the CW and Jan the SSB, both using that same callsign. Look for them on 160-10M, possibly through this next weekend. QSL via OM2SA and it should be on LOTW too.

Four German ops expect to be on from the Turneff Islands, Belize, NA-123, February 8-13. Here are the callsigns:

V31FG DL2SWW, Frank
 V31YN DJ4KW, Gerd
 V31GW DK9GG, Gisela
 V31DG DF9TM, Gabi

QSL according to the on-air instructions from the operator you work.

PP5VX is currently active from SA-027, Sao Francisco do Sul in the Santa Catarina State North Group. He will be there until December 31, 2010. He plans to be on all bands and modes. You can e-mail for skeds at profsamy@gmail.com, and his QRZ.com address is good.

The Nicosia Amateur Radio Club from Cyprus, 5B4NC, will be doing an IOTA expedition to Agios Georgios. This will be AS-120. The operation will be at the end of July, including the IOTA contest. We will have more info as we get closer to it.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
15-Jan	20-Jan	3B8	3B8/DK2WV (AF-049)	DK2WV		11-007
15-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
15-Jan		5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX		11-001
15-Jan	15-Jan	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS	10-193	159
15-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
15-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
15-Jan	22-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005
15-Jan	21-Jan	BV	BX0ZR (AS-020)	W8UVZ		10-235
15-Jan		C2	C21HC	DL9HCU		11-010
15-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT		11-001
15-Jan		J7	J79XBI	SM0XBI		10-239
15-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
15-Jan	25-Jan	JT	JT1/K4ZW			10-234
15-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
15-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
15-Jan	17-Jan	KP2	NP2/N9JZ KP2/N9J (NA-106)			11-003
15-Jan	17-Jan	KP2	WP2/KU9UUU (NA-106)			11-003
15-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
15-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
15-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
15-Jan	16-Jan	S2	S21XA	EA3BT	11-006	001

15-Jan 30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
15-Jan 20-Jan	VE	VE7JZ (NA-061)	VE7JZ	11-001
15-Jan 25-Jan	VU7	VU7RG Lakshadweep	11-005	10-217 188
15-Jan 20-Jan	XT	XT2C	F9IE	11-002 001
15-Jan 30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004 10-208
15-Jan 31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006 001
16-Jan	FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE	11-010
17-Jan 26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p	F5LOW	11-001
18-Jan 29-Jan	5H	5H1C (AF-032)	F6AML	10-202
19-Jan 21-Jan	CT3	CT9F	CS3MAD	11-006
19-Jan 21-Jan		CCF & OHDXF Contest & DX Meeting	11-001	10-236
21-Jan 23-Jan	5R	5R8HG (AS-013)	DK2WV	11-007
21-Jan 2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)		10-236

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today, with active to minor storm conditions possible Tuesday and Wednesday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for January 14, 2007 was 27, slipping from 45 three days earlier.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K5D	K2PF	9G5A	DL4WK	LX2007D	LX1KC
4L1FP	LZ1OT	A35RK	W7TSQ	LX2007G	LX1KC
4L1MA	ON4RU	C21HC	DL9HCU	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA
4L4C	DJ1CW	CN8SG	EA7FTR	R0UPOL	RD1AL
5N6EAM	IK2IQD	CU1CB	EA5KB	S21XA	EA3BT
5Z4ES	K3PD	D2DX	OH2BAD	SE50A	SM4AIO
6F75A	EA5KB	D2NX	JH7FQK	XV9TH	SK7AX
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EY8MM	K1BV	YU160SRS	YU1SRS
9A60K	9A7K				

QSL info for OX3PJ, Greenland. QSL direct to his home callsign, OZ4MAX. The info is now updated on QRZ.com.

On sending a U.S. dollar with your card to get a return from Canada: a subscriber informs us that right now the exchange rate is about \$1 U.S. to \$1.17 Canadian, so a U.S. dollar works well for a QSL return to the U.S. from Canada.

Effective immediately, K3PD is the QSL manager for ZS4U. Pete has all the logs, old and new. His address:

Pietro deVolpi, K3PD
408 Hillside Ave.
New Cumberland, PA
U.S.A. 17070-3036

N200 says he is expressing "a large crush of QSL mail once the VU7RG operation gets going." So, he says, if you have been waiting to send for your 3Y0X, CE0Z, XR9A or any other QSL he handles, right now is a good time to send for it, to get in ahead of the rush. He says once the VU7 mail starts coming in, everything else could be delayed a bit. And he says, "Remember, if you use IRCs, ONLY send the NEW, current, IRCs that expire December 31, 2009."

A reminder on QSLing for IOTAs (Islands on the Air). IOTA QSL cards should have the callsign and the actual name of the island, and it can't hurt to have the IOTA reference number. See IOTA program rule C.4.2 at <http://www.rsgbiota.org/pdfs/40thdir.pdf>.

Here is the QSL route for BG7LHY: Jordan Lv, P.O. Box 003-20, Shenzhen 518003, CHINA.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B8CF, 3D2VB, 5R8RJ, Q1D, A61Q, DL4KM, DL7ON, H44VV, HC8N, J5UAF, KG4DX, LA5HE, P29ZAD, J2/WB9Z, RV2FW/1 (EU-133), ST2A, T88VV, TK5EF, TR8CA, TZ6MF, V73VV, VP5W, U7SF (93), YJ0VB, YX0LIX and Z21FO.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4L2M, 8P5A, 9V1QQ, CT3EN, DL6LAU, B5ESX, GI0KVQ, J41V, JH4UYB, KP4AH, OH5Z, OK5W, OP0P, OT4A, P40A, P40W, J2/WB9Z, RA6AX, SN5N, SP5KP, TG9AKH, TK5IH, TZ5A, TZ6MF, VP5W, VP5/K7BTW, U2NKS, W4GKM, WP4BH, YB5AQB, YO7BGA and ZL3IX .

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DX News

N2ED, Ed, will be active as V26G during the ARRL DX CW Contest, February 17 and 18. He will be arriving on February 10th through the 21st. Look for Ed to be QRV on all HF bands, including the 12, 17 and 30 meter bands before and after the contest. QSL V26G via N2ED.

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest VK2CZ, David, plans to operate part time as 9M6/VK8AA from Kota Kinabalu, East Malaysia on 20 meters running low power.

The telecom authority of Denmark has opened the possibility to apply for new callsigns along with new prefix blocks for Greenland and the Faroe Islands. Greenland will obtain the XP prefix while the Faroe Islands will pick up the OW prefix. Hams from Denmark will soon be using the OU, OV, 5P and 5Q prefixes.

Look for EY8MM, Nodir to be doing some antenna testing on January 17 from his countryside QTH. If all goes as planned he will be looking for North American stations on 80 and 160 meters on January 18th through his sunrise, which is around 0235Z. On 80 meters he still needs the following states: KS, KY, LA, MO, MS, MT, ND, NE, OK, UT and WY.

In conjunction with the special permission granted to the current VU7 DXpedition to operate on 30 meters Amateur Radio operators from mainland India can now operate on 30 meters through January 22nd. The WPC has issued document L-14011/603/2006-AMT giving permission to all Indian amateurs. This also includes 75 meter activity on 3790 to 3800 KHz.

This year's SEANET Convention is tentatively scheduled for November 8-11 in Lampang, Thailand. A formal announcement will appear on the RAST website at <http://www.qsl.net/rast/> and sent to RAST members and friends via email later this month.

World traveler UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, reports he had a major failure with his FT-890. He is currently in Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania. Vladimir does not think he can repair the radio from there. He is looking into borrowing or purchasing one in 5H. Plans are to travel to a couple more locations before heading back home to Russia.

The 2007 International DX Convention will take place April 27, 28 & 29, 2007 at the Holiday Inn Hotel & Conference Center in Visalia, California. This is an ARRL sanctioned convention that is sponsored this year by the Northern California DX Club. It is expected to draw visitors from around the World and will feature programs from recent DXpeditions and contest operations.

The Convention theme this year is, "Elmering New DXers is Job Number One!" Accordingly, a portion of the programming will be devoted to helping new DXers learn about how to be noticed in a pile-up, snag a "new one" and get that elusive QSL card.

Other Convention offerings will include: DX, Top Band and Contest Forums, technical talks, many door prizes, both Friday and Saturday evening "attitude adjustments", Saturday Barbecue Lunch, Saturday night banquet, Sunday morning "power" breakfast, Vendors Exhibits and QSL card checking.

Current information and registration forms are available on the Convention web page, which can be found at www.dxconvention.org . Additional registration information can be obtained by contacting Convention Registration Chairman, Dick Letrich, W6KM via Email at dlw6km@aol.com .

If you're interested in DXing, the Visalia DX Convention is the place to be. We hope to see you there.

QSN

7Z1UG - SAUDI ARABIA - Manfred was on 7021 Monday around 1530Z. He would occasionally standby for West Coast ops via the long path.

JT1/K4ZW - MONGOLIA - Arizona DXers reported working Ken on 40 long path around 0040Z today. QSL via K4ZW.

T32MO - EASTERN KIRIBATI - Mike showed up on 10104 at 0630Z and then around 18087 from 1820 to 2315Z. He has only been able to get 10-15 watts out of his K2. Mike did manage to work some 800 QSOs. Jan has remained on the boat so there has not been any SSB work yet. QSL via OM2SA.

VU7MY - LAKSHADWEEP ISLANDS - Minicoy Island (AS-106) team was QRV yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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08 21260
09 21260
10 21260
12 21260
13 21260
14 21260
16 14265
17 7031, 14265
18 7031, 14265
19 14265

VU7RG - LAKSHADWEEP ISLAND - Today Pacific Northwest DXers

reported working this rare one on 40 CW between 0115 and 0200Z. The three international teams on Agatti, Bangaram and Kadmat (AS-011) were reported as follows on Monday:

GMT Frequencies

GMT	Frequencies
00	1821, 3521, 7021, 10110
01	1821, 3513, 7021, 10109
02	3513, 7021, 7080, 10110
03	7021, 10110
04	7021, 10110, 14005, 18089
05	7021, 10110, 14005, 18089, 21015
06	14005, 14198, 18089, 21020, 21240
07	14005, 18089, 21240
08	14005, 18089, 21240
09	14005, 14083, 18089, 21240
10	14005, 14083, 18089, 21009, 21297
11	14005, 14083, 18089, 21009, 21297
12	10130, 14005, 14083, 18089, 21009, 21297
13	7022, 10109, 10130, 14005, 14083, 18089, 21009, 21297
14	7009, 7022, 10106, 10130, 14005, 14083, 18089, 21297
15	3516, 7009, 7084, 10109, 10130, 14005, 14083
16	1822, 3516, 7009, 7084, 10109, 14005, 14083, 14295
17	3516, 7009, 10109, 10130, 14005, 14295
18	1822, 3510, 3516, 7019, 7022, 10103, 10109
19	1822, 3520, 7022, 7085, 10103
20	1822, 3515, 3520, 3766, 7001, 7085, 10103
21	1822, 3515, 3766, 7001, 7043, 7085, 10103
22	1822, 3507, 7001, 7021, 7085, 10103
23	1822, 3507, 3522, 7021

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-049	3B8/RX3DD	14070	1857	EU-114	MP1SWL/P	7076	1622
AS-011	VU7RG	14005	1539	NA-105	FS5PL	21260	1656
AS-020	BX0ZR	10102	2328	OC-073	JD1BME	3512	1215
AS-020	BX5AA	14241	2254	OC-084	T32MO	18087	1847
AS-106	VU7MY	14265	1743	SA-046	PY7MV	7100	0134
EU-009	GM0WED	14258	1418				

IOTA frequencies -

CW	28040	24920	21040	18098	14040	10114	7030	3530
SSB	28560	28460	24950	21260	18128	14260	7055	3765

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16-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
16-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
16-Jan	28-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005

16-Jan 21-Jan	BV	BX0ZR (AS-020)	W8UVZ	10-235
16-Jan	C2	C21HC (OC-031)	DL9HCU	11-010
16-Jan 17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT	11-001
16-Jan	FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE	11-010
16-Jan	J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI	10-239
16-Jan	JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau	11-003
16-Jan 25-Jan	JT	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW	10-234
16-Jan 5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002 001
16-Jan 28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217 203 202
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16-Jan 30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
16-Jan 31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM	10-223
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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at very low to low levels. Isolated C-class events from Region 938 remain possible.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at predominantly unsettled to active levels on Tuesday and Wednesday. Isolated minor to major storm conditions are possible on Tuesday and Wednesday due to a recurrent coronal hole. A return to predominantly unsettled levels is expected on Thursday as the coronal hole wanes.

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The sunspot number for January 14, 2007 was 27.

QSL Info

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5Z4DZ	PA1AW	CX7CO	SM5KCO	OX3PJ	OZ4MAX
6F75A	EA5KB	CX9AU	KA5TUF	T32MO	OM2SA
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	JJ8DEN/JD1	JJ8DEN	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
7Z1UG	DG1XG	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW	V31YN	DJ4KW
9M6DXX	M5AAV	MP1SWL/P	G6XOU	V44KJ	WB2TSL
CE1/K7CA	NW7O				

QSL manager M5AAV, Graham, reports he is no longer the QSL manager for G6PZ, GX6PZ and GB6MD.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: ST2A

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: LY3M, M6T, VE2TZT

Correction

In yesterday issue we listed T30MO when actually it was T32MO.

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DX News

A group of DXers from Kaliningrad are heading to Morocco next week. RV2FW, Victor; UA2FB, Dmitri; and UA2FF, Vladimir; will be QRV as CN2FW, CN2FB and CN2FF starting January 25th. They will enter the CQ 160 CW Contest with the call CN2A. QSL all via DK4VW, Ulrich Mueller, Kreutzacker 13, D-35041 Marburg, GERMANY.

EA6BF (ex EA6ACC), plans to be QRV in the CQ 160 Meter CW Contest (January 27/28) and the ARRL CW DX Contest (February 17/18). Watch for him over the next few days on 160 meters as has just installed a 600 foot beverage and will be testing. A second beverage, about 800 feet, will be installed very soon towards JA. His transmit antenna is a 25 meter top loaded vertical.

DL9HCU, Udo, is currently on Nauru and QRV as C21HC until the end of this week. Next stop will be Tarawa (OC-017), West Kiribati where he will be active as T30HC. QSL both via DL9HCU.

Are you going to Visalia this April? Members of the Central Arizona DX Association are helping with the program and have lined up some exciting presentations (DXpeditions). As of the moment it looks like presenters will be 5A7A, ZL8R and KH8SI with a few more irons in the fire! The International DX Convention (Visalia) has a Web site at <http://www.dxconvention.org/>. There are going to be some really good prizes also!

Members of the Twin Cities DX Association (TCDXA) elected the following officers for the 2007 year.

President - W0EK, Bob
Treasurer - W0WG, Mike
Secretary - AC0X, Lou

For more information on the TCDXA see their Web page at <http://www.tcdxa.org/> .

QSN

EP3SMH - IRAN - Several Europeans RTTY ops found Mohsen on 14085 yesterday just prior to 1400Z.

EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - North American low band DXers who need this one will want to watch 80 and 160 meters from your sunset until just after Nodir's sunrise (0249Z) tonight. Those who work him can QSL via K1BV.

JJ8DEN/JD1 - OGASAWARA - Was doing RTTY up on 10145 Tuesday around 1330Z. QSL via JJ8DEN.

S21XA - BANGLADESH - W6/W7 DXers had another opening on 20 SSB yesterday at 0100Z. They went QRT yesterday with more than 17,000 QSOs. On line logs are available at <http://www.ea3bt.com/bangladesh/bangla-logs.php> . QSL via EA3BT.

T32MO - EAST KIRIBATI - As of 17Z yesterday Mike was still only able to get about 10-15 watts out. After the first 24 hours he has over 1100 QSOs. Mike was planning to take the rig back on board their boat to see if he could fix the problem. Once he does Jan will then begin some SSB work. They are QRV from Fanning Island (OC-084) until at least the weekend. So far the most successful bands have been 17 meters and 30 meters. QSL via OM2SA.

VP8/LZ1UQ - SOUTH SHETLANDS - Mitko was being heard in Russia today on 1825.5 just before 0300Z.

VU7RG - LAKSHADWEEP - DXers from Minnesota reported an opening yesterday on 30 meters between 1400 and 1530Z with peak times around 1420Z. DXers from Colorado had an 80 meter CW shot around 1300Z. W6 and W7 stations say 20 meters between 1530 and 1630Z there is an opening. Down on 40 meters W6 and W7 were making it on CW and SSB between 0100 and 0200Z. Arizona ops reported 30 meters was the trick at 1400Z. Some of the VU7RG logs are now on-line at <http://www.vu7.in/>.

XT2C - BURKINA FASO - 80 meter ops all across North America were working this one on 3514 after 06Z yesterday. QSL via F9IE.

YA/LY1Y - AFGHANISTAN - North Americans on the eastern half (yes even some W5 and W0) should check 20 CW between 13 and 14Z for Alex. QSL via LY1Y.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-018	IH9YMC	18145	1436	EU-016	9A9A	14247	1320
AS-011	VU7RG	10106	2110	EU-034	ES0IC	14081	1031
AS-020	BX0ZR	7008	1229	EU-165	IM0MBP	14084	1411
AS-020	BX5AA	14241	2258	OC-084	T32MO	21004	2103
AS-106	VU7MY	10111	2138	OC-169	A35RK	21018	2125

A joint expedition of the Group DX Bahia and the Group Mistongo DX will put on air the Argentine Island of Trinidad (SA-021) on February 2, 3 and 4. Look for them on CW, digital modes and SSB on 10 through 80 meters. They will have 4 stations QRV simultaneously. They will be using the special call LQ0D. QSL via LU7DSY either via the bureau

or direct to Carlos, La Casilla de Correo 709, Codigo Postal 8000
BAHIA BLANCA, Argentina.

VK1AA/2, Nick, will be QRV from Broughton Island (OC-212) February 25-28, 2007. He has received the National Park and Wildlife permit. Nick will be on CW and Phone on 15, 20 and 40 meters running 100 watts and a vertical antenna. QSL via P.O. Box 900, Spit Junction 2088 NSW, Australia.

IOTA frequencies -

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17-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
17-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
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17-Jan		C2	C21HC (OC-031)	DL9HCU		11-010
17-Jan	17-Jan	DU	DU1/CT1EAT (OC-244)	CT1EAT		11-001
17-Jan	18-Jan	EY	EY8MM (80 and 160)	K1BV		11-012
17-Jan	26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p (NA-107)	F5LOW		11-001
17-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
17-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
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QSL Info

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BX0ZR	W8UVZ	S01MZ	EA1BT	V31AK	AK7G
CG9AR	VE9AR	S21XA	EA3BT	ZS4U	K3PD
LU8XW	WD9EWK	SD3N	SM3NXS		

Effective immediately K3PD, Pete, is the QSL Manager for ZS4U and ZS9X. Individuals who have written direct to both stations will have their QSLs answered by Pete. A backlog of cards is being shipped to Pete via registered mail at this time. QSLs that had IRCs that have since expired will be returned via the bureau.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3DA0TM, 5H3EE, 5R8RJ, 9H3MR, FO/KM9D, GU4YOX, HK0GU, HQ4R (NA-060), KV4FZ, ST2A, T70A, T70HQ, TY5MR, VK9CGG, XX9BB, YV4A, YX0A, YX0LIX, Z31GX, ZL8R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT3DZ, GI4FUE, GJ2A, ON6MX

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DX News

GM4CXP, Derrick, will be QRV as EA8/GM4CXP from the Canary Islands between January 31st and February 14th. He will have and FT-817ND along with a 20 meter MFJ Cub running 1 watt. Look for him on 14060 and 21060.

XV1X, Eddy and 3W9JR, Stan, will operate in the CQ WW 160 Meter DX Contest January 27-28 with special callsign 3W3W. More information will soon be posted on QRZ.COM, including copy of license and on-line log. They will be operating about 15 km south east of Haiphong, Vietnam. The antenna will be a vertical feed Delta loop directly above sea water, with open sea of many km towards Europe, USA and Japan. They will be operating with high power. QSL via OK1DOT direct only.

Telecom authorities have confirmed that ZK3DX operations from September through early December 2006 were that of a pirate. This should not be confused with the 1999 or 2004 ZK3DX operations which both were good and count for DXCC.

K5KG, George; KK9K, Ron; WI9WI, Jim; K1XX, Charlie; and W9IU, Don, will be QRV from Dominica as J75KG, J79RV, J79WI, J79XX and J79IU, respectively February 10 through February 20. Activity will be on all HF bands using CW and SSB. They will concentrate heavily on 160 and 80 meters. In memory of K40J, founder of the Florida Contest Group, they plan to be active as J70J in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL J75KG, J70J via KU9C. QSL J79WI, J79RV J79XX and J79IU via home calls.

E21EIC, Champ, will be back home in Southern Thailand and operating as E21EIC/8 between January 19-26, 2007. JA QSL via JR5XPG and all others via E21EIC.

OZ6OM reports the official word on the new prefix blocks (see Vol. 11 No. 012) for Greenland, Faroe Islands and Denmark is that applications need to be submitted by March 1st and they expect to be issued by mid-March.

K4ZW, Ken, is in Mongolia and has been QRV as JT1/K4ZW, mostly on the low bands. Unfortunately the QRM from the Chinese Radar system, believed to be located on Hainan Island, has been making life real difficult for 160 meters. Ken says he could CQ on Topband but he won't hear any of the weak or moderate strength signals. However he

does continually check the band and "will immediately QRV if it goes away or subsides". Yesterday Ken was issued the callsign JT1ZW so he is now using that call. QSL both of his calls to his home call.

Look for W1CGT, Foster, to be QRV as C6AWN from South Andros Island and New Providence (both NA-001), Bahamas from March 18 to 26. Keep an ear mostly on 20 and 40 meters for this one.

Starting January 19th CT2JRR, Nuno, will be QRV from South Korea as HL1/CT2JFR. Watch for him on 18125 and 18115 between 0530 and 0930Z until February 14th. QSL direct only to Nuno Goncalves, Praceta Actor Alfredo Blacksmith Hisses No49, Oliveira Azemeis, Portugal.

The Southern California DX Club (SCDXC) announces the election of the following officers in for the year 2007.

President - K6JW, Jeffrey Wolf
Vice President - K6IRD, Sharon Spring
Secretary - W6NRQ, Stephen Shane
Treasurer - K6OGO, Doc Holub
Membership - W6EGZ, Howard Elovitz
Directors - W6AQ, Dave Bell and K6SY, Mel Hughes
Ex Officio - W6ZPL, Bubba Paquette

For more information on the SCDXC check their Web site at <http://www.scdxc.org/> .

Are you going to the International DX Convention in Visalia this year? If so be aware for the first time this year RV parking in the lot at Visalia Holiday Inn is \$35.00 per night", says W6SCC, Barry. "The instructions aren't clear that the \$35.00 charge is per night, but John, K6YP, confirms that it is a per night charge", reports Barry.

QSN

T32MO - EAST KIRIBATI - Mike is still running 10-15 watts. Rain yesterday prevented him from antenna work for 80/160 meters. He hopes to be able to work the upcoming 160 meter contest, next weekend. 2,600 QSOs in the log as of 0100Z today. QSL via OM2SA.

VU7RG - LAKSHADWEEP - Yesterday DXers from Iowa reported strong signals on 30 meters between 1340 and 1420Z. He popped right out of the noise shortly after sunrise in Iowa with a building signal. On 20 meters CW his signal was much weaker in Iowa and peaked around 1435Z. Then on 17 meters signals began in Iowa around 1500Z and peaking about 15 minutes later and finally fading by 1530Z. Southern California DXers reported working them on both 30 and 40 meters between 0100 and 0230Z.

IOTA

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AF-004	EA8BWW	14191	2248	EU-004	EA6AEQ	14212	1601
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	14014	0011	EU-009	GM0WED	14027	0939

AS-011	VU7RG	18090	1629	OC-084	T32MO	18087	1842
AS-020	BX0ZR	3507	2226	SA-008	LU1XS	14020	0101
AS-020	BX5AA	14241	2249	SA-008	LU8XW	10110	0048
AS-031	JJ8DEN/JD1	7007	1509	SA-036	P43JB	24930	2155
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EY8MM	K1BV	LU8XW	WD9EWK	XU7TZG	ON7PP
HS0ZCY	AA4XR				

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Anyone who has had a problem getting a QSL from YI9LZ, Gosho, is encouraged to send him an email to lzlzf@abv.bg and he will send one via the bureau.

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: GI4FUE, M6T, RA6YDX

On The WWW

Last week we reported the BX0ZR group attempted to put up their 160 meter vertical three times. BV4MU has posted a video of one of the failed attempts at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BEqG1tiQaC8> .

AB5K, Terry, recently went through one of the ice storms and has posted a photo of his 40 Meter SteppIR and 4 element SteppIR both with about _ inches of ice at <http://www.ab5k.net/images/Ice2007/Steppirs.jpg>

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DX News

On February 2nd United Nations Special Envoy Martti Ahtisaari is expected to present his recommendation to Serbia and the province of Kosovo on the Status of Kosovo. As a side note Serbia has elections this weekend. The current thinking is Kosovo would either gain "extended autonomy" or some kind of "limited independence". Kosovo has been a U.N. protectorate since 1999.

Australia Day is January 26th and ACMA has authorized the use of Australia's AX prefix to all VK Amateur Radio operators instead of their normal prefix. The approval is for local time January 26th. That is 1600Z January 25th to 1600Z January 26th Western Australia (VK6). Other VK call areas will have different times to VK6 but will be earlier.

The February YW0DX DXpedition to Aves Islands (NA-020) is coming together. The team is expected to board a Venezuelan Military Navy Ship on February 7th and begin activity the following day. The only thing not resolved is their departure date. It could range from February 15th to 18th. They have set up a YV0 Needed Poll at <http://www.yw0dx.4m5dx.org/poll.html>. However it will only allow you one vote for SSB, CW and RTTY band. QSL via IT9DAA.

Update

K5KG, George; KK9K, Ron; WI9WI, Jim; K1XX, Charlie; and W9IU, Don, will be QRV from Dominica as J75KG, J79RV, J79WI, J79XX and J79IU, respectively February 10 through February 20. Activity will be on all HF bands using CW and SSB. They will concentrate heavily on 160 and 80 meters. In memory of K4OJ, founder of the Florida Contest Group, they plan to be active as J7OJ in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL J75KG, J7OJ and J79RV via KU9C. QSL J79WI, J79XX and J79IU via home calls.

QSN

5R8GZ - MADAGASCAR - Albert showed up on 14008 yesterday just before 1900Z.

JT1ZW - MONGOLIA - Ken was working East Coast US 80 meter CW

ops on 3514, QSX up 3, Thursday starting just before 1200Z until just after 1230Z. He was then transmitting on 1836 on 160 meters and QSX above 1900, to avoid the Dragon QRM! QSL via K4ZW.

IOTA

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
19-Jan	20-Jan	3B8	3B8/DK2WV (AF-049)	DK2WV		11-007
19-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
19-Jan	29-Jan	5H	5H1C (AF-032)	F6AML		10-202
19-Jan	26-Jan	6O	6O0M	PA7FM		11-011
19-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
19-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
19-Jan	28-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005
19-Jan	21-Jan	BV	BX0ZR (AS-020)	W8UVZ		10-235
19-Jan	20-Jan	C2	C21HC (OC-031)	DL9HCU		11-010
19-Jan	21-Jan	CT3	CT9F	CS3MAD		11-006
19-Jan	26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p (NA-107)	F5LOW		11-001
19-Jan	28-Jan	FM	FM/F6CMH (NA-107)	F6CMH		11-011
19-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
19-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
19-Jan	26-Jan	HS	E21EIC/8			11-014
19-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
19-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
19-Jan	25-Jan	JT	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW		10-234
19-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
19-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
19-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
19-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
19-Jan	20-Jan	OA	OA4/N6XQ			10-217
19-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
19-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
19-Jan	21-Jan	T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA		11-011
19-Jan	20-Jan	VE	VE7JZ (NA-061)	VE7JZ		11-001
19-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
19-Jan	25-Jan	VU7	VU7RG (AS-011)		11-005	10-217 188
19-Jan	20-Jan	XT	XT2C	F9IE	11-002	001
19-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
19-Jan	20-Jan	XW	XW3DT			11-011
19-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001
19-Jan	21-Jan		CCF & OHDXF Contest & DX Meeting		11-001	10-236
20-Jan	28-Jan	I	II0BH			11-011
21-Jan	23-Jan	5R	5R8HG (AF-013)	DK2WV		11-007
21-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)		11-011	10-236
21-Jan		T30	T30HC (OC-017)	DL9HCU		11-013
22-Jan	29-Jan	C5	C56NN			11-011

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will continue at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be unsettled with isolated active periods possible today. On Saturday and Sunday conditions will decrease to quiet to unsettled levels.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for January 17, 2007 was 17.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3V8SS	GM0DHZ	EX2X	EA5KB	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
5H1Z	F6AML	ST2A	T93Y	YC2ZBM	YC2TJV
A61TX	W4JS	ST2BF	W3HNC	ZY7LUZ	PR7AR

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N7CQQ, John, received the additional 403T QSL cards yesterday and processed 270 of them. He has about 100 more to finish. John hopes to have them at the Post Office later today. He thanks everyone for their patience. There are still about 100 QSL requests in the "QSL Hospital" that can not be found or are busted calls. Those will be processed too, it just takes a bit more time to search the logs for the calls.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A35XX, A71EM, A92ZE, C6APR, CP8XA, FJ/K3XT, FG5FR, FO/KM9D, FR5ZU/T, FS/VA3RA, FS5UQ, HC1JQ, J20DA, J37LR, JW5E, PJ2/N1ZZ, PJ4E, TX9, TY/FK8VHU, TY2AB, VE7IG/VE1, VP8ITN, XX9C, YN4SU, YN4SU/4, Z22JE, Z38N, ZK2BQI, ZL8R, ZM2M, ZP5MAL

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CE3/IZ6BRN, CT3EN, FS/KN5G, IY4W, OE2S, OE2XEL, ON4AEK, P40A, P40W, RA3CQ, TZ5A, VE1KK, VK2VZQ, VP5/K7BTW, VP5/K7LAZ, VP5W, YN2EJG

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DX News

The VU7RG teams are expected to go QRT at 1830Z on January 24th. For those DXers in California keep a watch on 40 meters CW and SSB between 0100 and 0200Z, suggests K6SRZ, Alan. Normally there have been two stations on CW. One around 7005 and the other near 7024. The SSB station has been around 7080 or 7085. In Northern California the greyline peak is around 0130Z. Over the last few days even the smaller stations seem to be making through on this opening.

Several have asked about the legitimacy of JD1BME. We do know for a fact that the Japanese authorities have issued the license. The operator has stated he is operating from Minami Torishima and for everyone to QSL via the JARL QSL bureau. To date no one has reported receiving a QSL, but it is still way to early. He has been mostly on 80 and 160 meters since mid-November. For those who are in a hurry you might consider sending the QSL with SAE (self addressed envelope) and one IRC directly to the JARL QSL bureau at there Japan address. That will cut out a few months delay in going through your bureau system. Other than that we don't have any other information on this station at this time.

This weekend the CQ World Wide 160 Meter CW Contest will take place. HR2DMR, Dan, plans to be QRV running low power and "a good set of antennas".

Here is an update on those new prefixes mention last week for the Faroe Islands, Greenland and Denmark. The ITST will begin to properly start issuing calls from the new series sometime mid-March, as the typical administration for issuing a call is round a fortnight, deadline for initial applications is March 1st. "If there are more applicants to a given call, the winner will be drawn by Notaries Puplicus", says OZ6OM, Matt. After this date calls from the new prefix series will be issued to first applicants.

WH7USA (V73GOD), Bert Godlewski, is heading back to Iraq in February. Watch for him to be QRV as YI9US on CW and the digital modes starting around mid-February from Taji, Iraq.

For those working on the CQ DX Field Awards should keep an eye and ear out for W5FG, Jack, who is traveling for the next several months aboard the Queen Elizabeth II on an around the world trip. He's operating as W5FG/MM with a small mobile rig and several end fed quarter wave verticals. So far Jack has traveled through the

Caribbean, Panama and up the west coast of Mexico.

Canadian op VA6TNY, Tony Rafaat is planning a trip/DXpedition to Puerto Rico from February 14-21. He'll be signing VA6TNY/KP4 on 20 meters SSB only. Tony will be running a Yaesu 817, KL 203 amp and PAR 20 meter End-Fed wire. QSL via VA6TNY.

C6AKQ (N4BP), Bob, and C6AHR (N8PR), Pete, will be active from the Bahamas from February 12th through February 19th and C6APG (K4PG), Kevin, will be active from February 15 through February 19th. They will be operating in the ARRL CW DX Contest. Pete will be on 160 meters, Bob on 40 meters and Kevin on 80 meters. Prior to the contest check all bands. When 80 is closed during the contest look for C6APG on six meters, when he is not sleeping.

Correction

The upcoming April 2007 Mali DXpedition Web site by the ON operators can be found at <http://mali2007.obox.be/> .

QSN

- 3Y9SDA - ANTARCTICA - Dag was found on 14204 Monday between 0000 and 0100Z. QSL via LA9SDA.
- 7Q7BP - MALAWI - 80 meter CW ops worked Joe on 3511 yesterday just after 0330Z. Probably best to save your money and not waste your time QSLing this station via the traditional method. He does occasionally use LOTW.
- 9J2BO - ZAMBIA - Several Topband DXers reported Mark on 1825 just before 0400Z yesterday.
- JJ8DEN/JD1 - OGASAWARA ISLANDS - Watch 80 CW around 1000Z. QSL via JJ8DEN.
- JT1ZW - MONGOLIA - Those looking for Zone 23 on 80 meters should look for Ken on CW just after 0000Z. QSL via K4ZW.
- T32MO - EASTERN KIRIBATI - Jan was busy on 40 SSB between 0400 and 0630Z. But then her rig died. Mike fired up on 40 CW after 0700Z. He then took both rigs back to the ship to be worked on. They have a K2 and a Yaesu. As of yesterday they had 5,920 QSOs, of which 1,035 have been on SSB. Mike hopes to get a 160 meter antenna up before this weekend and obviously get the rig situation taken care of. Plans are to stay at Fanning (OC-084) until mid-February. They expect to then head for Christmas Island (OC-024) sometime around February 21st. QSL via OM2SA.
- TU2/F5LDY - IVORY COAST - Jean can be found on 1827 sometime after 0000Z.
- VU7RG - LAKSHADWEEP - Was QRV on 40 RTTY (7037) late yesterday and then QRTed around 0022Z and later (0140Z) around 7040. RTTY ops from North America including as far as AZ made it through. Plans are to be there again today!

They should be shutting down operations in just over 24 hours.

ZD8RH/p - ASCENSION ISLAND - Started up on 18073 yesterday before 1730Z and stuck around until at least 1815Z. QSL via G4DBW.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-018	IH9YMC	7034	1740	NA-015	CO8LY	7090	2245
AS-011	VU7RG	14015	1335	OC-084	T32MO	7086	0542
AS-031	JJ8DEN/JD1	3505	1504	OC-126	DU1/CT1EAT	14255	1255
AS-106	VU7MY	14260	1433	SA-046	PY7MV	14220	1809
EU-072	SV8/DL8DL8MC	14253	0821	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14192	1733
EU-072	SV8/DL8MC	14253	0831				

This year's IOTA Bash will be held on March 9th and 10th in Boerne, Texas. For complete details check out <http://www.islandradio.org/iotabash.htm> .

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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23-Jan	29-Jan	CU	CU/OH2BH CU/OH8NC	home calls		11-010
23-Jan	26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p (NA-107)	F5LOW		11-001
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23-Jan 31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
23-Jan 25-Jan	VU7	VU7RG (AS-011)		11-005	10-217 188
23-Jan 30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
23-Jan 31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001

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QSL Info

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3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	HK4QHD	EA5KB	T32MO	OM2SA
4L6AM	4Z5CU	HZ2AK	PIRATE	T32MO	OM2SA
CN2FW	DK4VW	PJ2/W9VA	W9VA	XT2CG	HB9ADJ
FK8AH	W3HNC				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: EI7BA, GM3POI, HI3TEJ, JT1/K4ZW, KP4AH, RA3TT, SP7FRO

On The WWW

A log search for the recent XT2C DXpedition can be found at http://xt2c.free.fr/log_uk.php .

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After the great success of the YX5IOTA (SA-044) operation, the 4M5DX Group announces that a team of 15 experienced operators lead by YV5SSB, Alex, will be active as YW0DX from Aves Island (NA-020) beginning the second week of February 2007, for 10 days. Activity will be on all bands from 6-160 meters on all modes.

Suggested frequencies are as follows:

CW - 1822-1825, 3523, 7020, 10103, 14020, 18075, 21020, 24893, 28020 and 50110 kHz

SSB - 1842, 3790, 7055, 14190, 14260, 18145, 21190, 21295, 24950, 28490 and 50110 kHz

RTTY - 7040, 10140, 14090, 18100, 21080, 24920, 28090 and 50290 kHz

BPSK - 7038, 10137, 14071, 21070, 28120 and 50290 kHz

SSTV - 14232 kHz

Operators lined up will be: Alex/YV5SSB (Team Leader), Jose/YV5TX, Julio/YV1RDX, Rafael/YV5RED, Martti/OH2BH, Tomas/YV1CTE, Jesus/YV5MSG, Jose/YV5ANT, Olli/YV5WW (OH0XX), Greg/YV5OHW, Ray/YV5EU (DL2GG), Pasquale/YV5KAJ, Franco/YV1FM, Felo/YV5GRV, Jig/AD6TF and Conrad/IT9DAA (YV1CD). They are looking for sponsors/donors. More details are available on their Web page at: <http://yw0dx.4m5dx.org/> . QSL via IT9DAA.

DL9HCU (C21HC), Udo, made it off Nauru and is now QRV as T30HC from Tarawa, West Kiribati. Watch 14025 and 14183 after 0500Z. QSL via DL9HCU.

The Buddipole Users on Montserrat (BUMS) are making their final preparations for the lightweight DXpedition. Operations are planned for January 29 through February 6 2007. Seven operators: Budd Drummond (W3FF, VP2MFF), Chris Drummond (W6HFP, VP2MHF), B. Scott Andersen (NE1RD, VP2MRD), Mike Greenwood (KC4VG, VP2MVG), Paul Van Dyke (KB9AVO, VP2MVO), Bob Follett (AB7ST, VP2MST), and Tom Clarke (W4OKW, VP2MTC) will establish a two station operation at Gingerbread Hill, one SSB/CW and the other operating various data modes including PSK31 and RTTY. Several portable stations will be operated during the day from various interesting points on the island including the Montserrat Volcano Observatory, hilltops along hiking trails, and beaches using portable antennas, batteries, and solar power. DXpedition pilots supporting operation from their homes in the US are Dan Gagnon (WZ1P) and Dave Bushong (KZ1O). QSL contacts from all operators via NE1RD. Additional information on the operation,

including an on-line log, is available from the DXpedition web site at <http://www.dxpediton-vp2m.com> . Daily reports from the operation will be made through NE1RD's blog The 100 Pound DXpedition at <http://100pounddxpedition.blogspot.com> .

K0BJ, Bruce, is down in the Caribbean and now QRV as ZF2BJ, not ZF2CM, after several local problems in the Cayman Islands. Watch for him this weekend in the CQ 160 CW DX Contest and beforehand on the other bands. QSL via K0BJ.

CT3FN will be a multi-single effort this coming weekend in the CQ 160 CW DX Contest. Ops will be CT3FN, DJ8VC and HB9CQL. QSL via HB9CRV.

PA0VDV, Joeke, plans to be active from Bonaire Island as PJ4/PA0VDV, February 1 to February 18 2007.

2007 Visalia DX Convention
By W6YD, George Allan

As a previous Visalia DX Convention attendee, we thought you might be interested in some information about this year's event. It will be held on April 27, 28 & 29, 2007 at the usual place, the Visalia Holiday Inn and Convention Center in Visalia.

As of this writing, we're happy to say that the following presentations have already been confirmed and are in the program lineup:

DX Programs

5A7A - DXpedition to Libya by David Collingham - K3LP.
ZL8R - DXpedition to Kermadec Isl. by Mike Mraz - N6MZ .
KH8SI - DXpedition to Swain's Island by John Peters - K1ER.
VU7RG/Agatti - DXpedition to Lakshadweep by Paul Playford - W8AEF.
403T Activation of Montenegro by Martti Laine - OH2BH & possibly Ranko Boca - YT6A

Technical / Elmering Programs

"DXing from a City Lot" Antenna Discussions by Dean Straw - N6BV.
"Audio Reinforcement for Contests & DXing" by Chip Margelli - K7JA.
"Why Do We DX?" by Bob Locher - W9KNI.

We're pretty excited about this year's program lineup and we hope you are, too. Up to date information, along with a pre-registration form can be found on the Convention web site, which is;
<http://www.dxconvention.org> .

QSN

5H1Z - TANZANIA - West Coast US 40 meter ops reported this one via the longpath on 7012 at 1150Z. Watch for him on 40 SSB from 1800 to 2100Z and then on 40 CW from 0300 to 0430Z. QSL via F6AML.

9V1YV - SINGAPORE - James was first found by North American 40 meter CW ops via the longpath on 7021 around 2315Z and then up on SSB on 14195 at 0015Z today. QSL via N5ID.

A35RK - TONGA - Watch for Paul on 17 meters between 1900 and 2200Z. Also try 20 meters after 0300Z and 30 meters

between 0600 and 1715 (sunrise).

C56NN - THE GAMBIA - Jay was camped out on 14200 Wednesday between 2030 and 2230Z. QSL via M3UNN.

T32MO - EASTERN KIRIBATI - No activity from Mike and Jan yesterday as he was working on the radios. A35RK, Paul, says, "The K2 may need a new circuit board (the 100w amplifier section), and the Yaesu has a problem with the low-pass filter on 30 and 20 meters, but is OK on other bands." Mike still plans to do the CQ 160 CW Contest this weekend.

T88ME - PALAU - Likes 14185 after 0730Z. QSL via 7N1RTO.

VU7MY - LAKSHADWEEP - Stayed on 14046 yesterday after 1800Z with several VE7 stations making it into the log.

VU7RG - LAKSHADWEEP - RTTY ops from Iowa had an opening on 20 meters between 1340 and 1410Z.

XU7ACY - CAMBODIA - Peter had a good signal into the Pacific Northwest on 3503 around 1530Z yesterday.

XV2LC - VIETNAM - Mal was found on 14195 yesterday starting about 1015Z for the next hour or so. QSL via VK6LC.

YA/LY1Y - AFGHANISTAN - Topband ops reported Alex on 1817 beginning just before 2000Z until 2130Z.

ZD9BCB - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Brian made a surprise visit from Gough Island yesterday on 14220 around 19Z. QRX for the QSL info.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-030	ZD9BCB	14220	1905	EU-004	EC6UJ	7074	2223
AF-032	5H1Z	14260	0703	EU-023	9H4DX	7068	1948
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	7007	0201	EU-034	ES0IC	14080	0905
AN-016	KC4/K2ARB	14265	0217	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14283	0824
AS-011	VU7RG	3504	2212	OC-004	VK9ZLH	28490	0130
AS-020	BX5AA	14241	2319	OC-126	DU1/CT1EAT	14260	0607
AS-106	VU7MY	14260	1305	SA-046	PY7MV	3799	0158

PA3EXX, Johan Willemsen, will be operating from Rathbone Island (NA-243), part of Greenland's Coastal Islands North East, from August 21-24, 2007. Rathbone Island has been validated by G3KMA, Roger Balister, the IOTA manager, to count for NA-243. Johan has applied for an XP callsign. Due to the difficult weather conditions in this area Johan has a window for an extra four days of operation. He will be QRV on 40 meters and up, mostly SSB with some CW. QSL via PA3EXX.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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24-Jan	31-Jan	3W	XV2LC	VK6LC		11-016
24-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
24-Jan	29-Jan	5H	5H1C (AF-032)	F6AML		10-202
24-Jan	26-Jan	6O	6O0M	PA7FM		11-011
24-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011	10-236
24-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
24-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
24-Jan	28-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005
24-Jan	29-Jan	C5	C56NN			11-011
24-Jan	29-Jan	CU	CU/OH2BH CU/OH8NC	home calls		11-010
24-Jan	26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p (NA-107)	F5LOW		11-001
24-Jan	28-Jan	FM	FM/F6CMH (NA-107)	F6CMH		11-011
24-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
24-Jan	26-Jan	GJ	MJ0AWR (EU-013)	K2WR		11-001
24-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
24-Jan	26-Jan	HS	E21EIC/8			11-014
24-Jan	28-Jan	I	II0BH	IK0IZW		11-011
24-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
24-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
24-Jan	25-Jan	JT	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW		10-234
24-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
24-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
24-Jan	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ KP2/KI7VR	G4OOR		11-005
24-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
24-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
24-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
24-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
24-Jan		T30	T30HC (OC-017)	DL9HCU		11-013
24-Jan		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016	011
24-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
24-Jan	24-Jan	VU7	VU7RG (AS-011)		11-005	10-217 188
24-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
24-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001
24-Jan	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA			11-016

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low. C-class flares are possible in Region 939.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

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The sunspot number for January 22, 2007 was 23.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5B/K3UY	RA3AUU	CN2FB	DK4VW	PJ2/W8WTS	W8WTS
9M2MRS	PA0RRS	EA8OM	DJ1OJ	T88ME	7N1RTO
9V1YC	N5ID	EA9EU	EA9AZ	V31JP	KA9WON
C56NN	M3UNN	KC4/K2ARB	K2ARB	XV2LC	VK6LC
CE1/K7CA	NW7O	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM	YT160SRS	YU1SRS

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 5K0Z, C6DX, E51PDX, E51PEN, E51YAQ, EA6SX, KH8SI, MD4K, VU7LD, ZL8R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: JT1CO, ZS1RBN

On The WWW

Soon we may no longer be hearing the Canadian Time Station CHU on 7.335 MHz. Details can be found at http://inms-ienm.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/time_services/shortwave_broadcasts_e.html . Comments can be sent to radio.chu@nrc.gc.ca .

Correction

In yesterday's issue 9J2BO was listed as Mark. His name is Brian.

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DX News

During the ARRL BOD meeting this past weekend ARRL COO WJ1B, Harold Kramer, announced to the board several organizational changes at ARRL Headquarters, which took effect Monday January 22nd. "Most functions of the former Membership Services Department and Field and Educational Services will be combined into a single unit, tentatively called the Programs and Services Department." NN1N, Dave Patton will head up this position and W3IZ, Norm Fusaro, will be the assistant manager. KA1RWY, Kathy Allison, has been moved over to LOTW. Complete details can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/3xd7xp> .

Good news from the T32MO station on Fanning Island (OC-084), East Kiribati. KM9D, Mike, now has the old FT-900 working with 100 watts on 10 through 160 meters. They took the rig ashore yesterday and KF4TUG, Jan, has been QRV on SSB and Mike on CW. He was working on the 160 meter construction yesterday and says "with confidence" he will be QRV on Topband for the contest this weekend. Mike was able to get the vertical section of the 160 meter inverted L erected. He was on 30 and 40 over night. QSL via OM2SA.

Look for F6HMJ, Jacques, to be QRV from Senegal as 6W/F6HMJ from February 9th to March 13th. He will be active on 10 through 80 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via F6HMJ.

F5PAC, Joel, is heading back to Sri Lanka where he will be QRV as 4S7PAG from February 2-22. Plans are to be on the main island except for on the 10th and 11th when he will be on from AS-171. Joel will be running an FT-897 and verticals for 17 and 20 meters. QSL via F5PAC.

HZ1GW (GW0RHC), Ken, is hoping to be QRV this weekend on Topband in the CQ 160 CW DX Contest. He will be running a KW into a dipole at 50 meters and possibly using a beverage, if the baluns that N7DD, Larry, arrive on time. QSL via GW0RHC.

K4ZW (JT1/K4ZW, JT1ZW), Ken, is now on his way home from Mongolia. He made one last run on 160, 80 and 40 meters last night. Ken says, "Sadly 160 has been pretty much a bust as a result of the BY QRM." Ken reports that JT1CO and JT1BV are now set up on LOTW. Chak's first log had about 27,000 QSOs, resulting in some 3,700 confirmations. Over the next few weeks Chak expects to upload his contest logs. Ken uploaded his JT1/K4ZW logs and plans to do the same for his JT1ZW logs. "Despite the lack of success on 160, I still had a great time with the guys here. This really is the greatest hobby", says Ken.

A group of Japanese YLs will put on the JLRS 50th commemorative DXpedition from Palau using the call T80J from January 26-29. 7K3EOP, Nori, one of the ops, will listen for US stations around 2130Z on January 26, 27, 28 and 29 around 14250 or 21250 MHz.

During the CQ WW 160 CW DX Contest this weekend look for BA4RF, David, to be QRV with a 40 meter high vertical.

ST2A/T98A, Jovica; ST2BF/EA4BB, Fernando; and ST2R/S57DX, Slavko; will participate as a Multi-Single in this coming weekend's CQ 160 Meter CW Contest as ST2A. Tomorrow before the contest you can expect ST2R/S57DX, Slavko, to be active on 160 meters. Also ST2A, Jovica, and ST2BF, Fernando, plan to do their best to be active on 160 meters for the rest of the low bands season on their weekends (Thu/Fri and Fri/Sat nights). QSL ST2A via T93Y, ST2BF via W3HNC and ST2R via S57DX.

NE8Z, Rick, reports that HC1HC, Alfredo, plans to be on this weekend in the CQ 160 contest.

QRZ DX reports N4ISV, Dick, is on a temporary assignment in Iraq and is expected to be QRV as YI9SV on SSB and CW on 20 meters until the end of March. QSL via N4JR either direct or via the bureau.

Silent Key

QRP enthusiast KL7R, MICHAEL S CAUGHRAN, died in a car accident on Monday January 22nd. He and his family were on vacation on Kauai, Hawaii on vacation. Mike's wife Jacquelyn and son Sean were also in the rental car and only suffered minor injuries. Mike was 51 years old. Details found at <http://tinyurl.com/3dchq9> .

QSN

YA/LY1Y - AFHANISTAN - US 40 meter CW ops from TX, NM, CO and UT were working Alex via the long path on 7003 from 1330 to 1430Z yesterday.

IOTA

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AF-032	5H1Z	7055	1806	EU-023	9H4DX	3790	1955
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AS-011	VU7RG	21015	0451	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14260	0931
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14006	0822	EU-124	MW0UTD/P	14255	1545
AS-106	VU7MY	14045	1443	NA-015	CO8LY	7178	0253
EU-004	EC6UJ	7074	1817	SA-046	PY7MV	14195	2000

IOTA frequencies -

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SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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25-Jan	28-Jan	FM	FM/F6CMH (NA-107)	F6CMH		11-011
25-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
25-Jan	26-Jan	GJ	MJ0AWR (EU-013)	K2WR		11-001
25-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
25-Jan	26-Jan	HS	E21EIC/8			11-014
25-Jan	28-Jan	I	II0BH	IK0IZW		11-011
25-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
25-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
25-Jan	25-Jan	JT	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW		10-234
25-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
25-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
25-Jan	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ KP2/KI7VR	G4OOR		11-005
25-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
25-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
25-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
25-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
25-Jan		T30	T30HC (OC-017)	DL9HCU	11-018	013
25-Jan		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016	011
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AI			11-004
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AO			11-004
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88CY			11-004
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88OP			11-004
25-Jan	26-Jan	VK	Australia Day			11-015
25-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
25-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: JT1CO, JT1ZW, P40W, SM3FBM

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DX News

In celebration of the 75th anniversary of the Irish Radio Transmitters Society (IRTS), Ireland's IARU society, members of IRTS will be putting on a DXpedition to Swaziland starting March 16th through the 25th. Team members include EI7CC, Peter; EI8CE, Aidan; EI8BFB, Paddy; EI4DJ, David; EI4DJB, Rory; EI3GV, Brendan; GI4VIV, Pete; and EI2CA, Paul. They do not know their callsigns at the moment; however they will be published as soon as they are known. The team has a Web page at <http://www.irts.ie/afri75>

Spaceweather.com reports "Yesterday, something on the far side of the sun exploded, hurling a bright coronal mass ejection (CME) into space. This is the second day in a row that a CME has rocketed into view from behind the sun's eastern limb." You can see what happened on January 24th at <http://tinyurl.com/3dcpqy> and January 25th <http://tinyurl.com/3cv6bh>. "An active sunspot must be lurking just around the corner. It should appear in a few days when the sun's rotation carries that part of the sun into view. Stay tuned for solar activity."

OH2PM, Pertti, sent an SMS saying he would be QRV this weekend in the CQ 160 Contest from Montenegro as 403M. He'll be single-op hi-power. Pertti is grateful for the locals who were able to help him set up the station.

Those going to the Jackson Hamfest this weekend will want to bring your DXCC cards, including those older than ten years and the 160 cards, as KC5LK, John Bergman, and N5ZM, Earl Smith, will be checking QSLs with the help of at least one (NN1N, Dave Patton) ARRL League official.

Several have reported their QSOs have disappeared from the on-line log search for VU7RG. They were there one day and then gone a few days later. I spoke to N1DG, Don, one of the pilot stations, who confirmed this did happen as one of the teams were able to upload the logs directly from the island, instead of someone back in Germany doing so. Not to worry as the logs are safe on the computers. Also several have reported working the VU7RG team on RTTY and not seen their QSOs in the on-line logs. I'll talk with N1DG over the weekend to get the story. I'm sure it is nothing to worry about.

NG3K reports the following 160 meter activity is planned for the CQ 160 CW Contest this weekend.

Call	DXCC	Class	QSL	Notes
3W3W	Vietnam	MO HP	OK1DOT Direct	XV1X 3W9JR
401A	Serbia	MO	YU1EXY	YU1XX YZ1BX YT1XX YU1EW
9A1P	Croatia	MO		9A1UN, 2CW, RD, 5CW,
8WW				
9A7T	Croatia	MO	9A2EU	9A2EU 9A2NO 9A4M 9A5MR
CN2A	Morocco	MO	DK4VW	RV2FW UA2FB UA2FF
CU2A	Azores	SO	OH2BH	OH2BH
ER0FEO	Moldova	SO	UU0JM	UR5FEO
ES5Q	Estonia	MO	ES5RY	ES5TV ES5RY
EY8MM	Tajikistan	SO HP	K1BV	EY8MM
GJ2A	Jersey	SO HP	K2WR	K2WR
HQ9R	Honduras	SO	N6FF	WQ7R
I4EAT	Italy	MO	I4EAT Bureau	I4EAT, IKW, AVG, EWH + op's
IK1YDB	Italy	MO	IK1YDB	IK1HJS, QBT, YDB IZ1GAR
LX7I	Luxembourg	MO	LX2A	DL4SDW DL8SCG LX2A
MD4K	Isle of Man	MO	G3NKC	G3NKC G4MJS G4XUM
OH5Z	Finland	MO	Bureau	team
OH0Z	Aland Islands	MO	W0MM	OH1JT OH1RX OH2JA OH5DX
OM7M	Slovakia	MO	OM3PA	LBCC
OM8A	Slovakia	MO	OM2VL	OM2VL OM3BH + others
OP5T	Belgium	SO LP	ON5UM	ON5UM
P33W	Cyprus	SO	RA3AUU	RA3AUU
PJ2T	Neth.Antilles	MO	N9AG	K8ND W8WTS
ST2A	Sudan	MO	T93Y	T98A EA4BB S57DX
T93J	Bosnia	SO	OE1EMS	OE1EMS
TA2RC	Turkey	SO LP	TA2RC Bureau	TA2RC
TA3D	Turkey	SO	TA3D	TA3D
VK3EGN	Australia	SO	VK3EGN Bureau	VK3EGN
VK6VZ/6	Australia	SO	VK6VZ	VK6VZ
VP8/LZ1UQ	S.Shetlands	SOLP	LZ1UQ	LZ1UQ
VP9I	Bermuda	SO	N1HRA	WA4PGM
VQ9LA	Chagos	SO	VQ9LA	VQ9LA
VY2/N3DXX	Canada	SO	N3DXX	N3DXX
XU7ACY	Cambodia	SO	K2NJ	NO2R
ZL6QH	New Zealand	MO	ZL6QH Bureau	ZL2BSJ ZL1AZE;

W9RPM, John, reminds everyone that he is teaming up with KA9FOX, Scott in trying to get 5A1A/DL1AL, Abubaker Assid, to come to Dayton. Financial support is requested as Abubaker is currently going to school in Germany. Donations can be sent to John Kjos, W9RPM, 2723 East Burr Oak Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin, 54601, USA. Make out the check to John Kjos. All donations will be promptly refunded, he says, if 5A1A is not able to make it after all.

Members of the Agatti Island VU7RG team left the island on January 25th due to the boat schedule. They made it back safely to Cochin, India.

It looks as if the recent activity from the South Orkney Islands will not count for DXCC. LU4DXU, Henry, tells NE8Z, Rick, "In response to all of the information that I received and also appearing on the internet pertaining to LU2ERA/Z: I want to tell you that I never announced this operation from South Orkney. Everyone knows that the South Orkney Base is one of the most needed DXCC Entities. When I saw that Hugo was there I suggested him to be on the air without knowing that he never went to renew his LU2ERA license and lost it. This callsign has now been issued to another individual. As soon I received this information I spoke with him to cancel the operation. All QSL cards received will be returned to the sender. Mistakes happen and I hope that Hugo eventually renews his license and is able to activate such rare Bases in the near future. PLEASE DO NOT SEND

QSL CARDS FOR THIS OPERATION." LU2ERA/Z, Hugo, has not been reported since late on January 14th!

W8GEX, Joe, gives some news for 60 Meter DXers. LA9VDA, Trond, has been operating LA6Q the last few nights. WO4DX/KH6 supposedly finished his operation today. YT6A, Ranko, is expected up tonight around 2300Z. VP2MFF (W3FF), Bud, hopes to be able to operate next week. W9IU/J7, Don, will be QRV from February 10-20 and hopes to be able to operate on 60.

TA2RC, Ozer, is expected to be QRV this weekend in the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest. QSL via the bureau or direct.

K3CT and K3TEJ will be active from St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands as KP2/K3CT and KP2/K3TEJ from February 14-21. QSL via their home calls direct. They will also be active as WP2Z in the ARRL CW DX Contest. QSL WP2Z via KU9C.

QSN

BA4RF - CHINA - Multiple Topband ops heard David's signal yesterday during the 10, 11, 12 and 13Z hours. Unfortunately it seems David was having problems hearing those calling.

EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - Yesterday North American 80 meter CW ops worked Nodir via the long path. W6XK, Chet, in California, was one of them. He did it at 1349Z for his last zone. Congrats Chet!

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-032	5H1Z	10105	1454	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14253	0919
AS-004	5B4AHJ	7009	1531	EU-114	MP1SWL	7092	1648
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14166	1058	EU-115	GI0HWO	7036	1747
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14190	0852	NA-015	CO2CW	14245	2232
AS-106	VU7MY	14260	1116	OC-084	T32MO	18122	1915
EU-018	OY9JD	1820	0238	SA-046	PY7MV	7050	0039
EU-036	LA7WNA	14208	1333	SA-068	8R1AK/P	3798	0518
EU-054	IF9ZWA	3786	2120				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
26-Jan	26-Jan	3D2	3D2AD			11-004
26-Jan	31-Jan	3W	XV2LC	VK6LC		11-016
26-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
26-Jan	29-Jan	5H	5H1C (AF-032)	F6AML		10-202

26-Jan	26-Jan	6O	6O0M	PA7FM	11-011
26-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011 10-236
26-Jan	31-Jan	9G	IK2BTI		11-006
26-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS	10-226
26-Jan	28-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-005
26-Jan	29-Jan	C5	C56NN	M3UNN	11-011
26-Jan	26-Jan	CN	CN2FW CN2FB CN2FF	DK4VW	11-013
26-Jan	29-Jan	CU	CU/OH2BH CU/OH8NC	home calls	11-010
26-Jan	28-Jan	EY	EY8MM	K1BV	11-016 006
26-Jan	26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p (NA-107)	F5LOW	11-001
26-Jan	28-Jan	FM	FM/F6CMH (NA-107)	F6CMH	11-011
26-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE	11-010
26-Jan	26-Jan	GJ	MJ0AWR (EU-013)	K2WR	11-001
26-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR	11-014
26-Jan	26-Jan	HS	E21EIC/8		11-014
26-Jan	28-Jan	I	II0BH	IK0IZW	11-011
26-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI	10-239
26-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau	11-003
26-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002 001
26-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217 203 202
26-Jan	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ KP2/KI7VR	G4OOR	11-005
26-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
26-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM	10-223
26-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR	11-011
26-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
26-Jan		T30	T30HC (OC-017)	DL9HCU	11-018 013
26-Jan		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016 011
26-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T80J		11-019 004
26-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AI		11-004
26-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AO		11-004
26-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88CY		11-004
26-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88OP		11-004
26-Jan	26-Jan	VK	Australia Day		11-015
26-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005 10-217 188
26-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004 10-208
26-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006 001
26-Jan	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA		11-016
27-Jan	28-Jan	3W	3W3W	OK1DOT	11-014
27-Jan	28-Jan		BA4RF	BA4RF	11-019
27-Jan	28-Jan	CN	CN2A	DK4VW	11-013
27-Jan	28-Jan	CT3	CT3FN	HB9CRV	11-018
27-Jan	28-Jan	CU	CU2A	OH2BH	11-010
27-Jan	28-Jan	EA6	EA6BF	EA6BF	11-013
27-Jan	28-Jan	GD	MD4K	G3NKC	11-016
27-Jan	28-Jan	GJ	GJ2A (EU-013)	K2WR	11-001
27-Jan	28-Jan	HC	HC1HC		11-019
27-Jan	28-Jan	HR	HR2DMR	HR2DMR	11-017
27-Jan	28-Jan	HZ	HZ1GW	GW0RHC	11-019
27-Jan	28-Jan	LX	LX7I	LX2A	11-016
27-Jan	28-Jan	OH0	OH0Z	W0MM	10-223
27-Jan	28-Jan	ST	ST2A	T93Y	11-019
27-Jan	28-Jan	TA	TA2RC	TA2RC	11-016
27-Jan	28-Jan	VP9	VP9I	N1HRA	11-006
27-Jan	28-Jan	VQ9	VQ9LA		11-016
27-Jan	28-Jan	YI	YI9CC/5		11-011
27-Jan	28-Jan	ZF	ZF2BJ	K0BJ	11-018 011
27-Jan	28-Jan		CQ WW 160 CW Contest		
27-Jan	28-Jan		YT3B	UA3AB	11-011
28-Jan	5-Feb	C6	C6AWS		11-001
29-Jan	5-Feb	CE	XR7C (SA-018)	CE6AMN	11-001 10-209
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MFF VP2MHF (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018 10-237
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MRD VP2MTC (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018 10-237
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MST (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018 10-237

29-Jan 6-Feb VP2M VP2MVG VP2MVO (NA-103) NE1RD 11-018 10-237

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be low with a chance for isolated M-class activity from the approaching region on the east limb.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet today and Saturday. Unsettled to active conditions are possible on Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for January 25, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
4O3M	OH2PM	CN8SG	EA7FTR	T88YK	JN1WTK
5R8HG	DK2WV	CQ0ODX	CT2GZE	TI4CF	W3HMK
6Y1V	OH3RB	EY8MM	K1BV	UE3QKS	RN3QO
8Q7AK	G7GOD	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM	VE0CWL	VE1NB
A45WD	YO9HP	T30HC	DL9HCU	ZF2BJ	K0BJ
AX6HD	VK6HD	T80J	JR6XIX	ZY5100SCOUT	PY5CA
CN2FF	DK4VW				

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

Several have asked about the XF4DL QSL cards from the October/November 2006 DXpedition. There were two routes given. N6AWD is handling all of the Americas (North America, Central America and South America). DL9NDS is doing all the rest of the cards. XE2K, Hector tells us there is a delay with the QSL cards to the Americas. N6AWD has the envelopes and labels ready for all the direct requests, however he is still waiting for the QSL cards to arrive from Germany. N6AWD hopes to have the cards within the next 2-3 weeks and can then begin to reply. Please do not email N6AWD and ask "where are my QSLs" as this will only slow down the process. Hector thanks everyone for the patience and understanding.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4Z0J, 5A7A, C6ATA, C98BWW, E51PDX, VQ9LA, VU7LD, XX9C, ZL8R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4T750, 4U1WRC, 5B/AJ20, 5H1HS/1 (AF-063), 8Q7EX, 8R1RPN, AB2RF/6Y5, BD6IV, EA8/DJ5AA, EP4HR, HF0POL (00), SX6A, V47/AB2RF, ZA3/IZ7CTE

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: JT1CO, JT1ZW, S58P, SM0NZZ,

VE4EAR, VK9CGG, XE2WWW, ZL2IFB

On The WWW

Did you know Dilbert was a Ham? Check it out at
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1K9lxujiuAE>

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VU7RG went QRT at 1830Z January 24, which is 2400 local Indian time. In the nine days of operation from Agatti, Bangaram and Kadmat, 92,134 QSOs were logged. Organizers thank the "worldwide audience for [their] excellent behavior on the bands." Despite unfavorable propagation, VU2GMN says, a special effort was made to work North America. VU7MY is still active from Minicoy for another two days, through January 30. The logs will be put on line when the VU7MY ops get back to the mainland. That should be "sometime in February." `GMN says the final logs for VU7RG should have been sent to DL5NAM by now. VU7RG and VU7MY will have the same QSL route.

The Financial Times reports that Kosovo is "set to declare statehood in months." In a January 27th report, the Times says Kosovo will "declare independence in the next few months with the tacit backing of the EU and NATO, in an eight-year impasse on the status of the province." The Times says senior western diplomats say the EU and NATO countries will then recognize Kosovo as independent. Kosovo currently uses the YU8 prefix and, notes W3UR, "There aren't many of those on the air."

JA4ENL, Kanzi Takemasa, plans to visit The Sultanate of Brunei again, for a CW DXpedition March 8-12. He will operate all bands including 160, going where the propagation is best and the interest the greatest. QSL direct to JA4ENL with SAE and U.S. dollars preferred. He notes the best time to work North America is between 12-22Z on 80 and 40. 20M is good at 08Z to Hawaii and later to the West Coast. He will be using 50 watts to a ground plane and a dipole for 160. He will be operating from the shack of V85SS, Ambran, who is building a new hamshack behind his bungalow, with a bedroom that will accommodate three to four persons, a combination sitting room/radio room, a shower, and a kitchenette, for visiting DXpeditioners. It will be available for DXpeditions, contests or just vacations for a small daily rent that will include breakfast and shuttles to and from the airport. Licenses and importation permits for radios and antennas can also be taken care of for a small fee. It should be ready sometime in April.

K7ZZ, Tom, will be in the Marshall Islands February 12-19 where he'll be on the air with the V73ZZ callsign. He will be single operator all band in the ARRL DX CW contest. He'll be looking for 10M openings around 20Z. Before the contest he'll be spending a lot of time on the

WARC bands. QSL via K7ZZ, good in both QRZ.com and Buckmaster. C98APE and C98GLO will be the Mozambique callsigns for CT1APE and CT2GLO, Jose and Felipe, February 18-24. They will be on an island, IOTA AF-072, Bazaruto Island. They plan to be on "all bands and modes." Their e-mail is c98ape-c98glo@hotmail.com .

2U0WVG, Kevan, will be on from Guernsey March 19-23. You can e-mail him at poopsie219@hotmail.com to arrange a sked. Kevan's home callsign is 2E0WVG. He plans to be active on all HF bands.

Four Americans plan "a casual DX adventure down south," starting February 11. K9PET/VP8DJU, W3ASA/VP8DJV, W3WKO/VP8DKD and W3WKP/VP8DKG will sail with Lindblad Expeditions and stop in Antarctica, South Georgia, and the Falklands. Their XYLs will be going along too. Here's the itinerary:

February 11 depart Ushuaia
February 12-13 at sea
February 14-17 Antarctica
February 18 at sea
February 19 South Orkney
February 20-21 at sea
February 22-25 South Georgia
February 26-27 at sea
February 28-March 2 Port Stanley, Falkland Islands
March 3 at sea
March 4 return to Ushuaia and head home.

While in Antarctica they will sign their home call stroke KC4. Their plan is to spend most of their on-air time on 40, 20 and 15M, CW, SSB and PSK. Here's their web site: <http://www.casualdx.com/> .

3D2RN, Fiji, is on the air now with WB6JZY, Jack, operating. QSL via his home call. Jack is staying at a resort near Nadi, Fiji on Viti Levu Island, IOTA OC-016, until February 20th. He's using an Icom IC-7000 barefoot on 40-10M with a G5RV antenna.

A35RK, Paul, reports from the Pacific that KM9D, Mike, and girlfriend Jan are doing well operating on 160-15M. Mike planned on being in the 160M contest. And, T30HC has been active QRP from Tarawa and reports poor band conditions. Cyclone Arthur missed Rarotonga, so E51JD, Jim, is still QRV.

ZL2AOH, Ralph Sutton, reports from New Zealand that throughout February ZL6FF, the New Zealand FISTS Club station will be on the air with ZL3CED, Charlie, operating. The QSO is worth five points toward the FISTS awards including the "FISTS Down Under Award." 8Q7NC will be on from Angaga Island in the Maldives January 30-February 5. Angaga is IOTA AS-013. The operator, F6BGC, Noel, is calling it "a suitcase DXpedition," with 75 watts and a multi-band dipole. He plans to be on 40, 20, and 15. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

EA8/IK1PMR, Andrea, and EA8/IZ1GLO, Claudia, will be on CW and RTTY "holiday style" from the Canary Islands, AF-004, February 8 to March 8. They may get in the contests that happen during that period. They'll be low power. QSL via IK1PMR direct or bureau.

GB60TR will be a special U.K. callsign February 1-December 31 to mark the 60 years of the Torbay Amateur Radio Society. The actual anniversary is February 24th and on that day GB60TR will be on all day long, operating from the Society's headquarters in Newton Abbot,

Devon. At other times the callsign will be passed around to various of the club members to use from their home stations. QSL via the bureau or direct to G3LHJ.

J20M and J20R will be on from Moucha Island (IOTA AF-053), Djibouti, in East Africa February 1-15. Here are the planned frequencies:

BAND	SSB	CW	RTTY
10m	28450	28025	-
12m	24925	24895	-
15m	21295	21025	-
17m	18130	18080	18105
20m	14190	14025	14085
30m	-	10105	10140
40m	7050	7005	-
80m	3795	3505	-
160m	1840	1823	-

The operation's web site is <http://www.i2ysb.com/j2> . QSL to I2YSB direct or bureau.

J5BI will be on Bubaque Island, IOTA AF-020, Guinea Bissau, March 14-27. Operator F6BUM, Jack, plans to be using 100 watts and dipoles, 40-10M SSB with other modes by request. He will update his info at <http://www.f6bum.net> , click on the "Guinea Bissau" tab on the left. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

I0SNY, I5NOC and I8YGG, Nicola, Giampiero and Pino are going to Mongolia for some operating April 14-May 3. They will use the JT1Y callsign from Ulaanbaatar and will visit call areas 8, 9 and 0 with some of the JT1KAA club members. Look for them 160-10M CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY. QSL via I0SNY.

ZY5100SCOUT is what PY5CA, Maia, calls a "super special call." He'll be using it starting February 1 through the rest of the year to celebrate the 100th anniversary of scouting. QSL to Maia's home callsign.

UE3YAR will be on the air from Russia February 23-25 for Russian Army Day and the Armed Forces Amateur Radio Union activity program. QSL via RV3YR.

CE/LU1FAM, Lucas and possibly CE3/LU1FAM will be on from Chile March 1-5, including the ARRL DX SSB contest. He will be joined by CE4CT, Roberto, for that event and they'll use Roberto's callsign, multi-single. QSL CE3/LU1FAM via AC7DX and CE4CT via EA5KB.

TK/M0VPE, Iain, will be on from Corsica July 22-August 5, mostly on 20, 15 and 10M SSB. He will also be in the IOTA contest July 28-29. QSL via M0VPE's QRZ.com address.

Agalega licenses have been issued for 3B6/SP9MRO and SP6/SP9PT. Other ops going on the trip March 22-April 2 are SP3IQ, SP9BQJ, SP5BFX, and YL SP9SX, SWL SP9-31029 and SP5BFX's wife Basia, who will handle logistics and PR. They will not be on 6M. Organizers say they are raising money to help cover the large expense of the trip. Information on contributing can be found on the group's web site, <http://3b6.godx.eu> and SP9MRO, the team leader, can be reached at sp9mro@godx.eu .

The 2007 DXCC Honor Roll deadline is approaching. NC1L at the ARRL reminds us the deadline for submissions is March 31, to appear in August 2007 QST. There are currently 337 current entities on the DXCC

list. You must have all 337 for "Top of the Honor Roll" or within 10 of that number to be on the Honor Roll, so a minimum of 328. Deleted entities do not count toward Honor Roll. Plaques and lapel pins are available for Top of Honor Roll and Honor Roll. Go to www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc for the order form and fees.

The South Florida DX Association, SFDXA, has announced its officers for 2007. They are:

President: Ray Smolenski, N4RU
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9Q1EK - CONGO - 17M, 18074, at 2030Z Friday. 3505 a little later, the 22Z hour. And, 14025 at 20Z the day before. QSL via SM5DQC.

VK7GK - AUSTRALIA (TASMANIA) - Gerry was on 30M, 10109 at 2045Z Friday. This was the first time he was heard on the air since the 21st when he was on 7134 at 09Z and the 6th when he was on 18120 at 19Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-032	5H1Z	18074	1320	EU-034	ES0IC	14071	1015
AN-016	LU1ZAB	14188	0030	EU-128	DL4HG/P	10115	1345
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14012	2220	NA-051	VE7QRC	14260	2000
AS-106	VU7MY	7088	2350	NA-067	KE7HCA	14267	0045
EU-029	OZ2PBS	3787	1715	SA-008	LU8XW	18085	1230
EU-031	IC8OZM	10107	2210				

MM0OVL/P, Jon (M0OVL, home call) will be on Island of Mull in the Inner Hebrides July 27-29. This is EU-008. Jon will be on 80-10M and get into the IOTA contest. QSL via M0OVL at his QRZ.com address. Here's his web page: <http://www.2E0OVL.com> .

EU-011, St. Mary's Island, Isles of Scilly, is the destination for the Cray Valley Radio Society, for the IOTA contest. This will be their fourth trip to the island. Inclusive dates for their stay, July 24-August 2. Ops will be G4BUO, G4TSH, G0FDZ, G0VJG, G7GLW, M3CVN, and possibly others. They will use the M8C callsign in the IOTA event. Historically, the group gets on the WARC bands and 6M before the big IOTA event and signs stroke P or the club call, G3RCV/P. QSL via G4DFI for M8C and G3RCV/P.

OZ/DL8WOW, Jens, will on Bornholm Island, EU-030, August 5-17, 40-10M, mostly CW. He'll be using an FT-897, 100 watts. QSL to his home call.

VK6HZ, John, is going to OC-164, Rottnest Island, March 5-11. He will be on SSB and PSK, maybe some CW, "holiday style." He'll have his IC-7000 along. QSL to his home address.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
29-Jan	31-Jan	3W	XV2LC	VK6LC		11-016
29-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
29-Jan	29-Jan	5H	5H1C (AF-032)	F6AML		10-202
29-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011	10-236
29-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
29-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
29-Jan	29-Jan	C5	C56NN	M3UNN		11-011
29-Jan	5-Feb	C6	C6AWS			11-001
29-Jan	5-Feb	CE	XR7C (SA-018)	CE6AMN	11-001	10-209
29-Jan	29-Jan	CU	CU/OH2BH CU/OH8NC	home calls		11-010
29-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
29-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
29-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
29-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
29-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
29-Jan	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ KP2/KI7VR	G4OOR		11-005
29-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
29-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
29-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
29-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
29-Jan		T30	T30HC (OC-017)	DL9HCU	11-018	013
29-Jan		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016	011
29-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T80J		11-019	004
29-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AI			11-004
29-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AO			11-004
29-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88CY			11-004
29-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88OP			11-004
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MFF VP2MHF (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MRD VP2MTC (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MST (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
29-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MVG VP2MVO (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
29-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
29-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
29-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001
29-Jan	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA			11-016
31-Jan	14-Feb	EA8	EA8/GM4CXP			11-014
31-Jan	10-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-011	006
31-Jan	10-Feb	XU	XU7XRO XU7DXX	M5AAV	11-011	006
1-Feb	5-Feb	5W	by YT1AD			11-004
1-Feb	15-Feb	J2	J20M J20R (AF-053)	I2YSB		10-210
1-Feb	1-Feb	KH8	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD	11-004	10-212
1-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV			11-018
2-Feb	9-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
2-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7W0JAW	DB1JAW		10-236
2-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7W0MH	DK5MH		10-236
2-Feb	4-Feb	LU	LQ0D (SA-021)	LU7DSY		11-013
3-Feb	13-Feb	1S	DX0JP		11-016	006 10-238
3-Feb	10-Feb	VP5	VP5/K4UP	K4UP		11-010

3-Feb	3-Feb W	W4MOT/4 (NA-141)	W4MOT	11-009
3-Feb	22-Feb ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be low to very low through midweek.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/> .

QSL Info

K4VUD, Charles Harpole, also known as HS0ZCW, has answered all the QSL requests that had come in and is now totally up to date. He says about one percent of those who have requested have contacted him saying they haven't gotten the QSL. He tells them to resubmit with an SAE but without dollars enclosed, to his Thailand address for HS0ZCW on QRZ.com:

P.O. Box 1, Nakhon Chaisi
Nakhon Pathom 73120
Thailand

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On The WWW

You can read an article on the VU7LD ARSI December, 2006 Dxpediton to Lakshadweep on the Clipperton DX Club web page, <http://www.cdxc.org/dxp/2006-VU7LD/vu7ld-e.htm> . The Clipperton group is one of the VU7LD sponsors.

ON6TT, Peter, is on sabbatical and is writing some stories about his travels, people he's met and situations he's encountered, many of these "in the background of" expeditions like FO0CI, AH1A, VK0IR, 3Y0PI and operations as D2TT, 5X1TT, YA5T, AP2ARS and YU8/ON6TT. In blog format they can be found at <http://theroadtothehorizon.blogspot.com/> .

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DX News

Today is T30HC's (DL9HCU), Udo, last day on Tarawa, West Kiribati. He will be heading next to Fiji on Wednesday, where he will be for three to four days. While in 3D2 he will work on making arrangements for transportation to Tuvalu (T2).

VK7ZO was reported active on January 28th. This station is a pirate as it is not in the Australian ACMA on-line database.

During the CQ World Wide WPX RTTY Contest, February 10th and 11th, Spanish operators will activate special call EF8A from Las Palmas, Canary Islands. Ops will include EB1ISN, EA2RY, EC4DX, EC8ABQ and EA8AUW. They will be doing a multi-two.

AC8W, Stan, and K8DD, Hank, will be in Cartagena, Colombia signing HK1/AC8W and HK1/K8DD between February 14th and 21st. During the ARRL CW DX Contest they will do a multi-single. They have not chosen a call yet. QSL via their home calls.

Correction

Our apologies to VU2GMN, NIAR and ARSI, on the faulty attribution in the VU7 story. In writing the story, I misunderstood the information we had received and attributed the quotations to VU2GMN. He has made it clear to us that these statements did not come from him. We understand that these organizations are quite separate and distinct, making this sort of error particularly troublesome. We sincerely apologize and we are looking into this further to see how the misunderstanding occurred. - Rich, KE3Q

Silent Keys

G3WQU, Peter McKay, passed away in his home in Tyre, South Lebanon on Sunday January 28th. S53R, Robert Kasca, has known Peter since 1993 when they worked together at a UN post in Jerusalem. The two later joined forces in '99 in Beit Jalla, Palestine (E4) for the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest. Peter had been active with different call signs in the past from S0, E4, 4X, 4W and OD. His last duty station with United Nations was in Lebanon.

HH7PV, Patrick de Verteuil, died of a heart attack on January 13, 2007. He lived on Haiti for some 34 years giving many their first QSO with HH. Six meter ops will no doubt remember working him on the "Magic Band". There is a tribute to him at <http://www.haitipartage.org/Patrick.html> .

K2GM, David Rosen, passed away of brain cancer. Back in the mid sixties Dave was one of the main ops of the K2GL (later N2AA) multi-multi station. He was the engineer of their first multi-op effort in 1958, which beat each of the single band efforts that year. This was the beginning of the multi-multi category. Dave was also involved in the early 4U1UN years.

SM4SET, Dag Jacobsson, succumbed to cancer. He was a serious DXer with 332/337 (current/delete) credited DXCC Entities at the ARRL DXCC Desk. Dag was also very active in the IOTA and Scottish Island programs. He was 71 years old. Dag leaves behind his XYL Gunnel and daughters Pia and Lena. RIP OM!

QSN

5H1Z - TANZANIA - Serge went QRT yesterday around 2005Z after making 4,295 QSOs. He is now on his way home. QSL via F6AML.

A45WD - OMAN - Was found on 7005 yesterday around 0330Z.

KH8/N9YU - AMERICAN SAMOA - Operator Dragon was operating YT1AD's station. They are working with AH8LG, Larry, on the April trip to Swains Island (KH8/S). They should be there until February 1st. The two are going next to Samoa (5W), from February 1-5, and then Fiji (3D2) before heading home. QSL via YT1AD.

T32MO - EAST KIRIBATI - Mike starts up on 80 and 160 around 0500Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	14191	2300	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14255	0750
AS-015	9M2MRS	7006	2250	EU-129	DO5UH/P	3778	1720
AS-106	VU7MY	14260	1925	OC-046	FO5JV	14117	1653
EU-004	EA6AZ	7055	1838	OC-084	T32MO	7014	1303
EU-019	R1FJT	18069	0902	SA-018	XR7C	14208	2156

Look for F5SGI, Jean-Marc, to be active as F5SGI/p from Groix Island (EU-048) from April 7 to 13. He will be QRV on the HF bands mostly CW. QSL via F5SGI, either direct or via the French REF-Union QSL bureau.

IOTA frequencies -
 CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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30-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011	10-236
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30-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
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30-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88CY			11-004
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30-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001
30-Jan	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA			11-016

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low with a slight chance for an isolated M-class event from Region 940.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active today through Thursday. Isolated minor to major storm periods are possible today and Wednesday due to the coronal hole high-speed stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for January 28, 2007 was 13.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3W3W	OK1DOT	CO8LY	EA7ADH	PJ2T	N9AG
3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	CT1APE	W3HNC	R1AND	RU1ZC
5B4AGM	W3HNC	CX1JJ	EA5KB	R1FJM	RX3MM
5H3VMB	UA4WHX	EK3GM	IK2QPR	R1FJT	UA4RC
6H1SDK	XE1SDK	EK6LP	IK2DUW	SU9HP	SC6A
6H1TD	XE1TD	ER0FEO	UR5FEO	T30HC	DL9HCU
6Y1V	OH3RB	EY8MM	K1BV	TC5C	W4JS
8P2K	KU9C	GD3NKC	G3NKC	TM7Z	F5CWU
9Q1EK	SM5DQC	HC2SL	EA5KB	VK6BN	EA7FTR
A22/JA4ATV	JA4ATV	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD	VP9I	N1HRA
A45WD	YO9HP	KP2ZZ	G4OOC	YI9TU	N2OO
AX2APG	VK2APG	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	YN4SU	TI4SU
AX3SX	VK3SX	MD4K	G3NKC	YT3B	UA3AB
C4M	W3HNC	ON60EKO	ON4EKO	Z22JE	K3PD
CN2A	DK4VW	P33W	RA3AUU	ZF2BJ	K0BJ

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 5A7A, 5B/DL7ZG, 5N6EAM, 6Y1V, 6Y3R, A22/JA4ATV, A61Q, C52T, C53M, C56R, E51APX, E51NOU, E51PDX, E51PEN, E51YAQ, EI9FN, EI9JF, EP4HR, EX8MLE, F5TLN/TU8, FG5DH, GI0KOW, GJ7DNI, J5UAF, JA9IAX/JD1 (1990), JD1AMA, JW4GHA, KH8Q, LZ2JE, OK2RZ, OX3XR, PJ7/K4UJ, PY2PA, R1MVC, RK2FWA, ST2A, SV1JG, SV2AVP, TZ6LF, V51AS, VP5X, VP8CMH/MM, VP8LP, VP8ROT (AN-001), VP8SGK, VP9KF, VU7LD, ZK2PX, ZL8R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: EY8MM, FS/KN5G, GM3POI, GM4WZL, JT1CO, LY3W, OE2S, OE8SKQ, PJ2/W9VA, PS7DX, RX6AX, S50U, SP9W, UA3SAQ, VK9CGG, VP2VVV, ZL2IFB

On The WWW

60 meter ops might want to book mark this site - http://netronic.mysite.wanadoo-members.co.uk/freqs_canada.htm

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DX News

G3TXF, Nigel Cawthorne, says he has had enough of the winter gloom and is ready to get back to the warmth and the sound of the pileup. Starting next week he is heading to the Indian Ocean where he will be operating as 3B9/G3TXF from Rodrigues Island (AF-017). He will be operating from the same QTH as the April 2004 3B9C DXpedition. Look for activity on 10 through 80 meters CW only between February 7th and 13th. Nigel has a Web page at http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/3B9_G3TXF/3B9.html . QSL via G3TXF.

TU5KG (ex FT5WL and FT5XP), Gildas, is heading back south to the southern Indian Ocean on a new work assignment. He has received new calls to be used for 2007. He has been issued FT5XQ (for Kerguelen Island) and FT5WM (for Crozet Island) and can use either of those calls while Maritime Mobile as FT5XQ/MM or FT5WM/MM. F4EFI, Gwenael, says Gil will be "QRV until February 15 as FT5XQ/MM" and "after FT5WM/MM until March 15". He is hoping to be on land at Port aux Francais on March 14. Gil is also expected to be on from Reunion Island as FR/TU5KG from April 15 and then returning to France. QSL via F4EFI, either direct or via the bureau.

Tomorrow G4JVG (XU7DXX), Steve, G300K (XU7XRO), John, and SM5GMZ (XU7ADI), Pete, will begin their operation from Cambodia. They'll be on all bands, all modes and modes between through February 10th. On the 11th, Pete will continue to operate for another week from Sihanoukville, southern Cambodia.

W9RE, N5OT, W4OC and N4GG will be QRV as HP1/home call from February 13-20 from Contadora Island (NA-072) in the Pearl Islands of Panama. During the ARRL CW DX Contest look for HP1XX. HP1/N4GG will be concentrating on 160 and 80 before and after the contest.

UA6JR/3, Sergey, will be heading back to Guinea around February 12th and will be QRV as 3XM6JR. He also plans to be QRV from IOTA AF-096 as 3XM6JR/p in mid-March.

AA4V, Steve, will be QRV as KH6/AA4V from Hawaii starting February 8 through March 8. He'll be on the big island and plans to operate both modes of the ARRL DX Contest.

KH6CD, Wah How "Howie" Lee, became one of only five Amateur Radio DXers who sit at the 390 (or above) level in DXCC. Howie just achieved 390 and joins W0BW, Bob (390); W2BXA, Ben (391); W7KH, John

(392); and K6ZO, Ed (393)! Not bad considering that with deletes the maximum anyone can achieve today is 395! There are currently 337 and 58 deletes. Congrats to Howie for entering the "390 Club"

W9VNE, Jim, will be signing the rarely used VQ5 prefix this weekend for a 48 hour period. His main focus is to participate in the FOC Marathon (a member's only event) on CW. He knows that some prefix hunters will want to exchange reports too. So Jim will be pleased to give any prefix hunter a report from VQ5FOC. Operation starts late Friday afternoon at 2100Z until 2100Z on Sunday. Jim will be operating from the QTH of VP5JM, Jody (<http://www.vp5jm.com>). The FOC Marathon is the annual on the air event for the First Class CW Operators Club (FOC) <http://www.firstclasscw.org.uk/>. There are members throughout the world on all continents. The exchange for members is their membership number. QSL via W9VNE, Box 54482, Cincinnati, Ohio 45254 USA.

Silent Key

Yesterday we reported K2GM, Dave Rosen, passed away. Some will remember Dave was also VQ1DR from the deleted country of Zanzibar. He was also the son of the prominent SSB DXer WA2RAU, Doc Rosen.

Montenegro - 403T QSL Cards By OH2BH, Martti Laine

The last problem QSLs were sorted out this past week and should reach hungry DXers latest by the 15th of February. Over the next ten months the direct QSLing phase will continue through sub-QSL managers and then by the end of 2007 the rest will be released for distribution via the worldwide bureau network.

It was also noted that an unknown volume of direct requests were lost in the postal system somewhere along the way.

You can obtain 403T QSLs direct as follows:

USA & Canada - John, N7CQQ
Japan & Asia - Martti, OH2BH
Europe and the rest of the world - Hans, PB2T

YT6A QSLs via YU1FW.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Look for Jacky on 40 CW just after 0200Z.
3Y9SDA - ANTARCTICA - Dag was down on SSB on 14135 starting about 1730Z. QSL via LA9SDA.
5H3VMB - TANZANIA - UA4WHX, Vladimir, is back on the air. Yesterday he was on 10103 between 1749 and 2145Z. QSL via UA4WHX.
7Q7BP - MALAWI - Topband ops look for Joe on or near 1814 starting about 0315Z for about 15 minutes.

AP2TN - PAKISTAN - Tariq can be found on 40 CW just before 14Z.
 VU7MY - LAKSHADWEEP - The all Indian team on Minicoy Island (AS-106) finished up their operation yesterday just after 1500Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	14014	2238	EU-175	CU3ABR	14070	1743
AS-106	VU7MY	14260	1440	NA-001	C6ALP	3800	2357
EU-023	9H4DX	7079	1827	NA-023	VP2VQ	14260	2256
EU-024	IS0UWS	14109	1337	OC-026	KH2/JE1JAC	7011	1357
EU-029	OZ2PBS	14263	1546	OC-045	KH8/N9YU	18140	1854
EU-029	OZ4ADP	14072	1024	OC-084	T32MO	3503	1230
EU-031	IC8OZM	7009	2159	SA-018	XR7C	21260	2131
EU-054	IF9ZWA	3788	2247	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14247	2033

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
31-Jan	1-Feb	3D	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-022
31-Jan	20-Feb	3D2	3D2RN	WB6JZY		11-021
31-Jan	31-Jan	3W	XV2LC	VK6LC		11-016
31-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
31-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011	10-236
31-Jan	5-Feb	8Q	8Q7NC (AS-013)	F6BGC		11-021
31-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
31-Jan	5-Feb	C6	C6AWS	W6SJ		11-001
31-Jan	5-Feb	CE	XR7C (SA-018)	CE6AMN	11-001	10-209
31-Jan	14-Feb	EA8	EA8/G4CXP (AF-004)			11-014
31-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
31-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
31-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
31-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
31-Jan	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ (NA-106)	G4OOR		11-005
31-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
31-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
31-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
31-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
31-Jan		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016	011
31-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MFF VP2MHF (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
31-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MRD VP2MTC (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
31-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MST (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
31-Jan	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MVG VP2MVO (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
31-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
31-Jan	10-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-011	006
31-Jan	10-Feb	XU	XU7XRO XU7DXX	M5AAV	11-011	006
31-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001
31-Jan	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA			11-016

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be low. There is a slight chance for an M-class event from Region 940.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active with a chance for minor storm periods today. Mostly unsettled conditions with isolated active periods are expected on Thursday and Friday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for January 29, 2007 was 27.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K6OF	UA3FDX	EX2M	W3HNC	VP2MRD	NE1RD
4L6AM	4Z5CU	FM1HN	K3PD	VP2MVO	NE1RD
6H1L	WA3HUP	GM1INK/P	G1INK	WH2D	K3UOC
7Q7MT	NU5O	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD	XR7C	CE6AMN
CO3VK	IZ8EBI	MJ0ASP	F5SHQ	YI9CC/5	OK1DOT
EI75IRTS	EI6HB	VP2MFF	NE1RD		

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Two weeks ago LZ1JZ, Tony, mailed the 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB QSLs to QSL Manager SM5DQC, Osten, who is still waiting for the mailman to deliver them. Osten hopes to have the cards any day now and will then begin answering all direct requests the same day received. 9Q1D and 9Q1TB are now in Kinshasa and 9Q1EK is on vacation South Africa for a few weeks.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3V8SF, 6W/RW3TN, B1HQ, B4EG, C21HC, E51PEN, FO/IT9EJW, FO/IT9YRE, GI0KOW, HB0/PA5MW, K7C, TI4CF, V26B, VP8LP, VQ9LA, XU7ABN, YX0LIX, ZK2PX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: VK9CGG

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DX News

I2YSB and company will be active today, probably late afternoon GMT. They will be operating from Moucha Island (AF-053), Djibouti through February 15th. All of their press and their Web site have proclaimed they will be operating with the calls J20M and J20R. One release made earlier today said they will be using J20RR for CW/RTTY and J20MM for SSB. Team members include I1HJT, IK2CIO, IK2CKR, IK1AOD, IK2DIA, I2YSB and IK2HKT. ISOVSG, Gianni, will be the pilot station for this operation and can be emailed at is0vsg@tin.it . The team will be operating three stations, two with amplifiers. For antennas they will have a 3 element Spiderbeam for 5 bands, a vertical for 30 and 40 meters, a Battle Creek Special for 80 and 160 meters, a two element SteppIR for five bands, a two element 30 meter beam, a vertical for 30, 40 and 80 meters and a 7 band vertical. They will also have two EWE antennas for receiving.

Here are the planned frequencies:

BAND	SSB	CW	RTTY
10m	28450	28025	-
12m	24925	24895	-
15m	21295	21025	-
17m	18130	18080	18105
20m	14190	14025	14085
30m	-	10105	10140
40m	7050	7005	-
80m	3795	3505	-
160m	1840	1823	-

The operation's web site is <http://www.i2ysb.com/j2> . QSL to I2YSB direct or bureau.

HA3AUI, Peter, is heading back to Africa at the end of the month. Activity will begin around February 25th until about April 30th or possibly longer. He will be operating very close to the Senegal/Guinea boarder as 6W2SC and J5UAP, depending on which side of the line. Peter will be on all bands, mostly digital with some SSB. He will soon have a Web page at <http://cqafrika.net> . QSL via HA3AUI.

IT9DAA, Conrad, reports the Venezuelan Military Navy expects to take the YW0DX Aves Island DXpedition team to the island and be QRV on February 5th. They should be there until February 11th or 12th.

ON7YK, Andre, is going to The Gambia for three weeks. He does not know his C56 callsign at this moment but plans to be QRV starting February 9th until early March. He will be operating on 10, 17, 20, 40 and 80 meters SSB using a TS2000 and running 100 watts into a dipole. Andre notes this is not a DXpedition. QSL via ON7YK.

Special call CE2P will be activated from Panul Lighthouse (ARLHS-073) by CE3FZL, Hector during weekends until the end of the month. Watch for activity on 10, 15, 20 and 40 meters SSB only. QSL via EA5KB.

60 Meter ops should look for GD3YUM, Martyn, to be QRV this coming Saturday night (possibly early Sunday GMT). VP2MFF, Budd, is expected there now through February 6th. K3MD/KP2, John, will try 60 meters during his February 13-20 trip to the US Virgin Islands. The upcoming J20m/J20R DXpedition from Djibouti may also try. Over the last few days there has been activity from YT6A, XE1KK, SV1ENX, CN8SG, YV5ABH and YS1CF.

Members of the Uppsala ARS (SK5DB) will be celebrating the 300th anniversary of the birth of Carl Linnaeus, the famous botanist, physician and zoologist. They will be using the call SC5L now through June 26th. An award will also be available; see details at <http://www.qrz.com/sc5l>. QSL via bureau. Those who prefer a direct request can be sent via SM5XSH (SE5S).

FSDXA ST. BRANDON (3B7) DXPEDITION - BULLETIN No. 3
By G3XTT, Don Field

Two members of FSDXA recently visited Mauritius to set up logistics for the September operation from St. Brandon (see previous press releases). We are pleased to say that all the necessary permits and licences are in hand, and a suitable ship has been located to take the team members and something like 6 tonnes of equipment to the island. There is still a lot to be done, but we are all looking forward to putting another rare one on the air.

DX MAGAZINE MOST WANTED SURVEY

The latest DX Magazine "Most Wanted" survey puts 3B6/7 at No.45 overall, but at a high 18th place on the US West Coast. Other rankings are: Europe 55th; Asia 47th; North America overall 40th; US Eastern 40th; US Central 63rd; US Mountain: 66th; Rest of World: 26th. Clearly this means we will make a particular effort to work US West Coast as well as ensuring we don't forget those "other" parts of the world (Africa, South America, VK/ZL, etc.).

COLVIN AWARD

FSDXA are delighted to announce that we have been selected to receive a Colvin award in respect of 3B7C. In notifying us of this award, Wayne Mills N7NG (while still at ARRL) said, "We are confident that the Five Star group will fill a need by making this country available to many who might not be able to get into the log of a more focused operation. Certainly, your past performances, particularly D68C, presage this result. And here's another thought. With the removal of the code requirement for all licensing in the US, coupled with earlier changes around the World, 3B7C could be the first DXpedition to focus on those operators who are not as capable with Morse. Who can reject the new HF amateur who is trying to build on his desire to improve his CW capability? This is not a new phenomenon, but recent changes in licensing requirements certainly present an opportunity for major DXpeditions to spend (and promote spending) significant time, perhaps

near the end of the operation, catering to those whose CW capabilities are less than we might like. Such a campaign would be another ground-breaking effort by the FSDXA" Needless to say, the 3B7C team is only to happy to comply with this request, which is entirely in keeping with our philosophy of making new ones available to as wide a constituency of amateurs as possible. We will ensure, once we are on the island, that we publicise our operating schedules such that inexperienced CW operators can maximize their chances of a contact.

SPONSORS

As well as the Colvin award, we are delighted to announce that NCDXF (Northern California DX Foundation) and the UK's CDXC (Chiltern DX Club, the UK DX Foundation) have recently come on board with sponsorship. But further sponsorship is still required to make this very large scale operation possible. Details appeared in previous press releases or can be obtained from the author.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Yesterday Jacky started up on 3505 at 0200Z and stayed until just after 0230Z, when he then moved to 7005. QSL via QRZ.COM.

4K4K - AZERBAIJAN - Topband ops should watch for Boris on 160 CW (1820-1825) starting just prior to 0230Z.

9V1YC - SINGAPORE - James showed up on 7011 Tuesday around 2320Z. QSL via N5ID.

CE1/K7CA - CHILE - Al was busy on 3513 yesterday between 0040 and 0330Z.

CN8IG - MOROCCO - Bouker was doing RTTY yesterday on 20 meters at 1330Z and then on PSK at 1830Z.

EP3HF - IRAN - European ops were working Sadegh on 14200 from 1330 to 1430Z.

EY8/UN7FZ - TAJIKISTAN - Harry was operating yesterday on 20 SSB and CW from the QTH of EY8MM, Nodir. He was on business and is heading back home today. Do not QSL via W3HMK as Joe is no longer the QSL manager for Harry. QSL via UN7FZ.

HR2DMR - HONDURAS - 75 meter European DXers found Dan yesterday on 3790 after 0230Z on Wednesday.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Jean had an opening into W1-4, W8, W9, VE1-3 on 14010 around 19Z yesterday.

LU2DVI/H - ARGENTINA - Juan was active yesterday on 3799 around 0245Z. With Argentine calls the first letter in after the number in the LU callsigns tells what province they are operating from. The stroke (/) H designates he is operating portable in another province.

T32MO - EAST KIRIBATI - Mike was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies
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05 14003, 14038

06 14038, 18087
 07 14039, 18087
 08 1823
 11 1834
 12 1839, 1832
 13 1824, 3512
 14 1824
 18 18086

TU2/F5LDY - IVORY COAST - Jean-Luc can often be found on 40 RTTY
 (7038-7040) between 22 and 01Z. QSL via F1CGN.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-003	ZD8AD	14247	2145	EU-114	MP1SWL/P	7088	1917
AF-018	IH9YMC	18150	1414	EU-165	IM0MBP	14081	1233
AS-018	UA0FAI	14152	0811	NA-101	J79XBI	18160	1543
EU-015	SV9GPV	3800	1916	OC-046	FO5JV	14115	1603
EU-029	OZ2PBS	3788	1922	SA-018	XR7C	14260	2001
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14257	1442	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14191	1209

French ops F5UBH, Christophe, and F5IRC, Juan, plan to operate as F5UBH/p and F5IRC/p from Batz Island (EU-105) on February 9, 10 and 11. They will be on CW and SSB on all HF bands. QSL via their home calls, either direct or via the REF QSL bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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1-Feb	5-Feb	5W	by YT1AD (OC-097)	YT1AD		11-004
1-Feb	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011	10-236
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1-Feb	1-Feb	KH8	KH8/N9YU (OC-045)	YT1AD	11-004	10-212
1-Feb	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ (NA-106)	G4OOR		11-005
1-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
1-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV			11-018
1-Feb	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
1-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001

1-Feb	T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016	011
1-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M VP2MFF VP2MHF (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
1-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M VP2MRD VP2MTC (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
1-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M VP2MST (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
1-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M VP2MVG VP2MVO (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
1-Feb	18-Feb	XU XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-023	011
1-Feb	10-Feb	XU XU7XRO XU7DXX	M5AAV	11-023	011
1-Feb	5-Feb	ZP ZP6/N3BNA			11-016

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today through Saturday. There is a chance for isolated active periods today due to the coronal hole high-speed stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for January 30, 2007 was 33.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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8Q7NC	F6BGC	J28JA	F5JFU	T32MO	OM2SA
EA8/DL3KVR	DL3KVR	R1AND	RU1ZC	UN3M	EA7FTR
HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	SV0XAI/9	LA4XFA	VP2MVG	NE1RD

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, E51PDX, E51YAQ, ES1A, JW4GHA, LY3M, YA4F, YX0A, YX0LIX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: JT1CO, OE2S, SP9W, VE6SV, VK9CGG, VP2VVV, ZL1BYZ

On The WWW

XV1X, Eddy has posted info and a photo gallery with 50 pictures about last weekend's 3W3W expedition at <http://3w3w.ok1jr.com> . There is also a link to the on-line logs.

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DX News

The BBC reports United Nations Special Envoy Martti Ahtisaari met this morning with Serbian President Boris Tadic, in Belgrade, Serbia. Ahtisaari presented his Kosovo plan, which basically does not use the word independence but virtually that is what it says. "Serbian Prime Minister Vojislav Kostunica, who vehemently opposes independence for Kosovo" was not present at the meeting. The plan calls for Kosovo to "be allowed to separate from Serbia and use its own national symbols" including a flag and anthem along with the opportunity to apply for international organizations, like the UN. Later today Ahtisaari will meet with Kosovo officials. "The UN Security Council will have the final say on whether to adopt the plan." Kosovo has been in a limbo status since the withdraw of Serbian troops in 1999.

The U.S. Department of Commerce, NOAA, Space Environment Center has released their Predicted Sunspot Numbers and Radio Flux Report at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftpdir/weekly/Predict.txt> . The predicted solar minimum is still 6 months away. That would be August with a predicted solar flux average of 73.0. The Prediction values are based on ISES cycle 23 forecast of 13-month running smoothed values.

ISOVSG, Gianin, says the Italian J20MM/J20RR team in Djibouti has received permission to operate on 60 meters (5 MHz).

Members of the Cinco Neuve Contest Group, from the Pacific Northwest, will again be going to TI5N. K7AR, KI7Y, N7OU, WJ7R and K9JY will be at TI5KDs contest QTH for the CQ WPX RTTY and ARRL CW DX contests. Operating outside of the contests will be with TI5/home call. QSL for these contacts via their home call. Operations will take place from February 8 through 20.

After further reflection, during the K4BAI and KU8E trip to Bonaire, February 13-20, KU8E, Jeff, had decided to enter the ARRL DX Contest on CW as a single band high power 160 meter effort. His call will be PJ4/KU8E. He may make QSOs on other bands during the contest, and, if so, will include those QSOs in his contest log so they will count for the stations worked. K4BAI, John, will continue to enter SOABHP as PJ4A. QSL PJ4A, PJ4/K4BAI and PJ4/KU8E via K4BAI.

DC8XL, Walter, will be QRV as 9G5SW from the Accra Ghana until March. Watch for him on 20 meters SSB between 0700 to 0800Z. QSL via DC8XL.

ZD7M, Mike, has put up a 30 meter dipole and expects to begin activity

next week.

W4WX, Bill, and K4QD, Jan, will be traveling to Ascension Island where they will be QRV as ZD8WX and ZD8QD from February 19th through the 27th. The two will be active on all bands on CW, PSK-31, RTTY and SSB. Jan plans to operate in the CQ WW 160 Meter SSB Contest. QSL cards for ZD8WX need to go direct only via W4WX. QSL ZD8QD via K4QD either direct or via the bureau.

DL9HCU, Udo, is back in the Fiji Islands (3D2HC) after his stops on Nauru and Kiribati. Next week he will go to Tuvalu where he hopes to be on the air from the middle of the week as T20HC again.

The Venezuelan Navy has modified its transport plans for the upcoming YW0DX DXpedition to Aves Island. The team now expects to be QRV around 1600Z on Friday February 9th. They expect to leave the island on February 14th or 15th.

The ARRL Web site reports the new ARRL department gets an official name. "As a result of an ARRL Headquarters reorganization announced in January, the Membership Services Department and Field and Educational Services combined into a single unit. The new department now has an official name: The Membership and Volunteer Programs Department (MVP). Dave Patton, NN1N, is the MVP manager. The reorganization also established a new position of Emergency Communications Manager within MVP and created a new Education."

Good news from the warm south and the Delta DX Association (DDXA). Ham radio and DXing are alive and well in the New Orleans and south Louisiana area. W5FKX, Don Boudreau, has an article "A, B, C DXing" on the DDXA web <http://www.deltadx.net/>. He gave a presentation at a recent meeting about this site and its extensive DX information. Both old timers and new comers can extend their understanding about the fine art of DX at the site. At the January DDXA meeting the following were elected to serve as the 2007 officers:

President: W5RY, Greg Schultz
Vice President: N5KGV, Ed Jahncke
Secretary: W5ZE, John Uhl
Treasurer: N5VN, Walt Cockerham

DXers heading to the Greater Baltimore Hamboree and Computerfest (<http://www.gbhc.org/>), on March 31, 2007, can have all QSLs checked for DXCC, WAS and VUCC between 9 AM and 12 noon, as NC1L, Bill Moore, will be on hand helping N3WD, Bill Dobson.

Mark you calendar for this year's Clipperton DX Club's (CDXC) 29th annual DX Convention, which will be held on September 21 and 22, 2007 in Puylobier near Marseille and Mediterranean Sea. For complete details (in French) check the CDXC Web site at <http://www.cdxc.org/Conventions/2007-Puylobier/puylobier2007-f.htm> .

G3SWH, Phil, and G3RTE, Jim, will be active from the island of Montserrat between February 21st and 28th 2007 using the callsign VP2MPW. Activity will be primarily on CW with the possibility of some RTTY and PSK31 on all bands (10-160 meters). Propagation permitting, they plan to have two stations on the air for as many hours every day as is possible. Their main objective is to work as many European, North American and ROTW (Rest of the world) stations on as many bands as possible. QSL via G3SWH, either direct with SAE and adequate return postage or via E-mail for a bureau reply or via the bureau. Phil's E-mail is phil@g3swh.demon.co.uk .

Status of Amateur Radio in Turkmenistan (EZ)

(The following report is from EZ8AI, Berdy T. Adakow, President of Turkmenistan Radio Amateur League (TRAL), and EZ8BP, Vladimir Zinevich, Secretary of TRAL, which was received by EZ8CQ, Alexandr Levshin, and was translated from Russian into English by EY8MM, Nodir Tursoon-Zadeh)

The Turkmenistan Radio Amateur League regrets to inform that starting from 2006 Turkmenistan Ministry of Communications, without any official explanations, refuses to give radio-amateur sportsmen of Turkmenistan permission to use Amateur Radio stations. With deep regret, we inform that we have no further opportunity to work on air and to represent our country in different international competitions. We also announce with deep regret that Barkelov Rudolf Iosifovich an honored radio sport instructor, Turkmenistan Radio Amateur League radiotelegraphists1 teacher, and Gubenko Aleksandr Efimovich an active first category radio amateur ex UH8AS (had no time to restore under the prefix EZ) left this world for a better one. Moreover fell forever silent the preliminary calls: EZ8B0 (ex UH8B0) - of the oldest and most active radio amateur, till 2003 - a president of Turkmenistan Radio Amateur League - Zvontsov Evgeniy Mikhaylovich, and EZ8DI (ex UH8DI) - of a former chief of the central joint radio station UH8KAA (ex UK8HAA), UH9AWA Shabalin Vladimir Borisovich. Memory of them will live on forever in our hearts! For information that is more detailed you can contact the Turkmenistan Radio Amateur League, POB 555, 744020 Ashgabat, Turkmenistan.

YX0A/YX0LIX QSL Status
By KU9C, Steve Wheatley

Here's the status of the YX0A/YX0LIX cards:

I've mailed about 70% of the cards as of this morning. What's left to do is a large pile of cards that have the following issues:

- 'sticky' QSOs that are not in log. There appears to have been at least two major 'slim' runs, one on 15 meters and one on 80 meters that are creating a need to triple check some q's.

- folks that requested /mm cards. I've got to do those, and have been concentrating on getting out the Aves Island card first.

- folks that requested other cards that I manage

I've not started bureau cards yet, and won't for some time. I apologize for the slow delivery of these cards; my hope was to be able to mail these a long time ago, when I had some slack time in my schedule, but the process 'came together' just as some hectic work and personal commitments came into my schedule.

Doing the best I can, have patience

73
Steve KU9C

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8OB	7090	2037	EU-029	OZ2PBS	14260	1332
AF-018	IH9YMC	3793	2141	EU-046	LA1CI	3713	1908
AF-053	J20MM	21262	1305	EU-096	OH1SR	10109	1436
AF-053	J20RR	14017	2101	NA-016	ZF2BJ	18127	2140
AS-013	8Q7AK	21253	0954	OC-019	NH6P	18123	2015
EU-015	SV9/SV8DTL	14200	1005	OC-022	YC9CCS	21250	1235
EU-023	9H4DX	7067	1736	OC-032	JH9FNB/MM	7016	1115
EU-024	IS0DFC	14277	1625	SA-018	XR7C	21260	1610
EU-024	IS0XBS	14083	1543	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14260	1151

Don't forget Saturday the Motorola ARS station W4MOT/4 will be operating on Key Biscayne (NA-141). They will make a special effort to work Europe and Asia. Hours of activity will be from 1300Z until local sunset (2300Z) due to the state park's operating hours. They will try to work JA on 40 meters while mobile on Key Biscayne before 1300Z and on the higher bands late in the afternoon with their fixed stations. Plans are to check into the IOTA net on 14260 at 1300Z. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW after the event.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
2-Feb	20-Feb	3D2	3D2RN	WB6JZY		11-021
2-Feb	9-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
2-Feb	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
2-Feb	5-Feb	5W	by YT1AD (OC-097)	YT1AD		11-004
2-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7W0JAW	DB1JAW		10-236
2-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7W0MH	DK5MH		10-236
2-Feb	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-011	10-236
2-Feb	5-Feb	8Q	8Q7NC (AS-013)	F6BGC		11-021
2-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
2-Feb	5-Feb	C6	C6AWS	W6SJ		11-001
2-Feb	5-Feb	CE	XR7C (SA-018)	CE6AMN	11-001	10-209
2-Feb	14-Feb	EA8	EA8/G4CXP (AF-004)			11-014
2-Feb		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
2-Feb	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
2-Feb	15-Feb	J2	J20MM J20RR (AF-053)	I2YSB	11-024	021
2-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW		10-239
2-Feb	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
2-Feb	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ (NA-106)	G4OOR		11-005
2-Feb	4-Feb	LU	LQ0D (SA-021)	LU7DSY		11-013
2-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
2-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV (SA-006)			11-018
2-Feb	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
2-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
2-Feb		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016	011
2-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MFF VP2MHF (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
2-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MRD VP2MTC (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
2-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MST (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
2-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MVG VP2MVO (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018	10-237
2-Feb	4-Feb	VP5	VQ5FOC	W9VNE		11-023

2-Feb	18-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-023	011
2-Feb	10-Feb	XU	XU7XRO XU7DXX	M5AAV	11-023	011
2-Feb	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA			11-016
3-Feb	13-Feb	1S	DX0JP (AS-051)		11-016	006 10-238
3-Feb	10-Feb	VP5	VP5/K4UP	K4UP		11-010
3-Feb	3-Feb	W	W4MOT/4 (NA-141)	W4MOT		11-009
3-Feb	22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB		11-001
5-Feb	18-Feb	5T	5T5DY	F8PDR		11-011
5-Feb	12-Feb	YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA	11-024	018

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled Friday through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for January 31, 2007 was 32.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

The U7RG Web site says "Please do NOT send VU7RG and VU7MY QSL requests together in the same envelope with one SAE/SASE. VU7MY QSLs may not be printed at the same time as the VU7RG QSLs. If you do send together, your QSLs will probably be delayed."

SM5DQC, Osten received the 9Q1EK QSLs from LZ1JZ, Tony yesterday, which he says look very nice. The first batch will go in the mail today.

OM2VL, Laci, has received the 7W2OM QSL cards from the printer and has mailed all the direct requests. Bureau cards will go out later this month.

K5MJD, Mike, reports that he is not the QSL manager for the February 2006 activity of V31PP. QSL 1994 V31PP activity via K5MJD and February 2006 via OH2PM.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5A7A, 5R8RJ, 6Y1V, 9M2AX, A22/JA4ATV, AA1AC/VP9, C6AXX, E51PDX, E51YAQ, EA8TH, EA9LZ, EP3HF, EY8CQ, FS/WY3P, GW3YDX, HK0GU, J28JA, LT0H, LX1AX, PT7BZ/PY0F, PY0S/PS7JN (2005), VU7LD, YX0A, YX0LIX, ZK2PX, ZL8R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4X4PP, A35RK, F6IRF, HB9CVQ,

LY3M, PJ2/K8ND, S50U, SM6DYK, V31YN, VE6SV, VP2VVV

Correction

The QSL manager for the 2007 operations of J79XBI is SM0FWW and not via SM0XBI, the operator and route for previous operations. Tnx W5GAI.

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DX News

We have two updates on T32MO, Fanning Island, East Kiribati (OC-084), by operators KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan. A35RK, Paul, says they expected to go QRT this morning by 0500Z, February 5. They are running out of gas for their generator and say the quality of locally-available fuel is questionable. Mike says they have made 9,500 QSOs and are starting to get a lot of dupes, especially from the U.S. They expect a long, rough, voyage back to Christmas Island, East Kiribati, T32, and are eager to break down and get started. Mike and Jan hope to rendezvous with an air cargo flight there and get spare parts for their rigs.

YW0DX, Aves Island, YV0, will be in the CQ WW WPX RTTY Contest this coming weekend, put on the air by the 4M5DX group. Another reason to get on digital modes. They will be multi-single, low power, with operators YV1FM, YV1CTE, YV1RDX, YV5KAJ, YV5RED, YV5OHW, YV5SSB, YV5MSG and YV5WW. QSL via IT9DAA.

Here is additional information on Friday's announcement by K4QD, Jan, of his Ascension Island trip. Jan will have the callsign ZD8QD. First, you can check out their location by going to this link: <http://www.obsidian.co.ac/gardencottage.html>. It is the highest point on the island, 2,300 feet above sea level. He will have multiple antennas including a beam, a pair of 500 watt amplifiers, plenty of room for antennas. He says the panoramic view in the last photo is what it looks like from the front porch of the cottage, with vistas towards Europe, Japan, North America and South America. ZD8WX, Bill, will be the second operator. He has a 60M antenna and plans to get on 60 often throughout the operation, and will concentrate on digital modes the rest of the time, while Jan will concentrate on CW. They will put a big effort into WARC and low bands, as many ZD8 QSOs have previously been given out on the phone contest bands by ZD8Z and others. (Ed. It should be noted ZD8Z, Jim, operated lots on both CW and SSB). ZD8QD will be in the CQ WW 160M phone contest. There will be no telephone or internet access.

DL1BDF, Mustapha, is in Cairo, Egypt for two or three days to meet with local authorities in preparation for the next Lufthansa ARC DXpedition to the pyramids, scheduled for March 2-12, 2007. Mustapha is QRV on 20 and 40M SSB and digital including SSTV and APRS, using the callsign SU/DL1BDF. QSL via the DARC bureau or direct.

ZL3AB, Mark Sullivan, is putting together an "Oceania Most Wanted" countries list and is looking for submissions from VK, ZL and other Oceania ops on what countries they need the most. Mark hopes this will raise Oceania's profile when DXpeditioners consider where to go, and to look for Oceania more on the air. Oceania stations, submit to ZL3AB by sending your list, in any order, of what you still need. The e-mail address is giggs501@yahoo.com.au. The needed list will only be made public in the aggregate - you will not be embarrassed by having your list made public. Submissions close February 28th and results will be put out in March including an e-mail direct to all who participate.

4L0N will be the Georgia callsign for MM0LID, Scott, in the ARRL DX CW Contest February 17-18, single op all band, high power. QSL via MM3AWD.

DL4JS/6W, Ingolf, and DK8YY/6W, Rich are now on from Senegal until February 9th, CW, SSB, and digital. DK8YY/6W has been active on 160 after 21Z and 20M PSK after 16Z. QSL both of these via DH7WW, Ulrich Moeckel, Muldenstr. 1, 08304 Schoenheide, Germany - or via the bureau.

CW7T, Uruguay, will be in the ARRL DX CW with K6CT, Calvin, from the Florida Contest Group, operating. He will be single op single band 15M, high power. QSL via K5WW.

IS0/K7QB, Mauro, will be in the ARRL DX CW, single op single band 160M. QSL via AA4NN.

TO5A, Martinique (FM), will be in the ARRL SSB, single op all band high power. That event is March 3-4. The operator will be F5VHJ, Al. QSL via his home call direct or bureau.

ZB2/403AL will be EB7AEY, David, from Gibraltar, February 23-25 if all works out and the weather cooperates. He will be on 80, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, and 10M SSB and RTTY. He also expects to make more trips this year and will operate in his spare time, working around the responsibilities that will be taking him to "the rock." QSL via EB7AEY.

SP9MRO has put out his second "Agalega Newsletter," giving us the plans for the March 22-April 2 expedition to 3B6 in the Indian Ocean. The Polish expedition group is now negotiating with transport companies on insurance and shipping the gear. So far the ops have found the 70,000 Euro cost estimate too steep, so they continue to work on this. And, they are actively seeking sponsors and financial help. You can get a full explanation of the plans and needs on <http://3b6.godx.eu>, and MRO says he would be glad to speak directly with potential donors to answer your questions. The group's goal is 40,000 QSOs, concentrating on CW, SSB, and RTTY. The group's web site has a survey soliciting your preferences as to bands and modes. SP9MRO may be reached at sp9mro@godx.eu.

SMIRK, an international club for six-meter fans, notes that JH1RMH plans to operate as T88RA from Palau February 16-21. He will be on 160-6. QSL to his home call. And, JA6ENF will have the T88XX callsign from Palau February 21-March 1, 160-6M. QSL to his home call.

And here's another survey, this one at <http://tinyurl.com/2v47dn>. It is of the countries you most need on six meters, in the Caribbean and Africa, north of the equator. This will help prospective DXpeditioners plan their operations for the peak propagation time for 6M, June and July. This is primarily targeted for 6M operators in

Europe and North America, to take advantage of this summer opening. G3ZSS, Peter, is putting this list together. He is the editor of the UKSMG Six News.

PJ4/G4IUF, Mike, will be on Bonaire February 12-March 8. He will operate mostly on 80-10M CW and SSB, some 6M if the band opens, and some 160M. Look for him seven kHz up from the band edge, and on SSB on 1847, 3797, 7077, 14187/14277, 21277 and 28477. Supposedly SSB operation is not allowed on the WARC bands in PJ4.

J20RR and J20MM, Djibouti, should be operating on 60M soon, if they are not already. Look for them on 5403.5. The island they are on is an hour from the mainland. They plan to send their logs to the internet every couple days. The first batch should be uploaded today, Monday. There are 12,000 QSOs in it. They are concentrating on working the U.S. at their sunrise on 160, 80, and 40.

HK3JCL, operator DK8LRF, Lothar, is on his Colombian ranch "far from civilization in the Orinoco area" through April. Look for him on SSB Wednesdays and Sundays at 1130Z, 14260 or 14330. He is equipped with a TS-50 to a rhombic that is 63M per side, the rig powered by a solar panel. He is the only ham in Vichada Province, grid square location FJ55AU. QSL via DK8LRF.

DH8WR, Andy, will be on from Costa Rica February 5-27, and he plans to upload his log to his website afterward. He hasn't given us the callsign, but the web site is <http://www.dh8wr.de>, and a second one, <http://www.dxx.eu>.

OZ7AEI/p, Jakob, will be on 40 and 20 SSB from some lighthouses in the Djursland area of Denmark starting today, running through February 9. QSL via the bureau.

Novice class licensees from Luxembourg will now have the LX6 callsign prefix, backdated to January 1 of this year. They have privileges on 160, 80, 15 and 10M, limited to 100 watts. The first one is LX6K, Lin. For more info, go to http://www.rlx.lu/lx_prefix_assignment.htm

ROUPOL and F/RD1AL/MM are the two callsigns used from the North Pole from the French polar vessel TARA. The expedition to the North Pole began in September. This "drift" will last two years. On board are many scientists studying meteorology and glaciology, part of the European DAMOCLES program for the "Fourth International Polar Year." RD1AL, Victor, appears to be the main ham on board, who has previously spent time in the Arctic and Antarctic. Due to poor propagation over the last five months he has only made 100 QSOs so far but expects propagation to improve now. Victor operators mostly CW. The TARA was previously the ship used by Dr. Jean-Louis Etienne, who made many expeditions to Antarctic regions, including ones that used the TM5E callsign. QSL ROUPOL and F/RD1AL/MM via F8DVD bureau or direct.

JH1NBN, Yuki, sends us word of Project Big-Dish 2007, callsign 8N1EME. Japanese telecom services company, KDDI, is working with 40 Japanese moon bouncers and JARL to use a 32-meter Cassegrain dish made by Mitsubishi in the 1980s for moon bounce operations on 144, 432, 1296 and possibly 5760. The dish is in grid square QM06, is fully rotatable with full elevation flexibility and automatic moon tracking. A 2.9-meter subreflector nine meters in front of the main reflector is one challenge that will have to be worked around. The plan is to use 500 watts output on CW and SSB, starting with random QSO-making then going to some scheduled QSOs, vertical polarization on 2 and 432, "the usual EME circular polarization" on 1296 and 5760. This operation will start in late February and go into at least early March.

The ARRL has approved VU7LD, Lakshadweep Islands, for DXCC credit. This operation was December 1-30, 2006.

The Lone Star DX Association elected its 2007-2008 officers on Saturday at its quarterly winter meeting. Here are the officers:

Tim Pearson, KU4J--President, replacing Mike Thomas NA5U, who decided not to run for a fourth term.

Reelected by acclamation were:

Tom Anderson, WW5L, VP & Information Director; Jim Hoge, W5QM, VP & Membership Director; Jim Bass K5KQI, VP & Treasurer/Secretary. Also, Board Members Ken Knudson N5TY; Bill Priakos, W5SJ who will also handle special HamCom Projects; Herb Blair K5AT, and Webmaster Pete Hicks N5KD.

Also at the meeting, Tom, WW5L, presented the program on his summer DXpedition to Mozambique as C91TL.

It was also announced that Dr. Glenn Johnson, W0GJ, will be among the DX dinner speakers at Ham Com 2007 <http://www.hamcom.org/> on the weekend of June 8-9 at the Plano Center and the Southfork Hotel. Additional programs and speakers will be announced as they are confirmed. Dinner prices for the Friday June 8 DX dinner, and DX program confirmations will also be announced shortly, most likely by March 1.

With numerous ARRL membership and DXCC officials in attendance at Ham Com, it was announced that the LSDXA will be able to check ALL DXCC cards at its booth during convention hours. Jim, W5QM, is the LSDXA's DXCC card checker. More details on this will be announced later.

There will be many door prizes in the DX Dinner and each DX program. Additional information on the LSDXA can be found at <http://dxer.org/lstdxa.html>.

QSN

- 5N2/SQ8JCA - NIGERIA - Good signal Friday 2230-2330, on 7162 kHz.
- 5W5AA - SAMOA - 14200 with YT1AD, Hrane, operating, reporting everything is all set for the upcoming Swains Island operation. Hrane will sign 3D2AD when he gets to Fiji, his next stop.
- 5X1GS - UGANDA - On 7091 with a good signal Friday between 2230-2330Z listening split for the U.S.
- DX0JP - SPRATLY ISLANDS - Has been on 6M EME, giving 6M fans a rare new one. W7GJ, Lance, reports he was -19 db on JT65A mode at 1306Z February 4. Also noted is that DXJP had a very high and broad ground gain lobe, probably due to the fact that the antenna was very close to the ground. JH0MHE thought the center of the antenna was only 3M above ground. And, though the common moon time with DX0JP is very limited this upcoming week, the positive thing is that a number of US horizon-only stations will have a chance to work him as their moon sets.

J20MM - DJIBOUTI - Good sigs in the U.S. Friday, 2230-2330Z on 40 SSB, 7063 listening split in the U.S. phone band.

XU7XRO - CAMBODIA - 2030Z Thursday on 40 CW, 7003, 599 into South America, says PY2XC. Many U.S. stations couldn't get through, tho', Carlos says.

IOTA

N2NL, Dave, plans to get on from Key West, NA-062 for the IOTA Contest July 28-29.

K1PT and W4UM (ex-K4KUZ) plan to be on Hutchinson Island, NA-141, for the IOTA event.

N9BX will now be "Checkpoint 13" for the IOTA program. Persons living in callsign areas seven, eight, nine and zero should send their IOTA cards and applications to:

N9BX
 Bruce Osterberg
 10310 Fox Bluff Lane
 Spring Grove, IL 60081

There will be new IOTA software coming out sometime soon and it may cause a delay in processing new IOTA applications. There will be more info on this forthcoming from the IOTA program.

W4MOT/4 was on this weekend and made 160 QSOs from NA-141. The log is already on LoTW and QSLs will be available in March. Operator N4II, Ed, advices others going to this one to carefully check available commercial power. When Ed first checked out the operating pavilion he saw a 20 amp circuit breaker and the lights worked. But, his group did not check the voltage under load and found out on Saturday that the source resistance of the power mains was about 20 ohms. As a result, they could only operate one rig at a time, with its power turned down to about 50 watts. Park rules prohibit the use of generators. He says another operation will probably be planned once the power problem is resolved.

TM7BA will be on July 28-August 4 from Batz Island in Brittany, France, EU-105. Operators will be F5NCU and F6EHJ. `NCU will concentrate on CW and `EHJ on SSB. They will be in the IOTA contest. Before the contest they will be on 80-10M CW and SSB, no digital. QSL via F5NCU direct or bureau. More info: <http://www.ile-de-batz.org/iledebatz/indexa.htm>.

IOTA frequencies -
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 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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5-Feb	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS	11-008
5-Feb	18-Feb	5T	5T5DY	F8PDR	11-011
5-Feb	5-Feb	5W	5W5AA (OC-097)	YT1AD	11-004
5-Feb	5-Feb	5W	5W0IM (OC-097)	YU1DW	11-004
5-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7W0JAW	DB1JAW	10-236
5-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7W0MH	DK5MH	10-236
5-Feb	5-Feb	8Q	8Q7NC (AS-013)	F6BGC	11-021
5-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL	11-025
5-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS	10-226
5-Feb	5-Feb	C6	C6AWS	W6SJ	11-001
5-Feb	5-Feb	CE	XR7C (SA-018)	CE6AMN	11-001 10-209
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5-Feb	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002 001
5-Feb	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ (NA-106)	G4OOR	11-005
5-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
5-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV (SA-006)		11-018
5-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
5-Feb		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA	11-016 011
5-Feb	6-Feb	VP2M	VP2MFF VP2MHF (NA-103)	NE1RD	11-018 10-237
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5-Feb	22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001
5-Feb	5-Feb	ZP	ZP6/N3BNA		11-016
7-Feb	13-Feb	3B9	3B9/G3TXF (AF-017)	G3TXF	11-023
8-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
8-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
8-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
8-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/K7AR TI5/KI7Y TI5/N7OU	home calls	11-025
8-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/WJ7R TI5/K9JY	home calls	11-025
8-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31FG V31YN (NA-123)		11-011
8-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31GW V31DG (NA-123)		11-011
8-Feb	19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA	11-001
9-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	11-019
9-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56xx by ON7YK		11-024
9-Feb	11-Feb	F	F5UBH/p F5IRC/p (EU-105)	home calls	11-024
9-Feb	15-Feb	YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA	11-025 024
10-Feb	11-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-171)	F5PAC	11-019
10-Feb	11-Feb	EA8	EF8A		11-022
10-Feb	11-Feb	HR	HQ9R	N6FF	10-231
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J75KG	KU9C	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79IU	W9IU	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79RV	KU9C	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79WI	WI9WI	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79XX	K1XX	11-015 014
10-Feb	17-Feb	KP2	KP2/N9EAJ		11-005
10-Feb	11-Feb	KP4	WP3C	W3HNC	11-001
10-Feb	21-Feb	V2	V26G	N2ED	11-012

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low. There is a slight chance of a C-class event.

The geomagnetic field will be predominantly quiet through midweek.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for February 3, 2007 was 35.

QSL Info

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3W2TXR	JA2TXR	CN8YZ	EA7FTR	OY3QN	OZ1ACB
4K5D	K2PF	CT/UA4WEC	UA4WEC	P40LE	K2LE
4K9W	DL6KVA	CT3AS	DJ8FW	PJ4/PA0VDV	PA0VDV
4L8A	DJ1CW	D90HE/2	DS2GOO	RA9LI/9	UA9LP
5N6EAM	IK2IQD	DK8YY/6W	DH7WW	TC5C	W4JS
5W0IM	YU1KX	DX0JP	JA1HGY	TI4CF	W3HNC
5W0KD	Z32AU	EA6WX	N7RO	TU5JD	IK2IQD
5W5AA	YT1AD	EK6YL	SP9ERV	UA9ZZ	EA5OL
5X1GS	WB2YQH	ER1CW	W4FOA	UN3M	EA7FTR
5Z4/9A3A	9A2AA	FT5XQ/MM	F4EFI	V44KJ	WB2TSL
5Z4KI	YO9AFH	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	VK8NSB	VK6NE
6J3RBA	XE3RBA	HP1WW	OH0XX	VQ5FOC	W9VNE
7X/DB1JAW	DB1JAW	HV0A	IK0FVC	WH2D	K3UOC
7X/DK5MH	DB1JAW	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ
7X0RY	OK1DYW	J20MM	I2YSB	XU7DXX	M5AAV
8Q7AK	G7COD	J20RR	I2YSB	XU7XRO	M5AAV
9G1YK	PA3ERA	J46J	SV1BJW	XV2LC	VK6LC
9K2YM	EA5KB	JW9DL	LA9DL	Z24S	W3HNC
9M2/JH3GCN	JH3GCN	LQ0D	LU7DSY	ZK3RE	HA8IB
9M2MRS	PA0RRS	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA	ZS2BS	DJ5MS
9Q1D	SM5BFJ	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	ZY7LUZ	PR7AR
9Q1TB	SM5DQC				

Here is the QSL address for UA9CLB:

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Ekaterinburg 620000,
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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 5A7A, 8P9A, 8Q7DV, 9M6NA, C91Z, DU9/N0NM, E51PEN, HP1/DL2OE, HP1AC, HR2/LU1DY, KH8Q, LA0CX, OZ4B, PY0S/PS7JN, S50U, SV3RF, TU2CI, TZ6MF, VK9NS, VP8SGK, VU4AN/VU3CHE, VU7LD, UR0MC, UT3MD, YB1A, YB5AQB, YX0A (NA-020), YX0LIX (NA-020), ZA/DL2RMC and ZL8R.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5B4AHJ, GM4FAM, LB8IB, P49X and PJ2T.

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DX News

ZL3CW (F2CW), Jacky, will be heading back to Raoul Island, Kermadec Islands. As with his past trips this will be a work related trip for New Zealand's Department of Conservation (DoC). This time Jacky has managed to arrange for ZL1GO (JA4EKO), Aki, a ZM1A (Auckland Contest Club) team member, to also be on the island. They will leave Auckland on March 19th via the New Zealand Navy and arriving five days later. Look for ZM8CW and probably ZL8GO to be active between March 22nd and 27th. QSL via ZL1AMO.

SQ8JCA, Marek, has been in the Kogi State of Nigeria since January. After receiving his license he began activity last week as 5N2/SQ8JCA. Plans are to be in country until June 2007. He will be QRV on SSB only on 6-80 meters using an IC-706MKIIG running 100 watts into an FD4. Watch for him around 1100Z and after 1600Z. He likes 7080. QSL via SQ8JCA.

DL9HCU, Udo, is now QRV as T20HC from Funafuti Island (OC-015), Tuvalu for the next 10 days or so. Remember he is running QRP and can often be found on 20 CW around 14025 or on 18183 after 0500Z. QSL via DL9HCU.

AE6Y, Andy Faber, will be heading to his Aruba QTH where he will put P49Y in the ARRL CW DX Contest. Look for activity from February 14 to 19. QSL via AE6Y.

Look for K8PT, Pete, and K3PLV, Craig, to again activate Jersey as MJ/K8PT and MJ/K3PLV from March 14-22nd. Activity will be on 6-160 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY. They will emphasize the lower bands. Due to recent fierce winds the existing beam has a broken boom and other antennas are in poor shape. The guys hope to have internet service. While on the island their e-mail address will be k8pt@hotmail.com. Skeds can be arranged by prior arrangement at k8pt@arrl.net (before they leave). For more information see <http://users.adelphia.net/~crahill/>

DXers attending the Charlotte, NC Hamfest (<http://www.w4fbf.org/hamfest.html>) on March 10 and 11, 2007, can have all QSLs checked for DXCC, WAS, VUCC and the CQ awards. NC1L, Bill Moore, from the ARRL DXCC Desk, and K4MQG, Gary Dixon, will be checking cards on both days. Along with QSL checking, the main DX program on Saturday, March 10 will be the VU7RG DXpedition with AA4NN, Joe, and K4UEE, Bombay Bob.

NE1B, Bill, operating as C6AWB and C6ANM, Tom, will be active during the 160 CQWW SSB Contest and during the ARRL SSB DX Contest. Most operations will be from Eleuthera and New Providence Islands (NA-001). They may also make a side trip to the Berry Islands (NA-054) around February 28. Look for them between February 21 and March 6 mainly on 160, 80 30, 17, and 12 meters. Instant QSL via LOTW. QSL C6ANM and C6AWB via WA2IYO.

A group from the US is headed to Cahal Pech in Western Belize for the ARRL CW DX Contest next weekend. They are K5PI (V31AT), AB5K (V31TG), W5ZL (V31ZL) and AC0W (V31TP). During the contest they will operate as V31TP. Before and after the contest they will use their own calls. QSL via their home calls.

QSN

DX0JP - SPRATLY ISLANDS - The group was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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07 21265
09 3506, 7095, 14238
10 3503, 7095, 14238
11 3503, 7095, 14238
12 3503
13 3793, 10107
14 3503, 10107
15 3503, 10107
16 3503
17 3503
18 3503, 3793
19 3793
20 3793
21 3793
22 3793, 7005
23 7005, 14019

HK - COLOMBIA - RTTY ops worked HK3W, Siso, on 7040 Monday between 0015 and 0115Z and HK4QMH, Mario, on 14086 around 2100Z.

J20 - DJIBOUTI - The J20MM and J20RR were found on Monday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 1828, 3507, 3780, 7054
01 1827, 3505, 3780
02 3506, 3780
03 3506
05 14260
06 14260, 18080
07 14260, 18080, 21290
08 14260, 18080, 21290
09 14260
10 14260, 21025
11 14025, 14260, 18080, 21025, 28010
12 14025, 14260, 18080, 28010

13 14025, 18075
 14 7010, 14076, 18075
 15 14025, 14076, 18075
 16 7004, 14025, 14076
 17 10121, 14027, 14076
 18 10121, 14027, 14076
 19 10121, 14027, 14076
 20 7065, 14027
 21 1827, 5403.5, 7065, 14027
 22 1827, 3507, 5403.5
 23 3507, 7054

SU0ARA - EGYPT - Mustapha was camped out yesterday on 14250 from 0530 to 0730Z. QSL via DL1BDF.
 V85SS - BRUNEI - Ambran made a visit to 10105 yesterday around 1130Z.
 VP8/LZ1UQ - SOUTH SHETLANDS - Mitko was on 7007 today just before 0300Z.
 ZK3RE - TOKELAU - Was on 40 CW from 0600 to 1200Z.
 ZY5100SCOUT - BRAZIL - Yes that is the call. This one was on 14210 around 2130Z. QSL via PY5CA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8AX	14180	1643	EU-015	SV9CJO	18150	1029
AF-005	D44BS	7065	2214	EU-024	IS0DFC	14277	1556
AF-018	IH9YMC	14071	1853	EU-054	IF9ZWA	3770	2215
AF-053	J20MM	14260	0839	NA-103	VP2MRD	14303	1320
AF-053	J20RR	14027	2108	OC-075	YB5AQB	1825	2049
AS-051	DX0JP	14238	1016				

F6BUM, Jack, confirms his trip to Bubaque Island (AF-020) from March 14 to 28. He will be using J5BI on CW, SSB and the digital modes. He will be using an FT-897 running 100 watts with dipoles for 10-40 meters. Jack plans to have a log search on his Web page at <http://www.f6bum.net/>. QSL via F6BUM either direct or via the bureau.

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K6OF	UA3FDX	6H1ZVO	EA5KB	VP2MTC	NE1RD
5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA	CE1/K7CA	NW7O	YI9IZE	KF4IZE
5T5DY	F8PDR	SU0ARA	DL1BDF	ZK3RE	HA8IB
6H1J	XE1J	V31FG	DL2SWW	ZP6/N3BNA	KA2AEV

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021), YN2EJ, YU6AO, YX0A, YX0LIX, ZD8A, ZL8R (OC-039)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 3B8/OM5RW (AF-049), 4O3T (Serbia QSO), 4X/UT5UDX, 5B/AJ2O, 5R8HL, 9H3MN (EU-023), 9K9HQ, A25/DM2AYO, A52JS, A61Q, CX3CCC, EA8BH, FS/DL2AU (NA-105), FS/DL7DF (NA-105), HH4/K2AC (NA-096), HK0FD, HR2JGG, HR3/N7DF, JF3BFS (AS-117), JT1Y, OA1/DL2AH, OD5WPX, OZ/DO1FHQ/p (EU-125), P40MT (SA-036), PJ4/YL2VW, PJ7/DL7DF (NA-105), PS113QB, SM7/DL5ME (EU-138), SU/KJ9I, SV5/SV1EQU (EU-001), TA4/DL6RO, TC3A, TF3ZA (EU-021), UE1ABC/1, YB4IR (OC-143), YI9LZ, YV5EED, ZX7U

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9N7RN, AD1Y, AP2WAP, DL1AY, DL1DTL, EB5ESX, F4FDA/p, GI4FUE, JA1WPX, JT1CO, K0OU, K1KI, KB1H, K2XA, KP4AH, N3AM, N9BPE, OE2S, OE2XEL, PA0DVD, S52U, SA2T, SV8/IK0REH/p, VE3BUC, WP4BH, XQ3BRN, XQ3/IZ6BRN, ZL4AD

On The WWW

The PI4COM contest station recently had some a serious windstorm which destroyed most of their station. Photos can be seen at <http://www.pi4com.nl/storm18januari2007/index.html> .

The VU7RG DXpedition to the Lakshadweep Islands last month has posted some very interesting statistical data at <http://tinyurl.com/2t45am> .

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DX News

3D2AG, Antoine (Tony), who had been in French Polynesia (FO5RK) for some time, has now re-located to Noumea, New Caledonia. He has been found on the Anza Net on 14183 around 0520Z with his FK/FO5RK call. Tony is expected to be in New Caledonia for the next two months QSL via FO5RK on QRZ.COM.

Four Japanese ops have begun operations in Tonga on CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands except 12 meters, as operating permission was not given for that particular band. The ops are A35DR (JA2BDR), A35CZ (JA2CZL), A35JN (JA2EWE) and A35LS (JA1CJA also JH3LSS). They will be there until February 11th. QSL via their home calls.

EA5BWR, Txema, and EA5KY, Luis, will be actives from Honduras from February 14 to February 21. They will be using special callsign HQ2R. This activity involves a radio solidarity project in Uluva River, in El Progreso, Honduras. They will be QRV on 10 through 80 meters on SSB and RTTY (EA5BWR) and CW and RTTY (EA5KY). Plans are to have a YAESU FT-897 and FT-857 with an amplifier. For antennas they will be using a SpiderBeam for 10 through 20 meters, and wires for 30, 40 and 80 meters. QSL via EA4URE either via the bureau or direct.

Early today HA0DU, Steve, spoke with ZK3RE, Eli, who is staying at an excellent hotel on Tokelau. Despite the nice accommodations, the hotel does not have phone or Internet in their bungalow, however may obtain an installed phone line soon. Space for antennas is very confined (50x15 ft) and the antennas are very close to each other. The "big" vertical was erected and will begin 80 and 160 meter CW activity between 1430 and sunrise (about 1730Z). Some Europeans were worked yesterday on 80 CW around 1600Z.

VP2V/DL2AU, Andi, will be on Anegada Island, British Virgin Islands (NA-023) from February 13 to 22. He'll have a Kenwood TS-450 SAT, a bazooka antenna and loop for activity on 10-40 meters on SSB and possibly the digital modes. He has a Web page at <http://www.vp2c.com>. QSL via DL2AU.

The YW0DX team shipped out last night (YV local time). They should arrive late today and for sure be QRV by Thursday.

9V1YC, James, is trying to finish up his 5BWAS after 18 years of being in Singapore. On 40 he's looking for ND and SD. On 80 meters he needs DE, ID, KS, ME, MS, ND, SD, UT, VT and WV.

F8PDR, Benoit, arrived safely in Mauritania and began operating as 5T5DY on Monday. His antennas are in the clear about 20 meters above the ground. On his first day, Monday, he worked over 400 QSOs and notes he could have worked more if there was more discipline from the pileup. Please listen to the instructions especially when a partial call is questioned and don't reply if it isn't yours. There have been no problems with electricity at his QTH. Saturday Benoit will be off the air as 5T5SN, Nicholas, will pick him up and take him to Nicholas' place in Nouakchott. Starting Sunday Benoit plans to be on the air during his night time and will concentrate on working Japan and the US West Coast stations. QSL via F8PDR.

KH6ND, Mike, will be doing the CQ WW WPX RTTY Contest this weekend with the call KH7X. He'll be doing single band 80 meters. QSL via K2PF.

K5LBU, Frosty is arranging a DXpedition to Botswana for July of this year. So far he has one CW op and one SSB op and is looking for another two to four more ops. They will be arriving in Johannesburg, South Africa on July 4th and hope to be operating from July 5-20. For more info you can contact Frosty at Visalia or via email to frostyl@pdq.net .

This week WT8S, Paul Daley, obtained RTTY Honor Roll. His last two to get him on the list, of less than 50 digital DXers, were VU7 and 3C0M. Congrats Paul!

Correction

A group from the US is headed to Cahal Pech in Western Belize for the ARRL CW DX Contest next weekend. They are K5PI (V31AT), AB5K (V31TG), W5ZL (V31ZL) and WC0W (V31TP) not AC0W. During the contest they will operate as V31TP. Before and after the contest they will use their own calls. QSL via their home calls.

Silent Key

Well-known DXer and Contester EA8/DJ1OT, Griso von Harlessem, became a Silent Key on January 18th. He had been very active for many years on Tenerife, Canary Islands. Unfortunately his logs were not found and the laptop computer has disappeared.

QSN

- J20 - DJIBOUTI - The Italian team did some 160 meter SSB (J20MM) work yesterday, however conditions were not so great. They plan to be QRV for the RTTY ops (J20RR) today. QSL via I2YSB.
- ST2R - SUDAN - DXers from Virginia to Colorado made it through to Slavko yesterday on 14022, listening up 1, around 2140Z. At 2230Z he was on 7001. QSL via S57DX.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-053	J20MM	18130	1518	EU-054	IF9ZWA	3780	2317
AF-053	J20RR	3502	2319	EU-165	IM0MBP	14084	1604
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	18072	1539	NA-110	AA4V	10116	2013
AS-020	BX0JP	3503	1434	NA-123	V31FG	18071	1524
AS-020	BX5AA	14265	2322	SA-018	XR7C	7019	0245
AS-051	DX0JP	14235	0152				

During the RSGB IOTA Contest, on July 28/29, at least half of the 10 Florida IOTA groups will be QRV by members of the South Florida DX Association. Plans are to try and do all ten! So far plans call for activity from the following island groups:

IOTA	Name of Island	Ops
NA-138	Amelia Is.	K9ES
NA-141	Hutchinson Is.	W4UM K1PT K4MM
NA-062	Florida Keys	N2NL, K4EYS
NA-079	Dry Tortugas	
NA-052	Marco	
NA-069	Sanibel	
NA-034	Honeymoon, St. Armands, etc.	N2MFT
NA-076	Cedar Key	
NA-085	St. George	N4PN
NA-142	Santa Rosa	N4OX and NF4A

IOTA frequencies -

CW	28040	24920	21040	18098	14040	10114	7030	3530
SSB	28560	28460	24950	21260	18128	14260	7055	3765

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3B8/F8DHM	F8DHM	HF50IU	SP2IU	ST2R	S57DX
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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT6A, HK3W, LY3M, OQ7Q, OZ2JP, P49X

On The WWW

ON4WW, Mark Demeuleneere, has written an excellent article on "Operating Practice" that all Amateur Radio operators should read. Whether you just got your license or are a seasoned operator check it out at <http://www.on4ww.be/OperatingPracticeEnglish.html> .

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DX News

G3LZQ, John, will be going down to Northern Cape Province, South Africa for the RSGB Commonwealth Contest on March 10-11 to activate this rare Commonwealth Call Area. His call will be ZS3/G3LZQ and he should be active from March 6th through 15th. Outside the contest John will concentrate on the low bands as well as 12, 17 and 30 meters. His plan is to help those chasing RSGB Commonwealth Award and the SARL Worked All Africa Award. He will be operating CW only. QSL via his home call on QRZ.com and logs will be uploaded to LOTW later.

SM1TDE, Eric, reports there are plans for a Market Reef (EU-053) DXpedition during the first seven days of July. This will be a 2 through 160 meter operation on CW, SSB and the digital modes by three or four ops using OJ0/homecall. Details to follow.

This weekend 8P6SH will be using special call 8P4B in the CQ WPX RTTY Contest. He will be 20 meter mono band. QSL via KU9C.

Greek operators SV1CIB, SV1CDN, SV1DPI and SV3BSF will be using special call J43BSF in the WPX RTTY contest. They will be doing a multi-single effort. QSL via SV1CIB.

R7C/3 will be also in the contest this weekend operating from European Russia. At the keyboard will be RN3QO, RN3QY and UA3QJJ running multi-single. QSL via RN3QO.

The YW0DX crew did not set sail for Aves Island on Tuesday night. In fact as of Wednesday around 8 AM (YV local time) they still had not left Venezuela. No word as of press time as to when they were rescheduled to ship out. Once they do it will take about 24 hours to reach the island.

UR5FEO plans to operate in the CQ WPX RTTY Contest this weekend from Moldova as ER0FEO. He'll be single-op all-band. QSL via UU0JM.

AA1M, Bob, W1USN, Mike, and W1SSR, Scott, will be operating from Aruba (P4) between March 6 and March 13. They expect to be active on all bands on SSB, CW and PSK. QSL via their home calls.

ZS6JR, Daniel, and ZS6WB, Hal, plan to head over to Swaziland (3DA0) from February 22-25 for a 2 meter EME operation.

Mark your calendar as this year's Pacific Northwest DX Convention will

be August 10th to 12th at the Holiday Inn in Everett, WA. More details to follow in the coming months.

Over the March 10-11 weekend the 70th running of the RSGB Commonwealth Contest will take place. The first BERU (British Empire Radio Union) took place in 1931. It was cancelled during the WWII years. Complete rules can be found at <http://www.contesting.co.uk/hfcc/rules/rberu.shtml> . Multiple contesters from the United Kingdom, New Zealand, Australia, and Canada will be participating in the BERU. Other stations planning to operate include: ZS3/G3LZQ, VU2UR, VQ9LA, 5B4AHJ, ZC4LI, VP8NO, 9J2BO, 9M2FB (by G3TMA), V25XF (by G3TXF), J3G or J88DR (by G3TBK) and ZC4VJ or 5B/G3AB by Andy.

Watch for DJ7RJ, Willi, to be operating from Kos Island, Greece starting February 25th through March 18th. He'll be on all bands on CW and SSB. QSL via DJ7RJ.

W0YK, Ed, is currently down on Aruba operating as P49X. He'll be sponsoring WPX RTTY practice sessions this Friday (9 February) from 0200-0300Z and 0500-0600Z. The WPX RTTY Contest is this weekend.

During the ARRL CW DX Contest W4OI, Tony, will be operating HK1AR from his Bogota, Colombia QTH. He will single-op single-band 40 high-power.

QSN

3B9/G3TXF - RODRIGUES ISLAND - 30 meter ops reported Nigel on around 2100Z. QSL via G3TXF.

CN8SG - MOROCCO - Hassan was found on 18133 yesterday just before 1600Z. QSL via EA7FTR.

DX0JP - SPRATLY ISLANDS - Colorado DXers were working this one on 80 CW Wednesday around 1425Z.

HV0A - VATICAN - IK0FVC, Francesco, and one other Italian op were QRV for a few hours on Saturday on CW and SSB. QSL via IK0FVC.

J20RR - DJIBOUTI - The Italian boys were busy on 20 meters RTTY Wednesday around 1900Z. QSL via I2YSB.

IOTA

A group from Germany will be QRV as OZ/DK0G from Romo Island (EU-125), Denmark from February 26th through March 6th. They will be QRV on HF, VHF and the microwave bands inclusive 9 cm. Their main HF activity will be during the ARRL International DX SSB Contest on March 3 and 4 on 160 and 80 meters. QSL via DK0G.

IOTA frequencies -
CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
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8-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
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8-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/WJ7R TI5/K9JY	home calls		11-025
8-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR			11-026
8-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31FG (NA-123)	DL2SWW		11-011
8-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31GW V31DG (NA-123)			11-011
8-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31YN (NA-123)			11-011
8-Feb	10-Feb	VP5	VP5/K4UP	K4UP		11-010
8-Feb	19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA		11-001
8-Feb	18-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-023	011
8-Feb	10-Feb	XU	XU7XRO XU7DXX	M5AAV	11-023	011
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The sunspot number for February 6, 2007 was 23.

QSL Info

The DXCC Desk is now accepting all QSOs dated June 28, 2006 and after for operations by YU6AO. Anyone who has submitted cards for YU6AO, and had them rejected, can send an e-mail to dxcc@arrrl.org for corrective action.

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DX News

JA3PPH, Fujimori, JA3EGZ, Mega, and JA3DFM, Yoko (YL), will be on the air from Sihanoukville, Cambodia between March 16th and 19th,--2007. The call signs will be XU7PPH, XU7EGZ and XU7DFM. They will be QRV on 10 through 160 meters on CW--and--SSB. They are also planning to operate on 6 meters. QSL direct with SAE and \$ or IRC to: Himeji Armature Radio Club, P.O. Box 6, Himeji, 670-8691 Japan or via the JARL QSL bureau for XU7DFM via JA3DFM, XU7EGZ via JA3EGZ and XU7PPH--via JA3EGZ.

5B4AHJ, Alan, says he will be QRV in the Commonwealth Contest, March 10-11, as P3J from Cyprus. Alan reminds everyone the contest is for QSOs between Commonwealth stations and non-Commonwealth calls are not allowed for this contest.

A large group of ops from the Madeira Islands will activate CT9M this weekend in the CQ WPX RTTY Contest. CT3BD, CT3DL, CT3DZ, CT3EE, CT3EN, CT3IA, CT3KU and CT3KY will do a multi-single effort. QSL via the bureau and LOTW.

Special Moroccan call 5C8W will be activated by CN8KD, Mohamed, this weekend in the WPX RTTY test. QSL via EA5XX.

E21YDP, Dej, will be QRV in CQ WPX RTTY test. He will be single-op all-band running low-power. QSL Direct or via the bureau.

Have you heard the PUN beacon in the Amateur Radio bands and wondered what this was all about? The beacon seems to have started on or around January 23rd and has been reported on or near 3504, 7008 and 14015 KHz. Low band guru W8JI, Tom Rauch, has a Web page with some interesting information on this new menace that has recently cropped up on the bands. Check it out at <http://www.w8ji.com/PUN.htm>. If you have further details about PUN please send info to Tom at his w8ji at w8ji dot com address.

Limited space is causing problems with low band antennas at ZK3RE. Eli says, "As the tide changes, so does change the antenna SWR. He is trying to figure it out. Antennas are so close to each other, that they cannot operate two stations simultaneously, so Sara does not operate a lot, mostly Eli is at the key. Eli was on 40 and 30 CW earlier today and went QRT about 0930Z. The 1430-1730 activity on low bands is intended for Europeans, obviously he is going to work US and JA all night, once the antenna problem is solved.

KP2/K3TEJ and KP2/K3CT will be active from St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands from February 14-21, 2007. Activity will be on CW, RTTY and PSK31 on all bands. QSL via their home calls. They will also be active as WP2Z in the ARRL CW DX Contest. QSL contest QSOs via KU9C.

TZ6JA, Mac Obara, will be active from again from Mali from February 13-21. He hopes to operate mainly on 40 and 75 meters SSB, but will do some 15 and 20 meters SSB. QSL direct only via Mac Obara, P.O. Box 59, Tama, Tokyo, 206-8691 JAPAN.

During the ARRL CW DX Contest, next weekend, F5VHY, Dennis, will be using special call TM6X from France. Look for him to be QRV on all bands.

The DXCC Desk has recently approved the following operations for DXCC credit:

Lakshadweep Islands - VU7LD - December 1 through December 30, 2006
Montenegro - YU6AO - all QSOs dated June 28, 2006 and after
Auckland and Campbell Islands - ZL9BSJ/p September 12, 2006
Libya - 5A7A - from November 15 to November 30, 2006

Silent Key

ZS6QU, Roy Larsen, became a Silent Key on Monday February 5th. He was a member of FOC and was one of the consistent CW signals from Africa, recalls F5VHY, Dennis. Roy was the brother of ZS6DN, Dave Larsen, who is well known for his huge antenna farm.

QSN

3B9/G3TXF - RODRIGUES ISLAND - Nigel was busy working EU, NA, SA and Asia on 10116 around 2130Z. QSL via G3TXF.

5T5DY - MURITANIA - Benoit expects to be on 160 meters soon thanks to the help of 5T5SN, Nicholas.

5Z4DZ - KENYA - Alex showed up on 7004 listening up 3 about 2200Z. QSL via PALAW.

DX0JP - SPRATLY ISLANDS - Was on 7093 from 1245-1330Z Thursday and QSX up for USA. However the operator was having great difficulty finding a clear listening frequency and hearing US stations. Also yesterday some W3, 4 and 8 stations reported working them via the SW path on 75 meters SSB at 1200Z. On 160 meters a couple of the big guns from the US Southeast made it through via the SW path just prior to 1100Z. West Coast North Americans also had an opening on 75 Thursday around 15Z. The DX0JP Website reports they will take down the antennas tomorrow morning (their time). That will be late GMT today or early GMT tomorrow. The site also says the 80 and 160 antennas will go down last tomorrow night (their time).

J20RR - DJIBOUTI - WB9Z, Jerry, reports working the Italian team on 160 just before 0300Z. Congrats Jerry on # 300 on Topband! Only took 27 years to do it from Illinois. QSL via I2YSB.

XV2LC - VIETNAM - Mal was on 14205 running NA and SA for about an hour starting around 1630Z yesterday. QSL via VK6LC.

YW0DX - AVES ISLAND - The crew started up yesterday just after 1900Z. They've been QRV so far on 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters. QSL via IT9DAA.

Z32AF - MACEDONIA - Ven showed up last night on 60 meters.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-014	CT3FT	14260	0853	EU-036	LA7WNA/P	14247	1336
AF-053	J20MM	7059	2306	NA-020	YW0DX	7062	2351
AS-051	DX0JP	3793	1231	NA-123	V31FG/P	7005	1002
AS-053	HS0/IK4MRH	14072	1017	NA-168	WA2USA/5	14050	2240
EU-009	MM5DWW	7093	1941				

KB3NYX and W3RFA will be operating as W3RFA from South Marsh Island (NA-140) in Maryland for the IOTA contest on July 28 and 29. This will be a Micro-DXpedition by sea kayak. They will be crossing 5 miles of open water to get to the island. Total equipment weight (camping and ham gear) should not be over 100 lbs. each. We will be operating from battery and may operate QRP. Any ham with a sea kayak is welcome to go. They could use a good CW op and 3 or 4 operators total would be ideal. Both KB3NYX and W3RFA are fairly new to contesting. As the name implies, this island is mostly marsh but there are a few places where you can pitch a tent. If you're interested contact Steve at w3rfa@arrl.net.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
9-Feb	13-Feb	1S	DX0JP (AS-051)	JA1HGY	11-016	006
9-Feb	13-Feb	3B9	3B9/G3TXF (AF-017)	G3TXF		11-023
9-Feb	20-Feb	3D2	3D2RN	WB6JZY		11-021
9-Feb	9-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
9-Feb	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
9-Feb	18-Feb	5T	5T5DY	F8PDR		11-011
9-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
9-Feb	9-Feb	6W	DL4JS/6W DK8YY/6W	DH7WW		11-026
9-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7X/DB1JAW	DB1JAW		10-236
9-Feb	10-Feb	7X	7X/DK5MH	DK5MH		10-236
9-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
9-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
9-Feb	11-Feb	A3	A35CZ	JA2CZL		11-028
9-Feb	11-Feb	A3	A35DR	JA2BDR		11-028
9-Feb	11-Feb	A3	A35JN	JA2EWE		11-028
9-Feb	11-Feb	A3	A35LS	JA1CJA		11-028

9-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56xx by ON7YK		11-024
9-Feb	14-Feb	EA8	EA8/G4CXP (AF-004)		11-014
9-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
9-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
9-Feb	11-Feb	F	F5UBH/p F5IRC/p (EU-105)	home calls	11-024
9-Feb		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE	11-010
9-Feb	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR	11-014
9-Feb	15-Feb	J2	J20MM J20RR (AF-053)	I2YSB	11-024 021
9-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
9-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
9-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
9-Feb	11-Feb	P4	P49X	W0YK	11-029
9-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV (SA-006)	PA0VDV	11-018
9-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
9-Feb	15-Feb	T2	T20HC (OC-015)	DL9HCU	11-027
9-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/K7AR TI5/KI7Y TI5/N7OU	home calls	11-025
9-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/WJ7R TI5/K9JY	home calls	11-025
9-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR		11-026
9-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31FG (NA-123)	DL2SWW	11-011
9-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31GW V31DG (NA-123)		11-011
9-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31YN (NA-123)		11-011
9-Feb	10-Feb	VP5	VP5/K4UP	K4UP	11-010
9-Feb	19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA	11-001
9-Feb	18-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-023 011
9-Feb	10-Feb	XU	XU7XRO XU7DXX	M5AAV	11-023 011
9-Feb	15-Feb	YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA	11-026 025
9-Feb	22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001
10-Feb	11-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-171)	F5PAC	11-019
10-Feb	11-Feb	8P	8P4B	KU9C	11-029
10-Feb	11-Feb	EA8	EF8A		11-022
10-Feb	11-Feb	ER	ER0FEO	UR5FEO	11-029
10-Feb	11-Feb	HR	HQ9R	N6FF	10-231
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J75KG	KU9C	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79IU	W9IU	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79RV	KU9C	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79WI	WI9WI	11-015 014
10-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79XX	K1XX	11-015 014
10-Feb	17-Feb	KP2	KP2/N9EAJ		11-005
10-Feb	11-Feb	KP4	WP3C	W3HNC	11-001
10-Feb	11-Feb	SV	J43BSF	SV1CIB	11-029
10-Feb	11-Feb	UA	R7C/3	RN3QO	11-029
10-Feb	21-Feb	V2	V26G	N2ED	11-012
11-Feb	24-Feb	HH	by N3BNA		11-016

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Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B9/G3TXF	G3TXF	A35LS	JA1CJA	T20HC	DL9HCU
5R8FL	G3SWH	DX0JP	JA1HGY	UE3DRS	RZ3FR
5Z4/9A3A	9A2AA	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	UN3M	EA7FTR
5Z4DZ	PA1AW	FM5CD	F5VU	VP5/K4UP	K4UP
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HH2FJM	F5RPB	YW0DX	IT9DAA
A35DR	JA2BDR	P40LE	K2LE	ZK3RE	HA8IB
A35JN	JA2EWE	RK3AWL	W3HNC	ZW150BP	PULKGG

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V51AS, Frank, has a new more reliable QSL route now. It is not a QSL manager and will take a little longer but should be steadfast. Send them to: Steinhauser, Schlobstr. 68A, 82140 Olching, GERMANY. His Postbox 2516, Swakopmund, Namibia is still a valid address.

VE3TPZ, Jim, just received a fresh shipment of cards from the printer for VB2C, VC2C and VB2V. Over the next few weeks he will be processing cards from the big backlog. Jim has recently been receiving card requests for V26B, VE2IM and VC2W; however he is not the manager for any of them. Jim does handle QSL requests for VA2BY, VE3BY (and associated prefixes), VB2R (2000 CQ WW SSB), VB2V (2001 CQ WW SSB), VC2C (2002 CQ WW SSB) and VB2C (2003 CQ WW SSB). He is no longer the manager for VA3PRC or VE3FCG. Those should be sent to VE3NQM.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5A7A, 7Q7BP, C6AKX, C6APG, E51NOU, E51PEN, EY8MM, HB0/DL2OBO, HK0GU (NA-049), HK0GU/1 (SA-040), S500, TU2/F5LDY, V31FG/P (NA-123), V5/DJ4SO, YT6A (2003), YX0A, YX0LIX, ZL6QH, ZX5J

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 9A80A, XQ3/IQ6CC

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: DK2006TZ, GM4FAM, OE1KBC, RA3SL, SV1DPP, TK5IH, and ZF2BJ

On The WWW

The upcoming March Polish DXpedition to Agalega Island (3B6) has a Web site at <http://3b6.godx.eu/> .

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We have the latest details on the April 2007 DXpedition to Scarborough Reef, top most needed country in the world in some places, which we had the initial announcement of on Friday.

The Chinese Sports Federation has been given government authorization for "another assault on the rocks." The team of ops will be from Asia, Europe and the U.S. BA1HAM, Chen Peng, a veteran of two previous BS7 operations is one of them. The operator list is: 9V1YC, AA4NN, BA1HAM, BA1RB, BA4RF, BA1RC, BA7NQ, BV6HJ, DU1EV, DL3MBG, I8NHJ, K4UJ, K5YY, N5KO, N6MZ, N7NG, ND2T and W6RGG.

Off-island supporters are BV4FH, N4XP, N1DG and W6XA. Here are the target operating frequencies:

CW - 1826.5, 3504, 7004, 10104, 10124, 14024, 18074, 21024, 24894 and 28024
SSB - 3799, 7057, 14185, 18145, 21295, 24945 and 28475
RTTY- 14080, 21080 and 28080 kHz

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Napa, CA 94558.

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The BS7H web site is <http://www.bs7h.com> . KU9C, Steve Wheatley, will

be the QSL manager for BS7H.

N5FF, Saad, will be arriving in Damascus, Syria, April ninth and should be QRV as YK1BA again from April 10-27, returning to Texas on the 28th. Saad says that as usual the purpose of the trip is not a Dxpedition so his operating will be spotty. Still, he hopes to be on the air at least three to four hours a day. Saad says, "With the current band conditions and my typical operating times, I suspect that I will spend most of my radio time on 30, 40 and 80 meters. However, I will operate on whatever band (10-80) and mode that has the best propagation at the time. Most probable operating times are between 2000-2300 UTC or between 0200-0500 UTC, and possibly some occasional activities between 1200-1400 UTC. I will be active on SSB, CW and TTY." QSL via N5FF.

A35RK, Paul, has given us the following several last minute DX tidbits. FK/FO5RK (3D2AG), Antoine, is all settled in at his temporary QTH in Noumea, New Caledonia. He is using an IC-706 and an R-7 vertical. He is also listening on 6M but we don't know what sort of antenna he has on 6. Paul says, "He is an avid 6M operator." Antoine will be on New Caledonia through March.

T20HC only has two or three days left in Tuvalu. His departure date depends on what air transportation is available. He will return to Nadi, Fiji, with his next stop "to be arranged" from Fiji.

3D2DD, Rocky, is back in Nadi also, after a trip to Canada, and he is QRV. Rocky often checks into the ANZA Net on 14183 from 0500-0600Z. And, 3D2RN will be returning to California February 20th.

The YW0DX, Aves Island, operators report, "Still no propagation on 6, 10 and 12M. We maintain calling on certain hours with no success." They also report there have been some power shutdowns when the electric generators for the island are being serviced. There is no internet access, so no on-line logs until the return to the mainland. QRT is planned for today at 16Z because the frigate comes to pick up the team Tuesday morning at 06 local, 1200Z, and all the gear has to be moved to the base heliport before the ship arrives.

8P1A will be in the ARRL DX Phone March 3-4 from Barbados. W2SC, Tom, will be the operator, single op all band. QSL via NN1N.

8P2K is another Barbados callsign that will be on the airwaves that weekend, with 8P6SH, Dean, operating. He will be single op single band 20M. QSL via KU9C.

N3BNA and KC3VW expect to be on the air starting today and running through the 24th from Haiti. HH7/N3BNA, Dale, will focus on CW. HH7/KC3VW, Ray, will concentrate on SSB. `BNA plans to be in the ARRL DX CW next weekend, low power. The two ops are in Haiti replacing the base insulator on a 220-foot tower for a Christian broadcast station. QSL HH7/N3BNA via KA2AEV. QSL HH7/KC3VW to his home callsign.

LR2F will be the ARRL DX CW callsign for ops LU1FAM, LU1FZR, LU2FA, LU5FC, LU5FF and LW8DQ. They will be a multi-operator single-transmitter team. Thursday before the contest starts, LU1FAM, LU2FA, and LU5FF will all be on the air DXing, concentrating on 160 and 80M. QSL LR2F via LU2FA. QSL LU1FAM via AC7DX. QSL LU2FA via his home callsign. QSL LU5FF via EA5JX.

RK2FWA will represent Kaliningrad in both the ARRL DX CW and ARRL DX Phone March 3-4, a multi-multi. This will be the usual operation by the UA2 Contest Club. QSL via DK4VW.

V26H, Antigua, will be used by W2DZO and KG4NEP in the ARRL Phone. They're still considering what class to be in. QSL via KU4BP.

Medical doctor NE8Z is going to Ecuador again, February 24-March 14. While there he uses the callsign HC1MD. Most of his on-air time will be after March first. His QTH is Tumbaco and he's equipped there with 500 watts and a Carolina Windom for 80-10. QSL via K8LJG, John C. Kroll, 3528 Craig Drive, Flint, MI 48506 USA.

K3ZO, Fred, and the RAST organization from Thailand report that Thais now have a DX window for 75M phone in contests. At last Sunday's RAST meeting they announced the new privileges, 3750-3800, but only during SSB contests.

CT9L is the Madeira Islands callsign in both the February 17-18 ARRL DX CW and the CQWW 160M SSB contest for a group of German ops. For the CW weekend, the ops will be DL5AXX, DL8WAA and DL2OBF. For the 160 event, DJ6QT, Walter, will single op.

A second two-man group will be in Madeira March 8-22, CT3/DL3KWR and CT3/DL3KWF, Rosel and Hardy. They will spend most of their operating time on CW and the WARC bands. Hardy will be trying RTTY for the first time. QSL to their home callsigns, or send email requests for bureau returns, to dl3kwr@dark.de or dl3kwf@dark.de. Still want more? Peruse their website at <http://www.mydark.de/dl3kwr>.

HI3/IK4QJF, Fabio in the Dominican Republic, will be on the air between February 22 and March 7.

J79DX, Dominica, is VA3YDX, Igor, now through February 18th. QSL direct only, to his home callsign in Canada.

JW/IN3TCH, Maria Teresa, will be on RTTY and JW/IN3SAU, Mauro, will be on SSB from Svalbard March 8-11. They will concentrate on the low bands, operating from the JW5E club station on Longyearbyen. QSL via IN3SAU.

PY1WAS/PJ7 will be Alex on Sint Maarten, February 18-21. He will mostly stick with CW but will do some SSB as well, on 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10M. QSL via the bureau or direct to PY2AA.

TZ2T, TZ1T, TZ4T and TZ6PVI will be the exotic Mali callsigns for ON4LN, ON5CD, ON4FG and ON7ASL. Also there will be ON3VK but no Mali callsign is given for him. They will be on 160-10M April 2-7 with at least two stations. QSL via ON4LN direct or to individual callsigns through the bureau. Their web site is <http://mali2007.obox.be/>.

QSN

CQ WPX - RTTY CONTEST - Here were just some of the rare and semi-rare ones that were QRV this past weekend in the CQ WPX RTTY Contest: 3W9JR, 4L8A, 4X6UU, 5C5W (CN), 6V7E (6W), 7X0RY, 7Z1SJ, 8P2K, 9M2MT, BY1RX, CT9M, CU2JT, EA8AH, ER0FEO, EX8AB, FM5JC, FR1HZ, GD0TEP, GU0SUP, HI3TEJ, HR2DMR, HS0EHF, JT1C, LX8M, OH0Z, P49X, SV9CVY, TF3AM, TG9ANF, TI8II, TK5KP, TR8CA, UK7F, UN3M, V31GW/P, VQ9X, VR2XMT, XW1LLR, YE1ZAT, YI9GT, YW0DX, ZC4LI, and ZK3RE.

A35LS - TONGA - 3505 CW at 1250Z working all across North

America.

DX0JP - SPRATLY ISLANDS - The team went QRT Saturday just before 2200Z. They will eventually post a log search at <http://www.dxcom.jp/dx0jp/> . QSL via JA1HGY.

J20MM - DJIBOUTI - 14260 SSB at 17Z, tough to work from the U.S. West Coast at times.

YW0DX - AVES ISLAND - This one is now up and running on all bands and modes. Reportedly not as easy to work as last year's YX0LIX. The log search is at <http://yw0dx.4m5dx.org/log.html> . QSL via IT9DAA.

ZK3RE - TOKELAU - 1824 CW at 1330Z February 11th, workable on the U.S. West Coast for almost an hour.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-053	J20MM	7070	2140	NA-020	YW0DX	14190	1625
AS-030	JE7IZM/JD1	21260	0825	NA-062	K2ZR/4	10104	1455
AS-118	9K2YM/P	3792	2020	NA-123	V31GW/P	14090	2210
EU-009	MM5DWW	7043	1710	OC-013	E51JD	21312	2300

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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12-Feb		3X	3XM6JR			11-023
12-Feb	22-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
12-Feb	18-Feb	5T	5T5DY	F8PDR		11-011
12-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
12-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
12-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
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12-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79IU	W9IU	11-015	014
12-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79RV	KU9C	11-015	014
12-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79WI	WI9WI	11-015	014

12-Feb	J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
12-Feb	20-Feb	J7	K1XX	11-015 014
12-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)	11-023
12-Feb	17-Feb	KP2	KP2/N9EAJ	11-005
12-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ 11-001
12-Feb	8-Mar	PJ2	PJ4/G4IUF	11-026 10-228
12-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV (SA-006)	PA0VDV 11-018
12-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX 11-001
12-Feb	15-Feb	T2	T20HC (OC-015)	DL9HCU 11-027
12-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/K7AR TI5/KI7Y TI5/N7OU	home calls 11-025
12-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/WJ7R TI5/K9JY	home calls 11-025
12-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR	11-026
12-Feb	21-Feb	V2	V26G	N2ED 11-012
12-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31FG (NA-123)	DL2SWW 11-011
12-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31GW V31DG (NA-123)	11-011
12-Feb	13-Feb	V3	V31YN (NA-123)	11-011
12-Feb	19-Feb	V7	V73ZZ	K7ZZ 11-021
12-Feb	18-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/AK0M (NA-023)	AK0M 11-016 10-188
12-Feb	18-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/KC0RD (NA-023)	11-016
12-Feb	19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA 11-001
12-Feb	18-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ 11-023 011
12-Feb	15-Feb	YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA 11-026 025
12-Feb	22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB 11-001
13-Feb		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC 11-011
13-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W4OC HP1/N4GG (NA-072)	11-023
13-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W9RE HP1/N5OT (NA-072)	11-023
13-Feb	20-Feb	KP2	KP2/K3MD (NA-106)	K3MD 11-001
13-Feb	20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI	K4BAI 11-001
13-Feb	20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E	K4BAI 11-001 10-231
13-Feb	21-Feb	TZ	TZ6JA	11-030
13-Feb	22-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/DL2AU (NA-023)	DL2AU 11-028
14-Feb	21-Feb	HK	HK1/AC8W HK1/K8DD	home calls 11-022
14-Feb	21-Feb	HR	HQ2R	EA4URE 11-028
14-Feb	17-Feb	KC4	K9PET/KC4 W3ASA/KC4	home calls 10-219
14-Feb	17-Feb	KC4	W3WKO/KC4 W3WKP/KC4	home calls 10-219
14-Feb	21-Feb	KP2	KP2/K3CT KP2/K3TEJ	home calls 11-030 020
14-Feb	21-Feb	KP4	VA6TNY/KP4	VA6TNY 11-017
14-Feb	19-Feb	P4	P49Y	AE6Y 11-027
14-Feb	19-Feb	V3	by K4NO	11-006
15-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6APG	11-017
15-Feb	5-Mar	HR	by W4OI	10-199 189
15-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	by Germany group	DJ2MX 10-236
16-Feb	21-Feb	T8	T88RA	JH1RMH 11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	4L	4L0N	MM3AWD 11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	4U1U	4U1UN	
17-Feb	18-Feb	CN	CN2WW	EA7FTR 10-236
17-Feb	18-Feb	CX	CW7T	K5WW 11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	EA6	EA6BF	EA6BF 11-013
17-Feb	18-Feb	EA8	EA8/OH2BYS	OH2BYS 11-011
17-Feb	18-Feb	F	TM6X	F5VHY 11-030
17-Feb	18-Feb	HK	HK1AR	11-029
17-Feb	18-Feb	HP	HP1XX	11-023
17-Feb	18-Feb	IS	IS0/K7QB	AA4NN 11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	J7	J70J	KU9C 11-015 014
17-Feb	18-Feb	KP2	WP2Z	KU9C 11-030 020
17-Feb	18-Feb	KP4	WP3C	W3HNC 11-001
17-Feb	18-Feb	OM	OM7M	11-011
17-Feb	18-Feb	P4	P40W	N2MM 10-236
17-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4A	K4BAI 10-231
17-Feb	18-Feb	TI	TI5N	11-025
17-Feb	18-Feb	V3	V31TP	11-027
17-Feb	18-Feb	V4	V49A	K0EJ 10-212
17-Feb	18-Feb	VP9	VP9/W6PH	W6PH 10-198

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low through midweek.

The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active through midweek, with a possibility of isolated minor storm periods.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for February 10, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3W2TXR	JA2TXR	HH2FJM	F5RPB	T88XX	JA6ENF
3W9JR	OK1JN	HK1X	EA7FTR	TZ6JA	JA3EMU
5C5W	EA5XX	HS0ZGG	SM3CVM	UK8FF	W3HNC
5T5SN	IZ1BZV	J75KG	KU9C	V26G	N2ED
6H1YYD	EA5KB	J79IU	W9IU	V44KJ	WB2TSL
6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	JW5NM	LA5NM	XU7TZG	ON7PP
7Q7MT	NU5O	KH7X	K2PF	XW1LLR	E21EIC
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	LT0H	EA7FTR	YI9GT	SP3GTS
7Z1UG	DG1XG	NP4A	W3HNC	YI9SM	K5CW
8P2K	KU9C	OH0Z	W0MM	YN4SU	TI4SU
9K2YM/P	EA5KB	P49V	AI6V	YW0DX	IT9DAA
CO8LY	EA7ADH	R0UPOL	F8DVD	Z24S	W3HNC
CU1CB	EA5KB	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH	ZK3DX	PIRATE
DX0JP	JA1HGY	T80W	JM1LJS	ZK3RE	HA8IB
EA8/IK1PMR	IK1PMR				

The new QSL route for EX8AB is via RX3RC direct. Here it is:
Roman A Novikov
P.O. Box 21
392000 Tambov
Russia

Or, you can send for it via the bureau. All previous routes are no longer valid. Roman's web site is <http://rdaward.org/qslmng.htm>.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2MO, 4O60BH, 5A7A, 5U5Z, 6Y5WJ, 7W2OM, 9J2BO, 9Q1EK, AP2TN, BY1TX/2 (AS-158), C6APR, CU2A, E51PDX (OC-082), E51QMA, EI6S, FO/KM9D, FS/WY3P (NA-105), GI3DZE, GW3KGV, HB9HQ, HC2FN, KH6/KF7E, KH8SI, LZ2CC, OH60BH, OZ8ABE, T21MY, T30XX, T31MY, TK/HA0HW, TZ5A, VE7CRV, VK1AA/4, VP8SGK (AN-007), W4PL (NA-112), YI9KT, YJ0AMY, YX0LIX, ZK2MO and ZL8R.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT6A, G3VAO, JF2MBF, RN6HZ, SO1R and VP9MZ.

On The WWW

On-line logs and a photo gallery for the January 2-8 C6ARI operation from Cay Sal Bank, NA-219, are available at www.qslnet.de/c6ari.

Credits

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DX News

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, were scheduled to depart Fanning Island yesterday. They expect to be /MM for 3-4 days, enroute to Christmas Island (T32). The two will stay on Christmas Island for about a month; however Mike doesn't know if they will do much on the radio. He may put up a 30 meter antenna. If he does then he would use the T32MO call, which is also good for Christmas Island and is valid for another four months. No word yet on their next stop after Christmas Island.

This weekend look for 4U1UN to be QRV during the ARRL CW DX Contest. LA5IIA, Johnny; OH2BH, Martti; and W3UR, Bernie, will be doing a multi-single effort from the United Nations Staff Recreation Council Amateur Radio Club station in New York City. Activity should begin sometime after 1200Z on Saturday and run until the end of the contest. As always QSL via HB9BOU.

T20HC (DL9HCU), Udo, has booked a flight to Nadi for Wednesday, so he should be in Fiji (3D2HC) by tomorrow night. He is not sure how long he will be there and plans to travel next to Samoa (5W). Dates for that trip have not been set as of yet.

The Azores-Finland Friendship Consortium will operate a multi-op effort in the ARRL SSB DX Contest on March 3 and 4. Probably team members will be CU2BV, CU2CE, CU2DX and OH2BH.

OH2PM, Pertti, will be running OH0R in the ARRL CW DX Contest this coming weekend.

9Q1D, Gus, has installed a 6 meter beacon in Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo. Listen on 50021.0 for 9Q1D/B sending "Bip" for 8 seconds then a carrier for six seconds and finally de 9Q1D/B JI75PQ. The beacon is running 10 watts to a vertical dipole 20 meters above ground.

World traveler UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, is now active from the Comoros Islands as D60VB. Watch for him on CW and SSB on most of the bands. As always his length of stay and next stop are top secret. It would be advisable to wait until he is done with this long junket before QSLing and to batch up all of your cards and send to UA4WHX. I will post a listing of all his calls and approximate dates once he announces this adventure is over and he heads back to Russia.

"W1AW HF Open House" Scheduled for the weekend of February 23-25
By N1ND, Dan Henderson, ARRL Regulatory Information Specialist

To celebrate the changing amateur radio landscape, including the expansion of on-the-air privileges for many amateurs in the US, the ARRL will be putting The Maxim Memorial Station W1AW on the air for a "W1AW HF Open House" the weekend of February 23 - 25, 2007.

We will kick off on-the-air operations from W1AW at 0501 UTC (12:01 AM EST) Friday February 23rd and operate until about 0900 UTC, depending on activity and interest. For the remainder of Friday, volunteers be operating W1AW after the regularly scheduled Morse Code practice ends around 1500 UTC (10:00 AM ETS) and will continue until the regular Friday evening bulletins begin at 2100 UTC (4:00 PM EST).

On Saturday February 24 and Sunday February 25 W1AW will be on the air from 1500 - 2200 UTC (10:00 AM to 5:00 PM EST.) Depending on propagation and interest, the hours both days could be extended to later in the evening.

W1AW will generally be operating on or near it's regular bulletin and code practice frequencies (+/- QRM): CW frequencies are 3.5815, 7.0475, 14.0475, 18.0975, 21.0675 and 28.0675 MHz. Phone frequencies are 3.990, 7.290, 14.290, 18.160, and 21.390 MHz. The one exception will be that to accommodate Technicians gaining HF privileges, the 10 Meter Phone operation will be taking place at 28.480 MHz (again ± QRM).

We are treating Saturday and Sunday as an "Open House" atmosphere. Visitors are welcome to drop by, see what goes on when W1AW is operating in a non-bulletin fashion. Visitors bringing a copy of their licenses will be allowed to guest op at the station.

As part of the "W1AW HF Open House" we will be making available the ARRL "First Contact" certificates to those who make their first contact during the special event. Those making their first HF QSO (it doesn't have to be with W1AW, it can be with any station) can visit the "W1AW HF Open House" website at <http://www.arrl.org/HFWelcome/> and input their information. After the weekend, the ARRL will send out an attractive "First Contact" certificate to those who register at the site. In addition, if your first contact is with W1AW, we will also include a W1AW QSL card to confirm the achievement. You can see a sample certificate at <http://www.arrl.org/FandES/ead/award/certificate/1contact.pdf>

One additional feature of the weekend will be another Internet "blog" showing the activities of W1AW over the weekend. This activity proved to be a popular feature of the recent "Hello" weekend held at the end of December 2006. We encourage you to join in the fun - both on the air

In conjunction with the rules changes, there will also be several VE Test Sessions at ARRL HQ. The first will begin at 11:00 PM EST on Thursday February 22, 2007 where an ARRL VE team will administer one of the last Morse Code exams. A second, separate test session will begin at 12:01 AM EST Friday February 23, 2007 for those wishing to upgrade under the new FCC-approved rules. We are trying to work out the mechanics for a VE team to be available at W1AW on Saturday and Sunday for part of the day to process upgrades. (It will depend on the availability of VEs to run these extra sessions). Look for additional information on this at the ARRL Web: www.arrl.org

We hope that many clubs and individuals will be active over this historic weekend. Why not hold your own local "special event" and join in the activities for the weekend? It's a great time to welcome newcomers to our hobby and generate excitement. Hope to see you on the air the weekend of February 23-25.

QSN

6W/RW3TN - SENEGAL - Was found on 10103 yesterday just before 1930Z.

ANZA NET - 14183 - Last night on the ANZA net the following stations were present: FK/FO5RK, T20HC, KH0HC, 3D2RN, 9J2BO and E51JD. Watch 14183 after 0530Z.

YW0DX - AVES ISLAND - The team did not go QRT yesterday as they continued activity throughout Monday. They were on 18070 around 1900Z. QSL via IT9DAA.

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EU-015	SV9CJO	18156	1309	NA-020	YW0DX	3790	0527
EU-019	R1FJM	14004	1622	NA-034	KM4RX	14260	1539
EU-036	LA7WNA	14203	1726	NA-123	V31FG/P	7003	1231
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14255	1802	OC-048	ZK3RE	14242	0728

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13-Feb 24-Feb	HH	HH7/N3BNA (NA-096)	KA2AEV	11-031 016
13-Feb 14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR	11-014
13-Feb 20-Feb	HP	HP1/W4OC HP1/N4GG (NA-072)		11-023
13-Feb 20-Feb	HP	HP1/W9RE HP1/N5OT (NA-072)		11-023
13-Feb 15-Feb	J2	J20MM J20RR (AF-053)	I2YSB	11-024 021
13-Feb 20-Feb	J7	J75KG (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015 014
13-Feb 18-Feb	J7	J79DX (NA-101)	VA3YDX	11-031
13-Feb 20-Feb	J7	J79IU (NA-101)	W9IU	11-015 014
13-Feb 20-Feb	J7	J79RV (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015 014
13-Feb 20-Feb	J7	J79WI (NA-101)	WI9WI	11-015 014
13-Feb	J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
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13-Feb 17-Feb	KP2	KP2/N9EAJ (NA-106)		11-005
13-Feb 30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
13-Feb 8-Mar	PJ2	PJ4/G4IUF (SA-006)		11-026 10-228
13-Feb 20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI (SA-006)	K4BAI	11-001
13-Feb 20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E (SA-006)	K4BAI	11-001 10-231
13-Feb 18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV (SA-006)	PA0VDV	11-018
13-Feb 30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
13-Feb 15-Feb	T2	T20HC (OC-015)	DL9HCU	11-031 027
13-Feb 20-Feb	TI	TI5/K7AR TI5/KI7Y TI5/N7OU	home calls	11-025
13-Feb 20-Feb	TI	TI5/WJ7R TI5/K9JY	home calls	11-025
13-Feb 27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR		11-026
13-Feb 21-Feb	TZ	TZ6JA	JA3EMU	11-030
13-Feb 21-Feb	V2	V26G (NA-100)	N2ED	11-012
13-Feb 13-Feb	V3	V31FG (NA-123)	DL2SWW	11-011
13-Feb 13-Feb	V3	V31GW V31DG (NA-123)		11-011
13-Feb 13-Feb	V3	V31YN (NA-123)	DJ4KW	11-011
13-Feb 19-Feb	V7	V73ZZ	K7ZZ	11-021
13-Feb 18-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/AK0M (NA-023)	AK0M	11-016 10-188
13-Feb 22-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/DL2AU (NA-023)	DL2AU	11-028
13-Feb 18-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/KC0RD (NA-023)		11-016
13-Feb 19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA	11-001
13-Feb 18-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-023 011
13-Feb	YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA	11-026 025
13-Feb 22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001

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A61TX	W4JS	J79IU	W9IU	TI5/WJ7R	WJ7R
C56YK	ON7YK	LU1QS	IK2QPR	TM4ANT	F6BFH
C6AHR	N8PR	MJ0ASP	F5SHQ	TM8ANT	F8DVD
C6AKQ	N4BP	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	TR8CA	F6CBC
D2DX	OH2BAD	R1AND	RU1ZC	TT8FC	EA4AHK
IR7ANT	IZ7AUH	R1FJM	RX3MM	XW1A	E21EIC
J37T	VE3EBN	R1FJT	UA4RC	YW0DX	IT9DAA

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SM5DQC, Osten, has not received the 9Q1TB QSL cards due to a small misunderstanding. QRX a tad longer for these cards. Osten is up-to-date with the 9Q1EK, Georges, cards, as he mailed more than 200 envelopes as of today. Georges is back in the DRC after a short vacation and has already been QRV.

Osten reminds the European ops that Sweden does not have "euro postage". The cost is 11 SEK for mail to the US and Europe. One USD (\$1) is "NOT enough as our postage to ALL foreign countries is the same, and we do NOT have economy mail, all mail go as "priority mail" (air mail)" says, Osten.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2CI (2001), 3V8BB (2001), 3XD2Z, 5A7A, 5R8RJ (AF-057), 7Z1UG, 9J2BO, 9K2HN, 9Q1D, C31CT, C6APG (NA-080), E51QMA, FO/KM9D (OC-057), HK0GU, HK0GU/1, IA5/IK5CBE (EU-028), JD1AMA, JV800CS, KH8Q, PA3GIO/6W, RU1A, T30XX, TG9ADM, TZ5A, V31LZ, VP8CMH/MM, VP8ROT (AN-001), VP9F, VQ9LA, VU7LD, VU7RG (sponsor card), XX9C (AS-075), YN4SU, YN4SU/9, YS3/I2JIN, YT6A

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: CU6NS, DS1JFY, GI4OCK, HB9TSU, PP5AA, RW3LX, UA0SE

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: EX2M, HK3W, IH9P, KH6/N0CO, LA6FJA, LB8IB, OE2S, OE8SKQ, S50U, S52RA, SP7FRO, SV9CVY, TI1C, TM1ANT, VP2VVV, ZL2IFB, ZM3R

On The WWW

ZD8I, Ian, has an interesting policy on being spotted on the Packet Cluster. Probably a good idea to read it and to be aware of this unique policy. Check it out at <http://www.zd8i.net/> .

Looks like the J20RR on-line log search had some minor problems the last time the logs were uploaded. Seems they now have dupes for all the first set of QSOs. The log search can be found at <http://www.i2ysb.com/log/index.htm> . The J20MM QSOs seem to be OK.

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DX News

DU9/N0NM, Jon, will be leaving the Philippines and heading to W3 land in June. He will also be away from his station between February 23 and March 2 and again from March 9-17. Topband ops who still need DU on 160 meters should try 1828.3 usually before 12000Z. Jon almost always listens up two. QSL via W4DR.

HP1XVH, W9RE, N5OT, W4OC and N4GG will be operating in the ARRL CW DX Contest using the call HP1XX.

The German DX Foundation (GDXF) has published their 2006 Most Wanted list. The top 10 mixed countries are:

1.	KH8/S Swains	83.1%
2.	BS7H Scarborough Reef	64.8%
3.	KP1 Navassa Island	50.7%
4.	3Y/B Bouvet Island	43.7%
5.	VU7 Lakshadweep Islands	43.7%
6.	VP8/O South Orkney Islands	40.8%
7.	ZL8 Kermadec Islands	40.8%
8.	KP5 Desecheo Island	38.0%
9.	P5 North Korea	38.0%
10.	FO/M Marquesas Islands	36.6%

On CW the top five countries were: P5, KH8/s, BS7H, VU7 and 7O. On SSB the top five were: KH8/s, BS7H, ZL8, T31 and KP1, KP5 and 3Y/B (all tied for 5th). The top five on RTTY were: KH8/s, BS7H, VK0/M, VU7 and KH3. The results were from a pole take that ended in December 2006. Complete results can be seen at <http://www.gdx.de/mostwanted.html>.

J8/W0AW, Gary, will be operating on the island of Bequia (pronounced Bek-way) in the Grenadine Islands (NA-025) from March 10-16. He will be using an ICOM IC-7000 and an inverted L for 10-80 meters. If antenna space is available, there will also be operation on 160 meters. Activity will be on CW, RTTY and some SSB. QSL to W0AW either via the bureau or direct.

HR2DMR, Daniel, plans to operate in the ARRL CW DX Contest in the SOAB low power category. He'll be using his new set of mono-band antennas.

Tuesday K5PI, Robert; AB5K, Terry; and W5ZL, Gary, arrive in Belize.

During the ARRL CW DX Contest this weekend they will do a multi-two effort as V31TP. Look for them before and after the contest as V31AT, V31TG and V41ZL. QSL all via WC0W.

RW3TN, Aleksey, is in Senegal and operating until the end of March. Look for him to be QRV as 6W/RW3TN and during contest as 6V7E. If you need him on 160 you can send an email to alex@rrnn.ru for a sked. You can see his equipment and antennas on 6W7RV's, Jean Francois, Web page at <http://www.le-calao.com>. QSL both calls via his home call.

K0KG, Keith, and W0GJ, Glenn, will be a M/S entry in the ARRL SSB DX Contest as VP5H from the Turks and Caicos Islands. QSL to W0GJ

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are slowly making their way to Christmas Island, Eastern Kiribati and expect to arrive tomorrow around local noon.

G3SWH, Phil, and G3RTE, Jim, will be active as VP2MTE from the island of Montserrat between February 21st and 28th 2007 with activity primarily on CW with some RTTY and PSK31 on all bands 10-160 meters. Propagation permitting, they plan to have two stations on the air for as many hours every day as is possible. Their main objective is to work as many European, North American and ROTW (rest of the world) stations on as many bands as possible. QSL via G3SWH, either direct with SAE and adequate return postage or via E-mail for a bureau reply or via the bureau. Phil's E-mail address is: phil@g3swh.demon.co.uk .

A35RK, Paul, plans to operate single-op low-power single band in the ARRL CW DX Contest, maybe 15 meters or possibly 80 meters if he can get an antenna up.

Members of the LBCC will be QRV as OM7M from Slovak Republic as a multi-two in this coming week's ARRL CW DX Contest. QSL via OM3PA.

To celebrate the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Irish Radio Transmitters Society (IRTS), a number of members of the society will activate Swaziland (3DA0) from March 16th to 25th, 2007. The Irish national Holiday, St. Patrick's Day is March 17th, and the team will be especially active on many modes and bands on that day. They will also be taking part in the CQ WPX SSB Contest on March 24th and 25th. Look for activity on all bands, with an emphasis on 12, 17 and 30 meters as well as the low bands and digital modes. There is also hope for them to be QRV on 2 and 6 meter EME. The team will include the following operators:

3DA0PM - EI2CA, Paul (expedition leader)
3DA0PB - EI7CC, Peter
3DA0AM - EI8CE, Aidan
3DA0DG - EI4DJ/GI4FUM, David
3DA0RH - EI4DJB, Rory
3DA0GV - EI3GV, Brendan
3DA0GI - GI4VIV, Pete

EI7CC will be the QSL Manager for all of the above calls, which can be sent direct or via the EI QSL bureau. The team has a Web page at <http://www.irts.ie/cgi/afri75.cgi>, which will be updated with information on a regular basis, including an on-line log search facility, which should be updated daily.

QRP DXer N8CQA, Buck Switzer, passed away on February 9th after a courageous battle with cancer. He will be missed by his family as well as members of the South East Michigan DX Association (SEMDXA). Buck was a member of the Michigan QRP Amateur Radio Club, the Michigan Bass Fishing Club and the American Legion.

IOTA

The four man American team sailing around Antarctica will be on Peterman Island (AN-006) today. Watch for possible activity from 1400 to 1800Z on 20 or 40 meters. Members of this Casual DXpedition are K9PET/KC4, W3ASA/KC4, W3WKO/KC4 and W3WKP/KC4.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
15-Feb		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
15-Feb	20-Feb	3D2	3D2RN	WB6JZY	11-031	021
15-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
15-Feb	22-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
15-Feb	18-Feb	5T	5T5DY	F8PDR		11-011
15-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
15-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
15-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
15-Feb		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-011
15-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK		11-024
15-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6AHR	N8PR		11-017
15-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6AKQ	N4BP		11-017
15-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6APG			11-017
15-Feb		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX		11-032
15-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
15-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
15-Feb	25-Feb	F	TM5TAF	F6AXX		11-001
15-Feb		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
15-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/KC3VW (NA-096)	KC3VW	11-031	016
15-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/N3BNA (NA-096)	KA2AEV	11-031	016
15-Feb	21-Feb	HK	HK1/AC8W HK1/K8DD	home calls		11-022
15-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W4OC HP1/N4GG (NA-072)			11-023
15-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W9RE HP1/N5OT (NA-072)			11-023
15-Feb	5-Mar	HR	by W4OI		10-199	189
15-Feb	21-Feb	HR	HQ2R	EA4URE		11-028
15-Feb	15-Feb	J2	J20MM J20RR (AF-053)	I2YSB	11-024	021
15-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J75KG (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015	014
15-Feb	18-Feb	J7	J79DX (NA-101)	VA3YDX		11-031
15-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79IU (NA-101)	W9IU	11-015	014
15-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79RV (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015	014
15-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79WI (NA-101)	WI9WI	11-015	014
15-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW		10-239
15-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79XX (NA-101)	K1XX	11-015	014
15-Feb	17-Feb	KC4	K9PET/KC4 W3ASA/KC4	home calls		10-219
15-Feb	17-Feb	KC4	W3WKO/KC4 W3WKP/KC4	home calls		10-219
15-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)			11-023
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6W1SA	F4BIT	J37LR	VE3EBN	VP2V/DL2AU	DL2AU
D60VB	UA4WHX	J79RV	KU9C	XW1A	E21EIC
GB0ANT	M3ZYZ	J79WI	WI9WI	YI9CC/5	OK1DOT
HJ4OBA	EA5KB	P40LE	K2LE	YT60W	YU7BCD
IR8ANT	I8ACB	PJ5NA	K1NA	YY4DCA	YV4AJ
J20MM	I2YSB	TM8WAP	F5XL		

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I2WIJ, Bob, QSL Manager for CN3A and 5D5A callsigns, regrettably informs the deserving HAM community that, due to unpredictable delays in QSL Card printing, he is not able to answer any QSL request yet. As of February 14th the hope is that printed QSL cards could be available before the end of the next month.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3B, 4O6OBH, 5A7A, 5Z4DZ, 7X4AN, AP2TN, C56X, EP3HF, HP3XUG, JT800OK, KH8Q, LZ2JE, LZ9W, OH2BH, OH6OBH, PZ5RA, SV9CVY, T30XX, UA9YAB, VQ9JC, VU4AN/VU3KIE, VU7LD, VU7RG (sponsor QSL)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT6A, CX7TT, IH9P, M0BSM, OQ7Q, S01R, SP2FOV, SV1DPP, T11C, V31YN

On The WWW

The VU7MY log search is now up and running at http://logsearch.de/index.php?option=com_wrapper&Itemid=30 or at <http://www.dx-pedition.de/lakshadweep2007/logs/logsearch.php> but make sure you change the callsign to VU7MY.

The German VK9DNX DXpedition to Norfolk Island has a Web page at <http://www.df3cb.com/vk9dnx/> .

K4MM, Tom Colyard, has put up a new 60 Meter Web site at <http://60meters.info/> .

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DX News

The work assignment for FT5XQ/MM, Gil (TU5KG) is done and he is on his way back to Reunion Island, FR, where he is expected to be by February 20th. He will be in France for 10 days beginning February 26th.

PJ7/PY1WAS, Alex, will be on from Sint Maarten, NA-105, February 18-22, 40-10M and 60M (5403.5 kHz), mostly CW, with some SSB and VHF. QSL via the LABRE-SP bureau or direct. For more on PJ7/PY1WAS, go to www.qsl.net/pylwas.

V26H will be on from Antigua in the ARRL DX SSB with KG4NEP, Robert, and W2DZO, Henry, operating. Henry holds the V26H callsign and Robert has V26RW. Look for them from the island starting February 28th. They return to North Carolina, USA, Monday, March fifth.

CT1HHP, Luciano, is going to Sao Tome for an operation February 26-March 7. Luciano will be on RTTY and BPSK31, 20, 15, and 10M, possibly 40 and 17. He will be limited to 50 watts and is considering either a G5RV or doublet for 40m. He will have the callsign S92FM.

JK2VOV, Fukuda, and JA2BNN, Nose, will be on from Guam for the Russian DX Contest, signing KH2/JK2VOV and KH2/JA2BNN, each as a separate single op. This will be March 16-19. Look for them on the WARC bands before the Russian operating event. QSL to their home callsigns.

SM5GMZ, Pete, starts his operation from East Malaysia March 13th, concentrating on the low bands and CW. He will be active for 9M6/SM5GMZ for eight days. March 22 he goes to 9M8 and will be on in the WPX phone contest that weekend along with G4JVG, Steve. Then, on April 27th, Pete goes to 6W, Senegal, for a 12-day operation, all modes and bands, but especially spending time on 160 and 80. He's expecting to get a 6V7 callsign.

F5OGL, Didier, who regularly passes news to the Daily DX, tells us he will be multi-single in the ARRL DX CW contest that starts tonight. He still has no update on an upcoming Glorioso operation, but he says, "Keep your fingers crossed."

Silent Key

The reflector of the Philippine Amateur Radio Association (PARA) reports that Philippine Airlines Captain Ed Reyes, DU1ERV, died on February 14. Ed was better known as the pilot of PAL Flight 434 which he piloted to a safe landing in December of 1994 despite the fact that a group connected to al-Qaeda had exploded a bomb on board.

DL1RXA (ex-Y31NO), Wolfram Hess, died at the age of 67 from a stroke on February 9th. Wolfram was the host of what DL7RBI (DARC International Affairs Committee member) says was "the only totally unpolitical program on" the former German Democratic Republic's (East Germany's) shortwave broadcast, a show on DX. Later, his "DX-Programme," which was in English, was carried on a reunited Germany's Deutsche Welle. `RBI notes that Wolfram was nationally and internationally known for his many studies in solar physics, and for his expertise in solar and ionospheric weather reporting and forecasting.

SWODXA Dayton DX Dinner

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The SouthWest Ohio DX Association is pleased to sponsor the 22nd annual DX Dinner to be held in conjunction with the 2007 Dayton HamVention. The dinner will be Friday evening, 18 May, at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, located in Dayton city center. Cocktail begin at 6pm and Dinner starts promptly at 7:15. This is the same venue as in years past. The program details are not final yet, but we will have a good one. As in the past, there will be some nice attendance prizes - last year the main prize was an Icom IC-756 Pro III! We have upgraded the menu this year. Tickets are \$36.00 per meal, payable in US funds to SWODXA. (Sorry, we do not process PayPal or Credit Card payments.) Please advise if you want a vegetarian meal when you order. You may order from Jay Slough, K4ZLE, at his CBA. SASE would be appreciated. We attempt to honor group seating requests when tickets are ordered together. There is not a bad seat in the house, but seating is definitely limited. Come join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. Further information may be obtained from Jay at: k4zle <at> yahoo <dot> com. K4ZLE's CBA is 8183 Woodward Dr., West Chester, OH 45069

To view up-to-the minute details about the SouthWest Ohio DX Association DX Dinner go to: <http://www.swodxa.com>.

QSN

5T5DY - MAURITANIA - 7026 at 0645Z, QSX up one to two. QSL via F8PDR.

A61NT - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (U.A.E.) - Ghis was on 10107 at 14Z and 18075 in the 09Z hour. QSL via ON5NT.

C6AHR - BAHAMAS - JA's were hearing him on 160 at 1130Z.

D60VB - COMOROS ISLANDS - Vlad - watch 80 CW around 0300Z. Also, 7002 at 0045Z and found at the low end of 40 on other recent days. Plus, 18072 at 1610Z. QSL via UA4WHX.

J20RR/J20MM - DJIBOUTI - 14020 at 08Z and 0645Z, 14260 and 14280 around 0620Z, 1827.8 at 0335Z.

P29ZAD - PAPUA-NEW GUINEA - On and around 14073 BPSK in the 11Z hour.

ST2BF - SUDAN - 10106-10109 at 23Z, 3508.5 2140-2220Z, 3514 at 20Z, 10107 at 1830Z. QSL via W3HMK.

V8BDS - SULTANATE OF BRUNEI - Aman was on 7063 from 1820-1850Z and 14235 from 1545-1630Z.

VK9DNX - NORFOLK ISLAND - 21026 at 0750Z, 18110 at 0750Z, 10142 at 0745Z, 7005 at 0710Z and 24894 at 0630Z.

ZK3RE - TOKELAU - 7035.6 RTTY 07-08Z, up two. 21005 from 0145Z and 18118 from 0120Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	7062	0245	NA-024	J3/8R1AK	14210	2125
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14005	0750	OC-005	VK9NDX	3505	1315
EU-034	ES0IC	3534	0545	OC-028	V73ZZ	21295	2215
NA-023	VP2V/DL2AU	14260	1210	SA-002	VP8LP	21315	1750

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
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16-Feb		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
16-Feb	20-Feb	3D2	3D2RN	WB6JZY	11-031	021
16-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
16-Feb	22-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
16-Feb	18-Feb	5T	5T5DY	F8PDR		11-011
16-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
16-Feb	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
16-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
16-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
16-Feb		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-011
16-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK		11-024
16-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6AHR	N8PR		11-017
16-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6AKQ	N4BP		11-017
16-Feb	19-Feb	C6	C6APG			11-017
16-Feb		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX		11-032
16-Feb	23-Feb	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR		11-033
16-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
16-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
16-Feb	25-Feb	F	TM5TAF			11-001
16-Feb		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
16-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/KC3VW (NA-096)	KC3VW	11-031	016
16-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/N3BNA (NA-096)	KA2AEV	11-031	016
16-Feb	21-Feb	HK	HK1/AC8W HK1/K8DD	home calls		11-022
16-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W4OC HP1/N4GG (NA-072)			11-023

16-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W9RE HP1/N5OT (NA-072)		11-023
16-Feb	5-Mar	HR	by W4OI		10-199 189
16-Feb	21-Feb	HR	HQ2R	EA4URE	11-028
16-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J75KG (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015 014
16-Feb	18-Feb	J7	J79DX (NA-101)	VA3YDX	11-031
16-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79IU (NA-101)	W9IU	11-015 014
16-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79RV (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015 014
16-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79WI (NA-101)	WI9WI	11-015 014
16-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
16-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79XX (NA-101)	K1XX	11-015 014
16-Feb	17-Feb	KC4	K9PET/KC4 W3ASA/KC4	home calls	10-219
16-Feb	17-Feb	KC4	W3WKO/KC4 W3WKP/KC4	home calls	10-219
16-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
16-Feb	21-Feb	KP2	KP2/K3CT KP2/K3TEJ	home calls	11-030 020
16-Feb	20-Feb	KP2	KP2/K3MD (NA-106)	K3MD	11-001
16-Feb	17-Feb	KP2	KP2/N9EAJ (NA-106)		11-005
16-Feb	21-Feb	KP4	VA6TNY/KP4	VA6TNY	11-017
16-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
16-Feb	19-Feb	P4	P49Y	AE6Y	11-027
16-Feb	8-Mar	PJ2	PJ4/G4IUF (SA-006)		11-026 10-228
16-Feb	20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI (SA-006)	K4BAI	11-001
16-Feb	20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E (SA-006)	K4BAI	11-001 10-231
16-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/PA0VDV (SA-006)	PA0VDV	11-018
16-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
16-Feb	21-Feb	T8	T88RA	JH1RMH	11-026
16-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/K7AR TI5/KI7Y TI5/N7OU	home calls	11-025
16-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/WJ7R TI5/K9JY	home calls	11-025
16-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR		11-026
16-Feb	21-Feb	TZ	TZ6JA	JA3EMU	11-030
16-Feb	21-Feb	V2	V26G (NA-100)	N2ED	11-012
16-Feb	19-Feb	V3	by K4NO		11-006
16-Feb	19-Feb	V7	V73ZZ	K7ZZ	11-021
16-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	by Germany group	DJ2MX	10-236
16-Feb	18-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/AK0M (NA-023)	AK0M	11-016 10-188
16-Feb	22-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/DL2AU (NA-023)	DL2AU	11-028
16-Feb	18-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/KC0RD (NA-023)		11-016
16-Feb	19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA	11-001
16-Feb	18-Feb	XU	XU7ADI	SM5GMZ	11-023 011
16-Feb		YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA	11-026 025
16-Feb	22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001
17-Feb	18-Feb	4L	4L0N	MM3AWD	11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	4U1U	4U1UN	HB9BOU	11-032
17-Feb	18-Feb	A3	A35RK	W7TSQ	11-033
17-Feb	18-Feb	CN	CN2WW	EA7FTR	10-236
17-Feb	18-Feb	CT3	CT9L		11-031
17-Feb	18-Feb	CX	CW7T	K5WW	11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	EA6	EA6BF	EA6BF	11-013
17-Feb	18-Feb	EA8	EA8/OH2BYS	OH2BYS	11-011
17-Feb	18-Feb	F	TM6X	F5VHY	11-030
17-Feb	18-Feb	HK	HK1AR		11-029
17-Feb	18-Feb	HP	HP1XX		11-033 023
17-Feb	18-Feb	HR	HR2DMR		11-033
17-Feb	18-Feb	IS	IS0/K7QB	AA4NN	11-026
17-Feb	18-Feb	J7	J70J	KU9C	11-015 014
17-Feb	18-Feb	KP2	WP2Z	KU9C	11-030 020
17-Feb	18-Feb	KP4	WP3C	W3HNK	11-001
17-Feb	18-Feb	LU	LR2F	LU2FA	11-031
17-Feb	18-Feb	OH0	OH0R	OH2PM	11-032
17-Feb	18-Feb	OM	OM7M		11-011
17-Feb	18-Feb	OM	OM7M	OM3PA	11-033
17-Feb	18-Feb	P4	P40W	N2MM	10-236
17-Feb	18-Feb	PJ2	PJ4A	K4BAI	10-231
17-Feb	18-Feb	TI	TI5N		11-025

17-Feb 18-Feb UA2	RK2FWA	DK4VW	11-031
17-Feb 18-Feb V3	V31TP	WC0W	11-033 027
17-Feb 18-Feb V4	V49A	K0EJ	10-212
17-Feb 18-Feb VP9	VP9/W6PH	W6PH	10-198
18-Feb 24-Feb C9	C98APE C98GLO (AF-072)		11-021

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet to unsettled with isolated active periods possible today.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for February 15, 2007 was zero for the fourth day in a row.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3D2TE	WB6JZY	CN2WW	EA7FTR	P29ZAD	N5FTR
4K5D	K2PF	DT0HF	HL2FDW	P40LE	K2LE
4N160SRS	YU1SRS	EK6LP	IK2DUW	PJ2/N1ZZ	N1ZZ
5Z4KI	YO9AFH	EM5U/P	UT2UB	ST2BF	W3HNK
6H1L	WA3HUP	HZ1EX	SM0BYD	TC5C	W4JS
9Q1D	SM5BFJ	HZ1NH	EA7FTR	V26G	N2ED
A61NT	ON5NT	IO2ANT	I8YGZ	VK9DNX	DJ2MX
A71EM	EA7FTR	KP2/K3CT	K3CT	YT60W	YU7BCD
C56YK	ON7YK	KP2/K3TEJ	K3TEJ		

The RSGB QSL bureau reports that thousands of QSL cards have begun arriving from Germany for the 38 DQ2006 and DR2006 special event stations active during last year's football (soccer) World Cup. The commemorative QSL card says 920,045 QSOs were made between May 13 and July 17th, 2006, by 1,117 operators.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 403B, 4060BH, 5A7A, KG4DX, S58Q, T30XX, TY5LEO, TY5MR, V25WX, VP2MHX and VU7LD.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5H1HS/1, 7P8/JH4RHF, 7W0AD, C56R, TZ6LF, V31TM, YE1P and ZF2CJ.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: VP2V/G6AY.

By AD1C, Jim Reisert

Thanks to the efforts of Jim Reisert, AD1C, Chuck Strobel, K6PBT and Scott Neader, KA9FOX, the DX Cluster Resource Connection has been relaunched at its old URL: <http://www.dxcluster.info/>

This site contains a worldwide listing of both RF and Internet DX Cluster nodes.

DXCluster.INFO was a 10 year labor of love on the part of Chuck Strobel, K6PBT who retired from site management in July 2006. He was kind enough to transfer the domain to me and I relaunched it in February 2007.

I'm currently trying to update the list of telnet (Internet) nodes. I have recently sent mail to all known sysop E-mail addresses and am working on correcting the list. Later I'll be updating other parts of the web site. Finally, the source data is in a format that can be used to create program-specific data files. If your program needs a list of DX Cluster nodes, send E-mail to the webmaster@dxcluster.info and we'll work something out.

On The WWW

The log for the recent DX0JP, Spratly Islands, operation is now on line. Here it is: <http://www.dxcom.jp/dx0jp/splogsearch.html>

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: AD1C, CT1HHP, DL7RBI, F4EFI, F5OGL, G4WFQ, JA1ELY, K3AV, K3ZO, K8SIX, KU4J, N1ZP, PARA, PY2HS, SM5GMZ, W2DZO, W2IRT, W3UR, W4WX, W9EMF and WC5M.

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DX News

W3UR says he had a good time from 4U1UN with OH2BH and LA5IIA this weekend in the ARRL CW contest. Bernie will no doubt give more info in tomorrow's Daily DX, but he says 80 and 40 worked very well, 20 reasonably well, but there were antenna problems on 15 and 10 that caused them to only put on 50 watts, and 160 wasn't too good either. As with all 4U1UN operations, QSL only via HB9BOU

YZ1EW says the particulars of the next Swains Island operation are getting firmed up. Scheduled for March 29-April 24, the group of YT1AD, K1LZ, K3LP, N6TQS, RA3AUU, UR0MC, RK3AD, UA4HOX, RU4SU, SV2BFN, K6SRZ, YZ7AA, YU7NU, YZ1BX and YU1AU, and possibly YU1DX and YZ1EW, will operate from Swains as N8S April 4-15, ZK3A Tokelau April 16-19, and 5W5AA Samoa April 20-24. The Swains stay will be 10 days with six stations on the air simultaneously, and a cost of \$155,000. The organizers are encouraging donations. For that, contact co-leader K3LP, Dave, K3LP@yahoo.com. One more operator is still being sought. Updates will be posted on <http://www.yt1ad.info/n8s/>.

The OM0C Contest Crew is planning an expedition to Gambia, C5. The six ops will be there October 17-30, 2007, operating on 160-6M, emphasizing the low bands, especially 160. The callsign will be C52C. They will have up to four stations on the air all at once and will be in the CQWW SSB. For more: www.om0c.com/gambia.

ZD7M spent an hour and a half tuning 40M at 0300Z Friday night and was amazed at all the loud signals. He found the sending speed a bit overwhelming, though. At last report, Mike had only been able to work South African and South American stations but he was going to give it a try Saturday and Sunday evenings.

T32MO ops KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, made it safely to Christmas Island, East Kiribati, Friday morning and, says A35RK, Paul, "they immediate went ashore to get an ice cream." Paul also reports that 3D2HC, Udo (aka DL9HCU) is now QRV from Nadi for a few days, waiting for his flight to Samoa. Paul picked up this info on the on-air "ANZA Net."

The German Lighthouse Award (Deutsches Leuchtturmdiplom) has a new manager, effective March, 2007, DL1RTW, Detlev Hoepner. Also, the fee for the award is increasing to seven Euros or eight U.S. dollars. Details are available on www.lighthouse-award.de or

www.mydarc.de/dl0kwh. Detlev's address is:

Detlev Hoepner
AM Krebssee 11
D-15711 Konigs Wusterhausen
GERMANY

Outgoing manager, DL2VFR, Ric, says, "Thanks for the memories," as he turns over the reins.

The German Lufthansa ARS will have a station active from Egypt with the special callsign SU8DLH, the "DLH" standing for Deutsche Lufthansa. One of the group, DL1BDF, Mustapha, says they will be on all the HF bands, CW, SSB and digital.

BD1DRJ/7, BA4ALC/7 and BD7KLO/7 will be on Weizhou Island, Taiwan, AS-139, February 20-24. They plan to be on HF SSB and CW. QSL to their home calls.

TO6T will be the Guadeloupe (FG) callsign for F6GWV and F6HMQ, February 22-March 6. QSL via F6HMQ. Guadeloupe is IOTA NA-102.

The XE1RCS (Radio Club Satellite) group will be in the CQWW 160 SSB next weekend with six operators pitching in. They will have two quarter wavelength phased towers and eight beverages. They say this is the best opportunity of the year to work zone six on 160. The team includes XE1VIC, XE1JG, XE1ME, XE1YJY, XE1MM and XE1KK. QSL to the QRZ.com address.

ZB2/403AL will be operator EB7AEY from Gibraltar February 23-25, SSB and RTTY, 80-10M. QSL via EB7AEY.

II1MNA will be on from Italy for the Fourth Antarctic Activity Week February 19-25. This will be the Museo Nazionale dell'Antartide, the Antarctica National Museum, in Genoa. QSL via IZ1GJK.

The purpose of Antarctic Activity Week is to promote worldwide interest in Antarctica. There will be special event callsigns on from around the world. Some of them are:

Austria - OE3AIS/ANT, OE3KKA/ANT, OE3RPB/ANT, OE3SGA/ANT, OE3WWB/ANT, OE4VIE/ANT

Bulgaria - LZ04ANT

Canada - VA3ANTA, VA7ANTA

England - GB0ANT

France - TM0ANT, TM0TAF, TM1ANT, TM2ANT, TM3ANT, TM4ANT, TM5ANT, TM5TAF, M8ANT, TM8WAP

Germany - DR2007ANT

Italy - II0ANT, II1ANT, II1MNA, II2ANT, II4ANT, II5ANT, II8ANT, IO0ANT, IO2ANT, IO8IAA, IR0ANT, IR1ANT, IR2ANT, IR4ICE, IR7ANT, IU0ANT, IU2ANT, IU7ANT, IU8ANT

Romania - YQ2ANT

Russia - UE6ANT

Switzerland - HB9ICE

USA - K4A, K4Z/ANT, K9A, N5T/ANT

Full information on the "AAW" is available at <http://www.ddxc.net/wap>

The Dayton Topband Dinner is set for Friday, May 18th with the cash bar at 6:15 PM and dinner at 7:30 PM at the Barnsider Restaurant, the same as last year. All 160M enthusiasts are invited. The Barnsider is near the Hamvention site. The banquet-style setup is \$29, in advance. Contact K8GG, George Guerin, 14322 A Drive North, Ceresco, MI 49033-8611, USA or k8gg@arrl.net.

5C5Z will be the Morocco callsign for W7ZR, Dick, in the CQWW WPX SSB March 24-25. He will be single op single band 20M and will op CW and RTTY before the contest with a more standard callsign, CN2ZR. QSL via W7ZR.

Silent Key

I7RIZ, ex-I8RIZ, Gianni Rizzi, passed away February 13th. A personal friend says he was a serious DXer with 337/335 current/deleted for DXCC, and an IOTA enthusiast.

QSN

7Z1UG - SAUDI ARABIA - 14021 at 1340

HI8RV - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC - Chiken was on 7005 at 0340Z. He is at the low end of 40 most weekends.

VK9DNX - NORFOLK ISLAND - Dieter was on 28025 at 0345Z working Asia. Also, 21081 at 0330Z, 18074 at 0310Z. QSL via DJ2MX. This is IOTA OC-005.

ZK3RE - TOKELAU - 14240 at 0230Z, 18116 at 0040Z, 7004 at 1730Z. QSL via HA8IB.

IOTA

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AF-072	C98APE	7065	2050	NA-024	J3/8R1AK	14222	1930
AS-003	4S7PAG	14261	1300	NA-123	W5ZPA	21280	2100
EU-114	GU0VPA	10140	1600	OC-005	VK9DNX	18073	2110
EU-133	RN1CW/1	14260	1135	OC-148	YB9ZNT	7085	1930
EU-171	OZ1ING	18075	1350	SA-008	LULXPA	14071	1835

GM0B will be on Isle of Bute, EU-123, July 28-29 for the IOTA contest. Ops GM0ELP, MM0BHX, MM0GPZ, GM0LIR and GM0OQV will be on 80-10M SSB and CW. QSL via MM0BHX.

II1MNA will be on from Italy for the Fourth Antarctic Activity Week February 19-25. This will be the Museo Nazionale dell'Antartide, the Antarctica National Museum, in Genoa. QSL via IZ1GJK.

RA1QY/1, RN1CW/1, UA1AIR/1 and UA1CIO/1 planned to be on Verperluda Island, EU-133, the last two days. QSL bureau or direct.

4A3IH will be on Mexico's Roqueta Island, NA-183, with operators XE1IH, XE1KOF, XE1YJL, XE1XR, XE2ML and XE2AUB, between May 14 and 19. The same group will go to Ixtapa Island, NA-183, between May 21 and 26. Look for them on HF - CW, SSB, and digital, plus, six, two, and satellite. QSL via IT9EJW direct or bureau. If direct, mail it to Alfio Bonanno, Via della Regione 20 - 95028 Valverde (CT) Italy. More info is on <http://www.mdxc.org/4a3ih>.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530

SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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19-Feb		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
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19-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
19-Feb	22-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
19-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
19-Feb	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
19-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
19-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
19-Feb		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-011
19-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK		11-024
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19-Feb		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
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19-Feb	20-Feb	HP	HP1/W9RE HP1/N5OT (NA-072)			11-023
19-Feb	5-Mar	HR	by W4OI		10-199	189
19-Feb	21-Feb	HR	HQ2R	EA4URE		11-028
19-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J75KG (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015	014
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19-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79RV (NA-101)	KU9C	11-015	014
19-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79WI (NA-101)	WI9WI	11-015	014
19-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW		10-239
19-Feb	20-Feb	J7	J79XX (NA-101)	K1XX	11-015	014
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19-Feb	20-Feb	KP2	KP2/K3MD (NA-106)	K3MD		11-001
19-Feb	21-Feb	KP4	VA6TNY/KP4	VA6TNY		11-017
19-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
19-Feb	19-Feb	P4	P49Y	AE6Y		11-027
19-Feb	8-Mar	PJ2	PJ4/G4IUF (SA-006)		11-026	10-228
19-Feb	20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI (SA-006)	K4BAI		11-001
19-Feb	20-Feb	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E (SA-006)	K4BAI	11-001	10-231
19-Feb	21-Feb	PJ5	PY1WAS/PJ7	PY2AA		11-031
19-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
19-Feb	21-Feb	T8	T88RA	JH1RMH		11-026
19-Feb	20-Feb	TI	TI5/K7AR TI5/KI7Y TI5/N7OU	home calls		11-025
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19-Feb	19-Feb	V3	by K4NO			11-006
19-Feb	19-Feb	V7	V73ZZ	K7ZZ		11-021
19-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	by Germany group	DJ2MX		10-236

19-Feb 22-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/DL2AU (NA-023)	DL2AU	11-028
19-Feb 19-Feb	VP8/O	VP8DJU	K9PET	10-219
19-Feb 19-Feb	VP8/O	VP8DJV	W3ASA	10-219
19-Feb 19-Feb	VP8/O	VP8DKD	W3WKO	10-219
19-Feb 19-Feb	VP8/O	VP8DKG	W3WKP	10-219
19-Feb 19-Feb	W	WA2USA/5 (NA-168)	WA2USA	11-001
19-Feb	YV0	YW0DX (NA-020)	IT9DAA	11-026 025
19-Feb 27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8QD (AF-003)	K4QD	11-026 025
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19-Feb 22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001
19-Feb 3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT	11-006
19-Feb 25-Feb		4th WAP Antarctica Activity Week	11-006	10-205
21-Feb 6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO	11-027
21-Feb 1-Mar	T8	T88XX	JA6ENF	11-026
21-Feb 28-Feb	VP2M	VP2MTE	G3SWH	11-033 025
22-Feb 25-Feb	3DA0	by ZS6JR ZS6WB		11-029
22-Feb 7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ		11-011
22-Feb 7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF		11-031
22-Feb 25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DJU	K9PET	10-219
22-Feb 25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DJV	W3ASA	10-219
22-Feb 25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DKD	W3WKO	10-219
22-Feb 25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DKG	W3WKP	10-219
23-Feb 25-Feb	UA	UE3YAR	RV3YR	11-021
23-Feb 25-Feb	W	W1AW HF Open House	W1AW	11-032
23-Feb 25-Feb	XE	XF1K (NA-246)	N6AWD	11-016
23-Feb 25-Feb	ZB	ZB2/4O3AL	EB7AEY	11-026
24-Feb 2-Mar	C6	W2IRT/C6A N2YTF/C6A (NA-001)	W2IRT	10-239
24-Feb 25-Feb	CT3	CT9L		11-031
24-Feb 14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031

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QSL Info

JJ1BDX wants to confirm the QSL route for VY2TT in the ARRL DX CW 2007. Is it K6LA?

W4JS, Jack Sproat, notes that he has "absolutely no connection" with TC5C, despite many cluster spots from Europe in January and February giving him as the QSL route. Jack was very surprised when he did a search for TC5C and saw his callsign given so many times.

QSL VK9CGG via W0YG. Charlie does not use the bureau or WF5E's QSL

service for any of his DXpeditions.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3XD2Z, 3XM6JR, 4S7CF, 4S7NE, 5A7A, 9Q1D, DQ2006C, DQ80IARU, FG5FR, JJ8DEN/6, JJ8DEN/JD1, KH0PR, T30XX, T77C, TK5IX, R1ANC, V31HK, V73RY, VU4AN/VU3CHE, VU7RG, YS3/I2JIN, YU6AO and YX0LIX.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT3DZ, CU2JT, HQ4R, LY2IJ, SJ2W, V31YN/P, V44/NC2N, VP2V/G6AY and XE1KK.

On The WWW

W0YG, Charlie, notes that the YX0DX logs are on line now but it appears the WPX RTTY contacts are not in the log.

Credits

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DX News

JJ8DEN (ZL2PR), Yoshi, is now QRV as ZK2PR from Niue Island. He'll be mostly on 15, 17 and 30 meters CW and RTTY. Length of stay is not known at this time. KH6CW, Harry, reports that Yoshi will be QRV from Chatham Island (ZL7) after March 2nd. QSL via JJ8DEN.

A group from the German Lufthansa ARS plan to activate special call SU8DLH from Egypt March 3rd to 12th. They will be on all bands and modes.

JK1QLR, Keisuke, will be operating from Majuro Island (OC-029), Marshall Islands from March 16-22 as V73KN. Watch for him on all bands. QSL via JK1QLR either via the JARL QSL bureau or direct to Keisuke Nagase, #203 371-1 Bishamonyokocho, Kamigyo-ku, Kyoto 6020817 Japan.

KM1E, Bill, will be heading back to the Bahamas next month. He'll be arriving on March 23rd and plans to be QRV with his C6AGN call on 6 through 160 meters, as time and band conditions permit. He will be there until June 10th.

The C6AFP 6 meter beacon located on Green Turtle Cay (FL16) has recently been upgraded. The beacon went from 1.5 watts to 25 watts and is now transmitting on 50040.5 KHz. The upgrade was done thanks to the help of N3DB, Dave.

GB2RS reports that DL3KWR, Rosel, and DL3KWF, Hardy, will be operating as CT3/DL3KWR and CT3/DL3KWF from the Madeira Islands between March 8 and 22. They will be mostly on CW on 12, 17 and 30 meters.

Correction

BD1DRJ/7, BA4ALC/7 and BD7KLO/7 will be on Weizhou Island, Peoples Republic of China (NOT Taiwan), AS- 139, February 20-24. They plan to be on HF SSB and CW. QSL to their home calls.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-072	C98APE	14190	1618	NA-080	C6APG	18075	1803
AF-072	C98GLO	14080	1958	NA-097	6Y1V	21235	1507
EU-015	SV9GPV	21265	1122	NA-168	WA2USA/5	10105	0105
EU-018	OY3QN	3514	2206	OC-005	VK9DNX	21027	2153
NA-018	OX3PG	14196	1900	OC-022	YB9BU	14250	1252
NA-062	K2ZR/4	7007	2226				

Look for DL1FT, Frank, to be operating from Saaremaa Island (EU-034), Estonia as ES0FTZ from July 11th through the 21st. He'll be on 15-80 meters SSB.

Italian ops IT9GAC, IT9GIE, IT9IVA, IT9TPJ, IT9VKY, IW9BCW, IW9BDV and IW9FY plan to operate from Favignana Island (EU-054) as IF9RGE from April 21-23. Plans are to be on CW, SSB and RTTY on HF and 2 and 6 meters. QSL via IT9EJW.

Quadra Island (NA-091), Canada will be activated by VA7AQ/p, Heinz from July 26th to August 1st, including the IOTA Contest. He'll be on all bands SSB only. QSL via VA7AQ.

VK6HZ, John, is looking to operate as VK6ARI from Rottneest Island (OC-164) from March 5th to 11th. He'll be using an IC-7000 on SSB, PSK and RTTY and possibly CW on or near the usual IOTA frequencies. QSL via VK6HZ.

JH1DGY/1, JL1OVB/1, 7L3ATQ/1 and JA1YVT/1 will be active Izu Oshima Island (AS-008) on February 24th and 25th. Activity will be on HF, VHF and UHF on CW, SSB and FM. QSL via their home calls.

IOTA frequencies -

CW	28040	24920	21040	18098	14040	10114	7030	3530
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4N160SRS	YU1SRS	FM1II	K3PD	PJ4/PA0VDV	PA0VDV
4S7PAG	F5PAC	HC2SL	EA5KB	ST2A	T93Y
4U1UN	HB9BOU	HH7/N3BNA	KA2AEV	ST2R	S57DX
5T5DY	F8PDR	HK1/AC8W	AC8W	SV5/G2JL	G2JL
5X1GS	WB2YQH	HK1/K8DD	K8DD	TM0TAF	F4TTR
5Z4/9A3A	9A2AA	HQ2R	EA4URE	TM8WAP	F5XL
5Z4DZ	PA1AW	II1ANT	IZ1GJK	UE6ANT	UA6HPR
6Y1V	OH3RB	II8ANT	IZ8GGF	UK8GK	RW6HS
A6/DL3YM	DL3YM	IO2ANT	I8YGZ	V31DG	DL2SWW
A61AS	YO3FRI	IO8IAA	IK8WEJ	V31FG	DL2SWW
A61NT	ON5NT	IR2ANT	IK2DUW	V31TG	AB5K
A61TX	W4JS	IR4ICE	IZ4DPV	V31TP	WC0W
C98APE	CT1APE	IR8ANT	I8ACB	V31ZL	W5ZL
C98GLO	CT2GLO	IU2ANT	IK2QPR	V73ZZ	K7ZZ
CN2WW	EA7FTR	J70J	KU9C	VK9DNX	DJ2MX
CN8IG	EA7FTR	J88DR	G3TBK	VP2E	N5AU
CN8PA	EA7FTR	JW1MFA	LA1MFA	VP9/K9CC	K9CC
CO6WD	W0SA	JW5QFA	LA1MFA	VP9/W6PH	W6PH
CT/DJ5YQ	DJ5YQ	LZ04ANT	LZ3SM	WJ20/VP5	WJ20
CT3/DL2OBF	DL2OBF	OX3PG	WA0SMQ	XV9SW	SM5MX
CT3AS	DJ8FW	P40LE	K2LE	YQ2ANT	YO2BP
CT9L	DJ6QT	P40W	N2MM	ZK2PR	JJ8DEN
DK8YY/6W	DH7WW	PJ4/K4BAI	K4BAI	ZP6/N3BNA	KA2AEV
EA8OM	DJ1OJ				

QSL Manager WD9DZV, Tim Garrity, reports he is not the QSL manager for SU0FEC, who was QRV on 40 meters, and was giving DZV as the manager, in early December. Mark you logs that SU0FEC as a pirate.

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: HQ4R, KL7WV, P49X, VP2V/G6AY, YV1/W5ALT

On The WWW

JH1NBN, Yuki, reports the upcoming Big Dish Project (8N1EME) now has a Web page at <http://8nleme.jp/> . Planned activity on 144, 432 and 1296 will be February 23, 24, 25 and March 2, 3 and 4. Also activity on

5GHz will be on March 23 and 24.

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DX News

German ops DJ6SI, Baldur Drobnica, and DJ9ZB, Franz Langner, are expected today to be in Burundi. Baldur will do the CW work as 9U0X while Franz will be QRV on SSB as 9U9Z. Plans are to be on 10 through 160 meters until March 1st. QSL 9U0X via DJ6SI and 9U9Z via DJ9ZB.

Both Baldur and Franz have been working on an upcoming operation from Congo (TN) and hope to get authorization later this spring for a DXpedition.

CT1HHP, Luciano, is heading to Sao Tome at the end of this week. Plans are to operate as S92FM from Rolas Island (AF-083) from February 23rd until March 11th. He will be concentrating on RTTY and PSK31. Luciano has asked for special permission to operate on 60 meters. He will be running 100 watts on SSB on 15, 20 and 40 meters and possibly on 17 meters. Watch for him on or near the normal IOTA frequencies.

WH7USA, Bert, is currently in Kabul, Afghanistan and hopes to be QRV from the YA0USA station in the American Embassy. He is shooting for Friday around 0900Z, perhaps even CW. QSL route to be announced.

Starting May 26th through the 30th a group will be QRV on 10 through 160 meters from Lichtenstein. Watch for HB0/DL1GDS, David; HB0/DO1ARS, Michael; and HB0/DK4SFW, Eddy (KF4SFW). QSL via their home calls either via the bureau or direct.

W8GEX, Joe, gives us some 60 meter news. LA9VDA, Trond, expects to be QRV today around 2200Z on both 60 and 160 meters using the call LA6Q. PY1WAS/PJ7, Alex, who is currently QRV from St. Maarten, plans to operate on the band. ZD8WX, Bill, is now on Ascension and plans to be on 60 meters. GJ4CBQ, Phil, was on this past weekend and expects to be on again soon.

TI8AA, Ed, says there will be a DX expedition to Cerro de Muerte (Death Hill), Costa Rica's highest mountain, which is 3000 meters above sea level. Look for TI1DX to be QRV from April 2-7 on 6 through 80 meters including 60 meter activity, most likely on 5403.5 KHz. QSL via TI8AA.

Scarborough Reef Press Release
By N4XP, Tom Harrell

Plans and arrangements are on track for the scheduled date of late April. Equipment is being received from sponsors and testing will begin soon. So far Icom, Acom, SteppIR, Batternut and Heil have provided equipment.

To those who have already sent donations, thank you. Please help us make this operation a success by assisting with a donation. You can see your donation listed on our web site at <http://www.bs7.com>. Your donations can be received using Pay Pal, credit card or by mail as explained on the Web site. All support is appreciated. You can also sponsor a page on the Web site, by contacting N1DG if interested at don@aurumtel.com.

QSN

VK9DNX - NORFOLK ISLAND - Started up on 1817 just after 1200Z. They seem to be hearing good. QSL via DJ2MX.

VP8/LZ1UQ - SOUTH SHETLANDS - Mitko was hearing very well early today on 3511 from 0200 to 0400Z. QSL via LZ1UQ.

ZK2PR - NIUE ISLAND - Midwest US 80 meter ops found this semi-rare one on 3505 at 1230Z. QSL via JJ8DEN.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-016	FR/TU5KG	14195	2219	EU-170	9A4A	14260	0751
AF-072	C98APE	18160	1516	NA-027	VO1TX	18160	1752
AF-072	C98GLO	14010	2011	NA-105	PJ7/PY1WAS	10105	2350
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	3511	0300	OC-005	VK9DNX	18132	2107
AS-079	JS6ROO/M	18074	0904	OC-040	ZK2PR	14082	0139
EU-024	IS0DFC	14263	1013	OC-048	ZK3RE	7007	0456
EU-052	SV8EP	14260	1113	OC-148	YB9ZNT	7069	2023
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14268	1122				

JN4MBO/5 will be active from Tsushima Island (AS-076) on SSB on the HF bands on February 22nd. QSL via JN4MBO.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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21-Feb		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
21-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
21-Feb	22-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
21-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
21-Feb	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
21-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025

21-Feb 28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS	10-226
21-Feb 24-Feb	BY	BD1DRJ/7 BA4ALC/7 (AS-139)	home calls	11-035
21-Feb 24-Feb	BY	BD7KLO/7 (AS-139)	home calls	11-035
21-Feb 1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-024
21-Feb 6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO	11-027
21-Feb 24-Feb	C9	C98APE (AF-072)	CT1APE	11-021
21-Feb 24-Feb	C9	C98GLO (AF-072)	CT2GLO	11-021
21-Feb	D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX	11-032
21-Feb 23-Feb	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR	11-033
21-Feb 8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
21-Feb 8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
21-Feb 25-Feb	F	TM5TAF	F6AXX	11-001
21-Feb 24-Feb	HH	HH7/KC3VW (NA-096)	KC3VW	11-031 016
21-Feb 24-Feb	HH	HH7/N3BNA (NA-096)	KA2AEV	11-031 016
21-Feb 21-Feb	HK	HK1/AC8W HK1/K8DD	home calls	11-022
21-Feb 21-Feb	HR	HQ2R	EA4URE	11-028
21-Feb	J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
21-Feb 8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
21-Feb 21-Feb	KP2	KP2/K3CT KP2/K3TEJ	home calls	11-030 020
21-Feb 21-Feb	KP4	VA6TNY/KP4	VA6TNY	11-017
21-Feb 30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
21-Feb 22-Feb	PJ5	PJ7/PY1WAS	PY2AA	11-034 026
21-Feb 30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
21-Feb 21-Feb	T8	T88RA	JH1RMH	11-026
21-Feb 1-Mar	T8	T88XX	JA6ENF	11-026
21-Feb 27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR		11-026
21-Feb 21-Feb	TZ	TZ6JA	JA3EMU	11-030
21-Feb 21-Feb	V2	V26G (NA-100)	N2ED	11-012
21-Feb 3-Mar	VK9N	VK9DNX (OC-005)	DJ2MX	10-236
21-Feb 28-Feb	VP2M	VP2MTE (NA-103)	G3SWH	11-033 025
21-Feb 22-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/DL2AU (NA-023)	DL2AU	11-028
21-Feb 27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8QD (AF-003)	K4QD	11-026 025
21-Feb 27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8WX (AF-003)	W4WX	11-026 025
21-Feb	ZK2	ZK2PR (OC-040)	JJ8DEN	11-036
21-Feb 22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001
21-Feb 3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT	11-006
21-Feb 25-Feb		4th WAP Antarctica Activity Week		11-006 10-205

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at quiet levels.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for February 19, 2007 was 26.

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3W9R	OK1JN	II2ANT	I2JJR	SN150BP	SP6ZDA
6M22	DS2TXG	II5ANT	IZ5BTC	TM8ANT	F8DVD
6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	IO8IAA	IK8WEJ	VA3ANTA	VE3XN
EE5E	EA5RS	IU0ANT	IZ0BTV	ZD8QD	K4QD
FR/TU5KG	F4EFI	P5ALM	PIRATE	ZD8WX	W4WX
HB9ICE	HB9BHY	PJ7/PY1WAS	PY2AA	ZK3RE	HA8IB

RX3DU, Valery, reports he is the QSL manager for last weekend's EF8M operation in the ARRL CW DX Contest from the Canary Islands.

PJ4/G4IUF, Mike, reports the PJ4A guys did a great job in the ARRL CW DX Contest. He also mentioned QSLs for PJ4/G4IUF go via G4IUF. QSL cards for PJ4A go via K4BAI.

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4O3AB, T96Q, A22/JA4ATV, CT3/PA0RRS, KH2/K3UY, 5H1HS, 9A1CRD, 6W/HA7TM

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: C6AKQ, CU2JT, OT1A, S50R

On The WWW

The on-line YW0DX logs from the recent Aves Island DXpedition can be found at <http://yw0dx.4m5dx.org/log.html> , however they do not include the CQ WPX RTTY Contest at this time.

Check out Long Delayed Echoes (LDE) Podcast # 40 about the 1957 American Samoa operation by W6UOU/KS6, Ted Henry, from American Samoa as narrated by KE9V, Jeff Davis at <http://ke9v.net/2007/02/11/lde-podcast-40/> .

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ST2A, Jovica, will be active on 80 meters tonight and tomorrow night. Most likely this will be the last chance to work Sudan on 80 meters during this low band season because he will be taking the 80 and 160 meter antennas down soon. Check out the ST2A gallery at <http://www.t93y.com/st2a>, which includes photos of the CQ WW CW and CQ 160 Meter CW Contests.

SM5DQC, Osten, tells us XV9SW is SM5MX, Rolf, operating from the central part of Hanoi, Vietnam. He says the noise is so strong that he can only be on the bands now and then, most likely only on 15 and 20 meters CW. QSL via SM5MX. Rolf will send out cards when he gets back to Sweden, in August.

Yesterday several of our subscribers reported the upcoming March 2007 Polish DXpedition to 3B6 is refunding those who sent financial support.

ZK3RE has gone QRT after making some 12,000 QSOs, including 760 on Topband and probably the most ever 160 meter Qs with Europe from Tokelau. Their next stop will be Samoa (5W). There they hope to secure a location with enough space to install the antennas far enough apart so they can operate two stations simultaneously.

SM5GMZ, Pete, has changed the dates of his April trip to Senegal (6W). He will operate from Dakar between April 2-12.

The Sultans of Shwing will be taking a break from the snow and the cold of northern climes to spend a few days on the sunny island of Curacao sippin' some brews and makin' some Qs. WE9V, Chad; KA9FOX, Scott; and K9NW, Mike; will be active from February 26 - March 6 signing PJ2/homecall. During the ARRL SSB DX Contest they will be QRV as PJ2T in the M/2 category. QSL PJ2/* via their homecall. QSL PJ2T via N9AG.

Effective January 19, 2007 Cyprus' Ministry of Communications and Works has eliminated the Class 2 license (VHF). All 5B8 Amateur Radio operators have been granted authorization to operate on the HF bands. The Cyprus Amateur Radio Society has asked the Ministry to issue new licenses to all previous Class 2 licensees.

Portugal's IARU society Rede dos Emissores Portugueses (REP) has elected the following officers to serve for 2007-2008:

President - CT1END, Jose B. Carlos Nora
Vice-President - CT2HIV, Jose Antonio C. Proenca
Treasurer - Arlindo Marques Ferreira, CT1EGW
1st Secretary - Luis Manuel B. Rodrigues, CT1EEQ
2nd Secretary - Victor Candido dos Santos Leal, CT2IIT

For more information on REP you can visit their Web site at
<http://www.rep.pt> or send an email to rep@rep.pt

2007 DXpedition to Agalega Islands 3B6 Newsletter
by SP9MRO, Witek Onaczyszyn

Today (February 21, 2007) the decision to suspend the (Polish) expedition to 3B6 Agalega had been taken. We will decide on March 15 whether it is postponed only or rather cancelled. The decision is due to enormous costs of the expedition that have much exceeded the estimated budget.

The expedition was supported by PZK, SP-DX-C, G DX Foundation, EU DX Foundation and institutional sponsors as well as other hams from few countries. We would like to thank all of those. Our main sponsors have decided that the period between receiving the licenses and the time set by Mauritius' government to start the ham's activity is too short.

Due to all of that expedition's members are checking the possibility to postpone it until the 4th term of 2007 unless it collides with September's (FSDXA) expedition to St. Brandon.

All of the donations will be immediately returned the same form they were paid. We hope that, in case of reorganizing the expedition to Agalega in the end of this year, our kind donors will be able to support us once again. We would like to thank those who supported our actions, especially those from Mauritius. Simultaneously we would like to apologize to all of those who along with us counted on QSO in March 2007.

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Witek SP9MRO
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QSN

- 5B8AD - CYPRUS - Alex was exercising his new HF privileges yesterday on 20 CW just before 1500Z and then 20 SSB afterwards.
- D60VB - COMOROS - W6/W7 and VE7 ops were working Vladimir on 14207 at 16Z. QSL via UA4WHX.
- JY4NE - JORDAN - Yesterday between 1530 and 1600Z Dr. Ali was looking for North American stations on 14280 with a good short path opening to North America's Pacific Northwest.
- ZD8QD - ASCENSION ISLAND - Jan was on 18070 listening up 2 just before 1500Z. QSL via K4QD.
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IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-003	ZD8QD	18070	1539	AS-083	RA9LI/9	14168	1003
AF-003	ZD8WX	21082	1013	AS-131	BG7IXG/7	14260	0907
AF-004	EC8ABQ	7035	1952	EU-015	SV9COL	7093	1903
AF-013	5R8FL	14071	1412	EU-072	SV8/DL8MC	14288	1304
AF-018	IH9YMC	3785	2230	NA-015	CM7YP	7080	2323
AF-066	C98GLO	14200	1712	NA-023	VP2V/DL2AU	14260	1154
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	7022	0251	OC-005	VK9DNX	18139	0837

C98APE and C98GLO have moved from AF-072 to AF066. Length of stay is unknown.

IOTA frequencies -

CW	28040	24920	21040	18098	14040	10114	7030	3530
SSB	28560	28460	24950	21260	18128	14260	7055	3765

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22-Feb	25-Feb	3DA0	by ZS6JR ZS6WB			11-029
22-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
22-Feb	22-Feb	4S	4S7PAG (AS-003)	F5PAC		11-019
22-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
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22-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
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22-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U9Z	DJ9ZB		11-037
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22-Feb	24-Feb	BY	BD7KLO/7 (AS-139)	home calls		11-035
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22-Feb	23-Feb	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR		11-033
22-Feb	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ			11-011
22-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
22-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
22-Feb	25-Feb	F	TM5TAF	F6AXX		11-001
22-Feb	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMQ		11-035
22-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/KC3VW (NA-096)	KC3VW	11-031	016
22-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/N3BNA (NA-096)	KA2AEV	11-031	016
22-Feb	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF			11-031
22-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW		10-239
22-Feb	22-Feb	JA	JN4MBO/5 (AS-076)	JN4MBO		11-037
22-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)			11-023
22-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
22-Feb	22-Feb	PJ5	PJ7/PY1WAS	PY2AA	11-034	026
22-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
22-Feb	1-Mar	T8	T88XX	JA6ENF		11-026
22-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR			11-026

22-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	VK9DNX (OC-005)	DJ2MX	10-236
22-Feb	28-Feb	VP2M	VP2MTE (NA-103)	G3SWH	11-033 025
22-Feb	22-Feb	VP2V	VP2V/DL2AU (NA-023)	DL2AU	11-028
22-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DJU	K9PET	10-219
22-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DJV	W3ASA	10-219
22-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DKD	W3WKO	10-219
22-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DKG	W3WKP	10-219
22-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8QD (AF-003)	K4QD	11-026 025
22-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8WX (AF-003)	W4WX	11-026 025
22-Feb		ZK2	ZK2PR (OC-040)	JJ8DEN	11-036
22-Feb	22-Feb	ZK3	ZK3RE (OC-048)	HA8IB	11-001
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The sunspot number for February 20, 2007 was 27.

QSL Info

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Several of our subscribers are looking for the QSL information for C6AWL.

Last weekend N9BX, Bruce, participated in the ARRL CW DX Contest where he operated single band 80 meters running low power and managing to work 78 countries. Already 10 of those have confirmed the QSO via LOTW. "I encourage all of your Subscribers to use this wonderful tool and get that 5 Band DXCC or Challenge Award", says Bruce.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O60BH, 5A7A, 5J1W, 6Y1V, 8Q7DV, 9J2BO, 9M6DXX, 9Q1EK, C6ARI (NA-219), DS4DRE/4 (AS-093), KP2ZZ (NA-106), LT7W, OH0PM, VU7LD, VU7RG, Z22JE, Z24ES, ZY6T

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 3DA0TM, AH3D, DF0HQ, EA7RU, ER3GS, HL0HQ, IK4FGM, JV800BV, K7C, NH6NF/KH5, LX7I, OA4WW, OZ8Q, RD3A, SA3D, SC3A, SF7WT, UA3QNS, UA0FO, UT0U, V25VY (NA-100), PZ5WP, EA1ABT, 3A0CE, CT9R (AF-014), HK8RQS/P (SA-081), SU9BN, PY0F/EA2RC (SA-003), VP8RAF (SA-002), ON4UN, 5T0ID/M, OZ0ACA (EU-125), PE1DTU (EU-038), XF2ZEX (NA-224), TK/IK2JYT (EU-164), TM1RHC, FG/F5CWU (NA-102), II7JP, OH1/IZ0FKE (EU-096), 5Z4KI, J45R (EU-001), MM/DH5JBR/p, TO1T (NA-102), HI9/HA7TM (NA-096), EA9AM, TO7C (SA-020),

UA9MA, BX5AA (AS-020), VO1/VE6RC (NA-198)

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: C6AKQ, CT3DZ, CU2JT, EA4KA, EA6AZ, EA6BF, G3WPH, G4RCG, HB9CZF, JA7IC, KL7WV, LN9Z, LU5OM, LY3M, OE8CIQ, OQ5M, OT1A, PY2XB, SN5N, SP8NR, TI5/WJ7R, UW8SM, V44/NC2N, VP2V/G6AY

Correction

We received a bad link for Yesterday's issue on the BS7H DXpedition. The correct link to the upcoming BS7H DXpedition is <http://www.bs7h.com> .

CT1HHP, Luciano, is heading to Sao Tome at the end of this week. Plans are to operate as S92FM from Rolas Island (AF-023) (not AF-083) from February 23rd until March 11th. He will be concentrating on RTTY and PSK31. Luciano has asked for special permission to operate on 60 meters. He will be running 100 watts on SSB on 15, 20 and 40 meters and possibly on 17 meters. Watch for him on or near the normal IOTA frequencies.

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DX News

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest W7EJ, Jim, will be operating as CN2R on 160 meters single band. He'll begin operations on March 13th including activity on 12, 17 and 30 meters. QSL via W7EJ.

Yesterday the Casual DX team reported no reception from the southeastern tip of South Georgia. Today they plan to move up the Northern East coast and where they hope the signals will not be blocked by steep rocky overhanging cliffs. Keep an ear out for them on 7020, 10120, 14020 and 14220. Watch for them today between 1600 and 2000Z. VP8DKG/MM, David, was operating from the ship on 10105 starting just before 00Z today. Remember maritime mobile operations do not count for DXCC. The other calls to listen for are VP8DJU, VP8DJV and VP8DKD.

W3CMP, Chris Patterson, is heading back to Haiti this coming June. He'll be on as HH4/W3CMP from the North West Haiti Christian Mission between June 17th and 28th running on 2 and 6 meters along with some HF.

WA2NHA, Howard will be heading to Aruba between March 4th and 18th. He'll be mostly on CW as P4/WA2NHA running a W5GI antenna on top of the time share with 200 watts.

W2IRT, Peter, and N2YTF, Tom, are heading to the Bahamas this weekend. The two will begin on Saturday and run through Saturday March 3rd. They will be operating from New Providence Island (NA-001) as W2IRT/C6A and N2YTF/C6A respectively. Look for activity on 17, 20, 30, 40 and hopefully 80, using CW, SSB and RTTY, with a focus on Europe. Peter will try to hand out a few Q's to stateside hams from C6 on Friday night in the ARRL SSB 'test, as he'll be flying back to NJ during the day on Saturday and plans to be QRV from home beginning Saturday evening. QSLs for both ops go to W2IRT (direct, bureau and LoTW). Also K0SED/C6ASE, Steve, will be operating from the same complex on Cable Beach and W2IRT has volunteered to handle QSLs for Steve's operation.

The CQ WW 160 Meter SSB Contest will take place this weekend. The following stations are expected to be QRV during the event: 6Y1V, C6ANM, EB1WW, HI3C, LX7I, OL4W, RK2FWA, just to name a few.

4U1UN
By W3UR, Bernie McClenny

I've had a lot of people ask me about the 4U1UN operation last weekend in the ARRL CW DX Contest. OH2BH, Martti, and I arrived in NYC before the contest but were not able to start the contest (at 00Z Saturday) due to the fact we had to have a sponsor with us at all times while in the UN building. We began operations on Saturday around 1400Z and continued through until the end of the contest. One of our sponsors was present for the first 24 hours, without even a wink of sleep! Then for the last 10 or so hours a second sponsor was present. Unfortunately the antenna situation at 4U1UN is not as good as it could be. There are two antennas for Amateur Radio activity. One is a vertical for 10-40 meters and the other is a broadband dipole for 10-80 meters. Both antennas were not working properly on 10 and 15 meters as we were only able to operate with about 40 watts and extremely high SWR. There is no antenna for 160 meters, however we were able to get on with the broadband (10-80 meter) dipole again with about 20-30 watts max and extremely high SWR. The antennas worked great on 20, 40 and 80 meters. Plans are to do antenna work later this year, when the weather gets better. In the end we worked just under 2,900 QSOs in the multi-single category with about 35 hours of activity. Please QSL via HB9BOU.

QSN

9U0X - BURUNDI - Baldur began operation today on 17 CW just before 1000Z. QSL via DJ9SI. No sign yet of 9U9Z, Franz. QSL him via DJ9ZB.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Multiple US East Coast Topband ops reported hearing Remi on 1831.1 KHz around 1130Z yesterday.

VK9DNX - NORFOLK ISLAND - The German team was reported over the past 24 hours as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 21081
01 18100 21083
02 14028 18101 18140
03 14028 18072 18140 24899
04 21295 24899 24939
05 10107 14029 18074
06 10107 14024 14195 18074 18140
07 1832 3798 10107 14195 18140 24893
08 3505 14195 18073 18142 21025 24893
09 3505 7020 14024 18102
10 3508 7020 14024
11 1831 3508 7020
12 1831 3508 7002
13 3508 7002 10103 14026
14 3508 7002 10103
15 1832 3508 7002 10103
16 3508 7002
17 1832 3508 7002
18 1832 3508 7002 10103
19 10103
20 10103 18074 21027

21 18074 18103 21029 24900
 22 18103 21029 24900
 23 18103 21029
 00 18103 21029
 01 18074 21029

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-003	ZD8QD	18130	1652	EU-012	MM0XAU	10119	2117
AF-066	C98APE	7060	2018	EU-023	9H1SP	14250	1853
AF-066	C98GLO	14205	1722	EU-023	9H4CM	14180	1600
AS-083	RA9LI/P	14168	0746	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14155	1409
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14015	0801	NA-047	VY0ICE/VE2	7019	2309
AS-131	BG7IXG/7	14260	1021	OC-005	VK9DNX	10103	1911

A team of operators from South Korea plan to operate from Sonyu Island (AS-148) from March 1st to 4th. Team members include HL1VAU, Rocky, DS4NYE, Ryu, and DS2GOO, Han. They will be operating with their home call/4 on 10 through 40 meters CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. During the ARRL SSB DX Contest they will use the special call D70LW/4. QSL via home calls and D70LW/4 via DS4NYE. Pictures and online logs will be available after return of trip.

JI3DST, Take, will be operating as either JI3DST/JS6 or JS6RRR from Miyako Islands (AS-079) from March 2 to 5. Look for him on especially on 40, 80 and 160 meters.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
23-Feb		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
23-Feb	25-Feb	3DA0	by ZS6JR ZS6WB			11-029
23-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
23-Feb	12-Mar	5W	5W1RE (OC-097)	HA8IB		11-001
23-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
23-Feb	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
23-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
23-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
23-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U0X	DJ6SI		11-037
23-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U9Z	DJ9ZB		11-037
23-Feb	24-Feb	BY	BD1DRJ/7 BA4ALC/7 (AS-139)	home calls		11-035
23-Feb	24-Feb	BY	BD7KLO/7 (AS-139)	home calls		11-035
23-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK		11-024
23-Feb	6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO		11-027
23-Feb	24-Feb	C9	C98APE (AF-066)	CT1APE	11-038	021
23-Feb	24-Feb	C9	C98GLO (AF-066)	CT2GLO	11-038	021
23-Feb		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX		11-032
23-Feb	23-Feb	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR		11-033
23-Feb	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ			11-011
23-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021

23-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
23-Feb	25-Feb	F	TM5TAF	F6AXX	11-001
23-Feb	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMQ	11-035
23-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/KC3VW (NA-096)	KC3VW	11-031 016
23-Feb	24-Feb	HH	HH7/N3BNA (NA-096)	KA2AEV	11-031 016
23-Feb	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF		11-031
23-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
23-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
23-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
23-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
23-Feb	1-Mar	T8	T88XX (OC-009)	JA6ENF	11-026
23-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR		11-026
23-Feb	25-Feb	UA	UE3YAR	RV3YR	11-021
23-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	VK9DNX (OC-005)	DJ2MX	10-236
23-Feb	28-Feb	VP2M	VP2MTE (NA-103)	G3SWH	11-033 025
23-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DJU (AN-007)	K9PET	10-219
23-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DJV (AN-007)	W3ASA	10-219
23-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DKD (AN-007)	W3WKO	10-219
23-Feb	25-Feb	VP8/G	VP8DKG (AN-007)	W3WKP	10-219
23-Feb	25-Feb	W	W1AW HF Open House	W1AW	11-032
23-Feb	25-Feb	XE	XF1K (NA-246)	N6AWD	11-016
23-Feb	25-Feb	ZB	ZB2/4O3AL	EB7AEY	11-035 026
23-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8QD (AF-003)	K4QD	11-026 025
23-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8WX (AF-003)	W4WX	11-026 025
23-Feb		ZK2	ZK2PR (OC-040)	JJ8DEN	11-036
23-Feb	3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT	11-006
23-Feb	25-Feb		4th WAP Antarctica Activity Week		11-006 10-205

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Upcoming contest rules & dates

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Today's Propagation Forecast

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Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet through Saturday. Quiet to minor storm levels are expected on Sunday due to a recurrent coronal hole. Isolated major storm periods are possible at high latitudes as the coronal hole rotates into a geoeffective position.

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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PJ4/G4IUF	G4IUF	GB0ANT	M3ZYZ	TT8FC	EA4AHK
EF8M	RX3DU	II0ANT	I0NZK	UE1RDO	UA1RJ
1Z9J	PIRATE	II4ANT	IK4QIB	VA7ANTA	VE7IG
4U1UN	HB9BOU	IO8IAA	IK8WEJ	VP2EST	KT8Y
BP100S	BX4AN	IU2ANT	IK2QPR	VP2MTE	G3SWH

C56YK	ON7YK	PJ2/N8LGP	W8TTS	VP8DKG/MM	W3WKP
CT8CNE	CT1DJE	ROUPOL	F8DVD	XV9SW	SM5MX
DH150HZ	DL5KUA	ST2A	T93Y	YI9TU	N200
DR2007ANT	DH8BM	SV0XAO	DJ5JH	ZF2LC	W2SM
FK8AH	W3HNC				

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VA5DX, Doug, reports receiving an OD5NJ QSL card from I1HJT. It took about two months on the turn around time.

Those who worked HP1XX this past weekend in the ARRL CW DX Contest can QSL via DJ0LZ. QSLs for pre-contest activity by HP1/N4GG and HP1/W9RE go via their home calls.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5A7A, CE3BFZ, DQ2006C, DQ2006K, DQ2006M, DQ2006Q, DQ2006S, DR2006B, DR2006O, E51QMA, EX8MJ, HR6/W5WW, J79AG, JT1CO, NH6P, PY2ZA, V5/DJ4SO, VU7RG (sponsor QSL), XF4DL, YI9KT, ZA/K9LA, ZS6WN

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3B9/G3TXF, AL7G, CU2JT, FM5JC, HB9CZF, LX7I, OK2PAY, OQ5M, OT1A, RA4ST, S50R, ZS6C

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DX News

N2TK, Tony, says it looks like he will be going to WP2Z after all for the ARRL SSB Contest. K8MJZ will also be there. They will sign N2TK/NP2 and K8MJZ/KP2 when not contesting. QSL to their home call signs.

CT3/DK2ZF, Rolf, will be on Madeira March 16-April 2, checking out his portable EME gear for 2M, which is four 11-element Yagis and 400 watts of power. He will also get on the WARC bands on CW. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

TM4P will be a special call sign from the Pontusval Lighthouse in France, March 10-11. Operators F4ELJ, F0ELI and F0ELK will be on the air March 10-11. QSL via F4ELJ.

SM5MX, Rolf, has acquired an old call sign of his, XV9SW, to use from Hanoi, Vietnam, now until April 30th. He plans to be on 20 and 15M CW but says noise levels in the city make operating barely possible. QSL to his home call. He returns to Sweden in August.

3DA0FC, Swaziland, will be on the air April 5-9, 80-10M including WARC. The ops are ON4AEO, ON7BK, ZS6VWD and ZS6EMH. The web page is <http://www.3da0fc.be> or <http://www.filipstattooshop.be/swaziland>.

KI4HLV/6YT, Iain, will be active on satellites from Kingston, Jamaica, soon, during an extended stay on the island. You can contact Iain to tell him you want a 6Y5 satellite QSO. His email is ki4hlv@gmail.com. AH7ZA will be the ARRL DX phone call sign for W8QZA, Bill, March 3-4. He will be at the QTH of KH6SQ, operating QRP all band. QSL via W8QZA.

BD3APX, operator Zhang from China, will be in the ARRL DX phone, single op low power. QSL via BD3APX.

CU2CR, Pedro in the Azores, will be in the ARRL phone, single op low power. QSL via CU2CR.

FY5KE, French Guiana, will be in the ARRL phone, single op all band, with F5MZN, Oliver, operating. QSL via FY5KE.

OE4A will be the ARRL Phone call sign for the OEVSV HQ Contest Team in Austria. They will be multi-two. QSL via OE1EMS direct.

WP3C, Alfredo in Puerto Rico, will be in the ARRL Phone, single op single band low power 15M. He says it will also count for LH-2802 in the WLOTA program. QSL via W3HNK.

Z35T, Macedonia, operator Ozren, Z32XA, will be in the ARRL Phone, single op single band, the band not specified yet. QSL via Z35T.

ZP0R will be a special ARRL Phone contest callsign for ZP5AZL, Tomas, in the single op category. QSL via W3HNK.

UBA club stations in Belgium will be using ON60 (Oscar-November-Sixty) prefixes until early 2008, celebrating the 60 years of the UBA, which is Belgium's IARU society. There will be a special award for working at least five of them. Work each once, regardless of band or mode. Repeater, packet, or Echo Link contacts do not count. There are endorsement stickers for working 10, 20 or 30 ON-sixty stations. More info, in French, is on http://www.uba.be/hf/awards/awards_fr.html. You can use Google's translation feature to read it in English or other languages.

W5IF, Glen, and his wife, KL7ZB, will be in Belize March 28-April 4. Glen has gotten the V31IF callsign and will operate from V31MD's QTH. It's a vacation trip with some ham radio operating included. Glen says he hopes to get on SSB, CW and RTTY, 160-10M. QSL to his home call and he will also put his QSOs on LOTW.

TP2CE, the Council of Europe Radio Club, will have a special activity March 8-11 for the International Women's Day. Three YLs will operate, SSB, CW, and RTTY. This counts as France, of course. QSL via F5LGF.

5W1VE will be the Samoa callsign for a few weeks starting this week for DL9HCU, Udo. Udo has finished up a few days of operating as 3D2HC, Fiji. He also operated recently from Nauru, Kiribati, and Tuvalu. QSL via his home call.

ZD7M, Mike, has been making some QSOs between 7040-7045 between 0000-0300Z. W3UR was one to work him, giving mike an honest 589 report, even though Mike just has 100 watts to a low dipole. Bernie says the antenna must be working! Mike is still brand new on the air and needs slow CW, 5 WPM, and your patience as he deals with his nervousness!

W8GEX, Joe, is a big fan of 60M DXing. He says it was a good week on 60 with PY1WAS/PJ7 on 60M for the first time. Operator Alex posted a report on it in Portuguese at <http://www.labre-sp.org.br/>. W8GEX notes a translator is available at http://www1.worldlingo.com/en/products_services/worldlingo_translator.html .

XE1KK was on Tuesday night, IK4WTU on Wednesday, CT3BD for the first time, GM4FAM and TF3LLN were new on the band. And G4TRA says GJ4CBQ was active again this week. `GEX adds that "the regular Europeans were also on this Sunday between 0900-1000Z as well as every night at sunset. K4MM, Tom, has a 60 meters-oriented web site at www.60meters.info.

Upcoming on 60M are VP5 by W0GJ, February 29-March 4, HC1MD if NE8Z can get permission when he arrives in Ecuador. That one would be March 1-14. And, CT3, Madeira, where DL3KWF and DL3KWR have applied for permission for a March 9-22 operation. N8S, Swains Island, also plans to operate on 60M in their April operation. TI8AA, Ed, plans a Dxpediton to a high mountain April 2-7 and is likely to get on 60M again. An operation to Jersey Island is planned for March 14-22.

W9RPM, John Kjos, is organizing an effort to raise support to bring 5A1A, Abu, to the Dayton HamVention this May. \$650 has been raised so far and others have already committed to sending in some money. John says, "If you would like to contribute to 5A1A coming to Dayton, I would appreciate it if you would send me your contributions soon, so that I can get things firmed up on this end." He says a check or money order, either one, will be fine. All money will be refunded if it doesn't pan out, he says. John says, "Abu has given many in the ham community a contact from 5A before anyone else operated from there. Let's come together and help him come to Dayton, which he has dreamed of doing. This may be his only chance before his studies in Germany are done and he goes back to Libya." W9RPM's address is:

John Kjos
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La Crosse Wisconsin
54601 USA

And the W9RPM e-mail is w9rpm@centurytel.net and his web page is <http://www.w9rpm.com/>.

Silent Key

SU1ER, Ezzat Sayed Ramadan, President of EARA, the Egypt-Amateurs Radio Assembly, Egypt's IARU Society, has died. He was the father of three daughters, all hams, SU1RR, SU1MR and SU1SR. 9K2HN says, "It is with grief and deep sorrow that I received the news this morning of the sudden loss of our good friend who passed away peacefully. We would like to pass our deepest heartfelt condolences to his family on behalf of the Arab Radio Amateurs. May his soul rest in peace. For the people who never met Ezzat, he was very constructive in supporting Amateur Radio in Egypt and the Arab world. Ezzat will be greatly missed."

QSN

- 5W0RE - SAMOA - 1815 at 10Z, up one, working Japan and VE7CC could hear him in British Columbia too. He spent many hours on 7007, 05, 06 and 09Z hours, but pretty much all the nighttime hours in 5W. 10117 at 0620Z. QSL via HA8IB.
- 9U0X - BURUNDI - Baldur was on 21025 in the 10 and 11Z hours. 18070 in the 8 and 09Z hours, 14024 at 06Z, 10107 at 05Z.
- 9U9Z - BURUNDI - Franz was on 21295 in the 08, 09 and 10Z hours, 24950 at 0920Z weak. 18147 at 08Z.
- VK9DNX - NORFOLK ISLAND - K1TG, Roger in Connecticut says "the guys on Norfolk Island were booming in here at 1930Z on 21010, a solid 599!!" HA8KW says it's an excellent operation. 24895, 18076, 10103, 14203 and 21025 throughout the day and on RTTY, 18103 and 14080. 7098 split listening up for the U.S., to the frustration of some Europeans who wanted a QSO.
- VP8DJU - SOUTH GEORGIA - Marc was QRV on 14220 Saturday from

just before 19Z until almost 21Z. QSL via K9PET. Also 10120 while /MM from the National Geographic Endeavor ship at 2340Z.

VP8DKG - SOUTH GEORGIA - Dave showed up on 10120 Saturday just after 1830Z. Also, 00Z while /MM from the ship. QSL via W3WKP.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-007	D6OVB	21255	0940	EU-170	9A4A	14260	1525
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14262	0950	NA-001	W2IRT/C6A	14201	2000
EU-012	MM0XAU	10109	1950	NA-005	K0ARY/VP9	14078	2140
EU-020	SM1ALH	18073	1150	NA-103	VP2MTE	18078	1810
EU-025	IW9FRB	14175	1725	NA-246	XF2K	18130	1700
EU-042	DK8OL	14265	1215	OC-005	VK9DNX	18142	2050
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14167	1855	OC-148	YB9ZNT	14260	1450
EU-116	MD0CCE	14011	1545	OC-212	VK1AA/2	10120	2040

The UK's Cray Valley Radio Society members, G0VJG, M3CVN, G4BUO, G7GLW, G4TSH and G0FDZ will sign G3RCV/p from St. Mary's Island, Isles of Scilly, EU-011 July 24-August 2. They will use the short M8C callsign in the IOTA Contest. QSL via G4DFI.

The Sheffield Amateur Radio Club will send a large group of ops afield July 26-August 2 to put the callsign GS3RCM on the air from Arran, EU-123. MM3M will be their IOTA contest call. They will also try to get to Pladda, another island. QSL via G3VCQ.

