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3D2 - After their activity from Conway Reef (see below) the operators will operate from Fiji as 3D2AD, 3D2AU and other individual calls from 1 to 6 March. [TNX YS1RR]

3D2\_con - YT1AD, YU1RL, YU1NR, YU1FW, YU7AV, YU6AO (YZ7AA), YS1RR, Z32AU and Z32ZM expect to operate from Conway Reef [425DXN 501] from 19 February until 18 local time on the 27th. The call will be announced on 18 February. They will be active on all bands and modes on the following suggested frequencies:

CW	SSB	DIGITAL	SSTV
1.825	1.835	1.835	
3.505	3.795	3.575	3.723
7.003	7.075	7.035	7.035
10.104	-	-	-
14.020	14.195	14.075	14.230
18.075	18.145	-	-
21.020	21.295	21.075	21.340
24.896	24.945	-	-
28.020	28.495	28.075	28.680
50.105	50.125	-	-

QSL via YT1AD (Hrane Milosevic, 36206 Vitanovac, Yugoslavia). Donations can be sent to YS1RR (Raymundo Rodriguez, P.O. Box 32, San Salvador, El Salvador) or to VIPSAL 682, P.O. Box 02-5364, Miami, FL 33102-5364, USA. The web pages for the DXpedition are under construction at <http://www.kragujevac.co.yu/3d2> [TNX YS1RR]

8Q - 8Q7GB is the call issued to Gil, IZ1DLV for his 3-9 January activity from the Maldives [425DXN 504]. QSL direct only to IZ1DLV (P.O.Box 7039, 16148 Genova - GE, Italy).

A2 - Barry, ZS1FJ and Gerald, ZS1GRM will operate from Botswana between 14 and 20 January. They plan to be active on 10-80 metres (and if there is demand on WARC bands as well) mostly SSB as either A24DX or A24/home call. QSL via ZS1FJ. [TNX ZS5BBO]

CE\_ssh - Oleg, UA1PBA is currently signing CE9/R1ANF from Chilean Antarctic station "Ripamonti" on Ardley Island, South Shetlands. QSL via RK1PWA. [TNX DL5EBE]

CE0\_jf - Look for Pat, CE1VLY to be active (on 10 metres only) as 3G0Z from Juan Fernandez (SA-005) during the last week of January. QSL via home call. [TNX CE6TBN]

CX - Look for CX2FR and CX8FB to be active (on 10-80 metres SSB) as CV0F from Isla San Gabriel (SA-057) on 12-14 January. QSL via CX2FR. [TNX CX8FB]

FG - Jacques, F6HMJ will be active as FG/F6HMJ from Guadeloupe on 10-24 January. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]

HR - Steve, G3OAG reports he received an e-mail from Rene, HR1RMG "in which he said he intended to go to Swan Island (NA-035) during

- February for 3 days, but didn't say when". [TNX Islands On The Web]
- I - Look for IK7JWX/7, IK7FPX/7 and IK7LMX/7 to operate from the lighthouse at Punta Torre Canne (WAIL PU-009 on 6 January). [TNX IK7JWX]
  - J2 - David, J28EX/F5THR (ex 6W1AE, T94CD, TL8CD) is active from Djibouti until January 2002. He operates on 160-10 metres and is going to have a 4-element beam for 6 metres. QSL via FB1BON. [TNX IK2IQD]
  - KH0 - Look for Haru, JA1XGI to operate as KH0/JA1XGI from Rota (OC-086) and Saipan (OC-086) on 10-12 and 13-15 January respectively. He will be active on 15, 10 and 6 metres CW, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV. QSL via JA1XGI through the bureau or direct to Haru L. Uchida, 2-30-11 Shintomi, Kawagoe, Saitama 350-0043, Japan). [TNX JA1XGI]

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- KH2 - Akira, JA8RWU will be visiting Guam on 11-16 January and hopes to operate as KH2V during the Japan International DX Low Bands Contest (12-14 January) if he can put up an antenna at the hotel. [TNX K6III]
- P4 - Alan, K4AVQ will be active on all bands as P40AV from Aruba (SA-036) on 13-21 January. QSL via K4AVQ (Alan B Caplan, 14020 140th Court, Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422, USA). [TNX The Daily DX]
- PY0\_spp - QRZ-DX reports that a group of DXers from Recife, Brazil (including team leader Jim Faria/PY7XC, PY7ZZ and PY7ZY) have obtained government permission to operate from St. Peter and St. Paul Rocks. The operators are providing their own transportation and there will be no limitations on their operating times. They plan to leave Recife on 2 February, arrive on the Rocks on the 7th and be active until around the 15th on 10-160 metres CW, SSB and maybe RTTY and 6 metres as well. Further information is expected in due course. Contributions from clubs and individuals can be sent to Bill, W9VA (w9va@aol.com), who is coordinating this operation on behalf of the Recife DX Group: Bill Smith W9VA, 1345 Linden Ave., Deerfield, IL 60015, USA.
- R1A\_ant - Wally, whose R1ANZ licence expired at the end of 2000, is now active with the Mirny Base's club station call (R1ANB). QSL via RU1ZC. [TNX DL5EBE]
- R1A\_ant - Nikolai, UA3YH is expected to operate as R1ANM from Amundsen-Scott Base (South Pole, AN-016) from 9 until 22 January. He will share the radio station with Neil, N8BPR, who operates as KC4AAA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T32 - Jarda/OK1RD, Jirka/OK1RI and Frank/OK1EK will operate as T32RD from Kiritimati (Christmas) Island (OC-024) on 11-25 February. They will be active on all HF bands CW and SSB, with an emphasis on the low and WARC bands and 10 metres. Equipment includes three transceivers, two amplifiers, and a wide range on antennas (a vertical for 160-80 metres, a 2-element delta loop for 40 metres, a GP for 30 metres and four yagis for the other bands). Two pilot stations have been appointed for Europe only: Mike, OE6MBG (low bands) and Vasek, OK1ADM (other bands). Daily logs will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/okdxf>. QSL via OK1RD. [TNX OK1RD]
- UA - Look for UE1SAA to operate from Kamenny Island (RRA 25-01, not IOTA on 5-7 January). QSL via UA1RJ. [TNX UA1RJ]
- UA - Vlad/RV3IB, Peter/UA3IJP, Dima/UA3IAB, Andy/RV3IG and Roma/UA3ITZ will operate (on 80, 40, 20 and 15 metres CW and SSB) as RK3IWT/1 from Demidiha Island (RR-22-09, not IOTA) on 6-7 January. QSL via UA3IJP (P.O.Box 5, Bezheck-4, 171984, Russia). [TNX UA3IJP]

- VK - DF9MV will be active from Tasmania (OC-006) on 10-17 February and from Flinders Island (OC-195) on 18-24 February. He will operate as either VK7/DF9MV or with a VK callsign. QSL via DF9MV. [TNX DE0MST and Islands On The Web]
- VP5 - Donald, KN4UG will operate as KN4UG/VP5 from Providenciales (NA-002) on 19-30 January. He will participate in the CQ 160 Meter Contest CW and in the NA QSO Party (SSB) as VP5AZ. QSL via KN4UG (Donald Namm, 103 Birkhaven Drive, Cary, NC 27511, USA). [TNX KN4UG]
- W - Daniel, YO3GJC will be active as W7/YO3GJC from Redmond (King County), WA starting in January. QSL via YO3GNO. [TNX YO3GJC]
- W - The Magnolia DX Association (<http://www.mdxa.org>) will be activate Dauphin Island (NA-213) on 23-25 February. Look for W4D to be aired from at least two stations (with beams, wires and amplifiers) on all bands and modes PSK31 and RTTY. QSL via W5UE (Randy Becnel, P.O. Box 170, Kiln, MS 39556-0170, USA) or through the \*\* W5 \*\* bureau. [TNX N5FG]

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17 METER DXCC AWARD ---> DXCC has announced the addition of a 17 Meter Single Band DXCC award. Applications will be accepted beginning 2 January 2001. For further information, please contact DXCC at [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) [TNX N4AA & QRZ-DX]

BUREAU CARDS FROM VK ---> Mike, VK4DX reports that the Wireless Institute of Australia, Queensland division has set new pricelist (effective 1 January 2001) for VK4 hams sending the QSL cards trough the bureau. The previous price of 2 cents per card for members has increased to 10 cents per card - a 500% increase that in Mike's opinion "will probably lead to the further decrease of QSL cards received from Australia".

QSL YB3ZMI ---> Antonio, IZ8CCW reports the cards for YB3ZMI (Madura Island, OC-237) will be ready in a couple of weeks. Requests will be processed starting on 1 February.

QSL VIA PY7ZY ---> Ciro says all of the direct requests received so far for his operations from the islands of Itamaraca (SA-046, PY7ZY/7), Itaparica (SA-023, PY7ZY/6) and Tinhare (SA-080, PY7ZY/6) have been processed. If you are still waiting for a direct card please contact Ciro at [py7zy@qsl.net](mailto:py7zy@qsl.net).

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CONTESTS: Calendars, rules etc. for all of the major events in 2001 can be found at  
<http://home.online.no/~janalme/> (by LA9HW)  
<http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/contestcal.html> (by WA7BNM)  
<http://www.sk3bg.se/contest/index.htm> (by SM3CER)

LICENCES: Do you not know how to get a visitor amateur radio licence in a foreign country? Veke, OH2MCN has collected and made available all the information you need (application forms, contact points, addresses, telephone & fax numbers and much more) at

http://www.qsl.net/oh2mcn/license.htm

QSL received via direct: 3A/OH2BH, 3A/OH4GN, 3A2K, 3B8CF, 3E1AA, 4W/OH2BF, 4W6MM, 5I3A (AF-087), 5V7VJ, 8Q7XX, 9M6ERT, 9V1YC, A35AD, A92ZE, AC4WW (NA-112), AH8A, AX9YL (OC-005), BI2J (AS-151), C91DC, CM6LE, CO7GC, D44CF, DS0DX/4 (AS-148), DU9BCD (OC-235), E29DX, EM1KY, FT5YG (AN-017), HF0POL, HL0C/4 (AS-085), HZ1AB, J75KG, JD1BCK, JW7M, KG4OK, KL7/K6ST (OC-215), KL7/W6IXP (NA-214), LA8W, N2MR (NA-111), OA4SS, OK1RZ, PJ7/K7ZUM, RA0FU, RU1A, SV1TP/3 (EU-158), T30R, T32O, T33RD, TA2DS, UA0YAY, V6T1, V73AT, V8PNA, VK3MW, VK6BM (OC-234), VK6DIR (OC-140), VP2MHX, VP6BR, VP6YL, W5BOS/C6A (NA-219), XT2OW, YC7IPZ (OC-166), YC8XNE (OC-076), YS1MAE, YW5LF (SA-059), ZD8V, ZK1AGL (OC-159), ZK1BQI (OC-013), ZK1YRE (OC-159), ZL4IR, ZL4IR/7.

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\*\*\*\*\* CALENDAR \*\*\*\*\*  
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PERIOD	CALL	REF
till March	3Y0C: Bouvet (AN-002) * by N4BQW	503
till February	4W6FK: East Timor * by CT1FKN	488
till 09/01	8Q7GB: Maldives (AS-013) * by IZ1DLV	505
till ???	9A5ID: EU-136	501
till Feb	A52GJ, A52MJ, A52VJ, A52YL: Bhutan	503
till Aug	FO0CLA: French Polynesia and Australs * by F2HE	501
till January	JW3FL: Bear Is. (EU-027) * by LA3FL	504
till 07/01	JI3DST/6: Daito Islands (AS-047)	501
till 31/12	OE75: special prefix (Austria)	504
till 31/01	P29BI: Bougainville Island (OC-135) * by VK4EMS	503
till Apr	P40MR: Aruba (SA-036) * by VE3MR	500
till March	R1ANF: South Shetlands (AN-010)	499
till 07/01	RK3IWT/1: Demidiha Island (RR-22-09)	505
till 08/01	T20CK: Tuvalu (OC-015) * by HB9BCK	501
till 2001	UA0QBA: Kotelny Island (AS-028)	477
till 07/01	UE1SAA: Kamenny Island (RRA 25-01)	505
till 28/02	VQ9PO: Diego Garcia (AF-006) * by W3PO	495
till 08/01	XW3QBR: Laos * by IN3QBR	502
till 08/01	ZX1R & ZX5T/1: SA-029 * by IV3NVN, IV3GKE, PP5TO, PY1AK	504

05/01-16/01	JA6GXX: Me-shima, Danjo Islands (AS-056)	495
06/01-07/01	IB0/IK8VRH, IK8UHA, IK8OZZ, IK8YTF: EU-045	502
06/01	IK7JWX/7, IK7FPX/7, IK7LMX/7: Lighthouse (WAIL PU-009)	505
07/01-12/01	PS5J: special event station (Brazil)	501
09/01-22/01	R1ANM: Amundsen-Scott Base (South Pole)	505
10/01-24/01	FG/F6HMJ: Guadeloupe	505
10/01-15/01	KH0/JA1XGI: Rota and Saipan (OC-086)	505
11/01-16/01	KH2V: Guam * by JA8RWU	505
12/01-27/01	8Q7RR: Maldives (AS-013) * by IZ1CRR	502
12/01-14/01	CV0F: Isla San Gabriel (SA-057)	505
13/01-28/01	D68BT & D68WL: Comoros (AF-007) * by EA3BT & EA3WL	499
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15/01-20/01	XQ8RI: Riesco Island (SA-???) * by RW3GW,UA3GVV,UA0XB	504
18/01-22/01	VK6BSI: Breaksea Island (OC-???) * by VKs	499
18/01	W1AA/CC: special event call	503
19/01-20/01	KN4UG/VP5 & VP5AZ: Providenciales (NA-002)	505
22/01-28/01	3G0Z: Juan Fernandez (SA-005)* by CE1VLY	505
26/01-28/01	TD0G: special station (Guatemala)	503
26/01-28/01	CQ 160-Meter Contest (CW)	***
27/01-10/02	FO: OC-066, Fr.Pol. * by DL1AWI,DL5XU,DL3APO,DG0OBN	503
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06/02-16/02	JA6GXX: Me-shima, Danjo Islands (AS-056)	495
07/02-15/02	PY0S: St. Peter & St. Paul Rocks * by PY7XC and others	505
08/02-28/02	D68C: Comoros Islands (AF-007)	501
10/02-17/02	VK7: Tasmania (OC-006) * by DF9MV	505
11/02-28/02	FO: OC-027, Marquesas * by DL1AWI and DL5XU	503
11/02-25/02	T32RD: Christmas Isl. (OC-024) * by OK1RD,OK1RI,OK1EK	505
18/02-24/01	VK7: Flinders Island (OC-195) * by DF9MV	505
19/02-27/02	3D2: Conway Reef * by YT1AD and others	505
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February	CE0XT: San Ambrosio (SA-013) * by CE6TBN and others	495
February	HR: Swan Islands (NA-035) * by HR1RMG	505
February	JW3FL: Hopen Is. (EU-063) * by LA3FL	504
01/03/06/03	3D2: Fiji * by YT1AD and others	505
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- 3Y\_bou - Chuck, 3Y0C is struggling against storms blowing down his antennas. Due to an oil leak, the generator can be operated only for 45 minutes a day and this situation will not change for the next two months. Chuck is aware of the need for Bouvet and is trying to work as many stations as possible during the limited spare time he has - from time to time he works just a handful of stations before going QRT due to his other duties. QSL via WA4FFW (Mark McIntyre, 2903 Maple Ave., Burlington, NC 27215, USA), but note that logs will not be available before Chuck returns home. Latest news from Bouvet can be found at <http://www.qsl.net/wd4ngb/3y0.htm>
- C6 - Lee, N7NU will operate (mostly CW on 10-80 metres) as either N7NU/C6A and/or C6AJX from Abaco Island (NA-080), Bahamas on 18-26 January. QSL via N7NU. [TNX The Daily DX]
- D6 - While waiting for D68C, do not forget to work Josep, EA3BT/D68BT and Nuria, EA3WL/D68WL, who will be active with two stations from the Comoros (AF-007) from 13 to 28 January [425DXN 499]. Look for Josep and Nuria on SSB (28495, 24945, 21295/21195, 18145, 14195, 7052, 3795 and 50110 kHz), CW (14025 and 10103 kHz) and RTTY (21083 and 14083 kHz). The pilots will be Pere Galimany, EA3AJI (pilot\_d68@ea3aji.com, for Europe and Central/South America); Bill Avery, K6GNX (k6gnx@telemetry.com, for North America); Yuki Deguchi, JI6KVR (ji6kvr@orange.ocn.ne.jp, for Japan, Asia and Oceania). Up-to-date information, pictures, daily logs etc. will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/ea3bt>. QSL for both via EA3BT either direct or through the bureau. [TNX EA3BT]
- FO - Kunio, JA8VE will be active (on 10-20 metres SSB) as F00KUN from Bora Bora (OC-067), French Polynesia on 16-18 January and from Tahiti (OC-046), French Polynesia on 19-21 January. QSL via JA8VE either direct (Kunio Saito, 2-26-5-554 Nishitsuruma, Yamato, 242-0005, Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- PY - Simone/IV3NVN, Ana Claudia/PP5TO, Barboza/PP5VB and PP5UU were expected to operate from Santana de Fora (SA-088) but rough sea prevented them from landing. A new attempt will take place as soon as the weather improves from either Santana de Fora (as ZX5T) or Araras, one of the other islands qualifying for SA-088. Plans are to be active for a couple of days on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB and CW. ZX5T has been issued for Gipoia (SA-029) and Santana de Fora only, so if they operate from Araras they will sign PP5TO. QSL ZX5T and PP5TO via IV3NVN. [TNX IN3NVN]
- PY - Look for ZV3F and ZW3F to operate (SSB and CW) from Fort Dom Pedro II (DFH RS-03) on 20-21 January. QSL via PY3UR. [TNX PP5SZ]
- UU - Operators from club station UU4JXM will be active from Kosa Tuzla Island (EU-180) in late January, including en entry in the CQ WW 160 CW DX Contest (27-28 January) as UU7J/P. Andy, UU6JM will arrive on 23 January and will operate as UU4JXM/P on 20-160 metres CW and SSB

mostly during his evenings. On 26 January he will be joined by UU0JM, UU4JMG, UU8JK and possibly maybe UU2JQ. QSL via UU8JK (Alex Kotovskij, P.O. Box 57, 98312 Kerch, Ukraine). [TNX UU6JM]

- V3 - Klaus, DJ4SO will be active as V31SN from Belize between 17 January and 12 February. He will operate on all HF bands (with an emphasis on 6, 12, 17 and 30 metres) CW, RTTY and PSK31 with some SSB. QSL via DJ4SO either direct or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- V7 - Jeff, KA1GJ will be active (mostly on CW) during his spare time as V73GJ from the Marshall Islands on 16-26 January. QSL via KA1GJ. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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30 METRES ---> Jose Jacob, VU2JOS reports that the special temporary authorization for VU amateurs to operate on 30 metres expires at 18.30 UTC on 31 January 2001.

D68C ---> A series of 15 trophies will be available to stations throughout the world, to UK stations and to UK clubs for working the forthcoming D68C DXpedition to the Comoros [425DXN 501]. For full details please visit the DXpedition's most comprehensive web site at <http://www.dxbands.com/comoros>. The DXpedition is confirmed to take place from about 8 to 18 February.

OEVSV ---> Karl Bugner, OE1BKW (OeVSV QSL Service Manager) reports that effective 1 January 2001 the Austrian Amateur Radio Society (OeVSV) moved to the following new address: OeVSV - Dachverband, Eisvogelgasse 4/1, A 1060 Wien, Austria.

QSL A61AJ ---> Bernie, W3UR reports he is currently waiting for Ali, A61AJ to order new photo QSL cards. All direct (3098) and bureau (13109) requests have been entered into the computer logs and when Bernie receive the cards from the printer they will be quickly sent out. Please be patient and do not send second requests.

QSL 4W/K7BV & 4W/N6FF ---> Steve, KU9C reports that the QSL cards for this operation are expected to be in his hands by 1 February and will begin hitting the mail box immediately. He expects to have most of them out within a few weeks, and all received by the end of February should be in the mail by 1 March. If you did not send enough return postage due to the recent US postage rate change, do not worry, as Steve himself will put the required stamps on the envelope.

QSL 5N6ZHM ---> Paul, W5TUD reports he has received some 200 bureau cards for contacts made in 1999, but he has not got any log from 5N6ZHM for years and cannot get in touch with him.

QSL FO0WEG & FO0POM ---> The QSL cards for the October/November 2000 FO0WEG (Australis) and FO0POM (Marquesas) activities are being printed. The QSL manager for both is SP9FIH (Janusz Wegrzyn, Box 480, 44-100 Gliwice, Poland).

QSL VP8CQR ---> Cards and logs for the 1996-1998 VP8CQR operations are now available and QSLs should be sent (direct only) to SP2JKC (Krzysztof Maciejkiewicz, P.O. Box 30, 80-958 Gdansk 50, Poland). [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL ZL2VS ---> The following comes from Dusty, ZL2VS: "As from 1 January 2001 I am no longer a member of NZART; I will still receive bureau cards but

outgoing will be quite slow as I will clear my cards every 3-6 months depending on the volume. I will answer direct cards as usual by return post, 1 IRC or 1 Green stamp is still sufficient for return postage from here. I also still have logs/cards from my ZM7VS Chatham Islands operation in January 1990 if anyone still needs one."

VP8SSI ---> "I have held this callsign since it was issued to The South Sandwich Island DX Group in 1988", Tony, WA4JQS reports. This call has been aired recently and Tony has already received QSLs for this operation, which is most likely a pirate.

WF5E DX QSL SERVICE ---> "It has been brought to my attention that 3B9R [see 425DXN 504] has a new manager (K7ZD) and there is no problem with him to use my service", Les, WF5E reports. For further information on the WF5E DX QSL Service please visit <http://www.qsl.net/wf5e/>

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2AA	VE6VK	CO8EJ	EA5KB	OE75OLW	OE30LW
3D2BCK	HB9BCK	CO8TW	IZ8CCW	P40AV	K4AVQ
3V8BB	IK7YZG (*)	CV0F	CX2FR	PS5J	PY5UEB
4D68HBC	JA1HBC	D2EB	I3LLH	R1ANB	RU1ZC
5N0NAS	K1WY	D2GG	CT1GG	R1AND	DL5EBE
5N2BHF	OE6LAG	D2YY	CT1GG	R1ANM	AB0KG
5N9EAM/6	IK7JTF	ED1XXI	EA1AUM	RK3IWT/1	UA3IJP
5R8FL	SM5DJZ	ED2XXI	EA2RCF	S21YJ	SM4AIO
5R8O	5R8FL	ED2XXI	EC2ADR (**)	S21YT	JA7KXD
5T5YD	F6FYD	ED4XXI	EA4URE	SD5DS	SM5BDY
5U7DG	K4SE	EF2XXI	EA2RCF	SI900TKM	SK6NL
5W1SA	JH7OHF	EF2XXI	EC2ADR (**)	SM5R	SM5AQD
6W4RK	F5NPS	EK1700DX	F5LGQ	SU3AM	DL1FCM
7P8/ZS5GMW	ZS5GMW	EK1700GM	IK2QPR	SU9ZZ	OM3TZZ
7Q7KZ	JA2LZF	EK1700WY	IZ8CLM	T20CK	HB9BCK
8P9AR	J69AZ	ER2000L	ER1LW	T88DX	J13DLI
8P9JW	W8UN	EX0V	N6FF	TG9AAK	EA5KB
8Q7GB	IZ1DLV	EY8JJ	LA5JX	TG9AMD	EA5KB
8S5Y	SM5AQD	EZ21BO	EZ8BO	TL8CK	F6EWM
9N7RB	W4FOA	FM5GU	KU9C	TZ6HY	F6DNM
9Y4/DL2RVS	DL2YY	FO5RA	KM5M	UE1RDM	UA1RJ



A52GJ	W0GJ	HS0/JR3XMG	JG3AVS	UE1SAA	UA1RJ
A52YL	N0MAJ	IH9/IZ0BNU	IZ0BNU	UK8GK	RW6HS
A61AJ	W3UR	J28EX	FB1BON	UN21A	DL8KAC
A92ZE	K4SXT	J28LP	F8UNF	V26KT	JH9PVB
C21HC	DL9HCU	J79K	XW2A	V26YT	JJ2NYT
C56/G800	G800	JD1BCK	JM1TUK	VP5/WA9ALS	WA9ALS
CE9/R1ANF	RK1PWA	KH0/JA1XGI	JA1XGI	VP5RY	WA9ALS
CM2FN	EA5KB	LP5F	LU1FZR	XW3QBR	IN3ZNR
CM6QN	EA5KB	MW2I	WW2R	XW3ZNR	IN3ZNR
CN8RM	IK7YZG	N5T	N5VT	YB0ABB	M0CMK
CO2FN	EA5KB	OE75BZL	OE2BZL	YU8/SP8GMU	SP8GMU
CO3JR	EA5KB	OE75CMN	OE5CMN	ZX5T/1	IV3NVN

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If you are not receiving 425 DX News through [425ENG] any longer and are reading this on one of the various reflectors, please note that we still have problems with the mailing list. It is up and running, but apparently a few of the many hundreds of subscriptions have dropped off. For the time being, while we are trying to sort the problem out, please visit <http://list.425dxn.org> and click first "425.eng" and then on either "200012" or "200101" to see the list of the messages (425DXN bulletins, IOTA Notices etc) sent to the mailing list in December 2000 or January 2001 respectively. Then click on the appropriate button on the left (for instance "20010116000202" to read 425 DX News #506).

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- 3C - Erik, SM0AGD will operate (licence to be issued upon arrival) from Malabo, Bioco Island (AF-010), Equatorial Guinea between 23 January and 5 February. He plans to be active on 10-160 metres CW, SSB and RTTY with low power and wire antennas, with some activity in the CQ WW 160 Meter and BARTG RTTY contests. John, SM5DJZ (djz@swipnet.se) has agreed to act as a pilot and will be able to QSP information in both directions. QSL via SM0AGD (Erik Sjolund, Vestagatan 27, SE-19556 Marsta, Sweden). [TNX SM0AGD]
  - 3DA0 - Andre, ZS6WPX (<http://www.zs6wp.x.s5.com/3da.htm>) will be active (on all bands, 6 metres included) as 3DA0WPX from Swaziland on 26-28 January. QSL direct to ZS6WPX. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - 3Y\_bou - Reportedly the latest date for the ship to Bouvet and pick up Chuck, 3Y0C and the other scientists is 2 March, but it could be as much as two weeks earlier than this. The beam antenna is operational, but Chuck reports the very unfortunate failure of his Icom PW1 solid-state linear amplifier. He has been unsuccessful in locating the fault and will continue to use his transceiver at 100W. If you are knowledgeable in the workings of the PW1, please get in touch with Joe at [n4ol@mindspring.com](mailto:n4ol@mindspring.com). Up-to-date information and pictures from Bouvet are at <http://www.qsl.net/wd4ngb/3y0.htm>
  - 5B - Bob, 5B4AGN and George, 5B4AGC will operate as ZC4A from the Akrotiri Base on 26-28 January, including and entry in the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - 8Q - Mike, OE3MZC and his wife Barbara, OE3YCB will be active as 8Q7MZ and 8Q7BZ respectively from the Maldives (AS-013) on 7-21 February. They plan to operate on all HF bands SSB with some activity on SSTV, PSK31 and 6 metres. Their web site is at <http://www.qsl.net/oe3mzc/> [TNX OE3MZC]
  - A4 - OM3RG and OM3LZ will be working in Oman from 18 to 25 or 27 January and will be active on CW and SSB during their evenings. Callsign(s)

not mentioned, but QSL direct to OM3LZ. [TNX OM3LZ]

- CE0\_sa - Michael, N6MZ will replace Mario, CE6NE during the DXpedition to San Ambrosio [425DXN 495], which is scheduled to take place on 12-20 February. Other team members include Alejandro/CE6SAX, Franz/DJ9ZB, Randy/K0EU, Carlos/NP4IW (CE3AQI), Jari/OH1EB, Martti/OH2BH, Pertti/OH2RF and team leader Marco/CE6TBN. They have been assigned a new callsign, CE0ZT (instead of the announced CE0XT) and will operate on 6-160 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. Yosi, JA3AAW (ja3aaw@sannet.ne.jp) and Bill, K6GNX (bavery@telemetry.com) will be the pilot stations for Japan and North America respectively; the pilot for Europe is still TBA. QSL via CE6TBN either direct (Marco A. Quijada, P.O. Box 1234, Temuco, Chile) or through the bureau. Visit <http://www.qsl.net/ce0xt> for updates and further information.
- DU - Frank, VE7DP is going to the Philippines at the end of January and will try to activate some of the off-shore islands during February. There are several destinations on his list, details are expected to follow in due course. [TNX VE7DP]
- GD - DL4ALB, DL4LQM, DL4WG, DL5AXX, DL5LYM and DL8WAA will be active (on 10-160 metres mainly CW with some SSB and RTTY) as MD/home calls from the Isle of Man (EU-116) on 12-19 February, including a Multi-Two entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL via home calls. Please note that cards for MD/DL3OI (February 2000) have to directed now to DL5AXX (e-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at dl5axx@dark.de). [TNX DL5AXX]

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- KH9 - Terry, K7ASU will be on Wake Island indicatively from 26 January until 26 February. He plans to operate during his free time using 100 watts and a vertical antenna, mostly on 20 metres PSK with some CW. QSL via K7ASU. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH9 - Bruce, AC4G (V73CW) will be working on Wake Island (OC-053) from 9 through 27 February. He will operate (on all bands CW and SSB) as AC4G/KH9 in his spare time and will participate in the ARRL International DX (CW) and CQ 160-Meter (SSB) Contests on 17-18 and 23-25 February. QSL via AC4G (Bruce Smith, 1056 Old Railroad Bed Road, Taft, TN 38488, USA). [TNX The Daily DX]
- KP2 - W8UVZ and K8GG will operate as KP2/K8GG (QSL via K8GG) from St. Croix, Virgin Islands (NA-106) on 24-30 January. They will participate in the CQ WW 160 CW Contest as NP2S (QSL to Martha Golden, Kingshill POB 1276, Saint Croix, VI 00851, USA). [TNX The Daily DX]
- PJ8/FS - Bob/AA1M, Mike/W1USN and Jim/W1HL will be operating PJ8/homecall from Sint Maarten (NA-105) between 27 February and 6 March. They plan to be active on 6-80 metres CW, SSB and PSK31. They also hope to do some operating mobile from the French side as FS/homecall during this time. QSL PJ8/W1HL and PJ8/AA1M via AA1M (direct or bureau), QSL PJ8/W1USN via W1USN (direct or bureau). [TNX W1USN]
- PY - Jim, PY7XC and Ciro, PY7ZY will operate from Itamaraca Island (SA-046) on 21 January while testing the antennas to be used from St. Peter & St. Paul Archipelago in February [425DXN 505 and below].
- PY - PS7JS, PS7HF, PR7AR, PS7ZZ, PS7KC and PS7PIO will operate (SSB, CW and RTTY) as ZX7R and ZX7CW from Fort Reis Magos (DFH RN-01) on 27-28 January. QSL via PS7HF (Fabio Hoelz, P.O. Box 251, Natal - RN 59010-970, Brazil). [TNX PP5SZ]

- PY0\_spp- The departure for St. Peter & St. Paul is confirmed to be scheduled on 2 February with 7 February as target QRV day. RTTY activity is still not confirmed, due to the lack of laptops. While on Itamaraca (see PY above) PY7XC and PY7ZY will see if they can operate RTTY (check 14.082, 21.082 and 28.082 MHz) using desktops under portable conditions.
- T32 - Pepa, OK1PD will replace Frank, OK1EK during the T32RD operation from Christams Island [425DXN 505]. A couple of other modes (RTTY and PSK31) a new band (6 metres) have been added to the previously announced plan. Operations are now expected to take place from 11 February until 4 March. Suggested CW and SSB frequencies are as follows (but they may change due to the unusually high number of DXpeditions in February):
- | CW       | SSB       | CW       | SSB       |
|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| 1822/32  | 1845      | 18075/85 | 18145/130 |
| 3502/20  | 3790      | 21005/30 | 21295/195 |
| 7002/20  | 7060      | 24895/10 | 24945/935 |
| 10105/20 |           | 28005/30 | 28495/395 |
| 14005/30 | 14195/295 | 50105    | 50125     |
- QSL via OK1RD (Jarda Semotan, Borova 155, 251 01 Ricany, Czech Republic). [TNX OK1RD]
- TY - F5CWU, F5MOO and F5AOV are planning an activity from Benin on 9-31 August. Hopefully they will operate on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and digital modes, but they are currently waiting for their licences, which might be issued with band restrictions. They invite DXers to let them know their most wanted bands/modes for Benin; please e-mail Flo, F5CWU at f5cwu@wanadoo.fr or visit <http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f5cwu> [TNX F5CWU]
- VK - Tony, VK3TZ will be travelling to Phillip Island (OC-136) on 24-27 January and will try to be active as much as he can (most likely from 9 to 12 UTC and from 21 to 22 UTC on or around 14260 and 21260 kHz). "This is not a radio orientated trip2, he says, "so do not expect too much time nor good signals". [TNX VK3TZ]
- VK - Radio amateurs from Australia can use the AX prefix to celebrate Australia Day on their 26 January (i.e. from the afternoon UTC of the 25th to the afternoon UTC on the 26th, actual times depends on the various Australian time zones).
- VP5 - WB9Z, K9NR, K9QT and possibly AK9F plan to operate as home call/VP5 from the Turks and Caicos Islands from on 23-27 January. They will participate in the CQ WW 160 CW DX Contest as VP5F. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- ZD8 - John, KR6MR plans to leave for Ascension Island (AF-003) on 22 January and to be active as ZD8CA for at least a couple of weeks. [TNX The Daily DX]

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A52A VIDEO ---> James, 9V1YC reports that the 60-minute A52A Bhutan video is now finished: "Lots more pileups this time, but also plenty of scenery, people, music, and background info on this absolutely beautiful country". For further information please visit <http://home.pacific.net.sg/~jamesb>

DAYTON DX DINNER ---> The Southwest Ohio DX Association announces the Sixteenth Annual DX Dinner to be held on Friday, 18 May 2001 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, Dayton (OH). Tickets are \$32.00 and must be purchased in advance (groups wishing to sit together must order as a group, a table seats eight). Please make your check or money order payable to SWODXA and send an SASE for ticket return. Seats will be assigned on 11 March 2001 in the order that requests are received. Please order tickets from N8BJQ (Steve Bolia, 7354

Thackery Rd, Springfield, OH 45502, USA). For information on the dinner, check <http://members.aol.com/SteveB4622/> or contact Steve, N8BJQ at (937) 788-2803 or e-mail to [n8bjq@erinet.com](mailto:n8bjq@erinet.com). [TNX N8BJQ]

IOTA 2000 ---> The following is for those who participated in the IOTA Millennium Programme using the SM6DEC software and now want to submit their entries: "we need the file called IOTA2000 ver3.dec", Neville, G3NUG says. "This file is a 'FileMaker Pro 4.0 Runtime Database'. It will probably be over 300KB. Rename the file with your callsign, for example, G3NUG.DEC and tell us whether you are using Ver1 or Ver3 of the SM6DEC program. Please be sure to complete the application form with the calls of the two amateurs that have checked your log."