V63RE, V63WN and V63J will be on from Micronesia April 2-19 with ops IT9YRE, I1SNW and K9AJ respectively. They will move around to different IOTAs, Ngulu Atoll, OC-180, for 36 hours, Sorol Atoll, OC-277, for three days, and Woleai Atoll, OC-132 for three days. They will be on SSB and CW. The organizers have dedicated their website to the memory of I7RIZ, Gianni Rizzi. It is www.mdxc.org/v63. QSL to the home calls.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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26-Feb		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
26-Feb		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
26-Feb	12-Mar	5W	5W1RE (OC-097)	HA8IB		11-001
26-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
26-Feb	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
26-Feb	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
26-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL		11-025
26-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
26-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U0X	DJ6SI		11-037
26-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U9Z	DJ9ZB		11-037

26-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-024
26-Feb	6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO	11-027
26-Feb	2-Mar	C6	W2IRT/C6A N2YTF/C6A (NA-001)	W2IRT	11-039
26-Feb		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX	11-032
26-Feb	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ		11-011
26-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
26-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
26-Feb	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMQ	11-035
26-Feb	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031
26-Feb	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF		11-031
26-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
26-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
26-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
26-Feb	6-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK0G (EU-125)	DK0G	11-029
26-Feb	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/K9NW	home calls	11-038
26-Feb	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/WE9V PJ2/KA9FOX	home calls	11-038
26-Feb	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB PJ7/W8DVC	home calls	11-009
26-Feb	7-Mar	S9	S92FM		11-037 034
26-Feb	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
26-Feb	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
26-Feb	1-Mar	T8	T88XX (OC-009)	JA6ENF	11-026
26-Feb	27-Feb	TI	TI7/DH8WR		11-026
26-Feb	28-Feb	VK	VK1AA/2 (OC-212)		11-013
26-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	VK9DNX (OC-005)	DJ2MX	10-236
26-Feb	28-Feb	VP2M	VP2MTE (NA-103)	G3SWH	11-033 025
26-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8QD (AF-003)	K4QD	11-026 025
26-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8WX (AF-003)	W4WX	11-026 025
26-Feb		ZK2	ZK2PR (OC-040)	JJ8DEN	11-036
26-Feb	3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT	11-006
28-Feb	5-Mar	V2	V26H		11-034
28-Feb	5-Mar	V2	V26RW		11-034
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DJU	K9PET	10-219
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DJV	W3ASA	10-219
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DKD	W3WKO	10-219
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DKG	W3WKP	10-219
1-Mar	5-Mar	CE	CE3/LU1FAM	AC7DX	11-021
1-Mar	4-Mar	HL	DS2GOO (AS-148)	DS2GOO	11-039
1-Mar	4-Mar	HL	HL1VAU/4 DS4NYE/4 (AS-148)	home calls	11-039
1-Mar	7-Mar	ZF	ZF2UL	K3UL	11-003
2-Mar	5-Mar	JA	J13DST/JS6 JS6RRR (AS-079)		11-039
2-Mar		ZL7	by JJ8DEN	JJ8DEN	11-036
3-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT	10-236
3-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM	10-236
3-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO	10-236
3-Mar	4-Mar	8P	8P1A	NN1N	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	8P	8P2K	KU9C	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	CE	CE4CT	EA5KB	11-021
3-Mar	4-Mar	CU	CU2A	OH2BH	11-032
3-Mar	8-Mar	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR	11-033
3-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT	G3PJT	11-006
3-Mar	4-Mar	FM	TO5A	F5VHJ	11-026 10-156
3-Mar	4-Mar	HL	D70LW/4	DS4NYE	11-039
3-Mar	4-Mar	P4	P40A	WD9DZV	10-236
3-Mar	4-Mar	PJ2	PJ2T	N9AG	11-038
3-Mar	12-Mar	SU	SU8DLH		11-036
3-Mar	4-Mar	UA2	RK2FWA	DK4VW	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	V2	V26H	KU4BP	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	VP5	VP5H	W0GJ	11-033
3-Mar	4-Mar	VP9	VP9/W6PH	W6PH	10-198

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Solar activity will continue at very low levels.

The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active through midweek. Isolated minor to major storm periods are possible today.

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The sunspot number for February 24, 2007 was 11 and on February 25th it was 12.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4J15TX	4J4K	AP2NK	W3HNC	HS0ZGG	SM3CVM
4O1A	YU1EXY	C31CT	EA3QS	P40LE	K2LE
5W0RE	HA8IB	C6A/W2IRT	W2IRT	PJ7TM	K2GSJ
6H1XR	XE1XR	C6ANM	WA2IYO	R1FJT	UA4RC
6I2EX	XE2EX	CO8LY	EA7ADH	RD1AC	RA1ARI
6I2MX	K6VNX	CX2AQ	EA5KB	TI4CF	W3HNC
6I2URF	XE2URF	D60VB	UA4WHX	TM0TAF	F4TTR
6V7E	RW3TN	EA8/DL3KVR	DL3KVR	TO6T	F6HMJ
6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	ED2URV	EA2URV	V4/AA6YQ	AA6YQ
6W/RW3TN	RW3TN	EK8WA	SP9ERV	VP8DJU	K9PET
6W1SA	F4BIT	FM5BH	W3HNC	VP8DKG	W3WKP
6Y1V	OH3RB	FR/TU5KG	F4EFI	XF2K	N6AWD
9J2BO	G3TEV	HF50IU	SP2IU	XV9SW	SM5MX
9U0X	DJ6SI	HG6PUSKAS	HA6ZQ	YN4SU	TI4SU
9U9Z	DJ9ZB	HH7/N3BNA	KA2AEV	ZB2/4O3AL	EB7AEY
A71EM	EA7FTR				

N4II, Ed, says the W4MOT/4 Motorola Amateur Radio Club, QSLs are out. They did an IOTA expedition to Key Biscayne, Florida, NA-141, February third. All direct requests have been answered and the rest went via the bureau. If you don't get your card in a reasonable amount of time you may the club at w4mot.club@gmail.com to get another one sent out. The log is also on LOTW.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4U1UN, 5A7A, 8Q7DV, 9G5UR, 9H1ZA, 9Q1EK, A71EM, C56X, CN2ZR, ER570C, HI8RV, OE8SKQ, SV2BOH, SV8/G4ELZ/p (EU-075), SY8GE, TZ5A, XE3ARV, XF4K, YI9KT, YX0A, YX0LIX, ZD7BG and ZD7FT.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 8R1K, BU2/JJ1TBB, CT3DZ, CU2JT, DT8A, EA8ZS, FM5JC, FP/DJ2VO, GM4FAM, GX6YB, HA7UG, HL50EQG, HP1WW, HQ4R, J43J, JA7IC, JA9QWJ/JD1, JG7IGM, JH4UYB, KH6ND, LA6FJA, OZ8ABE, PY1MK, RA3AAJ, RA6YY, SJ2W, SJ3BG, SK0CC, SM4BNZ, SO1R, T94MZ, TI1C, UT3UA, VC3O, VK1AA, VP2V/G6AY, VP5/VE3NZ, YO6BHN, ZF2BJ, ZL40AGY and ZS6C.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3B9/G3TXF, 8P9NX

On The WWW

SMIRK, the Six Meter International Radio Klub, has a QSL search page at <http://www.smirk.org/free-search.html>. AA5XE, Dale, the Secretary of SMIRK, says there are now 13,000 separate entries. SMIRK's main page is <http://www.smirk.org>. The database is updated regularly, with current operations and contest calls. And, QSL info is not restricted to 6M-only stations.

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DX News

F5MSR (ex FT2XE), Yves, will be active as 7X0MT from Algier, Algeria. He will be running QRP with an FT-817 and a long wire. Watch for him mostly on CW and the digital modes. His length of stay is unknown at this time. QSL via F5MSR either direct (QRZ.com) or via the French REF QSL Bureau.

CU2CE, CU2DX and OH2BH will activate CU2A on all bands in the ARRL DX Contest this coming weekend in the multi-single category. OH2BH, Martti, is already on the island and concentrating on giving JAs a shot on low-bands. Watch for him on or near 1825 KHz listening down from 21-23Z. He will also be on 7003 KHz from 07-09Z listening up long path. 49 JA's made it through on 40 meters this morning, despite a lot of echo. QSL via OH2BH.

W4ZYT, Don Lynch, will be returning to St Mary's Hospital in Kenya in April and hopes to be active again as 5Z4ZK. Look for activity on 10 through 80 meters, as time permits, mostly on CW from April 8th to 19th.

HR2DMR, Dan, plans to be QRV this weekend in the ARRL SSB DX Contest. He'll be single-op all bands.

QSN

JT1CO - MONGOLIA - Chak had a good signal into the US Midwest on 30 meters around 1315Z yesterday. QSL via CBA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EC8AAZ	18104	1731	EU-035	UA1ONY	7007	0348
AF-018	IH9YMC	18101	1613	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	0723
AS-030	JE7IZM/JD1	21256	340	EU-175	CU5CQ	14260	1705
AS-076	JA5LYS	21270	0803	OC-005	VK9DNX	14203	0930
AS-077	JF6CHY	21252	0838	OC-032	FK/FO5RK	7009	1327

Members of the Mid Florida DX Association (MFDXA) will be holding a special event station in memory of founder and first club President W2NDP, Dan Manfre, who became a Silent Key in August 2006. Dan was an avid DXer for over 45 years. His loss is felt by to the entire Amateur community locally and world wide. He was proud to be from 2 land. So the special event call of N2D, Now 2 Dan, fits perfectly. The group will be operating from Honeymoon Island (NA-034) on March 17th. Additional information has been posted on the club Web site <http://www.w4fdx.com/> . A color QSL will be available.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530

SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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27-Feb	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG		11-031
27-Feb	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF (NA-096)			11-031
27-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW		10-239
27-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)			11-023
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27-Feb	27-Feb	ZD8	ZD8WX (AF-003)	W4WX		11-026 025
27-Feb		ZK2	ZK2PR (OC-040)	JJ8DEN		11-036
27-Feb	3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT		11-006

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3B8/RX3DD	RX3DD	EN20EXD	US4EXD	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
5Z4/9A3A	9A2AA	KL2R	N1TX	VK9DNX	DJ2MX
8J8WSC	JE8KQR	PJ4/K2NG	WA2NHA	ZA/Z35M	Z35M
7X0MT	F5MSR	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN	ZL4IR	W8WC
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DX News

Topband ops will be glad to know that 9Q1D, Gus, and 9Q1EK, Georges are both now QRV on 160 meters. Last Friday night Georges made 37 European QSOs thanks in part to a power failure in Kinshasa which caused the noise level to go from S9 to S4. He is running about 500- 700 watts into a low inverted L antenna while Gus is running 100 watts into a 65 meter longwire. Gus has a battery and Georges has a generator so he can run the amplifier when there is an electricity failure, reports SM5DQC, Osten. Look for Georges most evenings on 80 CW around 3510 and 1820 between 2000 and 2200Z. On the weekends he'll be on later.

A team from the Ukraine has announced their plans to activate two IOTA groups in the Fiji Islands between late April and early May 2007. First stop will be 3D2AP, 3D2TZ, 3D2UY from Taveuni Island (OC-016) from April 27th to May 3rd. Then they will finish up as 3D2RI on Yanuca Island (OC-189) between May 3rd and 7th. Team members include UR3HR, Len; UR7HTX, Sergey; UR7HTZ (3D2TZ), Max; UT5UY (3D2UY), Alex; and UX0LL (3D2AP), Alex. Suggested frequencies are as follows:

CW - 1820, 3530, 7020, 10120, 14015, 18095, 21015, 24905, 28015 and 50100 SSB
- 1845, 3775, 7075, 14215/14260, 18135, 21260/21280, 24955,
28460/28495 and 50110
Digital - 7035, 10145, 14090, 18100, 21090, 24925, 28120 and 50110

The pilot station for this operation will be UU0JM, Andy, (3d2ri@ukr.net) ICQ - 292800175 or cell number - +38 050 3978947. They do plan to have an on-line log search and other information at <http://www.3d2.dxe.com.ua>. QSL cards for 3D2RI Ringgold Isles (OC-189) should be sent via UR3HR either via the bureau or direct to Leonid Babich, P. O. Box 55, Poltava, 36000 UKRAINE. QSL cards for personal activity of DXpedition members from Taveuni Island (OC-016) should be sent via their home calls either direct or via the bureau - 3D2UY via UT5UY, 3D2AP via UX0LL and 3D2TZ via UR7HTZ.

NM6E, Javier, is currently in the Dominican Republic and will be QRV until March 16th. He'll be operating as HI8/NM6E from Santo Domingo, as HI3/NM6E from Santiago and as HI7/NM6E from Punta Cuna. He will be running QRP and also plans to be on for the ARRL SSB DX Contest. QSL via LOTW only.

To celebrate the 40th anniversary of club station SP6PAZ members of the Piastowski Klub Krotkofalowcow will be operating special event station HF40PAZ between March 1 and April 30 and again between September 1 and September 30, 2007. HF40PAZ will be QRV during the 2007 CQ WPX SSB Contest. QSL via SP6PAZ.

SM7CRW, John-Iwar, will be using the special event callsign SB300L during 2007 in remembrance of the famous Swedish scientist (botanist) Carl von Linne who was born 300 years ago. John lives on Oland Island (EU-037). QSL via SM7CRW.

M0DOL, Chris, a founder of Castles and Stately Homes on the air (CASHOTA), says the Northampton Radio Club will be heading to the island of Guernsey during the third week of May using special call GP8LED/p. For more information on CASHOTA check out their Web page at <http://www.cashota.org>.

28-Feb	3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU	11-032	
28-Feb	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX	11-040
28-Feb	3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-023	
28-Feb	12-Mar	5W	5W0RE (OC-097)	HA8IB	11-001
28-Feb	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	11-019
28-Feb	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN	11-033
28-Feb	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI	11-024
28-Feb	28-Feb	9G	9G5SW	DC8XL	11-025
28-Feb	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS	10-226
28-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U0X	DJ6SI	11-037
28-Feb	1-Mar	9U	9U9Z	DJ9ZB	11-037
28-Feb	1-Mar	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-024
28-Feb	6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO	11-027
28-Feb	2-Mar	C6	W2IRT/C6A N2YTF/C6A (NA-001)	W2IRT	11-039 10-239
28-Feb	2-Mar	CU	CU2/OH2BH	OH2BH	11-041
28-Feb	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ (AF-004)		11-011
28-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
28-Feb	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
28-Feb	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMQ	11-035
28-Feb	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031
28-Feb	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF (NA-096)		11-031
28-Feb		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
28-Feb	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
28-Feb	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
28-Feb	6-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK0G (EU-125)	DK0G	11-029
28-Feb	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/K9NW (SA-006)	K9NW	11-038
28-Feb	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/WE9V PJ2/KA9FOX (SA-006)	home calls	11-038
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28-Feb	5-Mar	V2	V26H (NA-100)		11-034
28-Feb	5-Mar	V2	V26RW (NA-100)		11-034
28-Feb	28-Feb	VK	VK1AA/2 (OC-212)	VK1AA	11-013
28-Feb	3-Mar	VK9N	VK9DNX (OC-005)	DJ2MX	10-236
28-Feb	28-Feb	VP2M	VP2MTE (NA-103)	G3SWH	11-033 025
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DJU (SA-002)	K9PET	10-219
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DJV (SA-002)	W3ASA	10-219
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DKD (SA-002)	W3WKO	10-219
28-Feb	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DKG (SA-002)	W3WKP	10-219
28-Feb		ZK2	ZK2PR (OC-040)	JJ8DEN	11-036
28-Feb	3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT	11-006

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OY3QN, PZ5C/p, T30XX, TU2/F5LDY, V6T1, VQ9LA, YV7QP (SA- 012), YX0LIX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: (Alphabetical) DK4WA, DF0HQ,
ER1DA, HP1WW, LW9EOC, OK2HI, UA3PM, V85NL, YE1P, ZL40AGY

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DX News

Russian world traveler UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, is now on Madagascar and QRV as 5R8VB. Watch for him on all bands on CW and SSB. As always length of stay and next stop are unknown. Hold off on QSLing until he heads back home. We'll run a complete listing of all calls at that time.

To celebrate the 50 years of the DARC (German) SAAR Distrikt look for special event station DQ50SAAR to be QRV throughout the rest of 2007. This counts as special DOK 50SAAR. Special QSL cards will be issued and available via DO7VLR. Cards will be automatically sent, presumably via the bureau.

3D2AG, Tony is currently operating from Noumea, New Caledonia as FK/FO5RK until end of April. He can be found mostly on 20 and 40 meters CW. In May/June he plans to go to Rotuma Island and operate as 3D2AG/p. There is shortage of fuel on the island and the solar panels he used in the past (1992-2001) apparently no longer work. Tony is looking for someone or a DX club who might be able to help him obtain a few solar panels (12 volts) to charge his battery. He is also looking for a small beam. If you can help please contact Tony via his email address on QRZ.COM.

QRZ DX reports that K7LUH, Lynn, will be in East Malaysia (9M6) March 8th through the 10th and plans are for activity on 40 and 80 meters.

During the ARRL CW DX Contest RA3CO, Dimtiri, was operating as C6AWL from the Bahamas. He will be posting his logs to LOTW.

Silent Key

World Class Contester extraordinaire N6ZZ, Phil Goetz, of Ruidoso, NM died on February 27th after suffering from a brain hemorrhage. Phil operated from each of the 40 CQ Worked All Zones during his contest travels in the CQ World Wide DX Contests. I believe he was the first to do this. Only one other Amateur Radio operator has done this. I had the pleasure of operating with Phil in Dubai at A61AJ during the CQ WW CW DX Contest in 1999. He was one of the best contest ops, always had a smile on his face and just an overall great guy. Phil was 64 years old.

ZL2AQR, Richard Crawley, became a Silent Key on February 26th after a short battle with cancer. Dick was an active Amateur Radio op for over 50 years and was very active on 2, 6 and 80 meters. He was also a member of SMIRK.

5R8VB - MADAGASCAR - Vladimir started up yesterday and was QRV on 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters CW and SSB. QSL via UA4WHX, after he gets back home!

5W0RE - SAMOA - Topband ops look for this one after 1000Z.

9U - BURUNDI - West Coast North American stations should check 17 meters between 1900 and 2030Z for 9U0X, Baldur. Also he usually starts on 80 CW just before 2300Z and then switches to 160 meters just before 0000Z and then goes to bed. 9U9Z, Franz, likes 20 SSB between 2100 and 2300Z.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Rene likes 1831 KHz at 1130Z.

OY3QN - FAROE ISLANDS - 30 meter ops report Ole likes 18120 between 16 and 18Z. QSL via OZ1ACB.

S92FM - SAO TOME & PRINCIPE - Luciano was doing RTTY on 20 meters Wednesday from 1630 until after 0000Z today. QSL via CT1HHP.

V44KF - ST. KITTS AND NEVIS - VK's and ZL's look for Keith on 7153 around his sunrise (1027Z).

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-023	S92FM	14088	1914	NA-103	VP2MTE	10103	0123
AN-010	VP8/LZ1UQ	10109	0332	NA-106	KP2AD	14206	1205
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	10110	2319	OC-005	VK9DNX	21302	0115
EU-033	LA5QFA	14210	2017	OC-032	FK/FO5RK	14023	0933
EU-165	IM0MBP	14081	1204	OC-097	5W0RE	3517	1156
NA-001	W2IRT/C6A	7053	2338	OC-137	VK4HFO	7056	1742
NA-102	TO6T	14262	2106	SA-002	VP8LP	24946	1757

Czech ops OK1MU/TA2ZAF, Pavel; OK1TN, Slavek; OK1RK, David; OK1AU, Standa; OK1DG, Karel; OK1FIA, Zdenek; and OK1CW, Vlada; will be QRV from two Turkish Islands between March 4th and 11th with special calls TC0DX and YM0DX. The two islands will be Gokceada (EU-186) and Bozcaada (AS-099). They will have on-line logs along with other details on their Web page at <http://www.okdx.eu/ankety/tc0dx/en/tc0dx.php> . QSL via OK2GZ.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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1-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031
1-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E		11-042
1-Mar	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF (NA-096)		11-031
1-Mar	4-Mar	HL	DS2GOO (AS-148)	DS2GOO	11-039
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5R8GZ	G3SWH	CU2/OH2BH	OH2BH	S92FM	CT1HHP
5R8VB	UA4WHX	DH150HZ	DL5KUA	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ
6I2EX	XE2EX	EE7CAV	EC7DND	VP2EST	KT8Y
6Y0B	W2GB	EN20EXD	US4EXD	XU7TZG	ON7PP
9A950JB	9A3JB	HC1MD	K8LJG	Z36A	DJ0LZ
9G1AA	PA3ERA	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	ZF2AH	W6VNR
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Correction

TO6T is located in FG (Guadeloupe) not FM (Martinique). This was listed in yesterday's calendar section. Tnx SV1DPI for pointing this out.

On The WWW

Cushcraft (<http://www.cushcraft.com/>) was purchased this week by Laird Technologies (<http://www.lairdtech.com/>). Complete details of the deal can be found at <http://www.lairdtech.com/downloads/cushcraftexternalannouncement.pdf> .

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DX News

The U.S. Department of Commerce, NOAA, Space Environment Center has released their Predicted Sunspot Numbers and Radio Flux Report at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftplib/weekly/Predict.txt> . The predicted solar minimum is still 6 months away. The new updated predicted minimum is now expected in September with a predicted solar flux average of 74.3. The prediction values are based on ISES cycle 23 forecast of 13-month running smoothed values.

8P1A will be on for the ARRL SSB DX Contest this weekend. It will be W2SC, Tom, at the mic running single-op all-bands. QSL via NN1N.

VP9/AA1AC, Mark, will be active from Hamilton Parish, Bermuda, from March 11-15. QSL via AA1AC.

CU2CR, Pedro, plans to operate this weekend in the ARRL SSB DX Contest as a single-op low-power entry. QSL via his CBA.

During this weekend's ARRL SSB DX Contest look for SM0W (SM0WKA), Teemu, to be single-op 80 meters.

Rumor has it there will be a six meter Expedition to Isla Cabras (FK39) in June. The call HI0C will be used with a 7 element 6M7JHV and Drake 2x3-500Z (amp). Look for activity around June 9th to 17th.

The 6 Meter CN8MC beacon is currently off the air and being repaired.

Visalia Dates vs BS7H Dates
By W3UR, Bernie McClenny

A number of DXers have asked about the potential date conflict of the upcoming International DX Convention (Visalia) and the late April BS7H DXpedition to Scarborough Reef.

DXpeditioners, especially those that go to the rarest of the rarest DXCC Entities, go when they go because of the opportunity. That is to say they go because they have received permission to go. Many if not all, of these rare ones are rare for a reason and so when permission is finally given they go. Even if at the bottom of the sunspot cycle!

Can you imagine if the upcoming ops of BS7H said "thanks but no thanks" as they were going to "wait until the top of the sunspot cycle"?

It is my understanding that the upcoming BS7H DXpedition is currently working on transportation. Once that is secured the team would then have the dates and be able to announce them to the DX community.
Until then be glad they are going, when ever they go!

Corrections

In yesterday's issue N6ZZ's Silent Key listing stated Phil was the first to work from all 40 of the CQ WAZ Zones. Actually he was the second and his best friend N6AA, Dick Norton, was the first. The two operated from many of those 40 zone together in the multi-op category.

Yesterday it was reported FK/FO5RK, Tony, is planning to go to Rotuma Island in the May/June time frame. His correct email address is FO5RK@hotmail.com.

Silent Key

W9KW (ex W9NFM), Donald W. Taylor, passed away February 28th at his home in Stuarts Draft, VA. Like many he was first licensed as an early teen and enjoyed daily CW QSOs plus ragchewing on SSB with his friends on 75 meters. During the Vietnam War he was stationed at one of the American bases on Antarctica where he ran phone patches back to the states. Don "was diagnosed with Emphysema about 10 years ago and the last 1-2 years was a struggle for breath but he did manage to say hello and tried his best to get on nightly", remembers his friend W4ZAN, Marcus. He leaves behind his wife, several kids and grandkids including his son W9NFM (ex KB9FPZ), Charlie. Don was born in 1941.
RIP Don!

QSN

5R8VB - MADAGASCAR - Vladimir usually starts his day around 0230Z on 80 and then 40 CW. QSL via UA4WHX.

5W0RE - SAMOA - Eastern Europeans were working this semi-rare one on 3515 Thursday between 1400 and 1600Z. QSL via HA8IB.

9U - BURUNDI - 9U0X, Baldur, and 9U9Z, Franz, finished up their DXpedition yesterday just after 05Z. QSL 9U0X via DJ6SI and 9U9Z via DJ9ZB.

EP - IRAN - EP3HF, Sadegh, was on 14200 today after 0900Z for about three hours. EP3SMH, Mohsen, was on 14220 just before 0700Z.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Remi continues to show up on 1831 starting around 11Z.

KV4FZ - U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS - Today between 1000 and 1030Z Japanese Topband ops reported Herb on 1824 and then 1816.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Was doing RTTY on 20 meters today between 10 and 11Z.

S92FM - SAO TOME & PRINCIPE - Watch for this one on RTTY on 20 meters after 1700Z. QSL via CT1HHP.

SV5/DJ7RJ - DODECANESE ISLANDS - Willi had a JA opening on 1834 yesterday after 2000Z. QSL via DJ7RJ.

VP8 - FALKLAND ISLANDS - VP8DJU, VP8DJV and VP8DKG were all QRV yesterday from Port Stanly.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-003	ZD8S	14265	2037	EU-116	2D0RLA	7068	1228
AF-004	EA8/DK2OC	18143	1128	EU-170	9A4A	10114	2255
AF-023	S92FM	14085	1736	NA-016	ZF2UL	18151	2012
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14017	0635	NA-097	6Y1V	14170	1359
AS-148	DS4NYE	18145	0837	NA-102	TO6T/P	14260	1517
AS-148	HL1VAU/4	10103	2249	NA-146	FJ/AB8AJ	14208	2110
EU-003	CU2/OH0BH	14225	1927	OC-005	VK9DNX	7098	1146
EU-004	EA6ES	14084	1628	OC-088	YB7JN	14175	1553
EU-024	IS0ANU	7034	2320				

JA6QDU/6 will be active from Aino Is (AS-012) on HF on CW and SSB on March 4th. QSL via JA6QDU either direct or via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
2-Mar		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
2-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
2-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
2-Mar		5R	5R8VB	UA4WHX		11-043
2-Mar	12-Mar	5W	5W0RE (OC-097)	HA8IB		11-001
2-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
2-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
2-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
2-Mar	6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO		11-027
2-Mar	2-Mar	C6	W2IRT/C6A N2YTF/C6A (NA-001)	W2IRT	11-039	10-239
2-Mar	5-Mar	CE	CE3/LU1FAM	AC7DX		11-021
2-Mar	2-Mar	CU	CU2/OH2BH	OH2BH		11-041
2-Mar	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ (AF-004)			11-011
2-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
2-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
2-Mar	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMJ		11-035
2-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG		11-031
2-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E			11-042
2-Mar	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF (NA-096)			11-031
2-Mar	4-Mar	HL	DS2GOO (AS-148)	DS2GOO		11-039
2-Mar	4-Mar	HL	HL1VAU/4 DS4NYE/4 (AS-148)	home calls		11-039
2-Mar		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW		10-239
2-Mar	5-Mar	JA	J13DST/JS6 JS6RRR (AS-079)			11-039
2-Mar	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)			11-023
2-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001

2-Mar	6-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK0G (EU-125)	DK0G	11-029
2-Mar	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/K9NW (SA-006)	K9NW	11-038
2-Mar	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/WE9V PJ2/KA9FOX (SA-006) home calls		11-038
2-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB PJ7/W8DVC (NA-105) home calls		11-009
2-Mar	7-Mar	S9	S92FM (AF-023)	CT1HHP	11-037 034
2-Mar	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
2-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
2-Mar	5-Mar	V2	V26H (NA-100)		11-034
2-Mar	5-Mar	V2	V26RW (NA-100)		11-034
2-Mar	3-Mar	VK9N	VK9DNX (OC-005)	DJ2MX	10-236
2-Mar	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DJU (SA-002)	K9PET	10-219
2-Mar	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DJV (SA-002)	W3ASA	10-219
2-Mar	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DKD (SA-002)	W3WKO	10-219
2-Mar	2-Mar	VP8	VP8DKG (SA-002)	W3WKP	10-219
2-Mar	7-Mar	ZF	ZF2UL	K3UL	11-003
2-Mar	3-Mar	ZL	ZL/G3PJT	G3PJT	11-006
2-Mar		ZL7	by JJ8DEN	JJ8DEN	11-036
3-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT	10-236
3-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM	10-236
3-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO	10-236
3-Mar	4-Mar	8P	8P1A	NN1N	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	8P	8P2K	KU9C	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	BY	BD3APX	CBA	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	CE	CE4CT	EA5KB	11-021
3-Mar	4-Mar	CU	CU2A	OH2BH	11-041 032
3-Mar	4-Mar	CU	CU2CR	CBA	11-040
3-Mar	8-Mar	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR	11-033
3-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT	G3PJT	11-006
3-Mar	4-Mar	FM	TO5A	F5VHJ	11-026 10-156
3-Mar	4-Mar	FY	FY5KE	CBA	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	HL	D70LW/4	DS4NYE	11-039
3-Mar	4-Mar	HR	HR2MDR	CBA	11-041
3-Mar	4-Mar	KH6	AH7ZA	W8QZA	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	KP2	WP2Z	KU9C	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	KP4	WP3C	W3HNK	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	OE	OE4A	OE1EMS	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	P4	P40A	WD9DZV	10-236
3-Mar	4-Mar	PJ2	PJ2T	N9AG	11-038
3-Mar	12-Mar	SU	SU8DLH		11-036
3-Mar	6-Mar	TA	YM0DX (AS-099)	OK2GZ	11-043
3-Mar	4-Mar	UA2	RK2FWA	DK4VW	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	V2	V26H	KU4BP	11-031
3-Mar	4-Mar	VP5	VP5H	W0GJ	11-033
3-Mar	4-Mar	VP9	VP9/W6PH	W6PH	10-198
3-Mar	4-Mar	Z3	Z35T	CBA	11-040
3-Mar	4-Mar	ZP	ZP0R	W3HNK	11-040
4-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM	10-236
4-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA		11-039

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet today through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for February 27, 2007 was 23.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA	HF40PAZ	SP6PAZ	PJ2/WE9V	WE9V
6M22	DS2TXG	HI3HN	OE7NHT	R80PK	UA3PM
6Y1V	OH3RB	HK1FGI	EA5KB	SB300L	SM7CRW
7X0RY	OK1DYW	IA6IPY	IZ6GSQ	T88CA	7N4GHH
7X5ST	7X2LS	IA8IPY	IK8WEJ	UK8FF	W3HNC
9A60K	9A7K	LX2007L	LX1KC	VP8DJU	K9PET
A61AB	IZ8CLM	LZ07IPY	LZ3SM	VP8DJV	W3ASA
FK/FO5RK	FO5RK	PJ2/K9NW	K9NW	ZF2UL	K3UL
FY/F5MZN	F5MZN	PJ2/KA9FOX	KA9FOX		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, OD5NH, XF4DL, YJ0ADX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: T32MO

On The WWW

The March 2007 special issue of NIAR Ham News on the Lakshadweep Hamfest is now available at:

http://www.niar.org/hamfest07/hamnews_mar07.pdf

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DX News

This was the big ARRL DX SSB Contest weekend as anyone tuning the phone bands Saturday and Sunday would have noticed, with lots of activity.

Here are the top US multi-multi 3830 claimed scores for the ARRL SSB DX Contest as reported by the station owners.

	K3LR			W3LPL		
	QSOs	Mults	Score	QSOs	Mults	Score
160	93	55		116	56	
80	607	86		639	92	
40	659	97		753	97	
20	2720	146		2383	134	
15	939	112		751	101	
10	49	22		63	24	
Total	5067	518	7.87M	4705	504	7.1M

KC1XX was a multi-two effort this year, as they could not get enough ops to do the full MM and had 4164 QSOs and 464 mults for 5.76 Meg.

New in the MM category was W1FJ with 3654 Qs and 448 mults for 4.8 Meg.

DL2GAC, Bernard, who also holds the callsign H44MS, planned to leave yesterday for another DX vacation to the Pacific. Bernard expects to arrive in the Solomons tomorrow to dust off his H44MS callsign, QRV on SSB only until April 25. He says if the amplifier is working he will focus on 40 and 80M, especially looking for U.S. counties and five-band Worked All States. As usual, QSL via the bureau and direct to his home call, DL2GAC.

T88CA was the callsign for JM1LJS from IOTA OC-009, February 28-March 5, 40-6M SSB. QSL "OK via the bureau" to 7N4GHH.

YU7EF, Popa, is back in Nepal. There is no word on whether he will get his own callsign or operate from the 9N7JO (Stig) QTH. He plans to be there until May third.

IK1PMR, Andrea, and K2LEO, Claudia, are currently active from EA8.

They have joined a DXpedition to Mongolia organized by I0SNY for April. They plan to operate CW and RTTY from Ulaan Bator, the capital city, for 12 days with the JT1Y callsign, starting April 14. They do not plan to tour around the countryside. The two ops were in the ARRL SSB Contest from Las Palmas, Gran Canaria Island, in this weekend's ARRL SSB contest and the Ukrainian RTTY Contest.

A small group of Egyptian and German radio amateurs will operate with the SU8DLH callsign from Cairo, Egypt today through the tenth. They plan to be on all the

HF bands, SSB, CW and some digital modes. On 160M they will be limited to 100 watts to an inverted fee at 18M. QSL via DK2CL.

The 9M2SDX Spratly Island Dxpedition begins late this week from Pulau Layang Layang, AS-051. The dates of this operation are March 10-19. Included will be Malaysian Amateur Radio Transmitter Society, MARTS, members and several Japanese operators. They are 9M2CF, 9M2/JH3GCN, 9M2TO, 9M8YY, JA1OCZ, JE1CKA, JF1PJK, JK1FNL, JJ2VLY, JQ2GYU and JR7TEQ. They plan to have as many as four stations on the air 24 hours a day, 160-6M, CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via 9M2TO via the bureau or to this direct address: Tex Izumo, 2C-10-03 Mutiara APT., JLN.SGB. EMAS 11100 Batu Ferringhi, Penang, MALAYSIA. The web site is <http://island.geocities.jp/layang9m4sdx/>

EK0B, Armenia, will be in the CQWW WPX SSB Contest March 24-25, as a small multi. The operators will be EK6TA, EK6YL, SP9LJD and SP9UON/DJ0MCZ. QSL via SP9ERV.

J75RZ will be the Dominica callsign for the W2RZS Amateur Radio Club March 24-25 for the CQWW WPX SSB Contest. This will be the group's third trip to J7. They will be there March 21-27. Their QTH, Harmony Villa, is at 1700 feet elevation in a rain forest. There will only be two operators this time, WB2NVR (J79RS) and WA2VQW (J79VQ). They will concentrate on the low bands before and after the WPX event. QSL J75RZ via W2RZS direct or bureau.

KH6/JM3PIT, Matsuda, will be on Oahu March 21-25 including the WPX SSB. QSL via JM3PIT via the bureau.

LZ129LO is the special Bulgarian callsign for the LZ1KZA/LZ5A Balkan Contest Club now through the end of the month to mark the 129th anniversary of the "Liberation of Bulgaria from Ottoman yoke by Russia." Working LZ129LO counts 10 points for the St. Teodosii Tyrnovski Award. <http://www.balkanclub.org>. QSL via LZ1KZA via the bureau.

V31RG is the Belize call for K4VU, Robin, in his March 21-28 operation including the WPX SSB. He will be single op. QSL via K4VU.

VR2C will be a special call from Hong Kong for a group of operators. They will be a multioperator-two transmitter team in the WPX SSB. QSL via VR2NN direct, no bureau.

TM4ORE, France, will be on the air from Cherbourg today through March 11 for the 40th anniversary of the launching of the first French ballistic missile submarine, the "Le Redoutable." Launched in 1967 and decommissioned in 1991, the sub is now a museum ship. This operation is by the Radio club Nord Cotentin (F6KFW).

TM5P is a special French callsign for an activity March 10-11 from the Pontusval Lighthouse. This callsign is a change from the TM4P callsign previously planned, a callsign that was used in the recent WPX RTTY Contest by the F6IPA club. QSL TM5P via F4ELJ.

V85NL will be on the air again from Brunei, March 8-12, mostly CW. Operator JA4ENL, Kanzi, plans to get on 160M some. QSL direct to his home callsign.

F6IRF, Patrick, reports the "birth of the Dar Bouazza Contest Group, DBCG." The group of ops plans to go to Morocco with the callsign CN5W for the CQ WPX SSB at the end of March. They will be operating from the CN8MC, ARRAN, station in Rabat, as they wait for their permanent station to be set up in Dar Bouazza. They hope to have that done by the end of this year. <http://cn2ww.blogspot.com/>

GB75PW will be a special station from the UK, operating from various locations now through the end of the year. It marks the 75 years of Practical Wireless magazine.

Another special operation is GB4IPY, now through March 15. It marks the International Polar Year and will be on all HF bands, SSB, PSK31 and CW. This is being put on by the North Wakefield Radio Club.

GB1HPG was on the air yesterday to mark the 100th anniversary of the longest reported continuous communication, between Portland, United Kingdom, and Gibraltar.

T77NM, San Marino Republic, will be on the air April 20-24 for the Lyrids meteor shower. They will be QRV on 6M tropo and JT6M meteor scatter, 2M tropo and FSK441 meteor scatter and 70 CM tropo. They will be in grid square JN63FW. Operators are IK4DCX and IW4ARD, and perhaps some T7 ops. QSL via IW4ARD only for this operation, and direct only, MATTEINI Gianni, Via Cesare Pavese, 20 - 47814 BELLARIA (RN), ITALY. They will have an IC-7400 to a 5-element Yagi and 4CW250B amp on 6, TS-2000X to a 9-element DK7ZB to a 3CX800A7 and MGF1302 on 2, an IC-910H to 18-element DK7ZB, 4CX250B and MGF1302 on 70 CM. Look for them on 50223 and 144.383 FSK.

Five German ops will be on the air from Liechtenstein March 16-19. They will be in the Russian DX Contest as HB0/DK4YJ and otherwise will operate as HB0/home call. QSL via the bureau. The ops are DJ4MZ, DJ4YJ, DK5TX, DK9TN and DL5RMH. They'll be at the "Chalet Barsula." Their web site is www.dk9tn.de/hb0.

Another group has the same idea, HB0 for the Russian Contest. A Croatian team, ops 9A2SX, 9A3AXX, 9A6XX and 9A8MM have booked the "Chalet Wannii." The plans were made independently and neither group knew of the other's plans, but most of them are good friends from the World Wide Young Contester (WWYC) meetings, so they're having a good laugh about it. HB0/DK4YJ will be a multi-two and HB0/9A8MM will be a multi-single.

The Visalia Topbanders DX Dinner will be Friday, April 27, at 6:30 PM, in the banquet room of the Sizzler Steak House, 2121 W. Caldwell Avenue, Visalia, California, USA, during the annual DX convention. Dinner attendees will order from the regular menu and pay your tab individually. There is no fee to attend, but you can contact k6se@juno.com ahead of time to let him know you'll be there so he can make sure there are enough seats for everyone. For DX convention info, go to <http://www.dxconvention.org>.

QSN

- ARRL - SSB DX Contest - The following were just a few of the rare and semi-rare ones that were QRV this past weekend in the ARRL SSB DX Contest: 4L8A, 4M2L (YV), 5N2/SQ8JCA, 6H1L (XE), 6Y1V, 8P1A, 9K2HN, 9Y4LDK, AY8A (LU), BX6AP (BV), C6ANM, CN3A, CP1FF, CU2A, CX9DX, EA6UN, EA8CCB, FY5KE, H7A (YN), HI3C, HR1AAB, HU1X, J37T, J88DR, JT1C, LX7I, OH0JFP, OX3PG, P40A, PJ2T, PJ4G, RK2FWA, TG9ANF, TI5N, TO5A (FG), TO6T (FG), TU2/F5LDY, V26H, V47KP, VP2E, VP5H, VP8KF, VP9/W6KH, VQ9LA, XE7S and ZP0R.
- 5T3FN - MAURITANIA - Alex was QRV Friday, Saturday and Sunday on 20, 30, 40 and 80 CW. QSL via RW3TN.
- EY8DQ - TAJIKISTAN - 30 meter ops found this semi-rare one on 10110 Sunday after 1130Z.

J5UAR - GUINEA-BISSAU - 80 meters - 3501 from 0015Z. Also, 1821.7 from 2140-0000Z, 14027.4 from 17Z, 10117 from 19Z, 7009 from 0715Z. QSL via DL7CM.

S92FM - SAO TOME & PRINCIPE - Watch for Luciano on 60 meters (probably 5403.5) Monday around 2300Z. QSL via CT1HHP.

ZD9BCB - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Friday Brian showed up on 14236 between 1800 and 2000Z. QSL via SQ8AQD.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-099	YM0DX	7004	2345	NA-036	VA7DJ	18130	1815
NA-004	KL7HBK	14040	2330				

K5I will be a special short callsign for an operation by the University of Mississippi ARC, W5UMS. Members W5BJC, W5JMO, WB5HSX and W5MPC will on Horn Island, NA-082, March 10-11, starting at around noon Saturday, going through noon Sunday. They will be on SSB, CW, and digital, 80, 40 and 20M. QSL via W5MPC.

IG9R, operator IK8HCG, Luigi, will be on Lampedusa Island, AF-019, in the CQWW SSB, October 27-28. He will be single op, single band 20M. QSL via IK8HCG.

VK4HFO, Tim, Lamb Island, OC-137, is planning to be active on 40M. Look for him daily starting at 06Z and 17Z. He has a regular sked with ZL1BMW most mornings near 7060. You can set up skeds by e-mailing him at vk4hfo@yahoo.com.au.

IOTA frequencies -
 CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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5-Mar		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-032
5-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
5-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
5-Mar		5R	5R8VB	UA4WHX		11-043
5-Mar	12-Mar	5W	5W0RE (OC-097)	HA8IB		11-001
5-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
5-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
5-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
5-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
5-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
5-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
5-Mar	6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO		11-027
5-Mar	5-Mar	CE	CE3/LU1FAM	AC7DX		11-021
5-Mar	8-Mar	DU9	DU9/NONM	W4DR		11-033
5-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT	G3PJT		11-006
5-Mar	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ (AF-004)			11-011

5-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
5-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
5-Mar	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMQ	11-035
5-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031
5-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E		11-042
5-Mar	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF (NA-096)		11-031
5-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM	10-236
5-Mar		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0FWW	10-239
5-Mar	5-Mar	JA	JI3DST/JS6 JS6RRR (AS-079)		11-039
5-Mar	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)		11-023
5-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
5-Mar	6-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK0G (EU-125)	DK0G	11-029
5-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA		11-039
5-Mar	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/K9NW (SA-006)	K9NW	11-038
5-Mar	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/WE9V PJ2/KA9FOX (SA-006) home calls		11-038
5-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB PJ7/W8DVC (NA-105) home calls		11-009
5-Mar	7-Mar	S9	S92FM (AF-023)	CT1HHP	11-037 034
5-Mar	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
5-Mar	12-Mar	SU	SU8DLH		11-036
5-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
5-Mar	6-Mar	TA	YM0DX (AS-099)	OK2GZ	11-043
5-Mar	5-Mar	V2	V26H (NA-100)		11-034
5-Mar	5-Mar	V2	V26RW (NA-100)		11-034
5-Mar	11-Mar	VK	VK6ARI (OC-164)	VK6HZ	11-036 021
5-Mar	7-Mar	ZF	ZF2UL	K3UL	11-003
5-Mar		ZL7	by JJ8DEN	JJ8DEN	11-036
6-Mar	13-Mar	P4	by AA1M W1USN W1SSR	home calls	11-029
6-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ	11-029
7-Mar	11-Mar	TA	TC0DX (EU-186)	OK2GZ	11-043
8-Mar	10-Mar	9M6	by K7LUH		11-043
8-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-031
8-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF		11-036
8-Mar	11-Mar	F	TP2CE	F5LGF	11-040
8-Mar	11-Mar	JW	JW/IN3SAU	IN3SAU	11-031
8-Mar	11-Mar	JW	JW/IN3TCH	IN3SAU	11-031
8-Mar	12-Mar	V8	V85NL	JA4ENL	11-021
9-Mar	10-Mar		IOTA Bash		11-042 017
10-Mar	19-Mar	1S	9M4SDX	9M2TO	10-236 187 169
10-Mar	11-Mar	F	TM4P	F4ELJ	11-040
10-Mar	16-Mar	J8	J8/W0AW (NA-025)	W0AW	11-033

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The sunspot number for March 3, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K9W	DL6KVA	HU1X	YT1AD	TL8QC	F5NRY
4KT4K	4K4K	HV0A	IK0FVC	TM4IPY	F8DVD
5R8VB	UA4WHX	IA0IPY	I0YKN	TR8CA	F6CBC
5T3TN	RW3TN	IP7IPY	IZ7AUH	UE0SZI	UA0SR
6W/DL6CT	DL6CT	IR4ICE	IZ4DPV	UE1OTA/P	RZ1OA
6W/DL7CM	DL7CM	J5UAR	DL7CM	V26H	KU4BP
6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO	KH7X	K2PF	V47KP	K2SB
9M2/JH3GCM	JH3GCM	LX2007L	LX1KC	VP2E	N5AU
A61NT	ON5NT	LZ129LO	LZ1KZA	VP2ERT	HB9TRT
A71BX	EA7FTR	OX3PG	WA0SMQ	VP5H	W0GJ
AH7ZA	W8QZA	OY4TN	ON5UR	VP8KF	G3VPW
CE/LU1FAM	AC7DX	P40LE	K2LE	VP9/W6PH	W6PH
CO2NB	EA5KB	P49MR	VE3MR	WP2Z	KU9C
CU2A	OH2BH	PJ2/WE9V	WE9V	XE2/N7DD	N7DD
EA7NL/P	EA7HBC	PJ2T	N9AG	YB8TAF	EA5KB
EA8/DK2OC	DK2OC	PJ4G	WA2NHA	YI9GT	SP3GTS
EI75IRTS	EI6HB	PJ5NA	K1NA	YI9SM	K5CW
EK3GM	IK2QPR	R80PK	UA3PM	YM0DX	OK2GZ
EX2X	EA5KB	RA9LI/9	UA9LP	YT60W	YU7BCD
H7A	TI4SU	RK2FWA	DK4VW	ZD9BCB	SQ8AQD
HI3C	ON4IQ	ST2R	S57DX	ZF2AH	W6VNR
HI3HN	OE7NHT	TG9AKH	OK1DOT		

YT6A says all the 403T Montenegro QSL cards are out. If you don't get yours by March 20th, follow up with an e-mail to him. We will get that info for you if you don't already have it.

W3DRY, Denny, noted that in his latest DXCC submittal his YA5Y QSL for a January, 2005 QSO, was rejected for "no documentation received." Denny says, "I suppose this situation was known by everyone but me, but I don't remember reading about it."

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, D2DX, E51QMA (OC-082), FK/KF4TUG (OC-079), FO/KM9D (OC-114), HK1/AC8W, HQ9F, KH8Q, KM9D/KH8 (OC-200), LW2DX, MJ/K8PT, VK2KM and XF4DL.

On The WWW

The complete version (27 minutes 90MB WMV) of the 5A7A Video can be downloaded from Rapidshare. The link is on my homepage www.roody.de.

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DX News

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest, March 24th and 25th, W5CW will be operating with special call VP57V (yes fifty seven). He will be in the Turks and Caicos Islands between March 20th and 28th and will use VP5HC before and after the contest. QSL via W5CW.

Time Change This Weekend In The US

As a result of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 this weekend is Daylight Saving Time (DST) in the US. This is three weeks earlier than normal. DST is not observed in Hawaii, American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands and Arizona. Each time zone will move their clocks up 1 hour at 2 AM local time on Sunday March 11th. Remember this is for your local time only. Do not change your GMT clock. GMT never changes, other than occasionally for a millisecond adjustment.

Most computers will not pick up this change automatically as they are programmed to do so on April 1st at 2 AM local time. So if you used local time on your computer you will want to adjust it. Bottom line is you will definitely want to keep a close eye on your logging times over the next few weeks! Here in the US we go back to standard time on November 4th. This is a week later than normal.

Corrections

The 9M4SDX (not 9M2SDX) Spratly Island Dxpediton begins late this week from Pulau Layang Layang, AS-051.

TO5A, who was on this past weekend in the ARRL SSB DX Contest, was on Martinique - FM (not Guadeloupe FG, as reported yesterday). TO6T was indeed located on Guadeloupe (FG).

QSN

3DA0TM - SWAZILAND - VKs, ZLs and other Pacific Island stations should look for Andy on or about 14245 this Saturday and Sunday around 0600Z.

9N7JO - NEPAL - Stig came up on 30 meters today just after 0100Z on 10105 listening up about 1. This was just around sunset time in Arizona. Stig was having some

heavy local QRN.

HC1MD/HD7 - ECUADOR - Rick was operating late yesterday and early today from the Papallacta Volcano down inside its cone. QSL via K8LJG.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-018	UA0FAI	14084	0901	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	1240
AS-077	JF6CHY	21252	0636	EU-106	9A2GF	7062	0826
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14169	0852	NA-010	VE1OK	18075	1654
AS-099	YM0DX	14260	1522	NA-022	VP2ERT	14072	1630
EU-001	SV5/DJ7RJ	3779	1955	OC-013	E51PJT	7015	0735
EU-012	MM0XAU	14270	1054	OC-164	VK6ARI	21260	0807
EU-034	ES0NW	10108	1117				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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6-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
6-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
6-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
6-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
6-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
6-Mar	6-Mar	C6	C6AWB C6ANM	WA2IYO		11-027
6-Mar	8-Mar	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR		11-033
6-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT	G3PJT		11-006
6-Mar	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ (AF-004)			11-011
6-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
6-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR		11-021
6-Mar	11-Mar	F	TM4ORE	F6KFW		11-045
6-Mar	6-Mar	FM	TO6T (NA-102)	F6HMQ		11-035
6-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-045
6-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC		11-045
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6-Mar	6-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK0G (EU-125)	DK0G		11-029
6-Mar	13-Mar	P4	by AA1M W1USN W1SSR	home calls		11-029
6-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA	WA2NHA		11-039

6-Mar	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/K9NW (SA-006)	K9NW	11-038
6-Mar	6-Mar	PJ2	PJ2/WE9V PJ2/KA9FOX (SA-006)	home calls	11-038
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6-Mar	6-Mar	TA	YM0DX (AS-099)	OK2GZ	11-043
6-Mar	11-Mar	VK	VK6ARI (OC-164)	VK6HZ	11-036 021
6-Mar	7-Mar	ZF	ZF2UL	K3UL	11-003
6-Mar		ZL7	ZL7/KH0PR	JJ8DEN	11-036
6-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ	11-029

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5V7SE	IK3GES	HC1MD/HD7	K8LJG	SU8DLH	DK2CL
7X2EB	EA7FTR	HF50OP	SP6ZJP	VK6ARI	VK6HZ
E51PJT	G3PJT	MJ0ASP	F5SHQ	ZL7/KH0PR	JJ8DEN

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VK6HD, Mike, reports postage in Australia has gone up "by either 5 cents or 10cents depending on destination."

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5W0CX, 7Z1SJ, 9K2HN, A35LS, A35TN, BX5AA, KH8/JA7GAX/M (OC-077), PZ5RA, SV8/SP6GVU (EU-174), UN7AM, XF4DL, YI9KT, YX0A, YX0LIX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 7Z1UG, CN2WW, KP2ZZ, T32MO, TI5/WJ7R, YW4D

This year's Friedrichshafen will be June 22-24. They have a Web site at <http://www.hamradio-friedrichshafen.de/html/en/index.php>

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DX News

Yesterday an unannounced group from the UK was QRV from San Marino as T70A. Ops heard on the key were G5LP, Lionel; G3SXW, Roger; and G3WVG, Ian. No word on length of stay, bands to expect activity or QSL route.

DJ6JH, John, announced that he will be QRV as TA4/DJ6JH from Turkey from April 7th to 13th. This will be a holiday type operation. He will be mainly active on RTTY and PSK31 on 10 through 20 meters. QSL via DJ6JH.

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest on March 24th and 25th look for CN8NK, M'hamed, to be QRV with special call 5C8A. He will be QRV on all bands running low power. QSL via EA5XX.

G3TXF, Nigel, is heading to Antigua this weekend for the BERU contest. He'll arrive on Thursday and begin activity as V25XF. Nigel will head back home Monday morning. He has a Web page at <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/V25XF/V25.html>. QSL via G3TXF.

If you are planning to go to the International DX Convention in Visalia this year you can pre register now. The form can be found at <http://www.dxconvention.org/2007-preregform.pdf>. Complete details on Visalia can be found at <http://www.dxconvention.org/>.

More On The Time Change This Weekend

Most of the modern (XP, 2000, Vista) computers will adjust to the time change this weekend. In fact Microsoft does have fixes at http://support.microsoft.com/gp/cp_dst. Also GMT never changes except for the leap second adjustment, announced by the IERS (International Earth Rotation and Reference Systems Service), also announced by the Naval Observatory in the United States. (Tnx JJ1BDX, K3OQ and K9TRV).

Correction

W5CW, Dave Horn, has been issued the special callsign VP57V to be used during the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest on March 24-25. However before and after the contest he will be active as VP5/W5CW (not VP5HC) on all bands from 6 through 160 meters on CW and SSB.

QSN

5R8VB - MADAGASCAR - Vlad was reported on 1823 today around 0215Z. Afterwards check 80 CW. Yesterday he was parked on 28500 between 0900 and 1230Z. QSL via UA4WHX.

7Q7BP - MALAWI - Joe continues to show up most days on 1814 around 0300Z.

8R1AK/P - GUYANA - Esmond was working Central Europeans on 3792 today after 0530Z. QSL via 8R1AK.

9M6XRO - EAST MALAYSIA - John was being heard via the long path in New England on 80 CW yesterday around 2215Z. QSL via M5AAV.

SU8DLH - EGYPT - Likes 1822 between 0145 and 0400Z. QSL via DK2CL.

ZL7/KH0PR - CHATHAM - This semi-rare one was on 80 CW Monday and Tuesday between 1030 and 1430Z. His length of stay is unknown. QSL via JJ8DEN.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-013	5R8VB	24930	1540	EU-175	CU3EJ	14086	1801
AS-099	YM0DX	18133	1558	NA-022	VP2ERT	14071	1115
EU-023	9H4DX	14150	1819	OC-013	E51PJT	7014	0529
EU-024	IS0SDX	14028	1552	OC-038	ZL7/KH0PR	3511	1332
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	18160	1723	OC-139	VK6LB/5	14085	0914
EU-165	IM0MBP	14070	1826	OC-164	VK6ARI	21260	0826
EU-170	9A4A	14260	2028	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14245	1620

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
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7-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
7-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
7-Mar		5R	5R8VB	UA4WHX		11-043
7-Mar	12-Mar	5W	5W0RE (OC-097)	HA8IB		11-001
7-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
7-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
7-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
7-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
7-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
7-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
7-Mar	8-Mar	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR		11-033
7-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT (OC-013)	G3PJT		11-006
7-Mar	7-Mar	EA8	EA8/G3VTT EA8/G3XAQ (AF-004)			11-011

7-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
7-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
7-Mar	11-Mar	F	TM4ORE	F6KFW	11-045
7-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	11-045
7-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC	11-045
7-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031
7-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)		11-042
7-Mar	7-Mar	HI	HI3/IK4QJF (NA-096)		11-031
7-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM	10-236
7-Mar	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)	AA4V	11-023
7-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
7-Mar	13-Mar	P4	by AA1M W1USN W1SSR	home calls	11-029
7-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA (SA-036)	WA2NHA	11-039
7-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB	11-009
7-Mar	7-Mar	S9	S92FM (AF-023)	CT1HHP	11-037 034
7-Mar	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
7-Mar	10-Mar	SU	SU8DLH	DK2CL	11-045 036
7-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
7-Mar	11-Mar	TA	TC0DX (EU-186)	OK2GZ	11-043
7-Mar	11-Mar	VK	VK6ARI (OC-164)	VK6HZ	11-036 021
7-Mar	7-Mar	ZF	ZF2UL (NA-016)	K3UL	11-003
7-Mar		ZL7	ZL7/KH0PR (OC-038)	JJ8DEN	11-036
7-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ	11-029

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled with isolated active periods today due to the recurrent coronal hole. Expect quiet conditions on Thursday and Friday as the coronal hole rotates out of its geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for March 5, 2007 was 27.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4L4CC	RV1CC	DU1HBC	JA1HBC	TK5XN	F2YT
4N0NS	YU7BPQ	EX2M	W3HNK	TM4ORE	F6KFW
5W0RE	HA8IB	HC1MD	K8LJG	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
6H1IM	XE1IM	SV8/DL8MCA	DL8MCA	VK6LB/5	DL7AFS
6W2SC	HA3AUI				

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HV3SJ used to be one of the more active stations from The Vatican.

This station was QRV from 1965 until March 1997, when it was closed down. The QSL manager was I0DUD, Pino, until he became a Silent Key in 1999. Unfortunately his son apparently has destroyed the logs and QSLs. OA4SS (W9SI), Ed Schmidt, was one of the operators and does have copies of logs from several of his operations. Those dates are October 1-26, 1994 and January 10-March 4, 1995.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4X6ZM, 9A/HA5BWW/p, HP3XBH, KH8Q, KL1V, ZD7BG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 8R1K, CT3/DL3DRN, DL7VOX/p (EU-129), VP2VW, XW0X, EA8ZS, VY2TT (NA-029)

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: HK3WGQ, ZD8QD

Credits

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DX News

The Radio Amateur Society of Thailand (RAST) has received authorization from NTC giving permission to Thai HF operators to operate on 80 and 160 meters during contests. Look for E2 and HS stations from 1800 to 1825 and from 3500 to 3536 on both CW and SSB. They can operate split. This authorization is valid through December 31, 2007. Thai hams have everyday authorization on 10, 15, 20 and 40 meters. They can not operate on 6, 12, 17 or 30 meters with out special permission, which is sometimes granted to special event stations.

ZL1ANH, Graeme Hunt, just received his secondary 2 X 1 call, ZL1T. More Amateur Radio ops from New Zealand are expected to be using these new calls, which cost \$10.00.

DL9HCU, Udo, is now on Samoa and QRV as 5W1VE. Length of stay and next stop are unknown at this time. Watch for him near 14025 and 14183, normally after 0500Z. QSL via DL9HCU.

The Tuesday day-trip to San Marino by three English chaps included a short time QRV from club station T70A. The ops were G3SXW (40 meters), G3WVG (30 meters) and G5LP (20 meters), who made about 400 QSOs. The trio visited T77C, Tony, and other T7 ops. QSL their operation via QRZ.COM direct only to T70A.

International DX Convention

This year's Visalia International DX Convention program will have presentations from KH8SI, VU7RG, XF4DL, YI9MD and ZL8R. Also on the schedule will be:

Audio Reinforcement in Contesting by K9EID and K7JA DXing from a city lot by N6BV Ionospheric Propagation Simplified by NE5EE Why Do We DX by W9KNI Working Your First 100 Countries by W2VU

The Saturday night banquet will feature the 403T operation. The Sunday breakfast will include a presentation on 5A7A. For more info on this year's event check the Visalia Web site at <http://www.dxconvention.org/> .

More On Computers And Time Change This Weekend

K9TRV, George, tells us "Most of the modern Windows OS (XP, 2000) computers will adjust to the time change this weekend IF they are fully patched up to date. Vista is already aware of this change 'right out of the box' and will correctly handle the new DST start and end times. This is because unless they are patched

up to date, they most likely will not have the patch that changes the DST start and end date to the new one. If not patched up to date, they are 'capable' of understanding the new rules, but they have otherwise NOT been made aware of the new rules."

QSN

S92FM - SAO TOME & PRINCIPE - Luciano was doing 15 meter PSK activity Wednesday around 1715Z. He is expected to leave today. QSL via CT1HHP.

ST2BF - SUDAN - Magdi checked into the ANZA net on 14183 Tuesday around 0530Z.

SU8DLH - EGYPT - U.S. West Coast DXers had a brief opening on 14287.5, listening up 5, yesterday around 1745Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-003	ZD8I	24955	2238	EU-186	TC0DX	14260	1840
AF-004	EA8/DL3KVR	24892	1042	NA-023	VP2VW	3800	0247
AF-049	3B8CF	21260	1311	OC-139	VK6LB/5	14070	0736
EU-023	9H1EU	3797	0004	OC-139	VK6ZG/5	14070	0555
EU-023	9H3JS/P	14072	1732	OC-164	VK6ARI	21260	0912
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14253	0802	SA-068	8R1AK/P	3796	0243
EU-170	9A4A	18137	1520				

AA8LL/4, Wade, will be active from Cedar Key, FL, (NA-076) from March 9-13. Activity will be on 10-40 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY. He'll be running 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL direct, via the bureau or LOTW to AA8LL.

IOTA frequencies -

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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8-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
8-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
8-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
8-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
8-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
8-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
8-Mar	10-Mar	9M6	by K7LUH			11-043
8-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls		11-036 031
8-Mar	8-Mar	DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR		11-033
8-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT (OC-013)	G3PJT		11-006

8-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IK1PMR (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
8-Mar	8-Mar	EA8	EA8/IZ1GLO (AF-004)	IK1PMR	11-021
8-Mar	11-Mar	F	TM4ORE	F6KFW	11-045
8-Mar	11-Mar	F	TP2CE	F5LGF	11-040
8-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	11-045
8-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC	11-045
8-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG	11-031
8-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)		11-042
8-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM	10-236
8-Mar	11-Mar	JW	JW/IN3SAU	IN3SAU	11-031
8-Mar	11-Mar	JW	JW/IN3TCH	IN3SAU	11-031
8-Mar	8-Mar	KH6	KH6/AA4V (OC-019)	AA4V	11-023
8-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
8-Mar	13-Mar	P4	by AA1M W1USN W1SSR	home calls	11-029
8-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA (SA-036)	WA2NHA	11-039
8-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB	11-009
8-Mar	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-001
8-Mar	10-Mar	SU	SU8DLH	DK2CL	11-045 036
8-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
8-Mar	11-Mar	TA	TC0DX (EU-186)	OK2GZ	11-043
8-Mar	11-Mar	V2	V25XF (NA-100)	G3TXF	11-047
8-Mar	12-Mar	V8	V85NL (OC-088)	JA4ENL	11-045 021
8-Mar	11-Mar	VK	VK6ARI (OC-164)	VK6HZ	11-036 021
8-Mar		ZL7	ZL7/KH0PR (OC-038)	JJ8DEN	11-036
8-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ	11-029

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Today's Propagation Forecast

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Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today through Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for March 6, 2007 was 26.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5R8FL	G3SWH	H44MS	DL2GAC	TC0DX	OK2GZ
8R1AK/P	8R1AK	HF50IU	SP2IU	VK6ZG/5	DL7AFS
EA8OM	DJ1OJ	OA4/DL1NL	DL1NL	ZA/UT7DW	UT7DW
EK6LP	IK2DUW	SN150BP	SP6ZDA	ZS6CCY	K3PD

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Several DXers have asked about the status of the October/November 2006 3COM DXpedition QSL cards. EA5BYP, Elmo, tells us he had problems with the original

printer and had to use another printer. The QSL cards are expected to be finished next week. It's a nice looking QSL and will be well worth the wait. Check it out at <http://www.dailydx.com/images/3c0m.jpg> .

HS6NDK is the QSL manager for HS0T, the November 2005 operation from Lanta Yai Island (AS-053) and is now sending out QSLs.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4H1LC (OC-244), 5H1HW, 5H3AA, 7X0RY, A35TN/P, C6APG, CM6RCR, CX9AU, D90HE/2 (AS-105), E51QMA, HI3TEJ, HS0T, HZ1FS, K4VAC (NA-083), KN5G/FS, LQ0D (SA-021), OH1PS, OH2PM, OH0PM, OH0R, RW0LT, ST2BF, VP9/K9CC, VU4AN/VU3RYJ, XE1RCS, XF4DL (NA-030), YI9TU, YU6AO, YV5MBX, Z36W, ZD8QD, ZD8WX, ZF2AM

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3G1K, 5V7FA, G3WPH, IZ5GST, JH2FXK, JX7DFA, OX3DB, UA3AGW, ZD8QD

Credits

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DX News

V31RG will be QRV from Belize by K4VU, Robin, and K0LAA, Lori, from March 21-28, 2007 including the CQ WPX SSB Contest. Look for activity on CW, RTTY and PSK before and after the contest. QSL via K4VU or LoTW.

K4QD, Jan, plans to operate again as HH4/K4QD from the NW Haiti Christian Mission between March 19th and 30th. Look for him to be QRV on 10 through 80 meters on CW and SSB. QSLs direct to K4QD or LoTW, or via the bureau.

JJ8DEN, Yoshi, is currently QRV as ZL7/KH0PR from Chatham Island until March 13th. QSL via JJ8DEN.

Starting April 27th look for K9EL, John, to be QRV as FS/K9EL from Sint Martin. He hopes to be QRV on 60 meters. Look for activity through May 6th.

Rumor has it that G4DIY, Ron, will be operating from Guernsey (GU) starting today around 1500Z until sometime on March 14th. Also joining him will be G0DBE, Lee. In the past they have used unusual prefixes and may use GPOSTH.

This year's SEANET Contest will take place between 1200Z Saturday June 2nd and 1200Z Sunday June 3rd. Complete rules can be found at http://www.sabah.net.my/seanet/contest_rules.htm. The 35th annual SEANET Convention will be held in Lampang, Thailand November 8-11, 2007.

Pacific sailors KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are still anchored at Christmas Island and will be there for awhile as they wait for a cargo plane to arrive, hopefully with radio repair parts onboard, reports A35RK, Paul. Mike says T32LN, Tek, is back on the island. Mike is going to help Tek repair his tri-band yagi, which is only working on 20 and 10 meters. If it cannot be repaired, then Mike will help Tek put up some wire antennas and get him back on the air. Mike doesn't know if he and Jan will be very active during the remainder of their stay at Christmas Island. He may "borrow" T32LN's station for a day, but he has no plans to set up his land-based antenna farm.

F8DVD, Francois, will be back up on Spitsberg, Svalbard and QRV as JW/F8DVD from April 12th to 23rd. He will be operating from the Longyearbyen radio club facilities with an IC-751, 500 watts and a five element beam on a 100 foot tower. Look for him on all bands on CW and SSB. QSL via F8DVD.

To mark the 60th anniversary of the Belgian Union of the Amateurs (UBA) club stations of the UBA can use special prefix ON60 beginning in 2008. More details (in French) can be found at http://www.uba.be/hf/awards/awards_fr.html.

2007 marks the 75th anniversary of the NZART Branch 20 Manawatu Amateur Radio Society. In celebration of this jubilee special event station ZL75KO will be QRV during all of March, April and May. Special QSL cards will be available to commemorate this special event.

The ARRL Logbook of The World Web page reports GM3POI, Clive Penna, is the second Amateur Radio operator to obtain 9 band DXCC through confirmation via LOTW. The first was VE3EJ, John.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-131	BA4DW/7	14260	2326	EU-186	TC0DX	14257	1558
EU-012	MM0XAU	7004	2242	OC-013	E51JD	14220	0527
EU-026	JW/IN3SAU	14280	1438	OC-038	ZL7/KH0PR	14011	0542
EU-042	DK8OL	14257	1346	OC-139	VK6LB/5	14070	0727
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	24960	1448	OC-139	VK6ZG/5	14081	0635
EU-170	9A4A	18079	1631	OC-164	VK6ARI	21030	0843

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9-Mar		5W	5W1VE	DL9HCU		11-048
9-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
9-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
9-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
9-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
9-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
9-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
9-Mar	10-Mar	9M6	by K7LUH			11-043
9-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-036	031
9-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT (OC-013)	G3PJT		11-006
9-Mar	11-Mar	F	TM4ORE	F6KFW		11-045
9-Mar	11-Mar	F	TP2CE	F5LGF		11-040
9-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-045
9-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC		11-045
9-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG		11-031
9-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)			11-042
9-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM		10-236
9-Mar	11-Mar	JW	JW/IN3SAU	IN3SAU		11-031
9-Mar	11-Mar	JW	JW/IN3TCH	IN3SAU		11-031
9-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
9-Mar	13-Mar	P4	by AA1M W1USN W1SSR	home calls		11-029
9-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA (SA-036)	WA2NHA		11-039
9-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB		11-009
9-Mar	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
9-Mar	10-Mar	SU	SU8DLH	DK2CL		11-045 036

9-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
9-Mar	11-Mar	TA	TC0DX (EU-186)	OK2GZ	11-043
9-Mar	11-Mar	V2	V25XF (NA-100)	G3TXF	11-047
9-Mar	12-Mar	V8	V85NL (OC-088)	JA4ENL	11-045 021
9-Mar	11-Mar	VK	VK6ARI (OC-164)	VK6HZ	11-036 021
9-Mar	13-Mar	W	AA8LL/4 (NA-076)	AA8LL	11-048
9-Mar		ZL7	ZL7/KH0PR (OC-038)	JJ8DEN	11-036
9-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ	11-029
9-Mar	10-Mar		IOTA Bash		11-042 017
10-Mar	19-Mar	1S	9M4SDX (AS-051)	9M2TO	11-045 10-236
10-Mar	11-Mar	F	TM5P	F4ELJ	11-045 040
10-Mar	16-Mar	J8	J8/W0AW (NA-025)	W0AW	11-033
10-Mar	11-Mar	W	K5I (NA-082)	W5MPC	11-045
10-Mar	11-Mar		RSGB Commonwealth Contest (BERU)		11-029
11-Mar	15-Mar	VP9	VP9/AA1AC (NA-005)	AA1AC	11-044

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Many have been asking about the QSL status of the JX9NOA QSLs from 2006. The cards were originally expected before the end of December 2006 and then in February. Both have come and gone with no sign of any QSLs. Your editor has emailed LA9NOA and is still waiting a response from Ole Martin.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B8/LA7MFA, 3D2CX (OC-016), 3XD2Z, 3XM6JR, 5W0CX, A35TN/V (OC-064), A35TN/N (OC-191), A35TN (OC-049), DU3NXE, ES7/W5WW, JA7NI, KH8/JA7GAX/M (OC-077), LU/R1ANF, LY2IJ, TU2/F5LDY, UA3AGW, UN3M, VU2TS, XF4L,

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: CT1BWW, CT1CFH, ON4UN, RW3XX, UA9XOJ, YO4CBA, YY5OHM, ZA1A

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3B8/DL3LBP, JX7DFA

BYA (Because You Asked)

What does "iso" mean, as seen on the Packet Cluster. Iso or isofrequency means simplex.

Where was 4N8A operating from in the ARRL SSB DX Contest. This is YU1EA's contest call from Serbia.

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DX News

ZS1FJ reports that four or five South African hams will be operating from the highest point ever in Lesotho - 10,000 feet - on the north border escarpment of the Drakensburg Range. This operation will be April 5-12. The operators will be ZS1RA, ZS1ZL, ZS1APB, ZS1ROY and ZS1FJ. They will be on all the possible bands as low as 80M. They will have Yagis and V-beams and, they hope, three stations simultaneously on the air. They will give special attention to the low bands. In the daytime, look for them simultaneously on 15, 17 and 20M. They have applied for the 7P8DX callsign.

9M4DXX will be on the air in the CQWW WPX SSB Contest March 24-25 from West Malaysia. This operation by the Malaysian Amateur Radio Transmitter Society, MARTS, will be from 9M2TO's QTH on Penang Island, AS-015. QSL via 9M2TO.

NP3U, Puerto Rico, will be on multi-multi in the WPX Contest. The operators lined up are KS1J, K1JN, W1DX, WE1H, NG1G, N3KCJ, AJ1M, N1HRA and WP4U. QSL via WP4U.

Another Puerto Rican station, WP4I, will be in the IOTA Contest July 28-29, single op low power SSB only, 24 hours. The operator will be WP3C, Alfredo. Puerto Rico is IOTA NA-099. QSL via W3HMK.

YB9/PA5CW, Kees, will be on from Bali, Indonesia, April 25-May 10.

ZP0R, Paraguay will be in the WPX SSB, single op, with ZP5AZL, Tomas, operating. QSL via W3HMK.

PJ4/W9NJY will be on from Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles, April 2-14. He will spend most of his time on CW, 40-10M, with a little SSB and digital. QSL via WD9DZV.

V25WY and V25OP, Antigua, will be on the air March 19-25. V25WY will be W4OWY and V25OP will be W9OP. They will be on 160-10M SSB, CW And RTTY. QSL direct or bureau to their home calls. They also plan to put the log on LOTW, and eQSL is okay with them too.

IZ2DPX/6W, in Senegal, West Africa, will be on the air May 12-22. Giovanni will be operating from the 6W7RV QTH. Here's the 6W7RV web site: http://www.le-calao.com/A/residence_A.htm.

See the IOTA section below for two operations from China and one from the Bahamas.

EV5IPY is a special station from Belarus to mark the Fourth International Polar Year. This operation is under the auspices of the new Department of Polar

Research of the Byelorussian Geographic Society. QSL via the bureau or direct to EW4IDP, Dmitrij Kuzneckij, P.O. Box 19, 230025 Grodno, Belarus.

HB0/9A2SX, HB0/9A3AXX, HB0/9A6XX and HB0/9A8MM will be on from Liechtenstein March 15-19, 80-10M CW and SSB including the Russian DX Contest, when they will use HB0/9A8MM. QSL via the bureau. Their web page is <http://www.rkp.hr/hb0>.

Several special callsigns will be on from Italy to commemorate the former coast radio stations of the Italian Navy. II0IDP, II0IGU, IIIICS, II7ICT, II9ICF and II9IGJ will be on March 17-April 1. Check out <http://digilander.libero.it/assoradiomarinai/coastal/home.htm> for more info on the associated award for contacting them.

J5BI will be on Bubaque Island, AF-020, Guinea-Bissau, now through March 27th. The operator is F6BUM, Jack. He says he will be on SSB, CW, digital, and SSTV by request. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

ST2R, (Slavko, S57DX) is on from Sudan and plans to be there through April 20. He has 9,500 QSOs in the log so far, mostly low bands and WARC bands. QSL to his home call, where he expects to be answering the ST2R cards starting in late May. If you have sent IRCs that are expired or without return postage, you'll get your card via the bureau. He prefers CW.

TF7/SM5ELV, Kent, will be on Heimaey Island, Iceland, EU-071, June 10- 13. He will get on as many bands and modes as he can using 100 watts and a vertical antenna, with a dipole possible as a second antenna. QSL to his home call.

Special event station OX60AD from Greenland, that's O-X-SIXTY-A-D, will be on April 1-30 to celebrate the 60th birthday of the United States Air Force and the 56-year treaty between the U.S. and Denmark for the protection of Greenland. The A-D suffix stands for "America- Denmark."

ZS6WB, Hal, and his EME buddies were doing final equipment checkout this weekend, getting ready for their March 16-25 Swaziland trip. They hope to be on the air with a 3DA0 callsign at moonrise at about 0130Z March 16. They will be on 144.112 using JT65B "and will always transmit first period. When many stations are calling we will tune 112 to 114. During JA windows we will also check 144.092 periodically for callers."

A22/JA4ATV, Take, is going QRT from Botswana in the middle of March. He will then answer all the QSLs that will be waiting when he gets back to Japan. SM5DQC thinks it's probably better, at this point, to QSL to his JA4ATV address rather than the one in Botswana.

9Q1EK, Georges, says if the Europeans will stand by he will try to work Japan coming in weak on 160M. Look for him on 1825.5 listening down for Japan. Georges says he can copy weak signals from Japan but there is always a very unruly European pileup.

Silent Key

9M8FH, Festus Havelock, passed away on Saturday, March 9. His son, KI4RU, says he was recovering from a stroke and showed positive signs for the first couple months but his condition deteriorated over the last two weeks. He passed away peacefully in his sleep.

QSN

5V7SE - TOGO - RTTY - 14085 RTTY and BPSK in the 18Z timeframe. Also, 14195 at 10Z. QSL via IK3GES.

9M4SDX - SPRATLY ISLANDS - W6 and W7 ops reported working this semi-rare one on Sunday on 3505 at 1430Z and 7005 at 1530Z. Also, 18077 at 1050Z, 21035 at 8, 09, and 10Z hours, and 3505 a bit earlier, 1040Z.

9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Japanese Topband ops reported Georges on 1819 Sunday around 2030Z. He was on the air until about 2140Z.

9Q5MO - PIRATE - Otto does not have a valid license.

HV0A - VATICAN - Was QRV on 20 RTTY and SSB on Saturday. On Sunday the station was active on 160 CW, 75 Phone and 40 SSB. 7084 from 18-1920Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

J5UAR - GUINEA-BISSAU - 10107 at 0825Z, 7001 at 0630Z, 3509 at 0020Z, 1822 at 2315Z.

V85NL - BRUNEI - 3505 at 2220Z, 1822 at 21Z, 7001 at 15Z, 10110 at 0935Z, 21005 at 0420Z, 18070 at 2350Z.

ZL9B - PIRATE - No need to waste your time and efforts on this bogus operation. Most likely this is the same ZK3DX op that plagued 40 meters last year.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-051	9M4SDX	21275	0750	EU-186	TC0DX	7022	2250
AS-131	BA4DW/7	14260	1440	NA-076	AA8LL/4	14046	2320
EU-009	MM0EAX	14228	2230	NA-082	K5I	14260	1245
EU-015	SV9GPV	14246	1735	NA-090	XF3PAS	7062	0345
EU-016	9A4W	14262	0810	NA-107	FM5JC	14072	2020
EU-075	SV1TP/8	14263	0615	OC-097	5W0RE	14240	0745
EU-114	GP0STH	14195	2000	OC-129	JA7QBK/DU7	14260	1350
EU-131	I3THJ	7043	0720	SA-012	YY7ABC	7036	2210
EU-170	9A4A	7005	2215	SA-036	P4/WA2NSA	18081	1420

BA4DW/7 was reported to be on from Xiachuan Island, China, AS-131, since March 8th, through today. It's holiday style, mostly operating on 20 and 15M. QSL direct to his home callsign.

Another Chinese island operation is by five operators, BD1DRJ/7, BA4ALC/7, BD7KLO/7, BG6IQD/7 and BG7JAC/7. This one is to Weizhou Island, AS-139, March 16-19, SSB and CW on all bands. They've posted a schedule on <http://bg1drj.spaces.live.com>. QSL to their home calls.

C6APR will be in the IOTA Contest July 27-30 from Crooked Island, Bahamas, NA-113. The ops will be W2GJ, K3IXD and K4QO. C6AXD (K3IXD's call) and C6AQO (K4QO's call) will also be on CW, SSB, RTTY and 6M before and after the big IOTA event.

MM0LSB/P, Dennis, will be on from the Inner Hebrides, EU-008, Scotland, March 14-April 2. He will be on 80-10M SSB from three different islands, Islay, Jura and Gigha. QSL to his home call, M0LSB. Dennis will also be on Great Bernera, EU-010, for the IOTA Contest, inclusive dates for that operation July 27-29.

GM0B will be in the IOTA contest from Isle of Bute, EU-123, July 28- 29. Look for them on 80-10M SSB and CW. The ops will be MM0BHX, MM0GPZ, GM0ELP, GM0LIR, GM0NBM and GM0OQV. QSL via MM0BHX.

PA/ON4OSA will be on Schouwen-Duiveland, EU-146, April 7-14.

VK6LB (op DL7AFS, Babs) and VK6ZG (op DJ7ZG, Lot) were active a few days ago from Kangaroo Island, Australia. They will be touring Australia throughout this month with more island activations possible. QSL via DL7AFS.

OZ/DK5NA, Mike, will be on Romo Island, EU-125, March 18-30. He plans to be on 160-40M CW. QSL via DK5NA.

YW1DX will be the IOTA contest call for the 4M5DX group from Cayo Sombrero, SA-089, July 27-30. Before and after the contest, they will concentrate on the WARC bands on CW, SSB and RTTY.

JA4GXS/4 will be on Ohzu Island, AS-117, on March 17. Kenji will be on the HF bands on CW.

CE4/IZ7ATN plans to be on from Papuya Island, Chile, SA-095, March 15 and OA6/IZ7ATN/p from an island, SA-098) off the coast of Peru, March 20-22. He will spend most of his time o 20 and 17M SSB, with some 15 and 10 and maybe some 40. QSL to his home call.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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12-Mar	19-Mar	1S	9M4SDX (AS-051)	9M2TO	11-045	10-236
12-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
12-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
12-Mar		5R	5R8VB	UA4WHX		11-043
12-Mar	12-Mar	5W	5W0RE (OC-097)	HA8IB		11-001
12-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		11-048
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12-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
12-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
12-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
12-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
12-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
12-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-036	031
12-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT (OC-013)	G3PJT		11-006
12-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-045
12-Mar	14-Mar	GU	GP0STH	G4DIY		11-049
12-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC		11-045
12-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG		11-031
12-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)			11-042
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13-Mar 20-Mar 9M6	9M6/SM5GMZ (OC-088)	SM5GMZ	11-034
13-Mar 26-Mar CN	CN2R	W7EJ	11-039
14-Mar 21-Mar GJ	MJ/K8PT MJ/K3PLV (EU-013)	home calls	11-027
14-Mar 28-Mar J5	J5BI (AF-020)	F6BUM	11-027 021
16-Mar 25-Mar 3DA0	3DA0DG 3DA0RH 3DA0GV	EI7CC	11-033 020
16-Mar 25-Mar 3DA0	3DA0GI	EI7CC	11-033 020
16-Mar 25-Mar 3DA0	3DA0PM 3DA0PB 3DA0AM	EI7CC	11-033 020
16-Mar 2-Apr CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF	11-040
16-Mar 19-Mar HB0	HB0/9A8MM		11-045
16-Mar 19-Mar HB0	HB0/DK4YJ	DK4YJ	11-045
16-Mar 19-Mar HB0	HB0/DK5TX	DK5TX	11-045
16-Mar 19-Mar HB0	HB0/DK9TN	DK9TN	11-045
16-Mar 19-Mar HB0	HB0/DL5RMH	DL5RMH	11-045
16-Mar 19-Mar KH2	KH2/JK2VOV KH2/JA2BNN		11-034
16-Mar 22-Mar V7	V73KN (OC-029)	JK1QLR	11-036
16-Mar 19-Mar XU	XU7DFM	JA3DFM	11-30 011
16-Mar 19-Mar XU	XU7EGZ	JA3EGZ	11-30 011
16-Mar 19-Mar XU	XU7PPH	JA3PPH	11-30 011
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4L8A	DJ1CW	EA8/G3XAQ	G3XAQ	RW0AJ	W3HNC
6V7E	RW3TN	ER3KAZ	ER3DX	SB300L	W3HNC
6W/DL6CT	DL6CT	EY8AW	DJ1MM	SE50A	SM4AIO
6W/DL7CM	DL7CM	FM1HN	K3PD	SI9AM	SM3CVM

6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO	GP0STH	G4DIY	SU9FL	WD9DZV
6W1SE	JR2KDN	HA8KAZ	HA8MT	TM3CY	F5KMB
7X2EB	EA7FTR	HI9CF	DL4NCF	TM5P	F4ELJ
8J3YAGI	JA3YKC	HV0A	IK0FVC	TR8CA	F6CBC
9H9JR	DJ0QJ	IA3IPY	IQ3ME	TT8FC	EA4AHK
9M4SDX	9M2TO	J5UAR	DL7CM	UE0SZB	RZ0SB
9M6/K7LUH	K7LUH	J79XBI	SM0FWW	UE1SNA/P	RA1QQ
9M6BRC	9M6ST	J88DR	G3TBK	V25XF	G3TXF
9Q5MO	PIRATE	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	V31LG	W9GL
BA4DW/7	BA4DW	ON60HRT	ON4HRT	V85NL	JA4ENL
CN8KD	EA5XX	OQ5M	ON5ZO	VP8KF	G3VPW
CN8NK	EA5XX	OR7A	ON7CK	VP9/AA1AC	AA1AC
CO6RD	AD4C	OZ/DK9LO	DK9LO	WP4I	W3HNK
CT3/DL3KWR	DK3KWR	R0UPOL	F8DVD	ZL9B	PIRATE

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QSL the March 4 JA6QDU/6, Aino Island, AS-012 operation via his home call,
direct or bureau.

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5F50KD, 9K2GS, CP4BT, DU3NXE, DX0JP, EK6TA, ES4RD, EY8MM, HK0GU, HZ1SK,
KP2/AA6YQ, ST2BF, SV9CVY, T49C, TY5MR, V85SS, VK9NS, VU7LD, XF4DL, XF4K, YX0LIX
and ZB2EO.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3G1K, 8P9NX, C6ANM, CT3/PA0RRS, CT3BD,
CT6A, HP1XX, RA3CO, RA3CQ, RL3BM, S01R, SP2JKC, T32MO, TZ6LF, UA3AGW, UA4LA,
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DX News

Results of the 2007 Oceania Most Wanted List are in. ZL3AB, Mark Sullivan, reports just fewer than 40 VK, ZL and Pacific DXers took part in the survey. The top 15 countries ranked as follows:

Rank	Prefix	Country
1	7O	Yemen
1	KP1	Navassa I.
3	3C0	Pagalu I.
4	BS7	Scarborough Reef
5	FT8Z	Amsterdam & St. Paul Is.
6	FR/J	Juan de Nova, Europa
6	KP5	Desecheo I.
8	FR/G	Glorioso Is.
8	PY0P	St. Peter & St. Paul Rock
8	TN	Congo
8	VP8S	South Sandwich Is.
12	P5	North Korea
13	3C	Equatorial Guinea
13	HK0M	Malpelo I.
13	ZS8	Prince Edward & Marion Is

IK0FVC, Francesco, reports the HV (HV0A/HV4NAC) team will be ramping up activity from The Vatican. QSL via IK0FVC.

Just to confirm ZL9B is a pirate as New Zealand authorities have not issued this callsign. Most likely this ZL9B bogus operator is the same as ZK3DX from 2006.

AE6Y, Andy Faber, is heading back to his Aruba contest station for the upcoming CQ WPX SSB Contest, next weekend (March 24/25). He'll be QRV as P49Y from March 21 to 27. QSL via AE6Y.

A group of five Ukrainian Amateur Radio ops will be QRV from two IOTA groups in the Fiji Islands. Between April 27 and May 3 they will activate 3D2AP, 3D2TZ and 3D2UY from Taveuni Island (OC-016) and from May 3 until May 7 from Yanuca Island in the Ringgold Isles Group (OC-189) as 3D2RI. IOTA OC-189 is one of the Most Wanted IOTA and the most wanted Fijian IOTA Group, credited with only 7.8% of IOTA chasers records. This will be a well equipped expedition which will simultaneously run 2-3 stations with yagi antennas, including a special effort on the low bands. Due to the high cost of this operation the group is asking for sponsorship by various DX organizations and individuals around the world. Travel to the Ringgold Isles requires chartering a sea going vessel, plus bringing nearly all the supplies required for a five day stay. Those who can help out financially are asked to contact UT5UY, Alex Yakovlev, via email to ut5uy@ukr.net or via his mobile phone at +38 067 5392262.

For more information you can visit the team's web site at www.3d2.dxer.com.ua .

During the upcoming CQ WW WPX SSB Contest special prefix AO4R will be QRV as a multi-multi. Team members include EC4DX, EA4TD, UY7CW, EB1ISN, EA4ATA, EA4ZK, EC7AKV, EA4DEC, EA4KE, EC7AEJ, EA4ZR, EC4ABM, EA4CMD and possibly others. QSL via EA4TD. More information can soon be found at www.dxfun.com .

EF8A will be a single-op 15 meter entry in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. EA8AUW, Edu, will be the operator who will be at the radio club of URE Las Palmas section. QSL via EA8AUW.

DL1CW, Arno, will be operating from the rare Department 2B (Corse North), Corsica as TK/DL1CW from March 18th through March 24th. Look for activity on 10-80 meters CW only. He'll have an IC706 and dipole. QSL preferably via the bureau to DL1CW.

Hungarian International Police Association special call HG3IPA is QRV through 2011. QSL via HA3JB, Gabor Kutasi, P.O. Box 243, H-8601 Siófok, HUNGARY. They have a Web page at <http://www.hg3ipa.uni.hu> .

Silent Key

KD1EA, Albert R. Kinnon III, died of a massive heart attack on Monday morning. Al was a contester and member of the Yankee Clipper Contest Club.

UN2O, Leonid "Leo" Velikanov, became a Silent Key on March 10, reports UN0OA, Nick Martynov.

QSN

5V7SE - TOGO - Elvira was busy on 20 meter RTTY yesterday between 2000 and 2359Z. She was working all across North America. W7UG, Jim, was one of them and says Monday 20 meters was "the best I have heard it in months."

SU9HP - EGYPT - Hans was on 14221 yesterday between 1730 and 1800Z. He was specifically looking for West Coast North Americans.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8BWW	14260	2331	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14270	1304
AF-018	IH9YMC	18100	1834	EU-075	SV1TP/8	14260	0654
AS-051	9M4SDX	10110	1633	EU-088	OZ1DWJ	14214	1959
AS-131	BA4DW/7	14260	1513	EU-114	GP0STH	14260	2053
EU-009	MM0EAX	18126	1632	EU-170	9A4A	14260	0720
EU-023	9H4CM	14200	0954	NA-057	HR9/K0UU	10117	2307
EU-024	IS0XCU	14285	1839	NA-076	AA8LL/4	14045	1650
EU-033	LA6CN	14265	1149	OC-097	5W0RE	14240	0548
EU-036	LA7WNA	14205	1627	OC-162	H44MS	18122	2145
EU-037	SB300L	14260	1046	SA-008	LU1XS	14020	2313

IR8DX will be QRV from Santo Janni Rock (EU-144) from April 7th to 11th. Look for activity on 17, 20 and 40 meters CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via IK8VRH.

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13-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
13-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
13-Mar	13-Mar	6W	6W/F6HMJ	F6HMJ		11-019
13-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
13-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
13-Mar	20-Mar	9M6	9M6/SM5GMZ (OC-088)	SM5GMZ		11-034
13-Mar	26-Mar	CN	CN2R	W7EJ		11-039
13-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-036	031
13-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT (OC-013)	G3PJT		11-006
13-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-045
13-Mar	14-Mar	GU	GP0STH	G4DIY		11-049
13-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC		11-045
13-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG		11-031
13-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)			11-042
13-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM		10-236
13-Mar	16-Mar	J8	J8/W0AW (NA-025)	W0AW		11-033
13-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
13-Mar	13-Mar	P4	by AA1M W1USN W1SSR	home calls		11-029
13-Mar	18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA (SA-036)	WA2NHA		11-039
13-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB		11-009
13-Mar	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
13-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ		11-029
13-Mar	15-Mar	VP9	VP9/AA1AC (NA-005)	AA1AC		11-044
13-Mar	13-Mar	W	AA8LL/4 (NA-076)	AA8LL		11-048
13-Mar	13-Mar	ZL7	ZL7/KH0PR (OC-038)	JJ8DEN	11-049	036
13-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ		11-029

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will range from quiet to active levels. Isolated minor storm conditions are possible today due to a recurrent coronal hole. Predominantly unsettled to active levels are expected on Wednesday. A return to quiet to unsettled conditions are expected on Thursday as the coronal hole wanes.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3XM6JR	UA6JR	H44MS	DL2GAC	V31LG	W9GL
6H1GZU	XE1GZU	J8/W0AW	W0AW	VP9/AA1AC	AA1AC
9M4SDX	9M2TO	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	XV9SW	SM5MX
9M6DXX	M5AAV	SB300L	W3HNC	ZA/UT7DW	DK6CW
EK8WA	SP9ERV	T88ME	7N1RTO	ZL7/KH0PR	JJ8DEN
EY8AW	DJ1MM	V31JP	KA9WON		

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QSL 9M4SDX via 9M2TO
Tex Izumo
2C-10-03 Ferringhi Mutiara Apt.
Jalan Sungai Emas 11100 Batu Ferringhi
Penang, MALAYSIA

QSL ZL7/KH0PR via JJ8DEN
Yoshitake Izumi
Minami-24-7, Nishi-1
Obihiro-City, Hokkaido 080-0011
JAPAN

DJ6SI, Baldur Drobnica, reports postage from Germany to the US costs 1.75 _ (Euro) for a 20 gram letter. Two US \$ does not cover the price as that is only 1.55 _ . So you need to send three US \$ to cover postage. Baldur and DJ9ZB, Franz, just recently completed a DXpedition to Burundi (9U0X and 9U9Z).

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 6V6U, 6W1SE, 6Y0B, 8P9NX, C6AKQ, DX0JP (AS-051), LU/R1ANF, MD/AC8W, PY0S/PS7JN, T77C, V73ZZ, VP5/WJ20, XF4DL, XR7C (SA-018), ZD9BV

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 8P9NX, C6ANM, DL1EJA, EA1AKS, EA1CUB, GM4FDM, GM4WZL, HP1XX, KP3AH, LA8DFA, OX3DB, RN3OK, T32CK, T32MO, V31YN, ZF2AM,

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DX News

Amateur Radio in Iraq has been suspended until further notice. Yesterday Iraq Amateur Radio Society (IARS) President YI1DZ, Diya Sayah, reported a letter was sent from the Iraq's Minister of Defense to Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki agreeing to halt issuing Amateur Radio licenses and to cease all current licensed activity from Amateur Radio operators in Iraq. This would include both nationals and any and all visitors (YI9). This is apparently in an effort to increase security. Diya is hoping someone can convince the Ministry of Defense that Amateur Radio will not cause interference with the military communications.

TL8QC (F5NRY, ex FK8IB, XU7SP), Christian, is one of three licensed ops from the Central African Republic. He is the only one who operates on CW and RTTY. Christian is running an IC-706 into a low multi-band dipole. You can find him usually on 17 meters between 1400 and 1600Z around 18080 KHz. He also operates on 30 meters around 10115. Christian will be back in France for three weeks at the end of April. When in France he will be answering QSLs. TL8QC QSL cards should go via F5NRY, Christian Quintin, 89 Avenue du General de Gaulle, Villa Sigurd, F-44380 Pornichet, FRANCE.

N0RB (ex KB0U), Rick Norb, is heading to Maui, Hawaii to operate as N0RB/KH7 during the CQ WPX SSB Contest. Before and after he will be QRV on 17 and 30 meters. QSL via N0RB.

AJ3M, Masa Miura, is traveling through the Middle East on business and plans to operate from Turkey during the CQ WPX SSB Contest next weekend. He's currently in UAE with stops also expected in Saudi Arabia and Yemen. But unfortunately no plans for any activity from those stops. When he is in Istanbul he will probably use TA2/AJ3M.

DXMB reports that DL6KVA, Axel, will be in Azerbaijan from March 15-21 and QRV as 4K0CW. He will be operating on all bands on CW from the QTH of 4K9W, Vlad. Look for him this weekend in the Russian DX Contest. Before and after the contest Axel will be putting an emphasis on 12, 17, 30, 40, 80 and 160 meters. QSL via DL6KVA.

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest, next weekend, LX8M will be a multi- single in memory of the late LX1RQ, Robert Schoetttert. Team members will include LX1ER, DL1QQ, DK2OY, DL2AA, LX1A, LX1AQ and LX1KQ. A special LX1RQ photo QSL card will be available via LX1ER.

Silent Key

W3MFW, Russ Martin, was listed in the April QST Silent Key section.

K3ZO, Fred Laun, reports the Social Security Death Database says Russ died on January 10, 2007. Russ was a big time 80 meter CW DXer. The ARRL DXCC records indicate he had 336 countries (including deletes) confirmed on 80 meters! His all mode count was 364 entities.

QSN

9M4SDX - SPRATLY ISLANDS - The guys were reported over the last 24 hours or so as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 14030
01 14030 18075 24900
02 14035 18075 18135 24920
03 14035
04 14035 18075 21035
05 18075 21035
06 18075 18102 18140 21035
07 18102 18140 21035
08 18102 21275
09 7005 14035
10 7005 14035 14185
11 1822 14185
12 1822 3796 14035 14185
13 3796 7005 14035
14 7008 14035
15 3795 7008 14035
16 3795 14035
17 3795 14035
18 10115 14035
19 1822 7008
20 1822 3795 7005
21 1819 7005 7077
22 1819 7077 10104
23 7077 10104 14195
00 14195 18080 18102 18135
01 14195
02 14035 24923
03 14035 21275 24900 24925
04 21035 21275 28025
05 14035 21035 24945 28450
06 14035 18075 24900 24945
07 14035 18075 21295 24940 28035
08 14035 18075 21295 28035
09 21035 21295
10 3506 7007

9Q1D - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Gus likes 20 meters just after 0600Z. The last two days he has been on SSB.

D60VB - COMOROS ISLAND - Vladimir seems to have left Madagascar (5R8VB) and is now back here. As always length of stay and next stop are unknown. QSL via UA4WHX.

EY8AW - TAJIKISTAN - Anna (YL) likes RTTY on 20 meters between 12 and 14Z. QSL via DJ1MM.

HV0A - VATICAN - Francesco was parked on 14180 (QX up 5-10) Tuesday from 1630 until just after 1900Z. Don't be surprised to see some 160 meter activity this weekend.

QSL via IK0FVC.

J5UAP - GUINEA-BISSAU - Peter was doing PSK on 15 meters yesterday between 1445 and 1630Z. QSL via HA3AUI.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-051	9M4SDX	7077	2212	NA-034	KM4RX	14260	1911
EU-001	SV5/DJ7RJ	10107	0644	NA-057	HR9/K0UU	14029	2124
EU-009	GM3POI	14251	1935	NA-076	AA8LL/4	10115	0016
EU-031	IC8OZM	10110	2240	OC-021	YC2TJV	21267	1424
EU-034	ES0IC	3581	2222	OC-038	ZL7/KH0PR	14004	0506
EU-114	GP0STH	14199	1012	SA-002	VP8KF	14185	2025
EU-165	IM0MBP	14072	1855	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14247	2224
EU-175	CU3ABR	7036	2222				

YB3MM, Adhi Bimbo, reports he will be heading to Menjangan Island (OC- 022), Indonesia. There he will be fishing and plans to be QRV on 15 and 20 meters SSB only as YB3MM/9, starting March 15th. Also with him will be YC3DXC/9. Length of stay was not mentioned. QSL YB3MM/9 via IZ8CCW and YC3DXC/9 via the YB bureau.

French operators F5IRC, F5UBH, F5THW and F4CTJ plan to operate from Chausey Island (EU-039) on March 22, 23 and 24. They will be using special call TM5CI on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 20, 40 and 80 meters. QSL via the bureau.

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14-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-045
14-Mar	21-Mar	GJ	MJ/K8PT MJ/K3PLV (EU-013)	home calls		11-027
14-Mar	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB		11-050
14-Mar	14-Mar	GU	GP0STH	G4DIY		11-049
14-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC		11-045
14-Mar	14-Mar	HC	HC1MD	K8LJG		11-031
14-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)			11-042

14-Mar 27-Mar	J5	J5BI (AF-020)	F6BUM	11-050 027
14-Mar 22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM	10-236
14-Mar 16-Mar	J8	J8/W0AW (NA-025)	W0AW	11-033
14-Mar 30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
14-Mar 18-Mar	P4	P4/WA2NHA (SA-036)	WA2NHA	11-039
14-Mar 25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB	11-009
14-Mar 20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050 001
14-Mar 18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ	11-029
14-Mar 15-Mar	VP9	VP9/AA1AC (NA-005)	AA1AC	11-044
14-Mar 15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ	11-029

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QSL Info

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3B8/RX3DD	RX3DD	CT3/DL3KWR	DL3KWR	LA2SKIWC	LA2D
9M6/SM5GMZ	SM5GMZ	D60VB	UA4WHX	T33AA	PIRATE
A61NT	ON5NT	EK8WA	SP9ERV	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
A61TX	W4JS	FM/DK5AL	DK5AL	VP2EBY	HB9BYL
CN8YE	EA7FTR	HV0A	IK0FVC	YI9E	WU5E
CN8YZ	EA7FTR	J5UAP	HA3AUI	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ
CT3/DL3KWF	DL3KWF				

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SM5DQC, Osten, is still waiting for the 9Q1TB QSL cards, which have been mailed by the printer (LZ1JZ).

SM5DQC, Osten, has received five or six "registered mail" requests for 9Q-cards from South American stations. Osten is unable to mail the cards back that way as registered mail (20 grams) outside Sweden is too costly.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 8R1AK/P (SA-068), 9H9JR, BX5AA, DX0JP, HZ1FS, LU/R1ANF, PA3GCV, S530, XF4DL, XR7C (SA-018), VY0ICE/VE2

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 7S2E, CO8ZZ, DQ2000S, OL4HQ, P40W

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: FM5JC, P3J, V25XF

Credits

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DX News

OH2UA, Toni, and OH2BH, Martti, will be breaking ice while traveling to Brando, Aland Islands to activate OH0B. They will be running the Russian DX Contest and providing QSOs on 12, 17 and 30 meters. This is their first outing for 2007 to observe how all antennas have survived the winter at 60 degrees north. QSL via OH2BH.

9Q1TB, Philippe, is expected back in Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo late Saturday, March 17th. QSL via SM5DQC, direct only.

To commemorate the 400 Year Anniversary of the founding of Jamestown, VA, the Central Virginia Contest Club (<http://www.c-v-c-c.us>) will use the "special event" callsign W4V from March 10-25 and May 12-27 2007. It will be used in the Virginia QSO Party, CQ WPX SSB and CQ WPX CW contests from W4MYA. Other members of the Central Virginia Contest Club will use W4V at different times during our period of authorization. NW4V is the QSL Manager for W4V from March 10-25 and May 12-27 2007. Please SASE for USA QSOs. All DX Contacts will be automatically sent a QSL via the Bureau. Any DX station requiring a direct QSL card should send SAE with \$1 or 1 Current IRC. W4V QSL Cards should be available for distribution by the end of June 2007. K4V will be used by WA4PGM in the Virginia QSO Party and during the period March 16 through March 21. For K4V QSL send direct to WA4PGM. N4V will also be QRV this weekend, mostly on RTTY and PSK. QSL this operation via KT4U. These operations count towards a short term award called "The Virginia Quadricentennial Commemorative Amateur Radio Award", sponsored by QCWA Vic Clark Chapter 91, Washington, DC Area. Take a look here for information on that award: <http://www.dxawards.com/inet2007.htm#Virginia> .

DXCC Statistics By W7HUY, Dick Pooley

We hear of the total numbers of Amateur Radio licenses US and world wide, like US with over 3/4 million, Japan at over a million. We hear of the efforts and costs associated with DXers visiting rare countries to "put them on the air". But do you know the real numbers of DXers?

Recently I was asked by a ham (Technician) "How many hams have achieved the status of "Honor Roll". That is worked nine (9) less than the total number of countries or entities as they are known today? I could not answer that question, so I did some counting and came up with the following. (Please note the numbers below are approximate as I got tired of counting - from the ARRL DXCC Web pages in late January)

It goes like this:

MODE	Total pages	Approx. Total on list	#@ #1 status	# on HR status
MIXED	61	18034	3680 - 20.4%	5262 - 29.2%
PHONE	43	12780	1931 - 15.1%	2912 - 22.8%
CW	25	7100	749 - 10.5%	945 - 13.3%
RTTY	7	1500	21 - 1.4%	78 - 5.2%

This represents the totals for World Wide. There appears to be some 48-58% foreign hams on the list, depending where one takes their sample. I also note that there are some 5% inactive accounts. Do not try to add these lists together, as many calls will appear on one or more of the modes shown- that is they have a DXCC certificate for say Mixed and CW, etc.

Also recognize that these numbers represent only those World Wide hams that have an ARRL DXCC listing. There are some World Wide hams that have chosen not to be credited through the ARRL DXCC program (maybe 5- 10%-who knows). Well back to the DX chasing.

QSN

- 9Q1D - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Gus showed up on the ANZA Net on 14183 today just before 0545Z.
- 9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Georges was on 160 meters Wednesday between 2030 and 2200Z. He logs are posted on www.logsearch.de. No need to ask Georges to change frequency etc. on the cluster, as he doesn't have access to the Internet from his home QTH!
- 9M4SDX - SPRATLY ISLANDS - US East Coast 40 meter ops found them on 7005 Wednesday via the SE path around 2320Z. Then around 2345Z they showed up on 14035 with W1, W2, W3, W4, W8 and W9 stations reporting a good opening until about 0100Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8BWP	18074	1516	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14268	1053
AF-014	CT3/DL3KWF	14083	0932	NA-057	HR9/K0UU	21014	2044
AF-020	J5BI	7004	2102	NA-145	PJ7/DL1VWR	14245	2317
AS-051	9M4SDX	7005	2023	OC-088	9M6XRO	21070	0810
EU-009	MM0EAX	14225	2123	OC-129	JA7QVK/DU7	14265	1643
EU-024	IS0AFM	7035	0035	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14200	1314
EU-054	IF9ZWA	21260	1106				

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15-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
15-Mar	21-Mar	4K	4K0CW	DL6KVA		11-052
15-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		11-048
15-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
15-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
15-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
15-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
15-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
15-Mar	20-Mar	9M6	9M6/SM5GMZ (OC-088)	SM5GMZ		11-034
15-Mar	15-Mar	CE	CE4/IZ7ATN (SA-095)	IZ7ATN		11-050
15-Mar	26-Mar	CN	CN2R	W7EJ		11-039
15-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-036	031
15-Mar	17-Mar	E5/S	E51PJT (OC-013)	G3PJT		11-006
15-Mar	15-Mar	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-045
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15-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/9A6XX			11-050
15-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/9A8MM			11-045
15-Mar	16-Mar	HI	HI#/NM6E (NA-096)			11-042
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15-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB		11-009
15-Mar	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
15-Mar	18-Mar	SV5	SV5/DJ7RJ	DJ7RJ		11-029
15-Mar	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
15-Mar	15-Mar	VP9	VP9/AA1AC (NA-005)	AA1AC		11-044
15-Mar	15-Mar	YB	YB3MM/9 (OC-022)	IZ8CCW		11-052
15-Mar	15-Mar	YB	YC3DXC/9 (OC-022)			11-052
15-Mar	15-Mar	ZS3	ZS3/G3LZQ	G3LZQ		11-029

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today through Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for March 13, 2007 was 0.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

DXers are wondering about the JX9NOA QSL cards. About 10 days ago I emailed LA9NOA, Ole Martin, to ask for a status report. As of today I have not received a response. I sent another email today. It would be advisable for everyone to not re-send any more requests, as I am sure he has your original requests. When I get a response I will post something in the newsletter.

The 9Q1TB cards arrived from the printer (LZ1JZ) today, reports QSL manager SM5DQC, Osten, who will begin QSLing tomorrow and hopes to have the first batch of 9Q1TB cards in the mail on Monday.

K4TEA, Ken Byers, reports he has the logs for the HV3SJ 1988 CQ WPX CW Contest, when he and his brother, K4TKM operated.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7Z1UG, 8R1AK (SA- 068), A71MA, BV/JH3GCN, J85M, NH6P, XF4DL

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3B9/G3TXF, 4X4DK, 8P9NX, C6ANM, CN2WW, CQ0ODX, HK3AXY, HK3SGP, IZ2FOS, IZ3DBA, JX7DFA, KH7T, LA2AB, OX3DB, PJ4/KU4E, PT7CB, PY4OY, S51Z, SA3D, SC3A, SM3D, SM3WMU, SM5D, T32CK, T33CA, TI5/WJ7R, UA4PAY, ZF2AM, ZL2IFB, ZL6FF, ZP6CW

Correction

N0RB (ex K8OU), Rick Barnett (not Norb), is heading to Maui, Hawaii to operate as N0RB/KH7 during the CQ WPX SSB Contest.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: A35RK, K6TA, KA2BZS, OH2BH, SM5DQC, W0VX, W2IRT, W4MYA, W5VX, W7HUY, W9OP, WC5M, ZL3JT

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The Daily DX Celebrates 10 Years!

Saturday March 17, 2007 (St. Patrick's Day) marks the 10 year anniversary of the inaugural issue of The Daily DX. A copy of the first issue can be found at <http://www.dailydx.com/Issues/01-001.txt> . Hard to believe a decade has gone by. Just a few weeks prior to that first issue, going out to some 100 friends and leading DXers, the idea was put up for discussion by KE3Q, Rich Boyd, and myself. We sat down at the W3AMY's kitchen table having lunch and coming up with the concept of a daily product that would give DX news, tidbits, propagation, QSL info and much more to Amateur Radio operators via the Internet.

While in High School one of my favorite classes was Print Shop. As a teenage DXer I can remember printing my own QSLs at in the school print shop and dreaming of one day doing my own DX bulletin. Little did I realize that 15 years later I would be doing it, but without a printing press!

Once we figured out what would go in the bulletin and how it would be delivered it was time for a name. We bounced names off each other until Rich came up with "Daily DX". It matched the purpose and within one week the first issue of The Daily DX was sent out to a test audience for a two week trial as we tested the waters. The response was good and a Charter subscription rate was drawn up for those who would subscribe within that first 30 days. Just over 50 DXers took up that offer of which many are still with us. Thanks gang!

The Daily DX started up with just a computer and a dialup account, used on my home phone line for a few weeks until N3OSH, Becky, said you need your own dial up phone line! It wasn't long before we realized it would be very difficult for one person to all the bulletins. Rich, who is a free lance writer, was always willing to "jump in" when vacations, sicknesses and other events came up.

>From the very beginning I knew it would be very difficult to convince people they should subscribe to the news letter. Those first 4-5 years were very difficult both financially and making all the contacts with sources all around the globe. Then things picked up as adjustments were made. Much of the advertising has been with QSL manager envelope stuffers and Web links. But probably the best advertisement has been that of you, the subscriber, with the "word of mouth".

Having just celebrated my 43rd birthday and soon my 30th year in this hobby I hope to have many more years to continue the dream. I would also like to thank several people who have encouraged and supported the efforts over the last decade. First off to Becky for her support and patience. To Rich for the name, support, mentor, friend and advisor (in more ways than one). Thanks also to my neighbor Frank for the use of some great antenna arrays, ideas and advice. Dad (Tony) thanks for helping out in those early years with Internet support, stepping in and giving wise counsel. Both K5NX, Bill Kennamer, and VP2ML, Chod

Harris, also encouraged me through those first years and were great supporters of The Daily DX. I'm sure I am probably forgetting someone. Last but not least I would like to thank you the subscribers for your financial support and for all the DX news and tidbits! Here's to the next 10 years. Now onto the DX News.

DX News

The upcoming April 2007 Swains Island DXpedition team has announced officially they will not be going to Tokelau. They were originally expected to operate ZK3M between April 16th and 19th. So the updated schedule for this international team is now as follows. First they will operate from Swains Island as N8S from April 4th to 15th. They will be operating on 60 meters in addition to the other bands.

Afterwards they will go to Samoa where they will activate 5W5AA from April 17th to 24th. The team's DXpedition Web page is <http://www.yt1ad.info/n8s/index.html>. As of early today it has not been updated and still shows the old dates and still lists Tokelau.

YT6A's, Ranko, super station in Montenegro will be on air this weekend. The team will include guest ops UA3AB (YT3B), 4N1SM, YT1NP, and local op YT6Y, They will be operating Multi-Single in the Russian DX Contest.

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest XE1KK, Ramon, will be operating FMRE's 75th anniversary contest callsign 6F75A as a SOAB HP entry. QSL for this call via EA5KB direct only.

K3TRM, Frank, plans to be operating as K3TRM/6Y5 from Jamaica between March 31st and April 9th. He is trying to get authorization to operate on 60 meters. He has a Web site with more details at <http://www.k3trm.com/> - just click on the K3TRM/6Y5 News. QSL via K3TRM.

The South African hams heading to Lesotho next month update us on the operation from the 10,000 foot ASL QTH on the north border escarpment of the Drakensburg Range. Suggested frequencies for their operation are as follow: 3789, 14250, 18150, 21300 and 24950. They will be on 40 meters and possibly 60 meters. Topband may also be possible as they will use a one wavelength V beam on 75/80. They will have two amps, a TL922 and Alpha 89. ZS1AU will be a pilot and hopefully KH6FKG. Look for activity from April 5th to 12th. Still no word on their request for the 7P8DX callsign. Team members for this one will be ZS1RA, ZS1ZL, ZS1APB, ZS1ROY and ZS1FJ.

During the January 2007 ARRL Board of Directors Meeting President W5ZN, Joel Harrison, announced the committee appointments. Of those appointments a new DX Advisory Committee (DXAC) Chairman was announced. Congratulations to K4UEE, Bob Allphin, on his new appointment. The complete listing of chairman appointments can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/announce/board-0701/>. The entire slate of DXAC members can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/contests/cac.html>

IOTA

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AS-004	5B4AHY	14182	1427	EU-170	9A4A	14005	0710
AS-051	9M4SDX	7005	1700	NA-005	K0ARY/VP9	14183	1939

EU-009	MM0EAX	14260 1531	NA-022	VP2ERT	14070 1126
EU-013	MJ/K3PLV	14257 1207	NA-057	HR9/K0UU	14040 2336
EU-016	9A2GF	14255 2005	OC-021	YB0ECT	14189 1420
EU-024	IS0IGV	14228 1555	SA-002	VP8KF	21290 1824
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EU-033	LA5MIA	14260 1927			

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16-Mar	19-Mar	BY	BD7KLO/7 BG6IQD/7 (AS-139)	home calls		11-050
16-Mar	19-Mar	BY	BG7JAC/7 (AS-139)	BG7JAC		11-050
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16-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DK4YJ	DK4YJ		11-045
16-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DK5TX	DK5TX		11-045
16-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DK9TN	DK9TN		11-045
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17-Mar	1-Apr	I	II0IDP II0IGU II1ICS		11-050	
17-Mar	1-Apr	I	II7ICT II9ICF II9IGJ		11-050	
17-Mar	17-Mar	JA	JA4GXS/4 (AS-117)	JA4GXS	11-050	
17-Mar	17-Mar	W	N2D (NA-034)		11-041	
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18-Mar		DU9	DU9/N0NM	W4DR	11-033	
18-Mar	30-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK5NA (EU-125)	DK5NA	11-050	
18-Mar	24-Mar	TK	TK/DL1CW	DL1CW	11-051	
19-Mar	26-Mar	C6	C6AWN (NA-001)		11-014	011
19-Mar	23-Mar	GU	2U0WMG	2E0WMG	11-021	
19-Mar	30-Mar	HH	HH4/K4QD	K4QD	11-049	
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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3DA0AM	EI7CC	D2EEX	CT1EEX	MJ/K8PT	K8PT
3DA0DJ	EI7CC	DP0GVN	DL5EBE	RX9UL/8	RV3ACA
3DA0GI	EI7CC	FK8GX	W3HNK	TM3CY	F5KMB
3DA0PB	EI7CC	HK6K	EA5KB	UA0AZ	W3HNK
4K0CW	DL6KVA	HP3XBH	W4WX	VP8KF	G3VPW
5I3A	UA9XC	HV0A	IK0FVC	VP9/AA1AC	AA1AC
6H1L	WA3HUP	J5BI	F6BUM	XT2SE	IK3GES
6Y1ND	K6ND	J70SWD	SM0CCM	XU7EGZ	JA3EGZ
9A950JB	9A3JB	J79XBI	SM0FWW	XU7PHH	JA3EGZ
9G1AA	PA3ERA	KP3A	W3HNK	YA/LY1Y	LY1Y
9L1DIR	EA4URE	MJ/K3PLV	K3PLV	YB0ECT	K3AIR
A22/JA4ATV	JA4ATV				

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Ole Martin Pedersen, LA9NOA (JX9NOA), is now working offshore Ghana and Nigeria. He thinks he will be back home in about two weeks from now. He'll be there for eight weeks and plans to start QSLing his JX9NOA operation. Ole Martin says there have been many unfortunate delays but finally they will be sent upon his return home. He also adds "The QSLs look great".

KB3KV, Wayne, recently emailed KU9C, Steve, about the YX0A and YX0LIX QSL cards. Steve still has a couple of week's worth to do. He also has a bunch of "manual log searches" which will take some time.

W2IRT, Peter, has received shipment of his W2IRT/C6A QSLs from the printer. All direct requests from his recent Bahamas operation have now been answered and mailed, says Peter.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9N7JO, A92GR, DX0JP, ES1GO, FK8CP, GD6IA, J20MM, J20RR, KH8/JA8GAX/M (OC-077), R1FJT, RA4LW, VP8DKG, YI9RKB, ZD8RH, ZD9ATN

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: AA8LL/4 (NA-076), CT3/PA0RRS, DP1POL, HK3AXY, LU7DR, LY6M, OK1AY, OK1FED, PT7CB, UA3AB, UA4PAY, V25XF, WP4BH, ZL2IFB, ZP6CW

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DX News

JA8VE, Kunio Saito, is taking a two-year-long assignment in the Kingdom of Bhutan, beginning next month. Japan's Ministry of Foreign Affairs is sending him to coach the Bhutanese telecommunications ministry. Kunio has been on from many other DXCC entities in the past and expects to be very active again. His callsign will be A52VE.

Other calls of his have been ZL1WY, W1VX, V73VE and V63VE and he was part of these expeditions: T22VE, 3W6KS, XV5VE, VK9XE, VK9CV, F00KUN, ZL7C and 3D2KZ. Kunio will be operating from the capital, Thimphu, April, 2007 through March, 2009, all bands, phone and digital, sometimes CW, using Yaesu and Icom rigs, but limited to just 100 watts. Antennas: Maybe a Spider beam, inverted V, or dipole. QSL via JF1OCQ, the QRZ.com address.

YT6Y, Dragan, will have Montenegro on in the WPX SSB. But, only on 160M. He will be single op single band.

IK0FVC, Francesco, part of the HV0A Vatican operation says he and others are encouraging 30 meter operation and all HV activity in general. They have just restored the hamshack and there are now two active stations. QSL via IK0FVC.

4E1P will be a special call from the Philippines in the WPX SSB March 24-25. The ops will be DU1LR, DV1DPE, DU1IVT, DV1VEQ, DU1UGZ, DV1AIR, DV1QZC, DW1VEU and DW1UPV. As you would guess, with all that operator talent they will be a multi-multi. QSL via the bureau.

4L2M, Mamuka, will be on from Georgia in the WPX SSB, single op single band 20, low power. QSL to his QRZ.com address.

Another Georgian will be 4L4WW, Gia, single band 40 in the WPX SSB. QSL via EA7FTR.

5D5A, Morocco, will be in the WPX SSB, multi-single or multi-two, yet to be decided. IK2QEI, IK2SGC, CN8WW and SV8CS are the operators. QSL via I2WIJ.

8P1A will be in the WPX SSB again from Barbados with operator W2SC, Tom, single op all band. QSL via NN1N.

9H3RT will be the Malta callsign for DL9MWG, Ralph, April 28-May 11, all HF bands, mostly CW. QSL via DL9MWG.

The special Spanish callsign A010 will be in the WPX phone as some sort of multi, as yet to be determined, with EA1AAW, EA1JK, EA1TU and EA1EA operating. QSL via EA1EA.

AO3A is another such Spanish callsign for the WPX phone. A group of EA3 operators will run this multi.

8J1S is a special Japanese callsign for the Nippon Boy Scout Amateur Radio Club, JALYSS, celebrating 100 years of scouting. They will be in the WPX SSB, multi-multi. QSL via the JARL Bureau.

8J3YAGI, a 2x4 callsign, will be in the WPX SSB from Japan, multi-multi. This will be JP3PZD, JH3PRR and possibly others. This callsign, memorializing Dr. Yagi, goes QRT at the end of this month. QSL via JA3YKC.

Brazil's Scouting Association Ham Radio Baependi, PY3UEB, will have Santa Marta's Lighthouse on the air through March 20th. It is in Santa Caterina State. Here are the callsigns being used by the group: PP5/PY3UEB/LH, PP5/PY3CQ/LH, PP5/PY3KH/LH, PP5/PY3NZ/LH and PP5/PY3FOX/LH. QSL bureau or direct.

P40W will go at it again in the WPX SSB with W2GD, John Crovelli, operating. He will be single op all band high power with some CW activity before and after the contest. QSL via N2MM, and the logs will be put on LOTW also.

Special callsign W0S will be on the air to mark the 95th anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic. W0S will operate from the TITANIC Museum in Branson, Missouri starting at 8 AM local on April 14th, running through 7 PM local April 15th. The W and S in W0S stand for "White Star," the name of the shipbuilding company that build the Titanic. The Nixa Amateur Radio Club is running this one, and a UK group is also expected to take part.

TI5N, Costa Rica, will be in the CQWW SSB October 27-28, multi-single. Operators making their plans for this one are N6JRL, N3TQU, N0ZUQ, KB0RLJ and WA6IFI. QSL via their QRZ.com info.

TM4Q is a special callsign from France for the WPX SSB. F6FYA and F5SQM are making the plans for this multi.

TM6M is another one from France for the WPX SSB. Operators F0ELK, F1AKK, F4DXW, F5MUX, F5TTU, F5VCR and F8DBF will be a multi. QSL via F6KHM.

YE1ZAT, Indonesia, will be in the WPX SSB, multi-multi. The operators scheduled are YD1JZ, YC1KAF, YB1CCF, YB1KAR and YE1AA.

ZY7C, Brazil, will be in the WPX SSB, multi-single. A group of PY7 ops will be at the controls. QSL via PT7WA.

F5VHJ will be in the WPX phone from Martinique again with the T05A callsign. Al will be single op all band high power. QSL via F5VHJ.

ZS1FJ, Barry, has an update on the early April Lesotho Dxpediton. He says it now looks extremely doubtful that 60M operation will be possible. Special permission has to be applied for and the timeframe is too short. Barry thinks it would only really be useful for U.S. hams anyway.

K2PLF and a group of friends will be on from PJ2 in the WPX SSB. They are K2PLF, N4RV, W9JUV, WA9YYY, W0DG and DF7ZS. It will probably be a multi-two. PJ2/K2PLF will be on before and after the contest, concentrating on the WARC bands.

Look for CT1EEX, Antonio, to be on as D2EEX from Angola over the next two weeks in his spare time. He is a helicopter pilot and is working in Angola now. QSL via CT1EEX.

AF-018	IH9YMC	3790 2130	EU-033	LA6LOA	18133 0945
AF-020	J5BI	7003 2210	EU-034	ES0IC	14070 1740
AN-016	DP0GVN	14160 1835	EU-170	9A4A	1825 2155
AS-051	9M4SDX	10110 1410	NA-034	KM4RX	14260 1340
AS-139	BD7KLO/7	14014 2320	OC-047	H44MW	18122 2120
EU-013	MJ/K8PT	18077 1610	SA-002	VP8KF	21287 1940
EU-020	SM1ALH	18133 1620	SA-095	CE4/IZ7ATN	14260 1215

SX5AS, Dodecanese, IOTA EU-001, will be on from the Rocky Islet of Atakida, July 17-23. Ops SV1GRM, SV1HER, SV1EEX, SV1JG, SV1RC and SW1GZL will be on all HF bands, CW and SSB. QSL via SV1HER.

EA8/PA3BWK, Wilko, will be on Lanzarote, AF-004, June 10-16, 40-10M, mostly CW, 10 kHz up from the band edges. QSL via PA0ZE.

OH1OTA will be on Parainen Island, EU-096, April 25-29. Ops IZ0EHO, IZ0FKE, IZ0BTV and OH1MN will be on all bands including WARC. QSL via OH1OTA. Here's their web site: <http://www.ohlota.com>.

Two ops from Belgium will be on EU-146, Schouwen Duiveland, April 8- 13. PA/ON4AWT and PA/ON8VD will be on all HF bands, CW, SSB, and digital, plus VHF SSB. QSL to their home callsigns, bureau preferred.

VE3LYC and G3OCA will active East Pen Island in VY0, NA-231, between July 20 and 22. East Pen is the only approved island from this IOTA group, the breeding grounds of polar bears. They plan to have two stations on the air, CW and SSB, 40-10M. QSL via VE3LYC direct or bureau. U.K. stations may QSL via G3OCA.

SG60RK, S-G-sixty-R-K, will be on the air from Gotland Island, EU-020, through the end of the year. It marks the 60th anniversary of the Gotlands Radioamatorklubb, SK1BL. All QSOs will be automatically QSLed via the bureau.

H44MS, Bernhard, told W5BOS in a QSO that he is not going to any other islands.

CE4/IZ7ATN, Simon, says he is now on Pupuya Island, SA-095. He hopes to go to Blanca Island, Peru, SA-098, on Tuesday for two days of operating.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
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19-Mar	19-Mar	1S	9M4SDX (AS-051)	9M2TO	11-045	10-236
19-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0DG 3DA0RH 3DA0GV	EI7CC	11-033	020
19-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0GI	EI7CC	11-033	020
19-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0PM 3DA0PB 3DA0AM	EI7CC	11-033	020
19-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
19-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
19-Mar	21-Mar	4K	4K0CW	DL6KVA		11-052
19-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		11-048
19-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
19-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
19-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
19-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
19-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
19-Mar	20-Mar	9M6	9M6/SM5GMZ (OC-088)	SM5GMZ		11-034
19-Mar	19-Mar	BY	BD1DRJ/7 BA4ALC/7 (AS-139)	home calls		11-050
19-Mar	19-Mar	BY	BD7KLO/7 BG6IQD/7 (AS-139)	home calls		11-050

19-Mar	19-Mar	BY	BG7JAC/7 (AS-139)	BG7JAC	11-050
19-Mar	26-Mar	C6	C6AWN (NA-001)		11-014 011
19-Mar	26-Mar	CN	CN2R	W7EJ	11-039
19-Mar	2-Apr	CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF	11-040
19-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-036 031
19-Mar	21-Mar	GJ	MJ/K8PT MJ/K3PLV (EU-013)	home calls	11-027
19-Mar	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB	11-050
19-Mar	23-Mar	GU	2U0WVG	2E0WVG	11-021
19-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS	DL2GAC	11-045
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/9A2SX		11-050
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/9A3AXX		11-050
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/9A6XX		11-050
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/9A8MM		11-045
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DK4YJ	DK4YJ	11-045
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DK5TX	DK5TX	11-045
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DK9TN	DK9TN	11-045
19-Mar	19-Mar	HB0	HB0/DL5RMH	DL5RMH	11-045
19-Mar	30-Mar	HH	HH4/K4QD	K4QD	11-049
19-Mar	1-Apr	I	II0IDP II0IGU II1ICS		11-050
19-Mar	1-Apr	I	II7ICT II9ICF II9IGJ		11-050
19-Mar	27-Mar	J5	J5BI (AF-020)	F6BUM	11-050 027
19-Mar	22-Mar	J5	J5UAR	DL7CM	10-236
19-Mar	19-Mar	KH2	KH2/JK2VOV KH2/JA2BNN		11-034
19-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
19-Mar	30-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK5NA (EU-125)	DK5NA	11-050
19-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB	11-009
19-Mar	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050 001
19-Mar	24-Mar	TK	TK/DL1CW	DL1CW	11-051
19-Mar	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY	11-052
19-Mar	25-Mar	V2	V25OP	W9OP	11-050 001
19-Mar	25-Mar	V2	V25WY	W4OWY	11-050 001
19-Mar	22-Mar	V7	V73KN (OC-029)	JK1QLR	11-036
19-Mar	19-Mar	XU	XU7DFM	JA3DFM	11-30 011
19-Mar	19-Mar	XU	XU7EGZ	JA3EGZ	11-30 011
19-Mar	19-Mar	XU	XU7PPH	JA3PPH	11-30 011
20-Mar	22-Mar	OA	OA6/IZ7ATN/p (SA-098)	IZ7ATN	11-050
20-Mar	23-Mar	VP5	VP5/W5CW	W5CW	11-047 046
21-Mar	27-Mar	J7	J75RZ	W2RZS	11-045
21-Mar	25-Mar	KH6	KH6/JM3PIT	JM3PIT	11-045
21-Mar	27-Mar	P4	P49Y	AE6Y	11-051
21-Mar	28-Mar	V3	V31RG	K4VU	11-049 045
22-Mar	25-Mar	9M6	9M8/SM5GMZ		11-034
22-Mar	24-Mar	F	TM5CI (EU-039)		11-052
22-Mar	27-Mar	ZL8	ZM8CW ZL8GO (OC-039)	ZL1AMO	11-027
23-Mar	26-Mar	KL7	N0RB/KH7	N0RB	11-052

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will remain very low.

The geomagnetic field will be predominantly unsettled to active through midweek. Isolated minor storm conditions are possible.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

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QSL Info

GM4FDM, Tom, reminds us that he is QSL manager for G3NOM, Ray, who has oped from Thailand for years. Tom has all or most of the log books from Ray's travels and operations. Ray had a major stroke a couple years ago and has not been on the radio since then. A package of QSLs received in Thailand were forwarded to Tom in Scotland recently. Some go back a long way and included old-style IRCs. Tom will work on the backlog and reply the best way he can, direct or bureau as they came in, even if the IRCs are not valid. Tom asks, "Please bear with me,"

and please do not bother Ray's XYL with any more QSL requests. Tom has a large number of blank QSLs. He cannot verify QSOs made on 160M just before Ray's illness. 160 and 80 were only allowed in Thailand on a few special occasions and Tom always verified 160M QSOs individually with Ray before answering them, "so if you have a 160M QSO.unless it is very clear in the logs, then I cannot help you."

Tom has the logs for the following operations: 5B4/G3NOM, 9M2OM/P, 9M2/G3NOM, 9M2OM, A52OM,E22DX, E28DX, G3NOM,HS0AC/2, HS2AC, HS0/G2NOM, JT4/G3NOM, S21U, S2/G3NOM, XY1HT, ZC6/G3NOM. Tom also has logs for V8NOM but no QSLs for that one. He says to feel free to e-mail him if you have any questions.

QSL manager N5FTR, Buzz, has changed callsigns. He is now NI5DX. His address in Angleton, Texas, is the same.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3Y9SDA, 5V7SE, BX5AA, DX0JP, FK8CP, FO5RK, HV0A, J20MM (AF-053), J20RR (AF-053), KH6/AA4V, LU1ZAB, V63UA, VU7LD (AS-011), YX0LIX (NA-020) and ZD8QD.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4X17A, 4X17B, 4X17I, 4X17M, 4X17MG, 4Z17B, 4Z17M, 9A/HA3NU (EU-110), A35YL (OC-049), AX3MCG, AX8NSB, CV5D, DD4QE/p (EU-042), HB0/DD4QE, HB0/T94JJ, DJ2ST/HI9, DL5XX/HI9, HL5BLI, IB0CW (EU-045), W2AZK/KP2 (NA-106), LA/DB5YB (EU-055), LZ13ARDF, LZ80R, OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171), PJ4/N2WB (SA- 006), PY7ZMD, R1000K, T88ZK (OC-009), TA2/OK1FIA, TF1SS, UR0GK/p (EU- 179), V63JQ (OC-010), W2T and ZS2DK.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3B9/G3TXF, 4X/W8HC, 8P5A, AA8LL/4, CQ00DX, DK2006TZ, DL5WW, DL5XAT/p, DL8OBC, DL8OBC/p, DP1POL, EA2AFV, F8CMF, G4DDL, G5LP, HB0/SP2FAX, HB0/SP2FOV, K5GH, KP2ZZ, LA7DFA, LB7Q, LI6FJA, NP3G, OK1FED, RU6AT, SK3W, S01R, TM0ANT, V44/NC2N, VO1SF, VP2V/G6AY, VP9MZ, W5UN, W9OP, XO1SF, YI9CC/5, ZF2BJ and ZP6CW.

On The WWW

K6IA, Howard Stephenson, has found an on-line log for 9M4SDX, the current Spratly Island Dxpediton. Here is the log search site: http://9m4sdx.dxers.net/log_search/search.html.

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DX News

UA9XC, Andy, who was operating from 5I3A last week is now on Comoros Island and QRV as D69XC. Length of stay is unknown. QSL via UA9XC.

UA4WHX (D60VB), Vladimir Bykov, who is currently on Comoros Island, had an accident which resulted in the amputation of his little finger on his right hand. He was off the air for a few days as a consequence. So he probably won't be on CW for a while. He has been on SSB today and yesterday. Let's all wish Vladimir a speedy recovery.

DJ8XW, Peter, and DL2QT, Heinz, will be in East Malaysia from March 22 to 30 and QRV from the 9M6AAC station. The two will participate in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. They say to QSL this operation only via DL2QT, either direct or via the bureau. DL2QT has a Web page at <http://www.qsl.net/dl2qt> .

MODOL, Chris, reports there has been an update on the Northampton Radio Club trip to Guernsey (EU-124). He'll arrive on the morning of May 26th and operate GP8LDD/p from several castles and forts over a 7 day period. QSL GP8LDD via QRZ.COM.

Special event call TM8V will be active on June 24th from the Fort de Charlemont, France.

TU5KG, Gildas, is heading back south to the Indian Ocean. Around May 15th he will be on Reunion Island (FR/TU5KG). During this trip he will not operate from Port aux Francais, Kerguelen Island (FT5XP). Gil will be operating /MM from near by Crozet Island (FT5WL), but does not plan to land on the rare one this time.

The Council of Europe Radio Club will be active from 0800Z March 30th until 1000Z on April 1st. Look for TP2CE to be QRV on SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK. QSL via F6FQK.

Six meter ops will be glad to know that C5DXC, Noz, has purchased a FT- 920. G0TSM, Darren, will soon be shipping Noz a 6 meter antenna.

The V51VHF 6 meter beacon is QRV again thanks to the efforts of V51SC and V51RS. The beacon, located on Mt. Grossherzog Friedrich (2000 meters ASL), can be found on 50021.2.

K5LBU, Frosty, is organizing a DXpedition to Botswana, which will take place between July 5th and July 21st. So far there are four ops. Frosty is hoping to have two more join the team. You can contact him at frostyl@pdq.net .

2007 DXCC Honor Roll Deadline
by NC1L, Bill Moore

Just a reminder that the deadline for the next Honor Roll listing is March 31, 2007. Your submission must be postmarked March 31, 2007. The Honor Roll list will appear in August 2007 QST. There are 337 current entities on the DXCC list and you must be at 337 (for Top of the Honor Roll) or within the numerical top 10 to qualify for the Honor Roll. The current minimum number for Honor Roll is 328. (Deleted entities do not count towards Honor Roll). Top of Honor Roll and Honor Roll plaques and lapel pins are available to all past and current Honor Roll members. See www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc for the order form and current fees.

Correction

In yesterday's article about JA8VE, Kunio Saito, going on a two year assignment to Bhutan it was reported he was a member of the ZL7C DXpedition team. This was an error. The only Japanese op who was part of the ZL7C team was JF1OCQ (ZL1WY, W1VX), Hiroyuki Miyake, who sent the news. We apologize to both Saito-san and Miyake-san for the error.

YX0A and YX0LIX QSL Status
By KU9C, Steve Wheatley

After returning from a long business trip, I've now sized the YX0A/YX0LIX/YX0A-MM QSLs and can provide the following status:

I believe all QSLs received at my QTH by mid-February will be in the mail back to you by April 9, 2007. The only exception I see are folks that have sent cards for several calls I manage in one envelope; these will be delayed and I cannot easily predict when I'll be done with those. By the fact that you included several in one envelope, I've made the assumption that you're not in a big hurry for these.

If you've not received your card by mid-April, feel free to email me (ku9c@yahoo.com); at that time I'll be able to provide status.

QSN

MJ/K8PT - JERSEY - Peter was found on 10110 yesterday around 2015Z. QSL via K8PT.

R1FJM - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Victor started up late yesterday (2345Z) on 14005, where he stayed for about an hour. QSL via RX3MM.

IOTA

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AF-007	D60VB	24940	1415	EU-115	EI9JF	7003	0010
AF-020	J5BI	10107	2112	EU-170	9A4A	14260	1039

AF-045	6W/RW3TN/P	14010 2248	OC-028	V73RY	14200 0332
AS-051	9M4SDX	14035 0119	OC-088	9M6/SM5GMZ	14084 1640
AS-117	JA3AOP	14260 0050	SA-002	VP8KF	21290 2022
EU-013	MJ/K3PLV	14260 1602	SA-002	VP8LP	24953 1705
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14159 1632			

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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20-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0PM 3DA0PB 3DA0AM	EI7CC	11-033	020
20-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
20-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-023
20-Mar	21-Mar	4K	4K0CW	DL6KVA		11-052
20-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		11-048
20-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
20-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
20-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
20-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
20-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
20-Mar	20-Mar	9M6	9M6/SM5GMZ (OC-088)	SM5GMZ		11-034
20-Mar	27-Mar	C5	C52T	G0TSM		11-055
20-Mar	26-Mar	C6	C6AWN (NA-001)		11-014	011
20-Mar	26-Mar	CN	CN2R	W7EJ		11-039
20-Mar	2-Apr	CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF		11-040
20-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	CT3/DL3KWR CT3/DL3KWF	home calls	11-036	031
20-Mar	30-Mar	D2	D2EEX	CT1EEX		11-055
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20-Mar	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB		11-050
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20-Mar	1-Apr	I	II7ICT II9ICF II9IGJ			11-050
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20-Mar	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
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20-Mar	25-Mar	V2	V25WY	W4OWY	11-050	001
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The sunspot number for March 18, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

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3DA0GV	EI7CC	DA0UBOOT	DK9OS	J5BI	F6BUM
3DA0PM	EI7CC	DP0GVN	DL5EBE	J5UAR	DL7CM
3DA0RH	EI7CC	DP4K	DK3DM	OH0B	OH2BH
3DA0VN	EI7CC	EC5KB	EA5KB	OR1Z	ON6IX
5B4/K3UY	RA3AUU	EI75IRTS	EI6HB	P33W	RA3AUU
5B4AHS	RA3AUU	EL/DL8USA	PIRATE	P4/WA2NHA	WA2NHA
5H/7Q7RS	IT9YVO	EX9A	DF8WS	PJ5NA	K1NA
6H1J	XE1J	FK/FO5RK	FO5RK	ST2R	S57DX
6V7E	RW3TN	HH2FJM	F5RPB	SU9GD	DJ2AVB
9G1RU	HB9STZ	HI3HN	OE7NHT	TK/DL1CW	DL1CW
9J2BO	G3TEJ	HR9/K0UU	K0UU	UN7AB	DL8KAC
9J2CA	G3SWH	HV0A	IK0FVC	V73KN	JK1QLR
9M4SDX	9M2TO	II0IDP	IS0SDX	V73RY	N5LE
9Q1D	SM5BFJ	II7ICT	IZ7EDQ	XT2SE	IK3GES
9Q1EK	SM5DQC	II9ICF	IT9MRM	XU7DFM	JA3DFM
CM6CAC	EA5KB	IS0/WH0Q	IN3ZNR	XU7EGZ	JA3EGZ
CN2ZR	W7ZR	J28JA	F5JFU		

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First Class US mail is expected to go up from 39 cents to 41 cents effective May 14th. There is also a proposal for a new "forever" stamp. Details can be found at http://news.yahoo.com/s/ap/20070319/ap_on_go_ot/postal_rates . Air Mail is also expected to go up to 90 cents. See <http://tinyurl.com/y8bgxx> page 4 for proposed fee increases.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B9/G3TXF, 4K9W, 5V7SE, 7Z1UG, 8J7YAGI, 8R1AK/p, C4M, C5DXC, CP6IB, EA6UN, EA9IE, HK1/K8DD, J20MM, J20RR, KP2/K3TEJ, LU1BJW, LU/R1ANF, OX3JZ, OZ7YY, PZ5RA, R1ANF, SM5UTT, ST2A, T32MO (OC-084), TI5/WJ7R, TI5N, TX5NK, V26G, V63UA (OC-012), V73ZZ (OC-028), VK9AA, VP5W, VP8LP, VU2PHD, XF4DL, XR7C (SA-018), XT2CG, YN4SU, YN4SU/9, YX5IOTA, ZA/UT7DW, ZC4LI, ZD7VC, ZD8QD, ZS4U

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4O3T, A22/JA4ATV, FG1GW, HA7TM/HI9, IS0/DL3EW, LX/ON4ACA, OH0JFP, TM3OBI, UT0U, VE1/F5PAC, VP2MDY

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT1FJK, CT3DL, CU3AA, EA1CUB, G4RCG, G6TUH, HI3TEJ, HK4KDO, IK2DZN, KL7RA, LN9Z, LU6ETB, LX1ER, LX7I, LX8M, OP0P, SP8AJK, UA3BS, VP2MVG, ZP6CW

On The WWW

The Northern California DX Foundation's Video Library has received DK7PE's, Rudi, video of the recent 5A7A DXpedition. This excellent video is about 28 minutes long. It is available in VHS and DVD. A complete listing and details can be found at <http://www.ncdxf.org/services/videos.html> .

Are you a serious RTTY DXer? Check out the new RTTY Top List at http://hamradio.adlc.us/rtty_toplist.htm .

High claimed scores of CQ Magazine's 2006 Marathon can be found at <http://dxmarathon.com/highclaimedscores/> .

There is a log search for 9Q1EK, Georges, at www.logsearch.de .

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DX News

This coming weekend the CQ WPX SSB Contest will take place. HR2DMR, Dan, plans to operate in the test as a single op running in the all band category with high power. He'll have sloper antennas for the low bands and a mono-bander for 10, 15 and 20 meters.

>From the fledgling nation of Montenegro look for YT6A, Ranko, to be operating single band 20 meters, while OH2BH, Martti Laine, will be doing 80 meters single band with his 4O3B call. The two will be "using many newly established station and antenna concepts" at YT6A's "Premium Contest Resort", which is located about 600 meters above sea level near the city of Herceg Novi. Check out Ranko's new Website at <http://www.skycc.info/yt6a> .

EI5DI, Paul, tells us Irish ops EI2CA, EI3GV, EI4DJB, EI7CC, EI8CE, GI4FUM and GI4VIV, members of the IRTS 75th Jubilee DXpedition to Swaziland, will be active in the CQ WPX SSB Contest as 3DA0EI. QSL via EI7CC.

During the WPX Contest this coming weekend PP5MQ, Mario, will be operating with special call PS5S. QSL via PP5MQ, Mario Marquardt, P.O. Box 212, 89201-972 Joinville - SC, BRAZIL.

QSN

- 3DA0 - SWAZILAND - North American Pacific North West DXers should look for the Irish DXpedition here on 40 and 80 meters between 0400 and 0430Z.
- 8Q7WB - MALDIVES - Isao was doing PSK on 18102 after 1000Z and then on 10142 around 1830Z and again at 2000Z. QSL via JM1WBB.
- 9M2AX - WEST MALAYSIA - U.S. East Coast Topband ops look for Ross on 1831.5 just after 2300Z. Yesterday W8UVZ, George worked Ross after some 18 years of trying, after 1130Z on 1831.5. Congrats Geo!
- 9M6/SM5GMZ - EAST MALAYSIA - Pete fired up on RTTY on 14084 Tuesday just before 1500Z. QSL via SM5GMZ.
- D60VB - COMOROS ISLAND - Vlad was doing some CW today on 30 CW until about 0015Z. Great to see him back on code after his recent mishap.
- D69XC - COMOROS ISLAND - Prefix hunters and 30 meter ops were

working Andy yesterday after 1900Z. QSL via UA9XC.

FK/FO5RK - NEW CALEDONIA - Several East Coast DXers were working Tony on 7009 after 1130Z yesterday.

H44MS - SOLOMON ISLANDS - Bernhard was working Europe on 18127 just prior to 0900Z. US stations found him on 21295 just before 2100Z. He is operating from Honiara, the capital, and will be there for the next 5 weeks. Bernhard will not be going to any of the islands during this stay in the Solomons. QSL via DL2GAC.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Jean Claude had an opening all across North America on 18076 between 18 and 19Z.

J5BI - GUINEA-BISSAU - Jack had an opening to Japan on 14005 on Tuesday between 0840 and 0930Z. QSL via F6BUM.

J5UAR - GUINEA-BISSAU - DXers from the Far East were working this semi-rare one on 7003 yesterday after 0730Z.

MU0FAL - GUERNSEY - Colin is now QRV on 60 meters and can usually be found on 5403.5 starting about 2300Z until just after 0100Z.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Jack was on RTTY yesterday on 14079 around 1100Z. QSL via UA4RC.

TT8HA - CHAD - Look for Hans on 15 meters SSB between 1230 and 1430Z.

UK8AR - UZBEKISTAN - Mike, in Tashkent, likes 40 CW between just before 0200 and just after 0300Z.

UK9AA - UZBEKISTAN - RTTY DXers from the southern states were working Fedor on 14088 Tuesday around 14Z.

XT2SE - BURKINA FASO - YL DXCC chasers reported Elvira on 21270 from 17 to 1830Z. QSL via IK3GES.

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AF-049	3B8/RX3DD	21070	1315	EU-127	DF6QC	3516	0534
AS-053	HS0/IK4MRH	21072	1049	EU-146	PA5TT	14025	1955
AS-077	JA1OSN/7	18079	0849	NA-100	V25WY	14260	1756
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14260	1452	OC-029	V73KN	7014	1244
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QSL cards recently received via the bureau: DE1KKG, DF1IAQ, DH7A, DQ2006C, DQ2006J, DQ2006W, DQ2006Y, DR2006H, DR2006K, EA5AXE, EA2AOV, LZ80R, P40CW, YW9AJ

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4K6DI, HI3TEJ, LX8M

On The WWW

TU5/F5LDY has an on-line log search at <http://f5kee.free.fr/tu2-f5ldy/log.php> .

Credits

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DX News

KJ9I, Dave, and NF9V, Rudy, will be QRV from Anguilla (VP2E) starting May 18th thru May 21. They will be operating on HF and 2 meters EME using the WSJT mode. The expected callsigns are VP2EDS (KJ9I) and VP2ERV (NF9V). They may attempt to activate additional DXCC if time permits. QSL via their home calls (direct, bureau and/or LOTW).

The Polish team with plans for a DXpedition to Agalega is now looking into the June 6th to 18th time frame. They are hoping to get permission, license and most important to reserve the right ship. The team has a Web page at <http://3b6.godx.eu/>.

ZL3CW/F2CW, Jacky Calvo, and ZL1GO (JA4EKO), Aki, have arrived on Raoul Island, Kermadec Islands. As of 22:30 (local) they were trying to put up an antenna, in the dark. This is a work related trip for New Zealand's Department of Conservation (DoC). The two are expected to be there until the 27th of this month. Jacky will be using his ZM8CW call and Aki will most likely use ZL8GO. QSL via ZL1AMO.

RW3AH (9X0A, KL1A, 4O8AA, etc.), Andrei Fyodorov, is heading back to the Republic of Moldova where he will be QRV as ER/RW3AH from March 23rd to April 12th. Andy will be QRO with a special emphasis on 80 and 160 meters, along with 20 meters SSB and CW for new DXers. American hams should check above 14260 while Russian ops can try between 14150 and 14180. QSL via QRZ.COM.

RW3GW, Valery, may also be joining RW3AH, Andy, in Moldova as either ER0/R7C or ER0/NA1SA from April 8-12. QSL via QRZ.COM.

UA6JR, Serge, will be operating 3XM6JR from the Republic of Guinea in the CQ WPX SSB Contest. QSL via UA6JR.

Members of the "After Fifty Team" are planning an attack again from the magic mountain of EA8AH, Pekka in the CQ WPX this weekend. The multi-two team will include EA8AH, EA8EA, EA8EW, OH2KI, EA8ZS and "After Fifty" wannabes EA8CAC and ES5TV. The OM's will be using the special call AN8A. QSL via EA8AH.

Don't roll up those beverages yet as the low bands are still showing some good activity. N6TR/7, Tree, reports working all continents on 160 meters in just over two hours! Tree is located in Boring, Oregon. Sounds like Topband is no boring subject!

During the CQ WPX SSB Contest 9K2HN, Hamad, will be hosting a multi-op effort from Kuwait. Joining him will be 9K2RR, Faisal, and 9K2YM, Yasser. QSL via QRZ.Com.

JM1WBB, Isao, is currently QRV as 8Q7WB from Kuda Huraa, Maldives. He'll be on all HF bands on CW, SSB and digital modes. He'll be there until March 23rd. QSL via JM1WBB.

EA8BHD, Dunia, plans to use special call ED8D from the Canary Islands in the CQ WPX Phone Contest this weekend. He plans to do 15 meter single band. QSL via EA8BHD.

Special call EY3M will be aired by EY8MM, Nodir, this weekend in the big event. He'll be Single-op 20 meters. QSL via QRZ.COM.

QSN

20 METERS - 14 MHZ - Pacific North West DXer W7TTE, Walt, reports an unusual opening to the Middle East. Starting Thursday just before 0300Z he worked EX8QB on 14009, A41MX on 14190, EY8MM on 14011, A47OS/75 on 14205 and UK9AA on 14082. Let's hope this is "another indication that seasonal band changes are taking place".

D69XC - COMOROS - Pacific DXers found this semi-rare ones on 18082 just after 0500Z. QSL via UA9XC.

FK/FO5RK - NEW CALEDONIA - Tony was working US East Coast DXers on Wednesday on the low end of 40 CW around 0630Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-007	D60VB	10103	1848	EU-023	9H1SP	14250	1635
AF-014	CT3BD	14247	1850	EU-024	IS0/WH0Q	7084	2101
AF-014	CT3BP	14247	1916	EU-024	IS0IHL	21072	1750
AF-020	J5BI	14260	1937	EU-037	SB300L	14260	1354
AF-045	6W/RW3TN/P	14010	1155	EU-038	OH6PA	14000	1548
AS-018	UA0FAI	14170	1110	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	0846
AS-053	HS0/IK4MRH	21072	0841	NA-056	CM4LS	7083	0132
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14168	1444	OC-019	NH6P	14190	1931
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	7006	2247	OC-088	9M6AAC	14241	1604
EU-013	MJ/K3PLV	14249	1718	OC-088	YF7NOR	21265	1328
EU-013	MJ/K8PT	18130	1304	SA-006	PJ2/DF7ZS	14263	1752
EU-016	9A2GF	14245	1753	SA-098	OA6/IZ7ATN	21260	1919

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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22-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0DG 3DA0RH 3DA0GV	EI7CC	11-033	020
22-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0GI	EI7CC	11-033	020
22-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0PM 3DA0PB 3DA0AM	EI7CC	11-033	020
22-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040

22-Mar	3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-023
22-Mar	5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU	11-048
22-Mar	23-Mar	6W	DL6CT	10-236
22-Mar	23-Mar	6W	DL7CM	10-236
22-Mar	23-Mar	6W	DM2AYO	10-236
22-Mar	31-Mar	6W	RW3TN	11-033
22-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	HA3AUI	11-024
22-Mar	30-Mar	9M6	DL2QT	11-056
22-Mar	25-Mar	9M6		11-034
22-Mar	27-Mar	C5	G0TSM	11-055
22-Mar	26-Mar	C6		11-014 011
22-Mar	26-Mar	CN	W7EJ	11-039
22-Mar	2-Apr	CT3	DK2ZF	11-040
22-Mar	22-Mar	CT3	home calls	11-036 031
22-Mar	30-Mar	D2	CT1EEX	11-055
22-Mar		D6	UA4WHX	11-056
22-Mar		D6	UA9XC	11-056
22-Mar	24-Mar	F		11-052
22-Mar	2-Apr	GM	M0LSB	11-050
22-Mar	23-Mar	GU	2E0WMG	11-021
22-Mar	25-Apr	H4	DL2GAC	11-045
22-Mar	30-Mar	HH	K4QD	11-049
22-Mar	1-Apr	I		11-050
22-Mar	1-Apr	I		11-050
22-Mar	27-Mar	J5	F6BUM	11-050 027
22-Mar	22-Mar	J5	DL7CM	10-236
22-Mar	27-Mar	J7	W2RZS	11-055 045
22-Mar	23-Mar	J7		11-055
22-Mar	23-Mar	J7		11-055
22-Mar	25-Mar	JA	JA3YKC	11-055
22-Mar	25-Mar	KH6	JM3PIT	11-045
22-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ1BJ	11-001
22-Mar	22-Mar	OA	IZ7ATN	11-055 050
22-Mar	30-Apr	OD	IV3YIM	11-055
22-Mar	30-Mar	OZ	DK5NA	11-050
22-Mar	27-Mar	P4	AE6Y	11-051
22-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	W8EB	11-009
22-Mar	20-Apr	ST	S57DX	11-050 001
22-Mar	24-Mar	TK	DL1CW	11-051
22-Mar	15-Apr	TL	F5NRY	11-052
22-Mar	25-Mar	V2	W9OP	11-050 001
22-Mar	25-Mar	V2	W4OWY	11-050 001
22-Mar	28-Mar	V3	K4VU	11-049 045
22-Mar	22-Mar	V7	JK1QLR	11-036
22-Mar	23-Mar	VP5	W5CW	11-047 046
22-Mar	27-Mar	ZL8	ZL1AMO	11-027

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<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today through Saturday. Isolated active periods are possible on Friday and Saturday, with a slight chance for minor storm conditions at high latitudes, due to a coronal hole high-speed stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for March 20, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

The VU7RG and VU7MY QSL print order will go out by the end of this week, reports DL4KQ, Frank. DL4KQ is handling the cards for IARU Region I (Europe, Africa, Middle East and Northern Asia) reports he is "already working on the received direct requests." So far "some 4000 claimed contacts are already checked" and labels printed. Frank hopes to have all the direct requests checked and labels printed by the time the QSLs arrive from the printer so they can be shipped immediately.

N200, Bob, is handing QSLs for IARU Region II (The Americas) says his SJDXA team is ready to start processing Region II cards as soon as they arrive from the printer. Bob has started to pre-process labels so they should be ready to push them out once the cards do arrive.

K7XN, Mike, is no longer the QSL manager for the 2001 9M0M operation from the Spratly Islands. NA7DB, Dan Brown, can confirm QSOs from this operation.

W8UVZ, George, has validated new style IRCs for sale in groups of ten. Price is \$1.45 each - send check for \$14.50 plus business size SASE to George at QRZ.com address, after reserving by email on same site. Quantities are limited - first come basis. This is 40 cents less than the PO price and no standing in line required!

UA3DX, Nick, reports he is the QSL manager for RA3AUU's, Harry, DXpeditions. So those needing a QSL from 5B/AJ20 can send to Nick.

F9IE, Bernard, has mailed the first batch of direct XT2C QSL cards.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3XD2Z, 3XM6JR, 4O3B, 4O60BH, 5T5DY, 7P8/JH4RHF, A35TN, CU2A, D44BS, J20MM (AF-053), J20RR (AF-053), OH2BH, SM5COP, TU2/F5LDY, V31BH, V73ZZ (OC-028), ZD8WX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: ER1DA (04), ER1OM (04), ER1RR (01), ER3DA (04)

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9A8A, CT1FJK, DX0JP, F6HKA, G4RCG, HI3TEJ, KH0/JF2QNM, KL7RA, LX8M, OQ5M

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DX News

The upcoming April Swains Island DXpedition team will be QRV as N8S from Swains Island and 5W5AA from Samoa on 60 meters on 5403.5 kHz, 2 meters EME and 6 meters EME with WSJT65 A,B,C on next FRQ: 50,375 MHz and 144,375 MHz. YZ1EW, Acim, reports the N8S team is all ready to go. Donations are being sought and more info can be found on the N8S site at <http://www.ytlad.info/n8s/>. Acim reminds everyone of the demand for this want and the need for "HAMSPIRIT on Frequency". It will be important for everyone to "listen carefully".

T77C, Tony, now has authorization to operate on 60 meters. He's now working on an antenna. We should see him QRV soon.

The five operators heading to Lesotho, probably operating as 7P8DX, will NOT be QRV on 60 meters as they were unable to get permission.

LU1ZAB, Daniel, will be leaving the Teniente Benjamin Matienzo Base (Air Force) on Antarctica by the end of this month. QSL via LU4DXU.

VP8/LZ1UQ, Mitko, is QRV from St. Kliment Ohridski Base, South Shetlands until the end of March. QSL via LZ1UQ.

DG9BHQ, Mirko, is currently QRV as DP0GVN from Neumayer 2 Station, Antarctica until February 2008. QSL via DL5EBE.

Silent Key

WA7CWM, Pete Stathis, became a Silent Key in January 2007. He was a "very active HF DXer" and one of the W7 letter "C" QSL sorters at the bureau.

QSN

C5 - THE GAMBIA - Both C52T and C5DXC have been QRV on 60 meters.

HV0A - THE VATICAN - Rumor has it the club station will be on 30 meters CW today (Friday) at 2000Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

XT2SE - BURKINA FASO - Several US West Coast RTTY ops reported working Elvira on 14083 just after 2300Z.

ZL1GO/8 - KERMADEC ISLANDS - Aki is using this call. So far he has only been on 40 CW.

ZM8CW - KERMADEC ISLANDS - Jacky started up activity yesterday on 10115 with a good European opening between 14 and 16Z. QSL via ZL1AMO.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-053	HS0/IK4MRH	21070	1033	EU-024	IM0/IK0FMB	14255	1408
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14260	0948	EU-034	ES0IC	14073	1531
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14015	2245	EU-039	TM5CI	14265	1903
EU-009	GM3IBU	7047	2039	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	0718
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	2230	EU-114	2E0WVG/M	18156	1344
EU-013	MJ/K8PT	18150	1449	NA-046	K1VSI	14260	1739
EU-020	SM1ALH	7012	0606	NA-107	TO5A	14247	2231

In 106 hours of operating time 21,793 QSOs were made by the TC0DX expedition to Gokceada Island (EU-186). Also 6,199 QSOs were made by the YM0DX operation from Bozcaada Island (AS-099). The team has posted more info, details, photos, on-line logs, QSL info etc. at <http://www.okdxf.eu/ankety/tc0dx/en/tc0dx.php>. OK2GZ is the QSL manager.

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23-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0PM 3DA0PB 3DA0AM	EI7CC	11-033	020
23-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
23-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
23-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		11-048
23-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL6CT	DL6CT		10-236
23-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DL7CM	DL7CM		10-236
23-Mar	23-Mar	6W	6W/DM2AYO	DM2AYO		10-236
23-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
23-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
23-Mar	23-Mar	8Q	8Q7WB (AS-013)	JM1WBB		11-058
23-Mar	30-Mar	9M6	9M6AAC	DL2QT		11-056
23-Mar	25-Mar	9M6	9M8/SM5GMZ			11-034
23-Mar	27-Mar	C5	C52T	G0TSM		11-055
23-Mar	26-Mar	C6	C6AWN (NA-001)		11-014	011
23-Mar	26-Mar	CN	CN2R	W7EJ		11-039
23-Mar	2-Apr	CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF		11-040
23-Mar	30-Mar	D2	D2EEX	CT1EEX		11-055
23-Mar		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX		11-056
23-Mar		D6	D69XC (AF-007)	UA9XC		11-056
23-Mar	12-Apr	ER	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH		11-058
23-Mar	24-Mar	F	TM5CI (EU-039)			11-052
23-Mar	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB		11-050
23-Mar	23-Mar	GU	2U0WVG (EU-114)	2E0WVG		11-021
23-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045

23-Mar	30-Mar	HH	HH4/K4QD (NA-096)	K4QD	11-049
23-Mar	1-Apr	I	II0IDP II0IGU II1ICS		11-050
23-Mar	1-Apr	I	II7ICT II9ICF II9IGJ		11-050
23-Mar	27-Mar	J5	J5BI (AF-020)	F6BUM	11-050 027
23-Mar	27-Mar	J7	J75RZ (NA-101)	W2RZS	11-055 045
23-Mar	23-Mar	J7	J79RS (NA-101)		11-055
23-Mar	23-Mar	J7	J79VQ (NA-101)		11-055
23-Mar	25-Mar	JA	8J3YAGI	JA3YKC	11-055
23-Mar	25-Mar	KH6	KH6/JM3PIT (OC-019)	JM3PIT	11-045
23-Mar	26-Mar	KL7	N0RB/KH7	N0RB	11-052
23-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
23-Mar	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	11-055
23-Mar	30-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK5NA (EU-125)	DK5NA	11-050
23-Mar	27-Mar	P4	P49Y (SA-036)	AE6Y	11-051
23-Mar	25-Mar	PJ7	PJ7/W8EB (NA-105)	W8EB	11-009
23-Mar	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050 001
23-Mar	24-Mar	TK	TK/DL1CW	DL1CW	11-051
23-Mar	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY	11-052
23-Mar	25-Mar	V2	V25OP (NA-100)	W9OP	11-050 001
23-Mar	25-Mar	V2	V25WY (NA-100)	W4OWY	11-050 001
23-Mar	28-Mar	V3	V31RG	K4VU	11-049 045
23-Mar	23-Mar	VP5	VP5/W5CW	W5CW	11-047 046
23-Mar	27-Mar	ZL8	ZM8CW ZL8GO (OC-039)	ZL1AMO	11-058 027
23-Mar	25-Mar		4O3B	OH2BH	11-057
24-Mar	25-Mar	3DA0	3DA0EI	EI7CC	11-057
24-Mar	25-Mar	4L	4L2M	4L2M	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	8P	8P1A	NN1N	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	9K	9K2HN	9K2HN	11-058
24-Mar	25-Mar	9M6	9M4DXX	9M2TO	11-050
24-Mar	25-Mar	9M6	9M6/VK8AA		11-012
24-Mar	25-Mar	CN	5C5Z	W7ZR	11-035
24-Mar	25-Mar	CN	5C8A	EA5XX	11-047
24-Mar	25-Mar	CN	5D5A	I2WIJ	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	CN	CN5W		11-045
24-Mar	25-Mar	DU	4E1P		11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	EA	AO1O	EA1EA	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	EA	AO3A		11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	EA	AO4R	EA4TD	11-051
24-Mar	25-Mar	EA8	AN8A	EA8AH	11-058
24-Mar	25-Mar	EA8	ED8D	EA8BHD	11-058
24-Mar	25-Mar	EA8	EF8A	EA8AUW	11-051
24-Mar	25-Mar	EK	EK0B	SP9ERV	11-045
24-Mar	25-Mar	EY	EY3M	QRZ.COM	11-058
24-Mar	25-Mar	F	TM4Q		11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	F	TM6M	F6KHM	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	FM	TO5A	F5VHJ	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	HR	HR2DMR	HR2DMR	11-057
24-Mar	25-Mar	JA	8J1S	bureau	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	KP4	NP3U	WP4U	11-050
24-Mar	25-Mar	LX	LX8M	LX1ER	11-052
24-Mar	25-Mar	P4	P40W	N2MM	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	PJ2	PJ2T	N9AG	
24-Mar	25-Mar	PY	PS5S	PP5MQ	11-057
24-Mar	25-Mar	PY	ZY7C	PT7WA	11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	TA	TA2/AJ3M	AJ3M	11-052
24-Mar	25-Mar	VP5	VP57V	W5CW	11-046
24-Mar	25-Mar	VR2	VR2C	VR2NN	11-045
24-Mar	25-Mar	XE	6F75A	EA5KB	11-054
24-Mar	25-Mar	YB	YE1ZAT		11-055
24-Mar	25-Mar	ZP	ZP0R	W3HNK	11-050
24-Mar	25-Mar		YT6A		11-057
24-Mar	25-Mar		YT6Y	YT6Y	11-055
26-Mar	28-Mar	VP5	VP5HC	W5CW	11-046

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet Friday and Saturday. Expect quiet to unsettled conditions, with isolated active periods on Sunday due to a recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream. Isolated minor storm periods are possible at high latitudes as the coronal hole moves into a geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for March 21, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
2U0WMG/M	2E0WMG	CN5W	EA7FTR	MJ/K8PT	K8PT
3B8/G4BVY	G4BVY	CN8PA	EA7FTR	OA6/IZ7ATN	IZ7ATN
3DA0AM	EI7CC	CO2NB	EA5KB	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM
3DA0DJ	EI7CC	D60VB	UA4WHX	ON60TWS/A	ON5UR
3DA0GI	EI7CC	D69XC	UA9XC	P40W	N2MM
3DA0GV	EI7CC	DP0GVN	DL5EBE	P49Y	AE6Y
3DA0PB	EI7CC	DU9/N0NM	W4DR	PJ2/DF7ZS	DF7ZS
3DA0PM	EI7CC	EK8SK	SP9ERV	PJ2/K2PLF	K2PLF
3DA0RH	EI7CC	EK8WA	SP9ERV	PJ2/WA9YYY	WA9YYY
3DA0WW	ZS6DXB	FP5BZ	F5TJP	PJ5NA	K1NA
3W9HRN	DL1HRN	HF40PAZ	SP6PAZ	PJ7/W8EB	W8EB
3XD2Z	RW3AZ	HH4/K4QD	K4QD	R0UPOL	F8DVD
3XM6JR	UA6JR	HJ4OBA	EA5KB	R80PK	UA3PM
4J15TX	4K4K	HK1JKL	EA5KB	RA9LI/9	UA9LP
4K0CW	DL6KVA	HV0A	IK0FVC	RI1NU	RN1NU
4K9W	DL6KVA	II0IDP	IS0SDX	SC300VL	SK6HD
5Z4/9A3A	9A2AA	II1CS	I1SAF	ST2R	S57DX
6I2MX	XE2MX	II7ICT	IZ7EDQ	ST2T	S57DX
6W/RW3TN/P	RW3TN	II9IGJ	IT9MRM	TK/DL1CW	DL1CW
6W2SC	HA3AUI	IS0/WH0Q	IN3ZNR	TM5CI	F5UBH
8Q7WB	JM1WBB	J28JA	F5JFU	TO5A	F5VHJ
9A950JB	9A3JB	J37T	VE3EBN	UA0AZ	W3HNK
9J2BO	G3TEV	J5BI	F6BUM	UA9ZZ	EA5OL
9M6/SM5GMZ	SM5GMZ	J5UAP	HA3AUI	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
9M6AAC	DL2QT	J5UAR	DL7CM	V25OP	W9OP
9M8/SM5GMZ	SM5GMZ	J75RZ	W2RZS	V25WY	W4OWY
9Q1D	SM5BFJ	KL7J	N3SL	V31RG	K4VU
9Q1EK	SM5DQC	KP3A	W3HNK	VP5/W5CW	W5CW
9Q5MO	PIRATE	LU7HF	EA7FTR	VP8KF	G3VPW
C52T	G0TSM	LX2007G	LX1KC	YN4SU	TI4SU
CN2DP	CT1CDP	LX2007L	LX1KC	YT60W	YU7BCD
CN2NI	CT2HNI	LZ129LO	LZ1KZA	YU60BCD	YU7BCD

CN2QA F5IQA MJ/K3PLV K3PLV ZM8CW ZL1AMO
CN2ZR W7ZR

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<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

Earlier this week we reported there was a proposal of the increase of the IRC and Airmail postage from the US. In looking at the actual USPS Website that does not seem to be the case!

Effective April 2nd United Kingdom postal rates are going up. An airmail 20 gram letter to Europe goes from 44p to 48p. Airmail 10 gram letters to the rest of the world will go from 50p to 54p and 20 gram letters go from 72p to 78p. Surface mail to the rest of the world for 20 grams will go from 42p to 46p. If you need a conversion chart you can find a few at the bottom of this page
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9Q1TB, DK8YY/6W, ST2A, T32MO, TR8CA, V31YN, Z34M

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: HZ1SK, LY3M, TO5A, VR2MY

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DX News

OL75CAV will be a special callsign from the Czech Republic April 22 to mark the 75th anniversary of the founding of "Ceskomoravsti Amateri Vysilaci," the "Czech-Moravian transmitting amateurs." They will be on all bands, CW and SSB, and a little RTTY and PSK. They will have a special QSL card that will go out to anyone they work. Here's their home page: <http://www.c-a-v.com/news.php>. QSL via OK1UU.

K5TT reports that EA6IB put 80,000 QSOs into Logbook of the World this weekend and N5OK said he heard LoTW was down all weekend for a server upgrade. NN1N, David Patton, at the ARRL, confirmed for us that a new server is being installed and this weekend there was to be "database migration testing," and that EA6IB had dumped a bunch of QSOs into the system.

YZ1EW, Dragan Acimovic, announced this past weekend the pilot stations for the upcoming N8S Swains Island DXpedition. YU1AB, Toma, will be handling Europe. KH6BZF, Lee, will be doing the Americas and the Pacific and YU1AA, Antic, will be taking care of Serbia and Eastern Europe. The Swains Island DXpedition will take place between April 4th and 15th. The international team members include YT1AD, K3LP, K1LZ, N6TQS, K6SRZ, RK3AD, RA3AUU, SV2BFN, UR0MC, YZ7AA, YZ1BX, UA4HOX, YU7NU, RU4SU, YU1AU, JT1CO and Z32ZM. After Swains Island, some of the team members will be QRV as 5W5AA from Samoa from April 17th to 24th. Check out the Swains Island DXpedition Web site at <http://www.yt1ad.info/n8s/>. YT1AD will be handling the N8S QSLs while YZ7AA will be doing the 5W5AAA cards.

V63LR will be on the air April 20-23 with JK1QLR, Kei (aka V73KN) operating. He will be on Ulithi Atoll, OC-078. He will be on the HF bands, CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. His next stop will be Yap Island, OC-012, after April 23rd.

CU2/EA1FCH, Pedro, will be on from the Azores - Sao Miguel Island, EU-003, in the Eastern Island Group - June 27 through August 5. He will concentrate on low bands and WARC, mostly CW and digital. QSL via EA1FCH, direct or bureau.

ON50EU, Belgium, will be a special event callsign through December 31. It celebrates the 50 years of the Treaty of Rome. QSL via ON7YX, direct or bureau.

PA50EU, The Netherlands, is on until April to mark the same Treaty of Rome that united Europe. This one by the VERON-Leiden club will be on 80M through 70CM. QSL via the Dutch Bureau, DQB.

5H/7Q7RS, Sigfrido, expects to be on from Tanzania for a year, during his work assignment there. He has applied for a 5H callsign. QSL via IT9YVO.

3B8MM will be back in Mauritius for several weeks starting April 5. He prefers CW but will do some SSTV on 14230 also. He says he will be on 40 or 30M plus or minus 13Z looking for the North American West Coast.

PZ5A planned to be on the air for the WPX SSB this weekend. QSL direct via PZ5RA, Ramon, the QRZ.com address. Note, PZ5A was first activated in the 2003 SSB WPX and QSLs for that operation go via W5UE. The second activation of this special callsign, this 2007 SSB WPX, goes via PZ5RA direct only.

6H1TD was the special Mexican callsign for the WPX SSB. Ops were XE1AY, XE1FRF, XE1FXM, XE1FXF and XE1GRR, all part of the XF4DL Dxpedition team - and another op, XE1GZU. QSL via XE1TD, the info is on QRZ.com.

The ARRL has approved the following for DXCC credit:

DX0JP, Spratly Islands, 2007
9M4SDX, Spratly Islands, 2007
9U9Z, Burundi, 2007
YW0DX, Aves Island, 2007
1A4A, Sovereign Military Order of Malta, 2007

K9MM, John, submitted a couple rare one for DXCC and had them rejected for "no documentation." They were E51PDX and E51PEN, both from the North Cook Islands.

Silent Key

EX8AA, Alexandr Barmushkin, one of Kyrgyzstan's most active hams, passed away February 19th after a long illness. EX8AB, Bek, says all outstanding QSL cards will be answered.

QSN

A52AM - BHUTAN - Akira was on 7079.5 from 2130-2320Z, 3785 at 2030Z, 7032 from 19Z, and various 40 phone frequencies, 7098, 7068 and 7070 between 13-19Z in the WPX contest, 21320 in the 11Z hour, 28495 at 1020Z working other Asian stations, 21320 at 0745Z and 14222 at 07Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

HV0A - VATICAN - W6XK in central California worked HV0A at 0526Z on Sunday on 80 CW, 18 minutes after HV0A sunrise.

UK8GK - UZBEKISTAN - Nemat likes 20M SSB Around 1330Z. QSL via RW6HS.

ZL8 - KERMADEC ISLANDS - Over the last three days, ZL1GQ/8, Aki, or ZM8CW, Jacky, have been showing up on 80M CW between 1000Z and 1200Z. QSL via ZL1AMO.

IOTA

IE9/IQ9PA will be on Ustica Island, EU-051, April 13-15. The ops are IT9ABY, IT9IAS, IT9TFX, IT9YMM, IW9HIK and possibly IT9BLB. QSL direct to IT9TQH.

KA3UNQ, Jim, will be portable April 7-9 from NA-031, Aquidneck, Goat, and Conanicut Islands in Rhode Island. He plans to be on the air from several lighthouses on 40, 20 and 17M SSB. QSL direct to KA3UNQ.

HL1/F5AHO, Jean-Pierre, will be on from some South Korean IOTAs May 2- 20. They are AS-081, AS-060, AS-026, and AS-085. Look for him on 20, 17 and 15M SSB using an FT-857 and a wire ground plane. QSL via his home call, bureau or direct.

425 DX News reports that IZ7ATN, Simon, says he expects to go back to Chile for a second try at activating Pupuya Island, SA-095, by March 27th.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
26-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
26-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
26-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		11-048
26-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN		11-033
26-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
26-Mar	30-Mar	9M6	9M6AAC	DL2QT		11-056
26-Mar	27-Mar	C5	C52T	G0TSM		11-055
26-Mar	26-Mar	C6	C6AWN (NA-001)		11-014	011
26-Mar	26-Mar	CN	CN2R	W7EJ		11-039
26-Mar	2-Apr	CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF		11-040
26-Mar	30-Mar	D2	D2EEX	CT1EEX		11-055
26-Mar		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX		11-056
26-Mar		D6	D69XC (AF-007)	UA9XC		11-056
26-Mar	12-Apr	ER	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH		11-058
26-Mar	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB		11-050
26-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
26-Mar	30-Mar	HH	HH4/K4QD (NA-096)	K4QD		11-049
26-Mar	1-Apr	I	II0IDP II0IGU II1ICS			11-050
26-Mar	1-Apr	I	II7ICT II9ICF II9IGJ			11-050
26-Mar	27-Mar	J5	J5BI (AF-020)	F6BUM	11-050	027
26-Mar	27-Mar	J7	J75RZ (NA-101)	W2RZS	11-055	045
26-Mar	26-Mar	KL7	N0RB/KH7	N0RB		11-052
26-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
26-Mar	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
26-Mar	30-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK5NA (EU-125)	DK5NA		11-050
26-Mar	27-Mar	P4	P49Y (SA-036)	AE6Y		11-051
26-Mar	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
26-Mar	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
26-Mar	28-Mar	V3	V31RG	K4VU	11-049	045
26-Mar	28-Mar	VP5	VP5HC	W5CW		11-046
26-Mar	27-Mar	ZL8	ZM8CW ZL8GO (OC-039)	ZL1AMO	11-058	027
27-Mar	3-Apr	3D2	3D2AP (OC-016)	UX0LL	11-051	042
27-Mar	3-Apr	3D2	3D2TZ (OC-016)	UR7HTZ	11-051	042
27-Mar	3-Apr	3D2	3D2UY (OC-016)	UT5UY	11-051	042
28-Mar	4-Apr	V3	V31IF	W5IF		11-040
30-Mar	1-Apr	F	TP2CE	F6FQK		11-056
31-Mar	9-Apr	6Y	K3TRM/6Y5	K3TRM		11-054
31-Mar	31-Mar		ARRL Honor Roll Deadline		11-056	021

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3DA0EI	EI7CC	DR6IOTA	DM5DX	PZ5A	PZ5RA
3V8BB	YT1AD	ED8BTM	EA8BTM	R1FJM	RX3MM
3W9R	OK1JN	ED8D	EA8BHD	R1FJT	UA4RC
4D9RG	DU9RG	EF8A	EA8AUW	SG60RK	SK1BL
4O3B	OH2BH	EK0B	SP9ERV	SX5P	SV5FRD
5B/AJ2O	RA3AUU	G5O	G3VOU	T97M	K2PF
5C5Z	W7ZR	HG0R	HA0NAR	TA2K	TA2RC
5C8A	EA5XX	HI3C	ON4IQ	TC3D	TA3D
5D5A	I2WIJ	HI3T	ON4IQ	TM2Y	F6BEE
5H/7Q7RS	IT9YVO	HP3XBH	W4WX	TM6M	F6KHM
6I2EX	XE2EX	HZ1FS	EA7FTR	UE1SNA	RA1QQ
6I2MX	K6VNX	HZ1IK	DK7YY	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
6V7E	RW3TN	IS0/WH0Q	IN3ZNR	UU7J	UU0JM
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	KL7OX	K8GG	V25OP	W9OP
7Z1UG	DG1XG	LA3C	LA9DFA	V25WY	W4OWY
8P1A	NN1N	LN3Z	LA9VDA	V44KJ	WB2TSL
8P2K	KU9C	LQ0D	LU3DR	VP5/W5CW	W5CW
9A60Z	9A2DM	LS1D	LW9EOC	VP57V	W5CW
9L1DIR	EA4URE	LT1F	AC7DX	WH2D	K3UOC
9Q5MO	PIRATE	LX7I	LX2A	WP3C	W3HNK
A52AM	JA0JHA	LX8M	LX1ER	XR6T	CE6TC
A61NT	ON5NT	LY7A	LY2ZO	XU7ACD	K3SP
AN8A	OH1RY	M6Q	G0VJG	YZ2A	YZ1AU
AO1O	EA1EA	N0RB/KH7	N0RB	ZF2LC	W2SM
AO4R	EA4TD	NP3U	WP4U	ZL1GO/8	ZL1AMO
AY7X	WD9EWK	OH0R	OH2PM	ZM8CW	ZL1AMO
BV0L	BV2KI	OL7T	OK2BXU	ZP0R	W3HNK
C4M	5B4AGM	OT5A	ON7LR	ZS9X	K3PD
CN2R	W7EJ	PA50EU	PD0NTB	ZY100S	PY5CA
CN5W	EA7FTR	PJ2T	N9AG	ZY7C	PT7WA
D44AC	D44AC	PJ7/W8EB	W8EB		

On QSLs for 3C0M, the October/November, 2006 single-man Dxpedition by EA5BYP, Elmo has had trouble getting the cards printed in Madrid, but finally has gotten them. He has now sent out the first hundred direct ones. He will try to get another hundred out each day this week.

IZ8CCW, Antonio, is the new QSL manager for 3V8SF, the Scout radio station at SFAX. He can now confirm QSLs made January 1, 2007 and after. He's still waiting for the older logs.

4Z5KJ, Alex, reminds us that his QSL manager is W0MM, Laurent D. Thomin, 1615 Beaconsire Rd., Houston, TX 77077-3817 USA. Alex often travels to other countries and likes to get on the air from lighthouses. He has some photos at <http://kajotus.fotoplenka.ru/album290041/>.

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9A8A, BX5AA, CQ0ODX, CT3DL, DP1POL, EA6IB, ES1GF, HI3TEJ, HZ1SK, IZ0GKB, LY3W, OK2ZC, OK3C, RX1AP, RX3AGD, SP3BGD, SP8NR, TO5A, UA3AP, UA9JLL, VK6HG, WP4WW and ZP6CW.

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The ARRL DXCC Desk has removed the 10 year rule for DXCC Card Checkers. "Card checkers can now check cards for current entities only, dating back to November 15, 1945", says NC1L, Bill Moore. 160 meter cards and deleted entities must still be check by the DXCC Desk.
DXCC Card Checkers can now also check cards for both the Worked All States (WAS) and VHF/UHF Century Club (VUCC) Awards. Theses two new award checking possibilities are an option and not a requirement of the checkers.

The 7th World High Speed Telegraphy (HST) Championship will be held September 19-23, 2007 in Belgrade, Serbia (<http://www.hst2007.org/>) .
Special event call YU07HST is now QRV through the end of this year.
QSL via YU1FJK.

The upcoming Swains Island DXpedition (N8S) is now expected to come up one day earlier than originally planned. YZ1EW, Acim, says the team will depart for the new one on April 2nd. The Swains Island DXpedition Web site can be found at <http://www.yt1ad.info/n8s/index.html> .

K9MM, John, follow ups after reporting his QSLs for E51PDX and E51PEN, from the North Cook Islands, were rejected March 9th by the DXCC Desk.
He received his application back from Newington on March 23rd. John received an email from another DXer and as of March 22nd documentation for these two operations has been received and is OK for DXCC per NC1L, Bill Moore.

There have been some rumors going around about the new prefix for Montenegro. As of Monday March 26th there still is no official International Telecommunication Union (ITU) prefix block assigned to the new republic. Montenegro was added to the DXCC list on June 28, 2006. The governments of both Serbia and Montenegro agreed last year that Amateur Radio ops from the fledgling country would use the following prefixes until an official decision takes place. Those prefixes are 4N3, 4N6, 4O3, 4O6, YT3, YT6, YU3, YU6, YZ3 and YZ6. Afterwards the ITU officials assigned the task of picking one or two of the current Serbian prefixes (4N, 4O, YT, YU, YZ) to Montenegro. As of the moment no agreement has been made. Some Amateur Radio operators from Montenegro are hoping for the Z7 prefix, but the ITU has not assigned any callsign block to the new state. The ITU's official Table of International Call Sign Series can be seen at http://www.itu.int/cgi-bin/htsh/glad/cga_callsign.sh?lng=E .

Special Event Station OX60AD
By OX3PG/KD4POJ, Wayne Lipscomb

Special Event station OX60AD marks the 60th Birthday of the U.S. Air Force, 56th anniversary of Operation Blue Jay and the 1951 Defense Agreement between Denmark and the United States and Greenland Home Rule, that establishing the Thule Defense Area, for the protection of Greenland and North America. Operations will start April 1 until April 30, 2007.

The base itself was built under the secret code name "Operation Blue Jay". The original construction was completed in only 104 days. Thule is now combined effort of U.S., Canadian, Danish and Greenlandic personnel, working together to ensure the safety and security of North America and Greenland.

Thule Air Base is located on the northwest coast of Greenland, 700 miles north of the Arctic Circle and approximately 946 miles from the North Pole.

Please come join our celebration of the Birthday of the United States Air Force and the Celebration of the cooperation between the United States, Denmark and Greenland Home Rule.

Operations: 6m (50.145 +/-) 10m, 15m, 17m, 20m, 40/80m Modes: CW, PSK, RTTY, HELL, SSB Operators: Dennis OX3UR (QSL manager, Co Director), Dwayne OX3PG/KD4POJ (Co Director), Johnny OX3WM, Max OX3PJ and various guest Operators.

QSN

5R8GZ - MADAGASCAR - Albert was doing PSK on 7071 today just before 0330Z. QSL via G3SWH.

AH0/WK3D - MARINA ISLANDS - Look for Nob daily on or about 18128 from 2200 to 2300Z until April 1st. WK3D is Nob's US call, but please QSL via JF2MBF.

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AS-083	RA9LI/9	14260	1224	EU-170	9A4A	14038	0740
EU-004	EA6BH	14072	1717	NA-101	J75RZ	7008	0435
EU-009	MM0EAX	7094	1928	SA-006	PJ2/DF7ZS	18157	2043
EU-015	SV9CVY	14202	2014				

Members of the Radio Club Ushuaia will be operating special call AY7X from Redonda Island (SA-049) from 2200Z March 30th through 1200Z April 2nd. Activity will be on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 meters CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via WD9EWK.

JA1GLE/6, JA3BKM/6, JA4JBZ/6 and JR8GZU/6 will be active Tokara Is (AS-049) from May 3rd to 8th. They will be QRV on the HF bands and 6 meters. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

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Late last week V51AS, Frank, received his mail drop QSLs from Germany.
He will answer these cards in the next week or so.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4O3T, 5T5DY, CX5TR, DX0JP,
EA9/EA7RU, HK1/AC8W, HS0ZDY, J6/KD7WPJ, KP2/K3CT, MM0XAU (EU-012), PJ4A,
PJ4/KU8E, PY2DU, TR8CA, V31FG, VP2EST, VP8DIZ, W2IRT/C6A, WH2D, XT2C, YX0LIX,
ZP6CW

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9A8A, BX5AA, HI3TEJ, OK2ZC, P40LE,
UO5OAS, VE6JY

Correction

QSL Manager W3HNC, Joe, reports QSL requests for C4M go via W3HNC.

On The WWW

F6BUM, Jack, has put his J5BI logs on his Web site at -
<http://www.f6bum.net/logbook/search.html> .

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DX News

During the EA RTTY Contest, April 7/8, look for the new contest station from Palencia Province, AO1A, to be QRV. This will be a multi-op effort by EA2RY and EB1ISN. QSL via EB1ISN.

Those going to Visalia and planning to attend the Contest Dinner can now make their reservations at <http://www.mldxcc.com/contestdinner2007.html>. This year's speaker will be K3LR, Tim Duffy, who will be presenting about his "K3LR Superstation".

W7YAQ (E51PDX, E51YAQ), Bob, and N7OU (E51PEN, E51NOU), Bill, sent their original paper work to the DXCC Desk in January of this year. Somewhere between Oregon and Newington the paper work was lost. The November 2006 paper work was resubmitted to the ARRL DXCC Desk and has since been approved. Both Bob and Bill apologize "for the inconvenience" and thank DXers for their patience.

A special event HF station, GB95MGY will be operated by members of Wey Valley Amateur Radio Group in Godalming, England, from 1000Z 14 April to 0547Z on 16 April, 2007, on the occasion of the 95th anniversary of the sinking of RMS Titanic in 1912. The station celebrates the heroism of the ship's wireless operator, Jack Phillips, born and bred in Godalming, whose morse distress messages led to the saving of more than 700 lives. All bands 80m - 15m, CW only, 15 kHz up from band edge. They will be QSLing 100%.

Change you DX calendars. The N8S DXpedition will now begin one day earlier than originally announced. The new beginning date will be April 3rd.

The 4th Ponente Ligure DX meeting will take place in Imperia, Italy on May 19th. They will have speakers talking about contests and DXpeditions including J20MM/J20RR, WRTC 2006, IH9P, 1A4A, WAP, and other local topics. DXCC, WAS and IOTA cards checking will be possible. For more information on this event check <http://www.ariloano.it> and <http://www.arimperia.net>.

QSN

5W1VE - SAMOA - Udo likes 14025 after 0600Z. QSL via DL9HCU.
9M2AX - WEST MALAYSIA - Ross continues to show up on 1831.5 just after 2300Z.
C31BO - ANDORRA - Archie started up today on 7005 just before 0530Z.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Remi still shows up most days on 1831 around 1100Z.

H44MS - SOLOMON ISLANDS - Bernhard was working Central and Southern Europeans on 17 meters SSB today around 0915Z. QSL via DL2GAC.

JD1/JE7IZM - OGASAWARA ISLANDS - Was working Europe and Asia on 21250 today between 0820 and 0930Z.

P29KN - PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Made a surprise visit to 18080 Wednesday after 0730Z. This is the same op that was QRV last week as V73KN. No word on how long he will be here. QSL via JK1QLR.

UK8FF - UZBEKISTAN - Anwar started today on CW on 18073 at 0915Z and then was doing RTTY on 18102 at 1130Z. QSL via W3HNK.

V63J - MICRONESIA - Mike began operations today on 30 CW just prior to 1200Z. QSL via K9AJ.

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EU-015	SV9CVY	14215	1749	OC-026	AH2L	1824	0958
EU-024	IM0/IK0FMB	14263	1439	SA-012	YV5AGS/7	7022	0248

The Italian op who was supposed to be QRV from Pupuya Island (SA-095) has not and will be make it to this rare one. Rumor has it that a group of CE ops are planning something soon. No other details at the moment.

Starting April 30th F5JNE, Francois, will be visiting his son on Belle Ile en Mer Island (EU-048). He'll be there for two weeks and QRV during his evenings on the HF bands mostly on CW. On May 1st he and F5IRH, Max, will operate from Grands Cardinaux Island (also EU-048). Then on May 5th Francois will be on from Ile aux Chevaux Island (also EU-048). During this operation he'll be mostly on 40 and 80 CW and SSB. QSL all via home calls.

7L3ATQ/1 plans to operate from Hachijo Island (AS-043) on March 31st and April 1st. Look for him on the HF bands, 6 meters, VHF and UHF. QSL via 7L3ATQ.

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9H9JR	DJ0QJ	IA6IPY	IZ6GSQ	V31RG	K4VU
AI4VU	JT1CO	J37LR	VE3EBN	VK6LB	DL7AFS
CT3AS	DJ8FW	KH2/JR4GPA	JR4GPA	WK3D/AH0	JF2MBF
EA8/OH2BAD	OH2BAD	PJ2/DF7ZS	DF7ZS	ZA1E	I2MQP

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On The WWW

Contesters and DXers can get a copy of the latest issue of Contest Club Finland's "PileUP!" at http://www.helsinki.fi/~korpela/PU/PU1_2007.pdf . This issue 11(1) includes supplementary audio files, 3 Mbytes each:

http://www.helsinki.fi/~korpela/PU/CCF_PileUP_CW.mp3
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DX News

JE2HCJ, Skip, is planning to go the Ogasawara Islands (JD1/O) on vacation from April 16 to 25. He will be QRV as JE2HCJ/JD1 with a long wire. Activity will be on 6 through 160 meters, mainly on CW on the low bands, between April 20th and 25th. QSL via JE2HCJ.

JK1QLR (V73KN) is now QRV as P29KN from Loloata Island (OC-240), Papua New Guinea until March 30th. He will be operating from Ulithi Atoll (OC-078), Micronesia from April 20th to 22nd. Next he will be operating from Yap Island (OC-012), Micronesia, after April 23rd. QSL all via JK1QLR.

March 30th and 31st European Union (EU) foreign ministers will be meeting in Bremen, Germany with the with the first order of business being Kosovo. The meeting "chaired by German Foreign Minister Frank- Walter Steinmeier, will review EU plans to play a key role in Kosovo under the United Nations plan for supervised independence for the province". Monday March 26th the European Parliament's Foreign Affairs Committee met and approved the Ahtisaari proposal without mentioning Kosovo's independence, which is a touchy subject for both Serbia and Russia. Officials in Brussels and Washington support the UN plan for Kosovo's supervised independence, which is expected to be voted on some time in April or May.

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
5Q0PI	OZ6PI	HH4/K4QD	K4QD	UK8FF	W3HMK
5Q2A	OZ2A	LZ07IPY	LZ3SM	V31IF	W5IF
BD7YK	BA4CH	P29KN	JK1QLR	V63J	K9AJ
EY8CQ	DJ1MM	R7C/ANT	RZ3EC		

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Some DXers have had difficulties getting QSL cards from stations in Moldova. Most of them do QSL. ON7YX (OR2A), Ron, reports the following Moldovan QSLs were received this month via the bureau:

ER3R, ER3GS, ER2RM, ER4BAU, ER4OK, ER3HW, ER5DX, ER3ZZ, ER0ITU, ER5OK, ER3CT, ER3ZW, ER2NB, ER3MM, ER1VS, ER5OQ, ER5GB, ER3AC, ER60V, ER7HQ, ER5AA, ER27A, ER1DA and ER60EM.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3COM, 5T5DY, LZ0A, UK9AA and XT2C

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: ST/ZS5ADU

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: AM6IB, AN6IB, BV5GQ, BX5AA, EA1CUB, ED6IB, OK1DUG and ON4AEK

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DX News

OZ6OM, Matt reports the telecom authority of Denmark (ITST), have now started issuing calls from the new prefix blocks for Greenland XP, Faroe Islands OW and Denmark OU, OV, 5P and 5Q. So far most licenses have been issued with the prefix 5P. Around 15-25 stations were active on March 28th and 29th. Many more are expected to follow in the coming days, as numerous applicants report having not received their new certificate yet.

ARRL Grants Colvin Awards To DXpeditions From The ARRL Web

The ARRL has granted Colvin awards to two April 2007 DXpeditions. The N8S Swains Island DXpedition, set to run April 3-15, will receive \$5000, and the 2007 Scarborough Reef (BS7H) DXpedition, set for 10 days in late April, will receive \$8500. Both DXCC entities are at or near the top of the most-wanted lists. The planned September 3B7C DXpedition to St Brandon also will benefit from a \$5000 ARRL Colvin Award support grant. The Colvin Award was established in 1994 with the proceeds of a life insurance policy purchased by renowned DXer Lloyd Colvin, W6KG (SK), naming the League as beneficiary. The award is conferred in the form of grants in support of Amateur Radio projects that promote international goodwill in the field of DX. From the 1960s into the early 1990s, Lloyd Colvin and his wife Iris, W6QL, activated more than 100 DXCC entities.

Because You Asked

Are you aware of any site that lists of all of the approved operations for DXCC? W7WK has a Web page that does keep track of that information. Check it out at <http://home.bresnan.net/~w7wkmt/dxtidbits.txt> .

Is W3UR going to Visalia? Dayton? I will not be going to Visalia this year. I will be attending Dayton, but not as a vendor.

Last Minute Update on V63 IOTA DXpedition Itinerary From K9AJ, Mike McGirr

Today we finalized our itinerary with the boat captain, and obtained our permission from the Council of Chiefs of the Outer Islands to conduct our IOTA operations.

Our planned itinerary (dates & times are local Yap):

April 1 depart Yap approx 1700
April 2 arrive OC-180 before dawn, land after sunrise April 3 depart OC-180
approx 1300 April 4 arrive OC-277p approx 1330 April 7 depart OC-277p approx
1700 April 8 arrive Yap approx 1430

April 11 charter flight to OC-132
April 14 charter flight back to Yap

Island names:

OC-180 Ngulu
OC-277p Sorol
OC-132 Woleai

We look forward to our operations and will try, to our best, to avoid the Swains
pile-ups.

73's....IT9YRE/V63RE, I1SNW/V63NW & K9AJ/V63J

QSN

- 3D2UU - FIJI - RA3AUU, Harry, started up early today. He's been on 20 and 30 CW so far. He's one of the Swains Island ops (N8S), expected to be QRV next week. QSL via RA3AUU.
- 5H3XC - TANZANIA - Andy is back in Tanzania after his D69XC operations from Comoros Island. Thursday he was operating as 5I3A. QSL all via UA9XC.
- A52AM - BHUTAN - Likes 17 meters around 0800Z. For the North American DXers he was on 14200 today just before 0200Z. QSL via JA0JHA.
- AH2L - GUAM - Topband ops look for this one near 1824 around 1000Z and again at 1800Z.
- KH8/K6SRZ - AMERICAN SAMOA - Dr. Alan is another N8S op on his way to Swains. He has been QRV the last two days on 20 and 40 CW. Alan is supposedly operating from the shack of AH8LG. QSL KH8/K6SRZ via K6SRZ.
- P29KN - PAPUA NEW GUINEA - 30 meter ops reported this semi-rare one on 10110 Thursday after 1200Z. QSL via JK1QLR.
- TT8HA - CHAD - Hans was found yesterday around 1315Z on 21285.
- UK8AR - UZBEKISTAN - US West Coast ops were working Mike on 14026 yesterday around 02Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AF-049	3B8/RX3DD	21071	1457	EU-023	9H9JR	14295	1628

AS-030	JE7IZM/JD1	7062 0922	EU-079	LA9SN/P	14256 1803
EU-009	GM3POI	14260 2145	EU-085	UA1ZDA/1	14180 0745
EU-009	MM0EAX	14257 1144	OC-240	P29KN	14233 0815
EU-023	9H4DX	18127 1628			

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref Vol-No
30-Mar	3-Apr	3D2	3D2AP (OC-016)	UX0LL	11-051 042
30-Mar	3-Apr	3D2	3D2TZ (OC-016)	UR7HTZ	11-051 042
30-Mar	3-Apr	3D2	3D2UY (OC-016)	UT5UY	11-051 042
30-Mar	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX	11-040
30-Mar		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058 023
30-Mar		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU	
30-Mar	31-Mar	6W	6W/RW3TN	RW3TN	11-033
30-Mar	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI	11-024
30-Mar	30-Mar	9M6	9M6AAC (OC-088)	DL2QT	11-056
30-Mar	2-Apr	CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF	11-040
30-Mar	30-Mar	D2	D2EEX	CT1EEX	11-055
30-Mar		D6	D60VB (AF-007)	UA4WHX	11-056
30-Mar		D6	D69XC (AF-007)	UA9XC	11-056
30-Mar	12-Apr	ER	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH	11-058
30-Mar	1-Apr	F	TP2CE	F6FQK	11-056
30-Mar	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB	11-050
30-Mar	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC	11-045
30-Mar	30-Mar	HH	HH4/K4QD (NA-096)	K4QD	11-049
30-Mar	1-Apr	I	II0IDP II0IGU II1ICS		11-050
30-Mar	1-Apr	I	II7ICT II9ICF II9IGJ		11-050
30-Mar	2-Apr	LU	AY7X (SA-049)	WD9EWK	11-061
30-Mar	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
30-Mar	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	11-055
30-Mar	30-Mar	OZ	OZ/DK5NA (EU-125)	DK5NA	11-050
30-Mar	30-Mar	P2	P29KN (OC-240)	JK1QLR	11-063 062
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QSL Info

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3D2UU	RA3AUU	9H3GM	DK1BT	LU1ECZ	EA5KB
5H3XC	UA9XC	A52AM	JA0JHA	TF3ZA	KT6YL
5I3A	UA9XC	CO8ZZ	DK1WI	TI7/DL2AWG	DL2AWG
5P1AA	LX1NO	FK8GX	W3HNC	TL8CK	F6EWM
5P5V	OZ4VV	H44MK	K1ER	TP2CE	F5LGF
5P6PI	OZ6PI	HP3DX	W4WX	V31IF	W5IF
5Q0PI	OZ6PI	KH8/K6SRZ	K6SRZ	VK8NSB	VK6NE
6H1IM	XE1IM				

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For those who are having a problem confirming QSOs with Azerbaijani stations 4K4C (ex 4K9C), Boris, suggests sending IRCs. It seems the US dollars are being stolen at the Post Office in Baku.

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On The WWW

Here is a nice Japanese map with call areas (districts) and Prefectures - http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-2_Awards/waja_map.pdf

9Q1EK, Georges, has written about his 160 meter activity on his blog at <http://ve2ek.blogspot.com> .

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DX News

Despite some apparently erroneous reports of even earlier activity, the N8S Swains Island operation is still expected, by us, to go on the air tomorrow, April 3. There are 17 operators, YT1AD, K3LP, K1LZ, N6TQS, RK3AD, RA3AUU, SV2BFN, K6SRZ, YU7NU, YZ7AA, YZ1BX, UR0MC, UA4HOX, RU4SU, YU1AU, JT1CO and Z32ZM. Look for them on:

CW - 1825, 3505, 7005, 10105, 14020, 18075, 21020, 24895, 28020 SSB - 1835, 3795, 7082, 14200, 14265, 18150, 21295, 21295, 24950, 28495

RTTY - 1835, 3582, 7035, 10145, 14081, 18100, 21081, 24920, 28081 SSTV - 3723, 7035, 14230, 21230, 28680 PSK - 1835, 3582, 7035, 10145, 14081, 18100, 21081, 24920, 28081

The N8S group also expect to be on 60 meters (5403.5 kHz), and 6 and 2M EME with WSJT65 A, B and C on 50.375 and 144.375. Pilot stations are YU1AB for Europe, KH6BZF for the Americas and Pacific and YU1AA for Serbia and Eastern Europe. QSL via YT1AD. The operation's website is <http://www.yt1ad.info/n8s/index.html>

ND9M (ex-WB9IHH), Jim, will return to Diego Garcia, where he has the callsign VQ9JC, in early April for another four-month tour. He says he spends about 85 percent of his operating time on CW, 10 percent on SSB and five percent on digital. He ops 80-10M. Jim says he has to take a boat from his ship, where he is one of the few remaining radio officers, to the island where the ham shack is located. He usually cannot be on the air before 1200Z. Jim must QRT by 1635Z Sundays through Thursdays and by 1735Z Fridays and Saturdays to get back to the ship. He will occasionally stay overnight to work early morning DX. QSL via ND9M bureau or direct. His XYL will forward the direct requests every three weeks and mail takes about two weeks to get to him. Jim notes that he's continually surprised at the number of invalid IRCs sent, not just the few old style ones that expired in 2006 but most are invalid because they were not stamped by the issuing post office. He's gotten dozens of invalid ones already this year. He's going to have to answer via the bureau on those.

World traveler UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, has left Comoros (D60VB) and is now back again in Malawi as 7Q7VB. His length of stay and next stop are, like always, unknown. Look for activity on CW and SSB on all bands. Hold off on your QSLs until Vladimir is back home in Russia.

W3UR will send a complete listing of all calls once this Middle East/African junket is complete.

AH2L says he will be QRT on 160 the next several days due to the passage of a typhoon through the KH2/KH0 islands. He will resume 48 to 72 hours after the winds subside.

DL2AH, Ulli, says his next operation will be September 29-October 12 from ZK2, Niue, then October 17-30 from ZL7, Chatham, and the following two weeks from VK9N, Norfolk Island. He'll have an FT-897 and loops for 40-10, on SSB and RTTY.

K9GY, Eric, returns to Nassau, New Providence Island, the Bahamas for the 2007 WPX CW the last weekend of May. He will be on 80-10 in the contest and will also do 6 and 2 outside the contest.

CN5W, Morocco, will be on for the WPX CW May 26-27 as well, with operator F6IRF and SV3SJ operating, multi-single. They will operate from the CN8MC club station in Rabat and will have their log on LoTW afterward.

WP3C plans to be on for the WPX CW from Puerto Rico, single op all band low power. QSL via W3HMK.

ZF1A will be manned by K6AM, W5ASP and KG5U in the WPX CW from the Cayman Islands, a multi-single. QSL via W5ASP direct, or via the bureau, or "via" LoTW.

J3A, Grenada, will be a multi-multi operation for next October's (27-28) CQWW SSB. Operators signed on are AC8G, K1EP, K8LEE, KA7KUZ, W8CAA, W8GEX, W8KKF, WA8LOW and WC4D.

TI5N, Costa Rica, will be a multi-single in the CQWW SSB, with N6JRL, N3TQU, N0ZUQ, KB0RLJ and WA6IFI operating.

The Union Francaise des Telegraphistes, UFT, the French Morse club, will have their annual convention April 28-29 in Plouguerneau, near Breast, in Brittany, France. Speakers will talk about the XT2C and 5T5DY operations. More info and translation tool are at www.uft.net.

Hams from the Nixa Amateur Radio Club will be on from the Titanic Museum in Branson, Missouri, USA with the W0S callsign April 14-15 to mark the 95th anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic.

5Z4/IK4ALM, Alessandro, will be on from Kenya between March 30 and April 10. He will be on holiday style with his 100-watt rig to a ground plane. He likes SSB. QSL to his home callsign.

GB2BST will be a special event station from Bramshaw, England, April 6- 9. It marks the 200 years since the optical telegraph first operated on that site. The Bramshaw Shutter Telegraph was one of many linking London and Plymouth for Britain's "Admiralty." The ops for this one will be M0XIG and G4POF. QSL via M0XIG direct or bureau.

Special event station IU8SF from Italy will be on from time to time from today through May 14th for the 500th anniversary of the death of Saint Francis of Paola, patron saint of boatmen, mariners and naval officers. QSL via IK8WEJ. There's information on a related award at <http://www.qrz.com/callsign/iu8sf> .

Merchant marine radio officers from several countries plan activities for April 14-15 for Radio Maritime Day, 80-10M CW. Further info is available on <http://www.radiomaritimeday.org>.

II1ICB, Italy, will be on April 14-15 for Radio Maritime Day representing coast radio station ICB, Genova Radio. The ops manning this one will be I1ZB, IK1QBT, I1NVU, IZ1GAR, IK1AUS and IK1FXX.

OK32OLP will be a special event station representing the former HF coast radio station Praharadio, OLP. It operated from 1975-2000. The operators putting it on the air will be OK1DNJ, OK1DX, OK1FCA and OK1FCJ, all former radio officers. QSL this one via OK1DRQ direct or bureau.

8N3IAAF, Japan, will be on until September 9th to mark the 11th IIAF World Championships. The athletic games will be held in Osaka August 25 through September 2. QSL via the bureau.

3DA0FC, Swaziland, will be on April 5-9, 80-10M including WARC. The operators are ON4AEO, ON7BK, ZS6VWD and ZS6EMH. QSL via ON4CJK. Web pages: <http://www.3da0fc.be> and <http://www.filipstattooshop.be/swaziland>.

The 7P8DX has had some ops pull out, ZS1ROY and ZS1ZL. This puts financial pressure on the remaining team members and they're short about \$700 (500 Euros). "All donations would be greatly appreciated." Still going are ZS1RA, ZS1FJ and ZS1APB. They're scheduled for April 5-12, operating from Lesotho's highest point, the north border escarpment in the Drakensburg Range. They will be on 80-15M, emphasizing the lower bands.

A group of adventurous Belgians will be on from Mali, TZ, starting today, through April 7. Ops ON4LN (TZ2T), ON5CD (TZ1T), ON4FG (TZ4T) and ON3VK (callsign to be announced) will operate from Bamako. Some of their prefixes have never been on the air before. They plan to be on 160-10M SSB, CW and digital with two simultaneous stations, maybe more, their band plan following the good propagation, but they hope to get some good time on the lower and WARC bands. QSL direct to ON4LN for all of them, or via the bureau to individual callsigns. Website: <http://mali2007.obox.be/>.

VK8AA will be in the CQWW SSB single op single band 40, with VK2CZ operating. He'll have stacked yagis. QSL via VK6NE.

HA7TM flies to Guinea-Bissau April 14th for his J5UTM operation. He'll be on the air April 14-21 with an IC-706, 500 watt amplifier, a "DunaX Gps" antenna for 40-10M and dipoles for lower bands. He'll refresh his on-line log every two days. It will be at <http://ha7tm.uw.hu/7tmlog/searc.html>. (Note, this is the address as we received it, "searc," not "search." If it doesn't work, try "search.")

A group of South African hams will be visiting "Hell" for an operation April 27-30. Also known as Gamkaskloof, Gamka's Valley, or "The Hell," this is a spot in the Swartberg Mountains of the southern cape area. They will have the callsign ZS1HELL. The devilish ops are ZS1YT, ZS1KC, ZR1JHD, ZS1GVB, ZR1CE, ZS1DUP, ZS1GUD, ZS1GP, ZS1XX and ZS1OLI. Apparently V73GOD will not be joining them. They will be on 160, 80, 40 and 20M. QSL via P.O. Box 273, Strand, 7140, South Africa. For more info, go to <http://www.diehel.com>.

Organizers remind us about the Dayton Topband Dinner. It will be at the Barnsider Restaurant Friday night beginning at 6:15 PM, with a presentation by the VU7RG (Lakshadweep/Laccadives) lowband group. Cost, \$29. Contact k8gg@arrl.net to reserve a place.

W2CQ says PJ2MI is back in Curacao after relocating from the Netherlands.

Silent Key

W4BAA, Dewitt L. Jones, passed on January 29th after a long illness.

G3KMA, the RSGB IOTA Manager, says Dewitt was the IOTA Committee Member for North America from 1990-2001. Dewitt was active on the HF bands and was active from Captiva Island, NA-069, from the 80s into the 90s. He was not active the last few years. Says `KMA, "Dewitt will be long remembered as a great from of IOTA."

QSN

A52AM - BHUTAN - Found on 3800 at 2125Z, 3793.5 from 2000Z and 7058 before that. QSL via JA0JHA.

EY7AF - TAJIKISTAN - 30 meters, 10120 at 2150Z, 10110 at 0015Z Saturday, the first time he's been found on the air in a week and a half.

FT5XQ/MM - Maritime Mobile - Gil was QRV from near Kerguelen Island, but not actually on the island. QSL via F4EFI.

HV0A - VATICAN - 160 meters, 1830 at 0220Z Saturday, Roberto operating through 05Z, and in the 18-2130Z time block. Also, 14175 from 09-14Z, 14181 0620-09Z, 7082 from 0915-1030Z then 7040 RT"TY `til 1600Z. And, 3508 from 2140-2240Z.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Saturday - 17 meters - opening to the U.S. West Coast. And 14170 from 1900-2050Z Sunday. QSL via F5JFU.

V85SS - SULTANATE OF BRUNEI - Ambran was parked on 10105 Sunday from just before 1300Z until 1800Z.

IOTA

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AS-083	RA9LIE	14165	1030	NA-102	FG1GW	14188	2200
AS-117	JE7JIS/7	7059	0420	NA-107	FM5DR	7085	2320
EU-004	EA6AEI	14260	1740	OC-148	YB9ZNT	14200	1430
EU-029	5P7Y	7054	1925	SA-002	VP8LP	14128	2000
EU-031	IC8OZM	14017	1530	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	28495	1720
EU-055	LA9SN/P	10120	1635	SA-027	PP5AVM	21022	1325
EU-131	I3THJ	14261	1610	SA-049	AY7X	7016	0045
NA-021	8P9NX	18138	2010				

GM3YOR, Drew, plans some casual operations this year, GM3YOR/P from Isle of Islay, EU-008 in the Inner Hebrides May 19-26 and SV5/GM3YOR from Symi, EU-001, Dodecanese, September 15-30. He takes along his TS- 50 and wire antennas, operating when he has time available.

JS6RRR/JS6, Take, will be on Okinawa, AS-017, April 13-16, then Miyako Island, AS-079, April 27-May 7. He'll be on HF, CW, SSB, RTTY, SSTV and FM. QSL via the JARL Bureau.

OH10TA, Parainen Island, EU-096, will be on April 25-29. QSL via IZ0EHO. More info: www.oh10ta.com .

DL1TM and DJ4MG will go OZ/home call from Vendsyssel-Thy, Nordjylland Island, EU-171, April 10-26, 160-15M and 2M. They like to op during Central European daytime on 40 and 20M SSB, mostly 20 near 14260. QSL to their home calls' QRZ.com addresses.

WA3EOP/p, Page (YL), will be on Conanicut Island, Rhode Island, USA, NA-031, July 18, in the afternoon and evening. KZ3AB, Al, joins her at 19Z. Look for them on 14266, 14332, 7178 and 3902 and on the Century Club nets on 80 and 40. The Beavertail Lighthouse they plan to operate from will be pictured on their QSL.

F5SGI/p, Jean-Marc, will be on Groix Island, EU-048, April 7-13, mostly CW, 80-10M. QSL via the bureau.

IZ3HER/p, Matteo, was scheduled to be on Sant'Ariano Island, EU-131, March 31, 40 and 20M, 08-14Z. QSL via IK3GES.

SM6CVX, Hans, and G3KHZ are activating two new Papua New Guinea island groups, including Tauu Island, OC-283; Nukumanu Island, OC-284; and Tulun, OC-256 or Nuguria, OC-257. This effort will be September 25- October 15. They will be on "all bands CW and SSB." They will have QSL info and callsigns later. They have hired a boat and say costs will be very high, about \$30,000 U.S. for the two operators. These islands are far from the main island and they have special permission to land. They will also try to get on 160 and 80M with good antennas. They will try to have six days on each of the first two islands, with the last two being bonus.

Four Portuguese hams plan an operation from Corvo Island, EU-089, April 11-16 with the callsign CU9RBL. They will be on 160-10M SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY. Ops are CT1CHT, CT1GZI, CT1GRU and CT2JFR. All contacts will be QSLed without requests. More info on <http://www.ARBL.org> .

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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2-Apr	3-Apr	3D2	3D2TZ (OC-016)	UR7HTZ	11-051	042
2-Apr	3-Apr	3D2	3D2UY (OC-016)	UT5UY	11-051	042
2-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
2-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
2-Apr		5W	5W1VE (OC-097)	DL9HCU		
2-Apr	12-Apr	6W	by SM5GMZ			11-038
2-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
2-Apr	9-Apr	6Y	K3TRM/6Y5 (NA-097)	K3TRM		11-054
2-Apr	2-Apr	CT3	CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF		11-040
2-Apr	12-Apr	ER	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH		11-058
2-Apr	2-Apr	GM	MM0LSB/P (EU-008)	M0LSB		11-050
2-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
2-Apr	13-Apr	J6	J68WI (NA-108)	WB5ZAM		11-009
2-Apr	2-Apr	LU	AY7X (SA-049)	WD9EWK		11-061
2-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
2-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
2-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
2-Apr	14-Apr	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV		11-050
2-Apr	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001

2-Apr	7-Apr	TI	TI1DX	TI8AA	11-037
2-Apr	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY	11-052
2-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ#?	ON3VK	11-031 016
2-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ1T	ON5CD	11-031 016
2-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ2T	ON4LN	11-031 016
2-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ4T	ON4FG	11-031 016
2-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ6PVI	ON7ASL	11-031
2-Apr	4-Apr	V3	V31IF	W5IF	11-040
2-Apr	3-Apr	V6	V63J (OC-180)	K9AJ	11-064 040
2-Apr	3-Apr	V6	V63RE (OC-180)	IT9YRE	11-064 040
2-Apr	3-Apr	V6	V63WN (OC-180)	I1SNW	11-064 040
3-Apr	15-Apr	KH8/S	N8S (Swains Island OC-200)	YT1AD	11-062 060 054
4-Apr	7-Apr	V6	V63J (OC-277)	K9AJ	11-064 040
4-Apr	7-Apr	V6	V63RE (OC-277)	IT9YRE	11-064 040
4-Apr	7-Apr	V6	V63WN (OC-277)	I1SNW	11-064 040
5-Apr		3B8	3B8MM		11-060
5-Apr	9-Apr	3DA0	3DA0FC	ON4CJK	11-040
5-Apr	12-Apr	7P	7P8DX		11-055 054 050
7-Apr	8-Apr	EA	A01A	EB1ISN	11-062
7-Apr	13-Apr	F	F5SGI/p (EU-048)	F5SGI	11-022
7-Apr	11-Apr	I	IR8DX (EU-144)	IK8VRH	11-051
7-Apr	14-Apr	PA	PA/ON4OSA (EU-146)		11-050
7-Apr	13-Apr	TA	TA4/DJ6JH	DJ6JH	11-047
7-Apr	9-Apr	W	KA3UNQ (NA-031)	KA3UNQ	11-060

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QSL Info

K4ZW, Ken, says he's finally gotten his JT1ZW cards from the printer. He says all direct requests will be answered by today.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3XD2Z, 3XM6JR, 5A7A, 5T5DY, C31MO, LX/PA6A, RX3DU, TA3D, XT2C, YW0DX (NA-020), YX0A (NA-020) and YX0LIX (NA-020).

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: FG5FI, G3YYD, GM3WOJ, GM4WZL, GM7X, J75RZ, KP4ED, KP4JRS, KP4SAT, LU3CQ, MOCCE, MI0LLL, OK1CF, OT4A, P40W, RA3CQ, RU6MD, RX3AGD, SP8NR, TI5N, TO5A, UA3AGW, UA3TCJ, UA6LV, VK3KE, XF4DL, YV6BTF and ZL2IFB.

On The WWW

KO7T, Gene, reports that as of this morning at 0000Z the "W7PHO Family Hour" web site has moved from <http://www.w7pho.net> to <http://www.w7pho.com> . Gene says, "You will start to see a whole new approach thanks to W3OZ, Larry. It will take some time to refresh and add content."

Thanks to JI1CQA, here is a nice Web page with details about "The Enigma of the Japanese Call Sign System"
<http://www.motobayashi.net/callsign/enigma.html> .

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DX News

The M/S Sili departed Pago Pago, American Samoa today at 0330Z, reports AH8LG, Larry Gandy. Before leaving YT1AD, Hrane Milosevic, the team leader reports all 17 ops arrived in Pago Pago. On Sunday April 1st those team members who did not have a US callsign all took exams and passed. Also several who did have a license upgraded.

1. Bogdanov Mladen, YU7NU, (T,G,E)
2. Djeric Velimir, YZ1BX, (G,E)
3. Markovic Milovan YU1AU, (E)
4. Gekas Vangelis, SV2BFN, (T,G,E)
5. Aleksej Romanov, UA4HOX, (T,G)
6. Tkachenko Roman, UR0MC, (T,G,E)
7. Eulishov Evgenij, RK3AD, (T,G,E)
8. Vasiljenko Victor, RU4SU, (T,G,E)

(T-Technician, G-General, E-Extra)

The team was originally scheduled to set sail at 1200Z Monday April 2nd, however they were delayed due to some lost baggage. We now know yesterday Hrane flew back to Apia, Samoa (5W) to pick up two radios that were lost. He then flew back to Pago Pago. Hence the delay.

Swains Island and American Samoa are 11 hours behind GMT. K1ER, John Peters, who was part of the first DXpedition team (KH8SI) says, "the trip is approx 30 hours". He also notes they will have to wait for high tide to get over the reef before making a landing.

So the team is expected to arrive late tonight (local) well after dark. Sunrise on Swains Island is 1730Z and sunset is 0526Z. Once the team is on the island it will probably take about 4-5 hours before they get the first station on the air.

The team's Doctor K6SRZ, Alan Eshleman, says "we're all in good health" despite the long hours put in so far. For the YL DXCC chasers KS6YL, Uti (Rose) Gandy, will be going with the team to Swains. "At some point in the expedition (she) will get on the air to hand out a rare YL DXCC counter", says the group's DR.

Before setting sail for the newest DXCC Entity the team purchased two "additional 5K to 6K generators to ensure we have proper back-up", reports team co-leader K3LP, Dave Collingham.

Hrane tells us there are some changes to their expected transmit frequencies. Here is the update suggested frequencies list:

CW - 1822, 3505, 7005, 10105, 14020, 18075, 21020, 24895, 28020 SSB - 1835, 3795, 7082, 14190, 14265, 18150, 21295, 21295, 24950, 28495
RTTY - 1835, 3582, 7035, 10145, 14081, 18100, 21081, 24920, 28081 SSTV - 3723, 7035, 14230, 21235-21245, 28680 PSK - 1835, 3582, 7035, 10145, 14081, 18100, 21081, 24920, 28081

The N8S team will have a six meter beacon on 50095.

The team has a Web page at <http://www.ytlad.info/n8s/index.html> . The team pilots will be monitoring the N8S Guest Book at <http://www.ytlad.info/n8s/guestbook/index.php> . If you have any special requests this is the place to make any suggestions or comments, which will be reviewed by the pilots twice daily. The team has a satellite phone and plans to upload logs once each day. The logs can be found at <http://www.ytlad.info/n8s/log.html> .

As a reminder the team will be using the call N8S from Swains Island. For those using logging software you might want to add this call to your database!

DL9HCU, Udo, is expected to leave Samoa (5W1VE) today and heading to Fiji (3D2HC).

3D2ER, Raj, is back on the air after making some antenna repairs.

"Permission to use (the) R7C callsign was canceled by Russian authorities", says RZ3AA, Roman Thomas, SRR President. Any activity with this callsign after March 7, 2007, including the R7C/ANT, was illegal.

V85GD, Greg Donovan, is currently QRT. He recently moved and is in the process of rebuilding his station. Greg hopes to be QRV in the next month or so.

Silent Key

JA5BJC, Tatsuro Yamasaki, passed away Sunday April 1st. He was 60 years old and was the owner of one of Japan's largest multi-multi contest stations. The funeral will take place today in Kochi.

QSN

DU - PHILIPPINES - Japanese six meter ops were working DU1IST, DU7/PA0HIP and DU1GM today around 0900Z.

EY7AF - TAJIKISTAN - Early today (0130Z) Ed had an opening to the US Midwest.

H44MS - SOLOMON ISLANDS - Bernhard reports he had a little shake up from the earthquake Monday morning (his time). He was QRV yesterday on 15 SSB at 0930Z and again at 1100Z. His amplifier broke so there will be no 40 or 80 meter activity until he gets it fixed. QSL via DL2GAC.

HZ1IK - SAUDI ARABIA - Several South American ops found Manfred on 24950 Monday at 1530Z.

J5UAP - GUINEA-BISSAU - Peter was doing RTTY yesterday from 16-19Z bouncing between 10 and 20 meters, including those

bands in between. QSL via HA3AUI.

OD5RW - LEBANON - John was looking for stations outside Europe on 20 SSB (14200) after 2000Z.

TT8FC - CHAD - Francisco likes 14275 starting just minutes before 0600Z.

TZ - MALI - TZ1T, TZ2T and TZ4T all like 14200.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-018	IH9YMC	14086	1730	NA-056	CM4LS	7084	2330
EU-003	CU2JT	10141	2150	OC-004	VK9ZLH	28490	0344
EU-010	MM0TOB	7063	2008	OC-042	DU1KGJ/DU4	21270	1326
EU-016	9A4W	10114	2007	OC-088	YF7NOR	21265	1347
EU-031	IC8OZM	10107	2154	OC-129	JA7QVK/DU7	14260	1540
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14257	0637	OC-148	YC9MKF	21260	1237
EU-079	LA9SN/P	14260	1737	OC-180	V63J	14041	1554
EU-114	MU0FAL	3512	2315	OC-180	V63RE	14260	2342
EU-116	MD0CCE	3512	2208	OC-180	V63WN	14260	0818
EU-120	GX0BAR	14260	2015	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14184	1953
NA-021	8P6QA	14267	2138	SA-049	AY7X	14260	1300

Both JS6RRR/JS6 and JI3DST/JS6 will be operating from Miyako-Jima (AS-079) from April 27th through May 7th.

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4L1MA	ON4RU	EA8OM	DJ1OJ	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD
4L4CC	RV1CC	EE3BCH	EC3DEL	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ
4L4WW	EA7FTR	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	OL32OLP	OK1DRQ
4L6DL	LZ1OT	FT5XQ/MM	F4EFI	ON50EU	ON7YX
4X/LY1CM	LY1CM	HC7AE	EA7FTR	ON7G	ON4MRX
5P7Y	OZ7AM	HG200B	HA3HK	P29VR	W7LFA
5U5U	TZ9A	HK4KDO	EA5KB	SB300L	W3HNK
7Q7VB	UA4WHX	HR1LW	JA1LW	T960ARA	T94GB
8P6ET	KU9C	HV0A	IK0FVC	TA3/LZ1ZF/P	LZ1ZF
9H3GM	DK1BT	IA7IPY	IK7JWY	TM5CI	F5UBH
9M2TO	JA0DMV	II1ICS	I1SAF	TP2CE	F5LGF
AY7X	WD9EWK	II7BP	IZ7GWP	UK8FF	W3HNK
BP100S	BX4AN	II9IGJ	IT9MRM	V63J	K9AJ
CO2NB	EA5KB	IP8IPY	I8QJU	V63RE	IT9YRE
CT3AS	DJ8FW	J5UAP	HA3AUI	XU7TZG	ON7PP
CU1CB	EA5KB	J79XBI	SM0FWW	YB0AZ	W7TSQ
DU1/K3RAG	WY4N	KG4JB	N7ID	ZS4U	K3PD

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0CI, 3DA0PB, 8P1A, CU3W, DL5DSM, LX7I, MD0CCE, PJ2/K2PLF, SP5TZC, VR2C, XF4DL (NA-030), YV6BTF, ZL1BYZ

Correction

WA3EOP, Page, is an OM not a YL.

On The WWW

Do you remember the Falkland Islands war 25 years ago? Here's G3UML's recount of the event http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/uk_news/6514011.stm

Here is an interesting Web site on some Pacific Islands - <http://www.oceandots.com/pacific/>

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The N8S team arrived at Swains Island (KH8/S) around 2330Z on Tuesday April 3rd. They had assembled 6 beams on the boat and will be able to quickly put them up once on the island. Plans are to have several stations QRV (CW and SSB) by their local sunset Tuesday (This is about 0530Z Wednesday). The team members are in good health and good spirits.

VA3YDX, Igor, reports he will be QRV from Manitoulin Island, Canada from April 19th to 22nd. VA3YDX direct only to: VA3YDX, Igor Slakva, 105 La Rose Avenue, #803, Etobicoke, Ontario M9P 1A9, CANADA.

W4ZYT, Don, plans to be active from Nairobi, Kenya as 5Z4ZK from April 9-19. He'll have an FT-100D running 100 watts into a random wire. Don will be QRV in his spare time. Watch for him to be operating from 1400-1900Z on 18077, 18137, 14007, 14207 and 10107, also from 0200-0400Z on 7007, 7077 (listening 7207), and 10107. QSL via W4ZYT.

Correction

Uti "Rose" Gandy's call is KS6FO not KS6YL.

QSN

TZ2T - MALI - Was on 14200 yesterday just before 2130Z.

IOTA

JA6RGJ/6, JK6IIS/6 and JO6RGZ/6 will be active from Taku Island (AS-012) on April 21-22. Look for them on the HF bands and 6 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

SV1JG, Cliff; SV1RC, Spiros; SV1RP, George; SV1EEX, Nikiforos; SV1GRM, Theodoros; SW1GZL, Lykoyrgos; SV1HER, Sotirios; and SV1JCZ, Daniel; plan to be QRV as SX5AS from Astakida (EU-001), Dodecanese Islands July 17th to 23rd. Look for activity on 23 cm through 160 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK, FSK441 and FM. QSL via SV1HER.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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4-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
4-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
4-Apr	10-Apr	5Z	5Z4/IK4ALM	IK4ALM		11-065
4-Apr	12-Apr	6W	6V7F	SM5GMZ		11-038
4-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
4-Apr	9-Apr	6Y	K3TRM/6Y5 (NA-097)	K3TRM		11-054
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4-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
4-Apr	13-Apr	J6	J68WI (NA-108)	WB5ZAM		11-009
4-Apr	15-Apr	KH8/S	N8S (Swains Island OC-200)	YT1AD	11-066	065 062
4-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
4-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
4-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
4-Apr	14-Apr	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV		11-050
4-Apr	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
4-Apr	7-Apr	TI	TI1DX	TI8AA		11-037
4-Apr	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
4-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ#?	ON3VK	11-031	016
4-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ1T	ON5CD	11-031	016
4-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ2T	ON4LN	11-031	016
4-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ4T	ON4FG	11-031	016
4-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ6PVI	ON7ASL		11-031
4-Apr	4-Apr	V3	V31IF	W5IF		11-040
4-Apr	7-Apr	V6	V63J (OC-277)	K9AJ	11-064	040
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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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6V7F	SM5GMZ	HZ1IK	DK7YY	TZ1T	ON5CD
CO6WD	W0SA	OX60AD	OX3UR	TZ2T	ON4LN
CX7CO	KA5TUF	PJ4/W9NJY	W9NJY	TZ4T	ON4FG
EH7SMN	EA7URM	SV0XAF/8	HB9EBC	V31WB	KB2OWB
HK4KDO	EA5KB	TI4CF	W3HNK	YB0ECT	K3AIR
HR9/WQ7R	N6FF				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 9J2BO, BY4RB, HC1MD, J20RR, OA4CC, R1MVC, VP2EST, XR7C, XT2C, YX0LIX, ZD8I

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 8P1A, CN5W, CQ0ODX, CT1EAT, EA6/DL5DSM, GP0STH (EU-114), HB9CVQ, HH4/K4QD, HK4KDO, MD0CCE, VR2C, XF4DL

On The WWW

Are you going to Ham Com? The Lone Star DX Association's DX Banquet will be held on Friday June 8th. This year's banquet speaker is W0GJ, Glenn Johnson, W0GJ, who will be talking about the recent VU7RG DXpedition. Tickets are \$36.00, which can be purchased on-line at the Ham Com Web site at <http://www.hamcom.org/cgi-bin/ccp51/cp-app.cgi?usr=&pg=store> .

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DX News

The U.S. Department of Commerce, NOAA, Space Environment Center has released the new updated predicted minimum. The good news is they are now saying July instead of September, with a predicted solar flux average of 75.0. The complete chart can be seen at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftpdir/weekly/Predict.txt>. The prediction values are based on ISES cycle 23 forecast of 13-month running smoothed values. We are getting close to the bottom of the cycle. Start working on those improved antennas for 10 and 6 meters!

A group of Japanese operators will be QRV from Chichijima Island (AS- 031), in the Ogasawara Islands group. The team will include JD1BLK (JM1LJS), Hide; JD1BLY (JI5RPT), Koya; and JD1BMH (JG7PSJ), Harry. They will start up activity around 0600Z on Sunday April 29th and go through until 2200Z on Saturday May 5th. Activity is expected on all bands from 6 through 160 meters, including CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and Satellite. Each operator has his own Web site. They are:
JD1BLK <http://radio-dream.com/jd1blk/>
JD1BLY <http://www.ji5rpt.com/>
JD1BMH <http://sapphire.ganko.tohoku.ac.jp:8080/jd1bmh/>
QSL: JD1BLK via JM1LJS, JD1BLY via JI5RPT, and JD1BMH via JG7PSJ.

NC1L, Bill Moore, DXCC Manager, has written two new blogs this week. The first is about submissions for the ARRL DXCC Honor Roll, which the applications had to be post marked by March 31, 2007. The Second is for those going to Dayton who will be submitting QSLs for DXCC. Both blog entries can be found on the DXCC Dialog Weblog at <http://www.arrl.org/blog/DXCC%20Dialog>.

QRZ DX reports that 9V1AP is the new call for KD3TB, Irwin, who is now living in Singapore until July 31st. He'll be mostly on PSK31 with some SSB activity. QSL via KD3TB.

Mark you calendars for this year's Radiomaritime day (MRD) International Marconi Day (IMD), which will take place on April 28th. This will be the first time for MRD. Both events have Web sites. MRD - <http://www.radiomaritimeday.org/> and IMD - <http://www.gb4imd.org.uk/>.

The N8S - Swains Island DXpedition - team plan to begin their VHF work starting April 5th or 6th. They are located in Grid AH48LW and will be running 200 watts into a 17 element antenna with a preamp. They will be transmitting 144.112 and listening 144112 and up. N8S will be always transmitting first. Most of the activity will be during their sunrise and sunset. No word if they have any elevation. Vel reports the 6 meter EME will also begin on either the 5th or 6th. First they agreed to 50.195 MHz as QRG but later they announced 50.205 MHz.
Again N8S always first.

Over the past week or so 6 meter DXers from South West Europe (EA, I, CT) have been reporting lots of activity from Africa including: 9Q1D, 9Q1EK, S9SIX/B, TR8A/B, TR8CA, Z22JE, ZD7VC/B and ZS6TWB/B.

G4FUF, Keith, plans to be QRV for the Lyrids Meteor shower, late April 20 or early April 21st on VHF/UHF (50, 70, 144 MHz) from Wales (Grid IO72).

Silent Key

JR2GMC (AH0K), Masashi Sakurada, became a Silent Key on March 26th. During the 1980's he was one of the main ops from JA2YKA and during the 1990's from KH0AM. Masa was a member of the JIDX Contest Committee.

QSN

8Q7EB - MALDIVES - Was active on 30 CW yesterday from 1930 to 2230Z. QSL via IW1GIO.

EP3SMH - IRAN - Mohsen showed up Wednesday on 14200 after 1400Z.

EX2A - KYRGYSTAN - 30 meter ops found Ivan around 1830Z.

HVOA - VATICAN - IK0PRG, Bob, was parked on 14004 from 1300 to 1600Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

J68WI - ST. LUCIA - Bill was on 17 SSB Wednesday at 2115Z and again just before 2200Z. QSL via WB5ZAM.

N8S - SWAINS ISLAND - These guys are doing a fantastic job. Some times they have as many as three stations on the same band at the same time (17 CW, 17 SSB and 17 RTTY). They were reported as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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10	7082, 10105, 14020
11	7005, 7082, 10105
12	3523, 7005, 7082, 10105
13	3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 10146
14	3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 10146
15	3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 10146
16	3523, 7005, 7082, 10146, 14190
17	3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14190
18	7005, 7082, 10105, 14020, 14190, 18075, 18100
19	7005, 14020, 14190, 18075, 18145, 21295
20	14081, 18075, 18145, 21022, 21295
21	14081, 18075, 18101, 18145, 21022, 21295, 24950
22	14081, 18075, 18145, 21016, 21295, 24950
23	14081, 18075, 18101, 18145, 21016, 21295, 24895, 28025
00	14081, 18101, 18145, 21295, 24895, 28025
01	14081, 18101, 18145, 21295, 24895, 28025
02	14082, 18075, 18101, 18145, 24950, 28495
03	10105, 14082, 14190, 18075, 18101, 18145, 28025
04	7005, 10105, 14085, 14190, 18145, 28025
05	3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14082, 14190
06	1821, 3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14082, 14190
07	3523, 7005, 10105, 14082, 14190, 18106, 18150
08	1827, 3523, 7005, 10105, 14082, 18106, 18150

P29VR - PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Vern had a good opening to Southern Europe on 21230 Wednesday around 11 to 12Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-004	EA6AEI	14260	1751	NA-099	WP4U	21271	1405
EU-016	9A2GF	21265	1145	OC-143	YB4IR	14208	1608
EU-028	IA5/OE5FSM/P	14256	1038	OC-146	YC8EL	21238	1135
EU-029	OZ2JP	10142	1653	OC-200	N8S	21295	2233
EU-037	SB300L	3785	1933	OC-277	V63J	18093	2211
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14275	1603	OC-277	V63RE	14260	2213
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	7015	2037	OC-277	V63WM	14260	1118
EU-096	OH1TD	14267	1920	SA-002	VP8LP	14192	1036

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5Z4/IK4ALM	IK4ALM	HV0A	IK0FVC	N8S	YT1AD
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On The WWW

AD1C, Jim, reports there are some DX Clusters that are optimized for mobile/wireless/WAP devices at <http://www.dxcluster.info/links.htm#WAP> .

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DX News

Thursday April 5th Kosovo's parliament voted 100-1 in favor of the United Nations planned international supervised independence. The plan will be set before the UN Security Council for approval. UN Secretary General Ban Ki-Moon says the plan is "fair and sustainable solution to Kosovo's future status."

Members of the Hornsby and Districts Amateur Radio Club will be running the only IMD station in Australasia, using VK2IMD, on all HF bands on April 28th.

Correction

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QSN

3DA0FC - SWAZILAND - Was reported on 14205 Thursday between 16 and 18Z. QSL via ON4CJK.

3XM6JR - GUINEA - Today RTTY ops were working Serge on 3582 after 0030Z. QSL via UA6JR.

9L1DIR - SIERRA LEONE - Angel was working Southern and Western Europeans along with Northern South American stations on 28500 yesterday from 1740 to 1900Z. QSL via EA4URE.

9N7JO - NEPAL - Several East Coast US DXers reported big signals from Pop on 14179 just before 1500Z on Thursday. ZL's then found him on 3792 just after 1800Z.

AH2L - GUAM - Ed is back on Topband as he was on 1824 at 1000Z and then on 1826 at 1800Z.

BX5AA - TAIWAN - Jimmy likes the high end of 20 meters SSB just before 1300Z and also around 2300Z. Look for him between 14265 and 14275.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh started off yesterday on 14204 at 1510Z and ended the day on 7078 at 2015Z.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Remi was reported on 24951 after 2200Z.

H44MS - SOLOMON ISLANDS - Another surprise yesterday on 12 meters was Bernhard on 24938 between 23 and 00Z. QSL via DL2GAC.

J5UAP - GUINEA-BISSAU - Peter was busy on RTTY Thursday between 16 and 1830Z on 17, 15 and finally 30 meters. QSL via HA3AUI.

N8S - SWAINS ISLAND - The guys continued to do a great job from this newest DXCC Entity. I spoke to YZ7AA yesterday on 20 meters who said the first batch of logs were sent to Germany (presumably via the satellite phone) and they will continue to do so once a day around their evening time. In checking the N8S Web site it seems the logs have not been uploaded to the site. Over the last 24 hours or so the boys have been reported as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 14081, 18101, 18145, 21295, 24895, 28025
01 14081, 18101, 18145, 21295, 24895, 28025
02 14082, 18075, 18101, 18145, 24950, 28495
03 10105, 14082, 14190, 18075, 18101, 18145, 28025
04 7005, 10105, 14085, 14190, 18145, 28025
05 3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14082, 14190
06 1821, 3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14082, 14190
07 3523, 7005, 10105, 14082, 14190, 18106, 18150
08 1827, 3523, 7005, 10105, 14082, 18106, 18150
09 3523, 7005, 7034, 10105, 14020, 14193, 18150
10 1827, 3523, 10105, 14020, 14191, 18150
11 1826, 3523, 7034, 7082, 14020, 14191,
12 3523, 7005, 7034, 7082, 14020, 14191, 14200
13 3523, 7005, 7034, 7082, 10105, 14020, 14200
14 3523, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14020, 14200
15 3523, 7005, 7034, 10105, 14020
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17 3523, 7005, 7034, 14020, 14190
18 14020, 14190, 18150
19 14020, 14190, 18105, 18150, 21025
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21 14190, 18075, 18100, 18150, 21025
22 18075, 18101, 18150, 21025, 24955, 28495
23 14082, 18075, 18101, 21020, 24895, 24955, 28495
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EU-004	EA6DX	14190	2031	OC 277	V63RE	14262	0850
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	7015	0505	OC 277	V63WN	14260	0922
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14250	0705	OC-130	DU8DJ	14200	1539

EU-171 OZ5AGJ 7035 0859 OC-200 N8S 14190 1918
 NA-057 HR9/WQ7R 14086 0106 OC-277 V63J 7026 1311

JN4MBO/5 will be active from Uma Island (AS-076) today. Look for him on the HF bands. QSL via JN4MBO either direct or via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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6-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
6-Apr	9-Apr	6Y	K3TRM/6Y5 (NA-097)	K3TRM		11-054
6-Apr	12-Apr	7P	7P8DX		11-065	055 054 050
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6-Apr	7-Apr	TI	TI1DX	TI8AA		11-037
6-Apr	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
6-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ#?	ON3VK	11-031	016
6-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ1T	ON5CD	11-031	016
6-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ2T	ON4LN	11-031	016
6-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ4T	ON4FG	11-031	016
6-Apr	7-Apr	TZ	TZ6PVI	ON7ASL		11-031
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6-Apr	7-Apr	V6	V63RE (OC-277)	IT9YRE	11-064	040
6-Apr	7-Apr	V6	V63WN (OC-277)	I1SNW	11-064	040
7-Apr	8-Apr	EA	A01A	EB1ISN		11-062
7-Apr	13-Apr	F	F5SGI/p (EU-048)	F5SGI	11-065	022
7-Apr	11-Apr	I	IR8DX (EU-144)	IK8VRH		11-051
7-Apr	14-Apr	PA	PA/ON4OSA (EU-146)			11-050
7-Apr	13-Apr	TA	TA4/DJ6JH	DJ6JH		11-047
7-Apr	9-Apr	W	KA3UNQ (NA-031)	KA3UNQ		11-060
8-Apr	12-Apr	ER	ER0/R7C or ER0/NA1SA			11-058
8-Apr	13-Apr	PA	PA/ON4AWT PA/ON8VD (EU-0146home calls			11-055
8-Apr	10-Apr	V6	V63J (OC-012)	K9AJ	11-064	040
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3DA0FC	ON4CJK	C6AGN	W1DIG	OL32OLP	OK1DRQ
6J3RBA	XE3RBA	N8S	YT1AD	SC300VL	SK6HD
9L1DIR	EA4URE				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 8P1A, CU3W, HH4/K4QD, MI0LLL, UA6AF, UW8SM, XF4DL

On The WWW

The current active V6 ops (V63J, V63RE and V63WN) have a Web page at <http://www.mdxc.org/v63/team.html> .

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DX News

PB2T, Hans, has been operating from 9A this past weekend. He plans to be in Montenegro starting today for five days of operating (April 9- 13). His callsign will be 4O6T. QSL via his home callsign, direct, or via the Dutch bureau, VERON.

SP9MRO, Witek, says the Polish Agalega team has found sponsors for their upcoming 3B6 expedition. They leave Poland May 28th. The seven operators plan 12-15 days of activity from the island. They are currently waiting for the callsign. Due to health problems, SP9PT, Wojtek, will not be going along. Still on the operator list are SP9MRO, the team leader, SP5BFX, SP3MGM, SP6EQZ, SP3RBR, YL SP9SX and SP5XVY. The 3B6 group plans to be on all the frequency bands their operating permission allows. More details including "pilot stations" will be announced soon. SP9SX, Danuta, will be handling the QSLs. Witek thanks RD3A (RD3AF) and SP9PT for their planning support, and RD3AF for fundraising. The 2007 Agalega Island web site is <http://3b6.goDX.eu>. Witek says you will need Javascript enabled to view it.

9N7AU, 9N7IC and 9N7TE are the Nepalese callsigns for three Japanese operators May 10-15. JA2AUU, JA2AIC and JA2ATE will operate from Kathmandu, 40-10M SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL 9N7AU via JA2AAU, 9N7IC via JA2AIC and 9N7TE via JA2ATE. Here are the addresses:

JA2AUU, Noboru Kanno; Shikata 1785-61, Kitanagoya, 481-0004 JAPAN
JA2AIC, Yoshiyasu Iwata; Minamiaoki 30, Sotowarida, Kisogawa, 493-0007 JAPAN
JA2ATE, Seiji Morishima; Tonomachi 1-8, Ichinomiya. 491-0848 JAPAN

ON4TA, Filip, also known as 6O0F, planned to be visiting Puntland, Somalia, on the horn of Africa, starting April 5th, running through the 18th. He planned to be on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10M SSB with his 6O0F callsign. He noted it is a "private visit, not a DXpedition." QSL via his home call, ON4TA, via the Belgian Bureau. If you need a direct QSL, he says, "include a self-addressed airmail envelope and two U.S. dollars or two new IRCs if you are outside Europe, or one U.S. dollar or one new IRC within Europe.

UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, is back in Tanzania, QRV as 5H3VMB. Look for him on CW and SSB on most HF bands. As always, his length of stay and next stop are a mystery. QSL via UA4WHX, but not until he gets back home in Russia. We will let you know when that is.

K9EL, John, returns to St. Martin for a family vacation April 27-May 6. He will operate "whenever possible." FS/K9EL will be equipped with an IC-7000 and

verticals, for 80-10. He'll operate mostly CW and SSB. QSL to his home call. Bureau cards are okay too.

T77NM is the official San Marino callsign for a group of T7 and nearby Italian ops. The main purpose of their operation April 20-24 is 6 and 2 meters. This time period is the Lyrids meteor shower. They will be on 6M tropo and JT6M meteor scatter and 2M tropo and FSK441 meteor scatter, plus 70 cm tropo. They will be grid square JN63FW. The gear for this specialized operation is an IC-7400, 4CX250B amp to a five-element for 6M, TS-2000X to 3CX800A7 and MFG1302 to a 9-element DK7ZB, and on 70 cm an IC-910H to 4CX250B and MGF1302, to an 18-element DK7ZB. The 6M frequency is 50.223 and 2M is 144.383 if they're clear. The operators are T77NM, IK4DCX and IW4ARD. QSL direct, IW4ARD, Gianni Matteini - Via Cesare Pavese 20, 47814 BELLARIA (RN) - ITALY.

VE3KF has gotten the special callsign for Martinique (FM), TO3T, for May 23-31 including the CQ WPX CW contest. QSL direct to VE3KF or via the bureau.

7P8DX is currently being manned by ZS1RA, ZS1FJ and ZS1APB. ZS1ROY and ZS1ZL were unable to go after all. This caused the operation to come up about \$700 short. Donations would be appreciated, they say. QSL direct only, to 7P8DX, c/o ZS1CT, Cape Town Amateur Radio Centre, P.O. Box 2541, Clareinch, 7740, South Africa. Online log and other info is on <http://www.qsl.org.za/7p8dx/index.html>.

9H3RZ and 9H3EZ are the Maltese callsigns for DL3KWR and DL3KWF May 4-18. They plan to operate mostly CW and on 12, 17 and 30 meters, with some RTTY. QSL to their home callsigns. You can e-mail them your QSL request, to dl3kwr@darc.de or dl3kwf@darc.de.

IS0 can sometimes be hard to find, especially if you don't know that the IM0 prefix is one, which it is. IM0/IK2YSE will be on Caprera Island (EU-041), Sardinia, May 3-5. Max will be on QRS CW, 40-10M and will try 6M also, 50200 kHz. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

Special Polish callsigns SN750C and SN750BK will be on the air May 1- July 31. They will mark the granting of city rights to Krakow under the Magdeburg Law in the year 1257. You can find out more by going to <http://www.sp9pkz.republika.pl/750e.html>. QSL via SP9PKZ.

RA1QQ, Nick, is celebrating his 50th birthday this year and has gotten the UE1SNA - SNA being his initials, for Smerdov, Nicolaj Anatolievich - to use. He also plans to go portable, signing UE1SNA/P and UE1SNA/1 from Russian islands. QSL to his regular home callsign.

There will be some special operating activities from Egypt April 14-17 in connection with the ITU Regional Workshop on Emergency Telecommunications and Disaster Relief in the Arab Region. DL1BDF, Mustapha, will be a guest operator using the callsign SU8DRM, sponsored by the Egyptian Amateur Radio Association, EARA. QSL only via SU1KM, Mohamed Kafrawi, EARA General Secretary, POB 70, Magles El Ashab Post Office, CAIRO 11516 Egypt. EARA's club station, SU0ARA will also be on the air. For that one also QSL via SU1KM. Here's more on the workshop event itself: <http://www.itu.int/ITU-D/emergencytelecoms/events.html>

V63RE, V63WN and V63J are on Yap, Micronesia. Yap is IOTA OC-012. They leave Wednesday, April 11, for Woleai Atoll, IOTA OC-132. They reportedly have worked about 3,000 QSOs from each island they visit.

SM5DQC, Osten, says 9Q1EK has gotten "a bunch of letters from D.R. Congo PTT" and mailed them to him. Most had been opened but the U.S. dollars and the IRCs had not been taken. The envelopes had been addressed to Radio Okapi in Kinshasa. These were for QSOs from October and November of 2006. Osten says he will be answering them this week. He also notes that 9Q1EK and

9Q1TB do not have any of his QSLs, so the only way to get a card from him is to send for them direct and, he says, "I hope the Europeans will soon learn that we do NOT have `Euro' postage in Sweden; it's the same cost mailing to Finland or the USA, and one USD does not cover postage." He says one U.S. dollar equals SEK 6.90 and postage equals SEK 11. Osten says the reason he doesn't want to answer bureau cards is that it stretches out his QSLing process for years after the D.R. Congo operation and the reason for no LoTW is all the busted callsigns due to the QRN in Kinshasa.

VP5/PY2XB will be on from Providenciales Island, Turks and Caicos, IOTA NA-002, April 19-May 3. Fred says he will emphasize high power on the low bands, 160, 80 and 40, and the 30, 17 and 12 meter bands, and digital modes BPSK31 and RTTY. He will have a CW beacon on 6M, 50.097, to try to find out when "the magic band" opens. He'll have on-line logs: <http://www.py2yp.ws/py2xb/>. QSL via PT7WA, direct or bureau.

Silent Key

VU2NTR, Dr. N. Tata Rao, became a silent key recently. In expressing his condolences, VU2MY, Mr. Suri, founder and chairman of NIAR, says Dr. Rao was well known for his special interests in HF DXing and was active on the air for two decades. He received honors for his pioneering role in the power and energy sector and served for 14 years as Chairman of the Andhra Pradesh State Electricity Board. He was also a Governing Council Member of the National Institute of Amateur Radio (NIAR).

QSN

3B8MM - MAURITIUS - 10105 in the 14 and 15Z hours, 14020 at 11Z and 21083 RTTY Before that. QSL via DL6UAA.

3DA0FC - SWAZILAND - 14195 at 0630Z and 18145 at 0630Z also. 21265 at 08Z.

5X1GS - UGANDA - Graham had an opening to the West Coast with 59 signals in Oregon at 19Z Saturday on 17M.

600F - SOMALIA - 18142 at 11Z Saturday, 18147 at 08Z Sunday, plus 18152 in both the 12Z and 15Z hours on Sunday. QSL via ON4TA.

7P8DX - LESOTHO - 21220 between 13-15Z.

A52AM - BHUTAH - 80 SSB Sunday, 3793 from 20-22Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

N8S - SWAINS ISLAND - West Coast update. West Coast ops worked N8S on 10M CW and SSB between 0230-0330Z April 7 and 8. Openings have been brief but with strong signals.

OX3PG - GREENLAND - This one, along with special event station OX60AD, has appeared the last few nights on the "Century Club" 40 meter early net on 7178. WA3EOP (OM Page) says the net starts at 2330Z and runs until 0230 or 0300 depending on band conditions. Both the OX stations have been worked by several U.S. stations with signals peaking as high as 58 to the eastern and mid United States.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-049	3B8MM	10105	1450	EU-136	9A/PB2T	14260	1325
AS-015	9M2TO	7040	1815	EU-146	PA/ON4AWT	14253	1945
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14164	0600	NA-005	VP9/K0ARY/P	14277	2115
EU-016	9A4W	14240	1625	NA-031	KA3UNQ/P	14260	1655
EU-024	6V7F	7040	2235	NA-046	W1EOR	14072	1955
EU-033	LA6LOA	18132	0845	OC-021	YE1AA	21250	1135
EU-043	SM7LZQ/6	10124	1415	OC-046	FO/N6JA	14003	0520
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	14007	1950	OC-200	N8S	14200	1815
EU-133	RA9MC/1	7080	1600	SA-002	VP8LP	14194	1125
EU-133	RN1CW/1	14003	1315	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14137	2015

KA3UNQ, KD3CQ and W3REG will operate with the N3L callsign from Pt. Lookout Lighthouse in Maryland, USA, April 14, from 1400-2000Z. Look for them on 80, 40, 20 and 17M SSB, PSK31, and possibly CW. QSL direct to KA3UNQ.

YB9/PA0RRS, Rich, will be on Bali Island, OC-022, August 26-September 24. He will spend most of his time on 40-10M but will also try 80 and 6. QSL to his home callsign. On April fourth Rich started answering the cards that had come in for his 9M2MRS operation.

CU9RBL, Corvo Island, EU-089, is scheduled for April 11-16 by Portuguese operators. QSL via CS5RBL.

IE9/IQ9PA, Ustica Island, EU-051, is planned for April 13-15, by IT9, Sicilian, operators. QSL via IT9TQH.

Some IT9s also are putting together a trip to Favignana Island, EU-054. That one is set for April 21-23, with the callsign IF9RGE. QSL via IT9EJW.

OH10TA, Finland's Pargas (aka Parainen) Island, EU-096, is an IOTA destination for April 25-29. The operators are OH0JFB, IW0HJH, OH1MN, IZ0BTV, IZ0EHO and IZ0FKE. QSL via IZ0EHO, direct or bureau. On-line logs and other info will be put on www.oh10ta.com.

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10-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)	DL1TM	11-065
10-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF	11-031
11-Apr	16-Apr	CU	CU9RBL (EU-089)		11-065
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11-Apr	14-Apr	V6	V63RE (OC-132)	IT9YRE	11-064 040
11-Apr	14-Apr	V6	V63WN (OC-132)	I1SNW	11-064 040
12-Apr	23-Apr	JW	JW/F8DVD	F8DVD	11-049
13-Apr	15-Apr	I	IE9/IQ9PA (EU-051)	IT9TQH	11-060
13-Apr	16-Apr	JA	JS6RRR/JR6 (AS-017)		11-065
14-Apr	16-Apr	G	GB95MGY		11-062
14-Apr	15-Apr	I	II1ICB		11-065
14-Apr	21-Apr	J5	J5UTM		11-065
14-Apr	3-May	JT	JT1Y	I0SNY	11-045 021
14-Apr	15-Apr	W	W0S		11-065 055
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4U1WB	KK4HD	A45WD	YO9HP	N8S	YT1AD
5H0RS	IT9YVO	A52AM	JA0JHA	NP4A	W3HNC
5H3VMB	UA4WHX	A92WHD	A92GR	OL0R	OK1WMR
5X1GS	WB2YQH	C6AGN	W1DIG	OL32OLP	OK1DRQ
6J3PMR	XE3PMR	CO2NB	EA5KB	OX60AD	OX3UR
6O0F	ON4TA	DP0GVN	DL5EBE	P29VR	W7LFA
7P8DX	ZS1CT	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH	PJ4/W9NJY	WD9DZV
7Q7HB	G0IAS	EX/W0AIH	W0AIH	VK8NSB	VK6NE
7X2EB	EA7FTR	FM1HN	K3PD	W1/E21EIC	E21EIC
7Z1UG	DG1XG	FO/N6JA	N6JA	XE2S	WD9EWK
9A950DX	9A8DX	HB0/SP2JMB	SP2JMB		

W3HNC, Joe, says CO7PH is getting back on the air after losing his gear to lightning. QSL via W3HNC.

G3SWH says UK postal rates went up 10 percent effective April second. It means not only is \$1 U.S. not enough to return cards direct to the U.S., but it is now also not enough to return cards direct within Europe.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3C0M, 3Y9SDA, 5Z1A, 5Z4DZ, 9L1US, BX0ZR, BX3/DJ3KR, EE5E, EY8MM, FK8CP, FS/W6IZT, GP0STH, HS0T, HV0A, II5ANT, J20MM, J20RR, JA3AOP (AS-117), JT1ZW, JW/DJ3KR, LZ0A (1999, 2002, 2003), OA4/DJ3KR, TI2SSI, UA1PAC/1/ANT, UT3MD, V49A, VE1OTA (NA-154), VK1AA/2, XF2K (NA-246), XT2C, XU7MWA, YI9RKB, YN2N, YX0A/MM, YX0LIX and ZC4LI.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: K7C.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5C5Z, 8P1A, 9H1ZA, CT1EAT, EA8/DJ10J, EI7BA, GW4BLE, IK2WXV, LA9TJA, MD0CCE, OK1KT, P40LE, PJ7/N4ZC, PY3DX, V25OP, VE3DZ, VE9KK, VP2E and XF2K (NA-246).

On The WWW

W8HC, Hal, has completed the video of the 2006 4X0WV CQWW operation and uploaded it to the internet. Hal says the 31-minute video is not a professional job like 9V1YC does, but may still be interesting. He says go to www.turleyweb.net and at the righthand top find "Ham Radio in Israel" and "2006 CQWW." This will lead you to "2006 Video." You can also go straight to it at this address: http://www.turleyweb.net/halisraelweb/2006cqww_files/2006_4x0wv_1.wmv

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DX News

Many have been asking about the upcoming BS7H DXpedition to Scarborough Reef. There is no new news and plans are still in place for an operation later this month. They have a Web page at <http://www.scarboroughreef.com/>. As soon as more details are available we will report them. Yesterday I did receive a copy of the Carolina DX Association's (CDXA) "The Pileup", which reported the CDXA made a substantial contribution to the upcoming BS7H DXpedition to Scarborough Reef, which is expected to take place later this month. It also mentions one of the ops will be AA4NN, Joe Blackwell. I suspect we will hear something very soon. Until then please be patient and QRX.

The N8S, Swains Island, DXpedition logs are being hosted at <http://www.logsearch.de/>. On the Web page it now says "Attention - message from crew: due to the power failure at one of the computers we lost QSOs on April 7 from 08:56 to 09:38 UTC on 18 MHz SSB." DL5NAM, Chris, hosts this Web page says please do not ask the pilots (KH6BZF, YU1AA and YU1AB) or Chris as they provide the free service and are unable to answer any questions about the missing logs. If you worked them during that short time frame on 17 meters SSB you might want to work them again.

YU1AA, Aca, reports the N8S now has over 76,000 QSOs and 70,033 are now available on the on-line log search, which you can access via http://logsearch.de/index.php?option=com_wrapper&Itemid=73. If you get an error hit your refresh button a few times and it should work. Also make sure you first toggle down to the N8S callsign then hit search. When you get "Online Log: N8S" then type in your call and hit search.

DL9HCU (3D2HC), Udo, is expected to arrive in Nadi, Fiji on Wednesday. He and 3D2DD, Rocky, will be traveling to Suva, to renew their licenses. Udo will be QRV from Rocky's QTH, initially, and then from his hotel, in Nadi. QSL 3D2HC via DL9HCU.

OE3XQC will be one of the official stations on International Marconi Day is April 28th. OE3XQC will be one of the official stations QRV from Austria. "OE3XCQ is the club station of the Documentary Archives Radio Communications (www.qsl.at and <http://dokufunk.org>) hosting the biggest QSL collection worldwide (more than six million cards) and maintaining a special Marconi collection" says OE1WHC, Wolf Harrant.

QSN

5HORS - TANZANIA - Sigfrido was working West Coast US stations on 14225 around 1900Z. QSL via IT9YVO.

EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - Nodir was working across the US on 14016 Monday from 1820 until 19Z. QSL via K1BV.

N8S - SWAINS ISLAND - The guys continue to knock out the QSOs, despite the conditions. They were reported Monday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

00 14020, 14190, 18100, 18150, 21020, 21295, 24895
01 14190, 18100, 18150, 21020, 21295, 24895
02 14020, 18100, 18150, 21020, 21295, 24895, 24950,
28020, 28080, 28495
03 10105, 14020, 18150, 21020, 24895, 24950, 28080,
28495
04 10105, 14020, 18150, 21295, 24895, 24950, 28080,
28495
05 7010, 7082, 10105, 14020, 18075, 21295, 24895,
24950, 28082
06 1823, 7010, 7082, 10105, 14020, 14190, 18150,
21080, 21295
07 1822, 1840, 3520, 3790, 7082, 14020, 14190,
18150, 21080, 21295
08 1823, 1840, 3520, 14020, 14190, 18150, 21295,
24950
09 1823, 1840, 3791, 7082, 14020, 14080, 14190,
18075, 18150, 21080
10 1823, 3791, 5403.5, 7082, 10105, 14020, 14190,
18075
11 1823, 3520, 5403.5, 7082, 10105, 14020
12 1823, 3520, 7005, 7082, 10105, 14020, 14190
13 1823, 3520, 7005, 10105, 14020, 14190
14 1823, 3505, 7005, 10105, 14190
15 1822, 3505, 3795, 7005, 10105, 14190
16 1823, 3520, 7005, 10105, 14190
17 1823, 3505, 3796, 7005, 7020, 10105
18 10105, 14081, 14190, 18150
19 14081, 14190, 18150
20 14190, 18103, 18150, 21295
21 14190, 18106, 18150, 21295, 28495
22 14190, 18075, 18150, 21022, 21295, 24902, 24950,
28020, 28495
23 14020, 18075, 18150, 21020, 21295, 28082, 28495

SV2ASP/A - Mount Athos - Monk Apollo made a surprise visit to 14190 Monday between 1215 and 1300Z. QSL via QRZ.COM address.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AF-004	EC8AXS	18135	1858	EU-125	OZ/DB1ECM	3582	1711
AS-018	UA0FAI	14161	0742	EU-136	9A/PB2T	14040	1141
EU-009	GM0WED	14260	2033	EU-138	8S7T	7060	1855
EU-010	GM4KGK	10120	2044	EU-146	PA/ON6YYY	14240	1500
EU-015	SV9GPV	21240	1115	NA-031	KA3UNQ/P	14260	1743
EU-030	OZ4NE	14088	1150	OC-036	ZL2MAT	14225	0230
EU-048	F5SGI/P	7019	2049	OC-047	H44MS	18122	1950

EU-067 SV0XAF/8 14027 1139 OC-200 N8S 14150 2239

The RSGB IOTA Contest will be held over the July 28/29 weekend. Some have already announced their plans. DL7IO and company will be QRV from Proti (EU-158), Greece. M0LSB will be on from Great Bernera (EU-010). French ops F5NCU and F6EHJ will be operating as TM7BA from Batz (EU-105), France. VA7AQ will be on Quadra (NA-091), Canada. W3RFA is looking at South Marsh (NA-140).

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
10-Apr		3B8	3B8MM (AF-049)	DL6UAA		11-060
10-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
10-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
10-Apr		5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX		11-070
10-Apr	10-Apr	5Z	5Z4/IK4ALM	IK4ALM		11-065
10-Apr	19-Apr	5Z	5Z4ZK	W4ZYT	11-067	041
10-Apr	18-Apr	6O	6O0F	ON4TA		11-070
10-Apr	12-Apr	6W	6V7F	SM5GMZ		11-038
10-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
10-Apr	12-Apr	7P	7P8DX	ZS1CT	11-070	065
10-Apr	12-Apr	ER	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH		11-058
10-Apr	12-Apr	ER	ER0/R7C or ER0/NA1SA			11-058
10-Apr	13-Apr	F	F5SGI/p (EU-048)	F5SGI	11-065	022
10-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
10-Apr	11-Apr	I	IR8DX (EU-144)	IK8VRH		11-051
10-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
10-Apr	13-Apr	J6	J68WI (NA-108)	WB5ZAM		11-009
10-Apr	15-Apr	KH8/S	N8S (Swains Island OC-200)	YT1AD	11-066	065 062
10-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
10-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
10-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
10-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171)	DJ4MG		11-065
10-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)	DL1TM		11-065
10-Apr	13-Apr	PA	PA/ON4AWT PA/ON8VD (EU-0146)	home calls		11-055
10-Apr	14-Apr	PA	PA/ON4OSA (EU-146)			11-050
10-Apr	14-Apr	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV		11-050
10-Apr	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
10-Apr	13-Apr	TA	TA4/DJ6JH	DJ6JH		11-047
10-Apr	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
10-Apr	10-Apr	V6	V63J (OC-012)	K9AJ	11-064	040
10-Apr	10-Apr	V6	V63RE (OC-012)	IT9YRE	11-064	040
10-Apr	10-Apr	V6	V63WN (OC-012)	I1SNW	11-064	040
10-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF		11-031
10-Apr	13-Apr		406T	PB2T		11-070

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled with isolated active periods possible today due to coronal hole activity. On Wednesday and Thursday conditions will be quiet to unsettled.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for April 8, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
4L8A	DJ1CW	EA6/DL5NUA	DL5NUA	HG200B	HA3HK
5Z4ZK	W4ZYT	EA6UP	EA6AFF	KH6/EA5BYP	EA5BYP
6H1YYD	EA5KB	EA8/G4RGK	G4RGK	OK6DJ	OK1FJD
7P8/G4MFW	9V1FJ	EA8/PC8E	PC8E	R41WP	RA3LBA
9A/PB2T	PB2T	F/PA0JWV	PA0JWV	RK1G	RZ3LC
CP6/DF9GR	DF9GR	FK/FO5RK	FO5RK	YN4SU	TI4SU
CT3/DK2ZF	DK2ZF				

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In yesterday's issue it was reported that postage in UK postal rates went up and that one US dollar was not enough to cover postage to the US and the rest of Europe. Yesterday www.xe.com reports one US\$ is worth 0.509GBP. Postage from UK to Europe is 0.48GBP at the new rate. So one US \$ will cover postage from the UK to the rest of Europe, but from the UK to the US you should send 2 US \$.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 4J5A, 4K0KW, AH2L, EA6SX, S21XA, TU2/F5LDY, XT2C, YW0DX, ZD9BV

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4Z4TL, 9H1ZA, CT3FN, EA8OM, UA3LHL, V25OP, V25WY

On The WWW

Who says the Morse Code is obsolete? Looks as if some of the British seamen held hostage by Iran were using it to keep in touch with each other while being held captive. You can read about it at <http://tinyurl.com/2ktvv3> .

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The N8S, Swains Island, logs can now be found at
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first toggle down to the N8S callsign and hit search. Next type in your call
and search. If you get "Service Temporarily Unavailable" hit your refresh
button on your web browser.

K1ER/KH6, John Peters, who went on the first Swains Island DXpedition, spoke to
SV2BFN, Vangelis, from the N8S crew earlier today. John was told N8S lost a
generator and had to "rest" the "remaining generator at the SSB station in a few
minutes". They were supposed to operate on 2 meters EME last night at their
moonrise.

The following were elected on April 7 to the leadership team of the Yankee
Clipper Contest Club (YCCC) for 2007-08:

President - K1RX, Mark Pride
Vice President - W1RZF, Art Holmes
Treasurer - K1EP, Ed Parish
Secretary - W1EBI, George Harlem
Activities Manager - K0TV, Jerry Muller

For more information on YCCC check their home page at <http://www.yccc.org/> .

Amateur Radio in Turkmenistan was suspended by the Ministry of Communications in
mid 2006. Turkmenistan's "president for life"
Saparmurat Niyazov died in late December 2006. EZ8CW, Vit, reports there has
been no change in the status of Amateur Radio since the change in leadership of
the country. Vit asks that Amateur Radio operators send emails to the
Turkmenistan Ministry of Communications requesting the authorization of legal
Turkmenistan Amateur Radio ops (EZ stations). It is important to stress the
importance of Amateur Radio (i.e. Emergency communications, etc.). Emails can
be sent to mincom@telecom.tm .

Silent Key

GM3CIX, L. J. McDougall, became a Silent Key this past week. Jimmy was one of
the top Scottish DXers with 332/366 countries mixed and
330/355 on SSB. He was first licensed in 1947.

QSN

- 600F - SOMALIA - Filip was busy on 18147 just before 0930 for an hour and then again just before 1400Z for another hour. QSL via ON4TA.
- 9N7JO - NEPAL - Stig started up yesterday on 14250 on SSB just prior to 1430Z. He then switched to 20 CW on 14030 about an hour later. Next RTTY ops had a shot on 20 meters from 1600 to 1730Z. Stig ended the day on 75 SSB after 1800Z.
- A52AM - BHUTAN - Was found on 75 SSB just before 1300Z and again after 2030Z.
- A92WHD - BAHRAIN - Mohamed was using this special World Health Day call on 14243 from about 1430 until after 1600Z. QSL via A92GR.
- EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh has been QRV the last three days. Watch for him on 20 SSB, between 14200 and 14220, from about 1500 to 1800Z.
- ER/RW3AH - MOLDOVA - Andy (Sparky) had an opening to the western half of North America on 14191 Tuesday around 2030Z. QSL via RW3AH.
- EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - Look for Nodir on 20 meters, CW and SSB, between 16 and 19Z.
- FT5XQ/MM - MARITIME MOBILE - Gil was operating from his ship on 21295 at 0830Z. No word on how far off or whether he will actually operate from land (Kerguelen). QSL via F4EFI.
- H44MS - SOLOMON ISLANDS - Several UK stations found Bernhard on 18115 after 10Z Tuesday. QSL via DL2GAC.
- HV0A - VATICAN - Was on 40 CW, 80 CW and 75 SSB yesterday between and 1830 and 2215Z. QSL via IK0FVC.
- N8S - SWAINS ISLAND - Conditions were definitely down on Tuesday. Despite the lack luster conditions the guys were found as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00	14020, 18075, 18150, 21020, 21082, 21295, 24920, 24950, 28020, 28082, 28495
01	14020, 18101, 18075, 21020, 28082
02	18075, 18102, 21020, 28082
03	10108, 14022, 14190, 18150, 21082, 24920, 28082
04	10108, 14020, 14190, 21082, 24920, 24950
05	1823, 3520, 7005, 7020, 14190, 18102, 18150, 21020, 24950
06	1823, 1840, 3520, 7020, 14190, 18100, 18150, 21020
07	1840, 3520, 3791, 7005, 10145, 14190, 18150, 21020
08	1840, 3791, 7005, 7082, 10145, 14190, 18150, 21020, 24950
09	1823, 3520, 3791, 10145, 14190, 18150, 21020
10	1823, 3520, 7005, 7082, 10145, 1419018150
11	1823, 3520, 7005, 7080, 14190
12	1823, 3520, 7005, 7080, 10105, 14190
13	1823, 3520, 7005, 10105, 14020, 14190
14	3520, 7005, 10105, 14020

15 1823, 1840, 3520, 7005, 10105
 16 1823, 3520, 7005
 17 1823, 3520
 18 14020, 14200, 18150
 19 14020, 14200, 18103, 18150
 20 14020, 18101, 18150, 21295
 21 18101, 18150, 21295, 24950
 22 14020, 18101, 18150, 21020, 21295, 24950, 28020
 23 14020, 18102, 18150, 21020, 21295, 24895, 24920,
 24950, 28020

OX3KQ - GREENLAND - Jesper was working multiple US stations on 7065/7288 on Tuesday around 0025Z.

UK8AKK - UZBEKISTAN - RTTY ops from both the US east coast and Eastern Europe were working Victor on 14084 around 12Z.

YK1BA - SYRIA - Saad started up yesterday. He was on 7026 doing CW from 2130 until after 2230Z. QSL via his home call N5FF.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-001	SV5FRD	28484	1814	EU-146	PA/ON4AWT	14260	0637
EU-009	MM3LQK/P	14260	1221	EU-146	PA/OT7W	14260	1417
EU-031	IC8OZM	14009	2200	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	14264	2138
EU-048	F5SGI/P	7017	1935	NA-018	OX60AD	14282	2139
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	14010	0659	NA-024	J39LP	14250	2135
EU-067	SV0XBB/8	14223	1531	NA-032	FP5BZ	14191	1151
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14268	1012	NA-099	WP4U	14187	1129
EU-114	GP4BJC	14262	2003	NA-108	J68WI	18135	1858
EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14010	0502	OC-200	N8S	14020	1819
EU-136	9A6AA/P	14072	2148				

K9AJ (V63J), Mike McGirr, tells us that bad weather on Woleai atoll (OC-132) has prevented the V6 team's small plane from making the flight this morning. They will try again tomorrow am (local time). They are still scheduled to QRT from Woleai on April 14th (local time). Micronesia is 11 hours ahead of GMT.