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QSL 5R8FL ---> There was a mistyping in 425DXN #506: John, SM5DJZ is the QSL manager for 5R8FU, \*not\* for 5R8FL. According to our sources, cards for 5R8FL should be addressed to P.O. Box 5005, Tananarive, Madagascar.

QSL FR/F6KDF/T ---> Gil, F5NOD reports that some 8000 QSLs (for Europe, North America, South America, Asia and Oceania) were mailed on 19 January. There are still 2000 cards that will be sent in early February, so do not send second requests for the time being.

QSL VU2HFR ---> Horey, the QSL manager for all of the operators who were active from Sagar Island last week, reminds DXers not to send green stamps (2 IRCs are all right). His address is: Nilanjan Majumdar, 9 Mandeville Gardens, Apt 5F, P.O. Ballygunge, Calcutta 700 019, India. Those who are concerned about the IOTA status of this operation can relax, as Horey is in touch with the IOTA Manager and expects to send the validation material as soon as possible.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to the French DX bulletin "Les Nouvelles DX", whose issue #1 was published twenty years ago, on 15 January 2001. Congratulations and thanks to the staff at LNDX: Jacky/F6BBJ, Dominique/F5HVQ, Yves/F6CYV and Jean-Michel/F6AJA.

+ SILENT KEY + Harry L. Booth, Z26JP has been a Silent Key since 16 June 2000 and his daughter asks DXers not to send QSL cards any longer. [TNX DL2KUW]

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4W6GH: Information about Antonio's (CT1EGH) operations as 4W6GH (East Timor) and 4W6GH/p (Atauro, OC-232) can be found at [http://www.qsl.net/ct1egh/oc\\_148.htm](http://www.qsl.net/ct1egh/oc_148.htm) and [http://www.qsl.net/ct1egh/oc\\_232.htm](http://www.qsl.net/ct1egh/oc_232.htm) respectively. [TNX CT1EEB]

A22DX: Complete details on the current operation from Botswana can be found on Deon Erwin's (ZR1DQ) web site at [www.qsl.net/zr1dq](http://www.qsl.net/zr1dq) [TNX ZR1DQ]

D68: Josep/D68BT and Nuria/D68WL reached the 10000 QSOs mark on 18 January. They are now active also on CW, but please be patient, as they are not much experienced. Pictures and logs from can be

found at <http://www.qsl.net/ea3bt/> [TNX EA3AJI]

HOME PAGES: A collection of URLs for the latest DXpeditions is available on The Daily DX's web site at <http://www.dailydx.com/dxpeditions.htm>

MOST WANTED: Results of The DX Magazine's 100 Most Wanted survey for the year 2000 have been posted to the web site at <http://www.dxpub.com> [TNX N4AA]

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If you are not receiving 425 DX News through [425ENG] any longer and are reading this on one of the various reflectors, please note that we still have problems with the mailing list. It is up and running, but apparently a few of the many hundreds of subscriptions have dropped off. For the time being, while we are trying to sort the problem out, please visit <http://list.425dxn.org> and click first "425.eng" and then on either "200012" or "200101" to see the list of the messages (425DXN bulletins, IOTA Notices etc) sent to the mailing list in December 2000 or January 2001 respectively. Then click on the appropriate button on the left (for instance "20010116000202" to read 425 DX News #506).

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- C6 - Wade, AA8LL will be active (on 10-40 metres SSB) as AA8LL/C6A from Crooked Island (NA-113), Bahamas on 27-28 January. QSL via AA8LL either direct or through the bureau. [TNX AA8LL]
  - CE0\_sa - Two operators are needed for the 12-20 February CE0ZT DXpedition to San Ambrosio [425DXN 507]. If interested in joining the team, please e-mail Marco, CE6TBN at [ce6tbn@dxpedition.org](mailto:ce6tbn@dxpedition.org) [TNX CE6TBN]
  - CT3 - Hermann, HB9CRV will participate in the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest as CT3FN from Madeira Island (AF-014). Operations are expected to start on 25 January. [TNX CT1END]
  - DU - LA7YX is expected to be active (with 100 watss and a dipole) as DU5/LA7YX from Leyte Island (OC-129) for the next five weeks. His preferred frequencies are 3790, 7050, 14190, 21290 and 28490. [TNX LA2PHA and <http://islandchaser.com>]
  - EM\_ant - Paul, EM1HO will be active (on all bands, WACR and 6 metres included) from Vernadtsky Base on Galindez Island (AN-006), Antarctica starting in February. QSL via I2PJA either direct or through the bureau. [TNX I2PJA]
  - FO - The OPDX Bulletin reports that Wolfgang/DL1AWI, Matthias/DL5XU and Peter/DL3APO will operate under the terms of their CEPT licences during their upcoming activity from French Polynesia and the Marquesas [425DXN 503]. Look for FO/DL1AWI, FO/DL5XU and FO/DL3APO from Rangiroa (OC-066, French Polynesia) on 27 January-10 February and from Nuku Hiva, Marquesas (OC-027) on 11-28 February. For further information please visit <http://www.radioklub.de/cgcg>. QSL via DL1AWI either direct (Wolfgang Ziegler, Arno-Schlothauer-Str. 15, 99842 Ruhla, Germany) or through the DARC bureau.
  - GU - Ed, G3SQX will participate in the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest as MU2K from the Guernsey Amateur Radio Society (GU3HFN). [TNX The Daily DX]
  - HP - Joel, F5PAC will be in Panama on 2-28 February and plans to operate from Isla El Porvenir (NA-170), Isla Grande (NA-202) and Isla

- Iguana or Isla Villa (NA-203). QSL via F5PAC either direct or through the bureau. [TNX DE0MST and <http://islandchaser.com>]
- HR - The operation from Swan Island (NA-035) [425DXN 505] is now scheduled to take place from 14 UTC on 17 March to 24 UTC on the 18th. Team members include Radio Club de Honduras (<http://www.qsl.net/hr2rch>) members HR2CPS, HR2CSB, HR2HM, HR2JPQ, HR2MAG (CX2CT), HR2RDR and W5/HR2PAC. They plan to operate on 20-40 metres SSB. QSL to P.O. Box 273, Radio Club de Honduras, San Pedro Sula, Honduras. Suggestions, comments and questions should be send to HR2RCH (rch@mayanet.hn). [TNX HR2CPS and <http://islandchaser.com>]
- J3 - Willi, DJ7RJ is active as J3/DJ7RJ from Grenada until 3 February and plans to participate in the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest. QSL via DJ7RJ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- JW - Look for Rag, LA5HE to be active as JW5HE from Svalbard on 1-6 February. [TNX LA5HE]
- PY - Special event station ZY3WSF is active (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) on 25-30 January from Porto Alegre, Brazil during the World Social Forum (<http://www.forumsocialmundial.org.br>). QSL direct only via PY3FBI. [TNX PY3FBI]
- PY0\_spp - Plans are moving ahead on schedule for the DXpedition to St. Peter and St. Paul Archipelago [425DXN 507]. All government permissions are in hand, and the callsign PW0S has been issued. The team (Jim/PY7XC, Fred/PY7ZZ and Ciro/PY7ZY) is expected to arrive on 7 February and to operate (on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and possibly RTTY) for five or six days, but this is a long open-ocean trip and dates may vary. QSL via KU9C. Financial support from clubs and individuals is most welcome (please contact Bill, W9VA/PY0ZF0 at w9va@aol.com). [TNX W9VA]
- UA - Alex, RU0LM will be working at the Russian Navy Radio Centre on Shikotan Island (AS-062) for a couple of months starting in late January-early February. He will operate on amateur radio frequencies as RU0LM/0. QSL via UA0MF (Mike Filippov, P.O. Box 20, Vladivostok, 690021, Russia). [TNX UA0MF]
- YB - Pri, YB0ECT has been active on RTTY since 11 January. Look for him from 13.30 UTC to 15.00 UTC around 14085 kHz. QSL via K5ZE. [TNX YB0ECT]

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- YJ - Sigi, DK9FN/YJ0AFN (CW) and Bernhard, DL2GAC/YJ0ABS (SSB) are currently active from Vanuatu. If they can arrange transportation, they might operate from some of the rarer YJ IOTA groups. QSL YJ0AFN via HA8FW, QSL YJ0ABS via DL2GAC. [TNX HA0DU]
- YK - The following are the announced frequencies for the 3-11 February YK9A operation from Syria:
- | CW    | SSB    | CW    | SSB   |
|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| 1815  | 1840   | 18085 | 18105 |
| 3515  | 3790   | 21002 | 21195 |
| 7015  | 7047.5 | 24905 | 24925 |
| 10110 | -      | 28002 | 28295 |
| 14002 | 14145  | 50095 | 50130 |
- QSL via K9LA (Carl Luetzelschwab, 1227 Pion Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46845, USA).
- ZC4 - Look for ZC4A, the special event and contest call of the Western Sovereign Base Radio Club on Cyprus, to be aired during the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest. QSL via 5B4AGC. [TNX The Daily DX]

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POSTAGE (HK) ---> Oscar, HK6DOS reports an airmail postage increase from Colombia to the USA, Canada, Central and South America (+60%) and to Europe, Asia, Africa and Oceania (+65%). "One dollar is not enough to answer one QSL card", he says, "therefore, it is better to send IRC or two dollars." Oscar is the QSL manager for CO6XN.

RUSSIAN POBs ---> Victor, UA2FM reports that according to the new Russian Post Rules (effective 1 January 2001) "The mail will be returned [...] If the NAME of addressee who is the subscriber of the P.O. Box, is not shown or if shown wrong" (Item "d", Paragraph 123). "As for RW2F, RK2FWA or UA2FM", he says, "put neither call, nor 'UA2 Contest Club', nor 'Petrovo Radio Club' but Victor Loginov, P.O.Box 73, Kaliningrad, 236000, Russia. In case you send us QSL direct, please keep in mind that our postmen love 'green stamps', they have little knowledge about what IRCs are, but can destroy your letter with IRC as well. So we earnestly recommend you to send RK2FWA and RW2F cards via DK4VW instead."

QSL 4N1DX ---> Please note that K1WY is no longer the QSL manager for 4N1DX. Cards should now be sent direct to Zrinko Zibert, 99 palih boraca 7, 11277 Ugrinovci, Yugoslavia or through the YU QSL bureau. [TNX 4N1DX]

QSL 5B4AGW & ZC4DW ---> Cards should be sent to G0DEZ through the RSGB QSL bureau or direct to Dez Watson, C.A.O., JSSU (AN), BFPO 59, Cyprus. [TNX G0DEZ]

QSL AX3OLY ---> QSLs for the Olympic Games 2000 special event station AX3OLY that have been received direct will be answered within the next few days. The others will receive the special QSL card through the bureau. [TNX VK3EW]

QSL CO8TW ---> Please note that EA3FQV has not been the QSL manager for CO8TW since 15 October. The new QSL manager is IZ8CCW (P.O. Box 360, 87100 Cosenza - CS, Italy).

QSL RK0FWL/P ---> Eugene, RA0FF reports that cards for the July-August 2000 RK0FWL/p operation from Moneron Island (AS-149) are being sent out by FEIDXC (Far East Island DX Club). Direct cards should be mailed to Eugene Popov, P.O. Box 79, Yu-Sakhalinsk-10, 693010, Russia. The web pages for RK0FWL/p are at <http://dx.bgtelecom.ru/shams/as149.html>

QSL VK6BSI ---> Cards should be sent direct only to VK4AAR (Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton 4343, Australia). Please note that "it is NOT a good idea to send envelopes with Australian stamps", Alan says, "as there is now a special type of stamp for use on international mail. The postal authorities assure me that using the wrong stamps will incur a penalty".

QSL XF4MX ---> Fernando, XE1AE reports that COFETEL (Comision Federal de Telecomunicaciones) has asked the Radio Club Mexicano A.C. to answer QSL requests for the March 1999 XF4MX operation. Cards should be sent to P.O. Box # 19-500/510, Mixcoac, Mexico D.F., 03910 Mexico.

QSL VIA AC7DX ---> Ron has taken over chores from NU4N and is the new QSL manager for KL9A, KL7FH, WL7KY and KL1SLE. Cards should be sent to Ron Lago, P.O. Box 25426, Eugene, OR 97402, USA.

QSL VIA DJ4ZB ---> At the end of March Lothar will close the logs for the his

following DXpeditions: A35ZB (October 1994), T32ZB (September-November 1995), ZL7ZB (February-March 1995 and February-March 1997) and ZM7ZB (January-March 2000). If you need a card you should send your request before the end of March 2001 to Lothar Grotehusmann, Quaekerstrasse 35, D-13403 Berlin, Germany. [TNX HB9PL]

QSL VIA RW3RN ---> Alex (rw3rn@tmb.ru) reports he can confirm contacts made with UA3RZ/UL1E, UA3RF/UL0E and UA3RZ/UA8T. Cards should be sent to Alex Kuznetsov, P.O. Box 57, Tambov-23, 392023, Russia.

QSL VIA UA3AGS ---> Cards for R1FJV and other stations managed by Sergei should be mailed to P.O. Box 196, Pepperell, MA 01463-0196, USA (a mail drop, as your QSLs will be sent from Moscow). [TNX S51U]

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ARRL DX CONTESTS: The NG3K "Announced Operation" tables for the 2001 ARRL DX Contests (CW & SSB) are now available at  
<http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxc2001.html> (CW)  
<http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxs2001.html> (RTTY)

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3B8/OE3GEA	OE3GEA	EA6/DL7AFS	DL7AFS	SU9ZZ	OM3TZZ
3C1AG	SM0AGD	EA9EU	EA9AZ	T20CK	HB9BCK
3D2AG/P	3D2AG	ED1SXX	EA1AUM	T32Z	N7YL
3D2NV	JA1NVF	ED2000	EA2HT	T88HA	T88HA
3W7CW	SP5JTF	ED5RCM	EA5EOR	T88LL	F4TVY
3W7TK	OK1HWB	ED5URE	EA2HT	T95A	K2PF
3Y0C	WA4FFW	ED6FSS	EA6VC	TA3DD	KB2MS
3Z6IEQ	SP6IEQ	EK1700GM	IK2QPR	TG9IGI	I2MQP
3Z9MRO	SP9MRO	EK1700YL	SP9ERV	TR8XX	F2CW
4L1UN	IK7JTF	EK8WY	IZ8CLM	TT8RH	F8BBT
4L5T	LY2MM	EM1KY	UT7UA	UE1SAA	UA1RJ
4O20S	YU1KN	EM2000I	UR7IA	UN21A	DL8KAC
4W1CW	PIRATE	EW6GF	DL8KAC	UN7OP	IK2QPR
4X3A	WA4WTG	EX0V	N6FF	UU2JQ/P	UU2JQ
5A/UY0MF	UX5MZ	EX7ML	DL4YFF	UU4JXM/P	UU8JK
5N3CPR	SP5CPR	EX8W	UA3AGS	UU7J/P	UU8JK
5R8EW	AD6KA	EY1HQ	DJ1MM	V26I	N3ISH
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	EZ21A	EZ8CW	V26Q	NV4Z
5R8O	5R8FL	FG/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	V26YT	JJ2NYT
5U7DG	K4SE	FK8HZ	F6DLN	V31SN	DJ4SO
5X1GS	WB2YQH	FM/F2JD	F6AJA	V31YN	DJ4KW
5X1T	ON5NT	FO0KUN	JA8VE	V47JR	W2APF
7S2000M	SM7TZK	FO5RA	KM5M	V47SS	DL2MDZ
8P9AR	J69EJ	FY5FU	F5PAC	V51HK	DL6OBS

8P9EM	G3VBL	GM3WOJ	ZS5BBO	V63PD	VK4AAR
8P9JW	W8UN	HB2IIY	HB9IIY	V73CW	AC4G
8Q7DV	UA9CLB	HG01HNY	HG4I	V73GJ	KA1GJ
8Q7GB	IZ1DLV	HH2SJR	KZ5RO	VI0ANARE	VK4AAR
8Q7RR	IZ1CRR	HI3LFE	AD4Z	VK6BM	VK4AAR (OC-234)
9A900BP	9A2DM	HI9/DL5YV	DL5YV	VK6BSI	VK4AAR
9G1AA	PA3ERA	HR3/K4ZLE	K4ZLE	VK8AN	VK4AAR
9H1EL	LA2TO	HS0/SM3DYU	SM3CVM	VK8AN/6	VK4AAR (OC-154)
9H3AAA	OE1JIS	HS0AC	HS0/G3NOM	VK8AN/8	VK4AAR (OC-229)
9K2ZZ	W8CNL	HS0ZCW	K4VUD	VK8AV/3	VK4AAR (OC-136)
9N7RB	W4FOA	IR0AD	I0NNY	VK8MI	VK4AAR (OC-173)
9N7ZK	W2UFO	J28FH	WA2VUY	VK9CEH	AA4EH
9V1YC	AA5BT	J6/JA2EZD	XW2A	VP5/K4ISV	N2AU
9Y4TD	9Y4AQ	J68JW	XW2A	VP5/K9NR	K9NR
A22DX	ZS1FJ	J73ALN	LA4LN	VP5/K9QT	K9QT
A22ZS	ZS6ZS	J73CI	XW2A	VP5/KB4IRS	KB4IRS
A35YL	DL7AFS	J79K	XW2A	VP5/KN4UG	KN4UG
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A41KJ	N5FTR	JW1I	LA3FL	VP5/WB9Z	WB9Z
A41MO	A47RS	JX7DFA	LA7DFA	VP5AZ	KN4UG
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A52GJ	W0GJ	K4C	N2IW	VQ9PO	W3PO
A52PJ	W0PRJ	KB0CY/C6A	KB0CY	VQ9QM	W4QM
A52YL	N0MAJ	KC4/KK6KO	K1IED	VR2DXA	VR2XRW
A92GM	KA8JRM	KG4AS	N4SIA	VU2RBQ	DJ9RB
A92ZE	K4SXT	KG4HAP	DL1GAB	VU2ZAP	W3HNK
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AX4SJ	VK4SJ	KH2V	JA8RWU	W3I	W3LEO
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BD7NQ	W2AY	KP4VP	KD8IW	XE1UN	EA5XX
BN0X	BV4YB	LZ0A	LZ1KDP	XV9TH	SK7AX
BX7AA	BV7WB	MW2I	WW2R	YA/RW6AC	pirate
C21HC	DL9HCU	OD5/OK1MU	OK1TN	YC8RSW/p	YC8TXW
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>>> EMERGENCY IN INDIA <<<

Members of National Institute of Amateur Radio (NIAR) Hyderabad have established HF/VHF stations in the earthquake affected areas of Gujarat for providing emergency relief communications. Their main operating frequency is 14.160 Mhz. [TNX VU2JOS]

- 3D2\_con - The February DXpedition to Conway Reef [425DXN 505] will start later than previously announced, that is on 22 February around 8 UTC until 1 March. QSL via YT1AD (Hrane Milosevic, 36206 Vitanovac, Yugoslavia). Other information at <http://www.kragujevac.co.yu/3d2>. After Conway Reef the operators (YT1AD, YU7AV, YU1NR, YZ7AA, YU1DX, Z32ZM, Z32AU, YS1RR) will be active from Fiji on 2-8 March. [TNX YT1AD and YS1RR]
- 3D2\_con - The Daily DX reports that the Scandinavian DXpedition to Conway Reef, originally scheduled to take place between 5 and 24 April [425DXN 493], has been postponed due to personal commitments of two of the team members.
- 3Y\_bou - Deon, ZR1DQ (see <http://www.qsl.net/zr1dq>) reports that the team on Bouvet lost their diesel generator after many weeks of troublesome operation. The only operational generator is a petrol Honda with limited fuel supply. Investigation is in progress to convert the Honda engine to run on propane gas. [TNX ZR1DQ]
- 5U - I2YSB, I2UIY and IK2DIA will operate from Niger between 27 February and 12 March. Callsigns (one for SSB and one for CW/RTTY/PSK31) will be issued upon arrival. They plan to have three stations running and to operate on 10-160 metres + 6 metres CW/SSB. QSL for both callsigns via I2YSB either direct (Silvano Borsa, P.O. Box 45, 27036 Mortara- PV) or through the ARI bureau. The web page for the operation (<http://digilander.iol.it/i2ysb/>) will be updated with logs and pictures during the DXpedition. [TNX I2UIY]
- 9V - Mirek, 9V1XE reports he has been granted permission to operate via satellite and plans to be often on Oscar 10 and other satellites (Oscar 40 too, but modes A, B, J, K only at this stage). QSL for satellite QSOs via either 9V1XE or his usual QSL manager, DL4DBR.
- BQ9 - Paul, BV4FH reports an operation as BQ9P is scheduled to take place from Pratas Island (AS-110) on 6-15 March. [TNX JI6KVR]
- BV - Yuki, JI6KVR and operators from Taiwan will be active as BV9L from Liuchiu Yu (Taiwan's Coastal Islands, AS-???) on 2-4 March. Plans are to have stations working on 10, 15 and 20 metres CW and SSB, with a beam and a ground plane. QSL via BV4YB. [TNX BV4FH and JI6KVR]

- C6 - Look for K3TEJ to operate as C6AKW from Abaco Island (NA-080), Bahamas on 14-21 February. Main activity on 10-160 metres CW, with some SSB on 40. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CE0\_est - A group of operators from Chile and Germany plan to be active (on all bands mostly CW and RTTY) as 3G0Y from Easter Island (SA-001) on 4-19 March. A web site is under construction at <http://www.qsl.net/3g0y>. QSL via DK7YY. [TNX DL9NEI]
- CE0\_sa - Joe, KO4RR has joined the 12-20 February CE0ZT FXpedition to San Ambrosio [425DXN 507]. Marco, CE6TBN reports that they will participate in the ARRL International DX Contest (CW) as a Multi/Single entry. There will be two QSL managers: N6MZ (Michael A. Mraz, 15526 Se 50th St, Bellevue, WA 98006-3611, USA) will handle cards for the US and CE6TBN (Marco A. Quijada, P.O.Box 1234, Temuco, Chile) for stations outside the US. [TNX CE6TBN].
- CT - Cupido, CT1BNW reports he will participate in the WPX RTTY Contest with the special call CQ2CE. QSL direct only to P.O.Box 4143, 4461-901 Senhora da Hora, Portugal.
- D6 - The following are the announced frequencies for the 8-28 February D68C operation from the Comoro Islands (AF-007):

CW	SSB	RTTY	PSK31	CW	SSB	RTTY	PSK31
1822	1842	-	-	18072	18145	-	-
3502	3795	3570	-	21022	21295	21085	21071
7002	7052	7035	-	24892	24945	-	-
10102	-	-	-	28022	28495	28075	28071
14022	14195	14085	14071	50102	50145	-	-

At least five other DXpeditions are expected to be active in February, so there is a strong likelihood that, from time to time, D68C will need to change transmitting/receiving frequencies to avoid confusion. The first group of operators fly out on 4 February, arriving D68 on the 6th. They expect to take about two days setting up equipment and antennas, so that when the operation starts they will have all bands up and running. D68C will be active during the WPX RTTY Contest (10-11 February). The QSL managers are G3SWH (Phil Whitchurch, 21 Dickensons Grove, Congresbury, Bristol, BS19 5HQ, England; bureau card requests welcome by e-mail at [phil@g3swh.demon.co.uk](mailto:phil@g3swh.demon.co.uk)) and, for SWLs, BRS 32525 (Bob Treacher, 93 Elibank Rd, Eltham, London SE9 1QJ, England; e-mail: [brs32525@compuserve.com](mailto:brs32525@compuserve.com)). The D68C Web Page (<http://www.dxbands.com/comoros>) is and will be updated with the latest news, logs etc. [TNX G3XTT]

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- DL - Look for DL5CW/p to be active (CW and SSB) from Ummanz Island (EU-057, O-06 for the German Islands Award) on 10-16 February. QSL via DL5CW. [TNX DL2VFR]
- DU - Frank, VE7DP [425DXN 507] and operators from DX1CW will be active as follows:
- \* as 4I1P from Marinduque Island (Luzon's Coastal Islands, OC-???) on 9-11 February (operators VE7DP, 4F1FZ, 4F3XX, 4F1CJC and others from the local amateur radio club);
  - \* as 4I1P/2 (or maybe a 4H2 special prefix) from Batan Island (OC-093) on 24-25 February (operators VE7DP, 4F1FZ, 4F3XX, 4F1OZ and others).
- Plans to operate from Polillo Island (OC-091), possibly as 4I1P or 4G1A, have still to be finalized. Activity will take place on 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 metres CW and SSB. QSL via VE7DP or direct

- only to DX1CW (44 Sta Fe st. Bo Kapitolyo, Pasig City, Philippines). The web site for DX1CW is at <http://www.qsl.net/dx1cw> [TNX 4F3XX and VE7DP]
- FG - Look for Ekki, DF4OR to be active as FG/DF4OR from Guadeloupe until 17 February. Operating plans include CW, SSB, SSTV, Pactor, Amtor and RTTY, with an entry in the WPX RTTY Contest (10-11 February). [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES]
- JA - Look for JQ1SUO/2, JA2HMD/2, JA2JTN/2 and 7N2JZT/2 to operate (SSB and CW) from Hatsu Island (AS-117) on 10-13 February. QSL via home calls. [TNX JQ1SUO & JA9IFF/1]
- KP2 - John, W8LBY and Norm, K8NI are active as KP2/W8LBY and KP2/N8NI from St. Croix, Virgin Islands (NA-106) until 15 February. [TNX The Daily DX]
- LU\_ant - The GACW expedition to Vicecomodoro Marambio Base on Seymour Island (AN-013) that was tentatively scheduled for March [425DXN 488] has been "suspended". The icebreaker is under repairs that won't be completed before the Antarctic summer is over, so the group is looking for next season. [TNX WC6DX and Islands On The Web]
- PJ2 - Larry, K6RO and Charlie, W6KK will operate (on all bands CW and SSB) as PJ2/home call from Curacao (SA-006) from 27 February to 5 March. Larry will participate in the ARRL SSB DX Contest as PJ2R (SOAB HP). QSL PJ2R via K6RO and PJ2/ via home calls. [TNX K6RO]
- PJ6 - Bert, PA3GIO will operate (on 10-20 metres SSB) as PJ6/PA3GIO/m from Saba (NA-145) from 28 March until 2 April. QSL via PA3GIO either direct (Bert vd Berg, Parklaan 38, NL-3931 KK Woudenberg, The Netherlands) or preferably through the bureau. The web page for this activity is at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/ca/PJ6/> [TNX PA3GIO]
- S2 - Alessio/IZ0CKJ, Simon/IZ7ATN, Raffaele/IZ7BNH and Paolo/IW0FT will operate (calls to be issued upon arrival) from St. Martin's Island (AS-127) on 21-26 February. Contributions can be sent to IZ0CKJ and will be returned if the operation cannot take place. QSL via IZ0CKJ (Alessio Roma, P.O. Box 22, 03023 Ceccano, Italy). [TNX IZ0CKJ]
- SP - Uwe, DL3BQA reports he will be active (mainly on SSB) as S00DIG from Karsibor Island (EU-132, SZ003 for the Polish Island Award) on 10-18 February. QSL via DL3BQA.
- V31 - Bert, PA3GIO will operate (on 10-80 metres SSB) as V31GI from Southwest Caye, Glovers Reef (NA-180), Belize on 11-16 March. QSL via PA3GIO either direct (see PJ above) or preferably through the bureau. The web page for this activity is at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/ca/southwest/> [TNX PA3GIO]
- VK - Bill, VK4FW reports he will arrive on Cumberland Island (OC-160) on 6 February for a possible 4-day stay. He will try to be active daily during his spare time, mainly during his evenings. QSL direct only to VK4FW.
- YK - The pilot stations for DX Syria 2001 (YK9A) [425DXN 508] are Dick Wolf, N6FF (n6ff@tco.net, western half of the US); Bernie McClenny, W3UR (bernie@dailydx.com, eastern half of the US); Masao Ueki, JH3VNC (m-ueki@po.bcap.co.jp, Japan). The web site for the operation can be found at <http://www.qsl.net/k7ar> and will include and updated daily online logs. The QSL manager is K9LA and cards may be sent via the bureau (outside of the US) or direct to Carl Luetzelschwab, 1227 Pion Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46845, USA. Cards will be available at the Dayton Hamvention. [TNX W3UR]
- ZD7 & ZD8 - Barry Amateur Radio Society members Rich/GW4BVJ, Doug/G0WMMW and Glyn/GW0ANA will depart on 19 March to operate first for eight days from Ascension Island (AF-003) and then for two weeks from St. Helena (AF-022). They plan to be active on as many bands (160-6 metres with an emphasis on the low bands) and modes (CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV, MFSK, Heilshriber) as possible. Further information is expected in due course. Contributions can be sent

to GWOANA, who will be also the QSL manager for both the activities. [TNX GWOANA]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> These are the announced stops for Angelo, I6BQI [425DXN 502]: Tonga (A35BQ, from 25 February to 2 March), Niue (ZK2BQI, from 2 to 9 March), Vanuatu (call TBA, in March), Western Samoa (5W1BQ, from 26 March to 5 April). QSL via I6BQI (Angelo Brandolini, C.da Colle di Giogo 36/A, 65010 Moscufo - PE, Italy).

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CLOSED LOGS ---> "One thing that has always bothered me is hearing that a QSL manager is 'closing a log'", Bob Schenck, N200 says. "I will be happy to preserve any DX or DXpedition log and take on the QSL manager responsibility, no matter how old the log might be. Logs can be in any format, even paper and I will even provide replacement cards if needed as well. If any of you hear of a DX or DXpedition log that is being 'closed', or perhaps that a QSL manager becomes SK, please save the log(s) and drop me a message". Bob's e-mail address is n2oo@arrl.net

CIS AWARD ---> The Radio Amateur's Diploma of the Commonwealth of Independent States is sponsored by the "Funkner DX Family" amateur radio club (RZ3DZZ) and is available to licenced amateurs and SWLs for contacting/hearing 12 stations located in the twelve CIS countries. QSL cards are not required. For further information please contact fdx@aha.ru [TNX RN3FX]

CQ FROM CIS ---> The first issue of the monthly Radio Amateur's Journal of the Commonwealth of Independent States will be published in July 2001. Editor Yuri V. Funkner (RN3FX) states that the magazine, written in English, will give comprehensive information on all aspects of amateur radio in CIS countries (Azerbaijan, Georgia, Armenia, Moldova, Belarus, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Russia, Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, Ukraine): awards, activities, QSL routes, URLs and e-mail addresses and much more. For further information please contact fdx@aha.ru

D68C (PILOTS) ---> The pilot stations for the 8-28 February DXpedition are:

Martin, G3ZAY (g3zay@btinternet.com: Chief Pilot + Europe and Africa);

Don, N1DG (n1dg@aurumtel.com: North and South America);

Ray, G3NOM (g3nom@rast.or.th: Asia and Oceania);

Dale, AA5XE (aa5xe@smirk.org: 6 metre issues worldwide).

The feedback from the expedition team will principally be via the Chief Pilot's web page at <http://www.dxbands.com/comoros/zaypilot.shtml>

D68C (SWLs) ---> In addition to the 15 trophies for working D68C [425DXN 506], there will be 3 trophies for the 3 SWLs who hear D68C on the most bands (1.8 to 50 MHz) and modes (CW, FM, PSK31, RTTY and SSB). Bob Treacher, BRS 32525 (see address above) will administer the SWL trophies: entries must be received no later than 30th April 2001 and to submit a claim, listeners must provide the usual log details (Date, UTC, Frequency, Mode, RS(T), callsign of the station(s) worked).

DXNL ---> Issue 1228 of the "DX Newsletter" (18 December 2000) was the last one edited by Michael, DJ5AV [425DXN 504]. The DARC Committee for DX and HF Contesting has announced that the new editor is Karlfriedrichs, DL1EK (dxnl@darc.de). [TNX DL3TD]

QSL E4/OE1GZA ---> Gunter reports that cards should be sent direct only to: Gunter Zwinkl, c/o SICT, P.O.Box 1133, Ramallah, Palestine. "Bureau cards to OE1GZA will be stuck in Austria", he says, "and probably not be replied to as long as I'm overseas, and that might be another few years".

QSL FY5FY ---> The address given in 425DXN #508 was taken from RAC 2001, but Alain, F6EZV (Didier's brother) states it is wrong. The correct address is: Didier Bironneau, 5 Ave Chopin, F-97310 Kourou, French Guiana.

QSL VK0MM ---> As promised Alan has announced the QSL route for his VK0MM activity from Macquarie Island. The QSL manager (direct only) is VK4AAR: Alan Roorcroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton, QLD 4343, Australia. All excess proceeds from the QSLing process will be donated to Camp Quality, a charity providing care for children with cancer and other terminal illness. The log has been carefully checked, however if you receive "Not In Log" and are certain that you had a QSO with VK0MM, then you should contact Alan (vk0mm@yahoo.com) and he will double check the original log in case of a typo.

QSL VIA 9A2DM ---> Direct cards for contacts made last year by 9A5Z, 9A1CZZ/P, 9A2DM/P, 9A3LM/P, 9A5ZM/P, 9A00WCD, 9A900Z and 9A900BP (December 2000) have been processed, Vlado reports. Remaining cards are being sent through the bureau.

QSL VIA IZ0CKJ ---> Alessio reports that the cards for EU-186, EU-187, EU-158, EU-045 and AS-099 will be mailed before his trip to Bangladesh (see S2 above) or in early March at the latest.

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D68BT & D68WL: Josep and Nuria went QRT after some 31,000 QSOs. Pictures and logs are available respectively at  
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- 3W - Hans, WA1LWS expects to be active again as 3W2LWS from Vietnam between 17 February and 6 March, including an entry in both the ARRL DX contests. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C6 - Gary, KI6T will be active as C6A/KI6T from NA-080, Bahamas on 13-18 February, with an entry in the ARRL CW DX Contest as C6AGS. QSL via KI6T. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CE0\_sfe- Marco, CE6TBN reports the Chilean authorities have once again authorized the use of CE0XT for the upcoming operation from San Ambrosio (previously announced as CE0XT, some three weeks ago the call was changed into CE0ZT). US QSL via N6MZ (Michael A. Mraz, 15526 Se 50th St, Bellevue, WA 98006-3611, USA); others via CE6TBN (Marco A. Quijada, P.O. Box 1234, Temuco, Chile).
- DU - Frank, VE7DP reports 4I2P is the call sign requested for the IOTA expedition to Batan Island (OC-093) [425DXN 509]. Frank will arrive on 23 February and will be joined by the main group on the 25th. They will be active until 27 February and be back to Manila on the 28th. [TNX VE7DP and VE3JV]
- KH0 - Look for KH0/JQ1NGT and KH0/JI1EFP to be active (on 6-160 metres CW and SSB) from Saipan (OC-086) on 16-19 February. They plan to participate in the ARRL CW DX Contest as either single operators or multi-single. QSL via JQ1NGT (Kenji Sekine, 3-4-7 Honcyo, Fukiage, 369-0115, Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]
- PJ2 - Larry, K6RO and Charlie, W6KK will operate (on all bands CW and SSB) as PJ2/home call from Curacao (SA-006) from 27 February to 5 March. Larry will be a SOAB HP entrant in the ARRL SSB DX Contest as PJ2K (not PJ2R as reported in 425DXN 509, as this call has been issued to someone else). QSL PJ2K via K6RO and PJ2/ via home calls. [TNX K6RO]
- PY0\_spp- The PW0S group (Jim/PY7XC, Ciro/PY7ZY and Eli/PT7BZ, plus Epaminondas/PY7CV, captain of the "Old Smuggler") left Recife, Brazil at 20 UTC on 3 February. They stopped at Fernando de Noronha, where Andre/PY0FF (and his equipment for 6 metres and SSTV) have joined the team, and left for St. Peter and St. Paul's Rocks in the early morning UTC of 7 February. They were expected to start operating from the rocks on the 9th, but rough seas are preventing them from landing. Suggested frequencies are 3790, 7050, 14170, 18125, 21270, 24960, 28470, 50115 kHz (SSB); 1832, 3504, 7025, 10108, 14025, 18090, 21025, 24915, 28025, 50095 kHz (CW); 14080, 21080, 28080 kHz (RTTY); 14233, 21363, 28683 kHz (SSTV). QSL via KU9C. Pictures at <http://www.soutomaior.eti.br/mario/>
- S2 - Carl, SM6CPY plans to operate as S21YD from Bangladesh on 12-19 February. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T8 - Look for JA6EGL and JM6VOV to operate (on 10-160 metres) as T88SM (mainly CW) and T88VO (mainly SSB) from Palau (OC-009) on 16-20 February. QSL T88SM via JA6EGL (Shoji Miyake, Box 252, Fukuoka,



- 810-8694, Japan); QSL T88VO via JM6VOV (Masaru Yokoi, 1-30-13 Sakuragaoka, Shime, 811-2201, Japan). Cards can also be sent through the JARL QSL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TZ - Fred, ON6QR will try to operate (on 20 and 15 metres SSB) from TZ6VY or TZ6YH from around 19 UTC to 24 UTC on 14 February. He might be active on 15 and 16 February as well. QSL via ON6QR through the bureau. [TNX ON9CLV]
- UA - A group of operators is expected to sign (SSB and CW) UE1RCV/1 from Sengeyskiy Island (Pechorskoye Sea Coast West group, EU-???) on 9-14 February. QSL via UA1RJ. [TNX RZ3EC]
- V4 - Joe/VE3BW, Bob/K0CCX, Markus/DK5AX, Bruce/W4OV, Julio/WD4JR and Norm/VE3VFR will be active from St. Kitts Island (NA-104) on 14-22 February (callsigns to be issued upon arrival). They will operate on 6-160 metres CW and SSB and will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest. The QSL route for QSOs made during the contest is via VE3VFR (Norm Sanger, 2626 Guyatt Rd East Binbrook, Ontario L0R1C0, Canada). [TNX DJ5AV]
- VK - Bill, VK4FW reports his planned activity from Cumberland Island (OC-160) [425DXN 509] has been postponed has been postponed due to transport problems associated with equipment not arriving from Sydney. The new dates are from 11 to 16 February. QSL direct only to VK4FW (Bill Horner, P.O. Box 929, Gympie, 4570, Australia).
- VP5 - Ed, AJ6V will participate in the ARRL CW DX Contest (17-18 February) as VP5U from the Turks and Caicos Islands. Before and after the contest he will operate SSB as VP5/AJ6V. QSL via WA4WTG. [TNX WA4WTG]
- XX9 - Ulf, SM0GNU reports will be operating as XX9TDX from Macau between 12 and 20 February. He plans to be active on all bands CW/SSB, possibly with some RTTY. There will also be a SOAB effort in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL via SM0GNU.

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HAM COM 2001 ---> The Lone Star DX Association (<http://www.dxer.org>) has announced an attractive DX programme for "Ham Com 2001", to be held in Arlington, Texas on 8-10 June. For further information please visit <http://hamcom.org> [TNX WW5L]

QSL K5K, KH6ND/KH5, T32R ---> K5K QSLs are due from the printer any day and processing will begin as soon as they arrive. Requests for KH6ND/KH5 are being processed daily. T32R QSL's are being printed and will be processed along with K5K and KH6ND/KH5 direct requests. There is no need for concern for the lack of sufficient postage for direct requests received before early January, as all SASEs or requests which include return postage will be answered. However requests sent in 2001 should include sufficient return postage. Direct cards with no SAE, non-US stamps or money from other countries will be answered in due course via the bureau. [TNX K4TSJ]

QSL OA4DKC ---> Tony, LZ1JZ reports he is the QSL manager for OA4DKC as far as QSOs with European stations are concerned. His address is: Anton Stefanov, P.O Box 43, Harmanli 6450, Bulgaria.

QSL VP8SSI (2000) ---> Tony, WA4JQS is still receiving cards (mainly from Japan) for this pirate operation. "This call is assigned to me, it has not been and will not be reissued", Tony says. "I have not been in the South Sandwich group since 1992 but I plan on returning within the next three years

for a one month stay".

QSL YC30X ---> Agung, YC30X is a newly licenced amateur from Surabaya (Java, OC-021). He is active on 15 and 40 metres. QSL via IZ8CCW (P.O. Box 360, 87100 Cosenza - CS, Italy).

QSL VIA ON4ACA ---> Jef, ON4ACA (on4aca@ping.be) is the new QSL manager for OTxC and has the logs from 1996 (OT6C) onwards.

TOKELAU CANCELLED ---> Ken Holdom, ZL2HU/ZL4HU (zl2hu@clear.net.nz) reports that after lengthy considerations and taking into account several factors, The Kermadec DX Association will not undertake the planned ZK3 Tokelau Island DXpedition in July-August 2002. "In order to keep the Kermadec DX Association reputation intact", he says, "we have decided to undertake a much smaller DXpedition to ZL7, Chatham Islands in October 2002 to coincide with the CQWW SSB contest. We have already received some 70 plus donations towards the cost of ZK3: if you agree to carry your support forward from ZK3 to ZL7 we would appreciate your confirmation of this or if you wish your donation to be refunded please advise accordingly."

YO DX HF CONTEST ---> Ciprian Sufitchi, YO3FWC reports that the final results of the YO DX HF Contest 2000 are now available on the Romanian Amateur Radio Federation web site (<http://www.qsl.net/yo3kaa>).

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 E21IZC Wichyein Tretrantipvikul, 716/26 Soi Wat Jannai, Bangkokorlhamp, Bangkok 10120, Thailand  
 E21LLR Piti Eksitikul, P. O. Box 20, Bangkok 10163, Thailand  
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- 3B6 - There are still two vacancies for the 5-18 May 3B6RF DXpedition to Agalega [425DXN 502]. Team members now include HB9BQI, HB9BQW, HB9BXE, HB9CRV, HB9HFN, HB9JAI, HB9JBI, 3B8CF, 4Z5FL, CT1AGF, CT1EPV, DL3KUD, DL6UAA, F6HMJ, G3KHZ, N3SL, NK6F and SP9RTI. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.Agalega2000.ch> [TNX HB9BXE]
- 3W - Claude, F5PBL reports he will be active (call TBA) from Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam on 22-30 March. He plans to operate on 10 and 15 metres SSB with some CW and SOSB entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via F5PBL either direct or through the bureau.
- 6Y - The DXpedition University (<http://pages.prodigy.net/k2kw/dxu/>) group will be active from Jamaica (NA-097) [425DXN 504] from 26 February to 6 March. They will sign 6Y8A WT6G/6Y5, WA60/6Y5, K0COP/6Y5, W6NS/6Y5, N6XG/6Y5 and K2KW/6Y5 with four stations on all bands from 6 to 160 metres, mostly on SSB and CW though some PSK31 is possible. The group will enter the ARRL DX SSB Contest with a Multi-2 entry. QSL 6Y8A via WA4WTG, others via homecall. [TNX K2KW]
- 9M0\_spr - Sally/KM5EP, Dennis/AF7Y, Jerry/WB9Z, Luis/XE1L, Darryl/AF70, Dan/NA7DB and Mike/N7MB are planning an operation (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) as 9M0M from the Spratly Islands (AS-051) during the first week of March. They will operate as 9M6DBT and 9M6MBT (QSL for both via WN7J) from Sabah, Malaysia for a few days before and after their 9M0 activity. QSL 9M0M via K7XN. The web site for this operation is at <http://www.xcvr.com/9M0M> [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- A5 - The Daily DX reports there are seven newly licenced amateur radio operators in Bhutan: A51AA (Yeshey Dorji), A51KC (Kesang Namgyel), A51PK (Parop Kinley Dorji), A51PR (Pema Rinzin), A51UD (Dorji Yeshey), A51WD (Wangpo Dorji) and A51YL (Ambika Gurung).
- BQ9 - The BQ9P [425DXN 509] team includes BV4FH, BV200, BX2AE, BV5CR, AA4NN, W4NZC, RK3DT and JA1AYC. They plan to start operating from Pratas Island (AS-110) around 8 UTC on 6 March and to be QRV until the 15th. QSL via KU9C. [TNX JI6KVR]
- BV - The BV9L [425DXN 509] team includes BV4AS, BV4DC, BV4FH, BV4HJ, BV6DF, AA4NN, JA6IEF JI6KVR, W4NZC and possibly others. BV9L will be aired from Liuchiu Yu Island (AS-???) on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres CW and SSB on 2-4 March. QSL via BV4YB. [TNX JI6KVR].
- C5 - Mike, DL2OE and Hans, DL7CM will be active (on 6-160 metres CW, SSB and RTTY) as C56/homecalls from The Gambia between 20 February and 5 March. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CO - Juan Carlos, CO8TW reports he will participate in the ARRL CW DX Contest this weekend as SOSB (10 metres) low power. Logs will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/co8tw/>. QSL via IZ8CCW.

- CO - The No-Name DX-Group will again be operating as T48RAC from Santiago de Cuba. They will participate in the CQ 160 Meter SSB Contest (23-25 February) and in the ARRL International DX SSB Contest (3-4 March), and they hope to be active between the contests for prefix chasers. Logs will be posted on the Kitchener Waterloo ARC web page (<http://www.kwarc.org>). QSL via VE3ESE (Don Fisher, 48 Lucerne Dr., Kitchener, Ontario N2E 1B3, Canada). [TNX VE3NQK]
- DU - VE7DP, DU1KGJ, 4F1FZ and 4F1OZ will try to activate Lubang Island (OC-126) on 17-19 February. They will probably be signing 4I1P again (this was the call used one week ago from OC-244). QSL via VE7DP or DX1CW. [TNX VE7DP]
- DU - Frank, VE7DP reports that arrangement have been finalized for the operation from Batan Island (OC-093) on 24-27 February [425DXN 510]. Ten members of DX1CW will be participating in the expedition and Frank will be one of the operators. CW-Philippines has applied for 4H2B call. QSL via VE7DP or DX1CW.
- FM - Dan/IV3TDM, Max/IV3FHH and Luke/IV3JVJ will be active as FM/home call from Martinique (NA-107) on 17-23 March. They will operate SSB, CW and RTTY from the QTH of FM5GU and will join that team for the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest (Multi-Single). QSL FM5GU via KU9C. [TNX FM5GU]

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- GJ - Look for Pete, MJ/K8PT and Craig, MJ/K3PLV to be active from the Channel Island of Jersey (EU-013) on 14-20 March. They will operate on 160-10 metres with an emphasis on the WARC bands and on CW, RTTY, PSK31 QSL via home calls. [TNX K8PT]
- GM - Leo, W3LEO reports he will once again be active as MM0LEO from Portpatrick in southwest Scotland from about 20 February to 14 March. He plans to participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest. QSL via W3LEO.
- H4 - Bernard, DL2GAC/H44MS has been in Honiara, Solomon Islands since 11 February. He plans to operate from the Russel Islands (OC-168) from 16 February (local evening) until the 18th (local morning). On 20 February he will move to the Shortland Islands (OC-162), where he expects to arrive on the 23rd and to stay for about two or three weeks. QSL via DL2GAC. [TNX G3KMA]
- I - Gaetano, IT9FXV reports he will participate in the ARRL DX SSB and other major contests as II9F. QSL via home call.
- J2 - David, J28EX (F5THR) and Jean-Louis, J28NH (F5NHJ) will be active from Maskali island (AF-053) during the weekend. They expect to leave Djibouti around 15 local time on Friday and to come back on Sunday late afternoon. [TNX F6AJA]
- J3 - Dee, W1HEO and Paul, W5PF will operate from Grenada from 30 March to 11 April. They will be active (calls to be issued upon arrival, but expect J3/W1HEO and J3/W5PF) on 10-40 metres SSB and CW; special attention will be given to the WARC bands and the General-class portions of the phone bands. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX W5PF]
- JA - Masa, JA6GXX will be active again from Meshima, Danjo Archipelago (AS-056) on 27 February-9 March and 21-30 March. He will operate on +/- 14260 and 21260 kHz in his spare time. QSL only via bureau. [TNX JA3MZB]
- JA - Look for Aki, JA4FHE/4 to be active from Nakanoshima, Oki Islands (AS-041) on 3-6 May. QSL via JA4FHE (Akifumi Matsuda, 1-11-6

- Ageicyo, Kurayoshi-city, Tottori 82-0022, Japan). [TNX JI6KVR]
- PY - Tom, PY1XP expects to operate as PY1XP/p from time to time while visiting his friends and relatives on Grande and Itacuruca Islands (SA-029). QSL via bureau ("no IRCs or green stamps will be accepted", he says, "only QSLs"). [TNX PY1XP]
- PY - Paul, PY3DX (ex PY3PAZ) reports he will operate (mainly CW on the low and WARC bands with some SSB) as PY3DX/p from Santa Catarina Island (SA-026) between 23 February and 5 March. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau.
- T8 - Yukio, JA6ENF will be active (on 10-80 metres mainly CW) as T88NF from Palau (OC-009) on 21-26 February. QSL via JA6ENF either direct (Yukio Ono, 2-7-22-104 Yorumiya, Kita-Kyuushuu, 804-0042 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- S2 - The Daily DX reports that Stig, S21YJ [425DXN 510] will now remain in Bangladesh until early March. QSL via SM4AIO.
- V7 - Dave, VE3LDT reports that Tom, K7ZZ (currently signing V73ZZ from Kwajalein) and a few others are planning an operation (possibly as V7E) from Enewetak Atoll (OC-087), Marshall Islands on 19-26 April.
- VP2M - Art, N2NB/VP2MDY and Woody, K2UU will operate from Montserrat Island (NA-103) between 22 February and 1 March. They will participate in the CQ WW 160 SSB Contest. QSL via NW8F. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Nat, WZ3AR, will be active as WZ3AR/4 from Chincoteague Island (NA-083, USI VA-002S) on 17-18 February. The operation will take place from the very rare Accomack County, VA. Look for him on 28.460, 24.950, 21.260, 18.128, and 14.260 MHz +/- QRM. QSL via WZ3AR either direct or through the bureau.
- W - Look for Willy, WC6DX (<http://www.qsl.net/wc6dx>) to operate (on or around 14260 and 21260 kHz) from three islands in San Francisco Bay as follows: on 10 March (18-24 UTC) from Alcatraz (USI CA-05S, WLH LH-0105, not IOTA), on 11 March (17-24 UTC) from Yerba Buena (USI CA-19S, not IOTA), on 17-18 March (from 20 to 20 UTC) from Angel (USI CA-06S, WLH LH-new, not IOTA). QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau (if you work him thrice, do not send three cards - one QSL with all the data is all right). [TNX I1HYW]
- XU - Frank, DL4KQ reports a small group of German amateurs plan to operate from Cambodia between 15 July and 3 August. They should be active on all bands 10-160 metres (SSB, CW and possibly RTTY and PSK31) plus 6 metres. A special emphasis will be on the low bands. Further information is expected in due course.
- ZD7 & ZD8 - ZD7K and ZD8K are the calls issued to the March DXpeditions to Ascension and St. Helena Islands [425DXN 509]. QSL for both via GW0ANA. The web pages for the operations are at <http://www.dxpeditio.co.uk>
- ZL - Bob, G3PJT will be active mainly on CW as ZL4CC from Waiheke Island (OC-201) on 8-13 March, including an entry in the RSGB Commonwealth CW Contest (10-11 March). QSL via G3PJT either direct or through the RSGB bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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CE0XT ---> The team regrets to report that due to circumstances beyond their control regarding the boat transportation from Valparaiso to San Ambrosio, the CE0XT DXpedition has been canceled. [TNX K6GNX]



D68C ---> Operation began at 21 UTC on 8 February and 106 hours later there were some 61,500 QSOs in the log. The 90,000th QSO was made at 20.01 UTC on 15 February. Extra team members arrived on the 13th, which makes the team up to 25 operators. Up-to-date information and logs are available at <http://www.dxbands.com/comoros/> QSL via G3SWH (Phil Whitchurch, 21 Dickensons Grove, Congresbury, Bristol BS49 5HQ, England). [TNX G3NOM]

ILLW ---> The International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend will take place from 0001 UTC on Saturday 18 August unutil 2359 UTC on Sunday 19 August 2001. Last year over 200 stations were QRV from lighthouses, lihtships and maritime beacons. [TNX GM4SUC]

PW0S ---> The team arrived to St. Peter and St. Paul Rocks around 13 UTC on Friday, 9 February, but rough seas prevented them from landing. A new attempt took place at 12 UTC on Monday and they finally became active around 19.30 UTC. While on the rocks they also experienced severe weather conditions and a generator and a computer were damaged during a thunderstorm. PW0S went QRT on 16 February. QSL via KU9C (Steve Wheatley, P.O. Box 5953, Parsippany, NJ 07054-6953, USA).

QSL 4020S ---> QSL cards for this special station, celebrating the 20th anniversary of "SOKO" ARC in Sokobanja, should be sent direct to YU1ASB (P.O. Box 86, 18230 Sokobanja, Yugoslavia). [TNX YU1AS]

QSL VK9LX/9 ---> Cards should be sent to Nick, VK2ICV (not VK2ICK as reported in 425DXN 510). Thanks to Zlatko, 9A3MN for detecting the typo.

QSL VK0LD ---> Do not send cards for VK0LD to Alan, VK4AAR, as he does not have the logs. QSL for VK0LD is at <http://www.eQSL.cc/qsldata> only [TNX VK4AAR]

QSL VK0MM ---> When sending your request to VK4AAR, please remember to include a SAE, but do not stick Australian stamps on it (Australia Post is now issuing new "International Only" stamps and the older "standard" Australian stamps are no longer valid). Also please use US\$ or A\$ and do not send foreign currency, as the bank charges involved in the exchange are considerable. IRCs must be franked at the originating office and must be less than one year old to be accepted by Australia Post. [TNX VK4AAR]

QSL VP8CSA ---> Dieter, DL1SDN reports the cards have been printed, but he still has problems in getting the logs from Mark, VP8CSA. "He promised me to send the logs in February or March", Dieter says - for the time being, please be patient and do not send second cards.

WAZ ---> Jim, K1MEM has been Silent Key for over a year now, yet WAZ applications continue to arrive at his QTH nearly every week. Please note that all WAZ applications and other correspondence should be sent to the current CQ WAZ Awards Manager, K5RT (Paul Blumhardt, 2805 Toler Rd, Rowlett, TX 75089, USA). The CQ web site is at <http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com>

YK9A ---> The group made over 27,000 QSOs during 7 days of operating time. Final statistics will be available on the web site ([http://www.qsl.net/k7ar/yk9a\\_'01.htm](http://www.qsl.net/k7ar/yk9a_'01.htm)) by the end of the month. QSL via K9LA (k9la@gte.net): Carl Luetzelschwab, 1227 Pion Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46845, USA.

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DX HOLIDAY: It is a site that lists QTHs around the world where people have operated on DXpeditions, and provides information on how to contact the owners. There is information on Rent-a-QTHs, Ham Friendly Hotels, and Club stations. The site can be found at <http://www.dxholiday.com> [TNX K2KW]

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QSL received direct: 1A0KM, 3D2AA, 3D2NV, 3D2RW (OC-121), 3E1DX, 4K8F, 4W/K7BV, 4W/N6FF, 4W6GH, 5R8GQ, 5X1P, 7X4AN, 8P9HT, 8P9JR, 8P9JS, 8P9JU, 8P9Z, 8Q7CE, 8R1AK, 9E1C, 9H1FN, 9K2ZZ, 9M0F, 9N7MS, 9Y4/DL2RVS, A35IQ, A35ZG, A52GJ, A52YL, B7K, C56RF, C56T, CV0F (SA-057), D2EB, D44CF, E30TA, E44/IZ0CKJ, EW5HQ, EW6GF, EX8MA, FM/F2JD, FO0DEH (OC-057), FO0DEH (OC-238), FR/F6KDF/T, HC8N, HF0POL, J75KG, J79GU, J8/WA2VUY, JD1BCK, JT1CO, LX0RL, N7ET/DU7, OH0RB, OX3IO, P40A, PZ5JR, PZ5RA, R0/UR8LV (AS-152), RK0FWL/P (AS-149), S92SV, SU9ZZ, SV9/K7BV, SY2A, TI2DLL, TR8IG, TR8IG, TS7N (AF-073), V26EA, V26ET, V26FM, V26WP, V44NK, V51AS, V73GOD, V7G, VK6BSI (OC-243), VP2EK, VP8DBQ, VP8DCD, VR2BG, VU2XO, WH0ABA, YB0A, YC9BU/P (OC-241), YC9MKF (OC-241), YC9WZJ/P (OC-239), YJ0AYL, YJ0AZG, YL3CW, Z30M, Z32XX, ZD7JC, ZD8A, ZD9ZM, ZK1ABR, ZK1NDK, ZK1NJC, ZK1VVV, ZK1WAL, ZM8CW.  
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- 3D2\_cr - The following licences have been issued to the Conway Reef team members for use during their stay in Fiji: 3D2AV (YU7AV), 3D2TT (YU1DX), 3D2NR (YU1NR), 3D2AB (YZ7AA), 3D2ZM (Z32ZM), 3D2RR (YS1RR). [TNX VE3EXY]
- 3Y - Deon, ZR1DQ reports that the ship that will take Chuck, 3Y0C back to Cape Town is being delayed by pack ice and the date of departure from Bouvet seems to be later than 2 March. His operating schedule is as follows: 03.00-05.30 UTC 3.772 MHz and looking on 1.837 Mhz, 05.30-06.00 UTC 14.195 MHz to Russia and Europe via long path, 06.00-11.00 UTC 14.336 MHz to JA, VK and ZL. [TNX N4AA]
- 9A - Ewald, 9A5ID will be active from Sv. Marko Island (EU-136, IOCA CI-117) for a few hours on 24 February. He will operate on 40 metres SSB only (+/- 7070 KHz). [TNX 9A6AA]
- BV - BV9L is expected to start operating from Liuchiu Yu (AS-???) [425DXN 511] around 6 UTC on 2 March. The team will have three stations with two 2-element yagis (10, 15 and 20 metres) and one 7-element yagi for 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres. They might also have an amplifier. QSL via BV4YB. [TNX JI6KVR]
- CEO\_ei - Team members for the 4-19 March 3G0Y DXpedition to Easter Island (SA-001) [425DXN 509] include XQ3ZW (Danilo), CE3WDD (Alfredo), CE3WDH (Sergio), DK1BT (Fred), DK7YY (Falk), DL2OAP (Tom), DL3DXX (Mar), DL7UFN (Jan) and DL9NEI (Norbert). They operate on all HF bands, mainly CW and RTTY, with an emphasis on the low and WARC bands. QSL via DK7YY either direct DK7YY (Falk D. Weinhold, P.O. Box 700 343, 10323 Berlin, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. Logs will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/3g0y>
- EA - Look for Pepe, EA5KB to operate from Peneta del Moro (EU-151) on 24-25 February. He will be active on 17 and 12 metres only (+/- 18132 and 24942 kHz), plus 10 metres (+/- 28460 kHz) for Japan between 8 and 11 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX EA5KB]
- H44 - The Daily DX reports that Bernard, DL2GAC/H44MS is currently stuck on Gizo (OC-149). The ship he was on developed a leak on the way and his voyage to the Shortland Islands (OC-162) [425DXN 511] has been interrupted. "At the moment Bernard doesn't know when he can proceed, may even have to abandon the trip".
- HP - Special prefix 3E500 (Three Echo Five Hundred) will be used by amateur radio operators from Panama celebrating the 500th anniversary of the discovery of the isthmus from 1 to 31 March. QSL cards for this event will be handled by HP1RCP (Radio Club de Panama, P.O. Box 10745, Panama 4, Republic of Panama). For further information please contact [hplrcp@qsl.net](mailto:hplrcp@qsl.net)
- HS - This coming weekend the RAST/Thailand DX Group will conduct a survey of Koh Tarutao (AS-126) for a full DXpedition to take place in early April 2001. The special callsign E29AL and permission have already been issued by the authorities. The survey will be led Cy

HS0GBI, assisted by E20NTS, E20RRW, HS4BPQ and HS6NDK. Whilst on the Island they may get chance to do some test operating between approximately 14.30 UTC on 24 February to 3 UTC on the 25th. This will be mainly on +/- 14024 kHz using 5 watts QRP. The QSL arrangements have not been finalised yet, but will be announced later. The costs for the DX Expedition are too high for the group of young DXers to bear completely themselves, and they would be most appreciative of suggestions or offers of help in this respect. The first time operation from AS-126 by HS9AL (Franco, I4LCK) suffered from poor propagation conditions; it is proposed to set a target of 20,000 QSOs for the forthcoming E29AL operation. [TNX HS0/G3NOM]

- I - Alfredo, IK7JWX and other operators from the Salento DX Team will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest (3-4 March) as IQ7J from the Pedagne Islands (EU-091). QSL via IK7JWX either direct (Alfredo De Nisi, P.O. Box 218, 73100 Lecce- LE, Italy) or through the ARI bureau. [TNX IK7JWX]
- PJ7 - After operating as FS/ND5S from St. Martin on 15-18 February, Ron/ND5S has moved to the Dutch side of the island. Look for him to be active as PJ7/ND5S from St. Maarten until 3 March. On 26 February he will be joined by Bill/W8EB, who will operate as PJ7WB and participate in the ARRL DX Phone Contest as PJ7B (SO low power). Look for them on all bands, 160-10 metres, CW, SSB and RTTY. All QSLs via respective home callsign. Check out their web site at <http://www.qsl.net/pj8a> [TNX W8EB]
- S2 & TA - At the very last minute Alessio/IZ0CKJ and Simon/IZ7ATN have been forced to cancel their trip to St. Martin's Island (AS-127) [425DXN 509], Bangladesh due to local circumstances beyond their control. They plan to try again later this year.  
They are currently in Turkey and hope to operate as TA0/IZ7ATN from Giresun (AS-???) island during the weekend. [TNX IZ0CKJ]
- V2 - Chuck, N2CY will be active (on all bands CW and SSB) as V26CY from Antigua (NA-100) on 27 February-4 March, including an entry in the ARRL SSB DX Contest (SOAB). QSL via N2CY. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VK9\_mr - The VK9WI (May 2000) team will operate as VK9ML from Mellish Reef (OC-072) on 21-24 April. Team members David/VK4ZEK, Alan/VK4BKM, Peter/VK4APG and Harris/VK4CWT will have two stations, one for HF and one for 6 metres. Suggested frequencies are 3504, 7025, 14025, 21025, 28025, 50105 kHz CW and 3799, 7085, 14195, 21295, 28480, 50145 kHz SSB. This will be primarily a survey trip to help facilitate the planning of a larger "full-on" DXpedition in either late 2001 or early 2002. The pilots will be Bill, G0VDE (BillRothwell@radioham.screaming.net) for Europe and Adam, VK4CP (vk4cp@one.net.au) for the rest of the world. QSL via VK4APG. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.qsl.net/vk9ml> [TNX VK4CP]
- VP2E - W8ILC, N6JRL, AC8G, WD8MQJ and N8JE will operate from Anguilla (NA-022) between 28 February and 7 March. They will participate in the ARRL International DX Contest (SSB) as VP2EK (QSL via W8ILC). [TNX The Daily DX]
- VU - Jose Jacob, VU2JOS reports that permission to use the following frequencies by VU amateur radio operators has been extended up to 18.30 UTC of 31 July: 3790-3800 Khz, 10100-10150 kHz and 50.35 & 50.55 MHz.
- XE - XE1RCS will be active once more in the CQ WW 160 Meter SSB Contest this coming weekend. They will be especially looking for Europe, Asia and Africa with improved antennas. QSL via XE1KK. [TNX XE1KK]

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PACIFIC TRIP (1) ---> Angelo, I6BQI confirms that his Pacific trip [425DXN 509] will include operations from Tonga as A35BQ (26-27 February and 15-16 March), Niue as ZK2BQI (28 February-13 March) and Vanuatu possibly as YJ0BQI (18 March-6 April). Look for him on or around 1825, 3515, 7015, 10115, 14015, 18075, 21015, 24905, 28015 and 50115 kHz (SSB QSOs on request). QSL direct to I6BQI (Angelo Brandolini, Contrada Colle di Giogo 36/A, 65010 Moscufo - PE, Italy).

PACIFIC TRIP (2) ---> Dominique, F6EPY will operate as FO/F6EPY from Moorea (OC-046) on 3-7 March and as ZK1EPY from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 8-16 March. Look for him on or around 3.518, 7.018, 10.118, 14.018, 18.118, 21.018, 24.918 and 28.018 MHz CW, possibly with some PSK31 and RTTY (SSB QSOs on request). Activity on 6 metres will depend on propagation. His web page is at [http://perso.wanadoo.fr/dominique.auprince/SP\\_DXPED.htm](http://perso.wanadoo.fr/dominique.auprince/SP_DXPED.htm). QSL direct to F6EPY (Dominique Auprince, 4 Allée de la Genestriere, 91600 Savigny-sur-Orge, France). [TNX F6EPY]

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II9R ---> Salvo, IT9HLR will use this special call during the following contest: ARRL DX SSB, CQ WPX SSB, ARI, IARU, WAE DX SSB, CQ WW SSB. QSL direct only to IT9HLR (Salvatore Costantino, P.O. Box 11,96100 Siracusa - SR, Italy).