W4UM, Mike Raskin reports "Not counting Alaska, which has over 40 IOTA'S, the "lower 48" has 20 states that have at least one IOTA. Florida has the most at ten, followed by California with five. The Florida Contest Group, along with the South Florida DX Association and the Mid Florida DX Association, will be activating nine of the ten Florida IOTA'S (no one going to Fort Jefferson in the Dry Tortugas, NA-079 - maybe next year). Even though the RSGB IOTA Contest does not recognize club competition, the FCG challenges other clubs to enter into the fray. As always, the FCG will top any competition. Any takers?"

NA-034 - Honeymoon I. by W4FDX; Anna Maria or Lido I. by W4ZW
 NA-052 - Marco I. by W4OV and N4BP
 NA-062 - Florida Keys by K4EYS, Key West, N2NL
 NA-069 - Sanibel I. by K4RFK
 NA-076 - Cedar Key by N4WW and K0LUZ
 NA-085 - St. George I. by N4PN
 NA-138 - Amelia I. by K9ES, AA4HF, and K4MVO

NA-141 - Hutchinson I. by W4UM, K1PT, and K4MM

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
11-Apr		3B8	3B8MM (AF-049)	DL6UAA		11-060
11-Apr		3D2	3D2HC	DL9HCU		11-071
11-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
11-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
11-Apr		5H	5H3VMB	UA4WHX		11-070
11-Apr	19-Apr	5Z	5Z4ZK	W4ZYT	11-067	041
11-Apr	18-Apr	6O	6O0F	ON4TA		11-070
11-Apr	12-Apr	6W	6V7F	SM5GMZ		11-038
11-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
11-Apr	12-Apr	7P	7P8DX	ZS1CT	11-070	065
11-Apr	16-Apr	CU	CU9RBL (EU-089)	CS5RBL		11-065
11-Apr	12-Apr	ER	ER/RW3AH	RW3AH		11-058
11-Apr	12-Apr	ER	ER0/R7C or ER0/NA1SA			11-058
11-Apr	13-Apr	F	F5SGI/p (EU-048)	F5SGI	11-065	022
11-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
11-Apr	11-Apr	I	IR8DX (EU-144)	IK8VRH		11-051
11-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
11-Apr	13-Apr	J6	J68WI (NA-108)	WB5ZAM		11-009
11-Apr	15-Apr	KH8/S	N8S (Swains Island OC-200)	YT1AD	11-066	065 062
11-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
11-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
11-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
11-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171)	DJ4MG		11-065
11-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)	DL1TM		11-065
11-Apr	13-Apr	PA	PA/ON4AWT PA/ON8VD (EU-0146)	home calls		11-055
11-Apr	14-Apr	PA	PA/ON4OSA (EU-146)	ON4OSA		11-050
11-Apr	14-Apr	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV		11-050
11-Apr	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
11-Apr	13-Apr	TA	TA4/DJ6JH	DJ6JH		11-047
11-Apr	15-Apr	TL	TL8QC	F5NRY		11-052
11-Apr	14-Apr	V6	V63J (OC-132)	K9AJ	11-070	064 040
11-Apr	14-Apr	V6	V63RE (OC-132)	IT9YRE	11-070	064 040
11-Apr	14-Apr	V6	V63WN (OC-132)	I1SNW	11-070	064 040
11-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF		11-031
11-Apr	13-Apr		4O6T	PB2T		11-070

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6H1MW	XE1MW	HI8LAM	EA5NI	J68WI	WB5ZAM
CX6VM	W3HNC	HV0A	IK0FVC	R0UPOL	F8DVD
FP5BZ	F5TJP	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	YK1BA	N5FF
FT5XQ/MM	F4EFI				

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DX News

OE1WHC, Wolf Harranth, from Documentary Archives Radio Communications Vienna, has done a special report on the history of Swains Island and an interview with YT1AD, Dr. Hrane Milosevic, team leader for the current N8S Swains Island DXpedition. In the interview Hrane reports the team of 17 operators operating from Swains Island has been working for more than 7 days with more than 89K QSOs. The team is tired but very satisfied with the results and hope to break 100K QSOs by the end of the DXpedition, which will be late Sunday GMT (April 15th).

Temperatures are very extreme with highs sometimes over 45 C (115 F). Hrane says all of the equipment and antennas are working well and there are no problems working any specific areas of the world. You can hear the complete report and interview with Hrane at <http://dokufunk.org/upload/SWAINS.MP3> .

Late Thursday GMT your editor spoke directly with K3LP, Dave Collingham, the team's co-leader. Dave reports the entire team would be QRT from about 0000 to 02 or 03Z Thursday to do team photos. Not to worry as once this is complete they will begin the final assault on the bands for a big push on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Dave also mentioned to WB9Z, Jerry Rosalius, the N8S ops will be on 2 and 6 meter EME next at 1200Z today. 50.205 MHz and 144.112 MHz are the frequencies to watch. They will transmit on the top of the minute (first). Dave and Hrane "are going by boat to the other side of the island" in order to "have a clear view of the moonrise". Where the team is currently "the moon has to be at least 11 degrees above the horizon to clear the trees". Dave also says the team continues to try 10 meters from 2300 to 0100Z daily.

The N8S team will begin tearing down stations and antennas on Sunday morning around 6 AM local time (1900Z). Most likely they will keep two stations on the air until about 10 AM Sunday local time (2100Z). They expect to leave the island by about 12 noon Sunday local time (2300Z).

YU1AA, Aco, also released some information about the N8S operation, which was received yesterday from Hrane. The temperature at that time was 44C and 35C in the water! On the island there are many boring and hungry mosquitoes. In the sea around the island are many sharks!
(Ed. And then there are the DXers over the airwaves!) The satellite connections have been very poor, hence the delay in uploading of the logs. Also because of the high temperatures the team has been shutting down the generators for several hours, so they can cool down.
YZ1EW, Acim, says the team now has 88K QSOs and confirms shutdown around 18Z on Sunday.

NC1L, Bill Moore, DXCC Manager, confirms the VU7MY operation from Minicoy Island (AS-106) during January 2007 has been accepted by the DXCC Desk for DXCC credit. A sample of the VU7RG/VU7MY QSL cards can be seen at www.vu7.in. The QSL cards are at the printers being printed. In the mean time the QSL manager are continuing to pre-process the received requests. DL4KQ, Frank, reminds everyone those expired IRCs are not valid and that one US dollar does not cover the return postage for the multiple QSO QSL cards for the two fold VU7RG/MY souvenir cards. Frank also notes that he is "not prepared to receive QSL requests via email".

Several people have now reported the email address in yesterday's issue about Amateur Radio in Turkmenistan has bounced. I'll get with EZ8CW, Vit, to see if he can double check the address.

SV9/DL5MAE, Wolfgang expects to be active from Gavdos Island (EU-187), Crete around the end of May for one week. Due to the ferry schedule the exact dates are unknown. Look for him on 2 and 10-80 meters. QSL via DL5MAE.

A group of ops from Hungary and Bulgaria are heading to Corsica Island late next week. The team of ops will be TK/HA0HW, Laci; TK/HA4DX, Tomi; TK/HA4XG, Geza; TK/LZ1PJ, Ivan (Johny); and TK/LZ5AV, Valya (XYL). They will be QRV on all HF bands from 10 through 160 meters as well as VHF. Plans are to have two stations.

Activity will be mainly in the morning and evening time. Geza will try to be on 144 MHz Tropo, MS (FSK441, 1st. period, 144.363). He'll have an IC-746 and 500 watt amp into a 10 element DK7ZB yagi. On HF they will be mostly on CW but also on SSB, RTTY and PSK31 as well.

They will be operating from Cap Corse, near Tollari (JN43qa) until April 28th. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau (HA or LZ).

9Q5MO has been somewhat active recently. DK3MO (ex 9X5MO), Otto Mayer, is the operator who is a missionary located out in Bukavu, Democratic Republic of Congo. For the record he is giving the QSL route as DF9TA, who is Otto's brother. It has been well documented of the licensing problems in the DRC. In fact for many months 9Q stations were QRT awaiting the new licenses and authorization from government officials in order to transmit. Prior to the year 2000 the

9Q5 prefix was issued to all areas of the DRC and formerly Zaire. Now the 9Q5 prefix is used exclusively for the Orientale Providence.

Bakavu is located in the South Kivu Province, which is now part of the 9Q6 call area. Supposedly on January 19, 2007 he received oral permission to use 9Q5MO and a promise that he will receive paperwork afterwards. 9Q5TB, Phil, reports he and 9Q1D, 9Q1EK and 9Q1NT are the only four properly "according the actual RDC rules" authorized Amateur Radio operators at this time. All four of them also count for DXCC.

Members of the Central Virginia Contest Club (CVCC) have elected their officers for 2007/2008. They are:

President - W4HZ, Jonathan Payne, Sr
Secretary - WU4G, Ronnie Bolton
Treasurer - NK4H, Bob Ladd
Editor-In-Chief of Newsletter - KF7NN, George Vagner

For more information on CVCC check out their Web site at <http://c-v-c-c.us/>.

HB9/M1KTA, Dom, will be operating QRP from "a big hill over looking Vaduz, near Treisenberg, Liechtenstein on April 15th and 16th. He'll be QRV as HB0/M1KTA/P on 10-160 meters CW and SSB running an FT817.

He will most likely be concentrating on 20 and 30 meters.

The GMDX Convention will take place April 21st. Some of the presentations include FT2000 by G3WYW, ZL8R by EI6FR, SDR by G3OJV and VU7RG by DL4KQ. Complete details can be found at www.gmdx.org.uk.

QSN

XU7MDY - CAMBODIA - Was on 18071 yesterday at 1130Z and again at 1600Z. QSL via OH4MDY.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-075	5H3VMB/3	18069	1609	EU-171	OZ/DJ4MG	7053	2055
AS-083	UA9LI/9	14166	1140	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	14263	2109
EU-023	9H4CM	14081	1013	NA-108	J68WI	18135	2012
EU-136	9A6AA/P	14082	2011	OC-019	KH6/EA5BYP	18130	1949
EU-146	PA/ON4AWT	14260	1843	OC-200	N8S	18150	1923
EU-146	PA/OR1G	14260	1937	SA-006	PJ4/PA0N	7036	0329

Rumor has it that V63RE, Nando, had to return home urgently due to some serious health issues of his mother. V63WN, Claudio, also traveled with Nando. V63J, Mike, plans to continue by himself to Woleai Atoll (OC-132) and is now QRV from this rare one for the next two days.

Members of the White Tower DX Team plan to operate from Skyros Island (EU-060) from June 17th to 22nd. Team members include SV0XAW (AI4PP), Peter; SV2FPU, Giannis; SV2HNZ, Babis; SV2HOB, Christos; SV2HPP, Nikos; SV2HPY, Giannis; SV2HRT, Paul; and SV2HSV, Diditris. They will be operating as SY8WT on all bands and modes. QSL via SV2HPP.

YC0IEM/4 will be on the air from Bangka (OC-144) from April 16th to 22nd. QSL via IZ8CCW.

Swedish ops SM6XMY, Tomas; SM6IQD, Rolf; SM6MIS, Sten; SM6YOF, Janne; SM6WET, Magnus; SM6U, Rick; SA6AOA, Pierre; SA6ABU, Daniel; and SM7YLS, Christer will be signing 8S6KOS from Nord Koster (EU-043) from May 11 to 13th. Look for activity on 10 through 80 meters SSB. QSL via SM6YOU, bureau or LoTW/eQSL preferred.

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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12-Apr 15-Apr KH8/S	N8S (Swains Island OC-200)	YT1AD	11-066 065 062
12-Apr 30-Apr LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
12-Apr 30-Apr OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	11-055
12-Apr 30-Apr OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061 050
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5T5JA	JA1BAB	KH6/EA5BYP	EA5BYP	UP21B	UN7BF
CO6XN	N3ZOM	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	XV9SW	SM5MX

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W2GB, John, is not the QSL manager for VP5X. All QSL card requests for VP5X should go via OH3RB.

JJ1BDX, Kenji, recently received his DXCC credit papers back from the DXCC Desk in Newington. YA5Y (January 8, 2005) was rejected for "No Documentation Rec". The operator for this activity was DL5SE.

WD9DZV, Timothy Garrity, is looking for another DX station that he can be a QSL manager for.

Effective January 1, 2007 IZ8CCW, Antonio, is the QSL manager for club station 3V8SF. He expects to receive prior logs at a later time.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5H1Z, 9M2AX, 9V1VV, 9V1WW, EL2AR, FK/FO5RK, HV0A, J20MM, JT1ZW, PJ2T, US2IR, V51AS, ZB2/4O3AL, ZP0R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5C5Z, 9Z4FZ, BX5AA, CN2ZR, EA8OM, GW4BLE, HI3TEJ, TF3AM, TK5IH, V25OP, V25WY, VP2E, VR2MY, VU2NKS

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DX News

CT1EFS, Pablo, is currently in Shama near Tyre in southern Lebanon, where he will be staying until June 2007. He is waiting for authorization from the local government to operate as OD5/CT1EFS. He has mounted doublet antennas for 15, 17 and 20 meters and soon for 40 meters. Plans are to operate both CW and SSB daily around 1730Z. He also has 6 meters. QSL route to be announced later.

The N8S crew worked their 1st three QSOs on 2 meter EME yesterday. They were (in order) KB8RQ, W5UN and K6MYC. Looks like the logs are back up at http://www.dxpedit.com/index.php?option=com_wrapper&Itemid=27 . They now have 97,127 QSOs in the on-line log, of which 5 are on 2 meter EME. Remember they will be going QRT on Sunday, probably around 18Z. If there is any late breaking news over the weekend we will send out the details.

N4BAA, Jose Castillo, says there's a new club for DXers and Contesters in the eastern Virginia region. It's the Virginia DX and Contesting Group and their Web site is www.VADXCG.com . The club officers are:

President: N4BAA, Jose Castillo
Vice President: N4FX, Chet Moore
Secretary/Treasurer: W4VIC, Vic Culver

QSN

5H0RS - TANZANIA - Sigfrido was on 14191 Thursday between 1945 and 2100Z. QSL via IT9YVO.

5T5JA - MAURITANIA - The Japanese group started up yesterday on 18153 just before 1900Z where they stay for about a half hour. QSL via JA1BAB.

5Z4ZK - KENYA - Look for Don on 14007 around 0430 to 0500Z. Also try around 20Z on 10107 or 14007. QSL via W4ZYT.

6W2SC - SENEGAL - RTTY ops were working this one on 10140 after 2130Z yesterday and then on 7040 after 2230Z.

BX5AA - TAIWAN - Jimmy has been like a beacon on 20 meters SSB the last week or so between 1030 and 1300Z. East Coast North Americans should look for him around 14256 to 14266.

GJ0KYZ - JERSEY - 30 meter DXers reported Paul on 10106 Thursday

after 20Z.

H44MS - SOLOMON ISLANDS - European DXers should look for Bernhard on 17 SSB between 08 and 10Z. QSL via DL2GAC.

HV0A - VATICAN - Started up today on 17 CW just before 1000Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

N8S - SWAINS ISLAND - The guys continue to rack up the QSO count as they now have over 100K in the logs. You've got just 48 more hours to get them. QSL via YT1AD.

V63J - MICRONESIA - Mike is now QRV from the rare OC-132 IOTA. Watch for him on 14040. QSL via K9AJ.

YK1BA - SYRIA - 40 and 80 meters DXers watch for Saad from 0300 to 0400Z. QSL via N5FF.

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EU-023	9H4CM	14190	1728	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	14262	2129
EU-041	IM0GNF	14072	2050	EU-171	OZ0BB	7070	2122
EU-042	DK0RZ	14208	1232	OC-088	V8BDS	21220	1604
EU-048	F5SGI/P	7019	2125	OC-132	V63J	14041	2225
EU-136	9A6AA/P	14072	2204	OC-200	N8S	14190	1813

UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, the traveling DXpeditioner is now QRV as 5H3VMB/3 from the DAR ES SALAAM/PWANI REGION group (AF-075). Length of stay and next destination are unknown, as usual. Hold on to your QSLs until he is done with this junket and back in Russia. Your editor will let you know when to send them to UA4WHX.

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5P5V	OZ4VV	N8S	YT1AD	UN7AD	RW6HS

6H1XR	XE1XR	SV0IE	DL2YAG	V63J	K9AJ
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	SV9/OZ7YY	OZ7YY	VQ9JC	ND9M
A35RK	W7TSQ	T88ME	7N1RTO	XU7MDY	OH4MDY
A71CT	EA7FTR	T960ARA	T94GB	XU7TZG	ON7PP
C6AGN	W1DIG	TI2AXX	DL3AXX	ZP8VAO	EA7JX

YT1AD - Dr Hrane Milosevic, 36206 Vitanovac, SERBIA (yep that is the address)

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9U0X, A52GJ, FK/FO5RK, FK8GX, OH0Z, VK9DNX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

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DX News

XELYK, Carlos, The President of Mexico's FMRE, has announced the dates for an XF4, Revillagigedo, expedition to celebrate the 75th anniversary of FMRE. It is a full month long, November 15-December 15. Paperwork for the permission will be initiated this week with the callsigns 6E4LM and XF4YK requested. The operators will focus on 160M and 6M, where they feel XF4 is most needed, but will be on the other HF bands as well, with a goal of 25,000 QSOs. They plan a simple antenna and hundred-watt radio. An FMRE Board meeting April 24th will start the operator selection process. XELYK operated as XF4YK in 1973.

N8S, Swains Island, had 112,000 QSOs in the log at last report. They shut down at 1800Z Sunday. The on-line log should be finalized in the next 24 hours.

Many have been asking about the lack of news on the upcoming DXpedition to Scarborough Reef. The silence from the group has been deafening. From the very beginning the group has said "the end of April". Reading statements by several of the operators we know the operation is still on schedule. We also know there have been some changes of operators. Until we hear otherwise we can expect the operation to start within the next 14 days. Once there is any official news we will send out the complete details from the team.

QSL cards for the recent AS-148 South Korean Sonyu Island operation, March 1-3, operation have been printed and received. HL1VAU, DS2GOO and DS4NYE are working on the QSL requests that have come in. Bureau cards will take a little longer. The boys made 2,300 QSOs in 20 hours of operation, restricted by a power failure, weather, and the need for a little sleep. Eighty percent of the QSOs were with Europe. Most were made on the so-called "WARC bands." The same group is planning an IOTA trip for the first weekend of May. They will use wire antennas and simple barefoot mobile rigs and sign home call/3 from Anmyon Island, AS-080, Korean District Number F26. They plan to spend most of their time on digital and the WARC bands.

TG0WARD is a special Guatemalan callsign for World Amateur Day and the 82nd anniversary of the IARU. This operation will be April 18th, 24 hours of operating, 0000-2359Z, on SSB and RTTY. They seem to have a detailed schedule worked out:

7078 SSB looking for Central and South America, 1400-1500, operator TG9ANF.
7082 RTTY for Central and South America, 02-03Z, operator TG9AXF.
7064 SSB for Europe, Asia, Africa and Oceania, 01-02Z, operator TG9ANF.
7082 RTTY for Europe, Asia, Africa and Oceania, operator TG9AXF.

For North America, 7078/7248 SSB from 03-04Z, TG9ANF opping and 7082 RTTY from 02-03Z, TG9AXF operating.

For the Americas, 14204 SSB 16-17Z, op TG9ADQ and 14085 RTTY 17-18Z, op TG9SM.

For Europe and Africa, 14204 SSB 23-2359Z, op TG9ANF and 14085 RTTY 23- 2359Z, op TG9ADQ.

Again for America, 21285 SSB 19-20Z, op TG9ADQ and 21070 RTTY 21-22Z, op TG9SM.

And again for Europe and Africa, 21285 SSB 18-19Z, op TG9ADQ and 21070 RTTY 22-23Z, op TG9SM.

Looking for anyone in the world on 10M, 28480 SSB 20-21Z, op TG9ADQ and 28080 RTTY 20-21Z, op TG9SM.

A certificate is available if you make a QSO - you must send for it with your QSL by May 31. No QSLs via eQSL or the bureau, only via the Manager. Send to:

QSL Manager TG0WARD
P.O. Box 24-C,
Guatemala City
Guatemala, C.A.

The World Amateur Radio Day, "WARD," is each year on April 18. An award is sponsored by the Polish Amateur Radio Union for contacts made that day. Full info is on <http://qtc.radio.org.pl/pokazartykul.php?articleID=544>.

K5LBU, Frosty, has a group of at least six going to Botswana to operate July 6-20. They will have a 72-foot-tall vertical for 160 and 80 and a four-square vertical array for 40M. They expect to be far from the highway with a quiet location. Frosty says he knows thunderstorms in North America at that time of year could cause some QRN "on this side.but we are going to be there," he says. The ops hope to have A25 callsigns.

4Z4DX, Dov, hopes to have the 4X0MDC callsign on the air in the Holyland DX Contest April 21 from 00-2359Z. QSL via IK2VUC. 6W/EA4ATI is the callsign operator Dani hopes to be using in Dakar for the next year - and 6W1EA during contests. He will probably have a three element tribander for 20, 15 and 10 and dipoles for 160, 80, 40 - and 30/17/12. QSL direct to EA4ATI.

GB100TT will be a special event callsign from Isle of Man by the Wrexham ARS from Scarlett Point from May 25-June 5. It marks 100 years of the Isle of Mann "TT" motorcycle road races. They will be on HF to UHF and might also use their regular club call, GT4WXM/p. Ops so far are MW0JNI and GW6NLP. QSL via MW0JNI. Here are two web addresses to learn more about the motorcycle races: <http://www.iomtt.com/> and http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Isle_of_Man_TT.

SN750C and SN750BK are special Polish callsigns for the "Brotherhood of the Rooster," Bractwo Kurkowe, who defended Krakow against invaders starting 750 years ago. These callsigns will be used starting May first, running through July 31st. Other individuals may use the SN0 or SN750 prefixes. Certificates will be available for working them. Go to <http://www.sp9pkz.republika.pl> for more information.

TC57ALAY is a special callsign from Turkey April 21-25 to remember the 57 "Regiment martyrs" who died in the Canakkale War in 1915. Ops TA1HZ and TA2RX will have this callsign on 7090 plus or minus 10 kHz and 14270 plus or minus 30 kHz. They will operate from the Gelibolu Peninsula.

T40C is a special callsign from Cuba for the WPX contest, May 26-27. Ops will be CO2MHZ and CO2WF. QSL via N1KI.

5H0RS is the new Tanzanian callsign for 7Q7RS, Sigfrido. He will be working in Tanzania's Dodoma Region for a year. QSL via IT9YVO.

IQ8MD, the Mediterraneo DX Club's headquarters station, will be among many stations in the third "Members Trophy" event April 20-22. Others expected on include 4M0R, 4X0MDC, EB8MDC, II0MDC, II9MDC, IO0MDC, IO1MDC, IO2MDC, IO3MDC, IO9MDC, IR0MDC, IR2MDC, IR3MDC, I8MDC, IS0MDC, IU0MDC, IU9MDC and SX1MDC. All QSOs will be QSLed via the bureau, no need to send for one. Or you can QSL direct via IK2VUC. More info:
<http://www.mdxc.org/trophy.asp>.

IO0SPQR is a special Italian callsign for the 2760th anniversary of the founding of Rome. Look for it April 20-22 on all or bands. QSL direct to IOYCB.

If you hear the C6AFP beacon on 50.040.3, C6AGN, Bill, would like you to spot it so he'll know it's being heard. It puts out 25W PEP. Bill has been working out antenna and coax issues.

"The NRA Team" reminds us of the "Naval Contest" or "Portuguese Navy Day Contest," May 5-6, a 24-hour event starting at 15Z May 5 and ending at 1459Z May 6, CW and SSB. There is also a six-hour PSK operating period. Special Portuguese station CQ5MGP will be on at the site of a deactivated naval radio station, former callsign CTV, 5 km west of Lisbon. Full contest rules and pictures of the CQ5MGP site are found at www.nra.pt. There will be trophies for each mode's first, second, and third place. Logs will go to nra@nra.pt.

KB6NAN reminds us that U.S. postal rates go up May 14th. First Class mail within the US will go from 39 cents to 41 cents. Mail to Canada (VE) and Mexico (XE) will go from 64 to 69 cents. International Airmail will go from 84 cents to the new 90 cent rate. International Reply Coupons (IRCs) will increase to \$2.00 from \$1.85.

There are many other changes that can be found in this 128 page report - <http://www.usps.com/cpim/ftp/bulletin/2007/pb22203a.pdf>

The Northern California DX Foundation, NCDXF has added another video to its library, #128-Moucha Island. It's about a group of Italian ops going to an island off the coast of Djibouti in February, 2007. It's 31 minutes long and is available, with the many other NCDXF videos, going to ncdxf.org for information. Click on "member services," then on "video library." Says group librarian, K6LRN, "Please try to reserve video in a timely manner as we do not go to the post office every day to pick up and post mail."

QSN

AP2DKH - PAKISTAN - Khalid has been on 20m SSB most evenings around 0200Z calling "CQ North America." A handful of stations from around the US tonight returned his call but no one got a QSO. W7TTE, Walt, notes that, "Those of us in the West have had to contend with auroral activity (AA) blocking that region, but when the activity level drops below about 4 we get workable openings to AP and VU at this time. The AA has been around 1 to 2 for over 24 hours. VU2KY and VU2RAK have also been active on 20m CW around 0100 to 0200Z in the past two weeks. The low AA was manifest this morning with a strong signal from Stig, 9N7JO on 14165 around 1430Z and a weak, but workable AP2IA on 14012 around 1500Z."

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was on 18124 at 0920Z the 15th, 14210 at 1450Z the 14th and 14200 CQing at 1535Z the 13th. He's using 100 watts to a vertical.

ET3BN - ETHIOPIA - Peter was on 18185 at 2145Z the 14th, 10138 just before that, and 14185 at 2125Z.

EX7MK - KYRGYZSTAN - 14187 at 0110Z the 14th.

HV0A - THE VATICAN - was on 7083 listening 7214 then at the right time for the Pacific moved to 14164 simplex then 5 to 10 up. K1EH/KH6 says he was loud in Hawaii at 0610Z. HV0A said there was a lot of QRM but was making QSOs fast.

HZ1ZH - SAUDI ARABIA - Maan, in Jeddah was on 14290 at 1525Z the 13th, same frequency again at 2130Z the 14th and 1330Z and 2040Z the 15th.

J5UTM - GUINEA-BISSAU - 10108 fro 2100-2230Z the 15th and 18080 at 1940Z. QSL via HA7TM.

JT1Y - MONGOLIA - Andrea, IK1PMR operating, 7007 at 1930Z and 10106 from 1740-1920Z the 15th, 14195 at 0230Z the 16th.

N8S - The Swains Island crew shut down all radio operations Sunday shortly after 1800Z. QSL via YT1AD.

SU8DRM - EGYPT - 7047 from 2125-2220Z and 14215 from 14-1525Z. QSL via SU1KM.

UK8AJ - UZBEKISTAN - Apparently not one to sit on one frequency calling CQ, Rustam was on 10139 at 1945Z the 13th and 10122 and 10117 before that. Also, 14015 at 1325Z and 14005 at 0740Z the 13th.

VR2XMT - HONG KONG - Charlie was on 14080 RTTY working Europe at 1320Z the 15th, 14190 at 1140Z and 14205 at 01Z.

YK1BA - SYRIA - 3512 at 0245Z the 16th and 7066 from 21-22Z "by the numbers."

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-075	5H3FMB/3	21005	1115	EU-055	LA9RY	14260	0745
AS-017	JS6RRR/JS6	18089	0510	EU-075	SV1EEX/8	144300	1540
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14261	0715	EU-089	CU9RBL	7065	0005
AS-118	9K2YM/P	3790	2200	EU-099	GJ0KYZ/P	7080	1255
AS-131	BY7KPI	21260	0730	EU-127	DF6QC	10114	0720
EU-004	EA6AZ	14267	225	EU-171	OZ/DJ4MG	14258	1800
EU-025	IW9DNI	7084	2125	NA-106	KP2BH	7083	2145
EU-026	JW/F8DVD	14260	1950	OC-132	V63J	10115	1155
EU-031	IC8OZM	18078	2145	OC-200	N8S	21020	0150
EU-051	IE9/IQ9PA	14259	1310	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14139	2130

K9AJ has been delayed in leaving Woleai Island, where he's using the V63J callsign. He's been on 30 and 20M starting at 16Z and on regular IOTA frequencies. He'll probably be on another day or two. QSL via K9AJ.

GM3USR with operator G3USF and others will on the Shiant Isles, EU- 112, July 10-13. They will have 6M gear along, 100 watts to a three or five element yagi, and their usual HF antennas.

OZ/DO2ML, Ulli, will be on Aeroe Island, EU-172, June 4-7. He'll be on 80, 40 and 20 SSB only. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

OH3I will be a group of Swedish ops from Parainen or Nauvo Islands, from 10Z April 21 and 0830Z April 22. They will have as many as three radios with amps and good antennas. QSL via OH3BHL. Look for them on 7026, 10116, 14036, 18096, 7056, 14266, 18136, 7036, 14096 and 18106, CW, SSB, and digital, respectively

DL0EFA/p will be on the Island of Usedom, EU-129, April 26-May 1. Op DL8HK will be on CW and op DB1VQ will be on SSB. QSL via DK9VB.

J48IO from EU-158 will be German OMs and YLs in the IOTA contest July 26-31 inclusive dates. They will be on Proti Island. Ops are DJ7TO, DK3WW, DK7AO, DL6MHW, DL7AU and DL7IO with two stations simultaneously, 160-10M. Each rig has its own generator and antenna setup. YL ops DL1AXL, DL3ABL and DL7IQ will be using the J48YL callsign. Bureau cards are preferred, they say. An e-mail bureau request is okay, via DL7IO@qsl.net.

A large group from China's Zhuhai Polytechnic College ARC expected to have the BY7KPI callsign on from Huangmao Island the last two days, SSB and RTTY, 40, 20, 15 and 10M. QSL via BY7KPI.

Another Chinese group including BD1DRJ/3, BD3APX/3 and BD3AEO/3 will be on Shijiutuo Island, AS-134, April 21-22, CW and SSB, 40, 20, 15 and 10M. QSL to this home callsigns.

OZ/DL4VM, Tom, will be on Samsø Island, EU-172, April 21-May 5, QRP on 40, 20 and 15 CW only. QSL to his home callsign.

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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4L1QX	RW6HS	CU9RBL	CS5RBL	OX60AD	OX3UR
4L8A	DJ1CW	DR150HZ	DL3PS	R0UPOL	F8DVD
4O6CW	UA6LCW	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	R1AND	RU1ZC
5H0RS	IT9YVO	EW6GF	DL8KAC	R1FJT	UA4RC
5P1AA	LX1NO	EY8MM	K1BV	ST2R	S57DX
5T5SN	IZ1BZV	HG200B	HA3HK	SU8DRM	SU1KM
6W1SE	JR2KDN	HP3FTD	AI4U	SV9/OZ7YY	OZ7YY
9A950DM	9A1CCJ	HV0A	IK0FVC	TF3ZA	KT6YL
9J2BO	G3TEV	IE9/IQ9PA	IT9TQH	TI2AXX	DL3AXX
9K2YM/P	EA5KB	IS0/I0JX	I0JX	UN7AB	DL8KAC

A45WD	YO9HP	J5UTM	HA7TM	U01E	RX3RC
A52K	JA1CG	JT1Y	I0SNY	V31JP	KA9WON
C6AGN	W1DIG	KH2/W2FJP	JA2FJP	V44KJ	WB2TSL
CM6CAC	EA5KB	KH2F	JA2TBS	WH2D	K3UOC
CN8NK	EA5XX	LZ07IPY	LZ3SM	YN2N	TI2OHL
CO2MHZ	EA5KB	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	YN4SU	TI4SU

PZ5JR and PZ5DX both left Suriname November 4, 2003, PZ5JR returned in October, 2006 for three weeks of operating. Manager K3BYV has gotten QSLs from May 25-31, 2005 when they weren't there and figures someone must have been bootlegging the callsign. K3BYV does expect them to be on from Suriname again sometime after mid-August this year for a month-long visit.

N200 is still waiting for the blank VU7RG and VU7MY QSLs that haven't come in yet. With the U.S. postal increase coming, Bob says no worries for those who have already sent SASEs with 39 cents on them. He has a large supply of two-cent stamps on hand to add to the envelopes. But those sending for their cards from now on should send 41 cents postage for the return.

All T05X cards have been sent out. K5UN, Lee, notes he NOT the QSL manager for 4U1VIC. All cards he's received for 4U1VIC have been forwarded to Vienna. He suggests people send their requests for 4U1VIC to JH4RHF or via the OE bureau.

As of April 14 all QSLs for YX0A and YX0LIX, Aves Island, that manager KU9C had received up until March 1 were in the mail. He says this is a bit later than what he had expected but a last minute business trip got in the way.

RW3AH says the two-day Moldova operation finished successfully with 3,500 QSOs in the log, 80 percent with North America. He says, please QSL direct, to:

Andrey Fedorov (Sparky)
 Attemsgasse 7, D-03.
 Vienna A1220
 AUSTRIA

And, he says "If you have any HF sound records in your archive of ER/RW3AH operation will be glad to get one by my E-mail: [rw3ah\(at\)rambler.ru](mailto:rw3ah(at)rambler.ru)."

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 6W/RW3TN, 8P1A, 9H1ZA, 9M2MT, C52T, CG3DZ, CT3FN, CU3W, EA1CUB, EA8OM, EI7BA, G3SXW, GW4BLE, IM0/IK0FMB, IS0GQX, JA2FJP, OA4SS, OH5Z, OK1CF, P40LE, PA5A, PJ2T, PY2BRZ, RA6YDX, RV1CC, RZ3EM, TF3AM, UT5JAJ, V25OP, V31RG, VC3T, XF4DL, ZL7/G3SXW

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A third DXpedition this year to the Spratly Islands is expected to begin later this week. Starting April 19th PG5M, Gerben Menting, will be active from Pulau Layang Layang using the call 9M2/PG5M. Malaysian authorities have confirmed this callsign for the operation, which will last through April 23rd. He will be QRV on CW only on 10 through 40 meters. Gerben will be using an FT-897 along with a vertical and possibly G5RV. He has a Web site at www.dx.to. QSL via PG5M. He will begin answering cards, including other 9M2 contacts from West Malaysian islands, by the middle of this year after he returns to the Netherlands.

The N8S Swains Island DXpedition team made it back safely to Pago Pago, American Samoa late yesterday. K3LP, Dave Collingham, reports N8S had 117,205 QSOs. This breaks the K1B record of 95,127 QSOs using tents and generators and 4th in the all time QSOs DXpeditions. The N8S log search is expected to be updated with all QSOs later today, says YT1AD, Hrane Milosevic. He also said the first N8S QSL cards will be available after May 15th. The 5W5AA crew is expected to begin late today (GMT). The first photos of the N8S DXpedition can now be seen at www.dailydx.com. Just click on the photo link. Hrane and the entire N8S crew thank the Amateur Radio DX Community for their support and all the QSOs!

Wednesday April 18th G3SXW, Roger, will be taking a one day trip to the Vatican and hopes to sign HV0A for an hour or so, possibly around 15-17Z.

W8ERI, Jim, will be on holiday in Queensland from July 25th to August 7th. He will operate on 15 and 20 meters from Nossa, Hervey Bay, Mackay and Cairns using his VK4ACV callsign. QSL via W8ERI.

IOTA

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AF-014	CT3MD	14205	2238	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	18133	1356
AF-022	ZD7FT	14200	0806	EU-089	CU9RBL	7065	0005
AS-015	9M2TO	14264	1716	EU-114	MU0GSY	14260	2224
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14164	1256	EU-120	M0CGO	7012	0636
AS-118	9K2YM/P	14265	1634	EU-127	DF6QC	10108	0912
EU-023	9H4CM	14081	1522	EU-171	OZ/DJ4MG	7047	1903
EU-026	JW/F8DVD	14260	1828	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	14268	1807
EU-034	ES0IC	14081	0947	EU-171	OZ5AGJ	7036	1522

Members of French club stations F6KHI and F5KDY will be QRV with special call TM5EL from Belle-Ile and Les Poulains (both EU-048) between April 28th and 30th. Team members will include F0DIG, F1LLS, F5RAB, F6AXN, F6DPD, F6GED, F6HEQ and F8AEJ. They will be on CW and SSB. QSL via F6KHI.

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17-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058 023
17-Apr		5H	5H3VMB/3 (AF-075)	UA4WHX	11-074 070
17-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5AA	YZ7AA	11-054 035
17-Apr	19-Apr	5Z	5Z4ZK	W4ZYT	11-067 041
17-Apr	18-Apr	6O	6O0F	ON4TA	11-070
17-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI	11-024
17-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC	11-045
17-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ	11-065
17-Apr	21-Apr	J5	J5UTM	HA7TM	11-065
17-Apr	25-Apr	JD1/O	JE2HCJ/JD1	JE2HCJ	11-063
17-Apr	3-May	JT	JT1Y	I0SNY	11-045 021
17-Apr	23-Apr	JW	JW/F8DVD	F8DVD	11-049
17-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
17-Apr	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
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4O3ZZ	K1ZZ	AO5NK	EA5NK	EV5IPY	EW4IDP
9K2YM/P	EA5KB	AO5OL	EA5OL	HS0ZFF	DK1KM
AO5AT	EA5AT	BP100S	BX4AN	J5UTM	HA7TM
AO5EH	EA5EH	CP6XE	IK6SNR	ST100S	ST2M
AO5GL	EA5GL	DU9/G4UNL	G4UNL	XW1A	E21EIC
AO5MB	EA5MB				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 8P9NX, C52T, CP6/DF9GR, EA8OM, EW2EO, EW2WW, GM0F, ON4AXU, PJ2T, S57U, V25WY, V31RG, VP2E, ZD9SXW, ZL1T

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DX News

Late afternoon (local time) Tuesday April 17th several members of the N8S team, who made it back safely to American Samoa, were headed to Samoa. YT1AD, Hrane; K1LZ, Krassy; JT1CO, Chak; and K3LP, Dave; were scheduled to depart Pago Pago at 4PM Tuesday local time (0300Z today) for Samoa, where they will be QRV as 5W5AA until April 21st. The remaining ops are expected to depart American Samoa later today via boat to 5W with the antennas. Their radio operations could start early today using a dipole since they are taking the radios via plane. The boat ride will take about 10 hours so they expect the antennas to arrive and be installed by Wednesday evening (local time).

K3LP, Dave, plans to return to American Samoa on April 21st and 22nd and QRV as KH8/K3LP each day. He'll depart early on April 23rd and expects to later operate until the 24th from Hawaii.

The 4U1ITU (International Amateur Radio Club) station at ITU Geneva is currently under general maintenance and repairs of the building roof. They have temporarily removed all antennas, towers and cables from the roof. It is expected to be a long term project.

3D2DD, Rocky, and 3D2HC, Udo, went to Suva, Fiji and renewed their licenses. They were also able to renew A35RK's, Paul, 3D2RK ticket.

UA4WHX Operations

UA4WHX, Vladimir, is back on the mainland of Tanzania in the capital Dar es Salaam. As always he's not sure how long he will remain at this stop and is not revealing his next stop. I was able to get him to answer one question. How much longer before he heads back home to Russia. Vladimir plans to continue the African junket for another couple months. So hold off on all of your QSLs to UA4WHX until he gets back home in a few months. In the mean time here is a preliminary listing of Vladimir's three junkets.

Trip # 1 May 2002 through August 2002 - Caribbean and Central America May 2002 - V31BV June 2002 - YS1/AC4LN, AC4LN/HR2, AC4LN/TI2, HP8/AC4LN July 2002 - HI8/AC4LN August 2002 - 9Y4/AC4LN, 8R1/AC4LN, 8P9/AC4LN, J6/AC4LN, J73/AC4LN, J8/AC4LN, AC4LN/J3

Trip # 2 May 2003 through December 2003 - Pacific Islands May 2003 - KH6/AC4LN, V63MB, KH2/AC4LN, T88VV, KH0/AC4LN June 2003 - V63MB, V73VV, 5W0VB July 2003 - 5W0VB, ZK2VB, A35VB, P29VVB August 2003 - P29VVB, H44VV, H40VB September 2003 - YJ0VB, FK/AC4LN, FW/AC4LN October 2003 - 3D2VB, 3D2VB/R, T30VB, T20VB November 2003 - 3D2VB, ZK1/AC4LN December 2003 - FO/AC4LN/M, FO/AC4LN

October 2004 - SM5/AC4LN

Trip # 3 May 2005 through current - Middle East, Africa and Indian Ocean
May 2005 - OD5/UA4WHX, ST2KSS June 2005 - ST2VB, J20VB August 2005 - J20VB September
2005 - 5Z4/UA4WHX October 2005 - 5Z4/UA4WHX November 2005 - 5X1VB, 5H3VMB
December 2005 - 5H3VMB, 7Q7VB, Z2/UA4WHX January 2006 - 7Q7VB, Z2/UA4WHX,
4K0VB, 4L0B February 2006 - 7Q7VB March 2006 - C91VB, 5Z4BU, 3DA0VB April 2006 -
3DA0VB May 2006 - 7P8VB June 2006 - 5Z4BU, 7P8VB, Z2/UA4WHX July 2006 -
Z2/UA4WHX, 9J2VB, V51VV August 2006 - V51VV, A25VB, V51VV/P September 2006 -
9J2VB, A25VB October 2006 - V51VV, D20VB November 2006 - 9J2VB December 2006 -
C91VB/4, C91VB/6, 5H3VMB/5 January 2007 - 5H3VMB/5, 5H3VMB, 5H3VMB/3, February
2007 - 5H3VMB, D60VB, 5R8VB March 2007 - 5R8VB, D60VB, 7Q7VB April 2007 - 7Q7VB,
5H3VMB/3, 5H3VMB

All of Vladimir's operations from trip 1 and 2 have been approved by the ARRL
DXCC Desk and most have received their QSLs for those first two trips. Again
the above will be updated and resent once Vladimir is back home in Russia later
this year.

QSN

403ZZ - MONTENEGRO - Monday K1ZZ, Dave, was operating on 20
meters CW between 21 and 22Z. QSL via K1ZZ.

600 - SOMALIA - First it was 600F, Filip, on 14210 after
1130Z. Then he gave the mic to 600Z, Mohammed around
1330Z until Filip took over again at 1400Z. QSL 600F
via ON4TA. Mohammed does not have QSLs or a QSL route.

A71A - QATAR - A71EM, Juma, was guest operating from the QARS
club station yesterday. He began on CW on 14011 just
after 1600Z and then moved to SSB on 14211 around
1640Z.

AH6HY - HAWAII - European DXers from the south, east, west and
central areas were working David on 14260 between 0540
and 0730Z.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was looking for North American stations
on 14200 yesterday just prior to 16Z.

HS0ZEE - THAILAND - John had a good signal into the US East
Coast on 14195 Tuesday after 0100Z.

HV0A - THE VATICAN - The club station was on 20 SSB Tuesday
from 1520 to 1700Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

HZ1IK - SAUDI ARABIA - North American RTTY ops were working
Manfred on 7037 yesterday after 0000Z.

J5UTM - GUINEA-BISSAU - Look for Tibor between 15 and 17Z on 10
or 12 meters. QSL via HA7TM.

JW/F8DVD - SVALBARD - Pacific DXers worked this one on 14210
around 0600Z.

KH8/N9YU - AMERICAN SAMOA - Dragon was up on 14220 after 05Z. QSL
via YT1AD.

OD - LEBANON - Watch 14290 around 1500Z for Lebanese
stations.

XW1A - LAOS - Larry was on 14178 Tuesday between 0000 and 0110Z. QSL via E21EIC.

YK1BA - SYRIA - Saad continues to be on 40 and 80 meters from 0300 to 0430Z. QSL via N5FF.

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AS-078	JL8GFB	14184	0749	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14273	0806
AS-083	RA9LI/9	14168	0942	EU-116	GD4PTV	14190	0748
AS-118	9K2YM/P	21260	1021	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	7082	1755
EU-004	EA6AEI	10141	1950	OC-045	KH8/N9YU	14220	0508
EU-023	9H4DX	18150	1456	OC-088	9M6XRO	14273	1610
EU-026	JW/F8DVD	14260	1640	OC-146	YB8TAF	14320	1605
EU-034	ES0LBY	14083	1749				

Members of the Union Francaise des Telegraphistes club station F8UFT will be QRV from Vierge Island (EU-105) on April 28th from 1200 to 1600Z. They will have one station on 20 meters and the other on 40 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via F6ICG.

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A05FKQ	EA5FKQ	EG5URE	EA5URE	J5UTM	HA7TM
A05GKT	EA5GKT	FM5CD	F5VU	KH8/N9YU	YT1AD
A05GS	EA5GS	HC2SL	EA5KB	XW1A	E21EIC
A05HE	EA5HE	HC7AE	EA7FTR	YB8TAF	EA5KB

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YT1AD, Hrane, hopes the N8S Swains Island DXpedition QSL cards will be ready after May 15th. He says YZ7AA, Steva, may bring some QSLs to Dayton. MAYBE!

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A22/JA4ATV, KP2/N0FW, S21XA, V51AS, XT2C, YL2SM

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA/G3SXW, 6W/RW3TN, CP6/DF9GR, FP/G3SXW, S79RRC, V73RY, XU7ACB, ZD9SXW, ZS6AAA

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DX News

Looks like we are quickly approaching the bottom of Cycle 23, reports W3LPL, Frank Donovan. On April 17th the NOAA's Space Environment Center released their "first 45 day solar flux forecast" with no predicted days of the "solar flux over 70". You can see the predicted numbers at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftplib/latest/45DF.txt> . This is just "another milestone leading to the end of Solar Cycle 23", reminds LPL.

The N8S ops made it safely to Samoa (5W); however their radios did not make the flight! YT1AD, Hrane, hopes the group will be QRV today with their calls: 5W5AA, 5W0AA, 5W5LP, 5W0JT, 5W0SV and 5W0NU.

Many have asked about the N8S log search, which as of press time has 104,532 of the 117,205 QSOs. So the log search is missing just over 10K QSOs. The N8S Web site says "The complete logbook will be available in a couple of days."

3D2HC (DL9HCU), Udo, will be returning to Germany on Friday April 20th. He told one of our Pacific DXers (A35RK, Paul) that Udo will be back in the South Pacific "next year, and thanks everyone for all the QRP contacts".

Prefix hunters should look for PW800/PQ8 today through April 23rd.

Members of Wrexham ARS will be QRV from Scarlett Point, Isle of Man (EU-116) starting May 25th as GB100TT. The special event call is to commemorate 100 years of the Isle Of Man TT motorcycle road races. Operators will be MW0JNI, Colin, and GW6NLP, Mike. The two will be active on HF and UHF and may also use the club call GT4WXM/p. Look for activity through June 5th. QSL via MW0JNI.

A group at least six German ops will be operating from Chalet Barsula, near Triesenberg, Lichtenstein from May 26th through June 30th. Look for activity on 160m, 80m, 40m, 30m, 20m, 15m, 10m, 2m and 70cm. They'll be on SSB, FM, CW, PSK31, RTTY and WSJT. On HF they will be running a KW, 100 watts on 144 MHz into a 9 element F9FT antenna and 20 watts and 11 element Flexa yagi on 432 MHz. For skeds on 144 and 432 MHz send an email to DL5ZA@web.de or michael@dolars.de .

QSN

5W5LP - SAMOA - Krassy showed up today on 75 meters just before 1100Z.

9M2/PG5M - SPRATLY ISLANDS - Gerben started up today on 17 CW

today just prior to 0800Z. QSL via PG5M.

9M6XRO - EAST MALAYSIA - RTTY ops from across Europe were working John on 14091 Wednesday after 1800Z. QSL via M5AAV.

R1FJM - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Pacific DXers reported Victor on 7015 yesterday just before 1530Z. QSL via RX3MM.

IOTA

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AS-031	JE2HCJ/JD1	10115	0759	EU-026	JW/F8DVD	14192	1749
AS-118	9K2YM/P	14210	1520	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	0623
EU-004	EA6AEI	14260	0537	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	14263	1112
EU-015	SV9GPV	14252	1406	NA-099	KP3A	14215	0422
EU-015	SV9COL	14260	1749	NA-110	AA4V	14260	1855
EU-023	9H4CM	14180	0713	SA-002	VP8LP	14195	1123

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19-Apr		5H	5H3VMB/3 (AF-075)	UA4WHX	11-074	070
19-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5AA (OC-097)	YZ7AA	11-054	035
19-Apr	19-Apr	5Z	5Z4ZK	W4ZYT	11-067	041
19-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
19-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
19-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
19-Apr	21-Apr	J5	J5UTM	HA7TM		11-065
19-Apr	25-Apr	JD1/O	JE2HCJ/JD1	JE2HCJ		11-063
19-Apr	3-May	JT	JT1Y	I0SNY	11-045	021
19-Apr	23-Apr	JW	JW/F8DVD (eu-026)	F8DVD		11-049
19-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
19-Apr	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074
19-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
19-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
19-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171)	DJ4MG		11-065
19-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)	DL1TM		11-065
19-Apr	20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050	001
19-Apr	3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB	PT7WA		11-070
19-Apr	22-Apr	YB	YC0IEM/4 (OC-144)	IZ8CCW		11-073
19-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF		11-031

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W8AV, Goose, worked HZ1IK, Manfred, on 40 meter RTTY on Monday evening and uploaded the QSO to LOTW shortly after the QSO. Goose had a LOTW QSL back from Manfred within 6 minutes! He thinks that might be close to a record.

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DX News

Just as we were about to send today's issue we got some late breaking news on the much anticipated BS7H DXpedition, which is expected to take place at the end of the month. OE1WHC, Wolf Harranth, from Documentary Archives Radio Communications Vienna, recently did a pre-operation interview with one of the expedition's support team members. You can hear part of the interview, more to be released once the operation begins, at <http://www.dokufunk.org/> . Just click on the "mehr>>" link and then click on the MP3 file link.

JK1QLR, Kei, will be QRV as V63LR from Ulithi Atoll (OC-078), Micronesia until April 22. Next he'll be operating from Yap Island (OC-012) starting April 23. QSL via JK1QLR.

Sailors KM9D (E51QMA), Mike Young, and his first mate KF4TUG (E51TUG), Jan Heaton, departed Christmas Island (T32) and set their sails for the North Cooks. On their way they will pass Jarvis Island (darn!) as they do not have landing permission. The two are heading to the National Park on Suvarrow (OC-080), a popular stop over for yachters. The couple will remain there until sometime in May. A35RK, Paul, says E51JD, Jim on Rarotonga, South Cook Islands, has been able to renew Mike's E51QMA and Jan's E51TUG licenses. Mike and Jan expect to arrive in about two to three days.

ZL2IFB, Gary, has booked a few days on Rarotonga, South Cooks around the CQ WPX CW Contest late next month. He is not sure what his callsign will be.

For those of you waiting patiently for the N8S final logs to be posted you can now go to <http://logsearch.de/n8-log.html>. There are 117,136 QSOs there.

Space Weather Outlook Table

Here are the Solar Flux, A and Kp Index forecasted numbers for the next 20 days.

#	UTC	Radio Flux	Planetary	Largest
#	Date	10.7 cm	A Index	Kp Index
2007	Apr 20	70	15	5
2007	Apr 21	70	10	4
2007	Apr 22	70	8	3
2007	Apr 23	70	8	3
2007	Apr 24	70	8	3
2007	Apr 25	70	5	2
2007	Apr 26	70	5	2
2007	Apr 27	70	5	2

2007 Apr 28	70	25	6
2007 Apr 29	70	15	5
2007 Apr 30	70	10	4
2007 May 01	70	5	2
2007 May 02	70	5	2
2007 May 03	70	5	2
2007 May 04	70	5	2
2007 May 05	70	5	2
2007 May 06	70	8	3
2007 May 07	70	8	3
2007 May 08	70	8	3
2007 May 09	70	8	3

Silent Key

KDONB, Edward J. Lund, of Monument, Colorado died on April 15, 2007. He was 62 years old. Ted had been ill for sometime. He was a long time support of The Daily DX. RIP OM!

QSN

3XM6JR - GUINEA - Serge was on 14217 Thursday around 2200Z working all across North America. He and 3XD2Z, Alex, expect to be in country for another few months. Plans are to soon put up a 6 element six meter beam on a 10 meter boom just in time for the six meter E skip season. They'll be running 100 watts. QSL 3XM6JR via UA6JR.

5W - SAMOA - The N8S boys are back in town. This time a little more relaxed. They have been QRV as 5W0AA, 5W0JT, 5W0SV, 5W5AA and 5W5LP on 80, 40, 20 and 17 meters. See QSL section below.

9M2/PG5M - SPRATLY ISLANDS - Gerben has been reported on 17, 20, 30 and 40 CW. QSL via PG5M.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Coming in from the SW into W3 today at 13Z.

BS7H - SCARBOROUGH REEF - The Website continues to say end of April! While you are waiting you can listen to a pre-operation interview by OE1WHC, Wolf. You can hear the interview at http://www.dokufunk.org/upload/SCAR_01.MP3.

DU8DJ - PHILIPPINES - Alfred was coming in great in the mid-Atlantic area of the US today at 1245Z. He was coming in from the SW path.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was working Southern and Eastern Europeans on 18115 yesterday just after 13Z.

JE2HCJ/JD1 - OGASAWARA ISLANDS - Skip continues to be QRV on 80 and 160 CW from 1000 to 1330Z. QSL via JE2HCJ.

V8 - BRUNEI - Both V8ASV, Jeffri, and V8BDS, Aman, can often be found on 20 SSB between 14 and 16Z.

VR2XMT - HONG KONG - Charlie is like a beacon on 20 meters. North American DXers can find him on 20 meters SSB and sometimes RTTY between 1200 and 1430Z.

YK1BA - SYRIA - Lowband ops should continue looking for Saad on 40 CW or 40 SSB from 21 to 23Z and from 01 to 04Z. He sometime also tries 80 CW between 3 and 4 Z. QSL via N5FF.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-031	JE2HCJ/JD1	3512	1354	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	7053	2126
AS-051	9M2/PG5M	10102	1810	EU-182	UT2FA/P	14036	1856
EU-037	SB300L	14201	1316	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14260	2147
EU-046	LA1CI	14272	0918				

Russian op UA3ATS, Oleg, is on his way to Vaygach Island (EU-086). He is expected to arrive around April 22nd or 23rd and will be QRV for one or two days as R3CA/1. Look for him on 14060 and 14260. Russian ops can find him on 14120 from 07-08, 14-16 and 23-24 Moscow time. QSL via UA9OBA.

K3RWN, Rich, will be operating from Isle of Palms (NA-110), SC from September 1-7, 2007. Look for him on 10 through 40 meters including AO51 and SO50. He'll be on SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via K3RWN.

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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20-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0JT (OC-097)	JT1CO	11-054	035
20-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0NU (OC-097)		11-054	035
20-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0SV (OC-097)	SV2BFN	11-054	035
20-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5AA (OC-097)	YT1AD	11-054	035
20-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5LP (OC-097)	K3LP	11-054	035
20-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
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20-Apr 30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	11-055
20-Apr 30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061 050
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20-Apr 23-Apr	PY	PW800/PQ8		11-078
20-Apr 20-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX	11-050 001
20-Apr 24-Apr	T7	T77NM	IW4ARD	11-070 045
20-Apr 28-Apr	TK	TK/HA0HW	HA0HW	11-073
20-Apr 28-Apr	TK	TK/HA4DX	HA4DX	11-073
20-Apr 28-Apr	TK	TK/HA4XG	HA4XG	11-073
20-Apr 28-Apr	TK	TK/LZ1PJ	LZ1PJ	11-073
20-Apr 28-Apr	TK	TK/LZ5AV	LZ5AV	11-073
20-Apr 23-Apr	V6	V63LR (OC-078)	JK1QLR	11-063 060
20-Apr 3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB	PT7WA	11-070
20-Apr 22-Apr	YB	YC0IEM/4 (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-073
20-Apr 27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF	11-031
20-Apr 24-Apr	ZB	DH7FB DF2ZC 2 meter EME		10-218
21-Apr 21-Apr	4X	4X0MDC	IK2VUC	11-075
21-Apr 22-Apr	BY	BD1DRJ/3 (AS-134)	BD1DRJ	11-075
21-Apr 22-Apr	BY	BD3AEO/3 (AS-134)	BD3AEO	11-075
21-Apr 22-Apr	BY	BD3APX/3 (AS-134)	BD3APX	11-075
21-Apr 23-Apr	I	IF9RGE (EU-054)	IT9EJW	11-070 036
21-Apr 22-Apr	JA	JA6RGJ/6 (AS-012)	JA6RGJ	11-067
21-Apr 22-Apr	JA	JK6IIS/6 (AS-012)	JK6IIS	11-067
21-Apr 22-Apr	JA	JO6RGZ/6 (AS-012)	JO6RGZ	11-067
21-Apr 22-Apr	OH	OH3I (EU-096)	OH3BHL	11-075
21-Apr 5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)	DL4VM	11-075
21-Apr 25-Apr	TA	TC57ALAY		11-075
21-Apr 21-Apr		GMDX Convention		11-073
22-Apr 22-Apr	OL	OL75CAV	OK1UU	11-060

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5W0AA	YZ7AA	9M2TO	JA0DMV	JT1Y	I0SNY
5W0JT	JT1CO	AO5AMH	EA5AMH	PJ4/PA3CNX	PA3CNX

5W0SV	SV2BFN	A05FFC	EA5FFC	SU0ARA	SU1KM
5W5AA	YT1AD	A05FJT	EA5FJT	SU8DRM	SU1KM
5W5LP	K3LP	A05KB	EA5KB	TM5PDB	F8KFJ
5Z4ZK	W4ZYT	A05KV	EA5KV	YV1CTE	IT9DAA
7X5JF	DJ8QP	A05XU	EA5XU	YV1RDX	IT9DAA
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	GB6GW	GW0TKX	YZ160SRS	YU1SRS
9J2BO	G3TEV	HV0A	IK0FVC	Z36A	DJ0LZ
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On The WWW

XE1GRR, Rafael, a member of several XF4 expeditions is working on a webpage with QSL cards and pictures from every single expedition to Revillagigedo. You can see his work at <http://www.xf4.xedx.org/xf4- qsl.html> .

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DX News

The Radio Club Venezolano has announced an activation from Cojesdes State using the callsign YW4AJ, April 28-May 1, 80-6M, all modes including satellites. The Venezuelan organizers say this is a rare state, good for the Venezuela States Award, "D.E.V." There is more info at <http://radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm>. QSL via YV5AJ's QRZ.com address or via the bureau.

K4VUD, Charles Harpole, says he will soon have a working 80M antenna at HS0ZCW. It will be a sloper pointed north, "but at least it's an antenna, eh?" Charly wants more Thai 80M activity so he is asking for direct replies to sked suggestions, within these limits:

The skeds must be on Thai weekends because the regs only allow Thai hams to get on these bands during contests. "Fortunately" there is "some contest" almost every weekend. That's Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Thailand is +7 hours GMT, 12+ hours EST. The frequency must be between 3500-3535, CW or SSB. Charly would like to make contact with CW first before going to SSB. U.S. and most other countries are not allowed to transmit SSB in that part of the band, so that would have to be split frequency. Charly notes his internet connection is slow, for what it's worth. You can e-mail him at k4vud@hotmail.com or telephone at +66-085-046-1922 - only during the on-the-air times.

ZL1WY/JF1OCQ, Hiro Miyake, tells us about his friend's "DX vacation." JP1IOF, Toshi, will be on as KH0WW, Saipan, May 10-13, 160-6M CW and SSB using 500 watts. He will then go to Guam, signing WH7P/KH2, May 13-15. QSL via his home call, direct or bureau.

W7XU, Arliss, plans to operate from Anguilla (VP2E), June 22-July 1. He plans to spend a lot of the time on 6M.

N7CQQ, John Kennon, has plans for some future DXpeditions. John is looking at going back to Clipperton, and is also "thinking out loud" about Ducie and Midway. These are all rare ones.

The ITU Regional Joint Conference on Disaster Relief and Management - International Cooperation and the Role of ICT has been going on in Alexandria, Egypt. SU8DRM has apparently been the ham station at the conference, April 14-17. The conference's primary objective is to promote awareness of the important role and capabilities that amateur radio has in disaster relief communications. The Egyptian Amateur Radio Assembly, EARA, activated the station. Alexandria is on Egypt's north coast, on the Mediterranean. A thousand QSOs were made on 40 and 20M, demonstrating ham radio to conference participants. Some of the operators helping out were SU1GS, SU1KM, SU1SK, SU1AO, SU1KA, DL1BDF, N2OS/RA9USU/3, OH1VR, and SU9NC/N9NC. These papers were presented at the

conference: "Amateur Radio as a First Aid and Tool of Emergency Communications," by OH1VR, and "Amateur Radio Communications in Disaster Relief," by DL1BDF and SU1SK. Organizers say the operation was well received and many delegates were introduced to amateur radio. There were discussions with delegates from Egypt, Djibouti, the Comoros and others about further developing amateur radio as an emergency communications resource in the region. Next

steps: Egypt's EARS will participate in the May fifth 2007 IARU Region I EmCom "Second Party on the Air" exercise, with the callsign SU0ARA. An educational workshop on amateur radio, focusing on emergency communications, is being planned for the near future for parties in the region. QSL SU8DRM via SU1KM.

Sweden's Jemtland Radio Amateurs, SK3JR, are hosting the Scandinavian Young Ladies Radio Amateurs, SYLRA meeting in Ostersund August 23-26. They will have the special callsign 8S3SYL on the air. QSL via SM3CVM. Bureau is preferred but direct is okay with SASE and enough return postage, one new IRC or two USD. Without those your card comes via the bureau. For direct, via SM3CVM, Lars Aronsson, Lillfjallvagen 62, SE-83171 OSTERSTUND, SWEDEN. Friday, August 24 there will be a special activity by YL ops from SI9AM with two stations on simultaneously. The SYLRA web page is http://www.sylra.se/_sgg/ml_1.htm. Scandinavian OMs and YLs are invited to join the organization.

Following up on the state of ham radio in Turkmenistan, where all ham radio activity was suspended in mid-2006, EZ8CW, Vit, and other Turkmen hams ask hams around the world to e-mail mincom@online.tm to stress the importance of amateur radio for emergency communications, etc. Several readers reported the e-mail we previously gave did not work. Or you can fax, (99 312) 39-04-20.

Prefix hunters may be interested in the MMAA DX Contest (Manchester Mineira All American DX Contest) May 19 at 15Z until May 20 at 24Z. Contacts are allowed with any station in South, Central, and North America. PY5FB, Wesley, says it's likely some unusual Brazilian prefixes will be on, such as ZV5, ZW5, PQ1, ZX3, PT3, ZW4 and ZY7. Other Brazilians have applied for other special prefixes, still pending. And most of those will be on the following weekend too, the CQ WPX Contest. For rules for the MMAA DX Contest, go to http://www.powerline.com/br/cwjf/Regulamento_Ing.pdf. There will be awards for first in every continent and every class, multi or monoband. Last year there were no entries for 80M single op. So, if you want to win something.

SP9PT, Wojtek, has dropped out of the 3B6 Agalega group set for June. Still remaining are SP9MRO, SP5BFX, SP3MGM, SP6EQZ, SP3RBR, SP9SX and SP5XVY, who leave Poland May 28, expecting to arrive on Agalega June 6 for 12-15 days of operating. QSL via SP9SX.

C91AF, Mozambique, will be operator CU2AF, Eduardo, April 27-May 6. He will operate a few hours each day, on 80-10M SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL to his home call.

A05 will be the Spanish callsign from Valencia, Spain, until July 7, by EA5FKQ, signing A05FKQ and a few other operators, probably each with their own callsign, switching to the A05 prefix. They are celebrating the 32nd edition of the America's Cup sailboat regatta.

GB400AA, the AA standing for Anniversary of America, will be operating from the UK to note the settlement of Jamestown, Virginia, the first permanent English settlement in North America, founded in 1607. This on-air operation is May 11-13 with activity on 80, 40, 20 and possibly other HF bands, CW and SSB. GB400AA might be on for the CQ WPX CW contest and at other times in May. QSL via G0SBW.

Special activities are also taking place at Jamestown itself. And the Williamsburg Area ARC and Dominion DX Group will have special event station W4J

on the air May 4-25, QSL via KU4FP. K4J will be on May 11- 13, QSL via KS4RX. Other special event stations may also get on. More info may show up on http://www.arrlva.us/arrlva/va400/va400_index.html.

IY0TC is the Marconi memorial station in Il Pirgo, Italy. It will be on April 25 and from Civitavecchia on April 28th, to mark International Marconi Day. QSL via I0KHP.

IY0ORP will also be on for International Marconi Day April 28. This one will be operated by the ARI Frascati from the Geophysical Observatory at Rocca di Papa in Roma. QSL via I0DJV.

IQ9PA will be on from Isola delle Femmine, Sardinia (IT). This one is IOTA EU-166. Dates: May 19-21, and the operators are IT90ABY, IT9BLB, IT9PAD, IT9YM, IT9IAS, IT9ISR and IT9TFX. QSL according to their on-air instructions.

RP3YGA/p will be a special Russian callsign on or around May 9 including the CQ-M contest May 12-13. This operation is in memory of air force pilots who lost their lives during WW II in the Brjansk region. Look for RP3YGA/p on 160-10M SSB, CW and digital. QSL direct to MM0DFV.

PJ2/KC2PZ, Dale, will be on from Signal Point, Curacao, SA-006, May 8- 14. QSL via KC2PZ.

PJ2T will be op WI9WI, Jim, from Signal Point Station on Curacao May 21-29 including the WPX CW contest May 28-29, single op all band high power. QSL via N9AG.

PJ2/DL6LAU and PJ2/DL8OBO will be on from Curacao July 9-16 including the IARU HF Contest July 14-15, signing PJ2HQ, multi-multi. QSL to their home callsigns. QSL PJ2HQ to N9AG, and the QSOs will be on LoTW also.

SX2SB, Greece, is a special event station planned for May 19-20 to honor soldiers who fought in the battle of Skra during World War I. The SB suffix stands for "Skra Battle." The adversaries in the battle were Greece and Bulgaria. SX2SB will be on CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY. QSL via SV7CUD or SV1EOS, bureau or direct.

W6NRJ, Jim; and N6ND, Dennis, will operate portable from a park on St. Croix signing KP2/W6NRJ and KP2/N6KD this next weekend, April 22-27 inclusive. They will be on 20 and 17 SSB and CW during the day and 40 and 30 CW at night from their condo unit, if they can find a way to support their 28 gauge stealth dipoles. W6NRJ plans to spend a lot of time in the general CW band sending slower and N6KD has built a spider beam for the park operation. They will try to check into "the SATERN net."

VP9KF will be on May 15-June 5 on all HF bands, CW only, with G4BKI, Paul, operating. More details are on <http://vp9kf.com>. "The real" VP9KF, Paul Evans, lives in W4, where he signs W4/VP9KF. I'm sure it's a fun call to use on the local 2M repeater!

NN1N at the ARRL tells us that the JARL, Japan Amateur Radio League, will have representatives at the Dayton HamVention (Dayton, Ohio, USA of course) to check cards for JARL awards. JARL award certificates will be on hand to award on the spot for those presenting the required info. More detailed info should be available on <http://www.arrl.org/?artid=7388> and http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-2_Awards/Award_Main.htm. JARL will be in booth 483 close to the "ARRL EXPO." JARL Executive Director and renowned DXer JA1DM, Masa Ebisawa, will be present in the booth. In fact, you don't actually have to present the QSLs: A list of the QSLs, with your signature, and "sworn to," will suffice. Info

required: Callsign worked, date, band, mode, and entity. The fee is \$14 U.S. or 12 IRCs. A DXCC Record Sheet may be used to list the QSLs for the JARL awards.

In the Friday issue of the Daily DX the lead item was about an interview on BS7H by OE1WHC, Wolf Harranth, from Documentary Archives Radio Communications Vienna. The web site now states: "The soundfile was taken off the web, for various reasons - but be prepared to listen to an interview with the team during the operation - and meanwhile take a look at some pictures from the previous operations."

Silent Key

HK3BZO, Francisco E. Carosio, has become a silent key. Francisco was one of Colombia's leading DXers and regularly attended the Dayton HamVention in recent years.

W9IWX, Norman Schumacher, has become a silent key. He died in March. W9BEA, Wally Klinger, says Norm was "more than a casual DXer," with over 240 worked and confirmed and was also "the commensurate homebrewer, building large amplifiers, transmitters and various test equipment and gadgets." Norm was a member of W9DXCC.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EC8AXS	21260	1735	EU-144	IR8DX	18099	0920
AS-031	JE2HCJ/JD1	24950	0115	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	14263	1930
AS-051	9M2/PG5M	14005	1725	EU-182	UT2FA/P	14256	1130
AS-118	9K2YM/P	21267	1430	EU-184	OH8T	14195	1335
AS-134	BD1DRJ/3	14260	0300	NA-016	CM8FJ	7085	0050
EU-019	R1FJT	14081	0655	NA-021	8P6MT	18150	2000
EU-024	IS0AFM	14258	2025	NA-062	VP5/PY2XB	7005	0900
EU-047	DL1BBR	14084	1900	OC-005	VK9NS	14218	2150
EU-054	IF9RGE	7031	2310	OC-036	ZL2MAT	21275	0030
EU-096	OH0JJS/1	14261	1335	OC-078	V63LR	18081	0900
EU-115	OZ/DL1TM	14266	1525	OC-097	5W0AA	18125	2245
EU-129	DF0TM/P	7058	2135	SA-026	PP5JD	28460	1915

OZ/DL2VFR, Ric, will be on Roemoe Island, EU-125, between August 26 and September 1. He will be on all the HF bands, mostly CW. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

TF/DL3OCH, Bodo, will be on from Iceland, EU-021, April 24-May 2, CW only, 160-10M and 23 cm EME (that part, 18-21Z April 24, 25 and 26). He will stop for a few hours on the Faroe Islands on the way to Iceland, signing OY/DL3OCH for a few hours, probably about 06-17Z the 23rd of April. QSL to his home callsign direct or bureau. Web site: <http://www.dl3och.de>.

UX2IQ, Zmeiny Island, EU-182, Ukraine, will be on in the IOTA contest. Before and after the contest UT3IB/p, UT9IO/p and UX2IQ/p will be on CW and SSB, concentrating on 30, 17 and 12M.

PA5CW, Kees, plans to be on with a YB callsign from Bali, OC-022, April 25-May 1.

9A/I6GFX, Gianfranco operating from Croatia, will be on June 23-28 with his main QTH Murter Island, not an IOTA, but he plans to go to a few EU-170 "counters, like Arta Vela, Kornat, Kurvenjak, Radelj, Smokvica, Vrgada and Prisbnjak Mali. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

A group of Chinese hams will be on AS-135, Dongxilian Island, May 1-7. They are BA4XA, BA4XYL, BA4VE, BD4XD, BD4XW, BG6IQD and BG4VVGJ, operating "holiday style," near the popular IOTA frequency hangouts. They will have 100 watts to a two-element Yagi, plus verticals and dipoles. QSL to their home call signs.

IA5/IW1DFU, Fabio, will be on Elba, EU-028, April 25-30. He will be on 30 and 20M CW mostly. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

HI3CCP, Costantino and friends will be on Isla Cabras, NA-122, June 11- 17, on all bands and modes he says. They've asked for a special HI0 call sign. QSL via ON4IQ.

HQ9L will be an operation by the Radio Club de Honduras from Little Cay, Bahia Islands, NA-057, May 4-6. They will be on SSB, CW and digital, 160-10M. QSL via HR2RCH direct or bureau. <http://www.qsl.net/hr2rch> for more info.

OH8T will be on Hailuoto Island, EU-184, April 20-22, by OH8GZQ, OH8GZN, OH8WM, OH8HWI and OH8HQL. Look for them on 80-10M CW, SSB and digital, possibly 6 and 2 as well. QSL via OH8TA.

PA3EEQ, Kees and PA0XAW, Age, will be on Texel Island, EU-038, April 28-29. They will be on CW and SSB, 80, 40, 30 and 20M. QSL to their home calls direct or bureau. Check out <http://www.dutchlighthouseaward.nl> for info on the Dutch Lighthouses Award.

IOTA frequencies -
 CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
23-Apr	23-Apr	1S	9M2/PG5M (AS-051)	PG5M		11-076
23-Apr		3B8	3B8MM (AF-049)	DL6UAA		11-060
23-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
23-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
23-Apr		5H	5H3VMB/3 (AF-075)	UA4WHX	11-074	070
23-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0AA (OC-097)	YZ7AA	11-054	035
23-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0JT (OC-097)	JT1CO	11-054	035
23-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0NU (OC-097)	YU7NU	11-054	035
23-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0SV (OC-097)	SV2BFN	11-054	035
23-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5AA (OC-097)	YT1AD	11-054	035
23-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5LP (OC-097)	K3LP	11-054	035
23-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
23-Apr		E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
23-Apr		E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
23-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
23-Apr	23-Apr	I	IF9RGE (EU-054)	IT9EJW	11-070	036
23-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
23-Apr	25-Apr	JD1/O	JE2HCJ/JD1 (AS-031)	JE2HCJ		11-063
23-Apr	3-May	JT	JT1Y	I0SNY	11-045	021
23-Apr	23-Apr	JW	JW/F8DVD (eu-026)	F8DVD		11-049

23-Apr 30-Apr LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ	11-001
23-Apr 1-Jun OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
23-Apr 30-Apr OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM	11-055
23-Apr 30-Apr OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061 050
23-Apr 26-Apr OZ	OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171)	DJ4MG	11-065
23-Apr 26-Apr OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)	DL1TM	11-065
23-Apr 5-May OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)	DL4VM	11-075
23-Apr 23-Apr PY	PW800/PQ8		11-078
23-Apr 24-Apr T7	T77NM	IW4ARD	11-070 045
23-Apr 25-Apr TA	TC57ALAY		11-075
23-Apr 28-Apr TK	TK/HA0HW	HA0HW	11-073
23-Apr 28-Apr TK	TK/HA4DX	HA4DX	11-073
23-Apr 28-Apr TK	TK/HA4XG	HA4XG	11-073
23-Apr 28-Apr TK	TK/LZ1PJ	LZ1PJ	11-073
23-Apr 28-Apr TK	TK/LZ5AV	LZ5AV	11-073
23-Apr 23-Apr UA	R3CA/1 (EU-086)	UA9OBA	11-079
23-Apr	V6	V63LR (OC-012)	JK1QLR 11-079 063 060
23-Apr 23-Apr V6	V63LR (OC-078)	JK1QLR	11-079 063 060
23-Apr 3-May VP5	VP5/PY2XB	PT7WA	11-070
23-Apr 27-Apr YK	YK1BA	N5FF	11-031
23-Apr 24-Apr ZB	DH7FB DF2ZC 2 meter EME		10-218
25-Apr 29-Apr OH	OH10TA (EU-096)	IZ0EHO	11-070 065 055
25-Apr 10-May YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-050
26-Apr 1-May DL	DL0EFA/p (EU-129)	DK9VB	11-075
27-Apr 6-May FS	FS/K9EL	K9EL	11-070 049
27-Apr 30-Apr ZS	ZS1HELL		11-065
27-Apr 29-Apr	2007 International DX Convention		11-048 047 018
27-Apr 27-Apr	Visalia Topbanders DX Dinner		11-045
28-Apr 11-May 9H	9H3RT	DL9MWG	11-055
28-Apr 28-Apr F	F8UFT (EU-105)	F6ICG	11-077
28-Apr 30-Apr F	TM5EL (EU-048)	F6KHI	11-076
28-Apr 28-Apr OE	OE3XQC		11-071
28-Apr 28-Apr VK	VK2IMD		11-069
28-Apr 28-Apr	International Marconi Day		11-068
28-Apr 29-Apr	Union Francaise des Telegraphistes Conv		11-065

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled through Wednesday.

Isolated active periods are possible at high latitudes today.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for April 21, 2007 was zero for the fourth day in a row.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4L1QX	RW6HS	GB95MGY	G3IAF	R41WP	RA3LBA
4X0MDC	4Z4DX	HF30PIK	SP2FAX	RU0LL	IK2DUW
5H3RK	VK4VB	HG200B	HA3HK	RV7AA	UA1FA
5W0CK	K6SRZ	HH2FJM	F5RPB	ST100S	ST2M
5W0NU	YU7NU	HK1X	EA7FTR	SX1MDC	IK2VUC
5W0QS	N6TQS	HP3DX	W4WX	TI7/DL4ARW	DL4ARW
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HV0A	IK0FVC	TK/HA0HW	HA0HW
A45WD	YO9HP	I0SPQR	I0YCB	TK/HA4DX	HA4DX
AO7URM	EA7URM	IE9/IQ9PA	IT9TQH	TK/LZ1PJ	LZ1PJ
CN8IG	EA7FTR	IF9RGE	IT9EJW	TM5OIS	F5KRH
CO6DW	EA5KB	IO9MDC	IK2VUC	UN8PY	DL8KAC
CO6WD	W0SA	JE2HCJ/JD1	JE2HCJ	U01E	RX3RC
DH150HZ	DL5KUA	KH6/Z32ZM	Z32ZM	V63LR	JK1QLR
EA8/DL5MWR	DL5MWR	LU2FLN	EA5KB	VP5/PY2XB	PT7WA
EA9EU	EA5KB	NH8/K3LP	K3LP	WH2D	K3UOC
ED3UBR	EA3UBR	NP4A	W3HNK	XU7MDY	OH4MDY
EE3RCG	EA3GM	OH0JJS/1	OH6LI	YC0IEM/4	IZ8CCW
EE8AKN	IK2VUC	OH8T	OH8TA	YN2N	TI2OHL
EG5URE	EA5HT	OL75CAV	OK1UU	YU07HST	YU1FJK
FS/N9QGU	N9QGU	PA/WB2YIP	WB2YIP	YZ160SRS	YU1SRS
GB2MGY	GI4GOS	R40WK	RA9SC	Z33F	IZ8FWN

YV5TX, Jose Robaina, says he has a new QSL manager for both his callsigns, YV5TX and 4M5R. The new manager is IT9DAA.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2OK, 3Y9SDA, 4O3T, 8R1AK/P (SA-068), 9U9Z, BA4DW/7 (AS-131), HV0A, IK4ZGO, V51AS and YN4SU/9.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 3G0YM, 3G0YP, 3V8DLH, 5B/AJ20, 5B4AHL, 5J1W, 5T0ID/M, 6W7/F8PDR, 6W8CK, 8P1A, 9G5GJ, 9G5SP, A22/JA4ATV, A25/DF3GY, CU7/DH3NB, DH8WR/HC2, EA8BH, ER1DA, ES1GO, FM/JJ2RCJ, FO/JJ8DEN, GI3DZE (EU-115), HL3AHQ, HR5/OH3JF, JA8ISU, JR6TYH/JD(MT), JY9QJ, KH0AA, OH0I, OH0I/OJ0, PJ7/VA3YDX, PT5N, PW5U, RP6J, S79EC/F, S9BB, T88YU, TG7/OH3JF, TK/DL7HZ, TT8AMO, V55V, V63JQ, V73Z, VP8LGT, YB0COU, YB0JIV, ZA1A, ZA/WF5T, ZA/K7ZV, ZA/OH2BH and ZA/OH2PM.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0RN, 5B/G3SXW, 9N1SXW, C21SX, EA8CN, EA9/G3SXW, FP/G3SXW, G8DQZ, GM0UDL, GM4WZL, HQ9R, MD0CCE, ON4AXU, S79RRC/A (AF-025), S79RRC/C (AF-026), S79RRC/F (AF-053), SV9AHZ, TO5A, V73RY, XU7ACB and ZS6AAA.

On The WWW

G3SWH, Phil Whitchurch, says he has just finished designing his "shiny new web site, where operators can view the QSL cards, search the logs of most and request bureau QSLs for all of the 85 callsigns that I currently manage. There are even some photos of me!" he says. That URL is www.g3swh.org.uk.

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DX News

Multiple independent sources are reporting the BS7H team is now in Hong Kong. Once the ship is underway an official announcement will be made. Until then ignore the rumor mill.

ZL2HGR, Tom Dixon, is heading to Pitcairn Island. He'll be QRV as VP6TD from May 7th until early September. He'll be mostly on PSK and hopefully CW. He'll be using a Yaesu FT-857D, longwire, Buddipole and Z11-pro antenna tuner.

I0JBL, Luciano Blasi, tells us in a press release that a team led by IK0FVC, Francesco, "reinforced with the presence of well known guest operators, is running again the activities of HV0A and HV4NAC stations installed in the Pontifical North American College, Vatican City State. In addition to the upcoming weekend activities of HV0A the team have been decided to join, beginning with QSOs made January 1, 2007, "Log of the World". This will help those DXers quickly confirm QSOs for ARRL's DXCC.

During the CQ WPX CW Contest a group of German ops will operate as DR5L. The team will include DL3HAH, Kai; DL3QQ, Jorg; PA0R, Rein; DL1EKC, Markus; and DK3QZ, Detlef.

FF8M will also be QRV during the CQ WPX CW. The multi-two Canary Island team will include RD3AF, RZ3AZ, RA9JR and RX3APM. QSL via RX3DU.

DU9/N0NM, Jon, has gone QRT from 160 meters. In preparation for moving back to Pennsylvania, USA, he has taken down all the low band antennas and packed up the amplifier. Since 2001 Jon have been on the air and been working hard to work the east coast from the southern Philippines on 160 meters. Jon will be leaving the Philippines May 28th. He has also changed calls. His new US call is K3QF. Jon may be QRV with a FT-100 and 20/17 meter dipole from the Philippines before heading back stateside. QSL cards should be sent to his PA address after June 1st.

Mark you calendar for next year's GMDX Convention which will be held in Scotland on Saturday April 26th (2008).

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-024	JS6RGM	18135	1316	OC-036	ZL2MAT	18147	0016
AS-051	9M2/PG5M	14015	1409	OC-088	9M6XRO	21265	1401

AS-053	HS0/IK4MRH	14260 1655	OC-097 5W0AA	18125 0437
AS-118	9K2YM/P	14260 1542	OC-097 5W0JT	7085 1141
EU-018	OY/DL3OCH	14009 1032	OC-097 5W0NU	14020 1207
EU-026	JW/F8DVD	14195 2101	OC-130 DU8DJ	14260 1454
EU-031	IC8OZM	10109 2136	OC-130 DU9/PA3GZU	14275 1728
EU-054	IF9RGE	14205 1024	OC-162 H44MS	18137 2227
NA-026	N2XDR	14260 0211	SA-011 9Y4D	14200 2251

MM0BQI, Jim Martin, will be operating from Shuna Island, in the Inner Hebrides, Scotland (EU-008) and from April 28th to May 5th. He will also have a boat available so other island activations may be possible in the local area. Operation will mostly be on 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters on RTTY, SSB and CW. QSL via MM0BQI either direct or via the RSGB QSL bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
24-Apr		3B8	3B8MM (AF-049)	DL6UAA		11-060
24-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
24-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
24-Apr		5H	5H3VMB/3 (AF-075)	UA4WHX	11-074	070
24-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0AA (OC-097)	YZ7AA	11-054	035
24-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0JT (OC-097)	JT1CO	11-054	035
24-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0NU (OC-097)	YU7NU	11-054	035
24-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W0SV (OC-097)	SV2BFN	11-054	035
24-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5AA (OC-097)	YZ7AA	11-054	035
24-Apr	24-Apr	5W	5W5LP (OC-097)	K3LP	11-054	035
24-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
24-Apr		E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
24-Apr		E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
24-Apr	25-Apr	H4	H44MS (OC-047)	DL2GAC		11-045
24-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
24-Apr	25-Apr	JD1/O	JE2HCJ/JD1 (AS-031)	JE2HCJ		11-063
24-Apr	3-May	JT	JT1Y	I0SNY	11-045	021
24-Apr	27-Apr	KP2	KP2/W6NRJ KP2/N6KD			11-080
24-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
24-Apr	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074
24-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
24-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
24-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171)	DJ4MG		11-065
24-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)	DL1TM		11-065
24-Apr	5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)	DL4VM		11-075
24-Apr	24-Apr	T7	T77NM	IW4ARD	11-070	045
24-Apr	25-Apr	TA	TC57ALAY	TA1HZ		11-075
24-Apr	2-May	TF	TF/DL3OCH (EU-021)			11-080
24-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/HA0HW	HA0HW		11-073
24-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/HA4DX	HA4DX		11-073
24-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/HA4XG	HA4XG		11-073
24-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/LZ1PJ	LZ1PJ		11-073
24-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/LZ5AV	LZ5AV		11-073
24-Apr		V6	V63LR (OC-012)	JK1QLR	11-079	063 060
24-Apr	3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB	PT7WA		11-070
24-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF		11-031
24-Apr	24-Apr	ZB	ZB2/DH7FB ZB2/DF2ZC 2 meter	EME		10-218

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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9M6XRO	M5AAV	IF9RGE	IT9EJW	PJ4/N0VD	N0VD
AO5GU	EA5GU	IQ8PQ	I8TWB	SC300VL	SK6HD
BP100S	BX4AN	NH8/K3LP	K3LP	SV9/OH1VR	OH1VR
CX7CO	KA5TUF	OY/DL3OCH	DL3OCH	TC57ALAY	TA1HZ

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Those QSLing 5W0JT, via JT1CO, should use Chak's QRZ.COM address. As with all Mongolian address it is recommended you send them via Japan.

US stations have had much better results than those not using this via Japan addition. Here is an example of what your envelope should look like:

Ch. Chadraabal
P.O. Box 905
Ulaanbaatar-23
MONGOLIA
via JAPAN

VK4AAR, Alan, reports one US dollar is no longer enough to cover postage from Australia to anywhere in the world. If you are trying to find out how many \$ to send for QSLs to a certain country there are a few good sources at <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> . Check the W9OL, N6DHz, K4HB and DL6ZFG sites at the bottom of that page.

Below in the QSLs received direct you will notice a QSL received from OD5NH. N4II, Ed, says, as a test, on 15 March he sent a QSL with SAE and 3 GS to OD5NH's QRZ.com address in Beirut. The letter was sent registered air mail, return receipt requested, and restricted delivery. On March 28th he received the return receipt post card, complete with Puzant's signature, date stamped March 20th. The actual QSL arrived on April 24th.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5V7SE, 9M6XRO, EA8/DL3KVR, EK8WA, GP0STH, GU0SUP, GW3YDX, J28JA, MD0CCE, OD5NH, OX3PG, PJ2/N0KE, PJ5NA, R1FJM, S53F, ST2A, TG9NX, V31JZ/p (NA-180), V31TR, VP9/W6PH, XT2C, YI9KT, YX0LIX, ZS4U

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: CT3/DL7YS, DQ2006C, DQ2006S, DQ2006V, EA8/DH5JG/p, EA8AH, EA8URL, ER4DX, HK3AXY, LA6Q (EU- 079), RK6YYA/0, RU0SM, TK/HB9ASZ/p, YB0JIV, ZL6FF, ZS6WN

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5B/G3SXW, 8P9NX, 9H1ZA, 9Z4FZ, BD7KLO, CG3DZ, DD1JN, EA6AZ, EA8CN, FP/G3SXW, HH4/K4QD, I5HOR, OE3SGU, ON4AXU, PJ4/W9NJY, T40C, V26B, V31RG, V51/DL5XL, V73RY, VC3T, W2FJP/KH2, XF4DL

Correction

PJ2/DL6LAU and PJ2/DL8OBQ (not DL8OBO) will be on from Curacao July 9-16 including the IARU HF Contest July 14-15, signing PJ2HQ, multi-multi. QSL to their home callsigns. QSL PJ2HQ to N9AG, and the QSOs will be on LoTW also.

On The WWW

U.S. Amateur Radio ops trying to find who your ham neighbors are can go to <http://www.vanityhq.com/cgi/hamlocator.cgi?http://www.ae7q.com> .

NASA now has the ability to view the sun in 3D. Read about it at <http://apnews.myway.com/article/20070423/D80MJN580.html> .

On line logs for the March 2007 TM5CI operation from EU-039 can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs/index.html> .

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BS7H Press Release #4

The 2007 Dxpeditioin to Scarborough Reef is pleased to announce they have departed on their ship for Scarborough Reef at 06:00 UTC 25 April. The trip is approximately 60 hours and upon arrival they will immediately build their stations and erect antennas.

This is the culmination of 5 years of planning and preparation. The International Team led by W6RGG includes 9V1YC, BA1HAM, BA1RB, BA4RF, BA4RC, BA7NQ, BV6HJ, DU1EV, DU1BA, ND2T, AA4NN, K4UJ, N6MZ, K9AJ, OH2BH, I8NHJ, and DL3MBG.

They are backed up by a support staff including N4XP, N1DG, K5YY, BV4FH and DU1JMG to insure that they are safe and informed of events happening off island.

We wish to thank the Chinese Sport Radio Association, the Philippine Amateur Radio Association, the American Radio Relay League, NCDXF and INDEXA who were instrumental in their support.

Scarborough Reef has unique and dangerous attributes and as such we will not have online logs or pilots. All efforts are on keeping our team safe so they can provide a new one to as many hams as possible.

Good luck in the pileups, watch www.scarboroughreef.com for updates.

N4XP and N1DG for the 2007 Scarborough Reef Expedition

DX News

Yesterday I0SNY, I8YGZ and I5NOC activated JT6Y for few hours. Claudia, K2LEO, and IK1PMR, Andrea, will fly back to Italy today. The JT1Y team went QRT around 1109Z on Tuesday with over 4000 QSOs including over 600 on RTTY, 39 on SSB, and all others on CW on 12 through 160 meters. They dismantled the station and uploaded the logs to www.ik1pmr.com/logs/. Please note that the other JT1Y station (operated by I0SNY, I5NOC, and I8YGZ) had paper logs, so those QSOs are not online!

Look for DF5ZV, Petra, and DK7ZT, Bernd, to be operating as LG5LG and SJ9WL from Morokulien from April 28th to May 2nd. They will be on all bands on CW, RTTY, Olivia and PSK.

9Q1EK, Georges, will be on vacation starting May 12th. He will be going to Montreal, Canada. On May 20th he'll be in New York and heads to Italy on June 4th. Georges will be back in Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo on June 19th.

FSDXA - St. Brandon DXpedition - Bulletin No. 4
By G3XTT/NK1G, Don Field (g3xtt@lineone.net)

Plans for the September FSDXA DXpedition to St. Brandon are progressing well. A suitable boat has been chartered to take the team and its 6 tonnes of equipment to the island, the licence has been received, and all permits are in place for our stay on the island.

The team will be operating from Isle du Sud, the southern end of what is shown on the charts as Cocos Island (not to be confused with Cocos Island in TI9 or the Cocos-keeling Islands VK9!). Lighthouse on the Air enthusiasts might be interested to note that Cocos Is. has a beacon for WLOTA-Ref. LH 1017. This will be an all-time new one for lighthouse collectors - assuming the light is accessible from Isle du Sud.

TEAM CHANGES

Some of the previously-announced members have, unfortunately, had to drop out of the expedition. These include G3VMW, G4KIU, SM5AQD, WF5T and W3WL. However, we are delighted to announce that they will be replaced by Bob MD0CCE (also known as N2BB), Pete SM5GMZ (recently QRV from 6W), Gordon G3USR and Clive GM3POI (well-known as a low band expert living in the Orkney Islands).

3B7C BROCHURE

We now have a four-page full-colour brochure setting out more information about our expedition. This can be downloaded in both high and low definition PDF format from our website (www.3b7c.com which is now up and running).

FSDXA AWARDED CALCUTTA KEY

At their Meeting on Saturday 16th March the RSGB Board unanimously agreed that the Five Star DXers Association be awarded the "Calcutta Key" for the association's outstanding service to International Friendship.

FSDXA APPROACH TO DXPEDITIONING

Having now QSLed nearly 100,000 3B9C QSOs we calculate we achieved an average busted call rate of 0.5%. We believe this to be a good figure although we shall try to improve on it at 3B7C. Learn about the techniques we use. Get "DXpeditioning Behind the Scenes" from Nevada Communications. Now available for a special price of £12.95.
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QSN

- 9M6XRO - EAST MALAYSIA - John was on 14268 Tuesday between 1320 and 1500Z working all across North America. QSL via M5AAV.
- 9V1AP - SINGAPORE - RTTY ops were working Irwin on 14082 around 1500Z. QSL via KD3TB.
- A41MO - OMAN - West Coast US DXers found Samir on 20 SSB yesterday at 1630Z.

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25-Apr	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW	11-080 050
25-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF 11-031

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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6H1XR	XE1XR	A05FJT	EA5FJT	R3CA/1	UA9OBA
9V1AP	KD3TB	JT6Y	I0SNY	TL8PB	LA0HF
A71CT	EA7FTR				

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YU1FW, Branko, is the QSL manager for the following stations: C43T, CN2RL, ET3YIJ, FC2XN, FM/YT6A, YU1FW/H25, H27T, J3/YU1FW, J3/YU1RL, J68DQ, P37T, SV5/YU1FW, SV9/YU1FW, T98DXA, T98G, TL8CN, V27T, V29SKY, VP5/YT6A, VP5MM, X5ACL, X5AE, X5AW, X5EBL, X5FT, X5IW, X5JHI, X5KC, X5XR, XE1/YU1FW, XE1/YU1RL, YT3A, YT4G, YT6A, Y'T8DX, YT310SKY, YT635A, YT6100A, YU1FW/6 (EU-163), YU5X, YU8A, YU9A, YZ3A YZ6A, YZ610SKY, YZ6100A, Z38DX, 3XY0A, 3XY0A/P (AF-051), 4N3100NET, 4O3A, 4O310SKY, 4O4AE, 4O4AU, 4O4AW, 4O4FT, 4O4IW, 4O4KC, 4O4XR, 4O6A, 4O100BB, 5B4AGD, 4O6A/5B4, YU1FW/5B4, YU1RL/5B4, 5J0T, 5L7T, 9H3NK, 4O3DX, 4O3W, 4O5Z, 4O94, PT5L, YT65WRTC, 4N3DX.

His address is YU1FW, Branko Drijaca, Kragajevacka 4, 11160 Beograd, Serbia.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3C0M (AF-039), 5W5AA, 9M2MRS, 9U0X, 9U9Z, A92GR, AH2L, C6APG, C6DX, DQ2006C, EK8WA, HP1XX, HV0A, J79IU, KL7HBK (NA-004), OX3PJ, S21XA, T77C, V8BDJ, WH2D, YI9KT, YU6AO, YW0DX (NA-020), YX5IOTA (SA-044)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5B/HB9AII (AS-004), AH7G (OC-019), CE3CWF/6, CE8A (SA-094), FH/F6AUS (AF-027), HB0TW, IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028), J49W (EU-015), JD1BMC (AS-031), KH6ZM, LA/DG5XJ (EU-055), MM/DK8XF (EU-008), OA4/DL5YWM, OH0XX (EU-001), OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096), OH1/DL2VFR (EU-096), OY/PA0VHA (EU-018), OY/PA2AM (EU-018), OZ/DL2VFR (EU-088), OZ/OP1A (EU-125), P40CW (SA-036), PE1EWR/PJ4 (SA-006), R7M, RA3NQ/1 (EU-162), SM6/DL2VFR (EU-043), SX9G (EU-187), T80X (OC-009), TA4/LY3W, TF3PPN (EU-021), TM4Z (EU-065), TO2ANT (NA-102), V26MH (NA-100), VU4AN/VU3RYE (AS-001), ZS2BS

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0CA, 3DA0DX, 3DA0PB, 4W3ZZ, 4X6FK, 8P1A, 8P9NX, 9H1ZA, 9M2MRS, 9N1SXW, BX5AA, C21SX, C52T, C56/G3SEM, CK3DZ, CP6/DF9GR, CT1FJK, CT3FN, DF1HE, DF1PE, DF7ZS, DH1PS, DJ8EW, DK8AF, DL4NN, DL7BA, DX0JP, EA6AZ, EA6IB, EA6/DL5DSM, EX0V, F/G3VQO/p, FG5FI, FP/G3SXW, G8DQZ, HK4SAN, HV0A, JM1XCW, KC1XX, KG8CY, KP2L, LZ8A, MJ/K8PT, NH6D/KH2, NH6D/KH3, NO2K, OD5SR, OE1RGC, OE1SGU, PJ2T, S79RRC/C, SM2GCQ, SV1EQU/8, SV9/DL5DSM, T40C, TG9AKH, TO5A, V25OP, V31RG, V51/DL5XL, VA3UZ, VC3T, VE3DZ, VP5/CT1ILT, W4TD, WE2Y, XF2K, XF4DL, XU7ACB, ZL4PW, ZL7/G3SXW

On The WWW

UR0MC, Roman, has posted photos of the recent N8S DXpedition to Swains Island at
<http://www.ur0mc.com/ru/photo.php?id=1>
<http://www.ur0mc.com/ru/photo.php?id=2> and
<http://www.ur0mc.com/ru/photo.php?id=5>

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DX News

A group from the Korea DX Club has announced their plans for a DXpedition to Timor-Leste (East Timor). They will be QRV from the capital city of Dili from May 30th until June 4th. The team will include 6K5YPW, Kim; DS2BGV, Lee; HL5FUA, Choi; and 6K2AVL, Yoon. The callsign 4W6AAV has been issued, but they will try for two letter suffixes. Activity will be on 10 through 160 meters.

Suggested frequencies will be as follows:

CW - 1822 (QX 1824), 3515, 7015, 10115, 14015, 18075, 21015, 24895, 28015

SSB - 3795, 7095, 14195, 18130, 21295, 24950, 28460 Digital modes - 14082, 21082, 28100

The group will have two amplifiers and vertical and beam antennas. They have a Web site at <http://dxpedition.co.kr/> . QSL via HL5FUA.

Saturday April 28th marks the beginning of Japan's Golden Week. This is one of the most important holiday weeks for the Japanese, which runs through May 6th. It includes four national holidays. The first actual holiday is Showa Era Memorial Day, which is the former Emperor's birthday and takes place on Sunday April 29th. Japan's Constitution Memorial Day takes place on Thursday May 3rd. On Friday May 4th is Green Day (Midori-no-hi). The last holiday is Children's Day, which will take place on Saturday May 5th. So beginning late this Friday through Sunday April 6th there should be plenty of Japanese operators QRV on the bands.

Japanese operators JM1LJS, Hide; JI5PRT, Koya; and JG7PSJ, Harry; have announced their plans to be QRV during their Gold Week Holiday from Chichijima Island (AS-031), in the Ogasawara Islands group. They will be QRV starting about 0600Z on Sunday April 29th through approximately 2200Z on Saturday May 5th. They will be using the calls JD1BLK, JD1BLY and JD1BMH, respectively. Look for them to be QRV on all bands and modes including satellite. All of the operator have their own Web sites.

They are:

JD1BLK <http://radio-dream.com/jd1blk/>

JD1BLY <http://www.ji5rpt.com/>

JD1BMH <http://sapphire.ganko.tohoku.ac.jp:8080/jd1bmh/>

QSL: JD1BLK via JM1LJS, JD1BLY via JI5RPT, and JD1BMH via JG7PSJ.

Here is an interesting article predictions by scientists on the next solar cycle peak - <http://tinyurl.com/2tjrla>

IW2NEF, Flavio Pelucchi, will be operating from Bayahibe (FK58), Haiti (NA-096) as IW2NEF/HI7 from June 3rd to 9th. He'll be running 100 watts from a Yaesu FT-857D into a 9 meter wire vertical on HF and J Pole on 6 meters. Flavio

will be on for about an hour or two daily on 10 through 40 meters and 6 meters if there is Eskip. QSL via IW2NEF.

Today G3SXW, Roger, will be operating for a tad from the famous LY7A contest station in Lithuania.

Members of the EW8ZZ club station in Gomel, Belarus will be QRV with special event call EV8DP, to commemorate the day of Victory over WWI, from May 1st to 14th. QSL via UA3FDX.

2007 Dayton Hamvention DX Dinner
by K4ZLE, Jay Slough

This is another reminder of the 22nd annual DX Dinner to be held in conjunction with the 2007 Dayton HamVention. It is not too late to order tickets, but time IS running out. The dinner will be Friday evening, 18 May, at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, located in Dayton city center. Our key speaker will be Ward Silver, N0AX. Ward is a well known DXer, Contester and author. ICOM is generously donating another IC-756 Pro III as a door prize. In addition, there are many other nice prizes. Full information can be found on our web site: www.swodxa.com. Please check it out. Come join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. After checking out the web site, further information may be obtained from Jay at: [k4zle <at> yahoo <dot> com](mailto:k4zle@yahoo.com). Be sure to get your tickets now, sales at the door are done as a courtesy for selling those tickets previously purchased but brought back or sent back at the last minute.

Dayton Forums

Speaking of Dayton here are some of the forum schedules.

Antenna Forum - Friday 2:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. - Moderated by K3LR, Tim Duffy

Antenna Secrets from the W6NL/HC8L Notebook by W6NL, Dr. David B. Leeson

K3LR-The Design, Construction and Operation of the 28 Element OWA 15 meter Stacked Yagi Array at K3LR by WA3FET, Dr. James Breakall, and K3LR, Tim Duffy
People I Know and The Antennas They Grow by N9NB, Dr. Ted Rappaport
What's New in the 21st Edition of the ARRL Antenna Book by N6BV, Dean Straw

Contesting Forum - Saturday 11:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. - Moderated by K1DG Doug Grant

WRTC2006 Video - by PY5EG, Atilano Oms

Memories of the WRTC2006 Experience - by K5ZD, Randy Thompson, K4BAI, John T. Laney III, and NF4A, Charlie Wooten
The 40-Zone Adventures of Phil Goetz, N6ZZ by N6AA, Dick Norton
Contesting from Thailand & South East Asia by E21EIC, Champ C.

Muangamphun

The K3LR Multi-Multi Station and Video Notebook by K3LR, Tim Duffy

DX Forum - Saturday 2:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. - Moderated by K4ZLE, Jay Slough and assisted by AC8G, Harry Flasher and W8WQT, Tom Kissner

KH8SI - Swains Island by K8YSE, John Papay YX0A/YX0LIX - Aves Island by YV5EED, Ramon Jose Perez Brett ZL8R - Kermadec Island by K9ZO, Ralph Bellas Jr.

OP Bulletin preparation and distribution by KB8NW, Theodore Mirgliotta VU7RG - Lakshadweep Island by Glen Johnson, W0GJ The upcoming BS7H Scarborough Reef operation by N6MZ, Mike Mraz

The complete listing of forums can be found at <http://www.hamvention.org/forums07.htm>.

QSN

HV0A - THE VATICAN - U.S. West Coast ops reported big signals from Francesco yesterday on 14280 around 1700Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

KH8/AI4VU - AMERICAN SAMOA - AH8LG, Larry, tells us that JT1CO (5W0JT), Chak, is operating from AS until tonight (local time). Chak will then head home via Honolulu. QSL via JT1CO.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-020	BX5AA	14087	1221	EU-144	IR8DX	18104	0852
AS-117	JA3AOP	14267	1549	EU-171	OZ/DJ4MG	14260	2223
EU-010	GM4KGK	14027	2102	EU-171	OZ/DL1TM	7056	1515
EU-048	F5LLN/P	10103	1652	NA-015	CO6YVC	7023	0541
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14253	1413	OC-047	H44MS	18132	0836
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14157	1727	OC-148	YB9ZNT	14195	1639
EU-086	R3CA/1	14060	0646	SA-006	PJ4/N0VD	7012	0242
EU-096	OH10TA	14260	2103				

During the ARI DX Contest (May 5/6) IZ4AKS, Giorgio, plans to operate from Procida Island (EU-031) with special call IC8R. Joining him will be IC8DAK, IC8OZM, IZ4DPV, IK8UND and IZ8GCB. They will be on the island between May 4th and 7th. QSL via IC8OZM.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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26-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
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26-Apr		5H	5H3VMB/3 (AF-075)	UA4WHX	11-074	070
26-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
26-Apr	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-081
26-Apr	1-May	DL	DL0EFA/p (EU-129)	DK9VB		11-075
26-Apr	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF			11-081
26-Apr		E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
26-Apr		E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
26-Apr	30-Apr	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-080
26-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065

26-Apr	27-Apr	KP2	KP2/W6NRJ	KP2/N6KD			11-080
26-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU		LZ1BJ		11-001
26-Apr	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS				11-074
26-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM		IV3YIM		11-055
26-Apr	29-Apr	OH	OH10TA (EU-096)		IZ0EHO	11-070	065 055
26-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)		OX3UR	11-061	050
26-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DJ4MG (EU-171)		DJ4MG		11-065
26-Apr	26-Apr	OZ	OZ/DL1TM (EU-171)		DL1TM		11-065
26-Apr	5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)		DL4VM		11-075
26-Apr	2-May	TF	TF/DL3OCH (EU-021)		DL3OCH		11-080
26-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/HA0HW (EU-014)		HA0HW		11-073
26-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/HA4DX (EU-014)		HA4DX		11-073
26-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/HA4XG (EU-014)		HA4XG		11-073
26-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/LZ1PJ (EU-014)		LZ1PJ		11-073
26-Apr	28-Apr	TK	TK/LZ5AV (EU-014)		LZ5AV		11-073
26-Apr	3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB (NA-002)		PT7WA		11-070
26-Apr	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW			11-080	050
26-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA		N5FF		11-031

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at very low to low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at quiet to unsettled levels today and Friday. A recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream is expected to become geoeffective on Sunday. Active to minor storm conditions are expected with the onset of the coronal hole.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for April 24, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

G3SXW, Roger Western, tells us he has been busy over the past few weeks uploading some of his past DXpedition logs into the LOTW system. "LotW is a good system, it really works, but it takes time", says Roger. As of the moment Roger has uploaded the following operations:

3DA/G3SXW Oct 92
ZD9SXW Sep 93
9N1SXW Sep 95
C21SX Feb 99
ZL7/G3SXW Sep 01
P29SX Oct 04
C21SX Sep 05
EA9/G3SXW Mar 06
ZB2/G3SXW Mar 06

5B/G3SXW May 06
FP/G3SXW Sep 06

The above represents about 80,000 QSOs and around 8,000 confirmations for a 10% QSL rate. He has about another dozen or so logs to upload and does plan to do so. Roger did have some problems "with logged- times on some DXpeditions (e.g. ZD9SXW + ZL7/G3SXW)". Anyone who finds their LoTW confirmation missing can email the details (both calls, date, time, band) to Roger at g3sxx@btinternet.com so that he can investigate.

YI9E (WU5E), Jim Kennedy, operating from Iraq reports he has received 25 direct QSL requests and all have been answered.

K6SRZ, Alan Eshleman, has returned to his home after his trip to the Pacific (Swains, Samoa and American Samoa). He will be getting QSL cards printed and all requests will be honored for his 5W0CK and KH8/K6SRZ activities.

"The CN3A direct QSL requests backlog has been cleared, and all the cards are in the post mail", reports QSL Manager I2WIJ, Roberto Soro.
>From this point on QSLs will be answered once a week. 5D5A direct QSLs will begin to be answered starting May 2nd.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A22/JA4ATV, CE1/K7CA, CX6VM, EA8CN, PJ5NA, R1FJT, T32MO, V31FG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0CA, 4O3ZZ, 8P9NX, B4TB, BA4TB, C21SX, GM0F, GM0UDL, HV0A, OA4SS, PJ7/N4ZC, V31RG, V51/DL5XL, XU7ACB, YV1DIG

On The WWW

Topbanders.com lists the DXCC totals on 160 meters of most of the top Topbanders at <http://www.topbanders.com/> . Seven DXers have worked more than 300 on this difficult but exciting band!

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BS7H Press Release # 5
By N1DG, Don Greenbaum and N4XP, Tom Harrell

At 0240Z 27 April the team was located approximately 240 nautical miles north west of Scarborough Reef and making less than the expected progress because of extremely rough seas. The sea has been rough since departure from Hong Kong and the team is staying as quiet and still as possible in an effort to reduce exhaustion.

Current estimated arrival to BS7 is their Sunday morning local time.

Because of rough seas, there has been NO MARITIME MOBILE operation.

DX News

Members of the 4K7Z club station in Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan will be QRV with special event call 4KP7Z (probable) or 4K1V, to commemorate the Day of Victory over WWI, from May 1st to 14th, including participation in CQ-MIR Contest. QSL via UA3FDX.

4W6AAD, is VK3ZGW, Geoff Williams, an Australian helicopter pilot working in Dili East Timor. Length of stay is unknown at this time.
QSL via VK3ZGW.

AK1P, Paul, plans to be in Belize and QRV as V31PA from April 29 to May 9. QSL via WA6GER.

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27-Apr		E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-079
27-Apr	6-May	FS	FS/K9EL (NA-105)	K9EL	11-070 049
27-Apr	30-Apr	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU	11-080
27-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ	11-065
27-Apr	7-May	JA	JS6RRR/JS6 JI3DST/JS6 (AS-0	home calls	11-066
27-Apr	27-Apr	KP2	KP2/W6NRJ KP2/N6KD		11-080
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27-Apr	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-080 050
27-Apr	27-Apr	YK	YK1BA	N5FF	11-031
27-Apr	30-Apr	ZS	ZS1HELL		11-065
27-Apr	29-Apr		2007 International DX Convention		11-048 047 018
27-Apr	27-Apr		Visalia Topbanders DX Dinner		11-045
28-Apr	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG	11-055
28-Apr	28-Apr	F	F8UFT (EU-105)	F6ICG	11-077
28-Apr	30-Apr	F	TM5EL (EU-048)	F6KHI	11-076
28-Apr	5-May	GM	MM0BQI (EU-008)	MM0BQI	11-081
28-Apr	28-Apr	I	IY0ORP	I0DJV	11-080
28-Apr	28-Apr	I	IY0TC	I0KHP	11-080
28-Apr	6-May	JA	Golden Week in Japan		11-083
28-Apr	2-May	LA/SM	LG5LG SJ9WL		11-081
28-Apr	28-Apr	OE	OE3XQC		11-071
28-Apr	29-Apr	PA	PA3EEQ PA0XAW (EU-038)	home calls	11-080
28-Apr	28-Apr	VK	VK2IMD		11-069
28-Apr	1-May	YV	YW4AJ	YV5AJ	11-080
28-Apr	28-Apr		International Marconi Day		11-068
28-Apr	29-Apr		Union Francaise des Telegraphistes Conv		11-065
29-Apr		BS7	BS7H (AS-116)	KU9C	11-082 075 071
29-Apr	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	11-083 068
29-Apr	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	11-083 068
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Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled. A recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream is expected to become geoeffective on Saturday. Expect unsettled to minor storm conditions on Saturday and Sunday.

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The sunspot number for April 26, 2007 was 17.

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
4W6AAD	VK3ZGW	OH10TA	IZ0EHO	TK/HA4DX	HA4DX
5W1SA	JH7OHF	OL32OLP	OK1DRQ	TK/LZ1PJ	LZ1PJ
6W2SC	HA3AUI	OX60AD	OX3UR	UE3XAA	UA3XGM
CO6WD	W0SA	R3CA/1	UA9OBA	UN7QF	EX2A
CQ0ODX	CT2GZE	T88KL	JN3JBC	UN7QX	W7BO
IB0/IY0TC	I0KHP	TF/DL3OCH	DL3OCH	ZF2BI	K4BI
IQ3EY/3	IZ3DBA	TK/HA0HW	HA0HW		

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BX5AA, CT2FUH, DL4MCF, EA1CUB, HV0A, HZ1SK

Correction

IW2NEF, Flavio Pelucchi, will be operating from Bayahibe (FK58), Dominican Republic (NA-096) as IW2NEF/HI7 from June 3rd to 9th. He'll be running 100 watts from a Yaesu FT-857D into a 9 meter wire vertical on HF and J Pole on 6 meters. Flavio will be on for about an hour or two daily on 10 through 40 meters and 6 meters if there is Eskip. QSL via IW2NEF.

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DX News

The big news is Scarborough Reef, BS7H, the number one most needed DXCC geopolitical entity in most parts of the world. That operation is now in full swing. Landing was made and stations were set up over the weekend. The first 24 hours of operation are now complete. W3UR says that as of DDX press time the up to the minute report is that they now have two stations up and running from two different rocks.

The 80M station heard on the air is a pirate; they have not put up an 80M antenna as of this point. It's still early in the DXpedition and DXers are urged not to panic yet. So far, activity has been on 20 phone and CW and a lot of activity on 17M phone early today. There will be no on-line logs until after the DXpedition.

VK3ZGW, Geoff Williams, is now in Dili, East Timor, where he holds the callsign 4W6AAD. Geoff says his current tour ends May 17th. His next week-long tour begins June 14th. He recently made his first QSO from there, with VK2XN in New South Wales, Australia. That was on 20M. He has also heard Ireland, Austria, Russia, the Philippines and Cambodia. Geoff has found the bands to be fairly dead, "with only 40M and 20M opening from time to time."

EV6ZK, Belarus, is the callsign used annually by hams in Orsha and Baran for the Day of Victory in World War I celebration. This station is on the air May 1-14 including the CQ-MIR Contest.

SM5GMZ, Pete, expects to have a 6V7 callsign for his operation from Senegal, West Africa for 12 days of activity, which he should be into by now. He expects to be on all modes and bands but especially 160 and 80M. QSL via SM5GMZ direct or bureau.

C4I is the Cyprus callsign several ops hope to have in the CQ WPX CW contest May 26-27. 5B4AEI, LZ2HM and LZ3CQ are three of the ops who may be part of the multi-something operation. QSL via LZ2HM.

C6ATA, the Bahamas, with K2KW, Kenny, operating, will be November 18-26 including the CQWW CW Contest November 24-25, single op single band 40M low power. Outside the contest he expects to be on 160-30M, mostly CW. QSL via WA4WTG.

LZ07KM, L-Z-ZERO-7-K-M, from Bulgaria commemorates the Brothers St. Kiril (Cyril) and St. Methodius, founders of the Cyrillic alphabet, and Bulgaria's Culture and Literature Day. This activity is May 1-31. QSL via LZ1PJ, bureau or direct. Ivan Ivanov, P.O. Box 15, BG-1324, Sofia, Bulgaria. Be sure to include an SAE and one IRC for within Europe or one IRC or

two US dollars if you're outside Europe. No eQSLs. E-mail requests for bureau replies are okay, at lzlpj@qsl.net.

OH2EURO from Finland, May 11-13 marks the "Eurovision Song Contest," in Helsinki May 12th. Two YLs, OH2YL and OH2HSJ, Anne and Annika, will be on the air, most HF bands, mostly SSB, some CW. QSL to OH2HSJ via the bureau.

OX/NA1SA, Greenland, is an operation by the "Expedition to Greenland of the Foundation & Academy `The World Encyclopedia of Travel." Ops are RW3GW, RW3AH, RA3MR and UA3MQM. This one is scheduled for May 4- 10, all HF bands, CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. They will concentrate on 12, 17, 30, 40, 80 and 160M. QSL via NA1SA or the Foundation & Academy's at P.O. Box 88, Moscow 101000, Russia. If you work them, you'll get a bureau card. Related, OZ/NA1SA, Denmark, will be on May 3-11 from Copenhagen. And there will be a video available after the expedition.

EN62EN will be on from Ukraine May 5-13 to celebrate the 62nd anniversary of the end of World War II. QSL via UR4EYN, Nick I. Golub, P.O. Box 548, Ordzhonikidze, 53300, Ukraine. Email address: en62en@ukr.net.

DL16XXV will be on the rest of the year, an operation by Germany's Duisburg-Huckingen club, which is celebrating its first 25 years. Now, the XXV callsign suffix is the Roman numerals for 25. The main activity may be May 1-August 31. QSL via the bureau, or eQSL. Their QSL info will be good on QRZ.com. You can make a 20M SSB sked by e-mailing DK8JB, Johannes, at dk8jb@darcd.de.

ZY2P is a special event station from Brazil to celebrate the visit of Pope Benedict XVI to Sao Paulo. This callsign will be on May 1-3 with PY2ZA, Jose, operating. QSL via PY2AA.

TC100FB, Turkey, will celebrate 100 years of the Fenerbahce Sports Club, a football/soccer team in Istanbul. TA1HZ and TA2RX will do most of the operating, on 40 and 20. And TA1CM will have another callsign, TA100FB, on the air May 13-27 from Tekirdag. For more info, go to www.fenerbahce.org.

IR1ALP, Italy, will be on May 1-31 to mark the 80th Italian Alpine Troops gathering. There'll be a special commemorative postage stamp on the QSL card if you work them May 12-13. The station will operate from Cuneo. ARI Cuneo is sponsoring it. QSL via IK1AAS. More info: www.qrz.com/callsign/IR1ALP.

IY0GA was an ISO station from Cape Figari, Golfo Aranci, Sardinia, EU- 024, for International Marconi Day, April 28. This operation by the ARI Olbia was from the site where Guglielmo Marconi did a microwave test with Rocca di Papa, Rome, on August 11, 1932. QSL via IS0JMA, direct or bureau.

ON60LGE/P, Belgium, will operate from four different World War II forts near Liege, starting with yesterday, April 29th, then going to the other forts May 13, May 20 and May 27. Yesterday's operation coincided with the Liege-Bastogne-Liege pro cycling race. QSL via ON5PO.

SN70MKK, a special event station in Poland, will be on May 1-10 to mark the 70th anniversary of the Morski Klub Krotkofalowcow, the maritime radio club founded May 5, 1937 in Gdynia. This station will be on CW, SSB and digital on the HF bands. QSL via SP2AVE.

EM50ARDF will be a special callsign from Ukraine for the 50th anniversary of amateur radio direct finding there. Look for EM50ARDF starting May 1, tomorrow, through the end of the year. QSL via US0VA. For more info: <http://www.uarl.org.ua/ardf/english.htm>.

The Dayton Hamvention, Dayton, Ohio, is just a few weeks away. And Friedrichshafen, Germany's "HAM RADIO 2007" is less than two months away. It is set for June 22-24. The official program will be found on this web site when it is finalized.

<http://www.darc.de/ausland/new/englisch/hamradio.html>.

The ARRL is coming out with a new book on DXing, "The ARRL DXCC Handbook," by KR1S, Jim Kearman. A sampling: "DX in ham radio shorthand means distance, literally talking to people in distant lands. Many radio amateurs enjoy the lure of DXing - seeing how far away we can communicate." Some topics highlighted are "DXing and the DXCC Award; the importance of listening, 'The DXers toolkit,' the DXers hamshack, DXing with different modes, working pileups, propagation, 'real-world antennas,' 'contesting for DXers,' QSLing, and awards."

Silent Key

K6SE, Earl Cunningham, has become a silent key. He had been having trouble with his lungs the last two months and had just gone into the hospital last Thursday for some tests, and died in his sleep yesterday, April 29th. Formerly W8DGP, KL7FRY and W5RTQ, Earl was one of the top West Coast DXers on 160M with about 200 countries worked.

He had 329/341 current/deleted confirmed at the ARRL DXCC Desk. Earl also was known for having developed the "flag" and "pennant" receiving antennas used for low bands. G3SVL says he was always ready to answer any questions and give advice. Earl's daughter, Mariana, says services are in the planning stage and will most likely happen next Saturday, May 5, in Palmdale, California. In informing Earl's many ham friends of his passing, she notes, "The ham radio community was a very important part of my father's life."

QSN

- 9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO - 30 meters, 10120 for many hours yesterday, starting at 2140Z. 28020 before that, 1925Z. He was even heard in Europe on 6M, 50102, at 1750Z. Also, 21028 at 0900 and 1822.5 at 01Z. QSL via SM5DQC.
- BS7H - SCARBOURUGH REEF - The team started up their first station Sunday on 20 CW, 14024, just before 1400Z. They switched over to SSB on 14185 just prior to 1600Z. I8NHJ, Max, was the operator. He stuck with it until just after 2230Z when they switched ops. QSL via KU9C.
- C31LJ - ANDORRA - Peter showed up on 160 CW Saturday at 0400Z and again at 2030Z on Sunday after 0300Z.
- HV0A - VATICAN - PSK ops worked this one on 14072 Saturday around 21Z. QSL via IK0FVC.
- JD1BLY - OGASAWARA - 7001.5 or so with many Europeans calling, 17-20Z.
- PY0FF - FERNANDO DE NORONHA - Andre was on 18100 RTTY, listening up, 19-21Z. QSL via W9VA

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AN-001	VP8ROT	18160	1220	EU-065	F5JOT/P	7014	2110
AS-024	7N2JZT/6	7010	1300	EU-096	OH1OTA	14256	0900
AS-079	JS6RRR	21040	0800	EU-127	DF6QC	10114	0600
AS-108	OD5LN	14262	1615	NA-056	CM4LS	7085	0500
AS-135	BG6IQD/4	14255	1440	NA-057	HR9/WQ7R	14071	0310
AS-135	BA4XA/4	21260	0740	NA-105	FS/K9EL	7009	0510
EU-015	SV9GPV	14251	1500	OC-016	3D2TZ	7021	1550
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	10103	1300	OC-130	DU8DJ	14206	1300
EU-029	5P5DX	14239	1300	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14137	1915
EU-048	TM5EL	14216	2120	SA-008	LU8XW	14040	2225
EU-054	IF9/IK5MEQ	14263	1300	SA-046	PY7MV	14260	1250

RK3EXA/1, Gorodets Island, a non-IOTA, was planned for April 28-30 by RZ3EC, UA3EDQ, RZ3EM, RA1WU and RA1WZ. UE3EDA/1 from other islands might also be possible, weather dependent. QSL via RZ3EC.

OZ/DB5YB, Bornholm Island, EU-030, May 5-18. Jurgen plans SSB on 20, 17 and 15M. QSL to his home call.

IF9A, Favignana Island, EU-054, is planned for May 2-6. Ops are IT9ATF, IT9ORA, IT9NPR, IT9PPG, IT9RZU and IT9WDC. QSL via IT9ATF.

Ouessant Island, EU-065, was the destination for F5JOT, F5LGQ and F6CKH for their operation April 28-May 1. SSB and CW on HF were planned. QSL to their home calls.

PA3FMC and PE1BTV will be on Utvaer Island, EU-055, for the International Lighthouse/Lightship weekend. They plan all HF bands, SSB and BPSK and 6 and 2M meteor scatter. QSL via PA3FMC.

OH1/DG5XJ, Jorn, will be on Mossala/Houtskaer Island June 7-13, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M SSB with his FT-897 to a Force 12 Sigma 40XK an possibly a big vertical. QSL to his home call. For more info:
<http://www.managementpsychologie.de/dg5xjiota.htm>

DG5XJ/p will be Jorn's callsign from EU-128, Fehmarn Island, May 8-10. Same setup as above from OH1.

SD1B/7 will be the unusual callsign for DL8AAV, Bernd, from Aspo Island, EU-138, June 18-July 1. All HF bands, SSB only. QSL to his home callsign.

KG8DP, Mark, will be on NA-062, Grassey Key, sometime after September 3. He's looking for operators to go along. E-mail him at kg8dp@columbus.rr.com.

VE2FK will be the NA-128, Ile-aux-Coudres, callsign for VE2FK, Claude, and VA2SG, Jean-Pierre. They will be there July 27-29 and operate on 80, 40 and 20M CW only. They may get in the IOTA contest and may also do some RTTY and may even stay an extra day just to do RTTY if weather and propagation are decent. QSL direct to VA2SG at the QRZ.com address. North American stations, send an SASE with \$1. Others, an SAE with \$2.

VE3IKV and W45AA are going to the Belcher Islands, NA-196 and will have the callsign VF0X, June 29-July 4. This is in the VY0 Nunavut Territory, in CQ zone two. They will be on HF and 6M, CW and SSB. QSL via VE3IKV direct or via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
30-Apr	30-Apr	3W	XV9SW	SM5MX		11-040
30-Apr		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
30-Apr		5H	5H3VMB/3 (AF-075)	UA4WHX	11-074	070
30-Apr	30-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-024
30-Apr	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG		11-055
30-Apr	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-081
30-Apr		BS7	BS7H (AS-116)	KU9C	11-082	075 071
30-Apr	6-May	C9	C91AF	CU2AF		11-080
30-Apr	1-May	DL	DL0EFA/p (EU-129)	DK9VB		11-075
30-Apr	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF			11-081
30-Apr		E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
30-Apr		E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA		11-079
30-Apr	5-May	F	F5JNE (EU-048)	F5JNE		11-062
30-Apr	30-Apr	F	TM5EL (EU-048)	F6KHI		11-076
30-Apr	6-May	FS	FS/K9EL (NA-105)	K9EL	11-070	049
30-Apr	5-May	GM	MM0BQI (EU-008)	MM0BQI		11-081
30-Apr	30-Apr	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-080
30-Apr	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
30-Apr	6-May	JA	Golden Week in Japan			11-083
30-Apr	7-May	JA	JS6RRR/JS6 JI3DST/JS6 (AS-0home calls			11-066
30-Apr	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	11-083	068
30-Apr	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	11-083	068
30-Apr	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	11-083	068
30-Apr	2-May	LA/SM	LG5LG SJ9WL			11-081
30-Apr	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
30-Apr	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074
30-Apr	30-Apr	OD	OD5/IV3YIM	IV3YIM		11-055
30-Apr	30-Apr	OX	OX60AD (NA-018)	OX3UR	11-061	050
30-Apr	5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)	DL4VM		11-075
30-Apr	2-May	TF	TF/DL3OCH (EU-021)	DL3OCH		11-080
30-Apr	9-May	V3	V31PA	WA6GER		11-084
30-Apr	3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB (NA-002)	PT7WA		11-070
30-Apr	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-080	050
30-Apr	1-May	YV	YW4AJ	YV5AJ		11-080
30-Apr	30-Apr	ZS	ZS1HELL			11-065
1-May	14-May	4K	4KP7Z or 4K1V	UA3FDX		11-084
1-May	7-May	BY	BY group (AS-135)	home calls		11-080
1-May	14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX		11-083
2-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 0F5AHO			11-060
3-May	7-May	3D2	3D2RI (EU-189)			11-051
3-May	5-May	IS	IM0/IK2YSE (EU-041)	IK2YSE		11-070
3-May	8-May	JA	JA1GLE/6 JA3BKM/6 (AS-049)	home calls		11-061
3-May	8-May	JA	JA4JBZ/6 JR8GZU/6 (AS-049)	home calls		11-061
4-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ	DL3KWF		11-070
4-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ	DL3KWR		11-070
4-May	6-May	HL	DS2GOO/3 (AS-080)			11-075
4-May	6-May	HL	DS4NYE/3 (AS-080)			11-075
4-May	6-May	HL	HL1VAU/3 AS-080			11-075
4-May	6-May	HR	HQ9L (NA-057)	HR2RCH		11-080
4-May	7-May	I	IC8R	IC8OZM		11-083
4-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP		11-080
5-May	6-May	CT	CQ5MGP			11-075
5-May	5-May	SU	SU0ARA			11-080

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3D2TZ	UR7HTZ	HG200B	HA3HK	PY0FF	W9VA
4L1FP	LZ1OT	HH2FJM	F5RPB	ST100S	ST2M
7Q7AM	NU5O	IY0GA	IS0JMA	TI2AXX	DL3AXX
AO5AAB	EC5AAB	IY0IMD	IK0WGF	TM5EL	F6KHI
AO5AUB	EA5URV	IY0ORP	I0DJV	UE4ABF	RZ4AWB
AO5VR	EA5VR	IY0TC	I0KHP	V31JP	KA9WON
BS7H	KU9C	IY1SP	I1SAF	VP8ROT	GM0HCQ
CO6WD	W0SA	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	VR2VTN	JM1FYH
FS/K9EL	K9EL	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	YK1BA	N5FF
GB4MDI	GW0ANA	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	YW4AJ	YV5AJ
GB6MD	GM4FDM	OL75CAV	OK1UU	ZA/UT7DW	DK6CW
HB6CC	HB9XOK	ON8SUB	ON6PQ		

The VU7RG/MY QSLs were ordered April 11th. DL4KQ, Frank, says waiting for the Minicoy photos planned for the card held things up, arriving in late March. IT9EJW is giving quick turnaround on the printing and the cards are expected in Germany within the next few days.

We have news of the much-anticipated JX9NOA QSLs. Some are now going into the mail. Ole went through a steep learning curve with the operation, starting with paper logs that needed to be typed into the computer, etc. A bacterial infection Ole caught while in Africa didn't help either. Clearly, he's doing a good job for DXers, who should be patient. With a few more cards left to label, Ole expects all the rest will be out today or tomorrow.

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On The WWW

On-line logs for TM5CI, IOTA EU-039, from March 22-25 are now on line at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs/index.html>. All QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau without you sending for one. Direct requests go via F5UBH.

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DX News

Special call EN62EN will be QRV on all bands from Ukraine from May 5-13 as they celebrate the 62nd anniversary of the end of WWII. QSL via UR4EYN, Nick I. Golub, P.O. Box 548, Ordzhonikidze, 53300, Ukraine.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - W3 and W4 stations were working the following on 6 meters between 2130 and 2359Z yesterday: CO8LY, FM5JC, HI3TEJ, HP1AVS, KP3A, KP4SQ, VP5/PY2XB and WP4G.

BS7H - SCARBOROUGH REEF - On Monday the team only had two stations QRV from two different rocks. The station on 80 CW was a pirate. Today they expect to put a third station on the air from a third rock. Making spots on the cluster saying things like "can't hear" are a waste of time and bandwidth and do no one any good. VE3 stations were hearing them on 20 meters starting about 1210Z with peaking signals between 1245 and 1305Z. Signals were gone by 1400Z. Multiple East Coast ops reported good signals from the BS7H team during this time frame, however the ops were having problems hearing the US and VEs when they stood by for NA. DXers from Florida reported the team was audible on 20 between 13 and 14Z. In central California signals were peaking between 16 and 17Z on 20 meters. North Texas stations enjoyed a short opening on 20 meter CW Tuesday around 0020Z. Yesterday during the East Coast opening the K index was 5. Several mid-Atlantic stations worked them just before 19Z. Hopefully conditions will improve over the next 24-48 hours. The guys were reported Monday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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 19 10106, 14024
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 21 10106, 14024, 14185
 22 14024, 14185
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CX6VM - URUGUAY - Southern Europeans found Jorge on 1822 between 02 and 04Z yesterday. QSL via W3HNK.

DP0GVN - ANTARCTICA - Mirko was operating from the Neumayer Research Base on 14178 after 16Z on Monday. QSL via DL5EBE.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-024	7N2JZT/6	21210	0534	EU-045	IB0/IZ0JNY	7055	0753
AS-047	JA1KAJ/6	21015	0808	EU-048	TM5EL	14260	1104
AS-079	JS6RRR	21260	0850	EU-065	F5JOT/P	14212	1915
AS-116	BS7H	14024	2349	EU-065	F5LGQ/P	10117	1703
AS-135	BA4XA/4	14260	1011	EU-127	DF6QC	7016	0042
AS-135	BG6IQD/4	7055	1504	EU-129	DF7DF/P	7017	2201
EU-015	SV9GPV	7083	2238	EU-129	DL8RL/8	3506	1951
EU-021	TF/SM6DQR/P	14260	2001	NA-002	VP5/PY2XB	28465	1914
EU-031	IC8OZM	10104	2216	NA-057	HR9/WQ7R	14195	2128

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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1-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD	VK3ZGW	11-085
1-May	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG	11-055
1-May	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-081
1-May		BS7	BS7H (AS-116)	KU9C	11-082 075 071
1-May	7-May	BY	BY group (AS-135)	home calls	11-080
1-May	6-May	C9	C91AF	CU2AF	11-080
1-May	1-May	DL	DL0EFA/p (EU-129)	DK9VB	11-075
1-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF		11-081
1-May		E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-079

1-May		E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-079
1-May	14-May	EU	EV6ZK		11-085
1-May	14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX	11-083
1-May	5-May	F	F5JNE (EU-048)	F5JNE	11-062
1-May	1-May	F	F5JOT (EU-065)		11-085
1-May	1-May	F	F5LGQ (EU-065)		11-085
1-May	1-May	F	F6CKH (EU-065)		11-085
1-May	6-May	FS	FS/K9EL (NA-105)	K9EL	11-070 049
1-May	5-May	GM	MM0BQI (EU-008)	MM0BQI	11-081
1-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	11-085
1-May	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ	11-065
1-May	6-May	JA	Golden Week in Japan		11-083
1-May	7-May	JA	JS6RRR/JS6 JI3DST/JS6 (AS-079)		11-066
1-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	11-083 068
1-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	11-083 068
1-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	11-083 068
1-May	2-May	LA/SM	LG5LG SJ9WL		11-081
1-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	11-085
1-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
1-May	5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)	DL4VM	11-075
1-May	3-May	PY	ZY2P	PY2AA	11-085
1-May	10-May	SP	SN70MKK	SP2AVE	11-085
1-May	2-May	TF	TF/DL3OCH (EU-021)	DL3OCH	11-080
1-May	9-May	V3	V31PA	WA6GER	11-084
1-May	3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB (NA-002)	PT7WA	11-070
1-May	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-080 050
1-May	1-May	YV	YW4AJ	YV5AJ	11-080

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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6W1SE	JR2KDN	CQ00DX	CT2GZE	LU1QS	IK2QPR
6W7RV	F8CMT	EM5U/P	UT2UB	PJ4/PA3CNX	PA3CNX
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HK3AXY	W2GR	YE1AA	ON4RU
8Q7QQ	HB9QQ	HR9/WQ7R	N6FF	Z33F	IZ8FWN
9H3RT	DL9MWG				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A22/JA4ATV, BP100S,
CE1/K7CA, EA9EU, FS/N0BSH, HV0A, HZ1AN, J5UAR, LA1VFA, PJ5NA, PY2SEI, ST2A, T5W,
V73NS, VK6DXI

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: EA1CUB, HS0ZEE, HV0A

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K8YC, KA2BZS, N2NS, N4II, N5PHT, UR7EU, VE3UW, VK5JJJ, W1AW, W2IRT, W4FTR, W8JV,
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DX News

9U0VB is UA4WHX's, Vladimir, newest callsign. He started up yesterday from Burundi. As always his length of stay is unknown as well as his next stop. Vladimir did say he would be on 160 meters in a few days. Most likely just prior to his sunrise. Until then watch for him on CW and SSB on all the other HF bands. QSL cards should be sent to UA4WHX, but only after he gets back home in Russia. Your editor will let you know when to send them!

The U.S. Department of Commerce, NOAA, Space Environment Center has released their latest prediction on the cycle minimum. This update is made monthly and for the second month in a row they are predicting the bottom as July 2007 with a predicted solar flux average of 74.9. The complete chart can be seen at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftpd/weekly/Predict.txt> . The predicted values are based on ISES cycle 23 forecast of 13-month running smoothed values.

BS7H

Yesterday's BS7H bulletin # 11 brought in a lot of comments. I could not respond to each and every email that it generated! Yes that "fan mail" was no doubt over the top. Thanks to the BS7H team for passing on the info. Let us all be reminded of "The Amateur's Code", which can be read at <http://www.arrl.org/acode.html> . Many have asked when they will QRT. There is still no official word on this. Once they make that decision I will pass that on. My guess is you still have at least three days. For the record there are no pilot stations for this operation.

QSN

BS7H - SCARBOROUGH REEF - The team now has four stations set up on four different rocks. As of yesterday each station is now running with 800 watt amps. Activity has been on 10 through 40 meters. They are having problems with QRN on the low bands because of the local WX. You can see the WX map at <http://tinyurl.com/2fdekc>.

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AS-116	BS7H	18074	2104	NA-016	ZF2BI	18155	2205
AS-135	BD1DRJ/4	7001	1250	NA-092	KB5IQJ/P	14260	2050
AS-135	BG6IQD/4	14260	0414	NA-099	KP4ZQ	7080	0207
EU-001	SV5KKJ	21261	1558	NA-099	WP4U	18138	1357
EU-015	SV9GPV	21283	1913	OC-016	3D2AP	14190	0850
EU-048	F5JNE/P	7066	0928	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14137	2034
EU-065	F5JOT/P	14019	0804	SA-008	LU8XW	21040	1827
EU-065	F5LGQ/P	14019	0836				

French ops F4EEK, Jean-Philippe; F5LOW, Eric; F5MKN, Laurent; F5NBQ, Fabrice; and F6HKA, Bertrand; will be QRV as TM0A from Aix Island (EU-032) from May 12th to 19th. They will have three stations with activity on 10-80 on CW, SSB, PSK and RTTY. QSL via F5OIU.

G4ELZ, Jeff along with G4EDG, Steve, will be QRV from Flatey Island (EU-168), Iceland's Coastal Islands, from May 17th to 23rd. They will be mostly on CW on 17 through 80 meters running 100 watts and wire antennas. The callsigns will be TF4/G4ELZ/P and TF4/G4EDG/P. QSL to G4ELZ direct only. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW.

I2AZ, Giuseppe, plans to be QRV from Lampedusa Island (AF-019) on CW only from May 5th to 21st as IG9/I2AZ. He will work QRP on the following frequencies: 3560, 7030, 14060, 21060 and 28060.

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2-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 085) F5AHO			11-060
2-May	6-May	I	IF9A (EU-054)	IT9ATF		11-085
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2-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ		11-083 068
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W5FG, Jack, has just returned home after a 104 day cruise aboard the Queen Elizabeth II. W5FG/MM special QSL cards should be available at the end of the month. Jack also says "those who are interested in going MM on cruise ships I can pass along some tips on how to go about it." Send an SASE to his Callbook address.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4K9W, 5W0RE, 8P2K, A45WD, A61AJ, A61NT, CN2A, CX6VM, DJ1YFK, EA9EA, EA9LZ, EK6TA, FM5AA, HK5QGX/0M, HV0A, J5UAR, MD0CCE, R1FJM, R1FJT, T32MO (OC-084), T88MR, VK9DNX, VP2MTE, XT2C, XU7DXX, XU7MDY, XU7XRO, ZK3RE

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DX News

On Tuesday and Wednesday a lot of Daily DX subscribers reported finally making their first QSO with BS7H. A number of those reporting also mentioned this was their last DXCC Entity!

Just as we were about to release today's issue N1DG, Don Greenbaum released a press release (#13) with the cut off time for BS7H. The Scarborough Reef DXpedition will "cease at 00:00 UTC 6 May 2007". So you have just over 2 more days of expected activity. Plans are to continue to have two stations on 20 meters around the clock. This should help those still looking for their first QSO with the most wanted DXCC Entity.

N4GN, Tim Totten, in Tennessee, USA, is one of those who made it through to BS7H today after days of trying. Tim says operator James, 9V1YC, was "knockin' `em down quickly.smokin'. on 14185." James was listening 200-230, then a few seconds after he confirmed a QSO he quickly said, "253." Tim put that into the B VFO as quick as he could and gave his call and got right through. James told him, "I knew someone would figure that out!" Tim says the signal was initially very weak, longpath, then around 1120Z the path to short path and his signal came up fast. By 1140Z he was S9. Tim summarizes, "Hopefully we have the high absorption behind us now and this strong opening will repeat every day for the rest of the operation. That would at least give a reasonable shot to DXers east of the Mississippi."

N4II, Ed Callaway in Boca Raton, Florida, adds, "This morning conditions were excellent, even down here." Ed says BS7H was coming through on 20 CW from 1130-1630Z, "and very strong for the first two hours." On 20 SSB he could hear them for at least an hour, for the first time. On 17 CW they came through for an hour and were copyable on 30 CW from 1115-1130Z. He says, "This is what happens when the SFI is 86 and the K index is 0. Ed says, "Of course, we still didn't work him.but I remain optimistic if conditions like this hold and they stay on the rocks as long as they said they would.they can't avoid our signal forever!"

W6FF, Bill in Santa Barbara, California, says there was a great late night opening to Scarborough last night, "They peaked up on both CW and SSB between 0530-0630 on 20 meters, actually S8 on SSB, and they were listening for North America between 14204-14210. I managed to get through with only 500 watts."

G4TSH, Justin, got through on 17M at 1830Z, "much to my surprise and delight. They were a good signal, about S7, but had faded within 15 minutes. I understood there has been some E-skip tonight and wonder if that had assisted the opening. They were picking up quite a lot of Gs, EAs, CT as well. Not sure if it was long or short path. The pileup on 17 was nice and compact. I think

the operator at the other end was K9AJ, regular I-D and snappy operating, split was about 10 kc, making it workable." Justin's station was 400 watts to an 80M horizontal loop at 20-30 feet high, strung up in the trees and bushes. He adds, signals on 30 and 20 were good but the QRM and huge splits made it difficult.

VE1DX, Paul, says it was pretty easy to get a 20 SSB QSO tonight on 14185, QSO 200 and up, 205-210 for North America only from 2130-2215Z. He says four or five "VE1 types" made it, along with "many, many Ws." Paul says, "They weren't terribly loud, S2 at best, but because they were looking for NA on specific frequencies, they weren't hard to work." Paul thinks the WWV numbers look encouraging as well, for the coming days.

N4PJ says BS7H was excellent copy on 20 SSB from 1200-1400Z at his QTH in Florida.

The next several stories concentrate on 6M activity:

OX3LX, operator OZ1DJJ, and OX3OX, operator OZ7OX, will be on from July 7-25 from grid squares GP47TA and GP36DW. They will be trying to make some QSOs on 6M.

Apparently the Spanish URE ham organization has petitioned the Spanish government and gotten permission to use the 6M band, from 50-52 MHz for all Spanish hams. Those previously prohibited in central Spain how can go on 6M with some power and antenna limits. Here is more complete info on that: http://www.ure.es/ureinforma/URE_informa_04_2007_reunion_CATSI.pdf.

G0TSM is taking his family on a vacation to The Gambia, C5, June 22- 29. He says operating time will be very limited so he will only be QRV on 6M SSB. He will be using an IC-7000 with 100 watts to a five-element Yagi up 12 meters. He will not be doing EME or digital. He notes that C5DXC, Noz, is active on 6M SSB also.

9Q1D, Gus, has sent a letter to SM7AED, Arne, noting that 9Q1EK, George, has the best 160M antennas and signal from the Congo now. George is also on 6M with a three-element Yagi and 150 watts. With the TEP, trans-equatorial propagation, season starting now, there have been several QSOs between Europe and the Congo. 9Q1D's contract to work in the Congo ends June 30th and he will be going back home to Sweden.

V63DX, V63GO and V63ZP are the Micronesia callsigns for JA7HMZ, JA7AGO and JA7ZP from Pohnpei, all bands and modes, May 21-26. QSL to their home callsigns.

VFOX, Nunavut Territory, Canada, will be on the air June 29-July 4. The operators will be VE3IKV and W4TAA, from IOTA NA-196. They will be on HF and 6, CW and SSB. QSL via the bureau or direct to Esther operator.

6W/IZ2DPX, Giovanni, will be active this month, possibly the 12th through 22nd, from Senegal. He plans to be on all the HF bands and 6M using a Kenwood TS-870 and ICOM 706. QSL via IK2DUW direct or bureau. He will have separate three-element monobanders for 20, 15 and 10M, a Titanex V80E vertical for 160, 80, 40, 17 and 12M and a five-element Yagi for 6M. He may also make it to IOTA AF-045. More info: <http://ik2duw.altervista.org> and http://www.le-calao.com/F/shack_F.htm.

The date has been set for next year's International DX Convention in Visalia, California. It is April 26-27, 2008. K5TT says he had a fantastic time at this year's 58th annual convention, with K3LR a primary speaker, plus K3LP, K1ZZ, YT1AD and others and 500 DXers attending. The Holiday Inn will begin taking reservations for next year at 10 AM PDST June 18th.

QSN

5H3EE - TANZANIA - 3789 at 2320Z, 3503 at 2250Z, 7002 at 2205Z and 18137 at 1300Z. QSL via DL4SM.

8Q7QQ - MALDIVES - 18140 from 1255-1320, 24895 at 0530Z, 10118 at 1640Z. QSL via HB9QQ.

9U0VB - BURUNDI - 10102 from 2025-2125Z and 18140 at 1930Z.

J5UAP - GUINEA-BISSAU - Peter was on 21082 RTTY at 1720Z, 21275 at 1645Z and 18148 at 1600Z.

JD1BMH - OGASAWARA - 10105 at 0050Z and 7001.5 to 7002 from 1500-1900Z.

ST2A - SUDAN - 6M ops from the Netherlands worked Jovo on 50106 at 1730Z.

T88KL - PALAU - Several Jas report working this one on 6M around 0830Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-047	JA1KAJ/6	24949	0425	NA-002	VP5/PY2XB	18135	1850
AS-116	BS7H	18073	1830	NA-050	KL7HBK	14040	0725
AS-135	BD1DRJ/4	14005	2345	NA-199	FS5HL	21250	1800
EU-020	GM4KGK	3522	2245	OC-016	3D2AP	7007	1540
EU-024	IS0XCU	28510	1800				

JN6CJR/8 will be active from Okushiri Island, AS-147, the JA8 Hokkaido Coastal Island Group, May 4-6. Look for him on the HF bands and 6M. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

JS6RRR/JS6 and JI3DST/JS6 plan an operation from Miyako-Jima (Okinawa), AS-079, today, May 3, from 0200-0700Z. They will be on 17 and 15M SSB and CW. QSL via the bureau only.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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3-May	7-May	3D2	3D2RI (EU-189)	UR3HR		11-051
3-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR		11-058 023
3-May	14-May	4K	4KP7Z or 4K1V	UA3FDX		11-084
3-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD	VK3ZGW		11-085
3-May	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG		11-055
3-May	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-081
3-May	5-May	BS7	BS7H (AS-116)	KU9C	11-082	075 071
3-May	7-May	BY	BY group (AS-135)	home calls		11-080

3-May	6-May	C9	C91AF	CU2AF	11-080
3-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF		11-081
3-May	14-May	EU	EV6ZK		11-085
3-May	14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX	11-083
3-May	5-May	F	F5JNE (EU-048)	F5JNE	11-062
3-May	6-May	FS	FS/K9EL (NA-105)	K9EL	11-070 049
3-May	5-May	GM	MM0BQI (EU-008)	MM0BQI	11-081
3-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 0F5AHO		11-060
3-May	6-May	I	IF9A (EU-054)	IT9ATF	11-085
3-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	11-085
3-May	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ	11-065
3-May	5-May	IS	IM0/IK2YSE (EU-041)	IK2YSE	11-070
3-May	6-May	JA	Golden Week in Japan		11-083
3-May	8-May	JA	JA1GLE/6 JA3BKM/6 (AS-049) home calls		11-061
3-May	8-May	JA	JA4JBZ/6 JR8GZU/6 (AS-049) home calls		11-061
3-May	7-May	JA	JS6RRR/JS6 JI3DST/JS6 (AS-0)home calls		11-066
3-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	11-083 068
3-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	11-083 068
3-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	11-083 068
3-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	11-085
3-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
3-May	5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)	DL4VM	11-075
3-May	11-May	OZ	OZ/NA1SA	NA1SA	11-085
3-May	3-May	PY	ZY2P	PY2AA	11-085
3-May	10-May	SP	SN70MKK	SP2AVE	11-085
3-May	9-May	V3	V31PA	WA6GER	11-084
3-May	3-May	VP5	VP5/PY2XB (NA-002)	PT7WA	11-070
3-May	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-080 050

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low to low with a slight chance for an isolated M-class flare.

The geomagnetic field will be predominantly quiet up until the weekend.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for May 1, 2007 was 32.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3D2AP	UX0LL	9N7WU	JA8MWU	OL40RZ	OK2RZ
5H3EE	DL4SM	9U0VB	UA4WHX	TC100FB	TA1HZ
6W7FZ	DK6ZZ	EM50ARDF	US0VA	TR8CA	F6CBC
8P6ET	KU9C	EX8QB	IK2QPR	ZY2P	PY2AA
8Q7QQ	HB9QQ				

7Q7BP, Brian "Joe" Pool, and 7Q7YL, his wife Janet, will be visiting KC4D/7Q7WW in Virginia beginning May 11th and will go out to the Dayton (Ohio, USA) HamVention, where they will have some QSL cards. They will be staying at the Crowne Plaza Hotel. KC4D mentioned to K8NA that he could send an SASE for Brian to him (KC4D) to hand deliver to Brian, or he could collect the 7Q card in person at Dayton. It's not clear if this is a general offer for everyone.

JX9NOA says all QSLs sent to him at Jan Mayen or E.B. Schieldrops vet/Trondheim have been received and answered as of April 28th. The only QSLs that have not gone out are those without a return envelope, and the SWL cards, which will be sent soon, he says. And he has a few cards from October 24th, 2005 that have not been answered yet due to "some database inconsistencies." He will hand check those in the log. And, "not in logs" will not be answered. Ole says he will be putting his log on his website before too long.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5R8GZ, EB7AEY, J5UAF, JX9NOA, KH7/N0RB, KL7HBK, STORM, TR8CA, VP2MRD, VP2MTC and VP8CFM.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: CT3YA, EA6AFE, MJ/K8PT, OH0JTU, PJ6/PA0VDV, SV8/LY1F, TM8CDX, YV5HNJ and YV5JF.

Confirmation received via LoTW: 3DA0CA, EA6AZ, HV0A, IZ/N4ZC, MD/N4ZC, MJ/K8PT, ON/N4XZC and V73RY.

On the WWW

KF7E says the video of the 1997 BS7H Scarborough Reef operation may be of interest. Here's the YouTube web address: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y50WgagQIxM> .

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DX News

W7VOA (7J1AIL, 9N7VOA ex K7USJ), Steve Herman, is a news correspondent based in India covering South Asia. He tells The Daily DX that he will be QRV as A52SW from Thimpu, Bhutan from May 17-22. Look for activity on 6 through 80 meters on CW, SSB and possibly PSK and 10 meter FM. Steve says "this will be the first of numerous trips he plans to make to Bhutan over the next several years as A52SW". QSL A52SW via K2AU.

The BS7H DXpedition to Scarborough Reef continues to operate from four stations on four different rocks. All four stations are expected to QRT at 2359Z on Saturday, May 5th. No word on if all four will simultaneously stop at the same time or if they will take one station off the air followed one by one of the others. As of press time BS7H will remain QRV for just over 36 hours. I'd like to remind everyone to check your transmitting frequencies. One could easily "get careless in the enthusiasm" and transmit on the wrong VFO. Also don't forget to listen on your transmit frequency to make sure you are not trashing someone's on going QSO. Remember to avoid the SSTV folks around 14230.

Members of the Association des Radio-Amateurs de Monaco (ARM) will be celebrating the upcoming Games of the Small States of Europe (participant nations: San Marino, Malta, Cyprus, Andorra, Luxembourg, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Monaco), which Monaco will be hosting June 4th to 9th. Special event station 3A7JO will be QRV from June 2nd to 10th. Look for activity on all bands and modes. QSL to the 3A QSL Bureau, B.P. 2, MC 98001 MONACO CEDEX. All QSOs will be automatically confirmed. Those sending direct should include SAE and one valid IRC.

WB2REM, Jim, will be operating the special 4-letter suffix callsign VP2EREM from Anguilla from June 28-July 8. Operation is expected on 10 through 80 meters CW and SSB. QSL via WB2REM.

QSN

BS7H - SCARBOROUGH REEF - One of the Chinese ops showed up on 7054 on SSB yesterday at 1145Z with a 59+ signal into Texas. At first he was working Asia until 1215Z, well after sunrise in Texas, when he tried listening up for the US. He was working exclusively west coast ops and W5IZ. After about 30 minutes he went back to Asia.

NH6P - HAWAII - W7MH, Mike, in Modesto, CA reported working this one today at 0340Z on 50110.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/ON5JV	14137	2008	EU-018	OY/DL3OCH	14009	1218
AS-013	8Q7QQ	18080	1422	EU-129	DL0EFA/P	7019	0730
AS-079	JS6RRR/JS6	18115	0428	NA-027	VO1JNS	7061	0031
AS-116	BS7H	14024	1917	NA-092	KB5IQJ/P	14260	1541
AS-117	JH4FRP/4	7027	1002	OC-022	YB9/PA5CW/P	14009	1349
EU-005	GC8LED	7085	1022	OC-189	3D2RI	7073	1103
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1110				

Members of the Radio Club de Honduras, (<http://www.qsl.net/hr2rch>) will be QRV as HQ9L from Little Cay, Isla Bahia (NA-057) from May 4th to 6th. They will operate on 10 through 160 meters on SSB, CW and the digital modes. QSL direct to: RADIO CLUB DE HONDURAS, HR AMATEUR RADIO, PO Box 273, San Pedro Sula, Cortes 21105, Honduras or via the bureau to HR2RCH.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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4-May	14-May	4K	4KP7Z or 4K1V	UA3FDX		11-084
4-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD	VK3ZGW		11-085
4-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ (EU-023)	DL3KWF		11-070
4-May	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG		11-055
4-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ (EU-023)	DL3KWR		11-070
4-May	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-081
4-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
4-May	5-May	BS7	BS7H (AS-116)	KU9C	11-082	075 071
4-May	7-May	BY	BY group (AS-135)	home calls		11-080
4-May	6-May	C9	C91AF	CU2AF		11-080
4-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF			11-081
4-May	14-May	EU	EV6ZK			11-085
4-May	14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX		11-083
4-May	5-May	F	F5JNE (EU-048)	F5JNE		11-062
4-May	6-May	FS	FS/K9EL (NA-105)	K9EL	11-070	049
4-May	5-May	GM	MM0BQI (EU-008)	MM0BQI		11-081
4-May	6-May	HL	DS2GOO/3 (AS-080)			11-075
4-May	6-May	HL	DS4NYE/3 (AS-080)			11-075
4-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 085)	F5AHO		11-060
4-May	6-May	HL	HL1VAU/3 AS-080			11-075
4-May	6-May	HR	HQ9L (NA-057)	HR2RCH		11-080
4-May	7-May	I	IC8R (EU-031)	IC8OZM		11-083
4-May	6-May	I	IF9A (EU-054)	IT9ATF		11-085
4-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
4-May	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
4-May	5-May	IS	IM0/IK2YSE (EU-041)	IK2YSE		11-070
4-May	6-May	JA	Golden Week in Japan			11-083
4-May	8-May	JA	JA1GLE/6 JA3BKM/6 (AS-049)	home calls		11-061
4-May	8-May	JA	JA4JBZ/6 JR8GZU/6 (AS-049)	home calls		11-061
4-May	6-May	JA	JN6CJR/8 (AS-147)	JN6CJR		11-088

4-May	7-May	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JI3DST/JS6 (AS-079)	home calls	11-088
4-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLK		JM1LJS	11-083 068
4-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BLY		JI5RPT	11-083 068
4-May	5-May	JD1/O	JD1BMH		JG7PSJ	11-083 068
4-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM		LZ1PJ	11-085
4-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074
4-May	10-May	OX	OX/NA1SA		NA1SA	11-085
4-May	5-May	OZ	OZ/DL4VM (EU-172)		DL4VM	11-075
4-May	11-May	OZ	OZ/NA1SA		NA1SA	11-085
4-May	10-May	SP	SN70MKK		SP2AVE	11-085
4-May	9-May	V3	V31PA		WA6GER	11-084
4-May	25-May	W	W4J		KU4FP	11-080
4-May	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW			11-080 050
5-May	6-May	CT	CQ5MGP			11-075
5-May	21-May	I	IG9/I2AZ (AF-019)			11-087
5-May	18-May	OZ	OZ/DB5YB (EU-030)		DB5YB	11-085
5-May	5-May	SU	SU0ARA			11-080
5-May	13-May	UR	EN62EN		UR4EYN	11-085
5-May	13-May	UR	EN62EN		UR4EYN	11-086
7-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD		ZL2HGR	11-081

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low with a slight chance for an isolated M-class flare from Region 953.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet today and Saturday. Expect quiet to unsettled levels with isolated active periods on Sunday as a recurrent coronal hole rotates into a geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

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The sunspot number for May 2, 2007 was 33.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5C8M, 5F50SG, 5W0RE, 8P6SH, 8R1ZUM, C56NN, CN2A, EL2PM, GI3DZE, J68ID, JX9NOA, OX3PG, V31MD, VK9NDX, YN4SU, YU1FJK, ZK3RE

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5B/AJ20, 6W/RW3TN, HB0/DK3KD, HP1WW, PZ5XX, TA2/OK1FIA, TO2ANT

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT1DJE, FY5KE, HV0A, JH8SLS, MJ/K8PT

On The WWW

Trying to figure out if a certain band is open to a certain area?
AF8X, Dick Arnold, has written an article called "Propagation at a Glance" on
the ARRL Web site at
<http://www.arrl.org/news/features/2007/05/03/1/?nc=1> . It's about the use of
the NCDXF/IARU Beacon system.

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DX News

Was that fun or what!? BS7H went QRT as scheduled at about 0001Z May 6, 2007, and were soon on the ship back to Hong Kong. BS7H made somewhere around 45,000 QSOs. It was "record time," just two hours, to dismantle things on Scarborough and get back aboard ship. The BS7H team is expected to arrive in Hong Kong at midweek and the on-line logs are expected to be available sometime around May 15th. At least one team member will be at Dayton, where N6MZ, Mike Mraz, will give the BS7H presentation in that Saturday afternoon's DX Forum. No QSL cards are expected to be available at Dayton. 9V1YC, James Brooks, will be working up one of his famous DXpedition videos that will be available later in the year. QSL BS7H via KU9C. U.S. stations should be sure to have 41 cents postage on the return envelope. Steve often gets requests for other stations he manages coming in the same envelope. He advises that this will delay receipt of your BS7H QSL. If you want you can put in a separate SASE for the other station.

I've heard various stories about guys going to some trouble to work, or attempt to work, BS7H, including putting up new antennas just for the purpose. W6JTI is one who qualifies as a "true blue DXer." Before the expedition was announced he had already finalized his own plans for a three-week trip to San Antonio, Texas to visit his mother, at the same time as the expedition. So, he shipped his IC-735 and related equipment and a two-element 20M Yagi on ahead to her home. He put the Yagi up on a 35 foot Radio Shack TV mast purchased locally and strung up a dipole below that. He got BS7H with that setup on both 40 and 20 CW. Says Frank, "My DXpedition to Texas is a success!" Frank still needs four entities, Palestine, Montenegro, Yemen and North Korea. He's worked 333 current entities with 100 watts.

TI6/K5YG and TI6/K9KEJ will be on what they call "Fishpedition II" May 14-18 in Costa Rica. See the May, 2007 QST, page 49 for the article in their Fishpedition I. They will be on 40 and 20 SSB in the early mornings and evenings before and after going fishing for giant tarpon, "if we have enough strength to push the xmit button." Bill and Orren will be at the Rio Parismina Lodge, www.riop.com/lodge.html.

ZL2IFB, Gary, (aka G4IFB) will be vacationing with his wife on the South Cook Islands, E51/S, May 24-28. He says, "This is a holiday first and foremost, so I'll only be operating casually, mostly during [the] WPX [contest]." He will have five watts from a K2 rig or 100 watts from a TS-850, depending on which will be within his airline weight allowance. For antennas he'll have wires in the trees along the shoreline. But, he says, it'll be a chance to scout locations for future DXpedition trips. If and when he gets on during this trip it'll be CW on 40 or 30M at his dawn and dusk. QSL via ZL2IFB or LoTW.

HL7 is a new South Korean prefix that will be on for the first time with HL7WR on for the 2007 World Rafting Championship, to be held in Sangdong-Ri Inje June

27-July 2. The station has been on since March 30th and will go until July 2, 80-6M SSB, CW, FM and digital. QSL via DS2UAL direct or bureau. For more info on the event, here's the web address: <http://www.2007wrc.com>.

OX/HB9FMD, Roland, will operate from Hotel Hvide Falk in Ilulissat, Greenland August 17-27. He will concentrate on CW on 30, 17 and 12M. QSL via HB9FMD.

W0CZE, Hank, plans to be on from YJ0, Vanuatu, July 13-21. QSL via W0FF.

3D2RI, Alex, has put up a 160M antenna and will be on 160 looking for QSOs. VK3EW, who spoke to him about it, thinks it's likely to be at greyline times and any time between 0600Z and 1800Z, starting now. He says Alex sounded really excited about it.

KE4YD, David, has been listening for the International Space Station, "ISS," and their ham callsign, NA1SS. He heard them on 2M today working a W6 station at 1658Z, but he says they were a little too far north for him to be able to work.

KJ9I, Dave, says he doesn't expect BS7H-size pileups when he and NF9V, Rudy, get on the air from VP2E, Anguilla and FS, St. Martin, during the Dayton weekend, but they'll still have fun. First, VP2E, May 18- 20. Second, FS, May 22-23. They will be on HF and 2M EME. Dave will have the callsigns VP2EDS and FS/KJ9I and Rudy will be VP2ERV and FS/NF9V. So, if you have HF mobile at Dayton, work `em or fire up a KWS-1 from the flea market for a QSO. QSL via their home calls, direct or bureau, or LoTW.

TM1VDM will be a special French station May 14-28 for the 100th anniversary of the birth of writer Maxence Van der Meersch, who lived from 1907-1951. QSL via the bureau to F6KTN.

Six French radio clubs in the Association Mosellane de Radioamateurs plan to be on the air from seven World War I forts that were part of the "Maginot Line" defenses. This activity runs from 06Z May 18 until 12Z May 19th. QSL TM1LM via F8KGY, TM2LM via F6KAT, TM3LM via F6KFO, TM4LM via F8KOI, TM5LM via F6KAT, TM6LM via F6KFT and TM7LM via F6KFH.

The LM suffixes, of course, stand for "Line Maginot."

French station TM6ACO will be on June 3-17, SSB and CW, to mark the Le Mans grand prix automobile race. QSL via the bureau to F6KFI. More info: <http://asso.proxiland.fr/aras72/>.

II0VIS is a special Italian callsign for the "International Voluntary Service for Development," May 26-27. Activity will be on 40 and 20 SSB and CW by ops IZ0DIB, IW0CGT, IZ0DKZ and IK0UXQ. QSL via IZ0DIB. This one will be from the Italian Air Force "Open Day" at Pratica di Mare in Rome.

ZY2P, Brazil, will be on through the end of this month for the Sao Paulo visit May 9-13 of Pope Benedict XVI. QSL via PY2AA.

UE1CDX/P and RZ1CXO/p will be on from the Ustinskiy Lighthouse in Russia May 12th. QSL via RN1CW direct or bureau.

EN62EN, Ukraine, will be on now through May 13th for the 62nd anniversary of the end of World War II. QSL via UR4EYN.

RK6YYA/0 and RK6YYA/0/m will be on from 22 Russian Districts Award areas in Yakutsk oblast June 13-7 July. RV6YZ and RU6CQ will be on with various callsign stroke additions, /6/m, /4/m, /8/m, /9/m and /0/m June 4-12 from 137 different RDA areas, as they drive from Krasnodar to Neryungri. QSL via RX3RC direct or

bureau. More info on all this mobile operating in Russia and on this award can be found on <http://rdaward.org/indexeng.htm>.

D2AS is the new Angolan callsign for S05AS, Steve. He worked that out on a recent trip and plans to go back to do some operating in the near future.

QSN

5H3EE - TANZANIA - Mike likes 160 just prior to 2300Z. QSL via DL4SM.

8Q7QQ - MALDIVES - 17 meter operators should look for Pierre on CW and SSB between 05 and 15Z. QSL via HB9QQ.

9U0VB - BURUNDI - Vladimir continues to be active from 2200-0100 on 40, 80 and 160 CW. QSL via UA4WHX.

A5 - BHUTAN - A52AM, A52EGV, A52K and A52VE are all QRV from this semi-rare one.

BS7H - SCARBOROUGH REEF - RTTY ops from Japan, South Korea, China, Hong Kong and Asiatic Russia reported working the Chinese operators on RTTY on 21080 on Saturday between 0300 and 0800Z. This may have been the only RTTY activity from this super rare DXCC Entity.

YI1HRP - PIRATE - Don't waste your time and effort on this slim!

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EC8ADW	18125	1655	EU-060	SV8EUV	14002	1835
AS-013	8Q7QQ	18142	1125	EU-123	MM/DH5JBR/P	14260	1350
AS-146	BD1DRJ/4	21005	0155	EU-127	DF6QC	10109	0340
EU-009	MM0EAX	7077	2135	EU-170	9A4A	14260	2035
EU-020	SM1ALH	18074	1115	NA-062	K2ZR/4	18082	2010
EU-025	IT9BYS	28475	1820	NA-065	K7RL	14248	0515
EU-029	OZ1BTE	18104	1520	NA-057	HQ9L	14216	0020
EU-031	IC8R	14278	2000	NA-105	FS5HL	14180	2150
EU-033	LA6LOA	14220	2035	OC-022	YB9/OK2DW	18070	1455
EU-036	LA7G/P	14165	2035	OC-189	3D2RI	7005	1525
EU-054	IF9A	14191	1655	SA-006	PJ2GT	14217	1910
EU-057	DL2DHS	10120	1725				

Five Italian ops will operate 9A/homecall from the Croatian Brijuni Islands, EU-110, May 11-13. The ops are IK4ALM, IK4XCL, IZ4DYQ, IZ4HVM and IZ4HWA. They'll be on SSB and CW.

9A8DST will be on from Losinj Island, EU-136, May 17-24. The ops are ON4CAQ, ON7KS, ON6VP, ON7FH, ON7UZ, ON8JP and ON6KN. They also hope to get to the nearby island groups Male Srakane, EU-136 and Vele Srakane, EU-136. QSL via ON4DST bureau or ON4AMM direct.

Every year DH5JBR, Joachim, goes to some Scottish islands. This is his 26th year! He expected to start up yesterday as MM/DH5JBR/p from Great Cumbrae, EU-123.

Scoglio delle Sirene, EU-025, is the QTH for IW9GUR/p, IW9HLM/p, IW9HQP/p and IT9RKR/p May 19th. They will be on 40-10M SSB. QSL via IW9HLM. The log will be on line at <http://www.095dxteam.org>.

IC8TO, Ischia Island, EU-031, will be on May 25-27 with nine Italian operators. They will be on SSB, CW and RTTY, 160-15M and 6 and 2. QSL via IZ1GCZ, bureau preferred.

JN6CJR/8 planned to be on HF and 6 from Okushiri Island, AS-147, May 4- 6. QSL to his home call bureau or direct.

OZ1RDP will be the callsign from Romo Island, EU-125, for some German radio scouts May 26-29. They will be on SSB and CW, possibly digital, 160-10M. QSL via DL9BCP.

N4AUG will be in the IOTA Contest July 28-29 from Talbot Island, NA- 138. The operators will be W9QGB, W7GAM and other members of the St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society. QSL via N4AUG.

II4SDP, Scanno di Piallazza Island, EU-155, will be on May 18-20. The ops are IZ4FTE, IZ4GWE, IK4UNH and I4EWH. They ill be on 40 with a vertical antenna, 20, 15 and 10 with a Spiderbeam and 6M with a 3- element Yagi, CW and SSB. QSL via IZ4GWE.

VE7JZ/P, John, will be on Minstrel Island, NA-091, until August first, 40, 20 and 15M SSB and digital. QSL to his home address.

HL1VAU, Rocky Han, says the IOTA operation planned for Anmyon Island, AS-080, for this past weekend were canceled for private and transportation reasons. The team plans to reschedule for other islands on the west coast of the Korean Peninsula during the summer season.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
7-May	7-May	3D2	3D2RI (EU-189)	UR3HR		11-051
7-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
7-May	14-May	4K	4KP7Z or 4K1V	UA3FDX		11-084
7-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD	VK3ZGW		11-085
7-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ (EU-023)	DL3KWF		11-070
7-May	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG		11-055
7-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ (EU-023)	DL3KWR		11-070
7-May	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-081
7-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
7-May	7-May	BY	BY group (AS-135)	home calls		11-080
7-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF			11-081
7-May	14-May	EU	EV6ZK			11-085
7-May	14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX		11-083
7-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 085) F5AHO			11-060
7-May	7-May	I	IC8R (EU-031)	IC8OZM		11-083
7-May	21-May	I	IG9/I2AZ (AF-019)			11-087
7-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
7-May	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
7-May	8-May	JA	JA1GLE/6 JA3BKM/6 (AS-049)	home calls		11-061
7-May	8-May	JA	JA4JBZ/6 JR8GZU/6 (AS-049)	home calls		11-061

7-May	7-May	JA	JS6RRR/JS6	JI3DST/JS6 (AS-079) home calls	11-088
7-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	11-085
7-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
7-May	10-May	OX	OX/NA1SA	NA1SA	11-085
7-May	18-May	OZ	OZ/DB5YB (EU-030)	DB5YB	11-085
7-May	11-May	OZ	OZ/NA1SA	NA1SA	11-085
7-May	10-May	SP	SN70MKK	SP2AVE	11-085
7-May	13-May	UR	EN62EN	UR4EYN	11-085
7-May	13-May	UR	EN62EN	UR4EYN	11-086
7-May	9-May	V3	V31PA	WA6GER	11-084
7-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD	ZL2HGR	11-081
7-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP	11-080
7-May	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-080 050
8-May	10-May	DL	DG5XJ/p (EU-128)	DG5XJ	11-085
8-May	14-May	PJ2	PJ2/KC2PZ (SA-006)	KC2PZ	11-080
10-May	15-May	9N	9N7AU	JA2AUU	11-070
10-May	15-May	9N	9N7IC	JA2AIC	11-070
10-May	15-May	9N	9N7TE	JA2ATE	11-070
10-May	13-May	KH0	KH0WW	JP1IOF	11-080
11-May	13-May	G	GB400AA	G0SBW	11-080
11-May	13-May	OH	OH2EURO	OH2HSJ	11-085
11-May	13-May	SM	8S6KOS (EU-043)	SM6YOU	11-073
11-May	13-May	W	K4J	KS4RX	11-080
12-May	22-May	6W	6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	11-088
12-May	22-May	6W	IZ2DPX/6W	IK2DUW	11-050
12-May	19-May	F	TM0A	F50IU	11-087

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today and tomorrow.
Wednesday, the geomagnetic field will be quiet.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for May 5, 2007 was 18, slipping from the 38 level of five days earlier.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3D2RI	UR3HR	HP3DX	W4WX	RP3QWK	RN3QO
4L4WW	EA7FTR	HQ9L	HR2RCH	RP3W	RW3WWW
5B4AHI	RX3RC	HZ1EA	DJ9ZB	RP3XMV	UA3XAC
5H3EE	DL4SM	HZ1SK	IZ8CLM	RP3YGA	RV3YR
9G1YK	PA3ERA	HZ1ZH	EA7FTR	RP4HDP	RX4HJ
9H3RT	DL9MWG	IR8TRT	IK8MRA	RP62DPR	UA3CS
9H3RZ	DL3KWR	J88DR	G3TBK	RP62X	UA9XC
9M2CP	9V1CP	JD1BLK	JM1LJS	RP6YW	UA6YW

9N7WU	JA8MWU	JD1BLY	JI5RPT	RP9J	RV9JD
9U0VB	UA4WHX	JD1BMH	JG7PSJ	RP9JGS	UA9JLL
A52VE	JF1OCQ	KH0/W1FPU	7L1FPU	RP9X/1	RA9XX
AN9JCC	EA9CE	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	RP9XPO	RA9XF
AO5BJU	EB5BJU	OL40RZ	OK2RZ	SD3N	SM3NXS
AO5CSW	EC5CSW	OX/NA1SA	R7C	SJ30LW	SK5LW
CQ0ODX	CT2GZE	OY/DL3OCH	DL3OCH	SN70MKK	SP2AVE
EA8NA	W1NA	R150M/6	RA6YJ	SN750C	SP9PKZ
ED7URR	EA7DA	RP0S	RW0SP	SO1EKO	DL1EKO
EN62EN	UR4EYN	RP1CKK	RX1CQ	SU9FL	WD9DZV
EO62G	UR3GM	RP3D	RA3FO	T80K	JN3JBC
EO62R	UR4RZZ	RP3DJY	UA3DJY	W4J	KU4FP
EV7DP	UA3FDX	RP3NPP	RA3NZ	YB9/OK2DW	OK2DW
FM1HN	K3PD	RP3QUP	RK3QWW	YP0LB	YO5BFJ
GC8LED/P	G8LED				

VU2PTT, Prasad, has info for us on some of his old special callsigns.

AT0PTT is via VU2PTT. This was a special callsign he used in 1998.

AT2PTT is via VU2PTT. He made over 1,000 QSOs on 10 CW with this callsign during the CQWW CW 1998.

And VU2AQB is via VU2PTT. This is Prasad's XYL's new callsign. And, his mailing address:

Prasad Rajagopal
 PO Box 7523
 Bangalore 560075
 India

WF5E, Les, has a DX QSL forwarding service, has for many years. Here's his web address: <http://www.qsl.net/wf5e/>. He is noticing a problem not with U.S. postage rates but with international mail rates, "in some cases double the old rates." A small package sent economy rate that used to cost \$5.50 is now over \$13. All surface and economy rates have been dropped and the new rates are called "first class mail international." It replaces air mail letter and economy letter. And "M bags" have doubled in price. He notes the good news, that mail overseas will be faster, like "air mail" has been. Because of these postal rate increases, Les is raising his rates to 50 cents a card or two cards or one IRC per \$1.00, effective May 14th. Here is Les's new e-mail address: wf5e@suddenlink.net. The old address, wf5e@cox.net will overlap the new one for a short time. Les goes on vacation starting May 8th and will be at the Dayton HamVention.

The new postal rate effective May 14th in the U.S. is 41 cents, so that's what should be on SASE's to QSL managers from now on. Remember, if you send for a card now with an SASE it may be after May 14th that it goes in the mail back to you and it will need the 41-cent stamp on it.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3C0M, 3XD2Z, 4O3T, 5W0RE, 9U9Z, A35AX, CN2FB, CN2FW, CN3A, EA9EU, EK0B, EY8MM, F5OGL, GB4IPY, J20RR, JX9NOA, K8SCH/1 (NA-055), KA3UNQ/p (NA-031), KE0A/KP2 (NA-106), KH8Q (OC-045), LU1ZAB (AN-016), LU4ARA/mm, SV5/SM8C, UA2FW, VP2MFF, VP2MRD, VP2MTC (NA-103), VP2MVG (NA-103), VP5/W5CW, VP8DJU (AN-007), XU7DXX, YW0DX, ZK3RE and ZS9X.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4U1ITU, 5W0DP, 6W7RV, CY0AA, CY9SS, DR2006P, EY8MM, FO/KM9D, HA5BSW, FY5KE, HV0A, MJ/K8PT, OE2LCM, S79SO, ZD8Z and ZL1BYZ.

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DX News

The BS7H team have made it back safely from their Scarborough Reef DXpedition. K4UJ, Paul Pescitelli, says "The team had a wonderful time and is now very tired and weary". You can see two videos posted on YouTube by DU1EV, Eddie, at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lXXi6WDMqGQ> and http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_XiGd0erXNQ .

G7COD, Andrew, will be QRV for the third time from Embudu, South Male Atol, Maldives as 8Q7AK for approximately two week during the beginning of October 2007. The exact dates and expected frequencies will be given prior to departure. "Note that all QSLs received from the last 2 activation's of 8Q7AK in October 2006 and January/February 2007 have now been posted direct if IRC or Green Stamp included" reports Andrew. Those with no IRC or \$ will be returned via the bureau. All QSLs received via the bureau will also be sent the same way.

WA7IRW, Greg, is now QRV from the British Virgin Islands as VP2V/WA7IRW until May 18th. Look for him on AO-51, most likely during his afternoons and evening hours. He is using an FT-857 and an Arrow antenna from the sail boat. (editor's note: If he is operating from the boat this will not count for DXCC. If he is operating from land and the antenna is on the boat I think this will count for DXCC) QSL to WA7IRW.

Member of the Union Francaise des Telegraphistes (UFT), the French CW Society which is a member of the European CW Association and members of the French IARU Society REF, has elected the following officers:

President: F5MJV, Vincent Ortega
Vice Presidents: F6AXX, Norbert Laurent and F5NQL, Maurice A. Charpentier
Secretary: F5HEW, Bernard Irigoyen
Treasurer: F6FXS, Pierre Gallo
Trustees: F5RPB, Evelyne Terrail; F5ENF, Gerard Gourmelen; F5NKX, Jean Jacques Mahieux; F6BQV, Raymond Talazac; F6ELU, Francis Fagon; F6ICG, Gerard Toussaint; F6JOE, Jean Claude Mercier.

For more information on the UFT check out their Web site at <http://www.uft.net/>
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Open Letter to the DX & IOTA Community
From K8SIX, Al Bailey

I rec'd a email from Kadek, YB9BU, that his house burnt and is a total loss. He sent me, as well as some others, photos of the damage and he will basically have to start over.

I asked Kadek if there was any insurance and there is not. I am not even sure if it is available over there, or if it is even affordable.

Kadek has done a LOT for the DX community as well as the IOTA chasers and I am going to be taking up donations to be sent to him on June 1st. If you wish to donate just send it to my (K8SIX) QRZ address and I will be doing a transfer into his account the 1st of June.

Under the circumstances he will not be able to do any IOTAs for awhile and has sent his regrets.

I will post the amount sent on the Daily DX, and the 425 News as soon as it is sent.

Your support will be greatly appreciated and 73 de K8SIX

QSN

9U0VB - BURUNDI - Vladimir had an opening on 12 meters (24940) into the NE, SW and SE parts of the US after 18Z yesterday. Vladimir continues his activity on the low bands 22 and 03Z.

VP2V/WA7IRW - BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS - Greg was on A051 Monday just before 0100Z.

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AS-060	DS2GOO/4	18102	0814	EU-088	OZ/DL5SE/LH	7011	2016
AS-141	BG5BAJ/5	14260	1333	EU-123	MM/DH5JBR/P	14260	1351
EU-008	MM3GOE	7077	1108	EU-129	DD0VD/P	14260	1004
EU-009	MM0EAX	28504	1835	NA-018	OX/NA1SA	14188	2143
EU-019	R1FJT	18125	1238	NA-107	FM1HM	18137	2226
EU-034	ES0NW	10120	0924	NA-107	FM5AA	24923	2032
EU-036	LA1EOA/P	14260	1147	OC-189	3D2RI	14000	0727
EU-041	IM0/IK2CLC	14205	1943	SA-026	PP5OW	24924	1854

Japanese ops JA1UNS/1, JI1PLF/1, 7N1GMK/1, 7L4PVR/1 and 7N4VPS/1 will be active from Hachijo Island (AS-043) from May 25-28. They will be QRV on HF and 6 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

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8-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD	ZL2HGR		11-081
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8-May	10-May	YB	YB9/PA5CW			11-080 050

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NK6F, Kenton Dean, reminds everyone that he is not the QSL manager for 3B8CF, Jacky. All QSLs for Jacky should be sent to his Callbook address.

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DX News

The ship that transported the BS7H team left Scarborough Reef around 0800Z on Sunday May 6th. The team headed for Manila, Philippines (not Hong Kong, as reported in Monday's issue) where all of the international operators departed and started heading home. The six Chinese operators (five from mainland China and one from Taiwan) were not permitted to enter the Philippines due to immigration issues and are continuing aboard the ship back to Hong Kong. The weather has been very bad and the Chinese operators are not expected back in VR2 until May 11th or possible worst case on the 12th. They are operating as BS7H/MM and are checking in hourly with other BY, BV and VR2 stations on 14180. The back up frequency is 7065. BV4FH, Paul, reports the team made around 44,440 QSOs from Scarborough Reef.

Here is an update of the current ops from the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) as reported by SM5DQC, Osten. 9Q1D, Gus, is on vacation in Sweden and goes back to Kinshasa May 15th. His contract with EUPOL expires June 30th and he will finish up from DRC and go back to Sweden. 9Q1EK, Georges, goes on vacation on May 12th and will be back in Kinshasa June 20th. He may have his family with him back. Such things always means less activity. 9Q1TB, Philippe, is not very active as he has his family in Kinshasa, and also had a direct lightning hit on his antenna. Thankfully the transceiver was not damaged. There is no log search for 9Q1D, but for 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB they can be found at www.logsearch.de .

N6PF, Eli, will be operating 3A/N6PF from June 25-June 30. This will be a holiday style operation from the QTH of 3A2MD. QSL direct via N6PF.

OA4/N6XQ, Jack, is expected to be QRV on 6 meters during the next few days from a QTH in Canete (FH16tw), Peru.

Six members of the Flying Dutch DX Group (FDDXG) will be active from Triesenberg, Liechtenstein as HB0/PA0ABM from June 15th to 22nd. Plans are to be QRV with two stations on 10 through 160 meters on CW, SSB and some digital modes. The CW ops will be PA0INA, Frans, and PA0ABM, Wino. A log search will be available at www.logsearch.de , which will be updated at regular intervals. The log will also be uploaded to LoTW. QSL via PA0ABM either direct or via the bureau.

Silent Key

N6HR (ex - K2ALE, WA6HRS, ZD8HR, etc), Hillar Raamat, passed away Sunday morning, shortly after operating the 7 QSO party with his wife Elsie (N7YX). He was 74 years young. Hil was originally from Estonia, immigrated to the USA after WW2, and became a very successful engineer in the defense business, and a real estate entrepreneur. He made many operations from DX places like Marshall

Islands, Ascension Island, and he was found active in many contests over the years. He was a member of the Northern California DX Club, Northern California Contest Club, Western Washington DX Club and undoubtedly others. He was a DXer, contester and IOTA activator. A gentle giant of a man, you could always count on Hillar to put a smile on the faces of whomever he met. N6HR was full of enthusiasm and was a wealth of knowledge that was always willing to share with those around him.

Hillar will be deeply missed by his XYL, N7YX, Elsie, and his myriads of friend in the Western Washington DX Club and worldwide. Per his wishes there will be no services. (Tnx N6TJ, N7FL and others)

QSN

- 3XY5M - GUINEA - PA5M, Mike, was QRV yesterday from 1730 until after 1900Z first on 10 SSB then 17 SSB and ending on 20 SSB. QSL via PA7FM.
- 8Q7QQ - MALDIVES - Pierre was working European stations on 18080 just prior to 1700Z. Several East Coast stations were also hearing him. QSL via HB9QQ.
- 9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Georges had a good signal coming into the eastern half of North American on 3506 Tuesday starting before 0200 for the next hour and a half. QSL via SM5DQC.
- 9U0VB - BURUNDI - When Vladimir switches over to 160 meters watch near 1823.
- A52AM - BHUTAN - 80 meter ops from Northern and Central Europe found this semi-rare one on 3786 yesterday starting at 2000Z until well after 2100Z. QSL via JA0JHA.
- FP5BU - ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON - Several Caribbean 6 meter ops reported Jean on 50110 at 1230Z on Tuesday.
- FY - FRENCH GUINEA - W1, W2 and W3 stations were working both FY1FL and then FY5KAC on the Magic Band (50 MHz) before 1930 until after 2200Z.
- HH2FYD - HAITI - Yannick likes 14170 daily starting as early as 21Z and going until as late as 0000Z. QSL via F6FYD.
- HR9/WQ7R - HONDURAS - Ray moves around on 6 meters starting just before 23 until after 01Z. W5 and southern W4 stations have been reporting him here.
- OX/NA1SA - GREENLAND - Look for the Russian team on Topband from about 0000 until at least 0300Z.
- RTTY - DIGITAL - BX5AA, Jimmy, continues to be on 20 meters just before and after 12Z. Watch for OX/NA1SA on 20 meters between 13 and 19Z. TR8CA, Alain, was on 28080 for a short period yesterday around 1830Z.
- ST2A - SUDAN - 6 meter ops from Southern and Western Europe were working Jovica on 50105 around 16Z. QSL via T93Y.
- UP62 - KAZAKHSTAN - Operators from this central Asian nation are using this special prefix to celebrate the ending of WWII.

VK9ZLH - LORD HOWE ISLAND - Doug made a surprise visit to 14215 Tuesday at 0630Z.

IOTA

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AS-013	8Q7QQ	18080	1401	EU-088	OZ/DL5SE	7017	2108
AS-013	8Q7YK	21275	1238	EU-123	MM/DH5JBR/P	14260	1244
EU-009	MM0EAX	28510	1303	EU-127	DF6QC	14260	1630
EU-029	OZ2PBS	28485	1836	EU-128	DL1FDH/P	18152	1755
EU-036	LA2FKA/M	7060	2207	NA-018	OX/NA1SA	7068	2152
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9H3EZ	DL3KWF	R150M	RA6YJ	RP6YW	UA6YW
A52AM	JA0JHA	RP3ABT	RA3BT	RP9J	RV9JD
AO5CFM	EA5CFM	RP3D	RA3FO	RP9XPO	RA9XF
CN8IG	EA7FTR	RP3MAK	RK3MWI	SN70MKK	SP2AVE
CO6WD	W0SA	RP3NPP	RA3NZ	SO1EKO	DL1EKO
EM50ARDF	US0VA	RP3QUP	RK3QWW	TC100FB	TA1HZ
ER9V	ER1DA	RP3QWK	RN3QO	TI2AXX	DL3AXX
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MODOL, Chris, is heading for the isle of Guernsey on May 26th, where he will be QRV with the unique calls GP8LED/P and GP3GWB. He'll be QRV for one week along with members of the Northampton Radio Club including M3PNQ, Trevour, and 2E0TSW, Tom. Look for primary activity on 2, 4 and 6 meters.

A team from Latvia will be QRV with special call EE8A from the Canary Islands during the CQ WPX CW Contest on May 26th and 27th. The multi op team will be YL2KL, YL3DW, YL2GQT and YL2PP. QSL via YL2KL.

A group from Germany will be teaming up with LX2A for the CQ WPX CW event. They will be operating as LX7I. The ops will be DF1LON, DL1EFD, DL20BF, DL4SDW, DL8SCG and LX2A. This will be their first attempt as a multi-two. QSL via LX2A.

The UK Six Metre Group (UKSMG) is happy to announce its 25th birthday. It will be celebrated with a series of special callsigns in several counties. Celebrations will begin in the Netherlands with special call PA25UKSMG from May 19th until June 3rd. Activity will be on all bands from 2 to 160 meters, including an entry in the CQ WPX CW Contest at the end of the month. Several special callsigns will be QRV during the UKSMG 6 meter contest during the first weekend of June. Working them will give extra bonus points during that contest. Furthermore there will be a special 25 year anniversary award. Other special event calls are expected, but have not been confirmed as of yet. More information can be found on www.uksmg.org and online logs will be on <http://www.pa7fm.nl/> when the operations begin. QSL these special calls (above) via PA7FM.

Also celebrating the 25th anniversary of UKSMG will be special call TM6MG from France on 2, 6, 10 and 12 meters, with an emphasis on 6 meters for two weeks starting June 1st.

The French six meter beacon FX4SIX is QRV again on 50315. The location is west of the city of Poitiers (JN06cq) running 25 watts into a 5 element yagi pointed east.

K2KW, Kenny, is announcing his plans for the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest, on November 24th and 25th. He'll be operating as C6ATA running 40 meter single band in the low power category. Look for activity outside the contest on CW mostly on 30 through 160 meters between November 18th and 26th. QSL via WA4WTG.

Special event station TM7AJ will be QRV in celebration of the 100 year death anniversary of the French writer Alfred Jarry, who is best known for the play Ubu Roi. QSL via F6KSU.

May 20th is the 6th annual European Castle Day. Look for special stations to be QRV from countries like France, Belgium, Italy, San Marino, Spain, Swiss, United Kingdom, Portugal, Germany, and Poland.

With activity on 10 through 80 meters (no 12, 17 or 30 meters) on CW and SSB.

For more info (in French) check out <http://f6fna.club.fr/jecregle.html> .

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10-May	14-May	PJ2	PJ2/KC2PZ (SA-006)	KC2PZ		11-080
10-May	13-May	PY	ZY2P	PY2AA		11-090
10-May	10-May	SP	SN70MKK	SP2AVE		11-085
10-May	13-May	UR	EN62EN	UR4EYN	11-090	086 085
10-May	18-May	VP2V	VP2V/WA7IRW	WA7IRW		11-091

10-May 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
10-May 25-May W	W4J	KU4FP	11-080
10-May 10-May YB	YB9/PA5CW		11-080 050

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low with a slight chance for an M-flare from Region 955.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be predominately quiet today through Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for May 8, 2007 was 12.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5H3EE	DL4SM	EO62X	UT3XX	RP6Y	UA6YW
5N8NDP	IK5JAN	RP3EOD	RU3EJ	TI4CF	W3HNK
7X0AD	EA4URE	RP4AKD	RZ4AWA	UE3XGV	RU3XP
A61NT	ON5NT	RP4HDP	RX4HJ	UN7AD	RW6HS
EO62C	UT7CWW	RP62X	UA9XC		

On Friday May 4th the VU7RG QSL cards were shipped from the printer in Italy to the United States (N200) and Japan (JA3UB). DL4KQ, Frank, receive his batch yesterday and will begin mailing out cards today.

QSL Manager W3HNK, Joe Arcure, just returned home after a two week trip to Rome, where he attended the Strange Radio Team DX Convention with I1MQP, Mario, I2MQP, and IZ8EDJ, Oreste, and others. Upon his return home and found find himself buried in mail held at the local post office. I will begin QSLing in a day or two after sorting out all the mail!

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: GM3YOR, HH7/N3BNA, J5UAR, JX9NOA, V47NT, VK9DNX, YK1BA

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: G0AZS, FY/F5IRO, IZ5EKV

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DX News

KM9D (E51QMA), Mike Young, and his girl friend KF4TUG (E51TUG), Jan Heaton, are now QRV from Suwarrow (OC-080), North Cooks. Look for activity on 10 through 160 meters until at least May 21st. QSL via OM2SA.

Several of the BS7H team members have returned home. AA4NN, Joe, got home Thursday around 8AM local time. OH2BH, Martti, is back in Finland. K4UJ, Paul, got home late Tuesday. W6RGG, Bob, arrived late last night at the San Francisco airport, sun burnt and recovering from the ruff ride home. After six days of sailing the remaining ops, from China, arrived in Hong Kong today around 0130Z. You can see a photo of the entire team on one rock at the BS7H web page at <http://www.scarboroughreef.com/> . More photos can be seen at <http://www.scarboroughreef.com/srphotos.html> . A log search will be on the BS7H Web site around May 15th. QSL BS7H via KU9C.

Some have asked about the BS7H low band operations. OH2BH, Martti Laine, tells us while they failed to hoist the planned low-band antennas at BS7H the did manage to make some QSOs on both bands. On May 4th BA4RF, David and Martti ran an 80 meter L-antenna along the beam mast with an 8 meter high vertical radiator and the turning to 12 meters horizontal. The end of the antenna was 1 meter above the sea fixed to another rock. A radial the same length was used in the water. The guys made 200 80 meter CW QSOs and a few 80 meter SSB QSOs that night into Europe and Japan. On May 5th Martti used the HF2V on 3799 and 1825 with great success. He started at 1830Z on 75M with about 150 EU/Japan QSOs. Around 2110Z Martti moved to 1825 with more success. The Topband effort remained on the air until sunrise with many JA's and Europeans being worked.

During the IARU HF World Championships W1AW will be activated from North Carolina this year. Details are still being worked out.

Several Yankee Clipper Contest Club members have recently been QRV on CW signing their call stroke three zero (/30). One of them was actually using cut numbers, a contesting method (<http://tinyurl.com/24whw5>), and sending /3T. Don't be fooled they are all up in New England and not in China!

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - Six meter ops from Europe reported the following Thursday: 5B4AHY, 5B8AD, 8R1WD, CN8KD, EA6CC, EA9IB, NP4A, OH0JFP, ST2A, SV8DTD, SV9CVY, TA2ZAF, VE1YX and ZC4LI. Across the pond in the US they reported: C6AGN, CO8DM, FY1FL, HI3TEJ, HR9/WQ7R, NP3CW, P43JB, PJ4/PA3CNX and PJ7TM.

E51TUG - NORTH COOKS - Jan was reported on 14259 today around 0400Z. QSL via OM2SA.

WH6LU - HAWAII - Rick was working all across the US on 28490 Thursday between 0330 and 0400Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-014	CT3FT	14201	1112	EU-023	9H4DX	28480	1530
AF-019	IG9/I2AZ	14060	1321	EU-036	LA7G/P	14170	1639
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14013	2153	EU-041	IM0/IK2CLC	14203	0814
EU-001	SV5/DL6NBR	14257	1202	EU-043	8S6KOS	14257	2129
EU-004	EC6UD	28495	1216	EU-127	DF6QC	10104	0713
EU-008	MM/DH5JBR/P	14267	1132	EU-171	OZ/DL5SE	7014	0651
EU-009	MM3LQK	14260	825	EU-172	OZ1RRH	14260	0722
EU-023	9H4CM	18135	1722	NA-018	OX/NA1SA	7005	0153

A group from Organisasi Amatir Radio Indonesia (ORARI), Indonesia's IARU society, will be operating in the CQ WPX CW Contest, on May 26th and 27th from Ayer Island (OC-177) in Jakarta Bay. Team members will include YB0ECT, Pri; YB0DPO, Dudy; YC0LOW, Jo; YB1TX, Andry; and YD0NQW, Ray. Look for some single operator single band activity on 40, 80 and 160 meters. There may also be some RTTY and PSK31 operation on the higher bands. The operators will be using their home calls /0. QSL via the Orari Bureau or direct.

CT1EPV, CT3MD, CU2HJA, DJ2VO and HB9CRV/CT3FN will be active from Flores Island (EU-089) during the IOTA Contest on July 28th and 29th. They will be operating as CU8T. Plans are to be on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 6 through 80 meters. On 6 meters they will have a beacon (CU8/CT3FN) on 50113. In case of an opening you can SMS 00351 967200392.

Starting today three Chinese operators will be operating from Changxing Island (AS-151). They are BD1DRJ/2 BG2QMP/2 and BG2RHY/2. The three will be on 10, 15, 20 and 40 meters on CW and SSB until May 13th. QSL via their home calls.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
11-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
11-May	14-May	4K	4KP7Z or 4K1V	UA3FDX		11-084
11-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD (OC-148)	VK3ZGW		11-085
11-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ (EU-023)	DL3KWF		11-070
11-May	11-May	9H	9H3RT (EU-023)	DL9MWG		11-055
11-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ (EU-023)	DL3KWR		11-070
11-May	15-May	9N	9N7AU	JA2AUU		11-070
11-May	15-May	9N	9N7IC	JA2AIC		11-070
11-May	15-May	9N	9N7TE	JA2ATE		11-070
11-May	12-May	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-092	081
11-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087

11-May 28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF		11-081
11-May	E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-079
11-May	E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-079
11-May 14-May	EU	EV6ZK		11-085
11-May 14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX	11-083
11-May 13-May	G	GB400AA	G0SBW	11-080
11-May 20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 085)	F5AHO	11-060
11-May 21-May	I	IG9/I2AZ (AF-019)	IZ1GJK	11-087
11-May 31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	11-085
11-May 14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ	11-065
11-May 13-May	KH0	KH0WW (OC-086)	JP1IOF	11-080
11-May 31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	11-085
11-May 1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
11-May 13-May	OH	OH2EURO	OH2HSJ	11-085
11-May 18-May	OZ	OZ/DB5YB (EU-030)	DB5YB	11-085
11-May 11-May	OZ	OZ/NA1SA	NA1SA	11-085
11-May 14-May	PJ2	PJ2/KC2PZ (SA-006)	KC2PZ	11-080
11-May 13-May	PY	ZY2P	PY2AA	11-090
11-May 13-May	SM	8S6KOS (EU-043)	SM6YOU	11-073
11-May 13-May	UR	EN62EN	UR4EYN	11-090 086 085
11-May 18-May	VP2V	VP2V/WA7IRW	WA7IRW	11-091
11-May 1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
11-May 13-May	W	K4J	KS4RX	11-080
11-May 25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP	11-080
12-May 22-May	6W	6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	11-088 050
12-May 19-May	F	TM0A (EU-032)	F5OIU	11-087
12-May 12-May	UA	UE1CDX/P RZ1CXO/p	RN1CW	11-090
13-May 15-May	KH2	WH7P/KH2 (OC-026)	JP1IOF	11-080
13-May 13-May	ON	ON60LGE/P	ON5PO	11-085
13-May 27-May	TA	TA100FB		11-085
13-May 27-May	TA	TC100FB		11-085

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4X1FQ	AA4V	CX6VM	W3HNK	KH6ZM	I0MWI
9N7AU	JA2AAU	HZ1EA	DJ9ZB	SJ9WL	LA4EKA
9N7IC	JA2AIC	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	Z22JE	K3PD
9N7TE	JA2ATE	KH0WW	JP1IOF	ZY2P	PY2AA

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The special event US 1 X 1 callsigns (i.e. N8S, K7C, K5K, etc.) are available on a short term basis. K9TTT, Dale Cole, from the Michigan DX Association reports the N8S callsign was used in June 2006 and QSLs are somehow being misdirected to K9TTT. The only QSL route for the April 2006 N8S Swains Island operation is via YT1AD, Hrane. Dale will forward the requests to Hrane.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 6W/DM2AYO, DJ1YFK, J5UTM, KP2/K3TEJ, KP4VP, PJ4/K2NG, PJ7/DL1VWR, PZ5ZY, S92FM, ZP6CW

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: R1ANN, RU3HD/ANT, RU3HD/mm

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: A35RK, AE6RR, BA7NQ, BV4FH, F1JKJ, F5PFP, HB9CRV, K0OK, K4QPL, K6KLY, K6TA, K9TTT, N1DG, N4II, NC1L, OH2BH, W2BIE, W4GMY, WC5M, YB0ECT

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DX News

There will be no issue of The Daily DX on Friday, May 18. Both W3UR and KE3Q will be at the Dayton HamVention. We will not have a booth but we will be in the DX and Contest Forums as well as the DX and Contest dinners and Crowne Plaza hospitality suites. We look forward to seeing everyone!

W5PF, Paul, is in the midst of a move to a new QTH but plans to go to the British Virgin Islands for an operation July 11-18. On the trip will be WZ8C, K5WAF, WB5IUU, WF5W and W5PF. Spouses will also be along on this vacation-type expedition. They will be in the FISTS CW club sprint July 13th and will be multi-op in the IARU contest July 14- 15. Operators will sign VP2V/home call. QSL them all via W5PF.
Check QRZ.com or other databases for Paul's new mailing address.

TF/KF7E, Jim, was on Saturday and Sunday. He says he's frozen after a week of cold weather on a job in eastern Iceland. Winding up his stay with the weekend in Reykjavik, he was offered some "ham hospitality," including a KW and SteppIR antenna. He expected to start operating at about 17Z Saturday, possibly much of Sunday, and "any other time I can arrange through about 1200Z on the 15th." He says, "I am working this out as I go."

3XY5M is the Guinea callsign for PA5M, Michael, until early June. He works with the UN World Food Program. He will be on 160-6M in his spare time using 100 watts and a wire antenna. QSL via PA7FM direct and be sure to include enough for return postage, given recent rate increases. Or, you can QSL via the bureau. For more info, check out www.pa7fm.nl.

GB4VLX was the special callsign for the UK's Cray Valley Radio Society the past two days in an operation in memory of G3VLX, Deryck Buckley. He also had held the callsigns F0RV, PA9TO and 9H3AM. Deryck became a silent key in April. His friends planned to use Deryck's gear with two stations on the air, 80-10M, and will have a special QSL. Send for it via G4DFI.

HL7WR will be a special event callsign from South Korea June 27 until July second for the 2007 World Rafting Championship in Sangdong-Ri, Inje. QSL via DS2UAL direct or bureau.

HF750C, Poland, will mark the 750 years of Krakow. This one is May 14- June 30. QSL via SP9BRP. Also look for many ops to use the special SN0 prefix the rest of the year.

YB9AQW and YB9/PA0HOP, both by PA0HOP, Hans, will be on from Bali, Indonesia, May 15-June 20. Hans will be on RTTY, BPSK31, FeldHell and OLIVIA (16 tones - 500 Hz) only. QSL via PA0HOP. For the YB9AQW callsign, QSL via PA0HOP only for QSOs made during this time period.

Bali is IOTA (Islands on the Air) OC-022.

We have the band-by-band breakdown for the recent BS7H Scarborough Reef operation. Here it is:

Band	SSB	CW	RTTY
160m	0	54	0
80m	117	217	0
40m	509	3039	0
30m	0	3374	0
20m	10370	11434	54
17m	3277	3497	0
15m	3803	1986	268
12m	402	474	0
10m	841	724	0
Total	19319	24799	322

N1DG, Don Greenbaum, reports that one .bin file of 1,500 17M and 30M QSOs did not initially merge correctly with the BS7H logs. That has now been fixed, he says. And here again is the web site for the BS7H log search:
<http://www.scarboroughreef.com/srlog.html>

C4W, Cyprus, will be in the WPX CW May 26-27 with 5B4WN, Marios, operating. He will be single operator all band and will QSL via LoTW.
Or you can get a "self QSL" via the bureau at <http://www.5b4wn.com>.

DR80AMA will be a special German callsign for the WPX contest. DK3DM and DJ2QV will be multi-single, using this callsign to celebrate SES's 80 years of German ham radio. QSL via the bureau to DK3DM.

CX3AN and CX4CR from the Uruguay DX Group will operate HP2/home call from Panama June 22-28. They will be on San Blas Archipelago, IOTA NA- 170, 80-6M CW and SSB with 500 watts into verticals and wires.
Alternatively, they may sign 3E2/home call. In the last 20 years these guys have operated from 15 countries on five continents.

G1VDP, Chris, plans a "holiday-style operation" from Cornwall, southwest England May 26-June 2. First, from the lighthouse on Trevoise Head May 29th, the lighthouse at Pendean May 30th, and from Lizard May 31st. Look for him on 3764, 7064 and 14264 plus or minus QRM.

VQ9JC (ND9M, Jim) has gotten the special callsign VQ97JC to use May 23- June 5, with the seven standing for the year, 2007. VQ9QM/W4QM, who VQ9JC says was "Mr. VQ9 for 15 years," thinks this is the first time a special prefix has been authorized there. He will be on the air as much as possible those two weeks while on a work assignment on Diego Garcia. He thinks the best time to look for him will be 1200-1730Z.
He hopes to stay overnight in the hamshack for both nights of the WPX contest weekend with concentration on local sunrise, 2300-0100Z. He will be single operator all band. QSL to his home call, ND9M, bureau or direct. He returns to Florida in August and will have cards printed then.

The Craven Radio Amateur Group, CRAG, from the Yorkshire Dales in the northern UK will be part of "CASHOTA," Castles and Stately Homes on the Air, May 20 from 09-16Z. They will be on from Broughton Hall near Skipton with the callsign MX0BCQ/P. They will be on HF and VHF.
Here's their web site: <http://www.cashota.org/>

The Indianapolis Motor Speedway Amateur Radio Club will have their W9IMS callsign on the air for the 91st Indianapolis 500 formula one car race. This radio operation will be May 24-28, apparently from 1500-0300Z. Look for W9IMS

on 21340, 14240, 7240 and 3840. There will be a certificate and commemorative QSL. For more info:
<http://www.w9ims.com>.

W7FLY is the special callsign for the Boeing Employees Amateur Radio Operators North Society as the new Boeing 787 "Dreamliner" is rolled out. W7FLY will be on July 8-9. They will be on 7050 and 14050 CW and 7240 and 14240 SSB. QSL via KN7T, Mark McLaughlin, 2625 176th Street SE, Bothell, WA 98012, USA.
<http://www.w0ma.org>.

Many YCCC, Yankee Clipper Contest Club members (New England, in the northeastern U.S.) are on the air signing /30 to mark their 30 years as a club. There is a certificate available for working 10 members.
See yccc.org for details.

Silent Key

June QST reports that W3PHL has become a Silent Key. As K3ZO, Fred Laun, says it, "DXers with a certain number of years under their hamming belt will recall Fred as a fixture on 40 meter phone, DXing with his unique, massive, double-sideband suppressed-carrier signal and Yagi array."

QSN

- SIX METERS - Six meter season is here. W5DN near Houston, Texas, reports working EH8BPX, Canary Islands, at 2108Z Friday on 50190. Jay thinks he was the western-most station `BPX worked. He also worked VE1 and 3 and W1, 2, 3, 4, 8 and 9. Jay says, "This was a very unusual occurrence this early in the E-skip season and I was very tickled to be a part of it. He was only S2 at best but it was a solid contact."
- 9U0VB - BURUNDI - 3503 at 2230Z, 7001 at 2125Z, 14003 at 2030Z, and 28420 at 1845Z working the U.S. East Coast. And, 18130 at 1820Z.
- A52AM - BHUTAN - 24955 from 1440-16Z, 14195 AT 0235Z Saturday. Friday it was 7067 from 2000-2220Z and 14207 from 1355-1545Z. Before that, 14195 from 1120-1215Z. QSL via JA0JHA.
- R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - RTTY. Jack was on 10144 at 1820Z, 18068 at 1745Z, 14080 at 1415Z and 18071 at 0940Z. QSL via UA4RC.
- SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Quite a bit of operating the last four days for Monk Apollo, starting with Thursday, 20 CW, then 7007 CW Friday at 04Z, 14015 CW from 0820-14Z, then Saturday 14020 from 0640-08Z and 11-12Z, followed by Sunday on 14020 from 19-20Z. Typically, Apollo listens up four or five kHz.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-006	VQ9JC	21023	1410	EU-024	5Z4ES	14258	2000
AN-001	VP8ROT	14173	1925	EU-032	TM0A	7058	2325
AS-020	BX5AA	14267	1320	EU-042	DL1RTW/P	7045	1210
AS-081	HL1/F5AHO/5	14259	0735	EU-043	8S6KOS	14265	1000
EU-001	SV5AZP	18152	1855	EU-045	IB0CW	14260	1915
EU-004	EC6UD	28490	1610	EU-110	9A/IZ4DYQ	14258	0755
EU-005	MM/DH5JBR/P	14258	1545	NA-021	8P6GU	14247	2235
EU-009	MM5DWW	14197	2335	NA-080	C6AGN	50123	2305
EU-016	9A4W	24937	1620	NA-093	CO8LY	50125	1320
EU-016	9A6A	7057	1000	NA-183	4A3IH	14040	2235
EU-021	TF/KF7E	18084	1645	OC-036	ZL2KOT	14260	0425
EU-023	9H4CM	18130	0915	OC-080	E51QMA	10106	1200

G3KMA has info on an upcoming expedition to OC-268, Payung-Payungan Island in the Laut Kecil Islands. YC7IM, H.M. Fuadi Yatrin, will lead the team June 20-24. Look for them on 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10M. The callsign is YE7M. QSL via the QRZ.com address. Indonesian permission has been obtained.

GB1HI and GB5HI will be the EU-120, Holy Island Lindisfarne, callsign for the Wakefield & District Radio Society July 21-22. This is in Northumberland. QSL via M3ZYZ direct or bureau. You can send an e-mail request for bureau card too. Use the QRZ.com address.

ON4LO, Francois, travels to Faro Island, EU-145, Portugal, for an operation June 14-27. He will be on 40, 20, 15 and 10, SSB and PSK. QSL to his home call. He prefers to get your card via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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14-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
14-May	14-May	4K	4KP7Z or 4K1V	UA3FDX		11-084
14-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD (OC-148)	VK3ZGW		11-085
14-May	22-May	6W	6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	11-088	050
14-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ (EU-023)	DL3KWF		11-070
14-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ (EU-023)	DL3KWR		11-070
14-May	15-May	9N	9N7AU	JA2AUU		11-070
14-May	15-May	9N	9N7IC	JA2AIC		11-070
14-May	15-May	9N	9N7TE	JA2ATE		11-070
14-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
14-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF			11-081
14-May	21-May	E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094	079
14-May	21-May	E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094	079
14-May	14-May	EU	EV6ZK			11-085
14-May	14-May	EU	EV8DP	UA3FDX		11-083
14-May	19-May	F	TM0A (EU-032)	F5OIU		11-087
14-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN		11-090
14-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 0F5AHO)			11-060
14-May	21-May	I	IG9/I2AZ (AF-019)	IZ1GJK		11-087
14-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
14-May	14-May	I	IU8SF	IK8WEJ		11-065
14-May	15-May	KH2	WH7P/KH2 (OC-026)	JP1IOF		11-080
14-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085
14-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074

14-May 18-May	OZ	OZ/DB5YB (EU-030)	DB5YB	11-085
14-May 14-May	PJ2	PJ2/KC2PZ (SA-006)	KC2PZ	11-080
14-May 27-May	TA	TA100FB		11-085
14-May 27-May	TA	TC100FB		11-085
14-May 18-May	TI	TI6/K5YG TI6/K9KEJ		11-090
14-May 18-May	VP2V	VP2V/WA7IRW	WA7IRW	11-091
14-May 1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
14-May 25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP	11-080
14-May 26-May	XE	4A3IH (NA-183)	IT9EJW	11-035
14-May 14-May		US Postal increases effective		11-075
15-May 30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-092
15-May 26-May	GM	GM3YOR/P (EU-008)		11-065
15-May 5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF		11-080
17-May 24-May	9A	9A8DST (EU-136)	ON4AMM	11-090
17-May 22-May	A5	A52SW	K2AU	11-089
17-May 23-May	TF	TF4/G4EDG/P (EU-168)	G4ELZ	11-087
17-May 23-May	TF	TF4/G4ELZ/P (EU-168)	G4ELZ	11-087
17-May 17-May		Dayton Contest University		10-110 109
18-May 19-May	F	TM1LM	F8KGY	11-090
18-May 19-May	F	TM2LM	F6KAT	11-090
18-May 19-May	F	TM3LM	F6KFO	11-090
18-May 19-May	F	TM4LM	F8KOI	11-090
18-May 19-May	F	TM5LM	F6KAT	11-090
18-May 19-May	F	TM6LM	F6KFT	11-090
18-May 19-May	F	TM7LM	F6KFH	11-090
18-May 20-May	I	II4SDP (EU-155)	IZ4GWE	11-090
18-May 20-May	VP2E	VP2EDS	KJ9I	11-090 058
18-May 20-May	VP2E	VP2ERV	NF9V	11-090 058
18-May 18-May		Dayton DX Dinner		11-083 010
19-May 21-May	I	IQ9PA (EU-166)		11-080
19-May 3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM	11-093
19-May 20-May	SV	SX2SB		11-080
19-May 19-May		Dayton Contest Dinner		11-010
19-May 19-May		Ponente Ligure DX meeting		11-062

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low to low. C-class activity is possible.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for May 12, 2007 was 21.

QSL Info

K4ZW, Ken, reminds us that cards for AI4VU, KH8/AI4VU and 5W0JT go via JT1CO. Ken says some people have been sending their cards to him instead.

The QSL route for AP2TN is via DJ9ZB as of May first. If you've already sent direct to Tariq and haven't gotten a card, you can e-mail your QSO details to ap2tn@yahoo.com.

I2WIIJ, Bob, says as of Friday the CN3A and 5D5A direct QSL request backlog has been fully cleared. Bob thanks his wife for her "outstanding help as secretary," keeping everything in order.

Here is a list of the callsigns that IT9DAA, Corrado, handles the cards for: YV1CTE, YV1FM, YV5MSG, YV5SSB, 4M5DX, YW5CQ, YV5TX, 4M5R, YV5WW, HP1WW, OH0XX, YW0DX, YW4C, YX5IOTA and YY1JGT. For info on his QSL policy, go to www.qrz.com/it9daa.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B9/G3TXF, 3XM6JR, 4O3T, 4O3ZZ, 4U1UN, 5A7A, 5Z4ZK, 8P1A, 9M4SDX, 9Q1D, BX5AA, C21DL, C52T, C56NN, C6DX, J20SA, J5UAR, J79IU, JX9NOA, KI4MJO, OX60AD, V25WY, V31LG, V63UA, VP2E, VY1MB, XX9A, YU1XA, ZB2/ON5UR, ZP6CW.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: A41LZ and ZA1DX.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4X4PP, DJ1YFK, EA1CUB, EA1NE, HK6PSG, PJ4/OE2VEL, TF4M, TF6PS, YW0DX and ZF2BI.

On the WWW

Here is a photo album from the BS7H trip.
<http://picasaweb.google.com/paul.pescitelli/K4UJScarboroughReef>

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DX News

WB4WXE, Howard, is heading back to Antigua and Barbuda on June 9th through June 24th. He will be QRV as V26HS and will be putting an emphasis on 6 meters, but will also be QRV on 2, 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 or 40 meters. On 6 meters he will also be using an IC706, and TE0552G solid state 350 watt amp with pre-amp using a modified Hi-Par 6 element yagi on a 17 foot boom on top of a 300 foot high hill. Howard will not have Internet access. He'll have a RCI- 5054dx 6 meter transceiver on 50.125/50.110 scanning for an opening, even if he goes to HF with the Icom. On HF he'll be running a two element beam. On 2 meters it will be 10 elements with 350 watts for island to island QSOs or any possible 2M E openings.

Members of the Strange Radio Team (SRT) are taking their annual survey for DXpedition of the year. The winning DXpedition will receive the SRT World Wide DXpedition Trophy. You get make your choice at <http://www.strangeradioteam.com/wwdxt/index.asp> .

9M6CT (ex VS6CT), Phil Weaver, is now living permanently in the United Kingdom (G4JMB).

2007 Pacific Northwest DX Convention By N7UK, Kirk Bellar

The Western Washington DX Club is hosting the 2007 Pacific Northwest DX Convention on August 10-12 in Everett, Washington (15 mi. north of Seattle) at the Everett Holiday Inn, 3105 Pine St.

Featured programs will include the 2007 Scarborough Reef DXpedition by N6MZ, a multi-multi shootout by VE7SV, K7ZSD, and NK7U; and operating from Iraq by YI9TU. Other programs to be announced.

This year's activities include a Saturday dinner banquet, Sunday brunch, commercial exhibits, ARRL forum, hospitality room, DXCC card checking, door prizes, and raffle prizes.

Costs for the event are \$24 for registration, \$36 for the Saturday dinner banquet, and \$20 for the Sunday brunch buffet. Registrants who sign up before July 10 will receive 2 raffle tickets. Cutoff date for dinner and brunch is August 7. The Everett Holiday Inn is offering special convention rates through July 17.

Latest info and registration form are available at www.wwdxc.org/convention

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European ops reported the following yesterday on 6 meters: 5B4AHY, 5T5SN, 6W/IZ2DPX, A71EM, CN8KD, EA9IB, ST2A, TR8CA and ZB3B. Over on the other side of the Atlantic North American ops found: 9Z4BM, FM5JC, FS5HL, HR9/WQ7R, PJ4/PA3CNX and YV4DYJ.

9U0VB - BURUNDI - Look for Vladimir just before 0400Z on 1823.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Was working all across North America and Europe Monday on 14196 between 1440 and 1630Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

A52K - BHUTAN - Kaneki was up on 14283 yesterday just after 1400Z. QSL via JA1CG.

A61NT - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - W6 and W7 DXers reported weak signals from Ghis on 18143 yesterday at 1615Z, however they were able to sneak through. QSL via ON5NT.

SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Monk Apollo was reported on CW on 20 meters from 07 and 08Z, from 1000 to 1130Z and 1915 and 2020Z. Over the last few days SV2ASP/A has been very QRV on 20 CW. QSL via CBA.

VU2WWX - INDIA - Was working West Coast US ops on 14206 around 1445Z.

XW1A - LAOS - Multiple European ops found Larry on 14245 yesterday between 1600 and 1830Z. QSL via E21EIC.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-019	IG9/I2AZ/	14020	0652	EU-045	IB0CW	14260	2333
EU-001	SV5/DL6NBR	7092	2025	EU-127	DF6QC	10114	0919
EU-008	MM/DH5JBR/P	14270	1545	NA-062	K2ZR/4	7011	0325
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1318	NA-183	4A3IH	14265	2254
EU-009	MM5DWW	14198	0051	OC-080	E51QMA	21005	2100
EU-032	TM0A	18099	1043	OC-080	E51TUG	14260	0808
EU-042	DK8NT/P	10109	2253	OC-146	YB8TAF	14305	1558
EU-042	DL1RTW/P	7009	1859				

OZ8MW/P will be QRV from Anholt Island (EU-088) from July 25th to 30th, including an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. Look for activity on CW and SSB on 10 through 80 meters.

Members of the White Tower DX team will be putting on an IOTA DXpedition to Skyros Island (EU-060) between June 12 and June 22. The operators will be: SV0XAW, SV2FPU (WTDX Team Chief), SV2HNZ, SV2HOB, SV2HPP, SV2HPY, SV2HRT, SV2HSV and SV2GNQ. They will be using the special call SY8WT and active on 6 through 160 meters on SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. You can see more about the expedition on the White Tower DX Team web page at: www.whitetowerdxt.com . QSL via SV2HPP.

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15-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
15-May	15-May	KH2	WH7P/KH2 (OC-026)	JP1IOF		11-080
15-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085
15-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074
15-May	18-May	OZ	OZ/DB5YB (EU-030)	DB5YB		11-085
15-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
15-May	27-May	TA	TA100FB	TA1CM		11-085
15-May	27-May	TA	TC100FB	TA1HZ		11-085
15-May	15-May	TF	TF/KF7E	KF7E		11-095
15-May	18-May	TI	TI6/K5YG TI6/K9KEJ			11-090
15-May	18-May	VP2V	VP2V/WA7IRW	WA7IRW		11-091
15-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
15-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
15-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP		11-080
15-May	26-May	XE	4A3IH (NA-183)	IT9EJW		11-035
15-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at very low levels. Emerging Region 956 may further develop this period to produce isolated C-class flares.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at predominantly quiet levels with isolated unsettled conditions possible today through Thursday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

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The sunspot number for May 13, 2007 was 18.

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3Z0ILQ	SP5DDJ	CX6VM	W3HNC	LU1ZD	LU4DXU
3Z500P	SQ6QQ	DL0KQ5KS	DJ3AS	LZ50DX	LZ1AF
4A3IH	IT9EJW	E51QMA	OM2SA	OH2EURO	OH2HSJ
4L1FP	LZ1OT	E51TUG	OM2SA	OX3PG	WA0SMQ
5H0RS	IT9YVO	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	R6MDIR	RK3MWA
6J3PEA	XE3PEA	EN80AL	UT8AL	SC300VL	SK6HD
6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	EO62G	UR3GM	SJ9WL	PA0IJM
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EX8AB	RX3RC	SJ9WL	LA4EKA
7X5ST	7X5LS	GB400AA	G0SBW	SV5/DL6NBR	DL6NBR
7Z1UG	DG1XG	GB4VLX	G4DFI	SV5/G2JL	G2JL
8S6KOS	SM6YOU	GB6GW	GW0TKX	TA100FB	TA1CM
9L1DIR	EA4URE	HF70COP	SP8KPK	TC100FB	TA1HZ
9M8DX/2	VK6DXI	HH2FYD	F6FYD	TF/KF7E	KF7E
A52K	JA1CG	HR9/WQ7R	N6FF	TF3ZA	KT6YL
A52VE	JF1OCQ	HR9/WQ7R	N6FF	TM0A	F5OIU
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	IB0CW	IZ8CLM	TM1VDM	F6KTN
BD1DRJ/2	BD1DRJ	IB0CW	IZ8CLM	UA0AZ	W3HNC
BG2QMP/2	BG2QMP	J5UAP	HA3AUI	UE4HDA/M	RW4HB
C6AGN	W1DIG	KH0WW	JP1IOF	XW1A	E21EIC
CN8KD	EA5XX	KH2RU/KP4	KP4RD	Z22JE	K3PD
CO6WD	W0SA				

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World traveler G3SXW, Roger Western, has uploaded all of his past DXpeditions containing electronic logs to LotW. 24 DXpeditions with some 134,000 QSOs including: 3DA/G3SXW Oct 1992, ZD9SXW Sep 1993, XX9TSX Oct 1994, 9N1SXW Sep 1995, TU/G3SXW Feb 1996, C21SX Feb 1999, S79SXW Jan 2000, FH/G3SXW Jan 2000, FW/G3SXW May 2000, S568Y Jul 2000, VK9CXW Apr 2001, ZL7/G3SXW Sep 2001, KH2/G3SXW Aug 2003, V63SXW Aug 2003, P29SX Oct 2004, C21SX Sep 2005, EA9/G3SXW March 2006, ZB2/G3SXW March 2006, 5B/G3SXW May 2006, FP/G3SXW Sep 2006, IS0/G3SXW Oct 2006, 9H3SX Dec 2006, OM/G3SXW Feb 2007 and LY/G3SXW Apr 2007. Roger plans to next work on older paper logs. If anyone has a problem confirming any of the above you can email Roger at g3sxw@btinternet.com .

K6MD, Jerry, reminds everyone he and W6OAT can both confirm QSOs with YI9MD.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 5B4AIA, 9M4SDX, 9U0X, C91Z, CE4CT, CO8LY, CP4BT, ES1QD, G3ZSS, GB95MGY, HH2FJM, HH4/K4QD, HK6ISX, HK6KKK, HK8HIX, HK8RQS, HR9BFS, J5BI (AF- 020), KH0/K3UY, LZ2TU, MD4K, MI0SRR, TA3D, TM5CI (EU-039), V31FG/P (NA- 123), WP3C NA-099), XU7MDY, Z36A, ZF2BI

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4W3DX, 4W6MM, 4X4PP, CQ0ODX, CT1EPC, DJ1YFK, FW/G3SXW, FY/F5IRO, G3VMW, G4RCG, HK3W, HK6PSG, IV3HAX, IZ0GMS, PI4ZLD, S79SXW, TF1MM/9, TF4M, TO5A, UA4SAW, UV5U, V31FG, XX9TSX, YV6BTF, YW0DX

In yesterday's issue we mentioned the passing of W3PHL. Some agreed at the signal strength of Fred on 40 meters. N3ZA, Moe Mosheim, has a Web page on W3PHL that could explain why at <http://tinyurl.com/22fep2> .

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DX News

Montenegro finally has a callsign prefix block. Montenegro gained independence in late June 2006 and had been using the following prefixes: 4O3, 4O6, YT3, YT6, YU3, YU6, YZ3 and YZ6. The International Telecommunications Union did not want to give the new country a new prefix and required the states of Montenegro and Serbia to agree upon one or two prefixes of the five (4N, 4O, YT, YU, YZ) from the former Serbia/Montenegro country. On May 11th an agreement was made and the ITU now lists the 4O (Four Oscar) prefix as belonging to Montenegro. So Montenegro can use 400 (Four Oscar Zero) through 409 (Four Oscar Nine). Serbia will continue to use the YT and YU prefixes. This will include all call areas (0-9) for each. However the 4N and YZ prefixes have been taken away and given back to the ITU for future use to another nation. This was confirmed today by a spokesman from the ITU's Radiocommunication Sector. When asked exactly when the two nations need to complete this change a response of "as soon as possible" was given. So there may be a short period of time to complete the switch over. DXers need to update their logging software, carefully!

Serbia: YT0, YT1, YT2, YT3, YT4, YT5, YT6, YT7, YT8, YT9, YU0, YU1, YU2, YU3, YU4, YU5, YU6, YU7, YU8 and YU9

Montenegro: 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409

As a reminder there will be no issue of The Daily DX on Friday May 18th as our staff will be in Dayton. Speaking of Dayton it looks like the WX forecasters are saying perfect weather for Friday, Saturday and Sunday with mostly sunny conditions and temperatures ranging in the low to mid 70s (F).

5B4AGN, Bob, will be visiting Kota Kinabalu, East Malaysia over the CQ WPX CW weekend and plans to be QRV during the contest. As of the moment he is unsure whether he will be using 9M6/G3ZEM or 9M6LSC.

KC4D, Bill Perkins, plans to be active from the Embangweni Mission station as 7Q7WW during the CQ WPX CW weekend. He will also be QRV as work permits in the evenings and early morning Malawi Time (GMT+2 Hours). QSL via KC4D.

V73RY, Randy, is now QRV on PSK31, RTTY and other digital modes.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European ops found the following yesterday on 6 meters: 3A2MW, 5T5SN, 6W/IZ2DPX, CN8KD, EH8BPX, MU0FAL, ST2A, SV9CVY, TZ6PVI and ZB3B. North American ops reported: C6AGN, CO2OJ, CU7AM, EA8AAJ, EH8BPX,

FY1FL and KH6FI.

C31LJ - ANDORRA - Peter was down on 14003 just before 1500Z. QSL via VE3EXY.

E51QMA - NORTH COOKS - 30 meter ops from the eastern half of North America and Northern Europe found Mike on the band just after 1100Z. QSL via OM2SA.

E51TUG - NORTH COOKS - YL DXCC chasers were working Jan on 21260 starting before 0100 through 0230Z on Tuesday. QSL via OM2SA.

EP3HF - IRAN - Watch for Sadegh on 14200 around 14 or 15Z.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Jean-Claude worked several East Coast US DXers on 18077 around 19Z yesterday.

SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Monk Apollo was reported on 14020 prior to 1800Z. He later moved to 14015.

TOPBAND - 160 METERS - TU2/F5LDY, Jean-Luc, was on 1820 at 1930Z and CX6VM, Jorge, was on 2822 at 0100Z.

XW1A - LAOS - Larry was once again on 14245 yesterday. He was there from about 1420 to 1630Z. QSL via E21EIC.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA5/DL1KBQ	28485	0832	EU-042	DL1RTW/P	10115	1827
AS-060	HL1/F5AHO/4	14260	0858	EU-045	IB0CW	14255	0806
EU-001	SV5/DL6NBR	14260	0646	EU-146	PA/HB9IAB/P	7006	1924
EU-003	CU2DX	14235	2245	NA-018	OX3DB	14085	1930
EU-009	MM0EAX	14258	1332	NA-183	4A3IH	14036	2000
EU-010	GM4KGK	10117	1940	OC-013	E51JD	14215	0715
EU-016	9A2GF/P	14006	0729	OC-019	KH6CB	28444	2256
EU-021	TF4M	14006	1155	OC-019	KH6U	28495	2334
EU-032	TM0A	14260	1759	OC-080	E51QMA	28004	2355
EU-042	DK8NT/P	7009	2133	OC-080	E51TUG	21260	0140

JAlKJW/JR6, JJ1JGI/JR6, JK1EBA/JR6 and 7N4AGB/JR6 will be active from Okinawa Island (AS-017) on May 28. They will also operate from Ishigaki Island (AS-024) from May 29 to June 14 and then again from Okinawa Island (AS-017) June 15 to 18. Look for activity on both HF and 6 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the JARL QSL bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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16-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023

16-May	1-Jun	3X	3XY5M	PA7FM	11-095
16-May	17-May	4W	4W6AAD (OC-148)	VK3ZGW	11-085
16-May	22-May	6W	6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	11-088 050
16-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ (EU-023)	DL3KWF	11-070
16-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ (EU-023)	DL3KWR	11-070
16-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-092
16-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX	11-087
16-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF		11-081
16-May	21-May	E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094 079
16-May	21-May	E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094 079
16-May	19-May	F	TM0A (EU-032)	F5OIU	11-087
16-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN	11-090
16-May	26-May	GM	GM3YOR/P (EU-008)		11-065
16-May	20-May	HL	HL1/F5AHO (AS-081 060 026 0F5AHO		11-060
16-May	21-May	I	IG9/I2AZ (AF-019)	IZ1GJK	11-087
16-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	11-085
16-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	11-085
16-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS		11-074
16-May	18-May	OZ	OZ/DB5YB (EU-030)	DB5YB	11-085
16-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
16-May	27-May	TA	TA100FB	TA1CM	11-085
16-May	27-May	TA	TC100FB	TA1HZ	11-085
16-May	18-May	TI	TI6/K5YG TI6/K9KEJ		11-090
16-May	18-May	VP2V	VP2V/WA7IRW	WA7IRW	11-091
16-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
16-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)		11-080
16-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP	11-080
16-May	26-May	XE	4A3IH (NA-183)	IT9EJW	11-035
16-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at very low to low levels. Further development of Region 956 could possibly lead to isolated M-class flare activity.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at predominantly quiet levels with isolated unsettled conditions possible today through Friday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for May 14, 2007 was 29.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4S7VK	DJ9ZB	CX6VM	W3HNC	R6MDIR	RK3MWA
5T5SN	IZ1BZV	EH4IDS/EH7	EA7NL	TZ6PVI	ON4LN
7S100ALA	SK7CN	EN80AL	UT8AL	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
C31LJ	VE3EXY	HF750C	SP9BRP	VP5/KN6Y	KN6Y

CN8YR K4KU LG5LG PA0IJM VP8ROT GM0HCQ

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<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

Yesterday KC4D and 7Q7BP (G3MRC) mailed reply 7Q7BP QSLs to all those who had previously mailed QSLs to KC4D's QTH. One remaining QSL card, received yesterday, will be answered today. Brian (Joe) will have logs and QSLs with him at the Dayton Crowne Plaza, for any who failed to mail in advance. Brian made up advance confirming QSLs for all this past winter's 160 Meter contacts and will have those at Dayton as well for those who want to drop by and pick them up personally.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5D5A, C38JM, HI8LAM, OE6HTG, ZK3RE

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5J1W, A22/JA4ATV, A41LZ, DR2006G, TX1A, V73GJ, VU4AN/VU3JLW,

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5H9PD, W1AW

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Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 5B4AGN, AC7ZG, ITU, JI6KVR, K2AU, K3WI, KC4D, N4GN, N4II, VA5DX, WC5M

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In celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of the writer Maxence Van der Meersch (1907-1951) special event station TM1VDM to be active until May 28. QSL via F6KTN. TV2VDM will be active from June 1 to 15th by members of the F5KDB club, while FV5VDM will be active from July 1 to 15th by the F6KDM club.

F6FYD, Yannick, is currently working in Haiti and now QRV as HH2FYD for the next year. He will be operating in his spare time. QSL via F6FYD.

French DX Editor F6AJA, Jean-Michel, will be operating for his 14th trip to Romania. He'll be QRV as YO/F6AJA from Suceava, about 450 km north of Bucharest between May 20th and 26th. During his free time he'll be visiting YO8FZ, Silviu.

W7XU, Arliss, was planning to operate from Anguilla at the end of June, however do to circumstances beyond his control his VP2E trip has been canceled.

The 2007 BS7H team have announced some of the statistics of their DXpedition to Scarborough Reef. The team made a total of 45,820 QSOs with an astounding 39% unique QSOs or 17,884 individual DXers in the log. This is a much higher percentage than normal for a DXpedition. You can see the complete stats at <http://www.scarboroughreef.com/srstats.html> .

As a reminder there will be no issue of The Daily DX tomorrow (Friday).

QSN

SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Someone was pirating Monk Apollo's call today on SSB on 14190 between 0020 and 0200Z.

UK8AJ - UZBEKISTAN - Rustam was reported on 20 CW at 14 and 20 Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-014	CT3FT	14188	0807	EU-047	DL/LA9SN/P	14260	0924

AF-018	IH9YMC	14260	2007	EU-146	PA/HB9IAB/P	7007	1820
EU-001	SV5/DL6NBR	7095	1807	EU-170	9A4A	14260	2140
EU-004	EA6/M0DLL	14260	1131	NA-019	KL7QK	14006	0417
EU-008	MM/DH5JBR/P	14257	1332	NA-183	4A3IH	14260	1700
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1451	OC-013	E51JD	14215	0714
EU-031	IC8/N5KME	7005	0402	OC-080	E51QMA	24911	0051
EU-032	TM0A	7072	2337	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14137	2117
EU-042	DK8NT/P	7008	2125	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14200	2136
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17-May	22-May	6W	6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	11-088	050
17-May	24-May	9A	9A8DST (EU-136)	ON4AMM		11-090
17-May	18-May	9H	9H3EZ (EU-023)	DL3KWF		11-070
17-May	18-May	9H	9H3RZ (EU-023)	DL3KWR		11-070
17-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
17-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
17-May	22-May	A5	A52SW	K2AU		11-089
17-May	28-May	DU	DU9/K3QF			11-081
17-May	21-May	E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094	079
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17-May	27-May	TA	TA100FB	TA1CM		11-085
17-May	27-May	TA	TC100FB	TA1HZ		11-085
17-May	23-May	TF	TF4/G4EDG/P (EU-168)	G4ELZ		11-087
17-May	23-May	TF	TF4/G4ELZ/P (EU-168)	G4ELZ		11-087
17-May	18-May	TI	TI6/K5YG TI6/K9KEJ			11-090
17-May	18-May	VP2V	VP2V/WA7IRW	WA7IRW		11-091
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17-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095
17-May	17-May		Dayton Contest University		10-110	109
18-May	19-May	F	TM1LM	F8KGY		11-090
18-May	19-May	F	TM2LM	F6KAT		11-090
18-May	19-May	F	TM3LM	F6KFO		11-090
18-May	19-May	F	TM4LM	F8KOI		11-090
18-May	19-May	F	TM5LM	F6KAT		11-090
18-May	19-May	F	TM6LM	F6KFT		11-090
18-May	19-May	F	TM7LM	F6KFH		11-090
18-May	20-May	I	II4SDP (EU-155)	IZ4GWE		11-090

18-May	20-May	VP2E	VP2EDS	KJ9I	11-090	058
18-May	20-May	VP2E	VP2ERV	NF9V	11-090	058
18-May	18-May		Dayton DX Dinner		11-083	010
19-May	21-May	I	IQ9PA (EU-166)		11-080	
19-May	3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM	11-093	
19-May	20-May	SV	SX2SB		11-080	
19-May	19-May		Dayton Contest Dinner		11-010	
19-May	19-May		Ponente Ligure DX meeting		11-062	
20-May	20-May	ON	ON60LGE/P	ON5PO	11-085	
20-May	20-May		European Castle Day		11-093	
21-May	29-May	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG	11-080	
21-May	26-May	V6	V63DX	JA7HMZ	11-088	
21-May	26-May	V6	V63GO	JA7AGO	11-088	
21-May	26-May	V6	V63ZP	JA7ZP	11-088	

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at low to moderate levels. Isolated M-class flares are possible due to the magnetic complexities of Region 956.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at predominantly quiet levels today and Friday. A recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream is expected to become geoeffective on Saturday. Unsettled to active conditions are expected with isolated minor storm periods possible, as the coronal hole becomes favorably positioned.

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6H1MW	XE1MW	SE50A	SM4AIO	TT8FC	EA4AHK
J28JA	F5JFU	SJ9WL	PA0IJM		

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A22/JA4ATV, HQ9H, J20MM, TG0AA, VU7MY, VU7RG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: V31IF

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DX News

It is the day after the Dayton HamVention and we are in full recovery mode. The goodies are being dispensed to the children and XYL and the "doggy bag" from The Spaghetti Warehouse has been put in the refrigerator. We are back to the routine of school, swimming lessons, and taking care of the horses out back, and feeling the pressure to

get the towers put up and the station built finally. I still am looking for the mirror ball that was to be presented to me at the Contest Banquet last year; it has not been found. We are enjoying the cool Tokyo Hy-Power pens - it looks like their no-tune amps are getting pretty nice, by the way. The \$15,000 Heiberling 600W transceiver looked very cool. Hmmm, how to decide between it and the \$10K-plus Yaesu or Icom? Maybe one of each! We can dream, right?

We never were able to catch up to the right Icom people to get the kids' size Icom shirts - or hats either! - we did catch up with the gorgeous "Icom girls" (and hauled them out of the flea market in a wagon) and asked the three look-alike sisters if they were twins - err..triplets - and we did get the latest ARRL study guide and will be working on our seven-year-olds this summer to see if it's time or if it's still a little too early. Daily DX Chief Photographer, WM30, got many good photos - W3UR and I each took some too - which should be appearing in the Daily DX Photo Gallery soon. "Watch this space."

Attractive YL, KI4MTU, made waves among the younger contesters and DXers in the suites, and as an op at NQ4I, K3LR, and in the Icom-produced K3LR video shown in the Contest Forum. By the way, the list of WM30's duties at the DDX continues to grow. It now includes, "chief photographer, logistics coordinator and credentialing, driver, and late night social events reporter." We believe that to Russian ops a late night "drinking contest" with KA9FOX and friends from the SOMC club is a "QRP event."

Congratulations to VE3NE, Laci, (ex-HA9RX) for winning the Kansas City DX Pileup Contest with 59 calls out of 100 in the five-minute test.

When an Eastern European sits down for a CW competition, you know you have a tough competitor there! Those guys do know the code! The first prize was an Icom IC-7000 again this year! I was in there trying, myself. With my third place finish last year (I must have gotten lucky) I was hoping for a shot at that rig! But, I slipped a little bit and, in the end, was contented to at least have gotten 50 (which is a LOT better than getting 49!). KULCW (aka EU1CW) was next to me in the "testing session," and - boy! - he was serious, and had about as many columns of callsigns as I did, AND furiously double-checked his work after the recording stopped, correcting calls, doing "fills," etc. I thought, uh-oh, he's going to have a bigger score than me I think! When K5ZD posted a score of 53 I was knocked out of the lead and knew there would be no IC-7000 on the nightstand when I went to sleep. And how `bout those "old guys," K4BAI and N2AA, who had 54 each? For a while they were leading the pack. So now we have to say, "There's always next year." Also, congrats to DDX staffer

WM30 for posting a score of one (1) for the second year in a row. It takes guts to do that, and it's a start. Says KC's organizer NORB, "A real good time was had by all. I locked the door at 3:00 AM."
Thanks, KCDXC for this fine annual event.

W3UR will, I expect, be giving his Dayton observations in tomorrow's DDX.

END OF THE DAYTON REPORT. NOW TO THE REAL DX NEWS.

While on the way to the hamfest, W3UR had an exclusive interview with K3NA, Eric Scaze, about the February, 2008 Dxpeditioin to Ducie Island. Here are the details: A multinational team of 12 to 13 operators will have VP6DX on the air from Ducie for two weeks in mid-February. The schedule at the moment is for the team to depart by boat on February sixth from Mangareva, French Polynesia. They will make a short stop on Pitcairn Island around February 8 and then continue on to Ducie. The expected arrival date will be February 10th.

The Ducie team will be led by DL6LAU, Carsten, and co-led by K3NA. Other team members currently signed on include DL3DXX, DL8LAS, OH2BH, WA6CDR and K1LZ. Look for activity on 160-6M CW, SSB and RTTY. They will have seven stations on the air, thanks to support from Elecraft and Acom. Nice gear! This will be an expensive Dxpeditioin due to the transportation costs. Financial support is being sought. A container of equipment will be shipped ahead in August, this summer. The operation will make every attempt to be balanced, trying to work all areas of the globe. On-line logs are planned, with the support of PY5EG, Oms, and Iridium. For more information and to help with support you can visit the VP6DX web site at www.vp6dx.com.

We hope to get more details on the February 2008 Clipperton Dxpeditioin, lead by N6OX, which was announced by N7CQQ at the Dayton DX Dinner.

Late last week W7XU had to cancel his operation from VP2E. Now his good friend, K5AND, has taken his place and will go along with W4ZST. So, the operation is on. This is planned to be a six-meter-only operation, during the 6M season. It is scheduled for June 21 through July 2. They will operate from Skiffles Villa, where they operated from in 1999. Their gear will be an IC-7000 and FT-897, an amp and a 7-element Yagi. Plane reservations are made, the hotel is booked, and the ferry spots are reserved.

The 2007 Dxpeditioin to Agalega has obtained their callsign: 3B6DX. The main group of operators leaves Okecie Airport in Warsaw, Poland, Monday, May 28, at 8:30 AM local. They land on Mauritius Tuesday, May 29 at 6:10 AM local. From Tuesday until Friday they will be in Mauritius. Early Saturday morning they start the trip to Agalega by boat expecting to see land on Tuesday, June 5. When they arrive on Agalega they will start putting the antennas together and hope to be QRV by the morning of June 6th. The trip home begins Monday, June 18th with a flight Sunday back to Poland, where the ops arrive Monday, June 25th in mid-afternoon. The organizers thank all who have made donations. They say that postponing the operation allowed them to solve about 90 percent of the problems that had arisen but that still leaves the remaining 10 percent still to be solved. For more info, go to <http://3b6.godx.eu/>

VP5/WQ7X, Maciek, will operate from the Turks and Caicos Islands May 24-June 5. He will be on 80-10M CW and SSB. QSL to his home callsign.

IS0/K7QB will be on from Sardinia for the WPX CW Contest this coming weekend. IN3QBR may be the op's home callsign. He will be single operator low power. QSL via the bureau. IM0/K7QB is a possible alternate callsign he will use.

5D5A will be on from Morocco in the WPX with IK2QEI, YO3JR, CN8WK and CN8WW operating multi-op. QSL via I2WIJ. He is also the QSL route for CN3A, by the way.

3A/IW1RLF, Monaco, was on this past weekend. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

9M4DXX will be on from Penang Island, IOTA AS-015, in the WPX CW. This operation is by the Penang Contest Team. QSL via 9M2TO direct or bureau.

TM5BBC will be a special French callsign June 1-15, the annual time period to remember the World War II "D-Day landings." This station will specifically remember the BBC war correspondents' use of the tower of the Chateau at Creully as a radio studio in June and July, 1944, giving out the first reports of the Battle of Normandy. TM5BBC will also be operating from Creully. QSL via F2UW.

TM2RHC, France, the callsign standing for "the 2nd Regiment Helicoptere Combat, will be on the air June 10-24, before and during the air show at Le Luc le Cannet. <http://meeting-leluc.fr>. QSL via F4EUN.

II3STV is a station in Italy celebrating the 100th anniversary of the start of the scouting movement. II3STV will be on from Treviso Province, operated by scouts, May 20-30. QSL via IK3GES direct or bureau. E-mail requests for bureau answers may be sent to ik3ges@alice.it.

II5MD from the ARI Versilia, Italy, will be on June 11-13 for "Meucci Day." Antonio Meucci was recognized as the first inventor of the telephone by the United States Congress, in Resolution 269 dated June 11, 2002. Follow the operator's instructions for QSLing.

RV3ATS/p will be on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 2M from 16 mountains in different Russian districts, June 19-July 21. They will be in various contests on VHF and HF during that time period. Their itinerary can be found at www.rv3ats.com. Their <http://www.mountain.ru/radio/rma/engl.shtml> gives info on the Russian Mountains Award. QSL via RV3ATS, direct or bureau.

EO20R is a special callsign from Ukraine May 28-June 3 for the 20th anniversary of Slavutyck, the city built for survivors of the Chernobyl nuclear incident. QSL via UY2RO.

ISON will be on from Sardinia in the WPX Contest. The operator will be OL5Y. He will be single operator all band low power, tribander/single wire sub-category.

NN50, Jim, will be QRV from Kauai, Hawaii, OC-019, August 9-18. He will have an FT-817 rig.

T49C/rover will be on the air June 9-11 from IOTA NA-015 in the ARRL June VHF Contest. He will go to grid squares EL72, EL82, EL93, EL83 and EL92.

W3CMP will be in Haiti again this summer for what he calls "round 2" of his "not so excellent adventure" as HH4/W3CMP. The dates of the operation are June 18-27. Haiti is on Hispaniola, IOTA NA-096. He will have a breakable CW beacon on 6M while he is near his operating shack at the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission in St. Louis du Nord. He hopes to work many stations on 6 and 60M.

N3UA, Sejo, has info for us on the operations of T9 stations. At least three will be on from T9 in the WPX CW, including T97C, single op single band 15, T93M (N4EXA), single op single band 20, and T93C or T93Y, Boris, single op single band 80.

K9NW is in the Caymans, ZF, just today and tomorrow. We heard this from him at Dayton and do not know if he will be on the air.

ZF2DK will, indeed, be on the air, July 22-29 from Grand Cayman, NA- 016. It will be "vacation style," operating during his spare time. He expects to be on 40-6M with most of his time on 20. He will try to go to the band with the best propagation for working DX. He will be watching for 6M to open. The operator, K2DBK, prefers SSB and may do some PSK too, and will probably be near the regular IOTA frequencies. QSL direct with SASE or SASE and \$1 U.S. or via the bureau to his home callsign. He will also be putting his log on LoTW. For more info, go to <http://k2dbk.com> or qrz.com.

In a report from Dayton we busted Roger Western's callsign. It is, of course, G3SXW. Also at the DX Dinner in Dayton, W8ILC, Ron Moorefield, was awarded the Southwest Ohio DX Association's DXer of the year award.

Silent Key

W4IF, Howell "Gee" Gwaltney, of Portsmouth, Virginia, became a Silent Key recently at age 93, after over 75 years as an active Radio Amateur. Gee was a dedicated CW operator, contester, and DXer with 369 confirmed entities. He was active on the air until shortly before his death. Gee was an FOCer, an Honorary Member and Past President of the Virginia DX Century Club, and an Honorary Member of the Quarter Century Wireless Association. Thanks W4PRO, Jim Wise, for the info.

QSN

5H3EE - TANZANIA - He seems to be a regular on 1820-1823 around 2230Z but he doesn't stay long. He was 579 Saturday night in the U.S. Also, 21250 at 16Z Sunday, 24930 at 15Z Sunday, 7003 at 23Z Friday.

E51TUG - NORTH COOKS - Jan (YL) was on 18130 at 0030Z the 19th, reports AJ4DX, Doug. Also, 7061.5 at 0455Z Saturday and 7063 in the 04-05Z range, QSX 7180, Jan operating. 14265 at 0245Z for about an hour on the air.

OA4/N6XQ - PERU - 160M - 1834 at 03Z.

PY0FF - FERNANDO DE NORONHA - Very active, 7006 at 2330Z, 3507 at 2255Z, 14015 from 18021Z, 21016 and 28011 from 1350Z.

SV2ASP/A - MOUNT ATHOS - Apollo was on 14015 at 2200Z. He was on for several hours. Also, 7010 at 0340Z for an hour, 10110 from 2040-2240Z and 18146 from 1320-1420Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-019	I2AZ/IG9	14019	1930	EU-070	F/DJ2VO	3506	2225
AS-076	JA5AUC	18118	1025	EU-127	DF6QC	28019	2000

EU-005	MM/DH5JBR/P	14263	1710	EU-136	9A8DST	14260	2225
EU-008	GM6TW/P	18078	1850	EU-155	II4SDP	14266	1335
EU-009	MM0EAX	7078	2245	EU-168	TF/G4EDG/P	7004	2105
EU-018	TF/G4ELZ/P	14038	1355	EU-170	9A4A	14267	2020
EU-028	IA5/IZ5ILU	7094	1920	EU-171	IW2HAJ	28488	1805
EU-034	ES0NW	10104	2140	EU-180	DO7DC	21260	1745
EU-038	PA/HB9IAB/P	7011	2005	NA-183	4A3IH	14260	2350
EU-067	SV8/SV1JG	10118	2115				

DJ2VO, DL1COP, DG3KAF, DL7KCM, DO1KJB and DL3PS will portable to Porquerolles Island, EU-070, for an operation F/homecall/p May 19-26. QSL to their home callsigns.

F/ON4LO/P will be on Oleron Island, EU-032, May 23-29. Francois plans to operate SSB and digital modes on 40-10M.

IA5/IZ4DYQ, Elba Island, EU-028, will be on July 2-13. Simone plans to operate mostly SSB, 40 and 20M. QSL to his home call, bureau preferred.

LA/DL1DWR, Tromoy Island, EU-061, will be on May 25-29, 160-2M, mostly digital, with some CW, SSB and FM. Ops will be DL1DWR, DG4VX and DG0CH. QSL via DL1DWR.

OZ8MW/P will be on Anholt Island, EU-088, July 25-30 including the IOTA contest. The ops are OZ5JR, OZ7KDJ and OZ9V. They will be on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M SSB and CW. QSL to an operator's home call, direct or bureau.

SV8/SV1JG, Cliff, will be on Milos Island, EU-067, May 18-28. He will spend most of his time on CW but will also do a little digital modes work, and will be in the WPX CW.

J48HW and SV8/HA0HW will be the two callsigns Laci, HA0HW, will use from Thassos Island, EU-174, May 27-June 5. He will be on CW on the HF bands, mostly 40, 30, 20 and 17, with some SSB, RTTY and PSK31. And, he will look on 6M for openings. QSL via his home call, direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
21-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
21-May	1-Jun	3X	3XY5M	PA7FM		11-095
21-May	22-May	6W	6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	11-088	050
21-May	24-May	9A	9A8DST (EU-136)	ON4AMM		11-090
21-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
21-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
21-May	22-May	A5	A52SW	K2AU		11-089
21-May	21-May	E5/N	E51QMA (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094	079
21-May	21-May	E5/N	E51TUG (OC-080)	OM2SA	11-094	079
21-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN		11-090
21-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN		11-098
21-May	26-May	GM	GM3YOR/P (EU-008)			11-065
21-May	21-May	I	IG9/I2AZ (AF-019)	IZ1GJK		11-087
21-May	21-May	I	IQ9PA (EU-166)			11-080
21-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
21-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085
21-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS			11-074
21-May	3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM		11-093

21-May	29-May	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG	11-080
21-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
21-May	27-May	TA	TA100FB	TA1CM	11-085
21-May	27-May	TA	TC100FB	TA1HZ	11-085
21-May	23-May	TF	TF4/G4EDG/P (EU-168)	G4ELZ	11-087
21-May	23-May	TF	TF4/G4ELZ/P (EU-168)	G4ELZ	11-087
21-May	26-May	V6	V63DX	JA7HMZ	11-088
21-May	26-May	V6	V63GO	JA7AGO	11-088
21-May	26-May	V6	V63ZP	JA7ZP	11-088
21-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
21-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)		11-080
21-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP	11-080
21-May	26-May	XE	4A3IH (NA-183)	IT9EJW	11-035
21-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095
21-May	26-May	YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA	11-098
22-May	23-May	FS	FS/KJ9I	KJ9I	11-090
22-May	23-May	FS	FS/NF9V	NF9V	11-090
23-May	31-May	FM	TO3T	VE3KF	11-070
23-May	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M	11-095
24-May	28-May	E5/S	by ZL2IFB	ZL2IFB	11-079
24-May	28-May	W	W9IMS		11-095
25-May	5-Jun	GD	GB100TT (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078 075
25-May	5-Jun	GD	GT4WXM/p (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078 075
25-May	27-May	I	IC8TO (EU-031)	IZ1GCZ	11-090
25-May	28-May	JA	7N1GMK/1 7L4PVR/1 (AS-043)	home calls	11-091
25-May	28-May	JA	7N4VPS/1 (AS-043)	home calls	11-091
25-May	28-May	JA	JA1UNS/1 JI1PLF/1 (AS-043)	home calls	11-091
26-May	27-May	5B	C4I	LZ2HM	11-085
26-May	27-May	5B	C4W		11-095
26-May	27-May	9M6	9M6/G3ZEM 9M6LSC	5B4AGN	11-097
26-May	27-May	C6A	by K9GY		11-065
26-May	27-May	CN	CN5W		11-065
26-May	27-May	CO	T40C	N1KI	11-075
26-May	27-May	DL	DR5L		11-081
26-May	27-May	DL	DR80AMA	DK3DM	11-095
26-May	27-May	EA8	EE8A	YL2KL	11-093
26-May	27-May	EA8	EF8M	RX3DU	11-081
26-May	1-Jun	GU	GP3GWB (EU-124)		11-093 042
26-May	1-Jun	GU	GP8LED/p (EU-124)		11-093 042
26-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DK4SFW	DK4SFW	11-078 037
26-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DL1GDS	DL1GDS	11-078 037
26-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DO1ARS	DO1ARS	11-078 037
26-May	27-May	I	II0VIS	IZ0DIB	11-090
26-May	27-May	KP4	WP3C	W3HNK	11-065
26-May	27-May	LX	LX7I	LX2A	11-093
26-May	29-May	OZ	OZ1RDP (EU-125)	DL9BCP	11-090
26-May	27-May	YB	YB0DPO/0 (OC-177)	YB0DPO	11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YB0ECT/0 (OC-177)	YB0ECT	11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YB1TX/0 (OC-177)	YB1TX	11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YC0LOW/0 (OC-177)	YC0LOW	11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YD0NQW/0 (OC-177)	YD0NQW	11-094
26-May	27-May	ZF	ZF1A	W5ASP	11-065

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low to low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled through mid-week.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for May 19, 2007 was 23, down from a recent high of 56 four days earlier.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3A/IW1RLF	IW1RLF	EN80AL	UT8AL	TM1LM	F8KGY
3W2BMK	JA8BMK	EN80AS	UT8AS	TM1VDM	F6KTN
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	EV5IPY/P	EW4IDP	TM2LM	F6KAT
4A3IH	IT9EJW	EX2F	RW6HS	TM3LM	F6KFO
4K9W	DL6KVA	EY1HQ	OH5KW	TM4LM	F8KOI
4L1MA	ON4RU	GM6TW/P	G0UZP	TM5EON	F2WS
4L4WW	EA7FTR	GX0STH	M3UNN	TM5LM	F6KAT
4L8A	DJ1CW	GX8LED/P	M0DOL	TM6LM	F6KFT
4O5W	YU1EXY	HF550SK	SP7PBC	TM7LM	F6KFFH
5H3EE	DL4SM	HG200B	HA3HK	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
5Q2J	OZ2JBC	IA5/IK2CCU	IK2CNC	UA0AZ	W3HNC
6H1MW	XE1MW	IA5/IZ5ILU	IZ5ILU	UE1RDA/1	RW1QN
6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	II3STV	IK3GES	UE1SNA/P	RA1QQ
7X5ST	7X2LS	II4DSP	IZ4GWE	UE4HKD	RU4HD
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	II8IPY	I8ACB	UE4NNU/P	UA4NU
9A/OO6N	ON6KN	IT9/K2XX	K2XX	UE9RDA	RK9QWW
9A60Z	9A2DM	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM	UN7QF	EX2A
9A950JB	9A3JB	PY0FF	W9VA	VP2ERV	NF9V
9M2IDJ	JA6IDJ	R60IMPULS	RU4AK	VP5/KN6Y	KN6Y
A52SW	K2AU	RP1N	RN1NU	VP6TD	ZL2HGR
A71EM	EA7FTR	SE2Z	SM2YIZ	VR2VTN	JM1FYH
A92C	A92GR	SN750C	SP9PKZ	XE2OR	W5OZI
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	SX2SB	SV2KBS	XU7TZG	ON7PP
CO6DW	EA5KB	T88TG	JA1TGC	YB1GJS	NI5DX
CO6WD	W0SA	TF/G4EDG/P	G4ELZ	YB1HDF	EA5KB
CU1BP	F5NPS	TF/G4ELZ/P	G4ELZ	ZD8RH/P	G4DBW
EA8/DH2MS	DH2MS	TM0A	F5OIU	ZP6CW	ZP6CU
EG7MV	EA7HBC				

F5NQL, Maurice, the QSL manager for F5MJV's operations as FO5RN and FO0/F8UFT, is receiving cards for QSOs supposedly made February 27, 2007. A station signing FK/FO5RN was on 7009 at 13Z and 15Z the 27th.

But Vincent has been back in France since July, 2005. Says `NQL, "Even when Vincent was FO5RN, he never got to New Caledonia (FK)."

The whole period of legitimate FO5RN operations was July 1, 2004 to July 10, 2005. Says `NQL, "Don't waste your time and money sending for the FK/FO5RN QSL."

F9IE, Bernard, has mailed out all the answers to direct requests for XT2C Burkina Faso cards, at least all those received up to May 16, 2007. This was about 4,000 letters and parcels to the ham clubs which sent "global batches" for their members.

The N8S web site says QSLs are starting to go out, as of May 15th, but YZ1BX, Vel, says group leader YT1AD is going to Bulgaria to pick up the cards on June

first. Since N8S made 117,000 QSOs, Hrane needs to pick up the cards with a car, not send them through the mail.

W4VQ has a note from W2IEW mentioning that N8LXS, Bruce, the son of W2IES, passed away some years ago without finishing all the QSLing for his V47XS 1993 operation. If anyone needs a V47XS card from the 1993 operation, W2IEW has the complete log and blank cards.

DL4KQ tells us that it is important to note "via DL4KQ," and not "via GDXF" on all VU7RG and VU7MY bureau QSL requests from region one. He says that the DARC QSL bureau does not want to deal with cards that say "via GDXF" on them without the "via DL4KQ" mentioned. Frank also says he is getting more and more e-mails and letters asking him to confirm QSOs, even though no full QSO details are not provided. He says, "It seems that January was the month of hard disk crashes, problems with shack cleaning XYLS, children in the hamshack, and even hungry dogs [eating the logs]." These were all given as reasons for not having QSO info. Frank emphasizes, "I will ONLY confirm CLAIMED contacts with FULL QSO data." So, if the dog at your log, you may just have to wait for the next Lakshadweep operation. The good news: It gives you something to look forward to.

Frank has now processed 25 percent of all the direct QSL requests, and that in the first five days of receiving the QSLs from the printer. He thinks it will take another two weeks to be all done. All of the above is regards region one QSLs.

For regions two and three, the blank cards shipped airmail to the region two and three QSL managers should arrive any day now. A quantity of the cards are hand delivered to the Dayton HamVention to speed the process of shipping our cards for regions two and three, in the immediate future.

DL4KQ also is encouraging support for YB9BU, Kadek, in re-equipping his station, with full information available at <http://www.gdx.de/yb9bu.html>.

And, VU7RG/MY QSLs will be available at Hamradio Friedrichshafen. Visitors can claim their QSLs at the GDXF booth.

At the big Friedrichshafen "hamfest," the DARC/GDXF DX Forum will have presentations on 1A4A, XF4DL, VU7RG, 5A7A and BS7H.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 4O6T, 5W0RE, 7Q7BP, 9M4SDX, 9Q1EK, 9U0X, A22/JA4ATV, EL2DX, FO/HA9G/P, H44MS, HP3XUG, HR9BFS, J5UAR, J79XBI, OR0A, V63UA, VU7MY (AS-106), VU7RG (AS-011), YN4SU, YN4SU/9, YS3/YN4SU

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5R8GZ, 5T0CW, 5T5HHN, 7W0AD, 8Q7IS, 9A/VE3ZIK, 9A60CVW, A22/JA4ATV, AM4AO/AM7, AM8BHD (AF- 004), C21DL, C56M, CU6NS (EU-175), CU7/DH3NB (EU-175), CX5UR, DA2006LH (EU-128), DT8A, ER4DX, GB4CI (EU-124), JD1BMB (AS-031), JW8WF (EU- 026), K6VVA/6 (NA-178), OZ/DH8IAT (EU-172), P40TA (SA-036), P4/N9LAH (SA-036), R270E, R9HQ, TA3J/0 (AS-115), SV2KGA, TI0SP, TK/DJ2GM (EU-014), TK/IK5PWQ (EU-104), V31WD, VC3A, VU3RYO, VU4AN/VU3SID (AS-001), XF1K (NA-124), YB8TAF (OC- 146), YM125ATA, YV5SSB, ZL7/KH0PR

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0CA, 4U1ET, 4W3DX, 4W6MM, 4X4PP, C91CO, CT1DJE, DH1TW, DL3OH, DL7BA, DR2006P, EI/W5GN, FH/G3SXW, FW/G3SXW, FY/F5IRO, FY5KE, G8DPZ, GM4KGK, HB9CT, HK3AXY, HK6PSG, HV0A, IS0SDX, KB0IR, KH0M, KH2/G3SXW, MJ/K8PT, N4ZC, OD5/TF1MM, OE2LCM, OK1AU, P29SX, PI4ZLD, RN6BY, S79SXW, TF1MM, TF3MM, TF4M, TO5A, TO7R, UV5U, V26A, V31FG, V51/DL5XL, V63SXW, VK9CXW, VO1MX, VP5/VE3TG, VP5TG, XE2WWW, XX9TSX, YW0DX

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DX News

ON4JM, Jean-Marc Rosiere, is expected to be in Lebanon between June 5th and mid-August. This is not a DXpedition. He is a member of the Belgian Army Medical Service, stationed there to assist UN Forces to find and disarm unexploded bombs and land mines. He is expected to be QRV in his spare time on CW, SSB, RTTY and digital modes on 10 through 80 meters, possibly on 160 meters. Jean-Marc has a Web page at www.on4jm.net.

The CQ WPX CW Contest is this coming weekend. N5ZO (OH6DO, PY2ZZO), Marko, will be operating SOAB as PS2T.

Also during the CQ WPX CW will be a multi-single effort by 4M5DX. Team members will include YV1RDX, YV5DTJ, YV5EU, YV5OHW, YV5SSB, YV5WW and YV8AD.

7X0RY will be doing an 80 meter single band effort from Algeria this weekend. QSL via QRZ.COM address.

Some of you may have recently heard about a rumor of 701YGF. Yesterday I spoke to NN1N, Dave Patton, ARRL's Membership & Volunteer Programs Manager, to see what is the latest word on the German DXpedition to Yemen, which took place in April 2000. During the International DX Convention last month in Visalia the question came up "what about the status of 701YGF". Dave responded with 701YGF is not closed. It seems like there is still one last effort being made. Until then QRX.

Are you using computer logs? One subscriber recently had a hard disk crash and lost his entire log! Unfortunately he also lost his back up file. As someone once reminded me there are those who have had a hard disk crash and there are those who are going to have a hard disk crash! Just to remind everyone back up your logs, on another disk, CD, thumb drive, etc. Also every once in a while you should check the back up! For those who use LOTW you could use that data as a second back up.

Silent Key

W2TO, Hans Meurer, became a Silent Key on Sunday evening. He apparently had been in the hospital suffering from pneumonia. Hans had 350 countries for his mixed DXCC.

Correction

VE3NE won the Kansas City DX Pileup Contest with 59 calls, out of 100. His name is Lali and his other call is HA9RX. Tnx HA0HW for correction.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European ops found the following yesterday: 4X4DK, 4X4OQ, 5B8AD, 6W/IZ2DPX, 8R1WD, A71EM, EA6SX, FY1FL, MU0GSY, SU1SK and ZB3B. US and Canadian ops reported: 6I2D, CT1HZE, CU3AA, KH6FI, NH6P and ZB3B.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Akira is on assignment here until November 2008. Yesterday he was on 14202 around 1600Z working lots of western North American stations. QSL cards go via JA0JHA. He will respond to QSLs when he gets back to Japan in December of this year and then again after November 2008.

VP2ERV - ANGUILLA - Was working Europe and North America on 10102 at 0400Z and then on 7028 at 0520Z on Monday. QSL via NF9V.

IOTA

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AF-004	EA8BWL	24951	2017	EU-136	9A8DST	14260	1128
EU-008	GM3YOR/P	14013	1758	EU-168	TF/G4EDG/P	7007	1956
EU-008	GM6TW/P	14005	1539	EU-168	TF/G4ELZ/P	10105	1115
EU-009	MM0EAX	28520	1001	EU-170	9A4A	14260	2044
EU-010	GM4KGK	24900	1113	EU-170	9A9Z/P	7060	1417
EU-020	SM1TDE	24895	0923	EU-171	OZ2MLS	28465	1317
EU-028	IA5/IZ5GST	14210	0742	NA-055	K1KJC	14275	2222
EU-028	IA5/IZ5ILU	7070	1825	NA-056	CM4LS	7085	0127
EU-029	OZ1FAO	10140	0635	NA-105	FS/NF9V	18133	2232
EU-070	F/DJ2VO	10103	1339	NA-183	4A3IH	14260	1259
EU-070	F/DL3PS	14040	2250	OC-010	V63DX	7011	1913
EU-123	MM/DH5JBR/P	14263	1132	OC-080	E51QMA	18086	1843
EU-127	DF6QC	10110	0412	SA-002	VP8LP	14195	1955
EU-136	9A/OO6N	21270	1905				

A group of three Americans are heading to Ushagat Island (NA-206), Barren Islands, Alaska during mid-July. They are KL1YY, Marvin; NF7E/KL7, Bob; and NN7A/NL7, Art. Activity will be on 10 through 160 meters with an emphasis on the 15 and 20 IOTA SSB frequencies. The three will be QRV from July 12th to 17th. QSL via their home calls.

VE3ZZ, Gregg, and VE2BR, Noel, will operate from Prince Edward Island (NA-029) in eastern Canada from July 25 to 30 using the VY2TT super station. During the IOTA contest they will operate as VY2Z (QSL to VE3ZZ) and outside the contest as VE3ZZ/VY2 and VE2BR/VY2 (QSL to home calls direct at QRZ.com or via the Bureau).

K7CW and KLORG will be operating KL7FF from NA-041 between June 7th and 12th. They will be participating in the June VHF Contest (grid CO35).

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22-May	24-May	9A	9A8DST (EU-136)	ON4AMM		11-090
22-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
22-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
22-May	22-May	A5	A52SW	K2AU		11-089
22-May	26-May	DL	German team (EU-070)			11-099
22-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN	11-098	090
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22-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
22-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP		11-080
22-May	28-May	W	W9IMS			11-095
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6W2SC	HA3AUI	EG7MV	EA7HBC	OX3XR	OZ3PZ
9A8DST	ON4DST	EM80A	UY5AA	V63DX	JH7MHZ
9A950DX	9A8DX	IP8IPY	I8QJU	V63GO	JA7AGO
A71CT	EA7FTR	KP2AD	OK1AJY	ZA/UT7DW	DK6CW

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

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The Daily DX official photographer WM30, Steve Hanlon, posted Dayton photos at <http://asciibaron.dyndns.org/dayton2007/>

G3TXF, Nigel, posted some of his photos at Dayton 2007 at <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/Dayton-07/Dayton-07.html>

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DX News

The Polish DXpedition to Agalega next month has issued a press release in reference to their callsign. "Due to the fact, that 3B6DX had already been assigned to another station, ICTA changed our expedition's callsign to 3B6SP", reports SP9MRO, Witek. The team still plans to fly to Agalega on Monday May 28th. Two of the team members have already arrived on Mauritius in preparation for the upcoming DXpedition. They have a Web page at <http://3b6.godx.eu> which includes propagation predictions prepared by K7RA, Tad.

OH2KI, Jorma, will be active as ZB2X from Gibraltar during this weekend's WPX CW contest. He'll be on all bands, but "not quite full time".

K9GY, Eric Hall, will be operating as C6AYM from Nassau, New Providence Island, The Bahamas from approximately 0000Z May 24th through 1200Z May 28th. During the CQ WPX CW Contest he'll have a Forcel2 Sigma-40XK/remote and dipoles for 40 and 80 meters. For radios Eric will have a Yaesu FT-857D and FT-817. On 6 meters (FL15hb) and 2 meters loops will be used. QSL via K9GY with SAE/SASE appreciated.

K0MD, Scott, will be operating this weekend in the CQ WPX CW Contest from China. The exact callsign is not known at this time. Activity will be from 00 Saturday through 04Z Sunday. US stations could have a good change between 2300-0100 and 1100-1400Z on 20 meters.

GM0DHZ, Alex, plans to be QRV with the ops at 3V8SS in Tunisia for 5 weeks starting November 19th.

Thursday May 24th through May 26th VU2DJ, Taj, expects to be QRV as A4/VU2DJ from Oman. He received special permission and assistance from the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society, Telecommunications Regulatory Authority of Oman, A41KB and A41JT. He'll be QRV from the QTH of A45WH, who has an IC756ProIII, Ameritron AL-1200 amp and 3 element yagi.

Starting June 2nd G3RWF, Nick, will be on Cyprus and QRV as 5B/G3RWF. He'll be operating on SSB, RTTY and PSK in his spare time until June 30th.

HI3AB, Radhames, has recently received permission to operate on 60 meters and expects to be QRV there soon with his new IC-7000 and inverted vee.

Another newly authorized station for 60 meters is 9Z4FZ, Julien.

In commemoration of the 20th anniversary of Slavutych, Ukraine, the city built after the Chernobyl nuclear disaster, special event station EO20R will be QRV from May 28th to June 3rd. QSL via UY2RO.

Beginning June 7th LX1CC, Mill, will be vacationing in Selcuk, Turkey and QRV with special call YM3CC. He'll be on all bands from 10 through 80 meters on SSB until June 21st. QSL via LX1CC.

M0DOL, Chris, will be operating as GP8LED and GP3GWB from Guernsey from May 29th to June 2nd. He hopes to get a permit to operate on 60 meters.

Members of the Potomac Valley Radio Club (PVRC) are celebrating the 60th year as a club during 2007. Over the June 2/3 weekend PVRC members will be participating in the annual PVRC on the air reunion. During the event PVRC ops are encouraged to sign /60 (six zero). For complete rules check out http://pvrc.org/PVRC60/pvrc_reunion_announcement_2007.html .