IR2G ---> Operators from ARI Gallarate will use this special call during the following contests: ARRL DX CW and SSB, CQ WPX SSB and CW, ARI, IARU, WAE DX CW and SSB, CQ WW DX SSB and CW. QSL via IZ2BHQ. [TNX IK2RXX]

R73A ----> This special call has been issued for the year 2001 to Roman, RZ3AA to celebrate his 25th anniversary as a radio amateur. QSL to RZ3AA (Roman Thomas, P.O. Box 38, Moscow, 129642, Russia). [TNX RZ3AA]

QSL 3D2CI ---> The Conway Reef team has been signing 3D2CI since around 23 UTC on 21 February. Bulletins are regularly posted on <http://www.magma.ca/~ve3exy> (with link to other sites). Please note that there will be two QSL managers: YT1AD (Hrane Milosevic, 36206 Vitanovac, Yugoslavia) for SSB and CW contacts on 1.8-30 MHz and Z32AU (Dragan Kostascki, P.O. Box 35, 6000 Ohrid, Macedonia) for RTTY, PSK31, SSTV, FM, Satellite and contacts made above 30MHz. [TNX VE3EXY]

QSL OA4DKC ---> Laurent, KM5M reports he his the new QSL manager for OA4DKC for US stations only.

QSL UA1PAC/p & UA1PAO/p ---> Cards were received from the printer in late December, when Alan, UA1PAC was at the university in St. Petersburg. He is expected to start processing the requests as soon as he comes back home. [TNX UA1PAC and RA9XF]

QSL VIA KB6NAN ---> Please note that effective 1 June 2001 Dianna, KB6NAN will NO LONGER be the QSL for E44A, JY4NE, OD5/JY4NE, V31MD and YC0KTQ. [TNX QRZ-DX]

QSL VIA RK1PWA ---> Cards for R1ANF, CE9/R1ANF, HF0/R1ANF, BY/R1ANF, R1ANF/a, UA1PBP/9 have been received from the printer and Nick is expected to start processing the requests very soon. [TNX UA1PAC and RA9XF]

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3W2KVD	DS5VKD	EM1KCC	UT7UA	SU/WA0VOM	WA0VOM
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	EO6F	UX0FF	SU/ZS6WPX	ZS6WPX
3W2VKD	DS5VKD	EP3HR	I2MQP	SV9/G3URA	G3URA
3W7TK	OK1HWB	EZ3A	EZ8CW	T32RD	OK1RD
4I1P	VE7DP	EZ8CQ	I2JSB (EU)	T48RAC	VE3ESE
4JT9H	4K9C	EZ8CQ	W0FS (US)	T88NF	JA6ENF
4L0G	DL7BO	FO/DL1AWI	DL1AWI	T88SM	JA6EGL
4L1DA	DL7BO	FO0CLA	F6CTL	T88VO	JM6VOV
4O20S	YU1ASB	FO5RA	KM5M	T94DO	DJ2MX
5R8GT	DK8ZD	H44MS	DL2GAC	TL8CK	F6EWM
5W1VE	DL9HCU	HI3LFE	AD4Z	TM5BOB	F6KNH
6K14PAG	HL5BUV	HP2/F5PAC	F5PAC	TR8CA	F6CBC
7Q7HB	G0IAS	HP7/F5PAC	F5PAC	UE1ZSM	UA1ZJW
7X5JF	DJ8QP	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	UN7EG	DL8KAC
8J6HOL/6	bureau	IO7C	I7PXV	UN8GF	IZ8CCW
8P9NX	W0UA	J28CDX	F5IPW	UV5I	UR6IM
8Q7CR	DF5JR	J28NH	F5IPW	V26EW	N2ED
8Q7MZ	OE3MZC	J37LR	VE3EBN	V26G	N2ED
9H3AY	G3SDG	J37RO	K4UPS	V47KP	K2SB
9H3DLH	DL4FP	J38A	K4LTA	V47X	WT8U
9K2ZZ	W8CNL	J43BSF	SV1CIB	V73ZZ	K7ZZ
9N7RB	W4FOA	J43YL	SV3AGQ	VK0MM	VK4AAR
A35BR	DL6NBR	J73JT	KK4WW	VK4DMV	DF9MV
A92GM	KA8JRM	JD1BCK	JM1TUK	VK9LX/9	VK2ICV
AC4G/KH9	AC4G	JW/LB8UE	LA1TV	VK9NNN	N6RER
AP2ARS	S53R	JW0L	G8APB	VK9NOO	K6KM
BA7QT	W3HNC	JW1TV	LA1TV	VP2E	N5AU
BY1DX	OH2BH	JW3FL	LA3FL	VP2MDY	NW8F
C56/DL2OE	DL2OE	JW9JX	LA9JX	VP5/AJ6V	WA4WTG
C56/DL7CM	DL7CM	JY4NE	K3IRV	VP5/K4ISV	N2AU
C6A/K7RE	K7RE	K3TEJ/C6A	K3TEJ	VP5/N2GA	N2GA
C6AGS	KI6T	KH0/JQ1NGT	JQ1NGT	VP5U	WA4WTG
C6AKP	N4RP	KP2/K8NI	K8NI	VP8DCD	G0JLE
CE0YEH	DJ2EH	LT0H	LU3HY	VQ9VK	N1TO
CO2TK	F6FNU	MJ0AWR	K2WR	W4D	W5UE
CO8TW	IZ8CCW	OD5/OK1MU	OK1TN	XE2/JA2EZD	XW2A
D2AZC	pirate	OD5PN	LX1NO	XT2DE	F5JRY
D68C	G3SWH	OH0Z	OH1EH	XU7ABS	DL1DA
DS0LT	KU1CW	OZ0PI	OZ6PI	XX9TDX	SM0GNU
E20HHK	E21EIC	P29BW	N5FTR	YA/RW6AC	pirate
E20RRW	E21EIC	P40R	NK4U	YI9OM	OM6TX
E44A	K3IRV	PJ8/AA1M	AA1M	YK9A	K9LA
ED5URX	EA5AHC	PJ8/W1HL	AA1M	YS1JR	DJ9ZB
ED7PRC	EA7ESH	PJ8/W1USN	W1USN	YU8/9X0A	RW3AH
EK3GM	IK2QPR	PT7BZ/PY0F	PT7BZ	ZA1E	I2MQP
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	PW0S	KU9C	ZC4BS	G4KIV
EK6YL	SP9ERV	PY0FC	PY7XC	ZF2LM	AF2C
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- 3Y - Chuck, 3Y0C reports he will be leaving Bouvet on 4 March. He expects to arrive to Cape Town around the 10th.
- 5W - Dominique, F6EPY has changed his plans and will now be active as 5W0DA from Samoa (OC-097) instead of French Polynesia [425DXN 512]. He will be there through 6 March and will then operate from Rarotonga in the South Cooks (ZK1EPY) on 7-17 March. QSL via F6EPY. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9M6 - Andy, G4ZVJ plans to operate CW only from 9M6AAC, East Malaysia, on 8-12 March, including activity in the RSGB Commonwealth Contest (BERU). [TNX G4ZVJ]
- BV - Look for BV90 to be active from the Lang-Tao Elementary School on Lan Yu (Orchid Island, AS-155) between 15 and 19 March. QSL via BV8BC (Bill Chen, P.O. Box 222, Taitung-city 950, Taiwan). [TNX BV8BC]
- CX - A group of CX operators will be active on all bands and modes (RTTY and PSK included) as CW0Z, from Flores Island (SA-030, LH-0528) on 2-9 March. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX CX2AM]
- EA8 - Martti, OH2BH will be airing EA8BH on all six bands from his Canary Islands QTH this coming weekend during the ARRL DX SSB Contest. [TNX N4GN]
- EM\_ant - Paul, EM1HO (home call UX2HO) has been on Argentine Island (AN-006), Antarctica for a couple of weeks [425DXN 508] and will be there for one year. He is active on HF using 200w to a vertical and on six metres with 100w and (for the time being) a simple dipole. Paul is active on SSB, CW, and will also be on the digital modes, including RTTY and PSK 31. QSL via I2PJA. [TNX K0YR]
- F - Jean-Marc, F5SGI reports he will operate (on all HF bands mostly CW) as F5SGI/p from Yeu Island (EU-064, DIFM AT-021) on 14-26 April. QSL to F5SGI either direct or through the bureau. [TNX F5SGI]
- GM - Jim, MM0BQI (<http://www.qsl.net/mm0bqi>) will operate as MM0BQI/p from the Tanera Mor (SC10) in the Summer Isles (EU-092) during the Scottish Activity Weekend (21-23 April). He plans to be active 80-10 metres all modes including RTTY and PSK31. The Activity weekend is sponsored by the GMDX Group. Jim will be back to EU-092 between 27 July and 3 August - he will participate in the IOTA Contest and try to activate some other islands nearby. QSL via MM0BQI either direct (Jim Martin, 3 Lismore Avenue, Edinburgh, EH8 7DW, Scotland) or through the RSGB bureau. [TNX MM0BQI]
- GW - Ten operators from the North Wales Radio Rally Club (<http://www.nwrrcw.org.uk>) will be active (on all bands 160-6 metres) as GW0NWR/P from Bardsey Island (EU-124) on 5-10 August. They will be operating from Bardsey Lighthouse for the first three days, then will move to Plas Bach, a farm house on the middle of the island, for the remaining time. QSL via GW0NWR (bureau) or direct GW0DSJ (Edward Shipton, 34 Argoed, Kinmal Bay, Rhyl. Conwy LL18 5LN,

Wales. [TNX GW0DSJ]

- H44 - Bernard, H44MS/DL2GAC eventually arrived to the Shortland Islands (OC1-62) on 27 February. "There are generators around", he says, "but gasoline is in short supply, if available 1 liter is 2 US\$". He reports he will try "to organise a solar panel locally", but for the time being he is using a battery and asks island chasers to refrain calling him if they already have this IOTA group. He will stay there until 15 or 16 March. QSL via DL2GAC.
- HC8 - Pedro, HC1OT is active as HC8Z from San Cristobal Island, Galapagos (SA-004) until 8 March. QSL via NE8Z (Rick Dorsch, P.O. Box 616, Hamburg, MI 48139, USA). [TNX NE8Z]
- HI - Look for Babs, DL7AFS/HI9 and Lot, DJ7ZG/HI9 to operate from the Dominican Republic (NA-096) on 4-23 March. They will be active on 80-6 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via DL7AFS. [TNX DJ7ZG]

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- HZ - Joe Musachia, W5FJG (ex KA5ZMK, aka EL2JM in 1987-89 and JY9ZK in 1991-93) works for the US State Department and is currently assigned to the American Consulate in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia for the next two years. Recently he received permission from the Saudi Government to operate from the Consulate using the call 7Z1AC. Joe plans to be on the air starting sometime in mid April. For now QSL via WA4JTK. Joe's web page (<http://sites.netscape.net/joeyjeep99usa/homepage>) will provide logs and operating updates. [TNX W5FJG/7Z1AC]
- I - Alfredo, IK7JWX reports that besides IQ7J [425DXN 512] other operators will be signing home call/7 from the Pedagne Islands (EU-091) on 3-4 March outside the ARRL DX SSB Contest. They will be active on SSB and RTTY.
- I - Mario, IZ8DBJ will participate in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as IQ8S (SOSB 10 metres). QSL via home call either direct (Mario Pesce, P.O. Box 15, 80070 Bacoli - NA, Italy) or through the bureau. This call will be aired again by "Campania Contest Team" (IZ8AJQ, IZ8DBJ IZ8CEV, I8TLI, IZ8CSD and IK8YBE) during this year's major contests. [TNX IZ8AJQ]
- I - Look for scout station III1TQ to be activated (on 2-80 metres SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and Hell) on 24-25 March by ARI Moncalieri, Radioscout AGESCI Piemonte and AGESCI Torino 40. QSL via IZ3CYN. [TNX IZ3CYN]
- I - Special station IROMA will be activated throughout April to celebrate the 2754th anniversary of the foundation of Rome. QSL direct only to I0MWI (Stefano Cipriani, Via Taranto 60, 00055 Ladispoli - RM, Italy). [TNX I0MWI]
- I - Jean-Pierre, ON4BBA and other seven operators from UBA-DST Amateur Radio Club ([hhpt://www.on4dst.be](http://www.on4dst.be)) will be active (mostly on SSB with some CW, RTTY and PSK) as IA5/home call from Elba Island (EU-028) on 12-19 May. They will also try to operate on VHF (skeds are welcome at [on4bba@village.uunet.be](mailto:on4bba@village.uunet.be)). QSL either direct to ON4AMM or through the bureau via ON4DST. [TNX ON4BBA]
- JA - Look for Masa, JA6GXX to be active from Meshima (Danjo Islands, AS-056) [425DXN 511] during his spare time as follows:  
3 March 03.30-07.00 UTC & 10.00-15.00 UTC  
4 March 00.30-02.30 UTC  
5 March 10.00-11.00 UTC  
6 March 10.00-15.00 UTC  
8 March 10.00-11.00 UTC  
He plans to operate mainly SSB on 20 (14260 +/- 10kHz), 15 (21260

- +/- 10 kHz) and 40 metres. QSL via the JARL bureau. [TNX JA3MZB]
- JA - Look for Joe, JA4PXE/6 to be active (on 40, 20, 15, 28 and 6 metres) from Mejima (Danjo Islands, AS-056) on 3-6 May. QSL via JA4PXE (Joe S. Kuwahara, 1-75 Midori, Tokuyama 745-0075, Japan). [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for Yuki, JI6KVR/6 and Shu, JA6IEF/6 to be active from Uji-jima (AS-067) on 4-6 May. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX JI6KVR]
- J2 - J28EX (F5THR) and J28NH (F5NHJ) hope to be active as J28CDX from Sept Freres (AF-059) at the end of March. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- JW - Look for Bjorn/LA9IY (JW9IY) and Morten/LA9GY (JW9GY) to participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest (24-25 March) as JW8G. They will be active before and after the contest. Further information at <http://www.qsl.net/la8g>. QSL via LA8G (Radioamatorklubben P35, P.O. Box 941, Sentrum, N-7409 Trondheim, Norway). [TNX LA9GY]
- KG4 - Jay/K4ZLE and Pick/WA5PAE will be active as KG4MO (QSL via K4ZLE) and KG4IZ (QSL via WA5PAE) from Guantanamo Bay on 16-25 March. They plan to operate on 160-6 metres, WARC bands included, mainly on CW with some SSB and possibly PSK-31. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH0 - Nob, JM1LRQ will be active (on 6-160 metres CW and SSB) as KH0/JM1LRQ from Saipan (OC-086) on 22-26 March. He plans to participate in the CQ WPX SSB Contest and will therefore concentrate on CW outside the contest. QSL via JM1LRQ either direct (Nobuyuki Arai, 5-6-1-1002 Kitayamata, Tsuzuki, Yokohama, 224-0021, Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JM1LRQ]
- OH0 - Frank/DL2SWW and Ric/DL2VFR will operate as OH0/home calls from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 14-20 April. They plan to be active on 6-160 metres mostly CW with some SSB and RTTY. QSL via home calls. For further information please visit <http://www.iota-expedition.com> [TNX DL2VFR]
- PJ/FS - Joe, W3HNC will be active as PJ7/W3HNC and FS/W3HNC from either Sint Maarten and St. Martin until 15 March, including some operation during the ARRL SSB Contest. QSLs for this operation go to KU9C.

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- PY - Look for PU1NEZ/2 (Carlos), PY1LVF/2 (Zeca), PY1NEW/2 (Pete) and PY1NEZ/2 (Lima) to be active on 10-80 metres CW and SSB from Sao Sebastiao Island (SA-028) on 15-19 March. They plan to operate on or around 3755, 7055, 14260, 18128, 21260, 24950, 28460 kHz SSB and 3539, 7030, 10115, 14040, 18098, 21040, 24920 and 28040 kHz CW. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX PY1NEZ]
- PY0\_tri- PU2RYW (Fran), PY2NW (Claudio) and PY2QI (Erwin) will operate as ZW0TB (SSB) and ZW0TW (CW) from Trindade (SA-010) for two or three days in October. QSL via PY2KQ. A web site is under construction at <http://www.radiohaus.com.br/trindade.htm> [TNX PY2QI]
- SM - Frank/DL2SWW and Ric/DL2VFR will operate as SM7/home calls from Oland Island (EU-037) on 21-28 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX DL2VFR]
- SM - A group of operators from the Grantham Amateur Radio Club will be active as SM5/G0GRC/P from Lammskar Island (EU-177) on 22-25 July. QSL via G0RCI either direct (Alan Gibson, 1 Oakleigh Rd., Grantham, Lincs. NG31 7NN, England). [TNX G0RCI]
- TA - Operators from club station TA2KI are planning to be active from Kefken Island (AS-???) the first week of June. [TNX G0APV]
- TX\_che - Jacky Calvo, F2CW is currently signing TX5CW from New Caledonia. The Daily DX reports that he, Dany/F5CW and a couple of other operators

- will be active from the Chesterfield Islands (OC-176) between 24 April and 8 May. Further information is expected in due course.
- UA - Dennis/RZ1AK and Vlad/UA1CIO will be active as home calls /p from Verperluda Island (EU-133, RR-01-11) on 7-10 March. QSL via RZ1AK either direct or through the bureau. [TNX RZ1AK]
  - UA - Serge, RA0JJ (Zone 19) plans to operate during the Russian DX Contest (17-18 March) on 80 metres CW. Look for him between 3503 and 3512 kHz. QSL to Serge Smirnoff, P.O.Box 1, Blagoveschensk, 675000, Russia. [TNX RA0JJ]
  - V2 - Chuck, N2CY has been forced to cancel his planned V26CY operation from Antigua [425DXN 512] due to unexpected business commitments. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
  - V7 - Tom, K7ZZ confirms the V73E operation from Enewetak Atoll (OC-087), Marshall Islands is scheduled to take place on 19-26 April [425DXN 511]. Team members are Dave (V73UX/WW2AVG), George (V73GT/AH8H), Tom (V73ZZ/K7ZZ) and Jim (W7UG). They plan to operate on SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-6 metres with two complete stations with amplifiers, a tribander, a multi-band vertical plus wire. QSL to WF5T either direct or via the bureau.
  - VK9\_lh - The Daily DX reporta that Ed, K8VIR (ZL4IR) plans to operate as VK9EHH from Lord Howe Island (OC-004) starting on 5 March. QSL via W8WC.
  - VP8\_fal- GMDX group members Rob/GM3YTS, Jack/GM4COX, Tom/GM4FDM and Gavin/GM0GAV will be active as VP8SDX from the Falklands (SA-002) between 23 April and 8 May. They plan to have two stations; the main focus will be on CW, LF and WARC bands. QSL via GM4FDM. Further information can be found at <http://www.hfdx.co.uk/vp8sdx> [TNX GM0GAV]
  - YB - Irfan, YC4FIJ is a resident on Belitung Island (OC-144) and can be found on 21260 kHz around 12 UTC till 16 UTC with YC9BU, YC8TXW, etc. QSL via YC9BU (Kadek Kariana Sp., P.O. Box 106, Singaraja 81100, Bali, Indonesia). [TNX YB5QZ]
  - ZK1 - Bavarian Contest Club (BCC) members Uwe/DL9NDS (ZK1NDS) and Klaus/DL7NFK (ZK1NFK) will operate from the Cook Islands between 29 April and 18 May. They will be active from Rarotonga (OC-013, South Cooks) from 29 April to 4 May and again on 12-18 May. Between 5 and 11 May they plan to operate from either Manihiki (OC-014, North Cooks) or Mangaia (OC-159, South Cooks), possibly with a stop at Aitutaki (OC-083, South Cooks). "A lot of activity" is expected on RTTY, PSK31 and MFSK16. QSL ZK1NDS via DL9NDS (Uwe Scherf, Itzgrund 15, 95512 Neudrossenfeld, Germany); QSL ZK1NFK via DL7NFK (Klaus Mohr, Am Anger 12, 95488 Eckersdorf, Germany). Up-to-date information and online logs can be found at <http://www.dl9nds.de/Cook/cook.html> [TNX DL7NFK]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Hirotada, JA0SC will be leaving Japan on 8 March to operate as A35SC from Tonga (10-15 March), as 5Wlxx from Samoa (15-19 March, call to be issued upon arrival) and as 3D2HY from Fiji (20-21 March). SSTV and RTTY enthusiasts should be looking for him on 14.233, 21.343, 28.683 MHz and 14.080, 21.080, 28.080 MHz respectively. QSL via JA0SC either direct (Hirotada Yoshiike, 722-1 Shiba matsushiro-cyo, Nagano-city, 381-1214, Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX Japan DX News]

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3D2CI ---> The team on Conway Reef had various problems. The WX continued to

deteriorate on Sunday, with rough sea, strong wind and heavy rain. The generator was damaged and it took almost 20 hours to resume the operation with a second generator. They were expected to operate until around 6 UTC on 1 March, but had to go QRT earlier than planned due to tropical cyclone Paula approaching Conway. The logs will be available at <http://www.kragujevac.co.yu/3d2/> after 9 March. [TNX VE3EXY]

NEW U.S. ISLANDS AWARD ---> Michael Crownover, AB5EB has announced the creation of the "Stars and Stripes Island Award" (SSIA), which is different from the "United States Island Award" (USIA). The SSIA has finite number of groups (673 groups from all 50 states and the District of Columbia). Further information is available at <http://www.qsl.net/ab5eb/ssia>

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Mario, IV3VBM is not the QSL manager for HC1BKP and Karl, DL2FAG is not the QSL manager for Z21AV. The DX Newsletter reports that DJ3QX is no longer the QSL manager for TZ1GH; all direct QSLs are returned to sender.

POSTAGE FROM FK ---> Didier, FK8VHN reports that while 1 US\$ (= 125 XPF) is not enough for postage to NA, SA and AS (135 XPF) or EU (155 XPF), 1 IRC is all right for all continents. [TNX SP7ICE]

QSL CY9 & FP ---> Henry, KT1J reports that QSL cards have finally arrived from the printers for the July 2000 operations of FP/KT1J, FP/N1JEZ and KT1J/CY9 (all via K1WY), and WV2B/CY9 and WA4RX/CY9 (both via N2AU). Direct and bureau cards will be mailed very shortly.

QSL FR/F6KDF/T ---> More than 3,000 QSL were mailed during this past weekend. Requests received in January and February will be processed in March. Also please note that "we confirm only QSO(s) requested on your QSL. We receive many QSLs with 'one' QSO and when we check the log we find many more QSOs. Only 'one' QSO requested is confirmed!".

QSL SA-030 ---> Pepe, EA5KB reports he now has the logs for CV0Z (1996) and CV1Z (2000). QSL direct to EA5KB (Jose F. Ardid Arlandis, Apartado 5013, 46080 Valencia, Spain).

QSL UA0FZ ---> The QSL manager (USA excluded) for Vlad, UA0FZ is IK2DUW: Antonello Passerella, P.O. Box 13448, 20051 Limbiate - MI, Italy. [TNX IK2DUW]

QSL VK0MM ---> Alan, VK4AAR reports that QSLing is now well underway; those who mailed in their cards immediately after the QSL address announcement at the end of January should be receiving their VK0MM QSL very shortly. An initial donation of approximately six thousand US\$ has already been made to the childrens cancer charity "Camp Quality" in Australia. There will be more donations to Camp Quality as the QSL process continues.

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IOTA CONTEST: The results of the RSGB IOTA Contest 2000 are now available at <http://www.ei5di.com/iota200r.html>.

LOGS: The latest logs for XX9TDX and VQ9GB are now available at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs> [TNX N6RT]

WRC 2001: The Russian Robinson Club (<http://rrc.sc.ru>) has announced the results of World Robinson Cup 2000 and the new rules for this year's marathon (1 April-30 September). Questions can be sent to [wrc\\_rrc@mail.ru](mailto:wrc_rrc@mail.ru) [TNX RZ3EC]

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QSL received direct: 3W3SK, 3W7CW, 3W7TK, 4K54CW, 4W6MM, 5R8GC, 5R8O, 5U7X, 5V7VJ, 7P8AA, 9G5AA, 9Y4SRR, A35AD, A35AU, A45XM, A52DX, A52GJ, AP2NK, AX2000, AX2GAMES, BA4DW, BO2YA (AS-102), BV7FF, CE0/JA3IG, CE8/KD6WW (SA-050), CU6/DJ6SI, E30TA, EM5UIA, EP2MKO, EX2T, EY2A, EY8/W6XD, EZ8BO, FK8HZ, FO0DEH (OC-057, OC-067, OC-238), FO0PT, FR/F6KDF/T, FT5XN, FY/DJ6SI, HC8A, II7LE, IK7JWX/7 (WAIL PU-007), IU0FM, J3A, J5X, J5Z, JT1DA, JY4NE, KH6ND/KH5, N2OO/P (NA-111), OD5/JY4NE, OX3UB (NA-134), P29VPY, PJ5CM, PV5IOTA (SA-088), RK0FWL/P (AS-149), RV2FW, SV3/IZ7ATN/P (EU-158), SV9/IW0FQZ/P (EU-187), SV9/IZ0CKJ/P (EU-187), T32R, T77C, TA0/IZ7ATN/p (AS-099), TA0/IZ7ATN/P (EU-186), TE6U (NA-155), TF8GX, TG0AA, TS7N, V47KP, V73UX, V73XP, VK6BM (OC-234), VK6BSI (OC-243), VK8AN/6 (OC-154), VP8DBQ, W2RA/VY0 (NA-047), XQ0Y, XT2OW, XV9TH, XW1UD, XX9TDX, YC9MKF/P (OC-241), YC9WZJ/P (OC-239), YC9WZJ/P (OC-241), YJ0PD (OC-035), YJ0V, ZA1B, ZB2X, ZC4GL, ZK1NDK, ZK1NJC, ZL3CW, ZM1A, ZM8CW, ZS6AVP.

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- The 425 DX News DXCC Most Wanted Survey for the year 2001 is up and running on our web site - if you want to participate, please go to <http://www.425dxn.org/survey/>
- 425 DX News is now also available as a monthly edition (either .doc and .pdf formats) with pictures, DXpedition images etc.
- Do not forget that the opening page features an engine that allows you to search anything you want within the site.

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- 9M - Mirek, 9V1XE (VK3DXI) will be active (mainly on CW on the usual IOTA frequencies) as 9M8DX/2 from Penang Island (AS-015) between 13 and 15 March. QSL via 9V1XE (Mirek Rozbicki, 7 Seletar Terrace, Singapore 806908).
  - A5 - Dimitri, RA9CO plans to operate (on all bands CW and SSB) as A52CO (hopefully) from Bhutan on 15-21 March. His main activity will take place during the Russian DX Contest (from 12 UTC on 17 March to 12 UTC on the 18th). QSL via UA9DD (P.O. Box 69, Ekaterinburg, 620073, Russia). [TNX The Daily DX]
  - EA - Pepe, EA5KB plans to be active again from EU-151 on 10 March. Look for him on 12, 17 and 15 metres (21260 kHz). He will be QRV for Asia around 8 UTC and for North America around 14 UTC. QSL via EA5KB.
  - HK0\_mal - Pedro, HK3JJH will be leaving for another trip to Malpelo the first week of April. QRZ-DX (<http://www.dxpub.com>) Editor Carl Smith, N4AA reports that "he will stay for 30 days this time. Please note that Pedro does not work CW. I have been working with Pedro to try and obtain some financial assistance and other support. I have agreed to be the QSL Manager for Pedro and have made arrangements to have QSL cards donated to him". If you would like to assist Pedro in making this trip, you can send your donation to Carl, N4AA (P.O. Box DX, Leicester, NC 28748-0249, USA); these funds will be collected in a separate account for Pedro's expenses. Further details are expected in due course.
  - JA - The Toshiba Corp. Fuchuu AMC station JA1YVT will be activated on CW, SSB and RTTY from O-shima (AS-008) on 17-18 March. QSL via bureau to JA1YVT or direct to JA1CKE (Yukio Hoshino, 248-1821, Tate, Hachiouji, 193-0944, Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]
  - T8 - Kai, JM1LJS will be active (on 80-6 metres CW and SSB) as T88LJS from Palau on 17-20 March. QSL via JH8DEH (Akira Miyata, 4-28-5 Minami, Nishi 23, Obihiro, 080-2473, Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]
  - W - Silvano, KB5GL plans to operate (on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB) as KB5GL/5 from Ship Island (NA-082) between 14 and 22 UTC on 10 March. QSL via KB5GL either direct (Silvano Amenta, 5028 Hearst

Street, Metaire, LA 70001, USA; contributions are welcome) or through the bureau. [TNX KB5GL]

YB - Dayan Sianipar/YC6LAY, Lily Suryani/YB6LYS, Agustinus Ginting/YC6JKV and Zulkarman Syafrin/YC6PLG will be active from Mu(r)sala Island (OC-???) on 15-18 March. They plan to operate on 15 and 20 metres SSB. QSL via YC6LAY (Dayan Sianipar, P.O. Box 17, Balige 22300, Sumatera Utara, Indonesia). [TNX YC6PLG]

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PW0S ---> The final QSO count for the recent PW0S DXpedition to St. Peter and St. Paul Rocks was around 7,800. "The team (PY7XC, PY7ZY, PT7BZ, PY0FF) arrived at the Rocks on the morning of February 9, finding the sea much too rough to even consider landing", PW0S Coordinator Bill Smith, W9VA reports. "The seas subsided enough on the morning of February 12 to attempt a landing, and they were able to get some equipment ashore and operating by 2100Z. The bad weather continued with high winds, lightning and rain, frequently interrupting operations. Because of the three day delay in landing, by February 16 the group was already way overdue getting home to their families and jobs. Supplies were running out. The weather was such that they could safely get themselves and equipment off the Rocks, and the sensible decision was made to leave." The QSO count "is well below expectations", but they were "7,800 contacts that would have not been made at all without incredible courage and devotion to our hobby. An effort was made to spend at least a little time on all bands and modes, including RTTY". QSL via KU9C. The web pages for PW0S are at <http://www.soutomaior.eti.br/mario/paginas/dx.htm> (logs should be available soon).

QSL D68C ---> Please note that the QSL manager is G3SWH (Phil Whitchurch, 21 Dickensons Grove, Congresbury, Bristol BS49 5HQ, England), not G3SXW.

QSL ZF2LM ---> Jay, AF2C is the QSL manager for ZF2LM. Bureau cards are welcome, direct requests should include an SASE or \$1.00, no IRCs please. [TNX AF2C]

QSL VIA IN3ZNR ---> Fabrizio reports he will start processing QSL requests for XW3ZNR and XW3QBR (27 December 2000- 11 January 2001) after 15 March, when he expects to receive the cards from the printer. The address for IN3ZNR is Fabrizio Vedovelli, Via Gramsci 27, 38100 Trento - TN, Italy.

ST0P ---> DXCC Manager Bill Moore, NC1L reports that ST0P (a "lack of documentation" case) has been approved and cards can be submitted for DXCC credit.

TM1Z ---> Luc, F6OYU reports this is the first special TM call legally issued by the licencing authority in France since "more than one year". QSL via F6OYU (Luc Hedoin, 1020 route de Frans, 69400 Villeranche, France).