QSN

A52AM - BHUTAN - European ops reported this semi-rare one on 7086 from 2245 to 0000Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

FS/NF9V - ST. MARTIN - 60 meter ops were working Rudi on 5403.5 around 0000Z and again at 0130Z today. QSL via NF9V.

J5UAP - GUINEA-BISSAU - Peter finished up his operation yesterday. He is expected back in the country in late November or early December. QSL via HA3AUI.

OD5/CT1EFS - LEBANON - Paulo likes 14205 between 1900 and 2100Z. QSL via CT1CJJ.

T88NN - BELAU - YL DXCC chasers found Kako on 14018 today just after 00Z. QSL via JI0NNM.

TL8QC - CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC - Christian made a surprise visit to 18070 yesterday just before 1700Z. QSL via F5NRY.

IOTA

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EU-008	GM0TYM/P	14060	1645	EU-127	DF6QC	7013	0638
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EU-070	F/DL1COP	14263	2132	NA-183	4A3IH	21260	2244

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3XY5M	PA7FM	FS/NF9V	NF9V	PJ2/WI9WI	WI9WI
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	HZ1ZH	EA7FTR	RW4NJ/9/M	RA4NF
4K9W	DL6KVA	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	T88NN	J10NNM
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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4W3DX, 4W6MM, 7Z1UG, BA4TB, BD7KLO, CQ00DX, CT1DJE, CT1EEB, E21EIC, F4DZY, FH/G3SXW, FY/F5IRO, FY5KE, HB9OK, IS0SDX, OE3SGU, OH9RI, OK2ZI, PI4ZLD, RA0FF, RA9AC, RN3QO, TF4M, TF60IRA, UR5MID, UW8M, V31FG, V63SXW, VE3SY, WP3GW, YW0DX

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DX News

YCOLOW, Jo, will be active in the CQ WPX CW Contest from Ayer Island (OC-177), Indonesia. He'll be operating on 160 meters single band. Jo will have an IC746-Pro transmitting into a 24 meter wire vertical. Two pairs of two-phased Pennant antennas (EU and NA) will be used for receiving along with a single two phased EWE (JA).

VK2IR, Tommy, is heading to 15-18 Greek isles and a visit to Mount Athos, along with the Greek mainland and Turkey. Monk Apollo is getting Tom's paperwork together for his visit. (Editors note: no mention of any radio activity from Mount Athos was mentioned). Tommy will be operating under different calls including taking part in the SY8AN DXpedition, to Antiparos Island June 9-17, as a special guest (<http://www.sv2dgh.gr/sy8an/operators.html>). The entire trip will take place between May 27th and August 28th. He will be QRV on HF including PSK and SSTV. QSL all of his operations, except SY8AN, via W3HNK.

QRZ DX is reporting K5LBU's, Frosty, African DX Safari team heading to Botswana in July have obtained their licenses. The group will be in A2 from July 5th to 20th, with activity expected on 6 through 160 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK, plus EME on 6, 2 and 70 cm. The team will be: ZS6JR (A25DW), Dan; K5LBU (A25CF), Frosty; W5KDJ (A25KDJ), Wayne; W5SL (A25SL), Jay; GM300K (A2500K), John; WA8QFE (A25LT), Lee; ZS6OB (A25OB), Jan; ZS6WB (A25HL), Hal; and ZS6BUN (A25BUN), Dick. They hope to have a special IARU callsign for the IARU HF World Championships.

Ham Com W5DXCC June 8-9, 2007 Dinner and program door prizes
By WW5L, Tom Anderson

With the interest still extremely high in the recent BS7H Scarborough Reef DXpedition, the Lone Star DX Association is proud to announce that it will have three members of the DXpedition team at the W5DXCC programs and DX dinner at Ham Com June 8-9. See <http://www.bs7h.com> and <http://www.hamcom.org> or <http://www.dxer.org>

"On the Rocks" operator K4UJ, Paul Pescitelli; N4XP, Tom Harrell, Director of the Off Island Support Team; and K5YY, San Hutson, team advisor will be present for a Saturday June 9 program on BS7H. In addition, Pescitelli will be recognized at the DX dinner Friday night.

Another major announcement involving BS7H and the W5DXCC bash will be announced later.

Also, the LSDXA is announcing a special "DX Trifecta" of door prizes to be awarded during the DX dinner to separate lucky winners. The top grand-grand door prizes, each valued in excess of \$500 will include a \$725 Tennadyne gift certificate for the purchase of either a Tennadyne T8 log periodic or a Cubix quad antenna of the winner's choosing, an Alpha 4500 series SWR/PWR meter, and an Array Solutions/WX0B "Power Master" digital power meter.

Other DX dinner door prizes include a Comet/Diawa CN801 meter, a Bird model 43 meter, W2IHY technologies mike equalizer, a set of Heil headphones, a special Kenwood door prize, a Fluke 117/322 Electrician's clamp on amp meter and digital multimeter kit, a Ten-Tec QRP rig kit, and a Buddipole gift certificate.

Also, there will be special YL/XYL dinner door prize drawings including a free night and breakfast at the Southfork Hotel.

All XYL and YL dinner tickets will be put into the major door prize drawings bucket after their door prizes are announced.

DX Dinner ticket ordering deadline is June 1. Order your DX dinner and Ham Com tickets now so you won't forget. There will be a limit of 225 tickets sold, so get yours early before they sell out as tickets did sell out last year. Such a bargain at even twice the price of the \$36 dinner ticket price. Fair Dinkum value.

DX Dinner tickets are \$36 and can be ordered online at <http://www.hamcom.org/> via PayPal and click on the DX dinner icon midway down the page. Those who can't take advantage of on-line DX dinner ticket ordering may send their checks or money orders to LSDXA Treasurer Jim Bass, K5KQI, 2709 Monarch Dr., Arlington, TX 76006.

The DX dinner will be from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday June 8 at the Southfork Hotel at 1600 North Central Expressway (U.S. Highway 75), headquarters for Ham Com and the DX hospitality room. Call toll free 1-866-665-2680 for Southfork hotel reservations. The hotel web site is available through the Ham Com web site at <http://www.hamcom.org> or directly at <http://foreverlodging.com/destination.cfm?PropertyKey=72>

The DX dinner menu includes the following in honor of Glen Johnson, W0GJ, our VU7 speaker. "Stuffed Curry Chapathis", "Himalayan Tea" "Vegetable Curry", and "Tandoori Chicken" and Indian Ocean prawns for the main dish along with the Chapathis. For those of you with a little more continental appetites, the menu will include enchiladas and baked chicken.

Glen will present an Audio/visual program on the VU7RG/VU7MY DXpedition to the Lakshadweep Islands last winter. <http://www.vu7.in/>

Bharathi Prasad, VU2RBI and her daughter, Ms. D.S. Mahathi, VU3DSM, who both operated from VU7MY, will be special guests at the dinner.

For a listing of other DX programs check <http://www.hamcom.org/cgi-bin/ccp51/cp-app.cgi?usr=&pg=LSDXA> or <http://www.dxer.org> and click on the LSDXA icon.

DX dinner and programs door prize donors include: Kenwood, Yaesu, ICOM, Alpha Power, Tennadyne, W2IHY Technologies, Heil Sound, Texas Towers, World Radio, The Southfork Hotel, Comet/Daiwa, MFJ, Idiom Press and W9KNI, Bird Engineering, ARRL Publications Division, W3UR Daily and Weekly DX, ARRL's National Contest Journal, CQ Magazine, Datamatrix Prolog 2K, Houston Amateur Radio Supply, Clear Signal Products, W4MPY, DJ9ZB, Fluke, Ten Tec, Force 12, N4AA and QRX DX, K1BV Awards Directory.

Also, Buckmaster, MFJ, DJ9ZB, Lance Johnson Engineering, "The Signman of Baton Rouge", WF5E QSL Service, Buddipole, WX0B, World Radio-TV Handbook, World Radio, Kester Solder, KK6EK, Panda Embroidery of Grapevine TX (the official LSDXA shirt designer and supplier), Battery Tech, and many more.

To see what else is being given away at the dinner and programs you'll just have to be present.

The Southfork Ranch (where the TV Show "Dallas" was filmed) is located just a few minutes drive from the hotel and the Plano Center, site of Ham Com 2007.
<http://southfork.com/>

Ladies, there is also plenty of shopping and restaurants around the hotel and the Collin Creek Mall is located nearby. Just make a deal with your OM that whatever he spends in the flea market or with the commercial exhibitors you get to spend a like amount shopping near Ham Com. Just be back in time Friday for the DX dinner.

For additional ticket information please check the Ham Com web site at <http://www.hamcom.org> or the LSDXA web site at <http://www.dxer.org/lstdxa>

Following the dinner, the Lone Star DX Association and the North Texas Contest Club will host the ever popular DX/Contest hospitality suite for a time of fellowship and renewing old friendships at the Southfork. Admission is free, but donations for snacks gleefully and humbly accepted.

QSN

- 9Q1D - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - English 6 meter ops reported an opening to Gus on 50105 yesterday from 1930 to 2030Z.
- 9U0VB - BURUNDI - Several U.S. East Coast Topband ops were able to hear and work Vladimir on 1823 early today around 0030Z. Hold off on the QSLs until he gets back home. We will announce when he is back in Russia.
- EK8WV - ARMENIA - 6 meter DXers from Eastern Europe found this semi-rare one on 50120 after 1730Z.
- HC8N - GALAPAGOS ISLANDS - K6AW, Steve, fired up from the station today on 40 CW just before 0300Z, where he stayed until just after 0500Z. Look for this station to be QRV during the CW portion of the CQ WPX this coming weekend. QSL via W5UE.
- PJ7/NF9V - ST. MAARTEN - Rudi moved over to the other side of the island and was on 14247 Thursday between 0240 and 0430Z. QSL via NF9V.
- TO3T - MARTINIQUE - Started off early today (0030Z) on 80 CW and was later (0130Z) on 40 CW. QSL via VE3KF.
- UK9AA - UZBEKISTAN - Fedor was working into Southern, Eastern and Central parts of Europe on 6 meters between 1430 and 1730Z yesterday and then into Eastern Europe today after 0400Z for more than an hour.
- VQ97JC - DIEGO GARCIA - Prefix hunters, all across Europe, reported working this unique one on 28028 yesterday between 1220 and 1430Z. He'll be QRV over the next few

days, including the CQ WPX CW Contest. QSL via ND9M.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-018	IH9YMC	28495	1030	EU-070	F/DL1COP	14265	2001
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	18074	2312	EU-070	F/DL3PS	24908	1907
EU-004	EA6AEI	14260	1949	EU-070	F/DL7KCM	14168	2109
EU-008	GM3YOR/P	10105	0703	EU-136	9A/OO6N	14256	1617
EU-008	GM6TW/P	28015	1827	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	7006	0535
EU-009	GM0WED	7064	1329	EU-136	9A8DST	24925	0940
EU-024	IS0/DL8SBX	10107	0700	NA-029	VY2/KJ6Y	14260	0145
EU-024	IS0QLX	24921	1844	NA-055	K1KJC	14270	1936
EU-028	IA5/IZ5ILU	7065	1649	NA-099	WP4U	24962	1624
EU-029	5P6EE	14210	1913	NA-183	4A3IH	14195	2254
EU-070	F/DJ2VO	18072	1954	NA-183	XE3KLF	14040	0035

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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24-May	1-Jun	3X	3XY5M	PA7FM		11-095
24-May	24-May	9A	9A8DST (EU-136)	ON4AMM		11-090
24-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
24-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
24-May	26-May	A4	A4/VU2DJ			11-101
24-May	28-May	C6	C6AYM	K9GY		11-101
24-May	26-May	DL	German team (EU-070)			11-099
24-May	28-May	E5/S	by ZL2IFB	ZL2IFB		11-079
24-May	29-May	F	F/ON4LO/P (EU-032)			11-099
24-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN	11-098	090
24-May	31-May	FM	TO3T	VE3KF		11-070
24-May	26-May	GM	GM3YOR/P (EU-008)			11-065
24-May	30-May	I	II3STV	IK3GES		11-099
24-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
24-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085
24-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS	CT1CJJ		11-074
24-May	3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM		11-093
24-May	29-May	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG		11-080
24-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
24-May	28-May	SV	SV8/SV1JG (EU-067)			11-099
24-May	27-May	TA	TA100FB	TA1CM		11-085
24-May	27-May	TA	TC100FB	TA1HZ		11-085
24-May	26-May	V6	V63DX (OC-010)	JA7HMZ		11-088
24-May	26-May	V6	V63GO (OC-010)	JA7AGO		11-088
24-May	26-May	V6	V63ZP (OC-010)	JA7ZP		11-088
24-May	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X		11-099
24-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
24-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
24-May	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M		11-095
24-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP		11-080

24-May 28-May W	W9IMS		11-095
24-May 26-May XE	4A3IH (NA-183)	IT9EJW	11-035
24-May 20-Jun YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095
24-May 26-May YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA	11-098

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will continue at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will range from unsettled to major storming today through Saturday. A recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream is rotating into a geoeffective position and is expected to produce storm periods. Transient material from Wednesday's CME and the CME on Tuesday will likely contribute to the disturbed periods.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for May 22, 2007 was 14.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5B4AGM	W3HMK	EK6YL	SP9ERV	PJ7/NF9V	NF9V
5P6EE	OZ2KL	HC8N	W6UE	TA100FB	TA1CM
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	IR8IPY	IK8WEJ	TO3T	VE3KF
9U0VB	UA4WHX	LZ/LB9ZE	LB9ZE	VQ97JC	ND9M
EG8CID	EA8AUW	MM/DH5JBR	DH5JBR		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 4U1UN, 9G5UR, 9M4SDX, FO/N6JA, OL32OLP, OX3WS, P29NI, T77C, VK9DNX, VP2MTE, VU7LD

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5P5V, CT1EEB, CT2HMN, E21EIC, UR5MID, UW8M

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DX News

I've seen several reports on some planned activity from Malpelo Island HK0/M. I'm sure the full details will be available in the near future.

ON4JM's, Jean-Marc Rosiere, trip to Lebanon has been delayed by one day. So he is now expecting to begin on June 6th. Jean-Marc is expected to be there until mid-August.

Look for NA9N, Rod, to be operating on Dominica as J79RM from June 28 to July 5. QSL via NA9N.

E21EIC (KB1OVL), Champ, is currently touring the US. Many had the chance to meet him in Dayton last weekend. This weekend he will be operating multi-single along with W1CU, John, at W1CU's Connecticut station. Oh and congrats to Champ as he passed his Extra!

E51QMA, Mike, and E51TUG, Jan, are winding down their "onshore" operation from the North Cooks. Mike was on 160M last night. They are getting ready to embark for Samoa, but no specific date for departure has been set nor if they will get 5W calls and operate. They will be pulling down their antennas soon.

Don't forget the CQ WPX CW Contest runs this weekend. Complete rules can be found at <http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/WPXRULES2007v332407.pdf> . NG3K has a nice listing of stations who plan to be QRV at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxc2007.html>

YT6A, Ranko, plans to use 4O3A from Montenegro. He'll be single op 80 meters only this weekend in the CQ WPX CW.

A35RK, Paul, updates us on some tidbits from the Pacific. E51JD, Jim, has gone to New Zealand for a 1-2 week holiday. The only other resident operator from the South Cooks (E51CG, Victor) has not been active for months.

A35RK, Paul, may be going to Pago Pago, American Samoa in early June, for maybe a week. He hopes to meet Mike and Jan and pick up a new rig from AH8LG, Larry, which will enable him to work 6M. Paul expects a 6M "add-on" to his 3 element SteppIR by late August. If Paul can go he will probably operate from Larry's QTH, using KH8/KK6H.

Licensing in Fiji (3D2) can be extremely timely. 3D2DD, Rocky, walked A35RK's 3D2RK renewal through back in January, which was just received this week.

Speaking of licensing the price in Tonga has gone up to TOP\$23, which is about 12\$ (USD). All you need is a passport and an original license from just about anywhere, and you're good to go in Tonga.

This year's Open House at W3LPL will have at least one special guest from overseas. YK1AO, Omar Shabsigh, and his family. The big event will be June 16th.

Silent Key

I am sorry to say that WA4CSG, Lee E. Eshleman became a Silent Key on May 17th. He was 43 years old. Lee was the son of W4DR, Bob, and N4CFL, Rosie and the brother of KK4HJ, Curtis. Our deepest condolences to all of the Eshleman family on the loss of Lee.

QSN

NH6P - HAWAII - K0TVD, Chuck, in Iowa (EN21), reported working Fred yesterday on 6 meters CW on 50106 just before 1800Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-020	BV4VR	14072	1710	EU-070	F/DL3PS	14040	1905
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	18074	2316	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28475	1431
EU-008	GM3YOR/P	10103	2018	EU-136	9A/OO6N	28515	1755
EU-008	GM6TW/P	14022	1426	EU-136	9A8DST	18150	1506
EU-008	MM/DH5JBR/P	14260	1202	EU-148	TM5B	14260	2249
EU-015	SV9AHZ	24921	1816	NA-107	TO3T	14023	1701
EU-028	IA5/IZ5ILU	7075	0732	NA-183	4A1IH	14195	0122
EU-070	F/DJ2V0	18071	0750	OC-195	VK7FLI	14000	1325
EU-070	F/DL1COP	7065	1919				

YC0IEM, Hotang, will be operating as YC0IEM/9 from Lombok Island (OC-150) June 8, 9 and 10. QSL via IZ8CCW.

SV1EJD along with IZ8IYL and IZ8CCW plan to operate as J48MDC from Mikonos Island (EU-067) from June 13th to 18th. Don't expect a whole lot of radio activity on this trip as IZ8IYL and IZ8CCW are celebrating their honeymoon here. More details on the IOTA activity can be found at www.mdxc.org/j48mdc .

Members of the SV DX-Group will be operating from Antiparos Island (EU-067) between June 9th and 17th. Team members include SV1GE, John; SV1AAU, Stelios; SV2DGH, Chris; SV1DPJ, Bill; SV2FWV, Takis; SV2HNC, Sakis; SV0XAD, John; DH9VA, Paul; and VK2IR, Tommy. They will be using special call SY8AN on all bands on SSB, CW and RTTY. Check out the SY8AN Web page at www.sv2dgh.gr/sy8an/ . QSL via SV2DGH.

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24-May	26-May	A4	A4/VU2DJ			11-101
24-May	28-May	C6	C6AYM	K9GY		11-101
24-May	26-May	DL	German team (EU-070)			11-099
24-May	28-May	E5/S	by ZL2IFB	ZL2IFB		11-079
24-May	29-May	F	F/ON4LO/P (EU-032)			11-099
24-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN	11-098	090
24-May	31-May	FM	TO3T	VE3KF		11-070
24-May	26-May	GM	GM3YOR/P (EU-008)			11-065
24-May	30-May	I	II3STV	IK3GES		11-099
24-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
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24-May	29-May	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG		11-080
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24-May	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X		11-099
24-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
24-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
24-May	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M		11-095
24-May	25-May	W	W4J	KU4FP		11-080
24-May	28-May	W	W9IMS			11-095
24-May	26-May	XE	4A3IH (NA-183)	IT9EJW		11-035
24-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095
24-May	26-May	YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA		11-098
25-May	5-Jun	GD	GB100TT (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
25-May	5-Jun	GD	GT4WXM/p (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
25-May	27-May	I	IC8TO (EU-031)	IZ1GCZ		11-090
25-May	28-May	JA	7N1GMK/1 7L4PVR/1 (AS-043)	home calls		11-091
25-May	28-May	JA	7N4VPS/1 (AS-043)	home calls		11-091
25-May	28-May	JA	JA1UNS/1 JI1PLF/1 (AS-043)	home calls		11-091
25-May	29-May	LA	LA/DL1DWR (EU-061)	DL1DWR		11-099
26-May	27-May	5B	C4I	LZ2HM		11-085
26-May	27-May	5B	C4W			11-095
26-May	27-May	7Q	7Q7WW	KC4D		
26-May	27-May	7X	7X0RY			11-100
26-May	27-May	9M2	9M4DXX (AS-015)	9M2TO		11-099
26-May	27-May	9M6	9M6/G3ZEM 9M6LSC	5B4AGN		11-097
26-May	27-May	C6A	by K9GY			11-065
26-May	27-May	CN	5D5A	I2WIJ		11-099
26-May	27-May	CN	CN5W			11-065
26-May	27-May	CO	T40C	N1KI		11-075
26-May	27-May	DL	DR5L			11-081
26-May	27-May	DL	DR80AMA	DK3DM		11-095
26-May	27-May	EA8	EE8A	YL2KL		11-093
26-May	27-May	EA8	EF8M	RX3DU		11-081
26-May	2-Jun	GU	GP3GWB (EU-124)		11-101	093 042
26-May	2-Jun	GU	GP8LED/p (EU-124)		11-101	093 042

26-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DK4SFW	DK4SFW	11-078	037
26-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DL1GDS	DL1GDS	11-078	037
26-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DO1ARS	DO1ARS	11-078	037
26-May	27-May	I	II0VIS	IZ0DIB		11-090
26-May	27-May	IS	IS0/K7QB or IM0/K7QB			11-099
26-May	27-May	IS	IS0N			11-099
26-May	27-May	KP4	WP3C	W3HNK		11-065
26-May	27-May	LX	LX7I	LX2A		11-093
26-May	29-May	OZ	OZ1RDP (EU-125)	DL9BCP		11-090
26-May	27-May	PY	PS2T			11-100
26-May	27-May	T9	T93C or T39Y			11-099
26-May	27-May	T9	T93M			11-099
26-May	27-May	T9	T97C			11-099
26-May	27-May	YB	YB0DPO/0 (OC-177)	YB0DPO		11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YB0ECT/0 (OC-177)	YB0ECT		11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YB1TX/0 (OC-177)	YB1TX		11-094
26-May	27-May	YB	YC0LOW/0 (OC-177)	YC0LOW	11-102	094
26-May	27-May	YB	YD0NQW/0 (OC-177)	YD0NQW		11-094
26-May	27-May	YV	4M5DX			11-100
26-May	27-May	ZB	ZB2X	OH2KI		11-101
26-May	27-May	ZF	ZF1A	W5ASP		11-065

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will range from unsettled to major storming today through Sunday. Elevated solar wind speeds due to the geoeffective coronal hole and transient material from the CME's on Tuesday and Wednesday should produce storm periods on Friday through Saturday. Expect mostly unsettled to active conditions on Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for May 23, 2007 was 12.

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<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

DJ6SI, Baldur, reports he had a friend mail 100 letters from the US for his recent 9U0X operation from Burundi. He'll be traveling to Namibia on June 21st, where he will be mailing another 300 envelopes. No word on any radio activity from V5 or other African countries.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5H3EE, 5R8GZ, 7Q7BP, D69XC, H44MS, HP3DX, T77C, TA3D, VU7RG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5P5V

On The WWW

DJ6SI, Baldur Drobica, has a nice Web site at <http://www.pileup.de.com/> , which includes many of his past DXpeditions!

Earlier this week I reminded everyone to back up their logs. AD1C, Jim, says there are several off site back up places available. Both Carbonite and Mozy offer a small amount of storage space for free (2GB)? I'm sure those interested can Google for more details.

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Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 5B4AHJ, A35RK, AD1C, E21EIC, F5NQL, JI6KVR, K0TVD, K1BD, K1QX, K3WI, NA9N, OE1PMU, PA4JJ, SM5DQC, SV2DGH, W0VX, W2IRT, WO2N

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DX News

VP2ERH, Anguilla, will be on the air June 22-July 1 with K5AND and W4ZST operating. They will be set up at Skiffles Villa, grid square FK88LF, using an IC-7000, FT-897, a K5AND amp and a 7-element 6M Yagi. They will have both internet and landline telephone and will have a beacon on 50106.

4W6AAV is the East Timor callsign for a group from the Korea DX Club, though they are still trying for a two-letter suffix callsign. They will be on from the capital, Dili, May 30-June 4. The operators going are 6K5YPW, DS2BGV, HL5FUA and 6K2AVL - Kim, Lee, Choi, and Yoon. They plan on being on 160-10M. Look for them on 1822 QSX 1824, 3515, 7015, 10115, 14015, 18075, 21015, 24895 and 28015 CW - and on phone look on 3795, 7095, 14195, 18130, 21295, 24950 and 28460. They will be equipped with two rigs, two amps, a vertical and a beam. QSL via HL5FUA.
<http://dxpedition.co.kr/>

Worldwide hams, led by K8SIX and others, continue to try to help YB9BU, Kadek, get reestablished after he lost his house and possessions in a fire. You can find photos of what was left at <http://www.mdxc.org/yb9bu/> and you can find out the info you need to contribute to his rebuilding.

The Cuban T49C group with CO2OJ and others is going roving for the June VHF/UHF QSO Party. They plan to be in at least EL72, EL82, EL83 if conditions warrant the effort, and EL93, on 50, 144, 440 and 1296 MHz. Their gear will be an FT-857, IC251, IC551 and a 1296 transverter, and 100 watt "bricks" for 6 and 2. They will have a four- element Yagi on 6, nine elements on 2, 17 elements on 440 and 37 elements on 1296 and will be taking sked requests for WSJT QSOs this week. They start Sunday, June 2 in the morning, will do some tests from the EL72 and EL82 locations and will be CQing from both on 6 and 2 as part of their check-out process, so point your beam toward them (North Americans primarily, where the most likely openings will be).
<http://frc.co.cu/t49c/index.htm>

NZ5N, Bill, has gotten the callsign OM9ACA from Slovak telecom authorities. He hoped to start up yesterday, May 27, and will operate through July 9. He says, "Look for me on all HF bands."

EA8/OQ7R, Canary Islands, will be on June 4-13. This is ON7RU, Franky. He plans to be on 80-10 CW, SSB and RTTY with his FT-990 and wire antennas. QSL via ON7RU direct or bureau. Frank is now processing the cards from last year's SV8/OT0A operation.

EH4EI is a special callsign from the Italian Embassy in Madrid, Spain, scheduled for June 2, Italy's National Day, and again October 12th for Spain's National Day. QSL via EA4CT.

F/ON6JUN/P will again be the South Flanders DX Activity Group to commemorate D-Day, on this 63rd anniversary year. This operation will be June 2-6. QSL via ON5SD.

II1HCA is an operation by the ARI Sestri Levante until May 31st for the 40th annual Hans Christian Andersen Prize, an award for children's literature. If you work II1HCA, the ops will send you a card via the bureau.
<http://www.arisestrilevante.it/>

SV5/OO5S, Harvey, and SV5/OQ1C, Dan, are on their holiday in Dodecanese, IOTA EU-001, until June 1. I like those cool short Belgian callsigns too. QSL via ON4ON direct or bureau.

TK/IK1YED, Marco, will be on from Corsica now until June first. Corsica is IOTA EU-014. He is on 160-6M SSB and may do some digital modes too.

TM2RHC will be a special callsign from the Le Luc Army Air Base, France, air show. This operation by members of the REF83 will be June 10-24, on 160-10M, all modes. QSL via F4EUN. <http://meeting-leluc.fr> or <http://www.ref83.free.fr>

The DL-DX RTTY Contest Group, DRCG has organized the "4th RTTY Gathering" during the HAMRADIO expo at Friedrichshafen Germany. The RTTY event is Friday, June 22 at 7 PM local at the Gasthaus Heuschober, close to the hamfest, the same time and place as last year, says organizer DL4RCK, Walter. For those of us who can only enjoy it vicariously, we can go to www.gasthaus-heuschober.de. For those going in person, here is the address:

Gasthaus Heuschober
Allmannsweilerstrasse 108
88046 Friedrichshafen
Phone: +49 7541 56788

NC1L at the DXCC Desk at ARRL has approved 9U0X by DJ6SI, February 23- March 1 for DXCC credit.

A correction: In issue 102 we incorrectly had the QSL manager for HC8N as W6UE. It is, in fact, W5UE. Thanks W2AY for keeping us straight.

The Clipperton operation for March, 20, 2008 continues to take shape. N6OX, Bob Grimmick, will lead the international team. N7CQQ and K4SV are handling organization and management. Major sponsors include Icom, Acom, SteppIR and HeilSound. The ops depart en route Clipperton on February 28. Twelve to 14 days of operating are planned. Here is the current list of operators: AD6E, K4SV, K5AB, K6SGH, N6OX, K6SRZ, KO4RR, N2WB, N6HC, N6TQS, N7CQQ, NK7C, VE7CT, W8AEF, WA1S, F5AHO, F5LMJ, F6BFH and XYL (we assume, the same callsign is listed for both and they have the same last name), F5PAC, FM5CD, F5JY, F5JY/XYL and VE7VR with the following on a "standby list": K5AND, AB5K, K4ZLE, W6KK, F2JD, I8NHI, WF4W, DJ9ZB and K6DXX. The site www.clipperton2008.org "is being updated almost on a daily basis as new information is acquired."

QSN

9U0VB - BURUNDI - Vlad, UA4WHX, was on 24893 from 1620-1740Z, 28487 from 1520-1610Z, 28006 from 1410-1430Z and 1823 at about 2220Z. QSL via UA4WHX.

EP3HF - IRAN - 14192 from 1615-1645Z on Friday. Sadegh also was on 20 phone Tuesday and Thursday. QSL via the QRZ.com address.

HH2FYD - HAITI - Yann was on 14175 from 23-0015Z and 14088 RTTY at around 1640Z. QSL via F6FYD.

HV0A - VATICAN CITY - 24950 in the 16 and 17Z hours. 18142 fro 12-15Z. QSL via IK0FVC.

T88NN - PALAU - 80M, 3510 from 1140-1240Z working Japan and across North America. Also, 14021 at 2145Z and 7011 at 21Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-094	BD7YK	14260	1530	EU-116	GB100TT	3786	2025
AS-159	TA2RC	50142	1600	EU-125	OZ1RDP	7078	2235
EU-004	EA6CC	50149	1450	EU-131	I3THJ	28550	1725
EU-010	MM/DH5JBR	14262	1310	EU-146	PA1WLB	14254	2045
EU-014	TK/IK1YED	14260	1925	EU-148	TM5B	18156	2125
EU-031	IC8TO	14195	1720	NA-055	K1KJC	14235	2300
EU-052	SV8/OT2A	14197	0955	OC-143	YB6LD	14047	0955
EU-067	SV8/SV1JG	50127	1125	OC-177	YB0ECT/0	14058	1230
EU-114	GP8LED/P	14197	1700				

W6WTG/p, Terry, will be on Anacapa Island, NA-144, for the IOTA Contest July 28-29. He will be running his IC-7000 on batteries on 20M. QSL to his home callsign.

JA7QVK/DU7, Kaoru, is now on from Cebu Island in the Philippines. This is OC-129. Kaoru has been on the air from Cebu since August, 2005 and his work assignment there ends this August. He will try to be on 40-6M, especially weekends, SSB, until then. He has an Icom IC-706MKIIG and ATAS-100 mobile antenna. QSL to his home callsign with an SAE and \$2 U.S. He will QSL when he gets back to Japan. JA stations only may QSL via the JA bureau. You can QSL to him direct, if sent now, to Kaoru Ono, Unit 1204, Park Tower 2, Cebu Business Park, Cebu City, Philippines 6000. You can make a sked by contacting him on e-mail at kaoru12506@globelines.com.ph.

Another Philippines station, DJ7/PA0HIP, on Mactan Island, OC-129, is also active now.

CU2/DK2ZF, Rolf, is on Sao Miguel Island in the Azores. This is IOTA EU-003. The inclusive dates on this operation are May 25-30, so his stay is about half done. He planned to stay mostly on CW on 40-10M, and 2M with 50 watts to a five-element, and the AO-7 and VO-52 satellites.

ID9/IK5BCM, Giovanni, will be on from Panarea Island, EU-017, June 2- 9.

VY2TT, Prince Edward Island, Canada, NA-029, will be put on the air by VE3ZZ and VE2BR July 25-30. They will switch to the shorter VY2Z callsign for the IOTA contest. QSL VY2Z via VE3ZZ. Outside the IOTA contest they will sign VE3ZZ/VY2 and VE2BR/VY2. QSL those direct or bureau to the home callsigns.

Updating a May 14th story on the YC7IM expedition to OC-268, Payung- Payungan Island in the Laut Kecil Islands, set for June 20-24, the operation has now been

delayed, possibly until as early as July or August. The problem is bad weather, wind and high waves. Local fishermen say these conditions typically last through June. YC7IM is definitely planning to take his group there when the weather cooperates.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref Vol-No
28-May		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058 023
28-May	1-Jun	3X	3XY5M	PA7FM	11-095
28-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-092
28-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX	11-087
28-May	28-May	C6	C6AYM	K9GY	11-101
28-May	28-May	E5/S	by ZL2IFB	ZL2IFB	11-079
28-May	29-May	F	F/ON4LO/P (EU-032)		11-099
28-May	28-May	F	TM1VDM	F6KTN	11-098 090
28-May	31-May	FM	TO3T	VE3KF	11-070
28-May	5-Jun	GD	GB100TT (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078 075
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28-May	28-May	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-017)	JJ1JGI	11-097
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28-May	29-May	LA	LA/DL1DWR (EU-061)	DL1DWR	11-099
28-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ	11-085
28-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS	CT1CJJ	11-074
28-May	29-May	OZ	OZ1RDP (EU-125)	DL9BCP	11-090
28-May	3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM	11-093
28-May	29-May	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG	11-080
28-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
28-May	5-Jun	SV	J48HW SV8/HA0HW (EU-174)	HA0HW	11-099
28-May	28-May	SV	SV8/SV1JG (EU-067)		11-099
28-May	3-Jun	UR	EO20R	UY2RO	11-101 099
28-May	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X	11-099
28-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
28-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)		11-080
28-May	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M	11-095
28-May	28-May	W	W9IMS		11-095
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29-May	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI	11-097
29-May	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA	11-097
30-May	4-Jun	4W	4W6AAV	HL5FUA	11-083
1-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW	11-099
1-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG		11-093

1-Jun	15-Jun F	TV2VDM		11-098
2-Jun	30-Jun 5B	5B/G3RWF	G3RWF	11-101
2-Jun	3-Jun	SEANET Contest		11-049

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The sunspot number for May 26, 2007 was zero for the third day.

QSL Info

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3V8BB	YT1AD	EA8/YL2KL	YL2KL	P40A	WD9DZV
4L8A	DJ1CW	ED3DTH	EA3EVR	P40L	K5WW
4M5DX	IT9DAA	EF8M	RX3DU	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM
4O5A	YU7AV	EG1FAS	EA4FAS	PJ2/WI9WI	WI9WI
4X4BL	WA2KNC	EG8CID	EA8AUW	SD3N	SM3NXS
5D5A	I2WIJ	EG8FAS	EA4FAS	SI9AM	SM3CVM
5P1AA	LX1NO	EK3GM	IK2QPR	ST100S	ST2M
6F75A	EA5KB	FK8AH	W3HNK	SV3/DL7VBJ	DL7VBJ
6V1A	6W1JX	GB4HSC	M3PHP	SV5/DJ5AA	DJ5AA
6W/IZ2DPX	IK2DUW	GP8LED/P	M0DOL	SV5/DL3DRN	DL3DRN
7X0RY	OK1DYW	HB0/DL1ARS	DL1ARS	SV5/OO5S	ON4ON
9J2BO	G3TEV	HC8N	W5UE	SV5/OQ1C	ON4ON
9J2CA	G3SWH	HF30PIK	SP2FAX	SV8/OT2A	ON4HIL
9K2PL	EA5KB	HF750C	SP9BRP	T40C	N1KI
9K2YM	EA5KB	HG200B	HA3HK	TC3D	TA3D
9M6/G3ZEM	G3ZEM	HV0A	IK0FVC	TM1VDM	F6KTN
9M8DX	DL4DBR	IC8TO	IZ1GCZ	TM5B	F5XX
A45WD	YO9HP	IM0/K7QB	IN3QBR	TM5CF	F6KGI
AO7SIX	PA7FM	IP8IPY	I8QJU	TM7AJ	F6KSU
AO8R	EA4FAS	IS0N	OK1MG	TO3T	VE3KF
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	J48HW	HA0HW	V63ZP	JA7ZP
BP100S	BX4AN	LX7I	LX2A	XU7ADJ	JH1NBN
C4M	W3HNK	P33W	RA3AUU	ZF1A	W5ASP
C6AYM	K9GY				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9A2YM, 9N7JO, A45WD, A71EM, EA9EA, EA9EU, H44MS, OA4/N6XQ, TI8II, VP2MTE and ZC4LI.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: E21EIC, KL7NO, OZ1HPS, S53F and VE4VID.

On The WWW

AA4HP, Hank, has a suggestion on keeping your computerized logs safe by backing them up. He says if you have an e-mail account with any web-site storage associated with it - and most of the high-speed providers "give that as a freebie with your access fees," you can "ftp your log backups to an unlinked subdirectory in your web storage space." And Hank has a second ideas: Arrange to swap log backups with a fellow ham via e-mail.

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DX News

VK4AN, Eddie DeYoung, is now operating as 3D2EE from Viti Levu, Fiji Islands. He's using an IC-735. Eddie will only be there in May. QSL 3D2EE May 2007 only via VK4AN.

The Big Island Six Meter Club (NH6P) monitors 50.110 24/7. If you hear the KH6HME beacon on 50.061 feel free to give them a call on 50.110. Post your reception report on the cluster and call 808-557-9022 so they will get on the air. The Big Island Six Meter Club was formed to promote activity on the six meter band on the big island of Hawaii. Charter members include KH6B, Dean; KH6HME, Paul; W6YM, Fred; KH7E, Bill; KH6FI, Fred; and EA5BYP, Elmo. Their station consists of an IC-7800, 3X3CX800 1.5 KW, and a pair of 7 element yagis at 75 feet.

HB9QQ, Pierre, will once again be QRV from Liechtenstein as HB0/HB9QQ. He'll be active on 2, 6 and HF from June 29th to July 2nd and again from July 6th to 9th. His QTH will be from the Sareiserjoch in Malbun at about 2015 meters above sea level. QSL via homecall.

The upcoming East Timor operation's Web site says the 4W6AAV team expect to begin around 0400Z on June 1st. There are now only three operators listed as DS2BGV's call is no longer listed as one of the ops.

OH2BH, Martti and OH2PM, Pertti, are heading to Brando, Aland Islands to work on a new antenna project. Don't be surprised if you hear them QRV, as OH0B and OH0R, when not working on the new installation.

It looks like we are getting closer to the bottom of cycle 23. On Sunday May 27th the solar flux hit 67. The last time it was this low was July 13, 1997!

The 3rd annual Mediterraneo Dx Club Convention will be held on November 10/11, 2007 in the Vibo Valentia province of Italy. Presentations on BS7H, 1A4A and multiple IOTA operations are expected. For more information check out their Web page at <http://www.mdxc.org/meeting.asp>

The CQ WPX CW Contest was this past weekend. Looks like Serbia and Montenegro still have not completely resolved the callsign issue between these two entities. There were several 40 (Four Oscar) stations QRV during the big event; however they were on from both countries! VE3EXY, Nenad, tells us which was from which.

40
Call Operator

400A YU1SRS
401A YU1EXY
402A 4N1SM
403A YT6A (Montenegro)
404A YT6Y (Montenegro)
405A YU7AV
406A YT6A (Montenegro)
407A YT6T (Montenegro)
408A YU1MM
409A YU1AM via YU1FW
409T YU7AAA and YT7C

Presumably the ones that do not say "(Montenegro)" were from Serbia.
It now seems that the 40 calls from Serbia will remain until they expire around
December 31, 2007.

VU7RG/VU7MY QSL Update
By N200, Bob Schenck

I recently received my supply of VU7RG/VU7MY QSL cards from the QSL printer in Europe. My QSL team from the South Jersey DX Association will meet next week to process the "Region 2" cards. Most cards will go into the mail on the same day, expected to be June 11th or 12th.

The exception is for those who requested BOTH VU7RG and VU7MY (or perhaps any other call that I handle) in the same envelope. Those will be processed later since it involves a separate confirmation process here. As for the extra postage needed due to the recent increase, I have a good batch of 2 cent stamps here. I want to thank the couple of folks who mailed me some sheets of 2 cent stamps to add to my postage box! That was a very nice gesture. Thanks!

Correction

In the Monday issue I8NHI was listed as one of the standby ops for the February/March 2008 Clipperton DXpedition. Actually his call is I8NHJ!

QSN

3D2EE - FIJI - Eddie started up yesterday on 10104 after 05Z and was later found on 7013 just before 08Z. QSL via VK4AN.

4S7NE - SRI LANKA - Nelson was working Southern Europeans on 3799 at 2000Z.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European 6 meter ops reported the following interesting stations yesterday: 3XY5M, 6W/IZ2DPX, 6W1SE, 7X0AD, EA9IB, FM5JC, FY1FL, HI3TEJ, HV0A, KP4EIT, NP4A, PJ2BVU, PJ4/PA3CNX and TA7A.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Watch for Akira on 20 SSB around 1400Z.

JW/OZ9R - SVALBARD - Keep an eye on 20 CW from 09 to 13Z and also around 22Z. QSL via OZ1ING.

T88NN - BELAU - Several East Coast and Midwest DXers found this one on 14020 at 2200Z. QSL via JI0NNM.

VP8LP - FALKLAND ISLANDS - 17 meter ops from all across Europe were reporting Bob on 18131 after 1900Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EG8CID	7071	2101	EU-061	LA/DL1DWR	10118	2043
AF-019	IG9/IV3NVN	28027	1557	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28469	1536
EU-001	SV5/DJ5AA/P	10104	0530	EU-114	GP8LED/P	7063	0635
EU-001	SV5/OQ1C	24896	0854	EU-125	OZ1RDP	7073	0906
EU-008	MM/DH5JBR/P	14260	1618	EU-129	DL2RU/P	10120	0709
EU-014	TK/IK1YED	14260	1836	EU-148	TM5B	10107	0621
EU-016	9A8ABG	14266	0854	EU-174	J48HW	10105	1819
EU-029	5Q2J	18140	1428	EU-174	SV8/DF6MS	21026	1254
EU-052	SV8/OT2A	14160	2057	NA-021	8P6GW	14266	2015
EU-055	LA9RY	14260	0553	NA-107	FM1HN	14225	2308
EU-057	DL4PU/P	14082	1240				

Members of the Bristol Contest Group (G6YB) plan to operate GJ6YB from Jersey during the RSGB IOTA Contest at the end of July. QSL via G3SWH.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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29-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
29-May		9U	9U0VB	UA4WHX		11-087
29-May	30-May	CU	CU2/DK2ZF (EU-003)			11-104
29-May	29-May	F	F/ON4LO/P (EU-032)			11-099
29-May	31-May	FM	TO3T (NA-107)	VE3KF		11-070
29-May	5-Jun	GD	GB100TT (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
29-May	5-Jun	GD	GT4WXM/p (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
29-May	2-Jun	GU	GP3GWB (EU-124)		11-101	093
29-May	2-Jun	GU	GP8LED/p (EU-124)	M0DOL	11-101	093
29-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DK4SFW	DK4SFW	11-078	037
29-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DL1GDS	DL1GDS	11-078	037
29-May	30-May	HB0	HB0/DO1ARS	DO1ARS	11-078	037
29-May	31-May	I	II1HCA			11-104
29-May	30-May	I	II3STV	IK3GES		11-099
29-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
29-May	14-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB	11-097	
29-May	14-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW	11-097	
29-May	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI	11-097	
29-May	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA	11-097	
29-May	29-May	LA	LA/DL1DWR (EU-061)	DL1DWR	11-099	
29-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085
29-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS	CT1CJJ	11-074	
29-May	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104
29-May	29-May	OZ	OZ1RDP (EU-125)	DL9BCP	11-090	
29-May	3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM	11-093	

29-May	29-May	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG	11-080
29-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
29-May	5-Jun	SV	J48HW SV8/HA0HW (EU-174)	HA0HW	11-099
29-May	1-Jun	SV5	SV5/OO5S (EU-001)	ON4ON	11-104
29-May	1-Jun	SV5	SV5/OQ1C (EU-001)	ON4ON	11-104
29-May	1-Jun	TK	TK/IK1YED (EU-014)		11-104
29-May	3-Jun	UR	EO20R	UY2RO	11-101 099
29-May	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X	11-099
29-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
29-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)		11-080
29-May	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M	11-095
29-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3D2EE	VK4AN	CO6DW	EA5KB	HZ1MD	PA2V
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	DR80AMA	DK3DM	OR1Z	ON6IX
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EO20R	UY2RO	SV8/HA0HW	HA0HW
8P6ET	KU9C	HB0/DM3BJ	DM3BJ	SV8/SV1JG	SV1JG

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The N8S, Swains Island, DXpedition Web site is reporting the QSL cards for the April 2007 operation are now at the printers and should be ready on June 2nd. QSL cards are expected to begin to be mailed out June 5th. So far they have received some 6,000 QSL requests.

QSL Manager W3HNC, Joe, reports the group that operated FS5KA on February 17th and 18th has not supplied him with QSLs, so he'll soon be returning all mail and/or any donations to the people who were expecting a card.

KU9C, Steve, is still waiting on the 8P2K logs from earlier RTTY operations this year.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: VU7RG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

On The WWW

RW3AH, Andy (Sparky), has put up a log search for some of his operations at <http://www.cqdx.ru/log/search.html> .

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DX News

Two newly inducted members of the CQ DX Hall of Fame are heading to French Guiana next week. G3SXW, Roger Western, and G3TXF, Nigel Cawthorne, will be QRV on June 8th to 10th as FY/G3SXW and FY/G3TXF. As always they'll be operating on CW only on 10 through 80 meters. Roger will be handling the traditional bands, while Nigel will be on 12, 17 and 30 meters. Nigel has set up a Web page at http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/FY_G3TXF/FY.html . QSL via their home calls.

Gildas, TU5KG, is once again in the southern Indian Ocean near Kerguelen Island (FT5XQ). He may go to the near by waters of Crozet Island (FT5WM). Gil will head back to Reunion Island at the end of July and then on to France. No word as to if he will be QRV from either island. QSL via F4EFI.

Special event station GB1EPC will be QRV from June 1st to 28th in celebration of the European PSK Club's 1st anniversary. The station will be setup at 63 Bridge Street in Glasgow, Scotland. Activity will be on the PSK modes only. QSL via MM0DFV.

The 4W6AAV team has arrived in Dili, East Timor. They should be QRV sometime later today.

In celebration of Danube River Day special event station HG7DANUBE will be active between June 1st and June 30th. For more details check <http://ha2mn.dsgnet.hu> .

W7KFI, Skipper Susan Meckley, says her departure for Johnston Island (KH3) will be on June 4th. She believes it will take six to seven days to get there and a day or two to get set up. Plans are to be there for about one week. Next planned stop will be Majuro, Marshall Islands (V7). You can track her ship Dharma via <http://www.shiptrak.org/> . Just put in her callsign W7KFI.

QSN

3A2MD - MONACO - Several Japanese ops were working Laura on 14018 from 2130 to 2230Z.

HK1X - COLOMBIA - Pedro was on 7005 today between 0200 and 0230Z, working mostly Eastern Europeans. QSL via EA7FTR.

I0JX - ITALY - On Monday W5OZI, Pat, worked Tony on 6 meters just after 1500Z.

JD1YBJ - Minami Torishima - Was working JA's yesterday on 21180 around 0600Z. It is rumored this guest op will be there until June 7th.

JW/OZ0R - SVALBARD - Watch for this station on 20 CW or SSB between 20 and 22Z.

OD - LEBANON - Look for OD5 stations on 14290 between 1430 and 2000Z.

V73NS - MARSHALL ISLANDS - Neil likes the low end of 20 CW from 0130 to 0400Z.

IOTA

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AS-024	JA1KJW/6	10109	1236	EU-061	LA/DL1DWR	14014	1723
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	18072	1032	EU-067	SV8/SV1JG	7009	0431
EU-001	SV5/DJ5AA/P	18070	0840	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28275	1334
EU-001	SV5/DL3DRN	14082	1557	EU-114	GP8LED/P	14190	0701
EU-008	MM/DH5JBR/P	14260	1152	EU-125	OZ/DL5XAT/P	10114	1848
EU-009	MM0SJH	14265	2056	EU-129	DL2RU/P	10118	0535
EU-014	TK/IK1YED	14270	1818	EU-170	9A4A	14260	2040
EU-016	9A/T94DX	14260	0941	EU-174	J48HW	10102	0150
EU-029	DL3IAS/P	14260	1841	SA-002	VP8LP	18146	1911
EU-029	OZ0A	14260	1900				

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30-May	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI		11-097
30-May	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA		11-097
30-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085

30-May	1-Jun	OD	OD5/CT1EFS	CT1CJJ	11-074
30-May	3-Jun	OH0	OH0B (EU-002)	OH2BH	11-105
30-May	3-Jun	OH0	OH0R (EU-002)	OH2PM	11-105
30-May	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA		11-104
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5V7BR	F2VX	GP3GWB/P	M0DOL	OH0B	OH2BH
9Q1D	SM5BFJ	HB0/DL1ARS	DL1ARS	OL70NR	OK1NR
AO5GKT	EA5GKT	HB0/DL1GDS	DL1GDS	ZA1E	I2MQP
AO5GL	EA5GL	IA6IPY	IZ6GSQ	ZF2NE	W5ASP

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DX News

ON4LUC, Luc, and ON6DP, Paul, will be QRV as 3A/ON4LUC and 3A/OP0P from Monaco from June 3 to 8 or 9. They will be active on RTTY, PSK and SSB with 100 watts and an inverted V on 20, 40 and 80 meters. QSL via ON6DP either direct or via the bureau.

On her way to Johnston Island, next week, W7KFI, Susan, will be checking into the Pacific Seafarers Net at 0525Z on 14300 daily.

ON5NT (A61NT), Ghis, is now back home in Belgium, effective May 24th.

UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, still has a few more weeks before heading home to Russia. It would be advisable to hold off on sending QSL requests for his past operations until he gets back home. We'll post a complete list of calls and dates once he gets back to his home QTH.

Earlier this week I spoke to F5CW, Dany Prevostat, about the Glorioso DXpedition. Many will recall this group has been working on this difficult one for several years and that this DXpedition has been cancelled several times. Dany reports the team is still having the same problems with the new administration and that a DXpedition to Glorioso will probably not happen this year.

Yasme Post Office Box Number Change
By N7NG, Wayne Mills, President of The Yasme Foundation

One of the more famous and long-lived post box numbers in DXing has changed. Effective immediately, all mail send to the Yasme Foundation should go to:

The Yasme Foundation
P.O. Box 20578
Castro Valley, CA
USA 94546

The current mailing address shown on the Yasme Web site (www.Yasme.org) is now correct. Mail sent to the old box number, Box 2025, will be forwarded for approximately six months, so if you have sent mail recently, it will be delivered with no difficulty. For a period last summer, the USPO was not forwarding mail properly, and some mail was returned. This is no longer the case.

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4W6AAV - EAST TIMOR - The three man South Korean team began activity yesterday just prior to 2200Z. They have been QRV so far on 40, 20, 17 and 15 meters on both CW and SSB. Activity is expected later today on 80 meters. They seem to have just one station on the air so far. QSL via HL5FUA.

5V7BR - TOGO - Robert likes 14114 just before 0700Z. QSL via F2VX.

6W1SE - SENEGAL - 30 meter ops were working this one on 10108 Wednesday at 2130Z.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Akira was working mostly Europeans on 14197 after 15Z yesterday. Some from Colorado and California also made it through, including K0XE, Barry, for # 301 and N6ZS, George. QSL via JA0JHA.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh showed up on 14210 around 19Z Wednesday.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Remi started up on 18145 yesterday just before 23Z and was there for about an hour. He also took a quick check on 24940.

V85SS - BRUNEI - Ambran has been showing up on 30 CW between 09 and 10Z.

YA/9A4ZD - AFGHANISTAN - Dejan has been active on 20 and 17 SSB. At the moment there are no other details on this station.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EG8CID	14190	0227	EU-052	SV8/OT2A	18133	1311
AS-024	JA1KJW/6	10110	2113	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28485	1312
EU-001	SV5/DJ5AA/P	10105	0846	EU-114	GP3GWB/P	14190	2258
EU-001	SV5/DL3DRN	14081	2016	EU-116	GB100TT	7079	1422
EU-009	GM0WED	14028	1045	EU-125	OZ/DL5XAT/P	14258	0943
EU-009	MM3LQK	14260	2144	EU-127	DF6QC	10114	2105
EU-023	9H4DX	28470	1850	EU-129	DL2RU/P	18080	0748
EU-026	JW/OZ0R	14182	1638	EU-174	J48HW	10104	2148
EU-029	5Q2J	14222	0528	EU-174	SV8/DF6MS/P	14020	2028

K1VVSJ, Howie, is heading to his summer QTH on Martha's Vineyard (NA- 046). He'll be there from June 15th until Labor Day (September 3rd). He'll be participating in the RSGB IOTA Contest at the end of July. Japanese ops can find Howie on 20 meters around 1200 to 1300Z.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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31-May	4-Jun	4W	4W6AAV (OC-148)	HL5FUA	11-105	104
31-May	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
31-May	31-May	FM	TO3T (NA-107)	VE3KF		11-070
31-May	5-Jun	GD	GB100TT (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
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31-May	2-Jun	GU	GP8LED/p (EU-124)	M0DOL	11-101	093
31-May	31-May	I	II1HCA			11-104
31-May	31-May	I	IR1ALP	IK1AAS		11-085
31-May	14-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB		11-097
31-May	14-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW		11-097
31-May	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI		11-097
31-May	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA		11-097
31-May	31-May	LZ	LZ07KM	LZ1PJ		11-085
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31-May	3-Jun	OH0	OH0R (EU-002)	OH2PM		11-105
31-May	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104
31-May	3-Jun	PA	PA25UKSMG	PA7FM		11-093
31-May	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
31-May	5-Jun	SV	J48HW SV8/HA0HW (EU-174)	HA0HW		11-099
31-May	1-Jun	SV5	SV5/OO5S (EU-001)	ON4ON		11-104
31-May	1-Jun	SV5	SV5/OQ1C (EU-001)	ON4ON		11-104
31-May	1-Jun	TK	TK/IK1YED (EU-014)	IK1YED		11-104
31-May	3-Jun	UR	EO20R	UY2RO	11-101	099
31-May	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X		11-099
31-May	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
31-May	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
31-May	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M		11-095
31-May	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
3XD2Z	RW3AZ	9W6SUE	9M6TW	V44KJ	WB2TSL

3XM6JR UA6JR DL40RRDXA DL1YFF YB1GJS NI5DX
4W6AAV HL5FUA EG4UCM EA4VO Z29KM UA4WHX
9G1YK PA3ERA

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9Z4BM, Leon, reports all (120) 6 meter QSL requests have been mailed.
He also says 9Y4AT, Jeff, is no longer on Trinidad and 9Y4TL, Keith, is not
active as he is busy with work.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9M4SDX, BD7JLR, CN3R,
E51NOU, ER/RW3AH, HB0/IV3LZQ/p, TL8QC and VU2NXM

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: R1ANN, R1ANN/MM, RU3HD/ANT and
RU3HD/MM

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CQ00DX, CT1BOH, CW7T, DJ9KM, DR1A,
EA4TX, KL7NO, KL8DX, LX7I, LY4K, M4A, OE3SGU, P40L, VP2ERV, VR2C, YT6A, ZL4PW,
ZL6QH and ZS2EZ

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OH1VR, Seppo Sisatto, is planning to be QRV today from The Vatican station HV0A starting after 1600Z. He'll be on for a few hours.

Members of the DXCiting Group are heading to Saint Martin/Sint Maarten next month. The group will begin July 15th from the French side of the island with periodic operations from the Dutch side through July 25th. Team members include CT1BWW, Marq; EA3GHZ, John; and EA5YH, Tomas. They will operate as FS/home call and PJ7/home call. Activity will be on 6 through 80 meters on CW, SSB and the digital modes.

Plans are to have two stations QRV, one with high power and the other running 100 watts. They will have a multi-band yagi, multi-band verticals and some dipoles. The guys will put a special emphasis on 12, 17 and 30 meters as well as the high bands. They have a Web site at www.dxciting.com/index.htm. News will also be posted on www.dxfun.com. The team is seeking sponsorship. Details can be given by EA3GHZ, John, via email to ea3ghz@ure.es. QSL via their home calls.

CT1BWW, Marq, will be operating from Svalbard as he represents Portugal during the Celebration of International Polar Year (2007- 2008). Plans are to be QRV as JW/CT1BWW on 10 through 80 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY PSK31 and SSTV. Look for activity from June 9th to 15th and again from September 8th to 14th. There will be a special certificate for anyone who works him on three different bands or two different modes. QSL via CT1BWW.

A35RK, Paul Kidd, tells us his trip to American Samoa (KH8) will not happen until June 11th at the earliest.

GI4FUE, Charlie, will once again be operating a holiday style operation from Marmaris, Turkey from June 12th-24th using the call TA4/GI4FUE. Activity will be mostly on CW on 30, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 meters. He'll be using an FT857 and a vertical antenna. Charlie hopes to be able to take a portable antenna for 6 meters and give the chance to work KM46du.

VE3SST, Neil, and VE3ZF (ex VA3YDX), Igor, will be activate from Salisbury Island (non IOTA) on June 3rd, 2007. Depending on the weather (WX) the team may also try to activate nearby islands as well. QSL via home calls.

During the ARRL VHF Contest (June 9/10) KR70, Robert, will be operating from several grids on Puerto Rico and one from St. Croix, US. Virgin Islands. On the Ninth he'll be traveling through FK67, FK77, FK68 and FK78 on KP4. Then on the 10th he'll operate from FK77.

During his operations he will be rover and will sign KR70/R (not KR70/KP#/R). From Puerto Rico he will be running 100 watts into a 3 element yagi on 6 meters and 100 watts to a HO loop on 2 meters. On St. Croix plans are to have a 5

element M2 for 6 and a 7 element M2 for 2 meters. After the contest he'll remain on St. Croix, with possible side trips to PJ7, FS and VP2V.

HA5BSW, Tibi, will be operating special event station HG46FC in celebration of the 46th Firac Congress. Activity will be now through September 30th. QSL via HA5BSW, including LOTW.

SU1AY, Ayman Aly, knows nothing of the recent ST/SU1AY activity. So don't waste your time on this bogus operation.

Saturday June 2nd a group of Amateur Radio operators from the Noantri Team will be celebrating their Republic Day with a special operating from the Spanish Embassy in Rome using the special call IORI. At the same time a group of Amateur Radio operators from Spain will be QRV as EH4EI from the Italian Embassy in Madrid, Spain. Special stamps will be used for the QSLs.

The Polish 3B6SP team is now in Port Louis, Mauritius. Today the group finished loading all of the equipment onto the catamaran.

Saturday morning they will begin to sail to Agalega (3B6). The group will pass St. Brandon Island (3B7), which is very close to the catamaran route and only one day sailing from Mauritius. The group expects a 4-5 day trip. They will have 1000 liters of diesel for the generators. Plans are to operate as home call/MM during the trip to Agalega. If everything goes as planned they expect to be up and running as 3B6SP on June 6th. Suggested frequencies are as follows:

CW - 1821.5, 3521, 7021, 10121, 14021, 18081, 21021, 24901, 28021 SSB - 1845, 3780, 7063, 14185, 18136, 21290, 24930, 28490 RTTY - 3590, 7040, 10140, 14084, 18104, 21084, 24924, 28084 PSK - 7038, 10142, 14072, 18102, 21072, 24922, 28122

They may also be on FM and SSTV. They team has a Web page at <http://3b6.godx.eu>.

E51JD, Jim, has returned to Rarotonga, South Cooks from New Zealand, and is now QRV.

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, departed Suvarrow Island, North Cooks yesterday. Their estimated time of arrival to Apia, Samoa is Monday, June 4th. Plans are to be in Apia for about a week however at this time it is unknown whether they will be QRV from 5W. No word on where they will go next, after Samoa.

QSN

4W6AAV - EAST TIMOR - Several East Coast US stations reported an opening on 18130 yesterday around 2320Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-024	JA1KJW	18085	1101	EU-116	GB100TT	14200	1059
EU-001	SV5/DJ5AA/p	10109	1825	EU-120	M/DH5BRJ	14260	1407
EU-001	SV5/DL3DRN	14084	1655	EU-174	J48HW	18070	1751
EU-001	SV5DKL	18077	1445	EU-174	SV8/DF6MS/p	21008	1745
EU-014	TK/IK1YED	14264	2051	EU-182	UT2FA/p	14041	1351
EU-016	9A/T94DX/p	14024	0934	OC-005	VK9NS	14260	2126
EU-016	9A4W/P	14260	0901	OC-013	E51JD	14221	0622

EU-052 SV8/OT2A	14164 2034	OC-028 V73RY	18140 0408
EU-072 SV8/DL8MCA	28485 1604	OC-032 FK8CP	18145 0414
EU-114 GP8LED/p	14190 1316	OC-148 4W6AAV	18130 2356

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1-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099
1-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG			11-093
1-Jun	15-Jun	F	TV2VDM			11-098
1-Jun	5-Jun	GD	GB100TT (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
1-Jun	5-Jun	GD	GT4WXM/p (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
1-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
1-Jun	2-Jun	GU	GP3GWB (EU-124)	M0DOL	11-101	093
1-Jun	2-Jun	GU	GP8LED/p (EU-124)	M0DOL	11-101	093
1-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106
1-Jun	14-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB		11-097
1-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW		11-097
1-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI		11-097
1-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA		11-097
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1-Jun	3-Jun	OH0	OH0R (EU-002)	OH2PM		11-105
1-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104
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1-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
1-Jun	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
1-Jun	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M		11-095
1-Jun	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095
2-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF	G3RWF		11-101
2-Jun	2-Jun	EA	EH4EI	EA4CT		11-104
2-Jun	6-Jun	F	F/ON6JUN/P	ON5SD		11-104
2-Jun	9-Jun	I	ID9/IK5BCM (EU-017)			11-104
2-Jun	3-Jun		SEANET Contest			11-049
3-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A/ON4LUC	ON6DP		11-107
3-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A/OP0P	ON6DP		11-107
3-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090
3-Jun	9-Jun	HI	IW2NEF/HI7	IW2NEF		11-083
4-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A7JO			11-089
4-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R	ON7RU		11-104
4-Jun	7-Jun	OZ	OZ/DO2ML (EU-172)	DO2ML		11-075

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7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	EG7SIX	PA7FM	JW1CCA	LA1CCA
CO6WD	W0SA	EN80AL	UT8AL	NH6P	W6YM
EG4UCM	EA4VO	HS0ZGQ	DL1MJF	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9K2MU, EA1KS, EY8MM, G0AZS, IZ5CME, LA6FJA, M0BSH, S57O, YJ0AWP, YT6A

On The WWW

6W/IZ2DPX has finished his activities from Senegal and is now QRT.

You can check the log search at

<http://ik2duw.altervista.org/logonline.htm> .

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DX News

1A0KM, S.M.O.M, will be on the air July 12-22. This will be a multi-national team led by I0JBL, Luciano. QSL via IK0FTA, who was responsible for getting HV0A logs up on LoTW. Uploading the 1A0KM log to LoTW is being considered. More info on 1A0KM will be forthcoming.

CS26X will be a special callsign from Portugal for the "26th International Motard Meeting of Faro." CT1EHX, CT1GFK, CT1GPQ, CT1IUA, CT2IHP, CT1DVG, CT1EPS, CT2IOV and CT2IOU will be on 160-6M SSB, CW and RTTY from July 16-22. QSL via CT1EHX direct or bureau.

AN8TID will be a special callsign from the Canary Islands June 9-10 as part of a campaign to have the Teide National Park there included in the UNESCO World Patrimony List. A group of hams will be operating from the La Rambleta (Teide) volcano, at 3,555 meters above sea level. This is IOTA AF-004. AN8TID will be on HF, VHF and UHF, CW, SSB and digital. QSL via EA8NQ direct or bureau. www.ure.es/ea8nq/ or www.ure.es/ea8arq/an8tid/

9A/VE3ZIK, Zik, also known as D07ZZ, will on from Bilice, Croatia, between June 16 and September 5. Zik will be on all HF bands, CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and FM (29600 kHz). He will go to one IOTA island and be in the IOTA Contest. <http://www.qslnet.de/ve3zik>. After you work him, you can request a QSL at zik@tiscali.de. And Zik hopes to get to Bosnia and Herzegovina where he will be on the air as T9/VE3ZIK. That would be in the June 20-27 timeframe and again September 5-10. Zik will have 100 watts to a wire antenna. QSL via DL3PS at the DARC bureau.

5N2/SQ8JCA, Marek, will be on from Cogi, Nigeria, for the rest of the month of June, 80-6M SSB. His operating times will be concentrated between 1000-1600Z. QSL to his home call.

3D2AG, Tony, has postponed his trip to Rotuma, 3D2/R, until November or December. Once he gets there, he plans a two-month stay.

5B/G0HIO, Mike, will be CW only from Cyprus June 23-30. He will have 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL to his home call. E-mail requests for skeds can be sent to g0hio@tesco.net.

CT/ON4LO/p, Francois, will be on from Portuguese lighthouses, Cabo de Sao Vincente and Ponta Sagres, between now and June 29th. He will be on 40-10M SSB and digital.

DL100DAN will be on the air through the rest of the month of June to mark the 100 years since the German coastal station, "DAN," Norddeich Radio, went on the air in 1907. DAN went off the air in 1998. This month's activities will take

place at the site of the DAN station at Osterloog. For more on an award for working DL100DAN, go to www.norddeich-radio.de. The bureau is the preferred QSL route, or go direct to DK1QO.

IY1SP will be on for the Museum Ships Weekend June 9-10 from the Naval Museum at La Spezia, Italy. IQ3GA/3 will be operating from the submarine "Dandolo" at the Italian Navy Museum in Venice. The first one, IY1SP, will be put on by operators from the ARMI club, <http://www.assoradiomarinai.tk>. QSL via I1SAF. For IQ3GA/3, QSL via I3PVB.

TC800YOM, Turkey, will be on through the end of June to mark the 800 years since the birth of Mevlana, a famous Turkish poet, jurist and theologian, also known by the nickname "Rumi." Operators TA1HZ and TA2RX plan to be on 40, 20 and 17M SSB with the big callsign.

YO2/ON4XA, Xavier from Romania, will be on June 25-July 3. Then from July 21-August 12 he and wife Bea (aka ON4BEA/YO2MBO) will be on from France, signing F/ON4XA and F/ON4BEA. QSL to their home calls in Belgium.

Correction

We had a story Friday that CT1BWW, Marq, is going to Svalbard in June and September. That was incorrect; he will, though, use the special callsign CQ4IPY, from Portugal, during the Celebration of the International Polar Year. He will be on 80-10M SSB, CW, PSK31, RTTY and SSTV. QSL to his regular call.

QSN

4W6AAV - EAST TIMOR - 10115 from 2220-23Z, 14082 RTTY at 2225Z and 14190 at 22Z. He was also on 3516, 3799, 7015 and 14195 earlier. QSL via HL5FUA.

A41MO - OMAN - Samir, a doctor at the Royal Hospital, was on 14207 at 0120Z this morning, 14210 at 01Z Sunday, 14200 at 0340Z Saturday and on Friday he was on 14200 at 0310Z and again at 2010Z.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh had a nice pileup and signal, working Europe, 14190 from 1820-1940Z.

JA6GXX/JD1 - MINAMI TORISHIMA - 14071.8 PSK31 at 1015Z Sunday and 14072.4 and 14072.8 PSK31 from 05Z Saturday.

T77NM - SAN MARINO - Mateo ran a pileup on 14204 from 00-0120Z. Before that he was on 18142 from 2130-2330Z. He was also on 20 phone Thursday and Friday. He is said to QSL 100 percent via the bureau.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-018	IH9YMC	21295	1615	EU-044	IB0/IK0WHN	7066	1500
AS-024	JA1KJW/6	10111	2120	EU-045	IB0/IK0WHN	14260	2155

AS-117	JA0BYV/0	7057 0815	EU-049	SV8/ON4AUB	14260 1800
AS-137	BA4ALC/5	14260 0100	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	18157 1320
EU-001	SV5/DL3DRN	18104 1120	EU-074	F6KBO/P	14260 1325
EU-009	MM0SJH	14290 1925	EU-127	DL0DWD	10102 1900
EU-020	SG6ORK	10111 1210	EU-130	IQ3AZ	10103 1940
EU-024	IS0AFM	14189 2145	EU-138	SM7BHM/P	14261 0640
EU-028	IA5/I1SJK	7065 0755	EU-174	J48HW	10104 1900
EU-029	OZ/DJ4CE/P	14260 0800	NA-128	VE2QRA/P	14256 0145
EU-030	OZ7P	14257 1525	NA-143	KN5G/P	14023 2330
EU-041	IM0/IQ5YL	7058 0750	OC-006	VK7GK	18116 0035

GS0GRC/p and GS7GRC/p will be from Eilean an Tighe in the Shiant Islands, EU-112, July 10-13. This Grantham ARC operation will have two stations on 80-6M SSB. Work 'em and they'll send you a card via the bureau. If you want to QSL direct, send to G0RCI.

OZ/DL2VFR, Ric, will activate Nordjylland Island, EU-171, June 16-23. He will go to Laeso or Hornfiskroen Island, EU-088, June 24-July 1. Ric likes both CW and SSB and will be on the HF bands. QSL to his home call. Here is Ric's web site: <http://www.iota-expedition.com>.

UE1RFF/1 will be on an island in the Nenetskiy State Nature Reserve in Russia June 21-24. This will be IOTA EU-102. The two operators are UA1PBU and UA1QV. QSL via UA1RJ direct or bureau.

UE1RFF/1 will again be used when RW4NW, Vasiliy, goes to two Zelenets islands, Dolgiy and Bol'shoy, IOTA EU-086, between July 2-21. QSL via UA1RJ.

Seven or eight Italians will sign IG9/home call from Lampedusa Island, AF-019, June 9-19. I1XOI, IK1AIF, IW1PZC, IZ1DFG, IZ1HGP, IW2KVT, I2AZ and possibly IW2NOD will be on SSB and CW on HF, 6 and 2. QSL to their home calls, direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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4-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A/ON4LUC	ON6DP		11-107
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4-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A7JO			11-089
4-Jun		3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-058	023
4-Jun	4-Jun	4W	4W6AAV (OC-148)	HL5FUA	11-105	104
4-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF	G3RWF		11-101
4-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
4-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R	ON7RU		11-104
4-Jun	6-Jun	F	F/ON6JUN/P	ON5SD		11-104
4-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099
4-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090
4-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG			11-093
4-Jun	15-Jun	F	TV2VDM			11-098
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4-Jun	5-Jun	GD	GT4WXM/p (EU-116)	MW0JNI	11-078	075
4-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
4-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106
4-Jun	9-Jun	HI	IW2NEF/HI7	IW2NEF		11-083
4-Jun	9-Jun	I	ID9/IK5BCM (EU-017)			11-104
4-Jun	14-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB		11-097

4-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW	11-097
4-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI	11-097
4-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA	11-097
4-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA		11-104
4-Jun	7-Jun	OZ	OZ/DO2ML (EU-172)	DO2ML	11-075
4-Jun	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
4-Jun	5-Jun	SV	J48HW SV8/HA0HW (EU-174)	HA0HW	11-099
4-Jun	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X	11-099
4-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
4-Jun	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)		11-080
4-Jun	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M	11-095
4-Jun	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095
6-Jun	18-Jun	3B6	3B6SP	11-108 101 099 080	
6-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
7-Jun	12-Jun	KL7	KL7FF (NA-041)		11-100
7-Jun	13-Jun	OH	OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096)	DG5XJ	11-085
7-Jun	20-Jun	SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ	11-101
7-Jun	21-Jun	TA	YM3CC	LX1CC	11-101
8-Jun	10-Jun	FY	FY/G3SXW FY/G3TXF	home calls	11-106
8-Jun	10-Jun	YB	YC0IEM/9 (OC-150)	IZ8CCW	11-103
8-Jun	9-Jun		Ham Com		11-102 026
9-Jun	11-Jun	CO	T49C (EL72 EL82 EL93 EL83 EL92)		11-104 099
9-Jun	17-Jun	HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-080 040
9-Jun	15-Jun	JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-108
9-Jun	9-Jun	KP4	KR7O/R (FK67, FK77, FK68, FK78)		11-108
9-Jun	17-Jun	SV	SY8AN (EU-067)	SV2DGH	11-103
9-Jun	24-Jun	V2	V26HS	WB4WXE	11-096

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Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Spaceweather.com reports a big sunspot is emerging over the sun's eastern limb, posing a threat of significant solar activity. It has sent out several M-class flares. An M3 flare on June first caused a shortwave radio fadeout in Europe. [Http://spaceweather.com](http://spaceweather.com) has photos and more info.

Solar activity will continue at moderate to high levels with a chance for an X-class flare.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to active today, with quiet to unsettled conditions the next two days.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3A7JO	BUREAU	EG5FAS	EA4FAS	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA
4L1MA	ON4RU	EG6FAS	EA4FAS	OL0R	OK1WMR
4L4C	DJ1CW	EG7SIX	PA7FM	ON50EU/P	ON7YX
4L4WW	EA7FTR	EG8FAS	EA4FAS	ON60SNW/P	ON7KO

4W6AAV	HL5FUA	EG9FAS	EA4FAS	OX3PG	WA0SMQ
7Q7WW	KC4D	EH4EI	EA4CT	P33W	RA3AUU
8P6GY	KU9C	EH4IDS/EH7	EA7NL	P4/K1KG	K1KG
A71CT	EA7FTR	EM80A	UY5AA	P4/W1XP	W1XP
AN7SIX	PA7FM	F/ON6JUN/P	ON5SD	P50VB	PIRATE
AO5AT	EA5AT	FM5WD	W3HNC	R41WP	RA3LBA
AO5KB	EA5KB	HF500C	SP4GFG	R50MG	RV3LZ
AO7SIX	PA7FM	HF750WS	SP9PKM	SN0EL	SP1KRF
C6AWL	RA3CO	HG200B	HA3HK	T960ALM	T91ALM
CN8KD	EA5XX	HK6DOS	EA5KB	TM1MAN	F8CSD
CN8NK	EA5XX	HV0A	IK0FVC	TM2VDM	F5KDB
CO6WD	W0SA	HZ1IK	DK7YY	TM5BBC	F2UW
CU1CB	EA5KB	I0RI	IZ0GZN	TM6ACO	F6KFI
DL100DAN	DK1QO	IR1ALP	IK1AAS	UE1CDX/1	RN1CW
EE8A	YL2KL	K1YJ/HP3	K1YJ	UE4HBA	RX4HJ
EG0FAS	EA4FAS	LS1D	LW9EOC	ZA/UT7DW	DK6CW
EG1FAS	EA4FAS	LX2007L	LX1KC	ZV25GJR	PY2GJR
EG2FAS	EA4FAS	LX9UN	LX1NJ		

N6MZ, Mike, had this to say about the ARRL 6th District QSL Bureau:
 "DXpeditioner N6MZ (Mike), who also sorts the "Y" segment for the ARRL 6th District QSL Bureau, regrets to inform DXers around the world that KT6YL, who claims to be the QSL manager for TF0GX, TF8GX, TF4RX, TF7GX, TF7RX, TF7X, TF8RX, TF3XEN, and TF3ZA, does NOT use the ARRL QSO bureau. Unfortunately, Mike has to shred many, many hundreds of your QSL cards every year because Mrs. Gehrke will not participate in the bureau system. Please don't waste your time and your QSL cards sending via the bureau to KT6YL."

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3B8/HA7TM (AF-049), 6W/HA7TM, 9M4SDX (AS-051), BP100S, ER/RW3AH, ET3BN, FG5FI, H44MS, IK1ZNN/p, J5UTM, NI4BK, OE/KL1A, PJ2/N8LGP (SA-006), ST2R, SV1CEI, TR8CA and ZL7C.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 7Z1UG, DF50OVGZ, DQ80IARU, DR30RADIO, EA4AAA, EA5/JI6KVR, EA7ABX, EA9PB/p, HB0TW, HB9ANK, HB9DRI, HB9RDE, HE3RSI, I3BQC/p (EU-131), IR7T (EU-091), IT9/IT9GNG (EU-025), IZ5EKT, JE1DNL, OO5ZO, OZ7DAL/LH, SP0TPAX, TM3ANT, VA3RMF/W1 (NA-055), VA3RMF/p and W0CGR.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BX5AA, EA4TX, EC1CT, FG/JA1WPX/P, HA5UK, LA6FJA, SM4RGD, VE7ON and YT6A.

On The WWW

The K8CX Dayton Photo Gallery is now up at <http://hamgallery.com/dayton2007/>. This is the 11th consecutive year for the gallery. There are 259 photos this year.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 425 DX News, CT1END, DE1DXX, EA8NQ, F5NQL, I0JBL, K6TA, K8CX, KA0VXK, N3ME, N4II, N6MZ, NJ1Q, W0VX, W2IRT, W3UR and W9OL.

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EA8/PA3BWK, Wilko Hollemans, will be QRV mainly on CW, 40-10M, 10 kHz from the lower band edge, during his operation June 10-16. QSL via PA0ZE. He will be on Lanzarote Island in the Canary Islands, IOTA AF- 004.

3XM6JR operator, Serge, says he is going back to Moscow in three days. He said he will be QRV this fall as J56JR. He was very active yesterday until about 00Z.

TO5J will be a Martinique callsign for F5LMJ, Alain, July 14-28. Alain plans to spend most of his on-air time on CW and digital modes. He will be in the city of Francois on IOTA NA-107. QSL to his home call but if you're patient you'll get one via the bureau without sending for one. And, he will put his log on LoTW.

OE16B will be a special Austrian callsign to mark the visit of Pope Benedict XVI. This callsign is authorized for use from August 31 through September 9.

9A/PA4JJ/p, Jan, will be on the air from Croatia June 16-July 7, on holiday at Porec Istria. Part of his vacation fun will be to get on the airwaves as much as possible, mostly 30, 17 and 12M using RTTY and PSK. He's deciding between a ZS6BKW style antenna or a vertical. QSL info is on <http://www.pa4jj.nl>.

CS2FD, Portugal, will be on the air June 16-17 from Montemor Park near Loures, for the ARVM, Associacao de Radioamadores da Vila de Moscavide, Field Day event. CS2FD will be on all bands, CW, SSB, RTTY and TVA. http://www.arvm.org/index_fd2007.html.

[Note, the North American Field Day, with as many as 35,000 hams "afield" is one week later, June 23-24. There will be hundreds of portable W and VE stations on the air, and a handful from other North American entities such as Cuba, and working DX in the event is allowed of course.]

EW905B is a special callsign by the Borisov Amateur Radio Club, BARC, in Belarus, through the end of November. They celebrate the 905th anniversary of Borisov City. QSL via EW2EO. <http://www.qsl.net/ew2ww>.

I2/ON7ARQ, Patrick, will be in Lombardia June 8-18. He will get on HF SSB and six and two meters with his FT-817 and TS50 to a mobile antenna and tuner. QSL to his home callsign.

The ISWL, International Shortwave League, plans some special activity this month. GX4BJC/A, operated by G6XOU, Herbie, the ISWL QSL Bureau Manager, will be on the air from Walton on the Naze, Essex. GC4BJC/P will also be Herbie, when he's in Wales, also this month. MX1SWL/A will be manned by ISWL President

G8XTJ, John, operating from Great Missenden, Buckinghamshire. They will not be uploading to LoTW but will use eQSL. <http://www.iswl.org.uk>.

The "Museum Ship days" event is June 9-10. F5THW and F5IRC will be on from the lightship FRANCE, active on 80-10M SSB, CW and PSK31, signing F6IRC/p. QSL direct to F5IRC or via the bureau.

QSN

3A/ON6DP/P - MONACO - He was on 7077.1 and 7077.7 between 2110-2300z working Europe, especially looking for Belgium.

3XM6JR - GUINEA - Serge was reportedly in his last day of operation. 14190 at 23Z, 14213 at 2115Z, 18160 at 1610Z, 24950 at 1545Z, 28489 at 1450Z, 21240 at 1130Z, 20 and 40M before that. QSL via UA6JR.

4W6AAV - EAST TIMOR - Seems to have operated until about 24Z the third, ending up on 10115 then going QRT. QSL via HL5FUA.

F/ON6JUN/P - FRANCE - A D-Day commemorative station, 14084 RTTY at 2340Z.

HP3EFS - PANAMA - Domingo was working Europe and North America on 18160 between 2200-2315Z.

JA6GXX/JD1 - MINAMI TORISHIMA - 14070.5 at 23Z and 14071.8 PSK31 the day before at 1015Z.

TF4M - ICELAND - Thor was on 14005-14006 at 0010Z early in the day and again at 250Z at the end of the day.

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EU-019	R1FJT	14004	0350	EU-174	J48HW	10104	2020
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EU-030	OZ7P	14275	1640	OC-073	JA6GXX/JD1	14070	2300

YW1DX, from Cayo Sombrero, SA-089, will be on for the IOTA Contest. This operation is the 4M5DX group, YV5WW (OH0XX, Olli) on CW, YV50HW on SSB, and YV1RDX, YV5TX and YV5SSB. They hope to reach the island and set up on Friday the 26th. They will work 30, 17 and 12M until the contest starts and will do the same Sunday after the IOTA contest. www.yw1dx.4m5dx.org.

ID9/IK5BCM, Giovanni from Panarea Island, EU-017, is on through the end of the week, June 9. QSL to his home callsign.

OZ/DO2ML, Ulli, planned to be on now from Aeroe Island, EU-172. He expected to be on 80, 40 and 20M SSB only. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

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5-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
5-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106
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5-Jun	5-Jun	VP5	VP5/WQ7X	WQ7X		11-099
5-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
5-Jun	5-Jun	VP9	VP9KF (NA-005)			11-080
5-Jun	5-Jun	VQ9	VQ97JC	ND9M		11-095
5-Jun	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095

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3A2JO	BUREAU	J48HW	HA0HW	SJ30LW	SK5LW
DL0DWD	DF6QC	LX2007L	LX1KC	SV5/DL3DRN	DL3DRN
HF750C	SP9BRP	OL70NR	OK1TN	TM2VDM	F5KDB
HF100SK	SP7ZIA				

W7IAN says "better late than never." With three attempts, Ian has received the JY5HX QSL for two SSB QSOs in '99, another in '01, and a CW QSO in '02.

W3HNK, Joe, has picked up two more DX stations he will now be QSL manager for. They are C4N and 5B8AD. QSL C4N and 5B8AD via W3HNK.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3DA0AM, 4L8A, TU2/F5LDY, UK9AA, V31IF and XT2SE.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: JY5HX.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 6F75A, HZ1EX and LX7I.

On The WWW

More Scarborough Reef, BS7H, photos are now on-line. Here's the web address:
<http://album.blog.yam.com/bv6gu&folder=2705675>

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Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: F5LMJ, KI4AAN, N4II, NJ1Q, NN1N, OPDX, PA3BWK, W1AW, W2IRT, W3HNK, W3UR, W5VFO, W7IAN, W9OL and YV5SSB.

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DX News

The big news today is our traveling Russian friend UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, is now QRV from the very rare Rwanda as 9X0VB. Rwanda has not been QRV since late 1997 and currently ranks # 33 on The DX Magazine's "2006 Most Wanted Survey". In Europe it is # 58, in Asia # 14, in North America it is # 29 (Eastern time zone # 29, Central # 42, Mountain # 41 and Pacific #39) and the rest of the world # 36. Vladimir started up today just after 0830Z. Your editor did receive independent word that Vladimir is indeed in Kigali and will "probably be around here of a while". As always the length of his stay is unknown, but we can guess it will be at least a week as have most of his other operations. Watch for him on 10-160 meters on both CW and SSB. The QSL route, as always, is via UA4WHX, but wait until he gets home before sending your QSLs. Your editor will let you know when to do that, along with a complete listing of all calls and approximate dates. No word also on where his next stop will be.

The Polish 3B6SP DXpedition team heading to Agalega Island is having boat problems. ZS1Y, Volker, reports the catamaran has lost one engine and a sail. The second engine is apparently not doing well. If Volker understood correctly the team is now heading to St. Brandon (3B7). As of press time they were operating as SP9MRO/MM on 18127. They were also on as SP9MGM/MM. It is unclear at this time if there will be any operation. Let's hope and pray they make it to land safely, wherever that may be!

A71EM, Juma, is currently operating as A92GT from the station of A92GR in Bahrain. He will be QRV for another two days. Juma told SM5DQC, Osten, that Juma will NOT be on 30 or 160 meters this time, but will "inshallah" be back in three to four weeks for a longer stay. Juma will apparently be spending lots of weekends and vacations in the neighboring Bahrain. QSL via EA7FTR.

PA3BAG and PA0VHA are currently on a holiday operation from Faroe Island, reports K0OK, Bob. The two were QRV on 20 meters SSB. Plans are to be QRV until June 14th. Equipment includes two FT850s and Acom amps for activity on SSB, RTTY and PSK31. They have a Web page at <http://www.pi4cc.nl/personal/pa0vha/index.htm> . QSL via PA0VHA.

TI2HMG, Henry, who was part of the February 2002 TI9M DXpedition to Cocos Island is once again organizing another DXpedition to TI9. Plans are to be QRV sometime in February 2008. For more details check out <http://www.qsl.net/ti2hmg/cocos.htm> .

During the Museum Ship days event on June 9th and 10th look for KH6BB to be QRV from the Battleship USS Missouri in Pearl Harbor. They will have several stations on the air. QSL via K1ER.

Many others will also be participating in the Museum Ships 2007 event.
For more details check out
http://www.rnars.org.uk/Museum_Ships_Weekend_2007.htm .

In celebration of the 800th year of the birth of Mevlana, a 13th century Persian Muslim poet, jurist, and theologian, special event station TC800YOM will be QRV from Turkey throughout the month of June.
The operators will be TA1HZ and TA2RX with activity on 17, 20 and 40 meters SSB.

F8ENY, Paolo, will be operating as I1/F8ENY/p from Piemonte province, Italy.
He'll be operating QRP with an Elecraft K1 and wires. QSL via F8ENY.

Canadian Islands Awards Program
By VE3TPZ, James Davidson

Please be advised that Igor VA3YDX has requested that we Remove ON276 Twinlight Island from the list as this was issued by mistake this island was already on the list as ON-018 Twilight Island.

If you worked Igor from ON276 TWILIGHT Island and have not worked him FROM ON-018 Please update your records showing this as an activation from ON-018.

Unfortunately if you already worked ON-018 from a previous expedition and worked ON-276 from Igor you cannot count this island twice.

Garry VE3XN has informed me that ON-276 number will be re-issued in the near future.

Thanks everyone who helped work on this mistake and come to an acceptable solution.

QSN

ZC4LI - UNITED KINGDOM SOVEREIGN BASES ON CYPRUS - 30 meter ops were working Steve on 10103 yesterday between 1830 and 2100Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-024	JJ1JGI/6	21030	1359	EU-041	IM0/IK5MEQ	14256	0908
AS-076	JA5AUC	18082	0856	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	1208
AS-117	8J6A/6	18102	1504	EU-116	MD0CCE	14016	1737
EU-001	SV5/DL3DRN	14260	1802	EU-127	DL0DWD	3518	0345
EU-018	OY/PA0VHA	10139	2205	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14260	1652
EU-018	OY/PA3BAG	14265	1718	EU-172	OZ/DO2ML	7014	1432
EU-020	SG60RK	7026	2003	EU-174	J48HW	10103	0026
EU-029	OZ/DJ4CE/P	14260	1156	NA-026	K2MFY	14266	2245
EU-037	SB300L	14207	0759	NA-142	WA4USA/4	14032	1210

F5OGG, Phil, will be QRV during the next World Lighthouse On the Air (WLOTA) Contest (see <http://www.wlota.com/>), June 30th, as F5OGG/p from the Noirmoutier Lighthouse (WLOTA 1223 and EU064). Watch for him on 20 SSB and CW. QSL via F5OGG.

Members of the Cofresi Radio Club (WP4NRT) will be QRV during the WLOTA Contest from Los Morillos Lighthouse, also known as Cabo Rojo Lighthouse.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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6-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A7JO	Bureau		11-089
6-Jun	18-Jun	3B6	3B6SP (AF-001)	SP9SX	11-108	101 099
6-Jun	7-Jun	3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-110	058 023
6-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101
6-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109
6-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
6-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R (AF-004)	ON7RU		11-104
6-Jun	6-Jun	F	F/ON6JUN/P	ON5SD		11-104
6-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099
6-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090
6-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG	PA7FM		11-093
6-Jun	15-Jun	F	TV2VDM			11-098
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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be low to moderate.

Region 960 is still capable of producing M-flares with a slight chance for an X-flare.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet.

Based on the potential for significant flare activity from Region 960, there is a slight chance for a greater than 10 MeV proton event.

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The sunspot number for June 4, 2007 was 58.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5B8AD	W3HMK	LX2007L	LX1KC	U4MIR	RN3DK
9K2GS	EA5KB	OY/PA3BAG	PA3BAG	UO50F	RW6HS
A92GT	EA7GTR	SN0EL	SP1KRF	VP6TD	ZL2HGR
CQ00DX	CT2GZE	TM2VDM	F5KDB	VQ97JC	ND9M
HF100SK	SP7ZIA	TM6JUN	F5NKX		

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau: CX4DX, JA0JHA, JA3JOT, JG1HQA, JH4UYB, SM5CAK, VC3O

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9M2CNC, EA4TX, EA6NB, HK4SAN, HZ1EX, IK4DRY, LA6FJA, LA9TJA, MJ/K8PT, OA4SS, PJ2T, RU3QW, SM5UFB, SP8FHJ, T40C, VR2C, ZL1BYZ, ZL2ST

Correction

The Japanese are currently constructing the world's tallest antenna. Check it out at <http://tinyurl.com/26lj3v> .

Correction

In yesterday's issue mention was made of the upcoming ARRL sponsored Field Day, which is "open to participation by stations in the Americas (IARU Region 2)" and not just for North America. In fact the rules point out "Field Day is open to all amateurs in the areas covered by the ARRL/RAC Field Organizations and countries within IARU Region 2. DX stations residing in other regions may be contacted for credit, but are not eligible to submit entries."

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DX News

As we reported yesterday UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, is now in Rwanda after almost a decade of no activity from this rare one. Vladimir says he is operating from "the house of the regulator" who is a Colonel from the Rwandan Defense Ministry. He is 9X1AA, Diogene Mudenge, and is "trying to put together an Amateur Radio society in Rwanda.

SV2ASP/A, Monk Apollo, was very active during the month of May making over 1,500 QSOs on SSB, SSB and RTTY. IK3ZAW/W6, Veronica, tells us that Father Apollo was indeed the 20 meter SSB operator late on May 16th into early May 17th (GMT). During this same time frame someone was pirating his call on 20 meters CW. Veronica tells us "all other CW contacts should be ok". Apollo has received many QSL requests during the pirated time frame. He feels bad for those who wrote him, wasting their time and money. Currently the Fathers are now building three large cisterns for the monastery so we should not expect any SV2ASP/A activity for a while.

We do not have an update of the status of the Polish crew heading to Agalega (3B6SP). Yesterday SP9MRO/MM, Witek, did tell ZS1Y, Volker, that the "Coast Guard was aware of their situation and they were making their way back to St. Brandon". Today after 1000Z Witek was QRV on 17 meters SSB, apparently speaking to some of his countrymen from home.

The U.S. Department of Commerce, NOAA, Space Environment Center (SEC) has released their latest prediction on the cycle minimum. This update is made monthly and for the third month in a row they are predicting the bottom as July 2007 with a predicted solar flux average of 75.2. The complete chart can be seen at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftplib/weekly/Predict.txt> . The predicted values are based on ISES cycle 23 forecast of 13-month running smoothed values.

This year's South East DX and Contesting Organization (SEDCO) will be held on September 29th at the Main Stay Suites and Convention Center in Pigeon Forge, TN. BS7H and VU7RG are just two of the presentations being planned. For more info check out the SEDCO Web site at <http://www.sedco.homestead.com/> .

An Open Apology To SV2ASP/A And The DX Community

The above story about SV2ASP/A, Monk Apollo, really shocked me! I thought for sure the station on SSB was a pirate, especially when I questioned the SSB op and he did not know my name as we have known each other for almost 10 years. Anyway I spoke to Monk Apollo earlier today and apologized for my error. He confirmed the above story, as reported by Veronica. My sincere apology to the DX community for confronting the SSB op (Monk Apollo) and the confusion and misunderstanding between two good friends!

Silent Key

QRZ DX reports N5ML, Murvil Lipsey, became a Silent Key on Saturday June 2nd.

QSN

9X0VB - RWANDA - Vladimir was busy on 12, 17 and 15 SSB most of yesterday. He did do some 80 and 160 meter CW work late yesterday and early today just before his sunrise. He likes to switch between 1823 and 3503. Today he's been on 20 and 17 SSB. QSL via UA4WHX.

A52AM - BHUTAN - North American DXers were working Akira on 14193 at 1430Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

A92GT - BAHRAIN - Juma was reported on 21010 yesterday starting just before 1800Z. QSL via EA7FTR.

IOTA

W5BOS, Lanny, will operate from two islands in Alaska between August 2nd and 7th. The first will be a new one, Semidi Islands (NA-235/P) using the call W5BOS/KL7. All of the Semidi Islands and associated rocks are part of the National Wilderness Preservation System and as designated Wilderness are closed to mechanical equipment such as generators. This operation will be battery power only. The second operation will be from Unavikshak Island (NA-238) using the call W5BOS/AL0. This island was activated last year but conditions were very poor and Lanny wants to give the guys that missed it another chance. This will be his final operations from Alaska. QSL both operations via N6AWD.

Next week a group will activate Cabras Island (NA-122), Dominican Republic. Plans are to have four stations on the air, including activity on 6 and 2 meters. They will be using special call HI0C from June 11th through 17th. QSL via ON4IQ.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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7-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A7JO	Bureau		11-089
7-Jun	18-Jun	3B6	3B6SP (AF-001)	SP9SX	11-111	108 101
7-Jun	7-Jun	3X	3XM6JR	UA6JR	11-110	058 023
7-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101
7-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109
7-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
7-Jun		9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX		11-111
7-Jun	7-Jun	A9	A92GT	EA7FTR		11-111
7-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R (AF-004)	ON7RU		11-104

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7-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI	11-090
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7-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI	11-097
7-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA	11-097
7-Jun	12-Jun	KL7	KL7FF (NA-041)		11-100
7-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
7-Jun	13-Jun	OH	OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096)	DG5XJ	11-085
7-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA		11-104
7-Jun	14-Jun	OY	OY/PA3BAG OY/PA0VHA	PA0VHA	11-111
7-Jun	7-Jun	OZ	OZ/DO2ML (EU-172)	DO2ML	11-110 075
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Today's Propagation Forecast

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Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet today through Saturday.

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The sunspot number for June 5, 2007 was 63.

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5X1GS	WB2YQH	HK3Q	W2GR	SE3TLG	SM3TLG
6H1MW	XE1MW	IM0/IQ5YL	IK5MEQ	SE5FUG	SM5FUG
9X0VB	UA4WHX	IU0IPY	I0YKN	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
A92GT	EA7FTR	ON1000B	ON5LL	TZ/TU5GV	F4DXW
CE2WQ	EA5KB	ON60AF	ON6KN	Z22JE	K3PD
GB6OTR	G3LHJ				

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL Manager W3HMK, Joe, reports his "outgoing mail is backed to the hilt waiting for the new USA 90 cent stamps". His Post Office originally reported they would have the stamps by the end of May and now they're saying another 10 days. So for those overseas waiting for QSLs from W3HMK please QRX.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3DA0GI, 5H3EE, 9A2AJ, 9U0X, EA8/IK1PMR, HK4QMH, HP1BYS, MM0SJH, P29PL, TY5MR, UK8DAN, VU7RG (Region I), XT2SE, YU6DZ

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5B4/UA9MA, 5J1W, 5W0OJ, 5Z4/OM2NW, 6W/HA7TM, A35TT, A41LZ, A45XM, C21XF, C6AOC, CS5A, DP1ANF, DT8A, E21EIC/p, EA8CAC, FO/JI1WTF, FO/JJ8DEN, FO5RH, FP/DJ2VO, H40HL, HI9/HA7TM, J79WP, JD1/JE7IZM, JT1FHD, JW7VK, JW8AJA, KH2/JR4GPA, MZ5A, OA1/DL2AH, R1ANF/p, SX9G, TA2/OK1FIA, TC3A, V63JQ, XF2ZEX, ZA/DL6LAU, ZA1DX, ZS2BS, ZV0F

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BX5AA, CU3AL, HV0A, MJ/K8PT

Corrections

EA7FTR (not EA7GTR) is the QSL manager for A92GT.

The last 9X operation from Rwanda was not late 1997 but rather early 1998.

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DX News

The International Telecommunications Union (ITU) bulletin # 885, dated June 1, 2007 reports "On the occasion of the 10th anniversary of Hong Kong's reunification with China, the Administration of Hong Kong (Special Administrative Region of China) authorizes amateur stations to use the special call sign prefix VR10 in replacement of VR2 from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008."

This weekend LX0SAR will be QRV from the SAR (Saarland)/LOR (Lorraine)/LUX (Luxembourg) ham meeting in Luxembourg. Activity will be on all bands and modes, including 4 and 6 meters. They will be operating from grid locator JO20xa. QSL LX0SAR via DK5VD.

Today at the North Jersey DX Association's (NJDXA) regular meeting special guest OH2BH, Martti Laine, will be giving a talk and slide show of the recent BS7H operation from Scarborough Reef. Your editor also plans to attend. Complete details and directions can be found on the NJDXA Web site at <http://www.njdx.org/> .

This Saturday look for some activity from the United Nations Headquarters station 4U1UN. LA5IIA, OH2BH and W3UR will be the ops. They'll be on sometime after sun up until around sunset. Exact schedule and band modes will not be decided until arrival. QSL as always via HB9BOU.

IARU Secretary K1ZZ, Dave Sumner, says "The annual IARU HF World Championship is held on the second full weekend of July. This year it will be held during the 24-hour period from 1200 UTC Saturday, 14 July to 1200 UTC Sunday, 15 July. Rules are at <http://www.iaru.org/contest.html>. Because this is unusually late in the month for the event to occur, there has been some confusion about the dates. The CORRECT dates are 14-15 July. Any references to 7-8 July are INCORRECT."

Look for EA8TL/EA6 to be QRV from July 31st to August 24th. He'll be on from Ibiza. Activity will be on 2, 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 meters SSB. His rig will be an IC706MKIIG running 100 watts on HF and 50 watts on VHF.

Special event station EW905B will be QRV by members of the Borisov ARC with activity through the end of November in celebration of the 905th anniversary of the city of Borisov. QSL via EW2EO.

QSN

YB1A - INDONESIA - East Coast US DXers reported working Halim on 18128 Thursday between 1200 and 1330Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EC8AXS	18150	2011	EU-047	DJ7JB/P	14259	0911
AS-018	UA0FAI	14010	1246	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14253	0805
AS-024	JA1KJW/6	18075	1415	EU-116	9A/OK2UQ	10110	2327
AS-077	JF6CHY	18120	1354	EU-172	OZ/DO2ML	3788	2036
EU-010	GM4KGK	18081	1600	NA-019	KL7QK	14007	0417
EU-016	9A8ABG	18145	0841	NA-099	NP3HM	28450	2246
EU-018	OY/PA0VHA	7037	2111	NA-107	FM5AA	18124	2204
EU-018	OY/PA3BAG	14240	0850	OC-012	V63SC	18150	0927
EU-037	SB3L	14212	2159				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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8-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A/ON4LUC	ON6DP		11-107
8-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A/OP0P	ON6DP		11-107
8-Jun	9-Jun	3A	3A7JO	Bureau		11-089
8-Jun	18-Jun	3B6	3B6SP (AF-001)	SP9SX	11-112	111 108
8-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101
8-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109
8-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
8-Jun		9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112	111
8-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R (AF-004)	ON7RU		11-104
8-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM2VDM	F5KDB		11-098
8-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099
8-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090
8-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG	PA7FM		11-093
8-Jun	10-Jun	FY	FY/G3SXW FY/G3TXF	home calls		11-106
8-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
8-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106
8-Jun	9-Jun	HI	IW2NEF/HI7 (NA-096)	IW2NEF		11-083
8-Jun	18-Jun	I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ		11-110
8-Jun	9-Jun	I	ID9/IK5BCM (EU-017)	IK5BCM	11-110	104
8-Jun	14-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB		11-097
8-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW		11-097
8-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI		11-097
8-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA		11-097
8-Jun	12-Jun	KL7	KL7FF (NA-041)			11-100
8-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
8-Jun	13-Jun	OH	OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096)	DG5XJ		11-085
8-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104
8-Jun	14-Jun	OY	OY/PA3BAG OY/PA0VHA	PA0VHA		11-111
8-Jun	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
8-Jun	20-Jun	SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ		11-101
8-Jun	21-Jun	TA	YM3CC	LX1CC		11-101
8-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
8-Jun	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095
8-Jun	10-Jun	YB	YC0IEM/9 (OC-150)	IZ8CCW		11-103
8-Jun	9-Jun		Ham Com		11-102	026

9-Jun	9-Jun	4U1/U	4U1UN	HB9BOU	11-113
9-Jun	11-Jun	CO	T49C (EL72 EL82 EL93 EL83 EL92)		11-104 099
9-Jun	10-Jun	EA8	AN8TID	EA8NQ	11-109
9-Jun	10-Jun	F	F6IRC/P	F5IRC	11-110
9-Jun	10-Jun	I	IQ3GA/3	I3PVB	11-109
9-Jun	19-Jun	I	Italian group IG9/home call	home calls	11-109
9-Jun	10-Jun	I	IY1SP	I1SAF	11-109
9-Jun	15-Jun	JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-108
9-Jun	9-Jun	KP4	KR7O/R (FK67, FK77, FK68, FK78)		11-108
9-Jun	17-Jun	SV	SY8AN (EU-067)	SV2DGH	11-103
9-Jun	24-Jun	V2	V26HS	WB4WXE	11-096
9-Jun	10-Jun		Museum Ships Weekend		11-111
10-Jun	16-Jun	EA8	EA8/PA3BWK	PA0ZE	11-110 055
10-Jun	24-Jun	F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104 099
10-Jun	13-Jun	TF	TF7/SM5ELV (EU-071)		11-050
11-Jun	17-Jun	HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-112 080 040
11-Jun	13-Jun	I	II5MD		11-099

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet today through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for June 6, 2007 was 47.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: CP6CW, DU1/NZ7X, HR9/WQ7R, J3/K4LTA, JT1DA, JW0HS, UK9AA, ZL7/KH0PR

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 2E0CNL, EI90, HS0ZBS

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: IZ0FKE, OX60AD, RX3AGD

On The WWW

The K3LR Contest video shown at Dayton is now up and running on the ICOM America Web site at <http://tinyurl.com/2a8v8n> . This is a very professional done video!

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DX News

KH0N and WH0C will be on from Saipan, Northern Marianas, June 15-19. This will be the Northern Kyushu DX Club's 14th expedition. JA6CNL and JA6AGA will have the two callsigns, respectively. Saipan is IOTA OC-086. They will be in the All-Asia DX Contest. Outside that event, they will spend some time on 30, 17 and 12M CW. QSL to their home calls or to NKDXC, P.O. Box 11, Yahata, Kitakyushu, 805-8691 Japan.

Another Japanese group will be going to V60, the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM), July 30-August 5. This will be to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Japan Amateur Radio League Kyoto Club. The six operators will be staying at the South Park Hotel, Pohnpei, IOTA OC-010. The operators have been assigned the special V60 callsigns to mark their club's 60 years. V60YAQ will be the club station there, issued to JI6DUE, with the personal callsign V60DU also issued to JI6DUE. V60IL will be JF3PLF's callsign, V63JJ is JA3ART's callsign (I would guess because he has oped there before and will use the call he was previously issued), V60KL will be Jn3JBC, V60TI will be JA3UWB and V60TX will be JH3TXR. QSL all via the JARL bureau. The ops thank Mark DeOrio, Frequency Manager at the FSM Department of Transportation, Communications & Infrastructure, for the licensing help.

Here is the latest we have on 3B7SP, the group that was headed to Agalega to op as 3B6SP then had problems with their ship and went back to St. Brandon where they are now operating as 3B7SP. North American "pilot station," VA3PL, Andy, says the catamaran did sustain severe damage en route to Agalega. A volcanic eruption on Reunion also caused their boat to be "badly shaken," and flooded, damaging the navigation gear and one of the engines, and possibly the second one too. They did send out a distress call over ham radio and a plane came to locate their exact position and a fishing boat, the Covadis, was sent to tow them to safety. All these unexpected problems caused the Polish team to revise their plan and head for St. Brandon, where they are now. They have no way to update their official web page that still talks about their Agalega plans. The web master is on St. Brandon with them. Andy says someone else in Poland may be setting up a web page for 3B7SP.

3B8FQ, Rachid, knows quite a bit about the St. Raphael Islands, the part of St. Brandon that the Polish ops are on. He has friends who work there and some Coast Guard people. He says there's nothing to worry about. Though the islands are small, they can expect good hospitality. He says St. Raphael is like a playground, by which I think he means it's relatively flat and bare. It has two buildings, one for the Coast Guard and the second a six-room bungalow for the meteorological services. There is no "running water," no commercial electric power, just one generator. There are two wideband G5RV antennas. Rachid says St. Raphael is actually more beautiful than Agalega, with lots of birds - lots

and lots of birds. He says this island is about 800 KM north of Agalega. Rachid says after their mishaps the op team were really tired and it would have made sense for them to return to Mauritius. They chose to continue their operation on 3B7 instead. Their own boat, the Josephina, is being repaired. The 3B7SP group expects to be on the air for 12 days total.

G3RWL will have his 8P6DR callsign on the air from Barbados September 28-October 13.

9A07P is a special event station from Croatia through the end of the year to celebrate the city of Djurdjevac. It will be on all bands and modes and will have a special QSL card with the whole story of the city. Work them and you'll get a card via the bureau.

CS26X, Portugal, July 16-22, will celebrate the 26th International Motard Meeting of Faro. Ops CT1EHX, CT1GFK, CT1GPQ, CT1IUA, CT2IHP, CT1DVG, CT1EPS, CT2IOV and CT2IOU will be on 160-6M including 30, 17 and 12, CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via CT1EHX, direct or bureau.

W7KFI, Susan Meckley, is on the way to KH3, Johnston Island, on her ship, USSV Dharma, and may have gotten there by now. She planned to be active on 80-10M SSB and CW, typically 36 kHz above the band edge. After one week of operation, she plans to go to the Marshall Islands, a 3-week voyage. As OPDX reports, Susan is a 70-year-old grandmother on a long voyage around the Pacific. <http://ussvdharma.net> and <http://www.qrz.com/callsign/W7KFI> each have info including audio of an interview with her. Additional stops on her itinerary: FO, Australs, Marquesas, Tahiti; ZK1 North Cook; KH8 American Samoa; 5V Western Samoa; ZK3 Tokelau; FW, Wallis and Fortuna; 3D2 Rotuma, VK9M Mellish Reef; H40 Temotu; VK9Z Willis Island; P29 Papua New Guinea; 9M8 Borneo; V8 Brunei; VU4 Andaman Islands; HS Thailand; H4 Solomon Islands; T30 Kiribati; YJ Vanuatu; FK New Caledonia; T2 Tuvalu; 9M2 Indonesia; V6 Marshall Islands; and the North Gilbert Islands. She will stop on other islands, additional "IOTA counters" within these island groups, as well. You can track the USSV Dharma by putting the W7KFI callsign in at <http://www.shiptrak.org>.

V31UB, Belize, will be Colin, KU5B, July 12-17. He will get on the air most nights on SSB and CW with some 6M possible also. He plays to be in the IARU contest July 14-15. QSL via KU5B.

AD1C, Jim Reisert, is moving to Colorado. W1YRC, Bob Beaudet, has accepted a nomination to become the New England member of the ARRL DX Advisory Committee in Jim's place.

G3SXW has given some info on his experience operating from FY, French Guiana. He says the hotel at Kourou is great. The ops are experiencing "typical equatorial conditions," both the weather and on the airwaves. The bands go quiet in the middle of the day but there have been good opening son 15 and 12M, "much to our pleasant surprise." Next they would be trying 80M and planned to be packed up and leaving for home this morning.

1A0KM, Sovereign Military Order of Malta, will be on July 12-22, with a multinational team led by IK0FVC Francesco. QSL via IK0FTA. They log may be put on LoTW.

NA6DF/HI7 will be on the air "holiday style" from Punta Cana, Dominican Republic, June 14-23. He'll be QRP, mostly 20-10M, CW and SSB. QSL to his home call.

IT9OPR, Pietro, will also be on holiday style, but from Puerto Rico, IOTA NA-099, June 15-28. He will be at the QTH of KP4AWX Flavio, and go mobiling with WP4CCQ, Pedro.

DB8JO, DJ5HD and DJ5ZWS will sign OX/home call from Nuuk, Greenland, June 14-25. QSL to their home calls. `JO will do the SSB, `HD will do CW, and `ZWS will handle digital modes, RTTY and PSK31. Look for them on 80-10M.

TZ/TU5GV, Mali, is on until June 15th. Fredo is on 80-10M. QSL via F4DXW, direct or bureau.

QSN

3B7SP - ST. BRANDON - On the 10th, they were on 7021 at 00Z, 14184 at 0240Z, 18105 at 03Z, at least working (from 3B7, in radio terms) nearby India, continued on those three frequencies for some hours, adding 14021 at about 0425Z, 21290 at 0745Z, 21021 at 0750Z, 14185 at 1035Z, 10140 RTTY at 1725Z, 7062 at 23Z and 3521 at 2350Z, on 40 and 80M as the zulu day ended. QSL via SP9SX.

9X0VB - RWANDA - On the 10th, he started on 40M, 7001, then 7070 at 00Z, 14215 at 0540Z, 24895 from 1545-1720Z and 14245 1730-0045Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	AN8TID	21200	1115	EU-096	OH1/DG5XJ	14260	1825
AF-015	3B7SP	14021	2120	EU-099	GJ0KYZ/P	14258	0815
AF-019	IG9/IZ1HGP	14251	2210	EU-124	MW/LY4Y	14215	0845
AS-020	BX5AA	14242	1200	EU-125	OZ/DC1ECD	7053	2100
AS-024	JK1EBA/6	14030	1355	EU-131	IQ3GA/3	21018	0945
AS-025	JAlKYW/6	18078	1620	EU-136	9A/OK2UQ	18077	1550
EU-003	CU2DX	7080	2250	EU-170	9A4A	14259	0550
EU-012	MM0XAU	18069	2120	EU-181	LZ/G0SGB/P	14264	1255
EU-024	IS0AFM	14185	2120	NA-122	HI0C	7094	1600
EU-042	DK8OL	14260	1310	OC-150	YC0IEM/9	21275	0720
EU-067	SY8AN	18138	2120	SA-020	FY/G3SXW	10121	0040

VK8NSB and VK8VTX may be able to get to Elcho Island, OC-185, for a few days, June 14-19. If they get there, they plan to be on CW, SSB, PSK and RTTY, using two stations on 80-10M. QSL via VK6NE.

LZ/G0SGB/p, Steve, will be on Sveti Ivan Island, EU-181, June 15-17. QSL to his home call.

I4FGG/IF9, Giacomo from Marettimo Island, EU-054, expected to be on by now, for an operation June 10-21. He planned to be on CW and SSB. He'll QSL all QSOs automatically via the bureau.

9A3MR, HA3HP and 9A2AA plan to be on from various islands in EU-170 June 16-20. They are activating islands for the IOTA, Islands of Croatia, Award. <http://www.inet.hr/9a6aa>. QSL to their home callsigns.

IH9/IT9BLB, Giuseppe will be on Pantelleria Island for the RSGB IOTA contest July 28-29, single op all band. QSL to his home call.

BD3APX/2, Zhang, will be on Juhua Island June 29-July 1, 40-10M CW, SSB, and digital. QSL to his home callsign.

VE3LYC/VY0, Cezar, and VY0/G3OCA, Ken, will be on from East Pen Island, NA-231, July 20-22. Plans are progressing well. By treaty agreement, Canadian and U.S. stations operating in either country use their portable designator after the call and others use the Canadian portable designator before their own callsign. QSL via VE3LYC direct or bureau. UK stations may QSL via G3OCA.

OZ/DL2VFR, Ric, says he will be on EU-171 June 16-22 and EU-088 June 25-30. He will be on CW using high power. He told JI6KVR that there was a lot of Japanese demand during his last visit and he will look for JA stations again, especially during his evening, 20-22Z. He will be using CW and high power.

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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11-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101
11-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109
11-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092
11-Jun		9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112	111
11-Jun	11-Jun	CO	T49C (EL72 EL82 EL93 EL83 EL92)		11-104	099
11-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R (AF-004)	ON7RU		11-104
11-Jun	16-Jun	EA8	EA8/PA3BWK	PA0ZE	11-110	055
11-Jun	24-Jun	F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104	099
11-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM2VDM	F5KDB		11-098
11-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099
11-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090
11-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG	PA7FM		11-093
11-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
11-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106
11-Jun	17-Jun	HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-112	080 040
11-Jun	18-Jun	I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ		11-110
11-Jun	13-Jun	I	II5MD			11-099
11-Jun	19-Jun	I	Italian group IG9/home	callhome	calls	11-109
11-Jun	14-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB		11-097
11-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW		11-097
11-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI		11-097
11-Jun	14-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA		11-097
11-Jun	15-Jun	JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108
11-Jun	12-Jun	KL7	KL7FF (NA-041)			11-100
11-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
11-Jun	13-Jun	OH	OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096)	DG5XJ		11-085
11-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104
11-Jun	14-Jun	OY	OY/PA3BAG OY/PA0VHA	PA0VHA		11-111
11-Jun	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
11-Jun	17-Jun	SV	SY8AN (EU-067)	SV2DGH		11-103
11-Jun	20-Jun	SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ		11-101
11-Jun	21-Jun	TA	YM3CC	LX1CC		11-101
11-Jun	13-Jun	TF	TF7/SM5ELV (EU-071)			11-050
11-Jun	24-Jun	V2	V26HS	WB4WXE		11-096
11-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
11-Jun	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095
12-Jun	22-Jun	SV	SY8WT (EU-060)	SV2HPP	11-096	073
12-Jun	24-Jun	TA	TA4/GI4FUE			11-108
13-Jun	18-Jun	SV	J48MDC (EU-067)			11-103

14-Jun	4W	4W6AAD	VK3ZGW	11-085
14-Jun 27-Jun	ON	ON4LO (EU-145)		11-095
15-Jun 22-Jun	HB0	HB0/PA0ABM	PA0ABM	11-092
15-Jun 18-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-017)	7N4AGB	11-097
15-Jun 18-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-017)	JA1KJW	11-097
15-Jun 18-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-017)	JJ1JGI	11-097
15-Jun 18-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-017)	JK1EBA	11-097
15-Jun 3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
16-Jun 7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ	11-110
16-Jun 17-Jun	CT	CS2FD		11-110
16-Jun 23-Jun	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-171)	DL2VFR	11-109

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low to low. There may be some C-class activity.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled through midweek.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for June 9, 2007 was 19, a decline from 63 four days earlier and 51 the day before.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, FO/N6JA and SV9GPV.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5R8HL, 9M6/G3OOK, FS/DL7DF, OM8ON, PJ7/DL7DF, SV5/SM8C, T30CXX, T32MO, VQ9LA and ZD8Q.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: KH6/N0CO, MJ/K8PT, MM0BSM, OE3SGU, P40L, SP9RCL, UA4LCH, UR0MC and UW2M.

Confirmations received via eQSL: 7Z1HL, HK6DOS and KP4ED.

On The WWW

Scientists have found a new way to detect harmful radiation explosions from the Sun - read the article in the latest Sky & Telescope at <http://www.skyandtelescope.com/news/home/7785516.html> .

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DX News

DL7DF, Sigi Presch, has announced plans for a multi-op team going to Burundi from September 26 to October 9, 2007. The group will use the call 9U0A. Activity is expected on 6 through 160 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV. The experienced crew will include DK1BT, Manfred; DL4WK, Wolf; DL7DF, Sigi; DL7UFN; Jan; DL7UFR, Frank; and SP3DOI, Leszek. The team will emphasize the low bands. For equipment they will have four transceivers (two K2's, an IC-706 and an IC7000) and three TY900 KW amplifiers. The antennas will include a Titanex V80E, 18 meter low band vertical, a four square on 30 and 40 meters, two hexbeams for 10-20 meters, a five element yagi for 6 meters and several beverages for the low bands. Plans are to have on-line logs, which are expected to be updated during the DXpedition. The pilot station for this operation will be DF3CB, Bernd (bernd@df3cb.com).
QSL via DL7DF either direct or via the bureau. Direct QSLs can be sent to Sigi Presch, Wilhelmsmuehlenweg 123, D-12621 Berlin, Germany.
Direct requests should send SAE (self addressed envelope) and one IRC or two US\$ for outside of Europe and one IRC or one US\$ for mail within Europe. For more information on this DXpedition check out their Web page at <http://www.dl7df.com/9u/>.

The ARRL is reporting that LOTW will be done for about 24 hours starting around 4 PM (20Z) Monday June 11th. "This extended outage is necessary to upgrade the LoTW server at ARRL Headquarters."

Officers for 2007/2008 for the West Virginia DX Association (WVDXA) were elected this past weekend. They are:

President - W8TN, Clark Stewart
Vice-President - W8OI, Garry Ritchie
Treasurer/Trustee - WA8WV, Dave Ellis
Secretary - W8HC, Hal Turley

For more information on the WVDXA check out their home page at <http://www.wvdx.org/>.

W2GD, Jon, is heading to his P40W station on Aruba. Look for activity during the IARU HF World Championship. QSL via N2MM.

The African DX Safaris DXpedition team heading to Botswana in July, lead by K5LBU, now has a Web page up and running at <http://www.tdxs.net/A2.html>. They may have an on-line log search available after the DXpedition team returns home.

3B7SP - ST. BRANDON - NT5C, John, reports good signals from this group on 40 meters (7062/7154) Monday around 0120Z. West Coast ops had an opening on 17 CW at 0445Z. The Polish team was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 3521 7062
01 3521 7062
02 3521 7062 14185
03 7062 14021 14185
04 14021 14185 18104
05 14021 14185 21290
06 14021 18104 21021 21290
07 14185 18104 21021 21290
08 14185 21021
09 14185 18104 21021
10 18104 21021 21290
11 18104 21021 21290
12 18104 21021 21290
13 14185 18104 21021
14 7063 21021
15 7063 14185
16 3521 7063 10121 14185
17 7063 10102 10121
18 3521 7063 10121
19 7063 10121 14021
20 7063 10121 14021
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22 3521 7063 10121 14021
23 3521 7063 14021

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - Japanese ops reported working NL7Z, TA2ZAF, UR5EDU and UT5QF yesterday. US ops found FM5JC, KL7FF and V26HS active. Western Europeans were working FM5JC and V26HS.

9Q - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - All three of the only three legitimate 9Q ops are back in country and QRV again. They are 9Q1D, 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB.

9X0VB - RWANDA - The US West Coast had a nice opening Sunday evening (West Coast time) to Vladimir on 20 meters SSB that lasted roughly from 00-01Z June 11th. Vladimir was reported Monday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 14245
01 14245
02 14245
11 14041
19 10102
20 10102
21 10102
22 10105
23 10105

EX8QB - KYRGYSTAN - Victor like 20 CW around 0100 and 1500Z.

FM/G3SXW - MARTINIQUE - Roger made an announced side trip from FY to FM and was QRV for about an hour today starting

about 0500Z on 20 meters. QSL via G3SXW.

FY - FRENCH GUIANA - FY/G3SXW, Roger, and FY/G3TXF, Nigel, wrapped up their operation Monday just after 0800Z. QSL via their home calls.

JT1CO - MONGOLIA - European 30 meter ops found Chak on 10106 after 17Z.

OY/PA0VHA - FAROE ISLANDS - Hans was doing RTTY on 14086 at 1100Z.

SY8AN - GREECE - Prefix and IOTA (EU-067) hunters were working this one on 15 through 40 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via SV2DGH.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Tom was doing PSK on 14071 yesterday and today after 00Z. QSL via ZL2HGR.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/PA3BWK	10104	2330	EU-067	SY8AN	18145	1944
AF-004	EC8AFM	14194	2337	EU-071	TF/SM5ELV	14018	1200
AF-015	3B7SP	14021	0440	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14155	1624
AF-019	IG9/IZ1DFG	18146	1108	EU-096	OH1/DG5XJ	14257	1716
AF-019	IG9/IZ1HGP	14253	1749	EU-125	OZ/DK3WM/P	7022	2123
AS-018	UA0FAI	14083	2120	EU-127	DHYPA9/P	7052	0737
AS-028	JK1EBA/6	14030	1217	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14265	1653
EU-003	CU2DX	18155	2137	EU-171	OZ0BB	14258	2135
EU-004	EA6AEI	14238	1918	EU-174	SV8/DL1BKK	14260	1636
EU-028	IA5/I1SJK	14250	1559	EU-181	LZ/G0SGB	14260	1156
EU-051	IE9/I5HLK	14084	2125	NA-041	KL7FF	50125	2122
EU-054	I4FGG/IF9	14258	1651	NA-122	HI0C	14283	2021
EU-054	IF9/I4FGG	14258	1706	OC-013	E51JD	14275	0310

Members of the Holyland DX Group will be active as 4X7AZ from Akhziv Island (AS-100) from 0700 July 28th through 1200Z on July 29th. Team members include 4Z4KX, Mark; 4Z5LA, Ros; 4X6HP, Yuli; 4Z5FI, Reuven; and 4X1VF, Jan. They will be QRV on 10 through 80 meters CW and SSB.

Plans are to have two stations. Also they will be active during the RSGB IOTA Contest. The group has a Web page at <http://www.4z5la.net/4x7az/>. QSL via 4Z5LA.

Look for DL1FT, Frank, to be QRV as ES0FTZ from Saaremaa Island (EU-034) from July 11th to 22nd.

JN4MBO/4 will be active from Manabe Island (AS-117) on June 12th. QSL via JN4MBO either direct or via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
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12-Jun 18-Jun 3B7	3B7SP (AF-015)	SP9SX	11-114	112	111
12-Jun 30-Jun 5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101	
12-Jun 30-Jun 5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109	
12-Jun 30-Jun 9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ		11-092	
12-Jun	9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112	111
12-Jun 13-Jun EA8	EA8/OQ7R (AF-004)	ON7RU		11-104	
12-Jun 16-Jun EA8	EA8/PA3BWK	PA0ZE		11-110	055
12-Jun 24-Jun F	TM2RHC	F4EUN		11-104	099
12-Jun 15-Jun F	TM2VDM	F5KDB		11-098	
12-Jun 15-Jun F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099	
12-Jun 17-Jun F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090	
12-Jun 14-Jun F	TM6MG	PA7FM		11-093	
12-Jun 28-Jun GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106	
12-Jun 30-Jun HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106	
12-Jun 17-Jun HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-112	080	040
12-Jun 18-Jun I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ		11-110	
12-Jun 21-Jun I	I4FGG/IF9 (EU-054)			11-114	
12-Jun 13-Jun I	II5MD			11-099	
12-Jun 19-Jun I	Italian group IG9/home call	home calls		11-109	
12-Jun 14-Jun JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB		11-097	
12-Jun 14-Jun JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW		11-097	
12-Jun 14-Jun JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI		11-097	
12-Jun 14-Jun JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA		11-097	
12-Jun 15-Jun JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108	
12-Jun 12-Jun KL7	KL7FF (NA-041)			11-100	
12-Jun 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100	
12-Jun 13-Jun OH	OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096)	DG5XJ		11-085	
12-Jun 9-Jul OM	OM9ACA			11-104	
12-Jun 14-Jun OY	OY/PA3BAG OY/PA0VHA	PA0VHA		11-111	
12-Jun 30-Jun SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095	
12-Jun 17-Jun SV	SY8AN (EU-067)	SV2DGH		11-103	
12-Jun 22-Jun SV	SY8WT (EU-060)	SV2HPP	11-096	073	
12-Jun 20-Jun SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ		11-101	
12-Jun 24-Jun TA	TA4/GI4FUE			11-108	
12-Jun 21-Jun TA	YM3CC	LX1CC		11-101	
12-Jun 13-Jun TF	TF7/SM5ELV (EU-071)			11-050	
12-Jun 15-Jun TZ	TZ/TU5GV	F4DXW		11-114	
12-Jun 24-Jun V2	V26HS	WB4WXE		11-096	
12-Jun 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081	
12-Jun 20-Jun YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-095	

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet today and Wednesday. Expect unsettled to active conditions, with isolated minor storm periods at high latitudes, on Thursday as a coronal hole rotates into a geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for June 10, 2007 was 14.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
3B7SP	SP9SX	CN8LI	ON4ANT	OH1/DG5XJ	DG5XJ
3B8/RX3DD	RX3DD	CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	ON1000B	ON5LL
3V8SS	IK0REH	CT1/G3SED	G3SED	OX3XR	OZ3PZ
3V8SS	IK0REH	DL100DAN	DK1QO	P4/W1XP	W1XP
4K5D	K2PF	DT0HH	DS3FGV	RI1NU	RN1NU
4K9W	DL6KVA	EE1TEA	EA1UY	SE5FUG	SM5FUG
4L1MA	ON4RU	EK6YL	SP9ERV	SY8AN	SV2DGH
4L4WW	EA7FTR	EM80AG	UT0AZA	SZ6P	SV1BJW
4U1UN	HB9BOU	EX2F	RW6HS	TA3J	TA3YJ
4W6AAV	HL5FUA	FY/G3SXW	G3SXW	TC800YOM	TA1HZ
4X1FQ	AA4V	FY/G3TXF	G3TXF	TM2RHC	F4EUN
5B/G3RWF	G3RWF	HC2SL	EA5KB	TM2SME	F4FFL
5H3EE	DL4SM	HF1PBW	SP1PBW	TR8CA	F6CBC
7Q7WW	KC4D	HH2FJM	F5RPB	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HH2FYD	F6FYD	TZ/TU5GV	F4DXW
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HI0C	ON4IQ	UE1SNA/P	RA1QQ
9A/DK2CH	DK2CH	HI3HN	OE7NHT	UK8OK	EA7FTR
9Q1D	SM5BFJ	HI9CF	DL4NCF	V63SC	JM1LBO
9Q1EK	SM5DQC	HV0A	IK0FVC	W2W	W3HEM
A61Q	EA7FTR	II5MD	IK5DND	YC0IEM/9	IZ8CCW
A61TX	W4JS	II8IPY	I8ACB	YM3CC	LX1CC
A92Q	EA7FTR	IY0IMD	IK0WGF	YU60BCD	YU6BCD
AN8TID	EA8NQ	J28JA	F5JFU	Z38C	HA1RS
C6AGN	W1DIG	KH6BB	K1ER		

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QSL cards for the January 2007 1A4A operation from Sovereign Military Order of Malta continue to be sent out. IZ4AKS, Giorgio, reports about 55% of the cards have been mailed. They have received more than 10,000 QSLs. So they are still working on the QSLs and there is no need to resubmit at this time.

Those going to Hamradio 2007 (Friedrichshafen) and who are missing QSLs for QSOs with 4U1ITU (after 1985) can pick up your QSLs on June 22nd and 23rd. Just have your QSO data with you and observe the working hours of the QSL manager which will be published at the booth.

The QSL manager will sign the 4U1ITU and 4U1WRC QSL cards only if the QSO is in the 4U1ITU online log at <http://life.itu.ch/radioclub/4u1/index.php> (editor's note: the page was not working correctly today at press time.)

SM5DQC, Osten, reports receiving his SV2ASP/A 30 meter QSL for a QSO on May 19, 2007.

YT1VP, Vlada, reports the following Bulgarian special event stations will be active along with the QSL routes:

Call	Dates	QSL via bureau to
LZ2007EU	January 1 - April 30, 2007	LZ1BJ
LZ7HQ	January 1 - December 31, 2007	LZ1BJ
LZ07KM	May 5 - May 31, 2007	LZ1PJ
LZ04ANT	February 19 - February 28, 2007	LZ3SM
LZ07IPY	March 1 - December 31, 2007	LZ3SM
LZ50DX	January 1 - December 31, 2007	LZ1AF
LZ170VL	January 1 - December 31, 2007	LZ1KZA

LZ129LO	March 1 - March 31, 2007	LZ1KZA
LZ26ZA	October 1, 2007 - October 31, 2007	LZ1KZA
LZ1195IR	November 1 - November 30, 2007	LZ1KZA
LZ130SV	March 3, 2007 - March 3, 2008	LZ2LE

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3D2TZ, 7O1YGF, 9U0X, A22/JA4ATV, C5DXC, CP6/KM00, EA6UN, ES0QD (EU-034), FG5FR, HV0A, IK4GRO, JT1CO, KH0PR, LU7HF, PT7AG, SV2APS/A, VU7MY (Region I), VU7RG (Region I), YT6A, ZK2PR, ZL7/KH0PR

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5J1W, AL9A, BG4SGP, CX4SS, DJ2PR, EA8AH, FP/K9OT, G0TQT, G3RGD, G4DIE, G8XDX, GI4KSH, GI4SJQ, LN2HQ, MW2I, NP2/AB8CK, OH0I, OH0JFP, OH3JF, OH7A, OK1BA, PT7AZ, RA0LL, S50R, S52OT, S52W, S53EO, S53M, S59DKR, S59Z, SV5/G4OBK, T96Q, TZ6DX, UA0FLZ, UA0LKD, UA1QV, UT3UA, V63JQ, W6YM/KH6, XU7MWA

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H

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DX News

G0TSM, Darren, is heading back to The Gambia. He'll be there with his family between June 19th and 29th so his operating as C52T although his time will be limited. Darren will spend his time mostly on 6 meters. His QTH will be just 100 yards from the ocean and he'll have access to the roof. Plans are to have an IC7000 plus 100 watts into a 3 element 6 meter yagi. If he does operate on HF he'll use wires. QSL via G0TSM.

This year's IARU HF World Championship takes place on July 14th and 15th. Complete rules can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2007/iaru.html>.

Members of Rede dos Emissores Portugueses (REP), Portugal's IARU society, will be participating in the IARU HF World Championship with special call CS7HQ. Expected ops will be: CT1EEB, CT1FJK, CT1EEQ, CT1DRB, CT1ILT, CT1CJJ, CT1BOH, CT1BOL, CT1GFK, CT1IUA, CT1GPQ, CT1APE, CT2GLO, CT1AOZ and others. QSL via CT1REP either direct or via the bureau.

This year's Slovak team will use OM7HQ in the IARU HF World Championship. The Slovak Amateur Radio Association will be giving out the SARA multiplier. QSL via OM3JW.

Next door members of the Czech Radio Club (CRC) will be active again as OL4HQ. Possible operators would include: OK1ADM, OK1AN, OK1AU, OK1AXB, OK1CF, OK1DIG, OK1DSZ, OK1DTC, OK1DUO, OK1DVM, OK1GI, OK1FFU, OK1FPS, OK1HGM, OK1HMP, OK1HRA, OK1IC, OK1IEC, OK1IPS, OK1KT, OK1NP, OK1RI, OK1RF, OK1TRM, OK1WMV, OK1VS, OK1VUM, OK1VWK, OK1WF, OK1WMR, OK1ZP, OK2CLW, OK2CMW and OK3RM. QSL cards go via the QSL bureau and all will be uploaded to LoTW.

Members of the Hong Kong Amateur Radio Transmitting Society (HARTS) HQ Station VR2HK will be operating special event station VR10HK in celebration of the 10th anniversary of Hong Kong's reunification with China. VR10 (Victor Radio One Zero) activity will begin July 1st and continue through June 30, 2008. HARTS will use the special call VR10HK during the IARU HF World Championship, on July 14th and 15th.

The following San Diego DX Club (SDDXC) members have been elected to serve for the club year July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008:

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Board of Directors: K6GO, Gayle Olson; W6YI, Jim Stevenson; and NN6R, Wayne Zimmerman.

For more info on the SDDXC check out their Web page at <http://www.sddxc.org/>.

Silent Key

Wisconsin DXer W9RF (formerly W9NVJ), Christ Bauer, passed away on Sunday June 10th at the age of 92. Christ's DXCC total was 359 at the time of his death. A Morse instructor for the Air Force during WW II, Christ was the long-time Chief Engineer of Radio Station WHBL.

QSN

3B7SP - ST. BRANDON - The Polish team were reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 3521 7021 7063
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16 7062 14021 14185
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3V8SS - TUNISIA - Dan has been showing up the last few days on 20 CW between 18 and 21Z. QSL this operation only via IK0REH.

9X0VB - RWANDA - Vladimir was found Tuesday as follows: 10110 (0000-0215Z), 7003 (0230-0300Z), 24895 (0840-0900Z), 21001 (0900-1500Z), 24940 (1500-1600Z), 7001 (2100-2330Z), 1823 (0000-0100Z).

OD5ET - LEBANON - Joe, in Beirut, was working across Europe on 28492 from 15 to 16Z yesterday.

OY/PA0VHA - FAROE ISLANDS - RTTY ops found Hans on 20 meters from 1330 to 1430Z.

SZ2TSL - GREECE - Prefix hunters worked this unique one on 18152 after 2000Z.

YA/9A4ZD - AFGHANISTAN - Dejan was camped out on 14260 around

1730Z.

IOTA

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IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7SP	14021	1553	EU-071	TF/SM5ELV	14020	2318
AF-019	IG9/IW2NOD	7050	2024	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	1403
AF-019	IG9/IZ1DFG	14251	2120	EU-096	OH1/DG5XJ	14264	1740
AF-019	IG9/IZ1HGP	7050	2040	EU-125	OZ/DK3WM/P	7012	2340
AF-054	IT9RYH	14195	1344	EU-125	OZ/DL2RSS	14090	1927
AS-024	JA1KJW/6	10109	1957	EU-127	DL0DWD	10103	2055
EU-009	GM0ED	14260	2048	EU-135	9A2HQ/P	7012	0428
EU-012	MM0XAU	18072	1823	EU-170	9A4A/P	14012	0530
EU-015	SV9CVZ	14089	2328	EU-174	SV8/DL1BKK	14259	2032
EU-029	OZ2A	7065	1930	EU-181	LZ/G0SGB/P	14263	1003
EU-051	IE9/I5HLK	14080	1958	NA-122	HI0C	14260	2349
EU-054	I4FGG/IF9	14034	2039	OC-022	YB9AQH	14070	0730
EU-060	SV8EUV	14054	1941	SA-008	LU8XW	14040	1914
EU-067	SV8/LA6IKA/P	14069	1939	SA-012	YV5ESN	14071	0116
EU-067	SY8AN	18140	1959	SA-027	PP5BI	21020	1955

Brazilian ops PU1NEZ/p, Carl; PU1UZH/p, Charles; PY1AAV/p, Tony; PY1LVF/p, Vieira; PY1NDK/p, Flavio; PY1NEZ/p, Lima; and PY1VOY/p, Rick; will be QRV Santana Island (SA-077) from July 12 to 15.

Activity will be on 10 through 80 meters on CW and SSB. They will also use the Rio de Janeiro Branch of Brazilian Boy Scout Association call sign PY1ERR/p. QSL via PY1NEZ.

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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13-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101	
13-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109	
13-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-115	092	
13-Jun		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-115	
13-Jun		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC		11-115	
13-Jun		9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112	111	
13-Jun	13-Jun	EA8	EA8/OQ7R (AF-004)	ON7RU		11-104	
13-Jun	16-Jun	EA8	EA8/PA3BWK (AF-004)	PA0ZE	11-110	055	
13-Jun	24-Jun	F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104	099	
13-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM2VDM	F5KDB		11-098	
13-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099	
13-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090	
13-Jun	14-Jun	F	TM6MG	PA7FM		11-093	
13-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106	
13-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106	
13-Jun	17-Jun	HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-112	080	040
13-Jun	18-Jun	I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ		11-110	
13-Jun	21-Jun	I	I4FGG/IF9 (EU-054)			11-114	
13-Jun	13-Jun	I	II5MD	IK5DND		11-099	

13-Jun 19-Jun I	Italian group IG9/home	callhome calls	11-109
13-Jun 14-Jun JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-024)	7N4AGB	11-097
13-Jun 14-Jun JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-024)	JA1KJW	11-097
13-Jun 14-Jun JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-024)	JJ1JGI	11-097
13-Jun 14-Jun JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA	11-097
13-Jun 15-Jun JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-108
13-Jun 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
13-Jun 13-Jun OH	OH1/DG5XJ (EU-096)	DG5XJ	11-085
13-Jun 9-Jul OM	OM9ACA		11-104
13-Jun 14-Jun OY	OY/PA3BAG OY/PA0VHA	PA0VHA	11-111
13-Jun 30-Jun SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
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13-Jun 24-Jun TA	TA4/GI4FUE		11-108
13-Jun 21-Jun TA	YM3CC	LX1CC	11-101
13-Jun 13-Jun TF	TF7/SM5ELV (EU-071)		11-050
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5H3RK	VK4VB	IG9/IW2NOD	IW2NOD	V26HS	WB4WXE
AN7SIX	PA7FM	IG9/IZ1HGP	IZ1HGP	VP6TD	ZL2HGR
EA8/PA3BWK	PA0ZE	TM2VDM	F5KDB	ZA1E	I2MQP
FM/G3SXW	G3SXW	TM6ACO	F6KFI		

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9M4SDX, CE1/K7CA, CN2R, KH6MD, ST2R, VK9DNX, VP2MTE, WH2D, XF2K, ZL7/KH0PR, ZK2PR, ZL4WW,

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CE1VLY, CX2AM, DU9/G4UNL, EM5U, GB5SPD, GM2T, HP3XBS, J88DR, JW9VDA, M0WLF, OK1DVM, OL4HQ, RU1A, S58D, UR0VK, XU7AYY, YV5KG, ZD8I, ZL6LH, ZM2M

Credits

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VK3ZGW, Geoff, was in Darwin, Australia yesterday on his way to Dili, East Timor, where he is expected today. First thing he will do is set up the shack and plans to be QRV as 4W6AAD on 14185 around 1000Z for several hours. QSL via VK3ZGW.

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are in Samoa. Mike has renewed his 5W0MO callsign. Currently they are anchored in the harbor at Apia. At this time they do not know if they will be active from 5W, other than maritime mobile. Also no word on where they will go next.

3D2MP, Mike, is on holiday on Viti Levu Island, Fiji and has been checking into the Anza Net on 14183 after 0500Z.

The Cayman Islands Amateur Radio Society (CARS) station ZF1A will be active during the IARU HF World Championship on July 14th and 15th. The current team lineup will be ZF2AH (W6VNR), ZF2LA (K9LA), ZF2YL (AE9YL) and ZF1DJ.

The Japan Amateur Radio League (JARL) will participate in the upcoming IARU HF World Championship Contest using the following five HQ Stations from several different call areas in Japan.

8N1HQ (Chiba), 20 CW, 10 SSB, Ops: JA1BPA, JA1DYB, JF1SXY, JG1ILF, JG1VGX, JM1LPN, JM7WXN

8N1HQ (Tokyo), 160 CW, 15 SSB, Ops: JA1HGY, JA1WPX, JA1CCO, JK1OPL

8N3HQ (Nara), 80 SSB, 20 SSB, 15 CW, Ops: JL3JRY, JA3HBF, JS3CTQ, JL3DYW, JE3RZT, 7J3AOZ, JR3EOI, JF3EIG, JF3PLF, JH3BDB, JH3GXF, JN4QIN, JR3QHQ, JH5JKH, JA3AVO, JA3UJR, JH3AGV, JG3RWX

8N3HQ (Hyougo), 40 CW, Ops: JH3PRR, JH3AIU, JP3PZD, Y. Kawaguchi

8N4HQ (Okayama), 80 CW, 40 SSB, 10 CW, Ops: JH4WBY, JH4UTP, JF3NRI, JR4ISF, JA4ITW, JH4VDP, JF4ETK, JS1PWV, JH4CES, JH4IFF, JE4MHL, JH4NMT

QSL all JARL 8N stations via the bureau.

The Lithuanian Amateur Radio Society will be represented by headquarters station LY0HQ in the IARU HF Championship 2007. The station will be operated by following operators: LY1BA, LY1CM, LY1FW, LY2CY, LY2GV, LY2IJ, LY2L, LY2OX, LY2T, LY2TA, LY4Q, LY6A, LY7M and LY80. They will be handing out the LRMD (Lietuvos Radijo Megeju Draugija) multiplier.

BV0HQ will be the Chinese Taipei Amateur Radio League (CTARL) callsign during the IARU Contest next month. QSL via bureau.

W1AW, the American Radio Relay League station will be operating as W1AW/4 from North Carolina during the IARU HF World Championship. QSL via W1AW.

The International Amateur Radio Union (IARU) station NU1AW will be QRV from Vermont for the IARU HF W C. QSL via NU1AW.

Poland will be represented in the IARU contest next month as SN0HQ (PZK).

On their way to Friedrichshafen - HAMRADIO - F2JD, F5JY, F6BFH and N6OX will be operating from Liechtenstein as HB0/homecall from June 19 to 22. They will be on CW and SSB on the HF bands and possibly on 6 meters.

Starting July 14th F5LMJ, Alain will QRV with special call TO5J from Martinique. He'll be mostly on CW and the digital modes until July 28.

W7KFI, Susan, had yet another delay in getting to Johnston Island (KH3). She had a terrible toothache and had to head back to Honolulu for oral surgery. This will delay her another two weeks.

QSN

OX3PG - GREENLAND - Dwayne was QRV on 14185 Wednesday after 0000Z.

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AF-019	IG9/IZ1HCG	14253	0708	EU-123	MM0/OM5FM	14255	2100
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14007	2206	EU-125	OZ/DC1ECD	18145	1537
EU-001	SV5FRD	28475	1737	EU-136	9A/OK1DSM	10121	1939
EU-004	EA6AEI	14169	1958	EU-136	9A/OK2UQ	14012	2247
EU-038	PA/M0OVL/M	14260	2249	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14250	1713
EU-044	LA/5P5C/P	14260	2107	NA-018	OX3PG	14185	0014
EU-049	SV8/ON4AUB	14260	0630	NA-122	HI0C	14264	2106
EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	14071	2100	SA-008	LU8XW	14040	2000
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EU-067	SY8AN	14235	2027				

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14-Jun 30-Jun 5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA	11-109
14-Jun 30-Jun 9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-115 092
14-Jun 9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-115
14-Jun 9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-115
14-Jun 9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112 111
14-Jun 16-Jun EA8	EA8/PA3BWK (AF-004)	PA0ZE	11-110 055
14-Jun 24-Jun F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104 099
14-Jun 15-Jun F	TM2VDM	F5KDB	11-098
14-Jun 15-Jun F	TM5BBC	F2UW	11-099
14-Jun 17-Jun F	TM6ACO	F6KFI	11-090
14-Jun 14-Jun F	TM6MG	PA7FM	11-093
14-Jun 28-Jun GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV	11-106
14-Jun 30-Jun HA	HG7DANUBE		11-106
14-Jun 17-Jun HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-112 080 040
14-Jun 23-Jun HI	NA6DF/HI7 (NA-096)	NA6DF	11-114
14-Jun 18-Jun I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ	11-110
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14-Jun 14-Jun JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-024)	JK1EBA	11-097
14-Jun 15-Jun JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-108
14-Jun 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
14-Jun 9-Jul OM	OM9ACA		11-104
14-Jun 27-Jun ON	ON4LO (EU-145)		11-095
14-Jun 25-Jun OX	DB8JO/OX	DB8JO	11-114
14-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5HD/OX	DJ5HD	11-114
14-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5ZWS/OX	DJ5ZWS	11-114
14-Jun 14-Jun OY	OY/PA3BAG OY/PA0VHA	PA0VHA	11-111
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4L4C	DJ1CW	A52VE	JF1OCQ	LA/5P5C/P	OZ1DW
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	CP6AA	IK6SNR	UO50F	RW6HS
6H1XR	XE1XR	HZ1GW	GW0RHC		

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H

On The WWW

G3TXF, Nigel, has posted photos of his and G3SXW's, Roger, trip to French Guiana (FY) at http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/FY_G3TXF/FY.html .

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DX News

During the IARU HF World Championship, July 14th and 15th, several individual officers of the IARU can operate and do count as multipliers. VE6SH, Tim, plans to be QRV giving out the AC multiplier. Other individual multipliers include R1, R2 and R3.

The RSGB will be fielding a new callsign this year for the IARU HF Championship, GB7HQ (see <http://www.gb7hq.com/>). This list of operators and QTHs is still being finalized at this time, more information will be forwarded when available. GB7HQ intends to be active on all the HF contest bands on both CW and SSB; the contest exchange will be 'RSGB'. To recognize contacts with GB7HQ, G3LZQ has kindly agreed again to manage an awards program, with a series of attractive certificates on offer (see <http://www.gb7hq.com/Award-Info.html>):

Bronze award - contact GB7HQ on three band/modes Silver award - contact GB7HQ on six band/modes Gold award - contact GB7HQ on nine band/modes Platinum award - contact GB7HQ on all twelve band/modes

As was the case with previous GB5HQ activities, the QSL manager for GB7HQ will be G3TXF, Nigel: direct, bureau and LOTW (See <http://www.gb7hq.com/QSL-Info.html>).

Bulgarian Federation of Radio Amateurs will take part in IARU HF Championship with call sign LZ7HQ and giving out the BFRA multiplier. There will be a big team of operators, not fixed at this point. QSLs via the LZ QSL Bureau.

The Romanian Amateur Radio Federation (FRR) will be QRV in the IARU HF World Championship with special call YR0HQ. QSL via the bureau (FRR P.O. Box 22-50 Bucuresti RO-014780 Romania).

Norway's LN2HQ station will be QRV during the IARU contest next month handing out the NRRL multiplier. A list of stations they will be using and suggested frequencies can be found at http://www.nrnl.no/ln2hq/2007/ln2hq_2007_index.html. QSL via the bureau.

EI0HQ will be representing Ireland in the IARU Contest. This is the Irish Radio Transmitters Society (IRTS). QSL via EI4BZ.

Members of the Malaysian Amateur Radio Transmitters' Society (MARTS) will activate 9M4DXX for the IARU HF World Championship on July 14th and 15th. They will be operating from Penang Island (AS-015) with a single transmitter and multiple operators on 10 through 160 meters on CW and SSB. QSL direct to 9M2TO or via the bureau.

PA6HQ will be this year's Vereniging voor Experimenteel Radio Onderzoek in Nederland (VERON) team from the Netherlands. They will be operating from the following five stations: PA3GCV, PA0IJM, PI4ZI, PI4CC and PI4COM.

During the IARU HF World Championship the German Deutscher Amateur Radio Club (DARC) will be QRV as DA0HQ. They will be operating from 12 different stations.

Look for KG6ZWD, Art, to be QRV as SV1/KG6ZWD/P from July 11-15 and 24- 25. He'll be operating from Nea Makri, Attica, Greece. Art will also operate as SV8/KG6ZWD/P from the Greek Aegean Island of Andros (EU-067) July 17-23. He'll be using SSB and PSK31 on 10 through 40 meters operating in his spare time, as this is a vacation. QSL via KG6ZWD either direct, via the ARRL QSL bureau or eQSL.

W0CZE, Hank, will be operating as YJ0CZE from Vanuatu between July 14th and 21st. He'll be on CW and SSB on 10 through 80 meters. Suggested frequencies are as follows:

CW - 3505, 7010, 10105, 14020, 18075, 21025, 24895 and 28020 SSB - 3795, 7082, 14190, 14250, 18150, 21295, 24950 and 28495

QSL cards for YJ0CZE go via W0FF.

SM7CRW, John, is using special call SB300L. QSL via W3HMK.

9Q1TB, Philippe, will be leaving the Democratic Republic of Congo and heading to UAE on Saturday June 16th. He'll be back in the DRC on June 23rd for another week before going on holiday between June 30th and July 28th. He'll be in Ivory Coast and Senegal (6W7RP) for a week.

HB9DUR, Andrea, will be QRV from his mobile as he drives from Switzerland to Turkey. He will be traveling through Italy and Greece. On Sunday June 17th he'll be traveling through the following grids during the IARU 6 meter contest: KM09, KN00, KN10, KN20, KN21 and KN31.

W3CMP, Chris, will be operating from Haiti as HH4/W3CMP starting June 18th through the 27th. He will be part of a group at the Northwest Haiti Christian Mission (FK39). While there Chris will be emphasizing 2 and 6 meters. A beacon will be set up on 50117. When the band is open he plans to operate between 50115 and 50120. On 2 meters watch 144200. Chris may take a one day trip to the Isle de Tortuga (FL30). QSL via W3CMP.

7Q7BP, Joe, and 7Q7YL, Janet, are returning to Malawi on June 20th.

QSN

9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Georges had bout with Malaria and should be QRV again any day now.

9X0VB - RWANDA - Northern Europeans had a 30 minute Eskip opening to Vladimir yesterday on 12 meters around 1530Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7SP	10121	0313	EU-054	I4FGG/IF9	14032	1619
AF-019	IG9/IZ1HGP	14253	1540	EU-067	J48MDC	14260	1815
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	24895	0854	EU-067	SY8AN	18140	1601
EU-004	EA6/DL5RF	28502	0855	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28385	0614
EU-012	MM0XAU	18130	1123	EU-123	MM/OM5FM	14260	0727
EU-015	SV9/OE6YRG	14270	0540	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14260	1448
EU-049	SV8/ON4AUB	14265	0713	EU-170	9A4A	14260	2140
EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	7057	1656	NA-122	HI0C	14260	0057
EU-051	IE9/I5HLK	14082	1716	OC-005	VK9NS	14260	0427

VE3ZF, VE3KF and VE3FJ are heading to Orleans Island (NA-128) and hope to be on air as VE2IDX before sunset on June 29th. Their main goal is to participate in the RAC 2007 Canada Day Contest on July 1st. Watch for activity on 3795, 7260 and 14260.

Look for DL8AAV, Bernd, to be operating as SD1B/7 from Aspoe Island (EU-138), Sweden from June 18 to July 1. QSL via DL8AAV.

JA5BEX/5 will be active from Oshima Island (AS-076) on June 16th and 17th. QSL via JA5BEX either direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
15-Jun	20-Jun	3B7	3B7SP (AF-015)	SP9SX	11-114	112 111
15-Jun		4W	4W6AAD (OC-148)	VK3ZGW		11-117 085
15-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101
15-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109
15-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-115	092
15-Jun		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-115
15-Jun		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC		11-115
15-Jun		9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112	111
15-Jun	16-Jun	EA8	EA8/PA3BWK (AF-004)	PA0ZE	11-110	055
15-Jun	24-Jun	F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104	099
15-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM2VDM	F5KDB		11-098
15-Jun	15-Jun	F	TM5BBC	F2UW		11-099
15-Jun	17-Jun	F	TM6ACO	F6KFI		11-090
15-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
15-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106
15-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/PA0ABM	PA0ABM		11-092
15-Jun	17-Jun	HI	HI0C (NA-122)	ON4IQ	11-112	080 040
15-Jun	23-Jun	HI	NA6DF/HI7 (NA-096)	NA6DF		11-114
15-Jun	18-Jun	I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ		11-110
15-Jun	21-Jun	I	I4FGG/IF9 (EU-054)			11-114
15-Jun	19-Jun	I	Italian group IG9/home	callhome		calls 11-109
15-Jun	18-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-017)	7N4AGB		11-097
15-Jun	18-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-017)	JA1KJW		11-097
15-Jun	18-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-017)	JJ1JGI		11-097
15-Jun	18-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-017)	JK1EBA		11-097
15-Jun	15-Jun	JW	JW/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108
15-Jun	19-Jun	KH0	KH0N	JA6CNL		11-114
15-Jun	19-Jun	KH0	WH0C	JA6AGA		11-114
15-Jun	17-Jun	LZ	LZ/G0SGB/p (EU-181)	G0SGB		11-114
15-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100

15-Jun 9-Jul OM	OM9ACA		11-104
15-Jun 27-Jun ON	ON4LO (EU-145)		11-095
15-Jun 25-Jun OX	DB8JO/OX	DB8JO	11-114
15-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5HD/OX	DJ5HD	11-114
15-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5ZWS/OX	DJ5ZWS	11-114
15-Jun 30-Jun SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
15-Jun 18-Jun SV	J48MDC (EU-067)	IZ8CCW	11-103
15-Jun 17-Jun SV	SY8AN (EU-067)	SV2DGH	11-103
15-Jun 22-Jun SV	SY8WT (EU-060)	SV2HPP	11-096 073
15-Jun 20-Jun SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ	11-101
15-Jun 24-Jun TA	TA4/GI4FUE		11-108
15-Jun 21-Jun TA	YM3CC	LX1CC	11-101
15-Jun 15-Jun TZ	TZ/TU5GV	F4DXW	11-114
15-Jun 24-Jun V2	V26HS (NA-100)	WB4WXE	11-096
15-Jun 19-Jun VK	VK8NSB VK8VTX (OC-185)	VK6NE	11-114
15-Jun 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
15-Jun 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
15-Jun 20-Jun YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095
16-Jun 7-Jul 9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ	11-110
16-Jun 17-Jun CT	CS2FD		11-110
16-Jun 23-Jun OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-171)	DL2VFR	11-109
17-Jun 27-Jun HH	HH4/W3CMP	W3CMP	11-099 039
18-Jun 1-Jul SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-085

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active with a chance for minor storm periods on Friday due to the coronal hole high-speed stream. Expect quiet to unsettled conditions on Saturday and Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for June 13, 2007 was 12.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html> .

Some are receiving their SV2ASP/A QSLs from Monk Apollo in Mount Athos. KU4BP worked him on May 17th at 0138Z on 20 SSB. W2PA also received a QSL for May 17th on 20 SSB and for May 14th on 20 CW. VE1DX received his 30 meter QSL for May 19th.

Several US DXers reporting receiving their VU7RG QSLs on Thursday.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 5D5A, 9U0X, CT9F, CT9L, ER/RW3AH, HV0A, JT1CS, KH8/AI4VU, OE/KL1A, OL7D, PZ5RA, ST2R, SV2ASP/A, UA0AZ, VU7MY, VU7RG (AS-011), XF2K, ZL7C (2002), ZL7/KH0PR

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: OY7WP, S50KBS, ZA1DX

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: AN1DAX, BS7H, DJ2BW, E51QMA (OC-080), E51TUG (OC-080), EA2KV, EY8MM, G3TXF, FY/G3SXW, FY/G3TXF, LW5HBR, OE2S, OE3SGU, PY7RP, RN3QO, RU3EJ, RW3CW, SP1NY, SP9RCL, UR0MC, UW2M, VP2ERV, WK3D/AH0, XE2K, ZL3TY

On The WWW

The 4U1ITU log search is now up and working again at
<http://life.itu.ch/radioclub/4u1/index.php>

Some of the 3B7SP logs are up at
http://3b6.godx.eu/index.php?option=com_searchlog

Those who missed Dayton's Contest and Antenna forums can go to
<http://www.kkn.net/dayton2007/>

Here are some decent ham radio maps - <http://www.hamatlas.eu/index.php>

Remember the old Russian Woodpecker? The Soviets began building the Over The Horizon Radar (OTHR) system in the late 50's and began using it on November 7, 1971. There were three locations. They were in Nikolayev, Ukraine, Chernigov, Ukraine and Komsomolsk-na-Amure in Asiatic Russia. The purpose of these OTHR systems was to detect IBM missile launches. The Russian Woodpecker, better "known as Steel Yard or Steel Works by the Western intelligence community", caused some wicked QRM on entire ham bands. Here are some great photos of the Chernobyl 2 OTHR, located in Nikolayev -
<http://pripyat.com//sm/site/photogallery/uploads/1376/>. The receiving array is 135 meters high and 300 meters wide while the transmitting array is 85 meters high and 210 meters wide.

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DX News

DXers around the world are making their plans for the IARU contest July 14-15. OZ1HQ is just one station with two operators this year. It is Denmark's IARU headquarters station. The operators will be OZ1DC and OZ5LH. QSL via OZ1ACB. They will be SSB only. Their IARU abbreviation is EDR. <http://oz1hq.oz0j.dk/>

The Radio Club of Costa Rica plans to use the TI0HQ callsign in the IARU contest, working all bands from the club station, SSB and CW. The operators will be TI2JCY, TI3TLS, TI2GBY, TI2KAC, the manager, and possibly others.

VP8ROT reports the VP8ADE Falkland Islands beacon is now on 28.285 running 10 watts.

Four Swedes plan to go to OJ0, Market Reef, July 5-9. They will sign OJ0/home call, operating on 160-2M CW, SSB, and digital.

The K5LBU group plans to start up from the Stevensford Game Reserve in Botswana, A2, July 5th for 15 days of operating. They will be on 160- 6M CW, SSB and digital and 6, 2 and 70 cm EME. The ops are GM30OK, K5LBU, W5KDJ, W5SL, WA8QFE, ZS6BUN, ZS6JR, ZS6OB and ZS6WB. They have asked for a special callsign for the IARU contest. QSL A250OK via M5AAV and all the others, A25CF, A25KDJ, A25SL, A25LT, A25BUN, A25DW, A25OB and A25HL, to their home calls. <http://www.tdxx.net/a2.html>.

TM0GP will be a special event station today through July 1 for the Grand Prix Formula One race in Nevers, Magny-Course, France. Work `em and they'll send you a QSL via the bureau.

SN1LH will be SP3VT assisted by SWL SP-0106-W from the Gaski Lighthouse in Poland, June 23-24, and from Czolpino Lighthouse August 18-19. QSL via SP3VT.

PC650EDAM will be a special call from The Netherlands to mark the 650 years since the founding of the town of Edam. QSL via PD3BL. <http://www.veron.nl/afdeling/waterland/> and click on "Laatste Nieuws."

K4YT, Karl Renz, leaves tomorrow for Bangkok and Kathmandu. Karl thinks 9N7JO should be back from the Friedrichshafen ham meeting so he may try to guest op. After Nepal, Karl will spend three days in Bangkok and hopes to put his HS0ZDG callsign on the air, July 5-8. His next trip after that may be to HP1 and sometime in early August to 7X2. In late August he goes to 9X5.

IT9OPR, Pietro, is on from Puerto Rico, now through June 28th. He will be on "holiday style" from the QTH of KP4AWX and mobile with WP4CCQ.

India's National Institute of Amateur Radio, Hyderabad, has a stall at HAMRADIO 2007 at Friedrichshafen, Germany, June 22-24, with the support of Germany's GDXF. A team of NIAR members will be there, "to learn the latest trends in amateur radio in other countries. This is the first time that an Indian amateur radio organization [has established] a stall in a major international event." For those fortunate enough to attend, they will be in stall A-571, particularly at 11 AM June 22.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European 6 meter ops reported the following activity this past weekend: 3A2MW, 5B4AIF, 5T5SN, 7X0RY, 8R1WD, CN8KD, CO8DM, EA9IB, EK6TA, FJ5DX, FM5JC, HI0C, JA5AIE, KP4EIT, NP4A, TA7KA, UN3M, V26HS, V44KAI and YV4DYJ.

North American DXers found: 5T5SN, CO8DM, CT1HZE, CU3EQ, EA7KW, EA8/G8BCG, FG1GW, FJ5DX, FM5JC, FY1FL, HI0C, HP1AC, HR9BFS, IK5MEJ, KH6FI, KP4EIT, NP4A, PR8ZX, TI8II, V26HS, V44KAI, YN2N and ZB3B.

4U1ITU - ITU GENEVA - 10109 from before 23Z until 01Z.

EL2AR - LIBERIA - 21263 1940-2025Z, then 14256 from 21-2225Z. QSL via EL2BA.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was on 18105 18-1915z.

EX2M - KYRGYSTAN - In the All-Asia contest, 3507 at 1740Z, 7015 a 18Z, 7007 a 1830 and 19Z, 3510 at 1840z, 14075 at 1940z, 7007 again at 1950z and 14005-14011 from 21-23Z.

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AF-006	VQ9LA	3508	0115	EU-055	LA7H	7061	1000
AF-015	3B7SP	14185	1230	EU-060	SY8WT	14255	0020
AF-019	IG9/IW2KVT	7064	2340	EU-103	EJ3HA	3655	1145
AS-017	JA1KJW/6	18076	1900	EU-121	EI/DL4AOJ	14260	1615
EU-017	ID9/IT9JRD	7076	0845	EU-122	MI/OM5FM	18155	0800
EU-021	EA6BZ	7073	0655	EU-041	IM0/IQ5MT	14192	1000
EU-028	IA5/I1SJK	14214	1955	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14250	1955
EU-025	IT9VPT	14236	2325	EU-171	OZ/DL2VFR	10107	1815
EU-041	IM0/IQ5MT	14290	2140	EU-181	LZ/G0SGB/P	14257	1025
EU-042	DK8OL	14264	0620	NA-122	HI0C	14271	0325
EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	10116	2155	OC-146	YB8TAF	14310	1625
EU-054	I4FGG/IF9	14258	1645	SA-046	PY7MV	14260	1845

Look for HP2/CX4CR, HP2/CX3AN and HP2/CX2AM, Mario, Bert, and Gus, June 22-28. They are from the Uruguay DX Group and will be on Wichubwala Island in the San Blas Province Group, NA-170. They plan to be on 80-6, CW, SSB, and digital. QSL via CX2AM.
<http://cx2an.servehttp.com/hp2>

CU3F, Terceira Island, EU-175, Azores, will be on the air August 2-9 with CT1FMX, CT1YTS and CU3EQ operating. They plan SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY operations, 80-6M. QSL via CT1FMX, direct or bureau.

EE5KB will be on Tabarca Island, EU-093, in the IOTA contest. EA5KB, Pepe, will be operating. QSL via EA5KB

EI/M0HSW/P and EI/M0TJH/P and EI/G3ZAY/P will be on Inishbofin Island, EU-121, from 20Z on June 25 until 10Z on June 27. Next they go to Inishmore, EU-006, to operate 20Z on the 27th to 10Z on the 29th. Weather permitting they will also get in a few hours from the Blasket Islands, EU-007, June 30. QSL to their home callsigns.

IL7/IK2DUW is on now, from EU-050, the Tremiti Islands. Antonello's operation goes through June 23. He prefers RTTY and PSK31. QSL to his home call.

IM0/IQ5MT is also on, this one from EU-041, Maddalena Island. Ops IW5AB, IZ5GST and IW5EDV expect to wrap up the operation today. QSL via IZ5GST direct or bureau.

OZ7BQ/P, Joe, will be in the IOTA contest from Fur Island, EU-171, probably QRP CW. QSL to his home call, and his log will be put on LoTW too.

NY3A, Steve, and N3DRA, John, are going to James Island in Dorchester County, Maryland, NA-140, to sign NY3A in the IOTA contest July 28-29. They will be on 80-10M. QSL via NY3A.

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18-Jun	18-Jun	3B7	3B7SP (AF-015)	SP9SX	11-114	112	111
18-Jun		4W	4W6AAD (OC-148)	VK3ZGW		11-117	085
18-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101	
18-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109	
18-Jun	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110	
18-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-115	092	
18-Jun		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-115	
18-Jun		9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112	111	
18-Jun	24-Jun	F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104	099	
18-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106	
18-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE			11-106	
18-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/PA0ABM	PA0ABM		11-092	
18-Jun	27-Jun	HH	HH4/W3CMP	W3CMP	11-118	099	039
18-Jun	23-Jun	HI	NA6DF/HI7 (NA-096)	NA6DF		11-114	
18-Jun	18-Jun	I	I2/ON7ARQ	ON7ARQ		11-110	
18-Jun	21-Jun	I	I4FGG/IF9 (EU-054)			11-114	
18-Jun	19-Jun	I	Italian group IG9/homecall	homecalls		11-109	
18-Jun	18-Jun	JA	7N4AGB/JR6 (AS-017)	7N4AGB		11-097	
18-Jun	18-Jun	JA	JA1KJW/JR6 (AS-017)	JA1KJW		11-097	
18-Jun	18-Jun	JA	JJ1JGI/JR6 (AS-017)	JJ1JGI		11-097	
18-Jun	18-Jun	JA	JK1EBA/JR6 (AS-017)	JK1EBA		11-097	
18-Jun	19-Jun	KH0	KH0N	JA6CNL		11-114	
18-Jun	19-Jun	KH0	WH0C	JA6AGA		11-114	
18-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100	
18-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104	
18-Jun	27-Jun	ON	ON4LO (EU-145)			11-095	

18-Jun 25-Jun OX	DB8JO/OX	DB8JO	11-114
18-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5HD/OX	DJ5HD	11-114
18-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5ZWS/OX	DJ5ZWS	11-114
18-Jun 23-Jun OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-171)	DL2VFR	11-109
18-Jun 1-Jul SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-118 085
18-Jun 30-Jun SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
18-Jun 18-Jun SV	J48MDC (EU-067)	IZ8CCW	11-103
18-Jun 22-Jun SV	SY8WT (EU-060)	SV2HPP	11-096 073
18-Jun 20-Jun SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ	11-101
18-Jun 24-Jun TA	TA4/GI4FUE		11-108
18-Jun 21-Jun TA	YM3CC	LX1CC	11-101
18-Jun 24-Jun V2	V26HS (NA-100)	WB4WXE	11-096
18-Jun 19-Jun VK	VK8NSB VK8VTX (OC-185)	VK6NE	11-114
18-Jun 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
18-Jun 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
18-Jun 20-Jun YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095
19-Jun 29-Jun C5	C52T	G0TSM	11-116
19-Jun 22-Jun HB0	HB0/F2JD		11-117
19-Jun 22-Jun HB0	HB0/F5JY		11-117
19-Jun 22-Jun HB0	HB0/F6BFH		11-117
19-Jun 22-Jun HB0	HB0/N6OX		11-117
21-Jun 24-Jun UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-102)	UA1RJ	11-109
21-Jun 2-Jul VP2E	VP2ERH (NA-022)		11-104 099
22-Jun 29-Jun C5	C52T		11-088
22-Jun 28-Jun HP	HP2/CX3AN (NA-170)		11-095
22-Jun 28-Jun HP	HP2/CX4CR (NA-170)		11-095
22-Jun 24-Jun	Friedrichshafen (HAM RADIO 2007)		11-085
23-Jun 30-Jun 5B	5B/G0HIO	G0HIO	11-109
23-Jun 28-Jun 9A	9A/I6GFX	I6GFX	11-080
23-Jun 30-Jun 9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-118

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will remain very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today. Conditions will range from unsettled to minor storm levels Tuesday and Wednesday. There is a chance for isolated major storm periods at high altitudes on Wednesday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for June 17, 2007 was zero for the fourth straight day, down from 12 the two days before that.

QSL Info

KE1JF, Tom, sent an e-mail inquiry to DK2CL asking about QSLs from the March SU8DLH operation. `CL says the QSLs should go out within the next few weeks.

403T, Montenegro 2006, QSLs will be available at the EUDXF booth at "Friedrichshafen." Cards for Austria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Finland, Norway, Portugal and Slovakia have already been sent to those bureaus so will not be available at the booth. Cards for Canada, Japan and the USA also will not be available at the booth. After Friedrichshafen all remaining cards will be sent via the bureau.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7Q7AM, 9Q1TB, 9U0X, E51PJT, FP/K8MM, IA0IPY, J28JA, JA7QVK/DU7 (OC-129), N7WX, N8S, OX60AD (NA-018), TA2BK, TG9ANF, TL8QC, VU7MY (AS-106), VU7RG, XT2C, ZC4LI and ZM8CW (OC-039).

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 3B8/OM0C, 5B4AGC, 9M6XR0, DQ2006A, DQ2006C, DQ2006E, DQ2006Q, DQ2006R, DQ2006S, DQ2006T, DQ2006X, DR2006B, DR2006N, DR2006P, DR2006S, EA8/OH3BHL, EA8/OH9MM, G3TXF, HC1HC, HP1WW, J79Z, JH1AEP, KP2/K1ZE, KP2/N4BP, OE9WGI, OM3SEM, P40W, PJ2T, PP5T0/PY1, S9SS, TA2/LZ1ZF, TO5X, TZ6NS, UA3TU, V26K, V47NT, VP2VVV, VP5/N0VD, VQ9JC, VQ9LA, ZD8Q and ZF2AH.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: E51QMA, E51TUG, MMOBSM, RN3QO and UW2M.

On The WWW

Going to Friedrichshafen and getting your QSL cards checked? Check out <http://www.ar1.org/blog/DXCC%20Dialog>

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Look for JA6GXX/JD1, Masafumi, to be QRV from Marcus Island (Minami Torishima) from July 18th to August 2nd and again from August 29th to September 30th.

Yesterday EA5RM, Antonio, announced that a multi-national team is planning to be on the air from Kigali, Rwanda later this summer. Complete details are expected soon.

Starting today through July 1st a group of Dutch Amateur Radio ops will be operating the special callsign PC650EDAM to commemorate the fact that the city of Edam obtained city-rights 650 years ago. QSL via bureau to PD3BL. Special award for repeated contacts on several bands/days is available. Check out this Web site for award information: <http://www.veron.nl/afdeling/waterland/> click on "Laatste Nieuws".

Correction

The correct URL for the upcoming A2 - Botswana DXpedition is <http://www.tdxs.net/A2.html>.

QSN

- 9X0VB - RWANDA - Vladimir is expected to QRT late today or early (GMT) Wednesday. No word on where his next stop will be.
- KH6FI - HAWAII - Fred started up on 50122 Monday around 1900Z working all across the US and Canada, many east of the Mississippi, until after 2030Z. Fred is located in BK29 and about 10 miles west of NH6P and about 2000 feet higher! He uploaded those QSOs on to LOTW!

NH6P - HAWAII - Fred had a fantastic opening yesterday on 6 meters, including many East Coast ops, into North America. The run began just after 1900Z and went until 2130Z. Fred reported 90 QSOs from all US call areas (31 states) as well as VE1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9 and VY2.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EC8AFM	18122	1918	EU-046	LA1CI	14270	2209
AF-006	VQ9LA	3508	0118	EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	1822	1759
AF-014	CT3FT	14200	0758	EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	14260	2051
AF-015	3B7SP	14185	0600	EU-051	IE9/I5HLK	14082	2047
AF-019	IG9/I1XOI	14253	1758	EU-054	I4FGG/IF9	14264	1547
AF-019	IG9/I2AZ	14004	0528	EU-060	SY8WT	10145	1008
AF-019	IG9/IW1PZC	7064	1328	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28485	0841
AF-019	IG9/IZ1DFG	14253	1138	EU-103	EJ3HA	3690	1909
AS-117	JA3AOP	14255	1614	EU-121	EI/DL4AOJ	14260	1839
EU-004	EA6AD	7067	1507	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14071	1653
EU-009	GM0WED	10108	0821	EU-170	9A/HA3HP	7057	0927
EU-010	GM4KGK	10118	1008	EU-170	9A2AA/P	14254	1307
EU-031	IC8/IZ1BWO	14193	2057	EU-171	OZ/DL2VFR	7009	2004
EU-034	ES0/DL7UMG	14292	1514	SA-012	YV5ESN	14072	2340

A group of operators will be active from MEDITERRANEAN SEA COAST EAST group (AF-104), Algeria from June 23rd to 28th probably as 7X2RO/p. This will be the first time this IOTA has been on the air. Activity will be on HF and VHF including 1.2 2.4 and 10 GHz. They will have verticals, dipoles and beams. They will be QRV with 3 stations, spiderbeam and wire dipoles. QSL via OM3CGN.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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19-Jun	1-Jul	F	TM0GP	F5KCH		11-119
19-Jun	24-Jun	F	TM2RHC	F4EUN	11-104	099
19-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
19-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE	HA7VY		11-106
19-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F2JD			11-117
19-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F5JY			11-117
19-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F6BFH			11-117
19-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/N6OX			11-117
19-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/PA0ABM	PA0ABM		11-092

19-Jun 27-Jun HH	HH4/W3CMP	W3CMP	11-118 099 039
19-Jun 23-Jun HI	NA6DF/HI7 (NA-096)	NA6DF	11-114
19-Jun 21-Jun I	I4FGG/IF9 (EU-054)		11-114
19-Jun 23-Jun I	IL7/IK2DUW (EU-050)	IK2DUW	11-119
19-Jun 19-Jun I	Italian group IG9/homecall	homecalls	11-109
19-Jun 19-Jun KH0	KH0N	JA6CNL	11-114
19-Jun 19-Jun KH0	WH0C	JA6AGA	11-114
19-Jun 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
19-Jun 9-Jul OM	OM9ACA		11-104
19-Jun 27-Jun ON	ON4LO (EU-145)		11-095
19-Jun 25-Jun OX	DB8JO/OX	DB8JO	11-114
19-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5HD/OX	DJ5HD	11-114
19-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5ZWS/OX	DJ5ZWS	11-114
19-Jun 23-Jun OZ	OZ/DL2VFR	DL2VFR	11-109
19-Jun 1-Jul SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-118 085
19-Jun 30-Jun SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
19-Jun 22-Jun SV	SY8WT (EU-060)	SV2HPP	11-096 073
19-Jun 20-Jun SV5	SV5/GM0DHZ (EU-001)	GM0DHZ	11-101
19-Jun 24-Jun TA	TA4/GI4FUE		11-108
19-Jun 21-Jun TA	YM3CC	LX1CC	11-101
19-Jun 24-Jun V2	V26HS (NA-100)	WB4WXE	11-096
19-Jun 19-Jun VK	VK8NSB VK8VTX (OC-185)	VK6NE	11-114
19-Jun 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
19-Jun 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
19-Jun 20-Jun YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-095

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled. Expect unsettled to active conditions, with minor storm periods possible, on Wednesday and Thursday as a recurrent coronal hole moves into a geoeffective position.

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The sunspot number for June 17, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

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3A/K0JGH	K0JGH	EM50ARDF	US0VA	R6SC	RW3WWW
3B7SP	SP9SX	EW905B	EW2EO	RA70DP	RK3DYB
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	EX2M	W3HNC	RK3XWD/P	RW3XZ
9A/OK2UQ	OK2UQ	GB0BWT	MM0DHQ	SE2T	SM2YIZ
9A/VE3ZIK	DL3PS	GB2FR	M1CCF	SF0K	SM0KCR
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	HB0/DL6USA	DL6USA	SN0MP	SP4KGB
A35RK	W7TSQ	HC2AQ	EA5KB	SY8WT	SV2HPP
A45WD	YO9HP	HF550SK	SP7PBC	TF/KL7SB	KL7SB

A61Q	EA7FTR	HF750C	SP9MFP	TM2RHC	F4EUN
AO5VR	EA5VR	HI8ROX	ON4IQ	TM6ACO	F6KFI
CN8SG	EA7FTR	IU2FV	IQ2MI	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
CO6WD	W0SA	J48MDC	IZ8CCW	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
CP6AA	IK6SNR	KH0N	JA6CNL	UE1OKI	UA1OIZ
CU1BP	F5NPS	KK2H/KH6	JL1UXH	UN7QF	EX2A
EA7/F5CWU/P	F5CWU	LW6DW	EA5KB	V25TK	G3TKK
EA8/PA3BWK	PA3BWK	MI/OM5FM	OM5FM	WH0C	JA6AGA
EG1SEM	EA1AUM	N6XQ/HI9	N6XQ	XE1L	WA3HUP
EI/DL4AOJ	DL4AOJ	OX/DJ5HD	DJ5HD	ZA/UT7DW	DK6CW
EL2AR	EL2BA	OX/DJ5ZWS	DJ5ZWS	ZA/Z35M	Z35M

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K6SRZ, Alan, reports as of yesterday all direct requests for KH8/K6SRZ and 5W0CK have been answered. Alan reminds everyone of the May 14th US postal increase as he is still receiving SASEs with 39 cents postage.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3DA0AM, 6H1MW, 7Q7BP, 7X0RY, C21HC, ER/RW3AH, ER1DA, SV2ASP/A, T20HC, VK9NS, VU7MY, VU7RG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: AP/WA2WYR, BD4SQ, CU2JT, DF9ZP, E51QMA, E51TUG, EA7FIQ, ED1DAX, FS/NF9V, FY/G3TXF, G0JHC, GI4SJQ, HK3SGP, HK3W, KH6FI, P40L, PY5EW, RA4LW, TF/G4EDG/P, TF/G4ELZ/P, UR0MC, VE9DX, VP2ERV

On The WWW

K7CW, Paul, has posted his KL7FF story and photos at
<http://www.qsl.net/k7cw/Alaska07/kl7ff.htm>.

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DX News

A group of five Swedes are heading to Market Reef (OJ0) early next month. They will be QRV on all bands from 2 through 160 meters, including microwaves on 5.6 and 10 GHz. They will have three or four stations on HF simultaneously on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and WSJT. On VFH they will be monitoring 50150 and 144300. The team will include SM0BSO, SM0EPO, SM0LQB, SM5XGJ, SM1TDE as well as the man with the key to the lighthouse, OH0RJ. The ops will be signing OJ0/homecall from July 5th to 9th. QSL via the operator's instructions.

Mexico's Grupo DXXE has changed its board for the first time, informs the founding president XE1KK, Ramon Santoyo. The officials that will serve the group for the next two years are:

President: XE2K, Hector Garcia
Vice President: XE1YJS, Joaquin Solana
Vice President: XE2WWW, Jorge Rios

For more info on the DXXE check out their Web page at <http://www.dxxe.org/>.

A group from India's NIAR will be QRV from Austria until next weekend. They are VU2MY/OE, VU2MYH/OE, VU2SAX/OE, VU2YOR/OE, VU2JMA/OE and VU2JOS/OE. Look for VU2JOS/OE mostly on 20 CW and SSB. They will be QRV in their spare time. QSL via their home calls.

E21EIC, Champ will be going to South Thailand today and will operate as E21EIC/8 until June 30th. JA stations should QSL via JR5XPG and all others via E21EIC.

HH4/W3CMP, Chris arrived safely in Haiti on Sunday and was set up and QRV Monday evening. His power will be out daily from about 1900- 2200Z, so don't panic if you don't hear him during that time frame. Chris complains about extremely rude behavior with guys calling on top of his transmissions and ignoring his instructions. Please try to practice common DX courtesy.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - W5OZI, Pat, in Texas (EM80) reported working country # 156 and 157 yesterday on 6 meters. They were SV1DH and ZB3B.

9X0VB - RWANDA - Plans changed for Vladimir as he now expects to leave today, not yesterday as reported yesterday. He has managed to work just over 20,000 QSOs. Hold off on sending the QSLs as he is not finished with his

African Tour. I'll post a complete list of all his calls and approximate dates once it is time to send for the QSLs.

OA4B/B - PERU - A number of US and Canadian 6 meter ops reported hearing this beacon on 50036 from 2030Z yesterday until 0100 today. Unfortunately there were no humans on the air from this semi-rare one.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7SP	10121	0333	EU-054	I4FGG/IF9	7078	1501
AF-019	IG9/I1XOI	14252	2149	EU-060	SY8WT	14265	1327
AF-019	IG9/I2AZ	14015	1802	EU-067	SV8/LA6IKA	10121	2018
AF-019	IG9/IZ1DFG	14252	2233	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	24943	1548
EU-015	SV9/DL6NBR	14195	0936	EU-125	OZ/DF1HF	18073	1542
EU-016	9A/OE1XHC	14023	1109	EU-136	9A/IV3IIM	7072	1454
EU-016	9A2AA/P	7066	1517	EU-136	9A/OK1DSM	10104	2000
EU-023	9H1XT	28017	1826	EU-170	9A/HA3HP	7067	1045
EU-038	PE1DTU	14260	1927	EU-171	OZ/DL2VFR	7009	2144
EU-049	SV8/IV3EPO	14028	1932	OC-066	FO5RH	14003	0452
EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	18084	1558				

We now have more details on yesterday's announced first time IOTA operation from AF-104. 7X2RO, Afif; 7X2HF, Youcef; 7X2FB, Faouzi; 7X2GX, Sofiane; 7X0MT, Yves; OM3CGN, Ivan; OM1KW, Robert; and 7X0RY, Frantise; will be QRV from Cavallo Island from June 23rd to 28th.

They will have three complete stations with expected activity on HF, VHF and 1.2, 2.4 and 10 GHz. They will probably use the callsign 7U5CI. QSL via OM3CGN.

Members of the Cockenzie and Port Seton Amateur Radio Club (CPSARC) will be operating from the Isle of Tiree (EU-008) during the RSGB Islands on the Air Contest as GM2T. The team consists of MM0DXC, Cambell; GM4UYZ, Bob; MM0JXI, John; M0RNR, Brian; MM0CCC, John; GM4XZZ, Landles; MM0WZZ, Willie; MM1CPP, Iain; MM0FZV, Gary; M3INO, Gareth; MM0WST, Derek; 2M0CRR, Colin; MM0MRM, Moe; MM5AHO, Geoff; GM4GZW, Ellis; and GM4VJV, Innes. Pre contest activity will be as MM0CPS/P. QSL GM2T via GM4UYZ either direct or via the bureau.

KM5VI, Matt, will be active from North Padre Island (NA-092) from July 27th to 31st. This will include the IOTA Contest. QSL via KM5VI.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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20-Jun	30-Jun	5N	5N2/SQ8JCA	SQ8JCA		11-109
20-Jun	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110
20-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-115	092

20-Jun	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-115
20-Jun	9X	9X0VB	UA4WHX	11-112 111
20-Jun	29-Jun	C5	G0TSM	11-116 088
20-Jun	1-Jul	F	F5KCH	11-119
20-Jun	24-Jun	F	F4EUN	11-104 099
20-Jun	28-Jun	GM	MM0DFV	11-106
20-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HA7VY	11-106
20-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F2JD	11-117
20-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F5JY	11-117
20-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F6BFH	11-117
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20-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR 11-081
20-Jun	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ 11-107
20-Jun	20-Jun	YB	YB9AQW YB9/PA0HOP (OC-022)	PA0HOP 11-095

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QSL manager E21EIC, Champ, says all XW1A, XW1LLR, XW1IC, E21EIC/P and E21EIC QSLs received in March - June 10, 2007 have been answered.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 7Q7BP, 9A3B, 9A8A, N8S, OM8A, VU7MY, VU7RG, XE2WWW

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 7Z1HL, FY/G3SXW, VR2PX

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DX News

DD9HK, Matt, will be in Monastir near Sousse, Tunisia operating from the Scout station 3V8SS from June 21st to July 5th. He will be operating on SSB on 6 through 160 meters. Suggested frequencies are 1890, 3690, 7090, 14290, 21290, 28490 and 50190. QSL his operations via DD9HK.

OX3OX, Ole, and OX3LX, Bo, plan to be QRV from Greenland (GP47TA) on 2, 4 and 6 meters. They will use the call OX2A and or their OX calls between July 10th and 16th. The two will be there for both work and vacation. On 6 meters they will be using a Ten Tec Orion and Acom 1000 with a 7 element yagi. The two meter set up will be an Icom IC- 7000 and 500-1000 watt amp and at least one 17 element yagi. After July 16th Bo will move to GP36DX and will operate 6 meters only with a 5 element yagi and 100 watt rig. More info will be posted to <http://ox3lx.geronne.dk/>.

HC1HC, Alfredo, will attempt to be active daily from 2000-0200Z on 50.110 on CW and SSB. He's running 100 watts into a 5 element yagi. QSL via NE8Z

K5AND, Dick, reports he's departing Dallas this morning for Anguilla where he and W4ZST will be QRV as VP2EH. The two will assemble the antenna and station today and begin activity on 6 meters only on Friday. The two will be operating from the Skiffles Villa, grid square FK88LC, using an IC-7000, FT-897, a K5AND amp and a 7-element 6M Yagi. They will have both internet and landline telephone and will have a beacon on 50106. There is no need to send your grid square as they don't care. All they need is your call and a report. QSL via W7XU.

HH4/W3CMP, Chris continues to be QRV on 50117 and as of midday yesterday he has worked approximately 350 stations of which about 50 were Europeans. KB8RQ made a successful 2 Meter EME QSO, which may be a first. Chris is still being plagued by undisciplined callers breaking ongoing QSOs and calling out of turn. He also requests those who have worked him not to dupe him. As a reminder the breakable CW beacon is on 50117 and there is no local power from 19 to 22Z. Chris does not have a battery backup.

During the IARU HF World Championship PJ2HQ will be activated from the PJ2T station by the Second German Invasion: DL8LAU, DL8OBO, DJ8NK, and DH7SA, with W0CG (PJ2DX) and assorted other Curacao locals operating.

Austria will be represented in this year's IARU HF World Championship next month as OE1A will be QRV giving the OVSV multiplier. QSL via the bureau or direct to: OVSV-HQ, Eisvogelgasse 4/1, 1060 Vienna, Austria.

Members of the Amateur Radio Section of ORF (Austrian Broadcasting Corporation) and the Documentary Archives Radio Communication/QSL Collection will activate, on the occasion of the Papal visit of Benedict XVI to Austria from August 31 to September 9th with a Special Event station with the unique callsign OE16B. This will be a charity operation for the El Molo Mission and School in Kenya (<http://tinyurl.com/2s4wrdr>). Special QSLs will be issued for those who donate (at least one new IRC or one US-\$). QSL only direct via: ORF/OE16B, A-1136 Wien, AUSTRIA. All other reports will be answered with a plain QSL via Bureau.

WB2REM, Jim, is heading back to Anguilla, where he will activate his very unique 4 letter suffix VP2 call. Look for VP2EREM from June 28th to July 8th. He'll be QRV on 10 through 80 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via WB2REM.

K3VX, K4NO, K7NM, AK9F, K9NR, and K9CS plan to be active from Montserrat between November 20th and December 3rd 2007. This will include entries in the CQ World Wide CW DX and ARRL 160 Meter CW contests. Callsigns and other info to follow. QSL via K9CS.

The ARRL Field Day runs this weekend. N0QFQ, Robert Reynolds, says all three of the United States KC4 stations in Antarctica will be QRV for the event. They are:

South Pole Station - KC4AAA
Palmer Station - KC4AAC
McMurdo Station - KC4/W1MRQ

Watch for activity on or near 7.235 and 14.243 QRM. The South Pole Station plans to be on for the entire 24 hours while the Palmer and McMurdo stations will be on as much as possible.

K5LBU's DXpedition team heading to Botswana (A2) early next month will probably be using the following SSB frequencies:

Transmit	Receive
1.840	1.845-1.850
3.790	3.800-3,810 also up at 3.850-3.860
7.075	7.185-7.195
14.220	14.225-14.230
14.265	14.270-14.275
18.145	18.150-18.155
21.270	21.275-21.280
24.935	24.940-24.945
28.450	28.455-28.460
50.110	50.110

Japan's Geographical Survey Institute has renamed the island of Iwo Jima to Iwo To, the original name given by the local inhabitants. Jima and To both mean island in Japanese. Iwo To is one of the three Volcano Islands, which are part of the Ogasawara Islands (JD1/O).

Silent Key

NN7X, Stephen R. Towne, passed away Tuesday night, June 19th. He was a good friend and DXer and member of the Central Arizona DX Association. Steve had 341 Countries on his Mixed DXCC.

W0HYH, O. Curtis Risvold, became a Silent Key on June 18th. He was 86. During WWII Curt was an Aviation Radioman 1st Class in the U.S. Coast Guard. He was a member of the Twin City DX Association.

KF3BZ (ex WA3LWT), William C. Leaman, died of an apparent heart attack on Monday June 18th. He was a member of the Potomac Valley Radio Club (PVRC).

QSN

3B7SP - ST. BRANDON ISLAND - The Polish team is expected to go QRT today.

3D2MP - FIJI - Mike can be found on 20 meters around 0400Z.

4U1ITU - I.T.U. GENEVA - Dave started out yesterday on 24903 just before 1545Z and then moved to 18087 at 1600Z until 2030Z.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - 6 meter ops from Europe reported activity yesterday from: 4Z4TL, 5B4FL, 7X0RY, A61Q, A71EM, EA9IB, FJ5DX, GJ7DNI, HH4/W3CMP, HI3TEJ, KP4EIT, NP4A, OY1CT, SV9CVY, T77GO, TA7OM, UN8GC, V26HS, V44KAI and ZB3B. North American ops reported the following: 5T5SN, 6Y5IC, CT1HZE, EA7RM, EA8/G8BCG, FS5HL, HH4/W3CMP, HI9/N6XQ, IOJX, P43A, PJ2BVU, V26HS, V44KAI, VP2MNI and ZB3B.

7Z1UG - SAUDI ARABIA - Several W6 ops found Manfred on 14024 around 0330Z on Wednesday.

A61Q - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - West Coast North American ops should watch for Abdullah on 20 CW just before 0300Z.

AP2DKH - PAKISTAN - Dr. Khalid had an opening to the East Coast of North America on 14207 yesterday before 0200Z.

EP3HF - IRAN - 12 meter ops from Europe were working Sadegh on 24934 Wednesday from 1430 to 1630Z. QSL via CBA.

OD5/ON4JM - LEBANON - Jean Marc was on 14207 starting before 19Z yesterday. QSL via ON4JM.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - RTTY ops from Europe and Japan reported Gene on 30 meters between 2040 and 2115Z. QSL via UA4RC.

V85SS - BRUNEI - Watch for Ambran on 30 CW between 0900 and 1000Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-093	DS4DRE/4	21265	1133	EU-076	LA/DD6UBW	18128	1138
EU-004	EA6/DL5RF	28490	0738	EU-138	SD1B/7	14258	0756
EU-012	MM0XAU	18069	1707	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14081	2047
EU-016	9A/OE1XHC	14019	2156	EU-170	9A1AZ/P	7020	0434
EU-031	IQ8PQ	7057	0908	EU-170	9A2AA/P	7049	0910
EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	18082	1617	EU-171	OZ/DL2VFR	7015	1854

EU-051 IE9/I5HLK 14071 1033 EU-171 OZ2MLS 7037 2304
 EU-060 SY8WT 21260 0747 EU-181 LZ/G0SGB/P 14260 0925

Sicilian ops IT9YRE, IT9WDY and IT9AXZ plan to operate from Scoglio a Pizzo (EU-025) on June 30th. They will be operating as IJ9/homecall on 10 through 40 meters CW and SSB. QSL via their home calls.

EA1FCH, Pedro, plans to be QRV from Sao Miguel (EU-003), Azores from June 27th to August 5th. Look for CU2/EA1FCH on the low bands and 12, 17 and 30 meters CW and the digital modes. QSL via EA1FCH either via the bureau or direct.

Look for JN4MBO/4 to be operating from Mu Island (AS-117) today. QSL via his home call.

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5B/G3RWF	G3RWF	JW1CCA	LA1CCA	SU9GD	DJ2AVB
A71EM	EA7FTR	MM/OQ9E/P	ON7IDX	SV1/US7IVY	RZ3EC
AO5ET	EA5ET	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	TC800YOM	TA1HZ
CN8PA	EA7FTR	OL60PZKO	OK2BIQ	TM0GP	F5KCH
CT/F5CWU	F5CWU	PA6BF	PA1WLB	VU2JOS/OE	VU2JOS
EM80A	UY5AX	PC650EDAM	PD3BL	XW1A	E21EIC
HB0/F6BFH	F6BFH	RA70PD	RK3DYB		

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DX News

Our World Traveling friend UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, left Rwanda (9X0VB) continuing his long African Tour and is now QRV again as 5X1VB from Uganda. No official word on how long he will be there. A Russian op worked Vladimir and the two spoke in their native tongue. Vladimir said he would operate for a few days from Uganda and then it would be time to cook some pelmeni. Pelmeni, type of dumplings, is a traditional Russian dish. So it would appear that Vladimir will soon be heading home. Watch for him on 10 through 160 meters on CW and SSB. Don't QSL yet, but when you do send them to UA4WHX, with all the others. We'll publish a complete list as soon as he gets home!

9Q1D (SM5DIC), Gus, will end his contract with EU Police force in Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo at the end of the month. He will then head back home in Sweden for a well deserved rest. Gus thinks he will probably retire, after all he is 69. But he won't stay for too long as he wants to do a DXpedition now. QSL 9Q1D via SM5BFJ.

Those who need Antarctica on CW and who will be participating this weekend in the ARRL Field Day should look for KC4/W1MRQ, Ernie, from McMurdo Station on or around 7028.

Members of the DX team of Radio Amateur's Club of Magnesia will be active on June 23-24 from South Pelion Mountain (Grid Locator KM19NC) using their club call SZ4SRM. They will be QRV on all HF bands on SSB, PSK, RTTY and SSTV.

W5OZI, Pat reports HH4/W3CMP, Chris, had approximately 100 6 meter QSOs with Europe on Wednesday and only a few US contacts. Chris was hearing European stations and beacons until around 2030Z. Thursday was a different story with only about 25 US stations as of 16Z. He understands the frustration some of US hams have with his calling by numbers but continues to do his best to manage the pileups when they occur.

W7KFI, Susan, had to have jaw surgery and is now recuperating in Honolulu. She is now estimating her KH3 activity during the last week of July or first week of August.

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5X1VB - UGANDA - Vladimir started up from here again yesterday. He's been reported so far on 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters on CW and SSB.

D44BS - CAPE VERDE ISLANDS - Angelo made a surprise visit to 14245 after 17Z yesterday.

FK8CP - NEW CALEDONIA - Remi likes 160 CW just before 11Z.
 KK2H/KH6 - HAWAII - Setsu was on 10109 Thursday after 1000Z. Make sure you QSL via his home call - JL1UXH, not his US call.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8CDP	14173	2130	EU-051	IE9/I5HLK	14072	2049
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	18072	2322	EU-060	SY8WT	14260	2330
EU-004	EA6/DL5RF	28503	1032	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	24957	0734
EU-004	EB1BRH/EA6	28466	1040	EU-115	EI9FN	14209	0733
EU-010	GM3VLB/P	14258	2048	EU-138	SD1B/7	14260	1538
EU-015	SV9/DL6NBR	24963	0814	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14081	2123
EU-016	9A/OE1XHC	14021	0702	EU-170	9A1AZ/P	14021	1632
EU-023	9H4DX	28495	1553	EU-171	OZ/DL2VFR	10110	2027
EU-025	IW9FRB	14080	1614	EU-178	ES/PE1HB	14267	1806
EU-029	OZ0A	7078	1921	NA-050	KL7HBK	14040	0336
EU-050	IL7/IK2DUW	7023	2152				

KV8Q plans to be active from Prince Edward Island (NA-029), Canada from July 11th through July 16th with an emphasis on CW. He will be active as a single-op, CW entry in the 2007 IARU contest as VY2/KV8Q. QSL via KC8UR.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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22-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE	HA7VY		11-106
22-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F2JD			11-117
22-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F5JY			11-117
22-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/F6BFH			11-117
22-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/N6OX	N6OX		11-117
22-Jun	22-Jun	HB0	HB0/PA0ABM	PA0ABM		11-092
22-Jun	27-Jun	HH	HH4/W3CMP (NA-096)	W3CMP	11-118	099 039
22-Jun	23-Jun	HI	NA6DF/HI7 (NA-096)	NA6DF		11-114
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22-Jun 23-Jun I	IL7/IK2DUW (EU-050)	IK2DUW	11-119
22-Jun 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
22-Jun 9-Jul OM	OM9ACA		11-104
22-Jun 27-Jun ON	ON4LO (EU-145)		11-095
22-Jun 25-Jun OX	DB8JO/OX	DB8JO	11-114
22-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5HD/OX	DJ5HD	11-114
22-Jun 25-Jun OX	DJ5ZWS/OX	DJ5ZWS	11-114
22-Jun 23-Jun OZ	OZ/DL2VFR	DL2VFR	11-109
22-Jun 1-Jul SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-118 085
22-Jun 30-Jun SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095
22-Jun 22-Jun SV	SY8WT (EU-060)	SV2HPP	11-096 073
22-Jun 24-Jun TA	TA4/GI4FUE		11-108
22-Jun 24-Jun UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-102)	UA1RJ	11-109
22-Jun 24-Jun V2	V26HS (NA-100)	WB4WXE	11-096
22-Jun 2-Jul VP2E	VP2EH (NA-022)	W7XU	11-122 104 099
22-Jun 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
22-Jun 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
22-Jun 24-Jun	Friedrichshafen (HAM RADIO 2007)		11-085
23-Jun 30-Jun 5B	5B/G0HIO (AS-004)	G0HIO	11-109
23-Jun 28-Jun 7X	7U5CI (AF-104)	OM3CGN	11-121 120
23-Jun 28-Jun 9A	9A/I6GFX	I6GFX	11-080
23-Jun 30-Jun 9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-118
23-Jun 24-Jun KC4	KC4/W1MRQ		11-122
23-Jun 24-Jun KC4	KC4AAA		11-122
23-Jun 24-Jun KC4	KC4AAC		11-122
23-Jun 24-Jun SP	SN1LH	SP3VT	11-119
25-Jun 30-Jun 3A	3A/N6PF	N6PF	11-092
25-Jun 27-Jun EI	EI/G3ZAY/P (EU-121)	G3ZAY	11-119
25-Jun 27-Jun EI	EI/M0HSW/P (EU-121)	M0HSW	11-119
25-Jun 27-Jun EI	EI/M0TJH/P (EU-121)	M0TJH	11-119
25-Jun 30-Jun OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-088)	DL2VFR	11-109
25-Jun 3-Jul YO	YO2/ON4XA	ON4XA	11-109

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to active today through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for June 20, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

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5X1VB	UA4WHX	EA6/DL5RF	DL5RF	OL60PZKO	OK2BIQ
9A1AZ/P	YU7AZ	HB0/PA0ABM	PA0ABM	PA6BF	PA1WLB

9A950JB 9A3JB KK2H/KH6 JL1UXH SD1B/7 DL8AAV
DQ50SAAR DK8VR

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

KU0A, Nelson, notes that his BS7H QSOs have recently been added to LOTW.
"Apparently, those who sent \$\$\$\$ with the QSL are being uploaded to LoTW", he
said. Nelson also mentioned that the "ARRL has temporarily waived the second
application fee for LoTW applications, so it won't cost extra if you've already
sent in an application this year".

If you are still waiting on your R1FJT QSLs from Eugene on Franz Josef Land
don't worry. QSL manager UA4RC, Victor, says between July 20th and August 15th
there will be an ornithologist expedition arriving on Franz Joseph Island and
that Eugene is going to send his full log with one of the attendees back to
mainland Russia. As soon as Victor receives the logs he will immediately begin
sending out QSLs.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3B8/OM0C, 5W0CK,
A22/JA4ATV, BS7H, J20MM, J20RR, KH8/K6SRZ, N8S, OH1XX, VP8KF, ZL2PR, ZS6WN

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5J1W, AP2DKH, LX1KC, NP2/AB8CK,
OE4VIE, OH0JFP, S52RZ, ZL1ALA

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4U1ITU, DP9Z, E51TUG, EA7FIQ, GM4WZL,
KH6FI, PY5EW, SM2CEW, T97C, VK8ML, VP8LP

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VK1PWE is currently on the air from Lord Howe Island using the VK9LWE callsign. He says he is "lazing about on lord Howe Island for a few days." This operation is June 21-27, on 40, 20, 15 and 10M. Look for him on 7090, 14195, 21205, 28490 and 29.6 FM. Says Scott, "It will be an interesting experiment, as I'll be using the FT-897D with the internal batteries, which will limit me to about 20W, although it seems ideally 10-15W gives the best power versus battery life. My antenna will be a 40M inverted-V through an LDG897 ATU." He adds, "While the signal won' be the strongest, this is one of the reasons I bought the 897, to use it in a truly portable situation. I am taking a power supply, so -- so long as I am able to string up the antenna at my accommodation, I'll be able to operate more regularly and at 100W."

Scott says he will really be relaxing, with just an hour or two a day on the radio. And he planned to be on the AO-51 satellite for passes on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th. QSL via VK1PWE, A.S. Whitton, 34 Haystack Crescent, PALMERSTON ACT 2913, AUSTRALIA.

A35RK reports that KM9D and KF4TUG have completed their resupply in Apia, Samoa, and they will be setting sail for Savai'I, the other main Samoan island, today. They don't know how long they will be in Savai'I, but they have no plans to operate in DXpedition mode from there. Their next stop in their Pacific Ocean voyage is Wallis and Futuna, FW. The dates and operating plans there are not yet known.

The long range plan is to sail onward to Australia for an extended stay and refit, and repair and/or replacement of broken radios.

YM1907FB is a special callsign from Turkey for the 100th anniversary of the Fenerbahce Sports Club. Operator TA3J, Berkin Aydogmus, will be QRV on 160, 80, 40, 30, 20, 27, 15, 12, 10 and 2M, all modes, from July 19-August 2. The 1907 number in the callsign is for the year the club was founded, and to add to the fun, Berkin will start up and end at 1907Z on the beginning and ending days of the operation.

<http://www.qsl.net/ta3j/ym1907fb> QSL via TA3YJ. For direct, include a 2006 version IRC and "no green stamp please." No eQSL. SWL cards are okay too. Here's the site for the TA3YJ QSL service:
<http://www.geocities.com/qslservice/ta3yj>

3A2/SP2JMB, Slavo, will be on from Monaco June 26-28. He plans to be on 40M-70CM CW and SSB.

FO/N1DL, Karl, will be on from various French Polynesia Islands "holiday style" and using the E51ADL callsign from Rarotonga, South Cook Islands, between July 27 and July 11. QSL to his home callsign.

K7BV says his "Fun-in-the-Sun" Belize Six Meter DXpedition will be July 7-17. He will apparently be staying in contact with W5OZI, Pat, on 14345 and 7165. He will be on "the usual DXpedition frequencies" on HF and on 6M with a breakable beacon on 50.106. He'll be doing WSJT with "random CQs on 50.260." For gear he'll have two Yaesu FT-450s and wires and verticals on HF. On 6M, a 7-element 6M7JHV. QSL direct via W1JJ's QRZ.com address, including a self-addressed envelope with return postage stamp or currency.

R9HQ will be the IARU Contest SRR headquarters station from Zone 31. Team members will be RZ9OZO, RW9HZZ, UA9UZZ and RK9UZZ.

VU2JOS has finished his trip to Austria where he made about 300 QSOs. Other team members made another 300. Jose Jacob now has his German Reciprocal License with the callsign DL/VU2JOS. He hopes to be QRV until June 29th.

OH1VR and OH3RM, Seppo and Markus, will be on Market Reef signing OJ0VR and OJ0/OH3RM June 30 at about 17Z until July 3 at 06Z. They will be on CW and SSB.

OH1VR will keep on going this summer, putting VP9/OH1VR on the air from Bermuda August 19-21, mostly on CW. QSL for OH1VR via his callbook address. OJ0/OH3RM should go via OH3RM.

W0WOI says he observed "the best all-around stateside 6-meter E-skip day of the season" yesterday, with "most U.S. call areas" getting openings to the Caribbean and Latin America, DX such as YV, VP2E, KP2, KP4, HH4, P43, PJ2, XEs galore, CO, 6Y5, all of Canada, and the northeast coast having openings to Western Europe, G, DL and F." He says, "coast-to-coast USA QSOs were common. Quite a show." He says this was yesterday afternoon and evening, going into early June 25 UTC. Hmmm, we didn't get ANY of that at the W3AO Field Day..

K5LBU thinks he will be able to give out the BARS, Botswana Amateur Radio Society, multiplier in next month's IARU Contest. Frosty has been given permission to use the A25HQ callsign. QSL via K5LBU. His own Botswana callsign is A25CF.

C56YK, operator ON7YK, Andre, will again be active from The Gambia, September 14-27. He will be on 80-6M SSB. QSL via his QRZ.com info.

SV9/SV1EJD, Crete (IOTA EU-015), operator Theo, will be on July 3-17, 80-10M SSB and RTTY. QSL via IZ8CCW direct or bureau.

This Week in Consumer Electronics (TWICE) reports that Kenwood has agreed to merge in 2008 with Victor Company of Japan (JVC) under a holding company. JVC is owned by Matsushita Electric Industrial Company. Japan's Nikkei business newspaper reports that the final details should be worked out by the end of the month. In any "merger," the question to be asked is, "Who is taking over who (or whom)?" In this instance, JVC is described as "struggling," and it appears Kenwood is taking over JVC, by buying 20 billion yen (\$161,469,466) in JVC shares, raising its ownership stake in JVC to 13 percent. Matsushita will also sell part of its 52.7 percent of JVC to Kenwood's top shareholder, the Sparx Group. Operations will be integrated in 2008 and Matsushita will sell the rest of its JVC shares to the holding company at that time. Kenwood's and JVC's sales, combined, are \$7.3 billion dollars annually for their fiscal year that ended March 31st.

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5X1VB - UGANDA - 160 METERS - 1822.9 FROM 22-02z. Vlad was also on 24895 fro 1230Z and 18069 from 1430Z today.

7U5CI - ALGERIA - IOTA AF-104 - 14260 1430Z, 21260 1325Z, 21010
1310Z, 24892 from 1240Z and 24950 before that.

OD5/ON4JM - LEBANON - 14192 from 1315Z yesterday. 14205 at 1815Z
the day before. 18146 at 1445Z on Friday.

PY7ZY - BRAZIL - 160 METERS - 1833 from 2320-0135Z Saturday
night, 1824.5 and 1832 before that, starting at 0010Z.

VK9LWE - LORD HOWE ISLAND - 40 meters - 7075 calling CQ at
2200Z. 7094.9 at 0705Z the 23rd and 7090 running 15
watts at 0725Z the 22nd. QSL via VK1PWE. 2209 23 Jun
2007

XV2JX - VIETNAM - 18136 at 0830Z, 24968 at 0735Z the 23rd,
14197 at 1415Z the 21st.

IOTA

The EU-170 group is the destination for 9A5AN, HA3HP and 9A2AA for a week
starting June 25. They will be going to as many of the IOCA, Islands of Croatia
Award, islands as they can. QSL to their home callsigns.

UE1CDX is the callsign from Stirsudden or Rifovji, for UA1AIR, UA1CBW and
UA1CIO. These are apparently not IOTA counters but are RR-01-18 islands within
Russia. This is June 30 and July 1. QSL via RN1CW.

VK1AA/2 will be on Broughton Island, OC-212, February 25-28, 2008, we believe.
(His e-mail actually says 2007, so we will be checking on this). He will be on
40, 20 and 15 CW and phone. QSL via P.O. BOX 900, Spit Junction 2088 NSW,
Australia.

BV9G, Green Island (aka Lu Tao), AS-155, will be on for the IOTA contest July
28-29. The operators are BV8BC, BV8BQ, BX8AAA, BX8AD, BX8AE and BX8AG. QSL via
BV8BC.

IC8R, Procida Islands, EU-031, will be in the IOTA Contest. The ops are IK8HCG,
IK8UND, IN3QBR, IZ8FG, IN3XUG, IC8OZM and IC8DAK. QSL via IC8OZM.

DF7FC/p, Manfred, will be on Langeness Island, EU-042, in the IOTA event. He
will be SSB only with 100 watts. QSL to his home call, bureau preferred.

DL5KUD, Joachim, will go to Ruegen Island, EU-057, for the IOTA contest. QSL
via DL5KUD, bureau preferred.

EI9JQ, operator G0DEZ, Dez, will be on for the IOTA contest, 80-10M, low power.
Ireland is EU-115. QSL via G0DEZ for this one.

Cramond Island, EU-123, will be the IOTA contest QTH for MM0NDX and GM1RIG. QSL
to their home callsigns, direct only.

DL5AUA/p, will be on Neuwerk Island, EU-127, for the IOTA contest.
QSL to his home call.

DL5XAT/p will be on Fehmarn Island, EU-128, for the IOTA contest. QSL to his
home callsign.

DL0KWH/p, Usedom Island, EU-129, will be in the IOTA event, multi-op CW and SSB.
QSL via DL0KWH, bureau preferred.

DR6IOTA will also be on Usedom, EU-129 for the IOTA contest. QSL via DM5DX.

PA1BX/p will be on Schouwen Duiveland, EU-146 for the IOTA contest.
Ops will be PA1BX, DH5HV, ON4JZ, ON4PH, ON5UM, ON6LUQ, ON7GF, ON4CFQ and possibly others. QSL via PA1BX.

PA/OQ1C/p will also be on Schouwen Duiveland for the contest. ON4ASG, ON4ON, ON5SY, ON6CX, ON7PQ and ON7XT will be at the radios. QSL via ON4ON.

9A9Z/p, Pasman Island, EU-170, will be on the IOTA contest. The operators are 9A4ML, 9A2HW and 9A4CD. QSL via 9A1ADE, bureau preferred.

PP5VX, Bone, will be on SA-027, Sao Francisco Island, in the IOTA contest. QSL via his QRZ.com address.

JF1NEH/1 will be on Hachijo Island, AS-043, June 27-30. He plans to be on the HF bands. QSL to his home callsign direct or bureau.

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25-Jun	25-Jun	OX	DJ5ZWS/OX	DJ5ZWS		11-114
25-Jun	30-Jun	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-088)	DL2VFR		11-109
25-Jun	1-Jul	SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-118	085
25-Jun	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
25-Jun	2-Jul	VP2E	VP2EH (NA-022)	W7XU	11-122	104 099
25-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081

25-Jun	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
25-Jun	3-Jul	YO	YO2/ON4XA	ON4XA	11-109
27-Jun	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122 060
27-Jun	2-Jul	HL	HL7WR	DS2UAL	11-095 090
28-Jun	5-Jul	J7	J79RM	NA9N	11-103
28-Jun	11-Jul	J8	by W6JKV		10-219
28-Jun	8-Jul	VP2E	VP2EREM	WB2REM	11-122 089
29-Jun	1-Jul	BY	BD3APX/2 (AS-151)	BD3APX	11-114
29-Jun	2-Jul	HB0	HB0/HB9QQ	HB9QQ	11-105
29-Jun	1-Jul	VE	VE2IDX (NA-128)		11-118
29-Jun	4-Jul	VE	VF0X (NA-196)	VE3IKV	11-088 085
30-Jun	30-Jun	F	F5OGG/p (EU-064)	F5OGG	11-111
30-Jun	30-Jun	I	IJ9/IT9AXZ (EU-025)	IT9AXZ	11-122
30-Jun	30-Jun	I	IJ9/IT9WDY (EU-025)	IT9WDY	11-122
30-Jun	30-Jun	I	IJ9/IT9YRE (EU-025)	IT9YRE	11-122

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today and quiet the next two days.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for June 23, 2007 continued at zero. It's been more than a week now.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	HB0/IK1PMR	IK1PMR	T9/VE3ZIK	DL3PS
4L3Y	DK6CW	HC2SL	EA5KB	TM5MRP	F5KGR
DP0MF	DH1LAO	HP2/CX2AM	CX2AM	TM6VDM	F8KGS
5P1DX	OZ6B	HP2/CX4CR	CX2AM	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
5X1VB	UA4WHX	IU2IPY	IK2QPR	UA9ZZ/9/P	RW3RN
6M22	DS2TXG	KP2A	W3HNC	UE1OTA	RZ1OA
7U5CI	OM3CGN	MJ0ASP	F5SHQ	UE1RFF/1	UA1RJ
9A/PA4JJ	PA4JJ	MM/OQ9E/P	ON7IDX	UE3OFF/1	RA3QSY
9M6XRO	M5AAV	OH0Z	W0MM	UN3M	EA7FTR
A61Q	EA7FTR	OL60PZKO	OK2BIQ	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
AN1A	EA1AST	PA6BF	PA1WLB	UO50F	RW6HS
AO5YJ	EA5YJ	SC300VL	SK6HD	V5/HB9PHJ	HB9PHJ
AO7A	EA7NL	SN0EL	SP1KRF	VE9DX	K2NJ
C52T	G0TSM	SN0RQH	SP9RQH	XV2JX	JM3UML
CX5UR	EA5KB	SN100S	SP9ZHR	XX9TTR	VR2RR
DA0UBOOT	DK9OS	SN10P	SP9KJU	ZA/UT7DW	DK6CW
DR2007SDW	DL1BD	SV0LR	HB9LDR		

KD1CT, Bob, is trying to confirm an April 2004 QSO with A43HI (AS- 010). Multiple cards have been sent to A47RS with no response. Does anyone have a listing of the operators from this operation? If so please email to Bernie@dailydx.com who will forward it on to Bob.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B8/OMOC, 5W0JT, A22/JA4ATV, A71EM, J20MM, J20RR, OH1XX, STORM, V73J, VP8KF, W0S, XX9TJS, YB1A and ZC4LI.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5J1W, DF0HQ, DL5AWI, DR2006C, DR2006S, DQ2006A, DQ2006H, DQ2006M, DQ2006R, DQ2006S, DQ2006X, DQ2006Y, JA6QDU, R9HQ, RU3HD/MM, RW1AI and S50A.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BA4TB, DJ0YI, GI4NKB, HV0A, PA1MVL, SV5/DL3DRN, VP8LP, YO3APJ, YV6BTF and ZL4PW.

On The WWW

You'll find photos from "Ham Radio 2007" in Friedrichshafen, Germany, on <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/FN-2007/FN-Jun-07.html>

Wondering where your 2006 DXCC Yearbook is? Find out at <http://www.arrl.org/blog/DXCC%20Dialog>.

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DX News

The National Association Radioamateurs of Georgia (NARG) will be participating in this year's IARU HF World Championship as 4L0HQ. Operators will be 4L2M, Mamuka; 4L4WW, Gia; 4L4CR, Misha; and 4L7CR, Gogita.

DL6XK, Gerhard, will be operating from club station UE9CXX in Swerdlowsk, Asiatic Russia from July 1st to 15th. QSL via the bureau to DL6XK.

QSN

160 METERS - TOPBAND - African stations 5H3EE (1825 at 2230Z), 5X1VB (1823 from 2300-0100Z) and 9Q1TB (1833 at 0315Z) were all reported yesterday. FK8CP continues to be on 1835 around 1100Z.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - Yesterday was a great day on 50 MHz. US DXers from W1 to W7 (Arizona) as well as W8, 9 and 0 were working into Europe on 6 meters. North American ops reported the following activity on Monday: 5T5SN, 9A1CCY, C52T, CT1HZE, CU2JT, DK1MAX, EA7KW, EI5FK, F6HRP, G3SED, GD0TEP, GI6ATZ, GM3YTS, GW3LEW, HA3MQ, HH4/W3CMP, IK5MEJ, JL8GKB (W6 and W7 around 06Z), MU0FAL, NH6P (W1), ON4KST, OZ6ABA, PA2M, S57RR, T96C, VP2EDH and YU1DG. Over in Europe they reported: 4X4DK, 8R1WD, C52T, EA8BWY, FJ5DX, JA5AIE, OY1CT, PJ7TM, TF/G4ODA and VP2EDH.

VP8DIZ - FALKLAND ISLANDS - Richard was on 14215 from 19 to 20Z. QSL via G7KMZ.

ZB2FK - GIBRALTAR - Several East Coast US 10 meter ops reported working Ernie on 28012 Monday just before 2100Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-104	7U5CI	14260	0646	EU-116	GD0ADV	24945	0944
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	14260	1928	EU-128	DL/IK3GES	14256	1527
EU-012	MM0XAU	18118	1734	EU-138	SD1B/7	14261	1859

EU-015	SV9/DL6NBR	14260	0521	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	24950	1659
EU-016	9A/OE1XHC	14023	0722	EU-170	9A1CCY/P	14256	1404
EU-038	PE1DTU	14256	1930	EU-170	9A2AA/P	7063	1815
EU-070	9A/I6GFX	7060	1318	EU-171	OZ0BB	14260	1603
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	18155	0640	NA-170	HP2/CX2AM	14025	0557
EU-087	SM3LF	14040	1531	NA-170	HP2/CX3AN	7047	0151
EU-088	OZ/DL2VFR	24894	1541	NA-170	HP2/CX4CR	14195	1153
EU-102	UE1RFF/1	18077	0917	OC-143	YB4MF	14230	1442
EU-113	SV1TP/8	14266	2136	SA-002	VP8LP	14192	2030

In yesterday's issue we reported VK1AA/2 would be QRV from Broughton Island (OC-212) February 25-28, 2008. Actually that operation took place this year. Some how that news got recycled. Sorry!

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No

26-Jun	30-Jun	3A	3A/N6PF	N6PF		11-092
26-Jun	28-Jun	3A	3A2/SP2JMB			11-124
26-Jun	5-Jul	3V	3V8SS	DD9HK		11-122
26-Jun		4W	4W6AAD (OC-148)	VK3ZGW	11-117	085
26-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G0HIO (AS-004)	G0HIO		11-109
26-Jun	30-Jun	5B	5B/G3RWF (AS-004)	G3RWF		11-101
26-Jun		5X	5X1VB	UA4WHX		11-123
26-Jun	28-Jun	7X	7U5CI (AF-104)	OM3CGN	11-121	120
26-Jun	28-Jun	9A	9A/I6GFX	I6GFX		11-080
26-Jun	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110
26-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1D	SM5BFJ	11-115	092
26-Jun	30-Jun	9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC		11-118
26-Jun	29-Jun	C5	C52T	G0TSM	11-116	088
26-Jun	29-Jun	DL	DL/VU2JOS	VU2JOS		11-124
26-Jun	27-Jun	EI	EI/G3ZAY/P (EU-121)	G3ZAY		11-119
26-Jun	27-Jun	EI	EI/M0HSW/P (EU-121)	M0HSW		11-119
26-Jun	27-Jun	EI	EI/M0TJH/P (EU-121)	M0TJH		11-119
26-Jun	1-Jul	F	TM0GP	F5KCH		11-119
26-Jun	28-Jun	GM	GB1EPC	MM0DFV		11-106
26-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE	HA7VY		11-106
26-Jun	27-Jun	HH	HH4/W3CMP (NA-096)	W3CMP	11-118	099 039
26-Jun	28-Jun	HP	HP2/CX2AM (NA-170)	CX2AM		11-119 095
26-Jun	28-Jun	HP	HP2/CX3AN (NA-170)	CX2AM		11-119 095
26-Jun	28-Jun	HP	HP2/CX4CR (NA-170)	CX2AM		11-119 095
26-Jun	30-Jun	HS	E21EIC/8	E21EIC		11-121
26-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
26-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA			11-104
26-Jun	27-Jun	ON	ON4LO (EU-145)			11-095
26-Jun	30-Jun	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-088)	DL2VFR		11-109
26-Jun	1-Jul	SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-118	085
26-Jun	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP		11-095
26-Jun	27-Jun	VK9L	VK9LWE	VK1PWE		11-124
26-Jun	2-Jul	VP2E	VP2EDH (NA-022)	W7XU	11-122	104 099
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26-Jun	3-Jul	YO	YO2/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109

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The sunspot number for June 24, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3V8SS	DD9HK	HP2/CX2AM	CX2AM	TM4KAR	F5KEK
4N160SRS	YU1SRS	HP2/CX3AN	CX2AM	UE1RFF/1	UA1RJ
A05AAB	EC5AAB	HP2/CX4CR	CX2AM	V5/HB9PHJ	HB9PHJ
A05FKQ	EA5FKQ	OX3YY	OZ7YY	VP8DIZ	G7KMZ
C52T	G0TSM	TK/F5TVG	F5TVG	ZB2FX	G3RFX
D2EEX	CT1EEX				

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Commencing July 1, 2007 WA4WTG, Kappy, will take on the QSL manager duties for Hong Kong club stations VR2C and VR2NN. This will include VR10NN (VR Ten NN), which will be QRV from July 1, 2007 through July 1, 2008.

W3HNC, Joe, is now handling the QSL chores for V8MQM, Mohammad.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3V8SF, 4N8A, 7X4AN, CN2FB, CT1BOL, FK/FO5RK, FK8CP, N8S, OE5OA, PZ5RA, TK5MH, VK9NS

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: VP8LP

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Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 4L2M, 4X4- 2238, AE6RR, DXMB, JJ1BDX, K6TA, KI4AAN, N0RB, N3SL, N4II, SM5DQC, T93Y, W2IRT, W3HNC, WA4WTG, WC5M

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VP6DX Ducie Island - February 2008

The VP6DX team, heading to Ducie Island, has been busy behind the scenes preparing for the much anticipated February 2008 DXpedition, reports DL6LAU, Carsten Esch. The group has decided "to extend the duration of the expedition". As a result that will increase the budget for this operation. Plans are to depart Mangareva Island, Gambier Islands, French Polynesia via the Braveheart (www.braveheart.pn), on February 5, 2008 and head for Pitcairn Island, which normally takes about 36 hours.

The ops will spend a few hours there before take another 36 hour trip boat ride, still aboard the Braveheart, to Ducie Island. They are planning to arrive at sunrise on February 9th. The only landing area is located on the northeast side of the island and it can be tricky. They hope to be up and running within 24 hours.

The team needs to be back on Mangareva by March 3rd, so they would need to allow about six days in order getting back in time. Looks like if all goes well, including the weather, they will have VP6 QRV for as long as 19 days. There is a slight chance of a short visit to another uninhabited island (editors note: Henderson Island is the only one on the way to and from Ducie Island) if things on Ducie slow down.

Since the Dayton announcement the operators list has been adjusted. Unfortunately K1LZ, Krassy Petkov, will not be able to go. The current list of operators is DJ8NK, DL3DXX, DL6LAU, DL8LAS, K3NA, OH2BH, OH2PM, SP3DOI, UA3AB and WA6CDR. The group plans to announce the addition of three more ops in the near future.

The VP6DX DXpedition team will be assisted by a support team. JA1BK, Kan Mizoguchi, who was the DXpedition leader on the first operation (VP6DI) from Ducie and who supported the second operation (VP6DIA), will be advising the VP6DX team. DF6QV, DJ2YA and OH1JT will be the Antenna Engineering Team. The team's Webmaster will be DL1MGB. GU4YOX, Bob Beebe, is the electrical team manager and VP6MW, Miralda Warren, is the Pitcairn Island liaison. More support personnel are expected to be announced soon.

Early on the team chose to take radios that would possibly be "the best radio for this kind of operation". The team will have seven of the new K3 transceivers thanks to the sponsorship of Elecraft (www.elecraft.com). Another sponsor for this operation will be ACOM (www.hfpower.com) as the team will have six or seven of the ACOM 1000/1010 amps and one ACOM 2000A (for 160 meters).

Serious efforts are being made in many aspects of this DXpedition including their antennas. They will have two phased verticals on 160 meters aimed at

Europe and the US and one vertical will be used to all other areas. Plans are to have two 4 squares on 80 meters, one on CW and the other on SSB, for simultaneous operation. Four Squares will also be used on the 30 and 40 meter bands. On 10 through 20 meters they will be using phased vertical dipoles.

As you can see, from the list of operators, their time on the island, the equipment and antennas, this will be a serious effort to make Ducie Island available to the DX community. Donations for this operation are being requested, in order to make this operation a success. Your support before the operation is requested, as "all of the expenses have to be paid way before" the team actually depart.

The team members have already put upfront the money. Donations have already been received or promised by the following sponsors: German DX Foundation (GDXF), Danish DX Group (DDXG), Clipperton DX Club (CDXC), Chiltern DX Club (CDXC), European DX Foundation (EUDXF), UK Six Metre Group (UKSMG) and the Central Virginia DX Contest Club (CVCC). Individual contributions have been received so far from:

K9CT, W2RI, DJ0QN, G4DYO, K7HC, N6OX, DK5WL, DL2OE, K7EIE, DL3JJ, JF7RJM and DL7ZZ.

The budget for this operation is over \$200,000 (USD). Those willing and able can support this operation, with details on the team's Web site at <http://ducie2008.dllmgb.com/content/view/33/54/>. Over the next few weeks the VP6DX team will be preparing the shipping container, which will contain the "radios, amplifiers, antennas, generators" etc.

The VP6DX Website (www.vp6dx.com) is constantly being updated and a monthly news letter will be available with all the details prior to the trip. Those wishing to automatically receive the news letter can go to the Web site and "leave your e-mail address in the News section". The July issue is expected to be available to the DX community in the next few days.

DX News

During the upcoming IARU HF World Championship Honduras will be represented by HR2HQ as members of the Radio Club de Honduras give out the RCH multiplier. As of the moment operators will be the President of the Radio Club HR2DX, Antonio; HR2PAC, Pedro; HR2JGG, Jorge; HR2H, Henry; HR2RP, Frank; and HR2DMR, Dan.

Members of the Philippine Amateur Radio Association (PARA) will be operating DX1HQ in the IARU HF World Championship.

Yesterday was HH4/W3CMP's, Chris, last day on 6 meters as antenna will be taken down and packed up to be shipped home.

Today DL2JRM, Rene, Matthes, flies to Chin, where he will be staying for the next three weeks and operating as DL2JRM/BY4RRR. He also plans to participate in the IARU HF World Championship as B4HQ. Rene will be on 40 CW.

Here is an update on Amateur Radio activities in the Democratic Republic of Congo, thanks to 9Q1TB, Philippe, and SM5DQC, Osten.

9Q1D, Gus, will be going QRT any day now, if not already. He will be leaving his 6 meter beacon with 9Q1EK, Georges, who will relocate the beacon soon in a UNHCR location in Kinshasa. During the month of July Georges will be the only active Amateur Radio operator from 9Q, as 9Q1TB, Philippe, will be vacationing in Paris France starting June 30th. He is expected back in Kinshasa on July 28th.

The Greater Milwaukee DX Association (GMDXA) elected the following officers for the 2007/2008 club year:

President - NK9G, Rick McGaver
 Vice President - NF9V, Rudy Verhoeven
 Secretary/Treasurer - N9AU, Ron Gorski

For more information on GMDXA check out their Web site at
<http://www.eng.mu.edu/gmdxa/>.

QSN

5X1VB - UGANDA - Several of our readers have reported that Vladimir will be shutting down his African operations, probably later today. Hold off a tad longer before sending your QSLs. Your editor is gathering a complete listing of all of Vladimir's activities and will post these results in the coming days.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-104	7U5CI	14260	1815	EU-121	EJ/MOHSW	14210	1346
AS-093	DS4DRE/4	7002	0817	EU-121	EJ/M0TJH	14260	1757
EU-001	SV5FRD	28475	1750	EU-127	DF6QC	10103	2028
EU-010	GM3VLB/P	14258	1341	EU-138	SD1B/7	14260	1049
EU-012	MM0XAU	18130	1046	EU-144	IR8DX	14023	0644
EU-020	SM1ALH	14022	0459	EU-170	9A/DK2CH	14080	1942
EU-029	OZ/IK3GES	14085	1656	EU-170	9A/HA3HP	7060	1437
EU-055	LA9RY	14257	0548	EU-170	9A/I6GFX	7077	1458
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28485	1625	EU-170	9A2AA/P	7060	1413
EU-088	OZ/DL2VFR	10115	2145	EU-170	9A5AN/P	7060	1421
EU-102	UE1RFF/1	14185	0353	NA-170	HP2/CX2AM	14024	2213
EU-121	EJ/G3ZAY	14040	2224	NA-170	HP2/CX4CR	14195	2326

A group from Cyprus has announced plans for a two day operation from Cape Akamas Lighthouse (ARLHS CYP001) over the July 7/8 weekend, as they participate in the Aegean VHF Contest. The team will be 5B4AFQ, Manos; 5B4AIR, Kostas; 5B8AP, Andreas; and 5B8BE, Marios. Look for them to be using the special call P3CA on HF, 2 and 6 meters as well as APRS on 144.800 MHz. They will be on CW, SSB and FM. This DXpedition is being sponsored by the Limassol section (5B4MS) of CARS. A Web page has been set up with more information at www.5b4ms.org/p3ca.html.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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27-Jun	2-Jul	HL	HL7WR	DS2UAL	11-095 090
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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low, with a slight chance for C-class flares late in the period.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will range from quiet to unsettled. Active periods are possible, particularly at high latitudes, on Friday.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: J28WI, SV9CVY, YT6A

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

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DX News

Our World Traveler friend UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, has completed his African tour. The Daily DX has received official word from Vladimir as to his QSLing procedures and has a complete listing of all calls and approximate time frames for each operation. The list is in a PDF file, which can be read with Adobe Acrobat. The PDF file can be found at www.dailydx.com/UA4WHX.pdf and is available to the entire DX community.

F5OGE, Claude, will be QRV as CN2GE or CN2GE starting in Tangiers and traveling through Rabbat, Marakech, Benni Mellal, Fes, Tetouane and back to Tangiers, Morocco from July 13th to 29th. Look for him on CW and SSB mostly on 20 and 40 meters early in the morning and late in the evenings (his time). On his way to (July 10/11) and from (July 29/30) Morocco he'll be active as F5OGE/M and EA/F5OGE/M. QSL via F5OGE either direct or via the bureau.

Recently the Southeastern DX Club (SEDXC) elected the following officers for the 2007/2008 year:

President: K4UEE, Bob Allphin Vice President: W2WG, Bob Carroll
Secretary: N4GRN, George Nicholson Treasurer: ND4V, Mike Weathers
Activities Manager: WB4SQ, Gary McConville Membership Chair: N4NX, Bill Barr
Bulletin Editor: N4XMX, Rick Glisson
Webmaster: W4GKF, Chaz Cone

The coming year is a very important year for the SEDXC. First, the club is putting together a "helping hand" program to interest and assist new HFers in the art of DXing. Second, 2008 will be the 50th anniversary of the Club. Celebrations and activities to commemorate this important milestone are being planned now. Check out the SEDXC Website at www.sedxc.org.

5W0MO/KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are now anchored in Asau Bay on the northwest side of Savai'I Island, Samoa. Mike tells us that Jan is "keen to participate in the IOTA contest" from Wallis and Futuna (FW). He would not eliminate the possibility of 160 meter activity, however the 160 meter antenna was not especially productive and he hopes to get more than 50 watts out of the rig.

A group of Rhodian Radio Club (SV5) will be QRV with special call SX5RHO to commemorate the 2007 Island Games (www.rhodes2007.info). Look for daily activity on 2 through 160 meters on SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and possibly SSTV and JT65. All QSOs will be automatically confirmed via the bureau and the logs will be uploaded to LOTW. All activity will take place from Rhodes Island.

LY1F (VK2CCC), Tomas Magyla, will be operating from the Fiji Islands from August 28th to September 4th. Look for activity on 17 through 80 meters mostly CW. He is hoping for 3D2F or 3D2TM. Plans are to operate in the All Asia DX Contest.

During the IARU HF World Championship Luxembourg will be represented with IARU HQ Station LX0HQ QRV and handing out the RL multiplier.

In celebration of the 940th year of the city of Orsha, Belarus special event station EU940OR is expected to be QRV on from June 27th to July 26th. The call will be used by Amateur Radio operators from Baran and Orsha. The ORSHA-940 diploma is available for those working this station on two or more bands and modes. For full details email eu6aa@tut.by. QSL EU940OR via UA3FDX.

CE1VIL, Claudio, will be operating special event station 3G100S (Three Golf One Zero Zero Sierra) from June 26th to August 1st in celebration of 100 years of the Scout movement. QSL via XQ1KY either direct or via the bureau. There is more information on CE1RKY's Web page at www.celrkv.cl.

Currently there are around 100 Amateur Radio operators in Saudi Arabia after the mid 2004 opening of the hobby in this country. First Class licensees (HF/VHF/UHF) are using the 7Z1 and HZ1 prefixes. Class 2 licensees (VHF/UHF) are assigned 7Z2 and HZ2 prefixes. As of this time operations on 6, 30 and 80 meters are prohibited in Saudi Arabia. QSOs prior to the changes in 2004 on these bands do count for DXCC. Currently there is no Amateur Radio society or QSL bureau.

Look for CU2/WA1S, Ann, to be active from the Azores from July 27th to August 10th. She'll be on 10 through 80 meters, except 30 meters.

QSN

5H3EE - TANZANIA - Mike continues to show up on 160 CW just before 0100Z. QSL via DL4SM.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Multiple European 10 meter ops reported Akira on 28497 yesterday between 15 and 17Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

A61Q - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Was on 14023 today at 0340Z working North America.

FY5FY - FRENCH GUIANA - 30 meter ops were working Didier on 10106 yesterday just before 0100Z.

OX3YY - GRENLAND - Finn was looking for North American stations on 14029 around 1430Z Wednesday. QSL via OZ7YY.

UK9AA - UZBEKISTAN - RTTY ops found Fedor on 20 meters around 1830Z.

IOTA

GJ0KYZ, Paul, plans to be active as GJ0KYZ/p in the forthcoming IOTA contest from Minquiers Reef (EU-099). He may also be QRV on 50 MHz when taking a break from the contest. GJ0KYZ/p EU-99).

IOTA frequencies -
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 Isolated active periods are possible on Friday due to a recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream.

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5H0RS	IT9YVO	EU940OR	UA3FDX	SN100S	SP9ZHR
5H3EE	DL4SM	HB0/DK8OL	DK8OL	SN50PTU	SP2PTU
5N8NDP	IK5JAN	HG46FC	HA5BSW	TM0GP	F5KCH
5X1VB	UA4WHX	HK4OBA	EA5KB	TM4KAR	F5KEK
A05YJ	EA5YJ	IR1OS	IZ4HWA	TM6VDM	F8KGS
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	KH6YY	K2PF	UA9ZZ/9	RW3RN
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	LG5LG	LA4EKA	UE3OFF/1	RA3QSY
CP6AA	IK6SNR	OH0/ON5RZ	ON5RZ		

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Yesterday K2AU, Mark, received the A52SW QSLs from the printer. Today he will begin sending out the QSLs and hopes to have all the direct cards sent out in a few days.

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F6HMJ, Jacques, plans to be one of the B1HQ team during the July 14th and 15th IARU HF World Championship. He will be on 20 meters CW. Outside of the contest he will operate as BY1TX/F6HMJ in his free time.

9Q1D, Gus, says he will be going QRT this Sunday. 9Q1EK, Georges will be taking over Gus' six meter beacon. Gus will be replaced by SM7RME, Torbjorn Carlsson, however it may take a while and some serious payola before he obtains his legit call from the DRC, if he decides to go down that route.

QSN

4S7NE - SRI LANKA - Look for Nelson on or near 18069 between 1100 and 1300Z.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European ops reported the following activity yesterday: 3A2MW, C52T, CO8DM, MJ1GRY/P, TA1/HB9DUR, TI8II. North American ops found: 8P6SH, 9H1BT, C52T, EA7RM, EI5FK, FY1FL, G8BGC, HC1HC, HP1AC, KP2BH, MM0AMW, P43A, PJ2BVU, PJ4/PA3CNX, V44KAI, VP2EDH, YN4SU and YV5ESN. Today W6JKV, Jimmy, is expected to be QRV from J8.

7U5CI - ALGERIA - Was working across North American on 14260 between 2300 and 0100Z. QSL via OM3CGN.

A61Q - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Abdullah likes 20 CW, usually around 14024, between 0230 and 0440Z. QSL via EA7FTR.

EK6YL - ARMENIA - Pacific Northwest DXers reported working Anna on 14190 Thursday after 0300Z. QSL via SP9ERV.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-014	CT3FT	14200	0744	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	24960	1753
AF-104	7U5CI	14007	1715	EU-088	OZ/DL2VFR	14029	2304
AS-193	HZ1MD/M	14260	2042	EU-138	SD1B/7	14257	0840
EU-002	OH0/ON5RZ	14265	1649	EU-170	9A/HA3HP	7061	1329

EU-002	OH0JTU	28480	2052	EU-170	9A/I6GFX	14257	1301
EU-006	EJ/M0HSW	14262	1636	EU-170	9A2AA/P	14260	1437
EU-006	EJ/M0TJH	14261	2050	EU-170	9A5AN/P	7066	1614
EU-009	MM0EAX	7067	2209	EU-173	OH1JO	14258	1731
EU-015	SV9/DL6NBR	14260	0606	EU-175	CU3BL	18160	1742
EU-029	OZ4Z	14290	1240	EU-182	UT2FA/P	14033	2144
EU-037	SM7/IK3GES	14085	2142	NA-170	HP2/CX2AM	18073	2300
EU-038	PE1DTU	14260	1214	NA-170	HP2/CX4CR	14195	1345
EU-055	LA9RY	14260	0758	OC-005	VK9NS	14260	0432
EU-067	SV1CEI/8/P	7004	0325				

Yesterday HZ1MD, Mohamad, began operations as HZ1MD/M from Frasan Island (AS-193). This is the first time this IOTA has been activated.

Watch for him on 10, 15, 17, 20 and 40 meters SSB through July 1st.

He is running 100 watts from an IC7000 into Hustler mono-band verticals. QSL via PA2V.

HA0IM, Andy, will be QRV as J48IM and also SV8/HA0IM from Zakynthos Island (EU-052) from July 18th to 30th. Activity is expected on 6 through 80 meters, mostly CW, with some PSK31 and RTTY. He'll be running 100 watts into mono-band verticals on fishing poles. During the CQ World Wide VHF Contest, on July 20th and 21st, he will operate as J48IM on 6 meters only and also in the RSGB IOTA Contest, on July 28th and 29th. QSL both call via HA0IM either direct or via the HA QSL Bureau.

Starting July 24th Hungarian op HA0NAR, Laci, will be QRV as J48NAR and also SV8/HA0NAR from Thassos Island (EU-174). Look for him to be QRV on 6 through 80 meters on SSB and CW, possibly 6 meter FM, running 100 watts and mono-band verticals on fishing and spider poles. He'll be there through July 31st. During the RSGB IOTA Contest he'll use the special call J48NAR. QSL both via HA0NAR either direct or via the HA QSL bureau.

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28-Jun	30-Jun	HA	HG7DANUBE	HA7VY		11-106

28-Jun	2-Jul	HL	HL7WR	DS2UAL	11-095	090
28-Jun	28-Jun	HP	HP2/CX2AM (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119	095
28-Jun	28-Jun	HP	HP2/CX3AN (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119	095
28-Jun	28-Jun	HP	HP2/CX4CR (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119	095
28-Jun	30-Jun	HS	E21EIC/8	E21EIC	11-121	
28-Jun	5-Jul	J7	J79RM (NA-101)	NA9N	11-103	
28-Jun	11-Jul	J8	J8/W6JKV	W6JKV	10-219	
28-Jun	30-Jun	JA	JF1NEH/1 (AS-043)	JF1NEH	11-124	
28-Jun	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
28-Jun	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA	NZ5N	11-104	
28-Jun	30-Jun	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-088)	DL2VFR	11-109	
28-Jun	1-Jul	SM	SD1B/7 (EU-138)	DL8AAV	11-118	085
28-Jun	30-Jun	SP	HF750C	SP9BRP	11-095	
28-Jun	2-Jul	VP2E	VP2EDH (NA-022)	W7XU	11-122	104 099
28-Jun	8-Jul	VP2E	VP2EREM (NA-022)	WB2REM	11-122	089
28-Jun	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081	
28-Jun	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107	
28-Jun	3-Jul	YO	YO2/ON4XA	ON4XA	11-109	
29-Jun	1-Jul	BY	BD3APX/2 (AS-151)	BD3APX	11-114	
29-Jun	2-Jul	HB0	HB0/HB9QQ	HB9QQ	11-105	
29-Jun	1-Jul	VE	VE2IDX (NA-128)	VA3YDX	11-118	
29-Jun	4-Jul	VE	VF0X (NA-196)	VE3IKV	11-088	085
30-Jun	30-Jun	F	F5OGG/p (EU-064)	F5OGG	11-111	
30-Jun	30-Jun	I	IJ9/IT9AXZ (EU-025)	IT9AXZ	11-122	
30-Jun	30-Jun	I	IJ9/IT9WDY (EU-025)	IT9WDY	11-122	
30-Jun	30-Jun	I	IJ9/IT9YRE (EU-025)	IT9YRE	11-122	
30-Jun	3-Jul	OJ0	OJ0/OH3RM (EU-053)	OH3RM	11-124	
30-Jun	3-Jul	OJ0	OJ0VR (EU-053)	OH1VR	11-124	
1-Jul	15-Jul	F	FV5VDM		11-098	
1-Jul	15-Jul	UA9	UE9CXX	DL6XK	11-125	

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HF1PBW	SP1DPA	SN750BK	SP9PKZ	VP2EREM	WB2REM

HZ1MD/M PA2V TM4KAR F5KEK

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W9OL, Bill, former manager for YO3APJ, Adrian, says that Adrian is now handling his own QSLing. Cards should be sent to Adrian's QRZ.COM address along with SAE and GS or IRC. Adrian does use LOTW. Bill will handle, for a limited time, all requests already in the bureau/mail pipeline.

JL1UXH, Setsu, reports he has uploaded a log search for his recent KK2H/KH6 activity from Hawaii at <http://kk2h.4th.jp/log/search-kh6>. He also loaded his logs on LOTW.

All QSL requests for HB0/F2JD, HB0/F5JY, HB0/F6BFH and HB0/N6OX go via F6AJA. The logs are now on line at <http://lndx.free.fr/voirlogs.php>. QSL cards will soon be printed. All QSLs are 100% either via the bureau or direct.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: KH2JU, XW1A, XW1HS

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: AH2R, DT8A, R1ANF, TY5WP, V63UA

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: DL5NAM, GI4NKB, KK2H/KH6, S50R, VP8LP, WK3D/AH0, YO3APJ

On The WWW

Sports Illustrated has a great article on NK7U, Joe Rudi, the former Major League Baseball Left Fielder. Rudi, who is probably best know for playing with the Oakland A's, is a three-time All Star and three- time Golden Glove winner, who is still completing today in the competitive sport of Contesting and DXing! Check it out at <http://tinyurl.com/2alvxa>.

Looking for an address for a German station? Check out all 875 pages (in PDF form) of what appears to be the German Callbook at <http://ans.bundesnetzagentur.de/Amateurfunk/>. Warning it is almost 8 megabytes. The data contains calls, names, addresses and class of licenses for all German hams, except those who opt out.

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DX News

1A0KM, the unusual DXCC "entity," the Sovereign Military Order of Malta, will be activated again by the Italian operators, this month, July 12-22. G3TXF and G3SXW have been invited along this time. The two English ops will be on the air July 17-18. They say if you work 1A0KM on one of those dates on CW it will probably be Nigel or Roger.

They ask that you do not ask "opr?" in the middle of the pileup. They promise to keep note of who is operating when and to release that info after the operation. They ask that their many friends refrain from chit-chat during the QSO so that they can keep the rate up during their two brief days of operating. They would prefer a "snappy `5NN TU.'"

V26RM, Antigua, will be the callsign for K3TRM, Frank, July 4-10. He plans to be on 80-6M SSB, CW and RTTY and has gotten permission to operate on 60M, a first. July 11-14 he will be on from Montserrat on 80-6M. He's waiting for confirmation of the callsign but hopes to get VP2MRM.

EA8/G7COD/A, Andrew, is on now from Playa Del Cura, Gran Canaria, IOTA EU-004, July 1-7. He expected to operate every day from 1130-1330 and 1600-1815Z. Look for him on or near 14233, 18133, 21253 and 24953 SSB. He may operate CW if propagation requires it. QSL via G00YH bureau or direct.

JA1ELY, Toshi, reports that 8Q7NK, operator JA9APS, Al, will be on from the Maldives between July 6-9. It's a family vacation but Al hopes to find some time for 40-6M SSB, CW and RTTY using his TS-570S and R8 vertical. QSL to his home callsign, Narumi Kawai, 1-10-14 Suwanokawara, Toyama, 930-0088 JAPAN.

Following up on the June 28th announcement (DDX Vol. 11 No. 127) of the upcoming CN2GE operation, the Moroccan authorities have again reissued that callsign, this time to F5OGE, Claude, to use July 12-28, 2007. It was previously used in 1998 by OE3GEA, then in 1990-91 by K7GE (now K7RPM). CN2GE will be on the air, in this iteration, July 10-11 and 29-30. He will be on CW and SSB and will be doing some operating while mobile. QSL this operation via the French bureau or direct.

Updating last Monday's story about FO/N1DL and his operation from various French Polynesian islands "holiday style" with the E51ADL callsign, right now he is in Papeete. Karl says he is mostly working Europe on SSB and CW but did work some North America and VK/ZL this weekend. He expects to still be in E5 today and tomorrow, then will go to Bora Bora and from there to some of the islands in the Marquesas, depending on transportation availability. He says, "It's not easy to get there.AND BACK!" He will "be out of internet range most of the time."

4O6DJ will be the Montenegrin callsign for operator OK1FJD, David, July 7-14. David plans to be on the HF bands through 6M. QSL via OK6DJ.

EI70FOY, Ireland, will commemorate the first commercial trans-Atlantic passenger flight. A reenactment flight plans to leave Newfoundland July fifth, landing at Foynes, Ireland on the sixth. The Limerick Radio Club will have their station on July 6-8 for the event, operating on 80-10M.
<http://www.transatlanticflightpby.com/index.php>
or www.qsl.net/ei4lrc

Italy has announced its IARU HF World Championship stations for July 14-15. IU1HQ will be on 20 and 80M CW and 160M CW and SSB. IU2HQ will cover 40 CW. IU4HQ will be on 15 SSB and CW, 20 SSB and 40 and 80M SSB. IU9HQ will be on 10M SSB and CW. QSL all via the bureau.

PJ2/DH7SA will be on Curacao July 9-16. QSL for Salvatore to his home call.

8S3SYL will be on the air from the Scandinavian Young Ladies Radio Amateurs meeting in Ostersund, August 23-26. QSL via SM3CVM direct or, preferably they say, via the bureau.
http://www.sylra.se/_sgg/ml_1.htm

R50KP will be on from Mirny, Russia, July 9-16 to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Plesetsk Cosmodrome. The RK1OZM team operators will be on 40-10M CW, SSB and some digital modes, using three stations. QSL via RK1OZM direct or bureau.

OA6/KC4DDH, Paul, is visiting Peru now through July 14th. He plans to operate casually. He is in Arequipa. Look for him in the late afternoons, mostly on SSB, on 80, 40 and 20M. QSL to his home call.

SM1TDE is moving, with his wife and one-year-old daughter to Thailand for a job in Phuket. It will be a one-year assignment beginning August 10th. He hasn't obtained his HS0Z callsign yet, but plans to be active on 40-10M CW. No "WARC bands" are allowed in Thailand, he notes. He says HS1CHB has been a big help on his license application. And, he plans to be on the air as XU7TDE December 30-January 2. QSL via SM1TDE direct or bureau. Before long he will also have a post office box in Thailand.

YU7EF, Pop, reports that LA7JO, Stig, is back in Nepal and will once again be QRV as 9N7JO.

K8GG says he sent 132 QSLs to the DXCC Desk on March 29th and the processing date was June fourth. The return postmark was June 19 and the cards arrived back home a week later. George says that means nine weeks before processing, two weeks to do the final paperwork and box up for shipping. At Dayton he was given an estimate of 12 weeks turnaround, so that's a week early!

JH1LPZ, Naomi Kubota, says it took four months for his DXCC turnaround, but he's still happy. His cards were in his mailbox on Saturday afternoon.

The RSGB will have GB7HQ on the air for the IARU contest. G3LZQ is handling special certificates for working this one, the "bronze award" for working GB7HQ on three bandmodes, silver for six, gold for nine and platinum for all 12 bandmodes. <http://www.gb7hq.com/Award-Info.html> for that and <http://www.gb7hq.com/2007/2007-Ops-List.html> for the operators list. When you contact one operator he can give you the next frequency to find them on. QSL via G3TXF direct, bureau, or LOTW.

YW6R will be a special Venezuelan expedition to Roraima, the last of the Tepui Mountains inside Gran Sabana National Park, which is where Angel Falls, the world's highest waterfall, is. Roraima is on the border of Venezuela, Guyana and Brazil.
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Monte_Roraima YW6R will start up in the second week of December, for nine days. They plan to be on all bandmodes. The

operator list is being compiled. W4DTA/YV5DTA, Steve, will be one, and he says it's open to anyone who wants to go along.

He says the flight to Caracas from Miami is just three hours, "and then it is off to Bolivar State in the south of the country, another couple of hours via plane, around eight via road," then to Roraima where the backpacking adventure begins.

ON6ZK, Hans, will operate holiday style from Tenerife, AF-004, Canary Islands, August 15-22. He will operate from his hotel room with his FT-897, 25 watts, mostly on 20 and 17 SSB. He has a telescoping antenna that's 1.5M long. He will sign EA8/ON6ZK. And, he will operate from Teide Mountain, probably on August 18, on 20 SSB. QSL through the bureau to ON6ZK.

MD0LON, Isle of Man, will be operator DF1LON, Lars, September 6-10. He'll be on all the HF bands, CW and SSB. QSL to his home call.

ZP0R, Paraguay, will be in the CQWW DX SSB October 27-28, single op, all band. ZP5AZL, Tom, will be the operator. QSL via ZP5AZL.
<http://www.qsl.net/cx6vm/ZP5AZL/>

The YM1907FB operation is now set for July 19-August 2. This marks the 100th anniversary of the Fenerbahce Sports Club in Turkey.

OX3PG told AC7ZG in an RTTY QSO yesterday that he was in his last hour of operating. He had made 5,700 QSOs.

N3DB, Dave, says it's nice to see so many openings to Hawaii from the East Coast this season on 6M. He notes that NH6P, Fred, has given a new DX entity to many and a first E-skip QSO to the 50th state for others. Says Dave, "He has made a great effort to work the 'Pacific- challenged' East Coast area and I think I speak for everyone in thanking him for the effort." Dave passes along an appeal from NH6P for those who have already worked him to standby during his pileups and let him "work the little guys, as well as get his Worked-All- States on 6M from the Aloha State." He still needs QSOs with Kansas, South Dakota, Wyoming, Louisiana and Kentucky.

9M6DXX, Steve, will be on from V8, Brunei, in the IARU HF World Championship. He is still waiting for his callsign.

QSN

403DX - MONTENEGRO - 14206 from before 09Z, through 1030Z yesterday. QSL via YU1FW.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - Over the past couple of days Europeans reported the following 50 MHz activity: 3V8SS, 4L3Y, 4X4DK, 5B4AIF, C31BO, HB0/HB9QQ, HI3TEJ, J8/W6JKV, KP4EIT, MJ1GRY, SU1SK, TA1/HB9DUR, UN3M and VP2EDH. A number of Arizona 6 meter ops made it to Europe on Saturday! North American ops reported: 5T5SN, 9H1BT, CT1EAT, CU2JT, DK1MAX, EA5HT, EA6SX, FY1FL, HA3UU, HK3JRL, IH9GPI, J8/W6JKV, NH6P, S57RR, V44KAI and VP2EDH.

9G5ZS - GHANA - 18137 1815-1845Z. Emile's previous activity was about five days earlier and over a month before that. He also ops on 40 and 20 CW and 12M too, but 18 MHz seems to be his favorite.

JW0HS - SVALBARD - Ivan was on 14254 from 1350-1420Z and 14197 an hour earlier. He was on 14006 CW at 03Z. In

previous operating periods he was on 14255 and 14264, so that's the part of the spectrum he prefers.

OD5ET - LEBANON - 14207 0320-0400.
V85SS - BRUNEI - 30 METERS - 10104 at 10Z for a little while on Saturday. This is where he typically operates, every few days or so, and typically between 0650Z and 1045Z.
YA/9A4ZD - AFGHANISTAN - Dean was on from Kabul, 14300 from 1330-14Z and the same frequency again from 1915-20Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AN-001	VP8ROT	14315	1900	EU-144	IR8DX	14023	2135
EU-001	SX5RHO	7067	1940	EU-170	9A5AN/P	14265	1805
EU-012	MM0XAU	7006	2245	NA-101	J79RM	14252	2200
EU-049	SV8CYV	14265	1835	NA-105	FS5HL	14126	2055
EU-054	IF9/IT9YMM	14222	1520	NA-128	VE2IDX	14260	2245
EU-061	LA4GHA/P	14260	1900	NA-170	HP2/CX2AM	10105	2335
EU-084	SM5/IK3GES	14256	1600	NA-196	VFOX	14156	2215
EU-138	SD1B/7	7086	1355	OC-026	KH2JU	14260	2115

HP2/home call, Panama, the Uruguay DX Group who have been on from Wichubwala Island in the IOTA San Blas Province Group, NA-170, are now staying until July 6. The ops are CX4CR, CX3AN and CX2AM. They're on 80-6M CW, SSB and digital. QSL via CX2AM.

VK3FY/DU1, Chris, will be on OC-042, then signing VK3FY/DU8 will be on OC-130. The duration of this operation is July 5-9.

IC8DI, Dino Island, Italy, EU-144, will be in the IOTA Contest. IZ8EDJ and several others will operate. QSL via IK8WEJ.

IM0GG, Sicily, was planned for HF and 6, SSB, CW and digital, June 30- July 1. The callsign marked the 200th birthday of Giuseppe Garibaldi, an Italian patriot who led military campaigns that resulted in the unification of Italy. The operation was from Caprera Island, EU-041, where Garibaldi died and was buried in 1882. QSL via IS0JMA direct or bureau.

PA3FMC and PE1BTF will LA/home call from Utvaer Island, EU-055, August 16-23. They will be on SSB and PSK on HF, plus meteor scatter on 6 and 2. <http://la2007.dxpeditio.nl/>

UA6AF/P will be on Sudzhuk Island, EU-185, July 27-30. QSL to his home call.

K4I will be on Sunset Beach, NA-112, August 11-17. This will be AI4U, Jeff, operating on 40-10M SSB, "as time allows." QSL to AI4U.

YB3MM/9, Adhi, will be on Lombok Island, OC-150, SSB and CW, 15M only. QSL via IZ8CCW.

IT9RBW/IG9 will be on Lampedusa Island, AF-019, for the CQWW SSB October 27-28. He will be single op single band 10M.

GW8K will be the EU-124 callsign for GW0ANA, DJ8NK, DJ6OI and G3RWL July 28-29 for the contest. Before and after the IOTA event they

will sign GB5FI from Flatholm.

EU-179, Berezan Island, is the destination for UT9FJ, UR4FEL and UR5FCZ July 25-30. They will sign homecall/P. QSL to their home callsigns.

The IOTA Programme has a new web site, with "many innovative improvements" and new features including the ability to see what you have credit for. Soon, they say, you will be able to claim credit on-line including credit for IOTA Contest QSOs without the need for QSL cards. www.rsgbiota.org.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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2-Jul	5-Jul	3V	3V8SS	DD9HK		11-122
2-Jul	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110
2-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
2-Jul	17-Jul	BY	DL2JRM/BY4RRR	DL2JRM		11-126
2-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
2-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
2-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
2-Jul	15-Jul	F	FV5VDM			11-098
2-Jul	11-Jul	FO/E5	FO/N1DL E51ADL	N1DL		11-124
2-Jul	2-Jul	HB0	HB0/HB9QQ	HB9QQ		11-105
2-Jul	2-Jul	HL	HL7WR	DS2UAL	11-095	090
2-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ		11-099
2-Jul	5-Jul	J7	J79RM (NA-101)	NA9N		11-103
2-Jul	11-Jul	J8	J8/W6JKV	W6JKV		10-219
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5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25KDJ	W5KDJ	11-122	119 115
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25LT	WA8QFE	11-122	119 115
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OB	ZS6OB	11-122	119 115
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OOK	M5AAV	11-122	119 115
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25SL	W5SL	11-122	119 115
5-Jul	8-Jul	HS	HS0ZDG			11-119
5-Jul	9-Jul	OJ0	by SM1TDE and others	homecalls	11-121	029
6-Jul	9-Jul	HB0	HB0/HB9QQ	HB9QQ		11-105
7-Jul	8-Jul	5B	P3CA (AS-004)			11-126
7-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX3LX			11-088
7-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX3OX			11-088
7-Jul	17-Jul	V3	by K7BV	W1JJ		7-124

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3V8SS	DD9HK	IQ4AX	IZ4EFN	SX5RHO	SV5FRD
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	IR1OS	IZ4HWA	T94CT	K2PF
4L4WW	EA7FTR	IU2IPY	IK2QPR	TC800YOM	TA1HZ
4O3DX	YU1FW	J79RM	NA9N	TM7EO	F1HP
5P6PI	OZ6PI	JW1CCA	LA1CCA	U4MIR	RN3DK
5X1GS	WB2YQH	KH6/W6IZT	W6IZT	UE1CDX	RN1CW
5Z4ES	K3PD	OJ0/OH3RM	OH3RM	UE1RLH	RA1QY
9G5ZS	ZS6EGB	OJ0VR	OH1VR	UE1SNA/P	RA1QQ
CX6VM	W3HNC	ON60AF	ON6KN	UE3OFF/1	RA3QSY
DU3NXC	W3HNC	ON60EKO	ON4EKO	UE3QRP/3	UA3LMR
FO/N1DL	N1DL	OP1W	ON6CW	V44KJ	WB2TSL
HB0/HB9QQ	HB9QQ	OX3PG	WA0SMQ	VF0X	VE3IKV
HC1HC	NE8Z	PB6KNRM	PA7DA	VP2EREM	WB2REM
HP2/CX2AM	CX2AM	PC6REC	PA9DX	VR10BG	VR2BG
P2/CX3AN	CX2AM	SN10P	SP9KJU	VR10NN	WA4WTG
HP2/CX4CR	CX2AM	SN600P	SP4KCM	VR10XLN	VR2XLN
HV0A	IK0FVC	SN750BK	SP9PZK	VR10XMT	VR2XMT
HZ1MD/M	PA2V	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA	YP1900D	YO5BFJ

EL2AR QSL delays have been caused by several factors: A three-month- long vacation that put things on hold, then a computer crash. And QSL manager EL2BA, Ben, who lives in Staten Island, New York, moved to a new apartment and some of the logs from before September, 2003 were mistakenly put into storage. EL2AR and EL2BA both say things will be back on track soon. Here is the manager's address:

H. Walcott Benjamin, Sr., EL2BA
285 St. Marks Place, Suite 4-L
Staten Island, NY 10301

9M6DXX/9M8Z, Steve, says all 9M8Z direct QSLs were posted from Malaysia June 29th. Delays were caused by cards ordered from Bulgaria being sent surface mail, which took two months.

RX3RC, Roman, is the new QSL manager for 4J6WZ and 4K8DWW. You can send for one via the bureau or direct to:

Roman A. Novikov, P.O.
Box 21, 392000 Tambov, Russia

K2PF, Ralph, says, "Effective immediately I will handle QSLs for T94CT."

Here is the direct mailing address for UA8TA: Pavel T. Tkachenko, d.
Maloluchinsk, p/o "Ideal", Alarsky r-n,
Ust'-Ordynsky AO, Irkutsk reg., 669475, Russia

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7Z1UG, CE2WQ, EL2DX, EX2M,
HC2SL, HR9BFS, J5UAR, VP8KF and XF3PAS NA-090.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9F2CW/A, A35RK, DF9ZP, DL5NAM, DR1A,
E51PJT, ES1GF, F5NZY, RX3AGD, VK7SM, XE2S, YO3APJ and ZL1BYZ.

On The WWW

DL6LAU says the German Callbook has an on-line search. Here's the
address:
<http://ans.bundesnetzagentur.de/Amateurfunk/Rufzeichen.aspx>

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End of Cycle 23 and Beginning of Cycle 24?

NOAA's Space Environment Center (SEC) released their monthly forecasts of sunspot number and 10.7cm radio flux, including high and low bounds to their forecasts.

The SEC forecasts that the smoothed sunspot number reached its low value of 11.7 in March 2007 and that the solar flux will reach its low of 75.4 this month. This is the fourth month in a row that the SEC predicts the solar flux will bottom out in July.

Based on the SEC predictions, we are probably at the bottom of Cycle 23 and extremely close to the beginning of Cycle 24. You can see the SEC predictions table at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/ftplib/weekly/Predict.txt>. You can also see their sunspot number and solar flux prediction graphs at <http://www.sec.noaa.gov/SolarCycle>.

Two events will mark the beginning of the next sunspot cycle. One is the observation of the first opposite magnetic polarity sunspots compared to Cycle 23 sunspot polarity. The other is the observation high solar latitude sunspots, the Cycle 23 sunspots are now very near the solar equator. The Daily DX will notify its subscribers when these events are reported by the SEC.

DX News

HB9TL (VK6CTL), Jack Laib, tell us he will be operating as TK/TB9TL from Corsica from July 18th to 30th. Watch for activity on 10 through 80 meters SSB only. QSL direct only via HB9QR.

Later this year VK6CTL/HB9TL, Jack, will be heading to the Pacific Ocean. First stop will be Lord Howe Island where he plans to operate as VK9CLH from October 8th to 17th. Look for him on 10 through 80 SSB only. Next he will be QRV as VK9CNF from Norfolk Island between October 19th to 25th. Again on SSB only on 10 through 80 meters. QSL direct only via HB9QR.

Members of the Radio Amateur Society of Thailand (RAST) will be operating HS0AC during the IARU HF World Championship contest July 14th and 15th. Operators will include HS0ZDY, HS1CKC, HS0ZCW, OZ1HET, E20EHQ, and possibly others.

E21EIC, Champ, plans to operate single op in the IARU HF World Championship.

Also during the IARU HF World Championship look for YL4HQ to be representing Latvia and handing out the LRAL multiplier. QSL via YL2UZ.

QSN

3V/UT6UA - TUNISIA - This station has been QRV for the last couple of weeks. All past operations that have used the full 3V8 calls (i.e. 3V8BB, 3V8SS, etc.) have counted for DXCC; however no 3V/home calls have counted for DXCC. This operation will most likely not count for DXCC.

3V8SS - TUNISIA - DD9HK, Matt, was guest operating at this club station yesterday on 3797 between 21 and 22Z. Matt is also handling the QSL chores for his operations from this station.

5N8NDP - NIGERIA - Paolo was working stations from the eastern half of North America on 14182 yesterday after 21Z.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European ops reported activity from: 4Z5LY, 5T5SN, EH8BPX, J8/W6JKV (2030Z) and TA1/HB9DUR.

9Y4D - TRINIDAD & TOBAGO - Chris likes 20 meters SSB between 0000 and 0200Z. Watch for him between 14190 and 14240.

CX6VM - URUGUAY - Jorge can often be found on 160 meters CW (1821) between 2200 and 0200Z. QSL via W3HMK.

DU3NXE - PHILIPPINES - Watch 10105 for Charles after 21Z. QSL via W3HMK.

HS1NGR - THAILAND - Chai was camped out on 14276 Monday from 1730 to 1930Z.

J8/W6JKV - ST. VINCENT - W1, W2, W3 and W8 ops reported an opening to Jimmy on 50103 Monday between 1300 and 1415Z.

OJ0VR - MARKET REEF - Several JA's reported working Seppo on 18072 around 0830Z. QSL via OH1VR.

OX3WS - GREENLAND - RTTY ops should check 20 meters for Adolf at 01, 12 and 22Z.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Gene started off yesterday on RTTY on 14079 around 0930Z and was later on CW on 18069 at 1300Z.

VR2 - HONG KONG - Yesterday the following special calls were activated: VR10NN, VR10PX, VR10UW, VR10XLN and VR10XMT.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-005	RA0BX	14259	1425	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	1622
EU-001	SX5RHO	10118	1856	EU-087	SM3/IK3GES	14257	2004
EU-009	MM5DWW	14181	2325	EU-128	DF2OU/P	10111	1053
EU-014	TK/F5TVG	14216	0856	EU-128	DO7FOX	3737	1752
EU-017	ID9/IZ0EHO	14257	1407	EU-170	9A2AA/P	7052	1256
EU-031	IC8DAK	14268	2315	EU-170	9A4A	14262	2220
EU-046	LA1CI	14267	1608	EU-170	9A5AN/P	14260	1913

EU-051 IE9/IK4RUX	14258 1550	EU-171 OZ2MLS	14073 1330
EU-053 OJ/OH3RM	14208 1907	NA-022 VP2EREM	10103 0102
EU-053 OJ0VR	18072 0849	NA-101 J79RM	14253 0057
EU-054 IF9/IT9YMM	14208 0910	NA-110 AA4V	14040 1532
EU-061 LA4GHA/P	14260 1535	NA-196 VF0X	14019 2309
EU-067 SV1CEI/8	14227 0543	SA-009 9Y4D	14240 0111
EU-067 SV1GRJ/8	14227 0629	SA-068 8R1AK/P	14252 2214

In celebration of the Sendai Tanabata Festival Special Event Station 8J7VENUS will be QRV from Tashiro Island (AS-117) from July 6th to 8th. Activity will be on 6, 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters on SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV. They will be using an HB9CV, loop and wire antennas. QSL via JH7YES.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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3-Jul	5-Jul	3V	3V8SS	DD9HK		11-122
3-Jul	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110
3-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
3-Jul	17-Jul	BY	DL2JRM/BY4RRR	DL2JRM		11-126
3-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
3-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
3-Jul	3-Jul	E5	E51ADL	N1DL		11-129
3-Jul	7-Jul	EA8	EA8/G7COD/A	G0OYH		11-129
3-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
3-Jul	15-Jul	F	FV5VDM			11-098
3-Jul	11-Jul	FO	FO/N1DL	N1DL	11-129	124
3-Jul	6-Jul	HP	HP2/CX2AM (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119	095
3-Jul	6-Jul	HP	HP2/CX3AN (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119	095
3-Jul	6-Jul	HP	HP2/CX4CR (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119	095
3-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ		11-099
3-Jul	5-Jul	J7	J79RM (NA-101)	NA9N		11-103
3-Jul	11-Jul	J8	J8/W6JKV	W6JKV		10-219
3-Jul	14-Jul	OA	OA6/KC4DDH	KC4DDH		11-129
3-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
3-Jul	3-Jul	OJ0	OJ0/OH3RM (EU-053)	OH3RM		11-124
3-Jul	3-Jul	OJ0	OJ0VR (EU-053)	OH1VR		11-124
3-Jul	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA	NZ5N		11-104
3-Jul	17-Jul	SV9	SV9/SV1EJD (EU-015)	IZ8CCW		11-124
3-Jul	21-Jul	UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-086)	UA1RJ		11-109
3-Jul	15-Jul	UA9	UE9CXK	DL6XK		11-125
3-Jul	4-Jul	VE	VF0X (NA-196)	VE3IKV	11-088	085
3-Jul	8-Jul	VP2E	VP2EREM (NA-022)	WB2REM	11-122	089
3-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081
3-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-107
3-Jul	3-Jul	YO	YO2/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today and Wednesday and tapering off to quiet for Thursday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for July 1, 2007 was 30.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3V8SS	DD9HK	A05KB	EA5KB	R41WP	RA3LBA
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	DA0UBOOT	DK9OS	ZY5P	PP5BZ

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2RI (OC-189), N8S, V26HS, V44KAI

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: PA0FAW, VR2NN

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DX News

I0JBL, Luciano, updates us on the upcoming multi-national DXpedition to the Sovereign Military Order of Malta (SMOM), which begins next week. The 2007 1A0KM team is ready and will be QRV from July 12th to 22nd. The international team, lead by IK0FVC, Francesco, includes: OH2BH, DL5MAE, DL6RAI, G3SXW, G3TXF, K5AB, KO4RR, N4WV (YL), I2UIY, I8NHJ, IK0DWN, IK0FTA, IK0PRG, IW0GIV, IW0GPN and I0JBL. Activity is expected on all bands from 23cm to 160 meters on all modes, including EME activity during the first weekend of the operation. They will have an online blog at <http://1a0km.splinder.com/>. QSL via IK0FTA and LOTW.

9M6DXX, Steve, will be operating from Brunei as V8FEO from July 11 to 15 inclusive on 10-80 meters, SSB only, including a single-operator all-band entry in the IARU HF Championship contest. Steve will be using 300 watts to an HF6 vertical and dipoles for 12, 17, 40 and 80 meters above the hotel roof about 30 meters above ground. QSL via M5AAV, direct or via the RSGB QSL bureau.

YL2VW, Agris, updates us on the upcoming YL4HQ (LRAL) activity planned for the IARU Contest on July 14th and 15th. Here is preliminary info, which could change.

Band	Ops
160 CW	YL2KO + YL2SM
160 SSB	YL2PA
80 CW	YL2PJ + YL2VW
80 SSB	YL2CI + YL2GQG
40 CW	YL2GQT
40 SSB	YL2GD + YL2BJ
20 CW	YL1ZF + YL3FW
20 SSB	YL2KO + YL2SM
15 CW	YL2GD + YL2BJ
15 SSB	YL2HB + YL1XN
10 CW	YL3FT
10 SSB	YL2AO

QSL YL4HQ via the bureau to YL2UZ.

YT6A, Ranko, reports he will be on 6 meters by the end of the week. He's go 6/6/6/6 and some power too! YU6DZ, Rajko, is also active from Montenegro on 50 MHz.

Spain will be represented by multiple stations in the upcoming IARU HF World Championship next weekend (July 14/15). Look for the following stations to be giving out the URE multiplier.

AM1HQ 80M SSB, 80M CW
AM2HQ 160M CW
AM3HQ 160M SSB
AM4HQ 15M SSB, 40M SSB, 15M CW
AM5HQ 10M SSB, 20M SSB, 40M CW, 20M CW
AM7HQ 10M CW

Many operators will be participating in this operation. QSL each of the AM#HQ stations via EA4URE.

The Aegean VHF Contest, (the Greek VHF and 6m contest) takes place this weekend (July 7/8). Activity is expected from all Greek areas SV1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 as well as SV5 Dodecanese, SV8 Greek isles, SV9 Crete and an invitation to SV2ASP/A, Monk Apollo from Mount Athos.

G3SXW, Roger, and G3TXF, Nigel, have announced a short operation near Torshavn, Faroe Islands (OY) starting late Friday July 6th through late Sunday July 8th. Look for OY/G3SXW mostly on 20 and 40 meters CW and OY/G3TXF on 30 CW. They will also attempt to operate in the VHF Field Day with activity on 50 MHz from Saturday from 1400 to 2200Z.

QSL via their home calls. You can request bureau cards by sending an email to g3sxw@btinternet.com and qsl@g3txf.com. They have a Web page at <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/OY/OY.html>.

W8GEX, Joe, gives us some 60 meter news. VQ9LA, Larry, now has a rig and antenna for 60 meters. Larry plans to be QRV later this year.

60 Meter DXers will want to be on the lookout for K3TRM, Frank. Starting today he'll be QRV as V26RM from Antigua. Frank obtained authorization to 60 meters, which is apparently now a permanent allocation. He'll be there until July 10th and then plans to operate VP2MRM on Montserrat from July 11th to 14th, with more 60 meter activity expected.

K5LBU's, Frosty, team heading to Botswana are expected to begin activity before this weekend. Watch for activity from A25CF (K5LBU), A25KDJ (W5KDJ), A25SL (W5SL), A25LT (WA8QFE), A25BUN (ZS6BUN), A25DW (ZS6JR), A25OOK (9M6XRO via M5AAV), A25OB (ZS6OB) and A25HL (ZS6WB).

Suggested frequencies are as follows:

CW - 1816-1825, 3516, 7016, 10116, 14026, 18076, 21026, 24895-24926, 28026 and 50096
SSB - 1840, 3790, 7075, 14220, 14265, 18145, 21270, 24935, 28450 and 50110

Activity will be on CW, SSB and the digital modes also look for them on 6/2 meters and 70cm EME. During the IARU Contest they will be operating as A25HQ (QSL via K5LBU). Checkout their Web page at www.tdxx.net/A2.html. QSL via their home calls, expect A25OOK via M5AAV.

CO8LY, Eduardo, plans to operate today through Saturday from a mountain (400 meters ASL) in Cuba. No word on exact QTH or full grid. This will be a 6 meter only operation running 20 watts and a five element yagi. Watch 50095 starting around 1500Z.

Guadeloupe Acra Club station FG5KC will be QRV in the IARU HF World Championship on July 14th and 15th.

Members of the Luxembourg Amateur Radio Society (RL) will be active during the IARU HF World Championship as LX0HQ. They will be operating from two different locations: Eschdorf (LX7I) and Esebuer (LX0RL), with a total of four stations. QSL via LX1KQ.

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - 6 meters ops from Europe reported the following activity yesterday: 4X4DK, A61Q, FJ5DX, FM5AA, FY1FL, HI3TEJ, J8/W6JKV and WP4LUU. US ops found: CO8LY, HI3TEJ, J8/W6JKV and KL7NO.

EN80AL - UKRAINE - Prefix hunters found this station on 14017 around 2015Z yesterday. QSL via UT8AL.

OD5NH - LEBANON - Puzant was on 20 SSB yesterday after 11Z and again at 14 and 20Z. Despite many negative comments on the clusters he does QSL. It's probably best to send this one registered to his CBA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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EU-001	SX5RHO	10118	2031	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14037	2022
EU-016	9A4W	14212	2308	EU-173	OH1LU/P	14262	1435
EU-017	ID9/IZOEH0	18155	1738	NA-023	VP2VQ	14260	0018
EU-045	IB0/IZOCKM	14270	2308	NA-027	VO1RYL	14268	1335
EU-048	F/DF6QZ	14260	0941	NA-110	AA4V	14260	1622
EU-051	IE9/IK4RUX	14262	1930	NA-196	VF0X	14029	1405
EU-061	LA4GHA/P	14257	2020	OC-067	FO/N1DL	18140	0141
EU-067	SV1CEI/8/P	10105	0347	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14173	2117
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14328	1439	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14215	0111
EU-136	9A/OK1DSM	10109	2050				

A group of Australian hams will be QRV as VK4HAM/LGT during the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend (ILLW) from the Cape Moreton Lighthouse (AUS-039) on Moreton Island (OC-137) from August 17th to 20th. The ops will be VK4NDX, VK4HMU and VK4FEAT. They will be on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 meters. Special IOTA/LOTA QSLs via VK4FEAT.

Members of the OM0C Contest Crew plans to operate as IB0/OM0C from Ventotene Island (EU-045) during the RSGB IOTA Contest at the end of the month. The international team of eight operators will be QRV as IB0/homecall from July 25th to 30th. They will also operate on 2 and 6 meters.

DL30CH, Bodo, is working on a very rare IOTA DXpedition between December 26th and January 12th. The plans are not finalized but once they are he'll let us know. Rumor has it that it is somewhere in the Pacific and news could come in September.

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4-Jul	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110

4-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-126
4-Jul	17-Jul	BY	DL2JRM/BY4RRR	DL2JRM	11-126
4-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY	11-127
4-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122 060
4-Jul	7-Jul	EA8	EA8/G7COD/A (AF-004)	G0OYH	11-129
4-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX	11-127
4-Jul	15-Jul	F	TM5VDM	F6KMB	11-098
4-Jul	11-Jul	FO	FO/N1DL	N1DL	11-129 124
4-Jul	6-Jul	HP	HP2/CX2AM (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119 095
4-Jul	6-Jul	HP	HP2/CX3AN (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119 095
4-Jul	6-Jul	HP	HP2/CX4CR (NA-170)	CX2AM	11-119 095
4-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ	11-099
4-Jul	5-Jul	J7	J79RM (NA-101)	NA9N	11-103
4-Jul	11-Jul	J8	J8/W6JKV (NA-109)	W6JKV	10-219
4-Jul	14-Jul	OA	OA6/KC4DDH	KC4DDH	11-129
4-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
4-Jul	9-Jul	OM	OM9ACA	NZ5N	11-104
4-Jul	17-Jul	SV9	SV9/SV1EJD (EU-015)	IZ8CCW	11-124
4-Jul	21-Jul	UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-086)	UA1RJ	11-109
4-Jul	15-Jul	UA9	UE9CXX	DL6XK	11-125
4-Jul	10-Jul	V2	V26RM (NA-100)	K3TRM	11-129
4-Jul	4-Jul	VE	VF0X (NA-196)	VE3IKV	11-088 085
4-Jul	8-Jul	VP2E	VP2EREM (NA-022)	WB2REM	11-122 089
4-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
4-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107

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The sunspot number for July 2, 2007 was 13.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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7X2EB	EA7FTR	FO/N1DL	N1DL	TM4KAR	F5KEK
CO6DW	EA5KB	HF15SZL	SP5PSL	TM5VDM	F6KMB
EA8/G7COD/A	G0OYH	ST2A	T93Y	UE6MAC	RZ6MF

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: BD7KLO, CX7TT, FO/N6JA, HL2AEJ, J88DR, LY3UV, ST2A, V63J (OC-012), V63J (OC-132), V63J (OC-180), V63J (OC-277), V73NS, VK9DNX, VP8LP

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: DH3RD, HV0A, RX3AGD, TX6MF, V25TK, VE3MS, XE2S

On The WWW

As a follow up to yesterday's lead story on the ending of Cycle 23 and the beginning of Cycle 24 propagation guru K9LA, Carl Luetzelschwab, reports the "findings of the Solar Cycle 24 Prediction Panel" can be found at <http://sec.noaa.gov/SolarCycle/SC24/index.html>. You can "scroll down to Consensus Statement of the Solar Cycle 24 Prediction Panel for a nice summary of when solar minimum is expected to occur and the two predictions for Cycle 24."

DL3OCH, Bodo, has posted a video of the C6ARI IOTA DXpedition to Cay Sal Bank (NA-219) at www.youtube.com/watch?v=8wTkbywWcdk.

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DX News

This weekend (July 7/8) the 46th Venezuelan Independence Day Contest will take place. This is a world-wide event for CW, Phone or Mixed. Details can be found at www.radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm.

Members of the Radio Club Venezolano (RCV) will be active during the IARU HF World Championship as YV5AJ. They will be operating from many locations with the following operators: YV1DIG, YV5ANT, YV5EAH, YV5JBI, YV5NWG, YY5PER, YY5POP, and YY5WAF among others.

Members of Switzerland's Union Schweizerischer Kurzwellen-Amateure [USKA] will activate HB9HQ during the IARU HF World Championship next weekend (July 14/15). The following stations will participate:
HB4FE (club station), HB9EI (club station), HB9EP (club station), HB9FS (club station), HB9WW (club station), HB9XC (club station), HB9XJ, HB9AFI, HB9DHG, HB9DOT and HB9DRK.

Finland's SRAL HQ station (OH2HQ) will once again participate in the IARU HF World Championship on July 14th and 15th. As of the moment the following stations and operators are lined up. Here's the current lineup of stations and operators:

160 CW OH1PS op OH2MM
160 SSB OH2BO
80 CW OH1MA
80 SSB OH5LF ops OH5LF & OH1WZ
40 CW OH5Z Op. ??
40 SSB vacant
20 CW OH8X op. OH2EA
20 SSB OH7M Op. OH4XX & company
15 CW vacant
15 SSB vacant
10 CW Saturday night vacant, Sunday OH5LF & OH1WZ 10 SSB OH5Z Op. OH5NQ

The Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB) HQ Station GB7HQ will be QRV from two DXCC entities during the IARU HF World Championship. The QTH can be determined by the band/mode (see www.gb7hq.com/2007/2007-Ops-List.html). The 160 meter station will be on Guernsey (GU), while the all the others will be from England. GU4YOX will be the Topband CW man. Complete details of the GB7HQ operation can be found at www.gb7hq.com. QSL via G3TXF and LOTW.

Members of France's Union Francaise des Radioamateurs (REF) will operate TM0HQ in this year's IARU Contest next weekend. Plans are to be QRV on 10 through 160 meters on CW and SSB.

SLOVENIA will be represented by S50HQ (ZRS) in the IARU HF World Championship. The multi-op team will be as follows:

10 SSB Op: S53XX
10 CW Op: S50U
15 SSB Op: S50K
15 CW Op: S53O, S52EZ
20 SSB Op: S50G & team
20 CW Op: S52OP & team
40 SSB Op: S51ZO & team
40 CW Op: S52AW, S53F, S57Z
80 SSB Op: S50X, S54X
80 CW Op: S53O, S52EZ
160 SSB Ops: S57M, S56P
160 CW Ops: S50XX, S52X

QSL S50HQ via the S5 QSL Bureau.

In celebration of Organisasi Amatir Radio Indonesia's (ORARI) 39th anniversary and the National Convention special event station YE39AR will be QRV from 1700Z July 9th through 2359Z July 11th. Activity will be on all bands and modes. QSL via the bureau or direct to P.O.

Box 8000, Jakarta 11000, INDONESIA with \$2 (US).

JA9APS, Al, will be operating from the Maldives as 8Q7KN (not 8Q7NK!) from July 6 to 9th. This will be a family vacation. His XYL JR9GTD will operate as 8Q7KN and his two sons JE9AMG and JE9AMH will operate as 8Q7KF. Al hopes to operate on 6 through 40 meters on SSB, CW and RTTY with a TS-570S and R8 vertical. QSL via their home calls.

JA9APS, Narumi Kawai, 1-10-14 Suwanokawara, Toyama, 930-0088 JAPAN.

4L4WW, Gia, has obtained temporary permission from the GNCC to operate on 6 meters during the month of July. He will be using the call 4L9W on SSB only starting around July 19th, or sooner if possible.

M1DUD (M5AEF, OZ3RE), Robin, will be camping in Iceland from July 23rd to 29th and plans to be QRV as TF/OZ3RE on 6, 10 and 17 meters on CW and SSB. He could be QRV from multiple Icelandic grid squares.

OH1VR, Seppo, who just complete his OJ0VR operation, will be on from Bermuda from August 21st to 23rd. He plans to operate as OH1VR/VP9 and will be on 6 meters on 50100 on CW.

German ops DL8YHR, Frank, and DL8LAQ, Norbert will be doing an EME DXpedition to the Cape Verde Islands (D4) between August 1st and 8th.

Activity will be on 2, 6 and 432.

OH0SIX is a new 6 meter beacon from the Aland Islands. The station (JP90xi) is running 3 watts on 50017.5 KHz.

DXCC Manager NC1L, Bill Moore, reports the 2006 DXCC Yearbooks have arrived and are expected to go out in the mail early next week.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European 50 MHz ops found the following yesterday: 3A2LF, 4X4DK, CT3FT, EA8BLL, EN80AL, J8/W6JKV, LX1NO, T96C, ZA/UT7DW and ZB2EO.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh started up on 14222 yesterday just before 1820Z and stayed for well over an hour.

HS0ZEE - THAILAND - RTTY ops were working Don on 14083 Wednesday after 1615 to 1715Z.

NP4A - PUERTO RICO - Eastern Europeans reported Eskip to Pedro on 28475 yesterday at 17Z. QSL via W3HNK.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Early today (0100Z) Tom fired up on 14284. QSL via ZL2HGR.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-006	VQ9LA	18085	1226	EU-144	IR8DX	14025	0629
EU-001	SX5RHO	14261	1631	EU-146	PD/DO3MRL	7087	1753
EU-014	TK/F5TVG	21210	0837	EU-170	9A4A	14260	2028
EU-018	OY9R	28495	1545	EU-173	OH1LU/P	14257	0647
EU-028	IA5/IZ4DYQ	7068	1513	NA-027	VO1RYL	14269	1424
EU-051	IE9/IK4RUX	14260	1628	NA-105	FS5HL	14202	2312
EU-061	LA4GHA/P	14260	0827	NA-110	AA4V	14260	1415
EU-067	SV1CEI/8/P	14006	1442	NA-170	HP2/CX2AM	7005	0104
EU-128	DG8SR/P	7100	1340	OC-005	VK9NS	14220	0409

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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5-Jul	5-Jul	3V	3V8SS	DD9HK		11-122
5-Jul	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110
5-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25BUN	ZS6BUN	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25CF	K5LBU	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25DW	ZS6JR	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25HL	ZS6WB	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25KDJ	W5KDJ	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25LT	WA8QFE	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OB	ZS6OB	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OOK	M5AAV	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25SL	W5SL	11-131	122 119
5-Jul	17-Jul	BY	DL2JRM/BY4RRR	DL2JRM		11-126
5-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
5-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
5-Jul	9-Jul	DU	VK3FY/DU1 (OC-042)			11-129
5-Jul	9-Jul	DU	VK3FY/DU8 (OC-130)			11-129
5-Jul	7-Jul	EA8	EA8/G7COD/A (AF-004)	G0OYH		11-129
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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3V8SM	DL1BDF	EM75ISI	UT5SI	R75PW	UA9AB
7X2EB	EA7FTR	FK8GX	W3HNC	UQ8GU	UN8GU
EM75IG	UR7IA	LU4DX	EA5KB	VP6TD	ZL2HGR

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QSL cards for PG5M's, Gerben, 9M2/PG5M operation from Sibulawa and Rawa (AS-046), Pangkor (AS-072), Ketam (AS-074) and Spratly Island (AS-051) operations have been received from the printer and all direct requests are in the mail. Gerben will now start processing all bureau requests. Please note that 1 USD is not enough to cover the costs for sending a 0-20 gram letter outside Europe.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers:

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

Credits

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DX News

As a reminder today's issue is the last issue of The Daily DX until July 16th as W3UR and family will be on vacation. Please hold off on any emails, unless it is urgent. Now on to the news.

Japanese operators JM1LJS, JE1EKS and JI5RPT will be operating from Palau from July 13th to 18th as T80W, T88EK and T88PT respectively. They will be QRV on 6 through 40 meters on CW, SSB and Satellite. QSL via their home calls.

F4BKV, Vincent, is currently in Tunisia and will be operating PSK31 from the 3V8SM club station. Watch for him to be QRV on Saturday July 7th from 1300 to 1800Z.

OH2UA, Toni; OH2TA, Pekka; and OH2BH, Martti; are heading to the Azores for next week. Toni will take part in the IARU HF World Championship Contest as CU2A (zone 36). He'll operate single-op all-band on either CW or Mixed mode. An updated interactive propagation prediction for CU2A can be found at www.cu2a.com. Outside of the contest the guys will try to focus on the low bands and perhaps 6 meters. Pekka will hit 12, 17 and 30 meters as CU2/OH2TA.

WorldRadio magazine editor and FISTS CW Club Coordinator WZ8C, Nancy Kott, along with WB5IUU, Bob Mennell; WF5W, Cal White; W5PF, Paul Frantz; and K5WAF, Bill Frink; from the Texas DX Society (TDXS) will be operating from the island of Tortola, British Virgin Islands from July 11 to July 18th 2007. They will be participating in the FISTS CW Club summer sprint on Friday July 14 and the IARU contest the weekend of July 14/15. Operation during the rest of the week will be on SSB, RTTY and CW with an emphasis on straight key operation. Here is an opportunity to get IOTA NA-023 in your log, as well as the VP2V prefix, which the operators will be using in front of their call signs. QSL via FISTS bureau or W5PF.

Sweden's Foreningen Sveriges Sandareamatorer (SSA) will activate SK9HQ during the IARU HF World Championship July 14th and 15th. Here is a preliminary lineup

Band/Mode	Station	Operators
160m CW	SK6M	- Op: SM6BGA, SM6DYK, SM6FKF
160m SSB	SK7DX	- Op: SM7BCX, SM7GIB
80m CW	SK0UX	- Op: SM0W, SF0F, SM5AOG, SM0BYD?
80m SSB	SM5AQD	- Op: SM5AQD
40m CW	SK0UX	- Op: SM0W, SF0F, SM5AOG, SM0BYD?
40m SSB	SK3W	- Op: SM3CER, SM0EPO, SM5IMO, SM3SGP, SM3XIK, SM6YOU
20m CW	SK3W	- Op: SM3CER, SM0EPO, SM5IMO, SM3SGP, SM3XIK, SM6YOU
20m SSB	SM2HWG	- Op: SM2HWG, SM3JLA, SM3WMV
15m CW	SK3W	- Op: SM3CER, SM0EPO, SM5IMO, SM3SGP, SM3XIK, SM6YOU
15m SSB		

10m CW SK6M - Op: SM6BGA, SM6DYK, SM6FKF
 10m SSB SK7AX - Op: SM7HCW, SM7WNK, SM7SNS, SM7FDO?

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European six meter ops found the following active yesterday: 3A2LF, 4L1UN, 9Z4BM, ER100, FJ5DX, FM5AA, J8/W6JKV, KP4EIT, P43JB, PJ2BVU, PJ4/PA3CNX, T77GO, TA3BC, UR5EDU, YO4RDN, YU6DZ, ZA/UT7DW and ZB2EO. North American ops reported: 9H1BT, CT1HZE, CU3EQ, EA3AKY, EA6SX, EI5FK, F8BBL, HP3XUG, I4EAT, IS0GQX, J8/W6JKV, PJ2BVU, SV1DH, YV4DYJ and ZB3B.

7Z1UG - SAUDI ARABIA - Look for Manfred on 20 CW around 0400Z.

CX5BW - URUGUAY - Topband ops from Northern Europe were working Pedro on 1825 around 0230Z.

GT3FLH - ISLE OF MAN - Prefix hunters found this unique call on 14268 at 0900Z and then on 14222 at 1130Z.

HS0AC - THAILAND - The club station was active on 20 CW Thursday from 1245 to until after 1330Z.

OJ0 - MARKET REEF - Eric's crew started up yesterday on 7002 as OJ0/SM1TDE just before 2300Z. They other team members are OJ0/SM0BSO and OJ0/SM0LQB. Activity so far has been on SSB, CW and RTTY and they have been on 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Tom was camped out on 14284 yesterday from 0100 until after 0300Z. Today he was on 14284 between 0100 and 0400Z. QSL via ZL2HGR.

ZD9BCB - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Rumor has it that Brian is expected on the Antarctic DX Net this weekend. Check 14315 or 14290 Saturday and Sunday around 1830Z. Brian is located on Gough Island

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-001	SX5RHO	7055	1907	EU-072	SV0JD/8	14307	1317
EU-014	TK/F5TVG	28050	1024	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	1601
EU-017	ID9/IZ0EHO	7052	2041	EU-086	UE1RFF/1	10103	1929
EU-017	IE9/IK4RUX	14260	1629	EU-116	GT3FLH	14223	1258
EU-033	LA/IK3GES	14258	1254	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14009	1123
EU-045	IB0/IZ0CKM	28460	1718	NA-004	KL7HBK	14017	0609
EU-046	LA/I1NAI	14011	1408	NA-018	OX3XR	14026	2245
EU-052	SV8/DL1AL	14262	1548	NA-170	HP2/CX2AM	14024	1258
EU-061	LA4GHA/P	14039	1947	OC-044	VP6TD	14292	0048

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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6-Jul	9-Jul	8Q	8Q7KF (AS-013)			11-129
6-Jul	9-Jul	8Q	8Q7NK (AS-013)	JA9APS		11-129
6-Jul	7-Jul	9A	9A/PA4JJ/p	PA4JJ		11-110
6-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet for today through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for July 4, 2007 was 13.

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3Z100S	SP6ZDA	IQ4AX	IZ4EFN	UE6MAC	RZ6MF
9A/VE3ZIP	DL3PS	R70PW	UA9AB	UE9CXK	DL6XK
CO7PH	W3HMK	T77GO	IZ4ZQS	V73NS	WD8CRT
EU940OR	UA3FDX	TM4KAR	F5KEK	VR10UW	VR2UW

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H, CN8LI, CU2JT, DL8FD, F6FTB, HB9BIN, KL2R, OZ3FI, PJ4/PA3CNX, RX3AGD

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DX News

And...we're back, with a lot of DX news to get caught up on.

JA1XGI/W8XGI, Haru Uchida, will be on the air October 19-22, just 3-1/2 days, from Lord Howe Island, with the callsign VK9GLX. Haru will be on 40, 30 and 20M. He has asked for permission for lower bands. His modes will be CW, SSB, RTTY and SSTV. QSL via JA1XGI, bureau or direct, or W8XGI direct only.

E21EIC/8 will be active from southern Thailand July 19-August 10. Champ and at least one other Thai will be in the IOTA Contest in late July also. See the IOTA News section below for those particulars.

This one is an IOTA expedition, but it's to the Dodecanese, SV5, DXCC entity. SX5AS, a group of Greek hams on the Astakida Rocky Islets, IOTA EU-001, will be on the air July 17-23. The ops will be SV1JG, SV1RC, SV1RP, SV1EEX, SV1GRM, SW1GZL, SV1HER and SV1JCZ. These three islets are uninhabited. They are in the Carpathian Sea. It will be the first time these islets have been activated on ham radio. They will be on 160M-23CM, SSB, CW, PSK, RTTY, FSK441, FM and will also try satellites on 2M-23CM FM. QSL via SV1HER. For info or skeds, contact SV1HER on his mobile phone, 693-2671602 or e-mail to svlher at raag.org.

CS1RLA/B is a new beacon from Portugal, 92 km due south of Lisbon, the capital city. Look for it on 50.076 MHz. The station runs two and five watts ERP CW. CT4RK supervises its operations. You can get in touch with him at cs1rla.arla at gmail.com.

KC0W, Tom Callas, has a new callsign, ZD7X. Tom is moving from Minnesota to St. Helena Island September fifth for a long stay. He plans to be on the air by September 15th and will be on all bands 160-6, CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. He will give special attention, he says, to 160, 80 and 30, taking part in all major contests and general DXing.

OA4/N6XQ, Jack, should be on from Peru by now, for a stay until August 16. He likes 160 and 6M particularly. He divides his time between the city and his farm. His next trip to Peru will be in September. K3SWZ, Glenn, notes that conditions have been pretty good to South America on 160M lately, when he logged ZP6CW and CX5BW.

4O6AA, Montenegro, will be on August 13-19. Operator 9A6AA, Emir,

will be on Sveti Nikola Island (EU-163). For more info, go to <http://www.inet.hr/9a6aa/406AA.htm>.

JW/G7VJR and JW/G3ZAY will be on Svalbard this week. `VJR, Michael, plans to do most of his operating on CW and "will give some of the WARC bands a go if conditions permit." He didn't know `ZAY's plans. Michael notes that most JW activity is from the club station, which only has "contest bands" capability.

F6DQW/MM, Michel, will be on the M/V Grigoriy Mikkheev near Svalbard, JW, now through July 24. He expects to spend his time on 20M using his TS-50 rig.

Amateur Radio in Iraq has been suspended for many months. But now YI1DZ, Diya, President of the IARS, says there may be hope. In August all licenses issued by the Communications and Media Commission will have expired. Now there is a new address to request license renewal and a new application form. Requests can go to amateurlicense@cmc.iq with a copy to the Iraqi Amateur Radio Society, IARS, yilirq@yahoo.com. Diya hopes this will help reactivate Iraq on the ham bands. The new application form is on www.iraqi-ars.org.

TO1YR will be a special callsign from Martinique July 29-August 5. Ops FM0IR, FM0JR, FM0JZ, FM1HM, FM1II, FM1KM and FM1HN will be on 80-2M SSB, RTTY and PSK.

W7KFI/MM, Susan aboard the USSV Dharma, departs this week for Johnston Island, KH3. She has been told this will be the last official operation there, with the U.S. Air Force and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service declaring it a closed island. Susan says it took her seven months to get permission from the USAF to make a stop there. She will operate on 7036, 10105, 14036 and 18170 CW, signing KH3/W7KFI. Susan concludes, "C U all from KH3, that is if I don't sink or hit a hurricane...doing a solo DXpedition...age 73." She will also try 10105 QRP for low power fans.

J3A from Grenada will be in the CQWW CW November 24-25 as a multi-op. The ops signed on are WA1S, VE3EBN, DL5AXX, N2GA, K2DO, S50R, K5AC and W2LK. They will use their personal callsigns outside the contest. QSL J3A via WA1S; others to their home calls.

A35RK has "Pacific tidbits" for us. He himself will make a quick trip to California for a medical checkup and will be QRT from July 16 until early September. He's taking down the antennas today and takes an inter-island flight to Nuku'alofa tomorrow and flies to San Francisco via Auckland on Wednesday. The good news, he says, is when he goes back to Tonga he'll be taking a 6M rig along and the 6M add-on for the SteppIR yagi and a SteppIR BiggIR Mark 3 vertical with 80M add-on. He will be attending the Western Washington DX Convention August 10-12. Paul may get on the air from the U.S. during his visit, using his KK6H callsign. On his return trip to Tonga, he hopes to stop in American Samoa, the South Cook Islands, the south island of New Zealand, and maybe Chatham Island.

Paul notes that KM9D and KF4TUG have departed Samoa, en route Wallis and Futuna. Mike says he will apply for an FW license when they get there, which may be tomorrow, but doesn't know how much operating they will do from there, maybe only maritime mobile for Winlink and weather reports. Mike doesn't know how long they'll stay or what their next destination will be.

FP/VO1NA, formerly FP0NA, will be on St. Pierre and Miquelon July 28-30. This is NA-032. Look for him on 40, 30 and 20. QSL via VO1MRC.

GB5BBS will celebrate the centenary year of the scouting movement. M5GAC, Geoff, will operate from the Isle of Arran, EU-123, July 28-August 8, 80, 40, 20 and 15M. QSL via M5GAC direct or bureau.

IY0SMA will be on the air July 22 to mark the anniversary of the death of Guglielmo Marconi on July 20, 1937. The operators from ARI Frascati will be set up inside the church where Marconi's state funeral was held, the Basilica of Santa Maria degli Angeli (Our Lady of the Angels), on July 22 that year, 70 years ago. They will be on the HF bands, SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via IZ0FVD at the bureau.

II1TS will be on from Genova July 28-31 for the 2007 Tall Ships Race. Look for this one on the HF bands, SSB, CW and FSK. QSL via IZ1GJK, direct or bureau.

8J1ESP, Japan, will be a special station for the Esperanto World Conference, to be held in Yokohama. Esperanto is a language devised as a universal world language, almost a hundred years ago. Enthusiasts keep interest in it alive. Look for this one on 40, 20, 15 and 10M with operators PY3DF, JA1FXZ and others from the International League of Esperantists Radio Amateurs. <http://www.esperanto.org/internacia/ILERA/>. Look for 8J1ESP between July 31 and August 31. Between August 4-12 the operation will be from the conference itself. QSL via JA1YAR or JA1FXZ, bureau or direct.

PA10WSJ will be a special callsign from The Netherlands for the 100-year celebration of scouting. The operators will be PA0WBS, PA2GON, PA3DHR, PD3MRS and PD0LDC. They will be from the Scouting Radio Spijkenisse, <http://www.pi9srs.eu/>. "WSJ" stands for "World Scouting Jamboree." They will be on several bands and modes starting at 07Z on August first.

Italian hams have been authorized to operate on four meters, 70 MHz, through the end of the year. Authorized frequencies are 70.100, 70.200 and 70.300 MHz, all plus or minus 12.5 kHz.

4L6VV is a pirate station, says 4L2M, Mamuka Kordzakhia, President of the National Association of Radioamateurs of Georgia, NARG. Operator Yuri gives his QTH as Tkvarcheli, but 4L2M says he does not have a Georgian license.

T77BL who has been on SSTV between May 15th and June 29 and PSK31 between June 28 and July 7 was also a pirate, according to T77C, Tony. He says the real T77BL does not operate those modes.

Fourth Annual Maritime DX Forum

VE1QD, Scott Wood, is one of the organizers of the Fourth Annual Maritime DX Forum, to be held in Nova Scotia, Canada, on Saturday, August 4. Run by the Halifax Amateur Radio Club, HARC, the forum is open to all contesters, DXers and HF enthusiasts. In Upper Tantallon just outside of Halifax, at the head of St. Margaret's Bay, the full-day event will feature N4XP about the BS7H expedition, noted yachtsman VA3PCJ on ham radio "aboard," VE1AD on the British Antarctic Territories (aka VP8s), and VE1FA and VA1YL on DXpeditioning on a budget. There will be DX conversation during coffee breaks, a long lunch and pre-dinner happy hour. In the evening, VE1DTR, Don Trotter, and his musical group, "Sunrise," will perform a bluegrass music concert. Cost for attending is \$35, which includes coffee, juice, refreshments and lunch. The DX Forum Dinner is \$20 per person. For

more info, go to www.halifax-arc.org or contact Scott at velqd@rac.ca.

IOTA

HS8KAY will be QRV from Phuket Island, IOTA AS-053, during the IOTA Contest in July. Operator Cha will just be on for 24 hours.

E21EIC/P, Champ, will be on Samui Island, AS-101, single op 24 hours, in the IOTA event. He will be QRV July 27-29 inclusive. Japanese, QSL via JR5XPG. Others, QSL via E21EIC.

ID9/IK8HJC, Fabio, will be on Vulcano Island, EU-017, August 25-September 1. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

G4EDG and CT1AGF will be joining SM6CVX and G3KHZ for their IOTA trip to Papua New Guinea September 23-October 5. They will sign P29VCX from Nukumanu Island, OC-284, September 23-29 and P29NI from Takuu Island, OC-283, September 30-October 5. They may then go to the Tulun Islands, OC-256, October 6-9, callsign not determined yet. Look for them all bands, including 160 and 80, with three stations, two amps, verticals and a multi-band dipole. QSL P29VCX via SM6CVX and P29NI via G3KHZ.

SV8/OK1MBZ and SV8/OK1MKI will be on Skopelos, EU-072, September 10-20, 80-10M CW.

GM2Z and GM4A will be on Isle of Islay, EU-008, for the IOTA contest weekend, July 28-29. A third station, MS0EPC, will be on PSK. They will be on 160-10M. QSL via MM0DFV. In the group will be MM0DFV, GM0WRR, GM4TOQ, MM0GDL, GM7WED, GM0VIQ and MM3LKV.

VE1OTA/VE9 will be on NA-014, Grand Manan Island, July 26-29. QSL direct to VE1VOX. This one will be on 40, 20 and 15.

N7TCO and W7ASF will be on NA-041 July 23-31. This is Prince of Wales Island in the Alexander Archipelago, Thorne Bay, Alaska. They will be on 80, 40, 20 and 15 near the IOTA frequencies, SSB only. `ASF notes they are not "experienced DXers," though they've been licensed for decades. He says, "We do take operating seriously and will be doing our best for IOTA." "A nice certificate in addition to a QSL" will be available for \$2 U.S. Fans of vintage gear, they will be using a 1963 Hallicrafters Hurricane as the main rig.

JA6RGJ/6, JK6IIS/6 and JO6RGZ/6 will be on Kuro Island, AS-012, on HF and 6, SSB and CW, July 28-29. QSL to their home calls, direct or bureau.

FP/VO1NA, formerly FP0NA, will be on St. Pierre and Miquelon July 28-30. This is NA-032. Look for him on 40, 30 and 20. QSL via VO1MRC.

OH2U/5 will be active from EU-140, Kuorsalo Island, July 28-29 for the contest. Pasi, OH6UM, OH2IW, says "limited activity is possible starting on Friday evening before the contest." The operators will be OH7JR, OH6UM, OH2JA and OH1RX. QSL via OH2IW.

RI1SI was planned for an operation from the Solovetsky Islands, EU-066, July 11-16. This was put on by the Student Radio Club "SPORADIK," RW3WWW, from the Kursk State Technical University. Ops are RA3WUV, RA3WOK, R3W-128, RW3WW, UA3WF, RA3WVG and RA3WRE, 160-10M CW, SSB and digital. QSL via RW3WWW.

PY1NEZ and friend(s) cancelled their July 12-15 operation to Santana Island, SA-077 due to one of the operator's getting seriously ill and being hospitalized. They will try to reschedule it.

9A6NL and 9A/home calls, Pasman Island, EU-170, is planned for July 21-31. The operators are HA6NL, HA2VR, HA6PS, HA7JJS and HA7PL. They will be on HF and 6, CW and SSB, possibly some digital. They will be in the IOTA contest using different callsigns, different categories. QSL 9A6NL to HA6NL, bureau or direct and all others via their home callsigns when signing 9A/home call.

The Motorola Amateur Radio Club in Florida will put K4L on the air August 18 from 13Z-2330Z. They will be on from a lighthouse on Key Biscayne, part of the Florida State South East Group, NA-141. They will be on CW, digital and SSB, 40 and 20M near the IOTA frequencies. QSL via W4MOT direct or bureau.

8Q7JP, Maldives, with M1DST, James, operating, was scheduled for July 9-16, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M SSB, possibly some slow CW. This is holiday style, his "honeymoon." His wife is understanding. QSL to his home call.

Four ops plan an HK0, San Andres, operation for the CQWW CW, November 24-25, multi-single. They are K3WT, N0STL, W0OR and N0AT. They haven't announced their callsign yet.

BA4TB/4, Dale, will be on Chongming Island, AS-136 for the IOTA contest. QSL via BA4TB.

G7N will be on Isle of Wight, EU-120, for the contest. The ops are G6FOP, 2E0KOP, G4FON, M0DDT, G3ZGC and G3KLH. QSL via G6FOP, Kevin Martin, 79 Lower Way, Thatcham, RG19 3RS England. He prefers eQSL.

DF6QC, Peter, will be on Helgoland Island, EU-127, for the IOTA event, single op SSB, 12 hours. QSL via DF6QC via the bureau.

ES2U, Island of Rammu, EU-149, will be on for the contest. Ops are ES1AN, ES1LS, ES1QV, ES2EZ, ES2DJ, ES2NJ and ES2QN.

VO/ON6QR, Fred, will be on Newfoundland, NA-027, for the contest, planning to be QRP to a small antenna. QSL via the bureau to ON6QR.

WB8YJF, Jon, makes his annual trip to Ocracoke Island, NA-067, July 22-29. He'll be on 80-10M CW and SSB, including the IOTA contest. His full color QSL is an aerial photo of Ocracoke. He says, "QSL direct for a fast reply. Bureau QSLs are OK but a lot slower." Jon Severt/WB8YJF, 5586 Babbitt Rd., New Albany, OH 43054 USA

VO1J will be on Fogo Island for the contest. That's NA-198. The operators will be VO1AU, VO1JNS, VO1KVT, VO1MX and VO1TA.

9A/W1ADX, Caudio (aka IN3DEI) will be on holiday style July 19-August 7 from a few Dalmatian islands, Dugi, Otok, Molat, Pasman and Ugljan, in the EU-170 group. QSL via IN3DEI.

9A/IW0QO, Leonardo, will be on Losinj Island, EU-136, August 1-10, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10. QSL direct to his home call, IW0QO, c/o Sezione A.R.I. di Perugia, P.O. Box 113, 06100 Perugia - PG, Italy. Or via the bureau.

MM0BQI/p, Jim, will be on Tanera Mor, Summer Isles, EU-092, July 21-August 4. He'll be on CW, SSB and RTTY, 80-10M. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

LA/DB5YB, Yogi, will be on Stord Island, EU-055, July 28-August 9, "holiday style" on 20-10M SSB. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

PD2J and PG7V will sign PC6IOTA from Texel, EU-038, for the third year in a row, July 24-August 1. They will concentrate on the IOTA contest and will send automatic confirmations via the bureau afterward. If you want to QSL direct, send it to PG7V. <http://www.pc6iota.net>

7S5A, Boko Island and Stora Alo, Sweden, EU-177, will be on the air July 16-23, with SM4DDS, Kjell, operating. He will be on 80-10M CW and SSB. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

SV1QN/8 and SV1GYG/8 will be on Samos, EU-049, July 26-August 4, operating 160-10M CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL to their home calls.

J49A, Dia Island, Crete (the SV9 DXCC entity), will be in the IOTA contest. This is EU-187. The operators are a group from the Radio Amateur Society of Crete. QSL to that group, RASC, P.O. Box 1390, GR-71110 Heraklion, Crete, Greece.

RA6AU/1, RU6AX/1 and RA1QY/1 will be on several Russian islands, July 18-22, three of them in EU-153. QSL to their home callsigns.

N5EYT, Rick, will be on Mustang Island, NA-092, and other islands nearby, from now until August 4. Operation will be intermittent during the daytimes, dependent on conditions and family activities, but he plans a lot of operating during the IOTA contest.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
16-Jul	16-Jul	OX	OX2A OX3OX OX3LX			11-122
16-Jul	16-Jul	PJ2	PJ2/DH7SA	DH7SA		11-129
16-Jul	16-Jul	PJ2	PJ2/DL6LAU PJ2/DL8OBO	home calls		11-080
16-Jul	16-Jul	UA	R50KP	RK1OZM		11-129
16-Jul	16-Jul	VE	VY2/KV8Q (EU-029)			11-123
16-Jul	17-Jul	V3	by K7BV	W1JJ		7-124
16-Jul	17-Jul	BY	DL2JRM/BY4RRR	DL2JRM		11-126
16-Jul	17-Jul	KL7	KL1YY (NA-206)	KL1YY		11-100
16-Jul	17-Jul	KL7	NF7E/KL7 (NA-206)	NF7E		11-100
16-Jul	17-Jul	KL7	NN7A/NL7 (NA-206)	NN7A		11-100
16-Jul	17-Jul	SV9	SV9/SV1EJD (EU-015)	IZ8CCW		11-124
16-Jul	17-Jul	V3	V31UB	KU5B		11-114
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	K5WAF/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133
16-Jul	18-Jul	T8	T80W	JM1LJS		11-133
16-Jul	18-Jul	T8	T88EK	JE1EKS		11-133
16-Jul	18-Jul	T8	T88PT	J15RPT		11-133
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	VP2V/K5WAF (NA-023)	W5PF		11-095
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	VP2V/W5PF (NA-023)	W5PF		11-095
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	VP2V/WB5IUU (NA-023)	W5PF		11-095
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	VP2V/WF5W (NA-023)	W5PF		11-095
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	VP2V/WZ8C (NA-023)	W5PF		11-095
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	W5PF/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	WB5IUU/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133
16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	WF5W/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133

16-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	WZ8C/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF	11-133
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25BUN	ZS6BUN	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25CF	K5LBU	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25DW	ZS6JR	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25HL	ZS6WB	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25KDJ	W5KDJ	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25LT	WA8QFE	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OB	ZS6OB	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OOK	M5AAV	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25SL	W5SL	11-131 122 119
16-Jul	21-Jul	UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-086)	UA1RJ	11-109
16-Jul	21-Jul	YJ	YJ0CZE	W0FF	11-118 090
16-Jul	22-Jul	1A	1A0KM	IK0FTA	11-131 129 114
16-Jul	22-Jul	CT	CS26X	CT1EHX	11-114 109
16-Jul	22-Jul	ES	ES0FTZ (EU-034)		11-115 036
16-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ	11-099
16-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-108
16-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA3GHZ PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	11-108
16-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH	11-108
16-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX3LX		11-088
16-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX3OX		11-088
16-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX	11-127
16-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117 110
16-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129 127
16-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC	11-126
16-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY	11-127
16-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122 060
16-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
16-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
16-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
17-Jul	23-Jul	SV	SV8/KG6ZWD/P (EU-067)	KG6ZWD	11-118
17-Jul	23-Jul	SV5	SX5AS (EU-001)	SV1HER	11-067 055
18-Jul	18-Jul	W	KZ3AB (NA-031)		11-065
18-Jul	18-Jul	W	WA3EOP/P (NA-031)		11-065
18-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM	11-128
18-Jul	30-Jul	TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR	11-130
18-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JA6GXX/JD1		11-120
19-Jul	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129 124
20-Jul	22-Jul	VE	by VE3LYC G3OCA (NA-231)		11-055
20-Jul	22-Jul	VE	VE3LYC/VY0 (NA-231)	VE3LYC	11-114
20-Jul	22-Jul	VE	VY0/G3OCA (NA-231)	G3OCA	11-114
21-Jul	22-Jul	G	GB1HI GB5HI (EU-120)	M3YZZ	11-095
21-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA	11-109
21-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA	11-109

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low, with a slight chance of an isolated C-class flare.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled through midweek.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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1A0KM	IK0FTA	EG1CMC	EA1FE	PJ2/DL6LAU	DL6LAU
2E0PLA	N2RJ	EG2CVC	EA2URV	PJ2/DL8OBQ	DL8OBQ
3V1A	YT1AD	EI70FOY	EI8EM	PJ2HQ	N9AG
3XY5M	PA7FM	EL2DX	K8SJP	R50KP	RZ1OM
4L4WW	EA7FTR	EM75IG	UR7IA	RI1SI	RW3WWW
4O3A	YU1FW	EU940OR	UA3FDX	SC300VL	SK6HD
4O5JE	ON5JE	GB7HQ	G3TXF	SV0LR	HB9LDR
4O6DJ	OK6DJ	GS0GRC/P	G0RCI	SV0XAO	DJ5JH
5B/AJ2O	RA3AUU	GX8LED/P	M0DOL	SX5RHO	SV5FRD
5B4AHS	RA3AUU	HB0/HB9CVQ	HB9CVQ	T80W	JM1LJS
5Z4ES	K3PD	HF15SZL	SP5PSL	T88EK	JE1EKS
6L0NJ/4	HL4XM	HF30PIK	SP2FAX	T88PT	JI5RPT
6M0W/5	HL5BMX	HG46FC	HA5BSW	TC25SG	TA1HZ
7Z1UG	DG1XG	HH2FYD	F6FYD	TM1000	F8KFZ
8Q7KN	JA9APS	HI3T	ON4IQ	TM2CDB	F8CKS
8R1K	OH0XX	HK6K	EA5KB	TP2CE	F5LGF
8R1RPN	OH0XX	IR8DX	IK8VRH	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
9A/VE3ZIK	DL3PS	IR8DX	IK8VRH	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
9A950DX	9A8DX	IY4FGM	IK4UPU	UE1RFF/1	UA1RJ
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	KH0PR	JJ8DEN	UE3MKD	UA3MQM
9X5SP	DL8YA	KH0PR	JJ8DEN	UE6DOO/6	RW6BJ
A25CF	K5LBU	KP2/AA1BU	AA1BU	UN7AB	DL8KAC
A25HQ	K5LBU	LZ50DX	LZ1AF	V26RM	K3TRM
A25KDJ	W5KDJ	NA8O/AH0	JK1FNL	V26RM	K3TRM
A25OOK	M5AAV	NF7E/KL7	NF7E	V31UB	KU5B
A25SL	W5SL	NN7A/NL7	NN7A	V8FEO	M5AAV
A43HIH	A47RS	OJ0/SM0BSO	SM0BSO	VF0X	VE3IKV
AC5TB/KH0	JH0MRP	OJ0/SM0EPO	SM0EPO	VK1ANU	JO2SLZ
AN7A	EA7NL	OJ0/SM0LQB	SM0LQB	VP2MRM	K3TRM
CO6WD	W0SA	OJ0/SM1TDE	SM1TDE	VP2V/K5WAF	W5PF
CO6XN	N3ZOM	OX2A	OZ1DJJ	VP2V/W5PF	W5PF
CP6AA	IK6SNR	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	VP2V/WF5W	W5PF
CS25BWU	CT1BWU	OX3YY	OZ7YY	VP2V/WZ8C	W5PF
CS5FAT	CT6ARL	OY/G3SXW	G3SXW	VP2VEA	W5PF
CU2A	OH2BH	OY/G3TXF	G3TXF	VQ9JC	ND9M
D2EEX	CT1EEX	P3CA	5B4MS	VY2/KV8Q	KC8UR
DL40RRDXA	DL1YFF	P40W	N2MM	YR1C	YO4NA
DQ50PASSAU	DK1RWS	PJ2/DH7SA	DH7SA	ZA1E	I2MQP
EB5KB	EA5KB	PJ2/DJ8NK	DJ8NK	ZF1A	W5ASP
ED3AGB	EA3AGB				

KE3A, Bill, says he is not the manager for AT0T. He told DL1SBF he has not been the manager since 1986 and has no cards.

N3ZOM, Frank, says he would be glad to be a QSL manager for DX stations. E-mail him at n3zom at comcast.net.

K6RIM and the Northern California DX Foundation, NCDXF, say BS7H confirmations are appearing on LoTW for those who made donations to NCDXF in the last 18 months. NCDXF thanks QSL manager KU9C and the BS7H group for recognizing the financial supporters of NCDXF.

DU7LA, Peter, has moved back to the U.S. Send your cards to his U.S. callsign, KD0AA.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your

friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 4L3Y, 4O3M, 5H3EE, 5Z4/9A3A, 9M2/PG5M, CE4WJK, FO/N6JA, LA6CF, N8S, NH6P, NP4A, OJ0/OH3RM, PZ5RA, SV2ASP/A, SV9/SM2EKM, TC0DX (EU-186), TG9ANF, V63RE (OC-277), VE0MMA, VK0JLX, VP8/LZ1UQ, VQ9LA, XW1A, XW3DT, YO2LDC and ZD9BCB.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 7Z1HL, A25KDJ, BS7H, CT6A, DL5VZ, DL8FD, GM4WZL, HB0/HB9CVQ, K2AX, K2XA, LA6FJA, LZ2ZG, OE3EPW, OY/G3SXW, RK4UWA, RN3QO, RX3AGD, SJ2W, UT7UJ, VP8LP, YO3APJ and ZL4PW.

On The WWW

"Last Voice From Kuwait," produced by Frank Moore, WA1URA and WANE-TV, is a movie making its internet debut. It chronicles the story of 9K2DZ, Abdul-Jabbar Ma'rafi who, in 1990-1991, was "the last voice from Kuwait" when the Iraq Army invaded Kuwait. 9K2DZ stayed on the air under the nose of the invaders. Here are the web addresses.

1st Video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dG4jvV9ngWU>

2nd Video:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9dB8E-1zi7c&mode=related&search=>

3rd Video

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fJ_Ky7yQwb8&mode=related&search=

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DX News

The ARRL DXCC listings on the ARRL DXCC Web page have been down since July 12th. The official word is "Due to database problems these listings are temporarily unavailable. We are working on restoring access to the listings as soon as possible."

Starting August 4th look for F1JXQ, David, to be operating as FG/F1JXQ from Guadeloupe. Watch for him on SSB on 2, 6 and 10 meters through August 20th.

During the CQ WW SSB DX Contest F6HLC, Christian, F6HLC, plans to operate FG5JK. QSL via F6HLC.

KN5H, Steve, and N3DXX, Art, have announced they will be operating the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest, on November 24th and 25th. The two will do a multi-two effort as FS/N3DXX from the QTH of FS5UQ. QSL via KN5H.

Members of the Pine Belt DX Association (PBDXA) have elected the following officers who will server through December 2009:

President: W5MR, Mike McCraw
Vice President: N5KKG, Frank Barrett
Secretary/Treasurer: N5TNT, Tom Williams

For more information on the PBDXA check out their Web site at www.pbdxa.org.

The CQ RTTY Contest will take place on September 29th and 30th and OH9MM, Juha, is expected to be operating as OH0Z. QSL via W0MM.

4K8F, Leonid, plans to operate in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest on September 29th and 30th. He'll do single-op all-band. He also has plans to operate the CW event on November 24th and 25th in the same category. QSL via 4K8F.

DL1AL, Abubaker, operator at 5A1A, was married on June 9th. He and his XYL Beate, from Paderborn, Germany took a honeymoon to Corfu Island.

Radio Amateur Canada (RAC) has recently conducted a draft and study on a new proposed HF band plan, which can now be read at http://www.rac.ca/service/RAC_Draft_HF_Band_PlanR1.pdf. It will soon be going to the RAC membership and then the Region II HFBP meeting.

Special event station GB100J will be QRV in celebration of the 21st World Scout Jamboree from July 27th to August 7th at Hylands Park, Chelmsford, England. Activity is expected on all bands and modes. They have a Web page at <http://gb100j.radio-scouting.org.uk>.

Members of the Belgian UBA's Ronse/Renaix section (ON4RSX) and the French Radio-club Neuville-de-Poitou plan to operate special call ON14CS from La Croix-Scaille in the Belgian Ardennes in celebration of 14 years of association. Activity will be on HF, 6 meters and VHF from August 17th to 24th.

IZ8GCB, Tano, is planning to be QRV as IS0/IZ8GCB between August 1- 19th from Sardinia. Look for him on 10, 15, 20 and 40 meters CW and SSB. QSL via IZ8GCB either direct or via the bureau.

Silent Key

WT8S, Paul Warren Daley, passed away on July 9th after a 9 year battle with colon cancer. He was 64. Paul obtained his electrical engineer degree from Union College in Schenectady, NY and later earned an MBA from the University of Michigan. Paul was on the CW, SSB and most recently added to the RTTY DXCC Honor Rolls. He operated from the following operations: EL2PD, HI/K2LCM, VK2FYO, XR0Y, ZK1WTS and BQ9P. Paul also gave back to the hobby as he was the W8 "S" sorter at the QSL bureau. RIP WT8S.

QSN

1A0KM - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - G3SXW, Roger, and G3TXF, Nigel, will be at the key Tuesday and Wednesday. I2UIY, Paolo, will be there June 19th through the 22nd. North American West Coast DXers should look for 20 meter activity from Paolo after 23Z on the days he is there! QSL via IK0FTA.

9G5ZS - GHANA - RTTY ops were working Emil Sunday at 2300Z and Monday from before 1600 until after 1700Z on 20 meters. QSL via ZS6EGB.

A52SW - BHUTAN - Watch for Steve on 20 meters, probably CW around 14027, after 1100Z. QSL via K2AU.

YA/9A4ZD - AFGHANISTAN - Yesterday Dejan was up on 14270 after 20Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-060	6L0NJ/4	18145	1353	EU-125	OZ/DL3NDD	14260	1754
AS-060	DS4FMG	14195	0106	EU-132	3Z100S	14255	1333
EU-002	OH0GG	1828	2039	EU-170	9A/S51DX	3514	2040
EU-038	PA2DX	14170	0814	EU-173	OH1JO/M	14258	1354
EU-042	DH3RB/P	14260	1715	NA-105	FS/EA3GHZ	14190	2214
EU-048	F/DF6QZ	14266	1859	NA-206	NF7E/KL7	14262	0409
EU-066	RI1SI	14180	0430	NA-206	NN7A/NL7	10105	1022
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14262	1243	OC-009	T88PT	18085	0242
EU-101	OH6/IK3GES	14255	1551				

On July 18th WA3EOP, Page, plans to operate from Conanicut Island (NA- 031). Suggested frequencies are: 14266, 14332, 7178 and 3902 kHz.

During the RSGB IOTA Contest look for B00K (Bravo Oscar Zero Kilo) to be on from KinMen Island (AS-102). Activity is expected on 10 through 80 meters. QSL via BV2KI.

GOMTD, Steve, M1PAF, Paul, M0WCR, Mark and G7GAG, Jim, to be QRV as MS0WRC from Crannag (EU-010) from October 6th to 12th. QSL via MX0WRC.

PA0HFT will be the call used by a group from the Netherlands from Terschelling Island (EU-038) in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via PA0HFT, either direct or via the bureau.

A group from the Englewood Amateur Radio Society (EARS) will be active as K8ONV from Boca Grande Lighthouse on Gasparilla Island (NA-069) on August 18th and 19th. QSL via K8ONV.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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17-Jul	22-Jul	1A	1A0KM	IK0FTA	11-131	129 114
17-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25BUN	ZS6BUN	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25CF	K5LBU	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25DW	ZS6JR	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25HL	ZS6WB	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25KDJ	W5KDJ	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25LT	WA8QFE	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OB	ZS6OB	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OOK	M5AAV	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25SL	W5SL	11-131	122 119
17-Jul	17-Jul	BY	DL2JRM/BY4RRR	DL2JRM		11-126
17-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
17-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129	127
17-Jul	22-Jul	CT	CS26X	CT1EHX	11-114	109
17-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
17-Jul	22-Jul	ES	ES0FTZ (EU-034)		11-115	036
17-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
17-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117	110
17-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108
17-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA3GHZ PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ		11-108
17-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH		11-108
17-Jul	17-Jul	HL	6L0NJ/4 (AS-060)	HL4XM		
17-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ		11-099
17-Jul	17-Jul	KL7	KL1YY (NA-206)	KL1YY		11-100
17-Jul	17-Jul	KL7	NF7E/KL7 (NA-206)	NF7E		11-100
17-Jul	17-Jul	KL7	NN7A/NL7 (NA-206)	NN7A		11-100
17-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ			11-134
17-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
17-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX3LX			11-088
17-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX3OX			11-088
17-Jul	23-Jul	SM	7S5A (EU-177)	SM4DDS		11-134
17-Jul	23-Jul	SV	SV8/KG6ZWD/P (EU-067)	KG6ZWD		11-118
17-Jul	23-Jul	SV5	SX5AS (EU-001)	SV1HER	11-134	067 055
17-Jul	17-Jul	SV9	SV9/SV1EJD (EU-015)	IZ8CCW		11-124

17-Jul 18-Jul T8	T80W	JM1LJS	11-133
17-Jul 18-Jul T8	T88EK	JE1EKS	11-133
17-Jul 18-Jul T8	T88PT	JI5RPT	11-133
17-Jul 21-Jul UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-086)	UA1RJ	11-109
17-Jul 17-Jul V3	V31UB	KU5B	11-114
17-Jul 18-Jul VP2V	K5WAF/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF	11-133 095
17-Jul 18-Jul VP2V	W5PF/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF	11-133 095
17-Jul 18-Jul VP2V	WB5IUU/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF	11-133 095
17-Jul 18-Jul VP2V	WF5W/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF	11-133 095
17-Jul 18-Jul VP2V	WZ8C/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF	11-133 095
17-Jul 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
17-Jul 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
17-Jul 4-Aug W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134
17-Jul 21-Jul YJ	YJ0CZE	W0FF	11-118 090

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5H3EE	DL4SM	FS/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	NF7E/KL7	NF7E
9G5ZS	ZS6EGB	FS/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	NN7A/NL7	NN7A
A52SW	K2AU	JW/G3ZAY	G3ZAY	TO5J	F5LMJ
CA1UGE	CE1IQQ	JW/G7VJR	G7VJR	VR10UW	VR2UW
CN2GE/M	F5OGE				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 7Z1UG, CT6A, CU8/IZ5CML (EU-089), GM3POI, HB0/HB9CVQ, JA2XYO, LA6FJA, OE2BZL, OT4A, P40A, UT7UJ, VE3XB

Correction

In yesterday's issue we listed 18170 as one of the suggested frequencies for the expected W7KFI, Susan, operation from Johnston Island (KH3). That was the frequency she gave. I suspect she meant to say 18070.

Credits

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DX News

Many have asked about the disbanding of the Netherland Antilles (PJ), which was expected on July 1, 2007. The termination of the Netherlands Antilles is now planned for December 15, 2008, which is the Netherlands "Kingdom Day". An agreement was made on July 12th making Sint Maarten (PJ7) a country within the kingdom. Bonaire (PJ4), Sint Eustatius (PJ5) and Saba (PJ6) would become special municipalities of the Netherlands. Curacao (PJ2) is also expected to become a separate country within the Kingdom. As of this moment it looks as if December 15, 2008 the Kingdom of the Netherlands will be four countries (The Netherlands, including the three special municipalities of Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba, Aruba, Curacao and Sint Maarten. There is a strong possibility we could see two new DXCC counters (Curacao and Sint Maarten). We will have to wait and see exactly how this will pan out for DXCC as we get closer to the end of next year.

VO1NA, Joe, reports that due to unforeseen circumstances members of the Marconi Radio Club of Newfoundland's DXpedition to St. Pierre and Miquelon has been postponed. This was expected to take place between July 28th and 30th. He'll hope to have new date soon.

The VHF portion of the current Botswana DXpedition has ended. A25BUN, A25OB and A25HL have returned home. The rest of the group has remained on site as previously scheduled. A couple of days after the VHF operation began A25HL (ZS6WB), Hal, developed a minor medical problem so the VHF part of the operation was cut short and as they returned to Johannesburg on Sunday July 8th. At the point in which they closed down ninety-five 144 MHz and one 432 MHz EME QSOs were made. Only W5UN had previously worked A2 on EME so it was a new 2m DXCC for everyone else.

Many have notice and have asked about the propagation page at dx.qsl.net/propagation/, which we list daily below in the propagation section. N6RT, Doug Brandon, tells us the server has been up and down for the past few months and has finally died completely. A replacement machine is expected today and should be up and running a few days afterwards. A big thanks goes to AA9ZT who is providing the new server. Until then you can check out a few other pages at www.dailydx.com/propagation.html.

Silent Key

K2NJ (ex WN2FVO, WB2FVO), William W. Inkrote, Jr. became a Silent Key on the morning of July 16th. He was on the ARRL DXCC Honor Roll and had 335/349 confirmed on Mixed mode. Bill also gave back to the hobby as he was a letter sorter for the W2 QSL bureau. He is survived by his wife WB2AXG, Gail;

daughters Holl and Tracy and his son KC2JPM, Scott. SK

QSN

1A0KM - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - Pacific Northwest DXers had an opening on 20 CW yesterday just before 0530Z. W6 and W7 stations found an opening on 30 meters at 0420Z. European ops were working them on 50137 from 1315 to 1815Z. QSL via IK0FTA, who can confirm QSOs back to 1994. Make sure you send SAE with at least two \$ or one current IRC. QSLs with no SAE or SASE will not be answered! The July 2007 operation will be uploaded to LOTW, sometime in October 2007.

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - ZL DXers reported working Jacky via the long path on 14021 Tuesday just after 0400Z. Later (1930Z) he was on 1837. QSL via CBA.

EL2AR - LIBERIA - Ashley likes 14247 before 2030Z.

ST2A - SUDAN - RTTY ops found Jovic on 14086 Tuesday between 1830 and 2000Z. QSL via T93Y.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Tom showed up on Tuesday after 03Z on 14277 and was there until almost 05Z. QSL via ZL2HGR.

VQ9LA - DIEGO GARCIA - East Coast North American 80 meter ops reported Larry on 3508 around 0100Z yesterday.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8OB	7078	0021	EU-132	3Z100S	14240	1112
AS-060	6L0NJ/4	28028	0109	EU-132	SP2WLO/1	14240	1115
EU-003	CU1CB	14175	1758	EU-139	SM5BJT/2	7012	0607
EU-016	9A2GF	14263	0651	EU-170	9A/OK2STM	14071	1150
EU-016	9A/HA5AZZ	7065	1424	EU-170	9A/S51DX	3514	2023
EU-016	9A4W	14259	1828	EU-174	SV8/DL2DQL	14200	1528
EU-026	JW/G3ZAY	14260	2108	EU-177	7S5A	10109	0521
EU-048	F/DF6QZ	14257	1755	NA-016	ZF2AH	18120	2214
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14262	1031	NA-105	FS/EA3GHZ	7089	0549
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28485	1547	NA-105	FS/CT1BWW	14202	2048
EU-125	OZ/DL3NDD	14263	1331	NA-107	TO5J	14008	2221
EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	10117	1907	NA-206	NF7E/KL7	14270	0014
EU-132	SP5COF/1	14265	0825	NA-206	NN7A/NL7	14040	0525
EU-132	SQ3LLM/1	14265	1007	SA-002	VP8DIZ	14084	1915

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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18-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25DW	ZS6JR	11-131	122	119
18-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25KDJ	W5KDJ	11-131	122	119
18-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25LT	WA8QFE	11-131	122	119
18-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25OOK	M5AAV	11-131	122	119
18-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25SL	W5SL	11-131	122	119
18-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127	
18-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE		11-129	127
18-Jul	22-Jul	CT	CS26X	CT1EHX		11-114	109
18-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH		11-122	060
18-Jul	22-Jul	ES	ES0FTZ (EU-034)			11-115	036
18-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127	
18-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ		11-117	110
18-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108	
18-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA3GHZ PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ		11-108	
18-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH		11-108	
18-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ		11-099	
18-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JA6GXX/JD1 (OC-073)			11-120	
18-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134	
18-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM		11-103	100
18-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX2A	OZ1DJJ		11-088	
18-Jul	23-Jul	SM	7S5A (EU-177)	SM4DDS		11-134	
18-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM		11-128	
18-Jul	23-Jul	SV	SV8/KG6ZWD/P (EU-067)	KG6ZWD		11-118	
18-Jul	23-Jul	SV5	SX5AS (EU-001)	SV1HER	11-134	067	055
18-Jul	18-Jul	T8	T80W (OC-009)	JM1LJS		11-133	
18-Jul	18-Jul	T8	T88EK (OC-009)	JE1EKS		11-133	
18-Jul	18-Jul	T8	T88PT (OC-009)	JI5RPT		11-133	
18-Jul	30-Jul	TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR		11-130	
18-Jul	22-Jul	UA	RA1QY/1 (EU-153)	RA1QY		11-134	
18-Jul	22-Jul	UA	RA6AU/1 (EU-153)	RA6AU		11-134	
18-Jul	22-Jul	UA	RU6AX/1 (EU-153)	RU6AX		11-134	
18-Jul	21-Jul	UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-086)	UA1RJ		11-109	
18-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	K5WAF/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133	095
18-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	W5PF/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133	095
18-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	WB5IUU/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133	095
18-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	WF5W/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133	095
18-Jul	18-Jul	VP2V	WZ8C/VP2V (NA-023)	W5PF		11-133	095
18-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR		11-081	
18-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-107	
18-Jul	18-Jul	W	KZ3AB (NA-031)			11-065	
18-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)			11-134	
18-Jul	18-Jul	W	WA3EOP/P (NA-031)	WA3EOP		11-135	065
18-Jul	21-Jul	YJ	YJ0CZE	W0FF		11-118	090

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3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	IR8IPY	IK8WEJ	TM2CDB	F8CKS
4K5D	K2PF	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA	TO5J	F5LMJ
CS26X	CT1EHX	SX5AS	SV1HER	ZF2AH	W6VNR
DL40RRDXA	DL1YFF				

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DJ6SI, Baldur Drobica, reminds everyone the rate from Germany to the US is 1.70 _ (Euro). Two US dollars (\$) are equal to about 1.45 _.
He'll mail out 9U0X QSLs to those who did not send enough postage on his next trip to Chechien (Editors note - Switzerland?) or Namibia in early September. There the prices are much lower.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 6W/IZ2DPX, 6W1SE, 7X2LS, 9K2MU, EA6SX, EA8AH, ED7SPI (EU-143), EH6DD, EP3HF, HB9BIN, HH2FYD, II4SDP (EU-155), IR2IPY, J20MM, J20RR, K8HLM, OE5XBL, OH8T (EU-184), OJ0VR, SP5EWY, TM5TAF, V73NS, VE2XB/VY0 (NA-007), VP8KF, UA0ZC

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5I3A, 7Z1HL, 7Z1UG, 9M2CNC, A25KDJ, CT1ILT, CT3IA, CT3YA, CT6A, DK1WU, F5JBR, G4PEL, GM3POI, GW3KGV, HB0/HB9CVQ, HB9AAQ, HB9BIN, JH7RTQ, KL7AA, LA6FJA, LA9TJA, MD0CCE, OK1CF, ON4AEK, OT4A, OZ1HPS, OZ3FI, P40A, P40W, PY3SB, PY7RP, SJ2W, SN5N, SP3HC, TM0AIN, UT7UJ, VE2XAA/2 (Zone 2), VE3BSJ, VK6DU, WP3GW, XE2S, XE2WWW, YO2BP, YQ0TM

On The WWW

W8HC, Hal Turley, went to Friedrichshafen this year and has written about Ham Radio 2007 at http://www.w8hc.com/2007_Friedrichshafen.htm.

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DX News

A DXpedition to Sable Island (CY0) in 2009 is currently in its early planning stages. Plans are to have 5 ops with expected team members including WV2B, AI5P, VE1AI and KA3QLF. Plans are to have three stations (one on each mode) with one back up. They have listed AI5P/CY0 and CY0ZZ as their calls. The team is looking for sponsors as their estimated budget is \$18,000. This includes a private plane (10K) plus an island charge of \$150 per day per operator. They have a Web site at www.stpaulisland.net/Sable.html.

I2MOV, Flaviano, will soon be operating as IS0/I2MOV from Sardinia. Exact dates were not given. He'll be on 7-28 MHz with an IC706-MKIIG and vertical.

VK2CCC (LY1F), Tomas, updates us on his trip to the Fiji Islands, which will take place between August 28th and September 4th. The Fiji officials have issued 3D2MT to Tomas and not 3D2TM as requested. Also they did not issue the special call 3D2F for contest use (All Asia DX). He'll be QRV on 17 through 80 meters, mostly on CW.

DJ2AVB, Gisel, is now in Mehalla El-Kubra, Egypt for the next three years and will be QRV as SU9GD. You can find him QRV on CW or the digital modes on Fridays and Saturdays starting around 1400Z. QSL via DJ2AVB.

ZL1UFB, Al McDonald, has been on Pitcairn Island since early this month and plans to be QRV as VP6AL for the next six weeks. So far he has only been QRV on 20 SSB. QSL via ZL1UFB, Al McDonald, P.O. Box 166, Waihi, New Zealand 3641 direct with SAE and two US \$.

Also as a reminder ZL2HGR, Tom Dixon, is on Pitcairn until early September as VP6TD. QSL via ZL2HGR.

QRZ DX reports DF8AA, Wolfgang, is now on holiday on El Hierro Island, Canary Islands and QRV as EA8/DF8AA until July 28th. QSL via DF8AA.

Yet another delay has cropped up for W7KFI's, Susan, trip to Johnston Island (KH3), as she reports the first hurricane of the season is on the radar for the Hawaiian Islands. "Must wait till next week and see what Mexican area weather is doing before I decide to leave for KH3 or not", she notes. It is possible she may even wait as long as November, until the end of hurricane season before making another attempt.

QSN

1A0KM - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA (SMOM) - NW Pacific DXers reported an earlier opening on 30 meters today as the W6's W7's and VE7's were making it through just before and after 0200Z.

9Q2DY - PIRATE - No need to waste your time with this pirate!

VP6AL - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Yesterday A1 was on 14268 at 0430Z.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Tom continues to be active on 20 SSB, usually high in the band (14270-14280) from before 0200 until about 0400Z. QSL via ZL2HGR.

YJ0CZE - VANUATU - Watch for Hank on 20 meters between 0230 and 0500Z. QSL via W0FF.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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EU-001	SX5AS	14205	1448	EU-153	RA6AU/1	14173	0756
EU-004	EA6BH	14082	2333	EU-153	RU6AX/1	14179	0930
EU-015	SV9/SV1AVD	7040	2112	EU-170	9A/S51DX	10105	0602
EU-034	ES0FTZ	14277	1122	EU-170	9A2EU/P	14257	1440
EU-037	SM7XGG	14264	1239	EU-170	9A5CY/P	7061	0704
EU-038	PA2DX	14200	0821	EU-170	9A6AA/P	7074	1407
EU-052	SV8/HA0IM	14010	1522	EU-177	7S5A	14260	1200
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14262	0943	EU-177	SV0JD	14260	1056
EU-096	OH1/IK3GES	14260	1239	NA-031	N1L/M	14263	2114
EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	14012	0942	NA-047	VY0AB	14197	0308
EU-125	OZ/DL3MDD	7060	0725	NA-092	N5EYT	14255	0136
EU-132	SP5COF/1	14250	0839	NA-105	FS/CT1BWW	14190	2135
EU-132	SP5WLO/1	14258	1109	NA-105	FS/EA3GHZ	14190	2347
EU-139	7S2S	14255	0923	OC-044	VP6TD	14280	0353
EU-153	RA1QY/1	14257	0833				

Chinese ops BA4TB, Dale; BG4TBC, Jiang; BG4TBJ, Dai; BG4TQX, Mi; and BG1LKK, Yun; plan to be QRV from Chongming Island (AS-136) from July 27th to 30th, including the IOTA Contest. Look for activity on 6 through 80 meters CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via their home calls.

CT1EPV, CT1EGW, CT1GFK, CU2HJA, DJ2VO and HB9CRV/CT3FN will be operating from Flores Island (EU-089), Azores from July 21st to August 1st. During the IOTA Contest they will be operating as CU8T.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
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19-Jul	22-Jul	1A	1A0KM	IK0FTA	11-131	129 114
19-Jul	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
19-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
19-Jul	20-Jul	A2	A25CF	K5LBU	11-131	122 119

19-Jul 20-Jul A2	A25DW	ZS6JR	11-131 122 119
19-Jul 20-Jul A2	A25KDJ	W5KDJ	11-131 122 119
19-Jul 20-Jul A2	A25LT	WA8QFE	11-131 122 119
19-Jul 20-Jul A2	A25OOK	M5AAV	11-131 122 119
19-Jul 20-Jul A2	A25SL	W5SL	11-131 122 119
19-Jul 1-Aug CE	3G100S	XQ1KY	11-127
19-Jul 29-Jul CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129 127
19-Jul 22-Jul CT	CS26X	CT1EHX	11-114 109
19-Jul 5-Aug CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122 060
19-Jul 22-Jul ES	ES0FTZ (EU-034)		11-115 036
19-Jul 26-Jul EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX	11-127
19-Jul 28-Jul FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117 110
19-Jul 25-Jul FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-108
19-Jul 25-Jul FS/PJ7	FS/EA3GHZ PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	11-108
19-Jul 25-Jul FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH	11-108
19-Jul 10-Aug HS	E21EIC/8		11-134
19-Jul 23-Jul I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ	11-099
19-Jul 2-Aug JD1/M	JA6GXX/JD1 (OC-073)		11-120
19-Jul 16-Aug OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
19-Jul 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
19-Jul 25-Jul OX	OX2A	OZ1DJJ	11-088
19-Jul 23-Jul SM	7S5A (EU-177)	SM4DDS	11-134
19-Jul 30-Jul SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM	11-128
19-Jul 23-Jul SV	SV8/KG6ZWD/P (EU-067)	KG6ZWD	11-118
19-Jul 23-Jul SV5	SX5AS (EU-001)	SV1HER	11-134 067 055
19-Jul 2-Aug TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129 124
19-Jul 30-Jul TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR	11-130
19-Jul 22-Jul UA	RA1QY/1 (EU-153)	RA1QY	11-134
19-Jul 22-Jul UA	RA6AU/1 (EU-153)	RA6AU	11-134
19-Jul 22-Jul UA	RU6AX/1 (EU-153)	RU6AX	11-134
19-Jul 21-Jul UA	UE1RFF/1 (EU-086)	UA1RJ	11-109
19-Jul 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-081
19-Jul 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
19-Jul 4-Aug W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134
19-Jul 21-Jul YJ	YJ0CZE	W0FF	11-118 090

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled with a chance for active periods as a recurrent coronal hole moves into a geoeffective position. Expect unsettled to active conditions with possible isolated periods of minor storming on Friday and Saturday due to the ensuing coronal hole high-speed stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for July 17, 2007 was 17.

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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7S2S	SM2OAN	JW/RA3SS	RA3SD	XU7TZG	ON7PP
7S5A	SM4DDS	OH1/IK3GES	IK3GES	ZF2EK	N2EK
9Q2DY	PIRATE	R100AK	RW4HB	ZY5P	PP5BZ
CN2GE/P	F5OGE	R100IF	RW4HB		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

IZ4AKS, Giorgio, reports the 1A4A (January 2007) QSL cards are still being mailed out (via IZ4DPV) and that about 75% have already been mailed.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 7X2LS, 9M8PSB, 9U0X, A25KDJ, OJ0VR, TC0DX (EU-186), VK0JLX, XW1A, YA/LY1Y, YM0DX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: YP1W

On The WWW

W9DX, Steve, tells us the online log search for K5LBU's, Frosty, group in Botswana is up and running. Steve has been uploading logs almost every day for A25CF, A25KDJ, A25SL, and A25OOK. At the moment, logs are current through July 18. The IARU logs for A25HQ are already online. The on-line logs can be found at www.tdxc.net/A2.html. Hal's (A25HL) logs for the EME contacts were kept on paper.

Here is a searchable database for users of LOTW - <http://tinyurl.com/2kpwhq>. The database (as of June 26, 2007) has almost 16,000 calls from 302 DXCC countries.

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DX News

B92, a Serbian news agency, says Reuters is reporting today Kosovo's Prime Minister Agim Ceku said "the province should declare unilateral independence from Serbia on November 28". This after months of what he calls "a Western bid to steer its secession through the United Nations had failed." Ceku is now recommending for the Kosovo Parliament to "adopt a resolution setting the date on his return from Washington". Kosovo has been a UN protectorate (UNMIK) since 1999.

The November date is not official but it does raise the level of significance.

EA1DR, Oscar Luis, EC2ADN, George and EC3ADP, Chris, will be QRV from Montenegro as 40/EA1DR, 40/EC2ADN and 40/EC3ADP from July 18th to 25th. Look for activity on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 meters on RTTY and CW. QSL via their home calls.

Starting today OH1RX, Jouko, will be in Greenland and plans to be QRV as OX/OH1RX until July 25th. Suggested frequencies will be 7008, 7088, 10108, 14008, 14267, 18078, 18118, 21008, 21267, 24908, 24938, 28008 and 28488. He'll have an FT-897 running barefoot with wires. Jouko plans to be on 14267 daily at 1700Z.

The ARRL DXCC Web page reports that the DXCC Desk is currently mailing DXCC applications logged during the week of April 27, 2007. Also last week the ARRL Web reported the DXCC Honor Roll listing, which use to run in July and in recent years has run in the August issue of QST will be delayed into the September issue. The results of the 2007 ARRL International DX Phone Contest has also been pushed back a month and is expected to be in the October issue. Over the last two days several subscribers have been reporting receipt of the 2006 ARRL DXCC Yearbook.

It's on again! The members of the Marconi Radio Club of Newfoundland will be on DXpedition to St. Pierre and Miquelon from August 5-7.

Look for FP/VO1NA (formerly FP0NA) on 20, 30 and 40 meters. VO1NA, Joe, is taking a 137 kHz transmitter and may operate on 2200 meters CW! QSL via VO1MRC.

N2NS, Bob Hervatine, is heading to the Big Island of Hawaii and hopes to get on the air for some very limited "vacation style operating" starting today through July 26th. He'll be operating as N2NS/KH6 and will have an FT-897 barefoot into a Buddipole on 10-40 meters on CW and SSB. Depending on conditions Bob will probably try to favor 17 and 30 meters.

This weekend (July 21/22) LA5IIA, Johnny, and his father LA9VX plan to operate from Buholmrasa lighthouse (NOR-063). They will have an FT-857 and dipoles.

The ARRL DX Bulletin is reporting LA4LN, Tom is QRV as KL7/LA4LN from the Anchorage area until August 2nd. He will be active on 160 to 70 cm with QRP power on CW, SSB and possibly digital modes. QSL to LA4LN.

F1JXQ, David, will be active as FG/F1JXQ from Guadeloupe Island (NA-102) from August 4 to 20. He will operate SSB and likely to be found on 20, 10, 6 and 2 meters between 10 and 16Z. David has a web page with more details about his operation at http://twitter.com/fg_fljxq. QSL direct or via e-QSL.

DL2RMC and DL1RTL will be operating as TK/DL2RMC and TK/DL1RTL from Corsica (EU-014) between July 30th and August 8th. They will be QRV on 6 through 160 meters on CW, SSB and digital. The two may also take a side trip over to IOTA EU-164.

W4VQ, Bob, tells us that VQ9JC, Jim, will be returning to Florida for a break in about three weeks. No word on when Jim would go back to Diego Garcia.

W7KFI, Susan, updates us again on her delayed trip to Johnston Island (KH3). She apologizes to everyone but she now believes "it looks like one hell of a hurricane season." Susan says "if there is a two week lull I will depart for KH3, but it looks like I am stuck in Honolulu till end of the season." She believes propagation will be "better in November than in July/August. Maybe it is a good thing her tooth ache brought her back to Honolulu after all."

Silent Key

W7EKM, Al Johnson, became a Silent Key on July 16th, due to a fall he took putting away Field Day equipment. Al was Washington State Ham of the Year, mentor and friend of all. He was an avid DXer and contester, having all countries worked Phone & CW, 5BDXCC, 5BWAZ, and close to 150 on 160 meters. A member of the British Columbia DX Club.

QSN

9G5ZS - GHANA - Emil was doing RTTY on 20 meters yesterday starting just before 1800Z for about an hour. QSL via ZS6EGB.

A2 - BOTSWANA - Lots of A2 activity on 80 meters SSB from Frosty's group yesterday from 17 to 22Z.

OD5/ON4JM - LEBANON - Japanese ops found this semi-rare one on 3505 after 19Z on Thursday.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-020	BV4VR	14072	1426	EU-136	9A/OE3ZK	7025	1451
EU-001	SX5AS	14250	2053	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14006	0538
EU-003	CU1CB	14175	2103	EU-153	RA1QY/1	14257	1624
EU-004	EA6AFV	7064	2205	EU-153	RA6AU/1	14189	1137
EU-023	9H1SP	14175	0615	EU-153	RU6AX/1	14020	0711
EU-042	DH3RB/P	14263	1659	EU-170	9A/S51DX	7009	2101
EU-055	LA9RY	14263	1700	EU-177	7S5A	14038	1609

EU-072 SV0JD/8	14263 1013	EU-181 LZ/G4EDG	14016 2320
EU-072 SV8/DL8MCA	28460 1407	NA-016 ZF2EK	14260 2329
EU-076 LA/DL2WJT	10115 1703	NA-092 N5EYT	14250 0305
EU-092 OH8MXL/1	10115 2243	NA-105 FS/CT1BWW	14195 1206
EU-125 OZ/DL3FCG	7017 1857	NA-105 FS/EA3GHZ	7070 0025
EU-132 3Z100S	3725 1826	NA-106 KP2/AA1BU	7080 0414
EU-132 SP5PSL	14255 1440	NA-107 FM5AA	14081 2128
EU-133 R1ASP	14265 0537	NA-107 TO5J	14007 2218
EU-136 9A/DM8AE	14257 1737	OC-066 FO5RH	14001 0645

Next weekend (July 28/29) is the annual RSGB IOTA Contest. The state of Florida has 10 separate IOTA counters and residents from the sunshine state are trying to activate as many of them as possible during the big event. Announced activity is as follows:

NA-034 - Honeymoon - N2MFT (MFDXA)
 NA-034 - St. Armands - W4ZW
 NA-052 - Marco - W4OV
 NA-062 - Florida Keys - K4EYS
 NA-069 - Sanibel - K4RFK
 NA-076 - Cedar Key - ?
 NA-079 - Dry Tortugas - ?
 NA-085 - St. George - N4PN
 NA-138 - Amelia Is. - K9ES
 NA-141 - Hutchinson Is. - W4UM, K1PT, K4MM
 NA-142 - Santa Rosa - N4OX, NF4A

G0AZS, Mark, says to look for him as SM7ZAU from EU-037 during the IOTA contest next weekend.

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20-Jul	28-Jul	EA8	EA8/DF8AA (AF-004)	DF8AA		11-137
20-Jul	22-Jul	ES	ES0FTZ (EU-034)			11-115 036
20-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
20-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ		11-117 110
20-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108
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20-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH		11-108
20-Jul	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
20-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ		11-099
20-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JA6GXK/JD1 (OC-073)			11-120

20-Jul 16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
20-Jul 15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
20-Jul 25-Jul	OX	OX2A	OZ1DJJ	11-088
20-Jul 23-Jul	SM	7S5A (EU-177)	SM4DDS	11-134
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20-Jul 15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
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21-Jul 12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA	11-109
21-Jul 12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA	11-109
21-Jul 22-Jul	G	GB1HI GB5HI (EU-120)	M3ZYZ	11-095
21-Jul 4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI	11-134
22-Jul 22-Jul	I	IY0SMA	IZ0FVD	11-134
22-Jul 5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE	11-021
22-Jul 29-Jul	W	WB8YJF (NA-067)	WB8YJF	11-134
22-Jul 29-Jul	ZF	ZF2DK (NA-016)	K2DBK	11-099
23-Jul 31-Jul	KL7	N7TCO W7ASF (NA-041)		11-134
23-Jul 29-Jul	TF	TF/OZ3RE		11-132

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The sunspot number for July 18, 2007 was 13.

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5N8NDP	IK5JAN	CX7CO	KA5TUF	LZ/G4EDG	LZ1JZ
5Q0PI	OZ6PI	DR80AMA	DK3DM	ON60EKO	ON4EKO

9G5ZS	ZS6EGB	EA8/DF8AA	DF8AA	SV8/HA0IM	HA0IM
CN2PH	OM2PH	FO5RH	F2HE	YM1907FB	TA3YJ
CT/F8BUO	F8BUO	J79PAK	HB9CUA	ZS6FJM	CT1ABE
CU8/CT3FN	HB9CRV				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: VE3EJ, VP2V/K5WAF

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DX News

9J2QQV is now QRV from Zambia, JO7QQV, Ryuji, operating. He is often found on 20M PSK on the weekends, between 17-20Z. QSL direct only, and with an SAE and one IRC to: Ryuji SHISHITO, C/O JICA-ZL Project, P.O. Box 910062, Mongu, ZAMBIA.

M1SOM, Pete, reports that Midway Atoll, the long stretch of atolls and coral reefs northwest of the Hawaiian Islands are being preserved as a "marine national monument," with all fishing stopping by 2011. One spot that will still be available to DXpeditions is Midway. Starting about six months from now the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service plans to start letting tourists visit Midway, to help clean up debris and invasive species on the island, and hopefully leaving with increased sensitivity to the preservation of the environment. Pete directs us to this site:
http://news.yahoo.com/s/ap/20070721/ap_on_re_us/midway_tourism_1

K0BCN, Jay, goes to Caye Caulker, Belize, NA-073, July 25th. He heads for home the morning of August first. He has the callsign V31MX. Jay says that due to airline weight limits and the low sunspot number, he won't be carrying much in the way of antennas and will try to be on the air by the afternoon of the 25th. He says, "Since the only band that seems to be open is 20 meters I will be on CW around 14.025 and SSB around 14260 to 14280, except during the IOTA contest." He says if 17M opens he will be on the low end of the CW and SSB bands. If he goes to 15M, look for him on 21260. He concludes, "But at this time it does not look like there will be much of [an] opening on these bands."

The Radio Club of Honduras is sponsoring an island expedition, HQ3C. The Honduran ops will be on NA-160, the Cochinis Cays. HR2H, HR2SB and HR2DMR say the purpose of the trip is to get into the IOTA contest. They arrive Friday, July 27, hoping to be on the air by 1500Z, and running through 1500Z on July 29.

HC8/LX2LX and HC8/LX1NO are on from Isabele Island, Galapagos, SA-004, the largest of the Galapagos Islands. This operation is July 20-31, low profile, "holiday style," mainly on CW with occasional phone. QSL via LX1NO. Here is the on-line log address, if they update it:
<http://www.luxlog.info/hc.htm>. And here's another site for LX1NO:
<http://www.qsl.net/lx1no/ham/awards.htm#hc8>.

A52SW, Steve, is now QRT from Bhutan and is back in India, where has the callsign VU3USJ. He could be back in Bhutan as early as next month. In the U.S., Steve is known as W7VOA.

Special stations II7GM and II7BA will be on the air July 20-22 for the 70th anniversary of Marconi's death. It is also the 80th anniversary of the ARI Italian ham organization. QSL via the bureau for these two.

TK/IK5WOB, Fabrizio, will be on Algaiola, Corsica, IOTA EU-014, July 28-August 11. QSL via his home call direct or bureau.

VE2CJCT will be on July 23-August 1 for the Canadian Scout Jamboree. QSL via VE2FGL.

OH0Z, Aland Islands, will be on for the CQWW CW November 24-25, single op single band 15. OH5DX, Ari, will be operating. QSL via W0MM.

OH1JT will be on from the Alands in the CQWW CW single op single band, possibly 80 or 20M. He hasn't decided on his callsign yet.

OH0AW will be in the CQWW CW, single op single band 40. QSL via OH5DX.

OH0I will be the callsign for OH9MM from Aland in the CQWW CW. Juha will be single op single band 160M. QSL via OH9MM.

P40A, Aruba, will be in the CQWW SSB October 27-28, single op all bands. This will be KK9A, John.

V31FB, Belize, Ambergris Caye, NA-073, will be on October 25-31, with W5JON and his wife, W5HAM, on site. John will be on 160-10M SSB in the CQWW SSB. He says years ago his wife, Cathy, said he could operate any contest from anywhere, "as long as it is warm and there is a beach." This will be their fifth year on Ambergris Caye. QSL to their home callsigns.

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- 1A0KM - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - The team shut down shortly after 1400Z on Sunday. They have not said anything about an on-line log search, however they do plan to use LOTW around October. QSL via IK0FTA. 24965 at 1340Z, 21280 at 1340Z also, to finish up the operation.
- 5X1GS - UGANDA - 160 METERS - 1835 at 2345Z, 1837 before that, 2140Z. 1833 at 2015Z on the 20th, 18165 at 1835Z on the 20th, 7078 at 01Z the 20th, 1800.1 then 1831.7-1833.0 starting at 0150Z the 20th.
- SV9CVY - CRETE - KI4AAN notes that Mike was on 14.265 at 0045Z Sunday. 14265 from 2340-0100Z and 14090 RTTY the 20th from 2240-2300Z. The 19th, he was on 14265 from 2220Z-2300Z.
- XX9TTH - MACAO - 7006 QSX up at 1340Z. 21280 from 0330-0400 and again at 0800-0830Z. Generally, working Japan. QSL via JH1PTH.
- XX9TTR - MACAO - 50105 2335-2340, at 0030-0150, 0220, and 03Z hour. Also, 7006 from 1300-1430Z.
- YJ0CZE - VANUATU - 14001 at 1710Z on the 22nd, 14190 at 0510Z on the 21st, and 14190 at 2140Z the 20th. QSL via W0FF.
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The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-024	7N2JZT/6	24910	0450	EU-089	CU8/DJ2VO	14004	1650
AS-036	JF6OID	21240	0550	EU-120	G7SQW/M	14004	1650
AS-101	HS9LW	145225	1630	EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	7013	1925
AS-139	PD1DX	14242	1455	EU-127	DF6QC	7013	0345
EU-001	SX5AS	7060	1800	EU-130	IV3LZQ/P	14014	0850
EU-013	GJ0KYZ	14073	1425	EU-132	SP1/DL7DF	7020	1930
EU-014	TK/F8ARR	28005	1500	EU-136	9A/SQ5FWR	14263	1800
EU-016	9A4W	21260	0850	EU-144	IR8DX	18072	1620
EU-024	IS0AFM	28450	1025	EU-149	IQ8ST/P	7055	1025
EU-028	IA5/IK2QIN	14285	1400	EU-153	RA1QY/1	14186	0500
EU-030	OZ4Z/P	14214	1600	EU-167	CS0RCL/P	14215	1345
EU-034	ES0/IK3GES	14086	1930	EU-170	9A/HA5TAA	14263	1320
EU-037	SM7XGG	14262	1720	EU-171	OZ2MLS	7038	1820
EU-049	SV8/ON7PS/P	14260	1520	EU-177	7S5A	18080	1015
EU-052	SV8/HA0IM	18070	0910	EU-181	LZ/G4EDG/P	7009	1800
EU-057	DL6AST/P	14022	1055	NA-105	FS/EA3GHZ	14207	2045
EU-058	J48IM	18080	1350	OC-148	YC9MDX	21260	0920

J13DST/J13 plans to be in the IOTA contest from AS-117 B. Ki-ooshima, July 28-29. He plans to be on 160, 80, 40, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6M SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL only via the bureau.

Next, he will go to AS-007, B. Honsyu, July 29 from 02Z until August 1 at 07Z, same bands and modes as above. And again, QSL via the bureau only.

The Association of Radio Amateurs of Venezuela is organizing an expedition to Las Aves de Sotavento Archipelago, SA-051, for August to mark 2007 Venezuelan Navy Day. The callsign is YW5AS. They will be on HF and VHF, SSB, CW and FM on VHF. QSL via DL3AMA.

The VE3LYC/VY0 and VY0/G3OCA operation to NA-231, East Pen Island, has been cancelled. It was scheduled for July 20-22. Local support to proceed further than Ft. Severn in northern Ontario fell through. The main problem appears to be an unusually large number of polar bears being present this year and prospective guides' concerns about that. Another problem, walrus colonies that have their cubs at this time of year; they become "extremely protective," a serious danger in crossing to the island in a small boat.

BG7IXG, BD7JLR, BG7KSF and some other BG7s have planned a trip to Nanao Island starting July 20, signing the B7P callsign for the IOTA contest and home calls stroke seven at other times. They planned activity on 80-10M, SSB and CW.

SK6M/P will be on Tjorn Island, EU-043, for the IOTA contest. QSL via SM6DYK.

Look for the 1X1 call W6I to be QRV from Anacapa Island (NA-144) during the RSGB IOTA Contest July 28-29. QSL via N2OWL.

VC1W will be on Outer Island, NA-126 (and NS-127) for the IOTA contest. VE1QD, Scott, notes that this is the first activation of this particular island and the Nova Scotia Island number is new. It is two miles off shore of Clarke's Harbour in southwestern Nova Scotia. The team is led by VE1FA and VA1YL, with other members being VE1RGB, VA1CHP, VE1MR, VE1ENT, VE1AWP, VO1NO and VE1NOS. The one-week operation begins July 25. They will sign the Halifax Amateur Radio Club callsign, VE1FO/p, outside the IOTA event.

AA4V, Steve, will be operating from home for this IOTA Contest. Home is NA-110.

BOOK will be on AS-102, Kinmen Island, July 26-30 with JA3AQM "and a large group of BV operators." QSL via BV2KI.

F/OT3T will be on Batz Island, EU-105, July 26-29. Ops are ON7EQ, ON5QK and ON3EQ. QSL via ON7EQ. <http://home.scarlet.be/ot3t>

The Kilmarnock & Loudoun ARC in Northern Ireland goes to Rathlin Island, EU-122, for its ninth year in a row. This year the operators, GM3OZB, GM3YEH, GM4OSS, GM0DJG and MMOBIM will have the GI3YS callsign. They say "the late George Troy held that call since 1937 and it was his request that it should be passed to the club." QSL via MM0DHQ.

MJ0PCB and 2J1IDT will be on from Jersey with operators M0PCB and 2E1IDT, July 24-31. This is EU-013. They will be in the IOTA contest part-time. QSL via the bureau or to their home calls, or direct to M0PCB.

GB5SI will be MMOBQI's callsign from Summer Isles, EU-092, July 21- August 4, except for the IOTA contest when he will use the MM0Q callsign. QSL to his home callsign, bureau or direct.

MM0OVL/p, Jon (M0OVL) will be on Mull, EU-008, July 27-29. QSL to his home call.

As noted in the DX News section of the DDX, HQ3C will be on Cayos Cochinos, NA-160, July 26-30, with HR2H, HR2DX, HR2PAC and HR2DMR operating. QSL via HR2RCH.

IA5/YO3HJV/P, Adrian, is on Elba, EU-028, for his July 21-27 operation. He plans to spend time on 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10M.

IK2XYG, Max, plans to be in the IOTA contest from Maddalena Island, EU- 041. Sardinia, EU-024 is his backup plan.

SP6ZPZ/1 planned to be on Uznam Island, UE-129, July 21-22. 3Z100S is a special callsign for the Scout station in the IOTA contest from Wollin Island, EU-132, with a second Scout station, HF100S also on Wollin, but just on August first.

SV8/IW7DOL, Giovanni, will be on Kerkyra Island, EU-052, July 28- August 2.

UE1OTA/p, Morzhovets Island, EU-119, and UE1OTA/1 on Sosnovets Island, EU-161, will be on the air July 24-30. The operators are RZ1OA and UA1OLM.

RI1AA, Bolshoy Berezovyy Island, EU-133, will be on for the IOTA contest with a group of Russian operators. Before that event starts they will use the UE1CBB callsign. QSL both via UA1AIR direct or bureau.

UW0G, Kalanchakskiye Islands, EU-179, will be in the IOTA contest. The operators, UR0GK, UR3GO, UR4QTP, UR8QM, US3QQ, UT7CL and UT7GX will sign /p before the IOTA event. QSL according to their instructions on the air.

K4ZGB/p and KV4T/p, Tom and Allan, will be on Dauphin Island, NA-213, through the end of this month. QSL to their home calls.

W3RFA and KB3NYX, Bob and Steve, will be on South Marsh Island, NA-140 for the IOTA contest. They call it a micro-expedition via sea kayak, with limited gear.

IR9P, Sicily, EU-025, will be in the CQWW SSB contest as a multi-op. The operators are IT9CQC, IW9HBY, IT9HCS and IW9DCM. QSL via IW9HMQ.

LA/OE9ICI, Chris, will be on Hitra Island for the IOTA Contest, 80, 40 and 20M SSB, running 100 watts. QSL to his home callsign, direct or bureau.

DA0T/p, Andy, will be on Neuwerk Island, EU-127, July 26-29 including the IOTA contest of course, all HF bands. QSL to his home callsign at this address: Andreas Kuelper, Curslackter Deich 362, D-21039 Hamburg, Germany.

9A/SQ5FWR, Rafal, will be on Losinj Island, EU-136, for the contest. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

LZ1BJ/P, Boyan, will be on Sveti Ivan Island July 23-26, weather permitting. QSL via the bureau.

UR5FAV, US0ZZ, UT5ZC, UT7UT, UX0FF, ER3DW, ER3D, ER300 and ER3ZZ will all sign stroke-portable from Ankudibov, EU-182, July 27-30. QSL to the home calls. For the IOTA contest they'll all use the EM5F callsign. QSL via UX0FF at the bureau or direct to Nikolay Lavreka, P.O. Box 320, Izmail, 68609, UKRAINE.

VO2/NF6J, Juergen, will on Battle Island, Newfoundland, September 6- 13. He will operate near the popular IOTA hangouts. QSL via DL7RV direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
23-Jul	25-Jul	4O	4O/EA1DR	EA1DR		11-138
23-Jul	25-Jul	4O	4O/EC2ADN	EC2ADN		11-138
23-Jul	25-Jul	4O	4O/EC3ADP	EC3ADP		11-138
23-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A/HA group (EU-170)			11-134
23-Jul	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
23-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
23-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
23-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
23-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129	127
23-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
23-Jul	28-Jul	EA8	EA8/DF8AA (AF-004)	DF8AA		11-137
23-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
23-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
23-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
23-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117	110
23-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108
23-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA3GHZ PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ		11-108
23-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH		11-108
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23-Jul	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
23-Jul	23-Jul	I	IA5/IZ4DYQ (EU-028)	IZ4DYQ		11-099
23-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JA6GXK/JD1 (OC-073)			11-120
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23-Jul	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN		11-138
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23-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
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23-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX2A	OZ1DJJ		11-088
23-Jul	23-Jul	SM	7S5A (EU-177)	SM4DDS		11-134
23-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM		11-128
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23-Jul	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129	124
23-Jul	29-Jul	TF	TF/OZ3RE			11-132

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23-Jul	5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE	11-021
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23-Jul	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
23-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
23-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134
23-Jul	29-Jul	W	WB8YJF (NA-067)	WB8YJF	11-134
23-Jul	29-Jul	ZF	ZF2DK (NA-016)	K2DBK	11-099
24-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-040 021
24-Jul	1-Aug	PA	PC6IOTA (EU-038)	PG7V	11-134
24-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48NAR SV8/HA0NAR (EU-174)	HA0NAR	11-128
24-Jul	25-Jul	SV	SV1/KG6ZWD/P	KG6ZWD	11-118
25-Jul	30-Jul	OZ	OZ8MW/P (EU-088)	OZ8MW	11-099 096
25-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR4FEL/p (EU-179)	UR4FEL	11-129
25-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR5FCZ/p (EU-179)	UR5FCZ	11-129
25-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UT9FJ/p (EU-179)	UT9FJ	11-129
25-Jul	30-Jul	VE	VE3ZZ/VY2 VE2BR/VY2 (NA-029)	home calls	11-104
25-Jul	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076
26-Jul	2-Aug	GM	GS3RCM (EU-123)	G3VCQ	11-040
26-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48IO (EU-158)		11-075
26-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48YL (EU-158)		11-075
26-Jul	4-Aug	SV	SV1QN/8 SV1GYG/8 (EU-049)	home calls	11-134
26-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VA7AQ/p (NA-091)	VA7AQ	11-071 036
26-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VE1OTA/VE9 (NA-014)	VE1VOX	11-134
26-Jul	30-Jul	YV	YW1DX (SA-089)		11-110 050
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BA4TB/4 (AS-136)	BA4TB	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG1LKK/4 (AS-136)	BG1LKK	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TBC/4 (AS-136)	BG4TBC	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TBJ/4 (AS-136)	BG4TBJ	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TQX/4 (AS-136)	BG4TQX	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6APR (NA-113)		11-050
27-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6AQO (NA-113)		11-050
27-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6AXD (NA-113)		11-050
27-Jul	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S		11-127
27-Jul	7-Aug	G	GB100J		11-135
27-Jul	29-Jul	GM	MM0LSB (EU-010)	M0LSB	11-071 050
27-Jul	29-Jul	GM	MM0OVL/P (EU-008)	M0OVL	11-021
27-Jul	29-Jul	HS	E21EIC/P (AS-101)		11-134
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27-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VE2FK (NA-128)	VA2SG	11-085
27-Jul	31-Jul	W	KM5VI (NA-092)	KM5VI	
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28-Jul	4-Aug	F	TM7BA (EU-105)	F5NCU	11-071 026
28-Jul	31-Jul	I	II1TS	IZ1GJK	11-134
28-Jul	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB	11-134
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The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will remain very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet through midweek.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for July 21, 2007 was zero for the second day in a row, down from a recent high of 30, five days earlier.

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Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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1A0KM	IK0FTA	EU940OR	UA3FDX	R2MWO	DL1FCM
3XY5M	PA7FM	GB1HI	M3ZYZ	SN10POW	SP6ZJP
3Z100S	SP6ZDA	HB4FV	HB9TJM	SO1EKO	DL1EKO
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	HC8/LX1NO	LX1NO	T94CT	K2PF
4K6OF	UA3FDX	HF15SZL	SP5PSL	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR
4L8A	DJ1CW	HF580LP	SP5XSL	TM1000	F8KFZ
4O/EA1DR	EA1DR	HK1X	EA7FTR	TO5J	F5LMJ
4O/EC2ADN	EC2ADN	HK6K	EA5KB	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
BA1RB	EA7FTR	II8IPY	I8ACB	UE6GGG	RW6FO
CN2GE/P	F5OGE	IY0SMA	I0DJV	VP8ROT	GM0HCQ
EA9/SP2JMB	SP2JMB	J42POL	SV2JAO	XX9TTH	JH1PTH
EI75IRTS	EI6HB	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA	XX9TTR	VR2RR
EM50CW	UT7CWW	LZ85L	LZ2AP	YJ0CZE	W0FF
ES0/IK3GES	IK3GES	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	YM1907FB	TA3YJ

K9LA says he will handle QSLs for the recent ZF1A effort in the IARU contest. You can QSL direct or via the bureau. Carl also handles ZF1A cards for the 1994 CQWW CW and 1997 CQWW CW, but only for these three particular weekend operations.

SP9MRO, Witek, says the 3B7SP cards have started going out. QSL manager SP9SX is starting with the first direct cards received.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7X2LS, 7Z1UG, 8P6SH, MM0AMW, N8S, OD5NH, P49V, PS2ZT, TB0DX, TC0DX, VE2XB/VY0 (NA- 007), VP2EDH, YL2GP, YM0DX and ZV5A.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: A25KDJ, BD7KLO, CT3YA, DD5M, F5VHJ, HA5BSW, HB9ICC, J5UTM, KH6FI, KH6GMP, LA9TJA, MD0CCE, MM0BSM, ON4AEK, P40A, PJ2BVU, PJ4/PA3CNX, PY2EW, PY3CQ, RA6DE, VK6DU and ZL4PW.

On The WWW

Here are some photos from the 1A0KM operation, during the two days that G3SXW and G3TXF were there. The operation ended yesterday. <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/1A0KM/1A0.html>

EI5DI notes that the 15th IOTA (Islands On The Air) Contest takes place on July 28/29 - the rules are at <http://www.contesting.co.uk/hfcc/rules/riota.shtml>. SDI by EI5DI uses custom Island/Prefix reference files and is recommended for SO entrants in the rules. It runs on any Windows PC and is free from <http://www.ei5di.com/sd/sdisetup.exe>

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DX News

On Sunday KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, were in Matautu Village, Wallis Island where they obtained their written license documents from authorities granting permission to set-up on a small island called Nukutapu, which lies south of the main island of Uvea. FW0MO, Mike, notes that although he and FW0YL, Jan, have not actually visited Nukutapu it should be a nice location for a secure anchorage for the boat and provide ample space to make antennas for all the bands. The couple expects to be QRV in advance of the IOTA contest and also operate the radio for some subsequent period following. During the IOTA Contest look for a multi-op 24 hour operation on CW and SSB from Wallis Islands (OC-054) as FW0YL. QSL both FW0MO and FW0YL via OM2SA and LOTW.

CT1BWW, Manuel; EA3GHZ, Joan; and EA5YH, Tomas; are now active from the Dutch side of Sint Maarten (PJ7). You can see photos of their operations from the French side (FS) at www.dxciting.com/photos.htm. Also they have posted their on-line logs at www.dxciting.com/logs.htm.

K0MD, Scott, plans to be QRV in Chile as CE/K0MD from August 4-9. Watch for him on 20 meters CW.

BS7H QSL Cards
By N1DG, Don Greenbaum

The 2007 Scarborough Reef DXpedition is pleased to announce that today (Monday) the first QSLs were mailed.

Steve, KU9C, has received over 10,000 envelopes so we expect it will take approximately 2 months before EVERY card is answered. Please do not send for a second card until we announce all cards have been answered.

Steve will also upload QSOs to LOTW as he processes the cards so, if you utilize LOTW, you can expect your QSOs to show up roughly the same time you receive your card. This will allow you to avoid mailing in your physical QSL card for verification.

A small number of QSL cards were received with either no SASE, or a SASE with old style IRCs that are no longer valid. KU9C will attempt to contact you via email, but if he cannot contact you, these will be returned by the bureau. Steve will also upload bureau card QSOs to LOTW as they are processed.

QSN

6 METERS - MAGIC BAND - European ops reported the following on Monday: 4L1UN, 4X1IF and TA7OM. North American 6 meter ops worked XE2HWB and YV5ESN.

AP2TN - PAKISTAN - Tariq started up Monday on 14010 just after 1230Z. QSL via DJ9ZB.

CP6AA - BOLIVIA - Miguel was at the club station on 14210 yesterday from before 2130 until almost 2300Z. QSL via IK6SNR.

EA9/SP2JMB - CEUTA & MELILLA - Yesterday Slawek was on CW on 80, 30, 20, 17 and 15 meters. QSL via SP2JMB.

UK8AJ - UZBEKISTAN - Rustam was on 20 CW working the East Coast of North America starting just before 02 until 03Z.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - PSK ops were working Tom on 14070 Monday from 0230 to 0400Z. QSL via ZL2HGR.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-016	FR5HA	14070	0449	EU-132	SQ5BB/1	14258	1129
EU-008	GS0UTT/P	14217	0917	EU-132	3Z100S	14260	2242
EU-010	MM0LSB	14247	2000	EU-133	RI1GK	14182	1108
EU-012	MM0XAU	14270	1138	EU-133	RK1B/P	14178	1923
EU-014	TK/F1BLQ/P	14140	1240	EU-136	9A/SQ5FWR	14270	0855
EU-029	OZ2PBS	18150	1034	EU-146	PA3CLQ/P	14048	1108
EU-029	OZ/SP1OT	10120	1830	EU-170	9A2AA/P	7062	0854
EU-033	LA6LOA	18125	1909	EU-170	9A/HA2VR/P	7014	2000
EU-037	SB300L	14226	0540	EU-170	9A/VE3ZIK	7009	2107
EU-037	SM7XGG	14263	0813	EU-171	OZ1JVX	18140	1157
EU-052	SV8/HA0IM	18072	1132	EU-181	LZ1BJ/P	14256	0707
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14252	0918	NA-016	ZF2DK	14257	2226
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	1021	NA-067	WB8YJF/4	14030	2306
EU-116	MD0CCE	14006	0723	NA-092	N5EYT	14255	1849
EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	7019	2016	NA-105	TO5J	28097	2046
EU-127	DF6QC	14013	1645	NA-105	PJ7/EA3GHZ	14190	2156
EU-132	SP5COF/1	14040	0637	OC-066	FO5RH	14021	0556
EU-132	SP5XSD/1	14260	0820				

Today CO7PH, Edor, will obtain permission to be QRV from a bridge on the Cayo Paredon Grande (NA-086) side of the Sabana Camaguey Archipelago. This area is usually heavily infested with mosquitoes. If it is real bad he will then operate from the International Airport Control Tower of Cayo Coco. Exact dates of operation are not known. QSL via W3HMK.

A group of operators will activate CQ7P from Pessegueiro Island (EU-167) for the RSGB IOTA Contest this weekend. There may be some pre-contest activity with their homecalls /p. QSL VQ7P via CS1GDX.

BG7IXG, BD7JLR, BG7KSF and some other BG7s have planned a trip to Nanao Island starting July 27, signing the B7P callsign for the IOTA contest and home calls stroke seven at other times. They planned activity on 80-10M, SSB and CW until July 30th.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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24-Jul	25-Jul	4O	4O/EC3ADP	EC3ADP		11-138
24-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A/HA group (EU-170)			11-134
24-Jul	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
24-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
24-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
24-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
24-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129	127
24-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
24-Jul	28-Jul	EA8	EA8/DF8AA (AF-004)	DF8AA		11-137
24-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
24-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
24-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
24-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117	110
24-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/CT1BWW PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW		11-108
24-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA3GHZ PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ		11-108
24-Jul	25-Jul	FS/PJ7	FS/EA5YH PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH		11-108
24-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-040	021
24-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	2J1IDT (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
24-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	MJ0PCB (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
24-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-134
24-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0Q (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-139
24-Jul	31-Jul	HC8	HC8/LX2LX HC8/LX1NO (SA-004)	LX1NO		11-139
24-Jul	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
24-Jul	27-Jul	I	IA5/YO3HJV/P (EU-028)			11-139
24-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JA6GXX/JD1 (OC-073)			11-120
24-Jul	26-Jul	KH6	N2NS/KH6			11-138
24-Jul	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN		11-138
24-Jul	31-Jul	KL7	N7TCO W7ASF (NA-041)			11-134
24-Jul	26-Jul	LZ	LZ1BJ/P (EU-181)	bureau		11-139
24-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
24-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
24-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX/OH1RX			11-138
24-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX2A	OZ1DJJ		11-088
24-Jul	1-Aug	PA	PC6IOTA (EU-038)	PG7V		11-134
24-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM		11-128
24-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48NAR SV8/HA0NAR (EU-174)	HA0NAR		11-128
24-Jul	25-Jul	SV	SV1/KG6ZWD/P	KG6ZWD		11-118
24-Jul	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129	124
24-Jul	29-Jul	TF	TF/OZ3RE			11-132
24-Jul	30-Jul	TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR		11-130
24-Jul	5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE		11-021
24-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/1 (EU-161)			11-139
24-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/p (EU-119)			11-139
24-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VE2CJCT	VE2FGL		11-139
24-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137	081
24-Jul	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB		11-137
24-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-107
24-Jul	31-Jul	W	K4ZGB/p and KV4T/p (NA-213)	home calls		11-139
24-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)			11-134
24-Jul	29-Jul	W	WB8YJF (NA-067)	WB8YJF		11-134
24-Jul	29-Jul	ZF	ZF2DK (NA-016)	K2DBK		11-099

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Tuesday and Wednesday the geomagnetic field will be quiet. On Thursday the geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active as a recurrent coronal hole rotates into a geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for July 22, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K9W	DL6KVA	CP6AA	IK6SNR	PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ
4N160SRS	YU1SRS	CU8/CT3FN	HB9CRV	PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH
7S5CF	SK5AA	EA9/SP2JMB	SP2JMB	RI1GK	RV1AQ
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	LU1ECZ	EA5KB		

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B6RF (2001), 3D2RI (OC-189), 9Q1EK, BS7H, BU2AI, CT1EAT, CW6V, EA5HT, FM5AA, FY5KE, KL7HBK (NA-050), KL7J, LA8EJ, M/LY4Y/M, N8S, NP4U, TO6T, V63J (OC-132 & OC-180), V63KU (1998)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 3D2OK (OC-016), 3D2KW (OC-016), C91EE, FO/N6JA (OC-046), JT800OK, V31RG

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 7Z1HL, CT3EE, CT3YA, GM4WZL, HA5BSW, HG6M, IK4WLU, IZ5DKJ, J5UTM, J79RM, MM0BSM, OH3SR, PY3CQ, RX3AGD, WA3DCG

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W4CK, Mark, hopes to be active from Wake Island (KH9) for about two weeks beginning around 19 August. He has obtained the special callsign K9W and anticipates a CW-only operation. QSL via W4CK.

EL2AR, Ashley Rennie, and his QSL manager EL2BA, Ben Benjamin, tell The Daily DX that EL2AB, Amos Benjamin, is the secretary of the Liberia Radio Amateur Association (LRAA) and is a legitimate operator in Liberia. However EL2AB, Amos, has been off the air since 2004, as he has no radio. The EL2AB activity on Friday July 20th was not Amos, but rather a pirate!

SM5DQC, Osten, tells us QSL cards from the DL7CM's, Hans, recent J5UAR operation from Guinea-Bissau do not count for DXCC because of "no documentation received".

The following HF frequencies are allocated to the Amateur Radio service in Saudi Arabia (HZ):

1.810 - 1.850 MHz
7.000 - 7.200 MHz
14.000 - 14.350 MHz
18.068 - 18.168 MHz
21.000 - 21.450 MHz
24.890 - 24.990 MHz
28.000 - 29.700 MHz

At this time there are no allocations in HZ on 80, 30 and 6 meters.

SM5DQC, Osten, updates us on Amateur Radio activity in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC). 9Q1TB, Phillipe, is out of the country on vacation until early next month. 9Q1D, Gus, and 9Q1NT, Ghis, are back home in Sweden and Belgium. 9Q1EK, Georges, is currently the only one in the DRC. QSL 9Q1D via SM5BFJ, 9Q1NT via ON5NT, 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB via SM5DQC.

JA6G XK, Masafumi, is back on Minami Torishima and is now QRV with his new JD1BMM callsign. He is expected to be there until August 2nd. QSL via JA6G XK.

QSN

DS5USH - SOUTH KOREA - Has been showing up recently on 7007 between 0930 and 1100Z with good signals into the eastern half of NA.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - Masafumi started off yesterday on 20 meters RTTY around 1200Z.

OA4/N6XQ - PERU - Jack has temporarily taken down his 160 meter antenna.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-013	MJ0ASP	24899	0951	EU-133	RI1GK	14017	1331
EU-029	OZ3AEV	24940	0901	EU-133	RK1B/P	14024	2240
EU-031	IC8DAK	14251	0108	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	28006	1104
EU-037	SM7XGG	14262	1346	EU-161	EU1OTA/1	14259	0602
EU-052	SV8/HA0IM	7008	1953	EU-161	UE1OTA/1	14040	2122
EU-054	IF9/IT9PPG	14005	0615	EU-170	9A/HA2VR/P	14011	1907
EU-089	CU8/CT1EGW	14193	2359	EU-170	9A/HA6PS	7022	2120
EU-089	CU8/DJ2VO	10106	1739	EU-170	9A/OK2STM	14082	1245
EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	7019	2134	EU-174	J48NAR	7013	2104
EU-126	9A/DM8AE	14260	1726	NA-067	WB8YJF/4	14017	2215
EU-127	DF6QC	14040	1336	NA-105	PJ7/CT1BWW	14190	1824
EU-128	DJ7YP/P	7012	2040	NA-105	PJ7/EA3GHZ	7007	0646
EU-130	9A/SQ5FWR	14270	2010	OC-073	JD1BMM	14050	1327
EU-132	SP1/DL7DF	7072	1309	OC-143	YB4IR	14070	1438
EU-132	SP5XSD/1	14263	0730				

During the RSGB IOTA Contest, this weekend look for special call W4H to be used from Bathtub Beach on Hutchinson Island (NA-141). Team members will be W4UM, K1PT and K4MM. They will have two stations (run and multiplier). Activity will be on 10-80 meters CW and SSB. QSL via K4MM.

VA7DJ, Don, updates us on CO7PH's, Edor, trip to Cayo Paredon Grande (NA-086). Edor expects to be active on July 28th and 29th. Look for him mostly on 17 and 20 meters on SSB and CW. QSL via W3HMK.

CT1EDX/p will be operating from Bugio Island (EU-040) during the RSGB IOTA Contest this coming weekend. QSL via CT1EDX either direct or via the bureau.

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25-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
25-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
25-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
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25-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
25-Jul	28-Jul	EA8	EA8/DF8AA (AF-004)	DF8AA		11-137
25-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
25-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
25-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109

25-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117	110
25-Jul		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA	11-140	
25-Jul		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA	11-140	
25-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-040	021
25-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	2J1IDT (EU-013)	M0PCB	11-139	
25-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	MJ0PCB (EU-013)	M0PCB	11-139	
25-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI	11-134	
25-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0Q (EU-092)	MM0BQI	11-139	
25-Jul	31-Jul	HC8	HC8/LX2LX HC8/LX1NO (SA-004)	LX1NO	11-139	
25-Jul	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8		11-134	
25-Jul	27-Jul	I	IA5/YO3HJV/P (EU-028)		11-139	
25-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-141	120
25-Jul	26-Jul	KH6	N2NS/KH6		11-138	
25-Jul	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN	11-138	
25-Jul	31-Jul	KL7	N7TCO W7ASF (NA-041)		11-134	
25-Jul	26-Jul	LZ	LZ1BJ/P (EU-181)	bureau	11-139	
25-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134	
25-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
25-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX/OH1RX		11-138	
25-Jul	25-Jul	OX	OX2A	OZ1DJJ	11-088	
25-Jul	30-Jul	OZ	OZ8MW/P (EU-088)	OZ8MW	11-099	096
25-Jul	1-Aug	PA	PC6IOTA (EU-038)	PG7V	11-134	
25-Jul	25-Jul	PJ7	PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	11-140	108
25-Jul	25-Jul	PJ7	PJ7/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	11-140	108
25-Jul	25-Jul	PJ7	PJ7/EA5YH	EA5YH	11-140	108
25-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM	11-128	
25-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48NAR SV8/HA0NAR (EU-174)	HA0NAR	11-128	
25-Jul	25-Jul	SV	SV1/KG6ZWD/P	KG6ZWD	11-118	
25-Jul	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129	124
25-Jul	29-Jul	TF	TF/OZ3RE		11-132	
25-Jul	30-Jul	TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR	11-130	
25-Jul	5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE	11-021	
25-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/1 (EU-161)	RZ1OA	11-139	
25-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/p (EU-119)		11-139	
25-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR4FEL/p (EU-179)	UR4FEL	11-129	
25-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR5FCZ/p (EU-179)	UR5FCZ	11-129	
25-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UT9FJ/p (EU-179)	UT9FJ	11-129	
25-Jul	1-Aug	V3	V31MX (NA-073)		11-139	
25-Jul	27-Jul	VE	VE1FO/P (NA-126)		11-139	
25-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VE2CJCT	VE2FGL	11-139	
25-Jul	30-Jul	VE	VE3ZZ/VY2 VE2BR/VY2 (NA-029)	homecalls	11-104	
25-Jul	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076	
25-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137	081
25-Jul	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137	
25-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VJSJ (NA-046)	K1VJSJ	11-107	
25-Jul	31-Jul	W	K4ZGB/p and KV4T/p (NA-213)	homecalls	11-139	
25-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134	
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9Y4HQ - P.O. Box 1167, Port-Of-Spain, Rep. of Trinidad and Tobago, West Indies

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT3YA, DL7BA, J79RM, P40A, SM3WMV, ZD8RH (1981)

On The WWW

G7VJR, Michael, fresh back from his trip to Svalbard with G3ZAY, Martin, has posted photos of there recent trip to JW at <http://tinyurl.com/35aal9>.

Photos of the recent Texas DX Society (TDXS) DXpedition to the British Virgin Islands (VP2V) can be found at www.tdxs.net/VP2V.html.

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DX News

I2DMI, Francesco Di Michele, and his wife Giovanna plan to spend their Christmas Holiday in Palau. Frank plans to be QRV as T88RY on RTTY only from December 26th through January 1st. While there he'll be putting an emphasis on working Europe and North America in his spare time. He is looking for comments on propagation, which can be sent to t88ry@yahoo.com. In September Frank will update his T88RY listing on QRZ.com including suggested frequencies. He will also have an on-line log search. QSL via I2DMI, Francesco Di Michele, P.O. Box 55, 22063 CANTU, ITALY.

W4CK, Mark Clark, tells us he's got a business trip to Wake Island (KH9) in mid-August. He plans to take a rig and hopes to find some palm trees to hold up an antenna. As this will be a business trip, and not a DXpedition, radio activities will be secondary. Paperwork for his entry authorization will be submitted to the USAF Commander of the island. Plans are for Mark to be on the island for two weeks and he will be QRV as K9W on CW only in his spare time. While on the island he will "establish contacts there and rapport with the officials such that a larger DXpedition in the future might be possible". QSL via W4CK.

Amateur Radio operators from Syria will be celebrating the 60th anniversary of Amateur Radio in YK. To commemorate the event Amateur Radio operators from Syria will be using special prefix 6C60 (that is Six Charlie Six Zero) from October 15th to November 11th.

The DXCC Desk has approved the February 2007 9U0X DXpedition to Burundi by DJ6SI, Baldur. NC1L, Bill Moore says "If you had cards rejected for this operation, please send an e-mail to dxcc@arrl.org and you will be placed on the list for update."

QSN

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - Masa continues to show up on 20 RTTY after 1200Z. He's been as low as 14050 and as high as 14075. QSL via JA6GXX.

T88DX - PALAU - Kenji is now QRV and has been reported today on 15, 17 and 20 meters SSB. Length of stay is unknown. QSL via JI3DLI.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-118	9K2YM/P	14225	1755	EU-132	SQ5NBH	14265	1553
EU-008	GS0UTT/P	10143	2245				
EU-011	2E0CVN/P	10105	2233	EU-133	RI1GK	14173	0938
EU-011	G0VJG/P	18128	1339	EU-133	RK1B/P	14259	1819
EU-011	G7GLW/P	18128	1527	EU-136	9A/SQ5FWR	14263	1219
EU-012	MM0XAU	14270	1446	EU-136	9A/W1ADX	14258	1319
EU-014	TK/DL5MO	14017	1726	EU-136	9A6AA/P	14071	2323
EU-028	IA5TMF	14260	0926	EU-149	ES5JR/2	3516	1855
EU-038	PC6IOTA	7057	1708	EU-158	J48IO	14025	2331
EU-045	IB0/OM2FY	7047	2005	EU-161	UE1OTA/1	14258	2008
EU-045	IB0/OM3TJW	7018	2136	EU-170	9A/HA2VR/P	7017	0354
EU-045	IB0/S55M	7046	2048	EU-170	9A/HA6PS	14015	1508
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	7003	2232	EU-170	9A6NL	14036	0606
EU-067	SV1CEI/8	14254	0518	EU-174	J48NAR	14265	1113
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	1013	EU-179	UR0GK/P	14262	1811
EU-080	EC1AEU	7090	1844	EU-179	UR8QM/P	14259	1612
EU-088	OZ8MW/P	14260	2053	EU-179	US3QQ/P	10111	2040
EU-089	CU8/DJ2VO	18076	1455	EU-179	UT7GX/P	7008	2246
EU-120	M0OVL/P	14255	1417	NA-016	ZF2DK	14257	2236
EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	3521	1951	NA-018	OX3DB	14084	2002
EU-127	DF6QC	10104	1400	NA-029	VE2BR/VY2	14266	2110
EU-128	DJ7YT/P	3522	2013	NA-029	VE3ZZ/VY2	14266	2204
EU-132	3Z100S	14254	2219	NA-067	WB8YJF/4	14259	2318
EU-132	SP1/DL7DF	7017	2020	NA-105	PJ7/EA3GHZ	14202	0106
EU-132	SP5COF/1	3514	2045	NA-107	TO5J	7010	0049
EU-132	SP5XSD/1	14263	0659	OC-005	VK9NS	14258	0414
EU-132	SP6EUA/1	3500	1508	OC-134	ZL4PW	10107	0456
EU-132	SQ5BB/1	14267	0754	SA-004	HC8/LX1NO	7029	0433

Starting today members of the 4M5DX Group plan to operate as 4M1DX from Sombrero Key (SA-089), Morrocoy National Park Falcon State, Venezuela, including this weekend in the RSGB IOTA Contest. Team members include YV5WW, YV5OHW, YV5SSB, YV5TX, YV5KAJ, YV5MSGYV4MP and YV4RN. They have a Web site at www.yw1dx.4m5dx.org. QSL via IT9DAA.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
26-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A/HA group (EU-170)			11-134
26-Jul	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
26-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
26-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
26-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
26-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129	127
26-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
26-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DA0T/p (EU-127)			11-139
26-Jul	28-Jul	EA8	EA8/DF8AA (AF-004)	DF8AA		11-137
26-Jul	26-Jul	EU	EU940OR	UA3FDX		11-127
26-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
26-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
26-Jul	29-Jul	F	F/OT3T (EU-105)	ON7EQ		11-139
26-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117	110

26-Jul	FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA	11-140
26-Jul	FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA	11-140
26-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI 11-040 021
26-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	2J1IDT (EU-013)	M0PCB 11-139
26-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	MJ0PCB (EU-013)	M0PCB 11-139
26-Jul	2-Aug	GM	GS3RCM (EU-123)	G3VCQ 11-040
26-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI 11-134
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26-Jul	1-Aug	V3	V31MX (NA-073)	11-139
26-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VA7AQ/p (NA-091)	VA7AQ 11-071 036
26-Jul	27-Jul	VE	VE1FO/P (NA-126)	11-139
26-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VE1OTA/VE9 (NA-014)	VE1VOX 11-134
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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4O4A	YT6Y	LY2007LRMD	LY2FN	RI1GK	RV1AQ
5B4AHI	RX3RC	MJ0AWR	K2WR	RK1B/P	RK3FA
9A/HA2VR/P	HA2VR	MU/OK2SG	OK2SG	SE2T	SM2YIZ
GW0VNK	DJ8NK	N2NS/KH6	N2NS	SN0GG	SP9PTG
GW6GW	GW0LKJ	ON1000B	ON5LL	T960ARA	T94GB
HF1HF	SP1DTG	OX/OH1RX	OH1RX	UE1OTA/1	RZ1OA
IB0/OM2FY	OM2FY	PC6IOTA	PC7V	UE6DOO	WRW6BJ
J48IO	DK7AO	PJ7/CT1BWW	CT1BWW	VP9/W4SMT	W4SMT
J48NAR	HA0NAR	R100AK	RW4HB	VR10UW	VR2UW
JD1BMM	JA6GXX				

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On July 25th the N8S Swains Island QSL team mailed 2,500 QSL cards.

YT3W, Acim, says that all QSL cards received as of June 1st were answered. A total of 14,500 direct and 1000 bureau cards. They team still has 2,500 QSL cards that have been received after June 1st.

They are expected to be mailed within the next 15 days. Cards should be sent to the address of YT1AD. Answering the QSLs are YU7NU and YU1DX. Keep an eye on the N8S Web site at www.yt1ad.info/n8s/news.html.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: BS7H, J8/W6JKV, KH6ND/KH5, OA4SS, VP2EDH

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: MD4K, MM0BSM, RX3AGD, SM3W, VR2C, VU7LD, ZL1V

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KM9D, Mike, began operations earlier today from Wallis and Futuna as FW0MO. He and KF4TUG, Jan, will be QRV this weekend as a multi-single using Jan's FW0YL callsign. QSL via OM2SA.

6 Meter enthusiasts keep your ears open for the new Radio Club de Chile (RCC) CE3AA beacon in Santiago, Chile. The beacon is transmitting on 50030 sending "CQ CQ CE3AA". The beacon is running 40 watts into a Halo up 12 meters. Beacon reports can be sent to either CE3SAD, Felipe, CE3SAD@qsl.net or RCC President CE3PG, Dino, CE3PG@mi.cl.

Silent Key

DL7PR, Axel Egbert Rohrbeck, "one of the most active and most well known DXers of Southern Germany" died on July 25th, says DJ5AV, Mike. Axel had been severely ill for just a short time. He was 65. During the European winters Axel's 40 meter signal was like a beacon on the long path between Europe and North America. He was first licensed in 1969 in Berlin and instantly became interested in DX. 5B DXCC # 86 was achieved by Axel in 1971. A serious DXer was DL7PR with 1# Honor Roll on Phone and Honor Roll on CW (only missing P5 for full house on CW), and 306 entities confirmed on RTTY. He also had DXCC and then some on SAT and 6 meters.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Topband ops from Europe and Asia reported working Jacky on 1822 Thursday just before 2000Z.

404A - MONTENEGRO - 30 meter DXers all across Europe found Dragan on 10103 after 1800Z.

9M2/G4VGO - WEST MALAYSIA - Bob was on 1825 yesterday at 1145 and again at 2150Z.

BOOK - TAIWAN - Was stuck on 14265 Thursday between 1400 and 1930Z. The operator was saying to QSL via BV4YB, despite what press releases said (via BV2KI).

EX2M - KYRGYSTAN - George was doing RTTY and getting into the eastern half of North America on 14084 around 0130Z.

EX8QB - KYRGYSTAN - Down on CW it was Victor at 0130Z on 14033.

FW0MO - WALLIS AND FUTUNA - Mike began activity today on 17 CW just prior to 0900Z. QSL via OM2SA.

JE7IZM/JD1 - OGASAWARA ISLANDS - Was up on 18127 today around 0930Z.

JX3EX - JAN MAYEN - Look for Terje on 20 SSB (around 14195) at 1400Z and between 2030 and 2300Z. No details on how long he will be there. QSL via LA3EX.

V8BDS - BRUNEI - Aman was on a net on 14239 working North American stations after 1130Z.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Tom started off yesterday on 14223 around 0300Z and then on 14072 on PSK after 2300Z. He may soon begin operating 80 meters. QSL via ZL2HGR.

YC0LOW - INDONESIA - Northern Europeans found Jo on 1821 after 22Z yesterday.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-102	BOOK	14265	1707	EU-133	RI1GK	28510	1527
AS-118	9K2YM/P	14250	1136	EU-133	RK1B/P	14024	1852
AS-159	TA2MW/0	14180	1912	EU-133	UE1CBB	7013	1908
EU-005	GB100BI	7090	1322	EU-136	9A/SQ5FWR	3798	2138
EU-008	MM0OVL/P	7063	2133	EU-136	9A6AA/P	14072	0750
EU-011	2E0CVN/P	10109	1012	EU-144	IR8DX	14027	2038
EU-011	G0VJG/P	18128	0827	EU-146	PA/OO6C	14012	2236
EU-011	G7GLW/P	18128	0937	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	7061	1654
EU-012	MM0XAU	14267	1020	EU-149	ES5JR/2	3523	2322
EU-022	JX3EX	14195	2038	EU-158	J48IO	14258	1521
EU-024	IS0/OM3LA	14252	1313	EU-170	9A/HA5TAA	14248	1542
EU-029	OZ4Z	14224	2115	EU-170	9A/HA6PS	10118	0940
EU-038	PC6IOTA	14010	0707	EU-170	9A/HA7JJS	14012	0744
EU-045	IB0/OM2FY	7013	0335	EU-174	J48NAR	14257	0617
EU-045	IB0/OM2TW	3786	2028	EU-179	UR0GK/P	21270	1129
EU-045	IB0/OM5AA	7064	0540	EU-179	UR8QM/P	14253	0958
EU-045	IB0/S55M	3786	1948	EU-179	US3QQ/P	18071	1602
EU-049	SV1BYG/8	14086	2109	EU-179	UT7CL/P	14255	1326
EU-064	F9IE	10108	1802	EU-179	UT7GX/P	14006	1123
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	18077	1332	EU-179	UT9FJ/P	14034	2201
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	0719	EU-185	RU6DX/P	7006	2342
EU-088	OZ8MW/P	14253	1046	EU-185	UA6BUX/P	14158	1927
EU-089	CU8/CT1EGW	14262	0028	NA-016	ZF2DK	14235	2258
EU-097	OH3OJ/P	10105	1019	NA-029	N3AYY/VY2	28415	1805
EU-114	MU/OK2SG	10107	0935	NA-029	VE2BR/VY2	14259	1425
EU-125	OZ/DL3FCG	7008	1842	NA-029	VE3ZZ/VY2	14259	1029
EU-127	DA0T	10115	2044	NA-107	TO5J	10108	2217
EU-127	DF6QC	14017	2005	NA-126	VE1AWP/1	14007	0044
EU-128	DJ7YT/P	10105	1656	NA-126	VE1FO/P	14005	1803
EU-132	3Z100S	14269	2038	NA-067	WB8YJF/4	14027	0016
EU-132	SP5COF/1	14040	1131	OC-021	YB2TJV	14262	1354
EU-132	SP6NIC/1	14257	1040	SA-004	HC8/LX1NO	14024	0058

A group from France will be activity from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) with the call TM7C during the RSGB IOTA Contest this weekend. The ops will be F4AJQ, F4TTR, F9IE, F8BUI and F5CWU. QSL via the bureau to F4AJQ.

NY3A, Steve, will be in the IOTA Contest this weekend as NY3A/p from Middle Hooper Island (NA-140).

Bon Portage or Outer Island for the Canadian Islands Awards program has been given NS-128. Earlier NS-127 was given however there was an update.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
27-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A/HA group (EU-170)			11-134
27-Jul	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
27-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
27-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BA4TB/4 (AS-136)	BA4TB		11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG1LKK/4 (AS-136)	BG1LKK		11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TBC/4 (AS-136)	BG4TBC		11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TBJ/4 (AS-136)	BG4TBJ		11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TQX/4 (AS-136)	BG4TQX		11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6APR (NA-113)	K3IXD		11-050
27-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6AQO (NA-113)	K3IXD		11-050
27-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6AXD (NA-113)	K3IXD		11-050
27-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
27-Jul	29-Jul	CN	CN2GE	F5OGE	11-129	127
27-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
27-Jul	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
27-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DA0T/p (EU-127)			11-139
27-Jul	28-Jul	EA8	EA8/DF8AA (AF-004)	DF8AA		11-137
27-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
27-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
27-Jul	29-Jul	F	F/OT3T (EU-105)	ON7EQ		11-139
27-Jul	28-Jul	FM	TO5J (NA-107)	F5LMJ	11-117	110
27-Jul		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
27-Jul		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
27-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-040	021
27-Jul	7-Aug	G	GB100J			11-135
27-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	2J1IDT (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
27-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	MJ0PCB (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
27-Jul	2-Aug	GM	GS3RCM (EU-123)	G3VCQ		11-040
27-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-134
27-Jul	29-Jul	GM	MM0LSB (EU-010)	M0LSB	11-071	050
27-Jul	29-Jul	GM	MM0OVL/P (EU-008)	M0OVL	11-139	021
27-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0Q (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-139
27-Jul	31-Jul	HC8	HC8/LX2LX HC8/LX1NO (SA-004)	LX1NO		11-139
27-Jul	29-Jul	HR	HQ3C (NA-160)	HR2RCH		11-139
27-Jul	29-Jul	HS	E21EIC/P (AS-101)			11-134
27-Jul	27-Jul	I	IA5/YO3HJV/P (EU-028)			11-139
27-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-141	120
27-Jul	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN		11-138
27-Jul	31-Jul	KL7	N7TCO W7ASF (NA-041)			11-134
27-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
27-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
27-Jul	30-Jul	OZ	OZ8MW/P (EU-088)	OZ8MW	11-099	096

27-Jul	1-Aug	PA	PC6IOTA (EU-038)	PG7V	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM	11-128
27-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48IO (EU-158)	DK7AO	11-075
27-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48NAR SV8/HA0NAR (EU-174)	HA0NAR	11-128
27-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48YL (EU-158)	DK7AO	11-075
27-Jul	4-Aug	SV	SV1QN/8 SV1GYG/8 (EU-049)	home calls	11-134
27-Jul	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129 124
27-Jul	29-Jul	TF	TF/OZ3RE		11-132
27-Jul	30-Jul	TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR	11-130
27-Jul	5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE	11-021
27-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UA6AF/P (EU-185)	UA6AF	11-129
27-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/1 (EU-161)	RZ1OA	11-139
27-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/p (EU-119)		11-139
27-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR4FEL/p (EU-179)	UR4FEL	11-129
27-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR5FCZ/p (EU-179)	UR5FCZ	11-129
27-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UT9FJ/p (EU-179)	UT9FJ	11-129
27-Jul	1-Aug	V3	V31MX (NA-073)	K0BCN	11-139
27-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VA7AQ/p (NA-091)	VA7AQ	11-071 036
27-Jul	27-Jul	VE	VE1FO/P (NA-126)		11-139
27-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VE1OTA/VE9 (NA-014)	VE1VOX	11-134
27-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VE2CJCT	VE2FGL	11-139
27-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VE2FK (NA-128)	VA2SG	11-085
27-Jul	30-Jul	VE	VE3ZZ/VY2 VE2BR/VY2 (NA-029)	home calls	11-104
27-Jul	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076
27-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
27-Jul	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
27-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
27-Jul	31-Jul	W	K4ZGB/p and KV4T/p (NA-213)	home calls	11-139
27-Jul	31-Jul	W	KM5VI (NA-092)	KM5VI	
27-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134
27-Jul	29-Jul	W	WB8YJF (NA-067)	WB8YJF	11-134
27-Jul	30-Jul	YV	YW1DX (SA-089)	IT9DAA	11-110 050
27-Jul	29-Jul	ZF	ZF2DK (NA-016)	K2DBK	11-099
28-Jul	29-Jul	4X	4X7AZ (AS-100)	4Z5LA	11-115
28-Jul	29-Jul	5B	5B4NC (AS-120)		11-011
28-Jul	29-Jul	9A	9A/SQ5FWR (EU-136)	SQ5FWR	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	9A	9A9Z/p (EU-170)	9A1ADE	11-124
28-Jul		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126 118
28-Jul	29-Jul	BV	BO0K (AS-102)	BV2KI	11-139 135
28-Jul	29-Jul	BV	BV9G (AS-155)	BV8BC	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	BY	B7P (AS-129)		11-140 139
28-Jul	29-Jul	CO	CO7PH (NA-086)	W3HNK	11-141
28-Jul	29-Jul	CT	CQ7P (EU-167)	CS1GDX	11-140
28-Jul	29-Jul	CT	CT1EDX/p (EU-040)	CT1EDX	11-141
28-Jul	29-Jul	CU	CU8T (EU-089)	CT1GFK	11-137 094
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DF6QC (EU-127)	DF6QC	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DF7FC/p (EU-042)	DF7FC	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DL0KWH/p (EU-129)	DL0KWH	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DL5AUA/p (EU-127)	DL5AUA	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DL5KUD (EU-057)	DL5KUD	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DL5XAT/p (EU-128)	DL5XAT	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	DL	DR6IOTA (EU-129)	DM5DX	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	EA	EE5KB (EU-093)	EA5KB	11-119
28-Jul	29-Jul	EI	EI9JQ (EU-115)	G0DEZ	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	ES	ES2U (EU-149)		11-134
28-Jul	4-Aug	F	TM7BA (EU-105)	F5NCU	11-071 026
28-Jul	29-Jul	G	G7N (EU-120)	G6FOP	11-134
28-Jul	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	G	M8C (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-021
28-Jul	29-Jul	GD	MD0CCE (EU-116)	MD0CCE	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	GI	GI3YS (EU-122)	MM0DHQ	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	GJ	GJ0KYZ/p (EU-099)	GJ0KYZ	11-127
28-Jul	29-Jul	GJ	GJ6YB (EU-013)	G3SWH	11-105

28-Jul	29-Jul	GM	GM0B (EU-123)	MM0BHX	11-050 035
28-Jul	29-Jul	GM	GM1RIG (EU-123)	GM1RIG	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	GM	GM2T (EU-008)	GM4UYZ	11-121
28-Jul	29-Jul	GM	GM2Z GM4A (EU-008)	MM0DFV	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	GM	MM0NDX (EU-123)	MM0NDX	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	GM	MM3M (EU-123)	G3VCQ	11-040
28-Jul	28-Oct	GW	GW8K (EU-124)		11-129
28-Jul	29-Jul	HS	HS8KAY (AS-053)		11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	I	IC8DI (EU-144)	IK8WEJ	11-129
28-Jul	29-Jul	I	IC8R (EU-031)	IC8OZM	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	I	IH9/IT9BLB (AF-018)	IT9BLB	11-114
28-Jul	31-Jul	I	II1TS	IZ1GJK	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	I	IK2XYG (EU-041)		11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	JA	JA6RGJ/6 (AS-012)		11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	JA	JI3DST/JI3 (AS-117)	bureau	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	JA	JK6IIS/6 (AS-012)		11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	JA	JO6RGZ/6 (AS-012)		11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	KH6	KH6/N0CO (OC-019)		
28-Jul	29-Jul	KP4	WP4I (NA-099)	W3HNK	11-050
28-Jul	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	LA	LA/OE9ICI (EU-036)	OE9ICI	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	OH	OH2U/5 (EU-140)	OH2IW	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	OZ	OZ7BQ/P (EU-171)	OZ7BQ	11-119
28-Jul	29-Jul	PA	PA/OQ1C/p (EU-146)	ON4ON	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	PA	PA0HFT (EU-038)	PA0HFT	11-135
28-Jul	29-Jul	PA	PA1BX/p (EU-146)	PA1BX	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX	11-124
28-Jul	29-Jul	SM	SK6M/P (EU-043)	SM6DYK	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	SM	SM7ZAU (EU-037)		11-138
28-Jul	29-Jul	SP	3Z100S (EU-129)		11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	SV	SV8/IW7DOL (EU-052)		11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	SV	DL7IO (EU-158)		11-071
28-Jul	29-Jul	SV9	J49A (EU-187)		11-134
28-Jul	11-Aug	TK	TK/IK5WOB (EU-014)	IK5WOB	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	UA	RI1AA (EU-133)	UA1AIR	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	UR	EM5F (EU-182)	UX0FF	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	UR	UX2IQ (EU-182)		11-080
28-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VC1W (NA-126)		11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VO1/ON6QR (NA-027)	ON6QR	11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VO1J (NA-198)		11-134
28-Jul	29-Jul	VE	VY2Z (NA-029)		11-104 100
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	AA4V (NA-110)	AA4V	11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	K4EYS (NA-062)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	K4RFK (NA-069)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	K9ES (NA-138)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	KB3NYX (NA-140)		11-139
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	N4AUG (NA-138)	N4AUG	11-090
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	N4OX NF4A (NA-142)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	N4PN (NA-085)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	NY3A (NA-140)	NY3A	11-119
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	W4FDX (NA-034)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	W4H (NA-141)	K4MM	11-141 138 072
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	W4OV (NA-052)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	W4ZW (NA-034)		11-138 072 028
28-Jul	29-Jul	W	W6I (NA-144)	N2OWL	11-139 104
28-Jul	29-Jul	YB	YB3MM/9 (OC-150)	IZ8CCW	11-129
28-Jul	29-Jul	YV	4M1DX (SA-089)	IT9DAA	11-142
28-Jul	29-Jul		RSGB IOTA Contest		11-071
28-Jul	29-Jul		UW0G (EU-179)		11-139
29-Jul	5-Aug	FM	TO1YR		11-134
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29-Jul	29-Jul	W	W3RFA (NA-140)		11-139 071 030

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for July 25, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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9A/HA7JJS	HA7JJS	HG46FC	HA5BSW	PB2M/P	ON4AXU
9K2YM/P	EA5KB	HZ1IK	DK7YY	SV0XAF/8	HB9EBC
B00K	BV4YB	IB0/OM2TW	OM2FY	UE1CBB	UA1AIR
EU940OR	UA3FDX	IB0/S55M	OM2FY		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

The VU7LD logs have been uploaded to LOTW. N4GN, Tim Totten, reminds everyone in order to get a match you must have VU7LD in your log and not VU7LD/xxx (VU7LD/PAI, VU7LD/VU2PAI, etc).

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: BS7H, C56NN, PJ4/PA3CNX, J8/W6JKV, S21YY, S57RR, TC0DX, VQ9LA

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: VU7LD, XE1MM

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DX News

JA8BMK, Toshi, is scheduled to go to Canton Island in Central Kiribati and operate as T31XX in late October. He will stay a minimum of one week, maybe as much as two, and will operate on 160-6M SSB, CW and RTTY. Toshi has started putting the equipment together, generator, antennas, food, for another trip, Tarawa in Western Kiribati. He plans to leave Japan in September for T30, via 3D2, and will leave T30 for T31 in mid-October, reaching T31 after a week of sailing. He may be able to get on for the CQWW phone contest. Toshi says if he has extra time he will visit Banaba Island and operate as T33ZZ, before or after T31. He says the tour is very costly if he goes along, so he is looking for anyone else who may have time to go along. He says all the callsigns are in order, assigned last year. And, donations are very much appreciated. His phone or fax is 81-135-21-6711.

DL7VOG, Gerd, will be back in the Caribbean from August 27-September 16. First, August 27-31 he will be on Grenada, NA-024, signing J3/DL7VOG. Next, August 31-September 16th, Carriacou Island, NA-147. This is part of Grenada. He says, "Like always, I will be QRV on all usable bands (6M-160M) on my preferred modes, CW and RTTY, with a little SSB on request." His rig is an IC-706 barefoot into an HF9VX antenna. Gerd says he will QSL via the bureau on e-mail request to qsl@dl7vog.de or direct. This is his preferred order. His logs will be posted on www.qslnet.de/j3-dl7vog.

A35RK, Paul, has arrived in California where he's visiting his mother and brother, and will be off to Nevada this week, then to Seattle for the Northwest DX Convention next week. He departs San Francisco for Tonga, via Honolulu, Pago Pago, and Apia, on August 28th. From August 30-September 5 he will be in American Samoa visiting AH8LG, Larry, and AH8A, Bill. He hopes to operate from Larry's house during that time, signing KH8/KK6H. He will fly to Nuku'alofa on September 6th, then to Ha'apai on the 7th. The South Cook Islands, and South Island New Zealand/Chatham Island will have to wait for another trip. He says, "We just couldn't make convenient airline connections to do all that at once." Paul has bought a new Yaesu FT-450, the six-meter add-on element for his SteppIR 3-element yagi, and a SteppIR BiggIR Mark III vertical with 80M kit. Paul says, "They will be making the trip to Tonga and that will get me on 80-6M in style." A35RK should be back on the air by September 8th or 9th.

ZL1AMO's annual vacation plans are coming together. He travels to A35 August 25th and expects to be QRV when he can from Apia, the same island A35RK lives on. He hopes to pick up his old callsign, A35EA, on Monday, August 27, then fly on to Apia. He returns to New Zealand September 17th. Ron says this is really a holiday break with some CW and SSB practice thrown in, plus some sightseeing, "so don't expect too much [on the air]."

KC0W, Tom, has added 60M to his ZD7X St. Helena plans. This will be the first time ZD7 has been on 60M. Look for him on or about September 15th.

Busy with many projects, DJ3KR, Dr. Jurgen Rottger, is planning trips to OH0 and JW. He is attending a meeting on Aland and plans to be QRV as OH0/DJ3KR about August 7-12 including the WAEDC event. He then travels to Svalbard and should again be QRV as JW/DJ3KR, August 15-26.

On the way he still stop one night in Stockholm and will try to be on the air from SM for a few hours on the evening of August 13. Jurgen was on the air as BX3/DJ3KR June 2-9 and made about 500 QSOs, most of those with Japan on 6M. He says he had only a little time and used a simple dipole antenna for 40, but it also worked well on 6. He was able to work very few Europeans on HF but made some good contacts into the West Coast of the U.S.

W4CK, Mark, has had to cancel his trip to Wake Island, KH9. He says, "I just can't get away from the office at this time. Sorry to disappoint, but life intervenes!" Mark says he hopes to return the favor in the future to many who offered help on his operation. Mark had hoped for two weeks of operation starting August 19th with the K9W callsign.

W7KFI, Susan, is now again on her way to Johnston Island, KH3. She says, "Enroute at last. hope I make it. I am getting disgusted with trying to get to Johnston Island. It is almost like the powers that be are telling me not to do it. however, I am trying." She says the weather charts show a tropical depression leaving Mexico heading west but it is forecast to turn north. "All I need is a two-week window."

If a bad weather system does head her way she plans to change course to 180 degrees and run south to get away from things. She says, "After all, single handing at my age [73], I do not want any really bad weather. Going south will take me further away from hurricane alley." She is presently W7KFI/MM.

CE4S and CE4T will be the callsigns for CE3CMZ and CE3FZL August 17-19 from Chile's Topocalma Lighthouse. They will be SSB only, on 40, 20 and 10M. QSL via EA5KB.

XR4C will be a special Chilean callsign for CE6AMN and others from the DX Group of Radio Club Villarrica from the lighthouse at Cabo Carranza August 18-19 for the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend.

They plan to be on SSB and CW, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M. QSL direct to CE6AMN.

TM0FIL will be a special event callsign from France, all bands and modes, July 30-August 12 for the 36th Festival Inter-Celtique de Lorient. QSL via F6KPO. <http://www.festival-interceltique.com/>

IY6GM is a special Italian callsign from Monte Cappuccini, August 5- 19. This will mark the 103rd anniversary of experiments carried out on that site by Marconi. QSL via I6GFX direct or bureau.

IZ6ASI/p will be in the lighthouse/lightship weekend from Italy from the Seniggallia lighthouse. Marco will be on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M SSB.

Argentinean hams from the Bahia Blanca DX Group will have four different lighthouses on the air August 17-19. LR3DX will be at the Rincon Lighthouse, LU3DXG from Baliza Tripoede, LU6XA from the Cabo Blanco Lighthouse and ops at the Recalada Lighthouse will sign home call stroke D. QSL via LU7DSY for all. And they have some awards for working these, info available on their web site. lu9es@yahoo.com And here is their club's site: <http://www.grupodxbb.com.ar/index.html>

PA3CNI and PA3AAF will be on from the Old Kraggenburg Lighthouse August 18-19, mostly CW with some SSB. QSL to their home calls.

EM15B will be a special callsign from Ukraine, August 1-31 to mark the 15th anniversary of the founding of the Ternopil Amateur Radio Club. Members will also put EM15B/A on the air from various parts of the Ternopil region, for the Ukrainian Regional Districts Award.

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3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Jacky has been showing up on 160 meters CW between 19 and 21Z. 1822 from 1950-2030Z. Also, 14021 around 13Z.

FW0MO - WALLIA & FUTUNA - Mike bounced around between 3510 and 1821 today starting around 0930Z. QSL via OM2SA. He has also been found on 18135 and 18083 between 0130-0500Z and 10115 at 1830Z.

FW0YL - WALLIS & FUTUNA - 40 and 80M activity. 7013 from 1135-1200Z, 3795 from 1100-1130Z, and 7094 SSB 0950-1100Z. This is IOTA OC-054.

HR9BFS - HONDURAS - IOTA NA-057. 50140 at 1950Z, 14238 from 0030-0100Z, 14286 1620-1705Z, 14257 1445-1520Z, 14192 1240-1340Z.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - 10109 at 1840Z, 10104 at 1735Z. 14048 briefly at 0900Z, 14017 from 1935-2120Z. And, brief appearances on 20M RTTY on the 28th and 26th, and 10 CW at 18Z on the 26th.

XW1A - LAOS - Larry was 14245 several different days, 1420-1700Z on the 27th, 1420Z on the 25th, 1535Z on the 23rd. QSL via E21EIC.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EC8AXS	14225	1640	EU-158	J48IO	3508	2320
AS-014	A43MI	14263	1410	EU-161	UE1OTA/1	14256	2255
AS-066	RK0LWW/P	14120	1650	EU-170	9A/HA2VR/P	7014	2025
AS-081	6K5BHZ/5	14022	1745	EU-179	UR8QM/P	14258	1740
EU-002	OH0Z	14267	1455	EU-182	US0ZZ/P	7005	2330
EU-004	EA6/OK5MM	18079	1455	EU-185	UA9MQR/6	10105	2135
EU-011	2E0CVN/P	7014	2300	NA-029	VY2/VE2BR	14263	2045
EU-025	IW9FRB	14078	1620	NA-092	KM5VI/5	50165	1555
EU-038	PC6IOTA	7067	1820	NA-126	VE1FO/P	14012	2205
EU-124	GW0VNK	10142	1740	OC-086	WH0V	18145	1320
EU-133	UE1CBB	7017	2015	SA-004	HC8/LX1NO	14029	2315
EU-144	IR8DX	7008	2230	SA-089	YW1DX	14021	1325
EU-148	J48YL	14253	1920				

9A/IK5WWA, Giuseppe, will be on Solta Island, EU-016, August 25- September 1. He also hopes to make it to one or more of these nearby: Balkun, Grmej, Komicic, Polebrnjak, Radula, Saskinja and Stipanska. QSL to his home callsign.

IT9MRM, Alberto, will be on HF SSB from Isola delle Palma, EU-025, August 6-8. QSL direct or bureau.

OZ/DL8WOW, Jens, will be on Bornholm Island, EU-030, August 5-17, operating mostly CW on 40-10M. QSL to his home call.

PI4HQ/p planned to be in the IOTA contest with six ops from the Flying Dutch DX Group. They were on Schouwen Duiveland, EU-146. QSL via PA3CAL direct or bureau.

UE0LAA will be on Chikhachev Island, IOTA status still be determined, August 1-7. The operators will be RW0LBM, UA0LCZ, RU0LM and RW0LC. QSL via UA0LCZ direct or bureau.

UA1QV, UA1PBU and RA1QKI will on Chaichiy Island, EU-160, for five days in August, sometime between the third and 25th. They may also stop on Zelenyy, Dolgiy, Sengeyski, Timanets or Kolguev. QSL to their home callsigns.

EM5F was in the IOTA contest from Ankudinov Island, EU-182. The ops were UR5FAV, US0ZZ, UT5ZC, UT7UT, UX0FF, ER3DW, ER3DX, ER30 and ER3ZZ. QSL EM5F via UX0FF direct or bureau. Others, via their home calls.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
30-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A/HA group (EU-170)			11-134
30-Jul	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
30-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
30-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
30-Jul		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
30-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BA4TB/4 (AS-136)	BA4TB		11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG1LKK/4 (AS-136)	BG1LKK		11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TBC/4 (AS-136)	BG4TBC		11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TBJ/4 (AS-136)	BG4TBJ		11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	BY	BG4TQX/4 (AS-136)	BG4TQX		11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6APR (NA-113)	K3IXD		11-050
30-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6AQO (NA-113)	K3IXD		11-050
30-Jul	30-Jul	C6	C6AXD (NA-113)	K3IXD		11-050
30-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
30-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
30-Jul	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
30-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
30-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
30-Jul	4-Aug	F	TM7BA (EU-105)	F5NCU	11-071	026
30-Jul	5-Aug	FM	TO1YR			11-134
30-Jul		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
30-Jul		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
30-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-040	021
30-Jul	7-Aug	G	GB100J			11-135
30-Jul	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
30-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	2J1IDT (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
30-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	MJ0PCB (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
30-Jul	2-Aug	GM	GS3RCM (EU-123)	G3VCQ		11-040
30-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-134
30-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0Q (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-139
30-Jul	28-Oct	GW	GW8K (EU-124)			11-129
30-Jul	31-Jul	HC8	HC8/LX2LX HC8/LX1NO (SA-004) LX1NO			11-139
30-Jul	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
30-Jul	31-Jul	I	II1TS	IZ1GJK		11-134

30-Jul	1-Aug	JA	JI3DST/JI3 (AS-007)	bureau	11-139
30-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXK	11-141 120
30-Jul	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN	11-138
30-Jul	31-Jul	KL7	N7TCO W7ASF (NA-041)		11-134
30-Jul	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB	11-134
30-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
30-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
30-Jul	30-Jul	OZ	OZ8MW/P (EU-088)	OZ8MW	11-099 096
30-Jul	1-Aug	PA	PC6IOTA (EU-038)	PG7V	11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	SV	J48IM SV8/HA0IM (EU-052)	HA0IM	11-128
30-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48IO (EU-158)	DK7AO	11-075
30-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48NAR SV8/HA0NAR (EU-174)	HA0NAR	11-128
30-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48YL (EU-158)	DK7AO	11-075
30-Jul	4-Aug	SV	SV1QN/8 SV1GYG/8 (EU-049)	home calls	11-134
30-Jul	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129 124
30-Jul	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL1RTL (EU-014)		11-138
30-Jul	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL2RMC (EU-014)		11-138
30-Jul	30-Jul	TK	TK/HB9TL	HB9QR	11-130
30-Jul	11-Aug	TK	TK/IK5WOB (EU-014)	IK5WOB	11-139
30-Jul	5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE	11-021
30-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UA6AF/P (EU-185)	UA6AF	11-129
30-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/1 (EU-161)	RZ1OA	11-139
30-Jul	30-Jul	UA	UE1OTA/p (EU-119)		11-139
30-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR4FEL/p (EU-179)	UR4FEL	11-129
30-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UR5FCZ/p (EU-179)	UR5FCZ	11-129
30-Jul	30-Jul	UR	UT9FJ/p (EU-179)	UT9FJ	11-129
30-Jul	1-Aug	V3	V31MX (NA-073)	K0BCN	11-139
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60IL (OC-010)	JF3PLF	11-114
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60KL (OC-010)	JN3JBC	11-114
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60TI (OC-010)	JA3UWB	11-114
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60TX (OC-010)	JH3TXR	11-114
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60YAQ (OC-010)		11-114
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V63JJ (OC-010)	JA3ART	11-114
30-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60DU (OC-010)	JI6DUE	11-114
30-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VA7AQ/p (NA-091)	VA7AQ	11-071 036
30-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VE2CJCT	VE2FGL	11-139
30-Jul	30-Jul	VE	VE3ZZ/VY2 VE2BR/VY2 (NA-029)	home calls	11-104
30-Jul	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076
30-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
30-Jul	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
30-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
30-Jul	31-Jul	W	K4ZGB/p and KV4T/p (NA-213)	home calls	11-139
30-Jul	31-Jul	W	KM5VI (NA-092)	KM5VI	
30-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134
30-Jul	30-Jul	YV	YW1DX (SA-089)	IT9DAA	11-110 050

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low this week.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for July 28, 2007 was 13 after a week at the zero level.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3XY5M	PA7FM	FW0YL	OM2SA	RI1GK	RV1AQ
3Z50KCR	SP5KCR	GB5FI	GW0ANA	RI1NU	RN1NU
4L4WW	EA7FTR	GW0VNK	DJ8NK	RK1B/P	RK3FA
4X7AZ	4Z5LA	HC8/LX2LX	LX1NO	SB300L	W3HNK
5B4NC/P	5B4KH	HK4OBA	EA5KB	SO1EKO	DL1EKO
5Z4ES	K3PD	HR9BFS	N6FF	SX5P	SV5FRD
6W1SE	JR2KDN	IB0/OM0C	OM2FY	TP2CE	F5LGF
9A/VE3ZIK	DL3PS	IB0/OM2FY	OM2FY	UE1CBB	UA1AIR
9A6NL	HA6NL	IB0/OM5AW	OM2FY	UE1OTA/1	RZ1OA
9M6XRO	M5AAV	J48IM	HA0IM	UE3MFU	RK3WMI
A43MI	A47RS	J48M	DK7AO	UE4ABB/P	RZ4AXC
C6APR	K3IXD	J48YL	DK7AO	VC1W	VE1RGB
C6AXD	K3IXD	MJ0AWR	K2WR	VP9/W4SMT	W4SMT
CQ9T	CT3KN	OH0X	OH2TA	W4H	K4MM
CU8/DJ2VO	DJ2VO	OH0Z	W0MM	WH2D	K3UOC
DR6IOTA	DM5DX	PA/OR2T	ON4ATW	XW1A	E21EIC
EE5KB	EA5KB	PC6IOTA	PG7V	YW1DX	IT9DAA
FW0MO	OM2SA	R1FJT	UA4RC		

DJ2MX, Mario, has a status report on VK9DNX direct QSLs. Friday the last big batch went out. Next will be processing requests received via OQRS, then answering the bureau cards. He notes that \$3 U.S. or one IRC are sufficient for return postage for addresses outside of Europe. Mario thanks those who have supported the operation and made donations. He and his team have started planning their next expedition.

YT3W reports that all YU6AO Montenegro cards were put in the post July 27th - that is, for QSLs received between January 29th and July 25th. That was a mailing of about 500 envelopes.

K5YT, Bill, mailed out all the TI6/K5KG cards Friday, to everyone that sent direct for one. He says the TI6/K9KEJ cards will go out this week.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 3XD2Z, A92GR, EA8/DL3KVR, FY1FL, HI3TEJ, HQ7F, HS0ZFI, J8/W6JKV, NP4A, OD5/OK1MU, TA3D, V44KAI, VP2EDH and ZS6UT.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 6I2AUB, FY/G3SXW, FY/G3TXF, J5UTM, K4RO, LY2IJ, MM0BSM, OL3A, OM5TX, SC3DX, UA3AGW, VK2GWK, WC5N and XE1MM.

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4O3A (ex YT6A), Ranko Boca, reports as of July 16, 2007 all Montenegrin Amateur Radio operators old Serbian calls have expired. Amateur Radio ops from the fledgling nation have been or will be assigned the new 4O (Four Oscar) prefix callsigns. Former YT6Y, Dragan Djordjevic, is now 4O4A. The International Telecommunication Union (ITU) assigned Montenegro the 4O prefix in mid-May 2007 and took back Serbia's 4N and YZ prefixes. Serbia is no longer using the 4O prefix. No word on when Serbia will discontinue using the old YZ and 4N prefixes, which the ITU has taken back for future use.

JM1LJS, Hide, is heading back to Macau. He'll arrive late on August 9th and will setup and hopes to be QRV as XX9TJS around 0900Z on August 10th. Hide will have an IC-7000 running 100 watts into a G5RV. Look for activity on 10 through 80 meters on CW and SSB until about 1100Z on August 13th. He has a Web page at <http://radio-dream.com/macau/>. QSL direct to JM1LJS.

Dutch hams PA3A, PA3AN, PA8AD and PA3AWW will be active from Liberia (EL) from October 5th to 24th. They will be QRV on CW and SSB. Their calls will be announced upon arrival. They have a Web site at www.liberia2007.com. QSL via PA3AWW.

QSL Manager T93Y, Boris, says "After 40,660 QSO's logged as ST0RM and ST2A, Jovica, T98A (ex. T94FC) assignment in Sudan has come to an end. During the past two years spent in Sudan, Jovica has made 35,012 CW, 3386 SSB, 2249 RTTY and 13 PSK31 QSO's and provided many new ones working 843 QSO's on 160m, 3916 QSO's on 80m and 585 QSO's on 6m. Some of the pictures which illustrate living and working conditions in Sudanese desert environment are available at <http://www.t93y.com/st2a>."

"Jovica's new assignment with UNHCR (United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees) is in Dakar, Senegal and will start on 1 September. As he first needs to settle down you will be informed when HAM operation starts. Being in regional office of UNHCR, Jovica's work area covers the whole West Africa and he hopes to activate most of countries in the region. Information about HAM activity from countries other than Senegal will be distributed accordingly."

DL2AH, Ulli, plans to be QRV from Juan Fernandez as CE0Z/DL2AH from March 11th through 26th next year. He'll be operating on 10 through 40 meters using an FT897 on SSB and RTTY. QSL via DL2AH either direct or via the DARC bureau.

The ARRL DXCC Web page is once again posting DXCC daily standings. The site reports "DXCC is currently mailing applications logged during the week of May 4, 2007. We also have some serious competition now with the DXCC Challenge! There is now a tie, for the moment, for the number one position. From day one W4DR, Bob, has been at the top.

I4EAT, Fausto, is now tied with Bob with an incredible total of 3116 countries. SP5EWY, Rys, is only two away from the leaders. Bob is now not only going to have to watch his back but his side too! Great job to DR, EAT and EWY.

Multiple people reported receiving LOTW confirmations from the recent 1A0KM operation.

During the lighthouse weekend (August 18/19) for TA2RX to be QRV from the Gelidonia Lighthouse in Antalya, Turkey with special call TC4LHW. He will have to operate QRP as he must carry everything and walk 2 miles to get to the lighthouse!

N2OB will be activated by members of the Old Barney ARC (www.obarc.org) from the Barnegat Lighthouse (aka Old Barney) in Barnegat Light NJ (ARLHS USA-039) on Saturday August 4th. IOTA NA-111 Long Beach Island NJ. USI NJ001S. They will be QRV on 20 and 40 meter SSB from about 1300Z through 2100Z. QSL via N2OB.

W2T will be activated by members of the Old Barney ARC (www.obarc.org) from the Tucker's Island Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-911) www.tuckertonseaport.org on Saturday August 18th from about 1300Z through 2100Z. QSL via N200.

ON7SS/0090, Marc, plans to be QRV as SV9/0090/p from Crete between August 7th and 17th. QSLs via ON7SS either direct or via the bureau.

W7KFI, Susan, says she is "visiting on one of the outer islands enroute" to Johnston Island (KH3). No mention of which island. She expects to leave on Saturday morning and should be on Johnston 7 days later. That would be around August 11th. It will probably take a day for her to get set up.

Correction

ZL1AMO's annual vacation plans are coming together. He travels to A35 August 25th and expects to be QRV when he can from Lifuka, in the Ha'apai group of islands, the same island A35RK lives on. He hopes to pick up his old callsign, A35EA, on Monday, August 27. He returns to New Zealand September 17th. Ron says this is really a holiday break with some CW and SSB practice thrown in, plus some sightseeing, "so don't expect too much [on the air]."

QSN

FW0MO - WALLIS AND FUTUNA - Keep looking for Mike on 80 and 160 meters CW between 0930 and 1230Z. QSL via OM2SA.

V63JJ - MICRONESIA - West Coast North American ops were working this one on 7005 just after 1315Z. QSL via JA3ART.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AF-004	EA8BCT	7065	1652	EU-089	CU8/DJ2VO	14004	1350
AS-003	4S7BRG	14070	1739	EU-124	GB5FI	10104	1216
AS-066	RK0LWW/P	14043	1448	EU-129	DL5CW/P	7012	0621
EU-004	EA6AD	7075	1743	EU-133	RI1GK	7080	0816

EU-006	EJ/GORTN	14017	2305	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	7077	2105
EU-006	EJ0GKB	14257	1231	EU-158	J48IO	3505	0001
EU-006	EJ3GJB	14190	1621	EU-161	UE1OTA/1	14040	0907
EU-011	2E0CVN/P	7011	2230	EU-170	9A/HA3NU	10106	0833
EU-011	G0VJG/P	14258	1440	EU-174	J48NAR	14024	2217
EU-011	G3RCV/P	14021	1115	EU-174	SV2DFA/8	10114	0445
EU-013	MJ0AWR	10107	1948	EU-182	UT3IB/P	14014	1414
EU-016	9A/S57VG	14160	1737	EU-182	UX2IQ/P	14262	0822
EU-017	ID9/IK2SND	7007	0439	EU-185	RU6DX	14257	1857
EU-020	SM0DTK/1	14260	1650	EU-185	RX9TX/6	14021	0832
EU-022	JX3EX	14275	2011	EU-185	UA6BUX/P	14127	1216
EU-028	IA5/IK1HFX	14020	0741	EU-185	UA9MQR/6	10103	1721
EU-030	OZ4NE	14083	1019	NA-018	OX3DB	14084	2053
EU-037	SM7XGG	14262	1858	NA-029	VE2BR/VY2	14097	1352
EU-038	PC6IOTA	10118	1639	NA-029	VE3ZZ/VY2	14195	1235
EU-049	SV1GYG/8	14252	1302	NA-092	KM5VI/P	14255	0310
EU-054	IT9ZZO/P	7048	1305	NA-092	N5LYG	14217	0018
EU-064	F9IE	18073	1048	NA-107	TO1YR	7088	2218
EU-067	SV0XAF/8	10107	2325	NA-126	VE1FO/P	14264	1852
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14257	0934	OC-010	V60IL	10108	1218
EU-076	LA/IW4BLZ	14250	2104	OC-028	V73NS	14026	0731
EU-084	SM/G3LAS	14240	1333				

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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31-Jul	31-Jul	9A	9A6NL (EU-170)			11-134
31-Jul	31-Jul	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-126
31-Jul		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
31-Jul	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
31-Jul	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
31-Jul	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
31-Jul	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6			11-113
31-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
31-Jul	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
31-Jul	12-Aug	F	TM0FIL	F6KPQ		11-144
31-Jul	4-Aug	F	TM7BA (EU-105)	F5NCU	11-071	026
31-Jul	5-Aug	FM	TO1YR	FM1HN		11-134
31-Jul		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
31-Jul		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
31-Jul	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI	11-040	021
31-Jul	7-Aug	G	GB100J			11-135
31-Jul	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
31-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	2J1IDT (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
31-Jul	31-Jul	GJ	MJ0PCB (EU-013)	M0PCB		11-139
31-Jul	2-Aug	GM	GS3RCM (EU-123)	G3VCQ		11-040
31-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-134
31-Jul	4-Aug	GM	MM0Q (EU-092)	MM0BQI		11-139
31-Jul	31-Jul	HC8	HC8/LX2LX HC8/LX1NO (SA-004LX1NO)			11-139
31-Jul	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
31-Jul	31-Jul	I	II1TS	IZ1GJK		11-134
31-Jul	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134
31-Jul	1-Aug	JA	J13DST/JI3 (AS-007)	bureau		11-139
31-Jul	2-Aug	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXK	11-141	120

31-Jul	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN	11-138
31-Jul	31-Jul	KL7	N7TCO/KL7 W7ASF/KL7 (NA-041)		11-134
31-Jul	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB	11-134
31-Jul	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
31-Jul	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
31-Jul	1-Aug	PA	PC6IOTA (EU-038)	PG7V	11-134
31-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48IO (EU-158)	DK7AO	11-075
31-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48NAR SV8/HA0NAR (EU-174)	HA0NAR	11-128
31-Jul	31-Jul	SV	J48YL (EU-158)	DK7AO	11-075
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31-Jul	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL2RMC (EU-014)		11-138
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31-Jul	5-Aug	V6	V60DU (OC-010)	JI6DUE	11-114
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31-Jul	1-Aug	VE	VE2CJCT	VE2FGL	11-139
31-Jul	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076
31-Jul	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
31-Jul	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
31-Jul	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
31-Jul	31-Jul	W	K4ZGB/p and KV4T/p (NA-213)	home calls	11-139
31-Jul	31-Jul	W	KM5VI (NA-092)	KM5VI	
31-Jul	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134

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QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

W4RIS/PA3GVR, Sjaak, says the QSL route for GB100J, Great Britain's 21st World Scout Jamboree station, goes via the bureau. For those in a hurry you can QSL direct to W4RIS. For more info on GB100J check out their Web page at <http://tinyurl.com/2s4g4g>.

W5KDJ, Wayne, says the A2 QSLs from early July operation are now at the printers and should be ready in about 4-5 weeks. The team has a log search at <http://www.tdxs.net/A2.html>.

One of our subscribers is looking for the QSL route for a 1965 QSO with VK9AG from New Guinea Territory. W2CTN was apparently the QSL manager but has become a Silent Key. Anyone know if someone has the logs and QSLs? Please contact your editor.

One of our subscribers was looking for the QSL route for KZ5NR. We were looking for the route back in the October 28, 2003 issue. I don't remember who asked. W9NR (ex WA9NSR), Gary Stroble, says he is the QSL manager and op!

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 5W0JT, 5W0RE, 5X1Z, 6V7F, 9M2/JH3GCN, A92GR, BS7H, FK8CP, VK9DNX, YA/LY1Y

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 1A0KM (2007), OH9RI, OX/N6AA, P40T, RA3CQ, S50HQ, UA3AGW, VU7LD, XE1MM, XE1ZOI, ZF1A, ZL4PW

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DX News

Special event call N7C will be QRV from August 11th to 14th in commemoration of Navajo Code Talkers Day. Activity will take place from Window Rock, Arizona on behalf of the Navajo Code Talkers. Look for this special event station on 14.265 and 7.265 from 1400Z to 0000Z daily. QSL via N7HG, Herb, P.O. Box 3611, Window Rock, Arizona 86515.

Members of the Sussex County (Delaware) Amateur Radio Society (SARA) will participate in the lighthouse contest this weekend from Lewes, DE using the callsign W3L.

W7KFI, Susan, is on her way to Johnston Island (KH3). She left the Maui Island waters Monday and is now heading for Kauai. She says the WX looks good and hope it holds as she plans to leave the Hawaiian Islands on Saturday or Sunday heading directly for Johnston Island. That trip is expect to take about seven days.

Correction

K5YG (not K5YT), Bill, mailed out all the TI6/K5YG (not TI6/K5KG) cards Friday, to everyone that sent direct for one. He says the TI6/K9KEJ cards will go out this week.

QSN

160 METERS - TOPBAND - 3B8CF, Jacky, was on 1822 from just before 1900 until about 2030Z. Shortly afterwards (2100Z) 9Q1EK, Georges, was there on 1822. After 1000Z FW0MO, Mike, showed up on 1821 and FK8CP, Remi, on 1831.

CN2DX - MOROCCO - European ops from Western Europe were working this one on 50110 after 0830Z yesterday. Later (1645Z) they reported the beacon station CN2DX/B on 50095.

FW0YL - WALLIS AND FUTUNA - YL DXCC chasers found Jan on 14257 just prior to 0400Z on Tuesday. QSL via OM2SA.

J79PAK - DOMINICA - Was fixed on 50124 Tuesday between 1600 and 1815Z. He was working Western and Central European ops, but a few US stations from W3, W4 and W5 made it also. QSL via HB9CUA.

V60IL - MICRONESIA - Look for this one on 40 CW around 1230Z.
 VQ9JC - DIEGO GARCIA - Jim was on 14005 yesterday working Europe and W6/W7 between 1430 and 1630Z. QSL via ND9M.

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EU-006	EJ3GJB/P	3794	0033	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	7086	1631
EU-011	G0VJG	14287	0016	EU-147	RA3NN/1	7011	1753
EU-011	2E0CVN/P	14019	1118	EU-170	9A/HA3NU	10109	2124
EU-014	TK/DL2RMC	10141	1136	EU-170	9A4A	18076	0944
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EU-038	PC6IOTA	18139	1221	EU-185	RX9TX/6	10103	1536
EU-054	IT9ZZO/P	7060	1845	EU-185	UA6AIR/P	14018	1610
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1-Aug	1-Aug	CE	3G100S	XQ1KY		11-127
1-Aug	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
1-Aug	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
1-Aug	8-Aug	D4	EME DXpedition by German Team			11-132
1-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6			11-113
1-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
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1-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB	IZ8GCB	11-135
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1-Aug	1-Aug	JA	JI3DST/JI3 (AS-007)	bureau	11-139
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1-Aug	7-Aug	UA0	UE0LAA (Chikhachev Island)	UA0LCZ	11-144
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CN8ZG	EA7FTR	SN100S	SP9ZHR	V60TI	JA3UWB
CU2/WA1S	WA1S	SN10P	SP9KJU	V60TX	JH3TXR
DQ50SAAR	DK8VR	TM7BA	F5NCU	V60YAQ	JI6DUE
EJ/G0RTN	GI0RTN	T01YR	FM1HN	V63JJ	JA3ART
HB0/PC5A	PC5A	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN	VE3ZZ/VY2	VE3ZZ
J48NAR	HA0NAR	V60DU	JI6DUE	VK1GG	VK1TX
JX3EX	LA3EX				

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QSL manager WA4WTG, Kappy, is now handling QSL duties for VR2C, VR10C, VR2NN and VR10NN.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 6V7F, BS7H, ZP8AE

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 1A0KM, DF3IS, SP6IEQ

On The WWW

An on-line log search for the YM1907FB activity can be found at
<http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?ym1907fb>

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DX News

Starting today WA4PGM, Kyle, plans to be QRV again from Bermuda as VP9/WA4PGM. Look for activity on 6 through 160 meters on CW, RTTY and SSB through August 7th. QSL via WA4PGM with SASE.

Looks like Bermuda is a popular destination as W9JA, Dick, is heading there too. He's taking an IC-706 and plans to be QRV from Sunday August 5th through sometime Thursday August 9th. Look for him also on HF and 6 meters.

Special call CT8CNE will be QRV now through August 6th in celebration of 100 years of Scouts.

QSN

- 404A - MONTENEGRO - Today after 0020Z Dragan was on 10103 working into the eastern half of North America.
- 9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Japanese and Australian ops were working Georges on 18070 yesterday around 0730Z. QSL via SM5DQC.
- CN8ZG - MOROCCO - Hassan was bouncing all around on 20 SSB between 1330 and 1630Z and again from 1900 to 0100Z. QSL via EA7FTR.
- EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh started up yesterday on 14244 just before 1800Z.
- FW0MO - WALLIS & FUTUNA - Mike was reported yesterday as follows:
- GMT Frequencies
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00 18086, 21004
21 24911
22 21004, 24911
23 21004, 24911
00 21004, 24911
- FW0YL - WALLIS & FUTUNA - Jan (YL) today was on 18128 just before 0200Z. QSL both FW0MO and FW0YL via OM2SA.
- OA4CN - PERU - Several Western European ops found Ernesto on 14184 around 2215Z.

V6 - MICRONESIA - W6 stations were working V60IL on 3506 after 13Z. JA's and W6 and W7 ops reported V63JJ on 1818 just before 12Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/DL3DRN	14082	1545	EU-123	GB5BBS	3755	1642
EU-004	EA6/OK5MM	18078	0944	EU-123	GM3VLB	14258	0937
EU-011	2E0CVN/P	14011	0741	EU-136	9A/IW0QO	7037	2209
EU-011	G0VJG/P	14258	0921	EU-170	9A/HA3NU	10107	1742
EU-011	G7GLW/P	14258	0902	EU-175	CU6AY	14260	2043
EU-014	TK/DL2RMC	10139	1945	EU-182	UX2IQ/P	14185	0625
EU-025	IT9TFX	14083	1821	EU-185	RU6DX/P	14163	0511
EU-028	IA5/IK1HFX	14020	0758	EU-185	RX9TX/6	10107	0621
EU-038	PC6IOTA	7012	2114	EU-185	UA6AIR/P	14018	1015
EU-041	IM0/IK5XCT	10105	2201	EU-185	UA6BUX/P	14246	1543
EU-049	SV1GYG/8	14262	1534	EU-185	UA9MQR/6	10104	1600
EU-049	SV1QN/8	14260	1607	NA-106	KP2/AA1BU	7091	0325
EU-061	LA4RT	7017	1926	NA-107	TO1YR	14190	1920
EU-064	F9IE	14040	0748	NA-108	J69DS	14071	2124
EU-072	SV0DJ/8	14256	1147	OC-010	V60DU	7005	1102
EU-105	TM7BA	10106	1633	OC-054	FW0MO	18086	0032

W5BOS, Lanny, arrived at Chignik Lagoon at 2300Z on August 1st. The weather is very bad with winds around 30 knots. As of press time he was waiting for the latest WX report. He hopes to make the trip to Univikshak (NA-238) for daylight operation only as the boat will need to seek shelter before dark. Lanny says, "Semidi (NA-235) might be out of the question at this point".

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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2-Aug	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
2-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC		11-126 118
2-Aug	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH		11-122 060
2-Aug	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
2-Aug	9-Aug	CU	CU3F (EU-175)	CT1FMX		11-119
2-Aug	8-Aug	D4	EME DXpedition by German Team			11-132
2-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6			11-113
2-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
2-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
2-Aug	12-Aug	F	TM0FIL	F6KPKQ		11-144
2-Aug	4-Aug	F	TM7BA (EU-105)	F5NCU		11-071 026
2-Aug	5-Aug	FM	TO1YR	FM1HN		11-134
2-Aug		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
2-Aug		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
2-Aug	2-Aug	G	G3RCV/P (EU-011)	G4DFI		11-040 021
2-Aug	7-Aug	G	GB100J			11-135

2-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC	11-134
2-Aug	2-Aug	GM	GS3RCM (EU-123)	G3VCQ	11-040
2-Aug	4-Aug	GM	MM0BQI (EU-092)	MM0BQI	11-134
2-Aug	4-Aug	GM	MM0Q (EU-092)	MM0BQI	11-139
2-Aug	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8		11-134
2-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB	IZ8GCB	11-135
2-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP		11-134
2-Aug	2-Aug	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-141 120
2-Aug	2-Aug	KL7	KL7/LA4LN	LA4LN	11-138
2-Aug	4-Aug	KL7	W5BOS/KL7 (NA-235)	N6AWD	11-112
2-Aug	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB	11-134
2-Aug	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
2-Aug	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
2-Aug	4-Aug	SV	SV1QN/8 SV1GYG/8 (EU-049)	home calls	11-134
2-Aug	2-Aug	TA	YM1907FB	TA3YJ	11-129 124
2-Aug	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL1RTL (EU-014)		11-138
2-Aug	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL2RMC (EU-014)		11-138
2-Aug	11-Aug	TK	TK/IK5WOB (EU-014)	IK5WOB	11-139
2-Aug	5-Aug	TK	TK/M0VPE	M0VPE	11-021
2-Aug	7-Aug	UA0	UE0LAA (Chikhachev Island)	UA0LCZ	11-144
2-Aug	31-Aug	UR	EM15B		11-144
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V60DU (OC-010)	JI6DUE	11-114
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V60IL (OC-010)	JF3PLF	11-114
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V60KL (OC-010)	JN3JBC	11-114
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V60TI (OC-010)	JA3UWB	11-114
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V60TX (OC-010)	JH3TXR	11-114
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V60YAQ (OC-010)	JI6DUE	11-114
2-Aug	5-Aug	V6	V63JJ (OC-010)	JA3ART	11-114
2-Aug	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076
2-Aug	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
2-Aug	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
2-Aug	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
2-Aug	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134

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The sunspot number for July 31, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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2E0PLA	N2RJ	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	J79PAK	HB9CUA

4L4WW EA7FTR GB6RH G0GDU UE60SWA RK0SWA
6W1SE JR2KDN HC1/LX1NO LX1NO UN7MMM EA7FTR
9A950JB 9A3JB

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HB9CVQ, JJ2LPV, JR7RTQ, MJ0AWR, OH1MA, SK3GM, SM3WMV, TO5J, VE6WQ, XE2WWW, ZL4PW

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DX News

The FOC News Sheet reports that ND9M goes QRT from VQ9JC August ninth and should return for another four-month tour in December. He may not be at Diego Garcia all that time.

OH0/DJ3KR, Aland Islands, will be QRV August 7-12. August 15-16 he will be JW/DJ3KR.

8P6DR, Barbados, September 23-October 13, will be manned by G3RWL.

9X5SP is Peter A. Stabusch, aka DL8YA, ex-5Z4SP and 9H1FV. He says that as of July 12th the Director General of the Rwanda Utilities Regulatory Authority, RURA, began issuing ham radio licenses. Rwanda has been off the air since 1994. Peter was pleased to be able to reobtain his 9X5SP callsign. He is equipped with an Atlas 210X to a 20M dipole. Peter is Managing Director for the shortwave broadcaster Deutsche Welle Kigali, running its Relay Station Africa.

W7KFI's on again off again trip to Johnston Island is currently off again! Susan says, "Sorry people, now hurricane Erik is heading this way and it looks like it will pass to the south. so I am heading into Honolulu for the hurricane season. it ends in November. If there is a break in the weather then I will skedaddle to KH3."

The Radio Club Uruguayo will have CV1AA on the air August 18-19. This will be from a lighthouse, the "Faro Puerto del Buceo West Breakwater." They plan to start up at 22Z August 17th and continue until 01Z the 20th. They will be on 160-10M CW and SSB with at least two stations. Also, they will try to do some digital modes and 2M operation. QSL Direct only, to Radio Club Uruguayo, P.O. Box 37, 11000, Montevideo, URUGUAY, SOUTH AMERICA. Send an SASE and IRC or two U.S. dollars.

Our friend and neighbor W3LPL is keeping close track and says the solar flux minimum is still predicted to have been last month, July. However, NOAA is not predicting any significant increase in solar flux until late this year. Their "low" prediction shows a delay of Cycle 24 until 2008. Any significant increase is dependent on Cycle 24 sunspots beginning to appear on the Sun. This has not yet been observed! "Alarm bells will go off when they do," says Frank!
<http://www.sec.noaa.gov/SolarCycle>

QSN

9H3CM - MALTA - Charlie was on 14182 at 0630Z.

FW0MD - WALLIS & FUTUNA - Mike was back on the air, 14004.5 at 0020Z.

TK/IK5WOB - CORSICA - 30M activity, 10118 starting at 2300Z until after 00Z.

V60TI - MICRONESIA - 14220 at 2300Z, 7010 from 1920-2000z, 3508 from 1620-1940Z, 10105 from 1430-1540Z.

VP2V/W4WGA - BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS - 14250 at 2150Z and 14260 at 20Z.

YS1ME - EL SALVADOR - Mario was on or near 14139 from 2300-00Z the last two days.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-066	UE9LAA	14180	2245	EU-127	DF6QC	10104	2010
EU-003	CU2/DG1WIM	7019	2000	EU-132	SP5OXJ/1	14080	2140
EU-005	GM3VLB/P	14257	1520	EU-133	R1LGK	14178	1520
EU-014	TK/IK5WOB	10118	2300	EU-136	9A/IK3JBP	7060	1435
EU-017	ID9/I0JBL	7054	0835	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	7072	1550
EU-024	IS0/IZ3DBA	14007	1735	EU-170	9A3AWS/P	14271	1820
EU-038	PC6IOTA	7019	0530	EU-171	OZ2MLS	7036	2215
EU-049	SV1BYG	14202	1800	EU-182	UT9IO/P	14162	1800
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14260	1710	EU-185	UA6BUX	14246	1825
EU-084	SM/G3LAS	14245	1310	NA-238	W5BOS/AL0	14040	2240
EU-097	OH3OJ	10103	1540	OC-010	V60TI	7010	1950
EU-105	TM7BA	14008	0850	OC-054	FW0MO	10124	0655
EU-123	GM3VLB	14257	1510	OC-054	FW0YL	18128	0150

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3-Aug	5-Aug	CU	CU2/EA1FCH (EU-003)	EA1FCH	11-122	060
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3-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB	IZ8GCB	11-135
3-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP		11-134
3-Aug	4-Aug	KL7	W5BOS/KL7 (NA-235)	N6AWD	11-147 112
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3-Aug	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
3-Aug	7-Aug	VP9	VP9/WA4PGM	WA4PGM	11-147
3-Aug	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
3-Aug	4-Aug	W	N5EYT (NA-092)		11-134
4-Aug	9-Aug	CE	CE/K0MD		11-140
4-Aug	20-Aug	FG	FG/F1JXQ	F1JXQ	11-138 135
4-Aug	4-Aug	W	N2OB (NA-111)	N2OB	11-145
4-Aug	5-Aug	W	W3L		11-146
4-Aug	4-Aug		Maritime DX Forum		11-134
5-Aug	7-Aug	FP	FP/VO1NA	VO1MRC	11-138
5-Aug	19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX	11-144
5-Aug	7-Aug	KL7	W5BOS/AL0 (NA-238)	N6AWD	11-147 112
5-Aug	17-Aug	OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-144 021
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EN80AL	UT8AL	TO1YR	FM1HN	YU60BCD	YU7BCD

One of our subscribers was looking for the address for JR8XXQ. KA3S came up with it:

JR8XXQ
Kimikazu "Kimi" Saito,
501-43, 1-4 Saiwai-cho
Nemuro-City, Hokkaido 087-0021
JAPAN

9M6DXX, Steve, spoke to 6K2AVL, Yoon, on 40M SSB. Yoon was one of the operators on the recent Korean 4W6AAV East Timor Dxpedition. He told Steve the 4W6AAV QSLs should be out by next month.

VK3EW, David, is looking for help on QSLs sent to DS4CNB, Captain Lee, for D88S QSOs. His mail was returned. David doesn't read Korean so he doesn't know what the notation on his returned letter means. He wonders if there is a Daily DX subscriber who could translate that Korean language notation for him. He has put a copy of the front of the envelope on his web page.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: TR8CA via F6CBC.

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DX News

G3SXW and the Voodoo Contest Group are going to 3X, Guinea, in November for a sizeable operation. Says Roger, "We will move our one ton of equipment overland from Mali where we have been TZ5A for the past two years." The eight-man team this year is AA7A, G3SXW, G4BWP, G4IRN, GM3YTS, K4UEE, K5VT and KC7V. The 3X callsigns aren't being reported yet. QSL the contest operation via G3SXW and individual 3X callsigns to their home call. The Voodoo group will be multi-multi with monoband antennas for all six bands and KW amplifiers. "This time we will be immediately beside saltwater, a real luxury!" AA7A and KC7V will do some EME for several days before the CQWW CW contest.

600F, Somalia, was active this past weekend on 20M and 17M. This is ON4TA, Filip, who says, "This is a private visit, not a DXpedition." Filip's QTH is Galkayo in Puntland, on the Horn of Africa. His first visit was April 5-18, 2007 and this visit is currently planned for August 3-15. Filip says SWL reports are welcome, and if you need a QSL direct, "You must cover the postage costs. Please include a self-addressed envelope and 2 USD or 2 new IRCs for outside Europe, 1 USD or 1 new IRC for European countries."

KF7E reports that he spoke to Jan, FW0YL, on 21298 at 2335Z on Friday and she said she would be QRV over the weekend but also mentioned some damage to the SteppIR vertical. She said Mike, FW0MO, thought it could be fixed with local materials and they would be back on LF that night.

The Northern California DX Foundation (<http://www.ncdxf.org/>) is putting up a \$20,000 grant to support the Ducie Island VP6DX Dxpedition that is scheduled for February, 2008.

JD1BLY is expected to be the Ogasawara callsign for operator JI5RPT, Koya, February 13-28. He may be joined by others on Chichijima Island, AS-031. He will be active on 160-6M CW, SSB, satellite and digital, but focusing on 160 and 80. QSL to home calls for individual operators. JD1BLY will be in the ARRL DX CW Contest February 16-17, single op all band. QSL via JI5RPT.
<http://www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/>

SV9/OO90/p, Marc, will be on from Crete, EU-015, August 7-17. QSL via ON7SS direct or bureau.

Operators from Macedonia's Radio Club Nikola Tesla, Z37M, ex-Z30M, are using a special callsign, Z360M (three numbers in the call) through the end of the year. This marks the 60th anniversary of the club in Stip, Macedonia.

TM2HRH will be a special callsign from France, August 6-19. This is for the 150th anniversary of the birth of Heinrich Rudolf Hertz. QSL via F6KTN at the bureau.

GB4IPY, with operator M0OXO, Charles, is active now until August 28. This is an IPY callsign to help celebrate the "Fourth International Polar Year."

The IY00RP callsign in Italy August 11-12 commemorates a microwave test Marconi did in 1932. Marconi sent a signal from Sardinia to Rome. This one is by the ARI Frascati. QSL via I0DJV direct or bureau.

3Z90ZIM, Poland, marks the 90th anniversary of scouting in Przasnysz, Poland. QSL via SP5ZIM or SP5X.

UE4CGT is a special Russian callsign today and tomorrow from the place where cosmonaut Gherman S. Titov (1935-2000) landed 46 years ago, the second man to orbit Earth. The Vostok 2 mission landed 25.3 hours, 17 earth orbits, later, on August 6, 1961. QSL via UA4CDV.

UE3SFF/1 will be the callsign from various Russian nature reserves today through Wednesday. The operators are RU3SD and UA3SGQ. QSL via RU3SD direct or bureau. Information on the Russian Flora-Fauna Award (RFFA), can be found at http://www.hamradio.ru/rrc/AWARDS/rffa_e.htm

E51AKY, E51BTF and E51ASN were the South Cook Islands callsigns obtained as the weekend began, for HL5KY, HL5BTF and ZL1SN. They had a multi-band dipole in the palm trees, and an old TS-130 radio running 70 watts. They said, "However, it works quite nice." QSL all of them via HL5KY, direct or bureau. They planned to be mostly on CW around 14015 and 7010. "'Holiday' was the priority this time." Their plans had them returning to New Zealand yesterday.

EG7CRB is the special event callsign from Spain September 3-16 to mark the first hundred years of the Royal Betis football club. Members of the El Grupo RASE DX will have special prefixes too, AM, AN, AO and EG7. Ops will be on CW, SSB and digital on HF and VHF. There will be a special diploma and QSL card. <http://www.rasedx.com>

CE0Z/DL2AH, Juan Fernandez Island, will be on the air March 18-April 7 next spring, an update from the March 11-26 dates originally announced. The airline schedule caused the date change. Ulli will operate "holiday style" on 40-10M, mostly SSB and RTTY, with an FT-897 rig. QSL via DL2AH direct or bureau.

"A small group of satellite enthusiasts in the East Midlands of England are planning to operate a special event (GB) station to celebrate the forthcoming 50th anniversary of the world's first Earth orbiting satellite, SPUTNIK ONE, from October third for one month," says G8ATE.

W9ILY says his plans for FP, St. Pierre et Miquelon, have just been confirmed, while he was away for three weeks that included RTTY operating in the NAQP event from North Dakota. He will be joined by K9MDO, Bob, on the French islands. Their callsigns will be FP/W9ILY and FP/K9MDO. They will be on as early as the evening of Wednesday, September 12 and continue through September 18. They plan to operate from the "Maxotel" used by previous operations, 80-10M, concentrating on SSB (FP/K9MDO mostly) and digital modes (FP/W9ILY mostly). They will each have a TS-570D(G) rig, 100 watts, and antennas donated by previous expeditions. They say weight restrictions are strict on Air St. Pierre but verticals with a seawater foreground should work well. QSL FP/W9ILY direct or bureau. He will have the QSO info on LoTW "ASAP following the DXpedition." QSL FP/K9MDO via W9NJB direct or bureau. W9ILY, John, says it will be a laidback operation for maximum enjoyment, not an around-the-clock operation. He's sorry he'll be missing the W9DXCC convention but hopes the "Big Gun DXers" will remember him.

P41USA will be a special Aruba callsign to mark the anniversary of the "9/11" (2001) attack on the U.S. W3BTX/P49T and P4/W3TEF have the call for September 1-15. They've also gotten (U.S.) National Park Service permission to use some New York photos on the special QSL. They will be on 160-6M, possibly several bands at once. QSL via W3TEF direct with SASE or via the bureau.

CT1RVM/p will be on August 18-19 for International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend. This one will be from the Cabo Raso lighthouse in Portugal, 40, 20, 15 and 10M SSB. Look for them near 7070, 14270, 21370 and 28370. All QSOs will get bureau QSLs.

Correction

FW0MD listed in QSN Friday should have been FW0MO.

Silent Key

N6FF, Dick Wolf, ex-KL7H, died on August 1. W6PBI, Bud, says Dick was the "top West Coast topbander" (#111 world) with 228 confirmed and adds that he was "a great op, technician, and friend of many. He traveled on many DXpeditions and gave many topbanders a new one."

Dick succumbed to cancer at the age of 68. His wife, Kay, two sons, and other family and friends gathered in Los Molinos, California, for the memorial service.

K3UT, George Moore, died while working at home in Annapolis, Maryland. A PVRC member and W3AO Field Day operation generator and power distribution specialist, George worked for the Voice of America for many years, including overseas assignments where he held the callsigns CN8VL, SV0GM, A22GM and DJ0MDP. He previously had held the U.S. callsign W9VL. George was the Deputy Director of the International Broadcasting Bureau since June, 2006 and was the Director of Engineering from 2000-2006. He joined VOA in 1981 as a transmitter technician in Botswana. K4ZW reports he had just attended a meeting in George's office last Wednesday to talk about an overseas project and George told him his plans to put up a Rohn 65 tower and MonstIR antenna at his home. W3YY, Bob, says George's sudden passing is a shock. He says, "My favorite story about George was the time that I was in Sao Tome, operating Charles's (S9SS) station. The pileups were like white noise. I worked this one station and had this uneasy feeling that I should know this person, although I didn't recognize the call. I asked. George came back and said 'I'm the guy who signs your performance appraisal!' In each person's career, one finds some really special friends and co-workers. George was one of those people for me and I will really miss him." A memorial service will be held at St. Mary's Church, 109 Duke of Gloucester St., Annapolis, MD, on Wednesday, August 8 at 9:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the American Cancer Society.

KA1CSL, Rick Philibert, passed away in his sleep last Wednesday, apparently not long after signing off with his 80M buddies at 3AM, in good spirits. His friends say Rick was a fantastic operator, a caring person, an avid DXer with 317 countries confirmed mixed mode, all with a general class license which, as he himself said, "is not easy to do." In a QSO Tuesday evening with KN4SA, who had introduced him to digital modes, he noted he was just one short of Honor Roll. He was still waiting for his N8S and BS7H QSL cards. He had recently started operating the digital modes. Rick was also a music lover, a bass guitarist. Rick enjoyed getting instant QSLs but said he was from the older school. Licensed in 1979, he still had a desk set up with his Drake and Johnson Viking Valiant gear and a Hallicrafters SX-101 receiver. W4ZAN, Marcus, says

Rick was part of their 80M group for the last 11 years, "an extremely nice guy and a very avid DXer." His original callsign was KN4CSL. He was proud that he had worked all states on CW by 1985, now that code is not required. Relatives asked that in lieu of flowers, a donation be sent to the National Arthritis Fund.

QSN

403A - MONTENEGRO - 10117 at 2130Z, 7073 at 21Z, 14261 at 1850Z. 14287 at 1600Z, 21261 at 1530Z, 28495 at 1500Z, all in the European contest.

404A - MONTENEGRO - Dragan was on 10117 2130-22Z, 7013.5 at 20Z, 10102.5 at 1920Z, 28020 at 1400Z.

407A - MONTENEGRO - 18076 AT 1900z, 10103 AT 0720z, 10104 AT 0540z, 10106 AT 1810z, between 7000-7010 from 0445-0600Z. QSL via YT6T.

600F - SOMALIA - Filip is in Somalia for a few weeks, operating casually, 18125 from 1500-1630Z, 18088 at 13Z and 14220 from 0950Z.

9M6DXX - EAST MALAYSIA - Steve was on 14218 at 1125Z, and 14205 at 1150Z the day before. QSL via M5AAV.

FW0MO - WALLIS & FUTUNA - Mike was on 18082 0050-0130Z, 14002 and 1004 from 0000-0100Z, and 18081 from 2350Z.

FW0YL - WALLIS & FUTUNA - 75 METERS - Jan was on 3795 both the 4th and 5th, 0930-0950Z the 5th, 0945-1130Z (with a trip to 160 in the middle) on the 4th.

JW0HS - SVALBARD - 14192 AT 1745z, 14265 and before that 14267 in the 14, 15 and 16Z hours.

PY0FF - FERNANDO DE NORONHA - SSTV - 14233 at 1315Z, 14227.2 at 1240Z, 14232 from 2155Z the day before.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - PSK31 on 14070 and 14071.5, 2150-2215Z. RTTY on 14079.3 at 1940Z, 14078.3 and .5 in the 12 and 14Z hours.

XX9TTR - MACAO - 21275 at 02Z, 7002.5 from 2050-2230Z. QSL via VR2RR.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-017	JA6VDB/JR6	21240	0745	EU-136	9A/S53AU/P	7019	2315
EU-144	IR8DX	7018	2200	EU-144	IR8X	7018	2200
EU-146	PA1WLB/P	7074	1540	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	7074	1540
EU-148	F9DX/P	14260	1315	EU-148	F9DX/P	14260	1315
EU-160	RA1QV/1	14260	1810	EU-160	RA1QV/1	14260	1810
EU-170	9A/W1ADX	14258	0815	EU-170	9A/W1ADX	14258	0815
EU-174	SV2/M0DOL	14262	0925	EU-174	SV2/M0DOL	14262	0925

EU-175 CU3F	14079 2025	EU-175 CU3F	14079 2025
EU-185 RX9TX/6	14020 0650	EU-185 RX9TX/6	14020 0650
NA-036 VA7DJ	18143 2215	NA-036 VA7DJ	18143 2215
NA-092 N5EYT/5	14265 0120	NA-092 N5EYT/5	14265 0120
NA-102 FG/F1GMA/P	14085 2125	NA-102 FG/F1GMA/P	14085 2125
NA-107 TO1YR	21294 2040	NA-107 TO1YR	21294 2040

RK1B/o will be on Bering Island, AS-039, August 9-14. The operators are RV1CC, RA0FU, UA1ANA, UR3IFD, RV2FW, UA0ZC, UA0ZAZ, UA0ZCC and RV3ACA. QSL via RV1CC.

UE0LAA is on AS-066, Chikhachev Island, through tomorrow. The operators are RW0LBM, UA0LCZ, RU0LM and RW0LC. QSL via UA0LCZ direct or bureau.

CU2/DG1WIM, Falko, is on Sao Miguel, EU-003 until August 14th, holiday style. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

OZ/DL8WOW, Jens, is on Bornholm Island, EU-030, through August 17th, 40-10M, mostly CW, with his FT-897, 100 watts. QSL to his home callsign.

IF9A, Favignana Island, EU-054, is operators IT9ATF, IT9ORA, IT9NPR, IT9PPG, IT9RZU and IT9WDC, October 26-28 for the CQWW CW. They will be on all bands and modes. QSL via IT9ATF.

LA/PA3FMC will be on Utvar Island, EU-055, with operators PA3FMC and PE1BTV. They will be on from the lighthouse there and will get into International Lighthouse/Lightship weekend, all HF bands using SSB and BPSK, and 6 and 2M meteor scatter. QSL via PA3FMC. They will be there August 16-22.
<http://la2007.dxpedition.nl/>

K6VVA/KL7 will be on Revillagigedo Island, Alaska, NA-041, September 7- 9, "holiday style" on 40, 30, 20 and 17, mostly CW. He will be in the four-hour-long CW sprint that Saturday. QSL via N6AWD.
<http://www.k6vva.com/iota/na041/>

W4SAR/p will be on Chincoteague Island, Virginia, famous for its wild horses, NA-083, August 12-24. Along with Dave, W4SAR, will be K4SAR, Joe. They will occasionally get on 6M SSB and 20M SSB and PSK31. QSL direct to W4SAR.

WA3EOP, Page, will be on from Kent Island, Maryland, NA-140, mobile on August 11th from 16-18Z. He will be in the MDC QSO Party, using 40 and 20M, SSB and CW. Look for him on 7230, 7060, 14266 and 14060. Most of his time will be on SSB - if he goes to CW it'll be slow speed. QSL to WA3EOP.

VK2IAY/4, with Steve, G0UIH, operating, will be on Great Keppel Island, OC-142, December 16-22. Most of his time will be spent on 14260 but he may go to 17 and 15 some, with his IC-706MK2G and wire dipoles. QSL direct or bureau.
<http://www.percy.me.uk/>

IK1ACX, Marco, will be on Pag Island, EU-170, August 11-18.

Chinese ops will be on JuHua Island, AS-151, August 10-12 signing home call stroke two. Examples given are BY1TT/2, BD1PTA/2 and BA3CE/2. This is reportedly a large group. QSL via BD1PTA.

IA5/IW1DFU, Fabio, will be on Elba Island, EU-028, August 12-31, mostly CW on 30 and 20 with some SSB on 40 and 20. He'll have 100 watts into a vertical or dipole. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

IM0/IK5XCT, Stefano, will be on Maddalena Island, EU-041, until August 13th. QSL via IK5XCT direct or bureau or e-mail for one from the
<http://www.qsl.net/ik5xct> site.

IS0/IZ1DSH and IS0/IK1WEG, Gerry and Giovanni, will be on from Sardinia, EU-024, 40-6, SSB and CW, August 8-20. They may make side trips to IM0, Spargi and Caprera, EU-041. QSL to their home calls, direct or bureau.

OH30J/P, Jukka, will be on Kaurissalo Island, EU-096, the afternoon of August 8 until the late morning of August 10.

UE1SNA/1, RA1QY/A and RN3GM/1 will be on from the EU-162 group August 9-14. QSL to their home calls. When they operate from a lighthouse, which they plan to some of the time, they will sign UE1RLH/1. QSL that one via RA1QY.

UR7GO/p and UR7GW/p were on the Sybjrski Islands, good for the Ukrainian Islands Award, August 4-5.

Seguin Island and its lighthouse, NA-137, are the destinations for N1URA, KB1IRZ, W1IF, W1SK and W1ZW for an operation August 11-12. It will be QRP CW with five watts and SSB using 10 watts. QSL direct to N1URA.

HL0Y/2 will be on Young Heung Do, January 13-18. This is AS-105. The operators are from YARRA, the Yonsei Amateur Radio Research Association of the Yonsei University in Seoul. They will be on CW and SSB. They will be equipped with a beam for 20, 15 and 10 and dipoles for 80 and 40, three rigs and an amplifier. QSL via HL0Y direct, YARRA, Yonsei University, 134 Shinchon-dong Seodaemun-gu, Seoul 120- 749, Korea, or via the bureau. AND, it appears HL0Y/2 may be on 15M only, August 11-14, a few days from now, as well.

J13DST/J14 and JS6RRR/J14 planned a quick operation from Kudamatsu- city, Yamaguchi Prefecture, AS-117, for August 4, from 03-08Z, on 40, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6M SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL bureau only.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled as a recurrent coronal hole comes around the edge of the Sun late in the day. Quiet to active conditions return tomorrow.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for August 4, 2007 was 11 for the second day in a row.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3Z90ZIM	SP5ZIM	HK4OBA	EA5KB	SN100S	SP9ZHR
A45WD	YO9HP	ID9/IK2SND	IK2SND	SN750C	SP9PZK
CO6WD	W0SA	II8IPY	I8ACB	S01EKO	DL1EKO
CO8LY	EA7ADH	IP2IPY	I2AZ	SV2/M0DOL	M0DOL
CU3F	CT1FMX	IR0IPY	IZ0HTW	SV2/OM3CGN	OM3CGN
E51AKY	HL5KY	IU2FV	IQ2MI	TM5VIN	F9KH
E51ASN	ZL1SN	IY6GM	I6GFX	TM7BA	F5NCU
E51BTF	HL5BTF	J79PAK	HB9CUA	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
EG1SMP	EA2BT	KH0/JE2HCJ	JE2HCJ	UE0LAA	UA0LCZ
EN80AL	UT8AL	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA	UE1NLO	RN1NA

ES1/MW0EDX	MW0EDX	N0T	K0BLT	V5/HB9PHJ	HB9PHJ
HB0/PC5A	PC5A	OH0/VE6MAA	VE6MAA	V60DU	JI6DUE
HC2/WC4H	WC4H	OL60HI	OK2PO	V60KL	JN3JBC
HC2SL	EA5KB	R100IF	RW4HO	V60TI	JA3UWB
HC7AE	EA7FTR	R30ZF	RZ9CVA	V60TX	JH3TXR
HF63PW	SP5KCR	RK0YWA/P	RA0WA	W5BOS/AL0	W5BOS
HH2FYD	F6FYD	RS90	UA9OBA	XX9TTR	VR2RR

We neglected to include the web page from VK3EW, when we published his request for DS4CNB info last week. Here is that link:
<http://picasaweb.google.com/VK3EW.DAVID/Qs1S/photo#5093693336761489490>

DJ2MX, Mario, says the last VK9DNX QSLs have been sent out. He'll now start working on the "Online QSL Request System, OQRS," requests, and then will do bureau cards. If you still want to send direct for one, he says 3 USD or 1 IRC are sufficient for returns to outside Europe.

It might be a good idea to hold off on using the JR8XXQ address in the Friday issue as there seems to be a disagreement on this one. K6TA, Ken, used the address we passed along on Friday - used it back on July third - and it came back marked "MOVED." He thinks perhaps Kimi just recently moved and hasn't gotten around to updating his address.

W8JV notes that a few 3Y0X (Peter I Island) QSOs were added to LoTW from the February, 2006 Dxpediton log. He says, "Must be Qs that I didn't get card checked at Dayton, 2006." 3Y0X QSL manager N200 tells us they were uploaded August third.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: BS7H, RX9FM, N8S, VK9DNX, VP8/LZ1UQ, VP8SSI, XU7ADI and YA/LY1Y.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: FY5FY, N2TK/NP2, J7R, EA8AH, SV5/DL3DRN, VK2KM and JS3CTQ.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 1A0KM, 3Y0X, 4O6T, 5W0TR, A25KDJ, E30NA, EU1PA, GJ2A, HG46FC, HK3CW, JW/G7VJR, OE2VEL, OJ0/SM0EPO, OK1CF, PJ2HQ, SK3GM, SP7FRO, SV0XAO, UA3AGW, V31MR, XE2WWW, XE1MM, ZF1A, ZL1BYZ and ZL1V.

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DX News

Yesterday EA5BYP, Elmo, announced a DXpedition to Bioko Island (AF- 010), Republic of Equatorial Guinea. It has been about five years since the last activity from this semi-rare one. The 3C7Y operation is expected to take place from October 5th to 14th. Team members of this one include KH7Y, EA5YN, EA5BRE and EA5BYP. Plans are to have two stations QRV for 10 days on all bands on CW, SSB and RTTY. "We will have six meters with us and will be QRV SSB/CW with 100 watts and a 5 element antenna" says, KH7Y, Fred. The QSL manager will be EA5BYP.

A multi-national group will be QRV from Montenegro and then Serbia including a stop at the World HST Championship Belgrade. The participants include K6MYC, N6TQS, I2MQP, JA1BK and UT5UT. First stop will be Montenegro September 17th to 21st. They will be operating as 4O1AO and 4O1M from the QTH of (ex?) YU6AO, Gojko. Activity is expected on HF as well as 2 and 6 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV and EME. On September 21st through 23rd they'll be at the HST. And finally they will wrap up with an operation from Serbia at the station of YT1AD, Hrane using the call YT5A.

The third annual SEDCO (South East DX and Contesting Organization) event will take place at the end of next month. This gathering will take place in Pigeon Forge, TN on September 28th and 29th. Speakers include:

K4SV, Dave Anderson: "Building your DX and Contesting Station on a Budget"
N4GG, Harold Kennedy: "HP1XX M/2 ARRL CW 2007 - Troubles in Paradise"
AA4NN, Joe Blackwell: "BS7H Operation 2007"
K4BAI, John Laney and KU8E, Jeffrey Clarke: "WRTC 2006 to Brazil"
N4CH, Herman Cone: "60 meters DXing"
W4PA, Scott Robbins: "Contesting at the VY2ZM PEI Super Station"
W4HZD, Willard Sitton: "Youth in our hobby"
K4UEE, Bob Allphin: "VU7RG, Lakshadweep Isl. (#2 most needed!)"

For more information on SEDCO check out their Web site at
www.sedco.homestead.com.

DL5SDF, Hans, is expected to be QRV from Mindanao, Philippines from August 10th to 28th. He will be using wire antennas and running 100 watts on CW. A license has been promised but the callsign is not known at this time. QSL, preferably via the bureau, to DL5SDF.

MARKET REEF, OJ0B and OJ0MI
By OH2BN, Jarmo Jaakola

The Nordic team of OH0RJ, OH2BH, OH2PM, SM0W and SM6U will try landing on Market Reef Saturday, August 11, around 1600 UTC with two stations and may appear on the air on that night as OJ0B. They will do CW and SSB until Thursday, August 16. QSL via OH2BH.

On August 16, OH2HAN, OH2MZB and OH2LU will be swapping the operating duties, weather permitting, and will air OJ0MI focusing on RTTY but also the weekend's (August 18/19) lighthouse activity. QSL via OH2HAN.

CW at .025 kHz and on SSB 3790, 7040, 14190, 18140, 21290 kHz. Over the lighthouse weekend 14250-14260 kHz will be used.

They will run the latest FT2000 radios and SteppIR antennas.

The Finnish Lighthouse Society has been active repairing the lighthouse for this summer and you may wish to follow their activities which include daily reporting and interesting general details.

<http://www.lighthousesociety.fi/eng/>

If you are a stamp collector or wish to receive your QSL card with unique Market Reef stamps you may send SASE with 7 Euros (10 USD) as your donation to the Finnish Lighthouse Society through respective QSL managers.

If you wish to tour the Reef in the spirit of adventure, you may follow in the footsteps of the 2005 OJ0B activity:

<http://www.kolumbus.fi/oh2bn/pagemarket.htm>

Corrections

In yesterday's issue we listed W5BOS as the QSL manager for W5BOS/AL0. This was incorrect. The QSL manager is N6AWD for this recent activity from NA-238.

Also in yesterday's issue there was a story of WA3EOP, Page, heading to Kent Island, Maryland. Kent Island no longer qualifies for IOTA NA-140.

QSN

404A - MONTENEGRO - Several US East Coast 30 meter ops found Dragan on 10103 yesterday after 22Z. QSL via QRZ.COM.

406DZ - MONTENEGRO - Rajko (ex YU6DZ) was reported on 10109 after 16Z on Monday. QSL via QRZ.COM.

5H3WA - TANZANIA - Anders was on 20 CW (14010) around 19Z yesterday. QSL via SM0HPL.

600F - SOMALIA - Filip showed up on 18125 between 1430 and 1600Z working all across Europe. QSL via ON4TA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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EU-003	CU1BP	14036	1548	EU-133	SP5OXJ/P	14082	2157
EU-004	EA6/DK1RF	14073	1708	EU-136	9A/S53AU/P	14015	0713
EU-019	UA9XKB/FJL	14081	1647	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14024	2103
EU-024	IS0/IZ3DBA	7009	2046	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	14254	1349
EU-024	IS0DFC	14263	1951	EU-160	RA1QKI/1	14180	0945
EU-042	DK8OL	10108	0655	EU-160	UA1QV/1	14023	0847
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28460	0715	EU-170	9A4A	18072	1539
EU-075	SV1EQU/8	14258	1706	EU-170	9A6AJ/P	14266	1025
EU-098	DH8WLA/P	10100	2052	EU-175	CU3F	14195	0123
EU-123	GB5BBS	14245	1725	OC-143	YB4IR	14070	1450

Members of the Greater Norwalk Amateur Radio Club plan to operate from Sheffield Island (NA-136) on August 18 and 19. Operators include N1ZZ, AA1XV, KA1CVV, WB2HTJ, W1CF, N1OLO, NA1SV and K1WYQ.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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7-Aug	7-Aug	9A	9A/W1ADX (EU-170)	IN3DEI		11-134
7-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
7-Aug	9-Aug	CE	CE/K0MD			11-140
7-Aug	14-Aug	CU	CU2/DG1WIM (EU-003)	DG1WIM		11-149
7-Aug	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
7-Aug	9-Aug	CU	CU3F (EU-175)	CT1FMX		11-119
7-Aug	8-Aug	D4	D44TD EME DXpedition			11-132
7-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6			11-113
7-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
7-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
7-Aug	12-Aug	F	TM0FIL	F6KPQ		11-144
7-Aug	19-Aug	F	TM2HRH	F6KTN		11-149
7-Aug	20-Aug	FG	FG/F1JXQ	F1JXQ	11-138	135
7-Aug	7-Aug	FP	FP/VO1NA	VO1MRC		11-138
7-Aug		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
7-Aug		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
7-Aug	7-Aug	G	GB100J			11-135
7-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
7-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
7-Aug	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
7-Aug	13-Aug	I	IM0/IK5XCT	IK5XCT		11-149
7-Aug	8-Aug	I	IT9MRM (EU-025)	IT9MRM		11-144
7-Aug	19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX		11-144
7-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB	IZ8GCB		11-135
7-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134
7-Aug	7-Aug	KL7	W5BOS/AL0 (NA-238)	N6AWD	11-147	112
7-Aug	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB		11-134
7-Aug	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
7-Aug	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
7-Aug	12-Aug	OH0	OH0/DJ3KR (EU-002)	DJ3KR	11-148	144
7-Aug	17-Aug	OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-149	144 021
7-Aug	17-Aug	SV9	SV9/OO9O/p (EU-015)	ON7SS	11-149	145
7-Aug	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL1RTL (EU-014)			11-138
7-Aug	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL2RMC (EU-014)			11-138
7-Aug	11-Aug	TK	TK/IK5WOB (EU-014)	IK5WOB		11-139

7-Aug	8-Aug	UA	UE3SFF/1	RU3SD	11-149
7-Aug	7-Aug	UA	UE4CGT	UA4CDV	11-149
7-Aug	7-Aug	UA0	UE0LAA (AS-066)	UA0LCZ	11-149 144
7-Aug	31-Aug	UR	EM15B		11-144
7-Aug	7-Aug	VK	VK4ACV	W8ERI	11-076
7-Aug	1-Sep	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
7-Aug	15-Aug	VP6	VP6AL	ZL1UFB	11-137
7-Aug	9-Aug	VP9	VP9/W9JA		11-147
7-Aug	7-Aug	VP9	VP9/WA4PGM	WA4PGM	11-147
7-Aug	9-Aug	VQ9	VQ9JC	ND9M	11-148
7-Aug	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active with a chance for minor storm periods at high latitudes as the current disturbance continues. Conditions should decline to mostly unsettled by Wednesday and should be predominantly quiet by Thursday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for August 5, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5H3EE	DL4SM	IS0/IZ3DBA	IZ3DBA	TM2HRH	F6KTN
5H3WA	SM0HPL	IY6GM	I6GFX	T01USB	F1JXQ
600F	ON4TA	LX2007G	LX1KC	UA9ZZ/P	RW3RN
EA8/OK2ZI/P	OK2ZI	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	UE4CGT	UA4CDV
EP2OD	PIRATE	PA10WSJ	PA3DHR	W5BOS/AL0	N6AWD
HF15SZL	SP5PSL	PY6/DG7DCL	DG7DCL	YU60BCD	YU7BCD
HZ1IK	DK7YY	SC300VL	SK6HD	Z360M	Z37M

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YT1AD, Hrane tells K2GPL, Ev, that 5000 more N8S QSLs were mailed in the last few days. Hrane thinks it will take about 10-20 days for delivery of this most recent mailing.

V51AS, Frank, has a new mail drop address in Germany. Back in February the reported address was: Steinhauser, Schlobstr. 68A, 82140 Olching, GERMANY. The new mail drop address is Heinrich, Heine Str. 35, 72555 Metzingen, GERMANY. This is not a QSL manager.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3B7SP, 5B4AIF, 5Z4/9A3A, BS7H, FK8GX, HC7AE, IM0/IV3IYH, OD5NJ, VK6DXI (OC- 001), VR2BG, ZC4LI

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4L1MA, 4O3T, 5Z4DZ, 9M2TO, 9M6/JA3EGZ, AH2R, EA8AH, JE7IZM/JD1, OH0ZZ, R1ANT, T88XZ, XU7TAS,

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

On The WWW

Contester extraordinaire K0DQ, Scott Redd, is once again in the news at <http://www.federaltimes.com/index.php?S=2945016>.

The August 2007 issue of NIAR Ham News is now available at: http://www.niar.org/hamnews/HamNews_August_2007.pdf.

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DX News

N7OU, Bill, is heading back to the Cook Islands. Look for him to be QRV as E51NOU from Rarotonga, South Cooks from October 8th to November 3rd, including "a casual effort in the CQ WW SSB Contest". He'll be operating on 10 through 80 meters mostly on CW running low power.

While there he'll be "on a work schedule during weekdays and operating will be limited" to his free time. QSL via N7OU.

W1AI, J.C., will be QRV from Providenciales (NA-002), Turks and Caicos Islands as VP5/W1AI from September 1 to 8. Look for activity on 6 through 160 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via W1AI.

K7CA, Al, is expected back in Chile starting the third week of December 2007 through February 2008. Look for him to be QRV as CE1/K7CA. He likes 160 meters.

XQ1IDM and CE6TBN/1 will be on the air as XR1H from Huasco lighthouse (ARLS CHI-081) on CW and SSB on 15 through 40 meters during the Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend (<http://illw.net/>) August 18 and 19. QSL via HALAG either via the bureau or direct.

G3TXF, Nigel, plans to operate as PJ2G from the PJ2T multi-multi station on Curacao during the WAE CW Contest this weekend. He has a Web page at www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/PJ2G/PJ2G.html. QSL via G3TXF.

Italian ops IZ2DPX, Giovanni, and IW2NEF, Flavio, will be operating from Malbun, Liechtenstein as HB0/IZ2DPX and HB0/IW2NEF on September 1, 2 and 3. They will be QRV on HF as well as 2 meters and 70 MHz.

They are trying to get a full HB0 call. QSL via the bureau or direct.

QSN

600F - SOMALIA - Filip likes 14245 as he was there yesterday between 1410 and 1600Z and again today from 05 to 06Z. QSL via ON4TA.

A52SW - BHUTAN - Steve started up yesterday on 14180 just before 1100Z and then moved to 14173 just after 1100Z. QSL via K2AU.

EX2F - KYRGYSTAN - 30 meter ops from Europe found Belek on 10107 at 1830Z. QSL via RW6HS.

V85SS - BRUNEI - W5 and W7 ops on 30 meters found this one on

10105 just before 1200Z yesterday.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Tom was doing PSK on 20 meters
Tuesday at 0615Z. QSL via ZL2HGR.

IOTA

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EU-014	IR8DX	14020	2109	EU-160	RA1QKI/1	14174	1037
EU-024	IS0/IZ3DBA	7006	2045	EU-160	UA1QV/1	14265	1316
EU-029	OZ1BTE	14254	0933	EU-170	9A4A	14260	1707
EU-041	IM0/IK5XCT	7008	2134	EU-171	OZ/DB1NT/P	28480	1354
EU-045	IB0/IZ2ACD	14256	1607	EU-173	OH1LU/P	14254	1029
EU-052	SV8CS	10140	2040	EU-175	CU3F	14265	1758
EU-055	LA1QDA	14072	1557	EU-187	SV9CUF	14252	1523
EU-061	LA4RT	7013	0603	OC-044	VP6TS	14072	0117
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14257	0825	OC-054	FW0YL	7080	0529
EU-075	SV1EQU/8	14247	0717	SA-046	PY7MV	14206	2053
EU-096	OH1AXV	18142	1319	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14255	2203
EU-098	DH8WLA/P	10114	1848				

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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8-Aug	14-Aug	CU	CU2/DG1WIM (EU-003)	DG1WIM		11-149
8-Aug	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
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8-Aug	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
8-Aug	13-Aug	I	IM0/IK5XCT (EU-041)	IK5XCT		11-149
8-Aug	8-Aug	I	IT9MRM (EU-025)	IT9MRM		11-144
8-Aug	19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX		11-144
8-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IK1WEG (EU-024)	IK1WEG		11-149
8-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ1DSH (EU-024)	IZ1DSH		11-149
8-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB (EU-024)	IZ8GCB		11-135

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8-Aug	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB		11-134
8-Aug	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
8-Aug	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
8-Aug	10-Aug	OH	OH3OJ/P (EU-096)			11-149
8-Aug	12-Aug	OH0	OH0/DJ3KR (EU-002)	DJ3KR	11-148	144
8-Aug	17-Aug	OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-149	144 021
8-Aug	17-Aug	SV9	SV9/OO9O/p (EU-015)	ON7SS	11-149	145
8-Aug	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL1RTL (EU-014)			11-138
8-Aug	8-Aug	TK	TK/DL2RMC (EU-014)			11-138
8-Aug	11-Aug	TK	TK/IK5WOB (EU-014)	IK5WOB		11-139
8-Aug	8-Aug	UA	UE3SFF/1	RU3SD		11-149
8-Aug	31-Aug	UR	EM15B	UT1BC		11-144
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QSL Info

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7X5ST	7X2LS	EM15B	UT1BC	OH0/DJ3KR	DJ3KR
9A/S53AU/P	S53AU	IU0IPY	I0YKN	ON50EU	ON7YX
9A60K	9A7K	JW1CCA	LA1CCA	SA25QW	SK6QW
9A950JB	9A3JB	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	T94CT	K2PF
A52SW	K2AU				

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In yesterday's issue we reported the new mail drop address for V51AS. "Please note that "Heinrich" is not the name of c/o person for V51AS, but the name of Heine, the famous German poet" says IK1ADH, Valeria. The correct address should be:

Heinrich-Heine-Strasse 35
72555 Metzingen
Germany

G3UML, Laurie, has had some recent success confirming some old QSOs.
Here are a few of them:

FR7ZL/T (1977) via FR5ZL
FO0FB (1981) via WB6GFJ
AH3C (1990) via K9UIY
HH2PK (1994) via N3SL
FK8GM (1999) via WB2RAJ

W4H (NA-141) contest QSLs are at the printer and will be answered once received from the printer. QSLs, with SASE or SAE and IRC or \$1 go to K4MM.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, BS7H, CO7PH/p (NA-086), HK1/AC8W, KG6DX, NE1RD/1 (NA-148), RK2FWA, YA/LY1Y

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5T5DY, 8P9NX, 9A0IARU, CT9L, CU3EQ, EA6/DH1PS/P, EA7FTR, ER4DX, GB4CI (EU-124), IF9A, K0ARY/VP9, K1BV, KP4BME, LA/DG5XJ (EU-055), LZ13ARDF, LZ1900K, MJ/N1NK, RA1QY/P (EU-153), RW2F, S9SS, TK5EF, V25AP, VC3A, YI9LZ, ZD8Q

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 1A0KM, AD4TR, CQ9T, CT2GQN, DH6JL, EA1JO, GP0STH, HB9ICC, K0RU, K8ND, LU1BR, N4AF, N8BJQ, NP3D, OT4A, VK9DNX, VP2MCS (1999), W1UE/VE1, W5VX, YV6BTF

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DX News

Yesterday the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) replaced the callsign series prefix block of Bosnia and Herzegovina (BiH) from T9 to E7. The change, which has been in the works for many years now, is because of the use of the T9 prefix by minority groups (Serbs and Coatis) operating from within BiH. If we look back into history this area was occupied by the Turks about 500 years ago and the minorities did not want to use the T9 prefix because of the T (Turkey) in the T9 prefix. This is a very sensitive issue.

Bosnia is divided into two parts. The Bosniak/Croat Federation side, which is about 51%, and the Bosnian Serb-led Republika Srpska (RS), which is about 49%. Herzegovina has a majority of Croats on the west with an ethnic Serb minority on the east.

BiH gained its independence from Yugoslavia in March of 1992. At that time they were using the 4N4, 4O4, YT4, YU4 and YZ4 prefixes. About a year later, in mid 1993, the ITU issued the T9 prefix to the breakaway emerging republic.

After the breakaway republic gained its independence many of the Serbian Amateur Radio operators in BiH refused to use the T9 prefix. Many were using the made up X5 prefix operating from the Republika Srpska. During this time QSOs with X5 stations did not count for DXCC and many contests, as this was not an officially recognized ITU prefix. After abandoning the unofficial X5 prefixes a few switched over to the YU4 prefix, yet still operating within BiH!

"While it probably will take some time for the BiH administration to implement this change, it should put to an end the use of call signs outside the ITU-allocated call sign block by stations in parts of BiH", says IARU Secretary K1ZZ, Dave Sumner. With this new E7 prefix it is hoped that all Amateur Radio operators within the borders of Bosnia and Herzegovina will use the correct callsigns. Now that this has been completed Serbia will soon officially start using the YU4 prefix within its borders. The exact dates of when the Amateur Radio operators from BiH will begin to use the new E7 prefix is not known but should be very soon. You can read more on the ARRL Web site at <http://www.arrl.org/?artid=7644> and you can keep an eye on the Bosnia and Herzegovina Communications Regulatory Agency Web site at <http://www.cra.ba/index.aspx>.

G3RWF, Nick, plans to head to Uganda in late November including participation in the CQ WW CW DX Contest. Look for him to be QRV as 5X1NH from November 21st to 30th. First from Kampala between the 21st and 26th and then in Western Uganda for the remaining days. Activity will be mostly on the low bands along with 12, 17 and 30 meters.
He'll be doing CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via G3RWF.

During the upcoming (August 18/19) International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend (ILLW) VP8LGT will be QRV from Cape Pembroke Lighthouse on East Falkland, Falkland Islands (SA-002). QSL via VP8ON.

GM0IIO, George, will be QRV as EA8/GM0IIO from Playa Blanca, Canary Islands (AF-004) from August 10th to 16th. He'll be on 20 CW and SSB using an FT857 and fishing pole vertical antenna. QSL via GM0IIO.

The FOC News Sheet says 8P6DR will be activated from September 27th to October 14th by G3RWL, Richard. He'll be using a K2/100 mostly on CW with some digital activity, including the CQ WW RTTY Contest. Look for him on 10 through 80 meters. QSL via G3RWL; also check his QRZ.COM listing for 8P6DR.

N1DG, Don Greenbaum, is heading to the Middle East and plans to operate from the United Arab Emirates sometime between August 15th and 18th. He'll concentrate on RTTY.

Tris one of the VP8ROT ops will take part in an expedition connecting Rothera to Mont Reeves in central Adelaide Island from August 10th to 17th. Look for him to be QRV as VP8/MM0TJR/p on 14.315 MHz, probably around the 18-20Z time frame. He'll be running 30 watts.

If all goes as planned PE1RMN, Joost, hopes to be QRV from Georgia as 4L/PE1RMN any day now through the end of September. He has completed his application and hopes to be QRV on 6 and possibly 2 meters. You can SMS him at 0031-620-426420. QSL via the bureau.

G0SGB, Steve, plans to be active from several lighthouses on Crete (EU- 015). He'll be operating as SV9/G0SGB/p from September 12th to 25th. QSL via G0SGB.

The Maryland QSO Party will take place this weekend. W3CQH/r plans to operate from every county in Maryland. Watch for the multi-op effort near the following frequencies: 50.160, 28.425, 21.275, 14.245, 7.185, 3.875 MHz.

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600F - SOMALIA - Filip started out yesterday on 14245 at 0500Z and was later (1230Z) found on 14240 and again at 1430 to 1600Z. QSL via ON4TA.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Akira was reported on 7058 from 1730 until after 1900Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

CX7CO - URUGUAY - Several Japanese 30 meter ops worked Carlos on the long path on 10108 just after 20Z yesterday.

FW0MO - WALLIS AND FUTUNA - Mike had an opening to New England yesterday on 14004 at 0230Z. QSL via OM2SA.

HC2/WC4H - ECUADOR - Carl likes 20 CW between 2200 and 0000Z.

XV9TH - VIETNAM - Japanese and Australian PSK ops were working Torsten on 14072 at 10Z on Wednesday. QSL via SK7AX.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-018	IH9YMC	14200	2004	EU-096	OH3OJ/P	10108	1728
EU-011	M1IOS	14248	1147	EU-098	DH8WLA/P	7031	0932
EU-012	MM0XAU	14003	2120	EU-125	OZ/DK4DS/P	7022	0549
EU-015	SV9GPV	28495	1815	EU-132	SP5OXJ/1	14022	0735
EU-020	SL1FRO	14260	1424	EU-136	9A/IW0QO	14091	2113
EU-024	IS0/IK1WEG	14008	2212	EU-136	9A/S53AU/P	14021	1451
EU-024	IS0/IZ1DSH	14263	1332	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	14254	1548
EU-029	OZ1BTE	14251	1019	EU-160	RA1QKI/1	14177	0713
EU-030	OZ/DL7AWX	28450	1725	EU-160	UA1QV/1	14177	0808
EU-030	OZ/DL8WOW	7003	2126	EU-165	IM0MBP	14082	1307
EU-045	IB0/IZ2ACD	14242	1738	EU-170	9A/IZ3CGL	14260	0848
EU-061	LA4RT	10114	2028	EU-170	9A5JR/P	18078	1846
EU-067	SV1FXN/8	14260	1820	EU-175	CU3F	14260	1204
EU-075	SV1EQU/8	14255	1623				

Medes Island (EU-087) is a semi-rare one and may becoming more difficult to activate starting next year as authorities are expected to closed the park to visitors. A 10 member Spanish team is planning to operate from a lighthouse (ARLHS SPA-161) on Medes on August 25th and 26th with special call EG3MED. They will have two complete stations with activity on all bands on SSB and CW. Team members include EA2RC, EA3AGB, EA3CHZ, EA3ESZ, EA3FKX, EA3GHZ, EA3NM, EA5EOR, EB3GGU and EC7AKV. EA3GM is the QSL manager and will be sending special QSL cards.

Look for DF0WFB to be QRV from Hallig Island (EU-042) from August 17th to 20th.

JN4EQH/6 will be QRV from Naga Island (AS-012) on SSB on HF on August 11th and 12th. QSL via JN4EQH.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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9-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
9-Aug	9-Aug	CE	CE/K0MD			11-140
9-Aug	14-Aug	CU	CU2/DG1WIM (EU-003)	DG1WIM		11-149
9-Aug	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
9-Aug	9-Aug	CU	CU3F (EU-175)	CT1FMX		11-119
9-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
9-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
9-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4XA	ON4XA		11-109
9-Aug	12-Aug	F	TM0FIL	F6KPQ		11-144
9-Aug	19-Aug	F	TM2HRH	F6KTN		11-149
9-Aug	20-Aug	FG	FG/F1JXQ	F1JXQ	11-138	135
9-Aug		FW	FW0MO (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
9-Aug		FW	FW0YL (OC-054)	OM2SA		11-140
9-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
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9-Aug	10-Aug	HS	E21EIC/8			11-134
9-Aug	13-Aug	I	IM0/IK5XCT (EU-041)	IK5XCT		11-149
9-Aug	19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX		11-144
9-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IK1WEG (EU-024)	IK1WEG		11-149

9-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ1DSH (EU-024)	IZ1DSH	11-149
9-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB (EU-024)	IZ8GCB	11-135
9-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP		11-134
9-Aug	18-Aug	KH6	by NN50		11-099
9-Aug	9-Aug	LA	LA/DB5YB (EU-055)	DB5YB	11-134
9-Aug	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
9-Aug	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
9-Aug	10-Aug	OH	OH3OJ/P (EU-096)		11-149
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9-Aug	14-Aug	UA	UE1SNA/1 (EU-162)	RA1QY	11-149
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5H0RS	IT9YVO	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
600F	ON4TA	HA50KNA	HA3KNA	XV9TH	SK7AX
A52AM	JA0JHA	HF580LP	SP5XSL	YP0IP	YO8TLC

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau: HQ9F, LZ80R, SV8/SP6GVU (EU-174), TM6X, UA6AIR/p (EU-185)

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: CT2GQN, W1UE/VE1, VK9DNX

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9M6DXX, Steve, tells us that G4HCL, Chris Lorek, has authorized Steve to inform everyone that he plans to be active from Sana, Yemen, once again. Chris was scheduled to operate from Yemen in May 2002 but had to cancel due to a family member's illness. He is expected to be QRV as 70/G4HCL from Monday August 13 until early on Wednesday August 15.

Chris has written permission and official authority to operate on all HF amateur bands under supervised conditions, but warns that it may or may not be possible to obtain the specific documentation that satisfies DXCC requirements. WFWL! This is not a DXpedition but a business trip, and operation will therefore only be when possible and is only likely to be for short periods at a time. Chris will be using

1 KW to a professional biconical monopole communications antenna. Activity will be SSB only, and probably only on 20 meters (look between 14170 and 14260 KHz). QSL information for this operation is direct only to G4HCL, Chris Lorek, P.O. Box 400, Eastleigh SO53 4ZF, UK.

NE1RD will travel to St. Kitts (NA-104) for the CQ WW DX SSB contest operating V4/NE1RD as SOAB LP. This is a 100 Pound DXpedition with ultra light gear. Details can be found at <http://dexpedition-v4.com> and NE1RD's blog <http://100pounddexpedition.blogspot.com> .

N4EXA (ex T93M), Danny, will be using the call E7/N4EXA from Bosnia and Herzegovina starting today until he gets a new license, such as E73M or another callsign. Length of activity was not mentioned. QSL via K2PF or DJ2MX.

QSN

FW0MO - WALLIS AND FUTUNA - K1TG, Roger, reports calling CQ FISTS (www.fists.org) Thursday around 0345Z on 10118. He was surprised when Mike answered his CQ. No Mike is not a member of FISTS but it was a great catch! QSL via OM2SA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

PA3EXX, Johan, tells us his expedition to Rathbone Island (NA-243), part of Greenland's Coastal Islands North East, is still on schedule. Plans are to land on the island on August 19th and depart on the 23rd.

He did not get an XP callsign, as they only give them to residents, so Johan will sign OX/PA3EXX/P. He will be QRV from the rare HQ90 grid. QSL via PA3EXX.

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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10-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
10-Aug	12-Aug	BY	BA3CE/2 (AS-151)	BD1PTA		11-149
10-Aug	12-Aug	BY	BD1PTA/2 (AS-151)	BD1PTA		11-149
10-Aug	12-Aug	BY	BY1TT/2 (AS-151)	BD1PTA		11-149
10-Aug	14-Aug	CU	CU2/DG1WIM (EU-003)	DG1WIM		11-149
10-Aug	10-Aug	CU	CU2/WA1S	WA1S		11-127
10-Aug	16-Aug	EA8	EA8/GM0IIO (AF-004)	GM0IIO		11-152
10-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
10-Aug	12-Aug	F	F/ON4BEA	ON4BEA		11-109
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10-Aug	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-107
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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will become unsettled to active in response to a recurrent coronal hole. Active conditions are anticipated to persist through Saturday as high- latitude minor storm periods are possible. By Sunday, the coronal hole rotates out of a geoeffective position and conditions are expected to return to quiet.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for August 9, 2007 was 14.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL Manager SM5DQC, Osten Magnusson, reports there were some problems with the 9Q1TB log for QSOs between June 15th and June 29th. Yesterday the problems were resolved and can now be seen for all QSOs through August 8th at www.logsearch.de. QSLs for the missing time period began being mailed out yesterday.

R1ANF/p QSL cards have been printed and mailed to RK1PWA, reports UA6GG (ex UA6HPR) and DL5EBE.

OK1MP, Milos, reports he uploaded OL4HQ's contacts from the July 2007 IARU HF World Championships to LoTW.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: BS7H, JD1BMM

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: OL4HQ, PY2SRB

Corrections

Medes Island is not EU-087, as reported yesterday, but rather EU-078.

SP9SX, Danuta, is a YL not an OM!

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DX News

70/G4HCL is expected to start up today with short operating periods but possibly a good signal since he'll be using a commercial communications station, as we reported on Friday. 9M6DXX, Steve, has more info on Chris' operation. Steve says, "It's certainly going to be a tough one for anybody, what with the short duration and the fact that he will probably only be on for limited periods of time . . .

but, hey, surely any operation is better than none at all." Steve reiterates that this is not a DXpedition, so any operation will not be "pileup style," but "demonstration of Amateur Radio style" for local officials. Chris will be using professional SSB communications equipment that his company installed at a Yemeni government facility.

Steve has suggested to Chris that he e-mail a copy of his written authorization to the ARRL DXCC Desk to see whether it satisfies their requirements, "but I don't know if he has done this."

As a reminder FO0, Clipperton Island, will be on the air in early March. It will be the 30th anniversary of the 1978 FO0XA-XH expedition. The goal of N60X and his international team is to break 100,000 QSOs. Heading up organization and management efforts are N7CQQ and K4SV with sponsors Icom America, Acom, SteppIR and HeilSound lined up. www.clipperton2008.org

SM0W, Teemu, says the current OJ0B Market Reef operation is the first time internet service will exist on the reef. This will allow photos to be sent while the operation is going on. OJ0B started out with one station on the air with the second station being added overnight.
www.sm0w.com

5H9PD, Tanzania, will be on the air October 6-19. Operator W8FV, Pat, will be in Mwanza on the southern shore of Lake Victoria.

PY0FF, Andre, has beacons on six and two meters. PY0FF/B is on 50006.0 with 30 watts to a 5/8 wavelength Ringo vertical and on 144.298.9 with 50 watts to a seven-element horizontally polarized Yagi aimed at Europe. He is in grid square HI36TD.

CN3A will be the Moroccan contest call in the CQWW SSB October 27-28 for operators IK2QEI, IK2SGC, I2WIJ, IK2FFK and SV8CS. They'll be a multi-two from CQ Zone 33.

CN2R will also be in the CQWW SSB, with W7EJ operating, single band 160M. QSL via W7EJ.

K3IXD says he, W2GJ and K4QO will go to the Bahamas to put C6APR on the air in the CQWW SSB. They will be multi-single from Crooked Island, IOTA NA-113. `APR

is W2GJ's own callsign. `IXD has his own, C6AXC and K4QO has C6AQO to use outside the CQWW. They will be on 160- 6M CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via K3IXD.

The next Scandinavian YL Radio Association meeting will be in Ostersund, Sweden, August 23-26. Guest YLs will use the 8S3SYL callsign from the event. One op will be F5RPB, Evelyne.

A large group of operators will be on Grenada, apparently for the CQWW SSB, given the dates, October 25-30 inclusive. They are J3/AC8G, J3/K1EP, J3/KA7KUZ, J3/W8CAA, J3/W8GEX, J3/W8KKF, J3/WA8LOW, J3/WC4D, J3/N7AZ, J3/K0RH, J3/N0RB and J3/KI4QCS. It appears you should QSL each to his or her home callsign. Grenada is IOTA NA-024. On 6M, look for them on 50.110 USB.

VE1JF says the Radio Amateurs of Canada HF Band Planning Committee has made a proposal. You can read it at: http://www.rac.ca/service/RAC_Draft_HF_Band_PlanR1.pdf and comments are welcome, at rac.hfbpc.poll@gmail.com.

The Chatham Islands, ZL7, will be on the air October 5-18. Look for ZL7/SP5EAQ, ZL7/SP9PT and ZL7/SP9BQJ on SSB, CW and RTTY. Also along will be SWL SP9-31029, Jozef. Chatham is IOTA OC-038. QSL to their home callsigns.

NM7H, Bill, will be in Qatar approximately November 1-January 5. He will sign the call A7/G0MKT, operating mostly on CW with some PSK and SSB, on 40-10M. He is also available to go to 6 if it opens. Bill also has held the YI9WF callsign. QSL via NM7H, direct or bureau.

EA8/ON6ZK, Hans, will be in Tenerife, Canary Islands, AF-004, August 15-22, mostly on 20 and 17M SSB running 25 watts. QSL via his home call, via the bureau preferably.

TO1USB is F1JXQ's new callsign from FG, Guadeloupe. David will be there until August 18th. QSL to his home call in France.

HG5MISSION is a special callsign from Hungary for the Fifth International Congress for the New Evangelization, taking place in Budapest September 15-22. Look for the callsign on the air through the end of September. QSL via the bureau.

HC1/EA1APV, Marcos, will be on from Catacachi, Ecuador, September 21- October 20. He will be on the air in his spare time; he's working on an "international cooperation project." QSL to his home call.

ON4WAR will be a special callsign September 1-2 as a tribute to the World War II Belgian "resistance." Operators from the Radio Club de Binche will have old rigs such as a "Paraset" and "TR6" sending CW on 40M from the "Refuge B40" drop zone in Waudrez. There will also be some SSB operators on 40. There will be a special QSL. QSL info will come from ON7RY. <http://www.on7ry.be>.

SV9/ON5NT, Ghis, will be on Crete, operating holiday style, August 16-23 and Monaco, 3A/ON5NT, September 24-28. He says both are holiday trips, so don't expect a big signal and probably there will be no 160 or 80M from SV9. QSL via his home call.

A new-style callsign, 9H20, 9-H-twenty, will be used in Malta September 8-October 1. PG9W/9H3ON, Wim, says a group of Dutch operators got it to mark the 20th year of their visits to Malta. 9H20 will be on 80-6M. QSL via PB9ZR (aka 9H3ZR), Ruben van der Zwet, Barentzstraat 1, 2161 TJ Lisse, The Netherlands. All direct QSLs received by the end of the year will be answered direct. After that, all replies will go via the bureau. And, they say, "Please, no IRCs!"

Spain has authorized AM, AN and AO prefixes for September 3-December 9. These will correspond to EA, EB and EC prefixes, to mark the 75th anniversary of the "Plenipotentiary Conference of the International Telegraphic Union."

HI3T is a special callsign for HI3TEJ, Ted, for the CQWW RTTY DX Contest September 29-30. Ted will be single op low power. QSL via ON4IQ.

J49XF, Crete, will be in the Russian RTTY contest September 1-2, with G3URA, Dick, operating. He will use this callsign again for the CQWW CW November 24-25, single op all band. QSL via G3URA direct or bureau.

SU8BHI, Egypt, will be on from Cairo September 21-November 30, CW, RTTY, SSTV, PSK and some SSB. Operator HA3JB, Gab, plans to get in the CQWW RTTY DX Contest September 29-30 and other contests during his stay. QSL via HA3JB.
<http://www.qsl.net/ha3jb>.

The International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend is this coming weekend. Organized by the Ayr Amateur Radio Group, it starts at 0001Z August 18 and runs through 2359Z the 19th. Full info is on <http://illw.net> and a list of stations planning to be on is at http://illw.net/2007_list.htm.

CQ7C will be on from the lighthouse at Cabo Carboeiro, Portugal. The ops will be CT1CSY and CT2GZB. QSL via CT2GZB direct or bureau.

CQ5N will be at the Nazare Lighthouse in Portugal, with operators from the Associacao de Radioamadores do Distrito de Leiria. QSL via CT6ARL direct only.

CT1RVM/p will be at the lighthouse at Cabo Raso, Portugal. This one, by the Associacao de Radioamadores da Vila de Moscavide, will be on 40, 20, 15 and 10M SSB. Cards will be sent via the bureau for all QSOs.

CV7FARO will be at the Colonia del Sacramento lighthouse in Uruguay. "Faro" means "lighthouse," in Spanish. The Radio Club Colonia will have three stations on the air, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10M, plus VHF and UHF. QSL via CX1FA.

CV1AA will be on the Puerto del Buceo-West Breakwater, Uruguay, from 22Z August 17 until 01Z on the 20th with at least two stations, 160- 10M CW and SSB. QSL direct to the Radio Club Uruguayo, P.O. Box 37, 11000, Montevideo, Uruguay.

II4GOR, Italy, will be at the Goro Lighthouse, SSB and CW on all bands, with I3EJ, I3LDP, IK3JBP, IK3MZS and IW3Ilp operating. QSL via IK3MZS direct or bureau.

SN2NP will be at the lighthouse at the Gdansk Nowy Portn in Poland, August 17-19. QSL via SP2BIK direct or bureau.

TC1LHW, Turkey, will be at the Karaburun Lighthouse for the lighthouse weekend. TA1FR and TA1HZ will be operating. QSL via TA1FR.

TF1IRA will be at Iceland's Lighthouse of Knarraros for the lighthouse weekend. This will be done by the Icelandic Radio Amateurs club.

GJ, Jersey for DXCC purposes, will be on the air with ops from the Cambridge University Wireless Society. GH6UW/p will be on Les Minquiers Islands, EU-099, for 48 hours some time between September 3- 7. QSL via M0BLF direct or bureau. While on Jersey itself the ops will sign GJ7VJR/p (QSL via G7VJR), MJ0BLF/p (QSL via M0BLF), MJ0TDG/p (QSL via M0TDG) and GJ3ZAY/p (QSL via G3ZAY).

Silent Key

W2ONV, "the voice of Saddle Brook, New Jersey," has passed away.

Sareno J. "Bill" Salerno passed away yesterday after a two-month illness. Bill was a beacon on 14178 with a very big signal.

QSN

E7/N4EXA - BOSNIA & HERZOGEVNIA - Danny was the first to sport the new prefix from BiH. You can QSL via DJ2MX or K2PF. Also on the air were E7/OE1EMS and E7/DL5KBA. E7/N4EXA was on 14192 SSB and 14086 RTTY.

FO/N6JA - FRENCH POLYNESIA - 160 METERS - 1821.3 or so at 1015Z. Also, 10106 at 03Z. FO/OE1MWW and FO5JV have also been active, mostly on 20M SSB.

FW0MO - WALLIS AND FUTUNA - Mike was last reported early on Saturday, GMT, on 20 and 17 CW.

OJ0B - MARKET REEF -14190 from 07-10Z. QSL via OH2BH.

T88NT - PALAU - 18070 at 2345Z, 18135 at 2235Z, 14208 from 2130-2230Z, 7006 from 1400-1440Z, 10105 from 1240-1330Z, 18145 at 12Z. QSL via JJ2NYT.

XX9TJS - MACAO - 80 meters working all the North American openings. Also, 14002 at 22Z, 14063 1550-1630Z, 7007 at 1140Z, 18070 and 18072 0940-1020Z. QSL via JMLLJS.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-030	ZD9BCB	14315	1815	EU-075	SV1EQU/8	14259	1920
AS-030	JD1/JE7IZM	21245	0515	EU-139	7S2S	14263	1215
EU-004	EA6NB	10106	0635	EU-144	IR8DX	18075	1835
EU-012	MM0XAU	18072	1320	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	14254	1150
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	14006	1550	EU-162	UA1QDD/1	14180	1815
EU-030	OZ/DL6DQI	10104	1840	EU-165	IM0/IK1WEG	10109	1430
EU-037	SM7DAY/P	14260	1330	EU-170	9A6AA/P	7077	0900
EU-045	IB0/IZ2ACD	14262	1725	EU-171	OZ/DB1NT	28480	1330
EU-046	LA1CI	14253	0920	NA-102	TO1USB	14190	2030
EU-053	OJ0B	3786	2055	OC-134	ZL4IR	7068	0440
EU-072	SV0YD/8	14258	1000				

VA3QSL will be camping on Chincoteague Island, NA-083, Virginia August 27-31 and will activate both Chincoteague and Assateague (NA-139). He will be around the popular IOTA frequencies on a "random/vacation mode basis." He will sign VA3QSL/W4. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

The Association of Radioamateurs of Venezuela and the Grupo DX Caracas plan an IOTA expedition to Las Aves Islands, SA-051, for Venezuelan Navy Day 2007. This operation will be August 27-31. This is NOT "Aves Island," YV0, for DXCC. The callsign for this IOTA operation will be YW5AS. This one will be on HF SSB, CW, digital, and VHF FM. QSL via DL3AMA.

South Korea's Anseong DX Club plan to put HL0LPM/3 on the air from Taenanji Island, AS-080, August 19-21. Operators 6K2BWA, DS2GWM, DS2GXU, DS2LLD and HL2CFY will be on 160-6M CW, SSB, and RTTY. They will have beams and amps. QSL via 6K2BWA, Song, 104-1004 Daewood Apt., Dangwang Dong Anseong, Gyeonggi 456-705, South Korea, bureau or direct.

IK1WEG and IZ1DSH have obtained permission from the Italian Coast Guard to land on and operate from Tavolara Island, EU-165. This is planned to begin at 09Z August 12. Look for them on 40, 20 and 6M SSB and CW signing IM0/(their callsign). QSL to the individual home call or via the bureau.

F5KAQ/P will be on Tombelaine Island, EU-156, an operation by the Granville ARC, on HF and 2M SSB. The Granville ARC is in West Normandy, Manche Department. Tombelaine is the rock in front of the picturesque and famous Mont Saint Michel. Look for this one from 18Z August 24 until 12Z August 26. QSL via F5RJM via the bureau or direct, and if direct, enclose SAE and sufficient postage. The address: Denis Villemin, 4 Le Flaquet, F50470 Tollevast, FRANCE.

HL5YI, Chae, will be on Sorok Island, AS-060 for a few-day operation starting August 19. He will be on 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10M CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

9A/IZ3GNG, Marco, will operate from Primosten, Croatia August 16-19 and from Brac Island, EU-016, August 20-23. He will be on 40-6M SSB.

TM4CR will be the callsign from Ouessant Island, EU-065, August 18-19 for F4ELJ, F5VCR, F0ELI and F0ELK. They will be at the Creac'h Lighthouse. And, they will sign TM4ST from the Stiff Lighthouse nearby. QSL via F4ELJ.

IK3SCB/ID9, Mauro, will be on Lipari Island August 18-24. It is IOTA EU-017. QSL via the bureau.

SV8/IZ7FLP, Gianni, will be on Zakyntos, EU-052, August 18-25. QSL to his home call.

G3ZAY and M0TDG go to the Outer Hebrides August 13-17, EU-010, and St. Kilda, EU-059 or the Flannan Islands, EU-118, for a few hours as well. The trips are subject to weather and transport considerations, just a few hours from each stop.

DJ5MS, Marcel, goes to Helgoland-Duene, EU-127, August 27-29, SSB only, 100 watts. He will sign /p. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

DF8HS will be on Samsø Island, EU-172, August 26-September 8. He plans to be on all bands, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY. QSL to his home call.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled through midweek.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for August 11, 2007 was 13.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3D2AA	VE6VK	HF63PW	SP5KCR	R100IF	RW4HB
A71BX	EA7FTR	HK6DOS	EA5KB	R6SE	RW3WWW
AN7AL	EA7NL	HR1AAB	EA7FTR	RA1QKI/1	RA1QKI
CT3AS	DJ8FW	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	SB250TT	SM6JSM
CT8CNE	CT1DJE	HZ1MD	PA2V	T88NT	JJ2NYT
CU2/DG1WIM	DG1WIM	KP2/NO9E	NO9E	TK/IK5WOB	IK5WOB
DA0WWYC	DC1RJJ	N7C	N7HG	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
E7/N4EXA	K2PF	OH0/DJ3KR	DJ3KR	UE1SNA/1	RA1QQ
E7/N4EXA	DJ2MX	ON60EKO	ON4EKO	UE3SFF/1	RU3SD
E7/OE1EMS	DJ2MX	OS8A	ON4AMM	XX9TJS	JM1LJS
EA5/UT2XD	UT2XD	OZ/DL7UDK	DL7UDK	Z22JE	K3PD
ES1/IZ8IYX	IZ8EPY	PA/ZL2BSJ	ZL2BSJ	ZF2JW	AF9H
HC2AQ	EA5KB	PJ2/G3TXF	G3TXF	ZP4KFX	IK2DUW
HF1TSR	SP1TMN	PJ2G	G3TXF		

ZL1AMO, Ron, is handling QSL duties for the late March, 2007 Kermadec Islands operations by ZL1GO/8 and ZM8CW. The new QSLs for ZL1GO/8 have just arrived. Ron says requests for ZM8CW have all been answered long ago. The bulk of the ZL1GO/8 cards will be mailed out this week, together with the new ZM8CW cards. Ron says many requests are still arriving with insufficient return postage, especially from Japan and Europe. In addition to insufficient return postage, sending old and invalid IRCs is part of the problem.

W6YOO did some research on the web for a QSL manager for RA1QKI/1 and came up with this, which he thinks may be of help to others:

RA1QKI
 Victor Veniaminovich Alekseev
 K. Marksa
 117a-179
 Vologda 160024
 RUSSIA
 And an e-mail: ralqki@yandex.ru.

QSLs for LZ/G4EDG, St. Ivan Island, EU-181, June 19-23, should be sent to LZ1JZ, Tony Stefanov, P.O. Box 43, Harmanli 6450, Bulgaria. The ops were G4EDG, LZ1CL and LZ1JZ. LZ1JZ is also manager for DU1LWQ, FK8DD, LZ1KSP, LZ7J, OA4DKC, OA4SJ, P29K, SV1/LZ1JZ, TF1VG, TF60VG and TX1A.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3XD2Z, 5H3EE, 5Z4/IK4ALM, 9A2AA/p, 9J2BO, BS7H, ES1GE, FW5ZL, IU0IPY, N8S, NJ4DU, OY/PA3BAG, PZ5RA, TF9AFX, TR8CA, VP2MFF, XW3DT and YN2N.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: C56A (1998), C56T (1998), CT2GQN, OL4HQ, OQ7Q, OT4A, RZ0AF, VK9DNX, VP2MCS, VP9I and YV6BTF.

On The WWW

On-line logs for 1A0KM are now available at www.pagus.it/1a0km.

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DX News

Federacion Mexicana de Radio Experimentadores (FMRE), President XE1YK, Carlos Levy, announced he and three other XE ops have obtained permission from the Mexican Navy to visit and operate from Socorro Island, Revillagigedo (XF4) by year's end in celebration of FMRE's 75th anniversary. Joining him will be XE2MX, Pepe; XE2YW, Eduardo; XE1VVD, Manuel; for an expected 30 day operation. The XE Navy will be providing transportation to and from the islands. The expected dates are November 15th to December 15th. A detailed schedule is expected to be announced soon. Plans are to use the calls 6E4LM and XF4YK.

N5GUY, Guy, is now working in Guantanamo Bay until early 2008. He's now QRV on 80 meters as KG4GY and was on the 3905 Century Club Net on Saturday. You can QSL via OMISS Net or direct.

Starting August 23rd look for DJ8VC, Alfons, to be in Namibia and QRV as V5/DJ8VC on CW and SSB on 10 through 160 meters. Over the September 1st/2nd weekend he will be the IARU Region I SSB Field Day Contest as V55V/p. Alfons will be operating from the station of V51W, Martin, who has multiple antennas (wires, rhombic and several yagis). During the Worked All Europe SSB Contest he will also be active. QSL V5/DJ8VC and V55V/p (Alfons operation only) via DJ8VC.

In the not confirmed department (rumor) looks like it may be possible for a DXpedition to Midway next year. Barry Christenson, Refuge Manager for the Midway Atoll National Wildlife Refuge, has received several requests for radio operators to visit KH4. Best time frame would be August to October, when the Albatross population is down. Keep your fingers crossed!

TA0/WA2KBZ, Karl, is expected to be QRV from Buyukada Island near Istanbul for rest of August. Buyukada does not qualify for IOTA. He will be operating QRP on 17, 20, 30 and 40 meters CW. QSL via WA2KBZ either direct to his MO address or via the bureau.

HA3JB, Gab, will be operating as SU8BHI from Cairo, Egypt from September 21st to November 30th. Plans are to participate in the CQ WW RTTY and CW DX contests. He will be active on all bands on CW, RTTY, SSTV, PSK and some SSB between contests. Details are expected to be on <http://www.qsl.net/ha3jb>. You can also email Gab at ha3jb@t-email.hu. QSL via HA3JB.

W7EME, Jeremy, plans to be QRV on EME from Chilean Antofagasta desert highlands August 17th through August 23rd and then from Sork, Iceland from August 23rd to August 30th. Activity will be on CW on 144.044 and JT (digital mode) on 144.141.

Over the next 45 days the F10.7 CM FLUX forecasts look very promising, for low band DXers! The Solar Flux is expected to range from 65 to 70 (about as low as it gets) for the next 45 days.

QSN

- 404A - MONTENEGRO - 30 meter ops reported Dragan on 10106 Monday at 2300Z.
- 600F - SOMALIA - Filip was on 14260 yesterday at 05, 08 and 12Z. QSL via ON4TA.
- 70/G4HCL - YEMEN - Chris showed up at 1200Z on 14215 and stayed until 1500Z. He is expected back on again Tuesday. Chris is operating from the International Airport Control Room. DXers reported his SSB signal sounded thin and has a roger beep. Also he is using a commercial rig that can operate split but apparently can only listen on a spot frequency and not over a range of frequencies. Chris was listening up 4 and 5 KHz. He's using a biconical monopole antenna. Chris is expected to be sporadically active today on 14215 listening either up 5 or down 5 KHz. Remember work comes first and radio is second. QSL via G4HCL.
- EL2DT - LIBERIA - Dickson started on 14205 just before 18Z and then moved down to 14173 around 1830Z. QSL via WA4TII.
- EP4MRG - IRAN - Several European ops found Mohamad on 14179 at 1730Z. QSL via EP3PTT.
- OD5XX - LEBANON - Was on 14200 from 1700 until after 1730Z. QSL via W9RG.
- OJ0B - MARKET REEF - The Nordic team was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 7025
02 7025, 14190
03 7025, 14190
04 7025
05 14190
06 14190
07 14190
08 14190
09 14190
10 10121, 14190
11 10121, 14190
12 14190
13 14190
14 18130
15 18130
16 14190, 18130
17 10107, 14190
18 10107, 14190
19 10107, 14190
20 10107, 14190, 14192
21 10107, 14192
22 10107

23 7025, 10107

XX9TJS - MACAO - Hide was parked on 14005 between 1115 and 1330Z. QSL via JM1LJS.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-003	CU2/DG1WIM	7015	2059	EU-047	DF2BR/P	14087	2042
EU-012	MM/OK1FZM	14250	0752	EU-061	LA/DH8BQA/M	21260	1622
EU-012	MM0XAU	14009	2119	EU-064	F9IE	14260	1600
EU-024	IS0/IK4RQJ	14251	1143	EU-107	F1TRE/P	14247	1151
EU-024	IS0/IZ1DSH/P	7055	1637	EU-144	IR8DX	14023	2101
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	10108	1552	EU-162	RN3GM/1	14020	1301
EU-029	OZ0A	14257	1705	EU-162	UE1SNA/1	14023	1100
EU-030	OZ/DL6DQI	10102	1919	EU-170	9A2HW/P	14018	2037
EU-037	SM7DAY/P	14260	0707	NA-053	OJ0B	14190	1652
EU-041	IM0/IK5XCT	14002	2124	OC-044	VP6AL	14260	0033

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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14-Aug	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
14-Aug	19-Aug	4O	4O6AA (EU-163)	9A6AA		11-134
14-Aug	15-Aug	6O	6O0F	ON4TA		11-149
14-Aug	15-Aug	7O	7O/G4HCL	G4HCL	11-154	153
14-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
14-Aug	14-Aug	CU	CU2/DG1WIM (EU-003)	DG1WIM		11-149
14-Aug		E7	E7/N4EXA	K2PF/DJ2MX		11-153
14-Aug	16-Aug	EA8	EA8/GM0IIO (AF-004)	GM0IIO		11-152
14-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
14-Aug	19-Aug	F	TM2HRH	F6KTN		11-149
14-Aug	18-Aug	FG	TO1USB (NA-102)	F1JXQ	11-154	138 135
14-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
14-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
14-Aug	14-Aug	HL	HL0Y/2 (AS-105)			11-149
14-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-149
14-Aug	18-Aug	I	IK1ACX (EU-170)			11-149
14-Aug	19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX		11-144
14-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IK1WEG (EU-024)	IK1WEG		11-149
14-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ1DSH (EU-024)	IZ1DSH		11-149
14-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB (EU-024)	IZ8GCB		11-135
14-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134
14-Aug	17-Aug	KC4	VP8/MM0TJR/p			11-152
14-Aug	18-Aug	KH6	by NN5O			11-099
14-Aug	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
14-Aug	15-Aug	OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103	100
14-Aug	16-Aug	OJ0	OJ0B (EU-053)	OH2BH		11-150
14-Aug	17-Aug	OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-149	144 021
14-Aug	17-Aug	SV9	SV9/OO9O/p (EU-015)	ON7SS	11-149	145
14-Aug	14-Aug	UA	RA1QY/A (EU-162)	RA1QY		11-149

14-Aug 14-Aug UA	RN3GM/1 (EU-162)	RA1QY	11-149
14-Aug 14-Aug UA	UE1SNA/1 (EU-162)	RA1QQ	11-149
14-Aug 14-Aug UA0	RK1B/0 (AS-039)	RV1CC	11-149
14-Aug 31-Aug UR	EM15B	UT1BC	11-144
14-Aug 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
14-Aug 15-Aug VP6	VP6AL (OC-044)	ZL1UFB	11-137
14-Aug 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
14-Aug 17-Aug W	K4I (NA-112)	AI4U	11-129
14-Aug 14-Aug W	N7C	N7HG	11-146
14-Aug 24-Aug W	W4SAR/p (NA-083)	W4SAR	11-149

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 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet for Tuesday and Wednesday. Expect quiet to unsettled conditions, with a chance for active periods, on Thursday due to a recurrent coronal hole high-speed wind stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for August 12, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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6F75A	EA5KB	HG15SD	HA8PH	OJ0B	OH2BH
600F	ON4TA	HK4QMH	EA5KB	OK8XB	M5AAV
7O/G4HCL	G4HCL	IR1IPY	IZ1GJK	SF89IB	SM6CLU
EL2DT	WA4TII	OD5XX	W9RG	ZP8VAO	EA7FTR
GC8LED/P	M0DOL				

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

G3UML, Laurie, is looking for the QSL route for VQ9V/F for a QSO from Farquhar in 1968. The operator was VQ9HB, Harvey Brain, who has since passed away. If you can help please send details to your editor who will then pass it on to Laurie.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B8/OM5RW, 3D2ER, C52T, V26HS, VP8/LZ1UQ, ZB2FK

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: GM4WZL, HZ1SK, OQ5M, V73RY

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DX News

3B8CF, Jackie, spent a good hour on 160M CW two nights in a row, from 1945-2045Z, on 1822.0 one night and 1822.2 last night. They could hear and work him from Japan to Norway and south to South Africa of course, Mauritius generally being a "chip shot" from Africa.

404A, Montenegro, has been on 30M CW three nights in a row. Check out "QSN," below.

600F, Somalia, is a rare one that continues active on 20 phone for an hour or two every day. Look above 14250 at 05-06Z and 12-15Z.

70/G4HCL is indeed on the air from Yemen but, as expected, just a little bit a day, and so far it seems mostly it's "nearby" DXers working him - southern Asia and Europe.

ZD9BCB has been on from Gough Island, IOTA AF-030, the last few days. Look for him on 20. This is the weather station on the island. QSL via SQ8AQD.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - 160 meters - Jackie was on 1822.0 and 1822.2 from 1945-2045, good signals across Asia and Europe, from Greece to Norway.

404A - MONTENEGRO - 10103 from 0110-0220Z, 7008.8 at 0040Z, and 30M before the 40M foray, 2200-2300Z. Good signals on the U.S. East Coast, some worked him on the first call.

600F - SOMALIA - 20 METERS - Filip was on 14265 from 1430-1440 or so, previous to that he was on 14260 from 1250-1300. Earlier in the day, it was 14254-14255 from just before 0500Z, continuing until 0600Z. QSL via ON4TA.

70/G4HCL - YEMEN - 14215 from 11-14Z, QSX down 5-10 or so.

9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - 3503 CQing at 2240Z.

A52AM - BHUTAN - 40 METERS - 7082 2345-0005Z, 7049 at 1735Z, reportedly with a good signal in South America and Europe. QSL via JA0JHA.

A61TT - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - PSK - 7034-7036 from 2220-2240Z and 14070-14071 from 10-11Z. QSL via IZ8CLM.

A71EM - QATAR - RTTY - 14013 at 2250Z, 14087 from 2200-2230Z, 14220 at 1625Z, 14086-14088 from 1445-1505Z.

C5DXC - THE GAMBIA - Noz was on 14185 from 2110-2150Z, 18137 from 1800-1920Z

OJ0B - ALAND ISLANDS - 3790 from 0320, 7024 from 0045-0345Z, 3501 from 2340-0200Z.

ZD9BCB - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Brian has been on 14315 the last few nights, typically between 1500 and 2000Z. QSL via SQ8AQD.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-030	ZD9BCB	14315	1635	EU-037	SM7DAY/P	14260	1740
EU-003	CU2/DG1WIM	7011	0220	EU-045	IB0/IZ2ACD	14260	1840
EU-009	MM/OK1FZM/P	14012	2114	EU-047	DF2BR/P	14085	1920
EU-012	MM0XAU	14011	2300	EU-053	OJ0B	14190	1545
EU-016	9A/OM8AA	7009	1755	EU-074	F6HQP/P	14255	1320
EU-019	R1FJT	14012	0415	EU-075	SV1EQU/8	14250	2200
EU-020	SL1HF	14155	2145	EU-128	DH0IPA	7055	1555
EU-024	IS0/IK4RQJ	14264	1000	EU-136	9A/DL6AWJ/P	10116	1455
EU-025	IW9FRB	14250	0840	EU-144	IR8DX	14024	2125
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	10108	1925	EU-165	IM0MBP	14081	1830
EU-029	OZ1CJS	14260	2125	EU-173	OH1/DL6BBT	14263	1535
EU-030	OZ/DL8WOW	10115	2210	NA-112	K4I	7035	0215

MM/OK1FZM/P is now on "holiday style," active from EU-009. OK1MP, Milos, had him on 14255 when he sent us an e-mail to tell us `FZM plans to be on the island for about three days.

IOTA frequencies -

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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15-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC		11-126 118
15-Aug	18-Aug	A6	by N1DG			11-152
15-Aug	16-Aug	EA8	EA8/GM0IIO (AF-004)	GM0IIO		11-152
15-Aug	22-Aug	EA8	EA8/ON6ZK (AF-004)	ON6ZK		11-154 129
15-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
15-Aug	19-Aug	F	TM2HRH	F6KTN		11-149
15-Aug	18-Aug	FG	TO1USB (NA-102)	F1JXQ		11-154 138 135
15-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149

15-Aug 28-Aug G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC	11-134
15-Aug 31-Aug I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU	11-149
15-Aug 18-Aug I	IK1ACX (EU-170)		11-149
15-Aug 19-Aug I	IY6GM	I6GFX	11-144
15-Aug 20-Aug IS	IS0/IK1WEG (EU-024)	IK1WEG	11-149
15-Aug 20-Aug IS	IS0/IZ1DSH (EU-024)	IZ1DSH	11-149
15-Aug 19-Aug IS	IS0/IZ8GCB (EU-024)	IZ8GCB	11-135
15-Aug 31-Aug JA	8J1ESP		11-134
15-Aug 26-Aug JW	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR	11-144
15-Aug 17-Aug KC4	VP8/MM0TJR/p		11-152
15-Aug 18-Aug KH6	by NN5O		11-099
15-Aug 16-Aug OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
15-Aug 15-Aug OD	OD5/ON4JM	ON4JM	11-103 100
15-Aug 16-Aug OJ0	OJ0B (EU-053)	OH2BH	11-150
15-Aug 17-Aug OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-149 144 021
15-Aug 17-Aug SV9	SV9/OO9O/p (EU-015)	ON7SS	11-149 145
15-Aug 31-Aug TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ	11-155
15-Aug 31-Aug UR	EM15B	UT1BC	11-144
15-Aug 1-Sep VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-137 081
15-Aug 15-Aug VP6	VP6AL (OC-044)	ZL1UFB	11-137
15-Aug 3-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
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A61TT	IZ8CLM	HG15SD	HA8PH	TO5J	F5LMJ
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	IR1IPY	IZ1GJK	YV4GMG	EA5KB
HF63PW	SP5KCR	OJ0B	OH2BH		

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On The WWW

K8ND has found an interesting "blog" from Midway Island. Apparently not a ham, blogger "Pete on Midway," has a lot of great photos of the island and talks about the 66 residents there and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service operations, such as Pete's main assignment, helping eradicate an undesirable wild sunflower and planting native plants that have disappeared from Midway. There is a lot of information here that could be helpful to any DXers wanting to go to Midway. <http://peteatmidway.blogspot.com>.