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BV9L: A photo gallery from the recent BV9L (AS-155) operation is now

available on Yuki's (JI6KVR) we site at <http://www3.ocn.ne.jp/~iota/>  
 QSL DB: Boye Christensen, OZ7C has updated his QSL DBase (which now contains 281,430 unique records) for Packet Cluster. You can download oz7c0103.exe at:  
<http://www.muurkrant.com/pi4com/QSLDatabase/index.html>  
 A search engine is available at <http://www.hammall.com> [TNX OZ7C, oz7c@qsl.net]

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3B8/G4BVY	G4BVY	CN8KD	EA5XX	PJ2/K6RO	K6RO
3D2AA	VE6VK	CO8CY	EA5KB	PJ2/W6KK	W6KK
3D2AD	YT1AD	CO8TW	IZ8CCW	PJ2K	K6RO
3D2AV	YU7AV	CT9L	DJ6QT	PJ7/ND5S	ND5S
3D2RR	YS1RR	CW0Z	EA5KB	PJ7/W3HNK	KU9C
3D2TT	YU1DX	D2BB	W3HNK	PJ7B	W8EB
3G0Y	DK7YY	D68C	G3SWH	PJ7WB	W8EB
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	DU5/LA7YX	LA7YX	PJ8/W1HL	AA1M
3Y0C	WA4FFW	EA8/DL7AU	DL7VRO	PT2/KC2BAA	OK1FWQ
4H2B	VE7DP	EA8BH	OH2BH	R3/DL7BO	DL7BY
4K6GF	TA2ZV	ED4MLY	EA4IF	R73A	RZ3AA
4K8F	UA9AB	ED5MUC	EA5VM	RZ1AK/p	RZ1AK
4L5T	LY2MM	ED6MVF	EA6ADY	S21YE	G4VLV
4L7O	DL7BY	EM1HO	I2PJA	S21YJ	SM4AIO
4U1WB	KK4HD	EN23RW	UX2RY	S79MX	HB9MX
4W/N7RO	pirate	EP3HR	I2MQP	S92DX	W7KNT
5A24PA	PA1AW	FK/F2CW	ZL3CW	SD5DS	SM5BDY
5B4/RA3DJA	RU3FM	FK8GJ	F6CXJ	SU/ZS6WPX	ZS6WPX
5N2BHF	OE6LAG	FM5DN	KU9C	T32RD	OK1RD
5U2K	I2YSB	FO/DL1AWI	DL1AWI	TI4G	TI4JVY
5U3T	I2YSB	FO0ARE	HA8IB	TK5KT	F6FNU
5U5A	I2YSB	FS/ND5S	ND5S	TK5XN	F2YT
5W0DA	F6EPY	FS/W3HNK	KU9C	TM5J	F8CIO
5X1Z	SM6CAS	GH0STH	G4DIY	TM5K	F5BGR
6Y5/4S7RO	G0IAS	H44MS	DL2GAC	TX5CW	ZL3CW
6Y8A	WA4WTG	HC2/KG4CIJ	HC2GT	UA1CIO/p	RZ1AK
7X2RO	OM3CGN	HC8Z	NE8Z	UA1PBP/9	RK1PWA
8P5A	W2SC	HH2SJR	KZ5RO	UA6CT/6	RK6AXS
8P9AP	K2WE	HI3/OK2ZU	OK2ZU	UN7JC	K8BTH
8P9JA	K4MA	HI9/DJ7ZG	DL7AFS	UN9LFF	LZ1YE
8P9JB	AA4NC	HI9/DL7AFS	DL7AFS	V31GI	PA3GIO
8P9Z	K4BAI	HP1/F5PAC	F5PAC	V5/DJ7XG	DJ7XG
8Q7CR	DF5JR	HV4NAC	IK0FVC	VI3GP	VK3ER
9G0ARS	IK3HHX	HZ1AB	K8PYD	VP2EF	AC8G
9G1AA	PA3ERA	II2R	I2RFJ	VP2EM	N6JRL
9G1MR	IK3HHX	II9F	IT9FXV	VP2EO	WD8MQJ
9G5EP	IK3BNO	IO7C	I7PXV	VP2EX	N8JE
9K2ZZ	W8CNL	IQ7J	IK7JWX	VP2MDY	NW8F
9M0M	K7XN	IQ8S	IZ8DBJ	VP5/K4CN	N2AU
9M6AAC	N2OO	IR2G	IZ2BHQ	VP5/K4ISV	N2AU
9M6DBT	WN7J	IR4R	IK4ALM	VP9/W6PH	W6PH
9M6MBT	WN7J	IV3JWE	IV3VBM	VP9KK	K1EFI
9V1GA	JA4BJO	J37BO	K4LTA	W4D	W5UE
9V1XE	DL4DBR	J37LR	VE3EBN	WP3A	W4DN
9Y4/DL2RVS	DL2YY	JD1BCK	JM1TUK	XA5T	N5TU

A35BQ	I6BQI	JW3FL	LA3FL	XU7ABQ	DK6ST
A35SC	JA0SC	JY4NE	K3IRV	XU7ABS	DL1DA
A41KJ	N5FTR	KH0/JH1XYR	JH1XYR	YB0GJS	K5ZE
A61AQ	N1DG	KH0WW	JP1IOF	YC1WAE	K5ZE
B7K	W2AY	LX/PB5CW	PA1TO	Z31JA	NN6C
BD7NQ	W2AY	M0SDX	UT2UB	ZF2AH	W6VNR
BD7NQ/7	W2AY	OH0Z	OH1EH	ZF2MU	K4BI
BQ9P	KU9C	OT1H	ON4ACT	ZK1EPY	F6EPY
BV9L	BV4YB	P40W	N2MM	ZK2BQI	I6BQI
C56/DL2OE	DL2OE	P49MR	VE3MR	ZK3HC	DL9HCU
C56/DL7CM	DL7CM	P49V	AI6V	ZL4CC	G3PJT
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- 9M6 - Peter, G4MJS plans to be active again as 9M6BAA from East Malaysia from 21 March to 4 April. QSL via G4SHF either direct or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CO - Eduardo, CO8LY might operate as CO8LY/p from Cayo Granma within a week or so. According to Eduardo, this small coastal island is part of the Las Tunas/Holguin/Santiago de Cuba Province group (NA-218); however its IOTA status, in the absence of detailed information, is not confirmed and at the moment Cayo Granma does not count for IOTA. [TNX KB5GL]
- EM\_ant - Igor, EM1KCC is currently active from Vernadsky Base on Galindez Island (AN-006). QSL via UT7UA.
- F - Jean-Marc F5SGI reports his activity from Yeu Island (EU-064) will be shorter than previously announced [425DXN 513]; he will now operate as F5SGI/p from 14 to 21 April. QSL via home call. [TNX F5NQL]
- F - The Belgian group of "The Minkies Boys" (<http://www.qsl.net/on6ck>) will participate in the IOTA Contest from Sein Island (EU-068). They plan to arrive to the island on 25 July and to leave on the 30th and to operate as TM5CK and F/ON6CK/p. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX ON9CGB]
- FK - Johnny, LA5IIA is going to take a few days' leave from Norwegian Army in the KFOR (Kosovo) and hopes to operate from Noumea, New Caledonia (OC-032) from 24 to 31 March. He plans to be active mostly on CW (1826, 3505, 7005, 10105, 14005, 18075, 21005, 24895, 28005 kHz) with some RTTY (14082, 21082, 28082 kHz). Most of the SSB QSOs will be made during the CQ WW WPX Contest (requested call FX8G). QSL direct to LA9GY (Morten Antonsen, Hallsetreina 6, N-7027 Trondheim, Norway) or through the bureau to LA5IIA. [TNX LA9GY]
- G - A team from Otley Amateur Radio Society will be visiting the Thomas Chippendale Primary School in Otley, West Yorkshire on 20 March as part of National Science Week 2001. A special event station will operate on HF and VHF with the callsign GB0TCS. [TNX G0SNV]
- H40 - The OPDX Bulletin reports that Ron, ZL1AMO expects to operate, probably as H40RW, from Temotu from around 21 March for three weeks. The name of the island is not mentioned, but the IOTA group should be OC-065. Look for Ron on CW, SSB and RTTY barefoot. His liaison during the operation is Dick, N6FF (n6ff@tco.net). QSL direct to ZL1AMO.
- HB0 - Five French operators will be active (on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres) as HB0/F6KQL from Liechtenstein between 23 and 26 March, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via F6KQL either direct (Radio Club MJC, 7 Rue de Longvic, 21300 Chenove, France) or through the bureau. [TNX F5LIW]
- HK0\_mal - QRZ DX reports that Pedro, HK3JJH will have neither amplifier nor beams during his April operation from Malpelo [425DXN 514], as he



will have to climb a 17-metre rope ladder, get to an overhanging catwalk and then reach the operating site on the top of the island (350 metres above sea level). For these reasons he will be using a long wire for 80 and 160 metres and a vertical for the other bands. Contributions can be sent to Carl Smith, N4AA (P.O. Box 249, Leicester, NC 28748, USA), editor of QRZ-DX and QSL manager for this operation.

- HS - QRZ-DX reports that the E29AL operation from Terutao Island (AS-126) [425DXN 512] is scheduled for 6-15 April. Those who want to contribute to the expedition are invited to contact Ray (G3NOM@rast.or.th), Cy (HS0GBI@rast.or.th) or Winit (HS1CKC@rast.or.th).
- I - IV3HAX and IV3SKB plan to operate from the islands of Marinetta (EU-130, IIA UD-004) and Martignano (EU-130, IIA UD-005) between 1 and 8 May. They should be active on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30 and 40 metres SSB. CW and RTTY. QSL via IV3HAX. [TNX IV3HAX]
- I - Special station IB0S will be activated from Santo Stefano Island (EU-045, IIA LT-010) on 23-27 May. QSL via IOYKN (Nuccio Meoli, Via della Stazione snc, 04010 Cori - LT, Italy). [TNX Crazy DX Group]
- KH2 - Yoichi, JP1NWZ will be active as KH0XX/NH2 from Guam on 22-26 March. He will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as AH7X/WH2 (SOAB). QSL via JP1NWZ (Yoichi Sakurada, C201 3-11-24 Nakahara Isogo, 235-0036 Yokohama, Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]

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- JA - Masa, JA6GXX has cancelled his 21-30 March trip to Meshima (AS-056) [425DXN 511], but will be on the island from 10 to 20 April. As always he will operate during his spare time on 40, 20 (+/- 14260 kHz) and 15 (+/- 21260 kHz) metres. QSL via bureau. [TNX JA3MZB]
- J3 - The following frequencies are expected to be used during the 30 March-11 April operation from Grenada by W1HEO and W5PF [425DXN 511]: 7030, 14030, 18080, 21030, 24910 and 28030 (CW), 7085, 14185, 14240, 18140, 21320, 24940 and 28440 (SSB). Special attention will be given to the WARC bands and the General-class portions of the phone bands. [TNX W5PF]
- JA - Look for Take, JI3DST/6 to be active from O-shima (AS-012) between 30 March and 1 April. QSL via JI3DST either direct (Takeshi Funaki, 2-18-26 Hannan-cho, Abeno-ku, Osaka-city, Osaka 545-0021, Japan) or through the bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]
- LU - Fifteen operators from Radio Club Rosario will be a signing LR7DX on all bands and modes from 20 to 26 March, including a Multi-Single entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. Their activity will take place from Punta Rasa, a Natural Reserve close to Cape San Antonio Lighthouse. QSL direct to P.O. Box 400, 2000 Rosario, Argentina or through the bureau via LU8FDZ. [TNX LU2FFD]
- PA - Ron, ON4ALW and other operators from UBA section "NOK" will operate from Texel Island (EU-038) during the IOTA Contest (28-29 July). In 1999 and 2000 they used PA6TEX, but this year they will apply for a shorter call with a special prefix. Further information is expected in due course. QSL via ON4ALW either direct or through the Belgian bureau. [TNX ON4ALW]
- PY - Look for ZV3F and ZW3F to operate (SSB and CW) from Fort Duque de Caxias (DFH RS-01) on 24-25 March. QSL via PY3UR. [TNX PP5SZ]
- PY - PU1NEZ/p (Carlos), PY1LVF/p (Zeca), PY1NEW/p (Pete) and PY1NEZ/p (Lima) will operate (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) from Ilha dos Francese (SA-077) between 29 March and 2 April. QSL via home calls

either through the bureau or direct to PU1NEZ (Carlos Guilherme Correa, Calle Presidente Backer 9 apto. 306, 24220-045 Niteroi, RJ, Brazil), PY1LVF (Jose Luiz Vieira Fernandez, Apartado Postal 18009, 20722-970 Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil), PY1NEW (Emanuel Tavares Filho, Apartado Postal 100659, 24001-970 Niteroi, RJ, Brazil), PY1NEZ (Rogaciano de Lima Correa Filho, Calle Belizario Augusto 91 apto. 1101, 24230-200 Niteroi, RJ, Brazil). [TNX PY1NEZ]

- TA - After operating as SV8/IT9YRE/p (EU-174) and ZK1YRE (OC-159) in 2000, Nando, IT9YRE is now going to Turkey and be active from Giresun Island (AS-154). This time he has been joined by seasoned CW operator Enrico, IT9AXZ. Look for them to be active as TA0/IT9YRE/p and TA0/IT9AXZ/p on 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres between 27 and 30 March. QSL via home calls. [TNX IT9GAI & IT9YRE]
- TI - Helmut, DJ4VW is active as TI2/DJ4VW from Ciudad Colon, Costa Rica until 23 March. He plans to focus on the WARC bands SSB. QSL via home call either direct or through the DARC bureau. [TNX DF6PW]
- TX\_che - Les Nouvelles DX reports that Jacky (F2CW/ZK3CW), Dany (F5CW/FK8VHY) and other two operators will leave Noumea on 24 April. The operation from the Chesterfield Islands (OC-176) [425DXN 513] is expected to take place between 27 April and 2 May. The team will be back to Noumea on 6 May. They have applied for TX0C or TX5C. [TNX F6AJA]
- UA - Pavel, UA0YAY (Zone 23) will participate in this weekend's Russian DX Contest (rules at <http://rdxc.narod.ru/news.html>). QSL via IK2QPR (Paolo Fava, Via Bertani 8, 46100 Mantova - MN, Italy).
- UA - Operators from "The Funkner DX Family" plan to go to south-east Siberia (Zone 18) next summer and operate as either RZ3DZZ/0 or with a shorter special call from Yarki Island (not IOTA, RRC-new). Those who want to join the team can contact Yuri, RN3FX (fdxf@aha.ru). The web site for the operation is at <http://www.funcap.narod.ru/yarki.html> [TNX RN3FX]
- V5 - DM5TI is expected to be active as V5/DM5TI from Namibia between 19 and 27 March. QSL via home call. [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX Notes]
- V6 - Noz, JE8KKX will be active as V63KX from Yap Island (OC-012) until 21 March. QSL via JE8KKX either direct (Nozomu Takahashi, 2-5, 5-chome 18-jo Toko, Asahikawa, 078-8358 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JR8VSE]
- VK - Bill, VK4FW plans to visit three groups (OC-172, OC-138 and OC-187) within the next 2 months. He expects to activate them one behind the other and to operate as VK4FW/p. Further details are expected in due course. [TNX VK4FW]
- VK9 - Neil, VK6NE reports that Jerzy, SP9EVP will be active from Cocos/Keeling (OC-003) on 24-31 March and from Christmas Island (OC-002) between 31 March and 6 April. He expects to get the licence upon his arrival to Perth, Australia on 19 March.
- VP5 - Dave/W5AO, Connie/K5CM and Pam/N5KW will operate (on 160-6 metres CW and SSB) as VP5/home call from North Caicos Island (NA-002) between 21 March and 5 April, including and entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as VP5V. QSL VP5/K5CM via K5CM, QSL VP5/N5KW via N5KW, QSL VP5/W5AO and VP5V to P.O. Box 88, Morris, OK 74445-088, USA. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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- VP6 - Kan, JA1BK and Jacky, F2CW/ZL3CW were active as VP6BK and VP6CW from Pitcairn (OC-044) last weekend. It is worth visiting Kan's web pages (<http://www.iiynet.or.jp/JA1BK/index2.html>) and reading what

he wrote on 7 March, as it seems he has found a potential new Entity for the DXCC programme. Kan does not give the name, but it should be Ducie Island (OC-182). "Pitcairn will apply for membership into the International Amateur Radio Union (IARU)", The Daily DX reports. "If Pitcairn were to become a Geopolitical DXCC Entity it looks as if Ducie would clearly make the distance, thus becoming a new one. This C shaped island is 540 kilometers east of Pitcairn, but more importantly it is approximately 377 kilometers east of Henderson Island, which is the closest island. It will take a minimum of 6 months to become a member of the IARU and possibly as long as 12 months".

- VP8\_ant - Mike, GM0HCQ is currently active as VP8ROT from Rothera Base on Adelaide Island (AN-001). He is expected to be in Antarctica for one month. QSL via home call.
- W - Rough seas and strong winds prevented Silvano, KB5GL from reaching Ship Island (NA-082) last week [425DXN 514], but he will try again on 17 March. Look for him on 15 metres SSB between +/- 16.45 UTC and 21.30 UTC.
- XU - Frank, DL4KQ (XU7ABR) reports that the planned activity from Cambodia (15 July-3 August) [425DXN 511] will take place from Siem Reap (Angkor Wat) for the first four days, with limited high band operations. The group of four operators will then move to Sihanoukville where they should be active on all bands 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via DL4KQ either direct (Frank Rosenkranz, Blumenstr. 25, 50126 Bergheim, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. Updates will be posted on <http://www.dl4kq.de>
- YV - Rick, NE8Z will be in Venezuela from 26 March to 4 April signing YV5/NE8Z from the Caracas area. From roughly 30 March to 2 April he will operate as YV5/NE8Z from Los Roques (SA-035). Look for him only on or around 28.460 SSB. QSL via NE8Z (Rick Dorsch, P.O. Box 616, Hamburg, MI 48139, USA). [TNX NE8Z]
- ZK1\_nc - Victor, Tuatai/ZK1CY (ZK1MA), Roger/W7VW (ZK1VVV), Bob/W7TSQ (ZK1TSQ) and three other members of the Western Washington DX Club will be going to Manihiki (OC-014), North Cooks and operate on 10-160 metres for one week in October, including an entry in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest. If interested in joining the team or contributing to the expedition please e-mail Victor ([sales@computers.co.ck](mailto:sales@computers.co.ck)) or Roger ([huntleyr@gte.net](mailto:huntleyr@gte.net)). [TNX ZK1CG]
- ZK1\_sc - Victor, ZK1CG is back on the air after ten years thanks to the gear donated by Roger, W7VW. He operates on 10-160 metres from Rarotonga (OC-013) in the South Cooks. Victor is currently clearing his backlog; if you worked him from South or North Cooks and did not receive a card, please send your request again to Victor Rivera, P.O. Box 618, Rarotonga, Cook Islands. [TNX ZK1CG]
- ZK2 - If his scheduled flight is not cancelled, Hape, DL1EMH will be active (on 80-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY) as ZK2GEO from Niue Island (OC-040) between 18 March and 8 April. QSL via DL1EMH. [TNX The Daily DX]

CQ WW WPX SSB CONTEST: the following stations are expected to participate in this year's event:

- A6 - A multi-national team of 10 operators from Ali Al Futtaim's (A61AJ) super station in Dubai, UAE. QSL via W3UR either direct (Bernie McClenny, 3025 Hobbs Road, Glenwood, MD 21738, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CT - Cupido, CT1BNW as CQ3CEC. QSLs via CT1BNW. [TNX CT1BNW]
- EA8 - The Grand Canaria DX Group as AM8CI (Multi-Single). QSL via bureau or to EA8AKN. [TNX EA8AKN]
- EA8 - Jaakko, OH1MA and Pekka, OH1RY as OH1MA/EA8 (SOSB 40 metres) and EA8AH (SOSB 15 metres) respectively. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F - The Council of Europe ARC as TP5CE. The operators will be F6FQK, F5AEG, F5MUX, F5NLY and F5PAC. QSL via F6FQK [TNX F6FQK]
- FK - FK8GM and FK8HC as TX5G. [TNX Les Nouvelles DX]

- LX - Contest Group Luxembourg as LX5A (Multi-Single). QSL via LX1RQ either direct or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- LX - Philippe, LX2AJ as LX7I (SOSB 20 metres). QSL via LX2AJ (Philippe Luty, 6A Sentier de Bricherhof, L-1262 Luxembourg). [TNX LX2AJ]
- P4 - John, KK9A as P40A from Aruba (SA-036). QSL via WD9DZV. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- PY - Mario, PP5MQ as PS5S on 10 metres low power. QSL direct only to PP5MQ (Mario Marquardt, P.O. Box 212, 89201-972 Joinville - SC, Brazil). [TNX PP5MQ]
- SM - Tomas/SM6VVT, Steve/SM6HRR, Lars/SM6NM and Sture/SM6CKS as SI900TKM (<http://www.listen.to/sk6nl>). QSL via SK6NL (Kungälv Sandareamatörer, P.O. Box 625, SE-442 17 Kungälv, Sweden). [TNX SM6VVT]
- SV - Kostas, SV1DPI and others as J41K from Agrinio, Greece. QSL via SV1DPI either direct (Kostas Stamatis, P.O. Box 66, 30100 Agrinio, Greece) or through the bureau. [TNX SV1DPI]

Do not forget to check the NG3K "Announced Operation" tables at <http://www.ng3k.com>

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6Y8A ---> The results and photos of the 6Y8A DXpedition University (DXU) trip to Jamaica are available at <http://www.k2kw.com>. DXU was the first of its kind to offer a training ground for hams wanting to learn the art of DXpeditioning. In total, the group made over 21,000 QSOs, and nearly 11,000 in the ARRL SSB Contest. Kenny, K2KW is thinking of holding another trip in October or November; if interested in attending, please e-mail him ([k2kw@prodigy.net](mailto:k2kw@prodigy.net)) [TNX K2KW]

CONTEST DINNER ---> The Northern California Contest Club has announced that the 3rd Annual International DX Convention Contest Dinner will take place on Friday, 20 April at the Holiday Inn Visalia. Full details can be provided by Ken Silverman, K2KW ([k2kw@prodigy.net](mailto:k2kw@prodigy.net)). The web pages for the Visalia DX Convention are at <http://www.ncdxc.org/Ncdxc/Convention>

D68C ---> The 8-28 February D68C operation from the Comoros "will go into the record books in almost every category imaginable", Don Field, G3XTT reports. For instance, the final tally of 168,722 QSOs is 75% above the previous ZL9CI record (96,004 QSOs), 16,412 QSOs is the new "first 24hrs" record (previously held by FO0AAA with 14,000 QSOs) and 45,315 is the new "unique calls" record, previously held by 4J1FS (36,109). The band/mode QSO count is as follows:

	160m	80m	40m	30m	20m	17m	15m	12m	10m	6m	Total
CW	1294	4311	10607	9314	11843	9477	13117	10356	13925	238	84482
SSB	101	1680	3235	0	14227	7525	17093	10852	20617	167	75497
RTTY	0	0	0	0	1160	0	1390	0	1617	0	4167
PSK	0	0	0	0	157	0	524	0	431	0	1112
MFSK	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	6
FM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3458	0	3458
Tot	1395	5991	13842	9314	27387	17002	32126	21208	40052	405	168722

Several picture galleries, anecdotes, statistics, etc are available on the DXpedition's web site at <http://www.dxbands.com/comoros>

FO0ARE ---> Laci, HA0HW gives the latest and final information for FO0ARE's (home call HA9RE) recent operations from French Polynesia. Eli was active

from Tahiti (OC-046) on 27-28 February and again on 6-7 March, while on 1-5 March he operated from Manihi, King George Islands (OC-131). QSL via HA8IB either direct (Szabo Karoly, Aradi str. 42, H-5525 Fuzesgyarmat, Hungary) or through the bureau. Eli and Sara, HA9SD plan to operate from Austral or Marquesas Islands this autumn.

QSL 3D2TC ---> Please note that Bob, W7TSQ is not and has never been the QSL manager for Craig, 3D2TC. Cards should be sent direct only to 3D2TC (Craig Thompson, P.O. Box 273, Suva, Fiji Islands). [TNX W7TSQ]

QSL IO4T ---> This call was used (and will be used in future contests) by operators from the Northern Italy DX Team during the ARRL DX SSB Contest. QSL via IK4XCL. [TNX IK4RQJ]

QSL SY7LH ---> Akis, SV7CLI reports that all the direct requests for SY7LH (Alexandroupolis Lighthouse during the International Lighthouse Weekend in August 2000) have been processed in early March.

QSL VIA VE6VK ---> The following comes from Russ, VE6VK: "Enforcement of regulations concerning Canadian Amateurs who are QSL Managers for foreign amateurs force the following changes. It is required that the DX station become a fully paid up member of Radio Amateurs of Canada before their cards will be processed. It is regretted that NO Bureau cards will be handled by me for 3D2AA, 3D2CC, V8IAN and VE6RH." Cards should be sent direct only to Russ. A. Wilson, 1235 Richland Road N.E., Calgary, AB T2E 5M5, Canada.

QSL VIA XX9BB ---> Chang, XX9AU reports he is no longer the QSL manager for XX9SAR, XX9ARM and XX9JUV. The new QSL manager is XX9BB.

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LOGS: Logs for BV9L (AS-155) are now available at <http://www3.ocn.ne.jp/~iota/> [TNX JI6KVR]

LOGS: Logs for Hide's (JM1LJS) past operations as T88LJ are available at <http://radio-dream.com/logsearch/t88lj/> [TNX JM1LJS]  
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QSL received via direct: 3A/OH1RY, 3D2AD, 3D2TC, 3DA0NL, 3V8BB, 3W2LWS, 3W50K (AS-132), 4F4IX, 4U1ITU, 4W/OH2BF (OC-148), 4W/ON6TT (OC-148), 4W6GH (OC-148), 4W6GH/P (OC-232), 4W6MM (OC-148), 5A1A, 5B4AGN, 5I3A, 5T5YD/P (AF-050), 5V7VJ, 5X1Z, 5Z4XW, 6W6JX, 7P8/ZS5GMW, 8A3B (OC-197), 8P9JR, 8P9JS, 8P9JT, 8P9JU, 8P9P, 9A0A, 9V1YC, A22DX, A22HH, A52W, A52YL, AX2GAMES, BA7JA/7 (AS-129), BD4ED/4, BD5HAG, BI4S (AS-150), BV9A, C91CU, CE8/KD6WW (SA-050), CN8WW, CV0F (AS-057), D4A (AF-005), D68/G3OZF, D90CP, DS0DX/4 (AS-148), DU1/DK3GI, DU9BCD (OC-235), E30TA, E44/IZ0CKJ, EA8AH, EP2MKO, EP3SMH, EX8QB, EY8MM, FG5BG, FM5GU, FM5WD, FO0AND (OC-046), F00KUN (OC-067), FR/F6KDF/T, FY/W7XU, GI0PGC (EU-122), GU3NHL, HB0/PI4TUE, HK0VGJ, HF0POL, HP3XBH, HQ0R, II7LE, IK7JWX/7 (WAIL PU-007), IU0FM, JI3DST (AS-037, AS-041, AS-043, AS-047, AS-067, AS-147), JW5HE, JW5RIA (EU-063), K5K, KH0/JN1WTK, KH0AC, KH6ND/KH5, OH1LU/P (EU-096), OX2K, OX3UB (NA-134), OY/DL2VFR, P40P, PJ5/UA1ACX, PJ7/K7ZUM, PY0FF, R0L (AS-066), PZ5JR, PZ5RA, R1AND, R1ANP, R3RRC/ANT, RW2F, SU9AM, SV1TP/8 (EU-060, EU-075, EU-113), SV5/DL8DZV, SV8/IZ7ATN/P (EU-174), SV9/IW0FQZ/P (EU-187), SV9/IZ0CKJ/P (EU-187), SY2A, T88TV, TA0/IZ7ATN/P (AS-099, EU.186), TE6U (NA-155), TE8CI, TF/LA2IJ, TG9NX, TI7/N5BEK, TR0A/P (AF-089), UA0FZ (AS-018), UA1PAC/P (EU-086), UA1PAO/P (EU-086), UA1QV/1 (EU-085; RR-03-05), UA1TAN/1 (EU-147, EU-162), UU7J/P (EU-180), V26FM, V26WP, V31YW (NA-073), V63KP, V73GT, V73JK (OC-028), V73UX (OC-028), VK0MM, VK6BM

(OC-234), VK6BSI (OC-243), VK9XY, VP2MPA, VP5DX, VP5T, VP8DBQ, WH6CYC, WP2Z, XF4MX (NA-030), XQ0Y, XT2OW, XU7AAP, XU7ABD, XU7ABI, XV3AA, YB3ZMI (OC-237), YC7IPZ (OC-166), YC8XWJ (OC-076), YC9BU/P (OC-241), YC9MKF/P (OC-241), YC9WZJ/P (OC-239, OC-241), YI9OM, YJ0AXC (OC-111), YJ0AYL, YJ0AZG, YJ0PD, YJ2AD, YK9A, YP1W (EU-183), ZC4ATC, ZC4ZM, ZK1AGL (OC-159), ZK1BQI (OC-013), ZK1DKX, ZK1FGV (OC-013), ZK1LPN, ZK1NN, ZK1SHJ, ZK1YRE (OC-159), ZK1XXC (OC-082), ZS31ER (AF-085), ZK2VF, ZL4IR, ZL4IR/7, ZV3F, ZS6EZ.  
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- The 425 DX News DXCC Most Wanted Survey for the year 2001 is up and running on our web site - if you want to participate, please go to <http://www.425dxn.org/survey/>
- 425 DX News is now also available as a monthly edition (either .doc and .pdf formats) with pictures, DXpedition images etc.
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- 3V - Look for 3V8SZ to be active from Sidi Bou Zid in central Tunisia on 23-25 March. The station will be installed in a local school and will be left there for further activities in the future. The operators will then move to Djerba (AF-083) and be active as 3V8DJ from 27 to 31 March with four stations (three verticals, one 3-element beam, one amplifier) on all bands 160-10 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. The team includes six operators from Tunisia (Zaida, Sarra, Nadia, Fatham, Haunik and Lofti, responsible for 3V8BB) and eleven operators from Italy (Giovanni/I5JHW, Sergio/I5NSR, Danio/I5OYY, Roberto/I5HLK, Piero/IK5CKL, Sauro/IK5EKB, Roberto/IK5FTQ, Marcello/IK5JAN, Gabriele/IK5OSA, Gabriele/IK5ZTW, Franco/IK4ADE). QSL via I5JHW (Giovanni Bini, Via Santini 30, 51031 Agliana - PT, Italy). [TNX I5JHW]
  - 4W - Neville, VK2QF will be active as 4W/VK2QF from Dili, East Timor between 28 March and 5 April. He plans to be operate on the following suggested frequencies: 3510, 7010, 14010, 21010, 28010, 50090 kHz (CW) and 3790, 7095, 7145-7175, 14195, 21295, 28470, 50135 kHz (SSB). QSL via VK2QF (Neville Mattick, Hargraves, N.S.W. 2850, Australia). The expedition home page is at <http://winsoft.net.au/~vk2qf> [TNX VK2QF]
  - C6 - Bill, AA7X will be active as C6AKK from Treasure Cay (NA-080), Bahamas on 24-31 March, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via AA7X. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
  - CE0\_jf - Key/JE6JYT, Chip/N6CA, Jack/N6XQ and Roman/XE2EED will be on Robinson Crusoe Island (Juan Fernandez Archipelago, SA-005) from 28 March to 2 April and will operate on 6 metres with two stations. "We have received word our call will be 3G0Z", Jack reports. Earlier this year this call was assigned to Pat, CE1VLY [425DXN 505]. QSL via N6XQ (P.O. Box 7732, San Diego, CA 92167, USA). The web page for the operation is at <http://www.ham-radio.com/ce0z/ce0z.html> [TNX The Daily DX and OZ6OM]
  - CE0\_ei - Arliss, W7XU and Holly, N0QJM will be active as CE0Y/W7XU and CE0Y/N0QJM from Easter Island between 29-30 March and 8 April. They

- will concentrate on 6 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- E4 - Gunter, E4/OE1GZA plans to be active from Ramallah on various Saturdays until probably the end of 2002. For the time being he operates on 10-30 metres, later this year he should be active on 40 and 80 metres as well. QSL to Gunter Zwickl, c/o SICT, P.O.Box 1133, Ramallah, Palestine. Bureau cards can be sent to OE1GZA, but "due to the operator's permanent absence from OE it will take a real long time to respond". [TNX E4/OE1GZA]
- F - Didier, F5BWJ will be active as TM2A from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) between 31 March and 7 April. QSL via F5BWJ. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- H40 - During a QSO with Dick (N6FF) Ron, H40RW/ZL1AMO reported he would "be changing his QTH over the weekend" and would "not be on the lower frequencies until after the move". It is not clear if he has to move to another QTH on the same island or to a different island in Temotu Province. Dick also reports that Ron's laptop computer is gone and there will be no RTTY operation. [TNX G3MCS]
- H44 - Bernard, DL2GAC/H44MS returned from the Shortland Islands on 20 March and is currently in Honiara (OC-047). On 27 March he will leave the Solomons and fly to Brisbane. [TNX H44MS]
- JX - Trond, LA8XM will be active in his spare time as JX8XM from Jan Mayen (EU-022) between 30 March and 4 April. He plans to operate on or around 10 kHz from the bottom of each band. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HK0\_mal - A second DXpedition to Malpelo is being organized by Jairo, HK5MQZ and Hiro, HK5QGX. They will leave on 6 April and plan to operate on 80, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6 metres as HK5MQZ/0 (SSB) and HK5QGX/0 (CW) from the 10th until the 21st. They will two transceivers, one amplifier, dipoles for the low bands and yagis for the others. QSL HK5MQZ/0 direct only to HK5MQZ (Jairo Vargas, P.O. Box 10862, Cali, Colombia). QSL HK5QGX/0 direct only to JA0MGR. [TNX HK5MQZ]
- PY0\_spp - Kim, PS7JN reports he is going to St. Peter and St. Paul Rocks (SA-014) to carry out some scientific reseraches between 1 and 15 April. He plans to operate as ZY0SAT in his free time (his afternoons and evenings) on HF (3780, 7085, 14180, 21280, 28450 kHz) and via satellite AO-10 (145.9), UO-14 (435.07), FO-20 (435.850), FO-29 (435.850). QSL via PS7JN (Joaquim das Virgens, Rua Carlos Serrano 1969, 59076-740 Natal - RN, Brazil).
- TA - Enrico, IT9AXZ had a car accident earlier this week and has been forced to give up the trip to Turkey [425DXN 515]. Nando, IT9YRE reports the 27-30 March activity from Giresun (AS-154) has not been cancelled but postponed for a short time while he is looking for someone else to join him.
- VK9 - VK9KCP and VK9KXP are the calls Jerzy, SP9EVP will be using from Cocos/Keeling (OC-003) on 24-31 March and Christmas Island (OC-002) between 31 March and 6 April respectively [425DXN 515]. QSL via SP9EVP. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Jim, K9PPY will operate from Santa Rosa Island (NA-142) on 24-26 March and from St. George Island (NA-085) on 27-28 March. Due to the fact that this is a vacation he will not always be active, but will be looking for QSOs as time permits. He will be operating on +/- 14.260 Mhz and 21.260 Mhz especially looking for Europe and Asia. QSL via home call. [TNX KB5GL]
- XV - Look for JA3AFJ (XV3MRC), JR1JAA (XV3JAA) and JA1TAA (XV3TAA) to operate on 6-80 meters (30 metres excluded) CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 from Vietnam between 29 March and 3 April. QSL direct only to JA1TAA (Hiroshi Hotta, 4-12-53 Kameino, Fujisawa, 252-0813, Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]

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CQ WW WPX SSB CONTEST: the following stations are expected to participate in this year's event:

- 9K - Hamad, 9K2HN as 9K9X (SOAB). QSL via the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CE - Juan Pablo, CE4USW as CC4A (SOAB high power). Juan Pablo reports he is the first operator to be allowed to use the CC prefix. QSL via home call. (Juan Pablo Mardones, P.O. Box 666, Talca, Chile). [TNX CE4USW]
- CX - Jorge, CX6VM as CW6V. QSL via W3Hnk. [TNX CX6VM]
- EA - Rod, EA7JX as EF7AIR (his father's, EC7AIR, special call). The only frequencies assigned to this licence class are 3600-3700 kHz, 21150-21200 kHz and 28900-29100 kHz, but Rod hopes to listen up on the U.S. 80 metres segment, around 21350 Khz and around 28400 kHz.
- EA6 - Gabriel, EA6AEQ as AN6AEQ (SOAB). QSL via EA6AEQ either direct (P.O. Box 10180, Palma de Mallorca, 07080 Balearic Islands, Spain) or through the bureau. [TNX EA6AEQ]
- FK - FK8HC, FK8GM, FK8HW and LA5IIA [425DXN 515] as TX8G (Multi-Multi). QSL via LA9GY.
- FM - Madinina Contest Club members as TO5T (Multi-Single) from Martinique. QSL via FM5BH. [TNX FM5BH]
- GM - Keith, GM4YXI as GM7V (SOSB - 10 metres - high power). QSL via ZS5BBO. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- I - Maurizio, IT9RZR as IR9A. QSL via home call.
- LU - A large group from Radio Club Rosario as L40F (Multi-Multi). QSL via LU4FM. [TNX LU4FM]
- LU - Jesus, LU5FC as LP1F (SOSB 10 metres). QSL via LU5FC either direct (Jesus Rubio, San Juan 2694, Rosario 2000, Santa Fe, Argentina) or through the bureau. [TNX LU5FC]
- PY - Mario, PP5MQ as ZX5X (not PS5S as he previously reported) as SOSB on 10 metres low power. QSL direct to PP5MQ (Mario Marquardt, P.O. Box 212, 89201-972 Joiniville - SC, Brazil). [TNX PP5MQ]
- SM - John, SM7CRW as 8S7A from Oland Island (EU-037). QSL via W3Hnk. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VE - Todd, VE5MX as VB6A. QSL via VE5MX. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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ALL ASIAN DX CONTEST ---> JARL (the Japanese Amateur Radio League) will sponsor the ALL ASIAN DX Contest, which will be held this summer. Further information and rules can be found on the JARL web site at [http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4\\_Library/A-4-3\\_Contests/AA\\_Rule.htm](http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-3_Contests/AA_Rule.htm) [TNX JJ1ANW]

FM/F2JD ---> Gerard is closing down his tation from Martinique and will be back in France next week after 11200 QSOs (6600 CW, 1000 RTTY, 3600 SSB). [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]

NA-082 ----> Silvano, KB5GL was active from Ship Island on 17 March for a couple of hours only. He started around 11 a.m. local time and had to stop after some 200 QSOs (95% with Europe) when he was informed the ship would leave three hours earlier than scheduled due to the bad weather conditions. He plans to be back to the island in late April or early May. [TNX KB5GL]

QSL A35RK ---> Paul Kidd, A35RK reminds DXers that Tonga has not had a functioning QSL bureau (either incoming or outgoing) since 1996. The Kingdom

of Tonga has a licensing authority (Tonga Communication Commission), but there is no national amateur radio society, no radio club of any sort, and no QSL bureau. The only possible QSL route for A35RK is via W7TSQ.

QSL A51AA ---> Please note that Gerard, F2VX can confirm contacts made with A51AA in September 2000 only. He is not the QSL manager for the newly licenced A51AA.

QSL A52UD ---> Charly, A52UD reports all direct requests for A52UD QSLs have been answered to date. Bureau o cards will be processed next autumn.

QSL UA0FZ --> Antonello, IK2DUW reports he is no longer the QSL manager for UA0FZ. He can confirm QSOs made between 1 January 2000 and 31 January 2001 only. Cards should be sent to Antonello Passarella, P. O. Box 13448, 20051 Limbiate - MI, Italy).

QSL VK2IOM ---> If you still need a card for VK2IOM (OC-223, 13-14 September 1997), please send your request to JS1DLC (Ken Arakawa 1-17-2 Hachimandai, Sakura City, Chiba 285-0867, Japan). He was one of operators and now has logs and QSLs. [TNX JA9IFF/1]

QSL VK0MM ---> Alan, VK4AAR reports that all QSL requests for VK0MM cards received to 20 March have now been processed. "There were some 'not-in-log' replies sent out", he says, "but please be assured that they were not sent out without a thorough check. Therefore it is useless to contact me for further checks. I have already done all that is possible". Also please note that Alan has neither the logs nor the cards for VK0LD or AX0LD. Requests for VK0MM should be sent direct only to Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton, QLD 4343, Australia.

QSL ZA5G ---> Florian, ZA5G says he has never had a QSL manager. Cards should be sent direct only to Florian Gjonej, P.O. Box 210, Shkoder, Albania.

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LOGS: Logs for the recent 9M0M DXpedition to the Spratly Islands are available at <http://www.xcivr.com/9m0m/logs.htm>

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3B8/DF3IAU	DF3IAU	EA4/CT4UW/P	CT4UW	TG9RZ	EA7FTR
3D2AA	VE6VK	EA9LZ	EA7JB	TI5BX/8	TI4JHQ
3D2CC	VE6VK	EK3GM	IK2QPR	TM0A	F6OIE
3D2HY	JA0SC	EM1HO	I2PJA	TM1Z	F6OYU
3D2RK	W7TSQ	EO3Q	UR3QCW	TO9T	F6HMJ
3D2SQ	W7TSQ	EW6WR	GW3CDP	TP5CE	F6FQK
3E500ALX	HP1RCP	EX0V	N6FF	TX5CW	ZL3CW
3E500CTM	HP1RCP	EX8W	UA3AGS	UA0YAY	IK2QPR

3G0Y	DK7YY	EY8XX	GW3CDP	UA1PBP/9	RK1PWA
3V8CB	DL1BDF	FG5FC	F6DZU	UA9C/UA9QDK	RW9QA
3W2FM	UA0FM	FM/IV3FHH	IV3TDM	UA9QA	RW9QA
3W2KF	F5PBL	FM/IV3JVJ	IV3TDM	UA9QDK	RW9QA
3W2NY	JH1MZG	FM/IV3TDM	IV3TDM	UK8AXA	S53R
3W7CW	SP5JTF	FO0ARE	HA8IB	UK8LA	RW3RN
3W9HRN	DL1HRN	FO0CLA	F6CTL	UN7GCE	EA7FTR
4L1DA	DL7BO	H40RW	ZL1AMO	V31GI	PA3GIO
4L4MM	ON4CFI	HB0/F6KQL	F6KQL	V63KX	JE8KKX
4N7M	YU7KMN	HC8A	WV7Y	V63TN	JA7GAX
4S7BRG	HB9BRM	HR6SI	HR2HM	V73GT	WF5T
5A24PA	PA1AW	II1TQ	IZ3CYN	V8IAN	VE6VK
5B4/DL8KWS	DL8KWS	IO4I	IK4QIB	VE6RH	VE6VK
5R8GT	DK8ZD	IO4T	IK4XCL	VK4DMV	DF9MV
5U2K	I2YSB	IO7C	I7PXV	VK6KVP	SP9EVP
5U3T	I2YSB	IQ2W	IK2DUW	VK7KHZ	EA7FTR
5U5A	I2YSB	IU7M	IK7JWY	VK9EHH	W8WC
5W0HY	JA0SC	J28VS	F4DBF	VP2ECW	N6CW
6Y5/G0NJZ	G0NJZ	J37LR	VE3EBN	VP2VI	W6RKC
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8Q7DD	W4WET	JW8G	LA8G	VP8ROT	GM0HCQ
9G5MD	F5VCR	JW9PJA	LA9PJA	VQ9NL	W4NML
9M0M	K7XN	JY4NE	K3IRV	VQ9VK	N1TO
9M6A	N2OO	KG4IZ	WA5PAE	VU2ZAP	W3HNC
9M6AAC	N2OO	KG4MO	K4ZLE	W6STT/WH0	7M1STT
9M6BAA	G4SHF	KG4MO	K4ZLE	XF4MX	XE1X
9M8DX/2	9V1XE	KH0/JJ7FZC	JJ7FZC	XX9ARM	XX9BB
9N7RB	W4FOA	KH0/JM1LRQ	JM1LRQ	XX9JUV	XX9BB
A35RK	W7TSQ	KH0XX/NH2	JP1NWZ	XX9SAR	XX9BB
A35SQ	W7TSQ	KH2/JA2EMP	JA2EMP	YB0AZ	W7TSQ
A52CO	UA9DD	KH2VG	JE8KKX	YB3ASQ	W7TSQ
A61AJ	W3UR	LR7DX	LU8FDZ	YB3OSE	W7TSQ
AA8FY/KL7	AA8FY	LX7I	LX2AJ	YB4JIM	EA7FTR
AF2C	ZF2LM	MJ/K3PLV	K3PLV	YC1VBH	EA7FTR
AH0F	JA2NQG	MJ/K8PT	K8PT	YC1WAE	K5ZE
AH6PN/HR6	W7TSQ	N7QXQ/HR6	W7TSQ	YC4FIJ	YC9BU
AH7X/WH2	JP1NWZ	OA4/DL1NL	DL1NL	YJ0ABQ	I6BQI
AM8CI	EA8AKN	OX3CO	EA7FTR	YV6AZC	EA5KB
AP2JZB	K2EWB	P49V	AI6V	Z31PK	DJ0LZ
AY8A	LU8ADX	PY0FM	JA1VOK	ZC4DW	G0DEZ
BQ9P	KU9C	PY0FZ	PY7ZZ	ZC4JP	G0WSA
BV90	BV8BC	R3ARES	RW3AH	ZD8CSA	DL1SDN
C21AN	DF8AN	RM9RX	RW9QA	ZD8K	GW0ANA
CM6UV	W3CKU	RM9RZ	RW9QA	ZF1WD	G4RWD
CQ1CV	CT1ETE	RN9RZ	RW9QA	ZF2JC/ZF8	NC8V
CQ3CEC	CT1BNW	RW9QA	RW9QA	ZK1CAN	KE7NO
CT3/DL3KWF	DL3KWF	RW9QA	W3HNC	ZK1EPY	F6EPY
CU2/SM0DSF	SM0DSF	S79MX	HB9MX	ZK1HCU	DL9HCU
CU3/PY3ZM	PY3CEJ	SI900TKM	SK6NL	ZK2BQI	I6BQI
CX2AQ	EA5KB	T30AN	DF8AN	ZK3HC	DL9HCU
CX8BU	EA7FTR	T88LJS	JH8DEH	ZP5/DK7PE	DK7PE
DU1/N6HPX	N6HPX	TA3DD	KB2MS	ZP8AE	EA7FTR
DU3NXE	W3HNC	TE8AA	TI4JHQ	ZP8BHA	EA7FTR

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- 3B6 - The 3B6RF DXpedition to Agalega is confirmed to take place from 5 to 16 May. A multi-national team of 19 operators from Switzerland, Portugal, Germany, France, England, USA, Poland, Mauritius and Israel will be active with several stations (6 on HF bands) with amplifiers and a wide range of 26 antennas on all bands and modes including satellite (suggestions before departure to be sent to Matthias, DL3KUD at dl3kud@qsl.net), 6 metres, PSK 31, SSTV (for three days). More details can be found at <http://www.Agalega2000.ch>. There will be four pilot stations: Sigi, HB9DLE for Europe (hb9dle@uska.ch), Bill, K6GNX for USA (bavery@telemetry.com), Yasu, JA3LDH for Japan (ja3ldh@tcct.zaq.ne.jp) and Daniel, PT7BI for South America (mdmassun@fortalnet.com.br). QSL via HB9AGH either direct (Ambrosi Fleutsch, Lerchenweg 29, CH 8046 Zurich, Switzerland) or through the bureau.  
QSL for USA stations only via N3SL (Steve Larson, 22 N. Hidden Acres Drive, Sioux City, Iowa 51108, USA). [TNX HB9BXE]
- CT3 - Ben, DJ8FW will be active as CT3AS from Madeira (AF-014) between 2 and 16 April. He plans to operate CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 10-40 metres. QSL via DJ8FW. [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX Notes]
- CX - Luis/CX2GA, Laura/CX1GA, Estela Mary/CX3ACS, Eduardo/CX8BU and Daniel/CX1AK will be active as CW1D from Flores Island (SA-030) between 6 and 15 April. They plan to concentrate on digital modes. QSL to CW1D, P.O. Box 37, 11000 Montevideo, Uruguay. [TNX CX3ACS]
- DL - Look for DL1RTW/p and DL7UXG/p to be active (on 15-40 metres CW and SSB) from Usedom Island (EU-129, O-013 for the German Island Award) on 2-4 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX DL2VFR]
- DU - Joe, I2YDX reports that Dan, DU8ARK is expected to be active from Tawi Tawi (OC-174) on 31 March. QSL via I2YDX.
- EA9 - Yuki, JI6KVR will operate as EA9/JI6KVR from Ceuta on 8-12 June. QSL via EA5KB (Jose F. Ardid Arlandis, Apartado 5013, 46080 Valencia, Spain). [TNX JI6KVR]
- EK - Daniel, F5LGQ reports he will be in Armenia from 9 to 21 April. He will take all the direct and bureau cards for Karen, EK7DX and that he has not been able to send for six months. Daniel will operate as EK8ZZ whenever possible.
- F - Look for Bernard, F9IE and Alain, F6BFH to operate SSB and CW from Molene Island (EU-065) on 2-8 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- F - Leon, ON4ZD reports he will be active (CW and SSB) as F/ON4ZD/P from Fort Boyard (EU-032, DIFM AT-026) between around 10 UTC on 5 May and 5 UTC on the 7th. QSL via ON4ZD either direct (Leon Donner, Rue Gaston Dubois 6, B-1428 Lillois, Belgium) or through the bureau.
- F - The Belgian group of "The Minkies Boys" (namely Bill/ON9CGB, Pat/ON7PQ, Dries/ON6CX, Harvey/ON5SY, Danny/ON4ON, Hans/ON4ASG and Wilfried/ON4AVA) confirm their 25-30 July activity from Sein Island



(EU-068) [425DXN 515] and report they will now use F/GOMEU/p during the IOTA Contest and TM1ON (requested call) outside the contest. They will also operate from two lighthouses (Le Grand Phare and Phare de Men Brial). QSL for both calls via ON4ON either direct (Danny Commeyne, Rozenlaan, 38, B-8890 Dadizele, Belgium) or through the Belgian bureau. [TNX ON9CGB]

- FO\_au - The Daily DX reports that Frank, DL7FT is expected to be active (10-20 metres SSB) from the Austral Islands for 3-4 weeks QSL via DL7FT direct only (Frank Turek, P.O. Box 1421, D-14004 Berlin, Germany).
- HL - Lee, HL1IWD reports that special station D70IAF (Delta Seven Zero India Alpha Foxtrot) will be active until 25 May to celebrate the opening of the new Incheon International Airport. QSL via bureau to HL1IWD.
- HL - Lee, HL1IWD reports that operators from Korea DX Club will be active as DS0DX/2 from the last unnumbered IOTA group in South Korea (Kangwon-Do Province, AS-???) on 5-6 May. QSL via HL1XP.
- HS - Champ, E21EIC, one of the E29AL operators, reports the activity from Terutao Island (AS-126) is confirmed to take place on 6-15 April [425DXN 515]. They will operate on all modes (SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31, FM) on 160-10 metres (WARC bands excluded) and 2 metres. QSL via HS0GBI.
- I - Look for Alfredo, IK7JWX/7 and other Salento DX Team operators to be active from Traversa Island (EU-091, IIA BR-009) on 1 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK7JWX]
- I - Riccardo, IK0YUJ will be active (on 40-10 metres, possibly on 80 and 6 metres as well, mainly CW with some SSB and PSK) as IA5/IK0YUJ from Giglio Island (EU-028, IIA GR-002) on 22-25 April. QSL via IK0YUJ either direct (Riccardo Bruzzichini, P.O. Box 59, 06012 Citta' di Castello - PG, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IK0YUJ]
- I - Look for Francesco, IZ7AUH/7 and Fabio, IZ7CRW/7 to be active (on 20 and 40 metres SSB) from Taranto Vecchia (IIA TA-004, not IOTA) on 28-29 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX IZ7AUH]

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- J2 - Jean-Louis, J28NH (F5NHJ) is now expected to be active as J28CDX from the Sept Freres (AF-059) [425DXN 513] from about 10 UTC on 13 April and about 7 UTC on the 16th. QSL via F5IPW either direct or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- JA - Look for Nasu, JM1TUK/6 to be active (mainly on 40 and 15 metres) from Ishigaki Island (AS-024) on 4-16 April. QSL Via JM1TUK. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for Masa, JA6GXK to be active from Meshima (Danjo Islands, AS-056) [425DXN 515] during his spare time on 10-20 April, 1-10 May and 1-12 June. He plans to operate on 20 (14260 +/- 10kHz), 15 (21260 +/- 10 kHz) and 40 metres. QSL via the JARL bureau. [TNX JA3MZB]
- JA - Yuki, JI6KVR reports that Joe, JA4PXE/6 [425DXN 513] will now be active from Otokojima (Danjo Islands, AS-056) starting around 22 UTC on 4 May through 22 UTC on the 6th. Look for him on +/- 14260, 21260 and 50145 kHz. QSL via JA4PXE (Joe S. Kuwahara, 1-75 Midori, Tokuyama 745-0075, Japan)
- KH4 - Hiro, JF1OCQ plans to be active (on 6-80 metres mainly CW with some RTTY) as W1VX/KH4 from Midway (OC-030) between 14 and 22 April. QSL via JF1OCQ either direct (Hiroyuki Miyake, 1-3-6 Asakura, Maebashi, 371-0811 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JF1OCQ]

- KL - Bruce, KD6WW reports he will be activating NA-087 (Shumagin Islands) on 17-20 August. Details are expected in due course. [TNX Islands On The Web]
- LA - Stein, LA6FJA will be active (on 10-160 metres CW) from LG5LG (SJ9WL) at Morokulien, on the border between Norway and Sweden, between 30 March and 1 April. QSL via LA6FJA ("Rag" Stein Roar Brobakken, Gronvold, NO-2830 Raufoss, Norway). [TNX LA6FJA]
- OH - Club station OH8TA will operate from Hailuoto Island on 6-8 April. Activity is expected on HF, VHF and UHF. The frequency for 6 metres will be 50110 kHz, for other bands and frequencies you can e-mail oh8ta@oulu.fi [TNX OPDX Bulletin]. Island chasers please note that the IOTA Reference Number for Hailuoto has been EU-184 since June 2000 (it used to be EU-126).
- PY - The 29 March-2 April operation from Ilha dos Franceses (SA-077) has been cancelled due to the serious health problems three of the operators have after their latest activity from Sao Sebastiao (SA-028) earlier this month. [TNX PY1NEZ]
- S7 - Two groups of JA operators will be active from the Seychelles in April. JA3AQM and JR3DVL will be there on 6-12 April and will operate on all HF bands plus 6 metres SSB and CW. JA2AAU, JA2AIC, JA2ALN, JR2FOR, JJ2NYT and JA9LZS will be active between 13 and 19 April on all HF bands plus 6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. Callsigns TBA on the air. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SM - Look for Martin, SM0DTK/1 to be active from Gotland Island (EU-020) on 12-16 April. Skeds can be arranged via sm0dtk@hem.passagen.se [TNX SM0DTK]
- SV - Look for Eddy/ON6HE, Dirk/ON5CT and Frank/ON4AAC to be active (on CW and SSB, hopefully with a special callsign) from Thassos Island (EU-174) between 27 May and 3 June. QSLs via the bureau or direct to ON4AAC (Frank Pletinck, Potaardestraat 72, B-9190 Stekene, Belgium). [TNX ON4AAC]
- V5 - Nick, ZS4NS will be active as V51/ZS4NS from Namibia from 10 April till about the 20th. He plans to operate mainly on 6 metres (he will monitor 50.110 MHz and when the band is open he will QSY to 50.145 MHz) with activity on 10, 15 and 20 metres as well. QSL via N7RO. [TNX ZS4NS]
- V7 - "Plans for the expedition to Enewetak (OC-087) on 19-26 April [425DXN 513] are going smoothly", Tom, K7ZZ reports. "The two Stateside team members will depart the West Coast on about 10 April to join the rest of the team on Kwajalein. From there they will fly on to Enewetak. Although only one station will have an amplifier, two additional transceivers will be included. Antennas are a small tri-bander, a log for 10-6 metres, an R-7000 vertical plus a wire dipole for the low bands. Propagation predictions show a slim chance of a 10 metre opening to Europe, but lots of chances on 15. All other areas should have lots of openings. The team will be using the usual IOTA frequencies on a 24 hour basis." QSL V73E via WF5T. [TNX VK2CE]
- VE - Fred, K2FRD plans to be active (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) as VO2/K2FRD from Zone 2 from about 6 June through the end of August. He will be operating from a tent about 90km WSW of Churchill Falls, Labrador. QSL direct only via K2FRD (Fred Stevens, 263 Keach Rd, Guilford, NY 13780, USA). For further information please visit <http://sites.netscape.net/thefred3/labrl> [TNX K2FRD]
- VK - Trevor, VK7TS will operate as VK7TS/P from King Island (OC-233) on 6-9 April. He will be active on all bands 10-40 metres mainly SSB. QSL via VK7TS either direct (Trevor Spargo, 1 Roebourne Rd, Otago, Tasmania, Australia 7017) or through the bureau. [TNX VK7TS]
- VP2E - Bill, W5SJ will be active as VP2EJ from Anguilla (NA-022) between 4 and 10 April. He plans to concentrate on the low bands CW. QSL via W5SJ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YV - Rick, NE8Z confirms he will still be active from SA-035 as YV5/NE8Z [425DXN 515] for 48 hours from 31 March through 1 April. He now has

a new antenna which allows him to operate on more bands. Look for him on CW (7040, 14040, 21040, 28040 kHz) and SSB (14260, 21260, 28460 kHz). QSL via home call (Rick Dorsch, P.O. Box 616, Hamburg, MI 48139, USA).

ZD7 - The ZD8K team was expected to leave for St. Helena on 30 March. They should be active as ZD7K until 12 April. QSL for both calls via GW0ANA.

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ALL ASIAN DX CONTEST ---> The results for last year's event are available at [http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4\\_Library/A-4-3\\_Contests/2000/2000index.htm](http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-3_Contests/2000/2000index.htm)  
The rules for the 42nd edition (16-17 June CW and 1-2 September SSB) are at [http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4\\_Library/A-4-3\\_Contests/AA\\_Rule.htm](http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/4_Library/A-4-3_Contests/AA_Rule.htm)

EAWW RTTY CONTEST ---> It will take place from 16 UTC on 7 April through 16 UTC on the 8th. The new rules can be found at <http://www.rttyjournal.com/eaww.html> [TNX EA1MV]

H40RW ---> Island chasers please note that Ron, H40RW/ZL1AMO is not operating from OC-065: "Ron was confused about his IOTA number", Dick, N6FF reports, "believe he told some it was OC-065, when in fact he is on Lata Island, OC-100". [TNX G3PMR]

NORTHWEST DX CONVENTION ---> This year's event (<http://www.wwdx.org/convention>), hosted by the Western Washington DX Club, will take place on 20-22 July at the Everett Holiday Inn in Seattle. Send questions to [convention@wwdx.org](mailto:convention@wwdx.org) or to WWDXC, P.O. Box 395, Mercer Island, WA 98040, USA.

QSL A61AF ---> Stations who contacted A61AF on 23-24 March 2001 can QSL direct to W4CK (Mark Clark, 1853 Dunroamin' Lane, Fayetteville, TN 37334, USA). Please note that he does not have logs for any other period.

SP DX CONTEST ---> Sponsored by PZK - Polski Zwiiazek Krotkofalowcow (Polish Amateur Radio Union) and the SP DX Club, this year's event will take place from 15 UTC on 7 April to 15 UTC on the 8th. The SP DX Contest page is at <http://dendro.sggw.waw.pl/sp5zcc/spdxc/spdxc.htm> [TNX SP6CIK]

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LOGS: Doug, N6RT reports the A52CO log is now available at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs>

MINIPROP: The new Windows version of MiniProp, W6ELProp is now available from Shel, W6EL (<http://www.qsl.net/w6elprop/>). The program is free for non-commercial use. [TNX KK6T]

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QSL received via direct: 3A/OH1RY, 3A2K, 3DA0WPX, 3W7CW, 3W7TK, 4S7UB, 4U1UN, 4W6MM, 5T5TD/P (AF-050), 6W6/K3IPK, 6Y5WJ, 6Y8A, 7P8/ZS5GMW, 7S5Z (EU-177), 7X5JF, 8P9JS, 9H1AL, 9H1ET, 9K2ZZ, 9Y4VU, A22DX, A22HH, A52GJ,

A52UD, A52W, A52YL, A92GJ, AP2HA, AX2GAMES, BA7JA/7 (AS-129), BD4ED/4, BD5HAG, BI4Q (AS-135), BI4S (AS-150), C56RF, C6AKP, C91RF, C91RF/P (AF-088), D68BT, D68WL, DU9BCD (OC-235), EA5KB/P (EU-151), EK7DX, EM5UIA (EU-182), EP2MKO, EP3SMH, EW6GF, EZ8BO, FO0/F5JJW (OC-063), FO0AND, FO0EEN (OC-152), FO0JAN, FP/KT1J (NA-032), FR/F6KDF/T, FY/F5KEE, GM3VLB/P (EU-108), HC8Z (SA-004), HF0POL, HK0VGJ, HP3XBH, HQ0R, HZ1AB, II7LE, IK7JWX/7 (WAIL PU-007), IU0FM, J3/W1MD, JD1BCK, JI1PLF/1 (AS-043), JI3DST (AS-037, AS-041, AS-043, AS-047, AS-067, AS-147), JW5RIA (EU-063), JX3EX, JX7DFA, JY8FX, K5K, KH2/W7LP, KH6ND/KH5, LZ5QZ/1 (EU-181), OD5/OK1MU, OH9AR/P (EU-126), OZ1ITT (EU-171), P29BW, P29KPH, P29VPY (OC-240), P40A, P40P, PJ5/UA1ACX, PJ7/K7ZUM, PV5L (SA-088), R0/UR8LV (AS-152), R1AND, R1ANP, R1FJL, R3RRC/ANT, RK0FWL/P (AS-149), RV2FW, RW2F, S92SV, SU/WA0VOM, SU9AM, SU9ZZ, SV1TP/8 (EU-060, EU-075, EU-113), SV2FPU/8 (EU-060), SV5/DL8DZV, SV5/HA6NL/P, SV8/IZ7ATN/P (EU-174), SV8/ON5JE (EU-049), SV9/IW0FQZ/P (EU-187), SV9/IZ0CKJ/P (EU-187), SV9/K7BV, SW1OF, SY2A, T32R, T77C, T88DX, TA0/IZ7ATN/P (AS-099, EU.186), TE6U (NA-155), TE8CI, TF8SM, TG9NX, TR8XX, TZ6DX, UA0FB, UA0ZY/P (AS-142), UA1PAC/P (EU-086), UA1PAO/P (EU-086), UA1QV/1 (EU-085; RR-03-05), UA1TAN/1 (EU-147, EU-162), UE0XZZ (AS-064), UE6AAA (EU-185), UR3GA (EU-179), UU7J/P (EU-180), V26FM, V26WP, V31YW (NA-073), V51E, V51GB, V63KP, V73JK (OC-028), V73UX (OC-028), V73ZZ, VB2R, VK0MM, VK6BM (OC-234), VK6BSI (OC-243), VK9XY, VP2E, VP2EK, VP2EV, VP2MDY, VP5/K9RS, VP5DA, VP5VAC, VU2HFR (AS-153), VE8YEV/VY1 (NA-193), W2KV/2 (NA-111), WH6CYC, WP2Z, XF4MX (NA-030), XQ0Y, XR0ZY, XU7AAP, XU7ABD, XU7ABI, XV3AA, XW3QBR, XX9TDX, YB0GN, YB3ZMI (OC-237), YB8HZ/P (OC-242), YC7IPZ (OC-166), YC8XWJ (OC-076), YC9BU/P (OC-241), YC9MKF/P (OC-241), YC9WZJ/P (OC-239, OC-241), YI9OM, YJ0AXC (OC-111), YJ0AYL, YJ0AZG, YJ0PD, YJ2AD, YK9A, YP1W (EU-183), Z31JA, ZC4A, ZC4GB, ZC4ZM, ZK1AGL (OC-159), ZK1BQI (OC-013), ZK1DKX, ZK1FGV (OC-013), ZK1LPN, ZK1NN, ZK1SHJ, ZK1YRE (OC-159), ZK1XXC (OC-082), ZK2VF, ZL4IR, ZL4IR/7.

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- 3V - Andy, DJ7IK reports the following stations are noe active from Tunisia: 3V8ST (Tunis), 3V8CB (Borj Cedria), 3V8SQ (Monastir), 3V8SF (Sfax), 3V8SM (Djerba). The stations in Djerba and Monastir are open for guest operations (please contact DL1BDF at [dllbdf@t-online.de](mailto:dllbdf@t-online.de) or DJ7IK at [dj7ik@qsl.net](mailto:dj7ik@qsl.net)) and this week Mehmed, DJ0QJ and Mustapha, DL1BDF are QRV from 3V8SM.
- 8Q - Armin, HB9JBN is active (on 10, 15 and 20 metres) as 8Q7JB from the Maldives (AS-013) until 19 April. QSL via HB9JBN. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- 8Q - Peter, HA2SX will be active (on 160-10 metres) as 8Q7KK from the Maldives between 14 April and 4 May. He plans to operate manily CW, RTTY and PSK31 with some SSB and SSTV (skeds for SSTV are welcome at [kalocsa@inforfax.hu](mailto:kalocsa@inforfax.hu) until 12 April). QSL via HA2SX (Peter Kalocsa, Marko, Bakonyi ut 20, H-8441 Hungary). [TNX HA0HW]
- 9M2 - Bruce, KD6WW will be active as 9M2DB from AS-058 on 20-23 April, from AS-073 on 24-28 April and from AS-072 between 29 April and 2 May. QSL via KD6WW (bureau cards can be requested at [kd6ww@inreach.com](mailto:kd6ww@inreach.com)). [TNX KD6WW]
- 9Q - Pierre, HB9AMO will be staying in Congo for three months and hopes to be allowed to operate with the call he used back in 1997 (9Q5BQ). If he can operate, he will be active on 10-40 meters CW only during his free time (evenings and weekends). He will be back to Switzerland in July. QSL via HB9AMO (Pierre Petry, 3 Hutins-des-Bois, 1225 Chene-Bourg, Switzerland). [TNX HB9AMO]
- HK0\_mal - Jairo, HK5MQZ and Hiro, HK5QGX have announced that their 8-21 April operation from Malpelo [425DXN 516] will not take place, because the return voyage to Buenaventura has been cancelled and they would not be able to leave the island. [TNX HK5MQZ]
- HK0\_sa - Otto, HC2/UA4WAE will operate from HK0ER's QTH on San Andres Island (NA-033) between 15 and 25 April. He plans to be active on 10-160 metres with special attention for Europe and Japan on the low and WARC bands. [TNX HC2/UA4WAE]
- HS - The 6-15 April DXpedition to Koh Tarutao (AS-126) [425DXN 517] has suffered an unexpected set-back at the last minute. The authorities responsible for administration of the territory, have demanded that an additional approval is obtained from another Government

Department. The DX Group have only been informed of this requirement in the last 48 hours, and therefore will have to postpone the visit to Koh Tarutao, whilst this additional approval is obtained. The E29AL group will be active from Koh Samui (AS-101) instead, and will keep to the same schedule, as above. QSL via HS0GBI. [TNX HS0/G3NOM]

- I - Look for Gabriele/IK1NEG, Pinuccio/I2MWZ, Vito/I3BQC and Stefano/IK3ABY to be active from Peta di Bo (EU-131, IIA VE-069) on 7 April. [TNX IK3ABY]
- KH0 - Look for KH0/JA3AOP to be active on HF and 6 metres from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086) on 13-17 April. QSL via home call. [TNX OZ6OM]
- KL - Richard/KL7AK, Jim/K9PPY, Larry/KF6XC and Bob/WL7QC will be active as KL7AK from Sitkinak Island (Trinity Islands, NA-053) in August. They plan to be on the island starting the 9th until approximately the 14th. Their main station will have an amplifier and a beam for 10, 15 and 20 metres on a 30-foot mast and their main operating frequency will be +/- 14260 kHz (CW upon request, pileup permitting). QSL via N6AWD. [TNX G3ZAY and KL7AK]
- OH - Pekka, OH1LU might be active from Kustavi Island (EU-096) on 13-15 April. It is also possible he can operate from Reposaari (EU-1739 one evening during the week of 15 April. [TNX G0APV and Islands On The Web]

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- TX\_che - The TX0C team [425DXN 515] now include six operators - namely Jacky/ZL3CW (F2CW), Danny/F5CW (FK8VHY), Georges/FK8FS, Daniel/FK8FU, Akinori/ZL1GO (JA4EKO) and Philippe/FO3BM. They will be leaving Noumea on 24 April and operations from the Chesterfield Islands (OC-176) are expected to take place between 27 April and 3 May on 10-160 metres. During the voyage to and from TX0 they will operate as TX4A/MM. QSL for both TX0C and TX4A/MM via ZL3CW (Jacques Calvo, P.O. Box 593, Pukekohe 1800, New Zealand). [TNX The Daily DX]
- UA - Alan, UA1PAC and Serge, UA1PAO will be active (with two stations on 10-40 metres CW, SSB and probably RTTY) as UA1PAC/p and UA1PAO/p from Vaygach island (IOTA EU-086, RRA 06-01) between 14-22 April. QSL for both calls via UA1PAC (Alan V. Kuz'menko, P.O.Box 88, Amderma, Nenets oblast, 166744, Russia). [TNX RA9XF]
- V4 - Joe, VE3BW will be active (on all bands mostly CW) as V47CA from St. Kitts (NA-104) on 9-24 April. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YB - Kadek, YC9BU has reported that YE8XM/p might be active from Kai Island (OC-221) starting 7 April for three days. QSL route TBA. [TNX Islands On The Web]
- ZA - Loreto, IK7VJP is staying in Albania for two months and expects to operate as ZA1/IK7VJP from Durres (Durazzo). QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IK7VJP]

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ARI CONTEST ---> The ARI International DX Contest 2001 will be held from 20



UTC on 5 May until 20 UTC on the 6th. For further information please visit <http://loja.kkn.net/~i2uiy/> If you plan to participate in the contest, the new version of the shareware software is available for download at the URL above.