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DX News

CT1FFU, Tony, says he heard the GB3RAL/b beacon from the United Kingdom today on 40.050 MHz and 70.050 MHz on E-skip. He says the interesting part is the beacon also transmits its info on the JT65B mode, "which makes it nice to pick out on the spectrum and identify under poor conditions." Tony congratulates the "GB3RAL keepers."

OZ6OM/5Q6M, Matt, says the OY6BEC 6M beacon is now repaired, "and OY1CT will bring it back at the end of August."

OH2BP says that in addition to the OJ0MI RTTY operation in "the Finnish-Swedish Archipelago" this week, he will be on as OH0BP a day before and during the next weekend SARTG RTTY Contest. Kari will be single operator all band, August 16-19 from the Aland Islands.

The year's World Rugby Association Championship will be held in both France and the U.K. this year. Several special stations will be on for the event, TM0RWC on September 7-8, 13-14 and 20-21 and October 6- 7, 12-14, and 18-20; TM1RWC will be on September 8-10, 18-20 and the 27th and October 1 and 18 and 19-20. TM2RWC will be on September 8-10 and 14-16 and 24th and October 1. TM3RWC will be on September 7-8 and 10th and 17-29. TM4RWC will be on between September 7-20. TM5RWC will be on September 7-9 and 11th and 21-22, plus September 30-October 2 and October 5-9. TM6RWC will be on September 11-17 and 21-24 and September 30-October 2. TM7RWC will be on September 8-1 and 20-29. TM8RWC will be on September 8-12 and September 25-October 3. TM9RWC will be on September 11-17 and 23-29. There will be an award for working each of the `WRC stations and a second and third tier levels for working eight or five of them. Contact F5IL for that. There is a 7 Euro or \$10 U.S. application fee. F5APM is in charge of the on-air activities with F5UDW assisting.

For the award, send your log info and fee to REF-Union, Service diplomes, BP 77429, F37074 TOURS CEDEX 2, France. Websites:
<http://www.ref-union.org/> and <http://arala.44.free.fr/>.

T88WV, Palau, will be in the CQWW CW contest November 24-25 with OH7WV operating. He will be single operator all band. He will operate casually for one or two days before and after the CQWW. QSL via OH7WV direct or bureau.

C6AKX, the Bahamas, will be in the CQWW CW with KE7X operating low power. He will be single operator single band 20M. QSL via WA4WTG. His inclusive dates are November 18-26.

N6BT also plans to be on from the Bahamas, callsign as yet to be determined, single op single band 160, also low power, inclusive dates November 18-26. QSL via WA4WTG.

VK9CLF will be the callsign on Lord Howe Island October 8-18 for VK6CTL/HB9TL, Jack. He will be on 80-10M SSB. We were previously given the Lord Howe callsign as VK9CLH. Jack also plans to go to Norfolk Island, with the VK9CNF callsign.

QSN

4S7NE - SRI LANKA - 75 METERS - 3791 FROM 1925-2015Z and 3795 a little earlier. Nelson has also been found on 30 and 17M recently.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Akira was on 14208 for a long time, 17-19Z. QSL via JA0JHA.

EA5RS - SPAIN - 10 METERS INTO THE U.S. - 28027.5 after 00Z as far west as Ohio with 579 RST.

HH2FYD - HAITI - RTTY - Yannick was on 14084-14087 RTTY from 2100-2300Z, 14070 PSK31 before that.

OJ0B - MARKET REEF -14195 from 00-03Z, Martti operating on 3505 at 0215Z.

V5/OE3MZC - NAMIBIA - Mike was on 14280 from 1645-1700Z and 21280 from 1500-1645Z. QSL to his home call.

VP6AL - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Al was on 14276 from 2330-0100Z. QSL via ZL1UFB.

VQ9LA - CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO - 160 METERS - W3UR says he was on 160. Also, 10109 at 2040Z, 7005 at 1430Z, 3508 at 1320-1420Z, 10107 from 1245-1300Z and 18085 at 0930Z.

ZP6CW - PARAGUAY - 160 METERS -1816.3 at 0340 this morning, 0935Z yesterday, and 3502 at 1025Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-012	J15USJ/6	21175	0335	EU-064	F4AJQ/P	145500	1555
EU-009	MM/OK1FZM/P	14252	2045	EU-067	SV1GSV/8	14255	1725
EU-012	MM0XAU	14007	1040	EU-074	F1TRE/P	14257	1415
EU-014	TK5IH	10140	2135	EU-089	CU2DX	14212	1100
EU-015	SV9/SV1AVD	14015	0950	EU-097	OH3OJ/P	7015	1550
EU-024	IS0/IK1WEG	14006	2045	EU-136	9A/DL6AWJ/P	10107	0850
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	14007	0715	EU-138	SM7DAY/P	14260	1020
EU-031	IC8DAK	14266	1520	EU-144	IR8DX	14029	1425
EU-032	F1HDI/P	3744	2055	EU-147	RU3SD/1	14257	0735
EU-034	ES0IC	14071	0725	EU-148	F9DX/P	14260	0925
EU-042	DF2BR/P	14072	1155	EU-170	9A2HW/P	14024	1910
EU-045	IB0/IZ2ACD	14267	1915	EU-173	OH1/DL6BBT	10119	2100
EU-047	DF2BR/P	14071	1225	EU-185	RU3SD/1	14255	1215

EU-053 OJ0B 14191 1545 NA-112 K4I 7036 0340
 EU-057 DL5CX/P 7011 2040 OC-028 V73NS 14018 2045

SV8/IZ7FLP, Gianni, will be on Zakynthos, EU-052, August 18-25. QSL to his home callsign.

ZS1RBI will be on Robben Island, AF-064, August 18-19 for lighthouse weekend. This is the island where Nelson Mandela was imprisoned.
 ZS1REC, Raoul, plans to operate 160M. He says the operation was put together on very short notice with a "Let's hope we can" approach. He will hope to put up a makeshift vertical antenna and is hoping to borrow an amplifier since his is too bulky to take along. He also views the trip as reconnaissance for a future, better-planned, trip.
 Raoul will have his cellular telephone and laptop computer along "to monitor the cluster."

N4R will be on Folly Island, NA-110. The Tennessee Valley DX Association will do this operation, hoping to be QRV from 23Z Saturday, September 22 until sometime Saturday morning, September 29.
 Operators N4HL, WA4RMC, AD4F, WA4NFO, W4KRY, AB4GG, WA4IVO, K0MAI, K2NAN, WA4AA, KB3PGU, K4VCM, W4FOA and KI4MPK will have 100 watt rigs and will be on 80-10M SSB, CW and digital, plus 6M SSB and CW. QSL via K4KWK direct with SASE or via the bureau. More info will be on the TVDXA website, www.tvdxa.com.

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 18128 14260 7055 3765

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16-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
16-Aug	18-Aug	A6	by N1DG			11-152
16-Aug	16-Aug	EA8	EA8/GM0IIO (AF-004)	GM0IIO		11-152
16-Aug	22-Aug	EA8	EA8/ON6ZK (AF-004)	ON6ZK	11-154	129
16-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
16-Aug	19-Aug	F	TM2HRH	F6KTN		11-149
16-Aug	18-Aug	FG	TO1USB (NA-102)	F1JXQ	11-154	138 135
16-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
16-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
16-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-149
16-Aug	18-Aug	I	IK1ACX (EU-170)			11-149
16-Aug	19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX		11-144
16-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IK1WEG (EU-024)	IK1WEG		11-149
16-Aug	20-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ1DSH (EU-024)	IZ1DSH		11-149
16-Aug	19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB (EU-024)	IZ8GCB		11-135
16-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134
16-Aug	26-Aug	JW	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR		11-144
16-Aug	17-Aug	KC4	VP8/MM0TJR/p			11-152
16-Aug	18-Aug	KH6	by NN5O			11-099
16-Aug	22-Aug	LA	LA/PA3FMC (EU-055)	PA3FMC	11-149	129 085
16-Aug	16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ		11-134
16-Aug	16-Aug	OJ0	OJ0B (EU-053)	OH2BH		11-150
16-Aug	19-Aug	OJ0	OJ0MI (EU-053)	OH2HAN		11-150
16-Aug	17-Aug	OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-149	144 021
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QSL Info

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DL0B	DL8QY	HG15SD	HA8PH	K4I	AI4U
GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	HH2FYD	F6FYD	OJ0B	OH2BH
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On The WWW

K4UJ, Paul, has "a new web page that is Wiki based and intended to be for community collaboration. On this page is a listing of each DXCC entity, [and] each entity has its own page that contains several information areas." It is www.dxreference.com. K4UJ hopes hams will start using it and will help fill in the information. It uses the same software that the web's "Wikipedia" uses. Also explained on the site is a logo contest to come up with an appropriate symbol to represent the site.

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VK2CCC (LY1F), Tomas, tells The Daily DX he'll be QRV as VK9CLH from Lord Howe Island from November 20th to 27th, including the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest. He'll be focusing on the low bands on CW. Tomas has a Web page at www.qrz.lt/ly1df/. QSL VK9CLH via LY1F.

Special event station GB2QE will be QRV on September 15 and 16 in celebration of the 40th anniversary of the launch of the "Queen Elizabeth 2". The QE2 ocean liner is expected to set sail from Scarborough's South Bay on September 16th.

VE7SV, Dale, is now in Chile and plans to be QRV as CE3/VE7SV until the end of the month. QSL via VE7SV.

DL2OBO, Tom, says he'll be heading back to Liechtenstein (HB0) from January 1-9, 2008.

K3ZO, Fred Laun, reminds us the Hurricane Watch Net will begin today starting at 1200Z on 14325. "Other frequencies used by nets in the area include 14283 and 14267.5" says, Fred. On the low bands watch 3815 and 7162 for the Caribbean Emergency and Weather Net (<http://www.j7hams.com/CEWNnetop.htm>). One other net runs around 7195. More information on Amateur Radio efforts during Hurricane Dean can be found at <http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2007/08/16/100/?nc=1>.

Northern California DX Club (NCDXC) recently elected the following officers for the 2007/2008 year:

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Director: W6EB, Jim Abraham
Director: KG6AM, Dewey Churchill
DXer Editor: K6PTS, Phil Steffora
Webmaster: W6RK, Risto Kotalampi

NCDXC sponsored this year's International DX Convention, in Visalia. The club will be continuing this year's theme of the convention "Elmering New DXers is Job #1" with presentations oriented to new DXers at the club meetings in addition to the periodic DXpedition talks. At the upcoming September 20th meeting the BS7H DXpedition to Scarborough Reef will be presented by W6RGG, Bob Vallio. For more info on NCDXC check out their Web site at www.ncdxc.org.

G4EFE, Martin, will be operating as 9H3ML from Gozo, Malta (EU-023) November 1st to 8th. He'll have an FT-817, K1 and W3EDP and will be looking for 2 way QRP Qs

on all bands, most likely on the QRP calling frequencies on 20, 30 and 40 meters.

Peruvian Earthquake
By K3ZO, Fred Laun

According to the Lima newspaper La Republica, the areas most seriously affected by the Peruvian Earthquake are Canete, Pisco, Chincha and Ica. The former is in the Southern part of the OA4 call area, the others are all in call area OA5.

The Radio Amateur Callbook lists several Radio Amateurs in Pisco, Chincha and Ica, but the latest official list of Peruvian amateurs available on the Internet, lists no Radio Amateurs in those three areas. The official list is available at <http://www.mtc.gob.pe/portal/comunicacion/concesion/privados/regradioa.pdf>. Apparently a large number of Peruvian hams have failed to keep their licenses current.

The official Peruvian Civil Defense communications plan found at http://www.minsa.gob.pe/ogdn/cdl/pdf/PLI_24/anexo%20F.pdf on page F-IV-2 designates the frequency 7100 KHz as the national frequency of "socorro, alarma y seguridad".

In addition, it authorizes hams to transmit on national emergency frequencies not normally available to Amateur Radio Service licensees. The VHF Frequencies for government repeaters for use in emergencies, all in the area of 142-143 MHz., are given on page F-I-2-1 of the same document. The HF frequencies are also listed there, with 10345 KHz USB being the primary, and 7415, 10570, 7365, 4600 and 3655 -- all USB -- as secondary. (Editors note: There was a Lima, Peru Earthquake Net on 14304 yesterday at 0200Z).

Corrections

K3IXD says he, W2GJ and K4QO will go to the Bahamas to put C6APR on the air in the CQWW SSB. They will be multi-single from Crooked Island, IOTA NA-113. `APR is W2GJ's own callsign. `IXD has his own, C6AXD (not C6AXC) and K4QO has C6AQO to use outside the CQWW. They will be on 160-6M CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via K3IXD.

In the Wednesday issue we listed OJ0B in the QSL section as Aland Islands. Actually OJ0B is from Market Reef.

QSN

9K2HN - KUWAIT - Hamad had great opening with NA starting from 22 to 23Z on 30m on 10120.

JA1DDD/JD1 - OGASAWARA - Has been showing up on 40 CW around 0800 and just before 2100Z.

OJ0 - MARKET REEF - The Nordic team seems to have switched into the second phase as OJ0B has QRTed and OJ0MI has begun.

VP6AL - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Today A1 started up on 14237 just

before 00 and was there until about 0200Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8TL/EA6	14221	2051	EU-053	OJ0B	14195	0017
AS-059	RW0IZ/P	14020	1005	EU-054	IF9ZWA	14257	1546
AS-059	UA0IDZ/P	14024	2249	EU-055	LA/PA3FMC	14158	1839
EU-009	MM/OK1FZM	14253	2009	EU-057	DL5CX/P	14023	0731
EU-012	MM0XAU	14004	1324	EU-067	SV1GSV/8	24922	1058
EU-015	IS0/IZ1KKG	7078	2144	EU-072	SV0JD/8	14258	1204
EU-020	SL1HF	14245	1924	EU-128	DH0IPA	7067	0923
EU-024	IS0/IZ1DSH	28520	0822	EU-144	IR8DX	14015	1216
EU-026	JW1CCA	14032	1907	EU-148	F9DX/P	14260	0912
EU-028	IA5/I1SJK	14212	2137	EU-170	9A4A	14023	2155
EU-028	IA5/IK2QEI	10119	2304	EU-170	9A5JR/P	10108	2029
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	10108	2223	NA-032	FP/KI4AII/M	14253	1837
EU-045	IB0/IZ2ACD	14265	1921	NA-112	K4I	7011	0358
EU-047	DF2BR/P	14085	1956				

Starting today VK3CAM, Glenn, and VK3EMF, Carl, will be on King Island (OC-233), Australia. The two will be QRV from the Currie Light as VK3ILH/7 during the International Lighthouse and Lightship Weekend. More Lighthouse information can be found at:
http://illw.net/2007_list.htm

K3GV, George, will be active between September 2nd and September 15th 2007 as K3GV/VY2 from Prince Edward Island (NA-029). Activity will be on 15 and 20 meters around the usual IOTA frequencies. QSL via K3GV either direct or via the bureau.

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17-Aug	19-Aug	CE	CE4S	EA5KB		11-144
17-Aug	19-Aug	CE	CE4T	EA5KB		11-144
17-Aug	20-Aug	DL	DF0WFB (EU-042)			11-152
17-Aug	16-Aug	EA8	EA8/GM0IIO (AF-004)	GM0IIO		11-152
17-Aug	22-Aug	EA8	EA8/ON6ZK (AF-004)	ON6ZK	11-154	129
17-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
17-Aug	19-Aug	F	TM2HRH	F6KTN		11-149
17-Aug	18-Aug	FG	TO1USB (NA-102)	F1JXQ	11-154	138 135
17-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
17-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
17-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-149
17-Aug	18-Aug	I	IK1ACX (EU-170)			11-149

17-Aug 19-Aug	I	IY6GM	I6GFX	11-144
17-Aug 20-Aug	IS	IS0/IK1WEG (EU-024)	IK1WEG	11-149
17-Aug 20-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ1DSH (EU-024)	IZ1DSH	11-149
17-Aug 19-Aug	IS	IS0/IZ8GCB (EU-024)	IZ8GCB	11-135
17-Aug 31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP		11-134
17-Aug 26-Aug	JW	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR	11-144
17-Aug 22-Aug	LA	LA/PA3FMC (EU-055)	PA3FMC	11-149 129 085
17-Aug 16-Aug	OA	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	11-134
17-Aug 19-Aug	OH0	OH0BP (EU-002)		11-157
17-Aug 17-Aug	OJ0	OJ0B (EU-053)	OH2BH	11-150
17-Aug 19-Aug	OJ0	OJ0MI (EU-053)	OH2HAN	11-150
17-Aug 24-Aug	ON	ON14CS		11-135
17-Aug 27-Aug	OX	OX/HB9FMD	HB9FMD	11-090
17-Aug 17-Aug	OZ	OZ/DL8WOW (EU-030)	DL8WOW	11-149 144 021
17-Aug 23-Aug	SV9	SV9/ON5NT	ON5NT	11-154
17-Aug 17-Aug	SV9	SV9/OO90/p (EU-015)	ON7SS	11-149 145
17-Aug 31-Aug	TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ	11-155
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17-Aug 24-Aug	W	W4SAR/p (NA-083)	W4SAR	11-149
18-Aug 19-Aug	CE	XR1H	HA1AG	11-151
18-Aug 19-Aug	CE	XR4C	CE6AMN	11-144
18-Aug 19-Aug	CT	CQ5N	CT6ARL	11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	CT	CQ7C	CT2GZB	11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	CT	CT1RVM/p		11-154 149
18-Aug 19-Aug	CX	CV1AA		11-154 148
18-Aug 19-Aug	CX	CV7FARO	CX1FA	11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	F	TM4CR (EU-065)	F4ELJ	11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	I	II4GOR	IK3MZS	11-154
18-Aug 24-Aug	I	IK3SCB/ID9 (EU-017)	IK3SCB	11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	I	IZ6ASI/p		11-144
18-Aug 19-Aug	SP	SN2NP	SP2BIK	11-154
18-Aug 25-Aug	SV	SV8/IZ7FLP (EU-052)	IZ7FLP	11-157 154
18-Aug 19-Aug	TA	TC1LHW	TA1FR	11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	TA	TC4LHW		11-145
18-Aug 19-Aug	TF	TF1IRA		11-154
18-Aug 19-Aug	VP8	VP8LGT (SA-002)	VP8ON	11-152
18-Aug 18-Aug	W	K4L (NA-141)	W4MOT	11-134
18-Aug 19-Aug	W	K8ONV (NA-069)	K8ONV	11-135
18-Aug 19-Aug	W	N1EV (NA-136)		11-150
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19-Aug 23-Aug	OX	OX/PA3EXX/p (NA-243)	PA3EXX	11-153 018
19-Aug 21-Aug	VP9	VP9/OH1VR (VP9)	OH1VR	11-132 124

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3Z90ZIM	SP5ZIM	HG15SD	HA8PH	SN2JS	SP5KCR
5P0MF	DH1LAO	HH2FYD	F6FYD	T88TX	JI2TXU
A61Q	EA7FTR	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR	UE3SFF/1	RU3SD
A61TT	IZ8CLM	JW1CCA	LA1CCA	UE3YAR	MM0DFV
CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV	OJ0MI	OH2HAN	ZP8VAO	EA7FTR
EL2DT	WA4TII	R41WP	RA3LBA	ZS4U	K3PD
HA50KNA	HA3KNA				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: ZK1SDE

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DX News

4S7HIG, Sri Lanka, came on the air August 15th and will run through the 26th. This is ON4HIL, Patrick, on 80-10M SSB, "holiday style." Patrick says 4S7EA, Ernest, and his wife Chandra have given him great hospitality and help on his temporary 4S7 license. He's using an Icom 7000 to an Expert 1K amplifier and Hy-Gain AV18-VS vertical. He says he will QSL 100%, and that's via his home call, ON4HIL.

J2000, in Djibouti, will be on for one year and should have his station set up soon. Operator Darko is also known as T95A, 9A7WW and 4O3AA. Darko is on a work assignment so he says operating time will be limited. He may be able to also go to an IOTA, Moucha Island, AF- 053, where he will sign J2800/p. QSL via K2PF.

8Q7AK will be on from the Maldives September 30-October 12 with G7COD, Andrew, operating. He will be on 30, 20, 17, 15 and 12M CW and SSB, "mornings and evenings UTC." Look for him on 10.123, 14147 (which is still below the U.S. SSB band edge the last I checked), 18133, 21253 and 24953. QSL bureau or direct to G7COD with one U.S. dollar within Europe and \$2 U.S. elsewhere.

N6TJ, Jim Neiger, will try to add an overall win in yet another decade to his impressive record when he ops from 9Y4AA in the CQWW CW November 24-25, single op all band. Jim was on in contests for many years from ZD8Z (and was my first ZD8, back in the mid-1960s, as I recall!). QSL via VE3HO.

KE7X and N6BT will be on from C6, the Bahamas, November 18-26 and the CQWW CW. KE7X, Frederick, will have the C6AKX callsign, single op single band 20M low power in the Worldwide. Tom will be single op single band 160M, but doesn't know what callsign yet. QSL both to WA4WTG.

KP2/AH8DX, Craig, will be in the CQWW RTTY September 29-30, single op. QSL his U.S. Virgin Islands operation via AH8DX.

SV5/G0RIF, Dean, will be on Rhodes, IOTA EU-001, for the CQWW SSB October 27-28, low power. Before and after the WW he'll be holiday style on 20 and 17.

TC25SG, Turkey, will be on the air August 27-30 for the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Turkish Coast Guard Command, Sahil Guvenlik. TA1FR, TA1HZ and TA2RX will be on from the Marmara Straits Area Command's Coast Guard ships on 40, 20 and 17 SSB. QSL direct to TA1HZ or the bureau.

UU7J will be in the CQWW RTTY as a multi with operators UU1AZ, UT9NA, UR7EU, UR5NX, UU4JMB and UU0JM. QSL via UU0JM.

Venezuela's Grupo DX Caracas is putting together its first DXpedition, this one to the "Triple Point," Mount Roraima landmark between Venezuela, Guyana and Brazil. Station YW6R will be on the third and fourth weeks of December. The Venezuelan ops are inviting operators from around the world to join them. Details are available at <http://gdx.org>, or send an e-mail to gdxcaracas@gmail.com, yv5lmw@gdx.org or yv5eed@gdx.org to express your interest.

The VP5T team will be at VP5JM's QTH on Providenciales, Turks & Caicos, October 23-30 for the CQWW SSB. The ops will be WA2VYA, K2WB, W2WAS and N2VW. They will do CW and 30, 17 and 12M before and after the WW. QSL via N2VT. They will upload the log to LOTW after 30 days, and bureau QSLing is okay too. QSL any portable calls they use to the info they will put on QRZ.com. And SWL QSLs are welcomed too.

VP6AL and VP6TD are in their last days from Pitcairn Island. VP6AL, operated by ZL1UFB, will make Thursday the 23rd his last day of operating. He plans to operate on 20 phone right up until departure time.

VP6TD may be on the island a week longer and catch the next boat out, but will QRT on Friday the 24th, so he can go back to the Pitcairn Island Radio Club to put it back in order and prepare for the arrival of the next operators. His work shift allows him to operate every night but no later than 11 PM local there. His last nights will be the 22nd, 23rd and "with some luck," the 24th. He is off duty the 23rd and 24th. Tom, aka ZL2HGR, is trying to do some PSK and RTTY because, he says, not a lot of digital has been done from Pitcairn in the past. And he's trying to get one of the locals interested.

Organizers are trying to get more operators to go to TI9, Cocos Island, IOTA NA-012. They're looking at six days in February. SSB, CW, and digital mode operators are needed. Go to www.ti9.eu.com or www.qsl.net/ti2hmg/cocos.htm for more info.

9A60K/p, 9A0LH and 9A7K will be on several Croatian islands and lighthouses between August 17-23. QSL all of them via 9A7K. www.9a7k.com.

UE6UFO will be on from some inland Russian islands and the Kharabalinsky District August 20-27. Operators RW3QC, RZ6AU, RU6UR and RA6UF will be on SSB and CW on 40, 20 and 15M. All contacts will be confirmed via the bureau; no need to send your own.

DP0MSM is the ham club station on the Maria S. Merian, a German research ship traveling from Svalbard to Germany. On board are DJ3FR, DL7ARY, DH1HP and DF1MSM. They use this special callsign when in international waters. Within 12 miles of land they have to sign their own call stroke MM. QSL DP0MSM through the DARC bureau.

R100AK and R100IF are special callsigns for the 100th anniversary of the birth of UA4IF, Alexander Kamalagin. QSL both via RW4HB. For more background info go to http://www.samaraham.ru/main.php?d=awards/ua4if_memory_eng.

YO2DFA reminds us this year's YO DX HF Contest is August 25-26. Full rules are on <http://www.radioamator.ro/contest/us/yodxhf2007rules.html> and the results of the 2006 running are at <http://www.radioamator.ro/contest/us/yodxhf2006/dx-results.pdf>.

Anyone who works 10 club members will get an award. The list of members is on <http://www.radioamator.ro/yodxclub/membri.php>.

AT0D (India) will be a special callsign for VU2MUE, Sandeep, on 80, 40, 20 and 15M from August 18-22. He will be part of an emergency communication training exercise for India's NSS, "National Service Scheme," volunteers group. In

addition to HF, he will try to work stations in Delhi with 50W on VHF when he's portable in high spots in Uttarakhand.

Silent Keys

N4UH, "Uncle Henry" Elwell, died at the age of 88, in Cleveland, North Carolina, apparently of a heart attack. Henry was a ham from the age of 14 and a member of the ARRL, QCWA, Rowan ARS and Carolina DX Association. W4UFO, Nobby Mills, has the N4UH logs and QSLs for those still wanting one.

ZL1UE, Malcom Williams, died Saturday evening. ZL1REG says Malcom was a respected Amateur Radio operator and shortwave listener.

We have limited information on some other recent Silent Keys. DL3AMA apparently has passed away, as has contester PA0KDM, Klaas, at the age of 84. DJ5ET's son (DL6FBL) says his father died when some sort of medical problem caused him to lose consciousness, resulting in the crash of his airplane last Sunday. And 4O6DZ (ex YU6DZ), Rajko Radulovic, has become a silent key.

QSN

4S7HIG - SRI LANKA - Patrick was on 14175 from 17-1930Z and 14200 at 1120Z, plus 18138 at 1030Z.

A52AM - BHUTAN - 3790 from 2000-2040Z.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was on 14201 from 1910-20Z.

EX2M - KYRGYSTAN - 21013 at 0510Z, 21200 before that, 14025 at 0330Z, other 20 CW frequencies before that, 7014 at 0030Z, 7085 at 00Z.

VP6AL - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Al was on 14238 at 0040Z, 14220 from 0045Z, 14275 from 0020Z.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - 14070 PSK31 at 0015Z, 10139 PSK31 at 0410Z.

ZD9BCB - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Brian was on 14315 at 18Z. QSL via SQ8AQD.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-030	ZD9BCB	14315	1800	EU-123	GM4GTYP	3723	2225
AS-059	RW0IZ/P	14015	2035	EU-124	GC4BRS/P	14250	1000
AS-080	HL0LPM/3	10105	2150	EU-127	DL0LNLW	7059	0945
AS0-094	BD7YA	14265	0930	EU-128	DH0IPA	14257	1335
EU-003	CU2DX	18150	1340	EU-129	DL0MFK/LH	10121	1530
EU-019	UA9XKB/FJL	14084	0620	EU-130	IQ3AZ/P	14263	1630
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	10104	1920	EU-135	9A7K	14257	0650
EU-037	8S7GL	14271	1230	EU-136	9A7K	14260	2035
EU-042	DL0SY/P	7078	1130	EU-144	IR8DX	14022	2050
EU-043	8S6LL	24897	0725	EU-146	PA3BDQ/LH	14214	0815

EU-047 DK20073KT	14025 1720	EU-158 SV3/DF6MS/P	14012 1815
EU-052 SV8/IZ7FLP	14265 1650	EU-163 4O6AA	14041 1100
EU-055 LA/PA3FMC	14253 1520	EU-170 9A4A	10108 0555
EU-057 DL0RUG	7066 0925	EU-172 OZ2GBW/LH	7064 1110
EU-065 TM4ST	14187 1325	EU-173 OH1F/P	14255 0800
EU-075 SV1EQU/8	14240 0730	NA-031 K1BTL/LH	7259 1800
EU-084 SM/DL4MN/M	14292 1100	NA-099 KP3RE/LH	3790 0520
EU-116 GT4IOM	14307 1625	NA-136 N1EV	14280 1655
EU-122 GBOREL	7066 1340	NA-243 OX/PA3EXX/P	14038 2340

VE1OTA will be on Brier Island, NA-127, today through the 24th, 40 and 20M SSB. Operators VE1VOX, Dana, will be using an Icom 706MKIIG, with 100 watts to a portable dipole. QSL via VE1VOX.

The IOTA program now has added what they call "Four Checkpoints" who are authorized to check IOTA submissions. They are JA9IFF, N9BX, SM5DJZ, and W9DC. You can find the links to them under "My Credits" at the IOTA site. If there are problems, you can check with IOTA.online@rsgb.org.uk.

F5MCC plans to get on the air from some "onshore lighthouses" and maybe some islands on the coast of Brittany too, this week, through the 25th. He will be on 80-10M, mostly CW with some SSB.

OZ/DL8AAV/p, Bernd, will be on Laeso Island, EU-088, September 17-29. QSL to his home callsign direct or bureau.

Five Swedes will be on Grimskar Island, EU-176, August 24 at 12Z until 12Z August 26, 80-10M CW and SSB. They will use the callsigns SD3N and SG3U. QSL via the bureau or direct. The operators are SM3CXS, SM3GSK, SM3JGG, SM3NXS and SM3XGV.

VK4JCF will be on Horn Island in Queensland, Australia, OC-138, August 31-September 2. Operator JA1JCF, Nobi, says operating time may be limited because he wants to sightsee, but he hopes to be on 30, 20 and 17M CW. QSL via the JARL bureau or direct. Do not QSL via the VK bureau for this one.

ZS1REC's group got all the way to Robben Island, AF-064, Saturday only to learn that an official had failed to sign a permit he had in his possession since Wednesday. The group returned to Cape Town harbor to sort things out and nobody could be found, of course, on Saturday to sign the form. All the packing of antennas, beam, amplifiers, radios, food, beverages, the boat arrangement and loading all for naught. Raoul is "just a little frustrated."

BD7KLO, Vange, plans to be on Pingtan Island, AS-138, August 23-26. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

If things have gone according to plan, GW0ANA is now cruising the Outer Hebrides islands of Scotland, EU-010, inclusive dates August 18-28. Glyn is on holiday with friends with hamming secondary. He said, though, "I will try my hardest to active as many as I can," including St. Kilda, EU-059. He will sign GM0ANA/p and operate SSB with an inverted V and battery power fed by a solar panel. QSL to his home call.

OH1AV/2 planned to be on Vormo Island, EU-097, August 17-19. QSL via OH1BOI direct or bureau.

OZ/DL2VFR, Ric on Romo Island, EU-125, will be August 26-September 1. He plans to be on HF, mostly CW. QSL to his home callsign. Ric will have a "BigIR vertical for 40-10, and high power. He will concentrate on 40 and 30, looking for Japan and the Far East and North America from 19-22Z daily.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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20-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
20-Aug	23-Aug	CE	By W7EME			11-155
20-Aug	31-Aug	CE	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV		11-158
20-Aug	20-Aug	DL	DF0WFB (EU-042)			11-152
20-Aug	22-Aug	EA8	EA8/ON6ZK (AF-004)	ON6ZK	11-154	129
20-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
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23-Aug	8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC		11-155
24-Aug	26-Aug	F	F5KAQ/P (EU-156)	F5RJM		11-154
25-Aug	1-Sep	9A	9A/IK5WWA (EU-016)	IK5WWA		11-144
25-Aug	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
25-Aug	26-Aug	EA	EG3MED (EU-078)	EA3GM		11-152
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4O6AA	9A6AA	EM50ARDF	US0VA	ON14CS	ON4RSX
4S7HIG	ON4HIL	GC4BRS/P	GW0AMA	ON4OSLN	ON4CJK
8S20OTC	SM7BHM	HB9LH	HB9DLO	R100AK	RW4HB
8S6VAN	SM6JSM	HC2SL	EA5KB	R100IF	RW4HB
A71EM	EA7FTR	HG15SD	HA8PH	SN1LH	SP3VT
CE2WQ	EA5KB	II4GOR	IK3MZS	SN2JS	SP5KCR
CO2NB	EA5KB	IR8DX	IK8VRH	SV9/ON5NT	ON5NT
CO6WD	W0SA	K2L	WB2YQH	TM4CR	F4ELJ
CT6A	CT1ILT	LS1D	LW9EOC	TM4ST	F4ELJ
CV9T	CX1TA	OH0BP	OH2BP	WH2D	K3UOC
EA3/DL2FDL	DL2FDL	OH1/DL6BBT	DL6BBT	XR1H	HA1AG
EA5/UT2XD	UT2XD	OH1VR/VP9	OH1VR	XR4C	CE6AMN
EA8/OK2ZI	OK2ZI	OH3A	OH3AA	ZL6LH	ZL1VK

EU7SA says there has been various QSL info on UA1QV/1 and RA1QKI/1 from Islands on the Air EU-160 and EU-102, so Andy decided to clarify it by asking UA1QV/1 directly on the air. `QV said all direct requests for either callsign should go via UA1QV's QRZ.com address.

The ops will be home in late August and will start sending out QSLs in late September. QSLing via the bureau is okay too.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 4W6AAV, CX6VM, J8/W6JKV, N8S, NA8O/AH0, OA4/DL5YWM and YN2N.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4X0WV, EA3NW, EH7CE, JA3AOP, JA3JOT, RN6BY, RX3AGD, VE7NF, VG2RC and VE9/F5PAC (NA-068).

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0DF, 3XY7C, 5V7VJ, 5W0UO, C56CW, DJ3IW, DL7DF/HR3, DM5EL, EA1AKS, EB1ISN, EI/SP4Z, F6FTB, GW6GW, HZ1SK, KH6FI, LN9Z, LU3JVO, LZ/G4ECG, MD0CCE, OE3SGU, OK2BON, PJ2/DL7DF, PJ2/G3TXF, PY3DX, RA0ALM, RA9KM, SP3HC, T30CW, T30Y, T33CW, TZ6CW, UA6AF/P, UR5FAV, V5/DJ4SO, XT2OW, ZK1FR and ZK1UO.

On The WWW

Logs for the recent OJ0B operation from Market Reef can now be found at <http://sm0w.com/index.php>.

JA1DOT, Hisato, is publicizing the "Nanchatte DX Aikoukai," and what is now being called the "Nippon DX Association," which he says is "the same NDXA, which is now in its tenth year of activities, with big plans for the coming years. Here is the web site:

[http://www.ndxa.jp/pub/NDXA%20introduction\(Aug19\)%20Rev06.pdf](http://www.ndxa.jp/pub/NDXA%20introduction(Aug19)%20Rev06.pdf).

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DX News

RTTY ops needing Honduras will be glad to know that NP3D/W2 (EW1AR), Andy, is heading there next month. Actually he is going to Swan Island (NA-035), which used to be a separate DXCC entity. Exact dates and full details were not available. Andy will be using LOTW.

In celebration of the 4th International Polar Year 2007/2008, Portugal has been represented by the official special event Amateur Radio station CQ4IPY. Activity will continue from September 8th to 14th.

Look for CQ4IPY on 10 through 80 meters on CW, SSB, PSK31, RTTY and SSTV. QSL via CT1BWW. Those Amateur Radio operators and SWLs working/hearing CQ4IPY on three different bands or two different modes are eligible for a special certificate. Complete details can be found at <http://cq4ipy.bravehost.com/award.htm>.

I2MOV, Flaviano, has been QRV from Dolianova, Sardinia as IS0/I2MOV since late June and will remain here until November. Look for activity on 6 through 40 meters, mostly CW. QSL via his home call.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Jacky continues to show up on 1822 before 20Z.

4K5D - AZERBAIJAN - North American West Coast DXers reported working Igor on 20 CW the last two days starting just before 0400Z.

7Q7BJ - MALAWI - Barrie was camped out on 18077 yesterday between 1415 and 1630Z. QSL via G4AHK.

9M6QQ - EAST MALAYSIA - Hans started up Monday on 14215 just prior to 1700Z. QSL via DF5UG.

9N7JO - NEPAL - Stig had a quick short path opening to the western half of North America on 14023 yesterday just after 0230Z.

EL2DT - LIBERIA - Late yesterday (2340Z) until early today (0025Z) Dickson was on 14224. QSL via WA4TII.

VP6TD - PITCAIRN ISLAND - Watch for Tom on 30 meters RTTY/PSK around 0530Z on 40m SSB/RTTY/PSK31 around 0600z and the same on 80m around 0630Z.

VQ9LA - DIEGO GARCIA - Larry likes 1814 around 2330Z. W6, W7 and VE7 ops should check 80 CW after 13Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-080	HL0LPM/3	14025	1525	EU-054	IF9ZWA	14263	1005
AS-094	BD7YK	14265	1703	EU-055	LA/PA3FMC	14260	1947
EU-016	9A/IV3GNG	14525	1924	EU-088	OZ/DL2AWB	14073	1101
EU-017	IK3SCB/ID9	14260	0541	EU-091	I7PXV/7	10117	1955
EU-021	TF3WX/4	14184	1323	EU-147	RK3DZJ/1	10115	1625
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	14014	2106	EU-170	9A4A	10108	1420
EU-031	IC8/N5KME	10115	1956	NA-005	VP9/OH1VR	14025	1705
EU-031	IC8DAK	14249	2216	NA-243	OX/PA3EXX/P	14040	1959
EU-042	DF0WFB/LH	14264	0921	OC-021	YB0AJZ	14239	1239
EU-052	SV8/IZ7FLP	14258	1526				

RSGB IOTA Manager, Roger Balister, G3KMA, gives us some clarification to yesterday's issue in The Daily DX. "The new IOTA system which allows on-line applications and record updates is now being opened up to the IOTA Community. In order to limit the load on the server, and to check for any remaining problems, arrangements have been made for QSO uploads to be phased in across existing checkpoints. Initially, customers of four checkpoints, JA9IFF, N9BX, SM5DJZ, and W9DC will have access - the links to them can be found under "My Credits" at the IOTA site. We will open this feature for customers of the remaining checkpoints on or around 19 September 2007. If there are problems, please check with IOTA.online@rsgb.org.uk."

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
21-Aug	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
21-Aug	26-Aug	4S	4S7HIG	ON4HIL		11-159
21-Aug	23-Aug	9A	9A/IZ3GNG (EU-016)			11-154
21-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
21-Aug	23-Aug	CE	By W7EME			11-155
21-Aug	31-Aug	CE	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV		11-158
21-Aug	22-Aug	EA8	EA8/ON6ZK (AF-004)	ON6ZK	11-154	129
21-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)			11-113
21-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
21-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC		11-134
21-Aug	21-Aug	HL	HL0LPM/3 (AS-080)	6K2BWA		11-154
21-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-149
21-Aug	24-Aug	I	IK3SCB/ID9 (EU-017)	IK3SCB		11-154
21-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134
21-Aug	26-Aug	JW	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR		11-144
21-Aug	22-Aug	LA	LA/PA3FMC (EU-055)	PA3FMC	11-149	129 085
21-Aug	24-Aug	ON	ON14CS			11-135
21-Aug	27-Aug	OX	OX/HB9FMD	HB9FMD		11-090
21-Aug	23-Aug	OX	OX/PA3EXX/p (NA-243)	PA3EXX	11-153	018

21-Aug 25-Aug	SV	SV8/IZ7FLP (EU-052)	IZ7FLP	11-157 154
21-Aug 23-Aug	SV9	SV9/ON5NT	ON5NT	11-154
21-Aug 31-Aug	TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ	11-155
21-Aug 27-Aug	UA	UE6UFO		11-159
21-Aug 31-Aug	UR	EM15B	UT1BC	11-144
21-Aug 24-Aug	VE	VE1OTA (NA-127)	VE1VOX	11-159
21-Aug 23-Aug	VP6	VP6AL (OC-044)		11-159
21-Aug 24-Aug	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-159 137 081
21-Aug 21-Aug	VP9	VP9/OH1VR (VP9)	OH1VR	11-132 124
21-Aug 22-Aug	VU	AT0D		11-159
21-Aug 3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
21-Aug 24-Aug	W	W4SAR/p (NA-083)	W4SAR	11-149

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be quiet. On Wednesday and Thursday the geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for August 19, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3Z0LH	SP1PBW	IA3GM	IV3LNQ	SJ9WL	LA4EKA
7Q7BJ	G4AHK	II8IPY	I8ACB	SN750C	SP9PKZ
9M6QQ	DF5UG	LG5LG	LA4EKA	UN3M	EA7FTR
HL0LPM/3	6K2BWA	ON14CS	ON4RSX		

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Yesterday W5KDJ, Wayne, received 2,000 A25KDJ QSLs from the printer so the QSLs will soon be on their way!

As of August 20, 2007 NI5DX (ex N5FTR), Buzz, is the QSL manager for KL5E, Bob, in Alaska. Bob is going to send Buzz the logs back to when Bob began using the KL5E call (August, 1998) so that Buzz will be able to answer all contacts from that date to the present. All cards should come directly to NI5DX.

Logs for K4L's operation (268 QSOs) from the Cape Florida lighthouse have been uploaded to LOTW.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4W6AAV, AA4V (NA- 110), BS7H, EL2DX, JD1BMM, N2US (NA-083), N8S, PJ2/W9VA, SU9HP, V44KAI, VP2EREM, VY2/KV8Q (NA-029), XT2C, ZL8R

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3XY7C, 3Y0X, 5W0CW, 9Y4/DL7DF, AH8LG, BS7H, CT1APE, CT1BXX, CT3FQ, EI/SP4Z, ES1GF, HB9BIN, LU1BR, LU8ADX, MDOCCCE, OL4HQ, PJ2/DL7DF, PJ2/DL7UFN, PY3DX, R1MVI, RA9KM, RV4CT, SP4EEZ, T30CW, TJ3FR, TJ3SP, TK5IH, TZ6CW, V5/DJ4SO, VK9DNX, VP2V/DL4WK, VP2V/DL7DF, VY2MT, XZ7A, ZC4SXW, ZK1FR, ZK1SDE, ZK1UO

On The WWW

Full results of the 2006 Oceania DX Contest are now available on-line at <http://www.oceaniadxcontest.com/index.html>.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: CT1BWW, K3ZO, K5AC, K5AQ, K9QVB, N2ZN, N4GN, N4II, NI5DX, NP3D/W2, SM5DQC, VU2PTT, W0VX, W4DN, W5KDJ, W8JV, ZL1AZE, ZL4PW

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DX News

W4ZV notes that VU7RG has had some great openings on 160 meters to the East Coast and worked as far west as KD9SV in Indiana. He says conditions are playing out pretty much as predicted by NOAA, with conditions the first day of the operation fair, followed by disturbances the next two days and then gradual improvement. The forecast is for fairly quiet conditions the next four days, so he hopes VU7RG will have some good openings. They plan to QRT at midnight Indian time January 25th, which he reports is 1830Z January 24th, which leaves a few more sunsets and sunrises to try to work them. The VU7RG lowband op said he would try to be on after their 1300Z sunset to try to work the North American West Coast and Midwest. Bill says the Topband ops have been K4UEE, W0GJ and W5MJ. The VU7 ops have been having power outages which may account for silent periods. He says, "If they suddenly stop, just be patient and hopefully they will be back on as soon as power is restored." Bill also said the "Agatti 80m VU7RG station made 300 QSOs with North America on 80m CW in the 4 hours around their sunrise yesterday!"

Pilot station N1DG reports that VU7MY, Minicoy Island, Lakshadweep Islands, will not be able to upload its logs to the web log search until after the operation. There is no internet on that island. QSLs for VU7RG and VU7MY go the same place. Europe, Africa, the Middle East and Northern Asia go via the German DX Foundation. The Americas, QSL via N200. Asia and Pacific QSL via JA3UB. The VU7RG callsign authorization expires January 24 or 25 but the VU7MY callsign is good through the end of the month. See <http://www.dx-pedition.de/lakshadweep2007/qs1/qs1.html> for complete QSLing details!

VK6LC, Mal, is in Vietnam where he holds the callsign XV2LC. He says he has spent the week fixing his old HCMC shack equipment and has rebuilt the FL-2100Z amplifier and can now "squeeze out about 500 watts subject to the huge fluctuations in mains input voltage." He will soon be operating from the "Ho Coc" beach resort, 40 miles north of Vung Tau on the east coast. He will be there January 24-31 and will put up slopers for 75, 40, 20 and 15. Look for him on 3795, 7080 listening up for the U.S., 14195 and 21295, all phone frequencies, but you can request CW. January 27-28 he will be joined by some Vietnamese operators from the HCMC Amateur Radio Club. February 1-11 he will himself be back in the HCMC shack, 20M only. He says the weather has been hot and sticky. QSL via VK6LC.

NO2R is currently operating as XU7ACY. He has moved to a new location and the 160M antenna is up. He will concentrate on 160 the next few days, until he can get some other antennas up at the new QTH. And, the amplifier is back in service. Noise levels and propagation have not been cooperative, but Peter says he's doing his best. Late word through pilot station W2EN is that Peter was off the last couple of days due to a tropical fever. He also fell out of a tree (presumably putting up antennas) and got bitten by fire ants. W2EN, Doug, says "It's hard to believe he is enjoying this trip!" His new QTH did not have reliable electrical power so he bought a generator to solve that problem. He planned to be back on the air today.

P29GQ, David, is going back to Australia for a holiday. He returns to Papua-New Guinea the first week of February.

E51JD (ex-ZK1JD), Jim, in the South Cook Islands, is back on Rarotonga after a New Zealand holiday. He is a regular on the ANZA Net on 14183 at 0530Z.

Saturday was scheduled to be the last day for C21HC. Udo planned to leave for T30 yesterday, Sunday however the plane had engine problems and he is still on Nauru and does not know at this time when he will be heading for Tarawa where he will be QRV as T30HC. QSL via DL9HCU.

3D2AG, Tony, has been in French Polynesia for many months. He is now on holiday in Fiji and will relocate to New Caledonia soon, with a new callsign that is not known yet. He reports that licensing in 3D2 is difficult at present with the normally efficient radio licensing authority in Suva now totally QRT, perhaps due to the recent coup in Fiji. Attempts to contact them have been unsuccessful. But, the licensing authority in Tonga is now back in business, following a two-month closure due to riots and destruction of the central business district of Nuku'alofa.

EY8MM, Nodir Tursoon-Zadeh, is getting ready for the CQ 160 and plans to listen close for the U.S. He is trying to finish his Worked All States on 80CW and still needs Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, Utah and Wyoming. Nodir says if he can complete his 5BWAS he will be the first in Central Asia to do so. His city QTH is plagued by noise on receive, but he plans to operate from his country QTH January 25th using 1500 watts and a beverage for receive.

N3BNA, Dale, plans to be on as ZP6/N3BNA January 24 through February 5 from Paraguay. He will have a good station there and hopes to put in some time on 80M and 160M. Then he will be in Haiti February 11-24 but isn't sure he can get a license. W4WX and HH2JR have helped him get his application together. He will be on a project to replace a baseplate and base insulator on a 220-foot broadcast tower at a remote site. Dale's brother, KC3VW, will also be there and may get on SSB. They may get in the ARRL CW contest a little bit, if licenses come through.

VQ9LA, Chagos, plans to be in the CQ 160 CW. He will be single operator.

Plans for the DX0JP Spratly Islands expedition continue. It is set for February 3-13, 160-6M SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK, plus 6 and 2M JT65 EME. The operators signed up are JA1BRK, JA1RJU, JF1IST, JA4DND, JF2XGF, DU1BA and 4F2KWT. More info is on www.dxcom.jp/dx0jp.

DG9BHQ, Mirko, is the new operator at Neumayer Base, Antarctica. He

will be there until February, 2008.

LZ0A is on the air from the Bulgarian base, St. Kliment Ohridski on Livingston in the South Shetlands. Operator LZ1UQ, Mitko, will be there until March first.

T32MO is on from Fanning Island (OC-084), East Kiribati with ops KM9D, Mike, and his girlfriend, KF4TUG, Jan, operating. Jan started on SSB Sunday and made 585 SSB contacts. She expects to be active on 17M. Mike "had a rough night ashore." He said CW band conditions were pretty poor and the weather turned bad. He had to retreat to his sleeping tent to stay dry. Poor weather prevented further antenna work. At one point Mike realized a lot of the people who were working him thought they were actually working VU7RG.

LX7I will be the Luxembourg callsign for DL4SDW, DL8SCG and LX2A in the CQ 160 CW. They will be a multi-op. QSL via LX2A.

MD4K will again be on from the Isle of Man, this time for the CQ 160 CW, a multi-op. G3NKC, G4MJS and G4XUM will be teaming up. Look them starting Thursday before the contest. G3NKC says, "Hopefully, we will be on for JA sunrise before the contest, following many requests, probably using GD3NKC/P." QSL all of the callsigns they use via G3NKC. "If direct, please remember that 1 USD is not sufficient for return postage outside of the EU."

TA2RC, Ozer, plans to be on for the CQ 160M CW contest January 27-28, single op low power. QSL via the bureau to TA2RC.

Four ops plan to be on the air from Mali, TZ, April 2-7. They are ON4LN, Eric, as TZ2T; ON5CD, Ivo, as TZ1T; ON4FG, Stefaan, as TZ4T; and ON3VK, Bart, TZ callsign to be announced. They will be on 160-10M SSB, CW, RTTY, BPSK31 and other digital modes with at least two stations all the time. The band and mode will depend on propagation at the time. They will concentrate on low bands and WARC bands, CW and digital. QSL direct to ON4LN for all of them, or via the bureau to their individual home callsigns. Also see <http://mail2007.obox.be/>

VK3EGN, Tino, plans to be in the CQ 160 CW contest January 27-28, single op. He'll have a kite holding up his wire antenna. QSL via VK3EGN at the bureau.

VP2V/AK0M, Steve, and his XYL, VP2V/KC0RD, Sandy, will be on from the British Virgin Islands, NA-023, February 12-18. They will be on 40-6M and possibly some 80 if they can work out antenna issues. They expect to emphasize 40, 30, and 17M, and 12M if it's open. They will mostly do CW but also a little SSB. It is a vacation trip but they think they'll probably get on the air two to three hours a day. They may get in the ARRL DX CW contest for 6-12 hours. Some of the time they will operate from the beach and sometimes from their hotel. QSL via AK0M, direct or bureau. They will also upload the logs to LoTW afterwards. For more info, go to their site, http://pages.cfu.net/~sjs/vp2v/vp2v_feb_2007_main.html.

The Southern Arizona DX Association, SADXA, has elected officers for 2007. They are:

W6XI, Jerry Wothe, President
W6SCC, Guy (Barry) Coleman, VP
W7QJK, Karen Sasek, Secretary/Treasurer

9Z4AS, Miles Almandoz, passed away Thursday, January 18 during a vacation in Dominica. He was 63. His friend, 9Y4ZC, Andy, says Miles was very helpful to his contesting group, helping with customs and other obstacles. He says, "Miles never got tired of being on the air, chasing new DXCC and being part of different Caribbean nets, HF and VHF, even though he was still very much involved in managing his group of companies, Miles Almandoz & Co. Liquor and Merchandise, Almandoz Real Estate, Belleviste Apartments, and Almandoz Cruise Ship Agency."

QSN

ST2R - SUDAN - KY7M says ST2R had great ears. He found him on 3538 at 0305Z.

VU7RG - LAKSHADWEEP - N6ZS says everything came together and he logged VU7RG on 14032 long path at 0244Z. He says `RG was copyable there between 0230 and 0320Z. George says this is the first time he has had any copy. VU7RG was calling for W6. George says California has been "starving for VU7." VE1AST caught up with him on 30M Friday. `RG was copyable on 10130 and 10103 from 12-16Z. Interestingly, the station on 10130 seemed strongest on short path and the one on 10103 was strongest on longpath. NT5C says central Texas had a pipeline to VU7RG on 40 SSB longpath, 7081 from 1350Z until about 1420Z. Lots of Midwesterners got through. W6ENZ also reported a good 40M opening on 7002 and worked VU7 from California at 0145Z.

VP8/LZ1UQ - SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS - N6TR says this one made it to his QTH in Oregon before his normal QRT time of 03Z. Look for him between 0200 and 0300Z around 1825.5

XT2C - BURKINA FASO - Great signal on the U.S. West Coast at 04Z on 3514.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8YB	18166	1630	NA-062	K2ZR/4	7008	1250
AF-032	5H1Z	21260	1400	NA-101	J79XBI	7095	2110
AS-011	VU7RG	10133	1500	OC-021	YB0ECT	14019	1550
AS-106	VU7MY	14260	1600	OC-084	T32MO	18122	2115
EU-036	LA7WNA	7058	0020	OC-126	DU1/CT1EAT	14260	0825
EU-057	DG0TC	7035	1500	SA-068	8R1AK	14194	1740

Rumor has it that a group of Mexican and American ops plan to put Larga Island, NA-246, on the air for 48 hours with three stations between February 23 and 25. Some of the ops were on the XF1K operation "and other successful IOTA operations." They hope to break their own group's previous best QSO total. Comments and contributions are welcome and may be sent to N6AWD@arrl.net or XE2K@arrl.net.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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22-Jan	11-Feb	4X	4X/K2LS	K2LS		11-008
22-Jan	29-Jan	5H	5H1C (AF-032)	F6AML		10-202
22-Jan	23-Jan	5R	5R8HG (AF-013)	DK2WV		11-007
22-Jan	26-Jan	6O	6O0M	PA7FM		11-011
22-Jan	2-Feb	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)		11-011	10-236
22-Jan	31-Jan	9G	by IK2BTI			11-006
22-Jan	28-Feb	9M2	9M2MRS (AS-015)	9M2MRS		10-226
22-Jan	28-Jan	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-005
22-Jan	29-Jan	C5	C56NN			11-011
22-Jan	26-Jan	FM	FM/F5LOW/p (NA-107)	F5LOW		11-001
22-Jan	28-Jan	FM	FM/F6CMH (NA-107)	F6CMH		11-011
22-Jan		FO	FO5RH (OC-066)	F2HE		11-010
22-Jan	14-Feb	HL	HL1/CT2JFR	CT2JFR		11-014
22-Jan	26-Jan	HS	E21EIC/8			11-014
22-Jan	28-Jan	I	II0BH			11-011
22-Jan		J7	J79XBI (NA-101)	SM0XBI		10-239
22-Jan		JD1/MT	JD1BME (OC-073)	bureau		11-003
22-Jan	25-Jan	JT	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW		10-234
22-Jan	5-Feb	KC4	3Y9SDA	LA9SDA	11-002	001
22-Jan	28-Jan	KC4	VP8DKF (AN-016)	K2ARB	10-217	203 202
22-Jan	30-Apr	LZ	LZ2007EU	LZ1BJ		11-001
22-Jan	31-Jan	OA	OA4/DL5YWM	DL5YWM		10-223
22-Jan	3-Feb	PY	ZY7LUX	PR7AR		11-011
22-Jan	30-Apr	ST	ST2R	S57DX		11-001
22-Jan		T30	T30HC (OC-017)	DL9HCU		11-013
22-Jan		T32	T32MO (OC-084)	OM2SA		11-011
22-Jan	31-Jan	VU7	VU7MY (AS-106)		11-005	10-217 188
22-Jan	25-Jan	VU7	VU7RG (AS-011)		11-005	10-217 188
22-Jan	30-Jan	XU	XU7ACY	K2NJ	11-004	10-208
22-Jan	31-Jan	YS	YS3/I2JIN	I2JIN	11-006	001
23-Jan	29-Jan	CU	CU/OH2BH CU/OH8NC	home calls		11-010
23-Jan	26-Jan	GJ	MJ0AWR (EU-013)	K2WR		11-001
24-Jan	6-Feb	KP2	KP2ZZ KP2/KI7VR	G4OOR		11-005
25-Jan	26-Jan	3D2	3D2AD			11-004
25-Jan	26-Jan	CN	CN2FW CN2FB CN2FF	DK4VW		11-013
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AI			11-004
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88AO			11-004
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88CY			11-004
25-Jan	30-Jan	T8	T88OP			11-004
25-Jan	26-Jan	VK	Australia Day			11-015
27-Jan	28-Jan	3W	3W3W	OK1DOT		11-014
27-Jan	28-Jan	CN	CN2A	DK4VW		11-013
27-Jan	28-Jan	CU	CU2A	OH2BH		11-010
27-Jan	28-Jan	EA6	EA6BF	EA6BF		11-013
27-Jan	28-Jan	EY	EY8MM	K1BV		11-006
27-Jan	28-Jan	GJ	GJ2A (EU-013)	K2WR		11-001
27-Jan	28-Jan	OH0	OH0Z	W0MM		10-223
27-Jan	28-Jan	VP9	VP9I	N1HRA		11-006
27-Jan	28-Jan	YI	YI9CC/5			11-011
27-Jan	28-Jan	ZF	ZF2CM	K0BJ		11-011
27-Jan	28-Jan		CQ WW 160 CW Contest			
27-Jan	28-Jan		YT3B	UA3AB		11-011

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5H3VMB	UA4WHX	A35RK	W7TSQ	PJ5NA	K1NA
5R8FL	G3SWH	BX0ZR	W8UVZ	RK80X	RA9XX
5R8GZ	G3SWH	CQ0ODX	CT2GZE	TR8CA	F6CBC
5X1GS	WB2YQH	CT9F	CS3MAD	YB0ECT	K3AIR
6G1LM	XE1LM	EG4FRF	EB4FRF	YI9SM	K5CW
6H1J	XE1J	J79XBI	SM0XBI	Z36A	DJ0LZ
9J2SZ	SP8DIP	LW2DFH	EA5KB	ZD8RH/P	G4DBW

KY7M, Lee, operated as TY6LF in November, 2006. He has had to order new QSLs, as he ran out. The new batch arrived on Saturday. Lee says the QSLs for all the pending direct requests should go out in the mail on Monday.

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DX News

Yesterday AA7JV (VK2NU), George Wallner, from Miami, Florida, announced his diving trip to the Willis Islets late next month. While there he plans to operate as VK9WWI, focusing on 80 and 160 meters. Along with him will be HA7RY, Tomi, who will be QRV on the higher bands. The two will both be using the same call. They will be taking George's boat from Cairns to Willis and the trip and exact dates are dependent on weather. Expected dates are September 24th to October 4th. The two will have a small amplifier. More details are anticipated in the near future.

HA4XG, Geza, is heading back to Greece, where he will be QRV as J48XG and SV8/HA4XG from Corfu Island (EU-052) from August 31st to September 6th. Look for activity on HF plus 2 and 6 meters. Plans are to operate in the IARU VHF Contest on September 1st and 2nd. He'll be on Meteor Scatter on randoms on 144363 transmitting first. Next he'll be QRV as J44XG and SV4/HA4XG from Thessalia, mainland Greece from September 7th to 14th. He'll be using an IC-746 along with DunaX verticals, preamp on 2 meters, and 10 element DK7ZB Yagi. QSL via the Hungarian QSL bureau or direct to his QRZ.COM address.

FW0YL and FW0MO logs have been uploaded to the ARRL's LOTW.

A three man team from South Africa will be operating in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest from Swaziland. ZS2DL, ZS6DXB and ZS6JR will be QRV as 3DA0WW on October 27th and 28th. They will be operating in the multi-two category. Check out their Web site at www.zs6dxbr.bravehost.com. QSL via ZS6DXB, Rhyndhardt Louw, P.O. Box 10148, Edleen, 1619, Gauteng, Republic of South Africa

IZ2DPZ, Giovanni, reports his trip to Liechtenstein (HB0) has been cancelled due to technical and origination problems. He plans to try again next year.

QSN

9N7JO - NEPAL - Yesterday Stig started up on 14024 just after 1430Z until 1630Z. Today he was there at 0130Z.

MD0CCE - ISLE OF MAN - Bob was on the 14247 net Tuesday around 2015Z.

VU2NKS - INDIA - Nandu was up on 18154 yesterday between 1530 and 1615Z. He was working parts of Europe and the US (eastern half). Nandu uses LOTW and confirmations for yesterdays QSOs were already being reported!

VK9ZLH - LORD HOWE ISLAND - Today just before 0400Z Doug showed

up on 17 meters SSB.

IOTA

Look for 9A/IK5WWA to be activated from Solta Island (EU-016) from August 24th to September 2nd. Activity will be on SSB on 10-80 meters plus 2 meters and 70 cm. QSL via IK5WWA or IZ5CMI.

Four Czech ops will be QRV from Porer Island (EU-110) September 9th to 14th. They are 9A/OK1JK, 9A/OK1UXH, 9A/OK1JST and 9A/OK1HWS, who will be on 10 thorough 80 meters on SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK. QSL via OK1JST.

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22-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
22-Aug	23-Aug	CE	By W7EME			11-155
22-Aug	31-Aug	CE	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV		11-158
22-Aug	22-Aug	EA8	EA8/ON6ZK (AF-004)	ON6ZK	11-154	129
22-Aug	24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)	EA8TL		11-113
22-Aug	28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ		11-149
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22-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-149
22-Aug	24-Aug	I	IK3SCB/ID9 (EU-017)	IK3SCB		11-154
22-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134
22-Aug	26-Aug	JW	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR		11-144
22-Aug	22-Aug	LA	LA/PA3FMC (EU-055)	PA3FMC	11-149	129 085
22-Aug	24-Aug	ON	ON14CS	ON4RSX		11-135
22-Aug	27-Aug	OX	OX/HB9FMD	HB9FMD		11-090
22-Aug	23-Aug	OX	OX/PA3EXX/p (NA-243)	PA3EXX	11-153	018
22-Aug	25-Aug	SV	SV8/IZ7FLP (EU-052)	IZ7FLP	11-157	154
22-Aug	23-Aug	SV9	SV9/ON5NT	ON5NT		11-154
22-Aug	31-Aug	TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ		11-155
22-Aug	27-Aug	UA	UE6UFO	RZ6AU		11-159
22-Aug	31-Aug	UR	EM15B	UT1BC		11-144
22-Aug	24-Aug	VE	VE1OTA (NA-127)	VE1VOX		11-159
22-Aug	23-Aug	VP6	VP6AL (OC-044)	ZL1UFB		11-159
22-Aug	24-Aug	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-159	137 081
22-Aug	22-Aug	VU	AT0D			11-159
22-Aug	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-107
22-Aug	24-Aug	W	W4SAR/p (NA-083)	W4SAR		11-149

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9A950JB/P	9A3JB	LA/PA3FMC	PA3FMC	VP6AL	ZL1UFB
A25MC	G4RCD	OX/PA3EXX/PPA3EXX		YB0AZ	W7TSQ
HZ1IK	DK7YY	SI89B	SM6CLU	YU60BCD	YU7BCD

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YT1AD, Hrane, is overseeing the QSL chores for the April 2007 N8S (Swains Island) operation. 16,000 QSLs have been mailed to date. The last batch was sent early last week. If you do not have your QSLs by midweek next week you should resend.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 4W6AAV, BS7H, K1VSJ (NA-046), N8S, SM6EQO/p (EU-043)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4M5F, 5B4AHL, 9G5SP, 9Y4/DL7DF, CT3FQ, EI8EM, FW0MO, FW0YL, HB9BIN, HB9ICC, HZ1SK, K8ND, KH6GMP, LA3MHA, LB8IB, MD0CCE, OM5TX, SP4Z, TJ3SP, TK5IH, V5/DJ4SO, V73RY, VP2V/DL4WK, VP2V/DL7DF, VP9/W4SMT, VU2NKS, XZ7A, YV4BCD, YV5AAX, ZK1SDE, ZM2A

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As a reminder W4CK's, Mark Clark, mid-August trip to Wake Island (KH9) has been cancelled (see Vol. 11 No. 144, 142 and 141).

To celebrate 60 years of Indian Independence, the special callsign AT60MY (Alpha Tango Six Zero Mike Yankee) will be operated by members of National Institute of Amateur Radio (NIAR) in Hyderabad, India starting today through November 17.
QSL Via VU2NRO.

W4DR, Bob Eshleman, is once again at the top of the DXCC Challenge. Bob was recently accredited with 8 new ones, leaving I4EAT, Fausto Minardi, in second place with 3116 total band countries in the Challenge. You can see the entire list, which is updated daily, at <http://www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc/listings/standpdf.php3?pdf=CHAL>.

In celebration of the 75th anniversary of Irish Radio Transmitters Society (IRTS) special event station EI75IRTS will be aired from the EIOMAR station on August 26th, September 2nd and 9th. The station may also be QRV on the Saturdays of those weekends.

Over the last three days T61AA has been QRV on 20 meters SSB from Afghanistan. The operator is none other than Ross Ballantyne (VK1UN, VK8UN, 4W6UN, etc). He's been QRV on both 14200 and 14250 between 0400 and 0530Z and also from 1200 to 1330Z. QSL via his T61AA address on QRZ.COM. The VK1UN and VK8UN addresses on QRZ.COM have the wrong city code number.

Correction

The VP5T team will be at VP5JM's QTH on Providenciales, Turks & Caicos, October 23-30 for the CQWW SSB. The ops will be WA2VYA, K2WB, W2WAS and N2VW. They will do CW and 30, 17 and 12M before and after the WW. QSL via N2VW (not N2VT). They will upload the log to LOTW after 30 days, and bureau QSLing is okay too. QSL any portable calls they use to the info they will put on QRZ.com. And SWL QSLs are welcomed too.

QSO Records By The Organizers Of 3B9C

Organizers from the 2004 3B9C DXpedition to Rodrigues Island published the following table of DXpedition QSO records.

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23-Aug 27-Aug UA	UE6UFO	RZ6AU	11-159
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CO6WD	W0SA	TT8FC	EA4AHK	VE1OTA/P	VE1VOX
OY3QN	OZ1ACB	UE1SNA/P	RA1QQ	XU7TZG	ON7PP
SO1EKO	DL1EKO				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4A3IH, 4W6AAV, 5W0AA, CU3GD, FK8GX, KH8/AI4VU, PZ5RA, YJ0IR

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 3D2NA, 7N1PRD/0, 7X0RY, DS5USH, DT8A, JA6QDU/6, JL7AIA/7, OH0MM, RX4HZ, SU8DLH, UA6AF/P, V63UA, VP8DII

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: FW0MO, FW0YL, VE7RAC

On The WWW

Are you looking for a new QTH and want to have big pileups and be a rare multiplier in contests without any local competition? It seems that Johnston Island (KH3) is up for sale! Check it out at <http://tinyurl.com/yrzj8b>.

The 2010 World Radio Team Championship will be held in Russia. The selection criteria have been finalized by the WRTC 2010 Committee and can be found at <http://www.wrtc.info/node/213>.

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DX News

JA6GXX (JD1BMM) will be working at various times at the Japan Coast Guard (JCG) loran-C radio navigation station on Marcus Island (Minami-Torishima) until March, 2010. His next assignment on the island will start August 29th and stay through September 20th. Plans are to be QRV as JD1BMM on 10-80 meters on CW, SSB, PSK and RTTY.

WB6NOA, Gordon West, WB6NOA, a leading Amateur Radio licensing teacher in the U.S., is expected to be QRV starting today from the East Kiribati Islands. "Gordo is on a humanitarian trip to install radios on islands in the vicinity of T32", says K7JA, Chip Margelli. He will be operating as T32GW from Fanning Island (OC-084) through September 3rd. This is not a DXpedition but activity will be in his spare time. He'll probably be on daily, as long as power is available. QSL via WB6NOA.

G4RCD, Mark Capstick, is now operational from Gaborone, the capital of Botswana, as A25MC. He will be there for two weeks, until September 1st. Mark is there on a work assignment and will be QRV in his spare time. He is running 100 watts into a 132 foot Doublet, tuned on all bands. QSL via G4RCD.

Members of the OM0C contest team will be operating from The Gambia late in October. The crew will include OM2TW, Rich; OM1KW, Bob; OM5AW, Joe; OM2RA, Roman; OM5NM, Norbert; OM1NW, Dano and OM2XW, Jan. They will be operating as C52C and C50C from October 17th to 30th. Activity is expected on 6 through 160 meters, with an emphasis on the low bands, especially Topband. They also plan to operate from Bijol Island (AF-060) and are still working on landing permission and license. They have a Web page at <http://www.om0c.com/gambia/index.html>. QSL via OM2FY, Branislav Daras, P.O. Box 6, Bratislava 28, 82008, SLOVAKIA.

TU2/F5LDY, Jean Luc, is expected to go QRT from Ivory Coast on August 25th, after making more than 20,000 QSOs. He has a Web page at <http://f5kee.free.fr/>. QSL via F1CGN either direct or via the bureau.

John, K4BAI; Jeff, KU8E; and Larry, K5OT; expect to be QRV from the PJ4G/K2NG contest station location on Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles from November 20 through 27, 2007. Outside the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest, they will sign PJ4/homecalls and during the contest they will be multi-single as PJ4A. QSL all four calls via K4BAI. Outside the contest, most activity will be on CW with emphasis on 10, 12, 17, 30 and 160 meters and openings to Asia.

The October VP5T CQ World Wide SSB DX team will be QRV on 60 meters before and after the contest.

Look for G3URA, Dick, to be active from Crete as SV9/G3URA from August

27 to September 4th. He'll be mostly QRV on CW. During the Russian RTTY contest, on September 1st and 2nd Dick will be using special call J49XF. QSL both via G3URA.

UE0QDA/0 is now QRV from the Russian Far East by RN0QQ and HA1AG. Look for activity on 20, 30, 40 and 80 meters CW, SSB and Digital modes. For more details check their Web page at http://www.hg6n.hu/halag/ue0qda/index_en.htm. QSL via RX3RC.

QSN

9N7JO - NEPAL - US West Coast ops reported Stig on 14025 just before 1630Z.

T61AA - AFGHANISTAN - Ross continues to be QRV on 20 SSB (near 14200) between 1200 and 1400 and around 0400Z. QSL via CBA on QRZ.COM.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-138	BA4ALC/5	14020	1450	EU-067	SV1FXN/8	3796	0145
AS-138	BD7KLO/5	14005	1834	EU-075	SV1EQU/8	14247	1823
EU-010	GM0ANA/P	7050	1447	EU-136	9A/OK1DSM	18078	0740
EU-012	MM0XAU	14007	1303	EU-136	9A6AA/P	14072	0824
EU-015	SV9/SV1AVD	14010	0957	EU-144	ID8/IZ2HXV	14280	0707
EU-017	ID9/IK3SCB	7051	1752	EU-147	RI1NU	14264	0928
EU-017	IK3SCB/ID9	7068	1120	EU-147	RK3DZJ/1	10106	1517
EU-024	IM0/IW2NYG	14257	0859	EU-170	9A5LO/P	18083	1252
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	18070	0908	NA-010	VE1CJB	7046	0131
EU-052	SV8/IZ7FLP	14250	1531	NA-075	VA7PX	7072	0448
EU-056	LA/F4BKV	14259	1747	NA-127	VE1OTA/P	14260	2031
EU-064	F4AQQ/P	14172	0832				

Special call W5P will be QRV on August 25th from Pelican Island (NA- 143), Texas. Activity is expected on 14260 and 7260.

Look for GM0WED/P, Ed, and MM3XUI/P, Glenn, to be operating from North Ronaldsay Island (EU-009) today through about 1400Z tomorrow. They will be on 17, 20, 30 and 40 meters CW and SSB. QSL via their home calls.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
24-Aug	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
24-Aug	26-Aug	4S	4S7HIG (AS-003)	ON4HIL		11-159
24-Aug	2-Sep	9A	9A/IK5WWA (EU-016)	IK5WWA		11-161 144
24-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC		11-126 118
24-Aug	26-Aug	BY	BA4ALC (AS-138)			11-162

24-Aug 26-Aug	BY	BA4ED (AS-138)		11-162
24-Aug 26-Aug	BY	BD4HD (AS-138)		11-162
24-Aug 26-Aug	BY	BD7KLO (AS-138)	BD7KLO	11-162 159
24-Aug 25-Aug	BY	BG7JSQ (AS-131)		11-162
24-Aug 31-Aug	CE	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV	11-158
24-Aug 24-Aug	EA8	EA8TL/EA6 (AF-004)	EA8TL	11-113
24-Aug 26-Aug	F	F5KAQ/P (EU-156)	F5RJM	11-154
24-Aug 28-Aug	G	GB4IPY	M3ZYZ	11-149
24-Aug 28-Aug	G	GB5BBS (EU-123)	M5GAC	11-134
24-Aug 31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU	11-149
24-Aug 24-Aug	I	IK3SCB/ID9 (EU-017)	IK3SCB	11-154
24-Aug 31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP		11-134
24-Aug 26-Aug	JW	JW/DJ3KR	DJ3KR	11-144
24-Aug 24-Aug	ON	ON14CS	ON4RSX	11-135
24-Aug 27-Aug	OX	OX/HB9FMD	HB9FMD	11-090
24-Aug 26-Aug	SM	8S3SYL	SM3CVM	11-154 129 080
24-Aug 26-Aug	SM	SD3N SG3U (EU-176)		11-159
24-Aug 25-Aug	SV	SV8/IZ7FLP (EU-052)	IZ7FLP	11-157 154
24-Aug 31-Aug	TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ	11-155
24-Aug 30-Aug	TF	By W7EME		
24-Aug 27-Aug	UA	UE6UFO	RZ6AU	11-159
24-Aug 31-Aug	UR	EM15B	UT1BC	11-144
24-Aug 8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC	11-155
24-Aug 24-Aug	VE	VE1OTA (NA-127)	VE1VOX	11-159
24-Aug 24-Aug	VP6	VP6TD (OC-044)	ZL2HGR	11-159 137 081
24-Aug 17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
24-Aug 3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
24-Aug 24-Aug	W	W4SAR/p (NA-083)	W4SAR	11-149
25-Aug 17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO	11-144
25-Aug 26-Aug	EA	EG3MED (EU-078)	EA3GM	11-152
25-Aug 1-Sep	I	ID9/IK8HJC (EU-017)	IK8HJC	11-134
25-Aug 26-Aug		YO DX HF Contest		11-159
26-Aug 8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS	11-154
26-Aug 1-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-125)	DL2VFR	11-159 080
26-Aug 24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)		11-070
27-Aug 29-Aug	DL	DJ5MS (EU-127)	DJ5MS	11-154
27-Aug 31-Aug	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-024)	DL7VOG	11-144
27-Aug 30-Aug	TA	TC25SG	TA1HZ	11-159
27-Aug 31-Aug	VE	VA3QSL/W4 (NA-139)	VA3QSL	11-154
27-Aug 31-Aug	YV	YW5AS (SA-051)	DL3AMA	11-154

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be predominately quiet. Quiet to unsettled conditions, with isolated active periods, are expected on Saturday and Sunday in response to a recurrent coronal hole.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for August 22, 2007 was 12.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3W2TXR	JA2TXR	K8E	N8MR	TU2/F5LDY	F1CGN
8S3SYL	SM3CVM	R1000LE	UA3DDA	UE0LLL	RU0LM
AT60MY	VU2NRO	R1FJT	UA4RC	UE0QDA/0	RX3RC
CX7CO	KA5TUF	SN100S	SP9ZHR	UE3SFF/1	RU3SD
EM15B	UT1BC	SV9/ON5NT	ON5NT	UE6MAC/9	RZ6MF
ID8/IZ2HXV	IZ2HXV				

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KH0/K3UY, OY/PA2A, OY/PA2AM, V63UA

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H, E21EIC, EA5FID, EG5D, I8NHJ,
PY2KC, R50KP, US7MM

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DX News

PA3EWP, Ronald; F5CWU, Flo; and GM4FDM, Tom, will mount an expedition to Brunei Darussalam between November 4th and 18th. They will leave London on November 3rd returning from Brunei on the 19th.

Callsigns will be PA3EWP --- V8FWP --- QSL via PA7FM
F5CWU ---- V8FWU --- QSL via F5CWU
GM4FDM --- V8FDM --- QSL via GM4FDM

Operation will take place on all bands from 10 through 160 meters, conditions permitting. They will be QRV on CW, SSB and RTTY. Special attention will be given to the low frequency bands (30-160m). Special emphasis will be given to Western Europe and the USA. Plans are to have at least one beam antenna along with verticals and dipoles. Depending on internet availability they will try to maintain on line logs at a Web site yet to be established. The Web master will be PA7FM, Dennis - <http://www.pa7fm.nl/>.

A35RK, Paul Kidd, begins his return trip to Tonga tomorrow. He says the new SteppIR Mark III vertical for 80-6, the 6M add-on element for his SteppIR yagi, a new Yaesu FT-450 and new batteries for the solar power system are already loaded in a cargo container which will arrive in Tonga on September 20. Paul has a two-day layover in Honolulu and has made arrangements to operate from the battleship USS Missouri, KH6BB, from 01-03Z August 29. Paul will arrive in Pago Pago, American Samoa, late in the evening of August 30th. AH8LG, Larry Gandy, has invited Paul to stay at his QTH and operate from his station. He will sign KH8/KK6H for a day or two beginning on August 31. Then he's off to Apia, Samoa for a day or two with no radio operation planned before the return to Tonga on September 7. He will be in Nuku-alofa for a day or two, finally returning to his home island of Lifuka on September 9. A35RK operations will resume on September 10 or 11 and 6M operations will start up as soon as possible after the cargo container arrives.

LA8DW and OZ1HPS will be on the air signing JW8DW and JW/OZ1HPS October 1-7 from Svalbard. They will be on CW and SSB. QSL to their home callsigns or via the bureau.

VP8CXV will be on from East Falkland, SA-002, September 8-January 15. The operator will be GM0TQJ, Chris. He will operate in his spare time, mostly SSB but with some RTTY and PSK31. QSL to his home callsign.

OA4/S57CQ, Dane, is now QRV and will be on until September 3 from Lima, Peru. He spends most of his time on 20M SSB and CW and may do some RTTY also. QSL via S57CQ. Dane is an Emergency Preparedness and Response Officer with the UN World Food Program.

ZD9BCB, Brian, now thinks he will leave the SANAP weather station on Gough Island September 14th, two weeks later than previously expected. Brian is sometimes found on 14315 at 1730Z on Sundays. QSL via SQ8AQD direct only.

AA3B, Bud Trench, will be on from Antigua November 21-26 signing V26K. He will be in the CQWW CW contest single operator all band low power. QSL via AA3B.

DL2AH, Ulli, plans to be on from ZK2, Niue, September 29-October 12, 40-10M SSB and RTTY, and from the Chatham Islands as ZL7/DL2AH, October 16-30. He then goes to Norfolk with the VK9ANH callsign, November 1-14.

5Z4/DL2MDU, Chris, will be on the air from Kenya September 10-24, holiday style, mostly CW. QSL to his home call via the bureau.

9M50MB is a special callsign from Western Malaysia for the 50th anniversary of Malaysian independence. 9M2AU, Aziz, will be the operator of this one on August 31.

AN0EB, AN4EB, AN5EB, AN6EB and AN7EB will be special Spanish callsigns September 1-16 for EuroBasket 2007, the European basketball championship. The tournament is being held in Granada, Sevilla, Palma de Mallorca in the Balearics, Alicante, and Madrid. QSL all of these via EA4RCH Direct or bureau. Information on award associated with working these is on www.radioclubhenares.org.

TM8CDX is a special call from France for the 29th convention of the Clipperton DX Club. This year's meeting will be in Puylobier September 21-22. Cards for all QSOs will be sent via the bureau. If you want one direct, send to F5CQ. www.cdxc.org/Conventions/2007-Puylobier/puylobier2007-e.htm

IY1SP/IP1 will be on Palmaria Island, Italy, not an "Island on the Air," September 20-23. In 1897, Guglielmo Marconi sent signals from the Navy arsenal in Spezia to this island, and a few months later the first wireless coastal station in Italy was built there. ARI Spezia and local INORC and ARMI groups will be doing this operation. QSL via I1SAF.

IZ1CRA, Piero, plans to be on from IS0, Sardinia, starting today, through September 6. He will spend most of his time on 20M. QSL via his home call, bureau preferred.

SN10IPA is a special call from Poland today through September 16 for the 10th anniversary of the foundation of the IPA, International Police Association, Slesian Provincial Group. Operators from the Radio Club SP9PZU will have this one on the air. QSL via SP9PZU bureau or SQ9ZM direct.

SV5/IW1RLF, Alberto, will be on Rhodes, EU-001, September 10-17. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

TK/DL1DVP and TK/DL3VTA, Wolfgang and Mike, will be on SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31/63 October 7-14. QSL via their home calls, direct or bureau. This is Corsica, EU-014.

The ARRL Contest Rate Sheet reports that KC1J, Tom Hogerty, has resigned as ARRL Contest Manager and is pursuing other opportunities. The previous Contest Manager, N1ND, Dan Henderson, will be stepping into the gap and others will volunteer to keep the department going.

More on DL3AMA, Sigi Kleine, whose passing we reported last week. Sigi died unexpectedly on August 14th at the age of 66. He had planned to handle the QSLs for the upcoming YW5AS SA-051 IOTA operation. That duty has been reassigned to DM4TI.

We have late word that noted contester K3NZ, Norm Zoltack from the Frankford Radio Club, died on Thursday. Norm had been very ill for several months with an inoperable brain tumor.

QSN

4S7NNG - SRI LANKA - 21295 from 0920-11Z Sunday. 14190 from 1130-1150Z and 21294 at 0920Z Saturday. QSL via JA4AVP.

4U1UN - UNITED NATIONS NEW YORK - 14006 at 1840Z, 24893 at 1835Z, 50125 from 1830-1835Z, 14005 at 1810Z, all on Saturday.

9H1ET - MALTA - John was QRV on 18143 at 2015Z Sunday, says KI4AAN. Actually, he was on 18143 and 18144.7 before that from 1930-2030Z.

C31CT - ANDORRA - 30 METERS - 10104 from 1655-1735Z. Also, 3723 at 0925Z. QSL via EA3QS.

OA4/S57CQ - PERU - 18072 at 2025Z, 14189 at 1950Z, 18071 at 1945Z, 14320 from 20Z.

TJ3SL - CAMEROON - 18122 from 1440-1600Z. 14114 at 1630Z. QSL via F5PSA.

TL8CK - CENTRAL AFRICA - Charles made a surprise visit to 18130 on SSB on Sunday between 16 and 17Z. QSL via F6EWM.

XU7POS - CAMBODIA - 18132 at 0125Z early this morning, 14220 and 14300 from 1320Z yesterday, 18160 at 1120Z and 14260 15 1030Z yesterday. Also, 21260 at 10Z. QSL via ON7POS.

ZD9BCB - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - Brian was on 14315 from 1710-1740Z, 14325 at 17Z yesterday and 14215 from 1325Z Friday. QSL via SQ8AQD.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-018	IH9YMC	21260	0945	EU-067	SV1FXN/8	3793	2245
AF-030	ZD9BCB	14315	1710	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	28459	0810
AS-042	UA0BAF/P	14017	1335	EU-078	EG3MED	18132	1115
AS-133	XU7POS	14220	1340	EU-125	OZ1DYI/P	14260	1620
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1400	EU-132	SP8RX/1	14258	2125
EU-010	GM4KKG	10116	1600	EU-144	IR8DX	18072	1740
EU-012	MM0XAU	7002	2145	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	14254	1010
EU-016	9A/IK5WWA	14260	1800	EU-147	RK3DZJ/1	14005	1425
EU-017	ID9/IK8HJC	14260	1845	EU-170	9A5JR/P	7015	2150
EU-029	OZ0A	14260	1515	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	14257	2040

EU-031 IC8/N5KME 10115 0520 EU-176 SD3N 14256 1340
EU-045 IB0/IZ0FEJ/P 7060 1000 NA-091 N2OML
14206 1325
EU-054 IF9ZWA/P 14260 1230 OC-148 YC9MDX
21250 1055
EU-064 F4AQQ/P 7057 1745

9A4WW, Alen, will on from Lastovo, EU-016, today through September 3.
He will get on 160, 80 and 40 SSB.

9A2NA, Mladen, will activate Korcula Island, EU-016, September 1-10.
He will be on HF SSB and plans to go to two new "Islands of Croatia,"
Cerin and Piznjak Mali. He will be equipped with an FT-897 to a vertical and
dipoles.

YB9/PAORRS, Rich, planned to start up from Bali yesterday, to continue until
September 24th. Most of his operating will be on 40-10M but he will give 80 and
6 a try. QSL to his home call.

IK1ADH notes that the W5P operation we reported on last Friday will not be from
an IOTA. Pelican Island is in Eagle Mountain Lake in north central Texas. So,
it is not NA-143 after all.

EA8/DH1PS/p, Heinz-Peter, should be on by now from the Fuerteventura Island and
lighthouse in the Canary Islands, dates August 25 until September 8.

F/HB9ASZ/P, Bernardo, will be on Brehat in Brittany, France, EU-074, September
1-22, approximately. The operation will be CW only, 100 watts to a multi-band
dipole, mostly in the evenings, as he takes his family holidays. His favorite
band, he says, is 30M.

VK2IAY/4, Steve (aka G0UIH) will be on from some Australian IOTAs from mid-
December to mid-January. First, Great Keppel Island, OC-142, December 16-22.
Later, South Molle, OC-160, from January 7-11. He prefers 14260 and may also go
to 17M and 15M. QSL via his home call, direct or bureau.
<http://www.percy.me.uk>.

IN3YGW, Tony, will be on Rab Island, EU-136, in 9A now until September 8, SSB
and CW on HF and 6. QSL to his home call. Ones he doesn't get cards for, he
will send cards to via the bureau "in a couple years."

9A/DD1MAT, Niko, will be on holiday style from Dugi Otok, EU-170, September 1-
15. QSL to his home call.

9A/ON4LO, Francois, will be on Mali Losinj, EU-136, September 8-28, on HF and 6.

DJ5MS/p, Marcel, will be on SSB from Helgoland-Duene, EU-127. The dates for
this one are August 27-29. QSL via his home call, direct or bureau.

MM0BQI/p, Jim, will be on Lunga, Treshnish Isles, EU-108, September 1- 3. He
will be on 80-15M all modes. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

Honduran ops will be joined by four Americans on Swan Island, NA-035, September
23-28, weather permitting. They have asked for a special callsign, HQ0S or
HQ6S. I wonder if this is the same Swan Island that was once a DXCC entity, now
a "deleted" one.

IL7/IK1RAE and IL7/IZ4JMA will be on 80-6M SSB, RTTY and PSK31 from the Tremiti
Islands, EU-050, September 1-9. They may go to nearby islets too.

IC8/OE1MHL, Helmut, will be on Ischia Island, EU-031, October 7-12, HF SSB
between 5-9Z and 17-20Z daily. QSL to his home call direct or bureau, and look
for the on-line log on <http://www.amrs.at>.

SD7ME will be on from Oland Island, EU-037, September 6-11, with DL5ME and DG3HWO operating. They will be on 40, 30, 20 and 17M CW and SSB. QSL via the SD7ME address given on QRZ.com.

I3BQC will be on portable from Greece, SV, September 9-26. He will be on Limnos, EU-049.

VE9GLF and VE9MY will be on Orleans Island, NA-128, September 2-3. They will be mobile using 100 watts on 40 and 20 after 18Z. QSL to their home calls, direct or bureau. You can e-mail your request to ve9my@rac.ca.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
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4U1UN	HB9BOU	EG3MED	EA3GM	OX/HB9FMD	HB9FMD
7S100ALA	SK7CN	EH1LSI	EA1AUO	OZ50JOTA	OZ4ADP
7X0RY	OK1DYW	GB0GRA	M0JHW	SA7SM	SM7YIN
7X2EB	EA7FTR	HC2AQ	EA5KB	SD3N	SM3NXS
9A/DK8NT	DK8NT	HF63PW	SP5KCR	SN10IPA	SP9PZU
9A5LO/P	OK1LO	HR1AAB	EA7FTR	TJ3SL	F5PSA
9H5LB	9H1EI	IA5/IW1DFU	IW1DFU	TL8CK	F6EWM
9Q1EK	SM5DQC	IR8DX	IK8VRH	UE0LLL	RU0LM
9Q1TB	SM5DQC	IY4FGM	IK4UPU	UE6UFO	RZ6AU
BD7KLO/5	BD7KLO	KH6/KN5G	KN5G	XU7POS	ON7PP
C31CT	EA3QS	LZ50DX	LZ1AF	YI1HRP	PIRATE
CO6XN	N3ZOM	MM0BNN/P	M0BNN	ZD9BCB	SQ8AQD

PA0RRS, Rich, says he started sending out his 9M2MRS cards last April fourth.

Direct cards for either RA1QK/1 or UA1QV/1 should be sent to UA1QV's address: Mike S. Koutjumov, P.O. Box 23, Vologda 160000, Russia.

As we reported on "Silent Keys" last Monday, DL3AMA, Sigi Kleine, passed away unexpected on August 14th at 66 years of age. He was to be the QSL manager for the August 27-31 YW5AS IOTA operation from SA- 051. The new QSL manager is DM4TI.

YI9E (aka WU5E), Jim, will be leaving Iraq September 7. He says he will then process his QSL cards, through the bureau. Jim made about 80 QSOs before amateur radio was shut down in Iraq.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5W0NU, AP2TN, GS0GRC/P (EU-112), GW8K (EU-124), HS0AC, HZ1AN, N2US/P (NA-083), N8S, P29ZAD, SU8DLH, YB1A and Z38C.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4N6FZ, 5J1W, 5T0CW, 5T0EU, 7Q7RS, 8P8P, 8S0C, 9A0CI (EU-016), BD4XYL, CA0YAM (SA-001), CU7/DH3NB (EU-175), DQ2006C, DR06SOCCER, DR2006K, FT5WJ (AF-008), GC0GRC/P (EU-124), H40HL (OC-100), H44HL (OC-047), HB9CXZ, HP/F5PAC (NA-072, NA-202, NA-088, NA-203), IC8OZM (EU-031), JW/F8DVD (EU-026), LA/DL1DVE (EU-055), LU7KAT, LX2007G, S79GC (AF-024), SD3N (EU-176), TC4ITU, TK/HB9TL (1987), VP9/KD1N (NA-005), W4/AH6HY (NA-083), YV5MA, YW8D (SA-063), ZD8AD (AF-003), ZD8ZA (AF-003), ZK1AYL (OC-013, OC-083) and ZV0F (SA-003).

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3DA0DF, 3XY7C, 4M5F, 9Y4/DL7DF, BS7H, CT3/DL7DF, E30NA, EI6IZ, HB9AZZ, LN9Z, LX7I, MD0CCE, OQ5M, PJ2/DL7DF, R50KP, RN3ANT, RN6HZ, SM5QU, SP4Z, SP8AJK, TJ3FR, TJ3SP, TZ6CW, VK9DNX, VP2V/DL4WK, VP2V/DL7DF, XZ7A and ZB2/DL7UFR.

On The WWW

DL7VOG, Gerd, says he got his FTP data to upload his J3/DL7VOG homepage. You can find that log data on www.qslnet.de/j3-dl7vog. You can also find it by going to www.dl7vog.de. You can request bureau QSLs at qsl@dl7vog.de.

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DX News

Members of the Equipo de Dx4Dx will be active from Corsica (EU-014) as TK9Z from September 28th to October 5th. Activity is expected on all bands from 10 to 160 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. Team members include EA3CUU, Pere; EA4BT, Paco; EA7AAW, Emilio; EA7JB, Julio; EA7LS, Jose; and EB4EPJ, Ramon. They have a Web page at <http://www.dx4dx.com>. QSL via EA4BT either direct or via the bureau.

Look for memorial radio station RC150KTS to be active during all of September in commemoration of the 150 anniversary of the birth of the Russian scientist and pioneer of astronautic theory Konstantin E. Tsiolkovsky. From September 17th to 23rd the station will be QRV from Tsiolkovsky's house-museum in the village of Izhevskoe, which is part of the Ryazan oblast. RU3SD, Vasily Bardin, is organizing this activity. QSL via RU3SD.

RW1AI, Mike Foikin, expects to be QRV as R35NP from the North Pole-35 ice drifting station around September 15th.

Yesterday Reuters reported "Kosovo expects to declare independence and seek recognition from its Western backers right after talks with Serbia close on December 10, Prime Minister Agim Ceku said on Monday".

PA0RRS, Rich, is now QRV as YB9/PA0RRS from Bali Island until September 24th. He will be mostly active on 10 through 40 meters and will try 6 and 80 meters. QSL via PA0RRS.

FSDXA St. Brandon DXpedition - Bulletin No. 6
By G3XTT, Don Field

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

The remainder of the team arrives Monday 3rd September and will board the ship immediately, ready for sailing. We expect to arrive on Isle du Sud on 4th September, but operations are not expected to commence until midnight UTC on Friday 7th September, by which time all stations and antennas will have been assembled. However, the 6m beacon on 50.090MHz will be activated at the earliest opportunity so that 6m DXers can start to monitor for possible openings.

TEAM MEMBERS

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

QSLing

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

ONLINE LOGS AND CONTACT WITH 3B7C

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

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

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

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

3B7C Web Page: <http://3b7c.com>

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

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

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Correction

Last week we published the list of DXpedition QSO records. The information is from OH2BU, Jari Jussila, and not the organizers of 3B9C. Thanks Jari and sorry for the confusion.

Total QSOs D68C 168,772
Unique QSOs D68C 45,315

CW D68C 84,482
SSB D68C 75,497
RTTY N8S 7,475
FM D68C 3,458
PSK-31 3B9C 2,172
Satellite VK0IR 634

160m 5A7A 7,653
80m 5A7A 18,021
40m 5A7A 26,497
30m VU7RG 11,714
20m 4O3T 41,256
17m N8S 24,742
15m D68C 32,126
12m D68C 21,208
10m D68C 40,052
6m VK9ML 4,298

QSN

3W9R - VIETNAM - Today Stan was on 18070 between 09 and 10Z.
QSL via OK1JN.

9N7JO - NEPAL - Stig was working all across Europe and parts of
North America yesterday on 14186 between 1520 and
1800Z.

JT1CO - MONGOLIA - RTTY ops reported Chak on 14086 Tuesday at
0930Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AF-019	IG9/IT9NJA	14260	1510	EU-054	IF9ZWA	14257	1415
AS-133	XU7POS	18132	0125	EU-067	SV1GRJ/8	14218	0917
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1141	EU-125	OZ/DL2VFR	7008	1952
EU-010	GMOANA/P	7053	1652	EU-170	9A5LO/P	14009	1426
EU-012	MM0XAU	7006	2002	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	14086	1526
EU-014	TK/IK7FJR	7059	2132	EU-174	SV2MAC/8	14210	1517
EU-015	SV9GPV	14267	1544	NA-055	K1KJC	14195	0000
EU-016	9A/DK2CH	14260	1503	OC-022	YB9/PA0RRS	14023	1502
EU-016	9A/IK5WWA	7045	2039	OC-047	H44MD	14195	0824
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EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	7007	2202				

OH1MN, Markus, hope to be QRV with special call OF1OTA from Luonnonmaa Island
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DL3AMA, Sigi, who is the QSL manager for the recent YW5AS operation, became a Silent Key. The new QSL manager is DM4TI.

SM5DQC, Osten, tells us that the logs for 9Q1EK and 9Q1TB have now been uploaded to LoTW. If you have any problems confirming your QSO feel free to email Osten at sm5dqc@areteadsl.se.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A4A, 3B7SP (AF- 015), 4A3IH, 4X7AX (AS-100), A25KDJ, A25SL, N8S, VR2NN, YW1DX

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Confirmations recently received via LoTW: 9Q1EK, 9Q1TB, A61AD, DL4MFP, DL5CF, DP5N, GM4WZL, LX7I, PG7V, PY2KC, YV5KXE, ZL2CV

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DX News

A number of subscribers using ARRL email forwarding reported not receiving The Daily DX (and The Weekly DX) on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

N1UR, Ed Sawyer, tells The Daily DX he "will be heading off to Asia this fall and will be active from a number of areas". First stop will be from Bhutan as A52UR from September 28th to October 2nd. He'll be on CW and SSB. QSL A52UR via K2RET. During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest Ed will be operating in the Single-op All-band category from the Hillview Gardens A.R.C. station in East Malaysia as 9M6A. QSL this operation via N200. Ed, is also planning an operation from the Spratly Islands in the March 22nd to 30th. Callsign and other details expected later. QSL this operation via K2RET. He will be staying in Xiamen (BY5), China and plans some activity with local BY ops.

OZ1TL, Torben, has received his A52TL license "to operate from Bhutan during the month of May 2008." He will be departing Copenhagen, in mid-April, to Kathmandu, Nepal and then arrive in Bhutan May 2, 2008. Activity is expected mostly on CW on all bands, including 40, 80 and 160 meters. Plans are to use LOTW and QSL via his home call.

Members of COBRAS (GI2BX) will be operating special call GB5BIG this weekend from the 'Broad Island Gathering' at Ballycarry, in Northern Ireland.

VE2TKH, Steve, is heading to Labrador City and plans to be QRV as VO2ZT from August 31st to September 4th. He'll be active on HF mostly on CW and possibly some SSB. Steve will be operating from the VO2WL club station, which has an IC-756 and Acom 1010 amplifier, along with a TH7, 40 meter yagi and dipoles for 17, 30 and 80 meters. QSL via VE2TKH either direct or via the bureau.

During the CQ World Wide WPX SSB Contest (next March) JL3RDC will be operating from the Mariana Islands as NH0DX. QSL via JL3RDC.

Members of the Central Texas DX and Contest Club (CTDXCC) have elected its new officers for the year September 2007 - August 2008. They are:

President - K5OT, Larry Hammel
Vice President - K5PI, Robert Brandon
Secretary - N3BB, Jim George
Treasurer - K5WWT, Jim Wallgren

For more information on CTDXCC check out their Web site at www.ctdxcc.org.

3D2MT - FIJI - Tomas started up today around 1130Z on 7027.
 QSL via QRZ.COM.

9M8QQ - EAST MALAYSIA - Hans was working all across Europe on
 14217 Tuesday from 1600 to 1930Z. QSL via DF5UG.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - Yesterday Masafumi was doing RTTY on
 14083 just before 1300Z and today was on PSK on 7030
 after 1030Z. QSL via JA6GXX.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/DH1PS/P	14202	2055	EU-147	RI1NU	14185	1017
AF-019	IG9/IK1ODS	14147	1415	EU-147	RK3DZJ/1	7081	1803
AS-042	UA0BAF/P	7003	1701	EU-170	9A5LO/P	14264	1011
EU-008	GM0ANA/P	7081	1704	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	14086	2026
EU-012	MM0XAU	14003	2220	EU-174	SV2MAC/8	14220	1417
EU-016	9A/IK5WWA	7057	2238	NA-024	J3/DL7VOG	7004	0110
EU-017	ID9/IK8HJC	14260	1201	NA-046	W1UF	14153	2307
EU-125	OZ/DG6DBV	14240	1352	OC-022	YB9/PA0RRS	7005	1643
EU-125	OZ/DL2VFR	14009	1155	OC-088	9M8QQ	14217	1644
EU-136	9A/IN3YGW	14260	0940	SA-051	YW5AS	14260	2322
EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14019	2337	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14247	2225
EU-144	ID8/IZ2HXV	14170	0725				

In yesterday's issue it was reported that OH1MN would be using special call OF1OTA from Luonnonmaa Island September 1st and 2nd. G3KMA, Roger Balister, RSGB IOTA Manager, "checked the 1:50,000 maps" and reports Luonnonmaa Island does not qualify for EU-096.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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29-Aug	4-Sep	3D2	3D2MT		11-137	127
29-Aug	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
29-Aug	2-Sep	9A	9A/IK5WWA (EU-016)	IK5WWA	11-161	144
29-Aug	8-Sep	9A	9A/IN3YGW (EU-136)	IN3YGW		11-164
29-Aug	3-Sep	9A	9A4WW (EU-016)			11-164
29-Aug		9Q	9Q1TB	SM5DQC	11-126	118
29-Aug	1-Sep	A2	A25MC	G4RCD		11-163
29-Aug	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
29-Aug	31-Aug	CE	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV		11-158
29-Aug	8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS		11-154
29-Aug	29-Aug	DL	DJ5MS/P (EU-127)	DJ5MS	11-164	154
29-Aug	8-Sep	EA8	EA8/DH1PS/p (AF-004)			11-164
29-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU		11-149
29-Aug	1-Sep	I	ID9/IK8HJC (EU-017)	IK8HJC		11-134
29-Aug	6-Sep	IS	IS0/IZ1CRA	IZ1CRA		11-164
29-Aug	31-Aug	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-024)	DL7VOG		11-144
29-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP			11-134

29-Aug 18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163 120
29-Aug 29-Aug	KH6	KH6BB		11-164
29-Aug 3-Sep	OA	OA4/S57CQ	S57CQ	11-164
29-Aug 1-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-125)	DL2VFR	11-159 080
29-Aug 16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU	11-164
29-Aug 4-Sep	SV9	SV9/G3URA	G3URA	11-163
29-Aug 31-Aug	TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ	11-155
29-Aug 30-Aug	TA	TC25SG	TA1HZ	11-159
29-Aug 31-Aug	UR	EM15B	UT1BC	11-144
29-Aug 8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC	11-155
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29-Aug 3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
29-Aug 24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
29-Aug 31-Aug	YV	YW5AS (SA-051)	DL3AMA	11-154
29-Aug 14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD	11-164

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The sunspot number for August 27, 2007 was 12.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3D2MT	VK2CCC	CN8YE	EA7FTR	R5RRF/MM	RU3DI
3W9R	OK1JN	EH1LSI	EA1AUO	SN10IPA	SP9PZU
4S7VK	DJ9ZB	EK3GM	IK2QPR	SV0XAO	DJ5JH
5R8UO	DF8UO	HA50KNA	HA3KNA	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
6W1SE	JR1KDN	HB9/AI5P	AI5P	UQ8GU	UN8GU
9A/VE3ZIK	DL3PS	HH2FYD	F6FYD	VK3MO	WA9BXB
9J2CA	G3SWH	HZ1IK	DK7YY	VP8DIZ	G7KMZ
9M2CP	9V1CP	J3/DL7VOG	DL7VOG	VR10NN	WA4WTG
9M8QQ	DF5UG	JD1BMM	JA6GXX	VU2PEP	KF9TC
A61TX	W4JS	LU1ECZ	EA5KB	YW5AS	DM4TI

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<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

K8SIX, Al Bailey, QSL manager for CO20J, Oscar, reports Al ran out of QSLs but has them on order. Al hopes to have the new QSLs in about two weeks.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2AP, 4A3IH (NA- 183), 4W6AAV, A25HQ, A25SL, CT1EPC, E51TUG (OC-080), GJ0KYZ, GS0GRC/p (EU-112), JD1BMM, JJ2LPV, JW/G3ZAY, N8S, OA4/DL5YWM, SU8DLH, VP8/LZ1UQ, YB1A, YV4DYJ, YW1DX (SA-020),

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9Q1EK, 9Q1TB, LA/F4BKV/p, NP2KW, S58P

Correction

Yesterday's story about TK9Z is apparently news from 2006 that some how got recycled. This operation will not take place.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: F1JKJ, F5NQL, G3KMA, IK1ADH, K8SIX, N4II, NG3K, NT5C, OZ1TL, SM5DQC, W7KNT, W8UV, W9EMF, WA5UA, WC5M

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K9HZ, Bill, has been on St. Lucia (J6) for a while and was told he will receive his amateur radio license this week. He expects to get either J69HZ or J6/K9HZ. Bill plans to operate from an existing station this weekend only Friday-Sunday, most likely on 10-20 meters SSB.

During the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest look for a multi-op effort from the I.T.U. Geneva station (4U1ITU). They will be using the 4U1WRC callsign. QSL via 4U1ITU.

N4SF, Gay, and AA4V, Steve, will be operating in the 2007 CQ WW SSB DX Contest from the Mikve Agricultural School Club station (4X4MIS) in Holon, Israel, thanks to the support of 4X6ZK, Mony, the station trustee. The two have been issued a special call for the contest period, 4X0V, thanks to the assistance of 4X6KJ, Joe. They will be either multi-single or multi-two, depending on logistics at the station.

DL2BQD, Dieter, plans to be operating from the Isle of Man (EU-116) as MD/DL2BQD starting September 6th through either the 13th or 14th. He'll be running QRP during his evenings on 20, 30 and 40 meters.

W9DXCC 2007 - Elk Grove Village, Illinois - September 14/15
By W9VA, Bill Smith

The Northern Illinois DX Association is pleased to announce the 55th annual W9DXCC convention, first held in Chicago in 1953. Friday evening opens with the N4AA DX Publications Welcome Reception at 7:30 PM Friday night, followed by the NIDXA Hospitality Suite. On Saturday, a full day of programs, prizes, and the CW pile-up contest, followed by the reception and grand banquet. Closing the day, gather in the Greater Milwaukee DX Association hospitality suite for the latest DX tales.

PROGRAMS: Here is the line-up for W9DXCC 2007!
BS7H Scarborough Reef - Mike McGirr K9AJ ZL8R Raoul Island - Ralph Bellas K9ZO
Continuing Search for Amelia Earhart's Airplane - Tom Vinson NY0V Propagation -
Cycle 24 Predictions and More - Carl Luetzelschwab, K9LA Island On The Air
(IOTA) Update - Bruce Osterberg N9BX The ARRL Forum, with Central Division Vice
Director Howie Huntington, K9KM; Membership Manager Dave Patton, NN1N; Chief
Development Officer Mary Hobart, K1MMH; and DX Advisory Committee Member Jim
O'Connell, W9WU Elecraft K-3 Next Generation Transceiver - Eric Swartz WA6HHQ
Loop Arrays - Low Band Receive Antennas - Gary Breed K9AY V63J - Micronesia IOTA
Tour - Mike McGirr K9AJ

BANQUET SPEAKER: Glenn Johnson, W0GJ, will be reporting on the January 2007 DXpedition and Hamfest on the Lakshadweep (Laccadives) Islands -VU7RG. Glenn is well known for reintroducing Amateur Radio to Bhutan in 2000, where he is permanently licensed as A51B. He has participated in many other DXpeditions, and was the recipient in 2004 of the W9DXCC Special Award of Excellence.

PRIZES: There are prize drawings throughout the day, with major prizes being presented during the banquet. Information on 2007 prizes will be posted on the website as it becomes available.

RECEPTION AND BANQUET:

A reception and banquet follow the program on Saturday. The banquet includes the traditional DXCC countdown, the grand prize drawings, and other features. We will have three attractive menu options - beef, chicken or fish. This is a full course meal with appetizer, salad, potatoes, vegetable, dessert and beverage.

DX QSL CHECKING:

Card checking for DXCC and other ARRL Awards, as well as CQ DX Awards, will be available on-site.

Additional Information and On-Line Registration available at the Convention website: www.w9dxcc.com

QSN

3A/F4CQA/p - MONACO - Lucas was parked on 14130 yesterday from before 0930 until after 1200Z.

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Jacky continues to show up on 160 meters just before 2000Z. He likes 1822. QSL via CBA.

3D2MT - FIJI - 30 meter ops found Tomas on 10102 from 13-15Z and then on 10103 from just before 1900 for about 45 minutes. QSL via LY1F (see QRZ.COM).

A41MO - OMAN - Samir had an opening to the US West Coast on 14200 around 0230Z yesterday.

A61HH - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Was working Southern and Eastern Europeans on 10110 Wednesday after 1530Z. QSL via A61AV.

AT60MY - INDIA - Prefix hunters found this unique one on 14195 between 15 and 16Z. QSL via VU2NRO.

HB9/AI5P - SWITZERLAND - Rick is expected to go QRT today.

HC5T - ECUADOR - RTTY ops were working Jaime on 14080 at 2130Z.

ST100S - SUDAN - Was up on 14300 from 17 to 1930Z. QSL cards go via ST2M. So far no one has reported receiving any QSLs.

TL8CK - CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC - Charles made a surprise visit to 14220 between 2030 and 2230Z. QSL via F6EWM.

UK8AKK - UZBEKISTAN - Victor was doing RTTY on 14087 at 1730Z.

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EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1109	EU-136	9A/IN3YGW	14260	0915
EU-012	MM0XAU	14257	1126	EU-147	RK3DZJ/1	14018	1249
EU-016	9A/IK5WWA	7044	1345	EU-170	9A5LO/P	18077	0840
EU-016	9A/DK2CH	14260	1422	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	18103	0931
EU-017	ID9/IK8HJC	14260	1728	NA-050	KL7HBK	14040	0536
EU-028	IA5/IW1DFU	14007	1348	NA-099	WP4U	18130	1342
EU-046	LA1CI	14278	1518	OC-016	3D2MT	7027	1216
EU-052	SV8/SV1IW	14018	1839	OC-143	YB4IR	14196	1416
EU-064	F4AQQ/P	7071	1840	SA-051	YW5AS	14260	2039

Members of the Workington and District Amateur Radio Club will be active as MS0WRC from the Isle of Barra (EU-010) from 6 to 12 October 2007. They will be QRV on 10 through 80 meters SSB plus VHF/UHF FM. QSL via MX0WRC or G0MTD.

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30-Aug	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU		11-164
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Geomagnetic activity should increase on Saturday to unsettled to active conditions with the possibility for isolated periods of minor storming.

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EI75IRTS	EI6HB	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA		

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Anyone needing a ZA0IS or ZA0/IK7JWX QSL card from the December 2002 operations from Sazan Island (EU-169) can send to IK7JWX, Alfredo.
 You can also request a bureau QSL by emailing Alfredo at ik7jwx2003@yahoo.it.

QSL manager W9OL, Bill, says he is no longer the QSL manager for YO3APJ, Adrian, who is now handling his own QSLing. Adrian does uploads to LoTW frequently. Bill has completed all pending cards, and all future cards received will be forwarded to Adrian when appropriate.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 5C8A, BS7H, CT1ILT, E51TUG (OC-080), N8S, R1FJT, T96C, TF/G4ELZ/p (EU-168), ZL1GO/8

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BD5WW, BS7H, GW6GW, I2DMI, RX4HZ, SN2E, SP2EWQ, SP2EWQ/2, ZL1TM

Credits

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DX News

Amateur Radio operators from across Malaysia are celebrating 50 years of independence with the special prefix 9M50M followed by a signal letter suffix. Activity began on August 30th and will continue through September 1st. For complete details check out the Malaysian Amateur Radio Transmitters Society (MARTS) Web site at <http://tinyurl.com/2rsbfr>.

HR2J, Javier, updates The Daily DX of an upcoming DXpedition to Swan Island (NA-035), which is known locally as Islas de Santanilla or Islas del Cisne. He has obtained permission and chartered a 31 foot twin diesel yacht. Traveling with him will be NP3D, K2BB, KB2PDW, K4FO, and KC4CD/HR2. They will have four radios and two amplifiers with multiple antennas. The team plans to depart La Ceiba on the mainland of Honduras in the early morning hours of September 23rd arriving around local noon that same day and returning sometime on the 28th. If need be they can stay an extra day. Plans are to be QRV on all bands and modes. Plans are to have a Website, to be announced soon. They are still waiting for their callsign and hope to get HQ9S.

WD4KZK, Charles, is now QRV from Ghana as 9G1CL until September 5th. Look for him to be QRV on 60 meters on 5371.5 between 0000 and 0030Z on Saturday September 1st. QSL via WD4KZK.

AC3A, Scott, will be traveling to Dar es Salaam, Tanzania from September 7-17 as part of project ORBIS (www.orbis.org), to eliminate preventable blindness in the world. He will be signing 5H3EYE and hopes to be active during his local evenings. QSL via AC3A.

This weekend the All Asia SSB DX Contest will take place. From Thailand look for activity from E21EIC, HS1CKC and HS0ZCW. On 80 meters (SSB) they can only operate between 3500 and 3535 and they would be listening up.

Earlier this week the transitional agreement for Curacao (PJ2) was signed as this Dutch Caribbean Island continues to take steps towards autonomy. December 15, 2008, Kingdom Day, is still the date in which the new constitutional structure will be enforced.

DX History

Just want to say thanks to those who replied to my email yesterday in reference to "DX History". There were a lot of great responses. Please forgive me for not replying to each one. Over the next day or two I may be getting back to some of you with questions. Again thanks! Bernie, W3UR

QSN

3D2MT - FIJI - Tomas has been showing up on 80 CW between 1030 and 1230Z. QSL via LY1F.

CX7CO - URUGUAY - Western and Southern Europeans found Carlos on 10116 at 2130Z.

EL2DT - LIBERIA - Dickson likes 20 meters SSB and can be found there usually between 19 and 20Z. QSL via WA4TII.

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was up on 18150 yesterday just prior to 1000Z. QSL via CBA.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - Masafumi started up on RTTY on 14085 today just before 1130Z. QSL via JA6GXX.

V55C - NAMIBIA - Prefix hunters were working Alfons on 14262 Thursday around 1545Z. QSL this operation via DJ8VC.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/DH1PS/P	14215	2014	EU-132	SP7IIT/1	7013	1825
AF-019	IG9/IK1ODS	14186	1826	EU-136	9A/IN3YGW	14260	0853
EU-004	EA6BH	14247	2150	EU-172	OZ/DL2LZM	14085	1211
EU-009	MM0AEX	14251	2154	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	18101	0935
EU-009	MM5DWW	14257	1505	NA-050	KL7HBK	14040	0527
EU-012	MM0XAU	14011	1230	NA-139	VA3QSL/W4	14270	2114
EU-016	9A4WW	7022	0505	OC-022	YB9/PA0RRS	10114	1539
EU-017	ID8/IK8HJC	14260	1746	OC-022	YB9/PA0RRS	10114	1530
EU-037	SK6SJ/7	18155	0811	OC-073	JD1BMM	14086	1009
EU-115	EI9JF	14009	1108	OC-130	DU9/G4UNL	14245	1254
EU-116	GD0SCA/M	14260	1630	SA-035	YV5/HP3RE	14254	1954
EU-125	OZ/DL2VFR	14009	0951	SA-051	YW5AS	18140	2048
EU-125	OZ/DO6MST/P	7035	1737				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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31-Aug	4-Sep	3D2	3D2MT	LY1F	11-137	127
31-Aug	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
31-Aug	2-Sep	9A	9A/IK5WWA (EU-016)	IK5WWA	11-161	144
31-Aug	8-Sep	9A	9A/IN3YGW (EU-136)	IN3YGW		11-164
31-Aug	3-Sep	9A	9A4WW (EU-016)			11-164
31-Aug	31-Aug	9M2	9M50MB			11-164
31-Aug	1-Sep	A2	A25MC	G4RCD		11-163
31-Aug	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
31-Aug	31-Aug	CE	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV		11-158
31-Aug	8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS		11-154

31-Aug	8-Sep	EA8	EA8/DH1PS/p (AF-004)		11-164
31-Aug	31-Aug	I	IA5/IW1DFU (EU-028)	IW1DFU	11-149
31-Aug	1-Sep	I	ID9/IK8HJC (EU-017)	IK8HJC	11-134
31-Aug	6-Sep	IS	IS0/IZ1CRA	IZ1CRA	11-164
31-Aug	31-Aug	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-024)	DL7VOG	11-144
31-Aug	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG	11-144
31-Aug	31-Aug	JA	8J1ESP		11-134
31-Aug	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163 120
31-Aug	1-Sep	KH8	KH8/KK6H		11-164 144
31-Aug	3-Sep	OA	OA4/S57CQ	S57CQ	11-164
31-Aug	9-Sep	OE	OE16B		11-122 110
31-Aug	1-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL2VFR (EU-125)	DL2VFR	11-159 080
31-Aug	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU	11-164
31-Aug	6-Sep	SV	J48XG SV8/HA4XG (EU-052)	HA4XG	11-161
31-Aug	4-Sep	SV9	SV9/G3URA	G3URA	11-163
31-Aug	31-Aug	TA	TA0/WA2KBZ	WA2KBZ	11-155
31-Aug	31-Aug	UR	EM15B	UT1BC	11-144
31-Aug	8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC	11-155
31-Aug	31-Aug	VE	VA3QSL/W4 (NA-083 & 139)	VA3QSL	11-154
31-Aug	4-Sep	VE	VO2ZT	VE2TKH	11-166
31-Aug	2-Sep	VK	VK4JCF (OC-134)	JA1JCF	11-159
31-Aug	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
31-Aug	3-Sep	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-107
31-Aug	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
31-Aug	31-Aug	YV	YW5AS (SA-051)	DM4TI	11-154
31-Aug	14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD	11-164
1-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT	11-164
1-Sep	10-Sep	9A	9A2NA (EU-016)		11-164
1-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH	11-164
1-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH	11-164
1-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH	11-164
1-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH	11-164
1-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH	11-164
1-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)		11-164
1-Sep	2-Sep	GI	GB5BIG		11-166
1-Sep	3-Sep	GM	MM0BQI/p (EU-108)	MM0BQI	11-164
1-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IK1RAE (EU-050)		11-164
1-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IZ4JMA (EU-050)		11-164
1-Sep	2-Sep	OH	OF1OTA	OH1MN	11-166 165
1-Sep	2-Sep	ON	ON4WAR		11-154
1-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA	W3TEF	11-149
1-Sep	2-Sep	SV9	J49XF	G3URA	11-163 154
1-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
1-Sep	2-Sep	V5	V55V/p	DJ8VC	11-155
1-Sep	8-Sep	VP5	VP5/W1AI (NA-002)	W1AI	11-151
1-Sep	7-Sep	W	K3RWN (NA-110)	K3RWN	11-079
2-Sep	15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV	11-158
2-Sep	3-Sep	VE	VE1OTA (NA-128)		11-164

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The sunspot number for August 29, 2007 was 13.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K9W	DL6KVA	SE2T	SM2YIZ	V55V	DJ8VC
CO6WD	W0SA	ST100S	ST2M	VR10UW	VR2UW
CX5UR	EA5KB				

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BG1IOY - Yang Cui, 101-3-22 Fu Yuan Xiao Qu, Da Xing Industry District, Beijing 102600, CHINA

OK1DOT, Petr, reports he is now the QSL manager for 9M2/G4VGO.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 4A3IH, 9A5W, E51QMA, E51TUG, N8S, NZ7Q/KH4, R1ANF/p, TL8CN (1981), ZL1GO/8, ZM8CW, ZX2B

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: FG/DL5CF, VA1CHP, VP5T

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Operators in India have been temporarily authorized use of 30 meters. Operation began August 31st and is allowed up until September 30th. VU2JOS, Jose, plans to mostly be on 10106 using the callsign AT60MY.

The international team planning to go to Rwanda at the end of this summer is pushing back its plans until late in the year. EA5RM, Antonio, says that getting the 9X license has been a challenge. The new target dates are between mid-December and mid-January, for 10 days of operating.

W5KDJ, Wayne, plans a trip to Mozambique for late November and early December including the CQ Worldwide CW DX Contest. Wayne says he will be there over two weekends, November 29-December 10, CW only, making 160 and 80 a priority. He will have a 72-foot-tall vertical with 50 or more radials. He says it worked great in Botswana last July. Wayne likes splits of 15 kHz up and listens on the outer edges of that pileup most of the time. Wayne will also have a three-element Yagi or log periodic for higher bands and two or three elements on 30, 17 and 12M, and probably a four-square for 40. The Yagis will be 60' high. In Botswana, signing A25KDJ in July, Wayne worked 8,500 CW QSOs and hopes to go for 10,000 this time. His callsign may be, he says, C91KDJ.

8P6DR will be on Barbados September 27-October 14, mostly CW with some RTTY. This will be G3RWL, Richard. QSL to his home call.

Spanish operators will be using AO, AN and AM prefixes in place of their regular EA, EB and EC ones to mark 75 years of the Madrid Plenipotentiary Conference in 1932. At that conference the name ITU, International Telecommunications Union, was first given to what was previously known as the International Telegraph Union - founded in 1865 in Paris. The special prefixes will be authorized for September 3-December 9.

3Z0MSPO from Kielce, Poland will mark the International Defense Industry Exhibition, known as Miedzynarodowym Salonie Przemyslu Obronnego in the Polish language, thus the callsign suffix letters. This will be the 15th MSPO. QSL via SP7PKI direct or bureau.

R450KB, from Russia, marks the 450th anniversary of the association of Kabardino-Balkaria with Russia. This special event station started up September first and runs through November 30th. QSL via UA6XT direct or bureau. Info on an award can be found at <http://www.r6x.ru>.

YB9AQH, Hans, will be on from his QTH on Bali during September and October. This is PA0HOP. Hans plans to be on CW, PSK31 and RTTY.

QSL via PA0HOP direct or bureau.

Finns may use OF prefixes instead of OH the rest of the year. They are celebrating 90 years of Finland's independence.

IK0BZY, Enrico, plans to be on from Sardinia signing IS0 starting today until September 9. He apparently will just be on 2M and 70CM meteor scatter and EME. He says there are more details on rudius.net/dxp/index.php.

P40TA will be the Aruba callsign for K6TA for the ARRL 160M contest November 30-December 2. His inclusive dates are November 27-December 18. QSL via WM6A or ARRL's Logbook of the World.

KX9X, Sean Kutzko, begins his new job as the ARRL Contest Manager starting October first. Sean was first licensed as KA9NGH in 1982 and got into contesting when he won the Illinois Section in the 1988 ARRL Novice Roundup. He has been active in HF and VHF contesting, HF DXing and VHF weak signal work ever since. Sean is a member of the Society of Midwest Contesters and has scored well in the ARRL Sweepstakes running QRP. He operated as 6Y7M in a 1994 operation and V26NA in 1997. He has also made "rare grid" expeditions within the U.S. on VHF and UHF. In the nineties, Sean regularly wrote a column in the NCJ, National Contest Journal, about DX QTHs available for rent for contests and DXpeditions. Sean has a degree in communications from the University of Illinois at Springfield and has been an announcer and jazz host on National Public Radio affiliate broadcast stations in Illinois and Indiana and has been an advertising and marketing director for a diesel parts company in Illinois. He is also a musician, playing guitar and drums, and is working on his first solo CD. He is a big fan of the Chicago Cubs baseball team. Kutzko replaces KC1J, Tom Hogerty, who recently resigned.

QSN

3A2/AI5P - MONACO - Rick started up on Sunday and is expected to be QRV a lot more than his last two stops, Switzerland and Italy. QSL via AI5P.

3D2MT - FIJI - Tomas continues to show up on 80 CW just prior to 1000Z. QSL via LY1F.

5X1GS - UGANDA - Saturday Graham started up on 18123 around 1945Z and worked stations all across North America until 2130Z. Several ZLs reported hearing him via the longpath. QSL via WB2YQH.

9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Watch for Georges on Topband just before 00Z.

AT60MY - INDIA - Mr. Jose was QRV on Saturday on 10106 starting after 1300Z. He stayed until almost 1600Z. QSL via VU2NRO.

DPOGVN - ANTARCTICA - Mirko, operating from Neumayar Base, was on 14177 Saturday after 16Z. QSL via DL5EBE.

EP3HF - IRAN - Friday several North American East Coast ops reported working Sadegh on 14180 around 19Z. QSL via CBA.

I2/AI5P - ITALY - Rick was here and QRV on Saturday. QSL via AI5P.

J39BS - GRENADA - RTTY ops worked Derek on 21080 Saturday after 2030Z and then on 14076 just before 2200Z.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - He likes 20M RTTY just before 11Z. QSL via JA6GXX.

VQ9LA - DIEGO GARCIA - Larry continues to be on 1814 after 2300Z and some time before 1300Z. QSL via CBA.

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EU-016	9A2NA/P	14043	1355	EU-171	OZ5GX/P	7187	0955
EU-024	IS0/I5RFD	7008	1635	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	7038	1900
EU-025	IW9FRB	14082	1325	NA-002	VP5/K1AI	14276	1720
EU-050	IL7/IZ4JMA	14087	2140	NA-068	VE1OTA	7063	2320
EU-066	UA1OEU/P	7066	0615	NA-083	N3MK	7071	1625
EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10115	2050	NA-147	J3/DL7VOG	10114	2200
EU-115	MI0SRR	10108	1845	OC-016	3D2ER	7010	1120
EU-144	IR8DX	14025	1940	OC-138	VK4JCF	14040	1045

CT4HA/p, Carlos Mauricio, will on Berlenga Island, EU-040, September 7- 9. He will be on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10M SSB. QSL via CT4HA direct or bureau.

EA1/EA7TV, Adolfo, will be on Arosa Island, EU_080, September 5-7, operating 40-6M. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

GB2OWN will be from the Orkney Wireless Museum, www.owm.org.uk, in Kirkwall, Orkney, EU-009. The 17th Orkney Science Festival is currently on, running from August 30-September 5.

OZ/DL2VFR, Ric, ended from Romo, EU-125, earlier than planned. Ric said his BigIR vertical malfunctioned, so he ended August 30 instead of the planned September first.

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3-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ3ZAY/p (EU-099)	G3ZAY	11-154
3-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ7VJR/p (EU-099)	G7VJR	11-154
3-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0BLF/p (EU-099)	M0BLF	11-154
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5H9KR	KF9TC	B5A	BA5AG	OA4/S57CQ	S57CQ
5Q1A/P	OZ5ESB	B7M	BG7LHY	OE16B	OE1WHC
5X1GS	WB2YQH	CO2NB	EA5KB	ON100SCOUT	ON7IG
7Q7BJ	G4AHK	CO8LY	EA7ADH	PA100S	PD0PVQ
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	DL40RRDXA	DL1YFF	R450AD	UA6YW
9A950JB/P	9A3JB	DP0GVN	DL5EBE	R450KB	RK6XWA
9M50MP	9M2TO	DR400PG	DM3ZF	RC150KTS	RU3SD
SV1BY	7N4RHO	HF50SLO	SP9PNB	UA0AV	W3HNC
A52AM	JA0JHA	IL7/IK1RAE/IK1RAE		UE6DOO/6	RW6BJ
A52VE	JF1OCQ	IP1DCI	IK1QFM	V55V/P	DJ8VC
AN4EB	EA4RCH	J48XG	HA4XG	VK4JCF	JA1JCF
AN5EB	EA4RCH	KH0R	JE6DND	VO2ZT	VE2TKH
AN6EB	EA4RCH				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3W22S, 4W6AAV, 5W0NU, 8P9NX, 9Q1EK, CO6WD, E51QMA, E51TUG, J20MM, KL7/W7ASF, N8S, R1FJM, R1FJT, SU8DLH, SU9BN, T32MO, VK3FY/9, XX9A, XX9TTR, XX9C, YN4SU and Z35T.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9Q1EK, BD5WW, BS7H, MD0CCE, OY4TN, RX4HZ and ZL1TM.

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DX News

The 3C7Y DXpedition team is planning to be QRV from Bioko Island (AF- 010), Equatorial Guinea from October 5th to 14th. The ops will be EA5YN, EA5BRE, EA5BYP and KH7Y. They will be operating with two stations around the clock for 10 days. Activity is expected on CW, SSB and RTTY on 6 through 160 meters. The last legitimate operation from 3C was in 2003 by 3C5XA. KH7Y, Fred Honnold, says "The expedition is expensive and there are considerable difficulties in obtaining the necessary documents to complete successfully a DXpedition in this small African country." As a result he is collecting funds and if for any reason the DXpedition does not take place he will personally return all help received. Checks can be made out to Fred Honnold, Attn Team 3C7Y. QSL 3C7Y via EA5BYP.

A group of four operators, two from Canada and two from the US, will be operating the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest from Sept-Iles, Canada in CQ WAZ 2. The team members will be VE3ZF (VE3IDX), Igor; VE3FDX, Ken; K5GED, Travis; and K5YG, Bill. No word on what call they will be using, however they will have "an extensive array of antennas". The weekend before the CQ WW SSB they will be operating in the W/VE Islands QSO Party from Orleans Island (NA-128). Again no call was mentioned.

9Q1EK, Georges, will be on leave in France between September 8th and September 26th, says QSL manager SM5DQC, Osten. Georges was very active, including 160 meters, this past weekend and all QSOs are now on www.logsearch.de and uploaded to LoTW. 9Q1TB, Philippe, will remain in the Democratic Republic of Congo when 9Q1EK is on leave.

FM5CD, Michel, tells F2JD, Gerard, the 3B7C set sail from Mauritius (3B8) yesterday. The crew is expected to arrive on St. Brandon sometime today and is expected to be QRV sometime on September 7th. They have a Web page at www.3b7c.com.

DK3QZ, DL1EKC, DL1EMH, DL3HAH, DL3QQ, DL5XX and PA0R will be putting on a multi-op effort during the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest, November 24/25, from the Canary Islands as ED8A. No QSL route was mentioned. The ops will be active as EA8/home call outside of the contest.

K6KO, Kay, will be on from Aruba as P40K from November 30th to December 2nd, including the ARRL 10 Meter contest. QSL via WM6A or ARRL's Logbook of the World.

QSN

3D2MT - FIJI - Tomas showed up on 1810 at 08 and 10Z and then

on 1812 at 12Z. QSL via LY1F.

5R8UO - MADAGASCAR - Daniel was working Europeans and a few East Coast ops on 14261 between 16 and 1730Z. QSL via DF8UO.

7Q7BJ - MALAWI - Barrie likes 14022 just after 1630Z. QSL via G4AHK.

9M2TO - WEST MALAYSIA - Tex started off yesterday on 14031 on CW at 14Z and then moved to SSB on 14226 just before 1630Z. QSL via JA0DMV.

AT60MY - INDIA - 30 meter ops reported this semi-rare one on 10104 at 15Z. QSL via VU2NRO.

EP - IRAN - EP3HF, Sadegh, showed up on 14170 just before 19Z. EP4MRG, Mohamad was on 14224 at 1730Z and EP4SP, Shahryar, was on 14200 at 1600Z.

HP1WW - PANAMA - Olli came down to 10110 around 2230Z.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - RTTY ops found Masafumi on 20 meters Monday before 1100 and again before 2300Z. Today he was on RTTY on 7027 at 1045Z. QSL via JA6GXX.

KH6ZM - HAWAII - Max had a good signal into northern Louisiana yesterday just before sunrise (around 1030Z) on Topband on 1830.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-006	VQ9LA	18125	1413	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14009	2048
AS-015	9M2TO	14226	1649	EU-144	ID8/IZ2HXV	14170	0659
AS-133	XU7POS	14260	1243	EU-144	IR8DX	7027	2149
EU-009	MM0EAX	7071	2241	EU-172	OZ/DL6LZM	14085	0806
EU-016	9A4W	14208	2129	NA-010	VE1CJB	14245	1833
EU-050	IL7/IK1RAE	7053	2134	NA-110	K3RWN	14270	1945
EU-050	IL7/IZ4JMA	14256	2103	NA-128	VE9GLF/VE2	14260	1327
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14254	1222	NA-128	VE9MY/VE2	14260	1454
EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10107	2021	NA-139	N3MK	14081	1548
EU-099	GH6UW	14260	1823	NA-147	J3/DL7VOG	14021	1933
EU-127	DA0HEL	3517	0429	OC-022	YB9/PA0RRS	7004	0931
EU-132	SP7IIT/1	7014	1819	OC-073	JD1BMM	14083	2253

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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4-Sep	4-Sep	3D2	3D2MT	LY1F	11-137	127
4-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152

4-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT	11-164
4-Sep	8-Sep	9A	9A/IN3YGW (EU-136)	IN3YGW	11-164
4-Sep	10-Sep	9A	9A2NA (EU-016)	9A2NA	11-164
4-Sep	5-Sep	9G	9G1CL	WD4KZK	11-168
4-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO	11-144
4-Sep	8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS	11-154
4-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH	11-164
4-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH	11-164
4-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH	11-164
4-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH	11-164
4-Sep	16-Sep	EA	EG7CRB		11-149
4-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH	11-164
4-Sep	8-Sep	EA8	EA8/DH1PS/p (AF-004)	DH1PS	11-164
4-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ	11-164
4-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GH6UW/p (EU-099)	M0BLF	11-154
4-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ3ZAY/p (EU-099)	G3ZAY	11-154
4-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ7VJR/p (EU-099)	G7VJR	11-154
4-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0BLF/p (EU-099)	M0BLF	11-154
4-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0TDG/p (EU-099)	M0TDG	11-154
4-Sep	5-Sep	GM	GB2OWN (EU-009)		11-169
4-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IK1RAE (EU-050)		11-164
4-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IZ4JMA (EU-050)		11-164
4-Sep	9-Sep	IS	IS0/IK0BZY		11-169
4-Sep	6-Sep	IS	IS0/IZ1CRA (EU-024)	IZ1CRA	11-164
4-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG	11-144
4-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163 120
4-Sep	9-Sep	OE	OE16B	OE1WHC	11-122 110
4-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF	11-149
4-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU	11-164
4-Sep	6-Sep	SV	J48XG SV8/HA4XG (EU-052)	HA4XG	11-161
4-Sep	4-Sep	SV9	SV9/G3URA	G3URA	11-163
4-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
4-Sep	8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC	11-155
4-Sep	15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV	11-158
4-Sep	4-Sep	VE	VO2ZT	VE2TKH	11-166
4-Sep	8-Sep	VP5	VP5/W1AI (NA-002)	W1AI	11-151
4-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
4-Sep	7-Sep	W	K3RWN (NA-110)	K3RWN	11-079
4-Sep		W	KG8DP (NA-062)		11-085
4-Sep	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
4-Sep	14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD	11-164

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled. Quiet conditions are expected on Wednesday.

Expect quiet to active conditions to return on Thursday, with isolated minor storm periods possible at high latitudes, as a recurrent coronal hole moves into a geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for September 2, 2007 was 14.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
3Z0MSPO	SP7PKI	AO7HBP	EA7HBP	HF50SLO	SP9PNB
5N8NDP	IK5JAN	AO9IB	EA9IB	HK6DOS	EA5KB
9M2TO	JA0DMV	AP2TN	DJ9ZB	IL7/IK1RAE/IK1RAE	
AN0EB	EA4RCH	CN2CP	OM3CPH	IU2FV	IQ2MI
AO1AHO	EA1AHO	CX5UR	EA5KB	OF1UU	R3AR
AO1ES	EA1ES	EG1SDC	EA1AUM	OZ/DL6LZM	SQ9JKD
AO3CHZ	EA3CHZ	EG8SDC	EA1AUM	TM1MV	F5KCC
AO5HT	EA5HT	GH6UW	M0BLF	VP9/K3TRM	K3TRM
AO6DD	EA6DD				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H, FM/DL5CF, GU0SUP, HB9ICC, OE2GEN, ON6DP, OY4TN, PA3DBS, SP2EWQ, YO6BHN, ZM2A, ZM3R

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DX News

During the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest, October 27/28, look for W3TB and K3YD to be QRV from Bermuda as VP9I. The two will be doing a multi-single. QSL via N1HRA.

A group of four operators, two from Canada and two from the US, will be operating the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest from Sept-Iles, Canada in CQ WAZ 2. The team members will be VE3ZF (VE3IDX), Igor; VE3FDX, Ken; K5GED, Travis; and K5YG, Bill. They will be using the call VE2Z. They will have "an extensive array of antennas". The weekend before the CQ WW SSB they will be operating in the W/VE Islands QSO Party as VE2IDX from Orleans Island (NA-128).

F5VHJ is expected to be QRV as 6W1RY from Senegal during the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest at the end of October. He'll be running SOAB HP. QSL via F5VHJ.

In remembrance of the events of 9-11 members of the Pentagon Amateur Radio Club (PARC) will be QRV as K4AF on Sunday September 9th and Tuesday September 11th. Activity is expected on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 meters CW and SSB. Special QSLs will be available via - K4AF (9-11 Special Event), P.O. Box 2322, Arlington, VA 22202, USA.

EA8AUW, Edu, plans to be operating AO8X in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest at the end of the month. He'll be single-op all-band running high-power from the URE Las Palmas section radio club station EA8URL. QSL via EA8AUW.

KH8/KK6H (A35RK), Paul, reports he went QRT yesterday at 2200Z after working some 800 QSOs, mostly with NA but some in Europe, Africa, South America, Asia and the Pacific. He flew Samoa (5W) late yesterday and then on to Tonga today. A35RK should begin activity again by Saturday. QSL KH8/KK6H via W7TSQ.

KZ5D, Art, will be joining the PJ4A CQ World Wide CW DX Contest team in late November. He'll be QRV as PJ4/KZ5D from November 21st to 26th. QSL via K4BAI.

QSN

3A/AI5P - MONACO - Watch for Rick starting about 0500Z on 30 and 40 CW. QSL via AI5P.

9Q1TB - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Philippe has been QRV the last two days on 7088 between 1930 and 2200Z. QSL via SM5DQC.

GH6UW - JERSEY - Several US West Coast ops found this unique prefix on 14040 between 2000 and 2130Z. QSL via M0BLF.

J3/DL7VOG - GRENADA - Gerd likes 160 meters CW just after 00Z. If he's not there check 80 CW. QSL via DL7VOG.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - Masafumi was working JA's on RTTY on 20 just before 2200Z and was later reported by Japan on 17 and 15 RTTY.

T32GW - EAST KIRIBATI - Yesterday just before 0300Z Gordo began on 14340, where he stayed until sometime after 0400Z. QSL via WB6NOA.

VP8NO - FALKLAND ISLANDS - Mike showed up on 18075 yesterday before 20Z working mostly Europe.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-066	RK0LWW/P	14183	1119	EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10118	1929
AS-099	YU1NR/TA0	14036	0901	EU-088	OZ/DL1ANT	7031	1918
AS-133	XU7ABQ	14260	1221	EU-099	GH6UW	14040	2242
AS-133	XU7POS	14260	1350	EU-120	GB2BLE	7082	1045
EU-009	MM0SJH	1844	2303	EU-132	SP7IIT/1	7011	1921
EU-009	MM5DWW	14270	1324	EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14012	2124
EU-010	GM4K GK	10116	1940	EU-144	IR8DX	14019	2101
EU-012	MM0XAU	14002	1500	EU-165	IM0MBP	14082	1803
EU-050	IL7/IZ4CMA	14262	1202	NA-147	J3/DL7VOG	10107	2312
EU-052	J48XG	14022	1838				

Members of the Sardinia QRP Club will be QRV as IM0/IQ0QP from Quirra Island (EU-165) between 1000 and 1600Z on September 16th. Look for activity on 20 and 40 meters CW and SSB. QSL direct to P.O. Box 81, 09047 Selargius (CA), Sardinia Island, Italy.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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5-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT		11-164
5-Sep	8-Sep	9A	9A/IN3YGW (EU-136)	IN3YGW		11-164
5-Sep	10-Sep	9A	9A2NA (EU-016)	9A2NA		11-164
5-Sep	5-Sep	9G	9G1CL	WD4KZK		11-168
5-Sep	8-Sep	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-170
5-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
5-Sep	8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS		11-154
5-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH		11-164
5-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH		11-164
5-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH		11-164

5-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH	11-164
5-Sep	7-Sep	EA	EA1/EA7TV (EU-080)	EA7TV	11-169
5-Sep	16-Sep	EA	EG7CRB		11-149
5-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH	11-164
5-Sep	8-Sep	EA8	EA8/DH1PS/p (AF-004)	DH1PS	11-164
5-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ	11-164
5-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GH6UW/p (EU-099)	M0BLF	11-154
5-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ3ZAY/p (EU-099)	G3ZAY	11-154
5-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ7VJR/p (EU-099)	G7VJR	11-154
5-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0BLF/p (EU-099)	M0BLF	11-154
5-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0TDG/p (EU-099)	M0TDG	11-154
5-Sep	5-Sep	GM	GB2OWN (EU-009)		11-169
5-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IK1RAE (EU-050)		11-164
5-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IZ4JMA (EU-050)		11-164
5-Sep	9-Sep	IS	IS0/IK0BZY		11-169
5-Sep	6-Sep	IS	IS0/IZ1CRA (EU-024)	IZ1CRA	11-164
5-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG	11-144
5-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163 120
5-Sep	9-Sep	OE	OE16B	OE1WHC	11-122 110
5-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF	11-149
5-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU	11-164
5-Sep	6-Sep	SV	J48XG SV8/HA4XG (EU-052)	HA4XG	11-161
5-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
5-Sep	8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC	11-155
5-Sep	15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV	11-158
5-Sep	8-Sep	VP5	VP5/W1AI (NA-002)	W1AI	11-151
5-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
5-Sep	7-Sep	W	K3RWN (NA-110)	K3RWN	11-079
5-Sep		W	KG8DP (NA-062)		11-085
5-Sep	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
5-Sep	14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD	11-164

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The sunspot number for September 3, 2007 was 15.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3Z0MK	SP7QHR	EI75IRTS	EA6HB	PJ2/LY4F	LY4F
9Q1TB	SM5DQC	HK4OBA	EA5KB	T32GW	WB6NOA

AO2AZ EA2AZ J48FYG OE6FYG YU1NR/TA0 YU1NR
CX2AQ EA5KB KH8/KK6H W7TSQ ZL4IR W8WC

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CE8/K2ARB, D2NX, IS0/IK1WEG, IS0/K7QB, KC4/K2ARB, KH8SI, KV4FZ, N8S, R1FJT,
STORY, TX9, TZ2T, VP2MNS, VP8DKF, VQ9LA, W7ASF/KL7 (NA- 041), WP3R, XT2C, YB8SI

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H, EA1CUB, F6IRF, FW0MO, HK4SAN,
PA3FQA, SO6Y, UA3SAQ

Correction

K6KO, Kay, will be on from Aruba as P40K from November 28th to December 18th.
This will include the ARRL 10 Meter Contest on December 8th and 9th. QSL via
WM6A or ARRL's Logbook of the World.

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K5EWJ, K6TA, K8ND, KC4AFT, KE4RQ, N4II, N4NN, N6PSE, NG3K, VE7IG, W1AW, W4DN,
W6ENZ

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DX News

Members of the Five Star DXers Association are expected to be QRV as 3B7C from St. Brandon starting Friday (GMT). Activity is planed through September 24th.

Suggested frequencies are as follows:

Band	CW	SSB	RTTY	FM	PSK
160m	1822	1842	-	-	-
80m	3502	3795	3570	-	3580
40m	7002	7052	7035	-	7037
30m	10102	-	10137	-	10140
20m	14022	14145	14085	-	14071
17m	18072	18145	18100	-	18100
15m	21022	21295	21085	-	21071
12m	24892	24945	24920	-	24920
10m	28022	28495	28075	29580	28071
6m	50102	50145	-	-	-
6m Beacon	50090	-	-	-	-

The team has a Web site and will have on line logs at www.3b7c.com.

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest look for DL6FBL, Ben, to be operating as SV9CVY from Crete. He'll be in the SOAB high power category. QSL via SV9CVY.

M0AJT, Chris, is heading to the Maldives. He will be QRV as 8Q7CT from Dhonveli Island from September 7th to 14th. This is not a DXpedition so Chris will be operating, mostly CW with some SSB, in his spare time. Equipment will be an FT900 running 100 watts into a G- whip vertical.

Pirate Operating As OH0Z
By OH9MM, Juha Valimaki

Since 27 June 2007 there has been a lot of pirate activity. Most of the pirate activity has been on 10 MHz CW. Primetime for pirate has been so far around 17Z.

Luckily the pirate has been very rude (operating quite long periods). It has been relatively easy to trace. Most of the signals have been sent from the same area. However, we need some more data to contact the telecommunication authorities. Only group of voluntary people across Europe has identified the antenna directions so far. Even at this point OH0Z team would like to thank them for good co-operation!

In future: if the pirate keeps on going please inform also the antenna direction in the spot. Just a reminder, our station is located in square locator JP90.

We have also built automatic system to monitor the use of OH0Z call. Practically we are receiving OH0Z spots directly to our mobile phones. We can also turn this system off, please no kidding with cluster spots!

Until further information OH0Z is now totally QRT on 10 MHz. All the future activations on 10 MHz can now be claimed as pirate activations.

OH0Z has been active on 10 MHz only two times this year:
26-27 May 2007 operated by OH3BHL
24-26 June 2007 operated by OH9MM

Before sending any QSL please check log search at our page www.oh0z.net. It contains all 10 MHz contacts. We were on the island last weekend preparing new antennas for the upcoming contest season (1-2 September). Few QSOs were made on 80m, 20m and 17m (log search will be updated soon). No activity on 10 MHz.

Normally we are active during contests. Some "warm up" QSOs before and after the tests. Holiday style operations may occur but they are very rare! In normal situation we are not active during the week. We are also trying to publish our activities in advance in major bulletins as much as possible!

Please notice that we are also renting the OH0Z place with certain terms. There is no need to operate with our call sign in your home.

QSN

3A/AI5P - MONACO - Yesterday Rich was QRV on 30 CW at 0530 and again at 1800Z.

EP3PK - IRAN - PSK ops were working Pooyan on 14072 Wednesday at 1700Z.

EP4MRG - IRAN - Mohamad was working Europeans on 14211 yesterday between 1530 and 1600Z.

V85SS - BRUNEI - U.S. West Coast 30 meter ops were working Ambran on 10104 around 1430Z.

VP5/W5AI - TURKS & CAICOS ISLANDS - John started up today on 3790 around 0100Z.

VU2BGS - INDIA - European op reported Kumar on 10105 after 1530Z yesterday.

YA/KI4WDW - AFGHANISTAN - Was on 14265 after 16Z. No other details on this one.

ZD8RH - ASCENSION - Bob started up yesterday on 18073 at 1600Z and then later (2145Z) showed on 10104. QSL via G4DBW.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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EU-009	MM0EAX	7044	1818	EU-080	EA1/EA7TV	14187	2041
EU-012	MM0XAU	18071	1206	EU-099	GH6UW	14204	0819
EU-037	SD7ME	14260	2008	EU-132	SP7IIT/1	7007	2015
EU-050	IL7/IZ4JMA	10138	2005	EU-165	IM0MBP	14082	1251
EU-052	J48XG	14022	1755	NA-010	VE1CJB	14240	1922
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14270	1530	NA-029	K3GV/VY2	14260	1420
EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	7017	2025	SA-026	PP5/DJ4CW	14260	1443

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
6-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
6-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT		11-164
6-Sep	8-Sep	9A	9A/IN3YGW (EU-136)	IN3YGW		11-164
6-Sep	10-Sep	9A	9A2NA (EU-016)	9A2NA		11-164
6-Sep	8-Sep	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-170
6-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
6-Sep	8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS		11-154
6-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH		11-164
6-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH		11-164
6-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH		11-164
6-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH		11-164
6-Sep	7-Sep	EA	EA1/EA7TV (EU-080)	EA7TV		11-169
6-Sep	16-Sep	EA	EG7CRB			11-149
6-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH		11-164
6-Sep	8-Sep	EA8	EA8/DH1PS/p (AF-004)	DH1PS		11-164
6-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ		11-164
6-Sep	14-Sep	GD	MD/DL2BQD (EU-116)			11-167
6-Sep	10-Sep	GD	MD0LON (EU-116)	DF1LON		11-129
6-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GH6UW/p (EU-099)	M0BLF		11-154
6-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ3ZAY/p (EU-099)	G3ZAY		11-154
6-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	GJ7VJR/p (EU-099)	G7VJR		11-154
6-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0BLF/p (EU-099)	M0BLF		11-154
6-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0TDG/p (EU-099)	M0TDG		11-154
6-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IK1RAE (EU-050)			11-164
6-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IZ4JMA (EU-050)			11-164
6-Sep	9-Sep	IS	IS0/IK0BZY			11-169
6-Sep	6-Sep	IS	IS0/IZ1CRA (EU-024)	IZ1CRA		11-164
6-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG		11-144
6-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163	120
6-Sep	9-Sep	OE	OE16B	OE1WHC	11-122	110
6-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF		11-149
6-Sep	11-Sep	SM	SD7ME (EU-037)			11-164
6-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU		11-164
6-Sep	6-Sep	SV	J48XG SV8/HA4XG (EU-052)	HA4XG		11-161
6-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD		11-165
6-Sep	8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC		11-155
6-Sep	15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV		11-158
6-Sep	13-Sep	VE	VO2/NF6J (NA-044)	DL7RV		11-139
6-Sep	8-Sep	VP5	VP5/W1AI (NA-002)	W1AI		11-151
6-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
6-Sep	7-Sep	W	K3RWN (NA-110)	K3RWN		11-079
6-Sep		W	KG8DP (NA-062)			11-085
6-Sep	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165	164 070
6-Sep	14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD		11-164

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3A/F5RBB	F5RBB	EI75IRTS	EI6HB	VR10UW	VR2UW
3B8/RX3DD	RX3DD	KP4ED	EB7AEY	ZD8RH	G4DBW
AO2AZ	EA2AZ	OF2EI	OH2EI	ZL4IR	W8WC
AO7AJR	EA7AJR	TA4/LZ1VB	LZ1VB		

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W9OL, Bill, reminds those chasing countries in the DXCC Challenge and DXCC chasers to keep envelopes on file with the bureau.

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3Y0X, 9Q1EK, CT1BOL, EA1DR, F1RKF, HI3TEJ, HK4KDO, RX3AGD, SP3MGM, T30CW, UT3UA, VP2V/DL7DF, ZK1FR, ZL1TM

Correction

In yesterday's issue there was a typo for the QSL manager for EI75IRTS. It should have been EI6HB instead of EA6HB.

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DX News

KI4WDW, Denny, is now in Afghanistan until March 2008. He is now QRV, as YA/KI4WDW, on 17 and 20 meters SSB and hopes to be active on 40 and 80 meters next week. Denny is waiting for some RTTY equipment to arrive and once it does he'll start on 30 meters. He will be active most days.

The 3B7C team did arrive on Isle du Sud, St. Brandon Island. They are expected to begin operations sometime later today. Keep an eye on their latest news at www.3b7c.com/news.htm. Many have asked about their 20 meter SSB suggested frequency. Yes they will be transmitting on 14145 and listening up. Most likely they have chosen this frequency to avoid the nonsense that has plagued 14195. DXers from the US are not permitted to transmit below 14150 on SSB. It will be advisable to check your VFOs so you don't get a pink slip from the FCC! The operators do know that American Advanced Class operators can't go below 14175 and that US General Class ops can't go below 14225.

Yesterday and today a number of stations reported working G4GIR/KH9, Ian, on Wake Island. We don't have official word on this operation. However we do know that Ian, who has been very inactive recently, was planning to go to Wake Island. This is not a DXpedition and activity is expected to be in his spare time when he is not working. We hope to get more details over the weekend.

OH2KI, Jorma Saloranta, says he's going back to Gibraltar and plans to be QRV as ZB2X again. Activity is expected mostly on CW on limited bands from September 20th to 30th. This time he'll be operating in his spare time and probably running low power but getting ready for the CQ WW CW. QSL via OH2KI.

In celebration of the 30th anniversary of Grupo Argentino de CW (GACW) operators will be QRV from the Morse, Argentina October 12th to 15th. Morse is in the northwest area of the Buenos Aires Province. Look for activity from LU1DZ/E LU5FZ/D LU6UO/D LU7BTO/D LW1EXU/D and LW2DX/D. Plans are to have "two complete stations, with high power and wire/vertical antennas". Activity will be on 10 through 160 meters, mostly on CW.

QSN

5W0TU - SAMOA - Brett was QRV yesterday on 7075 between 0810 and 0930Z. He is running 100 watts and a low dipole. No other details on this station.

G4GIR/KH9 - WAKE ISLAND - This was yesterday's big surprise. Ian was reported on 20 and 40 CW on Thursday and then today on 40 CW just before 1000Z.

J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Jean Claude was working European ops yesterday on 18145 between 14 and 15Z. QSL via F5JFU.

YN2N - NICARAGUA - Spanish ops (EA) and US ops reported Octavio on 18125 late (22Z) yesterday. QSL via TI2OHL.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-049	3B8/RX3DD	14070	1617	EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10106	1933
AS-015	9M2TO	14206	1522	EU-080	EA1/EA7TV	14260	2233
EU-012	MM0XAU	7001	2016	EU-088	OZ/DL1ANT/P	7024	1849
EU-024	IS0/I5RFD	10110	1521	EU-116	MD0LON	14080	1605
EU-037	SD7ME	10115	1552	EU-170	9A4A	10109	2129
EU-050	IL7/IK1RAE	14262	1405	NA-010	VE1CJB	7175	0044
EU-050	IL7/IZ4JMA	14084	1953	NA-147	J3/DL7VOG	14264	2024
EU-052	J48FYG	14015	0728	OC-134	ZL4IR	7067	0528
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14256	0743				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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7-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
7-Sep	17-Sep	5H	5H3EYE	AC3A		11-168
7-Sep	14-Sep	8Q	8Q7CT	M0AJT		11-172
7-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT		11-164
7-Sep	8-Sep	9A	9A/IN3YGW (EU-136)	IN3YGW		11-164
7-Sep	10-Sep	9A	9A2NA (EU-016)	9A2NA		11-164
7-Sep	8-Sep	9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-170
7-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144

7-Sep	9-Sep	CT	CT4HA/p (EU-040)	CT4HA	11-169
7-Sep	8-Sep	DL	DF8HS (EU-172)	DF8HS	11-154
7-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH	11-164
7-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH	11-164
7-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH	11-164
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7-Sep	7-Sep	GJ	MJ0BLF/p (EU-099)	M0BLF	11-154
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7-Sep	9-Sep	I	IL7/IZ4JMA (EU-050)		11-164
7-Sep	9-Sep	IS	IS0/IK0BZY		11-169
7-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG	11-144
7-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163 120
7-Sep	9-Sep	KL7	K6VVA/KL7 (NA-041)	N6AWD	11-149
7-Sep	9-Sep	OE	OE16B	OE1WHC	11-122 110
7-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF	11-149
7-Sep	11-Sep	SM	SD7ME (EU-037)		11-164
7-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU	11-164
7-Sep	14-Sep	SV	J44XG SV4/HA4XG	HA4XG	11-161
7-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
7-Sep	8-Sep	V5	V5/DJ8VC	DJ8VC	11-155
7-Sep	15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV	11-158
7-Sep	13-Sep	VE	VO2/NF6J (NA-044)	DL7RV	11-139
7-Sep	8-Sep	VP5	VP5/W1AI (NA-002)	W1AI	11-151
7-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
7-Sep	7-Sep	W	K3RWN (NA-110)	K3RWN	11-079
7-Sep		W	KG8DP (NA-062)		11-085
7-Sep	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
7-Sep	14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD	11-164
8-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)		11-164
8-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20	PB9ZR	11-154
8-Sep	14-Sep	CT	CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	11-109 108
8-Sep	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
9-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1HWS (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
9-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1JK (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
9-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1JST (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
9-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1UXH (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
9-Sep	26-Sep	SV	by I3BQC (EU-049)		11-164
10-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU	11-164
10-Sep	20-Sep	SV	SV8/OK1MBZ SV8/OK1MKI (EU-072)		11-134
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5H4BL	IV3RTL	EK3GM	IK2QPR	PJ2/LY4F	LY4F
AI4GN/AH0	7K3BKY	HF50SLO	SP9PNB	TM9RWC	F5GNY
CX7CO	KA5TUF	J28JA	F5JFU	YN2N	TI2OHL
EG3SDC	EA1AUM	MD0LON	DF1LON	ZB2FX	G3RFX
EG7SDC	EA1AUM	PA100S	PD0PVQ	ZL4IR	W8WC

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JA1HGY, Nao Mashita, reports that JD1BMM's, Masafumi Ishihara, home call is JA6GXX and that the JA6GXX address on QRZ.COM is incorrect. The JD1BMM address in QRZ.COM is correct and is Masafumi's office address in Chiba (JA1). He is supposed to be on Minami Torishima until September 18th then expected back in Chiba around the end of the month.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: FR5ZL/T, HI0C, HR9/N0AT, N8S, VF0X, VK0JLX, VY2LI (NA-029), Z32ID

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DX News

C56JJ (The Gambia) will be on the air again from November 30 until December 7. Operator PA4JJ, Jan, says he will probably have an on-line log this time on his Web site, <http://c56jj.pa4jj.nl>.

SV8/OX3XR, Peter, will be on Samos Island, Greece, September 16-30. He will have his FT-817 rig to a ground plane antenna.

OH0Z, Aland Islands, will be on for the SAC Scandinavian contest, both modes, September 15 and 16 for CW and September 22-23 for phone, 80-10M. OH1JT will be operating the CW version and OH1RX, OH9MM and possibly others will operate multi-single on phone. QSL via W0MM. They may be able to get a special prefix but haven't worked that out yet.

AA2WN, Harry, will be in China on business September 15-19 and plans to be on the air at least the weekend of the 15th and 16th, from the QTH of BD4SO near Shanghai. He may also visit with BA4DW. He will use his hosts' callsigns. Harry's operating priority will be working the U.S. East Coast on 20 and possibly 40, CW and possibly SSB, in early mornings U.S. East Coast time. QSL route to be announced.

VE3ZF/VE2IDX, Igor Slakva, has sent an update on his upcoming "Zone #2 International Contest Team" operation. First, a group of himself, VE3ZF/VE2IDX, K5YG, W5GED, N2AA and VA2MCJ will be on from Orleans Island, IOTA NA-128, for the W/VE Islands QSO Party October 20-21.

They will use the VE2IDX callsign for this one. QSL via VE3ZF direct only. Info on that event is on http://www.usislands.org/contest_rules.html. Secondly, the same group will operate as VE2Z for the CQWW SSB contest October 27-28. They will be in CQ zone two. Igor's address for QSLing purposes: Igor Slakva, 105 La Rose Avenue, PH # 1410, Etobicoke, Ontario, M9P 1A9, Canada.

HR2J, Javier, updates us on the upcoming Swans Island, Honduras, expedition. This island is IOTA NA-035. They have obtained the callsign HQ8R and, says Javier, "We are happy with it." Now signed on as operators are K8LEE, W8GEX, K2BB, KB2PDW and HR2J. They depart for the island on September 23 and return to the mainland at midday on the 28th. It's possible they will stay an extra day, "as long as the fish supplies hold out."

NP3D will not be going along on the Swans Island operation as originally planned. Instead, Andrei will be going to St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands to operate September 23-October 1. QSL WP2/NP3D via W3HMK or via LoTW. Also along will be NP2/K4FO and KP2/AK2P. The QSL route for those will be announced later. They will be in the CQWW RTTY Contest and on CW and SSB as well as RTTY before and after the CQWW event. Andrei plans to upload the logs to LoTW immediately after the operation, a capability he is excited about.

D4C will be on the air from Cape Verde for the CQWW RTTY Contest September 29-30. The operators will be YL2KL and YL2KF.

HR2/LT0E will be in the RTTY Contest from Honduras. The operator will be LU1DY, Gus, single operator all band.

The South Florida DX Association and Gold Coast Amateur Radio Association will be in Arbor Day celebrations September 15th from 12-16Z. They will be operating from the Hillsboro Inlet Lighthouse on the east coast of Florida with the callsign W4H. Look for them on 3950-3990, 7250-7290, 14250-14290, 18150-18165 and 21350-21390, plus or minus QRM. QSL via N8PR at QRZ.com.

3B8/SM7DKF, Ronnie, will be on Mauritius November 8-24, holiday style. Mauritius is IOTA AF-049; Ronnie will spend time on the popular IOTA hangout frequencies, mostly SSB, maybe some digital too. QSL direct to his home callsign that is accurate on QRZ.com. <http://www.sm7dkf.se/index-info.htm>.

FH1LE is the new callsign for F4RPW, Alain, now that he lives fulltime on Mayotte. He has been there for three weeks so far and is getting his gear sorted out. He hopes to have the station operational this week. He will start out with a 4BTV vertical and his FT-897 rig running 100 watts. He will be on SSB and maybe CW if he can get in a little practice. He also plans to get on PSK31 and RTTY with a Microham interface box. And, he has a KT-34 beam, the latest upgrade, but has to work out some issues with the small space he has to work with at his QTH.

SV5/IW1RLF, Alberto, will be on Rhodes, Dodecanese, EU-001, today through September 17th. QSL to his home callsign direct or bureau.

SV5/ON4BB, Luk, and SV5/ON5JE, Bill, will also have signals on the air from Dodecanese. They will be on Rhodes September 11-25, operating holiday style. QSL to their home calls, bureau preferred.

SM6CVX says it's just one week until he and his friends leave for Papua New Guinea. Along with Hans will be G3KHZ, Derek; CT1AGF, Luis; and G4EDG, Steve, plus two non-hams. They will have the callsign P29VCX on Nukumanu Island, OC-284 from about September 25-October 1. Then they go to Takuu Island with the callsign P29NI, October 2-8. Then they will use the callsign P29VLR from OC-256 October 8th through approximately the 10th or 11th. QSL P29VCX via SM6CVX. QSL P29NI via G3KHZ.

And QSL P29VLR via SM6CVX. Hans says the schedule is somewhat weather dependent and they are taking plenty of sea sickness pills along. He's more worried about the boat than the operators. Hans is soliciting reports on propagation ideas from that part of the world to other parts of the world. If you have something to say on that, e-mail him at sm6cvx@hjelstrom.se. The group will have amplifiers along for all bands and modes.

400CE will be on from Montenegro to celebrate that new nation's entry into the Council of Europe. The Radio Club of the Council of Europe and 403A, Ranko, are organizing this operation for October 17-21. QSL via F5LGF. Logs will be on-line at <http://ewwa.free.fr>.

8R1PY, Guyana, will be on November 1-4 with PY2TNT and PY2WAS operating. They plan to be on around the clock on 80-2M SSB and CW. QSL via PY4KL direct or bureau.

GB2TX is a special British callsign that will be on the air September 22-23 as part of "Transmission 2007," to raise funds for the British Wireless for the Blind Fund. This will be run by the Bittern DX Group. www.bdxg.org.uk.

IZ1JFK/mm, Claudio, will operate from the Italian Navy destroyer "Andrea Doria" September 11-15. Claudio plans to be on 40 and 20M SSB. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

JW/OZ7FOC, Niels, will be on from Svalbard today through September 17. QSL to his home call.

The Belgian Air Force Amateur Radio Association will have ON47FOUGA on the air September 24-30. This will mark the last flight of the last Fouga Magister aircraft with the Belgian Air Force. The final flight will be September 27th. www.fougamagister.be and www.bafara.be for more info. QSL via ON6KN direct or bureau.

HF150TG will be a special event station from Poland, operated by SQ9JKD, Grzegorz, for the 150th anniversary of the local railway station in Tarnowskie Gory. He will be on between now and November 30. QSL via SQ9JKD. More info is on www.hf150tg.prv.pl. Grzegorz is in the FIRAC club.

SN6WTC, Poland, will mark the sixth anniversary of the 9/11 attacks. This one will be on from Kielce, Poland, September 11. QSL via SP7PKI direct or bureau.

UE6LGT planned to operate from the Rostovsky Morskoy Red Lighthouse Island in the Sea of Azov, the last three days. The operators were UA6LP, UA6MC, UR5IAW, UY9IF and UR3IFD. QSL via UA6LP direct or bureau.

Silent Keys

SM5DQC, Osten Magnusson, has become a Silent Key at the age of 67. He passed away Friday at his home. Osten was a longtime subscriber to the Daily DX, a major source of DX news for us, a great history reference and a good friend to many, including to W3UR. The ARRL's DXCC Manager, NC1L, Bill, says Osten joined DXCC in 1967 and has been very active ever since. Osten was appointed a DXCC card checker in November, 2000 and has been, says NC1L, one of the more active European checkers. Osten was #1 Honor Roll for both Mixed and Phone, CW Honor Roll, and needed just one, P5. He had DXCC on all bands 160- 10M and 5BDXCC. NC1L says, "When an issue stumped the DXCC guy, Osten always came to the rescue!" SM5DJZ, John, will carry on with the DXCC program for Swedish hams. The two had divided this task. But, John notes that Osten was QSL manager for some 9Q stations - he doesn't know who will pick up that task.

F5PVF, Gilles Simeon, passed away September 7th. Gilles was planning for his retirement, which was coming up soon. Among his survivors are his wife and his son, Gael, F8BJT. For years Gilles was the secretary of the Radio Club de Provins, F6KOP. Members of the club say that when they were preparing for their expeditions to 5V7C, 5H1C, T07C and XT2C, "Gilles was ever there and always ready to help and give his skills."

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON - 24945 at 0420Z, 18145 from 0350Z, 21024 from 0350Z, 10102 from 0320Z, 14145 at 0320Z, 14022 at 0325Z, and 7006 at 0330Z.

A52AM - BHUTAN - Lots of time on 40M during the WAE, 7058 from 2100-0000Z.

G4GIR/KH9 - WAKE ISLAND - 10102 from 0940-1020Z, 14004 from 0830-0915Z, 7004 from 0730-0830Z.

HV0A - VATICAN - 18146 from 1430-1530Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EG8SDC	7083	0840	EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10108	1940
AF-015	3B7C	18072	1255	EU-110	9A/OK1HWS	10115	1345
EU-009	GM0WED	18135	1600	EU-125	OZ/DK7OM	7073	1400
EU-012	MM0XAU	10113	1835	EU-130	IQ3AZ/P	14017	1525
EU-016	9A2NA/P	7067	0840	EU-144	IR8DX	18101	1025
EU-023	9H3YM	14260	1340	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	14258	1645
EU-024	IS0/I5RFD	10115	1230	EU-190	CT6A/P	14208	2150
EU-032	F5KLJ/P	144300	1300	NA-044	VO2/NF6J	14017	1840
EU-037	SD7ME	10118	1430	NA-075	VA7PX	14072	1735
EU-040	CT4HA/P	7055	0950	SA-046	PY7MV	7059	2115
EU-052	J48FYG	14019	1015				

TK/DF6ZY, Heinz, will be on Corsica, IOTA EU-014, September 15-28, mostly RTTY. He'll be on 80-10M and will go to SSB or SSTV if you ask for it. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

Four operators plan to go to Ven Island, Sweden, EU-137, for an operation October 6-13. They will be SM7DAY/7 (QSL to his home call), SD7W (QSL via DL2SWW), SE7TK (QSL via DL2RTK) and SD7V (QSL via DL2VFR). The ops plan to be high power equipped, making EU-137 easier to work than previously. They prefer you QSL via the bureau but can do direct. If you go direct, they will only accept the new IRCs and they note that \$2 U.S. barely covers the postage to outside Europe.

OZ/DL3ARK and OZ/DL4AMK will be on Langeland Island, Denmark, EU-172, September 22-29. They may be joined by a third operator.

BY1TX/4 and BY1TT/4 will be on Chang Dao, AS-146, October 1-6. The two ops plan to be on SSB, CW and RTTY, 160-10M. QSL BY1TX/4 via EA7FTR and BY1TT/4 to his home call sign.

MS0WRC will be the callsign from Scotland for G0MTD, M1PAF, M0WCR and G7GAG from the Workington & District ARC when they visit the Isle of Barra, EU-010. That's where they will be October 6-12. They plan to be on 80, 40, 20 and 17M SS Band CW, plus 2M. They hope to make side trips to Vatersay and Eriskay. QSL via MX0WRC or G0MTD.

VK6CHI will be on Cheyne Island, OC-193, from 09Z October 12 until midnight Zulu on October 15. Operators VK6YS, KD6WW and VK6KHD will be on SSB and CW, 40, 30 and 20M. QSL via VK4AAR. Two of those operators, VK6YS and KD6WW, plan to stop on Rottnest Island, OC-164, on the way home and will again operate on 40, 30 and 20, CW and SSB, signing VK6YS/P. Look for this one from about 11Z October 15 until 03Z the 17th, if plans hold. QSL via VK4AAR.

VY2/GM3VLB expected to be on starting yesterday for three days on Prince Edward Island, IOTA NA-029. It's a family holiday. He is equipped with a TS-50s and fishing rod vertical. Next, Andre will be on from Cape Breton Island, NA-010, September 12-17, with a special effort September 16th from the Marconi trans-Atlantic site, possibly from 17Z. That will be VE1/GM3VLB. Then, that same callsign from Nova Scotia from the 17th to 22nd. Look for him from each location around 20Z and 09Z.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
10-Sep	30-Sep	3B7	3B7C (AF-015)	G3NUG	11-172	165 024
10-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
10-Sep	17-Sep	5H	5H3EYE	AC3A		11-168
10-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU		11-164
10-Sep	14-Sep	8Q	8Q7CT	M0AJT		11-172
10-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT		11-164
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10-Sep	10-Sep	9A	9A2NA (EU-016)	9A2NA		11-164
10-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20	PB9ZR		11-154
10-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
10-Sep	14-Sep	CT	CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	11-109	108
10-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH		11-164
10-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH		11-164
10-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH		11-164
10-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH		11-164
10-Sep	16-Sep	EA	EG7CRB			11-149
10-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH		11-164
10-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ		11-164
10-Sep	14-Sep	GD	MD/DL2BQD (EU-116)			11-167
10-Sep	10-Sep	GD	MD0LON (EU-116)	DF1LON		11-129
10-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG		11-144
10-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)		11-163	120
10-Sep		KH9	G4GIR/KH9			11-173
10-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF		11-149
10-Sep	11-Sep	SM	SD7ME (EU-037)			11-164
10-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU		11-164
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3B7C	G3NUG	EG5SDC	EA1AUM	SA25QW	SK6QW
5B/G0HIO	G0HIO	EH1SDC	EA1AUM	SI89B	SM6CLU
5W1SA	JH7OHF	HL13STCA	6K2BWA	TK/DL4FF	DL4FF
9H20	PB9ZR	J44XG	HA4XG	TM1RHC	F1BOW
9M2GCN	JH3GCN	K6VVA/KL7	N6AWD	TM3RWC	F1PSH
9M4DXX	9M2TO	OF3WS	OH3WS	TM5RWC	F6KRD
CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	ON4USA	ON4GDV	TM9RWC	F5GNY
EG2SDC	EA1AUM	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
EG4SDC	EA1AUM	P41USA	W3TEF	UN7MMM	EA7FTR
EG5FAB	EA5QB	R450AD	UA6YW	VO2/NF6J	DL7RV

The IARU website has a report that the QSL bureaus for 9L, Sierra Leone, and HH, Haiti, have closed.

QSL manager NI5DX, says AL7DB has "joined the NI5DX stable of DX stations. I will be able to confirm any QSOs with Dave as soon as I receive his logs (about 10 days)." He also handles cards for P29ZAD, P29SS, P29BW, KL5E, A41KJ, TF8SM, 9K2AI, 9K2KO, FR1AN and YB1GJS. He says, "All requests for any of these stations, as well as the stations who have gone QRT For which I have logs should be sent direct to my address as listed in any database."

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BS7H, DF6PW, HB9ICC, IK2EGL, IZ2BKC, J39BS, UT3UA, ZL1TM and ZS6WN.

On The WWW

The Topband, Topmode and Toplist are now available on <http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html>. Your score info can be sent to I2EOW, Erminio Pandocchi, i2eow@ari.it.

W5KDJ, Wayne, has a web page, produced by W9DX and the TDXS, on the upcoming trip to Mozambique. Find it at <http://www.tdxs.net/c91kdj.html>.

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DX News

Montenegro (40) will be QRV during the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest on September 29th and 30th as 403A, Ranko Boca, will air 403A from his Montenegrin Premium Contest Resort. He'll be hosting a young team of operators from Slovenia and Italy who will be operating in the Multi- Multi category with multiple stacks and testing a new radio room layout before the SSB and CW versions of the CQ WW. Operators include S50XX, S52X, S57MM, IV3YWT, IV3TMV, 4O3NET, 4O4A, 4O3A, 4O3Z, YU1YV and possibly S50YL, S51TA and S550. The station now has two new rotary towers as well as a two element yagi on 80 meters. This is just one of many contest activities being organized by Ranko and SKY Contest Club. The RTTY test will focus on supporting young contesters and giving opportunities to local youngsters to learn and feel what contesting is all about. Ranko is in the process of fully automating the station and is planning to organize a contest school for youngsters all over the world. More details to follow. For all whom need QSL card from 403A - good news. QSLs from past contest operations from 2007 will be sent via the bureau this month and logs will be uploaded on LoTW. In the future all QSL cards will be sent via the bureau twice a year as well as being uploaded to LoTW.

The August 2007 outing to Market Reef, OJ0B was designed to decorate the lighthouse with powerful antennas that can only be hoisted in good weather conditions. The group was successful, and in addition to making more than 13,000 QSOs a SteppIR beam plus an assortment of wire antennas were mounted at the light.

The newly composed group of OH0RJ, OH2BH, OH2MM, OH2PM, OH7EA and OH8NC are at it again and plan to be operational from September 15-24, including both Scandinavian Activity Contests, with three stations. Now they have more flexibility since they have a resident helicopter at their disposal.

Outside of the contest their frequencies are as follows:
CW: 3523, 7023, 10113, 14033, 18083, 21033, 24903 and 28033 KHz
SSB: 3775, 7075, 14175, 18135, 21275, 24960 and 28475 KHz

Once again, if you are a stamp collector or wish to receive your QSL card with unique Market Reef stamps, you may send an SASE with 7 Euros (10 USD) as your postage/donation to the Finnish Lighthouse Society via QSL manager OH2BH.

If you wish to tour the Reef in the spirit of adventure, you may follow in the footsteps of the August 2007 and November 2005 OJ0B activities at <http://sm0w.com> and www.kolumbus.fi/oh2bn/pagemarket.htm. The Finnish Lighthouse Society has been active repairing the lighthouse this summer, and you may wish to follow their activities which include daily reporting and interesting general details at <http://www.lighthousesociety.fi/eng/>

See the report from Market Reef as of September 4, 2007 at
http://www.lighthousesociety.fi/eng/market/market_diary/diary_040907/

The Singapore Amateur Radio Transmitting Society (SARTS) has announced plans for their upcoming Field Day, which will take place on October 6th and 7th, as they use special call S61FD from Changi, Singapore. Activity will be on 10 through 80 meters running 500 watts to vertical antennas.

K5YG, Bill Musa, will be QRV as KP2/K5YG, while vacationing with his family on St. Thomas, US. Virgin Islands November 24-30th. Plans are to be active on 6 through 20 meters on SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK-31, mainly early in the morning and evenings his local time.

During the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest NN50, Jim, will be QRV as EI2VNO from Cahirciveen, Mannix Point Campground, Count Kerry, Ireland.

DJ7RJ, Willi, will be heading for Nosy (AF-057), Madagascar on September 25, 2007 where he will be QRV as 5R8RJ. Look for him on 10 through 160 meters on CW and SSB between September 26th and October 26th. QSL via DJ7RJ.

HS0ZCW (K4VUD), Charles, has installed a bazooka sloper for 160 meters. He also has an 80 meters dipole around 75 feet at the apex sloping down to around 50 feet at the ends. Schedule requests can be made but must be between 0001Z on Saturdays and 2359Z on Sundays, due to local regulations. Skeds (In UTC) can be made via email to k4vud@hotmail.com.

BS7H QSL Status
By KU9C, Steve Wheatley

I've been sending QSL cards out for BS7H for a bit over 40 days now, and am starting to get the question "my buddy has his, where is mine" or "are they all out yet". So, here's the status

I'm about 75% of the way thru the pile, and well on the way to being more-or-less current with the incoming mail, which is still coming in at a healthy pace. Just to help folks understand the sheer volume, in the first week after the operation, I received nearly 7,000 envelopes; to date I've received nearly 14,000 envelopes relative to BS7H. Each card has to be checked against the log, as I'm not pre-printing labels by call with each QSO listed, I'm only issuing QSOs claimed.

I expect to be current, and have all QSOs in hand answered, more or less, by the end of September. One way to see if your QSL has been processed is to check the LOTW file. Within a few days of printing your label, your confirmed QSOs will show up there.

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON ISLAND - Texas low band ops reported working this one yesterday on 7052/7160 just before 0100Z and on 3795/3775 around 0015Z. Today the W5's had them on 3799/3853 around 0045Z. U.S. West Coast ops found them on 14022 CW just after 16Z.

5W0TU - SAMOA - Bert likes 40 meters SSB after 0800Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7C	14022	1609	EU-009	GM0CPK/M	18145	1401
EU-136	9A/OK1DSM	10115	1711	EU-144	IR8DX	7008	2353
EU-110	9A/OK1HWS	18160	1108	EU-116	MD0LON	14251	1040
EU-110	9A/OK1JK	14081	1803	EU-088	OZ/DL1ANT	10109	1817
EU-136	9A/ON4LO/P	14263	1550	EU-125	OZ1DYI/P	14260	0823
EU-170	9A8GES	14255	1551	EU-037	SD7ME	14260	1553
EU-023	9H20	14210	2209	EU-072	SV8/OK1MBZ/P	3515	2250
EU-023	9H4CM	14176	644	EU-014	TK/DL4FF	14256	0925
EU-042	DH9YPA/P	7071	945	NA-010	VE1CJB	14190	2046
EU-042	DK8OL	14260	1254	NA-044	VO2/NF6J	14027	1256
EU-074	F/HB9ASZ	10115	2156	SA-002	VP8NO	24950	1759

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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11-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
11-Sep	17-Sep	5H	5H3EYE	AC3A		11-168
11-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU		11-164
11-Sep	14-Sep	8Q	8Q7CT	M0AJT		11-172
11-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT		11-164
11-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1HWS (EU-110)	OK1JST		11-161
11-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1JK (EU-110)	OK1JST		11-161
11-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1JST (EU-110)	OK1JST		11-161
11-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1UXH (EU-110)	OK1JST		11-161
11-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)			11-164
11-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20	PB9ZR		11-154
11-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
11-Sep	14-Sep	CT	CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	11-109	108
11-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH		11-164
11-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH		11-164
11-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH		11-164
11-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH		11-164
11-Sep	16-Sep	EA	EG7CRB			11-149
11-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH		11-164
11-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ		11-164
11-Sep	14-Sep	GD	MD/DL2BQD (EU-116)			11-167
11-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG		11-144
11-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163	120
11-Sep	17-Sep	JW	JW/OZ7FOC	OZ7FOC		11-174
11-Sep		KH9	G4GIR/KH9			11-173
11-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF		11-149
11-Sep	11-Sep	SM	SD7ME (EU-037)			11-164
11-Sep	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
11-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU		11-164
11-Sep	11-Sep	SP	SN6WTC	SP7PKI		11-174
11-Sep	26-Sep	SV	by I3BQC (EU-049)			11-164
11-Sep	14-Sep	SV	J44XG SV4/HA4XG	HA4XG		11-161
11-Sep	20-Sep	SV	SV8/OK1MBZ SV8/OK1MKI (EU-072)			11-134
11-Sep	17-Sep	SV5	SV5/IW1RLF (EU-001)	IW1RLF	11-174	164
11-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON4BB	ON4BB		11-174

11-Sep 25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON5JE	ON5JE	11-174
11-Sep 30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
11-Sep 15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV	11-158
11-Sep 13-Sep	VE	VO2/NF6J (NA-044)	DL7RV	11-139
11-Sep 12-Sep	VE	VY2/GM3VLB (NA-029)		11-174
11-Sep 15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
11-Sep 17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
11-Sep	W	KG8DP (NA-062)		11-085
11-Sep 31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
11-Sep 24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
11-Sep 14-Sep	ZD9	ZD9BCB (AF-030)	SQ8AQD	11-164

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>
 Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be mostly quiet today through Thursday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for September 9, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

As was reported yesterday SM5DQC, Osten, became a Silent Key last Friday. Those needing QSLs from 9Q1EK, Georges, and 9Q1TB, Philippe, should QRX as the two are unable to confirm paper QSLs until they recover the logs and QSLs and transfer them to a new Manager. QRX for more details.

OH3MKH, Seppo, is looking for the QSL route for 3Z50FJ (that's Three Zulu Five Zero Fox Japan). Please forward to your DX editor, who will then post in an upcoming issue.

N4II, Ed, reports receiving the K4L QSL cards from the printer for the August 18th operation from NA-141 and Cape Florida lighthouse USA- 118. All direct QSL requests have been mailed as well as bureau cards for all DX QSOs. Anyone needing a QSL should contact W4MOT via the Mail stop 2200 address on QRZ.com.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 5B4AGC, 5N9SJA, 6W1SE, 8Q7DD, 9M6BAA, BS7H, EI9JF, GB4IPY, HP2/CX2AM (NA-170), HP2/CX4CR (NA-170), N8S, OJ0VR, VK9LT

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 6H1CT, 9A07P, BV5GQ, BX5AA, E21EIC, HB9ICC, J39BS, IS0GQX, LN9Z, OP0P, OX/PA3EXX/P, OY4TN, PJ2MI, RZ3PS, SV1EQU/8,

V73RY, VP9/K3TRM, WP3GW, ZS6WN

On The WWW

The Federal Communications Commission has a few monitoring jobs available at the Columbia, Maryland monitoring station. For complete details check out <http://tinyurl.com/yudsy5>.

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DX News

Eight members of the Radio Amateur Association of Greece (RAAG) have announced an IOTA first DXpedition to Arwad Island (AS-186), Syria. Plans are for the Greek team to be QRV as YK9SV for 10 days sometime between November 1st and November 15th of this year. The expected operators will be SV1IW, SV1JG, SV1RC, SV1RP, SV1QN, SV1ACK, SV1GYG and SV8CS. While on the island the team will be QRV on 6 (if propagation permits) through 160 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31.

They will put in a special emphasis on the low bands and 6 meters, "if propagations permits". This will be a fairly expensive operation "due to the special agreements needed for licensing, transportation, operation costs and support of the local Ham Radio Association". The team has a Web page, that is still developing, at <http://www.raag.org/arwad>. For more information you can contact SV1IW, Manos, at svliw@raag.org.

German ops DK6XR and DK8XT have announced their plans to operate from Georgetown, Guyana beginning September 30th. They will be QRV as 8R1XR and 8R1XT on CW, SSB and RTTY until October 13th. QSL via their home calls.

QSL printer UX5UO, Gennady, will be in Spain and QRV as EA5/UX5UO for about two weeks soon. Watch for him around 14155.

Silent Key

YL2PQ, Laimonis Stepans, passed away last weekend. He was 63 years old. Laimon was very active on Topband.

After a long illness W6THN, Radford P. Leonard, became a Silent Key on Thursday September 6, 2007. He was 93. Rad was an FOC member.

QSN

3B7C - ST BRANDON - The Five Star DXers team was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 1822 3504 3800 7002 7051
01 1822 3504 3800 7002
02 1822 3800 7002 7007 10104 14145
03 10105 14022 14145 18145
04 14022 14145

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21 3502 3795 7052 10102 14022 14143
22 1821 3502 3795 7052 10102 14022
23 1821 3502 3795 7052 14259

5U5U - NIGER - Christian was reported on 18156 at 1300Z and 14198 at 1830Z.

8Q7CT - MALDIVES - Chris showed up on 14040 after 13Z and again just before 1630Z. QSL via M0AJT.

8R6USA - GUYANA - Esmond was busy on 14205 between 1900 and 2330Z. QSL via 8R1AK.

OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - Look for Pascal on 17 CW after 10Z. QSL via F5OGL.

IOTA

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AF-015	3B7C	14145	1529	EU-110	9A/OK1UXH	7021	2059
EU-014	TK/DL4FF	28460	0840	EU-127	DF6QC	7021	0013
EU-015	SV9/DL6NDK	7003	2153	EU-136	9A/ON4LO/P	7054	1825
EU-026	JW/OZ7FOC	14015	1552	EU-144	IR8DX	7028	2203
EU-047	F/HB9ASZ/P	10108	1912	EU-170	9A/DD1MAT/P	14265	1049
EU-052	SV8CS	10139	1916	EU-176	UT0VE/P	14220	0915
EU-072	SV8/OK1MBZ/P	7015	0555	NA-010	VE1CJB	7098	0034

The previously announced June 2008 Rockall Island (EU-189) has been cancelled due the cost. Details can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/2xdcu5>.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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12-Sep	17-Sep	5H	5H3EYE	AC3A	11-168
12-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU	11-164
12-Sep	14-Sep	8Q	8Q7CT (AS-013)	M0AJT	11-172
12-Sep	15-Sep	9A	9A/DD1MAT (EU-170)	DD1MAT	11-164
12-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1HWS (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
12-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1JK (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
12-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1JST (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
12-Sep	14-Sep	9A	9A/OK1UXH (EU-110)	OK1JST	11-161
12-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)		11-164
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12-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO	11-144
12-Sep	14-Sep	CT	CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	11-109 108
12-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN0EB	EA4RCH	11-164
12-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN4EB	EA4RCH	11-164
12-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN5EB	EA4RCH	11-164
12-Sep	16-Sep	EA	AN7EB	EA4RCH	11-164
12-Sep	16-Sep	EA	EG7CRB		11-149
12-Sep	16-Sep	EA6	AN6EB (EU-004)	EA4RCH	11-164
12-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ	11-164
12-Sep	18-Sep	FP	FP/K9MDO (NA-032)	W9NJB	11-149
12-Sep	18-Sep	FP	FP/W9ILY (NA-032)	W9ILY	11-149
12-Sep	14-Sep	GD	MD/DL2BQD (EU-116)		11-167
12-Sep	16-Sep	J3	J3/DL7VOG (NA-147)	DL7VOG	11-144
12-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163 120
12-Sep	17-Sep	JW	JW/OZ7FOC (EU-026)	OZ7FOC	11-174
12-Sep		KH9	G4GIR/KH9 (OC-053)		11-173
12-Sep	15-Sep	P4	P41USA (SA-036)	W3TEF	11-149
12-Sep	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
12-Sep	16-Sep	SP	SN10IPA	SP9PZU	11-164
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12-Sep	17-Sep	SV5	SV5/IW1RLF (EU-001)	IW1RLF	11-174 164
12-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON4BB	ON4BB	11-174
12-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON5JE	ON5JE	11-174
12-Sep	25-Sep	SV9	SV9/G0SGB/p	G0SGB	11-152
12-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
12-Sep	15-Sep	VE	K3GV/VY2 (NA-029)	G3GV	11-158
12-Sep	17-Sep	VE	VE1/GM3VLB (NA-010)	GM3VLB	11-174
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The sunspot number for September 10, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4X1VF	K1FJ	9H3YT	PA3GUU	LX/DL6WT	DL6WT
5H0RS	IT9YVO	9H3ZF	PA1GR	OD5/F5PTM	F5OGL
5R8GZ	G3SWH	A01ABT	EA1ABT	R1ANF	RK1PWA
5X1AB	K6EID	A01HS	EA1HS	R450KB	UA6XT
5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU	A03JW	EA3JW	SN6WTC	SP7PKI
8Q7CT	M0AJT	A05VR	EA5VR	TM7RWC	F5APM
8R6USA	8R1AK	C31CT	EA3QS	TM8CDX	F5CQ
9A8GES	IK3GES	CE3/VE7SV	VE7SV	TT8FC	EA4AHK
9H3X	PE1NGF	HF50PLU	SQ8LUV	ZG2FX	G3RFX
9H3YM	PE1OFJ	JW/OZ7FOC	OZ7FOC		

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9G5AC, BS7H, HI0C (NA-122), IH9P (AF-018), UA0AV, YW1DX, YX5IOTA

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BX5AA, F5JSD, G4WFQ, GB7HQ, HZ1IK, KH8/KK6H, LX7I, PA7RA, PA7TWO, RZ3PS

On The WWW

This weekend (September 15/16) is the CW version of the Scandinavian Activity Contest. Next weekend (September 22/23) is the SSB edition of this contest. Complete rules can be found at <http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>.

The latest edition of the Contest Club of Finland's "PileUP!" can be found at http://www.helsinki.fi/~korpela/PU/PU2_2007.pdf.

Results of the 2007 ARRL DX Contest can now be found on the ARRL Members page at http://www.arrl.org/members-only/contests/scores.html?con_id=131

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DX News

G4GIR/KH9, Ian, has gone QRT from Wake Island. G4BWP/A6, Fred, talked to him and tell us the following news. Thankfully Ian was able to convince the base commander to let Ian put out a wire antenna and operate from this rare one. He was running an 80 meter wire dipole with an LDG tuner, running 30 watts from an IC7000 and an FT-897 as a back up. Ian made about 1,200 QSOs including 50 Europeans. The rest were mostly from Japan, the US and VK/ZL. He did hear several Europeans on both 80 and 160 meters, however none of them heard him calling. QSL this operation via G4GIR.

G0JMU, Harry, is once again working in Malawi and should be QRV in his spare time as 7Q7HB. He's expected to be there for about 2 months. Harry will be on CW and SSB and possibly other modes. QSL direct only via G0IAS.

TF/G3SXW, Roger, and TF/G4IRN, John, will spend a weekend in Reykjavik, Iceland September 21-23. They will be QRV on 12 through 40 meters on CW only. QSL via home-call and LotW.

F5IRO (TO4E, FK/F5IRO, FR/F5IRO, FY/F5IRO, TO7R), Freddy, departed yesterday for a four month assignment in Papeete (OC-046), French Polynesia. Plans are to pick up his FO5RU license once he arrives. It is possible he will use FO/F5IRO. Activity is expected to begin this weekend. Look for him in his spare time on all HF bands on CW, SSB and RTTY. He'll be there until mid-January 2008. It is possible that he may activate some other IOTAs while in the French Polynesian islands. QSL via F5CQ, Rafik, either direct with SAE and postage or via the French REF QSL bureau. Rafik has a Web page at www.f5cq.net/dxp/2007-FO5RU/fo5ru-fr.htm.

The 1A4A team announced yesterday that an international team will be active from the Sovereign Military Order of Malta during the week of the 2007 CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest, next month. This will be the first time SMOM has been QRV during a major contest. QRX for more details.

K1NA, will once again be QRV from St. Eustatius (NA-145) as PJ5NA during the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest. He'll be in the SOAB category. Look for activity before and after the contest. QSL via K1NA.

DX Gathering

W5KFT, Bryan Edwards, will once again be hosting the W5DX-Contest Bash at Lake Buchanan, Texas, near Austin. The annual event will be held on October 6th starting at 10 AM (local) with lunch at 1 PM (local).

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CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	MX0NRC	M0NRC	VO2/NF6J	DL7RV
DL/AI5P	AI5P	OF3JF	OH3JF	ZP8VAO	EA7FTR
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DX News

JA8BMK, Toshi, tells The Daily DX he will be heading for Kiribati on September 23rd. Plans are to fly from Sapporo, Japan to West Kiribati via Fiji. He is expected to arrive in Tarawa on September 25th and will be QRV as T30XX for about a week. Afterwards he'll be sailing to Canton Island, Central Kiribati. The trip will take about 5 to 6 days. He'll be QRV as T31XX for between 1 and 2 weeks. His next stop will be Christmas Island, Eastern Kiribati, where he could be QRV as T32YY. There is also a possibility for activity from Banaba as T33ZZ. The schedule has not been finalized so exact dates and locations are subject to travel arrangements. Toshi plans to operate on CW, SSB and will try RTTY and PSK31. He'll have an IC7000 and TS-480HX as well as a small amplifier. Look for activity on 6-160 meters. Antennas will include: a 4 element HB9CV for 10, 15 and 20 meters, dipole for low bands, 160 meter vertical, 4 element 6 meter HB9CV, dipole and vertical for 40, 75 and 80 meters, a rotary dipole for 12, 17 and 30 meters. There will be no on-line logs. QSL via JA8UWT direct only. Donations are welcome.

The multi-national team of K6MYC, UT5UT, YU1AU, YT3W and YT1AD will begin their activity from Montenegro on September 17th as 401AO and 401M from the QTH of (ex?) YU6AO, Gojko. They will be on HF along with 2 and 6 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY, and EME until September 21st. The group plans to attend the World HST Championship Belgrade and will also be QRV from Serbia as YT5A.

ON7YK, Andre, is expected to begin activity today as C56YK from The Gambia. He'll be QRV on 6 through 80 meters on SSB through September 27th. QSL via ON7YK.

GM3YOR, Drew, plans some casual operations as SV5/GM3YOR from Sympy, Dodecanese (EU-001) September 15-30. He will have a TS-50 along with wire antennas and will be QRV in his spare time.

Scandinavian Activity Contest Flash By OH6RX, President of Contest Club Finland

Contest Club Finland and SRAL as arranging societies invite all Amateur Radio operators to participate the 49th Scandinavian Activity Contest 2007. Here are some captured sections from the official rules: <http://www.sk3bg.se/contest/sacnsc.htm>

Dates:

CW: September 15th, 12:00UTC to September 16th, 12:00UTC
SSB: September 22nd, 12:00UTC to September 23rd, 12:00UTC

Scandinavian stations are defined by prefixes as follows:

Svalbard and Bear I.	JW
Jan Mayen I.	JX
Norway	LA, LB, LG, LJ, LN
Finland	OF, OG, OH, OI
Aland I.	OF0, OG0, OH0
Market Reef	OJ0
Greenland	OX, XP
Faeroe Is.	OW, OY
Denmark	5P, 5Q, OU, OV, OZ
Sweden	7S, 8S, SA, SB, SC, SD, SE, SF, SH, SI, SJ, SK, SL, SM
Iceland	TF

Bands:

3.5, 7, 14, 21, 28 MHz bands may be used according to IARU HF Band Plans. Operating Frequency suggestions Low Band SSB: 7040-7090, 3600- 3650 and 3700-3790 kHz (avoid operating on 7090-7100 and 3790-3800 kHz). (NB: 3560-3600, 3650-3700, 14060-14125 and 14300-14350 kHz to be kept free from contest traffic).

Contest Exchange:

The contest exchange consists of RS(T) plus serial number starting with 001 (e.g. 59(9)001).

Scoring:

Two-way QSO with sent and received exchange counts for QSO-points. European stations credit their logs with one (1) point for every complete Scandinavian QSO on each band. Non-European stations credit their logs with one (1) point for every Scandinavian QSO on 14, 21 and 28 MHz and with three (3) points for complete QSO on 3.5 and 7 MHz bands.

Multipliers:

Worked call-number areas (0-9) in each Scandinavian country are valid as multiplier on each band. (e.g. SI3, SK3, SL3, SM3, 7S3 and 8S3 are all in ONE district and count one (1) multiplier on each band).

QSN

FP/W9ILY - ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON - John was on 7011 today between 0130 and 0300Z. QSL via W9ILY.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7C	14022	1545	EU-110	9A/OK1UXS	1828	2128
EU-001	SV5/IW1RLF	14200	1857	EU-136	9A/ON4LO/P	7054	1851
EU-016	9A4W	14255	2054	EU-144	IR8DX	7008	2254
EU-016	9A8GES	14257	1243	EU-170	9A4A	1842	2118
EU-024	TK/S59AA	10120	1831	EU-176	UT0VE/P	14252	1038
EU-026	JW/OZ3ACQ	14195	2027	NA-010	VE1/GM3VLB/M	14260	1925
EU-026	JW/OZ7FOC	14015	1714	NA-010	VE1CJB	14215	2155
EU-042	DH9YPA/P	14262	1350	NA-032	FP/K9MDO	14195	1756
EU-049	SV8/I3BQC	7060	0700	NA-047	VY0/KH0PR	14007	2040
EU-072	SV8/OK1MBZ	7008	0426	NA-147	J3/DL7VOG	10106	2338
EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10107	1858	OC-019	KH7Y	14250	0030

EU-088 OZ7YY/P 7009 0457

French ops F5AHO, F5PAC, F5JY and F6BFH plan to operate from EU-070, EU-095 and EU-058 between September 24 and 27.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will continue at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled. Today isolated unsettled periods are possible.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for September 12, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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6H1MW	XE1MW	AM7ABV	EC7ABV	IR8DX	IK8VRH
9A/ON4LO/P	ON7LO	A01FD	EA1FD	VE1/GM3VLB	GM3VLB
9H3AVS	PA7AVS	F/HB9ASZ/P	HB9ASZ	VY0/KH0PR	JJ8DEN
A61AS	YO3FRI	FP/W9ILY	W9ILY	YT60W	YU7BCD

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7U5CI (AF-104), YU6AO

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: MM0BSM, RX3BP, UA2FF, YV5NWG

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DX News

C91R will be on the air until August, 2008, on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10M, all modes, but concentrating on RTTY. On 20M he will have a dipole. He hopes to put up a Spiderbeam but doesn't think he has the parts he needs. QSL via CT1BXT. He will answer the cards when he returns home to Portugal. QSL direct or bureau, or e-QSL or LoTW. If direct, include an SAE and IRCs or two U.S. dollars.

JM1LJS, Hide, is now on Palau, operating a little bit as T80W. The dates for this stay, September 14-18. He plans to build an 80/75 and 40M rotary dipole for the IMPAC Palau Rental Shack. He goes back to Palau in October with more parts for it, when he expects to complete it. Hide expected to be on the air a little bit, 40-6M after local sunset. He says do not send e-mail QSL requests; he does not plan to respond to those this time.

JH1NBN/K3ZB, Yuki, will be in Nepal today, September 17th through the 21st. He will try to get a license and operate in his spare time, perhaps two hours or so after a meeting he has on September 20th.

GB75PW will be on 40M from the Practical Wireless offices in Broadstone, Dorset, U.K. from 1300-1600Z next Monday, the 24th, to mark the 75 years of Practical Wireless magazine. Antenna limitations will confine the operation to 40 meters. On October 5th GB75PW will again be on the air with, G3XFD, editor of PW, and G1TEX, the technical editor, the operators. That day they will be operating from the Ribble Railway Museum in Preston, operating all day, on 40 and 20. October 6th the callsign moves to the Rochdale QRP Convention, "the last one to be held at the church where Rev. George Dobbs, G3RJV, is the vicar. George retires next year and the event is moving to another venue." The church is St. Aidan's, in Sudden, Rochdale, Lancs.

New Zealand's East Coast Contesters Club will have a station on for the CQWW SSB October 27-28. The operators will be ZL2AL, ZL2ST, ZL2LF, ZL2CC, ZL2QM and ZL2FAR. Though we don't have what callsign they will use, QSL via ZL2AL direct or bureau.

VE1AST, Eric in Nova Scotia, says there have been excellent openings to the Far East on 17M around 12Z in the past few weeks. He says, as examples, both VR10XMT, Charlie, and VR2MY, Yul, have come through on SSB on the north polar path. Eric says, "I'm sure lots more is possible, but there are few calling or listening."

The Belgian Air Force Amateur Radio Association, BAFARA, will be on the air September 24-30 with the callsign ON47FOUGA, all bands and modes, to mark the last flight of the Fouga Magister and its 47 years in service. That flight is September 26th. There will be a special QSL card for this operation. QSL via

ON6KN direct or bureau. If direct, be sure to send an SAE with sufficient return postage.

Four operators plan to operate HK0/home call from San Andres Island, November 19-27. The ops are K3WT, N0STL, W0OR and N0AT. They will be in the CQWW CW November 24-25 signing 5J0A, multi-single. QSL 5J0A via W0JAR, the others to their individual home calls direct or via the W0 bureau.

W6APD, the Anaheim (California) Police ARC, will be on 21350, 18150, 14253 and 7250 SSB and 14071.5 PSK, signing the special callsign K6P, September 19-22 for "POW-MIA Remembrance Day." QSL via KM6HB.

ZF2DF will be in the CQWW RTTY contest September 29-30, and overall operating dates of September 24-October 1. Organizer W4JO says, "We are celebrating W4YCH, Don, making top of the Honor Roll this year. This will be a multi-two effort." The operators will be ZF2DF, W4YCH; ZF2BO, W6BO; ZF2JD, W6JND; ZF2LH, W6OMF; ZF2MH, K6SUE; ZF2JO, W4JO. Before the contest starts the operators will spend some time on 160- 6M, including some YL ops operating. QSL each of the calls to their home call.

EA8/DL3FCG will be on from the Canary Islands October 9-17. On this trip will be DL3FCG, DL8MG, DL5FEX, DL4ZF, DK1EG, DO6TPG, DL6FCB, DG6FDV and DL6FAE. They will be on HF and WARC, no 160M, CW, SSB and digital. QSL via DL3FCG at the bureau is the preferred route. They will also QSL everything via LoTW and eQSL.

Liechtenstein, HB0, is the destination for four operators for the CQWW RTTY September 29-30. HB0/DF4OR will be the callsign for ops DF4OR, DJ5BX, DL1FX and DL1ZBO. They'll be multi-single. QSL to DF4OR - or to any other home callsigns if the other ops put their own calls on the air portable HB0.

K60/CIA will mark the 60th anniversary of the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency. This one will operate on the CIA headquarters grounds with CIA employees who are licensed hams operating. It will be CW only, probably on 80, 40, 30, 20 and 17M.

GB5OSO is a special callsign starting October 4 for a month. It celebrates 50 years since the launch of the first orbiting satellite, Sputnik One, on October 4, 1957. They will operate on all the analog ham satellites that they can and will have a special QSL card.

Silent Key

S21AR, Abdule Rashid, passed away September 10. JA1UT says Abdule was influential in the resumption of amateur radio activity in Bangladesh, with S21U in 1990. JA1UT will continue to be QSL manager for S21AR indefinitely. Yoshi says he was a very good friend and colleague in Amateur Radio.

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON - NT5C reports 3B7C was booming in on 40 SSB longpath at 1240Z on 7052/7228.

EP3PK - IRAN - 14195 at 0625Z Saturday, 14220 from 0845-0930Z Friday. He was also on RTTY recently, 14081.5.

EX2M - KYRGYSTAN - George worked many West Coasters on 14185 from 0200-0300Z. N6PSE says it was a nice opening.

JT1DN - MONGOLIA - DIGITAL MODES - Nekhiit was on 14072.3

BPSK31 at 0840Z, and other frequencies between 14070 and 14082 between 0630-0930Z Friday and Saturday.

OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - 18075 in the 10Z hour yesterday, 18070 from 1020-1150Z on Saturday and again, same frequency, from 0630-0710Z Sunday.

OD5NF - LEBANON - RTTY, 14086 at 1630Z, 1730Z and 1800Z on Friday.

T80W - PALAU - 18135 from 1250-1400Z, listening five up. QSL via JM1LJS.

UN7QF - KAZAKHSTAN - worked many West Coasters on 14200 from 0200Z. Again, thanks to N6PSE for this report.

VP8CXV - FALKLAND ISLANDS - Chris was on 14183 from 1950-2040Z yesterday.

ZD7X - ST. HELENA - Tom is doing well from the island, 7080 up 3-6 from 1940-2000Z, 18143 from 1800-1845Z. QSL via W0MM.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7C	3795	2010	EU-099	GJ0KYZ/P	7059	0650
AF-022	ZD7X	18143	1840	EU-127	DF6QC	10108	0700
AS-013	8Q7GS	14260	1840	EU-130	IQ3AZ/P	7052	1355
AS-015	9M2TO	14221	1630	EU-165	IM0/IQ0QP	7090	1255
AS-155	BV9G	14005	1600	EU-179	UR5FCZ/P	14267	0950
EU-001	SV5/IW1RFL	14197	1750	NA-032	FP/K9MDO	3745	2240
EU-002	OH0X	14031	1015	OC-016	WH6QN	18145	1755
EU-026	JW/OZ7FOC	14020	1600	OC-073	JD1BMM	18106	0945
EU-032	F6BKP/P	7007	2055	OC-134	ZL4IR	7083	0635
EU-038	PA/DD0VD/P	7062	1100	OC-148	YC9MDX	21260	0920
EU-049	SV8/I3BQC	7050	1610	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	18135	1535
EU-052	SV8CS	10110	0600	SA-026	PP5KE	14260	2040
EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	10109	1600	SA-046	PY7MV	14072	1255

VK1ANU, Masanori, plans to be QRV from Kangaroo Island, OC-139, September 28-October 1. He will operate CW on 80, 40, 20, 17 and 15M. He will be equipped with 100 watts to wire antennas. QSL via JO2SLZ.

SM1TDE now lives on Phuket Island, AS-053, Thailand, and has the new callsign HS0ZHR. He plans to be in the Scandinavian Activity Contest on CW. QSL to his home call, preferably through the bureau. Mail sent to his home address in Sweden will be forwarded to Thailand by his father but it might take a while to get an answer via that route.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
17-Sep	30-Sep	3B7	3B7C (AF-015)	G3NUG	11-172	165 024
17-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
17-Sep	21-Sep	4O	4O1AO 4O1M		11-178	150
17-Sep	17-Sep	5H	5H3EYE	AC3A		11-168
17-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU		11-164
17-Sep	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
17-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)			11-164
17-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR		11-154
17-Sep	17-Sep	A3	A35EA	ZL1AMO		11-144
17-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178	124
17-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ		11-164
17-Sep	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
17-Sep	18-Sep	FP	FP/K9MDO (NA-032)	W9NJB		11-149
17-Sep	18-Sep	FP	FP/W9ILY (NA-032)	W9ILY		11-149
17-Sep	22-Sep	HA	HG5MISSION			11-154
17-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163	120
17-Sep	17-Sep	JW	JW/OZ7FOC (EU-026)	OZ7FOC		11-174
17-Sep	24-Sep	OH0	OJ0B	OH2BH		11-175
17-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL8AAV/p (EU-088)	DL8AAV		11-159
17-Sep	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
17-Sep	26-Sep	SV	by I3BQC (EU-049)			11-164
17-Sep	20-Sep	SV	SV8/OK1MBZ SV8/OK1MKI (EU-072)			11-134
17-Sep	30-Sep	SV	SV8/OX3XR (EU-049)			11-174
17-Sep	30-Sep	SV5	SV5/GM3YOR (EU-001)		11-178	065
17-Sep	17-Sep	SV5	SV5/IW1RLF (EU-001)	IW1RLF	11-174	164
17-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON4BB	ON4BB		11-174
17-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON5JE	ON5JE		11-174
17-Sep	25-Sep	SV9	SV9/G0SGB/p	G0SGB		11-152
17-Sep	28-Sep	TK	TK/DF6ZY (EU-014)	DF6ZY		11-174
17-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD		11-165
17-Sep	17-Sep	VE	VE1/GM3VLB (NA-010)	GM3VLB		11-174
17-Sep	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
17-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
17-Sep	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
17-Sep	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165	164 070

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Solar Activity will remain very low.

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The sunspot number for September 15, 2007 stayed at zero for at least the sixth day in a row.

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B7C	G3NUG	EG5FAB	EA5QB	R450KC	UA6EM
4L1QX	RW6HS	EH1VDJ	EA1BZ	RA9LI/MM	UA9LP
4O/SP6T	SP7DQR	HA50KNA	HA3KNA	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH
4O/YZ1EW	YT3W	HA8VV	DH8VV	SV8/OK1MKI	OK1MKI
5B/G3RWF	G3RWF	HC2AQ	EA5KB	T80W	JM1LJS
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HV0A	IK0FVC	T93M	DJ2MX
7Q7HB	G0IAS	IR4OS	IZ4HWA	T99D	DJ2MX
8Q7GS	IZ7ATN	J3/DL7VOG	DL7VOG	TI2/F6FQX	F6FQX
9H3YT	PA3GUU	K3B	WX3B	TI4CF	W3HNC
AM7ABV	EC7ABV	K60	KB9CR	TM1RWC	F6KMX
AO1OS	EA1OS	LX/ON6WR	ON6WR	TM2OOT	F5PTI
AO5OL	EA5OL	OD5/F5PTM	F5OGL	UE1SNA/3	RA1QQ
AO6AZ	EA6AZ	OD5NF	HB9CRV	UE6FFF/M	RK6FZ
AO7HMI	EA7HMI	OF3JF	OH3JF	UE6LGT	UA6LP
AT60MY	VU2NRO	OH0X	OH2TA	UN9M	DL8KAC
C56YK	ON7YK	OV3X	OZ8AE	VP8CXV	GMTQJ
C91R	CT1BXT	OZ/AI5P	AI5P	Z36A	DJ0LZ
CU6/CU3DJ	CU3DJ	R1AND	RU1ZC	ZD7X	W0MM
CX2AQ	EA5KB	R3K	RN3DK	ZG2FK	ZB2FK

The P29VCX and P29VLR expedition starts September 29th. Here is updated QSL info for their QSL manager in Sweden. SM6CVX says it costs 11 SEK for postage to all countries including Europe and Scandinavia. This is the equivalent of two U.S. dollars. He says, please send one IRC or two U.S. dollars for a direct QSL for either of these.

VE3QN, Bryan, says despite packet cluster spots saying ER4DX never QSLs, he did receive one. He send his card with an IRC to the ARM QSL Bureau, c/o Valery Metaxa, P.O. Box 2942, Chisinau, MD 2071 MOLDOVA. He says he thinks sending cash to Moldova is risky. Bryan says, "Even though it's described as a bureau, he will apparently return a self-addressed envelope if you include [an IRC]. This worked perfectly, whereas two previous mailings which included IRC and self-addressed envelope but sent directly to ER4DX using the address on QRZ.com went unanswered." To further add to the picture, Bryan says this was the return address on the card:

ARM
Valery Metaxa ER1DA
P.O. Box 3000
Chisinau MD-2071
Moldova, EU

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 3B8CF, 4U1ITU, 9N7JO, AH2L, BS7H, FO0CLA, FO5RH, FR5MV, HF0POL, HS72B, KL3R, KH6ZM, KH7Y, PJ2/G3TXF, SV9GPJ, VU7MY, VU7RG, XX9TTR, YO2RR and ZL1GO/8.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9Q1EK, C56T, HA5AGS, LA3MHA, OX/PA3EXX/P, SO6Y, SP2EWQ/2, UA2FF, UA6LV and XE2GG.

On The WWW

K4UEE says the Southeast DX Club, "As part of our thrust to bring both new and old Hfers into DXing we have a new tag line for our club. It is: SEDXC, Helping DXers for 50 years." Along with that is a new web site, <http://www.dxpros.com>. Bob says to take a look at the links page. Contact W4GKF, Chaz, at chaz@chazcone.com if you have a link that should be added.

The story of the recent YW5AS operation from Aves de Sotavento, SA- 051, with nice photos, can be found at
http://www.hfdx.com/Aves_Sotavento/sotavento_en1.html.

KY7M, Lee, notes that if you do not routinely delete "temporary internet files" on your computer you may see a cached version of your QSO data in the 3B7C log and not the most current update. He says, "The same holds true for the log page itself." So, you might want to check your computer and delete the temporary internet files so you are sure to get new info.

A lot search for OX/PA3EXX/P along with photos of this NA-243 island operation are now on the PA3EXX web site, <http://home.quicknet.nl/mw/prive/willemsen/>. Johan says the QSOs have been uploaded to LoTW and the QSLs have been printed and should arrive soon.

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DX News

"After ten months of staying at a small hotel, I finally found a house to stay", reports JM1CAX (ex JY9NX, 3DA0NX, 3DA5A, ZS6CAX), Koji Tahara, who is in Luanda, Angola. He's now QRV as D2NX after putting up a 17 meter dipole. Koji has a Cushcraft R7 and hopes to have it up soon so he can run his Icom PW1 amplifier. QSL via JH7FQK.

The planned OJ0B Market Reef DXpedition for this past weekend's Scandinavian Activity Contest got stuck due to bad weather. As of 0630Z today the team safely landed on the "Reef". There were two people visiting the lighthouse who were stuck there with no communication since September 14. The Aland Islands Sea Rescue Service tried to get them off Sunday but landing was impossible: http://www.lighthousesociety.fi/eng/market/market_diary/diary_140907/

The OJ0B's landing attempt was to be made Tuesday (today) early in the morning (0500Z) when the weather was expected to calm down for a day, yet leaving rough seas behind. You can follow the Market Reef weather station (22) for real-time weather reporting by an automated weather station on the reef: http://www.ilmatieteenlaitos.fi/saa/paikalli_4.html

If the wind at Station 22 (first column) is from direction "pohjoinen" (North) (third column) and exceeds 22.4 mph or 19.4 knots (fourth column) a landing attempt will not be considered. This will be their only announced real-time log. They plan to operate until September 24th.

JH1NBN, Yuki, is in Kathmandu, Nepal for an international business meeting. He received his 9N7BN license and will be QRV on 17 and 20 meters SSB on a limited time schedule in his spare time. Yuki tells us best times will be around local midnight (1830Z) today and Wednesday and early afternoon local September 20th and 21st.

W3UR stresses the need for everyone to submit your needed countries lists to N4AA, Carl, and The DX Magazine, because this is what DXpeditioners use to decide where to go. N4AA says, "As promised earlier, the 2007 Most Wanted Survey is now up and running on the web site http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2007.html. Just click on the 'Submit your list' line at the bottom of ht home page and answer a few simple questions so your response will be 'collected' properly. Check each block as necessary to indicate your needs on the various modes and click SUBMIT at the bottom." There is also a box at the bottom for comments and additions you would like to make, which Carl promises will be read.

Dates of the 60th anniversary of the Central Intelligence Agency K60 operation are not a secret as the 1x1 callsign database (www.ncvec.org) says the dates will be September 14th to September 29th.

New Zealand's East Coast Contesters Club will be QRV as ZM2M during the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. QSL via ZL2AL either direct or via the bureau.

Correction

The P29VCX and P29VLR expedition starts September (25th (not 29th)).

Silent Key

GW3CDP, W. Denzil Evans, Denny to his many friends, passed away on Saturday, September 15 2007 after a short illness. He was 81. During his lifetime he was most active in Amateur Radio DXing. Denny achieved #1 Honor Roll (Phone) and was close to completing the CW mode. He was a long time member of both the RSGB and the ARRL. Denny served in India and Burma in the British Royal Signals during WWII.

Condolences can be sent to Denny's widow Ann, at his address listed on QRZ.Com. RIP dear friend, you shall be missed but not forgotten.

Former ARI President I1BYH, Alessio Ortona, passed away yesterday, reports IZ8EDJ, Oreste, from the Strange Radio Team (www.strangeradioteam.com).

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON ISLAND - The Five Star DX Association team was reported Monday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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- 00 1822, 3502, 3795, 7002, 7052
 - 01 1822, 3502, 3795, 7002,
 - 02 3502, 3785, 7002, 14022, 14085, 18145
 - 03 7002, 14022, 14085
 - 04 14022
 - 06 14022, 14085, 18085, 18145, 21022, 21295, 24892, 28022
 - 07 14022, 14085, 18145, 21022, 21295, 24892, 28022
 - 08 14022, 18145, 21022, 21295, 28022
 - 09 14085, 18145, 21022, 21295, 28022
 - 10 14085, 18145, 21023, 21295, 24892, 28022, 28495
 - 11 14022, 14085, 18145, 21295
 - 12 14022, 14085, 18072, 18145, 21295
 - 13 3502, 3795, 7002, 14022, 18072
 - 14 1821, 3502, 7002, 14022, 18072
 - 15 1821, 3502, 7002, 10137, 14022, 14081
 - 16 3502, 7002, 10137, 14022, 14147
 - 17 1842, 14022, 18072
 - 18 1842, 3502, 3792, 7052, 10137, 14022, 18072
 - 19 3502, 7002, 10137, 14022, 14145, 18072,
 - 20 1822, 1842, 3502, 3795, 7002, 10137, 14022, 14145, 18072
 - 21 1822, 1842, 3502, 3795, 7002, 10137, 14022
 - 22 1822, 1842, 3502, 3795, 7002
 - 23 1821, 3502, 3795, 7002

40/YZ1EW - MONTENEGRO - RTTY ops were working this one on 10139 starting just before 0000Z today.

8Q7GS - MALDIVES - Simon likes 14260, 18160 and 21260. QSL via IZ7ATN.

C56YK - THE GAMBIA - Andre started up on 14227 around 1830Z.
 QSL via ON7YK.

D2NX - ANGOLA - 17 meter DXers reported Koji on 18071 between
 14 and 16Z. QSL via JH7FQK.

EP4MRG - IRAN - Mohamad was on 14164 just prior to 1600Z.

FP/W9ILY - ST. PIERRE - RTTY DXers from Japan found John on 14083
 at 2130Z. QSL via W9ILY.

HS0ZCW - THAILAND - Charles was working his US friends on
 14199/14205 just before 1300Z on Monday.

JD1BMM - MINAMI TORISHIMA - Masafumi has been reported on 3505
 the last two days between 0930 and 1200Z.

IOTA

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AF-015	3B7C	14022	1559	EU-091	IZ7CDE/P	14240	0807
AF-022	ZD7X	14180	1829	EU-144	IR8DX	14020	0539
AS-013	8Q7GS	14260	1642	NA-010	VE1/GM3VLB	14257	2015
EU-005	SV5/ON5JE	14258	0900	NA-010	VE1CJB	14260	2246
EU-013	GJ4CBQ	7057	2211	NA-032	FP/K9MDO	14194	1833
EU-047	DF3IS/P	3581	1736	NA-047	VY0/KH0PR	14087	2148
EU-072	SV8/OK1MBZ/P	3515	0240	OC-134	ZL4PW	10139	0540

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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18-Sep	24-Sep	3B7	3B7C (AF-015)	G3NUG	11-172	165 024
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18-Sep	21-Sep	4O	4O1AO 4O1M		11-178	150
18-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU		11-164
18-Sep	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
18-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)	ON4LO		11-164
18-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR		11-154
18-Sep	21-Sep	9N	by JH1NBN			11-179
18-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178	124
18-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ		11-164
18-Sep	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
18-Sep	18-Sep	FP	FP/K9MDO (NA-032)	W9NJB		11-149
18-Sep	18-Sep	FP	FP/W9ILY (NA-032)	W9ILY		11-149
18-Sep	22-Sep	HA	HG5MISSION			11-154
18-Sep	18-Sep	JD/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JA6GXX	11-163	120
18-Sep	24-Sep	OH0	OJ0B	OH2BH		11-175
18-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL8AAV/p (EU-088)	DL8AAV		11-159
18-Sep	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
18-Sep	26-Sep	SV	SV8/I3BQC (EU-049)			11-164

18-Sep 20-Sep SV	SV8/OK1MBZ (EU-072)	OK1MBZ	11-134
18-Sep 20-Sep SV	SV8/OK1MKI (EU-072)	OK1MKI	11-134
18-Sep 30-Sep SV	SV8/OX3XR (EU-049)		11-174
18-Sep 30-Sep SV5	SV5/GM3YOR (EU-001)		11-178 065
18-Sep 25-Sep SV5	SV5/ON4BB (EU-001)	ON4BB	11-174
18-Sep 25-Sep SV5	SV5/ON5JE (EU-001)	ON5JE	11-174
18-Sep 25-Sep SV9	SV9/G0SGB/p	G0SGB	11-152
18-Sep 18-Sep T8	T80W (OC-009)	JM1LJS	11-179
18-Sep 28-Sep TK	TK/DF6ZY (EU-014)	DF6ZY	11-174
18-Sep 30-Sep UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
18-Sep 15-Jan VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
18-Sep 17-Nov VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
18-Sep 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
18-Sep 24-Sep YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K5D	K2PF	D2NX	JH7FQK	SV8/OK1MBZ/OK1MBZ	
CO8LY	EA7ADH	IP1DCI	IK1QFM	ZW2IARU	PT2AA

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Z35M, Vladimir, has a new address:
Vladimir Kovaceski
Sava Kovacevic 47 G / 55
1000 Skopje
MACEDONIA

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7SP, 3XD2Z, 5B4AIF, BS7H, C98APE (AF-066), C98GLO (AF-072), CT1APE, CX2AM, DT8A, EE5E, FO5EM, FR/F6KDF/T, HP2/CX2AM (NA-170), LX1DA, NL7/NN7A, P3A, S9A, UP0F, V31JZ/p, VF0X, VO2ZT, XU7POS (AS-133), YO4FPF, YU0A, ZA1DX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5B4AIF, 9Q1EK, F5RRS, J5UTM, TJ3FR, V5/DJ4SO, VE9DX, VK9DNX

On The WWW

If you would like to view the 3B7C site in Google Earth you can!
N6HC, Arnie, did a survey of the antennas, noting their position on a GPS.
G4VXE, Tim, then turned that into an overlay for Google Earth.
If you would like to use the overlay, you will need Google Earth on your machine. Then, do Add/Network Layer and enter the URL
<http://longworthtim.googlepages.com/3b7c.kml>

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DX News

AA7JV, George, and HA7RY, Tomi, are ready to set sail for the Willis Islets on Friday September 21st. The two expect to arrive on the evening (local time) of Monday September 24th. Plans are to be QRV on all bands as VK9WWI. They will also be diving while there. George will be focusing on the low bands (80 and 160 meters), while Tomi will be active on the higher bands. Watch for them on 1825.5 on Topband.

IN3VZE, Ely, will once again be active "holiday style" from the south west shore of Lake Malawi as 7Q7CE from October 4th to 25th. Activity is expected on all bands. QSL via the bureau or direct to IN3VZE, Ely Camin, Corso 3 Novembre 136/2, 38100 Trento, ITALY.

OH1VR, Seppo, plans to operate as VP9I from Bermuda during the CQ WW CW DX Contest. He'll be in the single op low power 20 meter category.

W8HC, Hal, W8HC will be returning to the Holyland next month to participate in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest. K8OQL, Jerry will also be joining Hal. The two will be operating in the multi-single category from the IARC Club Station (4X4REM) in Reut, Israel. They will be using special call 4X0C. QSL via W8HC.

During the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest at the end of the month look for special call 4X2Z to be QRV from Mikve Israel Agricultural School club station. This will be a multi-single effort by 4X6UU and 4Z4TL. QSL via 4X6UU.

Also in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX event will be HR2/K2BB. Alex will be single op. QSL via his home call.

K1YJ, Jay Mills, who operated as HP3/K1YJ earlier this year, is moving to Panama and effective immediately all QSLs for HP3/K1YJ as well as Jay's anticipated future HP3 call sign will be handled by W4JS, Jack.

Look for G3VCQ, Colin, to be active from Malta as 9H3WC from September 22nd to October 3rd. Plans are to be QRV on CW and SSB.

Members of the Island Hunters Amateur Radio Club will activate K1AN/p from Pomham Rocks Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-643) and Sabin Point Lighthouse (ARLHS-715) in Rhode Island on October 6th, between 1500- 1900Z on 14040-14060 kHz, QRP and CW only. A full-colored QSL is available via W1AL.

DX Gathering

The next meeting of the Northern California DX Club (NCDXC) will be on Thursday September 20th at Holder's Country Inn, 998 South De Anza Blvd., San Jose, Ca. The feature presentation will be on the 2007 BS7H Scarborough Reef DXpedition by W6RGG, Bob Vallio. There will also be a raffle. Dinner starts at 6pm and the program starts at 7:30pm. See the club website at <http://www.ncdxc.org/> for more information.

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON ISLAND - W6 80 meter ops, even the ones running 100 watts, were working the guys at 1400Z. 30 meter DXers from the Pacific North West and California reported final success yesterday around 1400Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-015	3B7C	10104	1419	EU-029	OZ7AMA	7086	1939
AF-022	ZD7X	14196	1824	EU-031	IC8DAK	14258	1421
AS-024	J11ETU/JR6	7010	1337	EU-042	DF3ZE/P	10114	1945
AS-155	BV9G	14222	1200	EU-049	SV8/I3BQC	7073	0555
EU-001	SV5/ON4BB	10126	1841	EU-072	SV0JD/8	14262	1252
EU-001	SV5/ON5JE	14258	1558	EU-074	F/HB9ASZ/P	7007	2023
EU-014	TK/DL4FF	14029	1427	EU-125	OZ/DJ7SW/P	7020	0509
EU-015	SV9/DL6NDK	7017	1610	EU-146	PA5TT	14022	0811
EU-023	9H20	14240	1208	NA-010	VE1CJB	14210	1910
EU-023	9H3YM	14240	1711	NA-047	VY0/KH0PR	10107	2240
EU-029	OZ/DL1EBR	7051	0845				

K1VVSJ, Howie, will be active from his Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) location September 20th to 23rd.

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19-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR			11-154
19-Sep	21-Sep	9N	9N7BN		11-180		179
19-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178		124
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19-Sep 17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
19-Sep 29-Sep	W	K6O		11-180 179
19-Sep 22-Sep	W	K6P	KM6HB	11-179
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QSL Info

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3Z0MK	SP7QHR	A07AAW	EA7AAW	J28JA	F5JFU
401A	YU1AO	EO1100R	UR4RZU	OJ0B	OH2BH
9M6XRO	M5AAV	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	YB9AQH	YB9HOP
AO5FX	EA5FX	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		

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W4JS, Jack, recently received from the W4-Bureau about 100 QSLs for TC5K (January 2007) and TC5C (February 2007), however, he knows nothing about either of these stations. DO NOT QSL to W4JS for these stations.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7U5CI (AF-104), A25KDJ, BS7H, DA0HQ, FO5RH, FY/G3TXF, FO0CLA, JE1LFX, KL3R, LY2ZZ, TO5J, V44KJ, VP2EREM, XX9TTR, ZL1GO/8

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: C4MG (AS-120), HQ2R

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

On The WWW

Results of the 2007 Russian DX Contest have been posted at
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DX News

The two man VK9WWI mini-DXpedition to Willis expects to be QRV between September 24th and October 4th. They will have single station with two TX antennas. For the low bands an inverted L, with a 68 ft vertical section. For 80 meters the same vertical without the "horizontal" wire. For 40 meters and up a 40 foot vertical. They will have a small amplifier. A couple of flag RX antennas, thanks to W8UVZ, and RX amp, thanks to K9AY, will be put to use. The guys will also be taking enough wire and coax to try some beverages despite common wisdom which says that beverages don't work near salt water.

AA7JV, George, reports "At this point we do not know which island we will set up on". If at all possible they would like to be "on North Cay, but that may have some issues with access and lack of good protection for the boat". The much smaller Middle Cay is easier to make a landing. The meteorological station is located on South Cay (Willis Islet), and this would be the "fall back location". They will make the final decision of landing upon arrival. QSL via HA7RY either direct or via LOTW.

A German couple have announced plans to operate from St. Lucia, starting this weekend. DL7AFS, Babs, and her hubby DJ7ZG, Lot will be QRV as J6/DL7AFS from September 22nd until October 11th. The two will be joined by CW op DL2ZAE, Ju. They'll have three stations and will be active simultaneously on 10 through 160 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. Check out their home page at www.qsdl.net/dl7afs. QSL via DL7AFS either direct or via the bureau.

DL2AH, Ulli, who is about to operate from Niue Island (ZK2) and Chatham Island (ZL7), will be going to Pebble Island, Falkland Islands between February 26th and March 13th. He'll have an FT-897 and Windom antenna for 10 through 40 meters, mostly on SSB with some RTTY activity. Ulli will then be heading to Juan Fernandez (CE0Z) March 18 to April 7. QSL via DL2AH.

Don't forget to post your needed list to The DX Magazine's 2007 Most Wanted Survey at http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2007.html.

W5SJ, Bill, will be in Dominica January 22nd through the 31st primarily to join the fray in the CQ World Wide CW 160 Meter Contest. The rest of the time he will be on the low bands as well as 12, 17 and 30 meters, mostly CW. He hopes for J79SJ to be his callsign. QSLs go via W5FO.

There's been a change of operators at R1ANF, the Russian Bellingshausen station in the South Shetland Islands. Operator UA1PBA, Oleg, is now back in Russia and has been replaced by his friend UA3MKV (ex UA1PAI), Slava Savkin. Oleg left his FT-897 and amplifier for Slava to use.

F6FQX, Jean Pierre, is now QRV from Costa Rica as TI2/F6FQX. Activity will be on HF mainly on CW until October 3rd.

QSN

9N7BN - NEPAL - Yuki was holding on to 14195 yesterday starting just before 1200 until just after 1230Z. QSL via JH1NBN.

OJ0B - MARKET REEF - South West US ops found an opening to the Finns on 80 CW today around 0230Z. QSL via OH2BH.

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EU-009	MM3LQK	14260	1308	EU-165	IM0MBP	14083	1337
EU-023	9H3YM	7060	0624	NA-010	VE1CJB	14205	1932
EU-029	OZ/DL1EBR/P	14265	1352	NA-015	CO7PH	14260	1935
EU-042	DF3ZE/P	14009	1343	NA-027	VO1AA	18130	1717
EU-047	DF3IS/P	7068	0902	NA-047	VY0/KH0PR	14017	1821
EU-053	OJ0B	14032	1320	NA-107	VY0ICE/VE2	7017	0043
EU-088	OZ/DL1ANT/P	7023	1619	SA-026	PP5/DJ4CW	14025	2318

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol	No
20-Sep	24-Sep	3B7	3B7C (AF-015)	G3NUG	11-172	165	024
20-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN			11-152
20-Sep	21-Sep	4O	4O1A 4O1M	YU6AO	11-178		150
20-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU			11-164
20-Sep	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS			11-177
20-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)	ON4LO			11-164
20-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR			11-154
20-Sep	21-Sep	9N	9N7BN	JH1NBN	11-180		179
20-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178		124
20-Sep	22-Sep	F	F/HB9ASZ/P (EU-074)	HB9ASZ			11-164
20-Sep	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ			11-177
20-Sep	22-Sep	HA	HG5MISSION				11-154
20-Sep	23-Sep	I	IY1SP/IP1	I1SAF			11-164
20-Sep	24-Sep	OH0	OJ0B (EU-053)	OH2BH			11-175
20-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL8AAV/p (EU-088)	DL8AAV			11-159
20-Sep	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD			11-174
20-Sep	26-Sep	SV	SV8/I3BQC (EU-049)	I3BQC			11-164
20-Sep	20-Sep	SV	SV8/OK1MBZ (EU-072)	OK1MBZ			11-134
20-Sep	20-Sep	SV	SV8/OK1MKI (EU-072)	OK1MKI			11-134
20-Sep	30-Sep	SV	SV8/OX3XR (EU-049)	OX3XR			11-174
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20-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON4BB (EU-001)	ON4BB			11-174
20-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON5JE (EU-001)	ON5JE			11-174
20-Sep	25-Sep	SV9	SV9/G0SGB/p	G0SGB			11-152

20-Sep 28-Sep TK	TK/DF6ZY (EU-014)	DF6ZY	11-174
20-Sep 30-Sep UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD	11-165
20-Sep 15-Jan VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
20-Sep 17-Nov VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
20-Sep 23-Sep W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ	11-181
20-Sep 29-Sep W	K6O		11-180 179
20-Sep 22-Sep W	K6P	KM6HB	11-179
20-Sep 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
20-Sep 24-Sep YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165 164 070
20-Sep 30-Sep ZB	ZB2X	OH2KI	11-173

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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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9N7BN	JH1NBN	HF40PAZ	SP6DVP	R1AND	RU1ZC
A71EM	EA7FTR				

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NN7A, Art, reports that all direct QSLs received for the July 2007 NN7A/NL7 (NA-206) IOTA operation are in the mail as of September 14th. Additional cards will be answered as they arrive. NF7E/KL7 and KL1YY QSLs were in the mail as of September 17th. QSLs should be sent either direct or via the bureau to the operator's home call.

403A, Ranko, reports he has uploaded his QSOs to LOTW.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9N7JO, CT1BXT, F6DWQ/mm, FO5PS, KH7Y, N8S

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 403A, 5N3CPR, AN5EB, BS7H, F6IRF, HB9DSU, LA4WKA, LA6CF, OF6NIO, RZ3PS, ZL2IFB

On The WWW

N6RT, Doug, says "Due to the unfortunate health status of KH6FOO, Russ, the Tropo Ducting Report web page has moved to"
<http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/tropo.php>.

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DX News

All of the P29 (CT1AGF, Luis; G3KHZ, Derek; G4EDG, Steve; and SM6CVX, Hans) team members met yesterday morning in Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea. The team is now in Kokopo, New Britain. They met the skipper, Rod Pearce, of the Barbarian II on Thursday. Plans are to set sail for Nukumanu (OC-284) today around 0200Z. It will probably take about four days of sailing, depending on the weather. Once on Nukumanu they will be QRV on P29VCX on all bands. Watch their Web page at www.rep.pt/P29-PapuaNewGuinea/.

Grenada will have lots of activity from late October 24 to October 31. The contest station J3A (QSL via WA1S) will be active as a multi-multi entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest October 27 & 28. Team members will be WC4D, N7AZ, KI4QCS, K1EP, KA7KUZ, K0RH, W8CAA, WA8LOW, N0RB, W8KKF, W8GEX and AC8G. For outside the contest with the exception of W8GEX and AC8G, the team members have been assigned homecall/J3. W8GEX will be J3K and AC8G as J37K. Expect various other modes outside the contest and operations on 12, 17 and 30 meters as well as 60 and 6 meters. The team has arranged for antenna and power improvements especially on 80 and 160, previously weak links. QSL each to home call or as announced.

W4ZYT, Don will be in Southampton Parish, Bermuda from October 17-22. In conjunction with a medical meeting he plans to be active as VP9/W4ZYT on 15 through 40 meters, mostly CW.

During the XVI Assembly of IARU Region II held last week in Brasilia YV5AMH, Reinaldo Leandro, was elected as President and XE1KK, Ramon Santoyo, was elected as Secretary. Ramon will also be a member of the IARU World Administrative Council. Both AMH and KK are active DXers and Contesters and active in IOTA.

Looks like Luxembourg will be QRV during all three of the upcoming CQ World Wide Contests. The call will be LX7I. During the RTTY event DF8QB, DL1QW and LX2A will be doing a multi-two effort. For the phone contest LX2A will be single-op all-band. On CW it will be DL4SDW, DL8SCG and LX2A in the multi-single category.

3B7C September 20, 2007 by G3XTT, Don; G3BJ, Don and G3NUG, Neville (on behalf of the 3B7C team)

3B7C passed the 100,000 QSO mark earlier today. Our DXCC total is also at 187 - quite remarkable. We have been posting occasional updates on our web page, but felt this was a good moment for a more complete update. Our data link with the outside world is limited to a satellite uplink and the priority has been daily log uploads. We are very pleased with the feedback on our web page, especially the novel features on the log lookup and the band/mode listings.

The team is in good spirits and all equipment and antennas are working well. We are particularly pleased at the way we have been able to run two modes simultaneously on both 80 and 20 right from the start. In the last few days we have also added a limited capability to do this on 15 and 17 to make the most of limited band openings. The disappointment has been that band openings have been somewhat more limited than we had hoped and propagation on all bands varies substantially from day to day so we ask forbearance from the DX community - we try to hit all major band openings when conditions permit. Noise levels also vary substantially from day to day on the LF bands - yesterday was good and we were able to work a number of US stations on 160 SSB.

The good news is that we have some real successes, for example working the US West Coast on 160 at our sunset, and consistent West Coast openings both short- and long-path on 80 and 40. We started RTTY operations last weekend and currently have about 3.5k RTTY QSOs in the log, many stations telling us that 3B7 is new for them on that mode.

However, and with some reluctance, we have decided not to work PSK31 as we feel this will very much be a repeat of those stations we have already worked on RTTY (and bearing in mind that the RTTY DXCC does not differentiate between data modes), whereas there is still a huge demand on all the traditional modes. Indeed, this is perhaps the greatest surprise - that with so many QSOs made from 3B7 in recent weeks the pile-ups remain at a very high level when bands are open.

Our beacon has been running continuously on six meters, but we have no reports of reception apart from VQ9. Nonetheless we will keep trying as this will be a new one for the Deserving.

We will be very QRV over this coming weekend, trying to work round the SAC SSB contest where possible (e.g. by working RTTY and/or CW on those bands during the 24 hours of the contest). Station break-down will start on Monday 24th, though we will try to keep at least some stations QRV until shortly before our departure for Mauritius at first light on Wednesday 26th (i.e. around 0200 GMT). We have already been making efforts to work US General Class licences in their limited band segments and will, as promised, be looking for QRS CW stations during the last few days of activity.

Keep checking the website (3b7c.com) for the latest news, and expect more backgrounds, statistics, photos, etc, on our return to our various home countries.

Silent Key

VE3CDM, Tom Atkins, became a Silent Key on Tuesday September 18th. He was 81. Tom was a past Treasurer, Secretary, Vice President and President of the IARU Region II. He held those posts in succession between 1983 and 2001. Tom also "served on the IARU Administrative Council and as an IARU Expert Consultant", remembers K1ZZ, Dave Sumner. He also served as the last ARRL Canadian Division Director (1982_1988) and as the President of the Canadian Radio Relay League (CRRL).
<http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2007/09/20/101/?nc=1>

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON - Were on 7002 Thursday at 0340Z listening up 2-3 KHz. Arizona DXers, some running 100 watts, were working them on 80 CW, listening up about 7 KHz just before 1330Z. Washington State ops were working

them on 80 CW at 02Z and again after 14Z. QSL via G3NUG.

HA7RY/MM - MARITIME MOBILE - Tom was QRV yesterday on 40, 30 and 17 CW. He's on his way to Willis Island (VK9WWI).

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7C	14145	0337	EU-053	OJ0B	14203	1828
EU-004	EA6UN	10108	2242	EU-088	OZ/DL1ANT/P	7028	1727
EU-019	RA9LI/FJL	14260	1518	EU-175	CU6AY	7093	0707
EU-021	TF3IRA	14258	2209	NA-047	VY0ICE/VE2	10103	2230
EU-029	OZ/DL1EBR	7060	0459	SA-026	PP5/DJ4CW	14255	1803

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21-Sep	23-Sep	TF	TF/G4IRN	G4IRN		11-177
21-Sep	3-Oct	TI	TI2/F6FQX			11-182
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21-Sep	22-Sep		Clipperton DX Club 29th DX Convention			11-025	
22-Sep	3-Oct	9H	9H3WC			11-181	
22-Sep	23-Sep	G	GB2TX			11-174	
22-Sep	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS	DL7AFS		11-182	
22-Sep	23-Sep	OH0	OH0Z (EU-002)	W0MM		11-174	
22-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL3ARK (EU-172)			11-174	
22-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL4AMK (EU-172)			11-174	
22-Sep	29-Sep	W	N4R (NA-110)	K4KWK		11-157	
23-Sep	28-Sep	HR	HQ8S (NA-035)		11-174	168	164
23-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	KP2/AK2P			11-174	
23-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	NP2/K4FO			11-174	
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24-Sep	4-Oct	VK9W	VK9WWI	HA7RY	11-182	181	161
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24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2DF	W4YCH		11-179	
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JD	W6JND		11-179	
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JO	W4JO		11-179	
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9H3YT	PA3GUU	IU1ARI	IQ1IV	R41WP	RA3LBA
AM5KB	EA5KB	OF2IPA	OH4MDY	RA9LI/FJL	UA9LP

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3D2AG/FO5RK, Tony, says things are on track for the December-January Rotuma Island Dxpediton. He will use the callsign 3D2AG/p on the air. Depending on transportation, he hopes to be on the air from December 15 until January 20th. He will leave from Suva, Fiji on an inter-island shipping vessel for the 48-hour voyage. Rotuma is about 500 kilometers northwest of Suva. Tony's Icom IC-706MKII will have 100 watts. He will not have an amplifier. He will be using a 20-10M Spiderbeam 5-band donated by DF4SA, and an inverted-V for 80-30. He will be powered by a 120 amp/hour battery charged by three solar panels, supplemented by a generator if fuel and oil are available. He plans to be on 80-10M CW and SSB, plus 6M if there are openings. Look for him in the typical DXpediton frequency ranges plus or minus QRM, split if needed. Tony notes that he makes a point of listening for QRP signals. QSL direct only, with adequate return postage, one valid IRC or two U.S. dollars. He says the QRZ.com address is good, and asks that you please put your country and "airmail" label on the envelope. He prefers the self-adhesive types. He says the QSL cards will be nice, with color panoramic photos, printed by UX5UO. Tony will have online logs on his website after the operation. Email him at fo5rk@hotmail.com with inquiries and comments. He will not have email during the expedition itself.

Tony says that being single op he will not be on the air all the time, especially while relying on battery power. He will try to be on for the most QSOs in a wide area of coverage. To conserve power, he says, he will not be able to get on 160. And, the possibility of digital modes operation, PSK, MFSK and RTTY, will depend on the availability of power for his portable computer. When the bands are open he would like to limit QSOs to callsign and signal report exchanges, saving ragchewing for slower times. He asks that you listen carefully for split frequency and call area during pileups and try to be a little bit orderly. Here are propagation openings he expects from Rotuma, based on his past experience:

USA: 1800-2000 UTC 20m longpath;
2200-0200 UTC 15m - 10m shortpath
0400-0600 UTC 20m shortpath
0600-1400 UTC 30m / 40m / 80m

EUROPE: 0400-0700 UTC 20m longpath
0600-1200 UTC 40m / 30m
0800-1200 UTC 15m shortpath
1800-2000 UTC 20m shortpath

JA / ASIA 2100-0300 UTC 10m / 15m shortpath 0500-0800 UTC 20m shortpath 0800-1200 UTC 15m shortpath 0600-1400 UTC 40m / 80 m 0800-1200 UTC 6m (if TEP)

The International DX Association, INDEXA, has announced its new officers for 2007-2008. They are:

President, K4MQG, Gary Dixon

Vice President, K8YC, John Scott

Secretary-Treasurer, W4UNP, Bill Jennings

Directors: XE1CI, Nellie De Lazard; K4UEE, Bob Allphin; W4NL, Lynn Lamb; DJ9ZB, Franz Langner; N4AA, Carl Smith; and W9RG, Richard Grant.

For more information on INDEXA, go to <http://www.ikndexa.org/>.

The upcoming planned major operation to Niue, ZK2, has been postponed until further notice. VK4FW, Bill Horner, who was heading it up, is devoting his time to wife, who has become seriously ill. Our best wishes and prayers go out to Bill and his wife.

The 3B7C crew, now at over 100,000 QSOs, say they will concentrate on 80 and 40M until tomorrow at 0300Z "or until propagation folds, whichever is first."

NH0/N6SS, Preston, says hello from Saipan, where he is helping WH0V, Jun, install a transmitting antenna for 160M. They have a 35-foot- tall whip made of fiberglass tubing with number 10 wire inside. They plan to topload it with final tuning and matching at the base and hope to be operational in time for the ARRL 160M contest in December.

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Amateur Radio Newsline reports that YV5IAL will be active portable CE2 between October 15 and 21 from the Pacific coast. It will be a QRP operation, portable and "holiday style," on PSK31 on 14070.15, with some 40, 15 and 10M operation too. QSL via the bureau or direct to YV5IAL's home QTH.

J49XB, Crete, CQ Zone 20, will be in the CQWW RTTY contest once again, with DJ9XB, Uli, operating. He will be single band 15M. Before and after the contest he will try to be on 160M RTTY.

A35RK, Paul, says he doesn't have too much to report by way of "Pacific tidbits," but says KM9D and KF4TUG have arrived aboard their sailboat in the Solomon Islands, H44. Mike was QRV as H44MY/MM on Sunday at 04Z on 20 SSB. E51JD, Jim, has been having antenna problems, a broken rotator and his beam is stuck due north. Repair parts may arrive next month. P29GQ has been active on the ANZA Net at 0515Z on 14183. Also on that net have been 3D2ER, 3D2AA, 3D2MP and NH2MS. ZL1AMO is safely back home in Auckland, New Zealand. All of A35RK's new gear, his FT-450, SteppIR vertical, etc. has arrived by ship in Nuku'alofa. He will try to get down there this week, clear it all through customs, and get it on the inter-island ferry, hoping to have it ready to install and use by October fourth. He notes it has not been a very productive time on 6M lately but he has been listening for beacons using his FT-857 but hasn't heard anything so far.

Finally, Paul reports his QSL manager, W7TSQ, has received the KH8/KK6H QSL cards from the printer and is working on answering the requests. The KH8/KK6H log is already submitted to LoTW.

CT1END reports that the four-man team headed to Nukumanu, OC-284, Papua New Guinea were at 4 degrees 52.9 minutes south, 115 degrees 43.8 minutes east at 0615Z September 23. As of 0730Z today they were about 69 nautical miles from their destination. They should arrive on the island sometime early Tuesday GMT, where they will use the callsign P29VCX on all bands, some time around mid day (GMT) Tuesday.

Their web page is <http://www.rep.pt/P29-PapuaNewGuinea/>. The ops made a brief visit to Kilinalau, OC-256, yesterday to check out the facilities.

Updating our September 19th story, 7Q7CE, operator IN3VZE, Ely, plans to be active on RTTY as well as SSB on all bands. His station at the Club Makokola on the shore of Lake Malawi (www.club.mak) consists of an Icom 735 and Kenwood TS-50 to a 2-element quad at 25M above the ground and an inverted V for 40 and 80. The operation is scheduled for October 4-25. QSL via the bureau or direct to IN3VZE, Ely Camin, Corso 3 Novembre 136/2, 38100 Trento, ITALY.

French authorities have granted the landing permit for the TX5C Dxpeditio to Clipperton Atoll. This one is scheduled for early March, 2008.

KF0RQ/XU7ACQ, John Stransky, says his 11-year-old grandson, KD0BAN, is now active in Cambodia as XU7ADT. He will be just on 20M. John himself will be in Cambodia from November 18-December 22, with his XU7ACQ callsign. He plans to put up a Hex beam and be active on 20 and 17M. Look for him around 14245 from 14-17Z. He is trying to get Worked All States from Cambodia.

1A3A will be the first 1A3 callsign from SMOM for the CQWW SSB contest. Outside the CQWW the team will sign 1A4A. The hope to use the operation to raise funds for a school for young girls, as explained on <http://www.1a4a.org> as part of a plan to help South Sudan. Details on contributing are on www.mdxc.org/1a4a.

9A73AA will be on the air from October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008. Operator 9A2AA, Tom, says it marks the 50th anniversary of his continuous membership in the Croatian Amateur Radio Association. QSL via 9A2AA.

C50C will be a special callsign from C5 for the OM0C Contest Crew in the CQWW SSB. They will use the C52C callsign outside the contest, during this October 17-30 stay. QSL both via OM2FY direct or bureau. For more info, <http://www.om0c.com/gambia/index.html>.

TM0VDM will be a special callsign from France October 6-19 making the 100th anniversary of the birth of writer Maxence Van der Meersch, who lived from 1907-1951. QSL via F5KEB.

II8MM is an Italian special event station planned for November 7-12 for the third annual DX meeting of the Mediterraneo DX Club. QSL via IZ8EPY. <http://www.mdxc.org/meeting.asp>.

PJ7/DH1ND, PJ7/DG5XJ and PJ7/DJ5HD will be on from Sint Maarten, NA- 105, November 15-28. They will also operate as FS/home call from the French side of the island, St. Martin, during that same timeframe. Look for them on 160-10M CW, SSB and RTTY/PSK31. QSL to their home calls, direct or bureau.

VP2EDL and VP2EDM will probably be the Anguilla callsigns for DL5CW and DM5YL, Andy and Marina, November 8-26, including the CQWW CW contest. Andy plans to spend most of his time on CW and Marina will be on RTTY and PSK31, on HF. QSL to their home callsigns, direct or bureau.

Some new things are going on with ham stations in the Vatican. Special callsign HV50VR, VR for "Vatican Radio," has been authorized for IK0FVC, Francesco, the chief operator and QSL manager for HV0A and HV4NAC, to mark the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Vatican's Santa Maria di Galeria broadcasting center. Look for this special callsign starting September 27th, including in upcoming contests. QSL direct to IW0GPN. LoTW is also being looked into.

Secondly from the Vatican, Francesco has been given approval to set up a new station, HV6SP. QSL direct to IK0FVC for this one. Details will follow on particulars of this station.

DXCC turnaround times are now running at 12 weeks. Two examples, PA3FQA and DL4MCF submitted on June 24th at the Friedrichshafen convention and were just processed. Others from that date, such as G3KMA, DL7MAE, SM5CEU, are still in the queue.

QSN

FT5XM - PIRATE - No need to waste your time on this bogus one.

KH0/JR4GPA - MARIANA ISLANDS - Worked on 40M Saturday morning 45 minutes after sunrise on 7005 (at 12Z).

V8ASV & V8BDS -SULTANATE OF BRUNEI - West Coast operators enjoyed working these two Friday morning at 1430Z on 14212. N6PSE says it was a "very nice opening to Asia so early in the morning."

VK9WWI - WILLIS ISLAND - Was on 40 and 160M Sunday.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7C	18145	1600	EU-042	DF3ZE/P	18079	1530
AF-022	ZD7X	14170	1850	EU-095	F5PAC/P	18140	1340
AS-039	UA0ZAL	7005	1315	EU-114	MU0FAL	18081	1320
AS-059	UA0IDZ/P	14020	0000	EU-128	DL1FDH/P	14266	1255
EU-001	SV5/ON4BB	18080	1500	EU-131	IK4RUX/3	7062	1410
EU-003	CU2CR	14210	2300	EU-144	IR8DX	14027	1900
EU-021	TF/G3SXW	7003	1830	EU-146	PA1WLB/P	14254	1530
EU-023	9H3YM	14245	2320	EU-172	OZ/DL4AMK	7070	2000
EU-026	JW9DL	14261	1520	NA-047	VY0/KH0PR	14005	2135
EU-029	OZ/DL1EBR	14270	1430	NA-110	N4R	14266	2145
EU-032	F6BKP/P	18075	0955				

IQ1IM/p will be on Gallinara Island, EU-083, September 29-30. Operators HB9TQF, I1ASU, I2ROQ, IK0XFD, IK1AWV, IK8TLX, IW8DQY and IZ8FEN will operate SSB and CW, maybe some PSK31, on 80-10M. QSL via iz1jln. They are dedicating this operation to silent key I1BYH, Alessio Ortona.

IB0/IQ0VL, Ventotene Island, EU-045, is set for September 27-October 1, with operators IK0ADY, IK0JBF, IK0OXK, IK0UUM, IK0WHN and IZ0ENB. They will be on SSB, CW, PSK31 and FM, 40-10M, and VHF and UHF too. QSL via IK0WHN direct or IQ0VL bureau.

JH0IEW/6 will be on Daito Island, AS-047, September 28-October 9. He will actually be on two different ones in the same group, September 28- October 2 from Minami-Daito and October 2-9 from Kita-Daito. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

Ven Island, EU-137, is the destination for DL2VFR, Ric, and friends October 6-13. The operation starts up that Saturday with one antenna and possibly reduced power, but will be full power with all antennas the next day, the seventh. He says, "Our desired QTH is available from the seventh only." DL2RTK will be using the callsign SD7T instead of SE7TK as previously thought. Other calls are

SM7DAY/7, QSL via SM7DAY, SD7W, QSL via DL2SWW, and SD7V, QSL via DL2VFR, all via the bureau please. They plan to be on SSB and CW on the HF bands.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
24-Sep	24-Sep	3B7	3B7C (AF-015)	G3NUG	11-172	165 024
24-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L/PE1RMN	PE1RMN		11-152
24-Sep	24-Sep	5Z	5Z4/DL2MDU	DL2MDU		11-164
24-Sep	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
24-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)	ON4LO		11-164
24-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR		11-154
24-Sep	3-Oct	9H	9H3WC			11-181
24-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178	124
24-Sep	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
24-Sep	24-Sep	G	GB75PW			11-179
24-Sep	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154
24-Sep	28-Sep	HR	HQ8S (NA-035)		11-174	168 164
24-Sep	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS	DL7AFS		11-182
24-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	KP2/AK2P			11-174
24-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	NP2/K4FO			11-174
24-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	WP2/NP3D	W3HMK		11-174
24-Sep	24-Sep	OH0	OJ0B (EU-053)	OH2BH		11-175
24-Sep	30-Sep	ON	ON47FOUGA	ON6KN	11-179	174
24-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL3ARK (EU-172)			11-174
24-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL4AMK (EU-172)			11-174
24-Sep	29-Sep	OZ	OZ/DL8AAV/p (EU-088)	DL8AAV		11-159
24-Sep	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
24-Sep	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
24-Sep	26-Sep	SV	SV8/I3BQC (EU-049)	I3BQC		11-164
24-Sep	30-Sep	SV	SV8/OX3XR (EU-049)	OX3XR		11-174
24-Sep	30-Sep	SV5	SV5/GM3YOR (EU-001)		11-178	065
24-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON4BB (EU-001)	ON4BB		11-174
24-Sep	25-Sep	SV5	SV5/ON5JE (EU-001)	ON5JE		11-174
24-Sep	25-Sep	SV9	SV9/G0SGB/p	G0SGB		11-152
24-Sep	3-Oct	TI	TI2/F6FQX			11-182
24-Sep	28-Sep	TK	TK/DF6ZY (EU-014)	DF6ZY		11-174
24-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD		11-165
24-Sep	4-Oct	VK9W	VK9WWI	HA7RY	11-182	181 161
24-Sep	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
24-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
24-Sep	29-Sep	W	K6O		11-180	179
24-Sep	29-Sep	W	N4R (NA-110)	K4KWK		11-157
24-Sep	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
24-Sep	24-Sep	YB	YB9/PA0RRS (OC-022)	PA0RRS	11-165	164 070
24-Sep	26-Sep	YU	YT5A		11-178	150
24-Sep	30-Sep	ZB	ZB2X	OH2KI		11-173
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2BO	W6BO		11-179
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2DF	W4YCH		11-179
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JD	W6JND		11-179
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JO	W4JO		11-179
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2LH	W6OMF		11-179
24-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2MH	K6SUE		11-179

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled with possible active periods today due to a coronal hole high speed stream. Quiet to unsettled conditions prevail Tuesday and Wednesday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for September 22, 2007 continued at the zero level.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B7C	G3NUG	EM65MG	UR4MWA	LX/ON6WR	ON6WR
3Z0CW	SP1DPA	EO1100R	UR4RZU	LZ50DX	LZ1AF
3Z80KKK	SP9PZK	FT5XM	PIRATE	OD5PL	HB9CRV
5B8AD	W3HNC	HF50PLU	SP8PLU	OG0Z	W0MM
5X1AB	K6EID	IR4OS	IZ4HWA	OH0X	OH2TA
8S0C	SM0MPV	IU1ARI	IQ1IV	OJ0B	OH2BH
AM3MM	EA3MM	IY1SP/IP1	I1SAF	R1AND	RU1ZC
AO1ABT	EA1ABT	J6/DL7AFS	DL7AFS	RC150KTS	RU3SD
AO5FX	EA5FX	JW5X	LA5X	SG5X	SM5AQD
CO8ZZ	DK1WI	JW7XK	LA7XK	TF/G3SXW	G3SXW
DP0GVN	DL5EBE	JW9DL	LA9DL	TF/G4IRN	G4IRN
EA8/DH2MS	DH2MS	KH0/7N4JZK	7N4JZK	TM1RHC	F1BOW
EG5FAB	EA5QB	LX/DK9WE	DK9WE	UE3YGA/P	RV3YR
EI75IRTS	EI6HB	LX/DL6WT	DL6WT	VK9WWI	HA7RY

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, G4GIR/KH9, HH2FYD, K4I, OA4/N6XQ, PJ2/KA9FOX, R1FJM, R1FJT, SO6Y, SY8AN, V31M, V63M, VP8CQS, XE3RBA, XT2SE, XU7AYY, YJ0ONM, ZL4PW and ZP6CW.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4O3ZZ, 9A7A, R1ANF and T9/YZ7ED.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 6H1CT, 9A8A, 9Q1EK, BX5AA, CT1EEB, G4AMT, HB9TMW, IZ0GMS, KH7/N0RB, MM0BSM, SN2E, SO6Y, TF/G3SXW, UY5LQ and ZP6CW.

On The WWW

On-line logs and photos for the recent OX/PA3EXX/p Rathbone Island, NA-243 IOTA operation are now posted on
<http://home.quicknet.nl/mw/prive/willemsen/>.

OD5NJ, Gaby, had a good time on September 21st as the first station in the Middle East to go mobile on a Bike Shopper Honda using APRS as OD5NJ-10. He had

an Alinco DR-130 Tiny Track modem and a Garmin GPS, with the help of OD5RW and OD5NA. He has a web link about this operation: http://maps.aprsworld.net/map/track.phtml?call=OD5NJ-10&skipTable=0&skipBogusCheck=0&showRawPackets=0&start_year=2007&start_month=9&start_day=20&start_hour=17&start_minute=26&end_year=2008&end_month=1&end_day=1&end_hour=0&end_minute=0&end_now=1&date_search=1#sql

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DX News

We have new details of the upcoming October CQ WW SSB DX Contest 1A3A/1A4A operation from the Sovereign Military Order of Malta (SMOM). This will be "the first major HF contest activity from this wanted entity" says W9AEB, Tom Palmisano, who will be one of the international team members. Outside of the contest they will use the 1A4A callsign. Activity is expected on 2 through 160 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY. Plans are to have five or six stations, running 300 to 1000 watts, active simultaneously. They will be using IC781s exclusively. For antennas they will be using the following:

2 meters ---- 2x 13 element stacked yagis
6 meters ---- 5 element yagi
10 meters --- 4 element monoband yagi
12 meters --- rotatable dipole and a R7 vertical
15 meters --- 3 element monoband yagi
17 meters --- rotatable dipole and a R7 vertical 20 meters --- 3 element
monoband yagi 30 meters --- full size vertical 40 meters --- 2 element monoband
yagi 80 meters --- vertical 160 meters - dipole

The team is looking for financial support. Any grants should be made payable to: "Giorgio Minguzzi 1A4A/1A3A Operation" and can be mailed to W9AEB, Thomas Palmisano, 330 Lakeland Drive, Palos Park, IL 60464, USA. Questions can be sent to: IZ4AKS, Giorgio Minguzzi, at giorgio.minguzzi@iz4aks.net or to W9AEB, Tom Palmisano at W9AEB@arrl.net or to 708-448-7997 or 708-217-0578 (cell). The team has a Web page at <http://www.1a4a.org/dblog>/<http://www.1a4a.org/dblog/>.

World traveler UA4WHX, Vladimir Bykov, has mailed his paper work from his third DXpedition to the ARRL DXCC Desk, which took place between May 2005 and June 2007.

This includes: 3DA0VB, 4K0VB, 4L0B, 5H3VMB, 5R8VB, 5X1VB, 5Z4/UA4WHX, 7P8VB, 7Q7VB, 9J2VB, 9U0VB, 9X0VB, A25VB, C91VB, D20VB, D60VB, J20VB, OD5/UA4WHX, ST2VB, V51VV and Z2/UA4WHX. ARRL DXCC Manager NC1L, Bill Moore, says he has received the paper work, which is now being reviewed.

Correction

For INDEXA Web site URL is <http://www.indexa.org/>.

JW5NM, Mathias, says that as usual JW5E will be QRV for the CQWW SSB at the end of next month. Mathias also holds the callsign LA5NM (not LA7FD). In the operating event he plans to be multi-operator single transmitter, obviously with another operator or two helping out. LA7FD, Ragnar will be one of them.

QSN

3B7C - ST. BRANDON - The Five Star DX Association gang will be going QRT early today. QSL via G3NUG.

3D2WW - FIJI - Toshihiko started up on 7003 just before 1100Z yesterday. QSL via JA8UWT.

EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - RTTY ops were working Nodir on 14084 around 1230Z on Monday. QSL via K1BV.

HR2J - HONDURAS - Javier has been showing up on 60 meters the last two days. Yesterday after 0000Z and again just before 0000Z.

VK9WWI - WILLIS ISLAND - The guys were reported over the last 24 hours or so as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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01	14014
02	14014
03	14014
04	10104
05	10104
06	10104
07	10104
08	7004, 10104
09	3505, 7004
10	1822
11	1822
12	1822
13	1823, 7004
14	7004
15	7004, 10102
16	7004
17	1822, 7004
18	1822
19	1822, 7005
23	14007
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EU-070	F5AHO/P	14260	1237	OC-007	VK9WWI	14018	1422
EU-070	F6BFH/P	18074	1355				

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25-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	NP2/K4FO (NA-106)			11-174
25-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	WP2/NP3D (NA-106)	W3HNK		11-174
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QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B7C	G3NUG	7S100ALA	SK7CN	HB0/DL9RCF	DL9RCF
3D2WW	JA8UWT	9H3WC	G3VCQ	N4R	K4KWK
6Y1LZ	K1LZ	A41KJ	N5FTR	ZF2BO	W6BO

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For those who worked the April 2007 N8S DXpedition from Swains Island and have not received their QSL you probably should resubmit. YT1AD, Hrane, says 17,600 QSOs have been confirmed for all QSLs received as of September 10th.

All KH8/KK6H cards received to date are in the mail as September 24th, EXCEPT a couple that had no SASE, reports QSL manager W7TSQ. Those without postage will go in the next bureau shipment, some time next year.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, 4L1MA, 5Z4RT, 7Z1HL, BS7H, CS6V, CU2M, CU7/DL5AXX, FM5BH, HI0C, J3/DL5AXX, J48NAR, KP2A, OJ0VR, P3A, TE8IP, TK/F5TVG, VP2ETL, VP5DX, VP6DI, VQ9LA, XX9TWB, Z32LM (1998)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4W6EB, RA4LW, YB9/PA0RRS, YT2U

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DX News

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are now enroute to Tikopia Island (OC-178) in the Solomon Islands. Tikopia is part of the separate DXCC entity Temotu Province. Once there they will be QRV as H40MY. Their estimated time of arrival, length of stay and operating plans are unknown at this time.

"The Clipperton 2008 team received their Clipperton Landing Permit from the French Polynesia authorities last week", reports N7CQQ, John Kennon. The team is now in "Full Steam Ahead" mode and is excited about the trip. They thank team member F6BFH for all his hard work!
Keep an eye on the 2008 Clipperton Island DXpedition Web site at www.clipperton2008.org.

JA8BMK, Toshi-san, has arrived on Tarawa, West Kiribati and now QRV as T30XX. He tells JA8CDG, Ken, he will be there for about three weeks before heading over to Central Kiribati (T31). Toshi does have equipment for RTTY and PSK, most likely on 15, 17 and 20 meters. He will be QRV on 6 through 160 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via JA8UWT.

Low Band DXers will be happy to know the latest 45 day solar flux forecast predicts no day with a solar flux higher than 68! You can see the numbers at www.sec.noaa.gov/ftpdir/latest/45DF.txt. Surely we must be close to the bottom of Cycle 23.

OH2UA, Toni Linden, says he will "once again be at CU2A" in the Azores for the CQ World Wide SSB and CW DX Contests. He'll be in the single- op all-band high power category. QSL CU2A via OH2BH.

The P29VCX team made it to Nukumanu (OC-284), Papua New Guinea and now have one station with a linear up and running. Actually they are on the island of Amotu, which is the southern most islet of Nukumanu, home to nearly 1,000 Polynesians. The ops had long meeting with the island chief, which left insufficient time to set up the other three stations. Their ship, Barbarian II, is anchored in the lagoon. Plans are to have the other three stations set up and running today.

The team from The Netherlands heading to Liberia next month have received their callsign. They will be using the call 5L2MS (Mercy Ship). The team will include PA3A, PA3AN, PA8AD and PA3AWW. Plans are for activity on CW, SSB and now RTTY. Activity is expected between October 5th and 24th. Keep an eye on their Web site at www.liberia2007.com. They will have an on-line log search during the operation. QSL via PA3AWW.

Members of the Radio Club Venezolano (YV5AJ) announced activation from the Portuguesa state (Grid FJ59mp) of Venezuela as YW3AJ from October 11 to 14. Activity will be on 6 through 160 meters, plus VHF/UHF on all modes. They will have four stations QRV around the clock. This activity can be

credited towards the Diploma Estados Venezolanos (DEV), the Venezuelan States Award. For complete details check out www.radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm. QSL via YV5AJ either via the QRZ.COM address or via the bureau.

T77CD, John, will be active this weekend in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest. QSL direct only via IOMWI.

LU5FF, Javi, is now QRV as EA6/LU5FF from Can Picafort, Mallorca, Balearic Islands (EU-004) until November 16th. Activity will be on 10 through 30 meters on CW and SSB. This will also include the 12 and 17 meter bands.

RW4WM/VE3YDX, Dmitry, says he will be QRV as 3V8SS from Tunisia from October 2nd to 8th. He'll be mostly on CW about 20 KHz from the bottom of each band. Dmitry says he will put an emphasis on 12, 17 and 30 meters. Also he will be on RTTY. QSL this operation only via the Russian QSL bureau or direct to RW4WM.

GM6TVR/GM0FQV (ex 9G1BJ), John, is now in Bahrain and has been issued the call A92HB. He has an IC-706MKIIG and Cushcraft 2010 log periodic. John hopes to soon have a PO Box soon.

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest look for EY8MM, Nodir, to be operating single-op single band 160 meters. But first for the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest he will be single op single band on either 80 or 160 meters. Those who wish to work him before the contests can email him at nmt@at-communication.com. QSL via K1BV.

F8EFU, Philippe, is currently in Martinique (NA-107) and has been issued the call FM5LD. He's running 50 watts into a wire antenna and has been mostly QRV on 30 CW. QSL via his FM5LD address on QRZ.COM or the REF Callbook address.

Look for 4L4WW, Gia, to be QRV on 80 meters only during the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. QSL via EA6FTR.

This coming weekend the Texas QSO Party will take place and W5RQ/p, John, plans to be QRV from Loving County, Texas. "Loving, in far southwest Texas, is the least populated county in the US with less than 70 people (and, of course, no "resident" hams)", says John.

Watch for him mostly on 15, 20 and 40 CW and SSB. Outside the contest he will be primarily looking for DX stations. QSL via his Callbook address.

NP2B will be a multi-op effort in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest at the end of next month. Team members will be NP2B, W4OV, WD4R, W4DTA, K9VV and W4LIS.

Mongolian stations JT1BE, JT1DN, JT1CO, JT1BV, JT1F, as well as JT1KAA all plan to be QRV this weekend in the CQ WW RTTY DX Contest.

Irish QSO Party Set to Light Up the Bands

- Special QSO Party to mark 75th anniversary of Irish Amateur society
- Participating stations entered into a draw to win a trip to Ireland

The Irish national society, reminds all operators that its international contest, CQIR, takes place on the weekend of 29th/30th September from 1200 to 1200UTC.

More of a QSO Party than a contest, this is a unique event where everybody in the world can work everybody. CW and SSB are encouraged on 10m, 15m, 20m, 40m and 80m. A special event station, EI75IRTS, will be activated from Cork and Dublin.

Operators with Irish heritage have a special exchange to use, so make sure you check out the IRTS website, www.irts.ie, to find yours.

Every 75 QSOs you make will earn you an entry into a free draw to win a week long holiday for two people in Ireland, including flights from anywhere in the world.

So, whether you have Irish genes or not, join in the fun and help the IRTS celebrate its 75th anniversary. You never know, you might just win that trip to Ireland!

Full rules are on the web at www.irts.ie

QSN

VK9WWI - WILLIS ISLAND - Northern Europeans reported working this one on 3504.5 yesterday around 16Z, about an hour prior to sunset in SM land!

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-015	3B7C	7052	0306	EU-172	OZ/DL3ARK	14257	1312
AS-030	JE7IZM/JD1	21245	0852	EU-172	OZ/DL4AMK	14269	1706
AS-059	UA0IDZ/P	14019	0306	NA-016	ZF2BO	18145	2054
EU-004	EA6/LU5FF	14266	1627	NA-047	VY0/KH0PR	7005	1052
EU-023	9H20	7067	1938	NA-106	NP2/AK2P	7081	0228
EU-023	9H3WY	14220	2159	NA-108	J6/DL7AFS	14220	2355
EU-029	OZ/DL1EBR	14240	1626	NA-110	N4R	14286	2342
EU-029	OZ2PBS	14260	1512	OC-007	VK9WWI	3505	1656
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14257	1724	OC-022	YB9AQH	14020	1251
EU-088	OZ/DL8AAV	14263	1120	OC-284	P29VCX	14260	1106
EU-116	GD0SCA/M	14260	1846				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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26-Sep	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
26-Sep	28-Sep	9A	9A/ON4LO (EU-136)	ON4LO		11-164
26-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR		11-154
26-Sep	3-Oct	9H	9H3WC (EU-023)	G3VCQ		11-181
26-Sep	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF		11-115
26-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178	124
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The RAC reports VE7DK, Dennis Livesey, is retiring as the incoming QSL Manager for VE7 QSL Bureau. Dennis has been serving as the QSL Manager for the past 19 years. Effective September 24th VE7UQ, Ken Clarke, is the new manager and will take "a team approach to speed the flow of QSL cards". Plans are to set up a Web site for users to check for credits and cards waiting. The new VE7 QSL Bureau address is:

VE7-VA7 Incoming QSL Bureau

Ken Clarke VE7UQ

12441 - 58A Avenue, Surrey BC V3X 1X6, CANADA. You can contact Ken via phone at 604-596-8786 or via email to ve7uq@shaw.ca.

There has been some confusion of the proper address for JD1BMM.

SM6CNN, Andy, sent his QSL to the QRZ.COM address of JA6GXX and received a reply in less than two weeks. So that address does seem to work. The return envelope was marked with his JD1BMM address.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, 3D2ER, 4A3IH, C6AXD, EA6SX, EK3GM, FY1FL, HH2FYD, J79PAK, OH1VR/VP9, P33W, UN7JX, UN9PQ, VE1AWP/1 (NA-126)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: A6/OD5TX, T48K, VQ9JK, TF3AO, 4K5D, P33W, T6KBLRM, A62ER (Op.UY5ZZ), HQ9F, 7Z1UG, WP2Z, FR1AN, CS7T, MS0SCG/P, 3B9/G3TXF, MU0JZE, EN62EN, LA1IOTA, LX2007L/LX2007G

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: UT5JAJ, VO2ZT

On The WWW

K3PI, Bob, has put together a little number called "QRS". Check it out at <http://tinyurl.com/3czh66>.

W8HC, Hal Turley, just completed his 2nd installment of a write up on his trip to Ireland last month, which includes a mini-expedition to Rathlin Island in Northern Ireland off the coast of Ballycastle, County Antrim. Members of the Marconi Radio Group took him to East Lighthouse on Rathlin to recreate Marconi's wireless experiments for Lloyd's of London in 1898. You can read about it and see some photos at <http://www.w8hc.com/2007Ireland/Rathlin.htm>.

Correction

NI5DX (ex N5FTR), Buzz, is the QSL manager for A41KJ.

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N1UR, Ed Sawyer, is now in China (BY5). This Friday he will be heading to Bhutan via Hong Kong and Bangkok. Plans are to be QRV as A52UR around 1000Z on Saturday September 29th. QSL via K2RET.

PJ4/W9NJY, Andy, will be QRV from Bonaire from October 21 through November 1. He will be working mostly CW on 15 through 40 meters with some SSB and digital activity. QSL via WD9DZV.

During the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest T49C from Havana and T48K from Las Tunas, Cuba are expected to be QRV. Also participating will be CO2KK, Arnie.

Look for a multi-op effort from OF2AG in Finland this weekend in the CQ WW RTTY DX Contest. The team will include OH2GI, OH2LU, OH2MZB and OH6XY.

Sailing in the Pacific, KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are on their way to Tikopia, Temotu Province, where they will be QRV as H40MY. Earlier today (0345Z) Mike reported to A35RK, Paul, they have been "bucking an adverse current, with very light winds, and they have made only about 6nm progress towards Tikopia in the last 24 hours". They aren't having any problems on board their boat, just slow going. The couple still have about 100 nautical miles before arriving at this rare one. Their ETA is still not known at this time.

MM0NDX is planning to be QRV from East Malaysia as 9M6LSC from October 18th to 30th, including the CQ WW SSB. This is the Langkah Syabas Beach Resort Amateur Radio Club station. QSL this operation via JF1SQC.

DJ6QT, DL1YFF, DJ3NG and DJ8NK will be active from Madeira and will participate in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest this weekend as CT9L. QSL via DJ6QT.

US ops that have old International Reply Coupons (IRCs) that were issued in the US can redeem them, but it needs to be done quickly. IRCs issued prior to 2002 (the old small ones) can be redeemed for one penny less than the issue (stamped) price, but you must act by October 10th. IRCs with an expiration date of December 31, 2006 can also be redeemed for one penny less than the issue price and must be submitted to the post office by September 1, 2008. All non-US stamped IRCs issued prior to December 31, 2006 are non-redeemable. This information can be found in the US Postal Bulletin 22215, dated September 13, 2007, on pages 28 and 57.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) will be renaming the Space Environment Center (SEC) effective Monday, October 1, 2007. The new name will be the Space Weather Prediction Center (SWPC), which is one of nine centers under the National Centers for Environmental Prediction (NCEP) umbrella of NOAA's National Weather Service. The purpose of the change is to express its

"operational nature". The SWPC Web pages will have a new look however "there will be no changes to the file formats or content".

EA3GHZ, Juan, will be operating single band 20 meters during the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest with special call A03K. Special QSLs will be available via EA3GHZ.

The "Dutch Amateurs Going On Expedition" (DAGOE) ops heading for Liberia (5L2MS) next month have received their individual callsigns.

PA3A, Arie Kleingeld, EL2AK
PA8AD, Ad van Ginneken, EL2AG
PA3AN, Arie Noordzij, EL2AN
PA3AWW, Henk van Oosterhout, EL2AO

The group will be QRV from October 3rd to 24th. They expect to be active on 80 and 160 meters by October 7th at the latest. Activity is also expected on RTTY. They will have two complete stations. Their antenna setup will be as follows:

160m/80 meters: vertical (80 radials)
40 meters: vertical (30 radials)
12/17/30 meters: tri-band vertical
20/15/10 meters: 2 element tribander and a 3 element tribander

The 5L2MS team's Web site is www.liberia2007.com. QSL via PA3AWW.

W5BL, Doug, will be operating this weekend in the Texas QSO Party from the sparsely populated Red River County. DX stations should watch for him around 7028 on CW and 7228 SSB (listening down) between 0000 and 0200Z on September 30th. QSL via CBA.

HR2DMR, Dan, will be active this weekend in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest. He will be on 20 meters running low power. QSL via CBA.

AI5P, Rick, hopes to be QRV from Sweden as SI5P/0 this Friday and/or Saturday.

Correction

The QSL manager for EA6/LU5FF is EA7FTR not EA6FTR.

QSN

3V/UT6UA - TUNISIA - WFWL (Work it First Worry Later). Most likely this one will not count for DXCC. You are best off QSLing this one via the bureau.

9U0A - BURUNDI - No word yet on this group, who were supposed to begin activity yesterday.

D44AC - CAPE VERDE ISLANDS - U.S. West Coast ops found this semi-rare one on 3501 around 0530Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AF-086	D44AC	3583	2322	NA-106	KP2/NP3D	7040	2250
EU-004	AO6AEI	7083	1913	NA-106	NP2/AK2P	7089	0601
EU-042	DF3ZE/P	18074	1417	NA-108	J6/DL7AFS	14073	2213
EU-054	IF9JWA	14268	1621	NA-108	J69AN	3830	2259
EU-058	F5AHO/P	14266	0915	NA-110	N4R	10103	1346
EU-058	F5PAC/P	7076	0854	OC-007	VK9WWI	3505	1024
EU-072	SV8/DL5MCA	14255	0744	OC-017	T30XX	3503	1235
EU-172	OZ/DL4AMK	14270	1419	OC-284	P29VCX	14040	1259
NA-016	ZF2BO	14165	1342				

JN4MBO/4 will be active from Obi Island (AS-117) on September 27th.
 Watch for activity on the HF bands on SSB. QSL via JN4MBO.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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27-Sep	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR		11-154
27-Sep	3-Oct	9H	9H3WC (EU-023)	G3VCQ		11-181
27-Sep		9Q	9Q1EK	SM5DQC		11-170
27-Sep	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF		11-115
27-Sep	27-Sep	C5	C56YK	ON7YK	11-178	124
27-Sep	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)			11-186
27-Sep	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
27-Sep	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154
27-Sep	28-Sep	HR	HQ8S (NA-035)		11-174	168 164
27-Sep		HV	HV50VR	IW0GPN		11-184
27-Sep	1-Oct	I	IB0/IQ0VL (EU-045)	IK0WHN		11-184
27-Sep	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS (NA-108)	DL7AFS		11-182
27-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	KP2/NP3D (NA-106)	W3HNK		11-174
27-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	NP2/AK2P (NA-106)	AK2P		11-174
27-Sep	1-Oct	KP2	WP2/K4FO (NA-106)			11-174
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27-Sep	30-Sep	UA	RC150KTS	RU3SD		11-165
27-Sep	4-Oct	VK9W	VK9WWI (OC-007)	HA7RY	11-182	181 161
27-Sep	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
27-Sep	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
27-Sep	29-Sep	W	K6O	KB9CR	11-180	179
27-Sep	29-Sep	W	N4R (NA-110)	K4KWK		11-157
27-Sep	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173

27-Sep	30-Sep	ZB	ZB2X		OH2KI	11-173
27-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2BO (NA-016)		W6BO	11-179
27-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2DF (NA-016)		W4YCH	11-179
27-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JD (NA-016)		W6JND	11-179
27-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JO (NA-016)		W4JO	11-179
27-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2LH (NA-016)		W6OMF	11-179
27-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2MH (NA-016)		K6SUE	11-179

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QSL Info

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3Z0MK	SP7QHR	HB0/PE8E	PE8E	OR1Z	ON6IX
4K9W	DL6KVA	HR2/LU1DY	LU1DY	P29VCX	SM6CVX
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HV50VR	IW0GPN	R100IF	RW4HB
7X0RY	OK1DYW	J49XB	DJ9XB	SI5P	AI5P
9H3YT	PA0GUU	KL7OU	NI5DX	SU8BHI	HA3JB
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	LZ170VL	LZ1KZA	T30XX	JA8UWT
DR80AMA	DK3DM	N4R	K4KWK	TU5JD	IK2IQD
FO5RU	F5CQ	ON47FOUGA	ON6KN	VY0ICE/VE2	VE2TKH
HB0/DJ9ZB	DJ9ZB				

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N7WO, Jake, received a QSL from 7Q7BP, Joe Poole. The hand written return address was as follows: PO Box 216, Nkhotakota, MALAWI, AFRICA

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7X4AN, HP2/CX2AM (NA-170)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: VO2ZT

Are you new to PSK or interested in learning more about this digital mode? K7AGE, Randy, has put together an "Introduction to PSK" on YouTube at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jQpBGh9RMEQ>.

F6AJA, Jean-Michel Duthilleul, has posted some photos of this past weekend's Clipperton DX Convention at <http://lesnouvellesdx.free.fr/photos/photo.php?page=cdxc2007>.

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DX News

Early today HA0DU, Steve, spoke on 20 meters SSB with HA7RY, Tom, one of the two ops at VK9WWI at Willis Island. Steve gives us some details of the operation. "They have almost 6,000 Q's so far. They will be on 80 CW mostly tonight, then 160 CW tomorrow night. They think they will run out of fuel by next Tuesday - then they will shut down from the island and move to the boat. Then they will operate as AA7JV/MM and HA7RY/MM, but their main activity will be diving. Tom says they hear very well on the low bands, but there seems to be a lot of stations who call them blindly without copying them. He asks everybody to call only if they can copy VK9WWI well enough to make a QSO, otherwise they are wasting precious expedition time. At high tide the bottoms of their antennas are in salt water, that is why they have such a decent signal on all bands. They have a minor problem with the TX delay of the amplifier, so the first dits and dots are often cut from the calls (like OA1XXX instead of JA1XXX or A1XXX instead of K1XXX) but if the rest of the call is OK, don't worry about it".

In yesterday's issue we did a story on the redemption of old IRCs. The US Postal Bulletin 22215, dated September 13, 2007, on pages 28 and 57, can be found at <http://www.usps.com/cpim/ftp/bulletin/2007/pb22215.pdf>.

Several sources are now reporting the HQ8R operation from Swan Island (NA-035), Honduras has been postponed.

W5KDJ, Wayne Rogers, is heading back to Africa and has new dates for his trip to Mozambique. He'll be QRV from November 15th to 28th as C91KDJ and will be mostly on CW and possibly RTTY. During the CQ WW CW DX Test he plans to be active. He'll be operating from a location (KG64ik) about 50 km north of Maputo. A 72 foot high vertical will be used for 80 and 160, along with a 4 square on 40 meters, 30 meter dipole, two and three element yagis at 60 feet for 10 through 20 meters. Check out Wayne's Web page at www.tdxs.net/c91kdj.html. QSL via W5KDJ.

Starting September 30th look for JI1JKW, Hiro, to be QRV from Raiatea (OC-067), French Polynesia as FO/JI1JKW. He'll be active on 6 through 40 meters on CW and SSB until October 4th. QSL via JI1JKW either direct or via the bureau.

Multiple reports indicate that DXCC accreditation for YA/LY1Y is missing at ARRL HQ.

WP2/K4FO, Palmer, will most likely be QRV as a single-op 20 meter entry in the CQ World Wide RTTY DX Contest this weekend. KP2/NP3D, Andrei, will be single-op and single band 40. Palmer is posting the on goings of activity from St. Croix at <http://k4fo.com>.

In celebration of the 80th anniversary of the Associazione Radioamatori Italiani look for special call IU1ARI to be QRV by members of the ARI Ivrea until the end of October. QSL via IQ1IV either direct or via the bureau.

Look for YU5F to be QRV this weekend in the CQ WW RTTY Test from Serbia. The mult-single op effort will be put on by YT2T, YT2B, YU2A, YU8NU and YT1BX.

SV0XAN/5, Ermanno, will be QRV from Lipsi, Agathonisi and Arkoi Islands, Dodecanese (EU-001) from October 2nd to 20th. QSL via IK2WZD.

The four man team (3C7Y) heading to Bioko Island (AF-010), Equatorial Guinea early next month now has a Web page at <http://personal.telefonica.terra.es/web/ea5yn/3c7y.htm>. Plans are to have three complete stations. The team includes EA5YN, Vicente; EA5BRE, Luis; EA5BYP, Elmo; and KH7Y, Fred. Look for activity on 6 through 160 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY from October 5th to 14th. The pilot for this DXpedition will be OD5NJ, Gaby, who can be reached via email to od5nj@hotmail.com or od5nj@inco.com.lb. QSL via EA5BYP, Elmo Bernabe Coll, P.O. Box 3097, 03080 Alicante, SPAIN.

Silent Key

UA4DF, Vladimir Alexandrovich, became a Silent Key.

QSN

D44AC - CAPE VERDE ISLANDS - Started up on 21024 around 1545Z and was there until just after 1630Z. QSL via CBA.

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EU-042	DF3ZE/P	7008	1746	NA-106	KP2/NP3D	7041	0043
EU-045	IB0/IQ0VL	14245	1306	NA-106	NP2/AK2P	7078	0459
EU-052	J48AL	7018	1754	NA-108	J6/DL7AFS	14070	1801
EU-127	DF6QC	3518	0341	NA-110	N4R	14260	1940
EU-136	9A/OK2UQ	14018	1243	OC-021	YB0AZ	14195	1507
EU-172	OZ/DL4AMK	7071	1417	OC-088	V8BDS	14225	1535
EU-175	CU6AY	14089	2134	OC-284	P29VCX	10104	1318

German ops DK2CRN, Chris, and DL1ECG, George plan to operate from several Australia islands between October 9th to 27th as VK2AMB and VK2ALU. They'll be operating "holiday style" from Fraser Island (OC-142), Heron Island (OC-142), Hamilton Island (OC-160) and Dunk Island (OC-171) from October 16th to 26th. Each of the islands is located in VK4 land. QSL VK2AMB via DK2CRN and VK2ALU via DL1ECG.

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28-Sep	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF		11-115
28-Sep	2-Oct	A5	A52UR	K2RET	11-187	166
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28-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2LH (NA-016)	W6OMF		11-179
28-Sep	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2MH (NA-016)	K6SUE		11-179
28-Sep	29-Sep		South East DX and Contesting Organization			11-150
29-Sep	30-Sep	4K	4K8F	4K8F		11-135
29-Sep	30-Sep	4L	4L4WW	EA7FTR		11-186
29-Sep	30-Sep	4O	4O3A			7-175
29-Sep	30-Sep	4X	4X2Z	4X6UU		11-181
29-Sep	30-Sep	CT3	CT9L	DJ6QT		11-187
29-Sep	30-Sep	D4	D4C			11-174
29-Sep	30-Sep	EA8	AO8X	EA8AUW		11-171
29-Sep	30-Sep	EI	CQIR - Ireland Calling			10-031
29-Sep	30-Sep	HB0	HB0/DF4OR	DF4OR		11-179
29-Sep	30-Sep	HI	HI3T	ON4IQ		11-154
29-Sep	30-Sep	HR	HR2/K2BB	K2BB		11-181
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29-Sep	30-Sep	JT	JT1CO		11-186
29-Sep	30-Sep	JT	JT1DN		11-186
29-Sep	30-Sep	JT	JT1F		11-186
29-Sep	30-Sep	JT	JT1KAA		11-186
29-Sep	30-Sep	KP2	KP2/AH8DX	AH8DX	11-159
29-Sep	30-Sep	LX	LX7I		11-183
29-Sep	30-Sep	OH	OF2AG		11-187
29-Sep	30-Sep	OH0	OH0Z (EU-002)	W0MM	11-135
29-Sep	30-Sep	SV9	J49XB		11-184
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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, 4N6FZ, ER1DA, G4GIR/KH9, LZ1ND, OX2A, P41USA, TI2KI, V73Y, VP2MRM, XU7TZG, ZD8RH/p

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: FP/W9ILY, KP2/NP3D

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DXers aiming for the WAJA Award, working all 47 JA prefectures, can use these two maps:

http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-2_Awards/waja_map.pdf

<http://www4.plala.or.jp/nomrax/JA/pref.htm>

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DX News

Yesterday was the last day of operation for P29VCX from Nukumanu Island (OC-284), Papua New Guinea. They planned to close down at 0600 (local) Monday morning. But they're not done. Next they head to Takuu (OC-283), where they will operate as P29NI. Sailing time is estimated at 24 hours. They have made about 11,000 QSOs from Nukumanu. They say, "Everyone is in good shape and we are looking forward to good conditions on OC-283."

5,300 QSOs were in the 9U0A (Burundi) log after the first 36 hours. They say, "The pileups are huge." The ops report strong QRN on 80 making it difficult to even hear Europe and, "QRN was much worse on 160." And, DF3CB reports that an amplifier was lost to power line voltage that was too high. The operation started on 80M with 439 QSOs there, despite the noise problem.

T6EE will be on 14210 or thereabouts SSB from October 18 until November 12 from Kabul, Afghanistan. This is KE6GFF's third DXpedition to Kabul. He first obtained the T6EE callsign in October, 2004, and he has been returning to Afghanistan at intervals, but always timed to coincide with the CQWW contest. He is equipped with an FT-897, LDG AT897, homebrew wire dipole, and this time a GPS clock to make sure the times are correct, and a Nagra Ares MII recorder to confirm callsigns afterwards. He will also be trying to get some Afghans on the air for the first time ever.

K9GY, Eric, says he is headed to El Salvador to operate as YS/K9GY November 22-25. His QTH will be at 3,000 feet ASL with a clear view to the north and northeast, the U.S. and Europe. A volcano is on the west side blocking the takeoff to the Pacific. Eric will be running 100 watts from an FT-857D and dipoles for 80, 40, 20, and will use an antenna tuner to get some signal out from those antennas on 15 and 10. He will be single operator all band low power in the CQWW CW. He's not sure he'll be able to get on 160M. Before and after the contest he may get on 6M if there is interest and propagation. If so, he'll be using his 40M dipole. QSL via K9GY with SASE or SAE and IRC.

The OH0Z group, Aland Islands, will have three single band entries on the air for the CQWW CW November 24-25. OH0M will be manned by OH1JT on 160, OH0Z will have OH5DX at the key on 15M, and OG0Z will be OH1RX on 10M. QSL OH0M via OH1MM, OG0Z and OH0Z via W0MM.

DXers report a carrier on 3504 during North American morning DX openings. K9CT, Craig, reports it seems to be from the southwest of his QTH in Illinois. Some are speculating it's some sort of beacon. DX stations should be aware that North America, at least the eastern half, cannot hear them when they are using 3504. Some other frequency would be preferable.

T88RY will be the callsign for I2DMI, Frank, December 26-January 1, on Palau. He will be on all the HF bands, but RTTY only. Frank says, "Please do not ask me to try different modes." Frank calls his trip a "DX holiday." He will only be on where there's good propagation - that is bands when they are really open - but look for him on 3582, 7037, 14082, 21082, 28082, 10139, 18102, 24922 and 50602, split up two, or 2-10, depending on the size of the pileup. On-line log, thanks to N6RT, will be on <http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?t88ry>. Frank says he will confirm via LoTW and e-QSL the second week of January, via bureau to everyone in March, and direct if requested. Mail to I2DMI, P.O. Box 55-22063, CANTU', Italy. Include an SAE and \$2 for return postage. Direct answers should go out starting the second week of February, after the cards are printed.

KL2A, Jon, will operate from Kuwait in the CQWW CW at the end of November using the callsign 9K2HN. He will be operating from the 9K2HN (operator Hamad) station. Jon will be single operator all band. QSL direct or via the bureau to 9K2HN.

The new "Coconut Wireless Contest Club," CWCC, will put AH6XX on the air for the CQWW SSB and CW in October and November. Operators will be K1ER, K2WR, AH7C, JA1BK (KH6BK) on phone, and AH7C and JA1BK on CW.

The results of the GMDX Most Wanted Survey are in. This survey of 104 DXers in the United Kingdom gives a good idea of the most needed countries there. Number one is P5, North Korea. Number two, KP1, Navassa Island. Number three, Yemen, 7O. KP5, Desecheo Island and 3Y/B, Bouvet are numbers four and five. FR/G, Glorioso Island, is number six and Kermadec Island, ZL8, is number seven. JD/M, Minami Torishima; ZS8, Prince Edward and Marion, and C2, Nauru, round out the top 10 most needed.

Silent Key

N5PC, Bob See, became a silent key on Wednesday. N5OK, Coy Day, says Bob was "an old time DXer and good CW man," who in recent years hadn't been too active in the KCARC club due to health problems, but at one time was very active and "elmered" young DXers, including KD5FX, Dave, 30 years ago. CW was Bob's favorite mode. Dave says Bob had 333/338 DXCC. He still needed one or two of the recent additions to the DXCC list. Bob learned Morse Code before World War II and was a Navy radioman during the war, using CW exclusively. Dave remembers Bob telling stories about his Navy days in the Pacific. He claimed that with all the radiomen in an underground bunker, copying Morse on typewriters, the room was so noisy that after a few weeks even the crickets chirped in Morse Code.

QSN

5R8RJ - MADAGASCAR - Strong in the U.S. on 14191.7, QRV up six from 1530-1630Z, very few North Americans calling, he mostly worked Europe. QSL via DJ7RJ.

9U0A - BURUNDI - 7010 at 00Z with another station on 10103 at the same time. QSL via DL7DF.

A52UR - BHUTAN - 10102 at 02Z, 3503 at 1720Z, 7005 at 1650Z. 10102 at 1330Z Saturday and 10105 at 1540Z. 14007 at 1230Z. Operator N1UR. QSL via K2RET.

EL2DT - LIBERIA - Dickson was on 14140 from 1200-1325Z Saturday. QSL via WA4TII.

OA4/N6XQ - PERU - Jack was on 160 meters yesterday around 1030Z. QSL via N6XQ

OD5NF - LEBANNON - On RTTY Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, roaming around between 14080-14132. In the 10-19Z range and occasionally at 08 or 09Z. QSL via HB9CRV.

TJ3SL - CAMEROON - Lionel was on 14200 at 0830Z working Europe - and longpath Japan. North Americans found him on 18122 last week at 14-16Z. QSL via F5PSA.

VK9WWI - WILLIS ISLAND - Western Europe and Scandinavia had a short opening and found this semi-rare one on topband, 1822.5, around 1630Z Saturday. A few stations in Scandinavia worked him. QSL via HA7RY.

ZK2AH - NIUE ISLAND - 14185 from 0700-0850Z. QSL via DL2AH

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/DL6FAW	18150	0955	EU-125	OZ/DL1RTW	7010	2050
AF-013	5R8FU	21023	0910	EU-172	OZ/DJ5NN	1825	2000
AF-057	5R8DJ	14009	1745	EU-175	CU6AY	14070	1100
AS-018	UA0FO	7090	0840	OC-007	VK9WWI	10102	2145
AS-047	JH0IEW/6	18147	0455	OC-022	YB9AQH	14020	1300
EU-003	CU1CB	14175	1835	OC-040	ZK2AH	14190	0630
EU-034	ES0NW	10107	1110	OC-139	VK1ANU/5	10107	1500
EU-042	DF3ZE/P	7010	1745	OC-143	YB4IR	14087	1500
EU-045	IB0/IQ0VL	14250	1315	OC-148	YC9MDX	21260	0850
EU-052	J48AL	10105	1640	OC-248	P29VCX	14042	0935
EU-083	IQ1IM/P	7080	1030				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
1-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
1-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
1-Oct	14-Oct	8P	8P6DR (NA-021)	G3RWL	11-169	152 148
1-Oct	12-Oct	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD		11-159 091
1-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XR	DK6XR		11-176
1-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XT	DK8XT		11-176
1-Oct	1-Oct	9H	9H20 (EU-023)	PB9ZR		11-154
1-Oct	3-Oct	9H	9H3WC (EU-023)	G3VCQ		11-181
1-Oct	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF		11-115
1-Oct	2-Oct	A5	A52UR	K2RET	11-187	166
1-Oct	6-Oct	BY	BY1TT/4 (AS-146)	BY1TT		11-174
1-Oct	6-Oct	BY	BY1TX/4 (AS-146)	EA7FTR		11-174
1-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	EA7FTR		11-186
1-Oct	4-Oct	FO	FO/JI1JKW (OC-067)	JI1JKW		11-188

1-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ	11-177
1-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV	11-154
1-Oct	1-Oct	I	IB0/IQ0VL (EU-045)	IK0WHN	11-184
1-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV	11-188
1-Oct	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS (NA-108)	DL7AFS	11-182
1-Oct	2-Oct	JA	JH0IEW/6 (AS-047)	JH0IEW	11-184
1-Oct	7-Oct	JW	JW/OZ1HPS	OZ1HPS	11-164
1-Oct	7-Oct	JW	JW8DW	LA8DW	11-164
1-Oct	1-Oct	KP2	KP2/NP3D (NA-106)	W3HNK	11-174
1-Oct	1-Oct	KP2	NP2/AK2P (NA-106)	AK2P	11-174
1-Oct	1-Oct	KP2	WP2/K4FO (NA-106)		11-174
1-Oct	1-Oct	P2	P29VCX (OC-284)	SM6CVX	11-186 184 183
1-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
1-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
1-Oct	16-Oct	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT	11-186 178
1-Oct	3-Oct	TI	TI2/F6FQX		11-182
1-Oct	1-Oct	VK	VK1ANU (OC-139)	JO2SLZ	11-179
1-Oct	2-Oct	VK9W	VK9WWI (OC-007)	HA7RY	11-188 182 181
1-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
1-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
1-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
1-Oct	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2BO (NA-016)	W6BO	11-179
1-Oct	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2DF (NA-016)	W4YCH	11-179
1-Oct	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JD (NA-016)	W6JND	11-179
1-Oct	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2JO (NA-016)	W4JO	11-179
1-Oct	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2LH (NA-016)	W6OMF	11-179
1-Oct	1-Oct	ZF	ZF2MH (NA-016)	K6SUE	11-179
1-Oct	12-Oct	ZK2	by DL2AH		11-164 065

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled through tomorrow and halfway through Wednesday, when activity will increase to unsettled-to-active, with a small coronal hole rotating into geoeffective position.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for September 29, 2007 was 16, up from 15 the 28th and zero for some days before that.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5C5W	EA5XX	D2NX	JH7FQK	OG0Z	W0MM
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	DK0GSK	DH1BUZ	OZ/DL8AAV/PDL8AAV	
5R8RJ	DJ7RJ	EA8/DL8SBX	DL8SBX	P29VCX	SM6CVX
5W1SA	JH7OHF	EE5KB	EA5KB	PJ4/PA3CNX	PA3CNX

5X1GS	WB2YQH	EJ9HQ	EI9HQ	SI5P/0	AI5P
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EL2DT	WA4TII	SU8BHI	HA3JB
7X0RY	OK1DYW	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	SV8/OX3XR	OZ3PZ
8P2K	KU9C	EY8MM	K1BV	TI4CF	W3HNK
8R1XR	DK6XR	FO/JI1JKW	JI1JKW	TJ3SL	F5PSA
8R1XT	DK8XT	FO/N6JA	N6JA	TK/DL4FF	DL4FF
9H3WX	PA5W	HB0/DL6GV	DL6GV	TM0RWC	F6KMX
9M2GCN	JH3GCN	HC8N	W5UE	TM200T	F5PTI
9M2TO	JA0DMV	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	TM3RWC	F1PSH
9M6XRO	M5AAV	HP1AC	EA5KB	TM5RWC	F6KRD
9U0A	DL7DF	HZ1AN	DJ9ZB	TM8RWC	F1ORJ
A52UR	K2RET	HZ1IK	DK7YY	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
AM5FL	EA5FL	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	VK1ANU/5	JO2SLZ
AM9ML	EA4URE	IP1DCI	IK1QFM	VK9WWI	HA7RY
AO5FX	EA5FX	IQ1IM/P	IZ1JLN	VO1ARES	VE9GLF
AO8X	EA8AUW	IU1ARI	IQ1IV	WP2/AH8DX	AH8DX
CN8YE	EA7FTR	J48AL	DM3CW	YI1HRP	PIRATE
CO7EH	AD4C	J49XB	DJ9XB	YT60W	YU7BCD
CO7PH	W3HNK	K3M	K3MJW	ZD7X	W0MM
CO8LY	EA7ADH	KH2/JM2RUV	JM2RUV	ZF2DF	W4YCH
CT1JGA	DL3MCO	LZ2007G	LX1KC	ZF2JO	W4YCH
CT9L	DJ6QT	N4R	K4KWK	ZK2AH	DL2AH
CT9M	CS3MAD	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	ZP4KFX	IK2DUW
CU1CB	EA5KB	OD5NF	HB9CRV	ZS4U	K3PD
CU6NS	EA5KB				

UA4WHX, Vladimir, says he will mail out the QSLs at the same time for the 21 countries he has visited on his third DXpedition junket. The cards are not out yet. Included will be cards from J2, 7Q7, D2, 9J, C9, 5R, 9X, OD, ST, 5Z4, 5X, 5H, Z2, 4L, 4K, 3DA0, 7P, V5, A2, D6 and others.

QSL manager W3HNK, Joe, says for those who never got their card for FS5KA, February 17-18, 2007, re-QSL and he will get your card out right away. Blank cards did not arrive as expected and a batch of QSLs sent to one of the ops was lost.

Japan's mail services have been privatized and, effective today, are being run by a commercial company. There is no rate or service change. Postal counters were closed yesterday to put a new computer system on line that will be keeping track of some aspects.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, 3B7SP, 3B8CF, 6F75A, 7U5CI, A25OOK, 9M6XRO, BS7H, E51QMA, EI9FBB, EJ2MT (EU-121), F6DWQ/mm, FO/N6JA, FW0YL, HD2A, HI0C, HP/CX4CR, KH6QR, PJ2G, R0UPOL, S21RC, UA6AF/P (EU-185), V63JJ and VR2C.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5T5DY, CE1/K7CA, CG2FET, CT/OK2RZ, DQ2006L, DQ2006Y, DR2006C, DR2006D, DR2006F, DR2006G, DT8A, EE5E, EU3DN, F6GCP, KN5G/FS, HB9CIC, HC1MD, HC8N, HH4/K4QD, HK1/AC8W, HP1IBF, HP3XBH, J6/KD7WPJ, KC4/K2ARB, KH8Q, KH8/K6SRZ, KP2/K3CT, OA4/DL5SE, OM2VL, P40A, P40TA, PJ2/N0KE, PJ2/WB9Z, T98U, UA3TCJ, UT5UDX, V26G, V44KJ, V4/AA6YQ, V63J, V73ZZ, VP2E, VP2MFF, VP5/WJ2O, VP9/W6PH, TI5N, WH2D, WP3C, YN4MG, YO9HP, YR7M, ZD8QD and ZF1A.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9K2F, 9K9X, EI9FBB, FP/W9ILY, LN8W, UU7JM, YU7AM and ZP6CW.

In Thursday's issue we did a story on the redemption of old IRCs. The US Postal Bulletin 22215, dated September 13, 2007, on pages 28 and 57, can be found at <http://www.usps.com/cpim/ftp/bulletin/2007/pb22215.pdf> or at <http://www.usps.com/cpim/ftp/bulletin/2007/html/pb22215/updt.4.9.html>.

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VP6DX News #4 - October 2, 2007
By DL6LAU, Carsten Esch

The team is still very busy preparing the equipment for a shipment in November. This is what changed or happened during the last weeks:

The Team:

Unfortunately Jan, DJ8NK, and Martti, OH2BH, had to withdraw but we were fortunate to complete the team with some very skilled operators. These are Ben, DL6FBL; Tonno, ES5TV; Harry, RA3AUU; and Cliff, SV1JG.

So here is the list of people who will head out to Ducie in February 2008 and give you this rare one:

DL3DXX, DL6FBL, DL6LAU, DL8LAS, ES5TV, K3NA, N5IA, RA3AUU, SP3DOI, SP5XVY, SV1JG, UA3AB and WA6CDR.

Equipment:

We are eagerly waiting to give the Elecraft K3s the real test on Ducie. ACOM amps are already packed, microHAM micro Keyer II for all stations should arrive soon and will be used between the radios and the PCs. The new YT6A high-power band pass filters after each amplifier should help to reduce interference between stations even more.

Donations:

Donations prior to our departure are very important for us because basically all of the expenses (Braveheart charter and container shipment) have to be paid way before we actually depart and the team members already paid what I would call a more than adequate share. Each of them put in US\$ 6,200 and will pay their own transportation by air to Mangareva (FO).

We are deeply grateful to the NCDXF, who contributed US\$ 20,000 towards the costs. Without NCDXF it would be hardly possible to run an expedition like VP6DX. Please consider joining NCDXF and become a contributor to NCDXF in its 35th year as a premier sponsor of expeditions and the Beacon system.

A big thank you also goes to the individuals who already sent in a donation.

Even with the generous donations received so far and the contribution of the team members we are still lacking about US\$ 50,000 as of September 21st. We again would kindly ask you to check, if you could help too. Details on how you can help can be found in the 'How To Help' section.

Webpage (www.vp6dx.com):

We are putting more content to these pages in regular intervals. If you are interested to receive a newsletter from us automatically, just visit the News section and leave your e-mail there.

During the next weeks we will be busy building the remaining antennas and preparing the container shipment with radios, amplifiers, antennas, generators and the like.

73 on behalf of the VP6DX team

DX News

The four man P29 IOTA DXpedition team has arrived at Takuu Island (OC-283) and is now QRV as P29NI from this rare IOTA. During their last night on Nukumanu Island (OC-284) as P29VCX they had heavy QRN and QRM from a local engine. Unfortunately they missed many callers due to this. The P29NI team will set up for activity on 160 meters from this new island and will also do 80 meters. Their next stop will be from Kilinailau Island (OC-256) as P29VLR starting next week. Keep an eye on the P29 Web page at <http://www.rep.pt/P29-PapuaNewGuinea/>.

In celebration of 50 years of space flight special event station HB9SPACE will be on the air during the World Space Week, October 4-10. There will be a special activity with by Swiss Astronaut HB9CN, Claude Nicollier, from the Swiss Air Force Museum in Payerne, Switzerland on Saturday October 6th. For more details and operating hours check out www.hb4fr.ch. QSL via HB4FR, preferable via the bureau.

T30XX's, Toshi, Tokyo High Power linear broken. He believes the low band operations will be difficult without the linear and may head back home to Japan soon.

To celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Netherlands Air Force Radio Amateur Society members of the PI4NAF club station will be QRV with special call PA20NARAS from November 3rd to 19th. They will be active on HF and VHF.

Sunday a volcano on the tiny island of Jabal al-Tair erupted making world wide news (<http://tinyurl.com/2guabs>). For those who have been DXing for a few years you will no doubt remember the DXCC Entity of Abu Ail & Jabel at Tair. This was a DXCC counter between August 1, 1971 and March 30, 1991. To see some past QSLs check out <http://tinyurl.com/2hhrcm>.

Results of the Strange Radio Team's DXpedition of the year have been announced. The World Wide DXpedition trophy will be awarded to the N8S DXpedition team. Complete results can be seen at www.strangeradioteam.com/wwdxt.

W1DV, Dave, is planning to go back to Central African Republic in mid 2008. Plans are to have new antennas and a new rig for TL8DV. More on this one later.

QSN

5R8RJ - MADAGASCAR - Willi was on 7073 today between 0300 and 0345Z. He was listening for North American ops on 7173. QSL via DJ7RJ.

9U0A - BURUNDI - Multiple DXers from the South West and Rocky Mountains reported working this semi-rare one on 80 CW during their sunset.

ZD7X - ST. HELENA - Tom said he has yet to hear any stations on 160 meters, even Europe. Apparently there is an 80 foot crane at the nearby port that he hopes to use to hoist his 80 and 160 meter antenna.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-014	CT3MD	7066	2230	EU-026	JW/OZ1HPS	14262	1632
AF-057	5R8RJ	14007	0604	EU-029	OZ/DL1EBR	7065	0812
AS-013	8Q7AK	21253	1108	EU-042	DF3ZE/P	14010	1755
AS-146	BD1JMJ/4	7050	1004	EU-042	DL0SY	7026	2225
AS-146	BG1TJI/4	7060	1219	EU-052	J48AL	7013	1735
AS-146	BY1TX/4	10106	2153	EU-060	SV8EUV	14014	1555
AS-146	BY1TX/4	14020	1314	EU-067	SV8/SV1JG	14266	1648
EU-004	AO6AEI	7060	1933	EU-125	OZ/DL1RTW	7014	1830
EU-014	TK/DL4FF	14262	1517	EU-172	OZ/DJ5NN	3519	1905
EU-015	SV9GPV	14258	1505	EU-172	OZ/DL2VM	7068	2133
EU-016	9A1CFN	14264	1627	OC-007	VK9WWI	18073	2317
EU-016	9A4W	14250	1947	OC-040	ZK2AH	7085	0635
EU-023	9H3YM	14240	0654				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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2-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
2-Oct	14-Oct	8P	8P6DR (NA-021)	G3RWL	11-169	152 148
2-Oct	12-Oct	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-159	091
2-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XR	DK6XR		11-176
2-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XT	DK8XT		11-176
2-Oct	3-Oct	9H	9H3WC (EU-023)	G3VCQ		11-181
2-Oct	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF	11-189	115
2-Oct	2-Oct	A5	A52UR	K2RET	11-187	166
2-Oct	6-Oct	BY	BY1TT/4 (AS-146)	BY1TT		11-174
2-Oct	6-Oct	BY	BY1TX/4 (AS-146)	EA7FTR		11-174
2-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	EA7FTR		11-186
2-Oct	4-Oct	FO	FO/JI1JKW (OC-067)	JI1JKW		11-188
2-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
2-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154
2-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188
2-Oct	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS (NA-108)	DL7AFS		11-182
2-Oct	2-Oct	JA	JH0IEW/6 (AS-047)	JH0IEW		11-184
2-Oct	7-Oct	JW	JW/OZ1HPS	OZ1HPS		11-164
2-Oct	7-Oct	JW	JW8DW	LA8DW		11-164
2-Oct	8-Oct	P2	P29NI (OC-283)	G3KHZ	11-189	174 134
2-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
2-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
2-Oct	20-Oct	SV5	SV0XAN/5 (EU-001)	IK2WZD		11-188

2-Oct	16-Oct	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT	11-186	178
2-Oct	3-Oct	TI	TI2/F6FQX		11-182	
2-Oct	2-Oct	VK9W	VK9WWI (OC-007)	HA7RY	11-188	182 181
2-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164	
2-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162	
2-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173	
2-Oct	12-Oct	ZK2	by DL2AH		11-164	065

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Today's Propagation Forecast

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Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be at quiet to unsettled levels. On Thursday activity will increase to quiet to active levels due to a recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream.

There will also be a chance for brief minor storm periods at high latitudes.

Activity is expected to decrease to quiet to unsettled levels on Thursday as the high-speed stream subsides.

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The sunspot number for September 30, 2007 was 17.

QSL Info

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9K2HN, Hamad, tells us he has uploaded the logs for 9K9X, 9K2F and 9K5HN to LOTW.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A250OK, BS7H, CN2BC, FW0MO, FW0YL, HI0C (NA-122), HI3CCP, HP3EFS, J5UAP, VR10XMT

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4O3A, 9K2F, 9K9X, AH8LG, DQ4T, DS5KJR, EB1ISN, HB9ICC, HL3AMO, KL8DX, KP2/NP3D, LN8W, OK1RR, VK6DU, YU7AM, ZS2EZ

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DX News

EA5/KH7Y (3C7Y), Fred, was on 20 meters yesterday and reporting the 3C7Y team will be departing Spain and heading to Malabo, Equatorial Guinea this Friday afternoon (Spanish time). Also joining Fred will be EA5BRE/3C7L, Luis; EA5YN/3C7V, Vicente; and EA5BYP/3C7A, Elmo. All of the equipment, antennas, PCs, amplifiers is packed and ready for the DXpedition. They guys expect to arrive in the capital city around 2330Z. They hope to have the first station on the air around 0600Z on Saturday, says Fred. The team will all be using the 3C7Y call, even though all of the ops have their own calls. They will be set up on the north end of Bioko Island (AF-010). Plans are to have a minimum of two stations QRV 24/7 and at times three stations. Activity will be on all bands on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. Once they arrive they will know if they will be able to update their on-line log search daily. If not they will post them after the DXpedition. The team has a Web page at <http://personal.telefonica.terra.es/web/ea5yn/3c7y.htm>. OD5NJ, Gaby, will be the pilot station for the team. He can be contacted at od5nj@hotmail.com or od5nj@inco.com.lb. QSL via EA5BYP, Elmo Bernabe Coll, P.O. Box 3097, 03080 Alicante, Spain.

The Dutch team heading to Liberia will be departing today. They expect to arrive in the capital Monrovia by early evening. Most likely they will spend their first evening onboard the African Mercy. On Thursday the team will head to Elwa, where they will set up the antennas. They will also meet with the President of LRAA and expect to receive their 5L2MS license. On Friday they'll take their equipment from the African Mercy and set it up in Elwa. Plans are to first build the two beam antennas for 20, 15 and 10 meters followed by the verticals for 30, 17 and 12 meters. The verticals for 40, 80 and 160 meters will be last. The team expects to be on the air Saturday morning at the latest. They will be frequently updating the news section on their website at www.liberia2007.com.

Silent Key

UY5EG, Aleksandr Kuznetsov, became a Silent Key yesterday after passing away in his sleep. He was just 11 days before his 63rd birthday. Alex had DXCC number one on mixed mode, 5BDXCC, 5BWAZ and was a founding member of the UDXC.

QSN

3V8SS - TUNISIA - Dmitry was active yesterday on 20 SSB and 40 CW. QSL this operation only via RW4WM.

5N47NDP - NIGERIA - Paolo was sporting this unique prefix on 7055 Tuesday between 2030 and 2145Z. QSL via IK5JAN.

5R8RJ - MADAGASCAR - Willy had an opening to the US West Coast on 7007 after 14Z. QSL via DJ7RJ.

7Q7HB - MALAWI - Look for Harry on 20 meters RTTY between 1800 and 2000Z. QSL via G0IAS.

9U0A - BURUNDI - The guys were reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies

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00 3502
01 3502
02 3502
03 3502
04 3502, 7005, 10102, 14019
05 10102, 14019
06 14019, 18072
07 18075, 21020
08 18075, 21020
09 18075
10 18075, 21020
11 21020
12 14071, 21020
13 14071, 18150, 21020
14 18150, 21020, 24940
15 21020, 24892, 28020, 28495
16 14019, 21020, 24892, 28020
17 14019, 18069
18 10102, 14019, 14086, 18069
19 10102, 14086, 18069
20 3517, 10102, 14086, 18069
21 3517, 14086, 18069
22 3517, 10106
23 3517, 10142

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EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was up on 18130 working Europe around 1030Z.

P29NI - PAPUA NEW GUINEA - The four man team began yesterday just after 09Z with activity on 80, 30, 20 CW and 20 SSB. QSL via G3KHZ.

T30XX - WEST KIRIBATI - 30 meter ops found this one on 10103 around 1930Z. QSL via JA8UWT.

VK9WWI - WILLIS ISLAND - These guys were last found on 10104 yesterday just before 2300Z. QSL via HA7RY.

ZD7X - ST. HELENA - Look for Tom on 20 SSB starting around 2130Z. QSL via W0MM.

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AF-022	ZD7X	14195	2222	EU-144	IR8DX	14028	0536
AF-057	5R8RJ	14195	0642	NA-010	VE1CJB	7080	0410
AS-039	UA0ZAL	14040	0901	NA-027	VO1CRM	14165	1933
AS-141	BG5BDB/5	14260	0744	NA-046	W1/OE6MBG	14204	1510
AS-146	BY1TX/4	14260	1415	OC-007	VK9WWI	7011	2040
EU-038	PE1DTU	14256	1337	OC-067	FO/JI1JKW	7015	1100
EU-042	DF3ZE/P	10109	1644	OC-283	P29NI	14185	1350
EU-042	DL0SY	18150	1434				

K1VVSJ, Howie, will be QRV from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) from October 5th to 8th. QSL via his CBA.

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QSL Info

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3V8SS	RW4WM	AO8DA	EA8DA	P29NI	G3KHZ
5N47NDP	IK5JAN	BY1TX/4	EA7FTR	R450KB	UA6XT
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HE70FG	HB9FG	R450WA	RW9WA
8P6DR	G3RWL	JW/OZ1HPS	OZ1HPS	TF3ZA	KT6YL
8Q7AK	G7COD	JW8DW	LA8DW	TK/DL4FF	DL4FF
9A73AA	9A2AA	OH0/AI5P	AI5P	VR10UW	VR2UW
AO1ABT	EA1ABT				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7U5CI (AF-104), BS7H (AS-116), E51QMA (OC-080), FW0MO

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 9M2CNC, BS7H, T88LZ

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: PJ2MI

Correction

QSL cards for EA6/LU5FF, Javi, should go via Javi's home call and not EA7FTR.

JF1SQC (Not MM0NDX) is planning to be QRV from East Malaysia as 9M6LSC from October 18th to 30th, including the CQ WW SSB. This is the Langkah Syabas Beach Resort Amateur Radio Club station. QSL this operation via JF1SQC.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 5B4AFB, EA5/KH7Y, EA7FTR, K1TG, K1VSJ, K4MWB, MM0NDX, N2NS, N3ME, N4II, PA3A, UA6LV, UY5XE, UY5ZZ, ZL2AFT

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DX News

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, sailed to the Lata Station, Ndende Island, Solomon Islands to officially enter the country and pay the license fee for their H40MY license. Afterwards they sailed to Tikopia Island (OC-178) after a somewhat difficult trip. Apparently the island is "densely populated with very friendly people". Mike anticipates some radio activity, however he's not sure about "limitations" as to which bands they will be QRV. That will depend on available space and the WX. He also believes this location may be "topographically challenged" for North America. No word on when they will begin activity. QSL via OM2SA.

During the month of October member of the association of the editorial staff of the journal "radio work" will be carrying out a radio- expedition to the territory of Baikonur, Kazakhstan in celebration of the 50th anniversary of Sputnik. This was the first man made satellite to orbit the earth. The team is using the special call UP50SAT. Team members include UN7SW, UA9LAK/UN, UN7FW, EU1FC, RV3AR, RN3ADS, and RU3AWD. QSL via RV3AR.

Rumor has it that the United Nations DXCC Entity might be QRV this afternoon (NYC time). If so I'll post a special bulletin.

W7KNT, John, reports his recent DXCC submission to the ARRL DXCC Desk was received on July 24th, was processed on September 15th and he received the paper back on October 2nd. His turn around time was nine weeks. The ARRL DXCC Web site is currently reporting they are now "currently mailing applications logged during the week of June 29, 2007". That's 13 weeks!

DXNL is reporting that on September 3rd A52VE, Kunio Saito, left Bhutan due to health issues. He was supposed to be there until March 2009.

This year's SEDCO event was a success and rumor has it that SEDCO IV will take place September 27 and 28, 2008. Keep an eye on their Web site at www.SEDCO.HomeStead.com.

That carrier on 3504, which has been causing problems for North American stations trying to work P29NI, seems to be coming from a harmonic from PUN. W8JI, Tom Rauch, has done some extensive study and has a very nice write up on PUN at www.w8ji.com/PUN.htm. Looks like we need to remind DX stations to avoid using 3504 until this can be resolved.

The Solar Flux has been below 70 since September 2nd. The 45 day predicted forecast between now and November 17th will be pretty much the same with a predicted daily Solar Flux of 67! Late last week and early this week there were between 12 and 17 sunspots reported, however they are gone now and we are back to zero again. This should add some extra flavor for low band DXers.

Look for TK/DL3VTA, Mike and TK/DL1DVP, Wolfgang to be operating from Corsica (EU-014) from October 7th to 14th. They'll be on SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31/63. QSL via their home calls either direct or to the DARC QSL bureau.

5H3PD, operated by W8FV, Pat, will be QRV from the southwestern shore of Lake Victoria from October 6-9. QSL via W8FV.

N0NJY/6Y5, Rick, and KB0IRW/6Y5, JoAnne will be doing a fun island DXpedition in celebration of their "30th wedding anniversary and 18 years as hams together" trip to Runaway Bay, Jamaica. Look for activity between October 12th and 14th. Watch for them between 1700 and 2100Z on 20 SSB. They have a Blog site at <http://jamaicadxpedition2007.blogspot.com/>. QSL via N0NJY.

Silent Key

LZ5AZ, Dimitar Terziev, became a Silent Key. He was only 23 years old and one of the founding members of the World Wide Young Contesters (WWYC) and its Webmaster. Dimi had been ill for several weeks. RIP Young Man!

QSN

- 5X1AB - UGANDA - Japanese ops found Arik on 7062 Wednesday after 2100Z. QSL via K6EID.
- 9U0A - BURUNDI - RTTY DXers from the US West Coast reported good signals on 14078 from 19 to 20Z. They were reported on 1821 just after 0300Z on Wednesday. QSL via DL7DF.
- A52DA - BHUTAN - Was reported on 18074 around 0900Z yesterday. K4SV, Dave, once held this call but he is not the operator so do not QSL this operation via him or his QSL manager K4YL. This operator may be DL1DA, Conny. QRX for confirmation on this one.
- A92HB - BAHRAIN - John was up on 14257 just before 16Z. QSL direct only via GM6TVR.
- E51USN - SOUTH COOKS - K6USN, Allen, has been QRV on 17 and 20 meters SSB over the last three days. He is operating from Rarotonga Island (OC-013). Activity is expected until October 7th. He's also expected on CW.
- FR5ZL - REUNION - West Coast US ops should look for Guy on 40 CW around 1400Z.
- OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - Several East Coast US ops worked Pascal on 18070 around 1500Z. QSL via F5OGL.
- T30XX - WEST KIRIBATI - European ops should keep an ear out for this one on 20 meters starting before 0800 until 1000Z. QSL via JA8UWT.
- TT8PK - CHAD - Philippe was working Europeans on 14192 between 14 and 15Z. QSL via F4EGS.
- VR10XMT - HONG KONG - VR2XMT, Charlie, was sporting his special call on 7083 around 1215Z on Wednesday. QSL via VR2XMT.

ZK2AH - NIUE - Uli will remain here until the middle of the month. Watch for him in the Oceania Contest. He was heard on the air saying he will spend the last two weeks of this month on Chatham Island (ZL7) and the first two weeks of November on Norfolk Island (VK9N). QSL all via DL2AH.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-022	ZD7X	18150	2141	NA-021	8P6DR	7005	2302
AF-057	5R8RJ	18070	1354	NA-108	J6/DL7AFS	18140	2142
AS-146	BY1TX/4	14260	0559	OC-022	YB9AQH	14020	1306
EU-042	DF3ZE/P	14013	1439	OC-040	ZK2AH	14190	0246
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	14260	1625	OC-067	FO/JI1JKW	7004	1143
EU-067	SV8/SV1JG	14089	1617	OC-283	P29NI	14040	0719
EU-125	OZ/DL1RTW	10108	1804	SA-012	YV7QP	10103	2340
EU-172	OZ/DJ5NN	10118	1439				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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4-Oct	8-Oct	3V	3V8SS	RW4WM		11-186
4-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
4-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181
4-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
4-Oct	14-Oct	8P	8P6DR (NA-021)	G3RWL	11-169	152 148
4-Oct	12-Oct	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-159	091
4-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XR	DK6XR		11-176
4-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XT	DK8XT		11-176
4-Oct	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF	11-189	115
4-Oct	6-Oct	BY	BY1TT/4 (AS-146)	BY1TT		11-174
4-Oct	6-Oct	BY	BY1TX/4 (AS-146)	EA7FTR		11-174
4-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	EA7FTR		11-186
4-Oct	4-Oct	FO	FO/JI1JKW (OC-067)	JI1JKW		11-188
4-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
4-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO			11-179
4-Oct	10-Oct	HB9	HB9SPACE	HB4FR		11-190
4-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154
4-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188
4-Oct	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS (NA-108)	DL7AFS		11-182
4-Oct	7-Oct	JW	JW/OZ1HPS (EU-026)	OZ1HPS		11-164
4-Oct	7-Oct	JW	JW8DW (EU-026)	LA8DW		11-164
4-Oct	8-Oct	P2	P29NI (OC-283)	G3KHZ	11-190	189 174
4-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
4-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
4-Oct	20-Oct	SV5	SV0XAN/5 (EU-001)	IK2WZD		11-188
4-Oct	16-Oct	T30	T30XX (OC-017)	JA8UWT	11-186	178
4-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164

4-Oct 17-Nov VU AT60MY VU2NRO 11-162
4-Oct 31-Mar YA YA/KI4WDW 11-173
4-Oct 12-Oct ZK2 ZK2AH (OC-040) DL2AH 11-164 065

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at very low levels.

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5X1AB	K6EID	JW/OZ1HPS	OZ1HPS	TT8PK	F4EGS
A92HB	GM6TVR	OH0PM	OH2PM	UP50SAT	RV3AR
AO5URD	EA5URD	PJ2MI	W2CQ	VP5/N9JZ	N9JZ
EA6/LU5FF	LU5FF	R450KB	UA6XT		

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau: OP0P, PA3GIO/6W, PT7CB, OS8A

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4O3A, 4W6EB, LU5VV, LU9VET, LV5V, OZ1HPS, YV4BCD

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DX News

T30XX (JA8BMK), Toshi, left Tarawa, West Kiribati and is back in Fiji and QRV as 3D2WW for a few days before heading back home to Japan. Apparently his amplifier broke and Toshi was unable to fix it or have the company send him a new amp. He plans to go back to West Kiribati and then go on to Central Kiribati (T31) in December 2007 or January 2008, says JA8CDG, Ken. Toshi will also take a new 160 meter antenna with him to T30 and T31. QSL both T30XX and 3D2WW via JA8UWT.

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, are anchored on their boat of shore of Tikopia Island (OC-178), Temotu Province. Today they were "trading with the locals" and tomorrow will meet for a "formal" reception with the leaders of the island, reports A35RK, Paul. During the "reception" there will be introductions, welcome speeches and food. This event normally goes well into the evening hours. The two have located a place to set up their land-based station and have been give permission to do so. They will be QRV as H40MY as soon as possible.

Members of the 4M5DX Group have organized a DXpedition to Suriname which will start up during the first half of January 2008. This will be a multi-national experienced team including OH0XX, Olli; SV8CS, Spiros; HK1X, Pedro; YV5SSB, Alex; XE1KK, Ramon; YV5TX, Jose; LU8ATX, Diego; YV5KAJ, Pasquale; PZ5RA and Ramon. Plans are to have three stations QRV for 10 days on 6 through 160 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY. The team is looking for financial support to help offset the costs. For more information you can check <http://pz5yv.4m5dx.org/>. A Full color QSL (direct or bureau) will be available via IT9DAA.

W4PA, Scott, says he'll be QRV in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest as P40PA from Aruba. He'll be SOABHP.

DL2AH, Ulli, updates us on his Pacific Island tour. He's currently on Niue and QRV as ZK2AH until October 11th. Ulli is using a FT-897 and a Windom antenna for activity on 10 through 40 meters. He'll be on SSB only. Next stop will be Chatham Island where he'll be QRV as ZL7/DL2AH from October 16th to 30th. His last stop will be Norfolk Island and he will use the call VK9ANH between November 1st and 15th. QSL all of his operations via DL2AH.

W3FV, K2TW and N2TK will be on St. Croix, USVI as usual for the CQ WW SSB test. They will be using the call WP2Z. Before and after the contest they will use their own calls/KP2.

Yesterday A35RK's, Paul, cargo container arrived in Lifuka. He has his new FT450 up and running and will soon be assembling the new SteppIR vertical.

Look for DL4OK, Andy to be on holiday and active as SV5/NX1S from Kos Island (EU-001), Dodecanese until October 13. He may also be QRV from the Akra Ayios Foukas Lighthouse, LH 1730. Keep an ear out for him on 20 meters as he will be running QRP. QSL via DL4OK.

N4XP, Tom, will be in Europe this month and expects to be QRV as OK8XP from the shack of OK1KT between October 12 and 15. Also he'll be in Germany (no call given) from 19-21 October.

G4UZN, Tony, plans to be in Thailand for three weeks beginning November 4th. He'll be attending the SEANET Convention and could be QRV as HS0ZGH.

"DXpeditions transmitting on even 5's +1 on most bands here from 80 to 20 have strong local carriers that render their weak signals impossible to copy", says W5GAI, Skip. He suggests that DXpeditions use transmit frequencies - from 0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 etc.

A number of ops mostly from the January 2007 XT2C DXpedition team will be QRV from Guinea-Bissau this coming January. They will activate J5C from Bubaque Island (AF-020) from January 10th to 21st. Team members include F4AJQ, F6AML, F5JSD, F5VHQ, F8BJI, F9IE, F2VX, F2JD, F8BUI, F4TTR, F5PED, F5TVG, N2WB, N6OX and OE8KOK. Plans are to have 5 stations, with 4 amplifiers QRV 24 hours a day. Activity is expected on all bands on CW, SSB, digital modes and SSTV plus 29 MHz FM. They will be using verticals on 80 and 160 meters and beams on the other bands. QSL this operation via F5TVG.

QSN

- 403A - MONTENEGRO - Japanese ops were working Ranko on 3796 Thursday just prior to 2030Z.
- 4U50SPACE - UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS - Johnny and Tony were active on 17, 20 and 40 CW late yesterday and early today. The station on 30 meters (around 2330Z) was a pirate! No word on future activity for this special call. The license is good through October 10th. QSL via HB9BOU.
- 8Q7AK - MALDIVES - Look for Andrew on 17 SSB, around 18135, between 12 and 13Z. QSL via G7COD.
- 9U0A - BURUNDI - Topband ops have found them on the band around 0300Z. QSL via DL7DF.
- EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - Nodir is still looking for the following states on 80 meters: KS, LA, ND, NE and WY.
- HA7RY/MM - MARITIME MOBILE - Tomi was QRV yesterday on 7005 just before 1500Z. He was one of the two ops at VK9WWI.
- ZK2AH - NIUE - Uli was once again on 20 SSB working Europe from 0600 to 0900Z. Watch for him around 14185. QSL via DL2AH.
- ZL7 - CHATHAM ISLANDS - ZL7/SP5EAQ, ZL7/SP9BQJ and ZL7/SP9PT began activity early today and have so far been on 20 and 30 meters. QSL via their home calls.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-057	5R8RJ	14190	1612	NA-026	JW/OZ1HPS	14195	1217
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EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	14257	0719	OC-040	ZK2AH	14185	0819
EU-067	SV8/SV1JG	14012	1619	OC-283	P29NI	14042	1100
EU-125	OZ/DL1RTW	7019	1957				

Japanese ops JF6OID/6, JF6TPI/6, JK6IJE/6, JH6ATP/6 and JE6AUG/6 will be QRV from Oki Island (AS-036) on October 6th. Watch for them on SSB on the HF bands. QSL via their home calls, either direct or via the bureau.

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5-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	EA7FTR		11-186
5-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
5-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
5-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
5-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
5-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AO	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
5-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
5-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
5-Oct	10-Oct	HB9	HB9SPACE	HB4FR		11-190
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5-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR		11-192
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5-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
5-Oct	8-Oct	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-191
5-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
5-Oct	12-Oct	ZK2	ZK2AH (OC-040)	DL2AH	11-164	065
5-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP5EAQ	SP5EAQ		11-154

5-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9BQJ	SP9BQJ	11-154
5-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9PT	SP9PT	11-154
6-Oct	14-Oct	3C	3C7Y (AF-010)	EA5BYP	11-191 188 170
6-Oct	19-Oct	5H	5H9PD	W8FV	11-192 154
6-Oct	7-Oct	9V	S61FD		7-175
6-Oct	19-Oct	F	TM0VDM	F5KEB	11-184
6-Oct	6-Oct	G	GB75PW		11-179
6-Oct	12-Oct	GM	MS0WRC (EU-010)	MX0WRC	11-174 167 135
6-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7T (EU-037)	DL2RTK	11-184 174
6-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7V (EU-037)	DL2VFR	11-184 174
6-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7W (EU-037)	DL2SWW	11-184 174
6-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SM7DAY/7 (EU-037)	SM7DAY	11-184 174
6-Oct	6-Oct	W	K1AN/p		11-181
6-Oct	6-Oct		W5DX-Contest Bash		11-177
7-Oct	12-Oct	I	IC8/OE1MHL (EU-131)	OE1MHL	11-164
7-Oct	14-Oct	TK	TK/DL1DVP (EU-014)	DL1DVP	11-192 164
7-Oct	14-Oct	TK	TK/DL3VTA (EU-014)	DL3VTA	11-192 164
8-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-151
8-Oct	11-Oct	P2	P29VLR (OC-256)	SM6CVX	11-174 134 065
8-Oct	17-Oct	VK9L	VK9CLF	HB9QR	11-157 130

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3V8SS	RW4WM	HB9SPACE	HB4FR	VK8DP	VK4AAR
4U50SPACE	HB9BOU	OF3WS	OH3WS	YI1HRP	PIRATE
5H3EE	DL4SM	OH0B	OH2BH	ZL2MAT	K3PD
GB5OSO	G8ATE	TA4ZT	DK1AR		

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NI5DX (ex N5FTR), Buzz, is now the QSL manager for KL7OU, Debbie, in Big Lake, Alaska. Buzz will be able to confirm all contacts with KL7OU as soon as the logs are received. New QSL cards will be ordered shortly, so there may be a delay for those wishing a picture QSL card from Alaska.

Several weeks ago N9AG, Scott, shipped all outstanding PJ2T bureau QSLs. A total of 43 pounds, including 10.5 pounds to Germany were mailed. PJ2T also uses LOTW.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: BS7H, EP3HF, HR1LW, OX/PA3EXX/P (NA-243), UE1RFF/1 (EU-102).

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: TF8GX

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Temotu, H40, is where sailors KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, YL Jan, are. They have begun to use the callsign H40MY from Tikopia Island, OC-178, Temotu Province. This operation should start very soon. Mike says, "I don't know how useful my low power signal might be in Europe, especially on 160 meters, but I am carrying radio equipment ashore beginning today." He will be spending time on 30, 20 and 17, "hoping one of those bands will work." Mike adds, "It's my intention to use the BigIR vertical so I will be QRV on 40-10 and also assemble an antenna for 160M to try to satisfy some interest on Topband." QSL via OM2SA.

K4AVC/VP9, Gary, will be on the air October 12, 13 and 14, on 60 meters, 5403.5, trying to be on each night. He has special 60M operating permission and hopes the permission will extend to VP9GE, Ed, as well. Gary and his wife are renting a unit from Ed on Bermuda.

The four P29NI operators have finished up on Taku'u Island and are now QRV from Kilinalau, OC-256. There they will have yet another callsign, P29VLR. They wrapped up on Taku'u Saturday with 8,500 QSOs in the log going into their last nighttime session. Leaving that island Sunday morning they expected to have two days to operate on Kilinalau after a trip of 18 hours to get there. They hope to be operational starting today, from the new island. Derek, Steve, Hans and Luis have four rigs, one for each. They say, "Everyone operates for as long as he can but eventually fatigue takes over and we are sorry for some mistakes we make when we start falling asleep while operating!"

DL8YA confirms he is on holiday in Germany now and returns to 9X at mid-month. Peter says he is busy getting organized to help set up the Rwanda Amateur Radio Union, RARU, setting up rules and regulations. In recent 9X5SP operations, Peter says, "I only had an old Atlas 210X and a dipole for 20M. So the setup will improve soon." He hopes improvements in his station will make it easier for him to work the U.S. as well as Europe. He adds, "I have been active around 14300-14333 at around 1600-1700 and 1800 too, later mostly because of suffering from BCI of [the] nearby Deutsche Welle relay station broadcasts."

WA4PGM is getting his fall trips organized. First, Kyle will be on Curacao as PJ2/WA4PGM, October 20-23 with WK4Y, W0CN and WZ8P. Next, Bonaire, October 23-30, signing PJ4E, multi-two in the CQWW SSB with WK4Y, W0CN, N0VD, WZ8P and K6AM. QSL PJ4E direct with SASE via WA4PGM. And, the logs will be uploaded to LoTW and eQSL. Then look for TI5/WA4PGM along with host operator TI5N for the CQWW CW. QSL direct to WA4PGM with an SASE.

EA5ON/6, Duncan, will be on from Formentera Island, Balearic Islands, EA6, for the CQWW SSB in a few weeks. He will probably be single band 80M but he says it depends on how the antennas shape up when he gets there Friday evening for

setup. Duncan may also operate as EA6/GM7CXM on 15M, "but again, we'll see." he says.

EA6AZ, Tano, says he will be more active on 30M from now on. Look for him from about 2300Z.

The N6JRL Costa Rica group arrives in country on October 25 and will be there until October 29. Don says they will have 60M capabilities for the casual operating periods before and after the CQWW SSB contest, when they will be a tad more serious. Hosts TI5KD and TI2IY, Keko and Sophia, will head up the list of operators, which includes N6JRL, N3TQU, N0ZUQ, KB0RLJ, KI0DN, KF0FWC and WA6IFI. QSL to the home calls direct.

IK1PMR and K2LEO, Andrea and Claudia, plan a South America tour with radios along. This will be their final continent, in their quest to get on the air from them all. This junket will be during November and December. They have their CX and ZP licenses in hand, with special callsigns, and LU and other countries are possible. They plan to be on for the major CW and RTTY contests, with CW and RTTY on 12, 17 and 30 meters and low bands on weekdays. The IK1PMR and K2LEO schedule is like this, November 10-11, WAE RTTY with the callsign CW2C multi-op, or as separate stations signing K2LEO/CX and IK1PMR/CX. November 17-18, the LZ DX contest, IK1PMR/LU and K2LEO/LU, authorization to operate with those callsign applied for. November 24-25, the CQWW CW as ZP0R for IK1PMR and ZP6/IZ1GLO on RTTY. December 1-2, the ARRL 160M contest, ZP0R for IK1PMR and ZP6/IZ1GLO in the TARA RTTY event. December 8-9, the ARRL 10M contest, CW2C multi-op or IK1PMR/CX and K2LEO/CX.

K0OK and KB7UB go to VP5, Providenciales, NA-002, Turks and Caicos Islands, December 6-11. They will sign VP5E and VP5UB in the ARRL 10M contest, and VP5/K0OK and VP5/KB7UB outside the contest. Logs will be on-line at <http://www.dxer.com/dxlogs/>, and everything will go on LoTW. QSL to their home callsigns. They will try to get some good operating in on 160M CW and SSB too.

VE2IM will be on from zone two in the CQWW SSB, with VE3DZ, Yuri, operating single op all band high power. He is putting off a decision on doing it again in the CQWW CW until he sees how the phone weekend goes.

UT/OZ5IPA, Ben, will be in Kiev Borispol, Ukraine, October 3-November 7. He will be on CW and SSB using a wire antenna, "if nothing better turns up." He will be on for the International Police Association Contest November 3-4. This will be a new country for that group's awards. QSL direct to Ben Gjethusparken 25, DK-3300, Fr.vaerk, DENMARK.

5X1AB is on the air from Kampala, Uganda. This is operator EK6DO, Arik, ex-YI/EK6DO and 5H3AA. QSL via K6EID.

5Z4/YT1CS, Miki, started up yesterday from Kenya. He should be on through the end of the month, mostly SSB, 80-10M. He hopes to get on from IOTA AF-067. QSL to his home call.

6W1RY will be on the air October 22-28 from Senegal. Operator F5VHJ, Albert, will be in the CQWW SSB contest. QSL to his home call.

8Q7AU will be on holiday style with HB9OAU, Claudio, at the controls, October 29-November 10. Claudio will be on Dhonveli Island, Maldives, IOTA AS-013.

CT7EPO will be a special Portuguese callsign for the Gold Jubilee of the JOTA Scout event. In the Portuguese language, "Scouts" are called "Escoteiros de Portugal," EPO, hence the callsign suffix. The operator for this one will be CT1EGW, Arlindo. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

E51NOU, Bill (aka N7OU), will be on Rarotonga, OC-013, South Cook Islands, October 8-November 3, including "a casual effort" in the CQWW SSB. Bill will

have low power on 80-10 CW mostly, on the weekdays, in his spare time. He'll be on SSB in the CQWW event, of course.

EI100MFT, Ireland, will be on October 13-17 to commemorate what Guglielmo Marconi did there on October 17th, 1907. Clifden, Ireland, is where he transmitted his first commercial message. To celebrate, the Galway Radio Experimenters Club will run this station. "MFT" was the callsign that Marconi used.

GB4RN will be on November 1-21 including the RNARS CW Activity Contest November 17-18. The operator will be G3LIK, Mick.

OH0/SM0BYD, Hans, will be on from the Aland Islands for a 24-hour operation next weekend, October 13-14, start and ending times unknown by us at this time. He hopes to get on as many HF bands as he can, and 6M too. QSL to his home callsign.

PA50JOTA will be a special callsign from the Netherlands October 17-31 to mark the JOTA Scouts' Golden Jubilee. PA50JOTA will be on from Nieuweroord. QSL via PA3EFR.

PF30FRG will mark the 30th anniversary of the Frisian Radio Amateur Group in Leeuwarden, the Netherlands. This special callsign will be on in December. QSL via PI4FRG.

S79LL, S79SO and S79LC will be on Praslin Island, the Seychelles, October 14-19. The operators will be IZ5FSA, IW5DPF and I5IHE. QSL to their home calls, direct only.

VC2Z will be on from Mercier, Quebec, zone 5 (sorry, not zone 2), in the CQWW SSB. The operators will be VE2BR and VE3ZZ. QSL via VE2BR.

PA0HOP/YB9AQH, Hans, will be on CW only until October 27th. He likes 14020 and 18071. Hans is on Bali, OC-022. QSL via PA0HOP direct or bureau.

SM1TDE, Eric, is back in Sweden after his HS0ZHR operations in Thailand. He had to leave Thailand much earlier than planned.

W7VV, Roger Huntley, sends word of the annual trip for four members of the Western Washington DX Club. W7VV, VE7XF, K7LAZ and K7WA will be going to the VP5JM QTH on Providenciales, Turks and Caicos. They have the callsign VP5W for the CQWW CW in late November, and will use VP5/home call before and after that. QSL to their home calls. QSL VP5W via W7TSQ.

TC84IJ is a special callsign from Turkey that TA2IJ will be using starting today, until October 21st. He will be on SSB and CW. You can get a peak of his special QSL card at www.qrz.com/tc84ij. QSL via TA2IJ.

3D2AG/P, on Rotuma, should be on the air starting December 15th and running 'til January 20th. FO5RK, Tony, says his inter-island ship will take 48 hours to reach Rotuma. There is no commercial electricity, fuel, or other supplies, so he'll be taking everything he needs along with him. He will QSL once he gets back home. QSL direct only with 2 US dollars or one IRC with SAE. UX5UO will be printing the cards. The operation is being sponsored by Spiderbeam. The log will be on-line at <http://www.3d2ag.fr.tc/> when he is back in FO. QSL to his QRZ.com address.

AH0BT will be the Saipan, Mariana Islands callsign for the Aquarius Beach Tower Contest Club for the CQWW SSB October 27-28. They will be multi-operator, two station. QSL via 7L1FPU.

BX5AA, Jimmy, will be in the CQWW SSB single op all band high power. Jimmy notes that BX5 is a pretty rare prefix for Taiwan. QSL via BX5AA.

CN4P will be the special CQWW SSB callsign for CN8NK, M'hamed. QSL via EA5XX.

The Wythall Radio Club and Contest Group will be setting up six stations for the CQWW SSB from a farm belonging to one of their members on the Pembrokeshire coast, west Wales. Their callsign will be MW5W. Some of the ops will get on with their own Welsh callsigns before the CQWW. An example of how it works within the UK: G1VDP's Welsh callsign will be GW1VDP. The ops will do some CW and digital modes before the SSB event. QSL via M3SDE.

IQ8OM is the Italian callsign for the Strange Radio Team in the CQWW SSB. IZ8EDJ, Oreste, will be operating. There will be a special QSL card. QSL via IZ8EDJ via the bureau please.

NH0DX/NH2, in Guam, operator JL3RDC, Koji, will be in the CQWW SSB, single op all band high power. QSL via JL3RDC.

P3F is the special Cyprus contest call for operators 5B4AGN, 5B4AGC, G3VMW, G3NKC, G4MJS, G4XUM, GJ4CGQ and ZC4VJ/G3AB for the CQWW SSB. They will be multi-two. QSL via G3NKC for this operation only.

T48K is the CQWW SSB call from Cuba for the group consisting of CO8DM, CO8KA, CO8MA, CO7RR, CO7GG and CO8ZZ. They will be at the radio club in Las Tunas, multi-op all band. QSL via DK1WI.

"DX-IS" reports that some DXers have questioned whether the early 40M VK9WWI activity (September 22) was legit. Apparently team operator HA7RY, Tomi, excited to be on from Willis, did get on the air quick with a 40M sloper and made 400 QSOs in five hours with 100 watts. So, it all checks out okay.

Silent Key

W0DRT, Allen Schulman, has passed away at the age of 72 after a long battle with leukemia. W0RI reports that Al was an avid DXer and former president of the Mississippi Valley DX and Contest Club.

Corrections

Here's a correction to our XT2C January 2007 Dxpediton story. The Austrian operator is OE8KDK, not OE8KOK.

We have a correction to our story from last week on the 4M5DX Group's January operation from Suriname, PZ5YV. The correct callsign for the Argentine operator, Diego, is LU8ADX.

QSN

3C7Y - EQUATORIAL GUINEA - North American West Coast ops report 20 meter openings between 2000 and 2300Z. 14030 and 14033 from 2115-2330Z. 14195 from 1925-2100Z and 14205 before that. QSL via EA5BYP.

5L2MS - LIBERIA - 10106 and 7030 from 2010-2110Z. 21280 from 1800-1830Z. 21036, 14023 and 18074 before that.

9U0A - BURUNDI - 3501.4 at 0300Z working the U.S. 1820 between 0035Z and 0245Z. 3503 from 22-00Z. 14086.2 RTTY between 2015 and 2235Z, and 7002 and 7018 in that same timeframe.

EL2DX - LIBERIA - 80 METERS - 3510 between 0520-0550Z, at least in California.

HV50VR - VATICAN - RTTY - 14180 from 1230-1840Z Saturday. 14089 on Sunday from 0555-0825Z, 21260 SSB from 1230-1420Z.

OA4/N6XQ - PERU - 160 METERS - He's been reported on the Topband.

OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - 17M Sunday - 7009 from 1755-1810Z, 10117 from 1720-1735Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
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AF-004	EA8BED	24945	1640	EU-075	SV1AIN/8	14263	0940
AF-010	3C7Y	21030	0900	EU-093	EE5KB	14250	1040
AF-022	ZD7X	18155	0945	EU-133	R1ASP	7078	0915
AF-057	5R8RJ	21290	0900	EU-137	SD7V	3511	2330
AF-067	5Z4/YT1CS	21263	1135	EU-144	IR8DX	7016	2130
EU-010	MS0WRC	14263	1630	EU-165	IM0MBP	14085	1400
EU-029	OZ4ADP	18101	0855	OC-148	YC9MDX		
	21255	1410					
EU-031	IC8/OE1MHL	14260	1700	SA-002	VP8CXV	14070	2050
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	18145	1515				

IC8/OE1MHL, Helmut, is on Ischia, EU-031, through the 12th. He is operating "holiday style" all bands from 05-09Z and 17-20Z daily. QSL to his home call.

WRJKC, Tom, will be on NA-088, Isla Colon, Bocas del Toro Province Group, October 12-November 2. He'll be working at the biological field station there. He will get on as his schedule allows, 40, 20, 18, 15, and 10 CW and SSB. QSL via W4JKC.

YW6YL will be the callsign for the second YL DXpedition by the 4M5DX group. They will be on Chimana Grande Island, SA-090, December 12-16. Ops will be YY4AND, YY4CVI, YY4LCG, YY5ALO and YV5EVA, all apparently YLs. QSL via IT9DAA, direct preferred, bureau acceptable. For more, go to <http://www.yw6yl.4m5dx.org/>.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
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8-Oct	14-Oct	3C	3C7Y (AF-010)	EA5BYP	11-191	188 170
8-Oct	8-Oct	3V	3V8SS	RW4WM		11-186
8-Oct	19-Oct	5H	5H9PD	W8FV	11-192	154
8-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175

8-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181
8-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
8-Oct	14-Oct	8P	8P6DR (NA-021)	G3RWL	11-169	152 148
8-Oct	12-Oct	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-159	091
8-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XR	DK6XR		11-176
8-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XT	DK8XT		11-176
8-Oct	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF	11-189	115
8-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU		11-151
8-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	EA7FTR		11-186
8-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
8-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
8-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
8-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
8-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AO	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
8-Oct	19-Oct	F	TM0VDM	F5KEB		11-184
8-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
8-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
8-Oct	12-Oct	GM	MS0WRC (EU-010)	MX0WRC	11-174	167 135
8-Oct	10-Oct	HB9	HB9SPACE	HB4FR		11-190
8-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154
8-Oct	12-Oct	I	IC8/OE1MHL (EU-131)	OE1MHL		11-164
8-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188
8-Oct	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS (NA-108)	DL7AFS		11-182
8-Oct	11-Oct	P2	P29VLR (OC-256)	SM6CVX	11-174	134 065
8-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7T (EU-037)	DL2RTK	11-184	174
8-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7V (EU-037)	DL2VFR	11-184	174
8-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7W (EU-037)	DL2SWW	11-184	174
8-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SM7DAY/7 (EU-037)	SM7DAY	11-184	174
8-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
8-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
8-Oct	20-Oct	SV5	SV0XAN/5 (EU-001)	IK2WZD		11-188
8-Oct	13-Oct	SV5	SV5/NX1S (EU-001)	DL4OK		11-193
8-Oct	14-Oct	TK	TK/DL1DVP (EU-014)	DL1DVP	11-192	164
8-Oct	14-Oct	TK	TK/DL3VTA (EU-014)	DL3VTA	11-192	164
8-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR		11-192
8-Oct	17-Oct	VK9L	VK9CLF (OC-004)	HB9QR	11-157	130
8-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
8-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
8-Oct	8-Oct	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-191
8-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
8-Oct	11-Oct	ZK2	ZK2AH (OC-040)	DL2AH	11-193	164 065
8-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP5EAQ (OC-038)	SP5EAQ		11-154
8-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9BQJ (OC-038)	SP9BQJ		11-154
8-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9PT (OC-038)	SP9PT		11-154

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Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for October 7, 2007 was 13, and 15 on the sixth.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B8GT	RX3DD	A05FX	EA5FX	IU1ARI	IQ1IV
3C7Y	EA5BYP	A07AJR	EA7AJR	OF2IPA	OH4MDY
3D2WW	JA8UWT	A09IB	EA9IB	OH3/AI5P	AI5P
3V8SS	RW4WM	C91R	CT1BXT	PY1/DJ4CW	AI4U
4U50SPACE	HB9BOU	CM6CAC	EA5KB	R1FJT	UA4RC
5H9PD	W8FV	CO6RD	AD4C	R450WZ	RU9WZ
5L2MS	PA3AWW	CO7EH	AD4C	SD7T	DL2RTK
5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS	CO8LY	EA7ADH	SD7V	DL2VFR
6I2EX	XE2EX	CU2MAIA	CU2ARA	SD7W	DL2SWW
7Q7CE	IN3VZE	D2NX	JH7FQK	SN40ZOS	SP4ICP
7X2EB	EA7FTR	DP0GVN	DL5EBE	T80W	JM1LJS
8P6DR	G3RWL	EE5KB	EA5KB	TC84IJ	TA2IJ
8Q7AK	G7COD	EG7EA	EA7NL	TM6MXP	F5KFL
8R1XR	DK6XR	ES375UT	ES5RY	UE9WFJ	RX9WN
8R1XT	DK8XT	HC2AQ	EA5KB	ZB2CN	DJ9WH
9G1YE	PA3ERA	HK1JKL	EA5KB	ZK2AH	DL2AH
9G5ZS	ZS6EGB	HV50VR	IW0GPN	ZL7/SP5EAQ	SP5EAQ
A61TX	W4JS	HZ1IK	DK7YY	ZL7/SP9PT	SP9PT
AN5KB	EA5KB				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 403A, 6Y5WJ, A25SL, BS7H, FS5KA, KH6ND/KH5 (2000), OJ0/SM0BSO, SV9CVY and VE1FO/P (NA-126).

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: A01YO, 403A, 5A7A, 7Z1HL, 9K9X, G3NKC, HZ1IK, KP2/NP3D, LN8W, LX7I, PY5EW, TF/G3SXW, TF/G4IRN, TF8GX, VK2GWK, VP8LP, YV1DIG, ZL1BYZ, ZL4PW and ZP6CW.

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DX News

VK2CCC (LY1F), Tomas, has decided to postpone his VK9CLH Lord Howe Island (LHI) trip from November 2007 to the spring of 2008 in hopes of better conditions on Topband. JA1XGI's trip to LHI as VK9GLX is still on for October 19-22. Tomas will instead be going to Tonga (A35) and plans to be QRV from November 19th to 26th. He does not know the call as of press time. Tomas will be operating from OC-049 mostly on the low bands on CW. The focus of this operation will be the CQ WW CW DX Contest. He has a Web site at www.qrz.lt/ly1df. QSL via LY1F.

The 9U0A team went QRT today around 0400Z after making some 33,500 QSOs. Today they will disassemble the station and returning to Germany. Due to daily thunderstorms they were unable to operate more on the low bands. "This was the worst QRN we have ever experienced on any of our DXpeditions which made reception almost impossible", reported the team. QSL information and other details can be found at www.dl7df.com/9u/.

N4SF and AA4V will be QRV in the CQ World Wide Phone signing 4X0V as a multi-two from the Mikveh Agricultural School in Holon, Israel.

The Scout Jamboree On The Air (JOTA) event takes place on October 20th and 21st this year. This event will have more than 500,000 people from over 100 countries participating. Many Scout stations will be QRV including SU50JOTA from the Cairo International Scout Centre in Egypt. Look for this station to be QRV on 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 meters on CW and SSB. The SU50JOTA team members include SU1GS, SU1SA, SU1AO, SU1KM, SU1KA, SU9NC and SU1SK. They have a Web page at www.qsl.net/su50jota. QSL via SU1SK, Said Kamel, P.O. Box 190, New Ramsis Center, Cairo 11797, EGYPT.

9K2HN, Hamad, says he will be doing a multi-single during the CQ WW Phone at the end of the month. Joining him will be 9K2RR, Faisal; 9K2YM, Yaser, 9K2YM; and guest operator N5ZO, Marko, who will arrive two days before the contest and will do some activity before the event. The team will operate as 9K2HN and QSL via QRZ.COM.

A group of Hungarian ops are heading to Thassos Island (EU-174), Greece. Look for the group call J48RT and the operators HA2VR, Gyuszi; HA6NL (J48NL), Laci; HA6PS (J48PS) Zsolt; HA6ZV, Tibor; HA7JJS (J48JJ), Al; and HA7PL (J48PL), Laci to be QRV from October 24th to November 8th. They will all be QRV also as SV8/their home calls as well. Activity will be on all HF bands plus 2 and 6 meters on CW, SSB, PSK31, MS and JT6M. Plans are to participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as a multi-single as J48RT. During the HA QRP Contest (November 1-7) they will also be in contest mode. On November 2, 3 and 4 they plan to make a trip to Ypsario Mountain where they will be active in the VHF Contest on 2 meters. They will be operating from Kazaviti (KN20HR). QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau. QSL J48RT via HA6NL.

GB2HFC will be the callsign of the station at the annual RSGB HF Convention from Friday 12th October to Sunday 13th. This year the Convention is at the Wyboston Lakes Conference Centre in Bedfordshire, UK, with a full programme of talks, food, drink and chat.

Look for B7P to be active in upcoming CQWW SSB DX Contest. This will be a multi-multi-effort as they will be running 6 stations (10-160 meters). QSL via QRZ.COM.

JF1SQC/KH0DQ, Seiichiro "Sei" Morikawa, will be QRV as 9M6LSC from Koto Kinabaru, Saba (OC-088), East Malaysia from October 22nd to 29th. The main purpose of the trip will be the CQ WW SSB DX Contest where he will operate SOAB. Outside of the contest he'll be active mainly during his evenings on CW and RTTY on 12, 17 and 30 meters. QSL this operation only via JF1SQC.

This week look for YV4GMG, Hector to be especially active on RTTY. He likes 20, 30 and 40 meters.

AI5P, Rick, will be making his last stop in Europe in England. Look for him to possibly be QRV as M/AI5P on Wednesday and or Thursday.

Silent Key

Ex JA1ANG, Haruo (Harry) Yoneda, passed away yesterday. He was 88. "Although he had let his license lapse recently because of ill health, Harry was well known to hams around the world", reports W2RS, Ray Soifer. Harry was a keen CW op and traveled extensively on business and pleasure. He was a close friend of the late W2SKE, Bill Leonard, a Columbia University classmate. Condolences may be sent to JA1PKI, Tak, via email to ja2pki@jamsat.or.jp. They will be forwarded to the family.

KD9Q, Douglas E. Williams, became a Silent Key on Sunday October 7th. He was 73 years old. Doug other passion was skydiving. The ARRL DXCC list shows head had 331/340 (active/deleted) DXCC Countries confirmed.

QSN

3C7Y - EQUATORIAL GUINEA - Multiple North American West Coast ops reported working them on 14035 yesterday around 2245Z.

EL2DX - LIBERIA - DXers from Wisconsin reported working this one on 3510 Monday between 0415 and 0600Z.

H40MY - TEMOTU - Mike began activity on 160 meters today on 1822.6 QSX up 2 KHz. Yesterday he had a great signal long path into the East Coast of the US on 14044 around 1900Z. QSL via OM2SA.

TT8PK - CHAD - Phil has been reported by several sources on CW! He operates very QRS. He's been on 10, 12, 17 and 20 meters.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8CDI	14247	2053	EU-137	SD7T	14260	0845
AF-010	3C7Y	14035	2222	EU-137	SD7V	14013	1027
AF-067	5Z4/YT1CS	14260	1727	EU-137	SD7W	7009	0431
AS-047	JH0IEW/6	7038	0045	EU-137	SM7DAY/P	14002	1456
EU-004	EA6/MODLL	14265	0813	NA-099	WP4U	21260	2100
EU-010	MS0WRC	18137	1031	NA-108	J6/DL7AFS	21298	1350
EU-031	IC8/OE1MHL	14260	1649	OC-146	YB8TAF	14290	1349
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14250	1713	OC-148	YC9MDX	21260	1310
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	14257	0731	OC-178	H40MY	14041	1320
EU-129	DK3DUA/P	14049	1530	OC-195	VK7KPB	14257	0647
EU-137	8S7T	7075	1928	OC-256	P29VLR	14260	1350

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9-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XR	DK6XR		11-176
9-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XT	DK8XT		11-176
9-Oct	9-Oct	9U	9U0A	DL7DF	11-189	115
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9-Oct	21-Oct	TA	TC84IJ	TA2IJ		11-194

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3Z50SPU	SQ2RH	IP2IPY	I2AZ	P29VLR	SM6CVX
DA0UBOOT	DK9OS	MS0WRC	G0MTD	ZL7/SP9BQJ	SP9BQJ

BA6QH - Qin Tao Ruan, 65 Huangshi Road, Wuhan 430013, CHINA
 BD4AYM - Lu Zhang, P. O. Box 125-041, Shanghai, CHINA
 BG4WZH - Li Jing, 88 Jiu Zhu Road, Jiang Ning District, Nanjing, Jiangsu 211102, CHINA
 BG4XWP - Yang Songlin, No. 1, Renmin South Road, Xinfu Zhen, Dafeng, Jiangsu 224171, CHINA
 BG7JSQ - Pu Liu, Room 5-1101, Culzhuyuan, Yicui Garden, Nanhai, Foshan, Guangdong 528200, CHINA
 BG7RMD - Feng Yue, Room 602, Building 1, No. 9 Da Fu South Road, Foshan, Guangdong 528000, CHINA
 YB2TJV - Halim Dani, P. O. Box 123, Kebumen 54300, INDONESIA

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For those of you who worked A52DA last week QSL via DL1DA. It was indeed Conny at the key, says A52UR/N1UR, Ed, who worked A52DA several times while in Bhutan.

HB9HFN, Cedric, has uploaded his DXpedition logs for 5W0FN, A35FN and FW5FN to LOTW.

QSL manager KU9C, Steve Wheatley, says he is "effectively current, perhaps with the last few weeks QSOs not being answered yet" for BS7H. He asks that those still waiting to "wait a few weeks, then ask via bs7h2007@yahoo.com."

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: FO/N6JA, HL0LPM/3 (AS-080), OX/PA3EXX/P (NA-243)

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On The WWW

The World Wide Lightning Location Network (<http://webflash.ess.washington.edu/>) has some very interesting maps around the world showing lightning stroke locations. This is a great tool for low band DXers wondering what conditions are like at the DX location. This world map (http://wlln.net/TOGA_network_global_maps.htm) is probably the best page as it gives you a global look.

Yesterday's front page of the Wall Street Journal had a nice article on CW. You can read it at <http://tinyurl.com/267xzw>. Chuck Adams is K7QO.

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DX News

The three man team heading to Brunei in early November has received their V8 calls. GM4FDM, Tom, will be V8FDM (QSL via GM4FDM). PA3EWP, Ronald, received V8FWP (QSL via PA7FM). F8FWU (QSL via F5CWU) will be operated by F5CWU, Flo. They will be leaving London on Saturday November 3rd and hope to be QRV on the bands on November 4th or 5th.

Activity is expected until about November 18th. "Due to weight restrictions by Royal Brunei Airlines we shall NOT be able to carry our Titanex for 160/80 but we shall endeavour to put out as good a signal as possible so that we can make as many QSOs as possible on these bands", says GM4FDM.

RV1AW, Andrei, will be operating the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest as CN2AW from the CN2R station. He'll be single-op single-band 20 meters. QSL via RV1AW.

TC3A will be the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest special call for LZ1NK. He'll be operating from the Bursa region of Turkey in Asia. Look for a SOSB 40 meter low power entry. Also watch for him from November 21-26 as TA3/LZ1NK. QSL via his home call.

Congratulations to W7KNT, John Vugteveen, who received his six meter DXCC, which was # 862 and dated July 24, 2007. It is believed W7KNT is the first to obtain 50 MHz DXCC from the US Northwest (MT, ID, WA or OR) completed with Sporadic E and F2 only propagation. Earlier this year W7GJ, Lance, from Montana received his DXCC on 6 meters, of which some of those QSOs were on EME. Congrats to both W7GJ and W7KNT. (Ed. note - I believe John has been QRV on 6 meters chasing DX for 50 years!)

K4IM, Stephen Wheelock, is now QRV as HH2SW in Haiti. He can often be found on 7288 at 2330Z. He is currently working on antennas for 20 and 80 meters.

OH3JR, John, will be QRV as VP9/OH3SR from Bermuda between November 23rd and 27th, including the CQ WW CW DX Contest. Before and after the contest he'll be on HF on CW, SSB and RTTY.

This weekend the annual RSGB HF Convention will take place at the Wyboston Lakes Centre in Bedfordshire, England. The program is now available online at <http://www.rsgb.org/hfc/programme/draftprogramme.htm>. GB2HFC will be QRV from the event. QSL via G4BWP.

Today in commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the 1932 ITU Conference of Madrid special event station A00UIT will be QRV. For more details (in Spanish) check out <http://tinyurl.com/2ouurg>.

Looks like the RTTY operations of GJ2D on September 28th 2007 between 15 and 16Z was that of a pirate. G3LZQ, John, who was the QSL manager for this special call back in February 1999, says he knows nothing of this latest

operation. He also mentions that special contest calls are only permitted to operate certain international contests so that would rule out any 30 meter activity. John who also handles the QSL chores for MU0ARC says the operations of this station in late August and early September 2006 are also that of Slim (a pirate).

No More WARC Bands!
By W3UR, Bernie McClenny

In 1979 during the World Administrative Radio Conference (WARC) Amateur Radio obtained the 12, 17 and 30 meter bands, which have traditionally been called the WARC bands. WARC is long over and it is well past time to discontinue the use of this reference. Effective immediately The Daily DX, The Weekly DX and How's DX will refrain from using this term and will instead refer to them as 12, 17 and 30 meters. I encourage other DXers and editors to do the same. Besides we need to look forward to future WARC bands! See you on 12, 17 and 30 meters?

Silent Key

W7WK, Steve Victor, of Great Falls, MT passed away on Sunday October 7th. Steve had been suffering with severe medical problems for about 15 years. Like many DXers Steve had a goal of attaining number one Honor Roll. DXCC records show Steve had 332/338 (active/deleted). Apparently he had two more in hand. Steve was a valuable staff member of INDEXA.

QSN

4U50SPACE - UNITED NATIONS - N2UN, Tony, and LA5IIA, Johnny, made a last minute surprise operation from the UN station yesterday. This will be the last activity using this special event call. QSL via HB9BOU.

OX3XR - GREENLAND - Peter was on 7002 today at 0030Z. QSL via OZ3PZ.

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E51NOU	N7OU				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5A7A, 5W0FN, A25SL, FW5FN, HK3BVD, HS0/G3NOM, LU5VV, PY3CQ, S59N, TF8GX, V31UB

Correction

EA6/LU5FF has been listed the past few issues in the calendar section with the wrong QSL route. The correct QSL route for EA6/LU5FF is via LU5FF.

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DX News

Yes indeed N5FF, Said, is back in Syria. He arrived there on an unplanned trip Monday evening and will be returning home to Texas on Saturday October 20th. Said will be on the air as YK1BA as much as he can, however it will be very spotty. He has managed to operate for a few of hours over the last couple of days. QSLs go via his home call.

The organizers of the Military World Games being held in India during the period 14th to 21st October 2007, approached ARSI as the National Society to support them with Amateur Radio stations at the various games locations. Accordingly ARSI has been allotted a special call sign AT0MWWG for use by the operators manning the stations for the period 9th to 21st October 2007. The venues for the games are -Mumbai (for the sailing events), Hyderabad and Secunderabad for other events.

ARSI stations will operate from all locations. Operating modes - CW, SSB, Digital and Echolink. A special QSL card will be made for this call. The QSL Manager for the event is: VU2SWS, Sarla Sharma, 7 Gaurav Apts, Behind Ashok Nagar, Nahur, Mulund, West Mumbai - 400 080 India. DX stations should send 1 IRC and a self addressed envelope.

VU stations should send a self addressed stamped envelope.

DD5FZ, Toby, will be in Montenegro again starting next week. He'll be arriving on October 14th and staying through November 4th. His plans are to use the call 405Z during the Worked All Germany Contest and the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. He'll also be QRV outside of the contests probably as 40/DD5FZ for the first two weeks of his stay and possibly the last week. Look for him on SSB.

During the 30th anniversary of the Grupo Argentino de CW (GACW) several operators from Argentina will be QRV from the city of Samuel Morse, which is located in the Buenos Aires province. Stations in Argentina operating from QTHs other than their own station license location must sign portable a letter, which indicates the province they are QRV from. The complete listing can be found at <http://gacw.no-ip.org/divilu.html> and you can see the official map at <http://gacw.no-ip.org/mapa.html>. Between October 12th and 15th look for the following stations to be QRV during this special event:

LU1DZ/E, LW2DX/E, LU5FZ/D, LU6UO/D and LW1EXU/D. For more info on GACW check out their Web site at <http://gacw.no-ip.org>.

For those who have not participated in the 2007 DX Magazine's Most Wanted Survey you have until October 15th. Do it now at http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2007.html.

QRZ DX reports DL1BDF, Mustapha, will be QRV from club stations 3V8CB and 3V8ST between October 19th and 21st in commemoration of 10 years of the Scouts ARC of Tunisia. QSL via the bureau. No direct requests and no green stamps, which are

apparently prohibited. But first he'll be active from SU0ARA in Egypt from November 10-18.

DJ4SO, Klaus, will be QRV from the Matunda Guestfarm in northern Namibia as V5/DJ4SO from November 13th to December 3rd. Look for him mostly on CW, RTTY and PSK31, with some SSB, on 6 through 160 meters. He'll also be active in the CW WW CW DX Contest at the end of November.

Yesterday the International DX Association (INDEXA) released a special bulletin reminding everyone of the results of the 2007-2008 election of officers. Those officers are:

President K4MQG
Vice President K8YC
Secretary-Treasurer W4UNP
Director 1-year XE1CI
Director 1-year K4UEE
Director 1-year W4NL
Director 2-year DJ9ZB
Director 2-year N4AA

Shortly after the election INDEXA received a resignation notification from XE1CI, Nellie Saltiel de Lazard due to her health. The organization, which helps support many DXpeditions, will be "working on filling this position in the future". INDEXA is "working on some very important changes that are necessary for the future direction" of the association, which are expected to be announced next month. They are also in negotiations with several 2008 DXpeditions for financial support. Also W9RG, will remain as a Director finishing his 3 year term at the end of September 2008. For more information on INDEXA check out their Web site at www.indexa.org.

Propagation guru KH6BZF, Lee Wical, says the SEC is predicting possible aurora activity on the mornings of October 11th and 12th. Looks like we have a solar wind stream heading towards the planet, which could "spark a geomagnetic storm". Those located in the high latitudes should be on the watch for auroras. Low band DXers should pay attention to North/South enhancements in conditions prior to the storm hitting the earth.

T98A (ex 9K2/T94FC, STORM, ST2A, T94FC), Jovica, passed his Amateur Radio exam in Senegal and is now 6W1SJ. He'll be mostly QRV on CW with some SSB and digital mode activity. Jovica is on a two year work assignment in Senegal and expects to be working in other Western Africa countries during this time period. QSL via T93Y, Boris Knezovic, P.O. Box 59, BA-71000 Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina. You can QSL via the bureau or send an email request to Boris at t93y@lol.ba.

The highest ranking member of the International Telecommunications Union (ITU), the Secretary General (SG), is now a licensed Amateur Radio operator. Dr. Hamadoun Toure obtained his HB9EHT license earlier this week. He has been the SG since November 2006. You can read more about him on his ITU web page at <http://www.itu.int/net/ITU-SG/index.aspx> and on the ARRL Web site at <http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2007/10/10/101/?nc=1>.

Polish ops SP9LJD and SP6AXW will be putting on a multi-two effort in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest on October 27/28 from Armenia. They will be operating as EK0B. QSL cards for this operation go via SP9ERV.

During the CQ WW Phone both HZ1EX, Thomas, and HZ1GW, Ken, will be putting in single op efforts from Saudi Arabia. As a reminder 80 meters is currently off limits in HZ land. QSL HZ1EX via SM0BYD and QSL HZ1GW via GW0RHC.

In the CQ WW CW event OH1VR will be operating as VP9/OH1VR from Bermuda. He'll be single-op 20 meters single band. Look for him on the island from November 24th to 27th. QSL via OH1VR.

Correction

In yesterday's issue F5CWU's, Flo, Brunei call was listed incorrectly. It should have been V8FWU (not F8FWU). Tnx K3LP!

Silent Key

N7SQU, Kenneth E. Roush, died on October 1st. He was 76. Ken was the OM of AA7UC, Judy Roush, former President of INDEXA. He had been ill for many months. Ken was an ordained Episcopalian priest who marched with Martin Luther King in Selma, Alabama and was the chaplain for the astronauts of the Apollo 7 through 13.

QSN

5L2MS - LIBERIA - Those looking for this one on the low bands may have to act quickly as the generator goes off around 0000Z. Last night they were on both 3525 and 1819 just before the generator was cut off around 2320Z. They hope to be able to stay on the air later over the weekend beginning Friday night.

HH/PY1ZV - HAITI - Watch for Fabio around 14200 at 2000Z and then on 7050 at 2300Z.

YA/KI4WDW - AFGHANISTAN - Denny was looking for North American ops on 14225 yesterday between 1300 and 1430Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-010	3C7Y	14195	1309	EU-124	MW/LY4Y	14021	1500
AF-057	5R8RJ	7008	0333	EU-137	SD7T	14260	1324
AF-067	5Z4/YT1CS	14193	1453	EU-137	SD7V	10108	0441
EU-004	EA6/LU5FF	7055	0601	EU-137	SD7W	14014	1131
EU-010	GM4KGK	10116	1952	EU-137	SM7DAY/P	14260	1431
EU-010	MS0WRC	14257	1639	EU-170	9A/DL4KM/P	7072	1839
EU-054	IF9ZWA	3796	0537	OC-178	H40MY	18086	2206
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	14260	1749	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14248	2306
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14262	1145				

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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11-Oct	19-Oct	5H	5H9PD	W8FV	11-192	154	
11-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175	
11-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194	
11-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181	
11-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177	
11-Oct	14-Oct	8P	8P6DR (NA-021)	G3RWL	11-169	152	148
11-Oct	12-Oct	8Q	8Q7AK (AS-013)	G7COD	11-159	091	
11-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XR	DK6XR		11-176	
11-Oct	13-Oct	8R	8R1XT	DK8XT		11-176	
11-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151	
11-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186	
11-Oct	17-Oct	EA8	EA8/DL3FCG (AF-004)	DL3FCG		11-179	
11-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
11-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
11-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
11-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
11-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AO	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
11-Oct	19-Oct	F	TM0VDM	F5KEB		11-184	
11-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177	
11-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179	
11-Oct	11-Oct	G	M/AI5P	AI5P		11-195	
11-Oct	12-Oct	GM	MS0WRC (EU-010)	MX0WRC	11-174	167	135
11-Oct		H40	H40MY (OC-178)	OM2SA		11-194	
11-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154	
11-Oct	12-Oct	I	IC8/OE1MHL (EU-031)	OE1MHL	11-194	164	
11-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188	
11-Oct	11-Oct	J6	J6/DL7AFS (NA-108)	DL7AFS		11-182	
11-Oct	11-Oct	P2	P29VLR (OC-256)	SM6CVX	11-194	174	134
11-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7T (EU-037)	DL2RTK	11-184	174	
11-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7V (EU-037)	DL2VFR	11-184	174	
11-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SD7W (EU-037)	DL2SWW	11-184	174	
11-Oct	13-Oct	SM	SM7DAY/7 (EU-037)	SM7DAY	11-184	174	
11-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174	
11-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154	
11-Oct	20-Oct	SV5	SV0XAN/5 (EU-001)	IK2WZD		11-188	
11-Oct	13-Oct	SV5	SV5/NX1S (EU-001)	DL4OK		11-193	
11-Oct	21-Oct	TA	TC84IJ	TA2IJ		11-194	
11-Oct	14-Oct	TK	TK/DL1DVP (EU-014)	DL1DVP	11-192	164	
11-Oct	14-Oct	TK	TK/DL3VTA (EU-014)	DL3VTA	11-192	164	
11-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR		11-192	
11-Oct	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA			11-194	
11-Oct	15-Oct	VK	VK2ALU	DL1ECG		11-188	
11-Oct	15-Oct	VK	VK2AMB	DK2CRN		11-188	
11-Oct	17-Oct	VK9L	VK9CLF (OC-004)	HB9QR	11-157	130	
11-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164	
11-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162	
11-Oct	14-Oct	W	KG8DP (NA-062)	KG8DP		11-177	
11-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173	
11-Oct	27-Oct	YB	YB9AQH (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-194	
11-Oct	14-Oct	YV	YW3AJ	YV5AJ		11-186	
11-Oct	11-Oct	ZK2	ZK2AH (OC-040)	DL2AH	11-193	164	065
11-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP5EAQ (OC-038)	SP5EAQ		11-154	
11-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9BQJ (OC-038)	SP9BQJ		11-154	
11-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9PT (OC-038)	SP9PT		11-154	

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at quiet levels for Thursday through Saturday. There is a chance for an isolated period of unsettled conditions today, due to a recurrent coronal hole wind stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for October 9, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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2E0PLA	ON4IQ	A00UIT	EA4URT	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA
2E0PLA	N2RJ	AT0MWG	VU2SWS	TM1SEF	F4CMC
3C7Y	EA5BYP	HA/OH2BAD	OH2BAD	VK9CLF	HB9QR
3V8SS	RW4WM	HK6K	EA5KB		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan are currently QRV as H40MY from Temotu Province. This is not the first time this call has been issued. In May 2000 the call was operated by JA0IXW, who also handled the QSL cards. QSL cards for the October 2007 operation go via OM2SA.

WC5M, Mark, reports receiving a QSL from ER4DX, after two previous failed attempts to the QRZ.COM address (P.O. Box 1662). He sent the QSL direct to ER1DA, Valery, at the Moldova QSL bureau, was suggested by The Daily DX a few weeks ago. Mark received the ER4DX QSL just after 3 weeks. The QSL had the following address on it: P.O. Box 3351, MD 2044, Kishinev, Moldova.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, CU2/WA1S, ER4DX, FR5ZL, J48HW, OX/PA3EXX/p (OC-243), YN2N

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: A25SL, HS0/G3NOM, JA8ECS, OF5Z, R1FJT, RI9K (AS-109), RI9KM (AS-089), S52KA, S95N, XE2WWW

On The WWW

Well we may not be able to currently hear Macquarie Island (VK0/M) on the air but VK6RO reminds us we can see it on the Australian Antarctic Division's Web cam at <http://www.aad.gov.au/asset/webcams/macca/default.asp>.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 4O3A, AC5AA, AD1C, DD5FZ, DJ4SO, K1SEZ, K3LP, K6TA, KH6BZF, KH6MT, N0RB, N5RN, NN3W, QRZ DX, T93Y, VE3IAE, VK6RO, VU2GMN, VU2SWS, W0MHK, W0XV, W4ABW, W4DN, W4UNP, WC5M

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A7/M0FZQ (VE7BDI), John, is once again QRV from Doha, Qatar. He's a professional artist that hopes to some day move here permanently. Look for John most days on 40 CW between 00 and 02Z. QSL via John Long, P.O. Box 23689, Doha, QATAR.

Effective immediately the new mailing address for INDEXA is:
International DX Association, P.O. Box 123, Catawba, SC 29704, United States.

Three Italian ops are heading to the Seychelles this weekend. They are IZ5FSA (S79LL), Leo; IW5DPF (S79SO), Stefano; and I5IHE (S79LC), Luca. The trio will be operating from Praslin Island (AF-024) from October 14-19. Actually Luca will stay until the 27th as he will be concentrating on the low bands. They will have a log search and other details on their Web page at www.ariscandicci.it. QSL all direct only via IW5CWA.

Registration is now open for the 2008 International DX Convention. Details can be found at www.dxconvention.org.

LU8ADX, Diego, will be in Mexico at the FMRE convention and QRV as XE1/LU8ADX and XE3/LU8ADX in his spare time between October 14th and 28th. QSL via LU8ADX.

During the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest look for XW1A to be single-op single band 20 meters. QSL via E21EIC.

NN1N, Dave, plans to be in Mexico from October 14-22 and active as 4A3A in his spare time. QSL via NN1N.

K4UEE Adventures In Ham Radio DVDs
By W3UR, Bernie McClenny

Several weeks ago I picked up several of K4UEE's, Bob Allphin, DXpedition videos to add to my video library. I already had the 3Y0X Peter I Island DXpedition video but wanted to complete my K4UEE video collection. This past weekend I had a chance to view the videos. Bob has put together five DVD videos covering nine DXpeditions - 3Y0X, XT2DX, VP8THU/VP8GEO, K5K and Five DXpeditions of the Year (AH1A, XR0Y, VK0IR, FO0AAA and A52A). The DVDs give a good look into what it took to pull off these rare ones and as well as some history of many of the locations. The videos are great for DXers, non-DXers and non-hams too. The DVDs can also make wonderful Christmas gifts or can be used for club programs. Check out Bob's page at <http://www.k4uee.com/dvd>. He also has special price for all five DVDs.

QSN

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- 3C7Y - EQUATORIAL GUINEA - The four man team start up activity most days around 08 or 09Z and finish by late 23 or early 00Z. So far no reports of any 160 meter activity. QSL via EA5BYP.
- 5L2MS - LIBERIA - The guys were off the air yesterday but expect to be a little more active than the past few days today and Saturday. They hope to be QRV past 0000Z tonight. Also expect to be on RTTY soon. In fact they were on just as this bulletin was being released (1100Z). QSL via PA3AWW.
- FR5HA - REUNION ISLAND - Several West Coast North American DXers found an opening to Joseph on 14193 Thursday around 1630Z.
- H40MY - TEMOTU - 30 meter ops found Mike on at 19Z yesterday and 0430 to 0600Z today. QSL via OM2SA.
- J28JA - DJIBOUTI - Stateside CW ops were working Jean-Claude on 14004 yesterday from just before 19Z until almost 2100Z. QSL via F5JFU.
- ZB2EO - GIBRALTAR - 15 meters was open yesterday as John was reported on 21005 just before 18Z.
- ZL7/SP9PT - CHATHAM ISLAND - A few UK Topband ops made Qs on 1822/1823 today at 0630Z.
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EU-031	IC8/OE1MHL	14260	1703	OC-038	ZL7/SP5EAQ	7094	0554
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	14258	1522	OC-038	ZL7/SP9PT	10103	2026
EU-137	SD7T	14247	1524	OC-178	H40MY	21046	0844

HR2J, Javier, reports he is "en route to La Ceiba to board the air force plane to go to Swan Island (NA-035)". He's going only to look and decide if a one month expedition is practicable.

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DX News

W1GDQ in Massachusetts, USA, reports it's worth keeping an ear on 15 meters. He says there were good openings Friday and Saturday into the Middle East, Africa, and Oceania.

H40MY (KM9D) says all was well in Tikopia, Temotu, the latest stop on their Pacific island-hopping, when they left there Saturday afternoon. Mike says, "The weather went against us and the only reasonable place to anchor here became untenable. We sailed on and off overnight and just did a close sail-by of what is normally the leeward side of the island. The wind is not strong, but is still coming from the west. The sea height has lessened, but is still about one meter, so it's not yet a comfortable place to anchor." Mike thought it was possible they could get back on shore Sunday, yesterday (Ed. note: which they did). Mike says propagation and activity were great on Friday, but they sailed away on Saturday and went QRT so they don't know how things have been since then. Mike says 40M has been mostly unusable due to interference. He was successful with one QSO on 40 when someone asked for him to go there. He has some short openings on 30M but 20 and 17 have been pretty reliable and "loud signals from EU on 15M have been a big plus."

Mike says "top-band has been very disappointing. The typical level of QRN is about S9. The other night we had some thunder and when it had moved off a reasonable distance I opted to check 160M. The background noise was really quiet and I thought finally, a break for this side. Well, I found out the antenna would not accept any RF and when I got the torch and went looking it was lying flat on the beach. The gust that came from that last squall had been from a new direction and it had flattened the antenna onto the sand. I can report that with the antenna lying on the beach the S-meter was a very low S5. I am envious of the operators visiting ZL7; I bet it's relatively quiet there."

Mike has 135 QSOs in 15 countries in the 160M log, but only K9DX and VE7SV from North America. He has heard W8TOP and K5RC but no one else from North America. He does not have an 80M antenna and no space to put one without being intrusive on landing places and canoe sheds. Mike says things have been hectic. They planned to try to find a better anchorage and resume their visit to Tikopia yesterday. Jan has not been on the air but has been busy as well, with other things. In QSO with A35RK Mike added that he had worked about 45 countries on 15M, which came as a surprise to him. He characterized 15 and 20M signals as "gangbusters," with some Europe QSOs and many North and South American stations worked.

DK3KR, Juergen, says it appears he will be in Indonesia from November 25-December 15th, where he will be QRV as YB1AQB using an IC-7000 and 10M-long

vertical from Bandung and Pameungpeuk. The latter is a small fishing village on the southern coast of Java, where they have their rocket launch pad and radio research base. Juergen will try 160M from the coastal station where he may have enough room for the antenna although, he says, there is a 2.75 MHz radar nearby.

K5UN will be in Suriname for the CQWW CW at the end of November. He has obtained the callsign PZ5X.

E51NOU (N7OU, Bill) will be on from Rarotonga, South Cook Islands, until November third. He arrived on October 8 and has 2,300 QSOs in the log, all CW, on 20 and 17M, "with many grayline openings to Europe." He says the "Grinder" jamming signal takes out 40M early in the evening and conditions on 30M have been marginal so far. He is using a 29-foot wire supported on a 10M pole, 5M from the ocean, with an autotuner. He says it won't load on 80M but "performs great on 40- 10m." A second antenna is a 20M 2-element vertical Moxon that E51JD, Jim, put up on Wednesday, which gives two S units of gain on 20M, enough to pull in weaker stations he can't hear at all on the other antenna, but, "It's no help on morning longpath though." Bill is doing volunteer work but will have a lot of spare time for radio in the early mornings and evenings there.

K5SF will be on as B1Z from Beijing, China in the CQWW SSB, multi- multi, joined by operators BA1AJ, BA1RB, BD1ES, BD1LBE, BD1LBF, BG1AC, BG1AI, 9V1YC and VE2QV. QSL via EA7FTR. He says, "Looks like some pre-contest activity on topband." They are putting up a K9AY receiving loop but probably won't have time to put out a beverage. They will have an FT1K and AL-1500 for the radios. No word on pre- contest activity or callsign.

C6AQW will be the Bahamas callsign for WQ5W for the CQWW SSB. He will be there October 25-31 and will be putting his QSOs on LoTW. Alan will be on Treasure Cay, Abaco, Bahamas, NA-080. In the contest he will be single band 40M low power. He currently has the 40M North America record in CQWW CW from ZF2TG in 1992. Outside the CQWW he will concentrate on 160, 80, 30, 17 and 12M SSB and CW, plus RTTY on all bands. He says he knows C6 isn't too rare but he hopes to help people fill it in on needed bands and modes. For a paper QSL, send to WQ5W direct with SASE or dollar, or via the bureau. He'll have a blog: <http://wq5w.blogspot.com>. There will be pictures and news before, during and after the operation.

6Y1V will be on from Jamaica October 23-30, with operators KY1V, CT1ILT, W2GB, W5AJ, LU9ESD and W1VE. That will likely be their callsign for the CQWW SSB contest. QSL via OH3RB.

6Y3T will apparently be the individual Jamaican callsign for CT1ILT, Filipe, October 23-29. He will be on all bands. QSL direct only, to CT1ILT.

The Radio Club of Panama will have special event station HP1RCP on for the Scouts' Jamboree on the Air October 20-21, from the Panama City National Scout Center. QSL via HP1RCP.

HL9BSA will be on in the JOTA from the Yongsan Army Post in Seoul, South Korea. Look for this one October 20, commemorating 50 years of the JOTA event. QSL via WX8C.

ON50JOTA will be a special Belgian callsign for JOTA October 19-21. They will be on HF and above on the usual scouting frequencies. You can arrange skeds by e-mailing on50jota@mail.be.

PA50JOTA will be on for the JOTA from the Netherlands. This one will be on from Nieuweroord, October 17-31. QSL via PA3EFR. Here is their web page: <http://www.scoutnet.nl/~jota>.

HF100SK will be a Scout station on the air from Skierniewice, Poland for the 100th anniversary of scouting. This one will be on the air until the end of the year. QSL via SP7ZIA.

K2DM, K3ZM and W4GKA will get together to put VP2MDG, VP2MZM and VP2MKA on the air from Montserrat October 24-30, including a multi-two operation in the CQWW SSB contest using the VP2MDG callsign. Look for VP2MDG on 6M SSB and VP2MZM on 160M CW outside the contest. QSL to their home callsigns.

There will be no on-line log search until after the 3C7Y Dxpedition. There had been hopes it would be updated daily but that apparently did not work out.

ZB2FK/ZG2FK, Ernie, says when he works the U.S. on 160M he needs the callsign repeated "at least five times during the space of 10-15 seconds and also the same for the RST. This is because the QSB is usually very long so I need to grab the essential information when the signal is at its peak and appearing above the noise. If not done in this way then the chances are it will be lost." He says if you only send the info two or three times, that may coincide with the signal trough. He usually has a noise level between S4 and S6, so his lowest report, he says, would be 449, which is what he gives when he has not been able to pick up the complete call. He says it would be folly to send name, state, city, etc. because it takes too much time with limited propagation and he wants to work as many people as possible.

2E1EUB, Paul, will be active from northern Scotland until October 20th. Most of his activity will be on the satellites using the callsign 2M1EUB/P. QSL to his home callsign, 2E1EUB.

EA8/ON5JV and EA8/ON6AK, Jean and Georgette, will be in Tijoco Bajo, Tenerife, (Canary Islands), AF-004, December 1-January 31. They will spend most of their time and 40 and 20 in their evenings. QSL to their home calls, bureau preferred.

EA4ATI, Dani, has moved from 6W, Senegal, to HI, Dominican Republic. He has been in the new QTH, Pedernales, a few months now and is using the callsign HI5/EA4ATI. His QTH is on the southwest corner of the D.R., near the border with Haiti, HH. QSL to his home callsign. Dani is using a dipole and 100 watts but will be on in the CQWW SSB as part of the HI3CCP team, which will use the callsign HI3C. Here is more on that operation:
<http://www.lomadeltoro.com/>.

HI9/IK5ZUI, Michele, is now active from Las Terrenas, Dominican Republic, for a stay of unknown duration. He is using a long wire antenna and 50 watts.

W7KFI, Susan, says the strength of the hurricane that caused her to return to Hawaii was over-estimated. She may make another attempt at Johnston Island the first week of November. She says if things straighten out she will have good trade winds and a nice downwind ride. For more on this 73-year-old grandmother's solo sailing adventures, go to <http://ussvdharma.net> or <http://www.qrz.com/callsign/W7KFI>.

ON9CMV, a "semi-rare prefix," will be used by N0HJZ, Rich, October 24- 30 including the CQWW SSB. He says, "I'll have full power and large antennas for this effort." QSL direct to N0HJZ, and he will put the info on LoTW too.

W2CG, Marty, will be on Aruba December 17-31 and will operate as P40CG. He expects to have better antennas this time and will be on 80- 10M CW and SSB in the early mornings and late evenings. QSL to his home callsign or LoTW.

MM0DWV, Lars, will be on from Husvik, South Georgia Island, VP8. This is an old whaling station. He will have the callsign VP8DIF for his January 27-February

28 operation on all bands. His operating schedule will depend on his work obligations. QSL via DJ9ZB direct or bureau.
More info: <http://www.lars-boehme.de/vp8dif/index.html>.

The Strange Radio Team runs its fourth special event October 19-21. Here is a list of special callsigns expected to be on for it:

AO8SRT QSL via IZ8EDJ
CQ7SRT QSL via CT1BWW
DZ1SRT QSL via DU1IVT
HP1SRT QSL via HP1WW
II0SRT QSL via IZ0BTV
II5SRT QSL via IZ5BTC
II6SRT QSL via IZ6FZS
IR2SRT QSL via I2JJR
IR7SRT QSL via IZ7CRW
IR8C QSL via IZ8EDJ
IR8SRE QSL via IK8WEJ
IS0SRT QSL via IS0LFZ
IU8SRE QSL via IZ8GGF
L30BST QSL via IZ8EDJ
V55SRT QSL via IZ8EDJ
W1SRT QSL via W3IZ
YT07SRT QSL via YT3W.

The GMDX Group met Friday and reelected this group for 2007/2008.

Chairman: Rob, GM3YTS
Secretary: Mike, GM3PPE
Treasurer: Sheree Ferguson
Ordinary members: Gav, GM0GAV; Tom, GM4FDM; Drew, GM3YOR

Info on the GMDX Group can be found on www.gmdx.org.uk .

The NCDXA, National Capital DX Association, the Washington, D.C. region's DX club (typically the QTHs are in the northern Virginia and nearby Maryland suburbs and "exurbs,") has elected officers for 2008.

They are:

President, W2YE, Dick Mayott
VP, N4MM, John Kanode
Treasurer, N1KC, Brian Bayus
Secretary, K3GV, George Vincent

The Northern California DX Club, NCDXC, holds its October meeting this Thursday, October 18. The speaker will be OH1VR (aka OH3MMM and AE6PP), Seppo Sisatto, who will speak on "DXpeditioning - Another View." Seppo will talk about how to do small-scale DXpeditions, explaining why "small is beautiful." The meeting is at Holder's Country Inn, 998 South De Anza Boulevard, San Jose, California, USA. Dinner is at 6 and the program is at 7:30 PM.

Silent Key

425 DX News reports that ZS1ZI, Jock Perrett and F3XY, Robert Piat, recently became Silent Keys.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Jacky was on 40 CW Saturday night, 7007 from 0200-0245Z, working Europe and North America.

Friday evening he was on 80CW briefly, 3505, from 2025Z. He has also been on 15M CW and phone recently.

- 5R8RJ - MADAGASCAR - 7007 and 3507 in the 0200-0300Z range, also 7008 at 1900Z, and 18077 at 1600-1700Z. QSL via DJ7RJ.
- TC84IJ - TURKEY - Special callsign, 7005 at 2115Z, 7052 at 0300Z, 10111 at 0655Z, 7048 at 0440Z, 10114 at 1820Z. QSL via TA2IJ.
- VQ9LA - CHAGOS ISLANDS - Larry was on 7063 from 0115-0200Z, listening on 7207, described by a European as "lonely" and an American as "easy" to work. Also, 3798 at around 0100Z.
- ZL7/SP9PT - CHATHAM ISLAND - (Also ZL7/SP5EAQ) 7004 at 0255Z, 14195 from 0130-0225Z and 10104 from 1930-2030Z
- ZP6CW - PARAGUAY - 10103 from 0115-0210Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-010	3C7Y	21030	1225	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14264	1155
AF-014	CT3FQ	21267	0930	EU-120	M3SQG/P	14195	1055
AF-057	5R8RJ	18076	1645	EU-127	DF0IT	18073	0845
AS-014	A45WG/P	18071	1335	EU-144	IR8DX	7006	2100
AS-030	JD1/JE7IZM	21235	0800	EU-165	IM0/DF4TD	18120	0825
AS-081	6M0V/5	21260	0135	SA-008	HK3JJH/LU	14255	2145
EU-008	MM3GOE	7088	2135	NA-023	VP2V/K2ZR	14260	2045
EU-009	MM0SJH	1843	2000	NA-062	K4P	18101	1450
EU-014	TK/DL3VTA	10108	1000	NA-106	KV4CF	24945	1750
EU-025	IW9FRB	14082	1950	OC-193	VK6CHI	14260	0955
EU-047	DF6QN	14263	1250	OC-240	P29VCX	14041	2110
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	14260	0900				

An HR6 IOTA operation to Swan Island (Honduras for DXCC) is in the planning stages, with the Honduran Navy taking a small group for one week during February and/or March, 2008. The operators would pay for the navy's fuel. It is estimated at \$750 each for six operators.

But, organizers say, "Getting the Navy to commit is a different story." There are alternate possibilities of waiting until a "large navy ship" happens to be going that way, and the operators with generator, fuel, and supplies would hitch a ride. There is a possibility the island will be turned into a penal (prison) colony in the near future and would become off limits to "civilians."

A45WG/p, Tim, will be on from Masirah Island, AS-014, until 17Z today, October 15. QSL direct only, to A45WG.

HP4/W4JKC, Tom, will be on Isla Colon, Bocas del Toro Archipelago, NA- 088, now through November 2. He planned to be on 40, 20, 18, 15 and 10M CW and SSB, "as time permits." QSL direct or bureau to W4JKC.

K4P was the special call from Pigeon Key, NA-062, for operators KF4OM, Rudi, and KG4LCF, Larry, the last three days. QSL direct to KF4OM.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
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3C7Y	EA5BYP	EH4EI	EA4CT	R35NP	RW1AI
4K5D	K2PF	EW6GF	DL8KAC	R41WP	RA3LBA
5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	R450KB	UA6XT
6H1CT	XE1CT	EY8MM	K1BV	R450WA	RW9WA
6W1SJ	T93Y	GB2HFC	G4BWP	R450WB	RV9WB
9A60K	9A7K	HC2SL	EA5KB	R450WZ	RU9WZ
AO5URD	EA5URD	HH2FYD	F6FYD	SA25QW	SK6QW
AO7AJR	EA7AJR	HV50VR	IW0GPN	TK/DL3VTA	DL3VTA
AT0MWG	VU2SWS	II0JCE	IZ0GKN	TL8PRV	IN3EYY
CU1CB	EA5KB	IR8DX	IK8VRH	UE9WFJ	RX9WN
DR1COTA	DL1ATR	J88DR	G3TBK	VK6CHI	VK4AAR
EA6/LU5FF	LU5FF	LX/DF6PB	DF6PB	VK9CLF	HB9QR
EA8/DL3FCG	DL3FCG	LZ26ZA	LZ1KZA	VP2V/K2ZR	K2ZR
EA9EU	EA5KB	P29VCX	SM6CVX	Z29KM	EA7FTR
EG7CSG	EA7TG				

VA5JM (aka VE5CEM), Joe Musgrave, says effective immediately he is the incoming QSL Manager for VA5/VE5. His address is Joe Musgrave - VA5JM/VE5CEM, 729 - Fifth Street NE, Weyburn, SK S4H 1A4 CANADA.

Laurent Ferracci of <http://www.ferracci.org> reports that some people have asked him for help getting a QSL from FR/F5TNI. He called him on the telephone and was told the logs were lost in a hard drive crash, "So no need to try again, no confirmation seems possible."

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: A25SL, HR9/K0UU, UK9AA and VP2ERD.

On the WWW

G3TXF, Nigel, says pictures from this weekend's RSGB HF Convention can be found on <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/HFC-Oct-07/HFC07.html>. Nigel says it was a great

weekend, "well done to the RSGB for finding such a good venue, and yes, we should use bigger meeting rooms next year."

The VK9WWI DXpedition team's story can be read at <http://dx-is.com/news/?p=134>.

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DX News

The World Radiocommunication Conference 2007 (WRC-07) is set to begin on October 22nd and run through November 16th. During this time frame look for special call 4U1WRC to be QRV from the International Amateur Radio Club (IARC) station (4U1ITU) at I.T.U. Geneva. This will also include the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. This won't be the first time this call has been used from ITU Geneva, so most cty.dat files should be OK.

At the Chiltern DX Club (CDXC) Annual General Meeting held at last weekend's RSGB HF Convention the following members were elected as officers for the next year:

President: G3NUG, Neville Cheadle
Chairman: G3LAS, John Butcher
Secretary: G3SVL, Chris Duckling
Treasurer: G3TXF, Nigel Cawthorne
Digest Editor: G3RFX, Martyn Phillips
Members: G3RTE, Jim Kellaway; G4AXX, Mark Marsden; G7VJR, Michael Wells; and G3USR, Gordon Rolland

For more information on CDXC check out their Web page at www.cdxc.org.uk.

The 35th SEANET Convention will be held from November 8th to 11th in Lampang, Thailand. Special call HS35SEA will be QRV from the Wienglakor Hotel during the event. Complete details can be found at http://www.sabah.net.my/seanet/seanet_2007.htm.

Several DXers from Thailand reported great news for Thai Amateur Radio ops as they now have access to the 12, 17, 30, 80 and 160 meters, with no time restraints. The news was published in the Royal Gazette on October 11th. "An official statement from RAST is forthcoming but the law came into effect as of October 11th and the credit for this milestone goes to the special committee that has been working very hard in "stealth mode" to get this done", reports HS0ZDY, Sam. The official announcement from RAST came out today and can be read below.

Thai ops can now (not not) operate on the following frequencies:

160 meters 1.800 - 1.825 MHz
80 meters 3.500 - 3.540
30 meters 10.100 - 10.150
17 meters 18.068 - 18.168
12 meters 24.890 - 24.990

Members of the ARI Genzano team, along with local scout groups, will activate special event station II050SCOUT (Italy Italy zero five zero) for the 50th JOTA anniversary this coming weekend. QSL via IK0DWN and LOTW.

The ARRL DXCC Desk has approved the 2007 operations of 3V8SS for DXCC.
If you have had this one rejected just email the DXCC Desk at dxcc@arrl.org.

G3RWF, Nick, is expected in Uganda and QRV as 5X1NH from November 21st to 30th.
QSL via G3RWF.

Look for special event station TM9TSF to be QRV in celebration of the 90th anniversary of the settlement of the Basse Lande TSF station, in the city of Brains from October 19th to 21st. This station utilized an antenna farm composed of 10 towers, each 198 yards high. These towers supported a 1095 yard length antenna. The main goal of this radio station was to allow communications with submarines.

WARC bands Authorised in new Amateur Radio Act
(Official announcement from RAST)
Prepared by Tony, HS0ZDX
RAST International Liaison
October 16, 2007

Thailand's Intermediate and Advanced class radio amateurs are now permitted to operate on the so-called WARC bands (10-, 18- and 24-MHz) as well as in windows in the CW portion of the 80-metre (3.5-MHz) and 160-metre (1.8-MHz) bands on a permanent basis. The authorisation, granted in a new Act governing amateur radio in Thailand by the National Telecommunications Commission (NTC), follows years of lobbying by the Radio Amateur Society of Thailand (RAST). The details were published in the Royal Gazette on October 11, 2007, becoming effective the following day. Up until this announcement, which is part of a complete revision and consolidation of amateur radio regulations by the NTC, Thai radio amateurs had only been able to operate on the 80- and 160-metre bands during international contests on weekends, while the WARC bands had been only authorised by the Thai authorities for use during certain special event stations on a few occasions. Special permission to operate on the low bands during contests had been sought by RAST on an annual basis for more than five years to allow its members to compete internationally while also serving to demonstrate that there was no interference to other services. Specifically, the increase in HF spectrum allocated to amateur radio in Thailand is from 1.800 to 1.825MHz, 3.500 to 3.540 MHz, 10.100 to 10.150 MHz, 18.068 to 18.168 and 24.890 to 24.990 MHz and operators should respect the International Amateur Radio Union Region 3 band plan. No changes were made to the VHF bands, where 6- metres (50-54 MHz) and 1,240 MHz are still off-limits and 430-MHz (70-cm) is authorised for monitoring only, such as to listen to satellite downlinks. Two metres (144-MHz) is channelised and minor amendments were made to repeater allocations. The full 37-page announcement of the NTC's Amateur Radio Act of 2007 is published in the Thai-language on the web at <http://www.ratchakitcha.soc.go.th/DATA/PDF/2550/E/152/10.PDF>. The Radio Amateur Society of Thailand, which is under the Royal Patronage of His Majesty the King, will make an unofficial translation available soon as well as explaining some of the points in more detail at its website: www.qsl.net/rast Under the new regulations, all club stations in the provinces were also given 180 days to register as a society which must have a minimum of 20 members, while there is a requirement that each club station must operate for at least three hours a day, which is a reduction from eight hours under the previous regulations. The syllabus for the amateur radio examination has been revised and a new requirement for Intermediate class operators who are able to operate on HF frequencies is that they must be at least 15 years old. Morse code is retained as a requirement for the Intermediate class licence with the proficiency in sending and receiving being set at eight words a minute. As word of the new regulations and of activity by HS and E2 stations on the WARC bands spread after several of Thailand's amateur radio operators began making

contacts, so the pile-ups began. Thailand and CQ Zone 26 are in high-demand by award-chasers, both on the WARC bands as well as 80- and 160-metres.

DX Gathering

This year's ARRL Midwest Division Convention and Hamfest will be hosted by the Lebanon Amateur Radio Club (LARC) at the Cowan Civic Center in Lebanon, Missouri on November 10th. Some of the presentations for this event include 3Y0X Peter I Island by K4DA, Dave Anderson; VU4AN Andaman Islands by W3UR, Bernie McClenny; and Big Gun DXer - antennas by K5G0, Stan Stockton. They will also have DXCC card checking. For more details see the LARC Web page at http://www.lebanonarc.com/html/arrl_midwest_convention.htm.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8/DL6FCB	21245	1814	EU-141	LA5SJA	14263	1607
AS-014	A45WG/P	18069	1042	EU-144	IR8DX	7013	2027
EU-015	SV9/DF7XE	14260	1202	OC-013	E51JD	21305	0025
EU-023	9H1SP	21290	1613	OC-134	ZL4IR	7054	0648
EU-029	OZ2PBS	14188	1727	OC-164	VK6YS/P	10107	1749
EU-042	DL0SY	14264	0750	OC-169	A35RK	14288	0038
EU-067	SV8/HB9AAI	21295	1454	OC-178	H40MY	7021	0705
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14266	0827	OC-240	P29VCX	18074	0059
EU-136	9A2HQ/P	14012	0540				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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16-Oct	4-Nov	40	40/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
16-Oct	19-Oct	5H	5H9PD	W8FV	11-192	154
16-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
16-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
16-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181
16-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
16-Oct	21-Oct	CE	YV5IAL/CE2	YV5IAL		11-184
16-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151
16-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
16-Oct	17-Oct	EA8	EA8/DL3FCG (AF-004)	DL3FCG		11-179
16-Oct	17-Oct	EI	EI100MFT	EI8DD		11-194
16-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
16-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
16-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
16-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
16-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AO	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
16-Oct	19-Oct	F	TM0VDM	F5KEB		11-184
16-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
16-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
16-Oct	20-Oct	GM	2M1EUB/P	2E1EUB		11-199

16-Oct	H40	H40MY (OC-178)	OM2SA	11-194
16-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV 11-154
16-Oct	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC 11-199 194
16-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV 11-188
16-Oct	27-Oct	S7	S79LC	IW5CWA 11-198 194
16-Oct	19-Oct	S7	S79LL	IW5CWA 11-198 194
16-Oct	19-Oct	S7	S79SO	IW5CWA 11-198 194
16-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD 11-174
16-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB 11-155 154
16-Oct	20-Oct	SV5	SV0XAN/5 (EU-001)	IK2WZD 11-188
16-Oct	21-Oct	TA	TC84IJ	TA2IJ 11-194
16-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR 11-192
16-Oct	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA	11-194
16-Oct	26-Oct	VK	VK2ALU (OC-142 OC-160)	DL1ECG 11-188
16-Oct	26-Oct	VK	VK2AMB (OC-142 OC-160)	DK2CRN 11-188
16-Oct	17-Oct	VK	VK6YS/P (OC-164)	VK4AAR 11-174
16-Oct	17-Oct	VK9L	VK9CLF (OC-004)	HB9QR 11-157 130
16-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ 11-164
16-Oct	21-Oct	VU	AT0MWG	VU2SWS 11-197
16-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO 11-162
16-Oct	22-Oct	XE	4A3A	NN1N 11-198
16-Oct	28-Oct	XE	XE1/LU8ADX and XE3/LU8ADX	LU8ADX 11-198
16-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW	11-173
16-Oct	27-Oct	YB	YB9AQH (OC-022)	PA0HOP 11-194
16-Oct	20-Oct	YK	YK1BA	N5FF 11-197
16-Oct	30-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/DL2AH (OC-038)	DL2AH 11-193 164 065
16-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP5EAQ (OC-038)	SP5EAQ 11-154
16-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9BQJ (OC-038)	SP9BQJ 11-154
16-Oct	18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9PT (OC-038)	SP9PT 11-154

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be quiet. Expect unsettled conditions with isolated active periods for Wednesday and Thursday due to a recurrent coronal hole.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for October 14, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

FS/EA3GHZ and PJ7/EA3GHZ QSL cards have been received from the printer. In fact the first batch was mailed out yesterday and all are expected to be in the mail in the next few days. Bureau QSLs will be mailed in January 2008. FS/CT1BWW,

PJ7/CT1BWW, FS/EA5TH and PJ7/EA5YH QSLs are expected to be mailed in the coming weeks. You can see the QSLs at <http://www.dxciting.com/index.htm>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 7U5CI (AF-104), 9A2HQ/P, AP2TN, CE0Z, CO2OJ, EF8M, GB7HQ, JW0HS, KG4IZ, KG4MO, MD0CCE, PR8ZX, PZ5RA, T77C, T77NM, VA3UU, VO2/NF6J (NA-044), YT6A, ZA/DL1RTL

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 403A, AN5EB

On The WWW

The VK9WWI DXpedition team's story can be read at <http://dx-is.com/news/?p=134>.

Correction

DJ3KR (not DK3KR), Juergen, says it appears he will be in Indonesia from November 25-December 15th, where he will be QRV as YB1AQB using an IC-7000 and 10M-long vertical from Bandung and Pameungpeuk.

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Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: AD1C, E21EIC, EA3GHZ, F5NQL, G3LAS, HB9DKZ/HS0ZBT, HS0/EA4BKA, HS0ZCW, HS0ZDX, IK0WDN, JA1HGY, K1ZZ, K2BA, K3LR, K3WI, K6TA, N8DX, NC1L, NJ1Q, W1AW, W1YRC, W3LPL, W8GG, WA3GNW, WB9M, WC5M

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DX News

N1UR, Ed, will be using the call 9M6AAC for the CQ WW CW Contest at the end of November. "9M6A has expired and based on new callsign convention in 9M will likely never reappear", says Ed.

NOVD, Kelly, says he's on his way to the Caribbean where he will take part in a multi-two effort in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest as PJ4E from Bonaire (SA-006). Look for him before and after the contest, from October 18th to 30th as PJ4/NOVD. QSL cards for PJ4E go via WA4PGM, direct only and cards for PJ4/NOVD go to NOVD.

German op DJ6QT, DJ7JC, DK8NC and DL80BF will be QRV as CT3/homecalls from the Madeira Islands (AF-014) between October 16th and 30th. Activity is expected on all bands. During the Worked All Germany Contest (WAG) and CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest they will be signing CT9L. QSL CT9L via DJ6QT and all others via their home calls.

The Solar Influences Data Center in Belgium issued an "All Quiet" Alert on October 5th. This means a period of zero sunspots, which has remained since. There are a couple of interesting articles at <http://tinyurl.com/3b9o6s> and <http://tinyurl.com/39a2oy>.

DL1DA, Conny, is back from his trip to Bhutan where he was QRV with the recycled A52DA callsign. He was there between September 29th and October 6th and was active mostly on CW and RTTY during the contest. Conny stayed at the Thimphu Motithang Hotel where he had a 5 x 5 meter balcony to support his antennas. A TS50S was used into a 3 meter vertical. Conditions weren't all that great and the mountains surrounding Thimphu didn't help either. Thimphu is about 2320 meters ASL however "the surrounding mountains are much higher resulting in a minimum angle of my signals more than 25 degrees", says Conny. He also mentioned that the A5 licensing authority is helpful and professional.

The 3C7Y team is safely back in Spain, reports KH7Y, Fred. They had "many road blocks" beginning with the mislaid amplifiers, which did make it to the island three days after their arrival. Thankfully they hand carried two stations and their antennas also made the initial trip. Fred is unsure of how many Qs were made but says he personally made about 7K. It was very easy to work Europe but much more difficult for North America, Japan and other areas. Apparently they experienced a lot of jamming. Adding to the confusion was heavy QRN sometime 20 over S9 on certain bands and some "smoking electric wires from the loading from the amps out side." They have the pictures to prove it! The team also suffered from power outages but did have a generator, which would only handle the barefoot rigs. No word on the on-line logs. Keep an eye on their Web page at <http://personal.telefonica.terra.es/web/ea5yn/3c7y.htm>.

QSN

4S7BRG - SRI LANKA - PSK ops should look for Mario on 20 meters just after 1900Z.

4U1ITU - I.T.U. GENEVA - The club station was first on 18082 at 1440Z and then on 7010 just before 1600Z.

5L2MS - LIBERIA - West Coast US ops have reported an opening on 20 meters around 2100Z. QSL via PA3AWW.

7Q7CE - MALAWI - RTTY ops have been reporting Ely on 15 meters between 1200 and 1400Z. QSL via IN3VZE.

HS - THAILAND - E21EJC was on CW on 10103 at 1600Z. E21YDP does RTTY on 30 meters between 1200 and 1600Z and RTTY on 17 between 1330 and 1430Z. E20WXA was on 18120 after 1330Z. HS0ZBS started up on 17 CW just after 0600 and again after 1300Z. HS0ZCW has been on 30 CW between 1100 and 1600Z.

OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - Pascal was working across North America on 18084 from 1600 to 1700Z yesterday. QSL via F5OGL.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8BWL	21285	2018	OC-142	VK2AMB	7060	1047
AF-057	5R8RJ	21289	1035	OC-148	YC9MDX	21260	0745
EU-015	SV9/DF7XE	7032	1916	OC-164	VK6YS/P	7003	1444
EU-052	SV8DOU	7034	2045	OC-178	H40MY	10128	1239
EU-144	IR8DX	7017	0534	SA-026	PP5OW	21270	1734
NA-088	HP4/W4JKC	14013	2337				

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17-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
17-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
17-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181
17-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
17-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184	163 035
17-Oct	21-Oct	CE	YV5IAL/CE2	YV5IAL		11-184
17-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151
17-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
17-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145

17-Oct 24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
17-Oct 24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
17-Oct 24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
17-Oct 24-Oct	EL	EL2AO	PA3AWW	11-191	186	145
17-Oct 19-Oct	F	TM0VDM	F5KEB		11-184	
17-Oct 15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177	
17-Oct 3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179	
17-Oct 20-Oct	GM	2M1EUB/P	2E1EUB		11-199	
17-Oct	H40	H40MY (OC-178)	OM2SA		11-194	
17-Oct 20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154	
17-Oct 2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199	194	
17-Oct 31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188	
17-Oct 31-Oct	PA	PA50JOTA	PA3EFR	11-199	194	
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17-Oct 30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154	
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17-Oct 27-Oct	YB	YB9AQH (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-194	
17-Oct 20-Oct	YK	YK1BA	N5FF		11-197	
17-Oct 30-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/DL2AH (OC-038)	DL2AH	11-193	164	065
17-Oct 18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP5EAQ (OC-038)	SP5EAQ		11-154	
17-Oct 18-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/SP9BQJ (OC-038)	SP9BQJ		11-154	
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4A3A	NN1N	6C600	YK1AO	KP2AD	OK1AJY
4O/DD5FZ	DD5FZ	AO7AJR	EA7AJR	KP2M	AI4U
4X1FQ	AA4V	CX7CO	KA5TUF	P29VCX	SM6CVX
5H9PD	W8FV	EI100MFT	EI8DD	S79LC	IW5CWA
5L2MS	PA3AWW	HS0ZDY	SM3CVM	S79LL	IW5CWA
5X4X	DF5GQ	II050SCOUT	IK0DWN	S79SO	IW5CWA
6C60A	N5FF	IR8IPY	IK8WEJ		

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T77NM, TM5EL (EU-048)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

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Amateur Radio in Iraq was suspended in March 2007 due to security concerns. In August of this year all licenses issued by the Communications and Media Commission expired. New licenses are now in the works and will soon be issued says Iraq Amateur Radio Society (IARS) President YI1DZ, Diya Sayah. This includes both nationals and all visitors (YI9). Anyone needing the new application form can find it at <http://www.iraqi-ars.org/applicationofamateur.pdf>.

OH4MDY, Reijo "Retu" Laitinen, is heading back to Cambodia. He'll be QRV as XU7MDY from October 24th to November 12th. Retu will be there this time by himself. Look for activity on CW, SSB and possibly PSK. Watch the following CW frequencies: 1822, 3502, 7003, 10105, 14007, 21007, 24897 and 28020 KHz. QSL via OH4MDY.

EA5/KH6Y, Fred, is still in Spain resting after the 3C7Y DXpedition to Equatorial Guinea and says the on-line logs will be up in "a few days". All of their gear made it back safely.

K9NW, Mike, will be active from Martinique in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest as FM/K9NW. He'll be in the SOAB category. Look for activity before and after the big event from October 24-29. QSL via K9NW.

F6AJA, Jean-Michel, will again be active as YO/F6AJA from Bucharest, Romania from October 27th to November 2nd. He'll be operating from the YO3KPA club station in his free time.

During the CQ WW Phone test FY5KE, in CQ zone 9, will be active from French Guiana. This will be a M/S effort with ops F1HAR, F5HRY, F5MZN, F6FGZ, F6FVY and FY5FY. QSL via the bureau or direct.

Starting tomorrow members of the Bittern DX Group plan to be QRV as GB50RFR in celebration of 50 years of JOTA. The 1st Rural Roughton Scout HQ station will be active from Roughton Windmill until October 21st.

RW4WM, Dmitry Zakharov, completed his activities from Tunisia as 3V8SS. He was there between October 2nd and 10th making 2122 QSOs in about 15 hours of operation on CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL cards for his operation only go via RW4WM either via the bureau or direct to P.O. Box 5991, Izhevsk 426075, RUSSIA.

The China Radio Regulatory Committee has not issued the call 301GAME so there is no need to work this station and please do not QSL via the BY1 call given by this pirate.

Silent Key

YB1A, Halim Park, passed away in August 2007. Halim was originally from South Korea and was flown back to HL land for interment. He was one of the more active DXers from Indonesia.

QSN

400CE - MONTENEGRO - W6 and W7 ops were working Francis on 14220 yesterday around 1900Z. QSL via F5LGF.

4U1ITU - I.T.U. GENEVA - The club station was reported yesterday on 14086 at 0910Z, on 21006 at 1000Z and then on 18071 at 1340Z. They have a Web page at <http://life.itu.ch/radioclub/>.

5L2MS - LIBERIA - RTTY ops were working this semi-rare one on 20 meters Wednesday between 1630 and 1820Z. The team was also able to be QRV on 40 CW, 80 CW and 75 Phone yesterday after 0000 until about 0300Z. They were not on today during that time frame. QSL via PA3AWW.

6C60A - SYRIA - N5FF, Saad, was up on 3796 today around 0300Z working mostly European DXers. QSL via N5FF.

7Q - MALAWI - RTTY DXers should look for 7Q7CE and 7Q7HB on 20 meters between 1830 and 2030Z. QSL 7Q7CE via IN3VZE. QSL 7Q7HB via G0IAS.

AT0MWG - INDIA - Sarla (YL) was listening and working US stations yesterday around 1330Z on 18158.

EL2DX - LIBERIA - Likes 80 CW after 0400Z.

HS - THAILAND - 17 meter ops found the following stations active: E21YDP, E20WXA, HS0ZBS, and HS0ZDY. And on 30 meters it was E21YDP and HS0ZCW.

KL7HBK - ALASKA - A few EU/Scandinavian Topband ops made Qs on 1831.0 yesterday from 1510 to 1540Z.

MCONRC - WALES - Yes this unique call was QRV yesterday and today on 20 and 40 CW and SSB. QSL via M3UNN.

OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - Pascal likes 17 CW from 13 to 16Z. QSL via F5OGL.

R1FJT - FRANZ JOSEF LAND - Pacific Northwest and Midwest Topband ops reported good signals from this semi-rare one on 1823 today after 0400Z.

VP8CXV - FALKLAND ISLANDS - Chris was doing PSK on 7035 late (2115Z) yesterday. QSL via GM0TQJ.

YI - IRAQ - All Amateur Radio operators from here are still QRT. But this is expected to change soon.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-024	S79LL	14071	1920	EU-114	MU0FAL	18070	1325
AF-024	S79SO	14260	1548	EU-170	9A/DJ8QP	10114	0954
EU-004	EA6/AA5UK	18101	1609	NA-055	W1AUS	14192	1451
EU-012	GM7GWW	7035	0522	OC-013	E51NOU	18071	1656
EU-023	9H3JC	14263	1346	SA-008	LU/HK3JJH	14260	1412
EU-085	UA1ZDA/1	7059	1422	SA-068	8R1AK/P	14239	1220

G4DYO, Bren, will be QRV as W4/G4DYO from Captiva Island (NA-069) for few hours on November 16th. He will be active on 20 meters.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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18-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
18-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
18-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181
18-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
18-Oct	30-Oct	9M6	9M6LSC	JF1SQC	11-195	187
18-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184	163 035
18-Oct	21-Oct	CE	YV5IAL/CE2	YV5IAL		11-184
18-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ6QT (AF-014)	DJ6QT		11-201
18-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ7JC (AF-014)	DJ7JC		11-201
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18-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DL8OBF (AF-014)	DL8OBF		11-201
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18-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
18-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
18-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
18-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
18-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
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TM1RWC	F6KMX				

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Earlier this week SM5DJZ, John, received all material from the late SM5DQC, Osten, which included all blank cards for 9Q1TB and 9Q1EK. John already had the logs and has mailed all direct cards that he has received. Osten's old address has been secured and any mail that goes there will be

forward on to John. Some cards have also been taken care of by SM7EH who has mailed out them already. Postage from Sweden to anywhere in the world is 11 SEK. One US \$ is equal to about 6.5 SEK so requests with only one US \$ can not be sent direct but will be sent via the bureau.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 1A0KM, 3B7SP, A45WD, BS7H, R1FJT, VQ9LA, VR10UW, WP4SK (NA-099)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 407WWYC, 4Z4DX, CN2R, HK0GU, PJ2T, TF3BM, TF60IRA, TK1KJ, V51WM

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The three man team heading to Brunei next month has updated us on their much anticipated DXpedition to V8. V8FWP will be used on 160 meters for all QSOs to avoid repeat QSOs. QSL to PA7FM. V8FWU will be used for all QSOs on 80 meters. QSL to Flo's home call F5CWU.

V8FDM will be used for all Digital QSOs. QSL to GM4FDM. For other bands/modes operators will use their own calls. Due to the fantastic generosity of the Battle Creek Special shipping and maintenance fund the team is now able to ship a V160 Titanex to Brunei. If they can secure a deal with UPS they may also be able to ship a V80 Titanex also. Funding from the GMDX Group has allowed shipping of an ACOM 1000 amplifier to Brunei, so this together, means that the group shall be able to mount a serious assault on the low bands. "We shall endeavour to be on 160 and or 80m each day at USA sunrise", reports GM4FDM, Tom. The team's Web pages at www.v8.pa7fm.nl/ have been updated and plans are to provide additional information as time goes by. 9M6DXX, Steve, will be operating from our QTH the week before including the CQ World Wide Phone, so this may give an indication of propagation to this semi-rare one. If the antennas and amplifier arrive early enough Steve may utilize them during the Contest. The team wishes to thank W8UVZ, George, for making this happen.

H40MY from Tikopia, Temotu Province is now QRT due to the weather. "I have no hope of any further HF radio activity from a land-based station", says Mike. He and Jan left the anchorage at Tikopia and spent two nights at sea until conditions allowed them to return.

Afterward he was able to go back ashore and operate for another two days, however with "mixed results". Conditions were very difficult on Topband, especially to North America. Mikes equipment is still on land and plans are to go make land to retrieve everything once when anchorage gives them "flat water" for an easy landing.

K3ZO, Fred Laun, will be visiting Thailand next month. He'll be attending SEANET Convention in Lampang November 8-11, where he will be checking DXCC QSLs. Afterwards he and XYL will be staying at his XYL's location in Bangkok until mid-December. Fred does not have a station "at Mom's" place but will be operating as either HS0AC or his HS0ZAR call from the club station, which is about 20 minutes away. "I will attempt to emphasize 80 meters CW at sunrise and sunset on my trips to the club station" says Fred. 80 meter activity will be CW only. He will not make any skeds and will not be watching the packet cluster. US East Coast 80 meter ops should watch for Fred on the much better 2200Z () greyline opening beaming over South Africa. During this time frame the band is quieter in Thailand. He may also be on during East Coast sunrise; however it is a much more difficult path due to noise in HS and a three to four "S-unit advantage over any East Coast signals". US West Coast guys will want to try between 1400 and 1500Z. Fred tells us he is "not inclined to work split since over there the band is crowded with non-amateur signals and you have to find a narrow hole in

which to operate". If the pile-up gets out of hand Fred will begin to send the other station's call at the end and beginning of his transmission. "If that doesn't work I will QSY to another frequency without making any announcement about it". Fred also mentioned that HS0ZDY is "well-equipped" for 80 meters and others are getting set up now that the "green light" has been given by authorities. QSL HS0ZAR via K3ZO.

Team Antigua will ride again into the warm Caribbean sunshine. V26B will be active during the 2007 running of the CQ WW SSB competition. The operators will be mostly preparing the station starting on or about October 22, 2007 and will probably be active through October 30, 2007 using their own callsigns as assigned by the Antiguan licensing authority. The year Team Antigua welcomes two new operators to their family. They are NI1N, Tom, and N3KS, Kam. They currently do not have their V2 callsigns assigned to them. Once they do the QSL routes will be via their home calls. The other team members and their routes are: V26B (KA2AEV), V26BA (WA3RHW), V26BZR (W2BZR), V26CW (KM9M), V26JN (WX3B) and V26OC (N3OC).

SP7VC will be operating SOAB as OH0/SP7VC from the Aland Islands for the CQ WW SSB. QSL via SP7VC.

AO8A will be a multi-two from "Pekka's Mountain" in the Canary Islands in the Phone edition of the CQWW. Team members will be EA8AH (OH1RY), EA8CAC, EA8ZS, ES2RR, OH5XT, OH6XX and OH9MM. QSL via EA8AH.

CT1BXT, Rodrigo, is currently operating as C91R in Maputo, Mozambique until August 2008. He will be back home in Portugal for the Christmas holidays and will answer direct QSLs then before heading back to C9.

Rodrigo is using a TS-2000 and Spiderbeam HD 20-10. Bureau QSLs are OK but won't be answered until the end of his activity next year. QSL via CT1BXT.

EA1FDI will be operating as 6V7G from Senegal in the CQ WW Phone. No word on what category he'll be in. QSL via EA1FDI.

UA2FB is going to Morocco and plans to operate as CN2FB in the CQ WW SSB event. He'll be doing an 80 meter single band effort.

Doing a 160 meter effort in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest will be UA2FF as CN2FF.

Also from Morocco will be UA2FW operating as CN2KT in the phone DX Contest. He'll be SOSB 10 meters.

A group of Russians will put on a multi-single effort in the CQ WW SSB as P33W from Cyprus. Team members will include RA1AIP, RW4WR, RX9TL, RW3QC, UA2FZ and RA3AUU. QSL via RA3AUU.

During the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest, October 27/28, special call 6Y1V will be QRV from Jamaica. The multi-op team will include KY1V, CT1ILT (6Y3T), W2GB (6Y0B), W5AJ, LU9ESD and W1VE. They will be QRV before and after the contest with their own individual calls from October 23rd to 30th. QSL 6Y1V via OH3RB.

W2PA, Chris Codella, recently made a DXCC submission and did not receive credit for the following operations due to lack of documentation: 9Q5LN - April 1992, AB0VE/D2 - December 2001 and E300A - December 2001.

CT1EGW, Arlindo, is now active with the special Scout Jamboree On The Air (JOTA) Golden Jubilee call CT7EPO through October 21st. QSL via CT1EGW.

CQ9K will be active in the CQ WW SSB from the Madeira Islands. This will be a multi-op effort. The ops will be CT3BD, CT3DL, CT3DZ, CT3EE, CT3EN, CT3HK, CT3IA, CT3KU, CT3KY CT3MD, CT1BOH, N6AA, W6NV, OH2KI, W6XD and AB6BH.

QSN

ZL7/SP5EAQ - CHATHAM ISLAND - Was S9 in Washington (state) between 1240 and 1345Z as he was working W4, W5, W6, W7, VE6, JA and YB. Yesterday was the SP team's last day of activity.

ZL7/SP9BQJ - CHATHAM ISLAND - RTTY ops all across North America on 7037.4 QSX 7044.1 around 1140Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-014	CT3FT	14246	1814	EU-084	SK0HS/0	7049	1926
AF-024	S79LL	18155	1123	EU-085	UA1ZDA/1	7050	1324
AF-024	S79SO	14260	1151	EU-138	8S7T	14255	1440
EU-023	9H3JC	14023	1612	EU-170	9A/DJ8QP	10105	0531
EU-023	9H4DX	18125	1434	NA-088	HP4/W4JKC	14013	0026
EU-038	PE1DTU	14260	1320	NA-128	K5YG/VE2	14182	2142

Look for JA6QIN/6 to be QRV from the following four islands Arifuku, Wakamatsu, Zuga, Nakadori, all count as AS-040 for IOTA, from November 5-7. QSL via JA6QIN either via the bureau or direct.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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19-Oct	19-Oct	5H	5H9PD	W8FV	11-192	154
19-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
19-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
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19-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
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19-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184	163 035
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19-Oct	21-Oct	G	GB50RFR			11-202	
19-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179	
19-Oct	20-Oct	GM	2M1EUB/P	2E1EUB		11-199	
19-Oct	20-Oct	HC	HC1/EA1APV	EA1APV		11-154	
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19-Oct	19-Oct	S7	S79SO (AF-024)	IW5CWA	11-198	194	
19-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174	
19-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154	
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19-Oct	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA			11-194	
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19-Oct	26-Oct	VK	VK2AMB (OC-142 OC-160)	DK2CRN		11-188	
19-Oct	22-Oct	VK9L	VK9GLX (OC-004)	JA1XGI		11-134	
19-Oct	25-Oct	VK9N	VK9CNF (OC-005)	HB9QR		11-130	
19-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164	
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19-Oct	22-Oct	XE	4A3A	NN1N		11-198	
19-Oct	28-Oct	XE	XE1/LU8ADX and XE3/LU8ADX	LU8ADX		11-198	
19-Oct	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF		11-189	
19-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173	
19-Oct	27-Oct	YB	YB9AQH (OC-022)	PA0HOP		11-194	
19-Oct	20-Oct	YK	YK1BA	N5FF		11-197	
19-Oct	30-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/DL2AH (OC-038)	DL2AH	11-193	164	065
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20-Oct	21-Oct	HP	HP1RCP	HP1RCP		11-199	
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Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Friday through Sunday the geomagnetic field will range from unsettled to active under the continued influence of the high-speed stream.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for October 17, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: ER4DX, VP8ROT, XX9TTR

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 5A7A, AL7R, D44BS, DL2ARD, DL6LW, DP4K, EA1DR, EA3DTD, FK8HN, G3UAS, G4STV, G6YB, GC0GRC (EU-124), HB9RDE, HK3AXY, HK3Q, IW3RQL, IU1DCI, IZ2HXV/8 (EU-144), JA1SMM, LZ170VL, M0WLF, M5PLY, OK1KW, PD1DX, OE9XRV, OH0JFP, SB6A, T80X, TZ6NS, US1QA, VE9/F5AHO (NA-068), VP2VW, ZP6CW

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4O3A, BD4SP, HB9ICC, JW/OZ1HPS, KH6LC, LY4L, M2H, SM5UFB, SN2E, TM0RWC, UU2JQ, ZC4CM

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DX News

3DA0WW will be in the CQWW SSB, multi-two. The operators will be ZS6DXB, ZS2DL and ZS6JR. ZS6AVM, Dave, who holds the callsign 3DA0VM, will be along for pre-contest activity, and on 18 and/or 24 MHz during the contest, on a completely separate, third, station. There is an A3WS yagi up 20M, with 500 watts of power, the same setup used earlier this year by the Irish Afri75 Group. New for this CQWW will be a wire four-square controlled by a Comtek box on 80M. They hope to have that on the air by Thursday evening for on-air testing. There will be 30 radials. 30 radials will also be added to the 40M four-square. And, the group is switching to Dunestar bandpass filters from I.C.E. filters and additional stubs have been made. There will be three stations on the air simultaneously in the contest, two in the contest, plus the 18 and 24 MHz one. There are new Heil Prosets to replace the older standard one, and two "old faithful" amps, Icom IC2KLS, will be replaced by an Alpha 78 and a TL-922. N1MM software will be running on upgraded laptops. The rest of the station will be two Yaesu FT-1000MPs, two A4S yagis, one at 24m and one at 22m, on portable towers, a vertical for 160M, and a K9AY receiving loop for 80 and 160. Last year, five hours of operating were lost due to a tropical-storm-caused power outage. This year there's a standby generator. The ops are practicing their "five-nine-38."

TI5N will be active from Costa Rica in the CQWW CW in November. The ops will be K8FC, NOKE, K2PLF, K0DU, WA4PGM and N0KQ, a total of six operators. They will be at the TI5KD QTH near San Jose. They will all be active before and after the contest signing their call stroke TI. QSL TI5N via W3HNC, and other individuals to their home calls.

W9OL, Bill, reported nice openings on Friday on 10 and 12 meters to Europe and Africa.

WQ5W has two operations lined up, J75W, Dominica, for CQWW CW with inclusive dates of November 21-28, and V25W, Antigua for the ARRL 160 contest, inclusive dates November 30-December 2. Alan says he will be 40M single band in the CQWW from Dominica, going for the single band record. On Antigua he'll be operating from the V26B station. He'll upload his logs to Logbook of the World. Paper QSLs, via WQ5W with SASE or U.S. dollar, and via the bureau. <http://wq5w.blogspot.com>.

The special call for the 35th SEANET 2007 convention in Lampang, Thailand is HS35SEA. This operation will be November 8-11. QSL via HS1CKC.

G5XW, M0RLJ and M0JZE are going to Jersey in the Channel Islands for a long weekend, December 7-10, with the main plan to be on 160, 80 and 40 in the nighttimes. Staying on a campsite where they have been many times now, always

out of season when things are cold, GJ5XW, MJ0RLJ and MJ0JZE will have a 60-foot Spiderbeam pole and will be 99 percent SSB, but with a little CW possible. QSL info on QRZ.com is accurate and up to date.

K3SWZ, Glenn, talked to ZD7X (KC0W), Tom, on 15 SSB and Tom said he has put down 1,000 feet of radials for his 160M antenna. Tom thinks he'll be on 160 within two weeks. Glenn told him, "The world is waiting." QSL via W0MM.

425 DX News reports that 9A4X and 9A5RR will be on from Easter Island, IOTA SA-001, October 23-31. CE0Y/9A4X will be on all bands, and during the CQWW SSB will sign CC0Y, 15M single band. QSL via 9A2AA.

Also from 425 DX News, RK3DT reports that he will be on from Laos as XW3DT starting this week, for an operation October 25-November 6. QSL to Alex Sinchukov, P.O. Box 11, GPO, Hong Kong.

IF9A will be on Favignana Island, Italy, IOTA EU-054, October 26-28 for the CQWW SSB. The operators will be IF9ATF, IT9ORA, IT9NPR, IT9PPG, IT9RZU and IT9WDC.

IR5A will also be on from Italy, with IK5AAB, IK5AFJ, IK5YOJ, IW5ECI, IW5EFR, IZ5AJP, IZ5DKG, IZ5IIN and IZ5ILF, multi-single. QSL via IK5AFJ.

PA60LIM will be on from Noord en Midden Limburg, The Netherlands, October 27-November 11. This operation marks the 60th anniversary of this VERON section. They plan to be on for the CQWW SSB also. QSL via PE1NCP direct or bureau.

FS/K1XM will be on from St. Martin, single op all band, for the CQWW SSB. QSL via KQ1F.

8P5A, Barbados, will have W2SC at the microphone, single op all band. QSL via NN1N.

VU2PTT will make sure India is workable in the CQWW SSB, single op all band low power, from zone 22. QSL via VU2PTT.

V8AQM will be in the CQWW SSB from Brunei, single op 20M low power, zone 28. QSL via W3HNK.

YM0T will be a contest call for CQWW SSB from Turkey. The operator will be TA2RC, single operator single band 160M low power. QSL via the TA bureau or direct to TA2RC.

AH2R, Guam, with operators JG3RPL, JI3ERV, JH7QXJ, JR7OMD and JO1DFG will be multi-single in the CQWW SSB. QSL via JH7QXJ. They say on 40M look for them between 7075-7100.

9M2CNC, Western Malaysia, will be single operator single band, leaning toward 20M at present, in the CQWW SSB. The operator will be G4ZFE. QSL to him bureau or direct, or get your QSO info on LoTW.

CT3NT will be the Madeira Islands callsign for CT1BOH, Jose, in the CQWW CW at the end of November. Jose plans to be single op all bands. QSL via CT1BOH direct, or get your QSO credit on LoTW. <http://www.qsl.net/ct1boh/ct3nt.htm>.

HR2DMR, Dan in Honduras, will be in the CQWW SSB and CW both, single operator all band high power. He will have monoband yagis this year.

W8GEX has some "60 meter tidbits." First, he reports that K4SV and his crew going to Clipperton Island in March, 2008, plan to be on 60M.

J3K, Grenada, will be the callsign for W8GEX himself October 23-30, on "channel 4 or 5." He says, "I'll be on the 60 chat at <http://dxworld.com/60mlog.html> with updates."

VQ9LA, Larry, reports he will get his antenna up and be on 60M soon from Chagos.

IZ5FSA reports that S79LL and S79SO returned to Italy on Friday. Their on-line logs have been updated through the operation's end. S79LC, Luca, was scheduled to go on the air yesterday from a new location, this operation running through Friday, October 26. Seychelles national authorities have sent an e-mail saying 80M operation will not be allowed this time. www.ariscandicci.it.

OPDX reports that SO6V, Poland, will be in the CQWW SSB single op single band 40M low power. The operator will be SP6DVP (ex-3Z6V). QSL via SP6DVP bureau or direct.

QSN

EP3HF - IRAN - Sadegh was on 18155 from 0630-0730Z Saturday, 21290 from 0930-1045Z Friday, mostly working Europe and Asia both days.

EY8MM - TAJIKISTAN - 160 METERS - Nodir was on 1822 from 2350-0120Z, 3792 before that, at 2325Z, 1823-1824 from 1820-2140Z. 3508 at 1800Z, 1825, 1826 and 1816 at 1615-1715Z, and 3506 from 1330-1600Z. QSL via K1BV.

TY5ZR - BENIN - 21255 at 0825Z, 14222 at 07Z and 08Z, 21275 from 13-16Z and 21270 at 10Z. 18077 at 0940Z. QSL via IK2IQD.

UK8AJ - UZBEKISTAN - Rustam was on 14113 at 0620Z Saturday, 14025 from 12-13Z Friday. QSL via RW6HS.

VK9GLX - LORD HOWE ISLAND - 10143 RTTY at 0820Z working Japan, 10110 CW before that, 10142 PSK31 at 0525Z. All that was Sunday. On Saturday, he was on 10108 CQing at 11Z and stayed there, working Japan, Europe and the U.S. until 1145Z. Earlier in the day he was on 10140-10142 between 06 and 0830Z.

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EU-016	9A/DJ8QP	10108	1755	NA-128	VE2IDX	3800	2300
EU-114	MU0GSY	21285	0940	NA-168	AC50/P	14253	1800
EU-171	OZ0BB	14258	1520	SA-006	PJ2/W0CN	18140	2300

The four-island Papua New Guinea expedition has wrapped up. SM6CVX says they were only able to put up a 160M antenna one night, "simply because we had to interfere too much on the life for the local people.

There was just not space enough." That one night on 160, Hans says, they did get a few Europeans including Germany, Czech Republic, and Russia - Japan, W6

and W7, VE6, VE7 and KL7, about 250 QSOs. In total they made 10,500 QSOs from OC-285, 8,500 QSOs from OC-283, 5,000 QSOs from OC-256 and 100 QSOs from OC-240. Says Hans, "Not bad for an IOTA expedition. We had BIG problems with two of our verticals and that reduced the QSOs for sure, by some thousands." The logs for P29VCX, P29NI and P29VLR are now on-line at <http://www.rep.pt/P29-PapuaNewGuinea/>.

W5ZZ/p and N800/p, Serge and Vic, will be on Grand Isle, NA-168, October 19-20.

AA4ZZ, Paul, planned to be active from Sunset Beach Island, NA-112, through 16Z today. He planned to mostly stay on 20 SSB, possibly going to 17M SSB. QSL to his home call.

K6VVA plans to go back to Revillagigedo Island, Alaska, NA-041, for the ARRL 160M Contest November 30-December 2. He will sign KL8C. He also hopes to get on other bands signing K6VVA/KL7. The QTH has a saltwater path to the U.S. and much of Europe. When he operated there in September conditions did not cooperate for QSOs with Europe. There is a big hill in the direction of Japan, so he may try for a QTH on the other side of the island with a clear shot to Japan, for a while during the daytime, non-160M hours, and if not this trip then the next time. QSLs for his September operation are being printed now. QSL via N6AWD.

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22-Oct 30-Oct	PJ2	PJ4/N0VD (SA-006)	N0VD	11-201
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22-Oct 27-Oct	S7	S79LC (AF-024)	IW5CWA	11-198 194
22-Oct 30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
22-Oct 30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
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22-Oct 30-Oct	V2	NI1N	NI1N	11-203
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22-Oct 30-Oct	V2	V26BA (NA-100)	WA3RHW	11-203
22-Oct 30-Oct	V2	V26BZR (NA-100)	W2BZR	11-203
22-Oct 30-Oct	V2	V26CW	KM9M	11-203
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22-Oct 25-Oct	VK9N	VK9CNF (OC-005)	HB9QR	11-130
22-Oct 15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
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22-Oct 17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
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3Z50SPU	SQ2RH	EG5MGY	EA5URV	TM0JPL	F5TBX
4K9W	DL6KVA	EL2DT	EA4TII	TM1SEF	F4CMC
5C5W	EA5XX	EM1100UU	US7UU	TM9TSF	F4FFL
6L0OX	HL0NHQ	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	TY5ZR	IK2IQD

8P2K	KU9C	EY8MM	K1BV	V47KP	K2SB
9H3JC	DL5AUA	HC2SL	EA5KB	V73RY	N5LE
9M50MP	9M2TO	HF130KR	SP6ZJP	VE1/HA1ZH	HA1ZH
9M6XRO	M5AAV	HL9BSA	WX8C	VE2IDX	VE3ZF
9Q1EK	SM5DJZ	II250SCOUT	IW2NOH	VK9CNF	HB9QR
9V1YC	N5ID	IQ8OM	IZ8EDJ	VK9GLX	JA1XGI
A35RK	W7TSQ	IR7SRT	IZ7CRW	VO2FF	VE2III
A92HB	GM6TVR	IS0/YO3RA	YO3RA	W1SRT	W3IZ
AM5SP	EC5SP	IU9BP	IT9KBY	W4ZYT/VP9	W4ZYT
C50C	OM2FY	KL7OU	NI5DX	YT07SRT	YT3W
CN2R	W7EJ	MC0NRC	M3UNN	YW3AJ	YV5AJ
CO8LY	EA7ADH	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	ZD7SSG	ZD7BG
CQ7SRT	CT1BWW	OL50NR	OK1NR	ZD7X	W0MM
CT/DJ5YQ	DJ5YQ	R450KB	UA6XT	ZD8N	G3ZVW
CT3/DJ6QT	DJ6QT	SN80KKK	SP9PKZ	ZF2BI	K4BI
E51NOU	N7OU	SU50JOTA	SU1SK	ZL7/DL2AH	DL2AH
E7/YT2ED	T96C	T99D	DJ2MX	ZY5100SCOUTPY5CA	
EA9/DL9GRE	DL9GRE	TA2KK	TA2AH	ZY7EAM	PY7VI
EG4MAA	EA4FAS				

VE3ZIK, Zik, also known as DO7ZZ, says his friend and QSL manager, DL3PS, is leaving Germany. So all the cards for VE3ZIK, 9A/VE3ZIK, T9/VE3ZIK, XM3ZIK and 4N1DX now go via DO7ZZ. Via the German bureau is okay.

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4X17-4Z17, 5B4AGC, AH3D, CS2SA, ER4DX, JT1BE, MJ/ON4IPA, ST0RM, SU9BN, T98T, TO5AA and XE1RCS.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 403A, BX5AA, CT2JQI, HC8N, JT800OK, KH6LC, M2H, MD0CCE, OK1AY, OK7GU, RA6YJ, RV6FG, SM4PBT, SN2E, SP5ELA, UR7EU and ZP6CW.

On The WWW

The 3C7Y logs can now be found at <http://personal.telefonica.terra.es/web/ea5yn/logs.htm>. We note that the site says it's Annobon but it should be Equatorial Guinea.

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DX News

As a reminder there will be no "normal" issue of The Daily DX this coming Friday. We will however have the annual special CQ WW SSB DX Contest edition, in PDF format. Now on with the DX news.

Facing the possibility of civil unrest, "washed-out roads and banditry", as well as no sunspots, members of the Voodoo Contest Group will be active during the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest from Guinea (3X). G3SXW, Roger, updates us on the team's 14th annual West African multi-multi effort. The team will be operating as 3XY5D from the Atlantic seashore in Conakry. They are still trying to obtain a shorter call to be used in the contest. Seven 1KW stations with mono-band antennas will be used. Before and after the contest look for the group to be operating as 3XT1 (yep Three X-ray Tango One) on 2 meters EME. Team members for this year's event will be G3SXW, KC7V, G4BWP, K5VT, G4IRN, K4UEE, GM3YTS and AA7A. For more information on the group's DXpedition to Guinea check out their Web site at www.voodoocontestgroup.com. This expedition will be one of the groups more challenging trips. Logs will be uploaded to LOTW upon their return home. QSL 3XY5D via G3SXW.

Pacific Sailors KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, recovered all of their equipment and will be departing Tikopia, Temotu Province Wednesday October 24th. They are heading to Honiara (Guadalcanal), Solomon Islands, where Jan says their stay will be "very brief". At this time there is no word on where they will go next. Mike did say that he does not "expect to be doing any DX'ing from anywhere, anytime soon". Looks like they will be "calling" in VK4.

W9OL, Bill, reports the following two operations currently do not count for DXCC. HP1LR was listed as "Unauthorized Op" and D2DX as "No Documentation Rec". Let's hope both of these operations turn in their paper work for DXCC accreditation.

Starting October 24th CT1EHX, Miguel, will be operating as HI/CT1EHX from the Dominican Republic. Look for him on 10-80 meters until October 31st. QSL via CT1EHX.

A group from Indonesia will put on a multi-op effort in the CQ WW SSB this weekend. They will be operating as YB0ZZ. Team members include: YB0AZ, YB0JS, YB0ECT, YB0NDT, YB0MZI, YB0YAD, YD0LDT and YD0NWO. QSL via Box 8000, Jakarta 11000, Indonesia or via the bureau.

Old war-horses, OH2PM, Pertti, and OH2BH, Martti, will be taking a boat to reach the Aland Islands and provide you a good shot at the OH0-multiplier on 80M and 20M during the CQWW SSB Contest this coming weekend. Martti will sign OH0B (80M) and Pertti will be OH0R (20M). They will test their new Creative Design (Japanese) 80M beam along the other things. You may find them there as early as Thursday. QSL OH0B via OH2BH and OH0R via OH2PM.

The next DXpedition to Socorro Island, Revillagigedo (XF4) will take place between November 15th and December 15th. This operation will use several calls - XF4YK, XF4YW and 6E4LM. The latter is in commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the Federacion Mexicana de Radio Experimentadores (FMRE). Team members include XE1YK, Carlos Levy (team leader); XE2YW, Eduardo Martinez; XE1VVD, Manuel Garcia; and XE3RBA, Juan Daniel Baraggia. Supporting them from the homeland will be pilot stations XE1J, Jose Levy and XE1GRR, Rafael "Tony" Gomez. The team has a Web site at www.6e4lm.xedx.org, which includes equipment, antennas, suggested frequencies, photos, on-line log search and more. QSL XF4YK via XE1YK and XF4YW via XE2YW.

ZS6DXB, Rhy, reports the correct QSL route for the upcoming 3DA0WW Contest operation in this year's CQ WW SSB is via LZ3HI.

Special event station IY1EY will be QRV from November 3-11 in celebration of Marconi's experiments from his yacht Elettra between 1919 and 1936. Activity will be on all bands on CW, SSB and RTTY. Special QSLs are available via IK1QBT.

VK4EJ will be single-op 15 meters this weekend in the CQ World Wide Phone. QSL via his QRZ.COM address or via the bureau.

A35RK, Paul, will be on this weekend in the CQ WW SSB probably single-op single-band (15 meters?) in the low-power category. Paul is a CW man and looking forward to using his digital voice recorder, in his new FT-450, hoping to save his voice. He continues to scan 6 meters with his FT-857 but so far no joy. Paul also plans to have his new SteppIR BiggIR, with 80 meters, up and running this weekend.

Gibraltar will be on this weekend thanks to OH2KI, Jorma. He'll be operating as ZB2X either in the SOAB or SOSB class. QSL via OH2KI.

W3TB, Ted, and K3YD will be doing a multi-single effort in the CQ WW SSB as VP9I from Bermuda.

KG6DX is planning to be SOAB in the big event this weekend. He says U.S. East Coast stations should look for him on 15 meters long path between 1200 and 1300Z.

Members of the Radio Gruppo Etna Team and others will be QRV as IQ9BF from Sicily in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. They will be in the multi-single category. QSL via the bureau.

SWL 3V4-002, Achraf, is expected to be QRV from the scout radio club station 3V8SS in Sousse, Tunisia this weekend in the SSB CQ WW. He'll be mostly on 20 meters. QSL via the 3V bureau.

YT1CS, Miki, will be in the CQ WW SSB from Lamu Island (AF-040), Kenya. QSL via YT1CS.

Next month in the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest JE1JKL, Saty, will be operating from the Caribbean island of Martinique. He'll be using the call FM5BH as a single-op on all-bands. QSL via W3HNK.

QSN

E4BDC - PIRATE - No need to waste your time, effort or QSL on "Sleem". The English translation of his name is Slim!

E51JD - SOUTH COOKS - Jim has been active on 15 and 20 meters between 02 and 06Z, after getting his rotator fix.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-040	5Z4/YT1CS	14260	1504	OC-005	VK9CNF	7092	0741
EU-004	AO6AEI	7067	1938	SA-006	PJ2/W0CN	18146	1743
EU-009	MM5DWW	14255	2049	SA-006	PJ2/WK4Y	18145	1543
EU-016	9A/DJ8QP	10119	1824	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	18158	1705
EU-023	9H3JC	14023	1924				

A35RK, Paul, will be heading to Vava'u (OC-064) next month and will probably be able to operate from there for at least a few days part-time. He also hopes for a "re-con" trip to Niuatoputapu (OC-191). More on this later.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530
 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
23-Oct	4-Nov	40	40/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
23-Oct	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
23-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
23-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
23-Oct	28-Oct	6W	6W1RY	F5VHJ	11-194	171
23-Oct	30-Oct	6Y	6Y0B (NA-097)	W2GB		11-203
23-Oct	30-Oct	6Y	6Y1V (NA-097)	OH3RB	11-203	199
23-Oct	29-Oct	6Y	6Y3T (NA-097)	CT1ILT		11-199
23-Oct	25-Oct	7Q	7Q7CE	IN3VZE	11-184	181
23-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
23-Oct	30-Oct	9M6	9M6LSC	JF1SQC	11-195	187
23-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184	163 035
23-Oct	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
23-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CC0Y	9A2AA		11-204
23-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CE0Y/9A4X	9A2AA		11-204
23-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ6QT (AF-014)	DJ6QT		11-201
23-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ7JC (AF-014)	DJ7JC		11-201
23-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DK8NC (AF-014)	DK8NC		11-201
23-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DL8OBF (AF-014)	DL8OBF		11-201
23-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151
23-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
23-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
23-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
23-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145

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23-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177	
23-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179	
23-Oct	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199	194	
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4X1VF	K1FJ	CN2R	W7EJ	UE9WFJ	RX9WN
5R8RJ	DJ7RJ	CN8YZ	EA7FTR	V31BU	AB4U
5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS	CU6NS	EA5KB	V8AQM	W3HNC
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On The WWW

K5ZD, Randy, has posted the up-to-date Super Check Partial files for this weekend's CQ WW SSB at <http://www.k5zd.com/scp/>.

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Members of the Korea Contest Club will be active as D9K (Delta Nine Kilo) during the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. The team of HL1AHQ, HL3AMO, HL1VAU, DS4NYE, DS2NSC, DS3MLG, 6K2ABX and a few guests will be in the multi-two category. QSL via DS4NYE.

In yesterday's issue it was reported that D2DX does not count for DXCC accreditation. Actually it should have been said the 2007 activity does not count. NC1L, Bill Moore, the DXCC Manager says operations for D2DX are good through December 2006. Yesterday OH3DD, Janne, the operator of D2DX, emailed his documentation for his 2007 operations to the DXCC Desk, which is expected to be approved momentarily. He has been back home in Finland since February.

CQ Zone 26 and Thailand will be well represented this weekend in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest. Look for the following stations to be QRV from South East Asia:

Call	Category	QSL via
E20NMK	SO	E20NMK
E20WXA	SOSB 20M	E20WXA
E20YLM	SO LP	E20YLM
E21YDP	SOSB 40M LP	E21YDP
E21EIC	SO	JA via JR5XPG, Others via E21EIC
HS1JNB	SO LP	HS1JNB
HS5FAI	SO LP	HS5FAI
HS8KAY	SO LP	HS8KAY (AS-053)
HS0ZCW	SO 20M	HS0ZCW
HS0ZDG	SOAB	K4YT

Also from South East Asia will be XW1A. This will be a single-op all-band operation. QSL via E21EIC.

OH1VR/VP9, Seppo, will be QRV in the CQ WW CW, next month, doing SOSB 14 MHz LP. There will be some activity after the contest until November 27th. Look for him on CW and SSB. QSL via OH1VR CBA.

PI4COM from the Netherlands is expected to be QRV in the multi-multi class this weekend in the CQ WW SSB. QSL via PA3CAL.

HC1HC will be operating single-op 80 meters in the CQ Phone contest. QSL via NE8Z.

During the CQ WW SSB this weekend BA4T will be a M/S effort. Operators will be BA4TA, BA4TB, VA3RRW, BD4TX, BD4TBC, BG4TQX, BG4TLB, BG4TTM and BG4TMM. QSL via BA4TA.

Correction

OH2KI, Jorma, will be operating from Gibraltar during the CQ WW CW not the SSB test as reported yesterday. This weekend he'll be teaming up with the CQ9K team from the Madeira Islands. He'll be there with CT3BD, CT3DL, CT3DZ, CT3EE, CT3EN, CT3HK, CT3IA, CT3KU, CT3KY, CT3MD, CT1BOH, N6AA, W6NV, W6XD and AB6BH.

Silent Key

W5TIZ (ex K5FJ) Dickey Freeling, became a Silent Key last week. He was 84 years old. "Dickey was a unique, talented individual, a war hero, a super ham operator and DXer of the highest caliber!", remembers K5UZ, David Norris. He began DXing in the early 50's. DXCC records indicate Dicky had 332 current DXCC countries and 377 all time countries confirmed. Over the years he operated as K5FJ, VP2MIZ, ZF5CF, K5FJ/HI6, and K5FJ/KH6. Dickey was one of the founding members of the Arkansas DX Association. Condolences to his XYL Marie and the Freeling family. You can read more about W5TIZ at <http://tinyurl.com/32nztu>.

QSN

- 1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - The SMOM guys started up today and have so far been on 10, 15, 17 and 20 SSB and even some CW on 10 meters. During the CQ WW SSB they'll change over to 1A3A. QSL via IZ4DPV.
- 9M6LSC - EAST MALAYSIA - 30 meter ops reported this one on 10109 yesterday between 1315 and 1440Z. QSL via JF1SQC.
- C52C - THE GAMBIA - DXers from all across CQ Zone 5 were working the OM gang on 24940 yesterday. Yes 12 meters SSB and to top that many of those same zone five DXers worked this one on 28020 afterwards between 1430 and 1600Z. QSL via OM2FY.
- E51NOU - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - Bill likes 17 CW around 1700Z. QSL via N7OU.
- HB0/HB9AON - LIECHTENSTEIN - RTTY ops found this one on 20 meters yesterday just before 1830Z for about an hour and a half. QSL via DJ2YE.
- JT1CO - MONGOLIA - Chak showed up on 1822 Tuesday just prior to 1030Z.
- T6EE - AFGHANISTAN - Several European ops found John on 14225 around 1300Z. QSL via KE6GFF.
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IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8YB	18155	2046	EU-023	9H4DX	7055	1830

AF-040	5Z4/YT1CS	14266 1138	EU-024	IS0/WH0Q	7081 2137
EU-012	GM0EKM	3797 2045	NA-034	KM4RX	14260 1907
EU-016	9A/DJ8QB	10108 0732	NA-106	KP2M	14198 1043
EU-023	9H3JC	21023 1546	OC-005	VK9CNF	7093 0930

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

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24-Oct	4-Nov	4O	4O/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
24-Oct	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
24-Oct	26-Oct	5R	5R8RJ (AF-057)	DJ7RJ		7-175
24-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
24-Oct	28-Oct	6W	6W1RY	F5VHJ	11-194	171
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24-Oct	30-Oct	9M6	9M6LSC	JF1SQC	11-195	187
24-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184	163 035
24-Oct	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
24-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CC0Y	9A2AA		11-204
24-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CE0Y/9A4X	9A2AA		11-204
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24-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
24-Oct	24-Oct	EL	5L2MS	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
24-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AG	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
24-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AK	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
24-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AN	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
24-Oct	24-Oct	EL	EL2AO	PA3AWW	11-191	186 145
24-Oct	29-Oct	FM	FM/K9NW (NA-107)	K9NW		11-202
24-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
24-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
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24-Oct	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199	194
24-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188
24-Oct	30-Oct	ON	ON9CMV	N0HJZ		11-199
24-Oct	31-Oct	PA	PA50JOTA	PA3EFR	11-199	194
24-Oct	30-Oct	PJ2	PJ4/N0VD (SA-006)	N0VD		11-201
24-Oct	1-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV		11-187
24-Oct	30-Oct	PJ2	PJ4E (SA-006)	WA4PGM	11-201	194
24-Oct	27-Oct	S7	S79LC (AF-024)	IW5CWA	11-204	198 194
24-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
24-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	J48RT (EU-174)	HA6NL		11-195
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA2VR (EU-174)	HA2VR		11-195
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6NL J48NL (EU-174)	HA6NL		11-195
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6PS J48PS (EU-174)	HA6PS		11-195
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6ZV (EU-174)	HA6ZV		11-195
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7JJS J48JJ (EU-174)	HA7JJS		11-195
24-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7PL J48PL (EU-174)	HA7PL		11-195
24-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR		11-192

24-Oct	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA		11-194
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	N3KS	N3KS	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	NI1N	NI1N	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26B (NA-100)	KA2AEV	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26BA (NA-100)	WA3RHW	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26BZR (NA-100)	W2BZR	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26CW	KM9M	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26JN	WX3B	11-203
24-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26OC	N3OC	11-203
24-Oct	31-Oct	V4	V4/NE1RD (NA-104)		11-153
24-Oct	26-Oct	VK	VK2ALU (OC-142 OC-160)	DL1ECG	11-188
24-Oct	26-Oct	VK	VK2AMB (OC-142 OC-160)	DK2CRN	11-188
24-Oct	25-Oct	VK9N	VK9CNF (OC-005)	HB9QR	11-130
24-Oct	30-Oct	VP2M	VP2MDG (NA-103)	K2DM	11-199
24-Oct	30-Oct	VP2M	VP2MKA (NA-103)	W4GKA	11-199
24-Oct	30-Oct	VP2M	VP2MZM (NA-103)	K3ZM	11-199
24-Oct	30-Oct	VP5	VP5T	N2VW	11-159
24-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
24-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
24-Oct	28-Oct	XE	XE1/LU8ADX and XE3/LU8ADX	LU8ADX	11-198
24-Oct	12-Nov	XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY	11-202
24-Oct	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF	11-189
24-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
24-Oct	27-Oct	YB	YB9AQH (OC-022)	PA0HOP	11-194
24-Oct	30-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/DL2AH (OC-038)	DL2AH	11-193 164 065

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at quiet to unsettled levels through most of today. Active periods and isolated minor storm conditions are likely to occur as a coronal hole high-speed stream rotates into a geoeffective position later in the day. Activity will increase to unsettled to active levels with possible minor storm periods through Friday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for October 22, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K9W	DL6KVA	EK8PL	SP9ERV	UE6MAC/2	RZ6MF
9H3UT	DL9GDB	K2S	WB2GGM	VP5/N1WON	N1WON
9M6LSC	JF1SQC	P40A	KK9A	Z360M	Z37M
CT3/N6AA	N6AA	PJ2MI	W2CQ	ZF2AH	W6VNR
CX2AQ	EA5KB	PJ4/W9NJY	WD9DZV	ZY7EAM	PY7VI
E51NOU	N7OU				

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

XW3DT - Alex Sinchukov, P.O. Box 11, GPO, HONG KONG

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: IE9/IK4RUX (EU- 051),
JT1CO, OA4/S57CQ, XW3DT

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4A3A, DS5KJR, EA1CUB, EA8/OH6CS,
EI6HB, GI4SIZ, HB9ICC, KH6LC, LY3UM, M2H, MW0CRI, RW0A, RZ3DJ, SN9U, UR5MID,
XE2WWW, YL2KF, YO6BHN

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DX News

As a reminder there will be no issue of The Daily DX on Friday. There will however be a special edition CQ Contest edition, which will be emailed out around 1800Z on Friday, October 26th. Now on to the DX News.

Several DX outlets have been reporting that ON5AX, Willy, and his XYL ON3AX, Magda, will be operating from 5W, KH8, A3 and ZL now through mid-December. Willy says that information is old news from last year. He is planning to go back to the Pacific isles early in 2008. The two will be traveling through Australia and New Zealand between February and mid-April. He will be QRV as ZL/ON5AX and VK4/ON5AX. They will also take a side trip to Lord Howe Island and plan to operate as VK9ALH from March 23rd to 30th.

J15USJ and J15RPT will be QRV from the Mariana Islands as KH0/J15USJ and AH0V from January 10-14, 2008. Activity is expected on 6 through 80 meters, including the 60 meter band. They will be on CW and SSB. J15RPT has a Web Blog at <http://blog.livedoor.jp/ji5rpt/>. QSL KH0/J15USJ via J15USJ and AH0V via J15RPT.

J15RPT is heading back to Ogasawara and plans to be QRV as JD1BLY from February 13-28, 2008. He'll be on CW, SSB and PSK on 6 through 160 meters plus satellite. QSL via J15RPT.

J10CZ, Yoshiaki, who one of the Spratly Island 9M4SDX team members, will be QRV as 9M4DXX from Penang, West Malaysia from November 7 through November 12. Look for activity on CW, SSB and FM on 10 through 80 meters. He will be operating in the JIDX Contest. QSL via the bureau or direct to: J10CZ, Yoshiaki Kobayashi, 2-24-16-208 Minami magome, Ohta-ku, Tokyo, 143-0025, JAPAN.

A08A will be a multi-two effort this weekend from Pekka's "Magic Mountain" station in the Canary Islands. Team members include OH1MA, OH5XT, OH9RR, ES2RR, EA8AH, EA8CAC and EA8ZS.

9Y4ZC (9Y4W), Andy, will be QRV in the CQ Phone Contest on 40 meters single band from Scarborough, Tobago (SA-009).

9Y4D (ex 9Y4NZ), Chris, plans to be QRV on 20 meters only during the contest. He'll be operating from Palmiste, South Trinidad (SA-011).

NI1N, Tom, who is currently on Antigua getting ready for the CQ WW SSB Contest has received his own V26TM callsign. He won't be on a whole lot, but will play around here and there on CW only. During the contest he'll be part of the V26B team. QSL cards for V26TM go via NI1N. QSLs for V26B go via KA2AEV.

In CQ Zone 2 will be VE2IM for the CQ WW this weekend. The op will be VE3DZ, who will be doing an SOAB effort.

WP4U, Carlos, will be in the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest from Culebra Island, one of the islands for WPRI Award (NA-099). He'll be operating as a single-op running low power or QRP, depending on the local electrical conditions.

Riley Hollingsworth, the FCC's Special Counsel in the Enforcement Bureau has announce he'll be retiring early next year.

Hollingsworth's re-introduction of Amateur Radio enforcement lasted about a decade after many years of avoidance by the commission. He'll be leaving Friday January 3, 2008 and says the FCC will continue with the enforcement program. In 2006 K4ZDH received the Dayton Hamvention's Special Achievement Award. See <http://www.arrrl.org/news/stories/2007/10/24/102/?nc=1>.

C4I will be in the CQ WW SSB from Cyprus. This might be a multi-op or single-op all-band or single-op single-band effort. Whatever, the QSL route will be via LZ2HM.

OH0XX, Olli, will be operating the CQ WW Phone from Surinam at the station on PZ5RA.

Silent Key

QSN

- 1A4A - SOVEREIGN MILITARY ORDER OF MALTA - Began working US stations on 7095, listening 7219, just before 2200Z. South American 10 meter ops found an opening on 28495 around 18Z. QSL via IZ4DPV.
- 3DA0WW - SWAZILAND - RTTY ops began working this one on 7035 just prior to 2030Z until just after 2300Z.
- 6Y1V - JAMAICA - Japanese DXers found David on 21260 just after 22Z. QSL via OH3RB.
- OD5/F5PTM - LEBANON - Pascal had an opening to the eastern half of North America on 21008 around 1430Z. QSL via F5OGL.
- T6EE - AFGHANISTAN - Keep looking for John on 20 SSB, around 14220-14225, between 10 and 1330Z. QSL via KE6GFF.
- V3 - BELIZE - Look for V31BU, Bryan, and V31CL, Charles, on 60 meters just before 1200 and again before 2300Z. QSL both via AB4U.
- ZL7/DL2AH - CHATHAM ISLAND - Ulli was first on 14190 at 05Z and then on 14260 at 08Z. QSL via DL2AH.

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EU-016	9A4W	14260	1111	NA-107	FM/K9NW	21027	1832
EU-023	9H3JC	14023	0752	NA-108	J69DS	18100	1632
EU-046	LA1CI	14176	1807	SA-002	VP8LP	21315	1837
EU-054	IF9ZWA	14256	1634	SA-004	HC8N	28480	2026
EU-138	8S7T	7060	2118				

QRZ DX reports that WA2USA/4, Dennis will be QRV from Dauphin Island (NA-213), Alabama from November 14-21, including the ARRL SSB Sweepstakes. He'll be on CW and SSB on 10 through 80 meters. Dennis has a Web page at www.wa2usa.com. QSL direct or via the bureau.

YB3MM will be operating from Karimunjawa Island (OC-186) as YB3MM/2 October 27th through 29th.

Look for special event station 8N0M100A/3 to be QRV in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the Matsumoto City station, from Himeji Ie-shima Island (AS-117) October 26-28. Activity will be on all bands. QSL via the JARL QSL bureau.

JA5BEX/5 will be active from Nao Island (AS-076) on October 28th and 29th. Activity will be on the HF bands. QSL via JA5BEX.

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be at quiet to active levels due to a coronal hole high-speed stream rotating into a geoeffective position. Minor storm periods at middle latitudes and major storm periods at high latitudes are possible throughout today through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for October 23, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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1A4A	IZ4DPV	CN2R	W7EJ	T6EE	KE6GFF
40/DD5FZ	DD5FZ	E7/YT2ED	T96C	V26TM	NI1N
40/DJ8QP	DJ8QP	FM/K9NW	K9NW	V31CL	AB4U
6Y1V	OH3RB	FM5BH	W3HNC	VP2MKA	W4GKA
6Y3T	CT1ILT	HC8N	W5UE	VY2/KJ6Y	KJ6Y
9G5ZS	ZS6EGB	OH0/SP7VC	SP7VC	VY2ZM	K1ZM
A61CK	PE1CSK	SC300VL	SK6HD	ZL7/DL2AH	DL2AH

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

N5FG, Floyd, says if anyone works VE8DX/2 before the CQ WW SSB can QSL via N5FG with the usual SASE or SAE and IRC or one US \$.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: VP8/LZ1UQ

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

On The WWW

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DX News

J5C is the callsign from Guinea-Bissau for a big French expedition set for January 11-21, 2008. This is the next operation by the F6KOP Team that brought us XT5C in 2007. There are nice photos of the site on the official web site, <http://www.j5c.eu/>. They will be on Bubaque Island. Organizers say they hope to be able to use all the skills gained in the past from XT2C and be on as many bands as possible simultaneously.

Since it is the low part of the solar cycle they will focus on 160, 80 and 40M, and they hope to make the first two-way 160M contact between J5 and JA. The operation is dedicated to F5PVF, Gilles Simeon, past president of the F6KOP ARC, who became a silent key in September. Gilles was on many of the F6KOP Team DX trips.

The first-rate group of operators includes F4AJQ, team leader; F2JD, F2VX, F5JSD, F5PED, F5TVG, F5VHQ, F6AML, F8BJI, F8BUI, F8PDR, FM5CD, F9IE, OE8KDK, N2WB and N6OX. J5C will be on 24 hours a day, 160-10M. 6M is not permitted in Guinea-Bissau.

They plan activity on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, PSK63 and MFSK16, plus SSTV near the end of the operation. J5C will count for DXCC of course, but also for IOTA, AF-020, and the World Lighthouses on the air, WLOTA - number 1145. QSL via F5TVG, the address being correct in all major directories.

F5TVG, Franck, will be one of the operators, so no cards will go out, obviously, until he returns to his (no doubt overloaded with cards) desk back home. There is a sponsor page on the web site for those who wish to support this expensive operation.

Here is the 5L2MS DXpedition wrapup from PA3AWW: Operators arrived back in the Netherlands on Thursday, "healthy, tired, and cold!" They made 27,000 QSOs. QSL cards should be in from the printer in a couple weeks and cards will begin to go out. Some who promised donations have not remitted yet. Send that to DAGOE STICHTING, P.O. Box 356, 3300 AJ Dordrecht, the Netherlands. Postbank number 2073965, IBAN NL 82 PSTB 0002 0739 65, BIC PSTBNL21.

The Bou Saada ARC, 7X5VRK, will have a different callsign for all of the month of November, 7W53N. This marks the 53rd anniversary of the National Algerian Revolution's beginning. QSL via 7X5VRK.

KP2HC (ex-KF2HC) and KP2YL, Ann, will be back on St. Croix November 15- 23. They will be active on SSB and CW on all the HF bands. Ann will be part of the NP2B multi-op effort for Sweepstakes Phone, along with W2UDT, Bill, and NP2B,

John. QSL, direct only, to their California address. KP2HC will monitor 6M while there, looking for any openings.

The couple relocated to California last year due to KP2YL's back surgery. "She is doing very well and is looking forward to getting back on the air from KP2," Brian says.

PA20NAFRAS is a special callsign from the Netherlands, November 3-19. It marks the 20th anniversary of the Netherlands Air Force Radio Amateur Society, PI4NAF. QSL via PA1TT.

TI9K will be the callsign for the February, 2008 operation to Isla del Coco, NA-012. Ops will be EA1DR, EA1IR, DH8WR (EA2CRX), DJ6SI, DJ7JC, DL2AWG, K5YY, TI2KAC and W4OI (HK1AR). They will have as many as four stations on the air between February 6-15, 160-10M, plus 60M and 6M, CW, SSB, RTTY and possibly PSK31. QSL via EA2CRX direct or bureau.

www.ti9.eu.com. The operators embark from Playa de Panama on February fourth for the one to 1-1/2-day trip to Cocos Island, and return to the mainland on February 16th. Donations are welcomed:
www.ti9.eu.com/donations.html.

G4ZFE, Rich, was back in Western Malaysia as 9M2CNC for CQWW SSB. Now he plans to do some RTTY. GU0SUP worked him late last week on 30M at 1545Z. He says he will be there for the next two weeks and plans to be on RTTY quite a bit.

OPDX reports that EA8OM, Canary Islands, will be in the ARRL DX CW February 16-17, with DJ1OJ, Heijo, operating. He will be single operator all band low power. QSL via DJ1OJ.

Also from OPDX, V49A (operator K0EJ, Mark) will be in the ARRL DX CW, single op all band low power. Outside the contest he will be active too, signing V44/K0EJ. QSL via V44NK. This is St. Kitts and Nevis.

ND6S, Ray, has a vacation operation set for Treasure Cay Villa 415 in the Bahamas, IOTA NA-080, November 18-December 1. He has the callsign C6AGY. He will be in the CQWW DX CW Contest November 24-25, single op all band or single op single band 15M, as yet undecided. QSL via ND6S.

S21JO, Bangladesh, will be operator LA7JO, Stig, for the CQWW DX CW, single op all band low power. QSL via the QRZ.com info.

Three European ops have a Brunei, V8, operation laid on for November 4-18. They will be at the V85SS QTH. V8FDM will be GM4FDM, V8FWP will be PA3EWP and V8FWU will be F5CWU. During the CQWW SSB contest 9M6DXX, Steve planned to have the station on with his V8FEO callsign.

The Acom amps and antennas sent ahead have reportedly arrived safely.

The QTH is brand new and is fully furnished as an amateur radio shack.

GM4FDM notes that V85SS, Abram, is well known and often heard on 30M, where he has a good signal. The web page, <http://www.v8.pa7fm.nl/> is up and running. Tom also notes that they liked the 3B7C web site so much they borrowed some ideas from it. He says, "Brunei on 160 and 80M will be difficult but we shall be trying very hard to work Europe and especially the UK."

W4VQ, Bob, says he's heard word of an operation from the rare Matera Province of Italy November 10 or 11. The callsign will be I7ALE/7 or IK8SHL/7. It will be CW, with SSB possible. This could be helpful for those working on the WAIP award and still need Matera Province.

DH7FB and DF2ZC are planning another expedition to Gibraltar, ZB2, to focus on 2M EME and meteor scatter (MS), and if propagation cooperates, E-skip too. They arrive at the Caleta Hotel May 28, 2008 in the evening and leave the morning of June second.

HI9/IK5ZUI, Michelle, is now active from Las Terrenas, Dominican Republic. He is using 50 watts to a long wire. His length of stay is not known. QSL via his on-air instructions.

DXCC has approved both 9U0A, 2007, and D2DX, 2007, for DXCC credit. NC1L says that if you had cards rejected for this operation, please send an e-mail to dxcc@arrl.org and you will be placed on the list for an update.

CQ WW SSB DX Contest

Here are some early scores from this past weekend's CQ WW SSB DX Contest from the three big U.S. multi-multis as captured on "3830":

	K3LR			KC1XX			W3LPL		
160	394	18	60	236	15	50	318	17	63
80	1029	28	105	874	28	110	875	27	105
40	1294	32	125	905	28	110	1158	29	121
20	3321	39	169	3306	39	169	2410	39	154
15	2042	32	146	2416	28	150	1742	32	146
10	375	20	61	372	20	65	259	18	57
Tot	8455	169	666	8109	158	654	6762	162	646
Score	17.8M			17.6M			14.3M		

Silent Key

LZ1BI, Roger Bowe, died Wednesday, October 24 at the age of 78. DL6RAI, Ben, notes, "Some of you will have known Roger from past activities in Luxembourg, including the first large multi-multi from there, LX9BV, back in 1985."

QSN

40 METER LONGPATH - 40M specialist NT5C reports the first long path of the season on 40 SSB Thursday morning, UA3TCY on 7065 peaking at 1300Z. John says "he was under the inevitable Central American ragchewing QRM." John reminds us that DXers wanting to work the USA on 40 SSB should stay away from frequencies that are multiples of 5 kHz. "Those are `owned' by various networks around the world!" John says the best frequencies are the ones in between, like 7047, 7052, 7057, 7062, etc.

CQWW SSB CONTEST - Here are some of the good ones that were active this weekend in the CQWW SSB contest: 1A3A, 3B8GT, 3DA0WW, 3V8SS, 4L6AM, 4O3A, 4U1WRC, 4X0V, 5H3EE, 5R8FU, 5Z4/YT1CS, 6V7G, 6Y1V, 8P5A, 9J2BO, 9K2HN, 9N2CNC, 9M6LSC, 9N7JO, 9Y4D, A35RK, A45WD, A61HH, A71BX, AH0BT, AH2R, AO8A, BG7NWF, BX5AA, C31LJ, C50C, C6APR, C91R, CC0Y (CE0Y), CN3A, CQ9K, CU2A, DU9RG, E7/DK6XZ (Bosnia), EA6DX, EA9LZ, EK0B, EX2X, EY8CQ, FM/K9NW, FS/K1XM, FY5KE, GI7AXB, GJ0KYZ, HB0/HB9AON, HC8N, HH2FYD, HI3T, HQ9R, HS0ZDG, HV50VR, HZ1GW, IS0T, J28JA, J3A, J88DR, JT1CO, JW5E, KH7X, KL7RA, LX7I, MD0CCE, MM0XAU (Shetlands), MM5PSL (Shetlands), MU0GSY, NP4A, OA4SS, OH0R, OX3KQ, P33W (5B), P40PA, PJ2T, PJ4E, PZ5XX, ST2M, SU9NC, SV9GPV, SX5P (SV5), T48K (CO), T6EE, T70A, TF3ZA, TG9ANF, TI5N, TS6A (3V), TT8PK, TU2CI, UK8OM, UN7MMM, V26B, V31FB, V47KP, V73RY, V8FEO, VP2MDG, VP5T, VP9I, VQ9X, VR2C, VU2PTT, WP2Z, XU7MDY, XV1X, XW3DT, YB0ZZ, ZA/IW2JOP, ZC4LI, ZD7X, ZD8N, ZP0R and ZS6BRZ.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-003	CU2CR	21297	2000	NA-137	N1LI	28474	1400
EU-174	SV8/HA5OV	10108	1550	SA-002	VP8CXV	18101	1710

OZ/DK9LO, Klaus, will be on Vendsyssel-Thy/Nordjylland, EU-171, November 3-16. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
29-Oct	4-Nov	4O	4O/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
29-Oct	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
29-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
29-Oct	30-Oct	6Y	6Y0B (NA-097)	W2GB		11-203
29-Oct	30-Oct	6Y	6Y1V (NA-097)	OH3RB	11-203	199
29-Oct	29-Oct	6Y	6Y3T (NA-097)	CT1ILT		11-199
29-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
29-Oct	10-Nov	8Q	8Q7AU (AS-013)			11-194
29-Oct	30-Oct	9M6	9M6LSC	JF1SQC	11-195	187
29-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184	163 035
29-Oct	31-Oct	C6	C6AQW (NA-080)	WQ5W		11-199
29-Oct	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
29-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CC0Y	9A2AA		11-204
29-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CE0Y/9A4X	9A2AA		11-204
29-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ6QT (AF-014)	DJ6QT		11-201
29-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ7JC (AF-014)	DJ7JC		11-201
29-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DK8NC (AF-014)	DK8NC		11-201
29-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DL8OBF (AF-014)	DL8OBF		11-201
29-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151
29-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
29-Oct	29-Oct	FM	FM/K9NW (NA-107)	K9NW		11-202
29-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
29-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
29-Oct	31-Oct	HI	HI/CT1EHX	CT1EHX		11-205
29-Oct	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199	194
29-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188
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29-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
29-Oct	12-Nov	XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY	11-202
29-Oct	6-Nov	XW	XW3DT		11-204
29-Oct	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF	11-189
29-Oct	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
29-Oct	29-Oct	YB	YB3MM/2 (OC-186)	YB3MM	11-207
29-Oct	2-Nov	YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA	11-202
29-Oct	30-Oct	ZL7	ZL7/DL2AH (OC-038)	DL2AH	11-193 164 065

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1A3A	IZ4DPV	CE0Y/9A4X	9A2AA	KH7X	K2PF
3DA0WW	LZ3HI	CN2BC	DL7BC	KL7OU	NI5DX
4K5D	K2PF	CN2R	W7EJ	KP2/W4OV	W4OV
4L4WW	EA7FTR	CN3A	I2WIJ	LR2F	LU2FA
4N7N	YU7BPQ	CN4P	EA5XX	LZ26ZA	LZ1KZA
4O/DD5FZ	DD5FZ	CO8LY	EA7ADH	NP4A	W3HNC
4U1WRC	4U1ITU	CP6XE	IK6SNR	NQ4I	K4PK
4X/AA4V	AA4V	CT3/W6NV	W6NV	OF8X	OH6KN
4X0C	W8HC	CT3/W6XD	W6XD	OH0/SP7VC	SP7VC
4X0V	AA4V	CU2A	OH2BH	OH0B	OH2BH
5B/HA5PP	HA5PP	CX1TG	IK2DUW	OH0R	OH2PM
5H1BC	M5AAV	CX6VM	W3HNC	ON9CMV	N0HJZ
5R8RJ	DJ7RJ	DR1A	DL6FBL	P33W	RA3AUU
6C600	YK1AO	EE5KB	EA5KB	P40PA	W4PA
6F75A	EA5KB	EK0B	SP9ERV	P40W	N2MM
6W1RY	F5VHJ	EK8PL	SP9ERV	PA75SM	PA7JWC
6W1SE	JR2KDN	EK8SK	SP9ERV	PJ2T	N9AG
6Y6C	W1VE	EM1100UU	US7UU	PJ4E	WA4PGM
6Y9S	LU7DSY	ER0WW	UT3UA	PJ7/K1XM	KQ1F
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	FM/K9NW	K9NW	SX5P	SV5FRD
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	FS/K1XM	KQ1F	TL8QC	F5NRY
8N7TU	JA7YAA	G5O	G3VOU	TM3OSV	F5JEG
8P5A	NN1N	G6PZ	GM4FDM	TS6A	YT1AD
9J2BO	G3TEV	GX4NOK	M0OXO	UE1RFF	UA1RJ
9K2K	EA5KB	HC8N	W5UE	V26JN	WX3B
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	HE70FG	HB9FG	V31FB	W5JON
9M6LSC	JF1SQC	HH2FYD	F6FYD	V4/NE1RD	NE1RD
A45WG	NI5DX	HI3C	ON4IQ	V8FEO	M5AAV
AH0BT	7L1FPU	HI3K	KB2MS	VE8DX/2	N5FG
AH2R	JH7QXJ	HR1AAB	EA7FTR	VP5/WA2VYA	WA2VYA
AO3K	EA3GHZ	HS0ZDG	K4YT	VP5DX	NU4Y
AO5URD	EA5URD	HV50VR	IW0GPN	VP5KE	N4KE
AO8A	EA8AH	HZ1GW	GW0RHC	VP5T	N2VW
AO8SRT	IZ8EDJ	IF9A	IT9ATF	VY2ZM	K1ZM
B1Z	EA7FTR	IG9R	IK8HCG	WP2/AH8DX	AH8DX
BA4T	BA4TA	IM0/IK0FMB	IK0FMB	WP2Z	KU9C
C31LJ	VE3EXY	IO4T	IZ4JMA	XE3RBA	EB7AEY
C4I	LZ2HM	IO5O	IK5RLP	XU7MDY	OH4MDY
C50C	OM2FY	IR4X	I4EAT	Z29KM	EA7FTR
C52C	OM2FY	IS0T	IN3ZNR	ZD7X	W0MM
C52C	OM2FY	J28JA	F5JFU	ZD8N	G3ZVW
C6APR	K3IXD	J37T	VE3EBN	ZL3A	ZL3WW
C6AQO	K3IXD	J3A	WA1S	ZM2M	ZL2AL
C6AQW	WQ5W	J42T	SV2BFN	ZM4A	ZL4AA
C6AXD	K3IXD	J48RT	HA6NL	ZP9EH	W9OER
C91R	CT1BXT	J88DR	G3TBK	ZS9X	K3PD
CC0Y	9A2AA	JW7QIA	LA7QIA		

It seems UA4WHX has begun sending out QSLs from his 2005-2007 Africa, Middle-East, and Indian Ocean Junket. RX9FM, Vlad, reports receiving 26 handwritten QSLs from Vlad. Remember Vlad made around 310,000 QSOs so it may take a while for him to complete this massive project.

UK8AJ says RW6HS has not been his QSL manager for two years. QSL to UK8AJ direct, Rustam Karimov, P.O. Box 152, Tashkent, 100000, Uzbekistan. Or send for it via the bureau.

D88S cards are being printed and will be ready in about two weeks.

QSL via DS4MNJ (ex-DT8A) to: Lee Sanghoon via (C-605, Digital Empire B/D) 980-3 Yeongtong-dong, Yeongtong-gu, Suwon-si, Geonggi-do, South Korea.

NI5DX (ex-N5FTR), Buzz, says effective immediately he is the QSL manager for A45WG, Tim, whose QTH is Ruwi, Oman. Buzz says he will be able to confirm past contests as soon as the logs are received, but cards will first have to be printed. Buzz expects about a month's delay before he can start sending our cards. He now handles cards for A45WG, A41KJ, P29ZAD, P29SS, P29BW, KL7OU, KL5E, AL7DB, TF8SM, 9K2AI and Ahmad's other callsigns, 9K2KO and YB1GJS.

OJ0MI, Market Reef, August 16-20, 2007, QSL cards have been received from the printer. QSL manager OH2HAN, Simo, says the first batch of direct requests have been mailed. Further direct requests will be answered by December 31, then remaining cards will go out via the bureau system in early January. See QRZ.COM for QSLing details.

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On The WWW

There is a good write-up on the late September, early October, 2007 VK9WWI two-man DXpedition to Willis Island. It also has some photos. <http://willis2007.extra.hu/>

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DX News

OH2YY, Pekka Ahlqvist, will be active as FR/OH2YY from Reunion Island from November 12th to 15th. Afterwards he'll be operating from Mauritius Island as 3B8/OH2YY from November 16-22. Look for him on 7 to 28 MHz SSB running 100 watts and vertical/dipole antennas. QSL via the bureau or direct to his home address.

DX MB says NM7H (aka GOMKT and YI9WF), Bill, will be in Qatar and QRV as A7/GOMKT from November 1, 2007 through January 1, 2008. Look for him on 6 through 40 meters, mostly on CW, but possibly some PSK and SSB. QSL either direct or via the bureau to NM7H.

KM9D, Mike, and KF4TUG, Jan, have passed San Cristobal Island, enroute to Honiara, Solomon Islands, says A35RK, Paul. Their ETA is unknown; however they are not planning to operate from H44. Once at Honiara they will upload their H40MY logs and repair a broken mast fitting.

During the CQ WW SSB and yesterday several stations were QRV as E7/home call. As a reminder E7 is the new ITU prefix for Bosnia- Herzegovina (BIH). Rumor has it that the local Amateur Radio operators from BIH should have their new E7 callsigns sometime in November. The ITU assigned BIH the new prefix back in mid-August 2007.

In yesterday's issue the V8 story may have given the impression the three man team was only going to be looking for "Europe and especially the UK". The quote was taken from one of the UK reflectors, which has a mostly UK audience. The team will also be specifically doing their "utmost" for the US on 80 and 160 meters during their sunrise and sunset times.

Husband and wife team DL3KWF, Hardy, and DL3KWR, Rosel, will be operating from the Isle of Man between November 17th and November 30th. They will be QRV as MD/DL3KWF and MD/DL3KWR on all bands on CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via their home calls. You can email them at dl3kwr@dark.de and/or dl3kwf@dark.de. They have a Web page at <http://www.mydark.de/dl3kwr>.

Corrections

LX1BI (not LZ1BI), Roger Bowe, died Wednesday, October 24 at the age of 78.

J5C is the callsign from Guinea-Bissau for a big French expedition set for January 11-21, 2008. This is the next operation by the F6KOP Team that brought us XT2C (not XT5C) in 2007.

QSN

4S7BRG - SRI LANKA - Mario was doing PSK31 on 7036 Monday after 1915Z.

4U1WRC - I.T.U. GENEVA - There was a lot of activity yesterday from the ITU club station on 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 meters mostly on CW and RTTY but some SSB. QSL via 4U1ITU.

7Q7HB - MALAWI - RTTY ops were working Harry on 20 meters Monday between 1630 and 1730Z. QSL via G0IAS.

8Q7AU - MALDIVES - Claudio was camped out on 18145 from 1030 until 1200Z. QSL via HB9OAU.

9M - MALAYSIA - 9M2CGN was on 10110 while 9M6LSC was on 10104 yesterday around 1430Z.

TT8PK - CHAD - Phil started the day on 21295 just before 1300Z and ended on 14195 just before 1700Z. QSL via F4EGS.

XW3DT - LAOS - Alex was on 18074 at 1100Z, on 14196 at 1200Z and then on 10108 at 1600Z. QSL quickly to Alex Sinchukov, P.O. Box 11, GPO, HONG KONG.

ZL7/DL2AH - CHATHAM ISLAND - Uli was working all across Europe on 14260, sometimes listening up 3, from 0600 to 1400Z. QSL via DL2AH.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-014	CT3MD	21295	1757	EU-174	SV8/HA5OV	7008	1949
AF-032	5H1BC	14214	1516	EU-174	SV8/HA6NL	14020	0636
AS-013	8Q7AU	18145	1046	EU-174	SV8/HA7JJS	14011	1618
EU-072	SV0JD/8	14258	1235	NA-075	VA7MJR/P	14260	2201

Look for YC0IEM, Hotang, to be QRV from Bangka Island (OC-144) from November 18th to December 5th. QSL via IZ8CCW.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
30-Oct	4-Nov	40	40/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
30-Oct	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
30-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
30-Oct	30-Oct	6Y	6Y0B (NA-097)	W2GB		11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	6Y	6Y1V (NA-097)	OH3RB	11-203	199
30-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177

30-Oct	10-Nov	8Q	8Q7AU (AS-013)	HB9OAU	11-194
30-Oct	30-Oct	9M6	9M6LSC	JF1SQC	11-195 187
30-Oct	30-Oct	C5	C50C C52C	OM2FY	11-184 163 035
30-Oct	31-Oct	C6	C6AQW (NA-080)	WQ5W	11-199
30-Oct	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT	11-203
30-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CC0Y	9A2AA	11-204
30-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CE0Y/9A4X	9A2AA	11-204
30-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ6QT (AF-014)	DJ6QT	11-201
30-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DJ7JC (AF-014)	DJ7JC	11-201
30-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DK8NC (AF-014)	DK8NC	11-201
30-Oct	30-Oct	CT3	CT3/DL8OBF (AF-014)	DL8OBF	11-201
30-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194 151
30-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF	11-186
30-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ	11-177
30-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE	11-179
30-Oct	31-Oct	HI	HI/CT1EHX	CT1EHX	11-205
30-Oct		HI	HI9/IK5ZUI		11-208
30-Oct	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199 194
30-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV	11-188
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/K0RH (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/K1EP (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/KA7KUZ (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/KI4QCS (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/N0RB (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/N7AZ (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/W8CAA (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/W8KKF (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/WA8LOW (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3/WC4D (NA-024)		11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J37K (NA-024)	AC8G	11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	J3	J3K (NA-024)	W8GEX	11-154
30-Oct	30-Oct	ON	ON9CMV	N0HJZ	11-199
30-Oct	31-Oct	PA	PA50JOTA	PA3EFR	11-199 194
30-Oct	11-Nov	PA	PA60LIM	PE1NCP	11-204
30-Oct	30-Oct	PJ2	PJ4/N0VD (SA-006)	N0VD	11-201
30-Oct	1-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV	11-187
30-Oct	30-Oct	PJ2	PJ4E (SA-006)	WA4PGM	11-201 194
30-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
30-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	J48RT (EU-174)	HA6NL	11-195
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA2VR (EU-174)	HA2VR	11-195
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6NL J48NL (EU-174)	HA6NL	11-195
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6PS J48PS (EU-174)	HA6PS	11-195
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6ZV (EU-174)	HA6ZV	11-195
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7JJS J48JJ (EU-174)	HA7JJS	11-195
30-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7PL J48PL (EU-174)	HA7PL	11-195
30-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR	11-192
30-Oct	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA		11-194
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	N3KS	N3KS	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26B (NA-100)	KA2AEV	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26BA (NA-100)	WA3RHW	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26BZR (NA-100)	W2BZR	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26CW	KM9M	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26JN	WX3B	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26OC	N3OC	11-203
30-Oct	30-Oct	V2	V26TM	NI1N	11-207 203
30-Oct	31-Oct	V3	V31FB (NA-073)	W5JON	11-139
30-Oct	31-Oct	V4	V4/NE1RD (NA-104)		11-153
30-Oct	30-Oct	VP2M	VP2MDG (NA-103)	K2DM	11-199
30-Oct	30-Oct	VP2M	VP2MKA (NA-103)	W4GKA	11-199
30-Oct	30-Oct	VP2M	VP2MZM (NA-103)	K3ZM	11-199
30-Oct	30-Oct	VP5	VP5T	N2VW	11-159
30-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164

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8Q7AU	HB9OAU	E7/DK6XZ	DK6XZ	YT60W	YU7BCD
9Y4W	DL4MDO	SJ9WL	ON4CJK		

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The QSL manager for the new Coconut Wireless Contest Club - AH6XX is K2WR, Richard (Rich) Gelber; 205 West End Avenue Apt. 17E, New York, NY 10023, USA.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2UU, B7P, CN8ZG, DF2PY, EX8QB, FW0MO, HC2SL, HK4QMH, HV0A, IR8DX (EU-144), LR4A, N8S, OX/PA3EXX/p (NA-213), R1FJT, SV2ASP/A, VP6DB

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

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NG5L (ex YI/NG5L), Mark Smith, is now QRV from Eastern Afghanistan as YA/NG5L. At the moment he is only able to operate on 20 meters but hopes to soon be on 10, 12, 15 and 17 meters. Look for short bursts (30-60 minutes) of activity from him on SSB, CW and some PSK31. His operation currently does not count for DXCC, but presumably he knows what is needed to be turned in to the DXCC Desk. QSL cards should go via NG5L either direct or via the bureau, but will not be answered until at least April 2008.

World travelers G3SXW, Roger Western, and G3TXF, Nigel Cawthorne, are heading north for a long weekend on Svalbard. The two CW men will be QRV as JW/G3SXW and JW/G3TXF in Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen from the JW5E station from November 2nd to November 5th. "Given that radio conditions from this far North (78 degrees) can be awful or simply non-existent, the usual operating pattern whereby G3SXW is on the traditional HF bands and G3TXF is on the WARC bands (Editors note: 12, 17 and 30 meters) may not apply." They guys have a Web page at www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/JW/JW.html. QSL both via their home calls.

K5KG, George, and KK9K, Ron, will be QRV as E51MMM and E51NNN, respectively from Rarotonga Island(OC-013), South Cooks from November 12 through December 1. Activity will be on all HF bands using CW and SSB. They will concentrate heavily on 160 and 80 meters. Plans are to operate multi-two in the CQ WW CW as E51MMM, unless they can get a single letter call sign for the contest. All QSLs go via K5KG.

On October 10th and 29th someone was playing games signing 5U5AU. Radio authorities from Niger have not issued a license with this callsign.

Members of the Hungarian Traveling Amateur Radio Team will go to Liechtenstein, again, from November 6-14. HB0/HA0HW, Laci; HB0/HA4DX, Tomi; and HB0/HA4XG, Geza; will operate from Masescha (JN47SD, 1350 m ASL) on HF CW, SSB and maybe some digital modes as well as 2 meters tropo and MS. The main focus will be 160 and 80 meters. They will have Inverted L antennas and amplifiers. On other bands they will use DunaX Gps. QSL via the HA bureau or direct via the operator's QRZ.COM address.

First he was leaving and now he is not. Last week it was reported that K4ZDH, Riley Hollingsworth, the FCC's Special Counsel for the FCC's Enforcement Bureau, was retiring early next year. However Riley has had a change of heart and will be continuing his role as the FCC's Amateur Radio top enforcement.

Two members of the Strange Radio Team (SRT) will be operating from Monaco starting tomorrow through November 3rd. Look for IZ0BTV, Simone and IZ1EGT/F5VKV, Fabio, will be QRV as 3A/IZ0BTV and 3A/F5VKV on the low bands (40,

80 and 160 meters with a 40 meter long wire antenna. They will be on SSB, PSK and RTTY.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-116	2D0EDQ	14200	1605	EU-012	MM0XAU	1827	2302
EU-023	9H1SP	21280	1548	EU-174	SV8/HA2VR/P	7013	1942
AF-004	EA8NY	14198	1825	EU-174	SV8/HA6NL	14021	0749
EU-116	GD0SCA/M	14260	1648	EU-174	SV8/HA6PS	14011	1656
NA-088	HP4/W4JKC	14013	2011	EU-174	SV8/HA7JJS	7010	0447
EU-024	IS0T	21279	1647	EU-052	SV8CS	10140	1836

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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31-Oct	4-Nov	40	40/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
31-Oct	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
31-Oct	31-Oct	5Z	5Z4/YT1CS	YT1CS		11-194
31-Oct	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
31-Oct	10-Nov	8Q	8Q7AU (AS-013)	HB9OAU		11-194
31-Oct	31-Oct	C6	C6AQW (NA-080)	WQ5W		11-199
31-Oct	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
31-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CC0Y	9A2AA		11-204
31-Oct	31-Oct	CE0Y	CE0Y/9A4X	9A2AA		11-204
31-Oct	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151
31-Oct	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
31-Oct	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
31-Oct	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
31-Oct	31-Oct	HI	HI/CT1EHX	CT1EHX		11-205
31-Oct		HI	HI9/IK5ZUI			11-208
31-Oct	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199	194
31-Oct	31-Oct	I	IU1ARI	IQ1IV		11-188
31-Oct	31-Oct	PA	PA50JOTA	PA3EFR	11-199	194
31-Oct	11-Nov	PA	PA60LIM	PE1NCP		11-204
31-Oct	1-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/W9NJY (SA-006)	WD9DZV		11-187
31-Oct	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
31-Oct	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	J48RT (EU-174)	HA6NL		11-195
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA2VR (EU-174)	HA2VR		11-195
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6NL J48NL (EU-174)	HA6NL		11-195
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6PS J48PS (EU-174)	HA6PS		11-195
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6ZV (EU-174)	HA6ZV		11-195
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7JJS J48JJ (EU-174)	HA7JJS		11-195
31-Oct	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7PL J48PL (EU-174)	HA7PL		11-195
31-Oct	31-Oct	UN	UP50SAT	RV3AR		11-192
31-Oct	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA			11-194
31-Oct	31-Oct	V3	V31FB (NA-073)	W5JON		11-139
31-Oct	31-Oct	V4	V4/NE1RD (NA-104)	NE1RD		11-153
31-Oct	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
31-Oct	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162

31-Oct 12-Nov XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY	11-202
31-Oct 6-Nov XW	XW3DT		11-204
31-Oct 12-Nov YA	T6EE	KE6GFF	11-189
31-Oct 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
31-Oct 2-Nov YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA	11-202

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field conditions will range from quiet to unsettled, becoming predominantly quiet for Thursday and Friday.

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The sunspot number for October 29, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4K9W	DL6KVA	HK3GXI	EA5KB	SV8/HA6PS	HA6PS
5H1BC	IK5BCM	HR9/WQ7R	WQ7R	T6EE	KE6GFF
FM5BH	W3HMK	KB7OBU/KH2	JA3VXH	V26BZR	W2BZR
HF50SLO	SP9PNB	LG5LG	ON4CJK	YA/NG5L	NG5L
HH2FJM	F5RPB	SV8/HA2VR	HA2VR	ZF2BI	K4BI

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Those who have worked HR9/WQ7R, Ray, most likely on 6 meters, will recall that his QSL manager N6FF, Dick Wolf, recently passed away. Those needing a QSL from Ray should QSL via his Florida Callbook address, reports K8KS, Kaz.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: CN2FB, CN2FW, GB6MD, HR9/WQ7R, KN5G/KH6, MM0XAU (EU-012), OX3XR, VO2/NF6J (NA-044), ZK3RE

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: JE7IZM/JD1

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 9Q1EK, 9Q1TB, E21EIC, HB9FBS, OH9RI, PJ4/PA3CNX, PY2SRB, XE2WWW, YW0DX, ZP6CW

Correction

M5AAV, Graham, is not the QSL manager for 5H1BC. The correct QSL manager is IK5BCM.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: AD1C, ARRL, HA0HW, IZ1EGT/F5VKV, JA1HGY, K3SWZ, K5KG, K6GEP, K6TA, K7HC, K8KS, M5AAV, N4II, VA5DX

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Palestine has not been on the air since August 2003. In last year's DX Magazine's most wanted list E4 ranked # 26. A license has recently been issued and we expect to have more news on this very soon. Until then QRX for more details.

Starting November 4th German ops DL5HAQ, DK6HA and DL3HBZ will be QRV from Dominica as J75/DK0RZ. Activity is expected through November 17th. QSL via DK0RZ, Clubstation, Rosenweg 7, 21493 Schwarzenbek, GERMANY.

GM0DHZ, Alex, may be QRV as 3V8SS for about three weeks beginning November 19th.

Russian ops RD3AF, RZ3AZ, RA9JR and UA9AM will be operating the CQ WW CW DX Contest from the Canary Islands. They will be QRV as EF8M in the multi-two category. QSL via RX3DU.

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest special club call LN3Z will be activated from Norway. This will be a multi-single effort by LA5UF, LA6YEA, LA8HGA and LA9GX. QSL via LA9VDA.

TM4Q will be a multi-single during the CQ WW CW at the end of the month. The all French team includes F4EGD, F5CQ, F5CWU, F5MOO, F5MYK, F5OGL, F6EKS, F6FYA and F6IIT. QSL via F6FYA.

WJ20, Dave, plans to do an SOAB attempt in the CQ WW CW Contest on November 24th and 25th from Belize. He'll be using the call V31DF. QSL via WJ20.

A team from Japan will be operating from Australia in the CW version of the CQ WW. The VK4AHY multi-op team ops will be JA1OZK, JA1CGC, JA1OHP, JF1TAB, JH1FUD, JL1LOW, JQ2IQW and JK1DRM. They will be active before and after the contest. Watch for them on HF on CW and the digital modes from November 23rd to November 28th.

Silent Key

GU4GG, Derek Wintle, became a Silent Key. He was 86. Derek was first licensed in 1938 and was "always very active on the HF bands". He was QRV from Northern Rhodesia as VQ1CW and from Swaziland as ZD5G. Derek passed away in Alderney, Channel Islands.

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AF-032	5H1BC	14255	0638	EU-174	SV8/HA6NL	21011	0919
EU-012	MM0XAU	14007	1513	EU-174	SV8/HA7JJS	14015	1229
EU-170	9A/DJ8QP	10107	1613	NA-088	HP4/W4JKC	14013	2006
EU-170	9A/HA8LNN	7014	1838				

G4EDG, Steve, will be QRV from Stewart Island (OC-203) from November 5-7 as ZL4/G4EDG. He may have his own ZL callsign by the time the operation takes place. Look for activity on 17 through 40 meters on CW only. Logs will be uploaded to LOTW or you can QSL direct only.

K6VVA, Eric, plans to operate from Revillagigedo Island (NA-041) from November 30th to December 2nd. This will also include the ARRL 160 Meter CW Contest with special call KL8C. Before and after the contest he will be QRV as K6VVA/KL7. QSL via K6VVA.

Rumor has it that during the RSGB IOTA 2008 Contest MM0NDX and one other op plan to be QRV from IOTA EU-092. As of the moment they are not sure of the callsign. It could be MM0NDX/p.

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1-Nov	4-Nov	8R	8R1PY	PY4KL		11-174
1-Nov	8-Nov	9H	9H3ML (EU-023)			11-158
1-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H		11-209
1-Nov	5-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT			11-154
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1-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6ZV (EU-174)	HA6ZV		11-195

1-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7JJS J48JJ (EU-174)	HA7JJS	11-195
1-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7PL J48PL (EU-174)	HA7PL	11-195
1-Nov	7-Nov	UR	UT/OZ5IPA		11-194
1-Nov	15-Nov	VK9N	VK9ANH	DL2AH	11-193 164 065
1-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
1-Nov	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
1-Nov	12-Nov	XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY	11-202
1-Nov	6-Nov	XW	XW3DT		11-204
1-Nov	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF	11-189
1-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
1-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-201
1-Nov	15-Nov	YK	YK9SV (AS-186)		11-176
1-Nov	2-Nov	YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA	11-202

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7W53N	7X5VRK	CX7CO	KA5TUF	V26OC	N3OC
9A735Z	9A2DM	HS0ZDY	SM3CVM	Z29KM	EA7FTR

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4O3A, 4X0V, 9K2MU, A35RK, BD4SP, DQ4W, EA5DFV, JW8DW, RA1OK, SP7HOV, XE1YJS

On The WWW

Yesterday's announced E51MMM and E51NNN DXpedition to Rarotonga, South Cooks now have a blog at <http://www.e51mmm.blogspot.com/>. Their contact with the Internet while on Rarotonga will be limited to occasional visits to an Internet cafe. "We will do our best to keep up the commentary on condx and our daily operations, and post a few photos from time to time", says K5KG, George.

V85SS, Ambran, has set up a blogspot site for his 'Tungku Lodge' ham radio holiday lodge in Brunei for DXpeditioners. You can check it out at <http://tungkulodge.blogspot.com/>. This was the operating location of last weekend's V8FEO operation and for next week's V8 DXpedition by V8FDM, V8FWP and V8FWU.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 5B4AHJ, G3LUW, G4EDG, G4GED, K0OK, K5KG, K6TA, K6VVA, K9ZW, K01H, N4II, NG3K, V85SS, W8JV

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VK2IA (DL1VJ), Bernd, will be on Cocos-Keeling again in late November for the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest. He'll be using his VK9AA call. Look for activity from Bernd between November 19th and 26th. Joining him on this trip will be DJ8NK, Jan. He will be QRV with his newly assigned VK9CCC callsign. Activity will be on 10-160 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL VK9AA via DL8YR. QSL VL9CCC via DJ8NK.

Look for SP2JMB, Slavo, to be QRV as EA8/SP2JMB from the Canary Islands from November 7th to 12th. He'll be on 10 through 80 meters on CW and SSB. QSL via SP2JMB.

Solar Cycle 24 dot com (www.solarcycle24.com) is now reporting we have been 25 days in a row with no sunspots. Surly we must be close to the bottom of Cycle 23?

The DXCC Desk has approved all of UA4WHX's third DXpedition. This was his African, Middle East and Indian Ocean junket, which took place between 2005 and 2007. The following calls are good now for DXCC: 3DA0VB, 4K0VB, 4L0B, 5H3VMB, 5R8VB, 5X1VB, 5Z4/UA4WHX, 7P8VB, 7Q7VB, 9J2VB, 9U0VB, 9X0VB, A25VB, C91VB, D20VB, D60VB, J20VB, OD5/UA4WHX, ST2VB, V51VV and Z2/UA4WHX. Vlad and at least one friend have begun to hand write confirmations, which are now beginning to show up in mailboxes. Several Russian DXers have already received their QSLs. Remember patience is needed as he worked around 310,000 QSOs!

KE3Q, Rich, is now in Puerto Rico and will be operating the SS CW this weekend at WP3R. QSL WP3R via W3HNK.

QSN

JW5NM - SVALBARD - West Coast ops were working Math on 7004 Thursday between 1130 and 1230Z. QSL via LA5NM.

VK6HD - AUSTRALIA - RTTY ops from the eastern half of North America were working Mike on 7040 via the long path starting about 2140Z yesterday.

IOTA

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AF-004	EA8KG	14070	1932	EU-174	J48PL	14012	1401
AF-004	EA8YB	14215	2110	EU-174	SV8/HA5OV	14010	0909
AF-018	IH9YMC	21071	1028	EU-174	SV8/HA6NL	7006	2234
AS-013	8Q7AU	14260	1022	NA-010	VE1CJB	14155	2033
AS-186	YK9SV	14185	1837	OC-032	FK8CP	14195	0945
EU-004	AN6VP	14253	1210	SA-046	PY7MV	7065	2255
EU-144	IR8DX	14016	1328	SA-046	YV7MV	7065	2238
EU-170	9A/DJ8QP	10104	1942				

YB3MM's, Adhi, IOTA DXpedition to Karimunjawa Island (OC-186), which was scheduled to take place over the CQ WW SSB Contest weekend was cancelled due to a transceiver problem. He will try again during the CQ WW CW DX Contest as YB3MM/2 on November 24 and 25. QSL via IZ8CCW.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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2-Nov	3-Nov	3A	3A/F5VKV			11-201
2-Nov	3-Nov	3A	3A/IZ0BTV			11-201
2-Nov	4-Nov	4O	4O/DD5FZ	DD5FZ		11-197
2-Nov	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
2-Nov	10-Nov	7Q	7Q7HB	G0IAS		11-177
2-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
2-Nov	10-Nov	8Q	8Q7AU (AS-013)	HB9OAU		11-194
2-Nov	4-Nov	8R	8R1PY	PY4KL		11-174
2-Nov	8-Nov	9H	9H3ML (EU-023)			11-158
2-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
2-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
2-Nov	3-Nov	E5	E51NOU (OC-013)	N7OU	11-194	151
2-Nov	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
2-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
2-Nov	21-Nov	G	GB4RN			11-194
2-Nov	3-Nov	G	GB5OSO	G8ATE		11-179
2-Nov	2-Nov	HP	HP4/W4JKC (NA-088)	W4JKC	11-199	194
2-Nov	5-Nov	JW	JW/G3SXW	G3SXW		11-201
2-Nov	5-Nov	JW	JW/G3TXF	G3TXF		11-201
2-Nov	11-Nov	PA	PA60LIM	PE1NCP		11-204
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2-Nov	15-Nov	VK9N	VK9ANH	DL2AH	11-193	164 065
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2-Nov	12-Nov	XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY		11-202
2-Nov	6-Nov	XW	XW3DT			11-204
2-Nov	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF		11-189

2-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
2-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L		11-201
2-Nov	15-Nov	YK	YK9SV (AS-186)	SV1JG		11-176
2-Nov	2-Nov	YO	YO/F6AJA	F6AJA		11-202
3-Nov	11-Nov	I	IY1EY	IK1QBT		11-205
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4-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FWP (OC-088)	PA7FM	11-208	203 196
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8R1PY	PY4KL	J48PL	HA7PL	LZ1195IR	LZ1KZA
A45WD	YO9HP	J48PS	HA6PS	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
AO9IB	EA9IB	JW5NM	LA5NM	YK9SV	SV1JG
DK150HZ	DH2ES	KP2AD	OK1AJY	Z36T	DJ0LZ
ET3JA	OK3AA				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: A35RK, JW8DW, KL7RA, ON7GB, P40W, VP8LP, ZL1BYZ

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DX News

KA4KDZ, Melvin Collins, and the S/V Sprint of Sydney arrived at Cumberland Bay at King Edward Point, South Georgia Island on Saturday November 3rd. His group sailed from the Falkland Islands to South Georgia. The trip took six days. He was QRV as VP8DKX on Sunday on 20 meters SSB beginning just before 1900Z on 14190. He'll be there for at least a week and maybe as long as 10 days. Mel is running 100 watts to a vertical dipole hung from a flagpole. We have no other details at this time. QSL via KA4KDZ.

A group of Indian hams have special callsigns to celebrate the birthdate, November 30, of Sir Jagadish Candra Bose, a great Indian scientist. Bose demonstrated wireless communication in 1895, apparently predating all others. In the left column below is the special call and in the right column is the home call.

AU1JCB	VU2UR
AU2JCB	VU2DSI
AU4JCB	VU2HFR
AU7JCB	VU2SMN
AU8JCB	VU2SDF (A45WH)
AU9JCB	VU2SMS
AT0JCB	VU2DCT

The operation will be from November 25-December 2. The large QSL will come direct for all who include sufficient return postage. E-mail VU2DSI for details at data_anr@dataone.in or VU2UR at dattatry_anr@sancharnet.in.

VK0LD/VK6CQ, Alan, has sent a message from Punta Arenas, Chile, that he is now going back to Patriot Hills Base, Antarctica. When he wrote he was waiting for his Ilyushin airplane in Punta Arenas, heading down to Antarctica to open up the base for the season. He says it will be a short stay for him this time, just a little bit of technical work.

He will install a new Vee beam and set up a link to the VHF repeater installed last season, 120 nautical miles away, but close to the summit of Mt. Vinson at 4500M elevation. He will activate VP8PJ but his operating time will be limited due to having little free time. He favors CW 3 kHz up from the bottom of the band on 7, 10 and 14 MHz.

He says, "It's extremely unlikely that I'll be there for more than two weeks maximum, probably only 7 to 10 days." QSL via DL5EBE as usual.

ZL2BSJ was scheduled to fly to ZL7 in mid-January for a fish survey and to ZL9 in September next year. Both survey trips fell through. Bert is leaving his job in December and moving to the Netherlands.

PJ2T will be in the ARRL 160M Contest November 30-December 2. K8ND will be operating, single operator high power. He will have his logs on LoTW, or QSL direct to K8ND.

TU2FQ, Joel, says there have been a lot of pirate callsigns on the air from Ivory Coast. Among the callsigns heard that have not been issued by the government are TU3CA, FO/TU2QU, TU5AZA, TU3DD, TU2AWI, TU2AC/MM, TU5ZQ, TU2GE, giving his name as Michel, TZ/TU5GV and TU5LV.

KY1V, W4OI and possibly others will be in the CQWW CW big-time from 6Y1V, Jamaica, November 24-25. They still haven't decided whether to be multi-op one transmitter or multi-op two transmitters. They are looking for another experienced CW operator or two. QSL 6Y1V via OH3RB. You can contact Tony, KY1V, at david.kopacz@aspwebhosting.com.

Fast operator W2SC, Tom, will have Barbados on the air again with the 8P5A callsign during the CQWW DX CW Contest. He will be single operator all band high power as usual. QSL via NN1N.

W0CG, K8ND, W0NB, W8WTS and G0RTN are all part of a PJ2T CQWW CW operation and they'll sign PJ2/home callsign outside the contest, between November 20 and 26. QSL PJ2T via N9AG, the others to their home call. K8ND and W8WTS are staying on until December 3 and operate in the ARRL 160M Contest.

PJ2/WB9Z, Jerry, will be on Curacao December 12-25, operating holiday style, all bands. QSL to his home callsign.

XW1A, Larry, will be in the CQWW CW, single op. This is Laos. QSL via E21EIC.

Propagation guru K9LA, Carl Luetzelschwab, notes that at solar minimum between Cycle 22 and Cycle 23 we had 42 consecutive days without any sunspots, September 13, 1996 through October 24, 1996. With things very low presently, here in 2007, Carl says, "Hopefully something will happen soon with Cycle 24."

W4VQ reports that "rumor has it Tobbe, SM7RME, is on a 6-month assignment in Africa and may soon be QRV as 9Q1R."

3B8/SM7DKF, Ron, will be on holiday on Mauritius Island, AF-049, November 10-23. He will be operating a little bit as he relaxes there. QSL to his home call. <http://www.sm7dkf.se>.

EG8FDA will be the callsign from Anaga Lighthouse on Tenerife Island, Canary Islands, AF-004, November 10-11. Operators EA8ARG, EA8AY and EA8BFH plan to operate on HF, 6, and 2. QSL via EA8NQ direct or bureau. <http://ea8arg.ure.es/eg8fda/>.

II0VUI will be a special event station from Rome, Italy, November fourth. It will be Armed Forces Day there. QSL via I0YCB.

XU7BUM (Jack, F6BUM) will be in Cambodia and on the air November 22- December 12. He will be CW only, and operating in his spare time. QSL via F6CXJ.

The Spokane DX Association has its new 2008 officers. They are:

President, K7OX, Gary Elliott
Vice President, K7TQ, Randy Foltz
Treasurer, K7EKM, Kirk Mohror
Secretary, WA0WWW, Jay Holcomb

W7YU, Chuck Bailey, died on October 31. Memorial services will be held at Church of the Palms, 14808 North Boswell Blvd., Sun City, Arizona, at 1 PM Friday, November 9. Chuck was a DXer, living in Arizona.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8BMG	14260	1545	EU-036	LB9AE	14084	1610
AS-186	YK9SV	7055	2340	EU-165	IM0MBP	14081	1635
EU-009	MM0MWW/P	10103	1200	EU-170	9A/HA8LNN	3503	1750
EU-010	9A/DJ8QP	10109	1500	OC-022	YB9BU	21260	1225
EU-034	ES0NW	10108	1225				

CT/EA7TV/P, Adolfo, will be on Culatra Island, EU-145, November 8-11. He will be on 40-10M. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.
<http://ea7tv.googlepages.com/culatra.htm>

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AO8ATE	EA8ATE	JW/G3TXF	G3TXF	VP8DKX	KA4KDZ
AO8DA	EA8DA	JW5NM	LA5NM	XR5JA	CE5COX
CO8LY	EA7ADH	LU2FLN	EA5KB	XU7MDY	OH4MDY
D2NX	JH7FQK	LZ1195IR	LZ1KZA	YK9SV	SV1JG
FM1II	ON4IQ	OF3JF	OH3JF	YR125AV	YO8AXP
HC2SL	EA5KB	PA20NAFRAS	PA1TT	Z36T	DJ0LZ
HF80SLK	SP9PNB	TI4CF	W3HNK	ZS4U	K3PD
HP4/W4JKC	W4JKC	UE3DDX/3	RZ3FR		

K9QVB, John, notes the KH8SI logs are now on LoTW. Many are reporting getting their confirmation on that one.

G3UML says, "If it helps anyone, [I] just got a 1984 FB8WJ [Crozet] card from N200. The original manager was the late W4FRU, but Bob now has the logs."

A correction: 9M4DXX, November 7-12, QSL via 9M2TO, NOT via JA1OCZ.

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 7Q7MM, 9Q1EK, A35RK, CT1ELC, DU1UGZ, E21EIC, IK5FKF, J5UAP, KH8SI, LN8W, ON4AEK, OT4A, P40W, PJ4E, UA1OKT, UU5WW, V26B, XT2C, YW0DX and ZW90S

On The WWW

N6AQ, Frank, says, "Just wanted to let everyone know about our new club here in the hill country. It's not only for DX guys but we have a fully-integrated forum and swap services for everyone. Most of our members are north of San Antonio [Texas], near Canyon Lake. Stop by our site and let us know what you think."
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JG7PSJ, Harry, is going back to Chichijima Island (AS-031), Ogasawara Islands where he will be QRV as JD1BMH. He is expected to be there between 1000Z on Saturday December 29th through 2200Z on Friday January 4, 2008. Plans are to be QRV on 1.8-28 MHz on CW, SSB and RTTY. Harry has a Web page at <http://sapphire.ganko.tohoku.ac.jp:8080/jd1bmh/>. Equipment will include an IC-746, IC-756PROII and VL-1000 Amp. Antennas for this operation will be an Aki Special (160 meters), 80 meter vertical, two element vertical array for 40 meters, a two element HB9CV for 10, 15 and 20 meters and a Giboshi DP for 10-40 meters. QSL via JG7PSJ, Hiroyuki Kawanobe, 1-4-1, Mikamine, Taihaku, Sendai, Miyagi 982-0826, JAPAN.

Michael, F1IQH, will be in Bobo Dioulasso, Burkina Faso starting December 6th until late December 2007 ore early January 2008. He'll have an FT-847 running 100 watts. His call will be XT2WC. QSL via F1IQH.

As reported yesterday KA4KDZ, Mel, is on South Georgia along with seven other non-hams. They are there mostly to observe the wildlife. Sunday he was on 20 SSB as VP8DKX. He reports the group will return to Falkland in 10 days. Activity on the air is expected to be "spotty at best".

K5LBU, Frosty, is "planning a return to Mozambique next July." This will be a 15 day trip including time at Kruger National Park. Joining him will be W5SL and one other from the 2006 team may also join the group. If anyone else wishes to join they should contact Frosty.

CT1BOH, Jose, is heading back to the Madeira Islands where he'll be QRV as CT3NT during the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest.

N2NT, Andy, will be operating as V47NT from St. Kitts and Nevis for the CQ WW CW DX test.

During the CQ WW CW N6AA, Dick Norton, will be in Honduras, possibly QRV with the call HQ5H.

Starting November 19th look for F6BEE to be QRV as 6W1RY from Senegal. He'll be active on 10 through 160 meters until November 26th. This will include participation in the CQ WW CW DX Contest.

Also operating from Senegal will be K1XM, Paul. He'll be signing 6V7D in the CQ WW CW DX Contest.

Prefix hunters should look for XE1AY, Ismael, to be operating as 6H1AY during the CQ WW CW DX test.

Russian ops RV1AW, UA2FB and UA2FF will be QRV from Morocco in the CQ WW CW DX Contest. They will be doing single band efforts. Watch for CN2AW (RV1AW) on 20 meters, CN2FB (UA2FB) on 80 meters and CN2FF (UA2FF) on 160 meters.

In addition to the Russian ops in Morocco look for W7EJ also to be QRV with his CN2R call from November 19th to 26th. This will also include a single band 160 meter effort. QSL via W7EJ.

The Cape Verde D4C station will be a multi-two effort in the CQ WW CW, at the end of the month. Ops will be YL2KL, YL3DW, YL1ZF, LY2CY, IK2NCJ, IV3SKB and I4YSS. There may be some activity before and after the contest. QSL via IZ4DPV.

ZD7X, Tom, from St. Helena is expected to be in the CQ WW CW. QSL via W0MM.

K3IXD, Ed, will be active in the CQ WW WPX RTTY, February 9 and 10, 2008, as ZF2XD from the Cayman Islands (NA-016). He'll be single-op all-bands running low power. Outside the contest look for ZF2XD from February 6-11. Activity will be on 3.5 to 28 MHz on SSB and the digital modes. QSL to K3IXD.

HZ1EX (SM0CXU), Thomas, will be single op all band in the CQ WW CW. He can not operate on 80 meters as this band is currently not allocated to HZ ops. QSL via CBA.

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XW1A - LAOS - Larry had a big signal into the US West Coast yesterday on 3799 just after 1500Z. QSL via E21EIC.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-013	8Q7AU	14260	1321	EU-174	SV8/HA6NL	3717	0641
AS-186	YK9SV	7055	1701	EU-174	SV8/HA7JJS	3515	2133
EU-026	JW/G3SXW	14023	0916	NA-041	K6VVA/KL7	14041	2227
EU-038	PE1DTU	14259	1244	NA-058	K9RR/4	14260	1755
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14277	1342	OC-005	VK9ANH	14260	0937
EU-114	MU0FAL	18078	1327	OC-088	V8FDM	14022	2311
EU-170	9A/HA8LNN	7021	1427	OC-088	V8FWP	10106	1350
EU-171	OZ/DK9LO	10121	1251	OC-088	V8FWU	3502	1142
EU-174	J48JJ	3503	0250	OC-129	DU5/ZL4PO	7004	1601
EU-174	J48PL	14203	1157	OC-203	ZL4/G4EDG	10109	1216
EU-174	SV8/HA5OV	14204	1007				

A35RK, Paul, reports his plans to go to Niuatoputapu Island (OC-191) have been cancelled due to lack of transportation.

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 CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
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6-Nov	10-Nov	VP8/G	VP8DKX (AN-007)	KA4KDZ	11-213	
6-Nov	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162	
6-Nov	12-Nov	XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY	11-202	
6-Nov	6-Nov	XW	XW3DT		11-204	
6-Nov	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF	11-189	
6-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173	
6-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-201	
6-Nov	15-Nov	YK	YK9SV (AS-186)	SV1JG	11-176	
6-Nov	7-Nov	ZL	ZL4/G4EDG (OC-203)	G4EDG	11-211	

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4S7BRG	HB9BRM	EK3GM	IK2QPR	RV7AD/0	YT1AD
CX6VM	W3HNC	FK/JA1NLX	JA1NLX		

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9K2HN, Hamad Al-Nusif, reports his entire 9K2HN log of 193K QSOs has been uploaded to the LOTW server and everyone will soon receive their confirmations.

N7RO, Dick, reminds everyone he is the QSL Manager for V73RY. He also has some IRCs for sale. You can email him at n7ro@arrl.net.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4K9W, EL2DX, EP3HF, ER4DX, HC8N, OM3PA, OZ1LXJ, VP2ERV, YK1BA

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 6W1RY, 9K2HN, KH8SI, M0DHO

On The WWW

The November 5th issue of the Seattle Times (page 6) had an article called "Patients vision: Treating Cancer without Chemo." The article is about K3TUP, John Kanzius, who had nine months to live after doctors detected Leukemia. John pursued RF treatment, which is a very promising development to the treatment of cancer. Read about it on-line at <http://tinyurl.com/24zslx>.

JW/G3SXW and JW/G3TXF have posted photos of their trip to Svalbard at <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/JW/JW.html>.

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AA4XR (HS0ZCY, XU7ADF), Bruce, has moved to South East Asia. He is currently in Bangkok, Thailand and will be working in both Laos and Vietnam. While in Laos Bruce will be operating as XW1B. No word on if there will be any activity from Vietnam (3W). QSL HS0ZCY and XW1B via E21EIC.

Speaking of E21EIC, Champ, he will be heading north today to the SEANET Convention to setup the HS35SEA guest op station. QSL via HS1CKC.

Between November 15th and 18th PG5M, Gerben, will be operating from Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, East Malaysia. He will probably use the call sign 9M2/PG5M/6, but will try for a 9M6xxx callsign. Activity will be on CW only on 10-40 meters. On 10, 15, 20, 40 meters Gerben will have a beam available and will take a G5RV for 12, 17 and 30 meters. QSL via PG5M via the bureau or direct to Gerben A. Menting, Brandparken 2, 9351 XM Leek, NETHERLANDS. "With the current low value of the dollar, please use two USD for return postage", says Gerben.

G3XAQ, Alan, will be operating 9G5XA, CW only, from Accra, Ghana from November 12-26. For the CQ WW CW he is planning a SOSB entry, probably for 15 meters. Outside the contest Alan will concentrate on 30 and 17 meters. QSL via G3SWH.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS ISLAND - Watch for Jacky on 1822 between 0100 and 0130Z. Afterwards he QSYs to 3505 until just after 0200Z. QSL via CBA.

9Q1EK - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Georges was working across North America on 3510, QSX up 2, Tuesday between 0230 and 0330Z. QSL via SM5DJZ.

D2NX - ANGOLA - 30 meter ops from Japan were working Koji on 10109 at 0600Z.

KH7XS - HAWAII - Look for Bill on 80 CW or 75 Phone after 0500Z and just before 1600Z.

KL7HBK - ALASKA - Western Europeans were working John on 1831 between 0430 and 0600Z.

V8 - BRUNEI - V8FDM, V8FWP and V8FWU were QRV yesterday on 1822, 3521, 7022, 10103, 10136, 14078, 14145, 18072 and 18147. They had a pretty good EU run on Topband

yesterday and are hoping to soon work their first NA.
Two beverages are now up and working.

YA - AFGHANISTAN - T61AA, Ross, was on 18140 at 0915Z.
T6EE, John, showed up on 14220 after 0400 until 0745Z.
YA/NG5L, Mark, began on 14245 just before 1100Z.

YK9SV - SYRIA - The Greek team was reported yesterday as follows:

GMT Frequencies
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00 7009, 10108
01 1822, 7009
02 3507
03 3507
04 14008, 18078
05 7078, 14008, 18140
06 14190, 18140
07 14190, 18078
08 14190, 18078, 21290
09 14190, 18078, 21290
10 14190, 21290
11 14190, 18080, 21290
12 14190, 18080, 21290
13 14215, 18080, 21295
14 14215, 18078, 18142, 21295
15 10107, 14215, 18078, 21295
16 14085
17 7003, 3795
18 7003, 3795
19 3795
20 3795
21 3790, 7003
22 1842, 3790, 7003
23 1842, 7003

ZD7X - ST. HELENA - Japanese ops should look for Tom on 20
meters (14195) around 2100Z. QSL via W0MM.

ZF2AH - CAYMAN ISLANDS - Joe had an opening to the Far East on
17 CW between 2130 and 2230Z.

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EU-001	SV5/SV1LK	10140	1015	NA-107	FM5AA	14083	1704
EU-004	EA6UP	3516	2152	OC-005	VK9ANH	14260	1240
EU-016	9A4W	18145	1338	OC-088	V8FDM	14145	1441
EU-023	9H1SP	7090	1841	OC-088	V8FWP	10104	2247
EU-060	SV8EUV	7018	0418	OC-088	V8FWU	3522	1118
EU-115	GI3OQR	1816	2149	OC-130	DU9/G4UNL	14150	1244
EU-174	SV8/HA6PS	3512	2218	OC-203	ZL4/G4EDG	10106	0631
NA-041	K6VVA/KL7	7011	0224				

JA6WFM will be operating as JF6YME/6 from Yoron Island (AS-023) November 21 to 24. He'll be on the HF bands on SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via the JARL QSL bureau.

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7-Nov	11-Nov	I	IY1EY	IK1QBT		11-205
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After 29 straight days of no sunspots we final had one (974) on November 6th. This new small spot is located near the equator (southwest) on the sun, which can be seen at http://sohowww.nascom.nasa.gov/data/realtime/mdi_igr/1024/latest.html. During the bottom of Cycle 22 and beginning of Cycle 23 the longest duration of no sunspots was 42 days. Between Cycle 21 and Cycle 22 the longest span was 21 days. It's too early to say Cycle 24 has begun. As a reminder there will be two events that take place to mark the beginning of Cycle 24. Observers will notice opposite magnetic polarity sunspots compared to Cycle 23 sunspot polarity as well as high solar latitude (around 30 degrees) sunspots. All sunspots near the solar equator are from Cycle 23. The Daily DX will notify its subscribers when these events are reported by the SEC.

Yesterday Georgian President Mikhail Saakashvili announced a 15-day nationwide state of emergency. Independent news stations have been shut down as well as Amateur Radio activity. Hams from 4L have been told not to turn on their equipment during this time period. If all goes well they could be back on the air in time for the CQ WW CW DX Contest.

KA4KDZ (VP8DKX), Mel, and his crew will be sailing "sailing south into difficult conditions for the next few days and expect to be in Larsen Harbor" today. He expects to be back on 20 meters SSB in about 4 days. The team's primary goal is "wildlife observations. Mel will try to "operate as much as possible in the difficult conditions".

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest Russian op RA1AO will be QRV as HK1AR from Bogota, Colombia.

DL7UKT, Hans, is heading back to Malaysia later this month. His 9M2/DL7UKT license has expired and he hopes to renew it while there. He'll be there from November 20th until the end of December.

European ops needing Hawaii on 80 meters should start looking for KH7XS, operated by K4XS, Bill. He has lengthened the loops for the CW band and plans to start up around 0430Z. Look between 3500 and 3515. The two element loops are up 30 meters and Bill will have a KW.

Topband op KU8E, Jeff, will be part of the PJ4A CQ WW CW DX team operating multi-two. Watch for him to be operating as PJ4/KU8E on 160 before and after the big event from November 20th to 27th. He'll be looking for Asia during his mornings. If 160 meters is not producing watch for him on 3505 or 7005.

Z29KM (ex P29KM), Kazuo, promises some 40 meter CW activity after 2100Z, reports W1JR, Joe. There hasn't been much CW or low band activity form Zimbabwe recently, says Joe. Kazuo was on 7010 yesterday around 21Z.

G3TBK, Dave, will be back on St. Vincent and QRV as J88DR from November 21st to 29th. He'll be active on all bands mostly on CW. During the CQ WW CW DX Contest Dave will be single-op all-band. QSL via G3TBK.

Operators from the Canary Islands will be operating from Anaga Lighthouse this weekend. Team members include EA8ARG, EA8AY and EA8BFH. They have a Web page at <http://ea8arg.ure.es/eg8fda/>. QSL via EA8NQ.

QRZ DX is reporting that OK1TN, Slavek, will be in Ireland operating as EI7JW during the CW portion of the CQ WW. He'll be on 30, 40 and 80 meters mostly before and after the contest from November 21-30. QSL via OK1TN.

VE3IKV, K5AND, W3CMP and W4TAA are planning a 6 Meter DXpedition to Sable Island (CY0) next year. The dates for their target on June 25th to July 5th. They will have an 800 watt amp and 7 element yagi up 40 feet. Activity is expected on both CW and SSB from grid locator FN93. More details to follow.

CX6VM, Jorge, will be using special call CW6V in the CQ WW CW on November 24th and 25th.

Members of the Great Britain Bedworth Lions will be operating special call GB4BLC from January 1-28. Activity will be on 10-80 meters SSB and 2 meters FM. QSL via G8GMU either direct or via the bureau.

Yesterday the official announcement was made that "All operations on Vlad, UA4WHX's last trip are now OK for DXCC credit. These include but may not be limited to:

5X1VB - Uganda, 9U0VB - Burundi, 9X0VB - Rwanda, D20VB - Angola, D60VB - Comoros, J20VB - Djibouti. Other operations include: 3DA0VB - Swaziland, 5R8VB - Madagascar, A25VB - Botswana, C91VB - Mozambique, ST2VB - Sudan, Z2/UA4WHX - Zimbabwe, V51VV - Namibia, OD5/UA4WHX - Lebanon." QSL cards are just starting to be mailed.

QSN

4S7NE - SRI LANKA - Nelson like 75 phone usually between 2000 and 2100Z but he has been on after 23Z.

IOTA

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IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-013	8Q7AU	18145	0718	EU-174	SV8/HA5OV	3504	0355
AS-186	YK9SV	14190	0639	EU-174	SV8/HA6NL	14264	1107
EU-016	9A4W	3510	1852	EU-174	SV8/HA7PL	10106	0640
EU-019	R1FJT	3507	1728	EU-175	CU6NS	14086	1220
EU-030	OZ4NE	14080	1227	NA-018	OX3KQ	3800	2327
EU-036	LB9AE	14083	1223	OC-005	VK9ANH	14260	0947
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14255	1132	OC-019	K1YR/KH6	14015	1709
EU-171	OZ/DK9LO	7036	1930	OC-046	FO5JV	14117	1622
EU-174	J48PL	14266	1257	OC-088	V8FWP	10106	1551
EU-174	J48RT	3504	1451	OC-088	V8FWU	10105	1425

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
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8-Nov	10-Nov	8Q	8Q7AU (AS-013)	HB9OAU		11-194
8-Nov	8-Nov	9H	9H3ML (EU-023)			11-158
8-Nov	12-Nov	9M2	9M4DXX	9M2TO		11-207
8-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
8-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
8-Nov	11-Nov	CT	CT/EA7TV/P (EU-145)	EA7TV		11-213
8-Nov	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
8-Nov	12-Nov	EA8	EA8/SP2JMB (AF-004)	SP2JMB		11-212
8-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
8-Nov	21-Nov	G	GB4RN			11-194
8-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA0HW	HA0HW		11-201
8-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA4DX	HA4DX		11-201
8-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA4XG	HA4XG		11-201
8-Nov	24-Nov	HS	HS0ZGH			11-193
8-Nov	11-Nov	HS	HS35SEA	HS1CKC	11-215	204 200
8-Nov	12-Nov	I	II8MM	IZ8EPY		11-184
8-Nov	11-Nov	I	IY1EY	IK1QBT		11-205
8-Nov	17-Nov	J7	J75/DK0RZ (NA-101)	DK0RZ		11-211
8-Nov	16-Nov	OZ	OZ/DK9LO (EU-171)	DK9LO		11-208
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8-Nov	11-Nov	PA	PA60LIM	PE1NCP		11-204
8-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
8-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	J48RT (EU-174)	HA6NL		11-195
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA2VR (EU-174)	HA2VR		11-195
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6NL J48NL (EU-174)	HA6NL		11-195
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6PS J48PS (EU-174)	HA6PS		11-195
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA6ZV (EU-174)	HA6ZV		11-195
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7JJS J48JJ (EU-174)	HA7JJS		11-195
8-Nov	8-Nov	SV	SV8/HA7PL J48PL (EU-174)	HA7PL		11-195
8-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FDM (OC-088)	GM4FDM	11-208	203 196
8-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FWP (OC-088)	PA7FM	11-208	203 196
8-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FWU (OC-088)	F5CWU	11-208	203 196
8-Nov	15-Nov	VK9N	VK9ANH (OC-005)	DL2AH	11-193	164 065
8-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDL	DL5CW		11-184
8-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDM	DM5YL		11-184
8-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
8-Nov	12-Nov	VP8/G	VP8DKX (AN-007)	KA4KDZ		11-213
8-Nov	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
8-Nov	12-Nov	XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY		11-202
8-Nov	12-Nov	YA	T6EE	KE6GFF		11-189
8-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
8-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L		11-210
8-Nov	15-Nov	YK	YK9SV (AS-186)	SV1JG		11-176
8-Nov	11-Nov		SEANET Convention		11-049	012

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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be at quiet to unsettled levels. Quiet conditions are expected on Friday and Saturday.

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The sunspot number for November 6, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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AO8DA	EA8DA	EM1100UU	US7UU	SA25QW	SK6QW
DU6BG	K6BG	PA60LIM	PE1NCP	XU7AAJ	IW3SNW
EA8/SP2JMB	SP2JMB				

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HR9/WQ7R, Ray, now requests that QSLs be sent to his new QSL manager AI4U.

"I'm pretty current with BS7H QSLs", says QSL manager KU9C. If anyone needs a BS7H QSL status report you can email him at bs7h2007@yahoo.com.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9M6/G30OK, 9M6XRO, 9N7JO, 9U0A, A250OK, EK6TA, ES1QD, M5AAV, VP2V/W5PF, VQ9LA, XU7XRO

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 4O3ZZ, 4Z70R, 4Z9DBI, 5B4AHJ, 9A2HF, 9A5X, CT3KN, FM5JC, IV3SKB, LX2007D, LY3UM, MM/F5CWU (EU-123), PJ2/LY4F, RZ1OK, S51DX, TM8CDX, UU7J, V5/HB9QQ, VC2W (NA- 038), YL3FT, ZA1DX

Confirmations recently received via LOTW:

On The WWW

9Q1EK (VE2EK), Georges, has a Web blog page on his past QSL manager SM5DQC, Osten, who recently passed away. You can see it at www.ve2ek.blogspot.com.

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K3WT, Tom Menas; N0STL, Vlad Michtchenko; N0AT, Ron Dohmen; and W0OR, Bill Dean; will be operating the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest from San Andres Island (HK0). They will be departing Minneapolis, MN on November 19th and heading home on the 28th. Activity is expected to be on November 20th and last through the 26th. The group will use the special call 5J0A during the contest. They'll use HK0/home call before and after the contest on 1.8 to 28 MHz. Check out the 5J0A Web site at <http://frontiernet.net/~5j0a/>. QSL cards for 5J0A go via W0JAR either via the bureau or direct to John A Ross, 11577 Maple Springs Dr SE, Alexandria, MN 56308, USA. They will be using LOTW. QSL cards for the HK0/home calls go via their home calls either via the bureau or direct to their CBA.

AA4XR (HS0ZCY, XU7ADF, BV2/AA4XR), Bruce Ault, is moving permanently to Laos on Saturday November 10th. He plans to be QRV starting next week as XW1B. Bruce says he'll be on all bands and modes.

LA6IKA, Svein, is heading back to South America. QRZ DX says He'll leave from Norway on November 10th and spending about 3 months down south. First stop will be Tierra del Fuego (SA-008), Argentina around the end of the month for about 2-3 weeks. The next planned stop will be from Juan Fernandez as CE0Z/LA6IKA for about a week at the end of January 2008. He may also operate from Easter Island as CE0Y/LA6IKA but this one has not been confirmed yet. QSL via LA6IKA.

Starting November 14th LA7JO (9N7JO, HS0ZGD), Stig will be QRV as S21JO from Bangladesh. He'll also be doing a single-op effort in the CQ WW CW. QSL via HS0ZGD.

N5ZO, Marko, will be operating in the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest on November 24th and 25th from Swaziland. Look for him to be QRV as 3DA0ZO in the SOAB category. QSL via OH0XX's Panamanian call book address on QRZ.COM.