ILLW ---> A list of stations that have already confirmed their participation in this year's International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend (18-19 August) is available at <http://www.vk2ce.com/illw/2001.htm>. For more information please contact Mike, GM4SUC (GM4SUC@compuserve.com). [TNX GM4SUC]

IPARC S5 ---> The Slovenian branch of the International Police Association Radio Club sponsors an award to celebrate its 5th anniversary and the 10th anniversary of IPA-Slovenia. The award is issued for contacts made (or heard for SWLs) with S51IPA, S52IPA, S53IPA, S59IPA and S50IPA between 15 and 22 April 2001. For further information please e-mail [iparc@hamradio.si](mailto:iparc@hamradio.si) [TNX S51FV]

QSL 3W2KF ---> Claude, F5PBL (<http://www.qsl.net/f5pbl>) has been back to France since 2 April and cards should be ready within six weeks. Please note that direct cards should be sent to Claude Terrier, 18 allée du Mail, F-92360 Meudon-la-Forêt, France. Bureau cards are welcome, but eQSLs will not be answered. [TNX F5PBL]

QSL CX1CCC ---> Pepe, EA5KB reports he now has the logs for CX1CCC from 1995 to 2001.

QSL HC2/UA4WAE ---> Otto reports he has started processing direct requests. Please note that bureau cards should be sent to UA4WA, while direct cards should be sent to: Alex Otto Ogorodov Rafalsky, Correo Central, Salinas, Provincia Guayas, Ecuador.

SU1HR ---> RW3GW and RN3OA operated as SU1HR during and for a few days before and after the recent WPX SSB Contest. QSL via RW3GW (Valery Sushkov, P.O. Box 3, 398000, Lipetsk, Russia). Their log is available at <http://rrc.sc.ru/> [TNX RW3GU]

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QSL ROUTES: QSL routes for stations active during the recent CQ WPX SSB Contest are available at <http://www.arrakis.es/~ea5eyj> [TNX EA5EYJ]

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3D2AG/P	3D2AG	EA3URT	EA3TE	PY0FM	JA1VOK
3E500AC	HP1RCP	EA8AH	OH1RY	R1FJL	UA3AGS
3E500BYS	HP1RCP	EA9LZ	EA7JB	R3ARES	RW3AH

3E500CTM	HP1RCP	ED1RRL	EA1CA	R73A	RZ3AA
3E500EC	HP1RCP	ED1URS	EA1URS	RA3GS	IK3PQG
3G0Y	DK7YY	ED4MAD	EA4RCU	RQ4L	UA4LCQ
3V8DJ	I5JHW	EK8ZZ	F5LGQ	RT9W	RZ9WWH
3V8SM	DL1BDF	EM10UCC	UY5ZZ	S21YV	KX7YT
3V8SQ	DL1BDF	EM1HO	I2PJA	S79MX	HB9MX
3V8ST	DL1BDF	EM7Q	UY5ZZ	S79WB	DL4HBB
3V8SZ	IK5JAN	EW8AM	DL8KAC	SN2B	SP2FAX
4F1RWW	DJ6OI	EX2M	W3HNK	SO8ZZ	UY5ZZ
4F7RWW	DJ6OI	EY1HQ	DJ1MM	SV9/DL6QT	DL6QT
4K6GF	TA2ZV	EY8MM	K1BV	T30ED	3D2SJ
4O1J	YU1JW	FO/DL7FT	DL7FT	T88MW	WN7T
4O7A	YU7AV	FO0CLA	F6CTL	TA2DS	WA3HUP
4O7M	YU7GMN	FY5FU	F5PAC	TG7/W9AEB	W9AEB
4W/VK2QF	VK2QF	G3MRC/C9	G3MRC	TK5XN	F2YT
5A24PA	PA1AW	GM7V	ZS5BBO	TL8CK	F6EWM
5N3NDP/1	IK5JAN	GU/DL4OCM	DJ6OI	TM0S	F5KEF
5R8GT	DK8ZD	H40RW	ZL1AMO	TM2A	F5BJW
5X1GS	WB2YQH	HA/DJ6OI	DJ6OI	TM7Z	F5CWU
8Q7DD	W4WET	HB0/DL4OCM	DJ6OI	TO5T	FM5BH
8R1RPN	OH0XX	HS0/OZ1HET	OZ1ACB	TT8FC	EA4AHK
9G1AA	PA3ERA	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	TX5CW	ZL3CW
9G5MD	F5VCR	II9F	IT9FXV	TX8G	LA9GY
9J2BO	W6ORD	IO4I	IK4QIB	UE1RCV/1	UA1RJ
9M2XA	JF4WPQ	IQ9K	IT9KWF	UK8FF	W3HNK
9M6A	N2OO	IR0MA	I0MWI	US0Q	UY5ZZ
9M6BAA	G4SHF	IR4B	IK4AUY	US4IXQ	WB7QXU
9N7RB	W4FOA	IR8A	I8ACB	V47KP	K2SB
9V1GA	JA4BJO	IR8J	IK8WEJ	V73GJ	KA1GJ
9Y4SF	WA4JTK	IR9A	IT9RZR	V73GT	WF5T
A35RK	W7TSQ	IU4CG	I4GSS	VK6KVP	SP9EVP
A41MO	A47RS	IU9S	IT9BLB	VK7TS/p	VK7TS
A61AF	W4CK	J28LP	F8UNF	VK9KCP	SP9EVP
A61AJ	W3UR	J28NH	F5IPW	VK9KXP	SP9EVP
AH7X/NH2	JP1NWZ	J28VS	F4DBF	VP5/K5CM	K5CM
AM3ALV	EA3ALV	J3/W1HEO	W1HEO	VP5/W5AO	W5AO
AM4YK	EA4YK	J3/W5PF	W5PF	VP8SGK	GM0HCQ
AM7ANM	EA7ANM	J37LR	VE3EBN	VU2TS	I1YRL
AM8CI	EA8AKN	J41K	SV1DPI	XV3AA	JA6UHG
AN1HS	EA1HS	JK1UWY/5N0	JH8BKL	XV3JAA	JA1TAA
AN6AEQ	EA6AEQ	JW/DL4OCM	DJ6OI	XV3MRC	JA1TAA
AN9IB	EA9IB	JW2PA	LA2PA	XV3TAA	JA1TAA
AY8A	LU8ADX	JW3FL	LA3FL	XV9TH	SK7AX
BN0W	BV2KI	JW4WJ	LA4WJ	YB0ABB	M0CMK
BV5BG	IK7JTF	JW7QIA	LA7QIA	YB0ECT	K5ZE
BV9AYA	BV2KI	JW8G	LA8G	YB1AQV	N2KFC
C6AKK	AA7X	JW9GY	LA9GY	YC0LCF	W4JS
C6ASM	DL2RMM	JW9IY	LA9IY	YC0LND	IZ8CCW
CC4A	CE4USW	JX8XM	LA8XM	YC1WAE	K5ZE
CE0Y/W7XU	W7XU	JY9NX	JH7FQK	YC3OX	IZ8CCW
CM6YD	EA5KB	KH0/JM1LRQ	JM1LRQ	YC4FIJ	YC9BU
CN2R	W7EJ	KH2/KD6CJF	JH5OXF	YJ0ABQ	I6BQI
CN8KD	EA5XX	KH2VF	JE1HJA	YL6W	YL2GD
CO8CY	EA5KB	L40F	LU4FM	YO/DJ6OI	DJ6OI
CO8LY	EA7ADH	LP1F	LU5FC	YS1JR	DJ9ZB
CQ0M	CT1RVM	LR0N	LU2NI	YT7A	YU7GMN
CT3AS	DJ8FW	LR7DX	LU8FDZ	YV5/NE8Z	NE8Z
CW6V	W3HNK	LX/DL4OCM	DJ6OI	YV6AZC	EA5KB
CX3HF	EA5XX	LX6GDH	LX1NO	YW4M	W4SO
D2BB	W3HNK	OD5/OK1MU	OK1TN	YZ1V	YU1AAV
D70IAF	HL1IWD	OD5IU	LX1NO	ZB2JS/M	G4SOK
DL2AAZ/6Y5	DL2AAZ	OH8T	OH8TA	ZC4BS	G4KIV
DL7DF/HI9	DL7DF	OI3AY	OH1BV	ZC4DW	G0DEZ

DU1/DL4OCM	DJ6OI	OT1A	ON7LR	ZD7K	GW0ANA
DU1/DL4OCM/7	DJ6OI	OT1H	ON4ACT	ZD8K	GW0ANA
DU3NXE	W3HNK	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	ZF2MV	W8MM
DU67RWW	DJ6OI	P3A	W3HNK	ZL4CC	G3PJT
E20HHK	E21EIC	P41E	P43E	ZX0F	W3HC
E20RRW	E21EIC	P49MR	VE3MR	ZX5J	VE3HO
E21EIC/8	E21EIC	PJ2MI	W2CQ	ZX5X	PP5MQ
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- 3C - Martin, 3C5J (<http://www.cleddau.com/3c5j/cw.html>) will be operating from an oil platform for the next six months. This activity will not count for DXCC, but there is a possibility to operate from Malabo. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 4X - Yoram, 4Z1GY reports he will operate (on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB and CW) as 4X2K during the Holyland Contest (21-22 April) [425DXN 500].
- 8Q - Phil, G3SWH will be in the Maldives (AS-013) between 4 and 11 June and will be active as 8Q7WH on all bands 40 to 10 metres, CW only as time allows. QSL via G3SWH either direct or through the RSGB bureau. [TNX G3SWH]
- 9A - Emir, 9A6AA reports the following operations are/will be taking place from Croatian islands: Ivan, 9A/ZS6ILU from Brac (EU-016, IOCA CI-010) until 16 April; Ewald, 9A5ID from Losinj (EU-136, CI-058) until 15 April; Emir himself, 9A6AA from Losinj (EU-136, CI-058) between 14 and 18 April.
- 9Y - Charlie, N2IM will be active (on 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres at least, in his early mornings and late evenings) as 9Y4/N2IM from Trinidad (SA-011) between 26 April and 4 May. QSL via N2IM. [TNX N2IM]
- CO - Special station T40VPG will be active (on 160, 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6 metres SSB) from Playa Giron on 13-15 April. QSL via the CO bureau. [TNX CO2OJ]
- DL - Wolfgang, DH3ZK will be active (15, 20 and 40 metres SSB and RTTY) from Poel Island (EU-098) on 13-16 April. Please note that contacts with this island are valid until 1 February 2005, when Poel will stop counting for IOTA. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- DL - Willy, DL1BJN and others will be active as DA0IMD from Borkum Island (EU-047, DID N-01 for the German Islands Award) during the International Marconi Day (21 April). They will be on the island from 19 April until the 22nd.
- EM - The Ukrainian QRP Club will hold its first QRP-DXpedition to the mountain of Ai-Petri (Crimea) between 4 and 11 May. Look for EM5QRP on CW (5 watts) and SSB (10 watts) on the usual QRP frequencies. Cards will be sent automatically through the bureau. Direct QSLs via UR7IRL (Vladimir Tretyakov, P.O. Box 41, Konstantinovka-10, Donetsk Region, 85110, Ukraine). [TNX US1REO]
- FO - Marcel, ON4QM will be back to Polynesia for a couple of months later this year (September-November). This time he plans to operate as FO0DEH from Pukapuka (OC-062), Rapa (OC-051) and maybe again from Reao (OC-238). [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- FO\_au - Alain F2HE/FO0CLA is now active from Tubuai (OC-152), Austral Islands until 27 April. He will then move to Rurutu (OC-050), but, Jean-Michel, F6AJA says, "may be without radio". QSL via F6CTL. [TNX Les Nouvelles DX]

- GM - GM4VGR, GM4UYE, GM0MZB, GM0HZ and GM6KDD will be active (10-80 metres, possibly 6 metres as well) from Skye Island (EU-008, IOSA NH7) from 13 to 15 April. [TNX VA3RJ]
- GM - Jim, MM0BQI reports he will now operate from Tanera Mor (IOSA SC10) in the Summer Isles (EU-092) [425DXN 513] on 20-23 April. Activity will be on all bands 10-80 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. Jim will operate as MM0BQI/P and with the special callsign GB5SI. QSL via MM0BQI either direct (Jim Martin, 3 Lismore Avenue, Edinburgh, EH8 7DW, Scotland) or through the RSGB bureau.
- HR - Rene', HR1RMG is /HR4 from Tigre Isl. (NA-060).
- HS - The E29AL operation, originally intended from Koh Tarutao (AS-126) and diverted to Koh Samui (AS-101) [425DXN 518], was temporarily halted after 3000 QSOs, around 9 UTC on 10 April, due to various problems, including severe electrical interference. It is hoped to resume operations as soon as possible. [TNX HS0/G3NOM]
- I - Berthold, DF5WA will be active (mainly CW) from Ischia (EU-031, IIA NA-001) between 14 and 28 April. QSL via home call. [TNX DX News Letter]
- I - Operators from ARI Pisa will be active (SSB and CW) as IY5PIS from the Marconian site at Coltano during the International Marconi Day (21 April). QSL via IK5QPZ either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IK5ZTT]
- I - Nino, ID9/I2IAU is active (mainly on SSB and RTTY, with some CW and PSK31) from Lipari (EU-017, IIA ME-001) until 28 April. Weather permitting he will operate from Scoglio Giafante (EU-017, IIA ME-037) on 21 or 22 April.
- I - Look for IE9/IZ8AJQ and IE9/IZ8DBJ to be active (on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and possibly PSK31) from Ustica (EU-051) on 26-29 April. QSL via IZ8AJQ (Erminio Cioffi di Michele, Piazza Umberto I 16, 84036 Sala Consilina - SA, Italy) and IZ8DBJ (Mario Pesce, Via Privata Falci 2, 80070 Bacoli - NA, Italy) either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IZ8AJQ]
- I - IK7RVY, IK7WPD, I7ICU and other operators from ARI Altamura will participate in the ARI International DX Contest (5-6 May) as II7G. QSL via IK7WPD either direct (Antonio Masiello, Via Coop. Casa Ridente Pal. A, 70024 Gravina in Puglia - BA) or through the bureau. [TNX IK7WPD]

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- I - Look for IG9SIX to be aired on 6 metres from Lampedusa Island (AF-019, IIA AG-001, WWL JM65HL) on 2-3 June. The operators will be Franco/I4CIL, Claudio/IW3RI, Steve/IK4DRY, Pierpaolo/I4BTK and Lucky/IK4CZH (ex I4MNK). QSL via IK4DRY either direct (Stefano Zoli, Carrarone Chiesa 21, 48010 Mezzano - RA, Italy) or through the bureau. The logs will be available on <http://www.qsl.net/ik4idf/ig9.htm>. For further information please contact Franco, I4CIL at [i4cil@sira.it](mailto:i4cil@sira.it) [TNX IK4DRY]
- J7 - Uli, HB9CGA and Hugo, HB9AFH will be active as J79CGA from Dominica (NA-101) between 21 April and 4 May. They plan to operate on all bands mainly CW. The home page for the operation is at <http://surf.agri.ch/hb9afh> [TNX HB9AFH]
- JA - Look for JH0BLI/6 to be active from Miyako Island (AS-079) on 3-5 May. He plans to operate on 40-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Special event station 8J3EAG will be activated (on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres) between 28 April and 27 May to celebrate the East

- Asian Games (<http://www.eagocweb.com/>) to be held in Osaka. QSL via the JARL bureau or direct to JA3DBD (Souichi Miyamoto, 6-9-2 Habikigaoka Habikino, Osaka 583-0864, Japan). [TNX JA3MZB]
- JT - Nicola/I0SNY , Gianni/I8KGZ and possibly others will be active from Mongolia starting 29 May. They are expected to use JT1Y from Ulaan Baatar and to operate from call area 7 as well. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX I0SNY]
- JW - Look for LA9XGA to be active (on 10-160 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as JW9XGA from Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard until 20 April. QSL via the bureau. [TNX DX News Letter]
- KH0 - Look for Taka, KH0/JR3TVH and Natsu, KH0/JJ3NAW to be active (on 40-6 metres SSB and CW, digital modes upon request) from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086) between 28 April and 1 May. QSLs via JR3TVH either direct or through the bureau. Any inquiry to jr3tvh@jarl.com [TNX JR3TVH]
- KH2 - Shige, JI3CEY will be active (on HF and 6 metres) as KH2/JI3CEY from Guam (OC-026) on 21-23 April. QSL via JI3CEY either direct (Shigeru Yokoi, 2-138-1-704 Hamaderasuwanomorichonishi, Sakai-City, Osaka, 592-8347, Japan) or through the bureau. [TNX JI3ACL]
- OZ - Jakob, OZ7AEI will be active as OZ7AEI/P from the islands of Venø (not IOTA, NJ-005 for the Danish Islands Award) and Jegindø (EU-171, NJ-006) on 17 April. He will start from Venø around 12 UTC. QSL via OZ7AEI either direct (Jakob Pedersen, Hvamvej 47, DK-7500 Holstebro, Denmark) or through the bureau. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- OZ - Paul, OZ/DF4ZL and Mike, OZ/DK3WN will be active (on 160 metres-70 centimetres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV) from Laeso Island (EU-088) on 4-7 May, including an entry in the ARI International DX Contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX DK3WN]
- OZ - Look for DL1AZZ, DL4AMK, DL5ASE, DL3ARK, DH8WW, DL1AQU, DL1AQV to be active (on 10-80 metres SSB, CW and RTTY, plus 6 metres) as OZ/home call from Langeland Island (EU-172, FY-019 for the Danish Island Award) between 19 and 26 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX DL3ARK]
- PA - Look for Eric. PA/F5SSM to be active from Shouwen Duiveland (EU-146) on 14-16 April. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- PJ - George, W3EH (ex K2KTT) will be at his St. Maarten home from 11 to 17 April. He plans to operate as PJ/W3EH and FS/W3EH, mostly on 10 metres SSB (28.450 to 28.500 MHz) with appearances on other bands and cw depending on propagation. [TNX W3EH]
- S0 - Fernando, EA1BT is active as S07BT, from Western Sahara. QSL via EA1BT.
- SM - SM7DAY, SM7DDR and SM7NGH will be active (on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB and CW) from Venø Island (EU-137) on 20-22 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX SM7NGH]
- SV - J41YM is the new contest call issued to Olda, SV/OK1YM. QSL via the OK DX Foundation (<http://www.okdx.cz/>) or the OK bureau (not the SV bureau, as Olda is not a member of R.A.A.G.) [TNX SV/OK1YM].
- SV - Mike, HB9EBC will be active (on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, 40 and 80 metres CW and RTTY) from Paros Island in the the Cyclades (EU-067) between 12 and 23 April. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- SV9 - Jan, PA9JJ (<http://www.qsl.net/pa9jj>) will be active as SV9/PA9JJ from Crete (EU-015) on 7-22 May. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX PA9JJ]
- TA - Simone, IZ7ATN is currently in Turkey and plans to operate as TA0/IZ7ATN from a Black Sea IOTA island during the weekend. [TNX IZ0CKJ]
- V4 - Joe, VE3BW cancelled his 9-24 April V47CA operation from St. Kitts [425DXN 518]. He will try later in the year. [TNX OZ6OM]
- V4 - John, N7YB (ex W7TDJ) will be active (on 20 metres SSB) as V47YB from St. Kitts & Nevis (NA-104) on 20-29 April. QSL via N7YB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- V4 - Larry, KJ4UY reports he will be active as V47UY from Karl's (V44NK) shack on Nevis on 10-16 May. QSL via KJ4UY.

- VK - Dan Holloway, VK8AN is going to be active again as VK8AN/6 from Troughton Island (OC-154). He should be there on 10-24 April, 8-22 May and 5-19 June and will operate in his spare time as usual, typically between 3 UTC and 13 UTC. He will operate as usual on 10, 15 and 20 metres, but this time he will have a linear amplifier and later he might try a vertical on either 12 or 17 metres and a long wire for 40, 80 and 160 metres. QSL direct only to VK4AAR (Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton 4343, Australia). [TNX VK4AAR and VA3RJ]
- VP9 - Richard, AI5P will be operating as VP9/AI5P from Hamilton Parish, Bermuda (NA-005) between 29 April and 9 May. He will concentrate on the WARC bands CW. QSL via AI5P. [TNX AI5P]
- YB - Kadek, YC9BU reports that YE8XM/p will try to activate Sermata Island (OC-???) on 14-20 April. [TNX WA6GFE and Islands On The Web]
- ZB - Look for Babs, DL7AFS and Lot, DJ7ZG to operate (on 10-80 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK) as ZB2/home call from Gibraltar on 23-30 April. [TNX DJ7ZG]

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CARIBBEAN TOUR 2001 ---> The Low Land DX-pedition Team (LLDXT) is pleased to announce the 6th Caribbean Tour. This year Bouke/PA0ZH, Ronald/PA3EWP, Rob/PA5ET and Dennis/PA7FM will operate as J3/home call from Carriacou Island (NA-147) on 2-15 August and as J8/home call from Bequia Island (NA-025) on 16-27 August. They will have two stations with amplifiers and will be active around the clock on 10-160 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via PA5ET either direct (Rob Snieder, Van Leeuwenstraat 137, 2273 VS Voorburg, The Netherlands) or through the bureau. The LLDXT home page is at <http://www.qsl.net/lldxt/> [TNX PA5ET]

MARSHALL ISLANDS & MICRONESIA ---> Jim Todd, KC7OKZ and his wife Carol will be leaving Honolulu in mid-May and expect to arrive in the Marshall Islands around the second week of June. From June 2001 through June 2002 they plan to operate from several IOTA groups in the Marshalls (calls to be issued upon arrival) and Micronesia (as V63JT and V63JB respectively). Their plans include operations from Ratak Chain (OC-029), Ralik Chain (OC-028), Enewetak Atoll (OC-087) and Ujelang Atoll (OC-???) in V7; Mwokil & Pingelap Atolls (OC-226), Kosrae (OC-059), Pohnpei (OC-010), Oroluk Atoll (OC-???), Nukuoro Atoll (OC-???), Kapingamarangi Atoll (OC-167), Mortlock Islands (OC-???), Chuuk Islands (OC-011) and Hall Islands (OC-???) in V6. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX KC7OKZ]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Hide, JM1LJS will be active (on HF and 6 metres) as V63LJ from Yap (OC-012) between 29 April and 2 May, as KH2/JM1LJS from Guam (OC-026) on 2-4 May and as T88LJ from Palau (OC-009) on 11-13 May. QSL V63LJ and T88LJ via JH8DEH; QSL KH2/JM1LJS via JM1LJS. Log searches at <http://radio-dream.com/logsearch/t88lj/> and [v63lj/](http://radio-dream.com/logsearch/v63lj/) [TNX JM1LJS]

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FRIEDRICHSHAFEN 2001 ---> Ham Radio 2001 will took place at Friedrichshafen on 29 June-1 July. Further information is available at the following URLs:



<http://www.bavarian-contest-club.de>  
<http://www.messe-fn.de/ham>  
<http://www.friedrichshafen.de>

QSL YC5XIP/P ---> Fulvio, I1WFF has already received quite a few requests for Syafri's new activities. Please be patient and do not resubmit, as it takes a few months for Syafri to forward his logs to Fulvio through Ronny, YC8TXW. Also please note that I1WFF will not be able to send Syafri's cards through the bureau any longer. Cards should be sent direct only to Fulvio Marin, P.O. Box 88, 13900 Biella - BI. Italy.

VK9K ---> Confused by the callsigns (VK9KCP and VK9KXP) used by SP9EVP during his recent activity from Cocos and Christmas Islands? Here is the explanation coming from an official source in Australia and forwarded by Neil, VK6NE. The level of SP9EVP's Polish qualification is only acceptable for the issue of a reciprocal intermediate licence - hence the K in his suffix, followed by C (Cocos) or X (Christmas). The recent changes to the bands available to Intermediate licence holders has allowed this station to come up on the "DX" bands, whereas it would previously have been limited to the Novice and VHF bands only.

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LOGS: The logs for 5U2K, 5U3T and 5U5A are now available on-line at  
<http://digilander.iol.it/i2ysb> [TNX I2YSB]

QSL received via direct: 3B9FR, 3C1AG, 3W2VKD, 4W6MM, 4X/OE1GZA, 5A1A, 5A31, 5I3A (AF-087), 5Z4IC, 9M6YAT, 9N7RB, 9Y4VU, A22DX, A45XR, A51AA, A52UD, A61AF, A61AJ, BA4DW/4 (AS-150), BA4DW/5 (AS-137), BI4S (AS-150), BV9O (AS-155), C21JH, C91RF/P (AF-088), D68BT, D68WL, EK8WY, EL2WW, EM1HO (AN-006), EP3SMH, ES1CC, ET3DP, EY1HQ, EY8MM, EZ8AQ, FK8GJ, FO0DEH (OC-057), HB0/HB9AON, HB0/PI4TUE, J28CDX (AF-053), J38A, JD1BCK, JW5RIA (EU-063), JY9NX, K5K, KT1J/CY9, OH9AR/P (EU-126), R0/UR8LV (AS-152), R1AND, R1ANP, R1FJL, R3RRC/ANT, RI1POM (EU-086), RK0FWL/P (AS-149), SV2FPU/8 (EU-060), SV8/DJ4PI/P (EU-174), SV8/IZ7ATN/P (EU-174), SV8/ON5JE (EU-049), SV9/IW0FQZ/P (EU-187), SV9/IZ0CKJ/P (EU-187), TA0/IZ7ATN/P (AS-099, EU.186), TE6U (NA-155), UA0ZY/P (AS-142), UA1PAC/P (EU-086), UA1PAO/P (EU-086), UA1QV/1 (EU-085; RR-03-05), UA1TAN/1 (EU-147, EU-162), UE0XZZ (AS-064), UE6AAA (EU-185), UR3GA (EU-179), UU7J/P (EU-180), VK0MM, XW3QBR, XW3ZNR, YB3ZMI (OC-237), YB8HZ/p (OC-242), YC4FIJ (OC-144), YK9A, YN6HM, Z32XX, ZD9/ZS1B (AF-030), ZF2LM, ZK1AGL (OC-159), ZL/SM3TLG (OC-201), ZM8CW, ZS7B.

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The deadline for entries in the 425 DX News DXCC Most Wanted Survey is 30 April. If you want to participate, please visit <http://www.425dxn.org/survey/>

- 3D2 - Kit, JA1NVF will be active (on 6-40 metres SSB) as 3D2NV/P from Rotuma (OC-060) between 27 April and 4 May and as 3D2NV from Fiji between 4 and 7 May. QSL via JA1NVF either direct (Katsumi Yoshinuma, 17-6 Wakamiyadai, Yokosuka, 239-0829 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 3W - Alan/BA1DU, Jin/BA4TA, Liao/BA7QT, Bac Ai/3W6AR and Hau/3W6LI will operate as 3W7D from Tam Island in the South China Sea Coast Centre group (AS-???) between 26 April and 1 May. They plan to be active with two stations (including an amplifier, a vertical and multiband dipoles) on 10-40 metres SSB and CW. The expedition is supported by the Beijing DX Club, the Chinese Radio Sports Association and the Vietnam Amateur Radio Club and is sponsored by the Island Radio Expedition Foundation Inc. QSL via BA1DU either direct (P.O. Box 8091, Beijing 100088, China) or through the Chinese bureau. [TNX BA1DU]
- 4X - Jac, PA3AJW will be active (on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB and CW) from the Golan Heights between 20 and 24 April. He will operate as 4X2C from Ramot, including an entry in the Holyland Contest. On 22 April he plans to operate mobile from different locations as 4X21C, 4X22C, 4X23C or 4X24C. [TNX PA3AJW]
- 8Q - Shigeo, JA1JQY will be active (on 40-6 metres mainly CW with some SSB) as 8Q7JY from the Maldives (AS-013) between 28 April and 3 May. QSL via JA1JQY either direct (Shigeo Matsui, 2-31-10 Shimoseya, Yokohama, 246-0035 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9N - Kaz, JA8MWU will be active (on 6-20 metres SSB, WARC bands included) as 9N7WU from Katmandu, Nepal between 23 April and 3 May. QSL via JA8MWU either direct (Kazunori Abe, 12-5-9 Kagura 7jo, Asahikawa, 070-8007 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F - Max, F6AXP reports that Jean-Claude, F5IL and Jean-Pierre, F6DLM will be active (weather permitting) from a few French islands as follows:  
21 April - Ile des Ebihens (DIFM MA-024) as F5IL/P  
22 April - Ile de la Grande Roche (DIFM MA-117) as F6DLM/P  
22 April - Ile de la Nelliere (DIFM MA-118) as F6DLM/P  
23 April - Ile du Perron (DIFM MA-022) as either F5IL/P or F6DLM/P  
23 April - Ile del'Islet (DIFM MA-023) as either F5IL/P or F6DLM/P
- F - Fourteen French operators (namely F2FZ, F4AJQ, F4BUX, F4BTP, F4TTR, F5FG, F5AGB, F5IKO, F6DOP, F6EGG, F8BUI, F8CTY, F8UHU and F9IE) will be active on all bands as TM5N from Saint-Nicolas Island (EU-094,

DIFM AT-010) between 26 April and 1 May. A side operation as F6KOP/p from to Cigogne Island (EU-094, DIFM AT-061) is also planned on 28 or 29 April. [TNX F6AJA]

- FH - Ted, J1LIB will be operating (CW, SSB, and RTTY) as FH/J1LIB from Mayotte (AF-027) between 29 April and 4 May. He will have an amplifier, a two-element yagi for 10-20 metres, a 6-element yagi for 6 metres and wire antennas for the low bands. QSL via JN1HOW. [TNX JF6OJX]
- I - Look for Andy/IK4VET, Robi/IK4XCL and Alex/IK4ALM to be active as home call/3 from Bonello Scirocco (not IOTA, IIA RO-006) on 22 April. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK4RQJ]
- I - Vanni/IK4RUX, Sergio/IK4JPR, Franco/IK4GLV and Giuseppe/IZ4CCO will be IA5/ from Isola del Giglio (EU-028, IIA GR-002) between 28 April and 1 May. They plan to be active on SSB and CW. Also expect a side trip to Giannutri (EU-028, IIA GR-001) on 29 April by IK4RUX and IK4JPR. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK4JPR and IK4RUX]
- JA - Haya, JF6WTY has been on Tanega-shima (AS-032) since 1 April. He is a school teacher and will be there for the next five years. QSL via JF6WTY (Yuichiro Hayashi, 16888 Noma, Nakatane-Town, Kumage-Gun, Kagoshima 891-3604, Japan) [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for Take, JI3DST/6 to be active from Miyako Island (AS-079) between 7 UTC on 28 April and 2 UTC on 6 May. He is expected to operate on 80, 40, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6 metres SSB and maybe RTTY and SSTV as well. QSL via JI3DST either direct (Takeshi Funaki, 2-18-26 Hannan-cho, Abeno-ku, Osaka-city, Osaka 545-0021, Japan) or preferably through the bureau. [TNX JI3DST]
- JW - Rag, LA5HE will be active as JW5HE from Svalbard between 26 April and 1 May. [TNX LA5HE]

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- SV - William, N2DH reports he will operate as SV8/N2DH from Thassos Island (EU-174) between 27 April and 4 May. Operation will be on 10 through 20 metres SSB with some possible activity on 75 metres. QSL direct to N2DH.
- TA - The operation from Giresun Island (AS-154) [425DXN 516] has been rescheduled to take place on 24-28 April. With the support from the President of the Giresun Amateur Radio Club, Nando/IT9YRE and Alfonso/IT9WDY will be active (on 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres) from 13 UTC on the 24th to 12 GMT on the 28th. They will have two transceivers, one amplifier (350 watts), one half wave vertical antenna on a 12' mast, one quarter wave vertical antenna, one generator (1500 watts) plus marine batteries for back up and the two stations will be active simultaneously on SSB and CW. QSL via IT9YRE either direct (Ferdinando Rubino, P.O. Box 30, 96012 Avola- SR, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IT9YRE]
- TK - Pierre, F5MOG will be active as TK/F5MOG from Corsica (EU-014) between 28 April and 7 May. He also plans to be active from Giraglia (EU-164) from 29 April to May 1. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TX\_che - Jacky/ZL3CW (F2CW) and Akinori/ZL1GO (JA4EKO) have cancelled their participation in the forthcoming TX0C operation from the Chesterfield Islands [425DXN 518]. Latest reports indicate that the DXpedition will still take place between 27 April and 3 May. [TNX JI6KVR]
- UA - A DXpedition to a few Arctic Russian islands started on 16 April to end on 2 May. The team leader is Victoriya Korykina/RA0BM and the other operators are Yuri Zaruba/UA9OBA, Valery Sushkov/RW3GW, Alex

Sukharev/RZ900, Andy Moiseev/UA0BA and Pavel Tscvetkov/RV0AR. After starting as R3CA/0 from Dikson Island, they moved to the main target of the expedition, Ushakova Island (AS-156) and became active as RI0B on 17 April, a couple of days earlier than planned. They also plan to operate from Srednij Island (AS-042) as RS0B, then to move to Uyedineniya Island (AS-057) and be active as RU0B indicatively on 26-28 April. Their last stop should be the Arkticheskogo Instituta Islands (AS-087), for an eight-hour operation only. The team's plans are subject to change due to local conditions. Their equipment include at least four transceivers, two amplifiers, three masts with beam antennas, two generators plus "rifles and guns for defense from hungry white bears". Latest news from the expedition will be sent to <http://rrc.sc.ru> through Valery, RW3GU. QSL R3CA/0 via UA9OBA, RI0B via RW3GW, RS0B via RW3GW, RU0B via UA9OBA. [TNX UA9OBA and RZ3EC]

VK9\_coc- Dennis G3MXJ (VK9CXJ), Roger G3SXW (VK9CXW) and Nigel G3TXF (VK9CXF) plan to be active (on all nine bands, CW only) from Cocos-Keeling (OC-003) from 28 April until 5 May. As many other DXpeditions will be QRV during that week, there are two suggested frequencies for each HF band. They will try always to be on one or other of them : 10108/118, 14008/018, 18078/088, 21008/018, 24898/908 and 28008/018 kHz. On LF they will try for 7008, 3508 and 1825 kHz. QSL via home calls. Propagation and other details are on <http://www.G3TXF.com/dxtrip/vk9cxf/vk9c.html> [TNX G3SXW]

W - Look for W1AA/IMD (<http://personal.tmlp.com/k1vv/w1aa/>) will participate in the International Marcony Day (see "Good to Konow" below) representing 1903 Marconi transatlantic station at Cape Cod, Massachusetts. QSL via CBA (US stations) or through the W1 bureau (DX stations). [TNX K1VV]

W - Scott, K1OA and Len, K1NU will be active as W1N from Peaks Island (NA-137, new one for the USI award) on 28 April. QSL via K1OA either direct or through the bureau. [TNX K1NU]

W - Look for Silvano, KB5GL/5 to be active again [425DXN 516] from Ship Island (NA-082) on 28-29 April. Unfortunately he has been denied permission either to stay overnight and to use a generator, so that he will operate (on 15, 12, and 10 metres) from 16 UTC to 20.30 UTC with 100 watss, one half wave vertical antenna and marine batteries. QSL via KB5GL (Silvano Amenta, 5028 Hearst St, Metairie, LA 70001, USA). [TNX KB5GL]

ZK1\_nc - Victor, ZK1CG reports that Tuatai, ZK1MA Is back in Manihiki (North Cooks) after his long stay in Rarotonga (South Cooks) as ZK1CY. Tuatai's home, gear and antennas were completely wiped off a few years ago during a hurricane that destroyed 85% of the atoll. He is now using a battery powered transceiver and dipoles mainly on CW, as his microphone is malfunctioning. "If you have an old not too used mike for his FT-747GX laying around", Victor says, "please let me know and we can arrange for it to be sent to Tuatai". Victor's e-mail address is [sales@computers.co.ck](mailto:sales@computers.co.ck)

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HF CHAMPIONSHIP ---> The Estonia Open HF Championship (40 and 80 metres CW & SSB) will take place on 21 April. Rules are available at <http://www.erau.ee/eng/esopenrul.html> [TNX ES8AS]

INTERNATIONAL MARCONI DAY ---> Over 30 special event stations representing historic Marconi station locations worldwide are expected to participate in

this year's event, which will take place on 21 April (00.00-23.59 UTC). The list of participating stations is at <http://www.users.globalnet.co.uk/~straff/particip.htm> [TNX K1VV]

QSL 8Q7RR ---> Maury, IZ1CRR reports that cards for his operation from Ellaidhoo Island (January 2001) have been received from the printer and he will start processing direct requests in the next few days.