G4ZFE, Richard, is planning a Single-Op All-Band effort in the CW portion of the CQ WW at the end of the month from West Malaysia as 9M2CNC. QSL via G4ZFE.

Look for KH6/I0TWA to be operating from Hawaii for four weeks. Starting date was not mentioned. Watch for him around 0600 to 0800Z. QSL via I0MWI.

Brazilian ops PY4WAS and PQ2BT will be doing a multi-single in the CQ WW CW test. They will use special call PQ8KL from the rare Amapa State. QSL via PY4KL.

T90R, T90T, T93J, T96C and T98U are planning to operate as T93J from Bosnia-Herzegovina for the CQ World Wide CW. This will be a multi-two effort.

Members of Carabinieri On The Air (COTA) plan to activate the Pontifical Lateran University station HV5PUL station in the Vatican from November 19th to 21st. Activity will be on all bands, including 6 meters on all modes.

QSN

3B8CF - MAURITIUS - Jacky started up on 21018, listening up 1, around 14Z.

KH00 - MARIANA ISLANDS - Showed up on 18080 working US stations up 1 KHz yesterday starting about 2100Z. QSL via JA2FJP.

R1ANR - ANTARCTICA - Was on 14160 Thursday after 17Z. He's operating from Novo Runway Base, which is about 14 kilometers from Novolazarevskaja base.

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EU-004	AO6AEI	7068	2104	OC-005	VK9ANH	14260	1002
EU-012	MM0XAU	1829	2033	OC-006	VK7AC	7092	2009
EU-018	OY3QN	10106	1650	OC-046	FO5JV	14120	1601
EU-034	ES0IC	3582	2056	OC-088	V8FDM	7008	1236
EU-036	LB9AE	14081	0928	OC-088	V8FWP	1822	1134
EU-145	CT/EA7TV/P	7083	1700	OC-203	ZL4/G4EDG	7008	0717

N8OIL will be active from St. Simons Island (NA-058) from November 11th through November 23rd. QSL via N8OIL.

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9-Nov	11-Nov		SEANET Convention		11-049 012
10-Nov	23-Nov	3B8	3B8/SM7DKF (AF-049)	SM7DKF	11-213 174
10-Nov	11-Nov	CX	CW2C K2LEO/CX IK1PMR/CX		11-194
10-Nov	11-Nov	EA8	EG8FDA (AF-004)	EA8NQ	11-216 213
10-Nov	18-Nov	SU	SU0ARA		11-197
10-Nov	10-Nov		ARRL Midwest Division Convention		11-200
10-Nov	11-Nov		Mediterraneo Dx Club Convention		11-105
12-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH	11-215
12-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG	11-201
12-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG	11-201
12-Nov	15-Nov	FR	FR/OH2YY	OH2YY	11-209

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5B/DL6RO	DL6RO	CT/EA7TV/P	EA7TV	JT1LZ	K1LZ
9J2BO	G3TEV	FM5CD	F5VU	KH0AC	K7ZA
AO1OS	EA1OS	HB0/HA4DX	HA4DX	KH0O	JA2FJP

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DX News

S79UU and S79AB, operators RA3AUU, Harry, and UA3AB, Andy, will be on the air November 19-28 including the CQWW CW. They will have two K2 rigs, an ACOM 1010, a SteppIR beam and wires. They will be on all bands including 160. QSL via UA3DX. The logs will be put on LoTW later.

ZD7X, Tom, says since he hooked up a different laptop computer he can hear stations on 160 much, much better. The old laptop was putting out 10 over 9 QRN on 160. Tom figured it was just local noise, but when he turned on the rig with the computer off he realized, "Aha!"

He says 160M is actually very quiet from St. Helena. He reports that he has been unhappy with the performance of his vertical and his dipole on 160. He met a ham a few nights ago (presumably on some other band) who has 296 countries on 160M but no ZD7! Tom says he is very aware of the need for ZD7 on 160 with a good signal. He is negotiating to use two cranes at the waterfront to hang a temporary 160 inverted-L from. It will be over saltwater with the highest point 100 feet up. He says, "I know of no other antennas on 160 in the world that are over pure ocean salt water and are using cranes as the support - the signal should be KILLER!!!" He hopes to work out a schedule where he can be active for an entire weekend, perhaps one weekend a month, maybe more, and he will let us know when to listen for him. Tom has just broken 15,000 QSOs from ZD7, in just seven weeks of operation.

K5UN will be in Suriname (PZ) November 20-30 for the CQWW CW contest. Lee will be single op all band high power, signing PZ5X. QSL via K5UN.

AT7CD is a special callsign from India for National Disaster Reduction Day. Look for this one November 15-17, operating from the auditorium of the St. Joseph's Indian Boy's High School in Bangalore. Thirteen Indian hams and one SWL have been authorized to use the station. This same group will be part of the Third Emergency Communications Party on the Air (an emergency communications exercise) from their home QTHs on November 11th. There will be a special QSL card and for stamp collectors a special postage stamp and "cover" (envelope) on November 15th, coordinated by VU2LCI, the Lions International Stamp Club - LISC India Chapter #3.

SM7RME, Toby, is in Africa, the Democratic Republic of Congo, and plans to "be working here for a long time." Unfortunately, he says, he does not have a license yet but hopes to have it soon. He has taken possession of 9Q1D's antenna and QTH.

W4WET, Tusti, lost everything in a house fire including all his ham gear, three airplanes, and the airplane hangar. He also lost 500 QSL cards ready to go out for his various operations, like YJ0ONM, T30ONM and T2DX. These were cards that were going to go out via the bureau.

He suggests people resubmit. He lost his Drake 2B, Viking Ranger, a complete Collins S-Line, and more recent equipment. He summarizes, "Life goes on."

KG4MN, Guantanamo Bay, will be QRV starting some time between November 23 and 25 for 10 days. This is WV3R, Ken, (also ex-VP9MN) who has been reissued his old KG4MN callsign. He will be SSB primarily, with some CW possible, on all bands that he has antennas for. Ken's XYL Patti, ex-VP9MP, will be signing KG4MP on a limited activity basis. QSL both of these via WB2YQH.

Host KH6ZM says KH6/IOTWA will start "this Friday," for four weeks of operating. Look for him between 06-08Z. QSL via I0MWI.

OH5DX, Ari, reports lots of planned activity from the Aland Islands for CQWW CW: OH0M on 160M with OH1JT at the key, QSL via OH1MM OH0R on 80M with OH2PM operating, QSL via OH2PM OH0B on 20, OH2BH operating, QSL via OH2BH OH0Z on 15 with OH5DX operating, QSL via W0MM And OG0Z on 10M, OH1RX at the paddle, QSL via W0MM.

70 MHz will be available to hams in EI, Ireland (Eire) "as soon as the necessary documentation is amended by ComReg," without the need for special application.

A team of operators has been in Uruguay since November 8th for the WAE RTTY contest, where they have been using the callsign CW2C. Operating are IK1PMR, K2LEO and IK1GLO. Also look for them as IK1PMR/CX, K2LEO/CX, ZP6/IK1PMR, ZP6/IZ1GLO and ZPOR for the CQWW CW. They will possibly get on from Argentina. QSL all via IK1PMR.

T88SE, Palau Islands, will be on November 18-21. Operator JR8VSE, Osamu, will be on from Koror on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV, on all bands. QSL via JR8VSE direct or bureau.

8R1PW is the license in hand for G3SWH, Phil, and G3RTE, Jim. They plan to be active from Georgetown, Guyana between February 22-29. Phil notes that two recent operations from 8R were mostly SSB, so they will use CW for this one, all bands 160-10M, concentrating on lower frequencies and 30, 17 and 12M. Effectiveness on 160 will depend on QRN and site conditions. "Propagation permitting, we plan to have two stations on the air for as many hours every as is possible," Phil says. "Our main objective is to work as many European, North American and ROTW (rest of the world) stations on as many bands as possible. QSL via G3SWH direct with SAE or adequate return postage, using the address on Phil's web site, www.g3swh.org.uk/form.html. Also check out www.g3swh.org.uk/8rlpw.html.

Updating info from June, K3VX (VP2MVX), K9FO (VP2MFO), K9NR (VP2MNR), K9CS (VP2MSC, WR9L (callsign pending) and W2EP (callsign pending) will be on from Montserrat November 20 through December 3, including two contests, the CQWW CW and the ARRL 160. The rest of the time they will be on 160-10M, mostly CW but with some SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL all of them via K9CS.

VP9I is the Bermuda callsign for WA4PGM, Kyle, for the CQ 160 CW contest January 26-27. He will be single operator low power. QSL via N1HRA.

TL8DV, Central African Republic, will be active starting the last week of March or first week of April next year for eight or nine weeks, mainly CW with some phone. This will be W1DV, Dave Vittum. He will have internet so he will be able to view the spots.

OPDX reports HI8RV, Rafael (aka "Chikin") will have a new callsign starting December first. It is HI8A. Until then he will be using HI8RV.

GB80GKZ will be aired by the members of the Eagle Radio Group of Mablethorpe, Lincolnshire, United Kingdom, to celebrate the 80 years of Humber Radio, callsign GKZ. This one will be on the air December 8 and 9, all bands 80-15M, SSB, CW and digital. 2E0NCG, Mark Dumbleton (aka M3NCG), says there will be a special QSL card.

OZ6OM reports that with the J5SIX/b project well concluded in Guinea- Bissau, J5JUA will now have the permits and other wherewithal to install two more beacons there. J5FOUR/b will be on 70,010 MHz CW with 20 watts to a horizontal dipole and the J5TWO/b beacon will have 20 watts to a Diamond X510 vertical.

The NADXC, North Alabama DX Club, elected 2008 officers at their October ninth meeting. They are:

President, Tom Duncan, KG4CUY
Vice President, Kevin Hibbs, KG4TEI
Secretary/Treasurer, Jason Amos, KD4BJW
Director, Vic Holland, K4RVH
Director, Mike Maples, K4ADK.

Here is their web page: www.nadxc.org.

Silent Key

W4TI, Diehl Martin, passed away at the age of 56 on October 27th. Shortly after a move from Huntsville, Alabama to Guntersville in 2004, he was diagnosed with pancreatic adenocarcinoma, which is typically deadly and swift, yet with treatment he lived another three years. First licensed in 1963, Diehl held the callsigns WN6MTT, WB6UUB, WD5CYZ, N5AQ and finally W4TI. He said Morse was originally a barrier to him in getting his license but eventually became his favorite mode. Diehl liked DXing but enjoyed CW ragchews even more. He served in the U.S. Navy and later graduated from Cal State Polytechnic University in Pomona, California. He worked for Hughes Aircraft in California and a TV station in Weslaco, Texas, before moving to Huntsville. One thing he liked about ham radio was, "It was one of the few things I could do which could be done without having to go somewhere else to do it. I could participate fully, even though I was largely homebound." He was also into singing, music, church and photography. Diehl is survived by his wife, Monica, N6PSD and daughter Marie Martin, Ph.D., KA6YHS, who works for the Texas Engineering Extension Service.

ZL4AZ, T.K.S. Sidey, passed away October 28th, at the age of 98. He was first licensed as Z4AZ in 1926 with certificate DN #8. Sidey was founder of a company that made forms, checkbooks, business cards, fanfold computer paper and business forms, plus glossy brochures of all kinds. In his later years he still attended board meetings.

Sidey was also a City Councilor from 1947-1950 and again from 1953- 1959, then serving as Mayor of Dunedin City fro 1959-1965. Sidey's father (1863-1933) introduced the idea of daylight saving time to New Zealand, introducing the idea in 1909, "so that urban sportsmen and gardeners had more time to enjoy themselves in the summer - although because of rural opposition he did not get the Act passed until 1927."

QSN

BV4YB/DL2JRM - TAIWAN - W6IGK, Elmer, reports nice signals in the North American West Coast Friday. This one was on 7004 with a nice signal between 1130-1430Z

DU5/ZL4PO - PHILIPPINES - W6IGK got this one on 7012 from 1400-1500Z.

HS0ZBS - THAILAND - Also on the U.S. West Coast, 1330-1530Z, 10104 MHz.

VP8PJ - ANTARCTICA - 00-01Z on 14104 MHz.

XU7MDY - CAMBODIA - W1GDQ reports he is on 14004 at 1220Z almost daily, listening up one.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EG8FDA	18182	1155	EU-135	SE2T	14267	1515
AF-014	CT3FQ	18144	1540	EU-145	CT/EA7TV/P	14260	0950
AF-019	IG9/I4EML	14241	1410	NA-010	VE1CJB	14195	1815
AS-012	8Q7AU	18145	0600	NA-031	KB2MS	14268	1425
AS-133	XU7TAS	14260	1455	NA-058	K9RR/4	14260	1545
AS-186	YK9SV	7005	1755		OC-005	VK9ANH	
	18125	0755					
EU-001	SV5FRD	18155	1200	OC-012	V63CP	18130	0515
EU-012	MM0XAU	7010	1900	SA-012	YV5AGS/7	18084	1530
EU-015	SV9GPV	14241	1245	SA-046	PY7MV	7074	0250
EU-016	9A4W	1846	1920				

VY2/N3DXX, Art, will be on Prince Edward Island, Canada, NA-029, for the CQ 160 Contest January 26-27. Art will be single op. QSL to his home call.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
 18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
12-Nov	23-Nov	3B8	3B8/SM7DKF (AF-049)	SM7DKF	11-213	174
12-Nov	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
12-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
12-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH		11-215
12-Nov	12-Nov	9M2	9M4DXX	9M2TO		11-207
12-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
12-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
12-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-201
12-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-201
12-Nov	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
12-Nov	12-Nov	EA8	EA8/SP2JMB (AF-004)	SP2JMB		11-212
12-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
12-Nov	15-Nov	FR	FR/OH2YY	OH2YY		11-209
12-Nov	21-Nov	G	GB4RN			11-194
12-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA0HW	HA0HW		11-201
12-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA4DX	HA4DX		11-201
12-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA4XG	HA4XG		11-201
12-Nov	24-Nov	HS	HS0ZGH			11-193
12-Nov	12-Nov	I	II8MM	IZ8EPY		11-184

12-Nov 17-Nov J7	J75/DK0RZ (NA-101)	DK0RZ	11-211
12-Nov 16-Nov OZ	OZ/DK9LO (EU-171)	DK9LO	11-208
12-Nov 19-Nov PA	PA20NAFRAS	PA1TT	11-208 190
12-Nov 30-Nov SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
12-Nov 18-Nov SU	SU0ARA		11-197
12-Nov 30-Nov SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
12-Nov 18-Nov V8	V8FDM (OC-088)	GM4FDM	11-208 203 196
12-Nov 18-Nov V8	V8FWP (OC-088)	PA7FM	11-208 203 196
12-Nov 18-Nov V8	V8FWU (OC-088)	F5CWU	11-208 203 196
12-Nov 15-Nov VK9N	VK9ANH (OC-005)	DL2AH	11-193 164 065
12-Nov 26-Nov VP2E	VP2EDL	DL5CW	11-184
12-Nov 26-Nov VP2E	VP2EDM	DM5YL	11-184
12-Nov 15-Jan VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
12-Nov 12-Nov VP8/G	VP8DKX (AN-007)	KA4KDZ	11-213
12-Nov 17-Nov VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO	11-162
12-Nov 23-Nov W	N8OIL (NA-058)	N8OIL	11-217
12-Nov 12-Nov XU	XU7MDY	OH4MDY	11-202
12-Nov 12-Nov YA	T6EE	KE6GFF	11-189
12-Nov 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
12-Nov 1-Apr YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
12-Nov 15-Nov YK	YK9SV (AS-186)	SV1JG	11-176

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will remain very low.

The geomagnetic field will start out this week quiet. The arrival of a coronal hole high speed stream late Tuesday will raise the level to unsettled, with occasional active periods and isolated minor storm levels at high latitudes. The elevated level will persist through Wednesday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for November 10, 2007 was at zero for the fourth day after one day at 11.

QSL Info

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 5N8FOC, 5R8FU, 9U0A, D2NX, EW8AM, FS5KA, FS5UQ, HL8KSJ, IB0/OM2FY (EU-045), JW8DW, KL7RA, N8S, PJ5NA, PJ7/ND5S, T30XX, VK4JCF (OC-138), WP3C, WP4I, ZP4KFX and ZS2VJJ.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4U1WRC, 9K2HN, CT1EEB, CT2JQI, CT3NT, D9K, DF9OX, JA7DOT, JH4UYB, JW/G3TXF, PU3A, R1FJT, RA9AUH, RU4CS, TF4RX, UA3DPM, UT7UJ, V26B, VR2C, VY0ICE and YT5T.

On The WWW

K9RZ says, "This looks like the best `alternative' method for soldering PL-259s I have seen to date. I may give it a try."
<http://www.k3lr.com/engineering/pl259/>

VP8DKX is due back in Larsen Bay, South Georgia within a couple days. We should be able to see the ship arrive on this web cam, which NE8Z, Rick, reports seems to be working. If you scroll back to November fifth you can see the ship in front of the camera, and VP8DKX was active that day.
<http://zeitcam.com/webcam/southgeorgia>

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JA1BK, Kan, will be visiting southwestern Europe and Africa between December 4th and December 13th. He might be showing up on the air, time permitting in his busy schedule. Look for him as F/JA1BK from Bordeaux area, EA3/KH6BK from Barcelona, and a side trip to Gibraltar (activity unlikely), then EA7/KH6BK. He will attend the Spanish URE DX convention in San Fernando. On December 10 and 11, he, along with Paul F6EXV, will be visiting EA9IE, Juan, and might take the mic and/or the key, signing EA9/KH6BK and EA9/F6EXV. QSL respectively to home calls (JA1BK and F6EXV).

JK2VOC and JF2IWW will be on Palau from November 23-26. They will operate as T88FY and T88IW respectively. During the CQ WW CW T88FY will be SOAB. T88IW will operate on 12, 17 and 30 meters as well as many satellites. QSL T88FY via JK2VOC. QSL T88IW via JF2IWW.

LX7I is expected to be on for the CQ WW CW. This will be a multi- single by DL1QW, DL4SDW, DL8SCG, LX2A and maybe others. QSL via LX2A.

Here is an update on the FMRE group traveling to XF4. The team received news from the Mexican Navy that their first stop will be Clarion Island (NA-115) and they will be able to disembark and operate for 24 hours. They will arrive on Clarion this Friday, November 16, at 0500Z. After that they will go to Socorro (NA-030) where they will stay at the Navy base for a month. They have a Web site at www.6e4lm.xedx.org.

AA4XR, Bruce, arrived in Laos this past weekend. He plans to be QRV later this week as XW1B on all bands and modes. QSL via E21EIC.

VK2CCC (LY1DF, LY1F), Tomas, updates us on his trip to Tonga. He received his A35MT callsign and plans to be QRV November 19th to 26th. All the A35MT operation related info will be on www.qrz.com/callsign/a35mt.

Members of the Northern Illinois DX Association (NIDXA) have elected the following new officers:

President: N9BX, Bruce Osterberg
Vice President: W9XA, Kermit Carlson
Treasurer: KB9CRY, Phil Camera
Secretary: N9UM, Mark Thomas
Board of Directors: W9VA, Bill Smith; K9RA, Brian Miller; K9PPY, Jim Model

They have a Web site at www.nidxa.org.

Starting today through November 15th Look for IK1PMR/CX, Andrea, on CW and K2LEO/CX, Claudia, on RTTY running low power between 1200 and 2200Z. They will be using a three element yagi. Activity will be on 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20

meters. Last weekend they were active in the WAE RTTY test as a multi-op with 1158 valid QSOs and 1223 QTCs for a score of 1,130,975 points. Joining their multi-op was CX5BW, Pedro.

KC2Q, Mike; N2MEL, Mel; W2XYZ, Frank; W2KQ, Joe; and possibly others plan to be QRV from Anguilla Island as VP2E/WR2DX between February 11th and 19th, 2008. Most of the ops are members of the North America DX Association (NADXA), who is sponsoring this mini DXpedition. They have a Web page at www.nadxa.org.

CT9L will be a multi-op in the CQ WW CW. Ops expected to be DF1LON, DJ0IF, DJ2YE, DK7YY and GM4AFF.

AE6Y, Andy, will be operating from his P49Y QTH on Aruba during the CQ WW CW DX Contest. He'll be SOAB. QSL via AE6Y.

ZF1A will be a multi-two effort from the Cayman Islands in the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest on November 24th and 25th. The ops will be K6AM, K5PI and AC6T. QSL via W5ASP.

IK2QEI will be using special call CN3A from Morocco in the CW portion of the CQ WW. No word on what category he'll be in. QSL via I2WIJ.

Doing an 80 meter single band effort in the CQ WW CW will be CO6LP on Cuba. He'll be looking for Europeans between 3580 and 3590 and for Asia ops from 3505 to 3520. QSL direct only to his CBA.

GJ2A will be on for the CQ WW CW from Jersey. Team up in the multi- single or multi-two category will be K2WR, GU4CHY and possibly others. Before the contest look for MJ0AWR and GJ4CHY. QSL GJ2A via K2WR or GJ3DVC. QSL MJ0AWR via K2WR. QSL GJ4CHY via GU4CHY.

Japanese ops JI3ERV, JR7OMD, JK3GAD, JR8VSE and JE8KKX will be doing a MS effort from AH2R on Guam in the CQ WW CW DX Contest. QSL via JH7QXJ.

DX Gathering

The Northern California DX Club (NCDXC) November meeting will be held on Thursday, November 15th. The location is: Holder's Country Inn, 998 South De Anza Blvd., San Jose. Dinner starts at 6pm, meeting program at 7:30pm. There will be a presentation on "Propagation Physics" by K6WX, Kristen McIntyre.

QSN

4U1WRC - I.T.U. GENEVA - N4GN, Tim, is in Geneva and was QRV yesterday on 20 SSB. He's hoping to get up early and be on 80 CW this week.

D2NX - ANGOLA - Was on 40 CW Monday around 2200Z.

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AF-016	FR/OH2YY	14195	1840	EU-038	PA3DAZ/A	3762	1607

EU-010 GM4K GK	10118 1531	EU-171 OZ/DK9LO	18101 1128
EU-012 MM0XAU	1816 2228	NA-022 VP2EDL	10107 2301
EU-028 IA5/IQ5MT	14203 1358	OC-046 FO5JV	14117 1554

Japanese ops JA6RGJ/6, JK6IIS/6 and JO6RGZ/6 will be active from Muku Island (AS-012) on November 17 and 18. Activity is expected on HF on SSB and CW. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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13-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH		11-215
13-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
13-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
13-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-201
13-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-201
13-Nov	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
13-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
13-Nov	15-Nov	FR	FR/OH2YY	OH2YY		11-209
13-Nov	21-Nov	G	GB4RN			11-194
13-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA0HW	HA0HW		11-201
13-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA4DX	HA4DX		11-201
13-Nov	14-Nov	HB0	HB0/HA4XG	HA4XG		11-201
13-Nov	24-Nov	HS	HS0ZGH			11-193
13-Nov	17-Nov	J7	J75/DK0RZ (NA-101)	DK0RZ		11-211
13-Nov	16-Nov	OZ	OZ/DK9LO (EU-171)	DK9LO		11-208
13-Nov	19-Nov	PA	PA20NAFRAS	PA1TT	11-208	190
13-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
13-Nov	18-Nov	SU	SU0ARA			11-197
13-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
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5C5W	EA5XX	EP2OD	PIRATE	R450WYL	RZ9WM
5Q0PI	OZ6PI	FR/OH2YY	OH2YY	SB300L	SM7CRW
6V7D	KQ1F	HB0/HA4XG	HA4XG	TM0TMM	F5TFI
6V7H	KQ1F	HC2SL	EA5KB	TT8PK	F4EGS
6W1RE	JR2KDN	HS0ZBN	W5FI	V63CP	JH1BLP
6W1SJ	T93Y	IK1PMR/CX	IK1PMR	V63CV	JP1WDM
8P2K	KU9C	J37T	VE3EBN	V8FDM	GM4FDM
9A60K	9A7K	KH0ABT	7L1FPU	V8FWP	PA7FM
9G1YK	PA3ERA	KL7OU	NI5DX	V8FWU	F5CWU
9M2GCN	JH3GCN	KL8C	K6VVA	VP2EDL	DL5CW
9N7BV	JA1PBV	KP2M	AI4M	VP2EDM	DM5YL
9Q/RU6FP	PIRATE	LX2007G	LX1KC	VU3DJQ	EA7FTR
A92GT	EA7FTR	MM0XAU	DJ6AU	YI1HRP	PIRATE
CO6DW	EA5KB	OL60PO	OK2PO	YK9SV	SV1JG
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Effective November 20th, 2007 Amateur Radio in Iraq can begin again! Iraqi authorities suspended all Amateur Radio activities back in March of this year because of security concerns. Anyone needing the new YI license application form can find it at <http://www.iraqi-ars.org/applicationofamateurlicense.pdf>. YI9JK (WU5E, ex YI9E), Jim Kennedy, can't wait to get on the air and is now waiting for his new radio to be shipped from the states.

DL7ZZ, Andreas Hahn, tells The Daily DX of a team from Germany planning a DXpedition to Mauritania next year. The group, consisting of DK8YY, Rich; DL2JRM, Rene; DL3JJ, Ralf; DL4JS, Ingolf; DL5SE, Dan; and DL7ZZ Andi; will be in the capital Nouakchott, near the Atlantic Sea, between March 16th and 30th. There'll be enough space for their antenna systems especially for the low bands. They hope to have their license any day now. Plans are to have three stations, two with amplifiers. They will have a V160 vertical for 160 meters and a V80 vertical for 80 meters. Two phased verticals will be installed for 40 meters. Two beams will be used for 10-28 MHz, plus a ground plane for the digital station. A Web page is being setup for this operation at www.5t2008.de. This will include an on-line log search, which will be updated daily via the Internet or Pactor. The team is looking for financial contributions. You can email them at info@5t2008.de. QSLs for this operation can go via the bureau or direct via DH7WW, Ulrich Moeckel, Muldenstr. 1, 8304 Schoenheide, GERMANY.

9Q1EK, Georges, has some good news and bad news. The good news is he and 9Q1TB, Phil, installed a new 160 meter antenna. The bad news is on Sunday both his IC-756PROIII and IC-7000 went up in smoke due to excessive voltage (380v AC) from the electric company. The radios were off and still smoking! Unfortunately Georges will be off the air for a long time as it is impossible to find replacement parts in Kinshasa. He has a Web Blog at <http://www.ve2ek.blogspot.com/>.

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest 5H3EE, Mike, will be SOAB from the 5I3A club station. He will use his own call. Unfortunately there will be no 160 meter from that location.

W4OI, Tony, will be joining KY1V, Dave, and OH3RB, Kari, in Jamaica for the CQ WW CW DX Contest as 6Y1V. This will be a multi-single effort.

6 Meter aficionado W6JKV, Jimmy Treybig, has announced he's going to Alaska to operate on the Magic Band next year. He'll be QRV from a mountain top some 30 miles northeast of Fairbanks between June 18th and June 30th. His planned location is 2,500 feet ASL with a clear view in all directions. Jimmy will have a big yagi and 800 watts.

KM00, Tony, will be in Cambodia and QRV as XU7MWA from November 22nd to 26th, including a single-op high power operation in the CQ WW CW DX Contest. QSL via KM00.

Topband ops should look for TA2RC, Ozer, to be on for the CQ WW CW on 160 meters single band. QSL via his CBA or via the bureau.

KP2M will be a multi-two effort from the US Virgin Islands in the CQ WW CW test. The ops will be K3TEJ, John, and K3VA, Ed. QSLs go via AI4U. They will be there between November 20th and 27th. Before and after the contest they will operate as KP2/K3TEJ and KP2/K3VA. QSL via their home calls.

NP4Z, Felipe, will do a single-op all-band effort in the CW version of the CQ WW Contest.

KG6DX, Joel, will make sure the Mariana Islands are represented in the CQ WW CW. He'll be on all bands. QSL via his call book address (CBA).

HS0ZAR, HS8KAY and E21YDP will all be SOAB in the CQ WW CW November 24th and 25th.

QSN

40 METER - LONGPATH - N4GG, Hal, reminds everyone of 40 meter long path into Europe. Yesterday SM4OTI, UN6LN and RL3FT were there around 1225 to 1240Z. Today HB9FAX was on just before 1015Z.

D2NX - ANGOLA - Koji likes 20 meters, usually CW but sometimes SSB, between 1930 and 2030Z. Also check 40 CW from 2100 to 2200Z. QSL via JH7FQK.

E21EIC - THAILAND - 30 Meter ops reported big signals from Champ on 10102 yesterday around 1400 to 1700Z.

E51MMM - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - George was down on 7006 today around 0930Z.

V8FDM - BRUNEI - Was on 10106 from 1600 to 1730Z.

V8FWU - BRUNEI - Started up yesterday on 3521 on Tuesday just moments before 1200Z. Watch for them today on 80 CW or 160 CW after 1100Z.

XW1B - LAOS - Bruce was on 20 CW yesterday around 1330Z and then on 20 SSB at 1500Z. Today he began on 20 CW just after 0000Z. QSL via E21EIC.

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NA-101	J75/DK0RZ	14273	2254	OC-088	V8FDM	14137	1326
NA-099	KP4L	18070	1450	NA-010	VE1CJB	14190	1806
NA-058	N8OIL/4	14071	2250	NA-036	VE7POH	3799	1211

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IK1PMR, Andrea, has posted the CW2C logs at <http://www.ik1pmr.com/logs/>.

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M1KTA, Dom, will be on Mauritius as 3B8/M1KTA from March 1st to 16th, 2008. Plans are to be active on most of the HF bands, including the Commonwealth Contest. He'll be mostly on the digital modes and SSB.

The COTA association (Carabinieri on the Air) will activate on November 19, 20 and 21, 2007 from the Amateur Radio station (HV5PUL) at the Pontifical Lateran University in the Vatican City State celebrating the recurrence of the proclamation of Saint Maria "Virgo Fidelis", patron saint of the Carabinieri Italian military police.

Operations will be on all bands and all modes on HF and 6 meters.

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest look for special event station AT60MY to be QRV from India.

N00J, Randy, and KE0A, Rod, will be active this weekend in the ARRL Sweepstakes SSB Contest from the rare North Dakota multiplier. They will be operating as N0GF from the University of North Dakota club station in Grand Fork, ND.

QSN

5H3EE - TANZANIA - Look for Mike on 160 CW just before 0300Z.
9M2AX - WEST MALAYSIA - Ross likes 1831.5 around 1130 and 2200Z.
E51NNN - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - Ron was on 1825.7 starting about 1110Z today. QSL via K5KG.
JE1LET - JAPAN - Masa was on the 14247 net at 2100Z.
S2ZJO - BANGLADESH - Stig is using the call S2ZJO, not S21JO as originally announced. Yesterday he was camped out on 7012 from 16-18Z. Today he started up on 7004 at 1130Z. QSL via LA7JO.
TOPBAND - 160 METERS - W6IGK reported nice opening on 160 meters CW yesterday to the west coast with V8FWP 1100Z to 1530Z, VR2MY 1430Z to 1500Z and HL3IUA 1230Z to 1430Z.

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The sunspot number for November 13, 2007 was 11.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B8/SM7DKF	SM7DKF	AP2TN	DJ9ZB	FK8DD	LZ1JZ
4L1FP	LZ1OT	CP4BT	EA5KB	FP5CJ	VE2FB
5V7BR	F2VX	DU3/G4CWA	G4OHX	IK1PMR/CX	IK1PMR
7S100ALA	SK7CN	E51MMM	K5KG	S2ZJO	LA7JO
9G5XA	G3SWH	E51NNN	K5KG	TU0PAX	TU2CI
A71BX	EA7FTR				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4O3A, 4U1WRC, 6W1RY, 9K2HN, A35RK, BX5AA, CQ3T, DU1UGZ, LX7I, PY3DX, R1FJT, S57AL, UU5WW, V26B, VP5DX, YO4AB, YT5T, ZL1BYZ, ZS4U

Correction

Yesterday's QSN about E21EIC on 30 meters was a typing error - it was actually E21EJC.

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DX News

OE2SNL, Franz, is now QRV on Easter Island as CE0Y/OE2SNL. Look for activity on 10 through 80 meters on CW, RTTY and PSK. QSL via OE2SNL either via the bureau or direct.

TZ6JA, Mac, will be going back to Republic of Mali on another work assignment from November 22 to December 14, 2007. While there he hopes to be on the air. Mac will be moving to a small village 150 kilometers east of the capital Bamako from December 1st to 12th. There is no electricity and therefore this location should have little noise. He will take a 1.5 kWH generator to supply a 500 watt amplifier. Mac will install a two 2 element phased vertical for 75 and 40 meters. For the high bands a 7 element log-periodic antenna will be used. QSL direct only to: Makoto Obara, P.O. Box 59, Tama, Tokyo, 206-8691 JAPAN.

13 year old junior high school student JE1PGD, Koko, will be QRV as T88GS from Palau. He'll be there with his dad JQ8GYU (T88YU), Yutaka, and mother JJ2VLY (T88LY), Mihoko from December 17th to 22nd. Watch for this family to be active on 6 through 80 meters on CW and SSB during their mornings and evenings. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

ND3F, Brian is heading back to Nassau, Bahamas primarily for the CQ WW CW DX Contest. This will be his fourth trip and he plans to improve his antennas. He hopes to have 2 elements on 15, 20, 40 and 80 meters. Brian asked for special short call C6Q for the contest but thinks all the calls must be 5 characters (C6Axx). He was unable to get special permission to operate on 60 meters. QSL to ND3F. Brian is still running about a year behind on bureau cards but will respond immediately to SASE.

OH9MM, Juha, tells us the real Santa Claus comes from Finland! Santa Claus Land (OH9SCL) will be again active during this December from the Artic circle. Activity will be on 10-160 meters on CW, SSB and the digital modes. Among others Santa's helpers will include: OH3BHL, OH9KL, OH9MDV, OH9MM and OH9RJ. QSL via OH9UV.

Special event station PI9NOZ/A will be QRV this weekend in commemoration of discontinuation of broadcast transmissions of the Dutch KPN Broadcast Services shortwave station in Flevoland, Netherlands. Activity will be on CW, SSB and RTTY on 10 through 40 meters. QSL via PA3FZV.

During the CQ WW CW 6W1SJ (T98A) will be single op all band from Senegal. QSL via T93Y.

N4ISV, Dick, is heading back to Iraq in early 2008 and plans to use his newly re-authorized YI9SV callsign.

K9NW, Mike, will be active from Nicaragua in the CQWW DX CW Contest probably as H7/K9NW, SOAB Low Power. While there he may investigate possibility of a shorter callsign. He'll be QRV from November 21-28.
QSL via K9NW.

Starting November 20th YI9MI (AD7MI), Scott plans to be QRV with his IC-7000 and 130 foot dipole up 50 feet. He is located at Camp Taji and will be active on 10-80 meters on SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY. Scott is expected to be in Iraq until May 15, 2008. QSL via AD7MI.

Special event station PF30FRG will be active during December to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the Frisian Radio Amateur Group (FRAG) of Leeuwarden, Netherlands. QSL via PI4FRG.

Starting January 1, 2008 a new QRP Challenge will begin. Check out the full details at http://qrpfr.free.fr/challenge/index_gb.php.

The ARRL DXCC Web page (www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc) says the DXCC Desk is currently working on DXCC applications for those that arrived during the week of August 10th. For the record keepers that is 15 weeks.

During periods of heavy mail, logging into the DXCC computer can take up to three or four days after the mail is delivered by the Post Office. This list includes applications mail-logged during the period 15-Jul-2007 to 12-Nov-2007 inclusive.

Boletin de DX en Espanol reports EA3GHZ, Juan Carlos, will be on the island of Oahu, Hawaii from November 20 to 25. This is a business trip and he will be QRV in his spare time. Watch for KH6/EA3GHZ on CW and SSB. QSL via EA3GHZ.

QSN

6V7H - SENEGAL - YL DXCC chasers found good signals from Charlotte yesterday on 14195 at 2030Z. QSL via KQ1F.

C91KDJ - MOZAMBIQUE - Wayne has been very active today on 17 and 15 CW. QSL via W5KDJ.

S2ZJO - BANGLADESH - Continues to be QRV on 40 CW after 1100Z, despite Cyclone Sidr (<http://www.iht.com/articles/2007/11/16/asia/bangla.php>).

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8GO	14190	1738	NA-010	VE1CJB	14195	1752
EU-001	SV5/SV1LK	7038	2035	NA-090	XF3PAS	7078	0615
EU-012	MM0XAU	1828	2238	NA-213	WA2USA/4	14237	1502
EU-024	IS0IGV	7001	0409	OC-013	E51NNN	18071	2256
EU-025	IW9FRB	14083	1703	SA-008	LU1XS	7012	2331
EU-031	IC8AMR	7037	1701	SA-027	PP5BI	18075	0007
EU-127	DF6QC	3522	2132	SA-046	PY7MV	28500	2004

K9RR/4, Bill, will be operating from the beach on Jekyll Island (NA- 058), Georgia this Saturday from 1200 to 1700Z. He'll be portable and using battery power.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
16-Nov	22-Nov	3B8	3B8/OH2YY (AF-049)	OH2YY		11-209
16-Nov	23-Nov	3B8	3B8/SM7DKF (AF-049)	SM7DKF	11-213	174
16-Nov	16-Nov	4U1I	4U1WRC	4U1ITU	11-200	167
16-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
16-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH		11-215
16-Nov	18-Nov	9M6	9M2/PG5M/6	PG5M		11-215
16-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
16-Nov	28-Nov	C9	C91KDJ	W5KDJ	11-188	169
16-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
16-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
16-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
16-Nov	16-Nov	EA6	EA6/LU5FF (EU-004)	LU5FF		11-186
16-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
16-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
16-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
16-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
16-Nov	21-Nov	G	GB4RN			11-194
16-Nov	24-Nov	HS	HS0ZGH			11-193
16-Nov	17-Nov	J7	J75/DK0RZ (NA-101)	DK0RZ		11-211
16-Nov	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI		11-218
16-Nov	23-Nov	KP2	KP2HC (NA-106)			11-208
16-Nov	23-Nov	KP2	KP2YL (NA-106)			11-208
16-Nov	16-Nov	OZ	OZ/DK9LO (EU-171)	DK9LO		11-208
16-Nov	19-Nov	PA	PA20NAFRAS	PA1TT	11-208	190
16-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
16-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
16-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
16-Nov	25-Nov	S2	S2ZJO	LA7JO		11-208
16-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
16-Nov	18-Nov	SU	SU0ARA			11-197
16-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
16-Nov	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4SO			11-197
16-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FDM (OC-088)	GM4FDM	11-208	203 196
16-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FWP (OC-088)	PA7FM	11-208	203 196
16-Nov	18-Nov	V8	V8FWU (OC-088)	F5CWU	11-208	203 196
16-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDL (NA-022)	DL5CW		11-184
16-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDM (NA-022)	DM5YL		11-184
16-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
16-Nov	17-Nov	VU	AT60MY	VU2NRO		11-162
16-Nov	17-Nov	VU	AT7CD			11-218
16-Nov	23-Nov	W	N8OIL (NA-058)	N8OIL		11-217
16-Nov	16-Nov	W	W4/G4DYO (NA-069)			11-202
16-Nov	21-Nov	W	WA2USA/4 (NA-213)	WA2USA		11-207
16-Nov	16-Nov	XF4	6E4LM (NA-115)		11-219	205 155
16-Nov	16-Nov	XF4	XF4YK (NA-115)	XE1YK	11-219	205 155
16-Nov	16-Nov	XF4	XF4YW (NA-115)	XE2YW	11-219	205 155
16-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
16-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L		11-210
17-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWF (EU-116)	DL3KWF		11-209

17-Nov 30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWR (EU-116)	DL3KWR	11-209
17-Nov 18-Nov	JA	JA6RGJ/6 (AS-012)	JA6RGJ	11-219
17-Nov 18-Nov	JA	JK6IIS/6 (AS-012)	JK6IIS	11-219
17-Nov 18-Nov	JA	JO6RGZ/6 (AS-012)	JO6RGZ	11-219
17-Nov 18-Nov	KH6	KH7X (OC-019)	K2PF	11-028
17-Nov 18-Nov	LU	K2LEO/LU IK1PMR/LU		11-194
17-Nov 15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)		11-219 205 155
17-Nov 15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-219 205 155
17-Nov 15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-219 205 155
18-Nov 26-Nov	C6	by N6BT	WA4WTG	11-159 157
18-Nov 1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S	11-208
18-Nov 26-Nov	C6	C6AKX	WA4WTG	11-159 157
18-Nov 26-Nov	C6	C6ATA	WA4WTG	11-093 085
18-Nov 21-Nov	T8	T88SE (OC-009)	JR8VSE	11-218
18-Nov 22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
18-Nov 5-Dec	YB	YC0IEM (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-209

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Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at mostly quiet levels Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

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QSL Info

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PA3AWW, Henk, reports the 5L2MS QSLs have been designed and will be mailed out in the next few weeks. There is also going to be a DVD, which needs "a little more time".

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3A/F5RBB, 9V1YC, A250OK, C5DXC, CO8LY, FO5JV, FP/W9ILY, FR5HA, J88DR, J3/DL7VOG, JA1HQI, KN5G/KH6, TA3D, TC3D, VK6YS/P, ZL7/SP9PT

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 6Y1V, 6Y3R, 7S3X, 9G5UR, A22/JA4ATV, EM1HO, EW8AM, F0DWJ, FO/N6JA, H44HL, HC1JQ(1999), HS0ZDG, HL4CBX, IK2EAD, J6/KD7WPJ, JO1WKO, JW5YJ, JW/F8DVD, LB8IB, NP3U, OH0Z, OM7M, OM2VL, OP0P, SM5B, RK3DXW, RW0LC, TM5J, TO1T, TO5A, TZ5A, UT5UDX, V31TP, V73RY, V73ZZ, VP9/K9CC, VP9I, XE1J, ZL1BYZ

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4L1DA, 4U1WRC, CQ3T, DJ0QN, J39BS, JW/G3SXW, JW/G3TXF, MD0CCE, PJ4E, S50U, UA4HBW, UY5ZZ, VP5DX, VR2C, VY0ICE

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DX News

Hurricane Dean has wiped out 90% of a DXCC Entity! The storm hit Aves Island on August 17th and you can now see the before and after photos of YV0 at <http://www.yv0.info/dean/dean1.html>. This will definitely raise some questions about future operations from the fixed scientific pod!

A35RK, Paul, is home again and QRV. He says, "I'll see you guys on 18.133 at 2300Z and 14.160 at 0100Z."

Paul also has talked to 3D2AG, Antoine, and he is now in Suva, QRV with a dipole on 20M. He departs for Rotuma on December first, arriving December 3. He plans to be on Rotuma until the end of January with his return dependent on the boat schedule, which is somewhat uncertain. "Tony" says he will try 6M as well as HF CW.

A35MT, Tomas, is due to arrive in Tonga on the 20th and hopes to begin operations from Tongatapu Island, OC-049 the same day. He will be setting up at a beach resort on the west end of the island with a clear shot to Japan and Europe. The location does not favor North and South America but long path to Africa should be good on 20M at 0300Z.

A35RK has a temporary 6M beacon operational, A35RK/B, on 50.095, listening on 50.110 CW for contacts. This is not 24/7. Paul turns it on when he's around the hamshack, and when he has enough battery power to support the 10W transmitter.

VP5/VE7XF, Ralph; VP5/K7LAZ, Harry; VP5/K7WA, Jim; and VP5/W7VV, Roger, will be arriving in the Turks & Caicos Islands this week preparing for the VP5W CQWW CW operation next weekend. QSL the individual portable calls to their home QTHs and the VP5W contest call via W7TSQ.

HR2DMR, Dan, will be single operator single band 160M low power during the CQWW CW next weekend. He will be on some this week as he tests out his antennas.

9Y4AA will be in the CQWW CW next weekend from the 9Y4W/9Y4ZC QTH in Trinidad and Tobago. This will be N6TJ, Jim Neiger, ex-ZD8Z, going for that elusive fifth decade DX contest win! The telecom authorities in Trinidad and Tobago have decided hams should only hold one callsign, not one for "every day" and another for contests, so 9Y4ZC has decided to give up that call and he will be 9Y4W from now on. The QSOs 9Y4ZC made the week before the CQWW SSB were the last ones with that callsign. The last QSO was on October 22, 2007 at 0319Z. Andy hopes 9Y4ZC is not reissued any time soon, to avoid confusion. His e-mail address remains 9Y4ZC@gmx.net for the time being. QSL 9Y4W via DL4MDO for CQWW SSB 2005, 2007 and all contacts from 2007 onwards. Andy says, "Please do NOT send any QSL cards for 9Y4W by mail or bureau to Trinidad & Tobago!"

EY8MM plans to be spending some time on 160 and 80M between November 22-26. November 22nd he travels to his contest station and will be putting up receiving antennas and coax to the transmit antennas. He expects to be on 80 CW by 1200Z looking for North America longpath.

He is especially looking for Kansas, Louisiana, North Dakota, Nebraska and Wyoming. He plans to go to 160M at 16Z and stay there until 2300Z. Then he will go to 80 CW again for North America. He already has some skeds set up and plans to be around 3510-3520 and will operate until his sunrise. November 23 he will make some more antenna changes and be on 80 CW for longpath North America at 1200Z, QSYing to 160M from 16-2230Z. From 2230-2350Z he will CQ for North America between 3510-3520.

During the CQWW CW EY8MM plans to be single op single band 160M. At his sunrise he plans to call CQ instead of search and pounce, which is what he normally does. He's had trouble breaking pileups in past contests for North and South American stations because of the many European and North American callers. He says he now has much better receive conditions and QRN and QRM are lower. His antennas resonate between 1810-1840, so "Don't expect me to be above 1,840 too often."

After the CQWW, November 26, he plans to stay on 160M for another half hour, 00-0030Z, then will go to 80 CW for North America, 3510-3520 and will operate until his sunrise, then will pack up, with his next activity in January. If he succeeds in working the five states he needs BEFORE the contest, he won't go to 80 after the contest but will stay on 160.

T88RJ, Palau Islands, will be on November 22-26 with JJ1RJ, Kei, operating. He will be single op high power in the CQWW CW. QSL direct to JJ1RJ.

FY5FY, Didier, will be in French Guiana for the CQWW CW November 24- 25. He will be single op all band QRP. QSL via FY5FY direct or bureau.

P40A, Aruba, will be in the CQWW CW with KK9A operating. John will be single op all band. QSL direct to WD9DZV. Be sure to have sufficient postage or IRC and a self addressed envelope.

VU2PTT, Prasad, will be in the CQWW CW single op all band low power. QSL via the bureau, or direct, or get your credits for LoTW.

YB0ECT, Pri, will be in the CQWW CW single op single band 20M low power. He says, "See you in the pileups!" And, he says QSL via K3AIR only.

ISON, Sardinia, will be in the CQWW CW, single op single band 40, or possibly 80, low power. The operator will be OK1FUA, Martin. QSL via OK1MG direct or bureau.

IS0/K7QB will also be in the CQWW CW, with IN3QBR, Mauro, operating. He will be single op all band low power. QSL via IN3QBR via the bureau.

MZ5B will be a special contest call from Scotland's Shetland Island Group during the CQWW CW. The Shetlands count as a separate country from Scotland in the CQWW but not for DXCC. Operating will be G3WVG, Ian. QSL via G3TXF.

RK9AWN from Asiatic Russia will be in the CQWW CW, multi-single. The operators will be RZ9AR, RZ9AW and RA9AA.

RL3A will be on from European Russia in the CQWW. The ops include RA3ATX, RK3AW, RK3FT, RL3FT, RU3RQ, RU4PL, RV3BA, RV3FF, RW3FO, RX3APM, RX3DCX and UA3ASZ. They will be multi-single. QSL via W3HMK.

CO8TW, Cuba, will be in the CQWW CW, single operator 20M low power. After the contest he'll have his log on <http://www.qsl.net/co8tw/>.

QSL via HB9SVT.

CO2WF, Winton, will be on from Cuba in the CQWW CW, single op single band 40 low power. QSL via N1KI.

CO6LP, Luis, will be in the CQWW CW, single op single band 80 low power. He will be using an FT-80C, 100 watts, to a dipole 10M up. He says he will listen for Europe from 3580-3590 and for Asia from 3505- 3520. QSL via CO6LP direct only.

KE7X and N6BT will be on from the Bahamas now through November 26. They plan a CQWW CW operation. KE7X will use the C6AKX callsign single op single band 20M low power. N6BT is still waiting for his call but plans to be single op single band 160. QSL both via WA4WTG.

An expedition to KH4, Midway Island, is a possibility for summer or autumn of 2008. Licensed ham operator KCOEND ("tech plus" class), Pete Leary, is actually working on the island but doesn't have any ham gear. A couple ham groups have already applied and are on the waiting list to come operate. A charter plane is required at \$30,000 per trip, plus food and lodging. The refuge manager and staff are doing a study of the impact of ham activity on the island's bird population.

KCOEND thinks prospective operators should not e-mail or call all the time, because that may be counter-productive.

VK4TI, Trent, is checking within the VK Contest Club Group to see if any of the ops want to get together for a CQ WPX SSB operation for next year.

BY7KP planned to be on from Miao Wan Island, AS-129, the last two days with a large group of operators. This operation was by China's Zhuhai Radio Sports Association. They planned to be on 40, 20, 15 and 10 SSB and RTTY. QSL via BD7IFJ direct or bureau.

TM7AJ will be a special French callsign for the F6KSU Radio Club des Fourches group now through December 2. They are commemorating the 100 years since the death of writer Alfred Jarry. QSL via F6KSU.

KH2/JL3RCU, KH2/N3MU, KH2KI6MHU and KH2/K2JA will all be on from Guam November 22-25. They plan to be on 160-6M CW, SSB and digital, and to operate in the CQWW CW contest. The KH2/K2JA logs will be on LoTW. Also, you can QSL via the bureau to any of them. Or, direct as follows:

KH2/JL3RCU via JL3RCU
KH2/N3MU via JA3CEK
KH2/KI6MHU via JI3DNN
KH2/K2JA via JL3SIK

Three of the four ops have U.S. as well as Japanese callsigns.

R1ANR is currently active from Antarctica. Operator RZ3BJ, Rifv, is at "Blue One Runway, also known as Novo Runway, a logistics facility 14 KM from the Novolazarevskaja Base.

3V8SS, Tunisia, should be QRV starting today for as many as six weeks. GM0DHZ, Alex, will be operating, on CW and SSB, primarily on the low frequency bands. His principal days of operating will be Tuesdays and Thursdays either from 0930-1700Z or 1600-2030Z when it is evening meal time. He has a quarter wave loaded vertical on 160, 80 and 40 and a G5RV and GM3VLB "Traveller" for the other bands. QSL to his home call. GM3VLB notes that Alex did not take a rig with him. He will rely on access to the local Boy Scout station, 3V8SS, which is some distance by taxi from his hotel. This is a family holiday so his operating time is limited.

E21YDP, Dej, will be in the CQWW RTTY WPX February 9-10, single op all band. QSL via E21YDP.

13 year old junior high school student JE1PGS, Koki (not Koko), will be QRV as T88GS from Palau. He'll be there with his dad JQ2GYU/T88YU (not JQ8GYU), Yutaka, and mother JJ2VLY/T88LY, Mihoko from December 17th to 22nd. Watch for this family to be active on 6 through 80 meters on CW and SSB during their mornings and evenings. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

K3LR has announced the 2008 Dayton Contest University. It will be all day May 15, 2008 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in downtown Dayton. The Web will be updated soon. Registration will open in about four weeks with separate tracks for first timers and for those who attended last year. <http://contestuniversity.com>

QSN

E51MMM - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - 14022 at 1615Z short path on Saturday.

IOTA

PA/DK5TX, Ulf, will be on from Goeree Overflakkee, EU-146, February 11- 17. He will be on 80-10M SSB, slow CW and RTTY, 6M SSB and slow CW and 2M SSB and slow CW. QSL to his home callsign. He prefers the bureau. Or you can send direct. E-mail requests for bureau answers can be sent to dk5tx@gmx.net.

5P3WW will b the special Danish callsign for five German ops, DF8AE, DF8XC, DK5QN, DL1YDI and DL1YAW, when they operate from Vendsyssel- Thy/Nordjylland, EU-171, November 20-27 with three stations on SSB, CW, and digital. QSL via DL1YAW direct or bureau.

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet today. A recurrent coronal hole high stream will come around into geoeffective position the next two days creating unsettled conditions with isolated active periods possible.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for November 18, 2007 was zero after two days of 13.

QSL Info

NI5DX, Buzz, reminds us that beginning with resumption of ham radio activity in Iraq November 20th he will be manager for all contacts made by YI9JK, Jim Kennedy. He is still waiting for details from Jim about the arrangement before he orders QSLs but notes the YI9JK QRZ.com page has been updated with him as manager. Jim says he will be as active as possible. Jim's previous YI callsign, YI9E, has expired, as explained on that QRZ.com page. NI5DX will not be answering any cards, at present, for contacts with YI9E.

YC5OUB has a new QSL manager. That is RX3RC, Roman. So, QSL YC5OUB via RX3RC, Roman A. Novikov, P.O. Box 21, 392000 Tambov, Russia.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 3D2ER, 7X5VRK, 9J2BO, 9M6XRO, 9U0A, A25OOK, A92HB, C31LJ, CE1/K7CA, CO8LY, EL2DX, FG5LA, FW0MO, FW0YL, HB0/HB9AON, J3/DL7VOG, JT1CO, KG6DX, OA6/IZ7ATN/p (SA-098), PJ7/CT1BWW, TY5ZR, VK0JLX, YN4SU, Z30M, Z32XA, Z35T, Z37M and ZF2BI.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: DS5USH, LA3S, PY5EW, UT0MG, VK3KE, VK3PA and VK9LT.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 5B4AGC, 5B4MF, 9K2HN, BA4TB, BD4SP, BX5AA, C91KDJ, CQ3T, HL3AMO, HV0A, HV50VR, JA7DOT, KH7T, ON7GB, PJ2/W8AV, PY3DX, R1FJT, SP9CVY, SP9KFQ, UA3DPM, UY5ZZ, VK6HG, VP5DX, YO4AB, YT5T, ZL2BR, ZL4BR, ZL4HH, ZM2B and ZS4U.

On The WWW

Photos of the C31LJ Dxpediton in CQWW SSB are now available: <http://www.benlo.com/ham/spider.html>

W9DX says C91KDJ started operations November 16th with his first QSO at 0334Z. He has internet access and will send his logs for uploading to the log search page. The first 1,105 QSOs were already uploaded. www.tdxx.net/c91kdj.html.

The on-line log for FK/JA1NLX has been uploaded. Here's the site: http://logsearch.de/index.php?option=com_wrapper&Itemid=30

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DX News

The Friday issue of The Daily DX will be a special contest issue and will be emailed around 1800Z on November 23rd.

A second operation from Palestine has been announced. This one is separate from the vaguely announced one about two weeks ago. This DXpedition will be by a group of OM ops from Slovakia operating from E4 between December 14th and 22nd. The team includes OM2DX, Mike; OM3JW, Steve; OM3PC, Rudi; and OM5RW, Miro (all top notch CW ops).

Miro says they have the license in hand, tickets booked and accommodations made. They will put an emphasis on the low bands as they will have verticals for 80 and 160 meters. Miro likes Topband and will have a EWE for receiving. They will be using the call E4/OM2DX with activity on 10 through 160 meters on CW, SSB and RTTY.

Plans are to have two stations QRV around the clock. On-line logs and other information will be available at <http://www.om2dx.com>. QSL via OM3JW (om3jw@konektel.sk).

The callsign announced for the VooDoo Contest DXpedition to Guinea has changed from the original announced 3XY5D to 3X5A. Some personal callsigns may also appear outside the contest, 3X5 plus one letter, reports G3SXW, Roger, reporting from hot and humid Conakry.

UU4JMG, Andy, is now QRV as 4L/UU4JMG from Georgia. He'll be concentrating on the low bands. During the CQ WW CW DX Contest Andy will operate as 4L0A as a SOAB. QSL both via UU4JMG.

9Q1EK, Georges, says he tried to repair his two rigs, which were fried, but was unable to fix them. He now has an old FT840 and will be QRV again.

K6AW, Steve, is on site at HC8N spending the week getting ready for CQWW CW. W9RE, N5OT and others plans to join him for a probable multi- two operation. In the meantime, Steve plans to "give the radios a workout" to try to get all their filter and other settings right for the contest. Getting to the island is challenging -- after your flight from Ecuador you then have to get a boat to the contest QTH island and the schedules are not always what you want.

A35MT, Tomas, has arrived at the Otuhaka Beach Resort in Tongatapu, Tonga and began activity today just after 0800Z. During the CQ WW CW DX test he will most likely do 80 meters single band, unless he changes his mind and goes for all bands.

A35RK, Paul, is planning do a single-op 15 meter low power, unassisted effort.

Look for 5B4AII to be QRV in the CQ WW CW this weekend. The op will be RW3QC in the SOAB category. QSL via RW3RN.

The leader of the planned February 2008 TI9K DXpedition to Cocos Islands, DH8WR, Andy, says the two US ops (K5YY and W4OI) have dropped out due to personal reasons. Andy would like to have a few Americans on the team. If interested you can contact him at dh8wr@gmx.de.

A group is now QRV from Grenada until December 4th. During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest they will be using the call J3A. Team members include J38AA (WA1S), J37LR (VE3EBN), J3/DL5AXX, J3/N2GA, J3/K2DO, J3/S50R, J3/K5AC and J3/W2LK. QSL via their home calls.

Look for a serious effort from V73NS, Neil, in the CQ WW this weekend. He'll be on 10-160 meters.

German ops DJ9MH, DK1AX, DL1HCM, DL4NER and DL5NDX will be doing a multi-two effort in the CQ WW CW DX Contest from Denmark as OZ5E.

Another team from Germany is heading to Macedonia to do a multi-two in the CQ WW CW as Z37M. Team members include DO2WW, Anja; DL5LYM, Tom; and DL1MGB, Chris. QSL via Z37M.

This Sunday look for special event station CS7ABP to be QRV from 0900 to 1300Z. The ABP stands for Associacao Beneficente "A Pedrulhense". This station will be located in Coimbra, Portugal. QSL via CT2FQA.

OH1NOA, Timo, will be operating from Portugal as CT8T in the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest. He'll be doing a single-op 20 meter effort. Look for him outside the contest as CT/OH1NOA.

Silent Key

W3BY, William A. Kuning, passed away Monday afternoon after suffering from a stroke on Sunday. Bill was a long time PVRC member and a top notch low band operator, recalls W3ZZ, Gene Zimmerman. "His 4 square on the banks of the Choptank River was always loud", said W9GE, Bob Finger. Bill was the 80 meter CW man for the W4BVV multi-multi-crew at one point. He was also a member of QCWA, Chapter 150.

QSN

E51MMM - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - George was on 7001.0 with very good signals into EU, Scandinavia from 0800 to 0900Z on Monday. QSL via K5KG.

E51NNN - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - U.K. and Western 80 meter ops were working Ron on 3509 around 0820Z. QSL via K5KG.

HV5PUL - VATICAN - CW ops reported working this one on 14020 yesterday around 1420Z.

YA/KI4WDW - AFGHANISTAN - Denny has been checking into the Southern Cross DX Net on 14238 around 1300Z or so.

YC0LOW - INDONESIA - Jo was working EU with 50 watts at 2235Z. He was also reported from NA W4 at the same time. QSL via QRZ.com

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AS-004	5B4AHY	7077	1856	NA-105	PJ7/DG5XJ	14260	1113
AS-039	UA0ZAL	7006	1358	NA-105	PJ7/DH1ND	14275	1356
EU-004	AO6AEI	7062	2014	SA-001	CE0/OE2SNL	10103	0036
EU-012	MM0XAU	7006	2329	SA-006	PJ2/K8ND	14188	2137
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20-Nov	23-Nov	VP5	VP5/K7LAZ	K7LAZ	11-223 194
20-Nov	23-Nov	VP5	VP5/K7WA	K7WA	11-223 194
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20-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
20-Nov	23-Nov	W	N8OIL (NA-058)	N8OIL	11-217
20-Nov	21-Nov	W	WA2USA/4 (NA-213)	WA2USA	11-207
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4L8A	DJ1CW	FK8GM	WB2RAJ	PC6REC	PA9DX
5K3MK	HK3JJH	GB6GW	GW0TKX	PJ2/K8ND	K8ND
5P7F	OZ7FOC	HA50KNA	HA3KNA	PJ7/DG5XJ	DG5XJ
8P9MN	DF8AN	HB0/HA0HW	HA0HW	R35NP	RW1AI
9J2CA	G3SWH	HH2SW	W3HNC	ST100S	ST2M
9M2/PG5M/6	PG5M	HI9CF	DL4NCF	T88SE	JR8VSE
9N7BV/P	JA1PBV	HS0ZAR	K3ZO	TM0TMM	F5TFI
A01ABT	EA1ABT	HS0ZEA	OE2REL	TU0PAX	TU2CI
A01AQO	EA1AQO	HV50VR	IW0GPN	V5/DJ4SO	DJ4SO
AT7CD	VU2UR	HV5PUL	IW0DJB	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ
C6AKX	WA4WTG	IK1PMR/CX	IK1PMR	VK9CCC	DJ8NK
C91KDJ	W5KDJ	J3/DF8AN	DF8AN	VP5/K7LAZ	K7LAZ
CE0Y/OE2SNL	OE2SNL	J37T	VE3EBN	VP5/K7WA	K7WA
CN2FF	UA2FF	J38AA	WA1S	VP5/W7VV	W7VV
CO7EH	AD4C	LU/IK1PMR	IK1PMR	WP3R	W3HNC
CU1CB	EA5KB	LU2FLN	EA5KB	YN2N	TI2OHL
CX6VM	W3HNC	LZ50DX	LZ1AF	YV5SSB	IT9DAA

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I2YSB, Silvano, reports that all e-mail requests for bureau QSL for J20MM and J20RR received as of the end of October have been sent via the Italian QSL bureau. Also all direct requests received as of November 15th have been answered and mailed. For more info you can check www.i2ysb.com or email him at i2ysb@i2ysb.com.

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Correction

Hurricane Dean has wiped out 90% of a DXCC Entity! The storm hit Aves Island on August 17th and you can now see the before and after photos of YV0 at <http://www.yv0.info/dean/dean.html>. This will definitely raise some questions about future operations from the fixed scientific pod!

On The WWW

The latest issue of Pile UP can be found at
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DX News

Six members of the Florida Contest Group (FCG) will operate as HI3A during the CQWW CW contest as a multi-two entry from the Loma del Toro contest station on Haiti. They are AD4Z/HI3A, HI3CCP, K1TO, K8NZ, N4GI and N4TO. For the three prior days to the contest they expect to use HI3FCG. HI3A will also be QRV during the ARRL 160 Contest. All QSLs go via ON4IQ.

OA4BHY, Jorge; DL5YWM, Daniel; DL2JRM, Rene; and DL3OCH, Bodo; will be active as OC1I from Isla Lobos de Tierra (SA-076), Peru from January 2 to January 7, 2008. The dates could vary depending on the weather and the seas. Plans are to have two stations running simultaneously on 10 through 160 meters on CW and SSB. But before heading to Lobos de Tierra the guys will go to Isla Blanca (SA-098) where they will be QRV starting December 28th for two days as OC6I. After operating from the two islands they will take a break in Lima and will be QRV as OA4/homecall until January 12th. On the mainland Bodo will operate on 23cm EME (JT65). This will be a first for OA on 23cm. For more information or to get an EME sked check the team's Website at www.qslnet.de/oc1i or www.qslnet.de/oc6i. Postage from Germany overseas is well over \$2.00 US and well over \$1.00 to Europe. The QSLs for OC1I and OC6I only via Jeff/DL5WM. All the others via their homecalls.

Thailand's National Telecommunications Commission (NTC) has issued special call HS80A (Hotel Sugar Eight Zero Alpha) to commemorate His Majesty the King of Thailand's 80th birthday. The event will take place all day (local time) on December 1st. Thailand is seven hours ahead of GMT. The King of Thailand has been a ham for many years and is licensed as HS1A.

Today G3RWF, Nick, began his activities as 5X1NH from Uganda. He'll be on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK until the 30th. This will include participation in the CQ WW CW. He'll be in Kampala until the 26th and will then travel to Western Uganda and do some "spare time" portable work. QSL via G3RWF.

WE8A, Kirk, is planning a two day operation from Guam next year. He'll be QRV as WE8A/KH2 on April 4th and 5th with activity expected on 3.5 through 24.9 MHz on SSB with some CW. QSL to his Japanese address - Kirk Itaya, 5-1-35, Daikaidori, Kobe, 652-0803, Japan.

A group of operators from the Tikiriki Contest Club will be active in the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest from Pantelleria Island (African Italy, Zone-33, AF-018) on November 24-25. They will operate as follows: IH9R (IZ1GAR) Emilio SOSB 40m HP; IH9U (I1NVU) Claudio SOSB 15m HP; IH9M (IK7JWY) Arturo SOSB 80 HP. QSL via their respective home calls.

French ops F5PED, F5CW, F5QF, F5NCU, F5AGB, F8BUI, F4UKP (DD4UKP), F4AJQ and F5NQL will be doing a multi-single effort as TM2S this weekend in the CQ WW. QSL via F5PED.

HR9/WQ7R, Ray, will be using special call HQ9R from Honduras in the CQ WW CW. He'll be operating SOAB low power. QSL via K5WW.

DL7CM, Hans, is going on holiday again to Zanzibar Island (AF-032), Tanzania next year. He's renewed his 5H1CM call and plans to use it between January 13th and 24th. Look for him on 6 through 160 meters, especially on the low bands. Hans will have a IC-706 and 800 watt amplifier along with a 31 meter long sloper for 80 and 160 and other wire antennas for the other bands. Hans operates on CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via DL7CM.

K9GY, Eric, will be active again from New Providence Island (NA-001), Bahamas from May 21st to 26th, including the CQ WPX CW Contest. He'll use C6AYM on 3.5 through 50 MHz. QSL via K9GY.

QSN

3DA0ZO - SWAZILAND - Marko was busy yesterday on 15, 20, 40 and 80 CW. W6 ops were working him on 7018 just before 0430Z. QSL via OH0XX.

3X5A - GUINEA - The Voodudes were on 10106 Monday from 2220 to 2359Z and Tuesday on 7008 between 2220 and 2320Z. QSL via G3SXW.

A35MT - TONGA - Tomas started up yesterday on 18068 after 08Z. Watch for him over the next few days on the low bands. QSL via VK2CCC.

D44AC - CAPE VERDE ISLANDS - Was warming up for the big event this weekend on 21024 around 1830Z. QSL via CBA.

E51NNN - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - W1 ops had an opening on 21010 just prior to 1800Z. QSL via K5KG.

EP3PK - IRAN - European ops found Pooyan on 14216 from 07 until well after 08Z. QSL via IK2DUW.

J2800 - DJIBOUTI - 40 meter ops were working Darko between 2000 and 2330Z. QSL via K2PF.

S79 - SEYCHELLES - S79UU came up yesterday on 1824 after 15Z until 23Z, while S79AB was on 7023. QSL both via UA3DX.

VQ9LA - CHAGOS ISLANDS - Several East Coast US stations reported working Larry on 60 meters (5371.5) starting after 01Z on Tuesday. QSL via CBA.

YI - IRAQ - YI9MI, Scott, and YI9VFF, Brian, were the only two reported active yesterday after several months of being off the air. Brian was doing PSK while Scott was doing 75 and 20 Phone. YI1HRP is a pirate!

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8BYR	24955	1641	NA-016	ZF2PI	10108	2236
AF-004	EA8CEX	14148	1742	NA-105	PJ7/DH1ND	14260	1024
AF-004	EA8YB	14225	1913	NA-105	PJ7/DJ5HD	7061	0614
AF-022	ZD7HI	21355	1806	OC-003	VK9CCC	14081	1732
EU-004	AO6AEI	7087	2027	OC-013	E51MMM	7007	0431
EU-023	9H1SP	18150	1418	SA-001	CE0/OE2SNL	10107	0334
EU-171	5P3WW	7070	1802				

YB3MM, Adhi Bimbo, plans to depart on Friday, November 22, for Karimunjava Island (OC-186, where he will be QRV for the CQ WW CW Contest. QSL via IZ8CCW.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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21-Nov	22-Nov	3B8	3B8/OH2YY (AF-049)	OH2YY		11-209
21-Nov	23-Nov	3B8	3B8/SM7DKF (AF-049)	SM7DKF	11-213	174
21-Nov	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS			11-211
21-Nov	25-Nov	3X	3X5A	G3SXW	11-224	149
21-Nov	25-Nov	3X	3XT1	AA7A		11-205
21-Nov	25-Nov	4L	4L/UU4JMG	UU4JMG		11-224
21-Nov	30-Nov	5X	5X1NH	G3RWF	11-200	152
21-Nov	26-Nov	6W	6W1RY	F5VHJ		11-214
21-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
21-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH		11-215
21-Nov	26-Nov	A3	A35MT (OC-049)	VK2CCC	11-224	219 195
21-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
21-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6ARR	WA4WTG	11-223	159 157
21-Nov	1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S		11-208
21-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6AKX	WA4WTG	11-223	159 157
21-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6ATA	WA4WTG		11-093 085
21-Nov	28-Nov	C9	C91KDJ	W5KDJ		11-188 169
21-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
21-Nov	25-Nov	CE0Y	CE0Y/OE2SNL	OE2SNL		11-222
21-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
21-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
21-Nov	2-Dec	F	TM7AJ	F6KSU		11-223
21-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
21-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
21-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
21-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
21-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWF (EU-116)	DL3KWF		11-209
21-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWR (EU-116)	DL3KWR		11-209
21-Nov	25-Nov	HC	HC8N	W5UE		11-224
21-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/K3WT	K3WT	11-217	179 134
21-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/N0AT	N0AT	11-217	179 134
21-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/N0STL	N0STL	11-217	179 134
21-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/W0OR	W0OR	11-217	179 134
21-Nov	24-Nov	HS	HS0ZGH			11-193
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX	DL5AXX		11-224
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO	K2DO		11-224
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC	K5AC		11-224
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA	N2GA		11-224
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R	S50R		11-224
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK	W2LK		11-224

21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J37LR	VE3EBN	11-224
21-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J38AA	WA1S	11-224
21-Nov	28-Nov	J7	J75W	WQ5W	11-204
21-Nov	29-Nov	J8	J88DR	G3TBK	11-216
21-Nov	24-Nov	JA	JF6YME/6 (AS-023)	Bureau	11-215
21-Nov	25-Nov	KH6	KH6/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	11-222
21-Nov	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI	11-218
21-Nov	27-Nov	KP2	KP2/K3TEJ	K3TEJ	11-220
21-Nov	27-Nov	KP2	KP2/K3VA	K3VA	11-220
21-Nov	23-Nov	KP2	KP2HC (NA-106)		11-208
21-Nov	23-Nov	KP2	KP2YL (NA-106)		11-208
21-Nov	27-Nov	OZ	5P3WW (EU-171)	DL1YAW	11-223
21-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI	K4BAI	11-163
21-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/K50T	K4BAI	11-163
21-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E	K4BAI	11-216 163
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21-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ	11-184
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21-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD	11-184
21-Nov	30-Nov	PZ	PZ5X	K5UN	11-218 199
21-Nov	25-Nov	S2	S2ZJO	LA7JO	11-208
21-Nov	28-Nov	S7	S79AB	UA3DX	11-218
21-Nov	28-Nov	S7	S79UU	UA3DX	11-218
21-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
21-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
21-Nov	26-Nov	TA	TA3/LZ1NK	LZ1NK	11-196
21-Nov	26-Nov	V2	V26K (NA-100)	AA3B	11-164
21-Nov	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4SO		11-197
21-Nov	26-Nov	VK9/C	VK9AA	DL8YR	11-212
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5B8AD	W3HMK	EP3PK	IK2DUW	TI7/N5BEK	N5BEK
5P3WW	DL1YAW	FO/N6JA	N6JA	TM8IRC	F6KVP
6W1RW	F6BEE	FO5RU	F5CQ	TR8CA	F6CBC
8P9JG	NN1N	HC8N	W5UE	VP5/K7LAZ	K7LAZ
9G5ZZ	DL1CW	HR2/N6AA	N6AA	VP5/K7WA	K7WA
9Y4AA	VE3HO	J28OO	K2PF	VP5/VE7XF	VE7XF
9Y4W	DL4MDO	J3/S50R	S50R	VP5/W7VV	W7VV
A35MT	VK2CCC	J38AA	WA1S	YI9MI	AD7MI
C6AKX	WA4WTG	OF3JF	OH3JF	YI9VFF	N5VFF
C6ARR	WA4WTG	S79AB	UA3DX	ZF2PI	K5PI
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DX News

As a reminder tomorrow's issue will be a special edition for the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest and will be emailed around 1800Z on Friday.

To all those who celebrate Thanksgiving I wish you a Happy Thanksgiving. This is my favorite holiday of the year. For those not familiar with this holiday it is the day we in American stop our busy lives, join with family and friends, eat good food (Turkey) and thank God for the many blessing he has bestowed upon us. President George Washington's Thanksgiving Proclamation can be found at <http://www.americanrevolution.org/gwproc.html>. Earlier this week my family had Thanksgiving with my wife's family and some neighbors. Today my family will be celebrating the holiday with my Mom and Dad (N3ME) and friends in Bethany Beach, DE. N3ME may also do a small multi-single effort in the CQ WW CW as a father and son effort. Now on to the DX News!

XE1J, Pepe, tells DXers the XF4 crew was let off on Clarion Island around 0500Z on November 21st after a very difficult trip between the boat and the island. The team lost several runs of coax. Around 0600Z they installed one antenna, which was very complicated due to the wind and darkness. After making several CQs the team was ordered back to the boat by the Mexican Navy. No QSOs were made from Clarion.

Apparently there is a lot of illegal fishing in the natural reserve area so the team's original plans were affected. The team now expects to arrive on Socorro Island (NA-030) Saturday around 1500Z. They would then disembark to the island and setup their equipment for operations. Pepe says Clarion Island may be possible to try again when the next boat makes the same trip to supply food and fuel to the islands.

Topband ops will be glad to know that JG7PSJ, Harry, will be participating in the Stew Perry Contest from Ogasawara as JD1BMH.

Yesterday INDEXA (International DX Association) announced their financial support for the following upcoming DXpeditions:

Palestine, E4/OM2DX, in December 2007
Guinea-Bissau, J5C, in January 2008
Wallis Island, FW0RC (editors note FW0RE), in January 2008 Cocos Island, TI9K, in February 2008 Ducie Island, VP6DX, in February 2008 Clipperton Island, TX5C, in March 2008

INDEXA also updated their Website at www.indexa.org.

A three man team from Europe is planning to operate from Wallis and Futuna in the late January to mid-February time frame. Complete details to be released in the near future.

LX7I will be a multi-single during the CQ WW CW DX Contest this weekend. Team members include DL1QW, Thomas; DL4SDW, Jurgén; DL8SCG, Bernd; HB9CVQ, Andy; and possibly others. QSL via LX2A. Before the contest they will be active as LX9DX.

Spanish ops EA5AFP, EA5FX, EA5AER and EA5KM will be QRV as AM5R as a multi-two. QSL via EA4RCH.

Members of the Radio Club Ushuaia will be operating from Isla Grande, Tierra del Fuego, Argentina with special call AY7X November 30th through December 2nd. They will be QRV on CW, SSB, PSK and RTTY on 3.5, 7, 14, 21 and 28 MHz. The club has a Web page (in Spanish) at www.lu8xw.net. QSL via WD9EWK.

UT5UDX will be using special call ER0WW from Moldova this weekend in the CW CQ WW. QSL via UT3UA.

FK8DD will be QRV as TX3SAM from New Caledonia this weekend. He'll be SOAB low power. QSL via LZ1JZ.

Zone 2 will be on this coming weekend for the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest. VE3DZ will be QRV as VE2IM. QSL via VE2IM.

HC1HC, Alfredo, will be QRV this weekend in the CW portion of the CQ WW. He'll be doing a single-op all-band effort. QSL via NE8Z.

Correction

Six members of the Florida Contest Group (FCG) will operate as HI3A during the CQWW CW contest as a multi-two entry from the Loma del Toro contest station from the Dominican Republic (NOT on Haiti) on the island of Hispaniola. They are AD4Z/HI3A, HI3CCP, K1TO, K8NZ, N4GI and N4TO. For the three prior days to the contest they expect to use HI3FCG. HI3A will also be QRV during the ARRL 160 Contest. All QSLs go via ON4IQ.

QSN

3X5A - GUINEA - Topband ops from Arizona worked the Voodudes on 1821/1823 today just before 0100Z. QSL via G3SXW.

5X1NH - UGANDA - Nick had an opening to W6 and W7 on 14009 after 19Z on Thursday. QSL via G3RWF.

C31CT - ANDORRA - Salvador showed up on 7003 yesterday around 2330Z. QSL via EA3QS.

HK0 - SAN ANDRES & PROVIDENCIA - Watch for HK0/K3WT, HK0/N0AT, HK0/N0STL or HK0/W0OR on 40 CW 0100 to 0300 and 0900 and 1200Z. QSL via their home calls.

VP8CXV - FALKLANDS - 30 meter RTTY ops found Chris on 10141 between 2230 and 2330Z. QSL via GM0TQJ.

XW1B - LAOS - Bruce showed up on 3512 today around 1040Z.

ZB2X - GIBRALTAR - Jorma started off on SSB on 14210 just prior to 1900Z and then switch to CW on 14025 just before 2030Z. QSL via OH2KI.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8BIE	10105	2138	EU-171	5P3WW	7059	1212
AF-004	EA8LS	7089	0827	NA-001	C6ALP	14198	1811
AF-005	D44AC	21025	2140	NA-099	KP4JRS	7080	0743
AF-049	3B8/OH2YY	14235	1252	NA-105	PJ7/DH1ND	7052	0737
AS-004	5B4AGN	3505	0158	OC-013	E51NNN	14010	1641
AS-004	5B8AD	7058	2204	OC-021	YE2IPY	14263	1158
EU-023	9H4CM	14180	0745	SA-009	9Y4W	7084	0543
EU-127	DA0HEL	14022	0815				

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
22-Nov	22-Nov	3B8	3B8/OH2YY (AF-049)	OH2YY		11-209
22-Nov	23-Nov	3B8	3B8/SM7DKF (AF-049)	SM7DKF	11-213	174
22-Nov	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS			11-211
22-Nov	25-Nov	3X	3X5A	G3SXW	11-224	149
22-Nov	25-Nov	3X	3XT1	AA7A		11-205
22-Nov	25-Nov	4L	4L/UU4JMG	UU4JMG		11-224
22-Nov	30-Nov	5X	5X1NH	G3RWF	11-225	200 152
22-Nov	26-Nov	6W	6W1RY	F5VHJ		11-214
22-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
22-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH		11-215
22-Nov	26-Nov	A3	A35MT (OC-049)	VK2CCC	11-224	219 195
22-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
22-Nov	1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S		11-208
22-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6AKX	WA4WTG	11-223	159 157
22-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6ARR	WA4WTG	11-223	159 157
22-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6ATA	WA4WTG		11-093 085
22-Nov	28-Nov	C9	C91KDJ	W5KDJ		11-188 169
22-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
22-Nov	25-Nov	CE0Y	CE0Y/OE2SNL	OE2SNL		11-222
22-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
22-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
22-Nov	26-Nov	EY	EY8MM	K1BV	11-223	186
22-Nov	2-Dec	F	TM7AJ	F6KSU		11-223
22-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
22-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
22-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
22-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
22-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWF (EU-116)	DL3KWF		11-209
22-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWR (EU-116)	DL3KWR		11-209
22-Nov	25-Nov	HC	HC8N	W5UE		11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	HI	HI3FCG	ON4IQ		11-225
22-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/K3WT (NA-033)	K3WT	11-217	179 134
22-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/N0AT (NA-033)	N0AT	11-217	179 134
22-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/N0STL (NA-033)	N0STL	11-217	179 134
22-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/W0OR (NA-033)	W0OR	11-217	179 134
22-Nov	24-Nov	HS	HS0ZGH			11-193

22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX	DL5AXX	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO	K2DO	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC	K5AC	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA	N2GA	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R	S50R	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK	W2LK	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J37LR	VE3EBN	11-224
22-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J38AA	WA1S	11-224
22-Nov	28-Nov	J7	J75W	WQ5W	11-204
22-Nov	29-Nov	J8	J88DR	G3TBK	11-216
22-Nov	24-Nov	JA	JF6YME/6 (AS-023)	Bureau	11-215
22-Nov	23-Nov	KH2	KH2/JL3RCU	JL3RCU	11-223
22-Nov	23-Nov	KH2	KH2/K2JA	JL3SIK	11-223
22-Nov	23-Nov	KH2	KH2/KI6MHU	JI3DNN	11-223
22-Nov	23-Nov	KH2	KH2/N3MU	JA3CEK	11-223
22-Nov	25-Nov	KH6	KH6/EA3GHZ	EA3GHZ	11-222
22-Nov	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI	11-218
22-Nov	27-Nov	KP2	KP2/K3TEJ	K3TEJ	11-220
22-Nov	27-Nov	KP2	KP2/K3VA	K3VA	11-220
22-Nov	23-Nov	KP2	KP2HC (NA-106)		11-208
22-Nov	23-Nov	KP2	KP2YL (NA-106)		11-208
22-Nov	27-Nov	OZ	5P3WW (EU-171)	DL1YAW	11-223
22-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI	K4BAI	11-163
22-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/K50T	K4BAI	11-163
22-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E	K4BAI	11-216 163
22-Nov	26-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/KZ5D	K4BAI	11-171
22-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ	11-184
22-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND	11-184
22-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD	11-184
22-Nov	30-Nov	PZ	PZ5X	K5UN	11-218 199
22-Nov	25-Nov	S2	S2ZJO	LA7JO	11-208
22-Nov	28-Nov	S7	S79AB	UA3DX	11-218
22-Nov	28-Nov	S7	S79UU	UA3DX	11-218
22-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
22-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
22-Nov	26-Nov	T8	T88RJ	JJ1RKR	11-223
22-Nov	26-Nov	TA	TA3/LZ1NK	LZ1NK	11-196
22-Nov	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA		11-222
22-Nov	26-Nov	V2	V26K (NA-100)	AA3B	11-164
22-Nov	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4SO		11-197
22-Nov	26-Nov	VK9/C	VK9AA	DL8YR	11-212
22-Nov	26-Nov	VK9/C	VK9CCC	DJ8NK	11-212
22-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDL (NA-022)	DL5CW	11-184
22-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDM (NA-022)	DM5YL	11-184
22-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	by W2EP	K9CS	11-218 122
22-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	by WR9L	K9CS	11-218 122
22-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MFO	K9CS	11-218 122
22-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MNR	K9CS	11-218 122
22-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MSC	K9CS	11-218 122
22-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MVX	K9CS	11-218 122
22-Nov	23-Nov	VP5	VP5/K7LAZ	K7LAZ	11-223 194
22-Nov	23-Nov	VP5	VP5/K7WA	K7WA	11-223 194
22-Nov	23-Nov	VP5	VP5/VE7XF	VE7XF	11-223 194
22-Nov	23-Nov	VP5	VP5/W7VV	W7VV	11-223 194
22-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
22-Nov	23-Nov	W	N8OIL (NA-058)	N8OIL	11-217
22-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)		11-219 205 155
22-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-219 205 155
22-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-219 205 155
22-Nov	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
22-Nov	12-Dec	XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
22-Nov	26-Nov	XU	XU7MWA	KM0O	11-220
22-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173

22-Nov 1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
22-Nov 5-Dec	YB	YC0IEM (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-209
22-Nov 15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222
22-Nov 28-Nov	YN	H7/K9NW	K9NW	11-222
22-Nov 25-Nov	YS	YS/K9GY	K9GY	11-189

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Today through Saturday solar activity will be very low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be at unsettled to active levels today as coronal hole effects continue.

Activity is expected to decrease to quiet to unsettled levels on Friday as coronal hole effects subside. Quiet conditions are expected on Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for November 20, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5X1NH	G3RWF	HK0/N0AT	N0AT	PJ5NA	K1NA
6L0OX	HL0NHQ	HK0/N0STL	N0STL	PZ5X	K5UN
C31CT	EA3QS	HK0/W0OR	W0OR	SU8BHI	HA3JB
C6ALP	W8QT	HP3WW	OH0XX	V26K	AA3B
C91KDJ	W5KDJ	KP2/K3TEJ	K3TEJ	V5/DJ4SO	DJ4SO
CO6DW	EA5KB	KP2/K3VA	K3VA	VP8CXV	GM0TQJ
FR7BB	PIRATE	P40W	N2MM	YE2IPY	YB2TJV
H7/K9NW	K9NW	P40Y	AE6Y	ZB2X	OH2KI
HK0/K3WT	K3WT				

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

WB5JID is the first US op to report receiving QSLs from UA4WHX's, Vladimir, 3rd DXpedition junket. See QSLs received direct and via managers below.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 3D2VB, 3DA0VB, 5H3VMB, 5R8VB, 5U5U, 7Q7VB, 9J2VB, 9U0VB, 9X0VB, A52AM, C91VB, D20VB, D60VB, J20VB, OA6/IZ7ATN/p (SA-098), SD7ME, ST2VB, V51VV, VP8/LZ1UQ, Z2/UA4WHX

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: J28JA, LZ2007EU, ZL8R

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: C91KDJ, HI3C, LU3JVO, PJ2/K8ND

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DX News

This was the CQWW CW weekend. This morning DXers and contesters all over the world will be recovering from it. And, there will be increased activity the next day or two as contest expedition operations have a little fun on the air, with the big event behind them now.

The following US Multi-Multi claimed scores were reported today on 3830.

	W3LPL			K3LR			KC1XX									
Band	QSO	Zon	Con	QSO	Zon	Con	QSO	Zon	Con							
160	443	25	98	302	25	96	405	21	87							
80	1340	32	122	1144	32	123	1408	34	123	40	1410	39	154	1320	39	159
1471	38	148	20	2117	38	155	2315	39	160	1941	36	153				
15	1000	30	138	685	30	132	718	28	128							
10	136	14	40	104	13	40	158	16	42							
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6101	173	681														
Score	15.1M			14.0M			14.08M									

VK4TI, Trent, is considering a revisit to YJ0 for March, 2008. He says operators interested in a week or two of DX from a good contest location "can jump onto our Google Group - YJ0AX2008." A multi-two contest operation is planned, multi-multi if enough operators sign on. There are three options for accommodations, an all-inclusive resort with meals and drinks included too, a remote resort close to the "Survivor Vanuatu" (a television "reality show") site, or renting a villa. Sounds like fun in any case, a real radio adventure.

YE2IPY is a special event callsign from Indonesia to join many other "IPY" special calls for the International Polar Year 2007-2009. This is the first time for ORARI, the Indonesian amateur radio organization, to take part in the event. YE2IPY will be found on the air until November, 2008, "on all amateur bands and all modes." There is an award available for making QSOs with five different IPY stations in five different countries.
www.arcticworldaward.net/ipy.htm QSL YE2IPY via YB2TJV direct with SASE.

C56YK will be on from the Gambia February 11-March 6, 80-10M, with an FD4 antenna on 80 and 40 and a spiderbeam on the other bands. He will also try 160 and 6. The operator will be ON7YK. QSL via Bourbon Andre, Route de Xhoffraix 30, B-4970, Hockai-Stavelot, Belgium.

C56JC, The Gambia, will be on the air February 12-March 5. Operator ON4LAC, Jose, will focus on PSK and RTTY, which he believes may never have been on from C5. He will also do some SSB except when C56YK is using that mode, when he will try to do something different.

The dates for the upcoming C56JJ DXpedition have been updated. It is now set for December 1-10, 2007, ending at 10Z December 10.

OPDX reports that VI2BMARC50 will be a special Australian callsign to mark the 50th birthday of the Blue Mountains Amateur Radio Club. Look for VI2BMARC50 January 18-20. QSL via the bureau. They will be on SSB, PSK31, RTTY, SSTV and CW. There will be an oversize, attractive card available for a cost of \$5 Australian, the cost partly because it's so expensive to mail an oversize item. <http://www.bmarc.org/>

OPDX also reports that SM5GMZ's Southeast Asia tour starts in January. Pete plans to travel in that region of the world until April and will try to operate as much as possible. He starts off in January in Thailand, HS0ZFI, concentrating on 30, 17, 12 and the low bands. January-February he moves on to Cambodia, XU7ADI. By March he will be in East Malaysia, 9M6/SM5GMZ including the WPX contest from 9M8Z, Sarawak, then Brunei, V8. His plans for April are still open but he says he may have some surprises. QSL all via SM5GMZ.

Various French special event stations will be on for the 21st annual telethon, a fund-raising event by the French Muscular Dystrophy Association. This will be December 7-8. One station will be TM8T from November 26-December 9 and another will be TM4AFM December 8-9.

KH6YR, Hawaii, was QRV in the CQWW CW with K1YR, Lou, operating. QSL direct only, via I0MWI. This route went into effect in October, 2007.

N1DG, Don Greenbaum, is heading out to A9 and A6 again, on business. First, he will be in Bahrain November 28-December 6, then he goes to Dubai, United Arab Emirates, for two days. Don says, "While I know I can get on from A6, A9 is still a work in progress. One local who has a 706 but no key has invited me over. I'll try to gain access to the A92C station as well." He boards the plane tomorrow.

PG0A, Remco, is back in Madagascar for a "holiday style" operation that started November 23rd and runs through December 7th. He last operated as 5R8NL in 2005. This time he will be equipped with an FT857 and amplifier to verticals and wires. PA7FM notes that Remco is "not into QSLing at all," so PA7FM is handling the QSLs for this operation and also for the earlier operations. He says, "There is a small backlog of direct QSL requests that will be cleared after this operation as soon as possible. Apologies for that to those awaiting an answer." The first activity this time around was November 23 on 40M but more activity was expected, especially during the CQWW CW.

There may be some on-line logs and other info on www.pa7fm.

Mother-in-law
By W3UR, Bernie McClenny

I would like to thank all the well wishers and those who offered up prayers and best wishes for my mother-in-law, who fell down a flight of stairs on Thanksgiving Day. She ended up with a serious concussion and was in the ICU for several days. She is doing better now and has been moved to a different wing and is expected to be released in a few days. We are back home. Again thanks for your understanding and many kind emails.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8BED	14282	1615	EU-025	IT9ZGY	1831	1555
EU-012	MZ5B	3517	1625	SA-008	AY7X	14026	1710
EU-018	OY1CT	14052	1540				

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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26-Nov	26-Nov	9G	9G5XA	G3SWH		11-215
26-Nov	26-Nov	A3	A35MT (OC-049)	VK2CCC	11-224	219 195
26-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6AKX	WA4WTG	11-223	159 157
26-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6ARR	WA4WTG	11-223	159 157
26-Nov	26-Nov	C6	C6ATA	WA4WTG		11-093 085
26-Nov	26-Nov	EY	EY8MM	K1BV		11-223 186
26-Nov	26-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/KZ5D	K4BAI		11-171
26-Nov	26-Nov	T8	T88FY	JK2VOC		11-219
26-Nov	26-Nov	T8	T88IW	JF2IWW		11-219
26-Nov	26-Nov	T8	T88RJ	JJ1RKR		11-223
26-Nov	26-Nov	TA	TA3/LZ1NK	LZ1NK		11-196
26-Nov	26-Nov	V2	V26K (NA-100)	AA3B		11-164
26-Nov	26-Nov	VK9/C	VK9AA	DL8YR		11-212
26-Nov	26-Nov	VK9/C	VK9CCC	DJ8NK		11-212
26-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDL (NA-022)	DL5CW		11-184
26-Nov	26-Nov	VP2E	VP2EDM (NA-022)	DM5YL		11-184
26-Nov	26-Nov	XU	XU7MWA	KM0O		11-220
26-Nov	27-Nov	OZ	5P3WW (EU-171)	DL1YAW		11-223
26-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/K3WT	K3WT	11-217	179 134
26-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/N0AT	N0AT	11-217	179 134
26-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/N0STL	N0STL	11-217	179 134
26-Nov	27-Nov	HK0/S	HK0/W0OR	W0OR	11-217	179 134
26-Nov	27-Nov	KP2	KP2/K3TEJ	K3TEJ		11-220
26-Nov	27-Nov	KP2	KP2/K3VA	K3VA		11-220
26-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/K4BAI	K4BAI		11-163
26-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/K5OT	K4BAI		11-163
26-Nov	27-Nov	PJ2	PJ4/KU8E	K4BAI		11-216 163
26-Nov	27-Nov	VP9	VP9/OH1VR	OH1VR		11-206 197
26-Nov	27-Nov	VP9	VP9/OH3SR			11-196
26-Nov	28-Nov	C9	C91KDJ	W5KDJ		11-188 169
26-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
26-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
26-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
26-Nov	28-Nov	YN	H7/K9NW	K9NW		11-222
26-Nov	28-Nov	J7	J75W	WQ5W		11-204
26-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
26-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
26-Nov	28-Nov	PJ5	PJ7/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
26-Nov	28-Nov	S7	S79AB	UA3DX		11-218
26-Nov	28-Nov	S7	S79UU	UA3DX		11-218
26-Nov	28-Nov	VK	VK4AHY			11-211
26-Nov	29-Nov	J8	J88DR	G3TBK		11-216
26-Nov	30-Nov	5X	5X1NH	G3RWF	11-225	200 152
26-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208

26-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
26-Nov	30-Nov	KP2	KP2/K5YG		7-175
26-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWF (EU-116)	DL3KWF	11-209
26-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWR (EU-116)	DL3KWR	11-209
26-Nov	30-Nov	PZ	PZ5X	K5UN	11-218 199
26-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
26-Nov	1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S	11-208
26-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG	11-210
26-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG	11-210
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AT0JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU1JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU2JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU4JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU7JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU8JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU9JCB		11-213
26-Nov	2-Dec	KG4	KG4MN	WB2YQH	11-218
26-Nov	2-Dec	F	TM7AJ	F6KSU	11-223
26-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	by W2EP	K9CS	11-218 122
26-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	by WR9L	K9CS	11-218 122
26-Nov	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4S0		11-197
26-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MFO	K9CS	11-218 122
26-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MNR	K9CS	11-218 122
26-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MSC	K9CS	11-218 122
26-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MVX	K9CS	11-218 122
26-Nov	4-Dec	HI	HI3FCG	ON4IQ	11-225
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX	DL5AXX	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO	K2DO	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC	K5AC	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA	N2GA	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R	S50R	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK	W2LK	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J37LR	VE3EBN	11-224
26-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J38AA	WA1S	11-224
26-Nov	5-Dec	YB	YC0IEM (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-209
26-Nov	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS		11-211
26-Nov	12-Dec	XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
26-Nov	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI	11-218
26-Nov	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA		11-222
26-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)		11-226 219 205
26-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-226 219 205
26-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-226 219 205
26-Nov	15-Dec	YB	YB1AQB	DJ3KR	11-199
26-Nov	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
26-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209 154
26-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ	11-177
26-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
26-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
26-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
26-Nov	15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222
26-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT	11-203

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Upcoming contest rules & dates

<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low. The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today, returning to quiet the next two days.

Leaving the multi-day zero level behind again, the sunspot number for November 24, 2007 was 15.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3V2A	YT1AD	D9K	DS4NYE	PJ4A	K4BAI
4L0A	UU0JMG	E51A	K5KG	PJ7/DJ5HD	DJ5HD
5B/DL6RO	DL6RO	EF8M	RX3DU	PZ5X	K5UN
5B4AII	RW3RN	ER0WW	UT3UA	R450AD	UA6YW
5B8AD	W3HNK	FM5BH	W3HNK	R450KB	UA6XT
5J0A	W0JAR	FS/N3DXX	N3DXX	R450KC	UA6EED
5R8NL	PA7FM	GJ2A	K2WR	R450WA	RW9WA
6H1IM	XE1IM	GX0IPX	M0CDL	S21ZDX	HS0ZGD
6Y1V	OH3RB	HH2SW	W3HNK	S79AB	UA3DX
6Y3R	OH3RB	HI3A	ON4IQ	S79UU	UA3DX
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	HI3FCG	ON4IQ	SU8BHI	HA3JB
8P0P	8P9NX	HK1AR	OK1DOT	SV9/DL6FBL	DL6FBL
8P5A	NN1N	HK6K	EA5KB	SV9/G3PDL	G3PDL
9G5ZZ	DL1CW	HQ2A	N6AA	SY1942G	SV2KBB
9H3HH	DJ9RR	HS0ZAR	K3ZO	T88FY	JK2VOC
9M50MB	JH3GCN	IH9R	IZ1GAR	T88IW	JF2IWW
9M6AAC	N2OO	IH9U	I1NVU	T88RJ	JJ1RJR
9M6XRO	M5AAV	IS0/OL0A	OK1CZ	T88SE	JR8VSE
9M8YY	JN3GAH	IS0N	OK1MG	T88WV	OH7WV
9Q1EK	SM5DJZ	J2800	K2PF	TA3/LZ1NK	LZ1NK
9Q1TB	SM5DJZ	J3A	WA1S	TM0TMM	F5TFI
9V1YC	N5ID	J43J	DJ5JH	TX3SAM	LZ1JZ
9Y4AA	VE3HO	J75W	WQ5W	UE9WFJ	RX9WN
9Y4W	DL4MDO	KH2/K2JA	JL3SIK	V26K	AA3B
A35MT	VK2CCC	KH2/KI3DNN	JI3DNN	V31DF	NF6T
A35RK	W7TSQ	KH2/N3MU	JA3CEK	V47NT	W2RQ
A71EM	EA7FTR	KH6/N0CO	N0CO	VC3A	VE3AT
A92HB	GM6TVR	KH6YR	I0MWI	VC3J	VE3EJ
AH2R	JH7QXJ	KH7X	K2PF	VE2IM	VE3DZ
AI6V/PP5	AI6V	KP2/K3TEJ	K3TEJ	VK9AA	DL8YR
AM5R	EA4RCH	KP2/K3VA	K3VA	VP2MSC	K9CS
AM5SP	EC5SP	NP4Z	WC4E	VP5W	W7TSQ
AO5FL	EA5FL	OA4WW	OH0XX	VY2ZM	K1ZM
AO5KB	EA5KB	OG0Z	W0MM	WH2D	K3UOC
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	OH0M	OH1MM	XU7MWA	KM0O
C4M	W3HNK	OH0R	OH2PM	XW1A	E21EIC
C6AGY	ND6S	OH0Z	W0MM	YB1AQB	DJ3KR
C6AQQ	ND3F	OH1VR/VP9	OH1VR	YI9MI	AD7MI
CN2AW	RV1AW	OH3SR/VP9	OH3SR	YS/K9GY	K9GY
CN3A	I2WIJ	P3F	5B4AGN	ZB2X	OH2KI
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	PJ2/GI0RTN	GI0RTN	ZF1A	W5ASP
CT3NT	CT1BOH	PJ2/K8ND	K8ND	ZM3A	ZL3WW
CU2A	OH2BH	PJ2T	N9AG	ZP6/IZ1GLO	IK1PMR
D4C	IZ4DPV	PJ4/K4BAI	K4BAI		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

The BS7H logs have been uploaded to LoTW. If you find a problem you can contact KU9C at BS7H2007@yahoo.com.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, J6/DL7AFS, J88DR, R1AND, Z32AF and ZL7/SP9PT.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4S7UCG, C91KDJ and HI3TEJ.

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DX News

JA6GXX, Masa, is heading back to Marcus Island (Minami Torishima) from December 12th to 27th. He will be taking with him a new FT-2000D with 200 watts. Masa will be putting up several antennas for the low bands including a 160 meter vertical and 80/40 duo band dipole. So he will be operating as JD1BMM mostly on the low bands. Please remember this is not a DXpedition but he will be QRV in his spare time. He prefers QSLs go via the JARL QSL bureau, however if you need a direct card please include IRC. Do not send green stamps. The address JD1BMM (not JA6GXX) address on QRZ.COM is the correct route. The JD1BMM QSL is the standard size of a JA QSL (15cm x 10cm) so make sure your self addressed envelope (SAE) can handle this. Masa also plans to be QRV from Marcus Island in late February through mid-March 2008.

K7BV, Dennis Motschenbacher, has announced his plans for a June/July 2008 6 meter DXpedition to two islands in the Caribbean. He may also be QRV on HF when the "Magic Band" is not open. His first stop will be back to Belize (V3) where he will be QRV from Caye Caulker Island (NA-073) from June 20th to 26th. This is grid EK57xr. His next stop will be even better! Plans are to be on San Andres Island (NA-033) from June 28th to July 6th. This is from grid EK92dm. Dennis says "The budget for this two-island trip is a bit staggering and beyond my pocket book, but I am going to "go for it" believing sufficient financial support will come." W1JJ, Mick McManus, will be the "DXpedition Treasurer" and QSL manager. Complete details can be found on Dennis' Web site at www.qth.com/k7bv/caribe2008.

W1VX (ZL1WY, JF1OCQ), Hiro; N3YS, Toshi; and AB2WE, Hide; will be active from Saipan in the Northern Mariana Islands from December 7 through December 10. Plans are to be QRV on 10 through 80 meters on CW, SSB, RTTY and FM. QSL cards for W1VX and KH0D go via JF1OCQ. QSLs for N3YS go via JE1SYN and QSLs for AB2WE go via JI1JPJ. See their QRZ.com addresses.

ZS6WLC, Ludwig, will be active from the South African Antarctica base, SANAE IV Vesleskarvet, as ZS7BYRD from January-February 2008. He will be QRV on SSB on 14180 and on AM on 14280. ZS7BYRD will be a commemorative station for Admiral Byrd's 1930 and 1934 expeditions where they used the McMurdo Silver crystal circuit for selectivity and the Collins pioneered class B AM modulator for the first voice transmissions to the USA from Antarctica respectively. AM equipment will be a Collins 75A1 receiver and Collins 32V1 transmitter. On SSB a Collins KWM2A + 312B-5 VFO and 30L-1 linear will be used. CW will be supported using straight key. QSL direct to: Dr Ludwig Combrinck, ZS7BYRD, P.O. Box 443, Krugersdorp 1740, South Africa.

On December 5, 2007, Thailand's King, HS1A, will celebrate his 80th birthday. In honor of this occasion, Thailand's National Telecommunication Commission has

authorized the HS80A (HS8 zero Z) for use on Saturday December 1, 2007. Activity will be on HF and 2 meters. QSLs should be sent to Major Narrissara Shaowanasai, P.O. Box 73, Bangkok, 10900 Thailand.

During the CQ WW CW contest, K3ZO, using his Thailand call sign of HS0ZAR, made approximately 3,200 QSOs as Single OP/All Band entry. He was using the E21YDP antenna farm. QSL to K3ZO or the ARRL or RAST bureau. Logs will not go onto Logbook of the World (hand logged) and NO eQSLs please!

Effective November 24, 2007 Spanish Amateurs Radio operators were authorized use of 7100-7200 kHz on a secondary basis, using a total radiated power not exceeding 24 dbW. EA ops also gained access to the 51-52 MHz band giving them use of 50-52 MHz with a maximum power of 100 watts, except in the center of the country where the power is limit is 10 watts.

G4XRV, Rupert, plans to be active as VR2/G4XRV from Hong Kong on Sunday December 9th.

9Q1EK, Georges, was able to repair his IC-7000 using SMC computer components. He will contact Icom France for parts for the IC- 756PROIII.

During the CQ WW CW IK1PMR, Andrea, was operating as ZP0R on 15 meters. He made 2200 QSOs. QSL his operation via IK1PMR with 1 IRC or 2 US\$. You can also include QSLs for ZP6/IK1PMR, ZP6/IZ1GLO, K2LEO/CX, IK1PMR/CX, CW2C and LU/IK1PMR.

PJ2/K8ND, Jeff tells us the PJ2T team survived the CQ WW CW contest and that there will continue to be some on-air PJ2 activity. Most of the ops depart today however PJ2/W8WTS will remain until Friday and Jeff will stay until next Tuesday, December 4th. The two will "focus on" low band activity. Jeff plans to operate the ARRL 160 Meter CW Contest as PJ2T this weekend. QSL PJ2/K8ND via K8ND or LOTW. QSL PJ2T via N9AG or LOTW.

Silent Key

TI2BY, Wolfgang Baron, passed away on the morning of November 22, 2007. He was first licensed in his homeland Germany in 1950. Over the past few years Wolf was very involved in Latin America and pioneered the digital modes, especially Packet. He was also involved in teaching Amateur Radio in Central America. Other calls he held were: HR1BY, HR1HR, YS9BY and TI9BY.

QSN

E7 - BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA - Over the past few days the following stations have been QRV from BIH: E7/9A8A, E7/9A5K, E7/YU4EU, E7/YT7AW and E7/DK6XZ.

VK2FRNB - AUSTRALIA - Bob, who is running 10 watts, can be found on the HHH Net on 7235 after 0700Z.

YI9JK - IRAQ - Jim says to look for him on 20 PSK on 14070 between 0400 and 0430Z.

IOTA

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AS-004	5B4/LZ2HM	18150	1411	NA-021	8P9AG	14260	1537
AS-077	JH6CHY	18080	0623	NA-024	J38AA	14267	2117
AS-079	JS6RRR	18081	0650	NA-030	6E4LM	14086	2355
EU-009	GM0WED	18075	1354	NA-030	XF4YK	7065	0253
EU-010	GM4KGK	7021	1839	NA-105	PJ7/DG5XJ	14260	1252
EU-012	MM0XAU	7005	1935	OC-013	E51NNN	1823	0558

DS4NMJ (DT8A), Lee Sanghoon, will be QRV from Chung Island (AS-060) from about 0400Z November 30th through 0400Z December 1st. Joining him for the 24 hour operation will be HL4/JA1HGY, HL4/JA1WPX, HL4/JA1RJU, DS4NMJ, HL4CEL and HL4CEY.

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27-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
27-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
27-Nov	2-Dec	F	TM7AJ	F6KSU		11-223
27-Nov	9-Dec	F	TM8T			11-227
27-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
27-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DG5XJ (NA-105)	DG5XJ		11-184
27-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DH1ND (NA-105)	DH1ND		11-184
27-Nov	28-Nov	FS	FS/DJ5HD (NA-105)	DJ5HD		11-184
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E7/YT7AW	YT7AW	PJ2MI	W2CQ	VP2MVX	K9CS
F/TU5KG	F4EFI	PJ7/DG5XJ	DG5XJ	XE2GG	N6AN
HS0ZEP	HB9FAF	PJ7/DH1ND	DH1ND	XE2S	WD9EWK
JD1AHC	JA1BVA	PJ7/DJ5HD	DJ5HD	YQ0U	YO5BFJ
KG4MN	WB2YQH	TI5/K2PLF	K2PLF	ZP6/IK1PMR	IK1PMR
KL2R	N1TX				

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4O3A, AH7C, CT3KN, EY8MM, KH6LC, KL7WV, LW5EE, LW5HBR, PY2IQ, VE1OP, VE3IAY, VP5TG, VP8LP, ZL1TM, ZL4PW, ZS6WN

Correction

In yesterday's calendar we listed the QSL manager for T88RJ incorrectly. The route was correct in the QSL section. The correct route for T88RJ is JJ1RJR (not JJ1RKR). Tnx JA3BKP!

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4U1UN is expected to be QRV today for a few hours. OH1VR, Seppo, and OH3SR, John, expect to be operating the United Nations HQ Station today starting as early as 1400Z and probably finishing by 2200Z. Listen for the NCDXF 4U1UN beacon (14100, 18110, 21150, 24930 and 28200). When the beacon goes off the air the operators are in the station! QSL via HB9BOU.

During the CQ World Wide CW DX Contest "the callsign MU0A was very active, and was spotted numerous times, as well as making many S&P contacts", reports GU0SUP, Phil. Phil check with Ofcom, the UK's licensing authority, who confirms this callsign has never been issued, so MU0A activity this past weekend was a pirate! (Editors note: I would leave it in your CQ log and let the CQ Contest Committee remove it!)

3D2AG, Tony, will depart Suva, Fiji for Rotuma Island on Saturday December 1st. He expects to be on Rotuma by the third. 3D2AA, Aisea, has given Tony a Pactor TNC to take with him, so Tony may even be able to send and receive e-mail (via Winlink) while he's there.

3D2AA, Aisea, may be on 6 meters starting December 21. He has a 6 meter rig and needs to put up a 6 meter antenna. "The 21 December date is when he will be going to his "retirement home" near Suva, for a 1-month holiday", says A35RK, Paul. Afterwards Aisea will go back to Latoka until he officially retires in March.

3D2BA, Dick, is back on the HF bands, but only for casual rag-chewing with friends.

N4BP, Bob, will be doing the ARRL 160 Meter CW Contest as C6AKQ from Freeport, Grand Bahama. Equipment will be the Elecraft K3 running low power (100W). He'll be logging with N1MM and use a WinKeyer USB. Antenna will be a full size dipole at 120 feet on an un-guyed 160 foot tower. He'll also have use of a RX loop installed earlier this year by N8PR.

KP2/K5YG, Bill, reports he now has "500 Q's in log, all CW except for 2 SSB". Look for him on SSB about 1300Z and 2100-2200Z on or near 14.160 and 18.160 MHz. He'll also be on the higher bands as time permits on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. Anyone who wants to try 6 meters can email him for a sked at K5YG@aol.com. His Villa is located on north side of the mountain about 100 feet above the water with clear shot from East to West. 150 foot hill behind him blocks all to the South. He has extended his stay on St. Thomas until December 6th and will be QRV until the 5th.

As a reminder ZL2BSJ, Bert, was scheduled to fly to Chatham Island in mid-January 2008 for a fish survey and to Auckland/Campbell in September 2008, however both survey trips fell through and Bert will be leaving his job next month and moving to the Netherlands.

K6TA, Ken, and K6KO, Kay, have arrived in Aruba. Ken expects to be QRV tonight on 160 meters as P40TA.

ZS8 - Marion Island (that got your attention!) was the location of a recent three day work duty for ZS6WLC, Ludwig. The bad news is that unfortunately it was a "so short and so fast and so busy" trip that he did not have time for "any radio work". The good news is that He is "planning to do some work on the island" in April 2009, which "could include some" DX activity "if it is possible".

Correction

On December 5, 2007, Thailand's King, HS1A, will celebrate his 80th birthday. In honor of this occasion, Thailand's National Telecommunication Commission has authorized the HS80A (HS8 zero A) for use on Saturday December 1, 2007. Activity will be on HF and 2 meters. QSLs should be sent to Major Narrissara Shaowanasai, P.O. Box 73, Bangkok, 10900 Thailand.

QSN

3DA0TM - SWAZILAND - Andy started up yesterday on 7086 just before 2200Z. First operating simplex and then QSO up on 7127.

3V8SS - TUNISIA - 30 meter ops reported the club station on 10106 from 1040 to 1140Z on Tuesday.

4O/S55M - MONTENEGRO - Adi was first on CW on 7001 at 2015Z and then on SSB on 7073 at 2230Z.

5R8NL - MADAGASCAR - DXers from the eastern half of the US had an opening on 18075 just before 1630Z. QSL via PA7FM.

6E4LM - REVILLA GIGEDO - RTTY ops were working the Mexican team on 14086 at 14 and 23Z yesterday. Today at 0115Z they were on PSK31 on 14071. QSL via XE2K.

8P9AG - BARBADOS - Japanese ops found Andy on the long path on 10102 around 2130Z. QSL via DL9USA.

A35RK - TONGA - Paul is back on 6 meters. He made his first QSO, since 1999, with ZL2TPY on the north island.

AU - INDIA - Prefix hunters reported AU1JCB on 14007 at 1015, AU4JCB on 14195 at 0930Z, AU5JCB on 7036 at 1945Z and AU7JCB on 14190 at 0930Z. QSL all via VU2SMN.

C91KDJ - MOZAMBIQUE - California DXers found Wayne on 10106 after 0400Z on Tuesday. QSL via W5KDJ.

FH1LE - MAYOTTE - Alan was doing RTTY yesterday on 14084 starting before 1640 for the next hour. QSL via F6BFH.

H7/K9NW - NICARAGUA - Mike was working Topband ops from all across Europe on 1819 between 03 and 06Z on Tuesday. QSL via K9NW.

VQ9LA - CHAGOS ISLANDS - Larry will be leaving the island for a two month period starting in early December.

YI9MI - IRAQ - Someone was pirating Scott's call Tuesday on 40 CW between 13 and 15Z. Scott did report working his first US stations on 14240 just before 1430Z. They were K1QS, K4KL and K5OVC. Scott's is running an IC-7000 with 100 watts into a 130 foot long dipole up about 50 feet oriented NW/SW. He has posted his log at <http://www.usaars.com/yi9mi.htm>.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8AAJ	14215	1337	NA-005	OH1VR/VP9	14192	1434
AF-004	EA8CDG	14206	1336	NA-015	CO8LY	7045	2204
AF-004	EA8YB	18130	1729	NA-030	6E4LM	3521	0440
EU-001	SV5/SM8C	10105	1355	NA-030	XF4YK	7062	0055
EU-003	CU1CB	3796	0745	NA-030	XF4YW	14190	1737
EU-004	AO6AEI	7071	0656	NA-033	HK0/W0OR	3509	0431
EU-004	AO6UN	10107	1652	NA-105	PJ7/DG5XJ	14265	1105
EU-004	EA6AFV	7080	1855	NA-110	AA4V	18143	1551
EU-012	MM0XAU	1828	0008	SA-002	VP8LP	18138	1944
NA-002	VP5/K7WA	14225	2252				

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CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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28-Nov	30-Nov	5X	5X1NH	G3RWF	11-225	200 152
28-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
28-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
28-Nov	6-Dec	A9	by N1DG			11-227
28-Nov	1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S		11-208
28-Nov	28-Nov	C9	C91KDJ	W5KDJ	11-188	169
28-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
28-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
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9Q1TB	SM5DJZ	EK6LP	IK2DUW	YI9MI	AD7MI
AU1JCB	VU2SMN	FH1LE	F6BFH	ZP6/IK1PMR	IK1PMR
AU2JCB	VU2SMN	R1ANC	DL5EBE	ZP6/IZ1GLO	IK1PMR
AU4JCB	VU2SMN	VP2MFO	K9CS	ZP9EH	W9OER
AU7JCB	VU2SMN	VP2MNR	K9CS		

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KA2AEV, Mike, the QSL manager for V26B hurt his hand and so this will slow down the confirmation process until the cast is removed.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 3XM6JR, 403A, 6Y5NR/KP1, 9M2GCN, 9M6XRO, 9U0A, 9Y4W, A250OK, EZ8CQ (2005), FP/K9MDO, J6/DL7AFS, J88DR OX3XR, P29NI (OC-283), PZ5RA, R1AND, T77C, UT7QF, XX9TJS, YV5JBI, Z36A, ZL7/SP5EAQ, ZL7/SP9PT

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

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DX News

Earlier this week (November 27th) it was reported that JA6GXX, Masa, would be heading back to Minami Torishima to operate as JD1BMM from December 12th to 27th. While there he will be able to QRV in his spare time between 0900 and 1300Z and also from 2000 to 2200Z.

FH1LE (F4RPW), Alain, is a (English) school teacher on Mayotte and will be there for two years. He is the son of F5JY, Jim, and F8FDN, Maryse. Alan has a vertical antenna for 14, 21 and 28 MHz and is QRV on CW, SSB and RTTY. Plans are to have an antenna for 12, 17, 30 and the low bands. He also has a 4 element KLM beam still to be installed. His QSL manager is F6BFH, Alan. Both F5JY and F6BFH are planning to visit Alain on Mayotte next year after the TX5C DXpedition to Clipperton.

Les Nouvelles DX reports that F8EN, Roland, will be in Libreville, Gabon again as TR8CR or perhaps with a special call. Look for activity from December 7th to January 12th. He will be especially active on 20 meters on CW on 14005 and 14125 on SSB. He will also attempt to go to one of the islands that count for IOTA AF043. QSL via F8EN or F6AJA.

K7CA, Al, is expected back in Chile and will be QRV as CE1/K7CA starting the third week of December until February.

The upcoming January 2008 J5C DXpedition to Guinea-Bissau has an operator change. F6AML, Serge, has cancelled. However F8IXZ (ex 6W1/F8IXZ, 6W4/F8IXZ, TM0GAY, F8IXZ/D44AC, 5H1C), Jean-Marc, a CW op has joined the team. This operation is expected to take place between January 11th and 21st. The team has a Web site at www.j5c.eu.

G4IUF, Mike Parker, will be on Bonaire Island (PJ4) from January 9th to 21st. Next he is heading to Ecuador, where he will stay until February 5th. He hopes to be QRV from Cuenca (HC5) for a few days and Mindo (HC1) for a few days.

During the upcoming 80th birthday of the King of Thailand look for 2 meter EME activity by HS2JSW operating HS80A on November 30th and December 1st. They are still waiting for authorization for 23 cm. They will be using a 10 element cross yagi with 200 watts and a preamp.

Next week N4GN, Tim Totten, will be QRV from Portugal as CT/N4GN/M and

from Spain as EA/N4GN/M.

K5UN (PZ5X), Lee, will be leaving Suriname at 0900Z Friday November 30th. Until then he'll be putting "in as much radio time as possible" between now and his departure. Lee will continue working 15, 17 and 20 meters during the day and will concentrate on 40, 80 and 160 meters CW tonight before he has to pack the radio. So far PZ5X has logged about 2k Qs, which does not include the CQ WW. QSL cards will be ordered when upon Lee's arrival home. QSL via K5UN.

N1DG, Don Greenbaum, was in England yesterday and expects to be in Bahrain today for a week. He'll make a short visit to A92HB's QTH. Afterwards he'll head to the United Arab Emirates where he will be QRV as A61AD on December 6th and 7th.

Special event station TM7IET will is now QRV until December 9th as the French Engineers Higher School (ENSEEIHT), located in Toulouse, South France, celebrates its first Century. The IET in the callsign is for Institut Erlectrotechnique de Toulouse which was the first name of the School. Activity will be on HF and VHF on CW, SSB, PSK and FM. QSL via F4DQG.

Look for IZ2DPX, Giovanni, to be operating from Fuerteventura Island in the Canary Islands (EA8) from December 30th until January 6, 2008. He'll be using a TS-50 with activity expected on 7-28 MHz, excluding 30 meters. QSL via IK2DUW either direct or via the bureau.

QSN

E51 - SOUTH COOK ISLANDS - Watch for E51MMM, George, or E51NNN, Ron, on 160 meters (1831.5 KHz) on CW starting just after 0500Z and again starting at East Coast US Sunrise and afterwards. They probably will not get back on 80 meters. They will be on for the first night of the ARRL 160 Meter CW Contest this weekend. QSL both via K5KG.

JD1AHC - OGASAWARA - Masa has been somewhat active on the low bands for the past week. QSL via JA1BVA.

S21ZDX - BANGLADESH - NT5C, John reports Stig was very busy on 40M SSB yesterday. From about 1230-1310Z Stig was on 7060, first working transceive then QSX up 7. He was Q5 all that time into W5 on the long path, but when someone asked him to listen up; he looked for a quiet spot above 7125 and couldn't find one!

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8ES	7085	0147	EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	1327
AF-014	CT3AS	18073	1035	NA-030	6E4LM	14025	2257
EU-009	GMOWED	14030	1400	NA-030	XF4YW	14190	1738
EU-031	IC8AMR	7036	1712	OC-006	VK7AC	7093	1857
EU-064	F9IE	7062	0957	SA-002	VP8CXV	10142	2052

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530

SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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29-Nov	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS			11-211
29-Nov	7-Dec	5R	5R8NL	PA7FM		11-227
29-Nov	30-Nov	5X	5X1NH	G3RWF	11-225	200 152
29-Nov	30-Nov	7X	7W53N	7X5VRK		11-208
29-Nov	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
29-Nov	6-Dec	A9	by N1DG			11-227
29-Nov	1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S		11-208
29-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
29-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
29-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
29-Nov	2-Dec	F	TM7AJ	F6KSU		11-223
29-Nov	9-Dec	F	TM8T			11-227
29-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
29-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWF (EU-116)	DL3KWF		11-209
29-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWR (EU-116)	DL3KWR		11-209
29-Nov	4-Dec	HI	HI3FCG (NA-096)	ON4IQ		11-225
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX (NA-024)	DL5AXX		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO (NA-024)	K2DO		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC (NA-024)	K5AC		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA (NA-024)	N2GA		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R (NA-024)	S50R		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK (NA-024)	W2LK		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J37LR (NA-024)	VE3EBN		11-224
29-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J38AA (NA-024)	WA1S		11-224
29-Nov	29-Nov	J8	J88DR (NA-109)	G3TBK		11-216
29-Nov	2-Dec	KG4	KG4MN (NA-015)	WB2YQH		11-218
29-Nov	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI		11-218
29-Nov	5-Dec	KP2	KP2/K5YG (NA-106)	K5YG	7-229	175
29-Nov	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	170
29-Nov	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	169
29-Nov	30-Nov	PZ	PZ5X	K5UN	11-218	199
29-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD		11-174
29-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155	154
29-Nov	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA			11-222
29-Nov	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4SO	DJ4SO		11-197
29-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	by W2EP (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218	122
29-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MFO (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218	122
29-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MLH (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218	122
29-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MNR (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218	122
29-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MSC (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218	122
29-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	VP2MVX (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218	122
29-Nov	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AT0JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU1JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU2JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU4JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU7JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU8JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU9JCB	VU2SMN		11-213
29-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)	XE2K	11-226	219 205
29-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-226	219 205
29-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-226	219 205
29-Nov	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ			11-184

29-Nov 12-Dec XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
29-Nov 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
29-Nov 1-Apr YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
29-Nov 15-Dec YB	YB1AQB	DJ3KR	11-199
29-Nov 5-Dec YB	YC0IEM (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-209
29-Nov 15-May YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will remain at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will remain at quiet levels today through Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for November 27, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4O/S55M	S55M	EA8OM	DJ1OJ	P49MR	VE3MR
4U1UN	HB9BOU	J3/DL5AXX	DL5AXX	PZ5X	K5UN
6W1SJ	T93Y	JY4NE	K3IRV	S21ZDX	HS0ZGD
AO6UN	EC6TK	OA4WW	OH0XX	UN7QF	EX2A
CP6AA	IK6SNR	P40TA	WM6A	YE2IPY	YB2TJV

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K9GY, Eric, is in the process of getting the QSLs ordered for last weeks

CQ World Wide CW DX Contest operation as YS/K9GY.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 6W2SC, 9U0A, ER4DX, FK/JA1NLX, HS0ZBS, HV0A, J5UAP, OD5NJ, OM2VL, P29NI (OC-283), S59A, VP6AL, YW5AS (SA-051)

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: AH7C, C91KDJ, J75W, LZ1BJ/p (EU-181), RW0A, UY5ZZ, ZM2B

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DX News

Some of the 3X5A team members arrived home yesterday. AA7A, Ned, and KC7V, Mike, will remain until sometime today with activity on EME and some 12, 17 and 30 meter pile-ups. The team was very successful during the CQ WW CW making just under 15,000 QSOs and almost 40 million points. QSL via G3SXW.

During this weekend's ARRL 160 Meter CW Contest OH0Z will be a multi-op effort, says OH5DX, Ari. QSL via W0MM.

Another multi-op effort in the ARRL 160 will be by SV1AOZ and SV3RF using special call SX3M. QSL via SV3RF.

For more than two weeks now someone has been operating as FR7BB. F6EKB (ex FR7BB and 3X0HNU), Marcel, knows nothing about it as he last used that call in 1976. Reunion authorities stopped issuing the FR7 prefix in the early-mid 80's. So if you hear the FR7BB pirate don't waste your time and efforts! Marcel does still have logs for both legitimate QSOs FR7BB and 3X0HNU.

IK1PMR and K2LEO will sign ZP0R from Paraguay in the TARA Melee RTTY Contest this weekend. They will be multi-op running low power from the super station of ZP5AZL, Tom. QSL via IK1PMR only.

At its Board of Directors meeting on November 28, 2007 in Albany, CA, the Northern California DX Foundation (NCDXF) re-elected the following officers and directors:

President - Len Geraldi, K6ANP
Vice President - Al Burnham, K6RIM
Secretary - Tom McShane, NW6P
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Information pertaining to the Northern California DX Foundation is available at <http://www.ncdxf.org>.

December 8th and 9th KY1V, Dave, will be QRV as 6Y1V from Jamaica in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest. QSL via OH3RB.

QSN

3X5A - GUINEA - Started up on 18077 yesterday just before 1400Z and stayed until around 1530Z before switching

over to 24892. QSL via G3SXW.

5X1NH - UGANDA - Nick was on 18087 at 1230 and then on 14018 just before 2000Z. QSL via G3RWF.

9M2AX - WEST MALAYSIA - New England 80 meter ops found Ross on 3502 just prior to 2330Z.

9Q/DK3MO - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO - Otto (was 9Q5MO) was reported on 14013 yesterday between 19 and 20Z. This probably won't count for DXCC as DRC authorities are only issuing full 9Q calls. As a reminder 9Q5MO is not a current license. Save your time and money on this one, despite the fact that he says QSL via DF9TA.

EA6SX - BALEARIC ISLANDS - Mike was working all across NA yesterday on 3503 just before 0630Z.

HR2DMR - HONDURAS - Dan has been reported on Topband the last two nights between 0200 and 0530Z.

V8FZA - BRUNEI - Burk began activity today on 20 SSB. Length of activity is unknown at this time. QSL via DL3KZA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-049	3B8CF	18072	1144	NA-015	KG4MN	14265	1647
EU-004	AO6AEI	7073	0656	NA-030	6E4LM	14087	2231
EU-009	GM0WED	10107	0833	NA-030	XF4YK	7074	0129
EU-072	SV8/DL8MCA	14258	1217	SA-006	PJ2/K8ND	14235	2034
EU-116	MD/DL3KWF	10103	1722				

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18128 14260 7055 3765

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30-Nov	6-Dec	A9	by N1DG			11-227
30-Nov	1-Dec	C6	C6AGY (NA-080)	ND6S		11-208
30-Nov	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
30-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51MMM (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
30-Nov	1-Dec	E5/S	E51NNN (OC-013)	K5KG		11-210
30-Nov	2-Dec	F	TM7AJ	F6KSU		11-223
30-Nov	9-Dec	F	TM7IET	F4DQG		11-230
30-Nov	9-Dec	F	TM8T			11-227
30-Nov	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177

30-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWF (EU-116)	DL3KWF	11-209
30-Nov	30-Nov	GD	MD/DL3KWR (EU-116)	DL3KWR	11-209
30-Nov	4-Dec	HI	HI3FCG (NA-096)	ON4IQ	11-225
30-Nov	1-Dec	HL	DS4NMJ (AS-060)		11-228
30-Nov	1-Dec	HL	HL4/JA1HGY (AS-060)		11-228
30-Nov	1-Dec	HL	HL4/JA1RJU (AS-060)		11-228
30-Nov	1-Dec	HL	HL4/JA1WPX (AS-060)		11-228
30-Nov	1-Dec	HL	HL4CEL (AS-060)		11-228
30-Nov	1-Dec	HL	HL4CEY (AS-060)		11-228
30-Nov	1-Dec	HS	HS80A		11-230 228 225
30-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX (NA-024)	DL5AXX	11-224
30-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO (NA-024)	K2DO	11-224
30-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC (NA-024)	K5AC	11-224
30-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA (NA-024)	N2GA	11-224
30-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R (NA-024)	S50R	11-224
30-Nov	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK (NA-024)	W2LK	11-224
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30-Nov	2-Dec	KG4	KG4MN (NA-015)	WB2YQH	11-218
30-Nov	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI	11-218
30-Nov	2-Dec	KL7	K6VVA/KL7 (NA-041)	N6AWD	11-211 204
30-Nov	2-Dec	KL7	KL8C (NA-041)	K6VVA	11-211 204
30-Nov	5-Dec	KP2	KP2/K5YG (NA-106)	K5YG	11-229 175
30-Nov	2-Dec	LU	AY7X	WD9EWK	11-226
30-Nov	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229 170
30-Nov	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229 169
30-Nov	2-Dec	PJ2	PJ2T (SA-006)	N9AG	11-228 213
30-Nov	30-Nov	PZ	PZ5X	K5UN	11-230 218 199
30-Nov	30-Nov	SP	HF150TG	SQ9JKD	11-174
30-Nov	30-Nov	SU	SU8BHI	HA3JB	11-155 154
30-Nov	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA		11-222
30-Nov	2-Dec	V2	V25W (NA-100)	WQ5W	11-204
30-Nov	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4SO	DJ4SO	11-197
30-Nov	3-Dec	VP2M	by W2EP (NA-103)	K9CS	11-218 122
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30-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AT0JCB	VU2SMN	11-213
30-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU1JCB	VU2SMN	11-213
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30-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU4JCB	VU2SMN	11-213
30-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU7JCB	VU2SMN	11-213
30-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU8JCB	VU2SMN	11-213
30-Nov	2-Dec	VU	AU9JCB	VU2SMN	11-213
30-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)	XE2K	11-226 219 205
30-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-226 219 205
30-Nov	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-226 219 205
30-Nov	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
30-Nov	12-Dec	XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
30-Nov	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
30-Nov	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
30-Nov	15-Dec	YB	YB1AQB	DJ3KR	11-199
30-Nov	5-Dec	YB	YC0IEM (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-209
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Today's Propagation Forecast

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Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet today through Sunday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for November 28, 2007 was 0.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4L1FP	LZ1OT	A7/M0FZQ	NM7H	AN5KB	EA5KB
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB				

T93Y, Boris, tells us that all 6W1SJ direct QSL requests received by November 27, 2007 are in the mail. He asks everyone to "give BH post some time" as it can take up to four weeks to deliver airmail letters.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 4S7HIG, 5N8NDP, 7P8JF, 9U0A, BD7KLO/7, C98BWW, EK3GM, FS/CT1BWW, FW0MO, HA8IH, P29VCX (OC-284), RW0IZ/p (AS-059), SD7ME (EU-037), UA0CW, UA0IDZ/p (AS-054), UK8OM, XX9TJS

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: BD5WW

Correction

HS2JFW (not HS2JSW), Joe, will be operating HS80A on 2 meter EME.

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DX News

This was the ARRL 160M Contest weekend. ARRL Contest Branch Manager KX9X, Sean Kutzko, says he has gotten e-mails about an error in the "robot" that accepts on-line log submissions at "The League." Sean says, "It appears to be ignoring all DX QSOs because DX stations do not have to send a QTH in their exchange. We are working on the problem. For the time being, please do not submit any logs until we correct this issue." We will inform you when this is resolved, which should be soon.

N1UR, Ed Sawyer, plans a DXpedition to the Spratly Islands for March 22-30. Ed is a veteran of operations from A52UR, XX9TEP, C6ARS, PJ2E, FP0GXV and 9M6A. Also along will be Ed's YL, Christine, KB1PQN, on her very first expedition. They will be at the Layang Layang Island Resort, belonging to Malaysia. Ed says they will focus on the most needed bands in North America and Europe. The gear will be an Icom 706 and Yaesu FT897D, each 100 watts, no amps, and a Force 12 Sigma- 40XK and vertical dipoles for 160, 80 and 20 as the antennas. The 9M license and Navy permission to land and operate have been applied for. 9M6DU, Doris, has been helpful in that process. The web page has a nice aerial photo of the island: www.nlurspratly.com. QSL via K2RET, Bob Tomkovich, Jr., 405 Hemlock Dr., Lanoka Harbor, NJ 08734 USA.

An expedition from Finland to Antarctica with 11 team members is getting set up. The Aboa Scientific Base has been given the very rare call sign OJ1ABOA. "Aboa" is Latin for the former capital of Finland, "Turku." They expect to go QRV December 6, Finland's Independence Day. Team leader, OH2FFP, Mika Kalakoski, passed his basic level ham test in the spring and the highest level a month before leaving for Antarctica. Mika says many of the team members are interested in ham radio and plan to form a club at the Marine Research Institute when they get back home. One of the team members has a girlfriend at home who has a ham license too. Mika will answer QSLs when they return in three months. The base has several transceivers. Mika plans to use 1 KW to a twin dipole for 40 and 20, on a 15-meter-tall tower. He has no experience with operating or certainly with pileups, but he is an expert on survival in extreme conditions - which may help on the air! He has written two books on extreme conditions survival. The Aboa base is near the Swedish, Norwegian and German bases. www.fimr.fi/en/etelamanner.html Back in Finland, OH2BR, Jukka, says the Finns are very excited to have their team on Antarctica and he knows Mika is eager to make a lot of QSOs. Mika will be e-mailing Jukka when he's ready to take a deep breath and make his very first QSO.

HQ8R is the Swan Island (NA-035), Honduras, callsign for an operation March 15-23, 2008. The operators will be WQ7R/HR9, KC4CD/HR2, HR2DX, HR2DMR, HR7REA, HR2J and HR2PAC. They plan to operate two phone stations, one CW station and

one digital modes station on RTTY and PSK31, a total of four stations. The 10 operators will be on 160-10M.

They have a Web page at www.hondurasdx.com. QSL via HR2RCH, Radio Club de Honduras, P.O. Box 273, San Pedro Sula, Cortes, HONDURAS.

The PVRC Newsletter reports that K4YT, Karl Renz, is scheduled to fly to 9X5, Rwanda, today, December 3, for the final accreditation of the new U.S. Embassy building in Kigali. He will try to get on for the ARRL 10 Meter Contest. He says an old friend of his, 9X5SP, Peter, is the Deutsche Welle relay station manager and has offered to help obtain a license for Karl. It's possible Karl will guest op from Peter's station.

PJ4/W00Z, Larry, will be on from Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles, December 8-15. He will be on CW, SSB and possibly RTTY, on whatever bands are open. It will be a holiday-style operation for Whiskey- Oscar-Zero-Zulu. QSL via W00Z.

CT3EE, Luis, updates us on his Madeira Islands activity. CT9EPC was active from November 19-25 with lower activity than Luis had expected due to other things that came up to keep him busy and less time available for radio. Also, bad weather, especially high winds, hindered setup. But, CT9EPC was active on 40 and 20, especially BPSK31 and BPSK63. He made a little over 100 QSOs. He plans another activity for December 3-8 and again during Christmas week, December 22- 28. Due to propagation, he expects to spend most of his time on 20 and 40 but will be on the other bands briefly too. QSL cards are being designed presently. Luis is not a bureau member, so bureau cards usually do not reach him.

CU2/G7VJR, Michael, will be on from the Azores' San Miguel, EU-003, December 26-January 3. He will be CW only on various HF bands including 160, using a small amp and verticals. QSL via G7VJR, and logs will be on LoTW shortly after the operation.

DL9DAK, Peter, will be on from various places in Ecuador and the Galapagos during January. First, DL9DAK/HC1, in Quito, January 2-11. Next, DL9DAK/HC8, Galapagos, January 15-18. Lastly, DL9DAK/HC2, Guayaquil, January 19-21. He plans to only operate digital modes, PSK, Olivia, RTTY, Feldhell, and others, on 20 and 17 and occasionally on 40, using vertical dipoles and 50 watts. QSL to his home call. www.dl9dak.de.

OH0Z, Aland Island, will be in the CQ 160M CW contest January 26-27, multi-op. OH5DX, Ari, will be one of the operators. QSL via W0MM.

OH0Z will again be on for the CQWW RTTY WPX contest February 9-10, single op all band, with OH9MM, Juha, operating. QSL via W0MM.

VP9/VE3ZF, Igor in Bermuda (NA-005), will be on December 5-8 operating from different parishes for the Worked All Bermuda Award sponsored by the Radio Society of Bermuda (www.bermudashorts.bm/rsb/awards.htm). QSL via VE3ZF, Igor's home call.

XT2WC, Michael (home call F1IQH) will be in Bobo Dioulasso, Burkina Faso from December 6th until late in the month or even into January. Michael will have an FT-847, 100 watts, backed up by a TS-140. He will have several HF antennas along. He is setting up a permanent station in XT2, where he will be visiting several times over the next year. QSL via F1IQH.

Silent Key

W8ZCQ, Dan Umberger, Senior, died on November 30 at the Woodlands Assisted Living Center in Columbus, Ohio. He was 90 years old. Dan had 333/378 (current/total) DXCC entities confirmed at the DXCC Desk. Dan was an electrical lineman for the City of Columbus and later worked at the Abex Research Center and Denison Abex in Marysville, Ohio, where he was a facilities engineer. He retired in 1982. Dan's interest in radio began in his teenage years. He started his own radio repair business while still a teenager, living in Virginia. He helped hundreds of others obtain their ham licenses through teaching license classes, including at the Ohio State School for the Blind. He also helped develop emergency preparedness plans for civil defense operations in the State of Ohio. In the 1960s, Dan donated vintage radio gear to the Center of Science and Industry and helped set up a ham station there. He was a past president of the Columbus Amateur Radio Association and for many years edited a monthly column in its newsletter. Friends may call Monday, December 3 from 12 noon until the time of the funeral services at 1 PM at Schoedinger East Chapel, 5360 E. Livingston Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. Interment will follow at the Sunset Cemetery, Galloway, Ohio. You may sign a guestbook for Dan's family at www.schoedinger.com or the on-line guestbook at www.dispatch.com/obituaries.

QSN

AP2TN - PAKISTAN - Tariq likes 40 CW from 16 to 19Z. QSL via DJ9ZB.

LU/LA6IKA - ARGENTINA - Svein was on 20 CW Sunday just before 2000Z. He has a Web Blog at <http://la6ika.blogg.no/>.

S21ZDX - BANGLADESH - Stig showed up on 80 CW both Saturday and Sunday between 1440 and 1630Z. QSL via HS0ZGD.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8YB	18155	1700	EU-046	LA1CI	14274	0925
AF-022	ZD7X	21295	1130	EU-131	II3SB	7063	0925
AS-018	UA0FAI	14012	0710	NA-030	XF4YK	14193	1725
EU-009	GM3POI	1834	0050	NA-085	W8ELG/4	18150	1745
EU-016	9A3ADE	7036	0800	NA-096	HH2FYD	18147	1715
EU-021	TF3YH	18070	1455	OC-046	FO5JV	14117	1600
EU-029	OZ1CJS	14260	1450	OC-148	YC9MDX	21255	0905
EU-034	ES0NW	10107	0855	SA-008	AY7X	7035	0145
EU-038	PA1PT/P	14260	1130				

PP5VX, Bone, is on Sao Francisco do Sul, SA-027, in the Santa Catarina State North Group. He will be QRV until December 31, 2010, all bands and modes. QSL via the QRZ.com info.

K6VVA canceled his trip to Alaska for the ARRL 160M contest after he hurt his hand and wrist during his latest NA-041 operation. He may go back in February.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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3-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R		11-229	223 194
3-Dec	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS			11-211
3-Dec	7-Dec	5R	5R8NL	PA7FM		11-227
3-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
3-Dec	6-Dec	A9	by N1DG			11-227
3-Dec	10-Dec	C5	C56JJ	PA4JJ	11-227	174
3-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
3-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004	home calls		11-199
3-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM7IET	F4DQG		11-230
3-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM8T			11-227
3-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
3-Dec	4-Dec	HI	HI3FCG (NA-096)	ON4IQ		11-225
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX (NA-024)	DL5AXX		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO (NA-024)	K2DO		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC (NA-024)	K5AC		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA (NA-024)	N2GA		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R (NA-024)	S50R		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK (NA-024)	W2LK		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J37LR (NA-024)	VE3EBN		11-224
3-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J38AA (NA-024)	WA1S		11-224
3-Dec	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI		11-218
3-Dec	5-Dec	KP2	KP2/K5YG (NA-106)	K5YG	11-229	175
3-Dec	31-Dec	OH0	OH9SCL	OH9UV		11-222
3-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	170
3-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	169
3-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG		11-222
3-Dec	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA			11-222
3-Dec	3-Dec	V5	V5/DJ4SO	DJ4SO		11-197
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9J2BO	G3TEV	CU3500L	CU3CY	LX2007L	LX1KC
9M6/LA9DL	LA9DL	D2NX	JH7FQK	OL70AMYD	OK1DOL
AO1FD	EA1FD	DK150HZ	DH2ES	R1ANR	RZ3BJ
AO3JW	EA3JW	E51A	K5KG	TT8PK	F4EGS
AO5KB	EA5KB	HH2FYD	F6FYD	UE3DWP	RD3FI
AO7TV/P	EA7TV	HI3A	ON4IQ	UE3XMV	UA3XAC
AP2TN	DJ9ZB	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	UE6FFF	RK6FZ
AY7X	WD9EWK	II8IPY	I8ACB	UE9CRK	RV9CQ
C56JJ	PA4JJ	J28JA	F5JFU	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ
C6AKQ	N4BP	LX2007D	LX1KC	YI1EM	EA7FTR
CN8IG	EA7FTR	LX2007G	LX1KC	ZD8RH/P	G4DBW

Australia's WIA Board has approved the appointment of VK4HDX, Ray Crawford, as VK4 QSL Bureau Manager. Ray is an active DXer who was in New Zealand's NZART before moving to Australia. Outgoing manager VK4AN resigned due to other commitments. As he leaves, he is praised for bringing to the job a strong commitment to the concept of good management of a QSL bureau and being always ready to identify areas for improvement.

The QSL manager for EA8/G7COD/A, Andrew Kitchen, has changed due to the passing away of manager G0OYH, Buck. The new manager, effective immediately, is G4KEE. This is for both direct and bureau cards. Andrew asks that you please resubmit to the new manager.

One of our subscribers is looking for the QSL route for the CQWW CW 2007 Contest for the 160M operation of OL5K. Let us know. Thanks.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 3DA0VM, 5H3VMB, 5H3VMB/3 (AF-075), 5H3VMB/5 (AF-074), 5X1VB, 5Z4/UA4WHX (AF-040), 5Z4/UA4WHX (AF-067), 7Q7VB, 9X0VB, A52AM, C6AQO (NA-113), CN8KD, D20VB, E51NOU, F5KAQ/p (EU-156), FO/N6JA, FP/W9ILY (NA-032), GH6UW (EU-099), HV0A, J39BS, KL7HBK, P29NI (OC-283), PZ5XX, TI4CF, V51VV, VK6YS/p(OC-164), VK6CHI (OC-193), VQ9LA, VY0/KH0PR (NA-047), VY0ICE/VE2, WP3C (NA-099), WW2SUB, XU7MDY, YK1BA, Z2/UA4WHX, ZL7/SP5EAQ, ZL7/SP9BQJ and ZL7/SP9PT.

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: OH0MM (1988).

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 8R1EA, GI4NKB, GP0TSH, HC8N, LU6FEH, OF8X, OH8L, ST0RY, TZ6DX, VE2XAA/2, VE7UF, VE9DX, VP2MRD and ZL1BYZ.

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DX News

Finnish operators OH1RX, Jouko, his XYL Merja; OH2PM, Pertti, his XYL Kirsti; OH6KN, Veijo; and OH8NC, Juha; are heading to the Marquesas Islands in January 2008. They will arrive in Nuku Hiva on January 9th and stay through January 22nd before returning to Finland. The operation will be split between two sites, one on the northern coast line and the other a hilltop QTH at a height of 800 meters. The main focus will be on the low bands from 1.8 to 10 MHz. They will have verticals and phased vertical antennas for the low bands with Beverages for listening. On the higher bands they will use a 3-4 element beam and verticals. There will be maximum three stations running and minimum of one station on the air all the time. The suggested frequency plan will be followed depending on the QRM situation. CW: 1822, 3502, 3523, 7008, 7023, 10108, 14008, 14023, 18068, 21008, 21023, 24898, 28008 and on SSB: 1845, 3790, 7050, 19195, 18145, 21295, 24945, 28495 and RTTY: 14080, 21080, 28070. The DXpedition Web pages will be ready soon and later announced separately. The QSL Manager is OH2PM and confirmations can be made directly or via the bureau.

A team from Belgium and South Africa tell The Daily DX they will be going to Lesotho next year. ON4AEO, Filip; ON7BK, Kath; ZS6GC, Gert; ZS6AYC, Sid; and ZS6ACT, Lucas; plan to be QRV as 7P8FC from Katsdam between March 27 and April 1. Equipment will include an FT-987, TS-50 and IC-706. They will be using an 80 meter 1/4 vertical (Spiderbeam), K9AY receiving loop, 40 meter 1/4 vertical with receiving beverage, Spiderbeam and Steppir for 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 meters. They will also have KW amps from Ameritron and Yaesu. The team has a Web site at www.7p8fc.be. The team is looking for sponsors. QSLs go via ON4CJK.

KOOK, Bob, has begun his VP5 activity with good results to Europe on 40, 80 and 160 meters. He is running 100 watts from the VP5JM rental station. Bob says most of his activity will be on code until KB7UB, Dale, arrives on December 6th.

OD5/F5PTM, Pascal, has returned home to France after making about 10,000 QSOs, mostly on CW and RTTY. He was working with the UN Forces "in the service of Peace". His paperwork for DXCC accreditation has been submitted to the DXCC Desk and awaits approval. If you still need a QSL for this operation you can QSL via his QSL manager F5OGL.

The 18th New Zealand Scout Jamboree will be held at the Canterbury Agricultural Park in Christchurch December 28, 2007 through January 5, 2008. During the event Special event station ZM6JAM will "have a fully equipped HF station on air", says ZL3NB, Bill.

As reported earlier ZL2BSJ, Wilbert, will be moving to The Netherlands. He has received his new call. It will be PE7T. So QSL cards for ZL9BSJ/p and ZL2BSJ should be sent to PE7T.

Special event station HS80A, in honor of the 80th birthday of HS1A, HM King of Thailand, will now be QRV until the end of the year. QSL via HS1CHB, Gen. Narissara Shaowanasai, P. O. Box 73 Chatuchak, Bangkok 10900, THAILAND.

During late November 2007 WJ20, Dave Farnsworth, was QRV from Belize as V31DF. The callsign was reissued. QSL cards for his operation go via WJ20. The previous operator was NF6T, Ken Young, who passed away on May 13, 2005.

ZC4LI, Steve, plans a full effort in the upcoming Stew Perry Topband Contest on December 29th and 30th.

QSN

A35RK - TONGA - Paul reported an Eskip opening to VK/ZL Monday between 0155 and 0210Z logging ZL3NW, ZL3JT, VK3OT, ZL3TY and VK4FNQ.

JT1CO - MONGOLIA - Chak had a good signal on 40 meters (7007) short path on Sunday at 2300Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8CD	7080	0549	NA-030	XF4YK	14218	2258
AF-004	EF8BDX	7030	1607	NA-030	XF4YW	14190	1644
EU-014	TK5IX	7010	0548	NA-103	VP2MSC	1834	0412
EU-035	RU3NHY/1	14135	0921	OC-019	KH6/K9FD	1834	0406
NA-010	VE1CJB	14210	1707	OC-019	KH6MB	10105	0147

JL10VB/1, JO1LVZ/1, JJ2GAZ/1 and 7L3ATQ/1 will be active from Izu Oshima Island (AS-008) on December 8, 9 and 10. Look for HF and VHF activity on CW, SSB and FM. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

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4-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R (OC-060)		11-229	223 194
4-Dec	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS			11-211
4-Dec	7-Dec	5R	5R8NL	PA7FM		11-227
4-Dec	10-Dec	9X	by K4YT	K4YT		11-232
4-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
4-Dec	6-Dec	A9	by N1DG			11-227
4-Dec	10-Dec	C5	C56JJ	PA4JJ	11-227	174
4-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
4-Dec	8-Dec	CT3	CT9EPC	CT3EE		11-232
4-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home calls		11-199
4-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM7IET	F4DQG		11-230
4-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM8T			11-227
4-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177

4-Dec	4-Dec	HI	HI3FCG (NA-096)	ON4IQ	11-225
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/DL5AXX (NA-024)	DL5AXX	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/K2DO (NA-024)	K2DO	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/K5AC (NA-024)	K5AC	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/N2GA (NA-024)	N2GA	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/S50R (NA-024)	S50R	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J3/W2LK (NA-024)	W2LK	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J37LR (NA-024)	VE3EBN	11-224
4-Dec	4-Dec	J3	J38AA (NA-024)	WA1S	11-224
4-Dec	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI	11-218
4-Dec	5-Dec	KP2	KP2/K5YG (NA-106)	K5YG	11-229 175
4-Dec	31-Dec	OH	OH9SCL	OH9UV	11-222
4-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229 170
4-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229 169
4-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG	11-222
4-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX	11-232
4-Dec	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA		11-222
4-Dec	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
4-Dec	15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)	XE2K	11-226 219 205
4-Dec	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-226 219 205
4-Dec	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-226 219 205
4-Dec	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
4-Dec	12-Dec	XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
4-Dec	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
4-Dec	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
4-Dec	15-Dec	YB	YB1AQB	DJ3KR	11-199
4-Dec	5-Dec	YB	YC0IEM (OC-144)	IZ8CCW	11-209
4-Dec	15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222

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Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low today through Thursday.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be quiet today through Thursday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

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The sunspot number for December 2, 2007 was 26.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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A61Q/ND	EA7FTR	PF30FRG	PI4FRG	T88FF	JL1HSD
CT9EPC	CT3EE	R1FJT	UA4RC	UE3XMV	UA3XAC
CU6NS	EA5KB	RP3XMV	UA3XAC	UE9CRK	RV9CQ
0020	ON4LDI				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 3DA0VB, 4L0B, 5H3VMB, 5X1VB, 5Z4/UA4WHX, 7Q7CE, 7Q7VB, 9J2VB, 9X0VB, C91VB, CX3AN, D20VB, EA9EU, FG5GP, FO/AC4LN, H40MY (OC-178), HL0LPM/3 (AS- 080), J20VB, K1B, N8S, OY3QN, P29NI (OC-283), RA0AZ, VY0/KH0PR, ZD8RH/p, ZL9/SP9PT

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4U1WRC, 4Z4DX, 7Z1HL, AL2V, C6AKQ, C91KDJ, DH3RD, EA1DR, EI6IZ, H40MY, HS0ZEE, K2EKM (NA-083), OH8L, OK1KTI, STORY, UR0MC

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DX News

A group from the Virginia DX Century Club (VADXCC) is heading to Guantanamo Bay next month. Team members include N4SIA/KG4AS, Tip (team leader); W4WV/KG4WV, Bill; K4MIL/KG4SS, Stu; and KD4OS/KG4OS, Emmett. Plans are to fly to "Club Gitmo" on January 29th. They will return home around February 9th or before depending on the team members time schedule. Activity will be mostly on SSB and possibly some RTTY. They will be QRV on 1.8 to 28 MHz, and possibly on 60 meters, now that it is authorized from Gitmo. The operators may be active from the Gitmo Lighthouse. QSL to the operator's home call.

OH2BH, Martti, will be in the Azores for the CQ WW 160M Contest and will put the contest site, CU2A on Topband. He will arrive well before the contest and will operate on the other low bands before the contest weekend. QSL via OH2BH.

W1USN, Mike; AA1M, Bob; and W1SSR, Scott, will be operating from St. Kitts (V4) starting February 28 until March 2008. They will be using CW, SSB and PSK on 160 to 10 meters. QSL via CBA.

During the Potomac Valley Radio Club (PVRC) annual "Holiday Dinner" the members elected the following officers for 2008:

President - K4ZW, Ken Claerbout
Vice Presidents - KD4D, Mark Bailey and NI1N, Tom McAlee, Jr.
Secretary - WM3T, Anthony Brooks
Treasurer - WR3L, Dave Baugher
Trustees - N3OC, Brian McGinness; K2AV, Guy Olinger; K4ZA, Don Daso; N4AF, Howie Hoyt; K3MM, Tyler Stewart; W3PP, Dallas Carter; W4ZYT, Don Lynch; N4ZR, Pete Smith; W4MYA, Bob Morris; and ND3A, Rob Shapiro.

For more information on PVRC check out their Web site at www.pvrc.org.

Silent Key

W0LHS, William D. Snyder, of Fargo, ND passed away on September 14, 2007. He was 90 years old. Bill was licensed in 1932. He was among the first to operate ham radio RTTY when it was authorized by the FCC. Bill was the RTTY editorial writer for World Radio magazine for a number of years. He was a member of DXCC and was an avid DXer.

QSN

8P9NX - BARBADOS - JA's were working Peter on 10113 yesterday

after 2230Z. QSL via CBA.

ET3JA - ETHIOPIA - Was on 7004 on Monday just prior to 2200Z.
HL3IUA - SOUTH KOREA - Choi showed up on 1824 yesterday just before 1200Z. Many east coast US Topband ops were there calling.
J2800 - DJIBOUTI - Darko was working US stations on 30 CW at 2000Z and again at 2300Z. QSL via K2PF.
J3/DL5AXX - GRENADA - Had an opening to Japan on 3505 between 0920 to 1000Z. QSL via DL5AXX.
JY4NE - JORDAN - Dr. Ali was doing some CW on 14038 at 1430 on Tuesday. QSL via K3IRV.
OX3KQ - GREENLAND - Jasper was listening to JAs as he was on 3783 listening 3803 around 2100Z.
P29VR - PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Vern started up on 14195 yesterday after 0930Z.
PZ5RA - SURNAME - Several central Europeans found Ramon on 1826 Tuesday after 0130Z.
S21ZDX - BANGLADESH - Stig was camped out on 3503.5 between 2000 and 2230Z. QSL via HS0ZGD.
YI1RAZ - IRAQ - Razi likes PSK on 20 meters between 12 and 14Z. QSL via IK2DUW.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8YB	18140	1623	NA-106	NP2KW	7036	0655
NA-030	6E4LM	14194	1822	OC-046	FO5JV	14117	1510
NA-030	XF4YK	7055	0303				

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5-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)		PP5VX	11-232
5-Dec	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA			11-222
5-Dec	11-Dec	VP5	VP5/K00K (NA-002)			11-194
5-Dec	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)		GM0TQJ	11-164
5-Dec	8-Dec	VP9	VP9/VE3ZF (NA-005)		VE3ZF	11-232
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QSL Info

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5W1SA	JH7OHF	EP3PK	IK2DUW	TT8FC	EA4AHK
A09IB	EA9IB	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH	VP5/K00K	K00K
C91R	CT1BXT				

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3D2WW, 7Q7CE, 8R1AK (SA-068), A52AM, AH0BT, DU8DJ, P29VCX (OC-284), P29VLR (OC-256), RZ0AF

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: ED8A, JF2QNM, ZF1A

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DX News

Cyclone Daman (category 1) passed over Rotuma and has intensified. No official word yet on what effect this has had on 3D2AG/R, Tony. The cyclone is now headed for Fiji and expected to rise to level 2. "There's a 50/50 chance that it will hit us here, but the forecast is that it will weaken before it gets here", reports A35RK, Paul, on Tonga. You can view the latest track map of Cyclone Daman at http://www.met.gov.fj/aifs_prods/65648.html. For more information about Tony's operation from Rotuma Island check his Web site at www.3d2ag.fr.tc.

To commemorate the 35th Anniversary of the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society (ROARS) all A4 Stations will be using their call signs followed by /35 from December 12 to 14. The ROARS HQ station, A47RS, will be QRV as A47RS/35, says ROARS Secretary General, A41JT, A. Razak Al Shahwarzi. To celebrate this occasion the society has introduced the ROARS 35TH ANNIVERSARY AWARD for Radio Amateurs worldwide. The award will be issued to any Radio Amateur Stations making 5 QSOs on 3 different bands with any A4xxx/35 Stations during the above period. All modes are permitted. Send your certified log copy with 10 IRC's or 5 US \$ to: The Awards Manager, ROARS, P. O. Box 981, Muscat, Postal Code: 100, Sultanate of Oman.

The 6E4LM (XF4YK and XF4YW) plan to participate in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest this weekend, says pilot station XE1GRR, Tony. The Revillagigedo Island team is in the process of completing installation of antennas and equipment to try and work EME using WSJT and MS on 50, 144 and 430 MHz in the coming days.

IK1PMR, Andrea, and K2LEO, Claudia, are back in Montevideo, Uruguay and will be QRV until December 10th as IK1PMR/CX and K2LEO/CX. That is what their license says. They will mostly work on 12 and 17 meters running low power, usually between 1000 and 2300Z. During the ARRL 10 Meter Contest this weekend Andrea will operate as CW2C. QSL all via IK1PMR.

The Arkansas DX Association (ADXA) met on December 1st and elected officers for the calendar year 2008. They are as follows:

President	W5VY, Pat Patterson
Vice President	AF5M, Paul Wynne
Sec/Treasurer	N5RN, Glenn Wolf
Board Member	N5ZM, Earl Smith
Board Member	K5DV, Dave Jacques

The Arkansas DX Association is a 100% ARRL Club. For more info on ADXA check their Web site at www.adxa.org.

OH1VR, Seppo, says that he will be showing up from 4U1ITU, the ITU Geneva station, Monday December 10th through Wednesday December 12th. He expects to be QRV daily between 1600 and 1700Z. Remember this is a separate DXCC Entity.

W4VQ, Bob, reminds everyone of the following upcoming operations. "W1DV hopes to be QRV as TL8DV for 8-9 weeks from the end of March/beginning of April 2008. G4BKI (aka W4/VP9KF) will be QRV from VP9KF 16-30 April 2008. K3ZO will be active as HZ0ZAR until 15 December. DJ3KR will be active as YB1AQB until 15 December. SM6CLU will be active as EA8/SM6CLU until 31 December. The LZ50DX activity by LZ1AF will end 31 December. G3LHJ will be QRV as GB60TR from 1-31 December in celebration of his local radio club's 60th anniversary."

During the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest EY8MM will be QRV. Mark you calendars as that will be January 26th and 27th. QSL via K1BV.

T93J will be a multi-op effort from Bosnia-Herzegovina in the CQ 160 CW test next month. You can QSL via T98U or OE1EMS.

Silent Key

As was reported yesterday W0LHS, William D. Snyder, became a Silent Key on September 14th of this year. Several of our readers recognized Bill's call. Bill along with W7LR, Bob Leo, had a number of adventures as the Gatti Hallicrafters Expedition to Africa during the 40's. You can read about them at <http://www.qsl.net/pa0abm/ghe/00ghe.htm>.

QSN

3B8GT - MAURITIUS - PSK ops were working Alexey on 20 meters between 1400 and 1600Z.

7J1AAL - JAPAN - Several New England 75 meter ops found Kan on 3802 via the longpath after 2130Z.

8P9AG - BARBADOS - Japanese RTTY ops were working this one on 10138 listening up about 2 KHz Wednesday from 2140 to 2230Z. QSL via DL9USA.

A7/M0FZQ - QATAR - US east coast 30 meter ops found John on 10108 after 2130Z.

AH2L - GUAM - Look for Ed on 60 meters around 1230Z. He was on 5346.5 yesterday.

HS80A - THAILAND - Prefix hunters were working the King's commemorative station on 20 SSB from just before 1100Z until almost 1500Z. QSL via HS1CHB.

J2800 - DJIBOUTI - DXers from the eastern half of North American had an opening to Darko on 10106 starting about 2030 for about an hour. QSL via K2PF.

J3/DL5AXX - GRENADA - European ops from the north, south and central were working him on 1822 between 0615 and 0715Z. QSL via DL5AXX.

KL7HBK - ALASKA - 60 meter ops should watch around 0200Z.

T88FF - PALAU - DXers all across Europe were working this one on 7093 after 1330Z. QSL via JL1HSD.

V8FZA - BRUNEI - Burk had a good opening to most of Europe on 18142 between 10 and 12Z. QSL via DL3KZA.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EA8TL	14228	1223	NA-030	6E4LM	14204	0027
AF-004	EA8WT	14070	1749	SA-006	PJ4/PA3CNX	14195	1942
AF-016	FR5ZL	7008	0158				

Look for F8HJV, Christian, to be active from Levant Island (EU-070) now through December 22nd. He'll be mostly on SSB. QSL via his CBA.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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6-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R (OC-060)		11-229	223 194
6-Dec	9-Dec	3V	3V8SS			11-211
6-Dec	7-Dec	5R	5R8NL	PA7FM		11-227
6-Dec	10-Dec	9X	by K4YT	K4YT		11-232
6-Dec	7-Dec	A6	A61AD	N1DG	11-230	227
6-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/GOMKT	NM7H	11-209	154
6-Dec	6-Dec	A9	by N1DG			11-227
6-Dec	10-Dec	C5	C56JJ	PA4JJ	11-227	174
6-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
6-Dec	8-Dec	CT3	CT9EPC	CT3EE		11-232
6-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home calls		11-199
6-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM7IET	F4DQG		11-230
6-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM8T			11-227
6-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
6-Dec	31-Dec	HS	HS80A	HS1CHB		11-233
6-Dec		KC4	OJ1ABOA			11-232
6-Dec	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI		11-218
6-Dec	31-Dec	OH	OH9SCL	OH9UV		11-222
6-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	170
6-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	169
6-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG		11-222
6-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX		11-232
6-Dec	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA			11-222
6-Dec	11-Dec	VP5	VP5/K00K (NA-002)			11-194
6-Dec	11-Dec	VP5	VP5/KB7UB (NA-002)			11-194
6-Dec	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
6-Dec	8-Dec	VP9	VP9/VE3ZF (NA-005)	VE3ZF		11-232
6-Dec	15-Dec	XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)	XE2K	11-226	219 205
6-Dec	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-226	219 205
6-Dec	15-Dec	XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-226	219 205
6-Dec	31-Dec	XT	XT2WC	F1IQH	11-232	214
6-Dec	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ			11-184

6-Dec	12-Dec	XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
6-Dec	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
6-Dec	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
6-Dec	15-Dec	YB	YB1AQB	DJ3KR	11-199
6-Dec	15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222

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The sunspot number for December 4, 2007 was 13.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5R8NL	PA7FM	F/TU5KG	F4EFI	UE3DWP	RD3FI
8P9AG	DL9USA	HS80A	HS1CHB	UE6MAC/2	RZ6MF
9A73AA	9A2AA	II8IPY	I8ACB	UN7QX	W7BO
AO1OS	EA1OS	OA4/DL1NL	DL1NL	ZY5100SCOUT	PY5CA

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, A41MX, A52AM, C91KDJ, HC8N, JW/G3TXF, OH8L, OX3XR, P29NI, P29VLR, TI7/DL2AWG, YN2N, YW5AS, ZL7/SP5EAQ

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: SU9US

Update On Mother-In-Law

I've had several people ask how my mother-in-law is doing. Again I want to thank everyone for their kind thoughts and prayers. She came home from the hospital last week and is now doing much better. It looks like she is going to have a full recovery. Again thanks all!

On The WWW

K5KG, George, has posted photos of the recent E51A, E51MMM and E51NNN operation at <http://picasaweb.google.com/bizacord/E51RAROTONGA>.

Correction

In yesterday's issue RZ0AF was listed as a QSL received. Actually it was for an LOTW confirmation.

Credits

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DX News

DJ6SI, Baldur Drobnica, tells your editor that he and DJ9ZB, Franz Langner are now in the Republic of the Congo (TN). This is a separate DXCC country not to be confused with 9Q - Democratic Republic of Congo, although they are neighbors. Baldur fired up yesterday on 20 meters CW (14025) yesterday just after 1600Z. He stayed there for about three hours before presumably heading to bed. Franz will be operating probably as TN0Z (although Baldur did say TN9Z), the same call he used back in 2004. The two will be QRV until December 13th. Baldur will do the CW and Franz will do SSB. No mention of what bands will be used and there was no mention of any digital modes. QSL via their home calls direct only with 3 US \$ or 1 IRC.

The Solar Flux is up to a whopping 78. It hasn't been this high since July 15th! Spaceweather.com reports "A new sunspot (978) is emerging over the sun's eastern limb and it could be a big one, at least by the standards of solar minimum". You can see it at <http://nsosp.nso.edu/VIDEOIMG/ospan/latestc.mpg>. This new spot is located at 6 degrees south and it looks like there are at least five different spots. This could make this weekend's ARRL 10 Meter Contest very interesting!

The rumors of A52AM not counting for DXCC are true. DXCC Manager NC1L, Bill Moore, confirmed this yesterday stating "Unauthorized Operation".

A51AA, Yeshey Dorji, reports that A52VE (JA8VE), Kunio, has gone back home to Japan. However both A52K, Katsumi, and A52EGV, Takuma, are still both QRV.

The ARRL DX Bulletin says W0XG, Eric, is now QRV as V4/W0XG from St. Kitts Island until December 10th. Then he will move over to Nevis Island where he will be active until December 13th. Watch for Eric on all bands in his spare time. He will participate in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest, this weekend. QSL via W0XG.

K9CT, Craig, will be joining the TI9K (www.ti9.eu.com/) team that will be operating from Cocos Island in February 2008.

W1USN, Mike; AA1M, Bob; and W1SSR, Scott, will be operating from St. Kitts (V4) starting February 28 until March 7, 2008. They will be using V4/home call on CW, SSB and PSK on 160 to 10 meters. QSL via CBA.

Clipperton 2008 *** Press Release
By K4ZLE, Jay Slough

Time is drawing close for the Clipperton 2008 DXpedition. The team has been recruited. Plans and preparations are underway. Equipment is being staged and your Clipperton 2008 team is chomping at the bit to make it a reality.

Information on the planned operation can be found at the web site: www.clipperton2008.org. Included on the web site is information on how you can support these activities, including providing financial support. As in most operations of this type, each individual has made a sizeable up front financial commitment. Also, as in most operations of this type, there are other expenses.

Our antenna plans are quite extensive and it takes a LOT of coax to feed those antennas. If you have good quality 9913 or 213 coax sitting around, we can use it. You may ship your surplus coax to us and accomplish at least two objectives:

- 1) You become part of the support team. As such, in addition to the personal satisfaction that should give you, you will be listed on the official web page.
- 2) In addition, as a contributor your donation will be tax deductible to the full extent of current tax regulations. We will provide an appropriate receipt for your contribution.

Prior to shipping to us, please contact Steve Hammer, K6SGH, at: k6sgh@clipperton2008.org. He will coordinate this effort.

The count down is underway.
The radios and operators are ready to play.
So what do you say;
Contribute your surplus coax today?

Silent Key

AB5J, Franklin J. Phillips, passed away yesterday. Frank was one of the founding members of the Oklahoma DX Association (OKDXA) and good friends, remembers N5OK Coy Day.

QSN

A61AD - UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Don was active yesterday on 20 SSB and RTTY. QSL via N1DG.

TN6X - CONGO - Baldur was on 14025 between 1600 and 1900Z. QSL via DJ6SI.

ZD7X - ST. HELENA - G3LCS, Des, was calling CQ on 20 meters Wednesday and was answered by Tom around 0930Z. Nice catch Des!

IOTA

IOTA frequencies -
CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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7-Dec	7-Dec	5R	5R8NL	PA7FM			11-227
7-Dec	10-Dec	9X	by K4YT	K4YT			11-232
7-Dec	7-Dec	A6	A61AD	N1DG		11-230	227
7-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H		11-209	154
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7-Dec	8-Dec	CT3	CT9EPC	CT3EE			11-232
7-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004	home calls			11-199
7-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)				11-235
7-Dec	22-Dec	F	F8HJV (EU-070)	F8HJV			11-235
7-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM7IET	F4DQG			11-230
7-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM8T				11-227
7-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ			11-177
7-Dec	31-Dec	G	GB60TR				11-235
7-Dec	10-Dec	GJ	GJ5XW	G5XW			11-204
7-Dec	10-Dec	GJ	MJ0JZE	M0JZE			11-204
7-Dec	10-Dec	GJ	MJ0RLJ	M0RLJ			11-204
7-Dec	15-Dec	HS	HS0ZAR	K3ZO			11-235
7-Dec	31-Dec	HS	HS80A	HS1CHB			11-233
7-Dec		KC4	OJ1ABOA				11-232
7-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	by AB2WE	J11JPJ			11-228
7-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	by N3YS	JE1SYN			11-228
7-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	by W1VX	JF1OCQ			11-228
7-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	KH0D	JF1OCQ			11-228
7-Dec	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI			11-218
7-Dec	31-Dec	LZ	LZ50DX				11-235
7-Dec	31-Dec	OH	OH9SCL	OH9UV			11-222
7-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A		11-229	170
7-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A		11-229	169
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7-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX			11-232
7-Dec	12-Jan	TR	TR8CR	F6AJA			11-230
7-Dec	14-Dec	TZ	TZ6JA				11-222
7-Dec	11-Dec	VP5	VP5/K0OK (NA-002)				11-194
7-Dec	11-Dec	VP5	VP5/KB7UB (NA-002)				11-194
7-Dec	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ			11-164
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7-Dec	15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI			11-222
8-Dec	9-Dec	6Y	6Y1V	OH3RB			11-231
8-Dec	10-Dec	CX	CW2C K2LEO/CX IK1PMR/CX	IK1PMR		11-235	194
8-Dec	9-Dec	F	TM4AFM				11-227
8-Dec	9-Dec	G	GB80GKZ	2E0NCG			11-218
8-Dec	10-Dec	JA	7L3ATQ/1 (AS-008)	7L3ATQ			11-233
8-Dec	10-Dec	JA	JJ2GAZ/1 (AS-008)	JJ2GAZ			11-233
8-Dec	10-Dec	JA	JL10VB/1 (AS-008)	JL10VB			11-233
8-Dec	10-Dec	JA	JO1LVZ/1 (AS-008)	JO1LVZ			11-233
8-Dec	15-Dec	PJ2	PJ4/W00Z	W00Z			11-232
8-Dec	9-Dec	VP5	VP5E VP5UB (NA-002)				11-194
9-Dec	9-Dec	VR2	VR2/G4XRV				11-228
9-Dec	15-Dec	YV	YW6R			11-159	129
10-Dec	12-Dec	4U	4U1ITU				11-235

10-Dec	11-Dec	EA9	EA9/F6EXV	F6EXV	11-219
10-Dec	11-Dec	EA9	EA9/KH6BK	JA1BK	11-219

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Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4U1ITU, 5B4AGC, 8R1EA, 9A5MT, A35RK, C6AKQ, C91KDJ, CU2/DL2OE, EA2RY, ED8A, EI4HQ, GI4NKB, H40MY, HC8N, HI3C, HI3T, JW/G3SXW, LZ1BJ, M6T, MI0LLL, OF8L, OH2LU, P40A, PJ2T, RZ3EM, SQ9UM, ST0RY, VP5T, VR2C, VU2NBT, XE1V, YW4D, ZF1A, ZL1BYZ, ZL2AL, ZL2BR, ZL4LW

Correction

K3ZO, Fred Laun, is currently operating as HS0ZAR (not HZ0ZAR) from Thailand until December 15, 2007.

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DX News

Six Members of the Radio Club Provincial Valparaiso (CE2AA) have been invited by the Chilean Navy to go to Juan Fernandez Island (CE0Z) this week. No mention as to which of the three islands (Robinson Crusoe, Santa Clara or Alejandro Selkirk Islands) they will be operating. The islands are located about 667 kilometers from Valparaiso, on the mainland. They are expected to sail today. Plans are to begin operations as CE0ZAA on December 10th until the 17th. Team members include CA2HID, Juan A. Bravo P; CE2WJQ, Luis Hernani Gonzalez A.; CE2FNU, Hernani Gonzalez S.; CA2WLB, Alfredo Martinez A.; CE2HAS, Delfin Fuentes Bruna; and CE2AP, Luis Soto A.; They will be on HF and VHF on SSB, CW and the digital modes, especially on 2, 20, 40 and 80 meters. On PSK they say 14070 and 21071 KHz. They will be using a Hy-Gain AV-640 vertical for 6, 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 meters.

Rumor has it that W9VNE, Jim, will again be active from the VP5JM station signing VP5/W9VNE, February 1-6. This is Providenciales, Turks and Caicos, IOTA NA-002. Jim plans to be in the FOC (club) members-only event, CW, February 2-4. QSL via W9VNE, Jim Danehy, Box 54482, Cincinnati, OH 45254 USA.

"Get to know WJ20" when you work him on the Turks & Caicos, VP5/WJ20. He will also be at the VP5JM "Hamlet" on Providenciales, a week after W9VNE leaves. Dave's dates at Jodi's place will be February 15-22, including the ARRL DX CW contest February 16-17, single op. QSL to his home call.

5K3W will be a special Colombian callsign for HK3W, Siso, in the CQ 160 SSB contest February 23-24. Siso will be single op low power using a dipole and 100 watts. QSL direct only, to his HK3W home callsign.

OPDX reports info from DL7ZZ, Andreas, on his German group's planned expedition to 5T, Mauritania, for March 16-30. The team is complete with the addition of DL2ARD, the 10 SSB op from the DA0HQ station. Full information is on <http://www.5t2008.de>. Foundations and others who donated funds early are now listed on the web site. More sponsors and donations are being sought. QSL via DH7WW, bureau or direct.

EA1FCH, Pedro, plans to return to the Azores, CU2, next summer. He operated as CU2/EA1FCH from Sao Miguel in the Eastern Island Group of the Azores - IOTA EU-003 - this last summer. He has been answering QSLs from that operation recently. He says antenna problems limited him to just 600 QSOs. QSL via EA1FCH direct or bureau.

EY8MM, Nodir in Tajikistan, will be in the CQ 160 CW contest January 26-27, single op high power assisted. QSL via K1BV. <http://www.ey8mm.com>. Nodir also plans to be in the ARRL DX CW February 16-17, single op single band 80M high power.

GB000, GB-zero-oscar-oscar, will be the special callsign for G7HIA and G8ATE December 12-26 for "Oscar Day" December 12th, celebrating the launch of Oscar 1 many years ago. The plan to operate only on analog satellites.
<http://www.turlington.supanet.com/>

HI3C will be the call for HI3CCP, Costantino, from Loma del Toro for the CQ 160 SSB contest February 23-24. He will be single op low power. QSL via ON4IQ.

PJ2/WB9Z, Jerry, will be on from Signal Point, Curacao, December 12- 25, holiday style, on all bands. QSL to his home callsign.

YE9FCCC is a special event station from Bali, Indonesia, from now until December 14, on HF and VHF. This one is to promote the United Nations Climate Change Conference being held there. Most of last week's activity was on 40 and 20 CW, with a few appearances on 17M.
QSL via YB1GJS, P.O. Box 1096, Jakarta 10010, Indonesia.

3D2AG/R, Tony, was expected to arrive on Rotuma last week but has not been heard on the air yet. "Cyclone Daman" went through that area last week. We don't think serious problems were caused on Rotuma, though there was some damage in Fiji. A35RK thinks we should not expect Tony on the air, now, much before December 15th.

A35RK, Paul, says he talked to 3D2AA and he hasn't heard anything from Tony yet, but that he had heard job commitments on the island might keep Tony busy until the 15th. Paul says, "I'm not worried about Tony - but it sure would be nice to hear something from him just to confirm that he's okay."

YL operator LA6RHA/JW6RHA, Unni, is making her 16th trip to Svalbard and plans to be on the air January 18-24. She hopes to be QRV starting Sunday evening, beaming "stateside." She will start on 14248 MHz, "or down." QSL via LA6RHA.

W7EJ makes another trip to Africa for the CQ 160 CW contest January 26- 27. He will be in Morocco with the CN2R callsign, single operator high power. QSL via W7EJ.

W7EJ will against be at CN2R March 29-30 for the CQWW WPX SSB contest, single operator single band 20M. He will do some 30, 17 and 12M before the contest and maybe some EME.

TO5A will be the Martinique callsign for F5VHJ for the CQWW WPX contest March 29-30. He will be single operator all band high power.
QSL via F5VHJ.

XT2WC, Michael, says he will be on the air until January 5. He is most often found between 08-10Z near 14220, but occasionally also operates later in the day. QSL via F1IQH.

TF3CW, Iceland, is very active on 160 CW currently. Siggi says, "I watch 160 almost daily, from around 2000-0000Z, and even deep into the night and early mornings, during the weekends." Siggi has an inverted L and is building a new one where the vertical part will be 60 percent of its length. And, he is building a K9AY loop for receive and is waiting for Array Solutions control boxes to arrive. Noting comments on the DX cluster that he can't hear, Siggi says there is sometimes one-way propagation and he hears absolutely nothing after a CQ. "I have reverted to sending 'NIL' if I hear nothing, and then start sending another CQ." He has made 300 QSOs over the last three weeks, with 41 different DXCC entities. About 30 of the QSOs have been with U.S. stations, he says. He concludes, "I hope to see you all on 160 this winter." QSL via LX1NO.

Updating the info on an upcoming expedition to Suriname, PZ, the multinational team of operators from Greece, Mexico, Finland, Spain, Argentina, Italy, Suriname and Venezuela, coordinated by the 4M5DX Group, will be on all bands and modes starting January 5. The operation will last until late January 11th. Their goal is to have three stations on the air at once, different bands and modes, with "at least 200 hours of full operation." And, they hope to be easy to contact. They also want to get their QSL cards out fast, including putting the log on LoTW. Their goal is 25,000 QSOs. They plan a DVD of the operation afterward. The operator list is: OH0XX/YV5WW, Olli; SV8CS, Spiros; YV5SSB, Alex; YV5TX, Jose; EA8CAC, Juan; XE1KK, Ramon; LU8ADX, Diego; PZ5RA, Ramon; and IT9DAA, Corrado.

The Suriname group will be equipped with a Yaesu FT-920, Kenwood TS-50 and two Icom IC-7000s, an Acom 2000A amplifier, Kenwood TL922 amplifier and three Dentron amps, a Mosley Pro-67-B beam for 40-10 on one tower, a TH-3 tribander and 6M yagi on a second tower, plus a 30- 10M log periodic and sloper for 160/80/30 - and a dipole for 80. They will be on 160-6M CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and SSTV. www.pz5yz.4m5dx.info.
QSL via IT9DAA.

VK3EW notes Australia is issuing "the world's longest special event callsign." It is VI2BMARC50. It marks the 50th anniversary of the Blue Mountains Amateur Radio Club. Look for this one January 18-28.
www.bmarc.org.

TL8DV, Dave, also known as W1DV, says his license in the Central African Republic is good for life. He plans to be there two months a year for the foreseeable future and plans to operate on 160-10M. He is thinking ahead to 2009 about getting on six meters. As we reported November 12th, his next activity will start the last week of March or first week of April and continue for eight or nine weeks, mostly CW, with some phone.

3B8/F1BCS, Jacques, plans to be on December 12-24 from Mauritius. He will be on SSB and digital, 40, 20, 15 and 10M.

VQ9JC will be on the air again starting December 12th for four months, with ND9M, Jim, operating, from Diego Garcia. The operation could be cut short, with his ship leaving port in a few weeks, if it is reassigned to a different port. Look for Jim starting, typically, after 12Z. He will be on 80-10, 85 percent CW, 10 percent SSB, and 5 percent digital. He goes QRT by 1630Z Sunday through Thursday and QRTs by 1730Z Fridays and Saturdays. He will occasionally stay in the hamshack overnight to work early morning DX but still must QRT by 0050Z.
QSL via ND9M direct or bureau.

Silent Key

SP9ERV, Tony, became a silent key November 29th after a long and difficult illness. SP9UON/DJ0MCZ, Kazik, and SP9LJD, Les, credit Tony, their father, with helping them build their contest stations in Poland and say he gave a lot of advice to many hams. Tony was mostly QRV on 6M and higher frequencies, but recently became active on 80M and 10M. Tony was QSL manager for SP9PRO, SP9LJD, SN80OR, 3Z9IARU, 9N1MM, BY1QH, EK6YL, EK8WA, EK8SK, EK8PL and EK0B. Kazik says Tony was always happy and friendly with everyone. Kazik and Les plan to carry on Tony's role themselves. Kazik summarizes, "We will miss him very much."

DXCC Applications Received Page Information
By NC1L, Bill Moore, DXCC Manager

Recently, I inadvertently noted a mailing date of September 14 in the block on this page. This was, in fact, the date DXCC was entering applications for and not the mailing date. The actual current mailing period in DXCC as noted on the page is the week of August 31 but this also includes all remaining August applications. All pending August applications should be finished in the next 1-2 weeks.

DXCC is currently entering applications received during the 3rd week of September

DXCC is currently mailing the remaining applications for August

The current backlog is estimated to be: 15 Weeks.

This reporting is fluid because applications before and after this date may be in progress for both mailing and entering. The above figures represent the average period.

Also, please remember it is currently the Christmas season and in addition to DXCC mail delays additional delays may occur in the next few weeks due to USPS overload.

QSN

9L1BTB - SIERRA LEONE - 0720Z Sunday on 7010. Zbig is part of the UN mission there. QSL to his home call, SP7BTB.

LU1ZA - SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS - Watch for this club station on 7093 on Saturdays and Sundays between 22-23Z.

S21ZDX - BANGLADESH - Stig worked Europeans on 3504 Sunday from 0030-0100Z. U.S. East Coast ops copied him S7.

TN6X - CONGO - W6 and W7 ops report working Baldur on 17M CW from 1700-1800Z. QSL via DJ6SI.

V55SRT - Namibia - 17M RTTY at 2035Z Saturday. QSL via IZ8EDJ.

V85TT - SULTANATE OF BRUNEI - On 40M, 7011, Sunday morning at 1250Z, short path from W8.

XW1B - LAOS - 40M, just one kHz up from V85TT (7012) at 1250Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AS-006	VR2ZQZ	7010	1250	EU-070	F8HJV/P	7080	1555
EU-009	MM0SJH	1850	0050	SA-009	9Y4W	14266	1840
EU-012	MM0XAU	7001	1115	SA-046	PY7XC	7010	0200
EU-034	ES0NW	10113	0955	NA-015	CO6XN	14260	1400
EU-035	RU3NHY/1	14023	0700	NA-027	VO1NM	14084	1520
EU-036	LA7WNA	7070	0035				

IH9YMC, operator Raffaele, will be on Pantelleria Island, AF-018, for the CQ 160 SSB contest February 23-24. This counts as "African Italy"

in CQ contests. Raffaele will be single operator low power. QSL direct only.

JA1DOT, Hisato, will go to Resolute Island in Nunavut Territory, Canada, December 18-27. Resolute is IOTA NA-009. Hisato was there in October 2001 where he operated as VY0/7K1WLE. He says he will focus on the low bands this time, with the callsign VY0/JA1DOT. He will have 500 watts to a vertical, operating on CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via JA1DOT.

OZ7AEI, Jakob, plans to activate for lighthouses on Vensyssel/Thy Island, EU-171, December 15. He expects to have at least one other operator, and together they may be able to have two stations on the air, on 40 and 20. He will have an updated time schedule on his web site on Friday, December 14th. That site is <http://oz7aei.qrz.dk>.

QSL via his home call, direct or bureau. He has a new address on QRZ.com.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
10-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R (OC-060)		11-229	223 194
10-Dec	12-Dec	4U	4U1ITU			11-235
10-Dec	10-Dec	9X	by K4YT	K4YT		11-232
10-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
10-Dec	10-Dec	C5	C56JJ	PA4JJ	11-227	174
10-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
10-Dec	10-Dec	CX	CW2C K2LEO/CX IK1PMR/CX	IK1PMR	11-235	194
10-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home calls		11-199
10-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)			11-235
10-Dec	11-Dec	EA9	EA9/F6EXV	F6EXV		11-219
10-Dec	11-Dec	EA9	EA9/KH6BK	JA1BK		11-219
10-Dec	22-Dec	F	F8HJV (EU-070)	F8HJV		11-235
10-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
10-Dec	31-Dec	G	GB60TR			11-235
10-Dec	10-Dec	GJ	GJ5XW	G5XW		11-204
10-Dec	10-Dec	GJ	MJ0JZE	M0JZE		11-204
10-Dec	10-Dec	GJ	MJ0RLJ	M0RLJ		11-204
10-Dec	15-Dec	HS	HS0ZAR	K3ZO		11-235
10-Dec	31-Dec	HS	HS80A	HS1CHB		11-233
10-Dec	10-Dec	JA	7L3ATQ/1 (AS-008)	7L3ATQ		11-233
10-Dec	10-Dec	JA	JJ2GAZ/1 (AS-008)	JJ2GAZ		11-233
10-Dec	10-Dec	JA	JL1OVB/1 (AS-008)	JL1OVB		11-233
10-Dec	10-Dec	JA	JO1LVZ/1 (AS-008)	JO1LVZ		11-233
10-Dec		KC4	OJ1ABOA			11-232
10-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	by AB2WE	J11JPJ		11-228
10-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	by N3YS	JE1SYN		11-228
10-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	by W1VX	JF1OCQ		11-228
10-Dec	10-Dec	KH0	KH0D	JF1OCQ		11-228
10-Dec	13-Dec	KH6	KH6/I0TWA (OC-019)	I0MWI		11-218
10-Dec	31-Dec	LZ	LZ50DX			11-235
10-Dec	31-Dec	OH	OH9SCL	OH9UV		11-222
10-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	170
10-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	169
10-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG		11-222
10-Dec	15-Dec	PJ2	PJ4/W00Z	W00Z		11-232
10-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX		11-232
10-Dec	13-Dec	TN	TN0Z	DJ9ZB		11-236
10-Dec	13-Dec	TN	TN6X	DJ6SI		11-236

10-Dec 12-Jan TR	TR8CR	F6AJA	11-230
10-Dec 14-Dec TZ	TZ6JA	JA3EMU	11-222
10-Dec 13-Dec V4	V4/W0XG	W0XG	11-236
10-Dec 11-Dec VP5	VP5/K0OK (NA-002)	K0OK	11-194
10-Dec 11-Dec VP5	VP5/KB7UB (NA-002)		11-194
10-Dec 15-Jan VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
10-Dec 15-Dec XF4	6E4LM (NA-030)	XE2K	11-235 226 219
10-Dec 15-Dec XF4	XF4YK (NA-030)	XE1YK	11-235 226 219
10-Dec 15-Dec XF4	XF4YW (NA-030)	XE2YW	11-235 226 219
10-Dec 31-Dec XT	XT2WC	F1IQH	11-232 214
10-Dec 22-Dec XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
10-Dec 12-Dec XU	XU7BUM	F6CXJ	11-213
10-Dec 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
10-Dec 1-Apr YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
10-Dec 15-Dec YB	YB1AQB	DJ3KR	11-199
10-Dec 15-May YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222
10-Dec 15-Dec YV	YW6R		11-159 129

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will range from very low to low. C-class activity is likely.

The geomagnetic field level will increase from to unsettled early tomorrow, with a slight chance of isolated active periods at high latitudes.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

Things are picking up with the sunspot number for December 8, 2007 was 36, following days of 13, 13, 13, 29 and 24.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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3B8FQ	K5XK	CT3AS	DJ8FW	SC300VL	SK6HD
4L1FP	LZ1OT	CX7CO	KA5TUF	SP80KKK	SP9PKZ
4L4WW	EA7FTR	EA8/8S8L	SM0DXT	TK5XN	F2YT
5N8NDP	IK5JAN	ES1WN	ES1AX	TM7AJ	F6KSU
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HG70LL	HA3KNA	TM7IET	F4DQG
6Y1V	OH3RB	HL3IUA	JA5AUC	TN6X	DJ6SI
8P2K	KU9C	HP3/K1YJ	W4JS	TN9Z	DJ9ZB
9Y4W	DL4MDO	HZ1ZH	EA7FTR	V5/DL5XL	DL5XL
A61AD	N1DG	IK1PMR/CX	IK1PMR	V51B	AI4U
AO1FD	EA1FD	JJ0MEF	JA1CMD	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ
AO8DA	EA8DA	K2LEO/CX	IK1PMR	W1VX/KH0	JF1OCQ
AO9IB	EA9IB	KH0/AB2WE	J11JPJ	W2W	W3HEM
BP100S	BX4AN	N3YS/KH0	JE1SYN	W8XGI/KH2	JA1XGI
C56JJ	PA4JJ	OF0Z	W0MM	XT2WC	F1IQH
CN8ZG	EA7FTR	OL40SW	OK2SW	Z29KM	EA7FTR
CO6DW	EA5KB	P40K	WM6A	Z38C	HA1RS

CO6XN N3ZOM

4L6X, Bob (aka K4RB) says his QSL manager, K4DX, has now uploaded to LoTW logs for all of the following: 4L6X through CQWW CW in November, 2007, 4S7EXG, SU9US, TZ6DX, YB0ASI and VU2NBT.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 9G5AC, C91KDJ, D44/IZ7ATN/p (AF-086), EY8MM, H40MY (OC-187), LX7I, OA6/IZ7ATN/p (SA- 098), P29VCX, P29VLR, RA0ALM and ZD9ATN (AF-029).

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: G4RCG, KL2R, KP2M and XE2GG.

On the WWW

F6FYD, Yannick, is in Haiti and now has his HH2FYD logs on-line, on the Clipperton DX Club website. <http://www.cdxc.org/dxp/2007-HH2FYD/hh2fyd-fr.htm>.

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DX News

On January 1, 2008 the official currency of The Republic of Cyprus will change from the Cyprus Pound to the Euro. In celebration of this historic event, members of the Pafos District of The Cyprus Amateur Radio Society will use the call C4EURO throughout 2008. C4EURO will be QRV on HF and VHF, on Phone, CW and Data modes. QSL via 5B4AGC.

W8FV, Pat, will be operating again as 5H9PD from Mwanza, Tanzania from December 20 to January 10. He will be mostly on CW on 10 through 40 meters as propagation dictates. Pat will be on 80 CW for some portion but only has a short inverted L. He will also be on PSK31 for a bit.

JA0VSH, Kazu, and his XYL JG0PBJ, Miyuki, will be going to Micronesia, Pohnpei Islands (OC-010) for a New Year vacation between December 28, 2007 and January 3, 2008. Kaz will operate as V63KZ and Miyuki as V63MP. Also they will use club callsign V63BBQ. Look for activity on 1.8 to 28 MHz on CW and SSB. There will be no RTTY this time, however Kazu is interested in 160 meters and will have a 500 watt amplifier. All QSLs go direct to JA0VSH, Kazuhide MARUYAMA, 1-25-49 Iruma, Chofu, Tokyo 182-0004 Japan.

OH2FFP, Mika Kalakoski, leader of the Finnish Antarctic Research station OJ1ABOA plans to climb the 15 meter high tower and hang the 40/20 meter dipoles this Friday, if the winds allow. Mika also took a G5RV for 10-80 meters, which he will put up later. The station consists of IC-78 and IC-PW1. Weather reports from Aboa can be found at www.fimr.fi/en/etelamanner/finnarp/saadata.html. I1HYW, Gianni, has the Worldwide Antarctic Program (WAP) web site with ham radio activity at www.waponline.it. The first report of the Finnish expedition is expected to appear at <http://www.fimr.fi/en.html> by the end of this week.

TZ6JA (JA3EMU), Mac, has been in the Republic of Mali working since November 22 and will until December 14th. Between December 1st and 12th he'll be staying in a small village about 150 km east of the capital Bamako, where there is no electricity. This is good as this is a very quiet location with little if any noise. Mac will have a 1.5 KWh generator to operate a 500 watt amplifier. He will have a two element phased verticals. One set for 75 meters and another for 40 meters, as well as a seven element Log-Periodic antenna for 20, 17 and 15 meters. QSL direct only to; Makoto Obara, P.O. Box 59, Tama, Tokyo, 206-8691 JAPAN.

RW0CN, Mike, reports a new contest station has been set up at his farm, which is located about 40 miles from Khabarovsk. The farm has some 50 acres and is in a very quiet location. During the ARRL 160 Meter Contest the club call RW0CWA was used to make over 250 QSOs.

Also involved in the club station are RW0CF, Igor, and UA0CW, Vlad, who are the main antenna and amplifier designers. They too have been busy on 160 meters, where they are using a full sized vertical, which was erected just a few weeks ago. Beverages are also being used for receiving. Mike says the mail service is not safe enough to send cards direct for RW0CN so the best route is via RW0CF.

During the FOC Marathon (February 2-3, 2008) ON4RU, Mar, will be QRV from Romania and will use the call YR2I. Before and after the contest he'll use YO/ON4RU.

Members of the Barry Amateur Radio Society (GW4BRS) will be operating on a number of bands and modes from Guernsey Island (EU-114) from the April 19-26, 2008 using the special call GP4BRS. Team members include GW0ANA, Glyn Jones; MW0USK, Curtis Burke; DL9RCF, Dr. Markus Dornach; DL8RBL, Alois Windpassinger; and DJ9ZB, Franz Langner. QSL via GW0ANA or via the RSGB QSL Bureau.

Two New DXpedition Videos

The 2007 BS7H and 2006 ZL8R videos by 9V1YC, James Brooks, are now complete and available at www.dxvideos.com. The Scarborough Reef and Kermadec Island videos show the behind the scenes look into these two very successful DXpeditions. The BS7H video

(<http://www.dxvideos.com/bs7hvideo.htm>) was filmed in native 16:9 (widescreen) so its best viewed on a big flat screen or Plasma TV.

The ZL8R video (<http://www.dxvideos.com/zl8rvideo.htm>) was shot seven months after the Raoul Volcano exploded. If they are anything like James' past videos (which I am sure they are!) they will make a great Christmas gift for your favorite DXer. The videos are just \$25 (US) each and will be available for shipping on December 14th.

QSN

- 4L8A - GEORGIA - Vaho was up on 7008 around 0230Z today working US East Coast ops.
- 9V1YC - SINGAPORE - James can usually be found on 80 CW between 2145 and 2300Z looking for his last few states for 5BWAS. On 80 meters he is looking for VT, DE, MS, ID, WV, NE, ND, SD and KS. On 40 meters he needs ND and SD. QSL via W5UE.
- JE1LET - JAPAN - Masa was on 14247 Monday at 2200Z.
- OA4/N6XQ - PERU - Jack expects to be back on Topband on December 21st, 22nd and 23rd.
- S21ZDX - BANGLADESH - Several W9 DXers reported working Stig on 30 meters (10116) between 1330 and 1400Z on Sunday.
- T77C - SAN MARINO - 60 Meter ops were working Tony on 5403.5 and 5371.5 yesterday between 2200 and 2315Z. He has authorization for this band until the end of the year.
- V51AS - NAMIBIA - Those who need this one on Topband should look for Frank on 1826 on December 22nd and 23rd.

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-015	SV9CVY	14200	2342	NA-010	VE1CJB	7084	2352
EU-016	9A2Y	7058	0937	NA-030	XF4YK	14193	2336
EU-023	9H1SP	7093	2007	OC-148	YC9MDX	7093	1935
EU-023	9H4CM	14180	0739	SA-036	P43A	18129	2309
EU-036	LB9AE	14086	0956				

JA1DOT, Hisato, will go to the town of Resolute Bay located on Cornwallis Island in Nunavut Territory, Canada, December 18-27. This is CQ Zone 2 and IOTA NA-009. Hisato was there in October 2001 where he operated as VY0/7K1WLE. He says he will focus on the low bands this time, with the callsign VY0/JA1DOT. He will have 500 watts to a vertical, operating on CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via JA1DOT.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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11-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
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11-Dec	17-Dec	CE0Z	CE0ZAA (SA-005)			11-237
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11-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)			11-235
11-Dec	11-Dec	EA9	EA9/F6EXV	F6EXV		11-219
11-Dec	11-Dec	EA9	EA9/KH6BK	JA1BK		11-219
11-Dec	22-Dec	F	F8HJV (EU-070)	F8HJV		11-235
11-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
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11-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	170
11-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A	11-229	169
11-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG		11-222
11-Dec	15-Dec	PJ2	PJ4/W00Z	W00Z		11-232
11-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX		11-232
11-Dec	13-Dec	TN	TN6X	DJ6SI		11-236
11-Dec	13-Dec	TN	TN9Z	DJ9ZB		11-236
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11-Dec	11-Dec	VP5	VP5/KB7UB (NA-002)			11-194
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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will range from very low to low. The trend in Region 978 suggests a good chance for C-class activity.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will become unsettled early in the period as the recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream becomes geoeffective. Occasional active periods may occur, particularly at high latitudes. Extrapolation from STEREO Behind suggests a peak speed near 600 km/s by 1000Z today. The disturbed conditions are expected to diminish by Thursday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

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The sunspot number for December 9, 2007 was 42.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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4L8A	DJ1CW	FK8GX	W3HNC	SN0TOR	SP2PTU
9J2CA	G3SWH	FM5CD	F5VU	UE6FFF	RK6FZ
9M6XRO	M5AAV	LR2F	LU2FA	YE9FCCC	YB1GJS
EM10KDR	RU6UR	LY10KDR	LY3W	YI9QX	SP8WQX
ER10KDR	ER3GS	R10KDR	RU6UR	ZW5B	K3IRV
ET3JA	OK3AA				

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Beginning immediately please send all QSL requests to W3HNC for the following calls: KE9KD, N0VD, VP5/N0VD, VP5D, J3/N0VD, PJ2/N0VD and PJ4/N0VD. If you have sent a bureau card for any of the above calls, it will be forwarded to Joe and you should have a reply back to your bureau soon.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 9K2HN, E51NOU, FW0MO (OC-054), JW/G3SXW, RV9FQ, OJ0B, S79SG, V73NS, VP2MRT, VP5/W5SJ, VP8/LZ1UQ, ZB2X, ZD7X

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: T30R

On The WWW

2007 URE Congreso was held this past weekend and G3TXF has posted some photos at <http://www.g3txf.com/dxtrip/URE-EA7-07/URE-Dec-07.html>.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 5B4AHJ, DJ2YA, EU7SA, G3TXF, JA1DOT, JA1ELY, JA1HGY, K9TRV, KI4AAN, MW0USK, N0VD, N4CJ, N9UM, OH2BR, RW0CN, WOMHK, W1AW, W8FV, W8GEX, WA5UA, WD4ELG, WK3N

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DX News

Solarcycle24.com reports "The tiny area that has rotated onto the eastern limb does appear to be a Cycle 24 spot. In the first images it did seem to have a tiny spot associated with it. The most recent image "as of this post" appears to be a plage area. In the new magnetogram it does however have the proper magnetic signature to classify it as Cycle 24". Check out the new spot at <http://www.solarcycle24.com/pictures/spots3.jpg>.

3D2AG/R, Tony, did arrive safely on Rotuma Island, as well as all of his supplies. He has been busy working on his biodiversity study and plans to be QRV by December 15th. By then his work assignment should be complete and he will have some free time to be QRV from this separate DXCC Entity.

QSN

4U1ITU - ITU GENEVA - The club station was active today on 7003 around 0800Z working US stations only.

S21ZDX - BANGLADESH - West Coast ops found Stig on 7003, listening up, between 1600 and 1700Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8TL	3790	2354	EU-015	SV0XAI/9	21015	1116
AF-004	EA8YB	21205	1815	EU-015	SV9CVY	18138	1514
AS-003	4S7NE	7072	0148	NA-010	VE1CJB	7084	0006
AS-004	5B4AHY	7061	1919	NA-030	XF4YW	21295	1739
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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.
There is a fair chance for an isolated C-class event sometime between now and Friday.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Today the geomagnetic field will be predominantly unsettled with a chance for an isolated active period. Conditions should be predominantly quiet Thursday and Friday.

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The sunspot number for December 10, 2007 was 43.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
9V1YC	N5ID	HK4OBA	EA5KB	T88RA	JH1RMH
A92GT	EA7FTR	LY10KDR	LY3W	V44KJ	WB2TSL
CN8IG	EA7FTR	LZ40VP	LZ2VP	YS1/HB9KNA	HB9KNA
ET3JA	OK3AA	SJ30LW	SK5LW		

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C (AF-015), 8J0N, A22/JA2ATV, E51NOU, HC2SL, HQ9R (NA-057), JA8AHA, KH7XS (OC- 019), OK1AVY, P29NI, RK1B/p (EU-133), RU6DX/p, SK6M/p (EU-043), T88DJ, V85SS, VK1ANU/5 (OC-139), XW1A, ZS3/G3LZQ

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: EF8M, GJ2A, GU3HFN, H40HL, HC1MD/HD7, JA7COI, LZ1250, OM2VL, OX/SM0LQB, VE2TH

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3X5A, 5B4MF, 8R1EA, 9K2HN, 9K2MU, A35RK, BX5AA, CE3BFZ, CJ2JQI, CT1BXX, CT1EEN, CT3NT, FS/AH8DX, HI3TEJ, JA7DOT, KH8SI, OK1DCF, PJ7/WW7DX, T30R (1999), T33RD, VE1OP (NA-010), VP5/K7WA, VP8NO, XT2C, YV4DYJ

On The WWW

EA3GHZ, Juan Carlos, notes there are photos of the recent Congreso URE meeting from this past weekend at <http://www.dxfun.com/modules.php?name=News&file=article&sid=1899>.

Correction

W5UE is no longer the QSL manager for 9V1YC. The correct QSL manager is N5ID.

Credits

Many thanks to the following for the above DX information: 3D2AA, 9K2HN, 9V1YC, A35RK, DE1DXX, EA3GHZ, JA1HGY, K9RR, KZ2I, N4II, Solarcycle24.com, W4ABW, W6ENZ, W6IGK, W7KNT, WD4ELG, WK3N

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DX News

HA3AUI, Peter, is heading back to Africa next year. Look for him to be QRV from January 1st to April 15th from both Senegal as 6W2SC and Guinea-Bissau as J5UAP. He'll be QRV on 6 through 160 meters, mostly on the digital modes from Senegal and on 10 through 30 meters from Guinea-Bissau. He'll be on his spare time. QSL via HA3AUI either direct, via the bureau or LOTW.

W6IZT, Gregg, will be operating as PJ7/W6IZT on St Maarten from January 6th through 13th. Look for him on 7 to 28 MHz on CW and SSB. QSL via AI4U.

AC8W, K8DD, KB8TXZ and W5JAY will be operating from Suriname from February 13-18 including the ARRL CW DX Contest. They'll be operating from the QTH of PZ5RA, Ramon. During the CW test they will be doing a M/S effort. Look for activity on all bands from 1.8 to 28 MHz. They have applied for callsigns. QSL info is to be decided at a later time.

Silent Key

K2JF (ex W3IFT, W2QZF), John M. Fisher, became a Silent Key on Tuesday afternoon. He was a member of the Gloucester County Amateur Radio Club. John was 87 years old.

QSN

3DA0TM - SWAZILAND - Andy has a good signal into the Central and Eastern parts of NA on 14205 at 2000Z.

5R8GZ - MADAGASCAR - East Coast ops found Albert on 14005 yesterday around 1930Z.

C91R - MOZAMBIQUE - Rod was working US West Coast ops on 14192 around 20Z.

LU1ZA - SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS - Watch for Raul on 7093 around 0115Z this weekend.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

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AF-004	EA8YB	24970	1706	NA-001	C6ALP	3790	0159
AF-016	FR5ZL	7008	0207	NA-030	6E4LM	14198	0056
AF-049	3B8/F1BCS	14130	1451	NA-030	XF4YK	14201	2208
EU-009	MM0EAX	14226	1233	NA-030	XF4YW	3780	0423
EU-016	9A2Y	14270	1523	OC-009	T88PR	10107	2245
EU-025	IW9FRB	14209	1607	SA-090	YW6YL	7050	1721
EU-038	PE1DTU	14158	1551				

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13-Dec 15-Dec YV YW6R 11-159 129
13-Dec 16-Dec YV YW6YL (SA-090) IT9DAA 11-194

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be very low to low.
Region 978 remains capable of producing an isolated C-class event.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field will be predominately quiet for today through Saturday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for December 11, 2007 was 44.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5X1AB	K6EID	9M2TO	JA0DMV	T88PR	JJ8DEN
7Z1UG	DG1XG	FO5RH	F2HE	YW6YL	IT9DAA
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	HK7/VK6DXI	VK6DXI	ZD9HV	PIRATE
9M2GCN	JH3GCN	PJ4/WO0Z	WO0Z		

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

G3SXW, Roger Western, says the 3X5A logs have been uploaded to LotW.
This only includes the before and after CQWW CW logs. The contest logs are expected to be uploaded in a few days.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B8CF, 5X1NH, CN2R, EK8SK, GM4YXI, N8S, OJ0B, TI/DL2AWG

QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3X5A, J79T (1989), JA3YBK, KP2M, PJ2/K8ND, PJ2T, T32RD, T33RD, YW4D, ZF2BO, ZP6CW,

On The WWW

NASA's THEMIS spacecraft make new discoveries about explosive auroras at
http://science.nasa.gov/headlines/y2007/11dec_themis.htm?list852022.

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Edited today by Rich Boyd, KE3Q

DX News

W3UR mentioned family issues, in not putting out an issue of The Daily DX on Friday. Ten days ago, his wife Becky, N3OSH, broke at least three bones in an ankle when she fell stepping over a "baby gate" they use to keep their dog confined to the kitchen. Becky, a neonatal nurse herself, had surgery to put in a plate and screws and the early recovery period, as well as the injury itself, have been very painful. Doctors say she should stay off her foot for 6-8 weeks.

ZS6P, Tjerk, updates everyone on the current ZS op on Bouvet Island at http://www.sarl.org.za/forum/topic.asp?TOPIC_ID=1900.

3D2AG/R, Rotuma, operator Tony, plans to put up his SpiderBeam today for HF and 6M, trying to get on the air ASAP. According to word passed to A35RK, Paul, he needs to allow the solar panel a bit more time to fully charge his battery, which is why he was only on the air briefly, long enough to QSO Paul and a few others nearby in the Pacific, yesterday. Tony was on 20M at 0535Z. First in his log was E51JD, Jim, in the South Cooks. And Tony set up a 40M sked with 3D2AA, to give daily reports from Aisea. Tony got his 20/40 dipole up on Saturday afternoon and reports all is well on Rotuma. There were some delays in unloading the boat because of the cyclone that had come through, but he does have all his gear ashore in good order.

T93Y, Boris Knezovic, reports from Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, that new E7 callsigns with a one letter suffix will not be issued until January first, 2009. Representatives from the ITU and IARU are planning to go to Sarajevo for the inauguration of the E7 prefix sometime before then, but with no official date set for that, yet. Boris reports everything is still very unofficial. Boris, a crack operator, tower climber and computer man, has a nice web site at <http://www.t93y.com>.

>From December 20 until January 6 the Netherlands will have eight special event Christmas callsigns. All of them are valid for the "Christmas 2007 award," with info on www.pg7v.net/xmas2007. QSL each via the operator's regular callsign. They are:

Callsign	Operator/QSL manager:
PA07XMAS	PG7V
PC07XMAS	PA3AM
PD07SANTA	PD0AT
PD07XMAS	PD2J
PD08HNY	PD0EMR
PF07XMAS	PA1WLB
PG07XMAS	PA7JWC
PH07XMAS	PA4CHE

LA4LN, Tom, reports he is QRV on 60 meters from the LA1V club station in Norway. In fact, he says, he has been QRV on 60 for almost two years now. Operating permission has recently been extended through 2012. The Norwegian amateur society, NRRL, applied for the permission to extend to all Norwegian hams, not just club stations, but that request was denied. Details of Norway's 60M authority is on <http://folk.uio.no/tomvs/la4ln/5mnorway.rtf>. There is also an article, written by LA4LN, on 60M propagation. The text is in Norwegian but, says Tom, "the ECOF-MUF diagrams should be universal."

G7COD, Andrew, is making his fourth trip to the Maldives. He will operate as 8Q7AK from January 21-February 2. He will be on SSB most of the time but is expected to do a small amount of CW. He plans to be on every day from 09-11Z, 14-16Z and 18-1830Z. Look for him on 7093, 10123, 14147, 18133, 21253 and 24953, plus or minus 10 kHz to find a clear frequency, he says. He also says he is completely up to date on answering direct or eQSLs. If you don't get yours soon, QSL again. You can expect bureau cards to take longer. Tom says that's a slow process. QSL 8Q7AK via G7COD direct or bureau.

LZ130LO, Bulgaria, will mark the 130th anniversary of the Russian liberation of Bulgaria from the Ottoman Empire. The Balkan Contest Club, LZ1KZA, aka LZ5A, will use the special callsign from January 1- March 31. There will be an award for Europeans working LZ130LO five times on different bands or modes - for non-Europeans it takes three QSOs. The same for SWLs. Mail 5 Euros or 10 IRCs to the Balkan Contest Club LZ1KZA, P.O. Box 36, 4300 Karlovo, Bulgaria. No charge for the award for hams from Russia or other countries whose soldiers took part. These include Armenia, Belarus, Bulgaria, Estonia, Finland, Georgia, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Montenegro, Romania, Serbia and Ukraine.

IZ5JNQ, Simone, will be on from the Dominican Republic January 8-26, SSB and digital, 20, 15 and 10M. No callsign is reported yet. QSL to his home callsign.

II4TRI will be a special Italian callsign for the 211th anniversary of the first Italian tricolor flag. This one will be January 5-20. QSL via IK4SWX direct or bureau.

LU1ZA, op Raul, is now active from the South Orkneys. He is at the Orcadas base on Laurie Island, AN-008. He is often on the Antarctic DX Net from 23-02Z on or near 7093 kHz. QSL via LU4DXU.

OPDX has two items for us today. EI100SI will be on from Ireland for all of 2008 for the 100th anniversary of the Boy Scouts in Ireland. The QSL route will be posted on QRZ.com.

And from OPDX, TN/9Q1TB/p, Phil, was on from the Republic of Congo last weekend on 20 and 17 SSB. KP4BJD, Gabe, was told in QSO that Phil was running 30 watts to a "low profile antenna" from his QTH in Impfondo on the bank of the Ubangi River. He expects to return to Kinshasa tomorrow. QSL via SM5DJZ.

The 3B7C video is now available. G3XTT, Don Field, describes it as "A colourful and comprehensive account of life on Ile du Sud, Saint Brandon, during the 3B7C Dxpdition." The group made 137,500 QSOS "with no sunspots," adds G3NUG. The cost of the DVD is 12.5 pounds, or \$25 U.S., or 20 Euros or 3,000 yen, which includes postage and packaging. Also included at no extra cost is the 3B9C Rodrigues video. Each runs about 45 minutes. You can order by clicking on "Order the Video" on the 3b7c.com web site, which gives all the ordering details.

The Central Arizona DX Association has elected officers for 2008. They are:

President: Mike KW7V

VP - Jim KF7E
Secretary - Ingrid W7ISG
Treasurer - Bob K7BHM
Member-at-Large - Patrick WD9EWK
Member-at-Large - Paul W8AEF
Past President - Gary K8BN

For more information on the CADXA check out their Web site at
<http://www.cadxa.org/>.

The Western Washington DX Club, WWDXC, met Tuesday night and elected the following 2008 officers

President - Adam K7EDX
Vice President - Brian N9ADG
Secretary - Alan N7BF
Treasurer - Marina N7LSL
Director - Joe W7QN
Director - Elsie N7YX

The WWDXC has a Website at <http://www.eskimo.com/%7Eoolon/wwdxc/>

End of DXCC Year Reminder
By NC1L, Bill Moore

This is a reminder that in order to receive the free edition of the 2007 DXCC Yearbook you must have a submission dated within the 2007 calendar year. If you do not make a submission but you are current on the DXCC Honor Roll (current entity count of 328 or higher) you automatically qualify.

If you have made a submission in the past weeks and you do not see it listed yet, as long as your application is postmarked on or by December 31, 2007, your application will be credited for your 2007 submission. If you plan a 2008 submission it is a good idea to wait until January to mail it.

We here at DXCC would like to take this time to wish you and your families a Happy, Healthy, Safe and Enjoyable holiday season and all the best for 2008! And, oh yes, good DX too!

Silent Key

ZL4AW, Bill, reportedly died December 13th. We do not have further information at this time.

QSN

CE0ZAA - JUAN FERNANDEZ - Active over the weekend, making QSOs at a slow rate in Spanish only. 14230 and 7075 SSB. QSL via CE2AA.

E4/OM2DX - PALESTINE - 15 CW and 20 SSB (14195) between 12-14Z. QSL via OM3JW.

ET3JA - ETHIOPIA - Look on 17M between 13-15Z, working Europe. QSL via OK3AA.

YA/KI4WDW - AFGHANISTAN - Denny has been reported active again.

He's been turning up every week or two on 20M SSB,
between 14200-14245.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-004	EB8BRZ	14205	1115	EU-052	SV8RX	10142	1710
AS-020	BX5AA	14266	2235	EU-144	IR8DX	7015	2155
AS-039	UA0ZAL	14017	0125	OC-066	FO5RH	7002	0740
EU-009	MM0EAX	14225	1225	OC-142	VK2IAY/4	14260	0910
EU-031	IC8OZM	3506	2145	OC-148	YC9MDX	21260	0555

VE2IDX will be on Orleans Island, NA-128, December 28-29 for the RAC Canada Winter Contest. This will be operator VE3ZF, Igor. He will sign VE3ZF/2 before and after the operating event. He will start his operating on or near 14260 in the daytime and 3795 or 7260 at night.
QSL to his home callsign.

VK2PN, Patrick, plans to be active from Lady Musgrave (OC-142) from December 17th to 21st. The main purpose of this trip is scuba diving but he will be QRV in his spare time running battery and solar power.
He'll be running low power on CW. QSL via his home call either via the bureau or direct to VK2PN, Patrick Novak, 11/39 Manly NSW 2095, AUSTRALIA.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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17-Dec	24-Dec	3B8	3B8/F1BCS (AF-049)			11-237
17-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R (OC-060)		11-239	229 223
17-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H		11-209 154
17-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
17-Dec	17-Dec	CE0Z	CE0ZAA (SA-005)			11-237
17-Dec	22-Dec	E4	E4/OM2DX	OM3JW		11-224
17-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home calls		11-199
17-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)			11-235
17-Dec	22-Dec	F	F8HJV (EU-070)	F8HJV		11-235
17-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
17-Dec	26-Dec	G	GB000			11-237
17-Dec	31-Dec	G	GB60TR			11-235
17-Dec	31-Dec	HS	HS80A	HS1CHB		11-233
17-Dec	27-Dec	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JD1BMM		11-230 228
17-Dec	14-Feb	KC4	OJ1ABOA			11-238 232
17-Dec	31-Dec	LZ	LZ50DX			11-235
17-Dec	31-Dec	OH	OH9SCL	OH9UV		11-222
17-Dec	31-Dec	P4	P40CG (SA-036)	W2CG		11-199
17-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40K (SA-036)	WM6A		11-229 170
17-Dec	18-Dec	P4	P40TA (SA-036)	WM6A		11-229 169
17-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG		11-222
17-Dec	25-Dec	PJ2	PJ2/WB9Z (SA-006)			11-237 213
17-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX		11-232
17-Dec	22-Dec	T8	T88GS (OC-009)	JE1PGD		11-223 222

17-Dec 22-Dec T8	T88LY (OC-009)	JJ2VLY	11-223 222
17-Dec 22-Dec T8	T88YU (OC-009)	JQ2GYU	11-223 222
17-Dec 12-Jan TR	TR8CR	F6AJA	11-230
17-Dec 22-Dec VK	VK2IAY/4 (OC-142)	G0UIH	11-164 149
17-Dec 15-Jan VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-164
17-Dec	VQ9	VQ9JC	ND9M 11-237
17-Dec 5-Jan XT	XT2WC	F1IQH	11-237 232 214
17-Dec 22-Dec XU	XU7ACQ		11-184
17-Dec 31-Mar YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-173
17-Dec 1-Apr YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-210
17-Dec 15-May YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-222

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Upcoming contest rules & dates
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Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low. There is a slight chance for a C- class flare.

The geomagnetic field will be unsettled to active by this afternoon with a recurrent coronal hole high speed stream coming into play. Isolated minor storms at mid-latitudes and isolated major storms at high latitudes are possible. Conditions will remain unsettled with isolated active periods tomorrow, diminishing to unsettled on Wednesday.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for December 16, 2007 was 28.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5P0MF	DH1LAO	FK8DD	LZ1JZ	R1ANR	RZ3BJ
A7/M0FZQ	NM7H	HS0ZBS	HB9AMZ	S05A	EA1BT
A92BND	A92GR	II1C	I1OJE	T88PR	JJ8DEN
AI4VU/HI3	JT1CO	II8IPY	I8ACB	TN/9Q1TB/P	SM5DJZ
CE0ZAA	CE2AA	IP2IPY	I2AZ	TR8CA	F6CBC
CO2CI	WD4OIN	LY10KDR	LY3W	UN3M	EA7FTR
CO6DW	EA5KB	OA4/N6XQ	N6XQ	V44KJ	WB2TSL
CS5NRA	EA4URE	OX3XR	OZ3PZ	VE4MM/6Y5	VE4MM
CV5K	CX2ABC	PA25HSG	PA4PS	VK2IAY/4	G0UIH
E4/OM2DX	OM3JW	R10KDR	RU6UR	VP2V/NP3A	NP3A
EA8/SM6CLU	SM6CLU	R1AND	RU1ZC	VQ9JC	ND9M
ET3JA	OK3AA				

G3OAG, Steve, was looking at the QSL details for YI9MI on QRZ.COM and noticed his note about a station pirating his call on CW. Says Steve, "I worked the pirate!!! Tell everyone to check that they are in the online log, which seems to be updated regularly, before sending a QSL. Look at the link from QRZ.COM to the log."

KA2AEV, Mike, says he has just gotten his hand out of a cast and will starting working on QSLs. He says, "sorry for the delay and thanks for being so patient. Now if I just could move it right!" We hope you have a quick recovery, Mike.

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QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C (AF-015), 3B8FQ, 8Q7GS, C91KDJ, D88S, F5KAQ/P (EU-156), HK0/N0AT, HL8KSJ, HQ2A, J43J, K3B, KH6ZM, NH6O, OD5/F5PTM, P40W, T32RD, TA3J/0 (EU-115), TM6X, VP9/W6PH and Z36A.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 8Q7GS, JH7XGN, JT1CO, OJ0B and ZL3RG.

On The WWW

Has Cycle 24 begun? Read what NASA says at http://science.nasa.gov/headlines/y2007/14dec_excitement.htm.

Complete logs for the following operations can be found at www.ik1pmr.com/logs/ - CW2C (WAE RTTY + ARRL 10m), IK1PMR/CX, K2LEO/CX, LU/IK1PMR, ZP0R (CQWW CW + TARA MELEE), ZP6/IK1PMR and ZP6/IZ1GLO.

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DX News

The Caribbean Island of Saint Barthelemy (St. Bart's) was discovered in 1493 by Christopher Columbus and was named after his brother Bartolomeo. The Island was claimed and settled by the French in 1648. Sweden purchased St. Bart's from France in 1784 and then sold it back to the French in 1878. In 1946 Guadeloupe (FG) was granted a Department of France. This included the island of St. Bart's.

Saint Martin (FS) was added to the DXCC list on July 1st (per May, 1955 QST) with an effective starting date of November 15, 1945 and afterwards. St. Barthelemy (FJ) QSOs have always counted as FS-St. Martin for DXCC, up until this point. On February 21, 2007 French authorities signed into law 2007-224 giving the island of Saint Barthelemy a new political status of "Overseas Collectivities", which was then published the following day.

On July 2, 2007 the United States State Department recommended a revision of their list "Dependencies and Areas of Special Sovereignty" list. On Friday December 14, 2007 Saint Barthelemy was added to the "Dependencies and Areas of Special Sovereignty" public list.

DXCC Political Entities criteria 1c states: "The Entity contains a permanent population, is administered by a local government, and is located at least 800 km from its parent. To satisfy the "permanent population" and "administered by a local government" criteria of this sub-section, an Entity must be listed on either (a) the U.S. Department of State's list of "Dependencies and Areas of Special Sovereignty" as having a local "Administrative Center," or (b) the United Nations list of "Non-Self-Governing Territories." St. Bart's clearly meets that criteria and should be added to the DXCC list as a new counter.

Here is the info you will want to input into your logging software.

Prefix - FJ
Country Name - Saint Barthelemy
CQ Zone - 8
Start date - Probably February 22, 2007
QSL Bureau - Yes (REF France)
UTC Offset - 4 hours behind UTC
IOTA - NA-146
ITU Zone - 11
Continent - North America
Longitude - 62.83 West
Latitude - 17.92 North

Other islands that will count for Saint Barthelemy - Chevreau, Coco, Fourchue, Fregate, La Tortue, Le Boulanger, Pain de Sucre, Pele and Toc Vers.

DXpeditioners have been monitoring the status of St. Barthelemy (FJ) for several months. Immediately after the addition of St. Bart's to the United States State Department's Dependencies and Areas of Special Sovereignty list an initial two man seasoned DXpedition team flew to the Caribbean this past weekend.

The team instantly discovered a transportation shutdown on St. Bart's as flights and ferry passage to the new counter were shut down due to local strikes. The team then hired a local private boat for transportation to Gustavia, the islands capital city.

OH2BH, Martti Laine, and OH0XX/HP1WW, Olli Rissanen, will be the first two operators of the team and are now in the process of building up two stations. Depending on conditions, operator's schedules and how things go the operation could continue even into the Christmas holidays. The team wishes to give those who Deserve another DXCC counter a most welcome Christmas present as they wish to pass their jubilant greetings far away from their family's Christmas preparations and to close another DX year the way we all like it best.

The team plans to begin activity today, Tuesday December 18th around 1200 noon local (1600Z) as FJ/OH2AM. They will have two stations, using an FT-1000MP and FT2000MP along with Fin Fet amplifier. Initial operations will begin on 20 meters SSB and 17 meters CW. The goal of this operation will be to give as many DXers as possible a new country. Additional bands may be added as the DXpedition goes forward. Concentration will be to have one station on CW and one on SSB. QSL cards for this operation should go via OH2BN.

IOTA

IOTA frequencies -

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 18128 14260 7055 3765

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18-Dec	28-Feb	3Y/B	by ZS6GCM			12/15/2008
18-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H		11-209 154
18-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
18-Dec	22-Dec	E4	E4/OM2DX	OM3JW		11-224
18-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home calls		11-199
18-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)			11-235
18-Dec	22-Dec	F	F8HJV (EU-070)	F8HJV		11-235
18-Dec		FJ	FJ/OH2AM	OH2BN		11-242
18-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU	F5CQ		11-177
18-Dec	26-Dec	G	GB000			11-237
18-Dec	31-Dec	G	GB60TR			11-235
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DX News

No doubt the FJ - St. Barthelemy (St. Bart's) announcement yesterday woke up a few DXers! Shortly afterwards it was brought to the attention of your editor that St. Bart's may not be the only new one. In fact the DXCC Desk is also looking at the possibility of FS - St. Martin (the French one, not the Dutch one). Yesterday NN1N, Dave Patton, posted a note on the DXCC Web Blog stating "We are presently reviewing the DXCC status of these two islands". Until then make sure you work FJ/OH2AM and if you hear an FS on the air it might not be a bad idea to WFWL (Work if First and Worry Later).

CQ Magazine's W2VU, Rich Moseson, made a press release yesterday stating that CQ DX Awards Manager N4UF, Billy Williams, has added FJ - St. Barthelemy "to the CQ DX Awards entity list, effective immediately, for confirmed contacts with the island made on or after February 21, 2007". Most likely this will be a multiplier in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX Contests.

Sunday December 16th was the last day of transmissions from Socorro Island (6E4LM, XF4YK and XF4YW). On Monday the team dismantled all of the stations and antennas as they departed for Clarion Island, where they are expected today around 1700Z. It is possible they will be QRV as XF4YK and XF4YW starting about 1815Z for a few hours today on 14.190 and 18.135 MHz. There may also be some satellite work activity today. They are expected to leave Clarion Island today afternoon (local time) and arrive in Manzanillo, Mexico late on the 21st or sometime on the 22nd. Logs for 6E4LM, XF4YK and XF4YW will be online on the website a few days after arriving back to the mainland. Thanks XE1GRR, Tony, Pilot Station for the 6E4LM team.

MJ/F5CWU, MJ/F4EGD, MJ/F5MOO and GJ4FDM (GM4FDM) are heading to Jersey for the New Year! Those needing GJ should check mostly on the low bands, 12, 17 and 30 meters as well as RTTY. They will begin on December 28th and continue through January 6th. Plans are to have three stations for HF and one for VHF (2 meters). They have a Web site at jersey2008.f5cwu.net, which will have on-line logs. QSL via their home calls either direct or via the bureau.

On of our astute readers found the following comment on Marion Island (ZS8) on the SRAL Website at http://www.sarl.org.za/forum/topic.asp?TOPIC_ID=1900. "Petrus has also been appointed as the team leader/medic for the 2008 Marion (ZS8MI) expedition." Petrus is the new ZS6GCM ham who is currently on Bouvet Island (see below press release on Bouvet Island).

At its Annual Meeting and Christmas Party held on December 13, 2007 the Carolina DX Association (CDXA) elected its officers for 2008. They are:

President: W4VHF, Ted Goldthorpe
Vice-President: AD4IE, Paul Ponak
Secretary-Treasurer: W3ZL, Cliff Wagoner Newsletter Editor: K8YC, John Scott
Contest Manager: W3OA, Dick Williams Cluster Manager: K4MD, Joe Simpkins Cluster
Manager, North: W3GQ, Paul Sturpe
Webmaster: WB4BXW, Wayne Setzer

For more details on CDXA see their Web site at <http://www.cdxa.org>

Members of the Mississippi Valley DX and Contesting Club (MVDXCC) have elected the following officers for 2008.

President, K0JPL, Paul Haefner
Vice President, W0FF, Jim Glasscock
Secretary, W0NZG, John Adelsberger
Treasurer, K0SBH, Jim Wellinghoff
Officer in Charge of Hamfest and Special Events, W9VHL, Ken Scott

For more details on MVDXCC check out their Web site at www.mvdxcc.org.

The 18th New Zealand Scout Jamboree will take place in Christchurch between December 29, 2007 and January 5, 2008. Over 4,500 Scouts and 1,000 some Scout leaders from around the globe are expected to participate. During the event Special event station ZM6JAM is expected to be QRV on the Amateur Radio HF, VHF and UHF bands. Most of the activity will take place between 2000 and 0800Z daily, except for New Year's Eve when the station should be on from 2000 to 1200Z.

Look for ZM6JAM on 4.5 to 28 MHz mostly on SSB and the digital modes.
For further information or for those wanting to set up skeds please email: zm6jam@yahoo.co.nz. QSL via ZL3TX or via the ZL bureau.

The DXMB reports DJ6OZ, Horst, will be QRV as 9H3HW from Malta between December 23, 2007 and January 5, 2008. QSL via DJ6OZ.

3Y - Bouvet Island
Media release from official media officer and pilot station
By ZS6DXB, Rhynhardt Louw

Newly licensed operator Petrus, ZS6GCM is currently on Bouvet Island, for the following estimated dates: 13 December 2007 until 14 February 2008. He is part of a five man Norwegian led research team. Petrus is the medical officer of the team and will also be involved with the research.

The Icom IC-735 and Hustler 4-BTV vertical antenna was made available by the NCDXF, OKDXA & Bernie, ZS4TX.

Being newly licensed, Petrus ZS6GCM has limited HF experience. A brief training session and operating procedures were giving to Petrus in Cape Town by Rhynhardt Louw "Rhy", ZS6DXB, a couple of days prior to departure. Video footage and audio recordings of past DXpeditions were used to ensure that Petrus had an understanding of what he was letting himself into. Petrus displayed full understanding of the job at hand and I am more than certain the he will make a pretty good job from working pileups, Rhy said.

Rhynhardt Louw "Rhy" ZS6DXB has also been appointed as the station pilot and media officer should you require any information please feel free to contact Rhy ZS6DXB.

Application for a dedicated 3Y call is underway and will be made public as soon as the call has been approved. Landing permission was granted months ago as it

is a Norwegian research party that so happened to have a South African in their company.

Petrus will have limited time to operate as a result of the work load and availability of electrical power.

Future information to be made public:

1. Official 3Y call
2. Website address
3. Preview of QSL card for this expedition

Contact information:

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Rhynhardt Louw ZS6DXB

E-mail address: zs6dxb@kats.za.net

QSL sponsor and manager:

Emil Stoikov LZ3HI

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6000 Stara Zagora

BULGARIA

Silent Key

K6UA, Dale A. Hoppe, of Fallbrook, CA became a Silent Key yesterday around 5AM local time. He succumbed to inoperable lung cancer. Dale was a very active DXer and legendary Contester with friends all around the globe. Our condolences to his XYL Susie.

QSN

- 3D2AG/P - ROTUMA ISLAND - Watch 40 CW between 0600 and 1000Z. QSL via FK/FO5RK.
- 4S7DXG - SRI LANKA - Ivan started off yesterday on 14190 just before 1500Z and then was on 10102 prior to 1630Z. QSL via UR9IDX.
- 9K2HN - KUWAIT - Hamad had a terrific run into North America on 80 meters Monday between 0215 and 0330Z. Unfortunately he had to quiet early in order to go to work. N0IJ reported working Hamad for Zone # 200 for his 5BWAZ. Congrats Jon! Watch for Hamad on 3.5 CW around his sunrise.
- E4/OM2DX - PALESTINE - US West Coast ops found this rare one on 10103 after 1500Z. QSL via OM3JW.
- ET3JA - ETHIOPIA - Joe began yesterday on 18124 on SSB just before 1500Z. He moved over to 14192 around 1530Z, where he stayed until 1800Z. Joe will be here for a least a year and has so far been extremely busy on the air! QSL via OK3AA.
- FJ/OH2AM - SAINT BARTHELEMY - Olli and Martti were reported Tuesday on 7005 between 07 and 08Z, on 14195 from 1830 to 0000Z and 18073 to 2015 and 2330Z. Olli was doing the CW while the SSB was done by Martti. Total QSO

count for yesterday was about 1400, including some JAs.

FR5DX - REUNION ISLAND - Herik says he has no antennas up at the moment so any recent activity has been a pirate. He'll be back in France for the Christmas holiday and won't be back on the island until the end of January.

SY2TSL - GREECE - Prefix hunters were working this unique one on CW and SSB on 20, 40, 80 and 160 meters. QSL via SZ2TSL.

XU7ACQ - CAMBODIA - RTTY ops were working Mike on 20 meters around 1330 yesterday.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-049	3B8/F1BCS	14071	1443	NA-146	FJ/OH2AM	18073	2326
EU-009	MM0EAX	14260	1249	OC-066	FO5RH	7003	0705
EU-029	OZ4Z	14217	1535	OC-073	JD1BMM	21012	0531
EU-031	IC8OZM	7014	2246	OC-142	VK2IAY/4	14260	0901
EU-036	LB9AE	14080	1315				

K1VJSJ, Howie, will be QRV from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) from December 30th to January 1st.

Look for JS6RRR and JI3DST/6 to be active from Miyako-Jima (AS-079) between December 27th and January 7th. Activity is expected on 6-160 meters, except 20 meters, on SSB, CW, RTTY SSTV and FM. QSL via the bureau.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

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19-Dec	24-Dec	3B8	3B8/F1BCS (AF-049)			11-237
19-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R (OC-060)	FO5RK	11-241	239 229
19-Dec	28-Feb	3Y/B	by ZS6GCM (AN-002)			12/15/2008
19-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H		11-209 154
19-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
19-Dec	22-Dec	E4	E4/OM2DX	OM3JW		11-224
19-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home	calls	11-199
19-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)			11-235
19-Dec	22-Dec	F	F8HJV (EU-070)	F8HJV		11-235
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EC6TK	EA6UN	LZ07IPY	LZ3SM	UE9CRK	RV9CQ
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KU4BP, Ed, QSL manager for the 2007 ARRL SSB DX Contest V26H operation says all QSL requests went in the mail yesterday.

K1VSJ, Howie, says he received an email from the ARRL DXCC Desk that his cards are ready to be picked up. He took them to the DXCC Desk and left them on September 19th. Turn around time was 13 weeks.

SU8BHI's, Gab, new QSL cards are expected by the end of January 2008. You can see the new QSL design at www.qsl.net/ha3jb/news.html. QSL card requests should go direct only to HA3JB, Gabor Kutasi, P.O. Box 243, H-8601 Siofok, HUNGARY. If you do or do not receive your QSL you can email him at ha3jb@t-email.hu.

K0OK, Bob, tells us all VP5/K0OK and VP5E QSOs have been uploaded to LOTW. As of yesterday morning all received direct QSLs have been mailed.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 3B7C, 3C7Y, 5N47NDP, 7Q7BP, 7X5ST, 9G5ZZ, 9U0A, A52AM, C6APR, C6AQO, C91KDJ, E51NOU, FS5KA, OK1RF, P29VCX, P40W, RA0ALM, RV9FQ, TI5N, UA0SC, UK8OA, V26K, V31KO, VK1ANU/5 (OC-139), VP6TD, VY0/KH0PR, VY2ZM, ZD7X

QSL cards recently received via the bureau: 7Q7RS

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3X5A, 4U1ITU, C56/DL2OE, C56JJ, CQ9K, CT9M, H7DX, HK0/N0AT, HR2/N6AA, RX3AEX, RZ0AF, T30R, T32RD, T33RD, UX1UA

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DX News

3D2AG/p, Tony, who is currently QRV on Rotuma Island, now has his SpiderBeam and 40 meter dipole up. Soon he will have an 80 meter dipole up. He has been having problems with the power as the "local generator is broken, and they are waiting for repair parts", reports A35RK, Paul. While waiting for a fix Tony is using an auto battery, which is charged by a solar panel. He has been limited to 50 watts and as long as the battery holds up. 6 meter ops, probably only in the Pacific, should keep a listen for him from 22-24Z today.

Members of the Twin City DX Association (TCDXA) have elected their 2008 Officers. They are:

N0ODK - Michael Paskeuric - President
K0MD - Scott Wright - Vice President
K0JUH - Jim Junkert - Secretary/Treasurer

For more details on the TCDXA see their Web site at <http://www.tcdxa.org/>.

JA0SC, Hiro, will be QRV from Guam Island as KH2/JA0SC on January 2nd and 3rd, 2008 (local time). He will be mostly on the digital modes on 14-28 MHz using a TS-480H running 200 watts into a two element HB9CV antenna. QSL to JA0SC.

I2DMI, Frank, reminds everyone of his upcoming T88RY operation from Palau.

He'll be departing Italy on Sunday December 23 and arriving 49 hours later in Koror on Christmas. Plans are to setup the station and be QRV on RTTY probably on the 26th. During his mornings he'll be looking towards the US and during his evenings towards Europe. He's not sure the antennas for 12, 17 and 30 meters at the station are working correctly. Keep an ear on 14082. T88RY has a Web page at www.qrz.com/t88ry. He will post logs after December 28th.

ZD7X's (KC0W), Tom, long stay will be coming to a premature end in April 2008. He began activity in mid-September 2007 and plans to start over with a new contest/DXing station "from another desirable DX location". QSLs for ZD7X go via W0MM either direct or via the bureau.

4S7NE, Nelson, has a new 160 meter antenna and has been showing up daily on 1822 around 1830Z. He is running about 300 watts.

PA0HIP, Willem, is now QRV for a few months as DU7/PA0HIP in the Philippines. He's using an IC746 and running 100 watts into a 160 meter dipole. Willem's been QRV on 80 and 160 meters.

CQIR - Ireland Calling. Prize Draw Winners.

By EI2CA, Paul Martin, paul@comma.ie
P.R.O. - IRTS

In September 2007 the IRTS (Irish Radio Transmitters Society) organised "CQIR - Ireland Calling", a contest to celebrate the society's 75th anniversary - giving a change of winning a trip to Ireland, for 2 people, for each and every 75 valid QSOs logged.

There were 53 entries in the draw, representing 20 countries - all the way from GW to ZL - and the winner is Ian "Wilf" Prater M0WLF of Bristol, England. He had over 300 QSOs and qualified for 4 entries.

Wilf is a member of the Bristol Contest Club, and has previously visited EI for the IOTA Contest. He can now look forward to a week in Kinnitty Castle, County Offaly. Living in Bristol, Wilf may be closer to Ireland than any other entrant, but he says he will probably travel long path this time.

EI/GI entrants had a separate draw for a trip to New York City for two people, to include a visit to the ARRL HQ in Newington, Connecticut.

The winner is Declan Horan EI9FVB of Ballincollig, County Cork. Declan had 175 QSOs and 2 entries in the draw.

IRTS thanks all who took part in CQIR. We're only sorry we can't offer the same prizes every year.

QSN

4S7NE - SRI LANKA - Nelson was on 1822 yesterday just before 1900Z.

5X4X - UGANDA - Multiple European ops reported working Peter on 18137 between 1320 and 1445Z on Wednesday. QSL via DF5GQ.

E4/OM2DX - PALESTINE - North American ops should watch for the Slovak team on 30 meters longpath around 1400Z. They plan to be QRV on Topband all night tonight. The team plans to go QRT on Saturday at 0600Z. QSL via OM3JW.

FJ/OH2AM - SAINT BARTHELEMY - Olli and Martti continued to be very busy with the pileups Wednesday. We are still trying to confirm the activity yesterday on 40 CW between 0350 and 0500Z. Martti started up on 14194 just before 1040Z and stayed there until 2359Z. Olli was doing the CW on 18073 beginning just prior to 1130Z staying until 2220Z. He then moved to 7005 and was there for several early hours of today. There are no on-line logs. QSL via OH2BN.

JD1BMM - MINAMIT TORISHIMA - Low band ops from Japan found Masa on 160 CW just before 10Z again at 1215Z and on 80 CW at 2130Z.

XF4 - REVILLAGIGEDO - As expected 6E4LM, XF4YK and XF4YW were active on both 14190 and 18130 yesterday between 1840 and 2030Z.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
EU-013	GJ0KYZ	7005	2038	NA-107	FM5LD	14004	2216
EU-016	9A4W	3516	2115	NA-115	6E4LM	14190	1952
EU-029	5Q2J	14225	0829	NA-115	XF4YK	14190	1842
EU-029	OZ4Z	14217	0915	NA-115	XF4YW	18130	1928
EU-031	IC8OZM	7004	2250	NA-146	FJ/OH2AM	14194	1919
EU-130	IV3ZYB/P	7022	1650				

An IOTA operation is being planned by DS2G00, Han, to Saryang Island (AS-081) December 30th until January 1st. He will be using DS2G00/5 on 17 through 80 meters mainly on RTTY and PSK31. QSL via DS2G00.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260 18128 14260 7055 3765

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20-Dec	10-Jan	5H	5H9PD	W8FV		11-238
20-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
20-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
20-Dec	22-Dec	E4	E4/OM2DX	OM3JW		11-224
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20-Dec	26-Dec	G	GB000	G8ATE		11-237
20-Dec	31-Dec	G	GB60TR			11-235
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20-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PD08HNY	PD0EMR		11-241
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20-Dec	21-Dec	VK	VK2PN (OC-142)	VK2PN	11-	241
20-Dec	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ	11-	164
20-Dec		VQ9	VQ9JC	ND9M	11-	237
20-Dec	5-Jan	XT	XT2WC	F1IQH	11-237	232 214
20-Dec	22-Dec	XU	XU7ACQ	KF0RQ	11-	184
20-Dec	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW		11-	173
20-Dec	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L	11-	210
20-Dec	15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI	11-	222

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Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:
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The sunspot number for December 18, 2007 was 14.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
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5X4X	DF5GQ	A92HB	GM6TVR	T88LY	JJ2VLY
6E4LM	XE2K	LU1ZD	LU4DXU	UN7QF	EX2A
9G1YK	PA3ERA				

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends -
<http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

W8AV, Goose, wants to know if anyone has had any luck in obtaining a QSL for the FR5ZQ/G operation from 2000. He sent a card to FR5ZQ's address in France back in March and has heard nothing back as of yet.

YB0ECT, Pri, tells us there are changes of address for YB0ZZ and YE0X.

YB0ZZ

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 3X5A, 4U1ITU, AL2F, C56JJ, CT9M, EY8MM, FS/AH8DX, GJ2A, H7DX, HK0/N0AT, HQ2A, HR2/N6AA, J39BS, MD0CCE, P29SS, PJ4/W9NJY, VP5/K7LAZ, YO6BHN,

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DX News

PA4JJ, Jan, who just returned from The Gambia, say his C56JJ operation counts for DXCC per NC1L, Bill Moore. The dates for his operation were December 1-10, 2007.

Two of the three man team from Europe planning to operate from Wallis and Futuna in the late January to mid-February time frame has cancelled their plans. HA8IB and HA0DU from the FWORE group will not be going. It is unclear at this time if HA9RE, Eli, will go or not.

All potential supporters have been informed about the cancellation of the three men effort.

More on FS/FJ
By K5NX (ex K5FUV), Bill Kenamer,
Former ARRL Membership Services Manager

I've heard from many of my DX friends today, so perhaps a short technical treatise about some of the DXCC rules might be in order.

When the DXCC 2000 rules were being considered, one of the prime considerations was to move determination of what was a Political Entity from arbitrary determination of the ARRL to internationally recognized third parties, such as the UN, ITU, and (originally) IARU.

By using certain lists promulgated by these organizations, and originally selected to include as many entries as possible on the pre-1998 DXCC List, it was possible to come up with possibilities to include entities as Political. As amended, they are a) the UN Member list, b) the ITU prefix bloc assignment list, and c)(i) the U.S. Department of State's list of "Dependencies and Areas of Special Sovereignty" as having a local "Administrative Center," or (ii) the United Nations list of "Non-Self-Governing Territories."

Also, at the time, there were reasons to determine when Entities would be added to the DXCC List. These "reasons" became defined in the DXCC List Criteria as "Events". In short form, an Event is simply what happens to make an Entity eligible to be added to the DXCC List. In the case of Political Entities, the only Event that allows a new Political Entity to be placed on the DXCC List is the addition to one of the lists listed in a), b) or c) in the preceding paragraph.

Since we now know that it takes an "Event" to trigger an addition to the DXCC List, then determination must be made as to when the Event occurred. In the case of a Political Entity the only Event that can trigger the addition is to appear on one of the aforementioned lists, thus the "Event Date" is the date that the

Entity is added to one of these lists. This then becomes the "Start Date" for DXCC purposes.

It is important to remember that the DXCC rules since 1998 are in no way related to any precedents before 1998. In other words, just because something may have appeared to have been decided some way in the past does not mean there would be any application in the present or future. As the one who actually came up with many of these rules regarding addition procedures, I can say with certainty that there is absolutely no ambiguity in the procedures for adding Political Entities. These rules are meant to be followed and interpreted strictly. Thus, for Political Entities, they must be on the aforementioned lists in order to be added. If they are not, then they won't be.

Since there is now a particular case out there which seems to have caused some to be confused about how the rules work, then there is opportunity to use this situation as an example of how the DXCC List Criteria should be applied. The case is the example of French Saint Martin and Saint Barthelemy. Saint Martin was added to the DXCC List in 1955, containing the area encompassing "all French territory within the limits of 17 and 19 degrees north latitude and 62 and 64 degrees west longitude." This includes the island of Saint Barthelemy. Thus, from the addition of Saint Martin in 1955, both islands have been part of the same DXCC Entity.

The fact that Saint Martin was on the pre-1998 DXCC List becomes important when considering the current situation. In February, 2007, both Saint Martin and Saint Barthelemy changed their governmental status and became Overseas Collectives of France. This, in and of itself, made absolutely no difference in the DXCC status of either.

The only thing that could make a difference would be addition of one or the other to the lists above. In fact, both were added as of 14 December to the US State Department Dependencies. This would then become the "Event Date" for a possible addition to the DXCC List.

Some have questioned why one was added and not the other, or possibly why there was not a removal of Saint Martin and addition separately of both. A reading of 5. Removal Criteria reveals the reason for this, i.e., "An Entity may be removed from the (DXCC) List if it no longer satisfies the criteria under which it was added. However, if the Entity continues to meet one or more currently existing rules, it will remain on the List". Thus, Saint Martin was on the pre-1998 DXCC List, with no real reason given as to why it was added (but presumably separation from France), and even though its status has now changed from "grandfathered" to Political Entity, since it now still qualifies un the Political Entity Criteria, it remains on the DXCC List unchanged. This is exactly what the Removal Criteria provides for, and the purpose for this is to obviate the need to work the same geography twice without a compelling reason (and for no small reason, to lessen the workload on the DXCC Desk).

The addition of Saint Barthelemy to the US State Department Dependency list, on the other hand, did trigger an addition to the DXCC List. Again, since only the addition to the list, and not the change in status by the French government can trigger the addition, then the Event Date becomes 14 December, 2007, and the addition may be made.

Since all Political Entities are added by administrative action as of their Event Date (per DXCC List Criteria), then Saint Barthelemy will be added.

Dave Patton made exactly the correct decision on this one. Again, there is no ambiguity in the DXCC List Criteria. Everything is very cut and dried. Have fun working it.

By K3LR, Tim Duffy

I am pleased to announce that "early bird" registration for Dayton ConTest University (CTU) 2008 is now OPEN.

The CTU staff is working hard to prepare an interesting and informative curriculum for 2008. CTU will be held in Dayton, Ohio on Thursday May 15, 2008. CTU 2008 will feature some of the best Radio Contest operators and station builders ("CTU Professors). They will present state of the art contesting topics that will increase your knowledge and fun.

Thanks to Icom for their support of CTU 2008 and our contesting radio sport.

For CTU 2008 details and registration, 2007 CTU wrap up and more information, go to: <http://www.contestuniversity.com>

Please make sure that you click on the registration page and indicate if you are a returning CTU graduate "Graduate School" or this is your first time attending CTU.

Based upon the tremendous attendance at CTU 2007, I expect the CTU 2008 student registration slots will fill up fast. Space is limited.

Hope to see you at CTU 2008

Thanks to Scott, KA9FOX and QTH.com for his hosting of the Contest University Web site!

Merry Christmas and 73!
Tim K3LR - CTU Chairman

QSN

- 3D2AG/p - ROTUMA ISLAND - Tony was on 14022 working US East Coast and Midwest ops via the longpath around 1915 to 2030Z.
- A35RK - TONGA - Paul worked 25 VK's on 6 meters yesterday from 23 to 24Z. He then worked 3D2AG/p, Tony, on Rotuma today at 0234Z.
- E4/OM2DX - PALESTINE - Texas RTTY DX ops were working this rare one on 14082 Thursday around 1400Z. They were coming in via the long path and QSX up 2-4 KHz. QSL via OM3JW.
- LU1ZA - SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS - Was on the Antarctica Net on 14315 with LU4DXU late yesterday (2315Z).
- LU1ZD - ANTARCTICA - LU4DXU, Henry, was running a net on 14315 yesterday between 0000 and 0230Z with Dan, LU1ZD, operating the club station at the San Martin Base. Dan was there again yesterday from 2300 to 0000Z today.
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IOTA

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QSL cards recently received via the bureau:

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: 4U1ET, H7X, P29SS

On The WWW

The DXFC (DX Feet Club) Web site has been updated its total countries to 338 with the addition of FJ - St. Barthelemy. Check it out at www.dxfc.org.

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DX News

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all. Today's issue of The Daily DX will be the last one for 2007 as The Daily DX offices will be closed until January 1st. Now back to the DX News!

Local FJ operators had FJ5KH on from "the new one," Saint Barthelemy (aka "St. Barts") this weekend. FJ5KH is expected to continue its high level of activity through December 29th. Operating are FJ5DX, DK6ST, FJ5AB, FJ5BC and FJ1CM. Look for them on 7065, 14165 and 21265 plus or minus QRM. QSL FJ5KH via FJ5DX, Phil Delcroix, B.P. 213, F-97096 Saint Barthelemy Cedex, FRANCE.

Activity from FJ/OH2AM continued as well, so there were often three stations on the air to work from St. Barts. Sunday night, Martti, OH2BH, ran Japan on 20 SSB until the band went dead. Olli continued with a good signal to the East Coast of the U.S. on 3506.9, later listening to Europe only for some hours, and Martti apparently went to 40 CW. We expect continuous activity all day today, Monday, "Christmas Eve," with most North Americans, at least, and probably Europeans, South Americans, and Australians and New Zealanders all on holiday from work. FJ/OH2AM via OH2AM, Jarmo J. Jaakola, Kiillette 5 C 30, Helsinki FI-00710, FINLAND.

FJ5DX says W6IZT, Gregg, is joining the St. Barts ham club as a full privileges member and is looking for accommodations on the island. Gregg says he will be signing FJ5KH during the week of January 6, hoping to get on 160-10M SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via AI4U.

The W2RZS group, the RZS Amateur Radio Club, is putting some plans together to operate from St. Barts in the CQ WW SSB WPX Contest March 29-30. Tentatively going, at present, are WB2NVR, WA2VQW, N2DVQ and N2DHH. They will concentrate on 160, 30, 17 and 12 before and after the WPX event. `VQW says, "Our antennas will be the same as we have been using for our three previous J75 DXpeditions. We hope to get as many of you in our log as possible during our 7-day stay - we will look for the weak ones and the mobiles!"

W3UR notes that the DXCC list on the ARRL web site still lists the prefix for Saint Martin as FS and FJ. Bernie says, "The only prefix for Saint Martin, effective December 14, 2007, is FS. FJ is the prefix for the newest DXCC Entity, Saint Barthelemy. Check your logging software to make sure it has the correct information."

In a weekend bulletin, W3UR reported cluster spots for 3Y0E, Bouvet, on Saturday. Petrus was having trouble with both e-mail and antennas, so we don't yet know if it was really him or a pirate station. His pilot station, ZS6DXB,

Rhynhardt Louw, asks anyone hearing him to record it and send the recording to zs6dxb@kats.za.net. We are still waiting for confirmation of 3Y0E's activity, if any.

JA1PBV, Dan, is currently in the beginning of a Pacific Tour now operating from the Solomon Islands as H44V, ending today. There has been a lot of RTTY activity. Next he will be QRV from the Fiji Islands (3D2) from December 25th to 27th. Then from December 28th to January 4th he'll be on from Tuvalu (T2). He will end the excursion back in the Solomon Islands beginning January 5th. QSL all via JA1PBV.

404A reports from Montenegro that S550, Adi, expected to be QRV as 40/S550 these last two days, with activity continuing today. He will be in Montenegro until December 30, but, not sure about activity after today, he said, "Probably!"

The Utah DX Association, UDXA, has elected its club leadership for 2008. They are:

Bryce Anderson, K7UA, President
Doug Gallup, AD7BN, Vice President
Mark Richardson, W7HPW, Director (Outgoing President) Lauri "Mac" McCreary, KG7C, Secretary Dick Abbot, K7MZ, Treasurer

UDXA has a Web page at www.udxa.org/.

K4UEE reports that the Southeastern DX Club (SEDXC) is celebrating its 50th year in 2008. As part of the year-long celebration, members of the SEDXC will travel to Costa Rica for the ARRL SSB contest March 1- 2. They have already obtained the special callsign TI50DX, tango- indix-five-zero-delta-xray.

N0FW, Pete, and KE0A, Rod, plan to operate as V25FW and V26GF from the V26B station December 27-January 2. V25FW, Pete, will be in the Stew Perry contest low power. They will not have internet. Pete will concentrate on 160 and 80 when not relaxing - it's a vacation trip primarily - and V26GF, Rod, will probably operate on 40-10. QSL V25FW via W8QID and V26GF via KE0A.

V25V will again be the callsign for G0VJF, Nobby, on Antigua. He too will be operating from the V26B station at Gunthroppes, this one being March 28-30. He will be in the CQWW WPX SSB contest March 29-30, single op high power. QSL to his home callsign in England, although another report says QSL via G4DFI, so we'll have to check on this one again.

V73RY, Randy Young, says he has been on Kwajalein, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, since May, 2005. After 20,000 QSOs and 2,500 QSL cards he plans to QRT in May, 2008. Randy says he has been the only SSB, PSK31 and RTTY signal from V7 for a long time, with V73NS still very active on CW. Until he leaves, he will be posting info on his bio on QRZ.com as to his operating activities, for those still wanting to work him.

VP9/K7AR will be on from the VP9GE QTH in Bermuda January 11-15, in a non-contest get-away-from-winter trip. Al plans to be on 30, 17 and 12, RTTY, and PSK31, plus other bands when propagation dictates. He will put his logs on LOTW when he gets home. QSL via K7AR.

5Z4/JK1FNL, Nao, will be on from Kenya December 26-29 with 100 watts to dipoles or verticals, 40-15M. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

5Z4/DL7UCX, Ben, will also be on from Kenya, this one December 31- January 12. He plans to be on 160-17M, mainly CW, focusing on the lower bands. His holiday style activity will be 400 watts to an 18M- tall vertical. QSL via DL7UCX direct or bureau.

CN4MC will be the Moroccan callsign for F4ELJ, Didier, December 27- January 3 on 80-10M SSB. QSL to his home call.

Look for HF0POL to be on from the South Shetland Islands when SP3GVX, Marek's, workload allows some time on the radio. He has been there at the Polish Henryk Arctowski scientific station on King George Island since November and will be there until late in 2008. QSL via SP3WVL, and the log will be on LoTW too.

Business has taken 4J9M, Rashad, to Kazakhstan, where he has authorization to sign UN/4J9M until February 3. QSL via DL7EDH.

OPDX reports 9L1FZ, Norbert in Sierra Leone, has been on 20 SSB lately, running no more than 100 watts, dependent on his battery charge at the time. He is using a homebrew loop antenna 10 feet off the ground, surrounded by jungle vegetation, with an SGC tuner.

KP2/W6DXO, St. John, U.S. Virgin Islands, will be on March 24-28. Harry will be operating "holiday style," focusing on 20-10 SSB with a little CW. He will get on 40 if he can figure out how to rig up an antenna. QSL via KF6JOQ.

IH9YMC will be on from Pantelleria Island, "African Italy," IOTA AF- 018, for the CQ 160 SSB contest February 23-24. He will be single op low power. QSL direct only.

VE3IKV, K5AND, W3CMP and W4TAA are the ops making their plans for the CY0, Sable Island, 6M Dxpediton for June 25-July 5, 2008. They will be on SSB and CW signing CY0X and CY0RA, from FN93 and GN03 respectively. CY0X will have 800 watts to a 7-element Yagi at 40 feet. The other will have 100 watts to a 5-element beam at 30 feet.

FH/DK7LX, Mayotte, will be on June 11-23. DK7LX, Georg, will spend most of his time on CW, all bands, emphasizing 80, 40 and 30M. Georg will be another one operating holiday style using dipoles and vertical arrays.
<http://www.dk7lx.mayotte.2008.ms/>.

TA2RC, Ozer, will be on in the CQ 160M CW Contest January 26-27. Ozer will be single op low power. QSL to his home call direct or bureau.

The Secretary of the Radio Society of Sri Lanka says that 4S7DXG, Ivan, from Ukraine, does not have a valid license in Sri Lanka. He is using a Sri Lankan callsign from a previous operation and has applied for renewal which has not yet been granted by the Ministry of Defense.

In the meantime, says 4S7VK of the RSSL, "he is stealthily operating and also claiming to operate from IOTA AS-171, Barbaryn Island, which requires special clearance from the Harbour Master which he hasn't received, while operating from elsewhere in Sri Lanka, again without a valid license. No one is permitted to land without this clearance on Barbaryn. We have brought this to the notice of the Authorities."

Special Italian callsign II4TRI will be on all bands and modes from Reggio Emilia January 5-20 to mark the 211th anniversary of the first tricolor Italian flag. QSL via IK4SWX direct or bureau.

QSN

9K2HN - KUWAIT - KY7M reports 9K2HN worked "a bunch of West Coast" on longpath Saturday morning from 1345-1415Z.

H44V - SOLOMON ISLANDS - He was on 20M RTTY Sunday. Nice signal to the U.S. West Coast Sunday from 1100-1330Z on

7045.5 kHz, says W6IGK, Elmer. QSL via JA1PBV.

OA4/N6XQ - PERU - Another report from KY7M in Arizona, USA. Many stations got through to Peru on 160M Saturday Zulu time. Lee worked him at 0218Z.

ZD9BV - TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS - He was on 14225 Sunday from 0730-0800, working across Asia and Europe.

IOTA

The following IOTA stations were active yesterday.

IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT	IOTA	Call	Freq.	GMT
AF-022	ZD7X	18133	1655	EU-035	RU3HNY/1	14173	0700
AS-053	HS0ZEX	14220	1235	EU-144	IR8DX	7021	2040
AS-076	JR5XPG	14069	2355	EU-171	OZ4PAX	3726	2250
EU-003	CU1CB	14175	1025	EU-175	CU3CO	7036	2135
EU-005	G4BWP	3528	1940	NA-026	K2MFY	14260	1510
EU-009	MM0EAX	7080	0920	NA-146	FJ5KH	18133	1735
EU-012	MM0XAU	7001	0020	OC-066	FO5RH	7001	0525
EU-016	9A4W	14258	1530	OC-148	YC9MDX	7090	1830

HQ9R, Roatan Island, NA-057, will be on for the CQ 160 Meter CW Contest January 26-27, with WQ7R, Ray, operating. Ray will be single op low power. Before and after the 160M event he will be on as HR9/WQ7R. QSL both via K5WW.

F5RMY/p, Herve, will be on holiday on Porquerolles Island, EU-070, January 19-25. Look for him on 40-10M SSB and CW. QSL to his home call, direct or bureau.

The annual IOTA Honour Roll listing as of February, 2007 are now available at <http://www.g3kma.dsl.pipex.com/>. Listing was restricted to IOTA members who have updated since February, 2002.

IOTA frequencies -

CW 28040 24920 21040 18098 14040 10114 7030 3530 SSB 28560 28460 24950 21260
18128 14260 7055 3765

Calendar

Date	End	Prefix	Call	Manager	Ref	Vol-No
24-Dec	24-Dec	3B8	3B8/F1BCS (AF-049)	F1BCS		11-237
24-Dec	31-Jan	3D2/R	3D2AG/R (OC-060)	FO5RK	11-244	241 239
24-Dec	14-Feb	3Y/B	3Y0E by ZS6GCM (AN-002)	LZ3HI		11-243
24-Dec	10-Jan	5H	5H9PD	W8FV		11-238
24-Dec	5-Jan	9H	9H3HW (EU-023)	DJ6OZ		11-243
24-Dec	1-Jan	A7	A7/G0MKT	NM7H	11-209	154
24-Dec	1-Aug	C9	C91R	CT1BXT		11-203
24-Dec	28-Dec	CT3	CT9EPC	CT3EE		11-232
24-Dec	31-Jan	EA8	EA8/ON5JV EA8/ON6AK (AF-004)	home calls		11-199
24-Dec	31-Dec	EA8	EA8/SM6CLU (AF-004)			11-235
24-Dec		FJ	FJ/OH2AM (NA-146)	OH2BN		11-242
24-Dec	15-Jan	FO	FO5RU (OC-046)	F5CQ		11-177
24-Dec	26-Dec	G	GB000	G8ATE		11-237
24-Dec	31-Dec	G	GB60TR			11-235
24-Dec	31-Dec	HS	HS80A	HS1CHB		11-233
24-Dec	27-Dec	JD1/M	JD1BMM (OC-073)	JD1BMM	11-230	228

24-Dec	14-Feb	KC4	OJ1ABOA	OH2FFP	11-238	232
24-Dec	31-Dec	LZ	LZ50DX	LZ1AF		11-235
24-Dec	31-Dec	OH	OH9SCL	OH9UV		11-222
24-Dec	31-Dec	P4	P40CG (SA-036)	W2CG		11-199
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PA07XMAS	PG7V		11-241
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PC07XMAS	PA3AM		11-241
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PD07SANTA	PD0AT		11-241
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PD07XMAS	PD2J		11-241
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PD08HNY	PD0EMR		11-241
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PF07XMAS	PA1WLB		11-241
24-Dec	31-Dec	PA	PF30FRG	PI4FRG		11-222
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PG07XMAS	PA7JWC		11-241
24-Dec	6-Jan	PA	PH07XMAS	PA4CHE		11-241
24-Dec	31-Dec	PY	PP5VX (SA-027)	PP5VX		11-232
24-Dec	12-Jan	TR	TR8CR	F6AJA		11-230
24-Dec	27-Dec	VE	VY0/JA1DOT (NA-009)	JA1DOT	11-238	237
24-Dec	15-Jan	VP8/F	VP8CXV (SA-002)	GM0TQJ		11-164
24-Dec		VQ9	VQ9JC	ND9M		11-237
24-Dec	5-Jan	XT	XT2WC	F1IQH	11-237	232 214
24-Dec	31-Mar	YA	YA/KI4WDW			11-173
24-Dec	1-Apr	YA	YA/NG5L	NG5L		11-210
24-Dec	15-May	YI	YI9MI	AD7MI		11-222
24-Dec	30-Apr	ZD7	ZD7X	W0MM		11-244
24-Dec	31-Dec		The Daily DX offices closed			
26-Dec	3-Jan	CU	CU2/G7VJR	G7VJR		11-232
26-Dec	1-Jan	T8	T88RY (OC-009)	I2DMI	11-244	189 142
27-Dec	7-Jan	JA	JS6RRR JI3DST/6 (AS-079)	QSL Bureau		11-243
28-Dec	6-Jan	GJ	GJ4FDM	GM4FDM		11-243
28-Dec	6-Jan	GJ	MJ/F4EGD	F4EGD		11-243
28-Dec	6-Jan	GJ	MJ/F5CWU	F5CWU		11-243
28-Dec	6-Jan	GJ	MJ/F5MOO	F5MOO		11-243
28-Dec	30-Dec	OA	OC6I (OC-098)	DL5WM		11-225
28-Dec	3-Jan	V6	V63BBQ (OC-010)	JA0VSH		11-238
28-Dec	3-Jan	V6	V63KZ (OC-010)	JA0VSH		11-238
28-Dec	3-Jan	V6	V63MP (OC-010)	JA0VSH		11-238
28-Dec	29-Dec	VE	VE3ZF/2 (NA-128)	VE2IDX		11-241
28-Dec	5-Jan	ZL	ZM6JAM	ZL3TX	11-243	233
29-Dec	4-Jan	JD1/O	JD1BMH (AS-031)	JG7PSJ	11-226	214
29-Dec	30-Dec	ZC4	ZC4LI			11-233
30-Dec	6-Jan	EA8	by IZ2DPX	IK2DUW		11-230
30-Dec	1-Jan	HL	DS2GOO/5 (AS-081)	DS2GOO		11-244
30-Dec	1-Jan	W	K1VSJ (NA-046)	K1VSJ		11-243
1-Jan	15-Apr	6W/J5	6W2SC/J5UAP	HA3AUI		11-240
1-Jan	28-Jan	G	GB4BLC	G8GMU		11-216
1-Jan	9-Jan	HB0	HB0/DL2OBO			11-158
1-Jan	28-Feb	KC4	ZS7BYRD	ZS6WLC		11-228

The Daily DX Calendar <http://www.dailydx.com/Calendar.htm>

Upcoming contest rules & dates
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/weeklycont.php>

Today's Propagation Forecast

Solar activity will be very low.

The geomagnetic field will be quiet to unsettled today and tomorrow with isolated active periods possible at high latitudes. Quiet conditions return December 26.

Here is the latest 3-day Solar-Geophysical Forecast:

<http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/forecast.html>

Perhaps the most useful propagation page for Amateur Radio Operators can be found at <http://dx.qsl.net/propagation/>

The sunspot number for December 22, 2007 was 0 for the fourth day in a row, after two days at the 14 level.

QSL Info

Call	Manager	Call	Manager	Call	Manager
3B8/F1BCS	F1BCS	FJ5KH	FJ5DX	PA07XMAS	PG7V
3W3W	OK1DOT	H44V	JA1PBV	PA25HSG	PA4PS
3Y0E	LZ3HI	HC2SL	EA5KB	PD07XMAS	PD2J
5B8AD	W3HNK	HF60KAB	SP5KAB	PG07XMAS	PA7JWC
5H9PD	W8FV	HF80SLK	SP9PNB	S560L	S53AJK
C4N	W3HNK	HG70LL	HA3KNA	TT8FC	EA4AHK
EY8DQ	DJ1MM	OX3YY	OZ7YY	UE9CRK	RV9CQ
FJ/OH2AM	OH2BN	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	YI9MIY	KE6MIY

Effective January 1, PA2V will no longer handle cards for HZ1MD. PA2V, Peter, will, however, continue to handle the HZ1MD cards for the Farasan Islands, AS-193, operation. Those cards are expected from the printer any day now.

SM6CVX reports that all direct requests with enough postage (2 USD or 1 IRC) received up to 21st of December have been mailed for OC-153, OC- 240, OC-256, OC-284 (P29VCX and P29VLR). Cards without postage or just 1 USD will be answered via the bureau. He has sent e-mail to the ones without enough postage if the e-mail address found, explaining the postage cost problem. Hans says starting now all direct requests and bureau cards will be answered within the same week as they are received.

Several people have asked for the QSL route for the current FJ/OH2AM operation which goes via OH2BN. So here is the mailing address:

OH2BN - Jarmo J. Jaakola, Kiillette 5 C 30, Helsinki FI-00710, FINLAND

QSL cards for FJ5KH go via FJ5DX, Phil Delcroix, B.P. 213, F-97096 Saint Barthelemy Cedex, FRANCE.

Need a QSL route? Here are some great free sites for you and your friends - <http://www.dailydx.com/routes.html>.

QSL cards recently received direct and via managers: 4L8A, 4O3A, 5L2MS, 6W1SJ, 9M4SDX, 9M6XRO, C6AKQ, CO6XN, EP3HF, EX2M, FM5BH, H40MY, IE9/IQ9PA, J3A, KH0O, OX3XR, P29VLR (OC-256), P29VCX (OC-240), P29VCX (OC-284), UR0MC, V26H and VK9WWI.

Confirmations recently received via LOTW: AN6IB, BX5AA, DL2DX, EA6IB and ZS4U.

On The WWW

The logbook for the 1983 FB8ZP operation from Amsterdam Island by Michel F6DWQ is now available online on the Clipperton DX pages at www.cdxc.org/dxp/1983-FB8ZP/searchlog_fb8zp.php.

The ARRL DXCC Web Blog page has new posts from NC1L, Bill Moore, DXCC Manager, on DXCC and LogBook of The World Applications, A New Look for Two ARRL Century Club Awards, and 2007 Honor Roll Processing.

<http://www.arrl.org/blog/DXCC%20Dialog>

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CQ WW SSB DX CONTEST *

Special Edition October 26, 2007

CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest

This weekend the CQ World Wide SSB DX Contest will take place. We have included the complete rules, listing of stations that have announce activity along with QSL routes, a CQ WAZ map and a propagation forecast.

Propagation Forecast For The CQ WW SSB DX Contest 2007

There have been no sunspots for the past 18 days. The geomagnetic field is expected to be unsettled to active with an estimated A index of 20 on Saturday and 12 on Sunday. So conditions will probably be better on the second day of the contest. There is also a 20-25% chance of an active solar storm. The Solar Flux is expected to be 67 for both days. Watch for optimum conditions on 40 meters about an hour before local sunset for about a two hour period. Also watch 40 meters during European sunrise (starting about 0500-0700Z) and again about an hour before your local sunrise for another two hours. About an hour after your local sunset keep a close watch on 80 and 160 meters. During daylight hours 20 meters will be the bread and butter band. 15 meters will probably open just before or just after your local sunrise and it will most likely be very short (time wise).

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity will be at very low levels.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: Saturday and Sunday the geomagnetic field will be at unsettled to active conditions due to the coronal hole high-speed stream. Minor storm levels at middle latitudes and major storm conditions at high latitudes are possible on Saturday.

ZoneProp

Radio Sport Canada will have WAZ Zone to Zone propagation information on their site at

<http://www.radiosport.ca/zoneprop/>. VE5ZX, Sylvan Katz says "ZoneProp uses a widely accepted propagation engine to

determine the band on which a contestant in one CQ DX zone is likely to be able to contact a contestant in another CQ DX zone taking into account the current geomagnetic activity.

ZoneProp produces a 40 zone by 40 zone matrix that is updated hourly at approximately 20 minutes past the hour. The intersection between a row and column gives the band on which a contestant in the zone represented by the row is mostly likely able to contact a contestant in the zone represented by the column.

The zone numbers in the left hand column are clickable. Once clicked the information for that zone is displayed in isolation above a map of CQ DX zones. The pages are refreshed every 10 minutes in order to capture hourly updates of the matrix

For technical details see <http://www.radiosport.ca/zoneprop/manual.php>

ZoneProp is designed for high speed Internet access using IE 6/7 or a recent release of FireFox. It has not been tested in other browsers or on slow speed (e.g. dialup) Internet access".

After The Contest Is Over

Once the event is over, just after 2359Z on Sunday if you are still hearing things, even if the radio is off then you will need to go to <http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2007/10/071024115306.htm> and read this article. Remember don't read this article until the contest is over!

Don't stare too hard at the sun as there are no sunspots.