QSL FR/F6KDF/T ---> Gil, F5NOD reports that some 1000 QSLs were mailed on 13 April and there are still around 2000 cards to process. If you have not received your card so far, please do not send second requests for the time being.

QSL VIA PA5ET ---> Rob is the QSL manager for the following operations (call/year):

6Y5/PA3ERC	98	FM/PA3EWP	96	J79WP	96	V47WM	99
6Y5/PA3EWP	98	FM/PA3FQA	96	PJ7/PA3EWP	99	V47WP	99
8P9JR	00	FS/PA3EWP	99	PJ7/PA3GCV	99	VP2ECV	99
8P9JS	00	FS/PA3GCV	99	PJ7/PA4EA	99	VP2EEA	99
8P9JT	00	FS/PA4EA	99	PJ7/PA4WM	99	VP2EET	99
8P9JU	00	FS/PA4WM	99	PJ7/PA5ET	99	VP2EFM	99
8Q7ET (Jan)	00	FS/PA5ET	99	PJ7/PA7FM	99	VP2EWM	99
8Q7WP (Jan)	00	FS/PA7FM	99	TO5C (Aug)	96	VP2EWP	99
9Y4/PA3BBP	97	HB0/PA3ERC/p	94	V26EA	00	VP2MPA	00
9Y4/PA3ERC	97	J6/PA3BBP	97	V26ET	00	VP5/PA3BBP	95
9Y4/PA3EWP	97	J6/PA3ERC	97	V26FM	00	VP5/PA3ERC	95
FG/PA3BBP	96	J6/PA3EWP	97	V26WP	00	VP5/PA3EWP	95
FG/PA3ERC	96	J77C (Aug)	96	V47CV	99	VP5/PA3FQA	95
FG/PA3EWP	96	J79BP	96	V47EA	99	VP5C (Aug)	95
FG/PA3FQA	96	J79QA	96	V47ET	99	ZF2RC/ZF9	98
FM/PA3BBP	96	J79RC	96	V47FM	99	ZF2WP/ZF9	98
FM/PA3ERC	96						

QSL VIA PY7ZZ ---> Please note that the correct address is: Fred Souto Maior, Rua Almeida Belo 241, Apt 302, Bairro Novo, Olinda, PE 53030-030, Brazil. Do not use the RAC 2001 address as it is wrong. [TNX PY7ZZ]

QSL VIA W3HC ---> The following comes from Mac, W3HC and lists those who "want cards but never supplied a SASE": "Czech Radio Club" (200 cards), EA8BA, EK6CC, F5TKD, I5PEX, JA2CWU, KB4HJQ, KN8DX, LU7DIR, N9EYF, OK2PHH, OK2PHI, OM0GT, "QSL Bureau 73. Moscow" (250 cards), RA3MB, UA0KCL, UA0ZS, US7IID, Yuri Burykh, Sakhalin Island (100 cards).

SSTV & DXPEDITIONS ---> The following comes from Danny Van Tricht, ON4VT: "Never before there was so many SSTV activity from different countries as nowadays. If you are going on a trip to an exotic spot, we (a bunch of SSTV DXers) like to help you to do some SSTV. It's different to run a SSTV pile up... we can advise you and bring you in contact with previous SSTV DXpeditioners". To learn more please visit Danny's web site at <http://www.qsl.net/on4vt>

Z36W ---> This is Venco, Z31JA who has been using his new call since 1 April. QSL via NN6C. [TNX Z36W]

WRTC 2002 ---> Ari Korhonen, OH1EH (ari.korhonen@kolumbus.fi) has announced that the next World Radiosport Team Championship, the Olympics of Amateur Radio, will take place in Finland on 9-16 July. WRTC 2002 will be organized by Contest Club Finland (CCF) and the Finnish Amateur Radio League (SRAL). The web site for the event is at <http://www.wrtc2002.org>

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<<< MOST NEEDED DXCC ENTITIES >>>  
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The following survey is taken from the newly published ARRL DXCC Yearbook 2000 and includes the top 50 entities needed by DXers who participate in the DXCC programme (data taken from the 21,000 Mixed DXCC records). Part 2/2 (positions from 51 to 100) will be published in 425 DX News # 522. Last year's survey can be found in 425DXN 476 and 478. [TNX The Daily DX]

Rank	Prefix	Entity	Rank	Prefix	Entity
1	P5	North Korea	26	ZL8	Kermadec Isls
2	BS7H	Scarborough Reef	27	HK0/M	Malpelo Island
3	E4	Palestine	28	3D2C	Conway Reef
4	FO/A	Austral Islands	29	ZS8	Prince Edward & Marion Isls
5	FO/M	Marquesas Islands	30	9U	Burundi
6	H40	Temotu Province	31	3B7	Agalega & St Brandon Isls
7	BV9P	Pratas Island	32	PY0S	St Peter And Paul Rocks
8	VU4	Andaman & Nicobar Isls	33	XZ	Myanmar
9	7O	Yemen	34	FT5W	Crozet Isls
10	A5	Bhutan	35	ZL9	Auckland & Campbell Isls
11	3Y	Bouvet Island	36	CE0X	San Felix Island
12	VU7	Lakshadweep Isls	37	VK9M	Mellish Reef
13	VK0/M	Macquarie Island	38	TN	Congo
14	E3	Eritrea	39	5A	Libya
15	FR/T	Tromelin Island	40	YV0	Aves Island
16	FR/G	Glorioso Isls	41	PY0T	Trindade & Martin Vaz Isls
17	VP8/S	South Sandwich Isls	42	FT5X	Kerguelen Isls
18	FR/J	Juan De Nova & Europa	43	FT5Z	Amsterdam & St Paul Isls
19	KH5K	Kingman Reef	44	T33	Banaba
20	VP8/G	South Georgia	45	XW	Laos
21	SV/A	Mount Athos	46	KH1	Baker & Howland Isls
22	3Y	Peter I	47	T31	Central Kiribati
23	3C0	Annobon	48	1A0	S.M.O.M.
24	VK0/H	Heard Island	49	VK9/W	Willis Isls
25	YA	Afghanistan	50	EP	Iran

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3C5J	MW0BRO	CV6UA	CX1UA	P49MR	VE3MR
3D2AG/P	3D2AG	CW0Z	EA5KB	R15CH	RA3YA
3V8SF	DL1BDF	CW1U	CX1UU	R3CA/0	UA9OBA
3V8SM	DJ0QJ	CX1CCC	EA5KB	R3K	RV3DR
3W2KF	F5PBL	DU2/SM5ENX	SM5ENX	R40G	RK4CYW
3XY6A	VE2XO	E29AL	HS0GBI	RI0B	RW3GW
4S7BRG	HB9BRM	EA3URT	EA3TE	S07BT	EA1BT
4T1SIX	OA4DJW	EA8RA/P	EA8AKN	S79FO	JR2FOR
4X6UO	WB3CQN	ED5MUC	EA5VM	S79IC	JA2AIC
4Z8GZ	DH2GZ	ED5SJF	EA5URL	S79JA	JA2ALN
5B4/UA9YAB	UA9YAB	EM1HO	I2PJA	S79KS	JA3AQM
5H3OG	SM5IVO	ER2000L	ER1LW	S79NK	JA2AAU
5N3NDP/1	IK5JAN	ER6A	ER1LW	S79YT	JJ2NYT
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	EX8QB	IK2QPR	S79Z	JA9LSZ
5R8GT	DK8ZD	EY8XX	GW3CDP	S92TX	W7KNT



5X1D	SM5BFJ	FK8GJ	F6CXJ	SD5DS	SM5BDY
5Z4PV	PA3CBH	FO/DL7FT	DL7FT	SI900TKM	SK6NL
6V1A	6W6JX	FO0CLA	F6CTL	TA1ZZ/5	JE9IKG
6W4RK	F5NPS	G3MRC/C9	G3MRC	TT8FC	EA4AHK
7Q7KZ	JA2LZF	GX3CSR/P	G3CSR	TU5GD	N5FTR
8J3EAG	JA3DBD	HI3LFE	AD4Z	UA0QMU/0	UA4RC
8Q7JB	HB9JBN	HI7/N2EFW	N2EFW	UA1PAC/p	UA1PAC
8Q7KK	HA2SX	HK3JJH/5	N4AA	UA1PAO/p	UA1PAC
8R1RPN	OH0XX	HK3JJH/HK0M	N4AA	UK8FF	W3HNK
9M2DB	KD6WW	HR1BY	EA7FTR	UN7EG	DL8KAC
9Q5BQ	HB9AMO	HR1RGA	EA7FTR	UT2VU/DU7	US1VA
9Q5TE	SM5BFJ	HR1RQF	EA7FTR	V5/ZS4NS	N7RO
9U5D	SM5BFJ	J28AG	F5PTM	V73E	WF5T
9X/SM5DIC	SM5BFJ	J28CDX	F5IPW	V73ZZ	K7ZZ
9X1A	UA6MF	JW9XGA	LA9XGA	VK9ML	VK4APG
A25/KY4P	SV0LM	KA1I/NH2	JH7BZR	VP2EJ	W5SJ
A61AF	OK1CZ	KH0/JA3AOP	JA3AOP	VQ9AS	KK6AS
C21TA	VK3DYL	KH2/7L2PDJ	7L2PDJ	W1VX/KH4	JF1OCQ
C56VL	G3TKN	KH2/JI3CEY	JI3CEY	YB0HXH	W4JS
C6/WB8N	WB8N	KL1SLE	AC7DX	YE1H	YB1LGP
C6ASM	DL2RMM	L55DST	LU6DS	YE8XM/P	YC9BU
CE0Y/N0QJM	N0QJM	N4CD/TI2	N4CD	ZB2JS/M	G4SOK
CE2LZR	EA5KB	OH0/DL2SWW	DL2SWW	ZC4BS	G4KIV
CE3HKF	EA7FTR	OH0/OH2Z	OH2MW	ZD7K	GW0ANA
CM6YD	EA5KB	OH0B	OH1BV	ZP6EM	EA7FTR
CO2CI	EA5OL	OH0Z	OH1EZ	ZY0SAT	PS7JN

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- 3B6 - The 3B6RF DXpedition to Agalega [425DXN 517] is expected to start a couple of days earlier than planned. The team will fly to Agalega on 2 May and should be on the air by the 3rd. All-band all-mode operations will end on 16 May. QSL via HB9AGH (Ambrosi Fleutsch, Lerchenweg 29, CH 8046 Zurich, Switzerland); QSL for North America (USA, Canada and Mexico) stations only via N3SL (Steve Larson, 22 N. Hidden Acres Drive, Sioux City, Iowa 51108, USA). Latest information and full details on the operation are available at <http://www.agalega2000.ch>
- 6Y - N6BT, KE7X, N6XG and K2KW will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest (26-27 May) as 6Y1A from Jamaica (NA-097). Outside the contest, look for operations using homecall/6Y5 from 20 to 29 May. They will operate on 40-6 metres, with special emphasis given on the WARC bands and 6 metres. QSLs 6Y1A and K2KW/6Y5 via WA4WTG, others via homecall. Questions may be sent to Kenny, K2KW (k2kw@prodigy.net), or visit <http://www.k2kw.com> for information. [TNX K2KW]
- 9A - Dusan, S52DG will be active (on 10-80 metres SSB and CW) as 9A/S52DG/P from Krk Island (EU-136, CI-046) between 29 April and 1 May. QSL via home call. [TNX S52DG]
- AP - Robert, S53R reports he will start a new assignment with the U.N. in early May. His first stop will be in Pakistan and he will try to sign AP2ARS as much as possible. Operation will be on 40-10 metres, WARC bands included, almost exclusively on CW.
- C6 - Bill, W4WX will be operating as W4WX/C6A from Treasure Cay (NA-080), Bahamas on 7-14 May. He will be active on RTTY and some SSB on the WARC bands. QSL via home call. [TNX W4WX]
- DL - DL5XL/p will be active (10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres CW only) from Helgoland Island (EU-127) on 28-29 July. He plans to participate in the Single OP 24hr CW Island class of the RSGB IOTA contest. QSL via DL5XL either direct (P.O. Box 1253, D-30984 Gehrden, Germany) or through the bureau. Further information is available at <http://www.dl5xl.de/> [TNX VA3RJ]
- F - Francois, F2GL will be active (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) from Houat Island (EU-048, DIFM AT-016) between 30 April and 6 May. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- F - The Council of Europe Amateur Radio Club (TP2CE) will be activated as TP5CE on 4-6 May to celebrate the anniversary day of the Council of Europe. Activity is expected to take place on SSB (10 metres and WARC bands), CW (all bands) and RTTY (20 metres). QSL via F6FQK. [TNX F6FQK]
- GJ - Rainer (DL1ZBO), Tilo (DJ5BX) and Ekki (DF4OR) will be MJ/ from Jersey (EU-013) on 7-12 June. They will participate in the ANARTS Contest and be active on CW and SSB before and after the event. [TNX DF4OR]

- HC8 - N5KO, W6OAT, K6TA, K6KO, N0JK and K5PI will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as HC8N (Multi-Multi) from the Galapagos (SA-004). QSL via AA5BT. [TNX N5KO]
- HL - Lee, HL1IWD is sorry to report that the 5-6 May DS0DX/2 IOTA DXpedition to the Kangwon-Do Province group (AS-???) [425DXN 517] has been cancelled as the group has not been given the final landing permission from the military authorities.
- HV - Vatican station HV5PUL will be active on 3 May starting around 8 UTC. Activity is expected to take place on HF bands as well as on 6 and 2 metres. [TNX IW0DJB]
- I - Erminio, IE9/IZ8AJQ and Mario, IE9/IZ8DBJ are currently active from Ustica (EU-051) [425DXN 519] and plan to operate from the lighthouse at Punta Omo Morto (WAIL SI-027) on 28 April and Lighthouse Cavezzi (WAIL SI-028) on the 29th. QSL via home calls. [TNX IZ8DBJ]
- I - Daniele, IZ7CFF plans to operate from the lighthouse at Capo d'Orlando (SI-032), Sicily (EU-025) on either 29 April or 1 May. [TNX IK1NLZ]

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- I - IK1GEY, IK1RLF, I1GXV, IK2WXQ and possibly other operators from ARI Arona will participate in the ARI International Contest as IK2WXQ/p. [TNX IK2WXQ]
- I - Mario, IK6GPZ and Lucio, IK6SNR will participate in the ARI International DX Contest (5-6 May) as IO6T and II6R respectively. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK6GPZ]
- I - Nicolas, F5TGR will be active (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) from Lampedusa (AF-019, IIA AG-001) between 23 May and 3 June. QSL via F5TGR either direct (Nicolas Quennet, 8 bis rue de la Marne, 95220 Herblay, France) or through the REF bureau. [TNX F5TGR]
- I - A group of operators from ARI Gallarate (namely IK2DUV, IK2UVT, IK2UIZ, IW2KVT, IK2XXX and IK2RXX) will participate in the 6 Meter Contest on 2-3 June from Isola del Giglio (EU-028, IIA GR-001). Before and after the contest they will operate on 10, 15, 20, 40, 80 metres as well as on 144, 432 and 1200. QSL via IZ2BHQ. [TNX IK2RXX]
- I - Giovanni, IZ2DPX will be operating (10, 15, 20 and 40 metres) from San Domino (IIA FG-001) in the Tremiti Islands (EU-050) on 14-21 September. QSL via home call. [TNX IZ2DPX]
- J5 - DJ6SI and other operators will be active as J5X from Guinea Bissau between 27 April and 11 May. The plan to operate on 160-6 metres SSB & CW (QSL via DJ6SI) as well as RTTY, FSK and SSTV (QSL via DL1QW). [TNX DF6QN]
- JA - Kenji, JA4GXS plans to operate (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) as JA4GXS/4 from Yashiro Island (AS-117) between 7 UTC and 23 UTC on 5 May. QSL to JA4GXS (Kenji Sasaki, 2-15 Ishikannon-cho, Yamaguchi-city, 753-0038 Japan). [TNX JI6KVR]
- JT - Special event station JU10 will be active from Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia between 5 and 13 May. QSL via JR0CGJ (Takashi Shimizu, P.O. Box 5, Tateshina Kitasaku, Nagano 384-2305, Japan). [TNX JT1KAA]
- JW - Tor, LA7FJA reports he will operate (on 10-20 metres, WARC bands included, SSB only) as JW7FJA from Svalbard (EU-026) on 25-31 May. QSL via LA7FJA.
- JW - The DXpedition to Prins Karls Forland (EU-063, WWL JQ58WK) [425DXN 495] will take place on 1-9 June. A multi-national team (including Christoph/DL5NAM, Aleksei/ES1CH, Claude/F5PBL, Angelo/I2ADN, Andrea/IK2XDE, Giampaolo/IK2XDF, Dario/IK4MED, Terje/LA3OHA, Egil/LA8AV, Marc/ON4AMX, Aleksandra/S57FYL, Atila/S53AC,

Jacek/SP5DRH, Witold/SP5LCC, Igor/US0VA and Hector/XE1BEF) will operate as JW0PK on all bands and modes, 24 hours a day, Suggested frequencies are:

CW 1.822, 3.505, 7.005, 10.105, 14.020, 18.080, 21.020, 24.895, 28.020, 50.095 and 144.025 MHz;  
SSB 1.840, 3.790, 7.060, 14.195, 18.145, 21.295, 24.950, 28.460, 50.145 and 144.250 MHz;  
RTTY 14.080, 21.080 and 28.080 MHz;  
PSK31 14.071, 21.071 and 28.071 MHz;  
FM 29.200 MHz.

QSL via SP5DRH either direct (Jacek Kubiak, P.O. Box 4, 00-957 Warszawa, Poland) or through the bureau. Contributions are gratefully welcome at: DXpedition Org., P.O. Box 584 9171, Longyearbyen, Svalbard Islands, Norway. For further information please e-mail [dxpedition2000@dxpedition.org](mailto:dxpedition2000@dxpedition.org); the web page for the operation is at <http://www.dxpedition.org> [TNX IK2XDE]

- OZ - Helmut, DL7VOX will be active (on all HF bands, WARC included, mainly CW) as OZ/DL7VOX/p from North Jylland/Vendsyssel-Thy (EU-171) between 27 May and 8 June. QSL via DL7VOX either direct (Helmut Radach, Riesaer Strasse 93, D-12627 Berlin, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. [TNX DL7VOX]
- PY0\_fdn- Dennis, K7BV will operate from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) between 24 May and 1 June. He will use a special callsign throughout the DXpedition and will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest (most likely as SOAB HP). After the contest he will be very active on all bands 160-6 metres, generally on CW. Rod, WC7N ([wc7n@gb.wave.net](mailto:wc7n@gb.wave.net)) will serve as Pilot Station, assisting Dennis help 9BDXCC chasers fill empty bands. Logs will be posted on <http://www.qth.com/k7bv/PY0F>; QSL via KU9C. [TNX K7BV]
- SP - Helmut, DL7VOX will be active (on all HF bands, WARC included, mainly CW) as SO1VOX from Wolin Island (EU-132) on 3-15 May. QSL via DL7VOX either direct (Helmut Radach, Riesaer Strasse 93, D-12627 Berlin, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. [TNX DL7VOX]
- TX0\_che- The TX0C team (now including F5CW/FK8VHY, FK8FS, FK8FU and FO3BM) started the voyage to the Chesterfield Islands on 24 April. They are expected to start operating on 28 April in their local afternoon. Look for TX0C to be QRV on 6-160 metres CW and SSB. Logs will NOT be available on the Internet. The QSL route for the DXpedition is now via JA1BK. [TNX The Daily DX]

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- UA - The operators who activated Ushakova (RI0B, AS-156) and Uyedineniya (RU0B, AS-057) islands [425DXN 520] now plan to travel to the Sergeya Kirova Islands (AS-050), but the activity will be limited at maximum 4-5 hours. [TNX VE3LYC and Islands On The Web]
- UA - Special stations RP3RST, RP3RTG, RP3RTK and RP3RZK will be activated by operators from the Michurinsk Contest Group on 5-9 and 12-13 May to celebrate the anniversary of the end of Worl War II. QSLs are via RN3RQ either direct (Jack Yatskiv, P.O.Box 30, Michurinsk 393760, Russia) or through the bureau. For information on the trophy available for working these stations, please contact Jack, RN3RQ at [mcg@pub.tmb.ru](mailto:mcg@pub.tmb.ru) [TNX RN3RQ]
- V6 - Tada, JA1WPX will be active (on 40-6 metres CW and SSB) as V63YV from Yap Island (OC-012) between 30 April and 3 May. He might also operate as KH2/JA1WPX from Guam for one or two days. QSL via JA1WPX. [TNX The Daily DX]

- VU - A large group of operators from Manipal and Mangalore (namely VU2GPH, VU2HEG, VU2JIX, VU2JRO, VU2MTT, VU2NJN, VU2PAI, VU2RCT, VU2RDJ, VU2RDQ, VU2SBJ and VU3DMP) will be active from the St. Mary's Isles (AS-096) from around 5.30 UTC on 5 May through around 1.30 UTC on the 7th. They will use their individual calls as well as VU2MHC (club callsign) and operate on 10-40 metres SSB and CW with three stations and a wide range of antennas (including a 3-element 5-band yagi, a 3-element yagi for 10 metres, a 2-element yagi for 15 metres, verticals and dipoles) but no amplifier as the legal limit is 150 watts. Suggested frequencies are 7.025, 10.115, 14.040, 18.098, 21.040, 24.920 and 28.040 MHz CW; 7.055, 18.128, 14.260, 21.260, 24.950, 28.460 and 28.560 MHz SSB. Each operator will handle his/her QSLs either direct or through the bureau (requests for bureau cards can be sent to [qsl@vuiota.com](mailto:qsl@vuiota.com)). The web page for the operation is at <http://www.vuiota.com> [TNX VU3DMP]
- ZD8 - Jim, N6TJ will once again be active as ZD8Z from Ascension Island (AF-003) on 7-17 May. QSL via VE3HO. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

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EAST TIMOR VIDEO ---> "Memories Beyond the Pileups" is the 32-minute professional prepared video of the East Timor DXpedition by 4W/K7BV and 4W/N6FF. For full information please contact Dennis, K7BV (Dennis Motschenbacher, 4357 Appollonio Way, Washoe Valley, NV 89704, USA) or e-mail him at [k7bv@aol.com](mailto:k7bv@aol.com) [TNX K7BV]

FO0AAA VIDEO ---> Eddie, EA3NY participated in the FO0AAA DXpedition to Clipperton and has still 25 videos to distribute in Europe. For full information please visit <http://www.ea3ny.com> or e-mail Eddie ([ea3ny@bitradio.com](mailto:ea3ny@bitradio.com)).

QSL 3C5I ---> Alan, 3C5I/KB2WF reports his new postal address is Alan Isaachsen, 3601 Allen Parkway, Apt #348, Houston, Texas 77019, USA. [TNX OZ6OM]

QSL K2OLG ---> Joe, K2OLG reports that on 1 June 2001 he will close the logs for his IOTA operations (20 different locations) between 1993 and 2000. Cards should be sent to Joe Gumino, 1648 P G A Blvd., Melbourne, FL 32935, USA. [TNX K2OLG and Islands On The Web]

QSL K5K ---> Tom, N4XP reports he is processing and mailing QSLs daily. He started six weeks ago, but the queue was over 30,000, so it will take a while. [TNX CT1EEB]

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QSL MANAGER SOCIETY ---> Bob Schenck, N200 announces the formation of "The QSL Manager's Society". This will be a web based "organization" that will act as a point of contact for quality QSL managers, and for DXpeditions or DX stations looking for one. It will also provide a central source of

information useful to any QSL manager. Please visit the web page at <http://www.qsl.net/qslmanagers>

QSL VIA N4AA ---> Carl, N4AA (QSL manager for HK3JJH/HK0M) has discovered that the FCC made an error in the last four digits of his zip code when they processed a change of address several months ago. Please note that the correct address for N4AA is: Carl Smith, P.O. Box 249, Leicester, NC 28748-0249, USA.

QSL VIA S53R ---> Robert, S53R reports that all direct requests for E4/S53R have been processed. The rest of the contacts will be confirmed via bureau when he is back home for a holiday in July 2001. QSLs for his recent operations as AP2ARS, EY8/S53R and UK8AXA are being printed and requests will be processed in July. Please do not send duplicates.

QSL VIA SM3TLG ---> Hans reports he has processed all the direct requests for ZL/SM3TLG (OC-201) as well as for the other five islands he activated last year. Bureau cards will follow, but it will take a few months as Hans is currently moving to a new QTH. Please note that further direct cards should now be sent to Hans Nilsson, Styvje 3040, SE-826 94 Norrala, Sweden. [TNX SM3TLG and Islands On The Web]

QSL VIA UT7UA ---> Pavlo, UT1KY/EM1KY reminds DXers that the QSL manager for his past operations from Antarctica is UT7UA. Cards for EM1KY (AN-006), EM1KY/mm, HF0/UT1KY (AN-010), LU/UT1KY (SA-008), LU1Z/UT1KY (AN-006) and VP8/UT1KY (AN-006) should be sent to Roman A. Bratchyk, P.O. Box B-19, Kyiv 01001, Ukraine.

S.O.T.A. ---> The Submerines On The Air event is sponsored by the Submarine Veterans Amateur Radio Association and will take place from 6 UTC on 28 April to 23.59 UTC of the 29th. For further information, including the list of submarines, please visit <http://home.sprintmail.com/~jaf/index.html> [TNX K1VV]

THAI ISLANDS ---> As the 6-15 April E29AL DXpedition to Koh Tarutao (AS-126) was cancelled at the last minute due to unexpected difficulties with a permit to land [425DXN 518], all donations and pledges of help that were gratefully received will be assigned to a further attempt to activate AS-126 later in the year. The DX group activated Koh Samui (AS-101) instead [425DXN 519], and made 3302 QSOs (1900 CW, 1352 SSB, 50 RTTY) as E29AL on 6-9 April. QSL E29AL via HS0GBI. Later E21EIC/P (330 QSOs) and HS4BPQ (100 QSOs) were active from Phuket Island (AS-053); QSLs via E21EIC. [TNX HS0/G3NOM]

THE MOBILE DXER ---> Dave, AC6WO is the author of "The Mobile DXer", "the first book (12 chapters, 150 pages) devoted entirely to Mobile DXing and Portable DXing to be introduced to the Amateur Radio Community". It covers all major aspects of Mobile DXing and its main focus is on "Working That Rare DX Station & Busting The Pile-Up With The Mobile Rig And 100 Watts". For further information please contact Dave at [cochise@pacbell.net](mailto:cochise@pacbell.net)

V73E ---> The recent operation from Enewetak Atoll (OC-087) ended with about 18,000 contacts (4441 with Europe) in the log. Pictures and more information will be posted at <http://www.sixmeters.com/V73E>. QSL via WF5T. [TNX K7ZZ and The Daily DX]

+ SILENT KEY + Bob, N200 reports the passing of H.G. Hassan, V85HG (aka V8HG), "a real fine gentleman, who was always a strong and steady voice for Ham Radio in Brunei".

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QSL received direct: 3C1AG (AF-010), 3W5FM, 4L0G, 4U1UN, 4W6GH (OC-148), 4W6GH/P (OC-232), 5A1A, 5A23PA, 5H3RK, 6K5SDI, 6Y8A, 9H0A, 9K2ZZ/NLD, 9M2TO, 9V1CP, A22DX, A35MO (OC-169), A61AJ, BT0S, BV4PM, BV90 (AS-155), BY1PK,

C21JH, CE0ZIS, CO7OTA (NA-086), CO8OTA (NA-218), CO9OTA (NA-201), D68BT, D68WL, EP2FM, ER1DA, ES1QD, EY8MM, FH/G3TXF, FO0AAA, FO0AND, FO0CLA (OC-066), FO0MOT (OC-063), FR/F6KDF/T, FY5KE, H44MS (OC-162), H44MS (OC-168), I6AU, J28CDX, J28NH, JD1BIA, KH6ND/KH5, MD/DL5AXX, MJ0ASP, PV5IOTA (SA-088), S92TX, ST0P, T20CK, T88NF, TX0DX, UE6AAA (EU-185), V73GH, V73GJ, VK0MM, VP9KK, VQ9GB, VU2HFR (AS-153), XR0ZY (SA-013), XW3QBR, YC4FIJ (OC-144), YC7IPZ (OC-166), YC8RSW/P (OC-236), YJ0V, YK9A, ZD7BG, ZK1AGL, ZK1CG, ZK1FGV, ZL/SM3TLG (OC-201), ZM8CW.

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>>> DXCC MOST WANTED SUREVY <<<

The results of the recent 425 DX News DXCC Most Wanted survey will be published in 425DXN #523. Many thanks to all those who participated.

- 3A - Look for 3A/IK5GQK (Fabrizio), 3A/IK5YOJ (Giuseppe), 3A/IW5BZQ (Stefano), and 3A/IW5EDQ (Virginio) to operate from Monaco (WWL JN33RR) on 1-3 June. They will be active on 6 metres (SSB, RTTY, PSK31), 2 metres (SSB) and on the HF bands (SSB, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV); skeds are welcome at 3a@manneli.com also during the operation. Latest information and on-line logs at <http://www.manneli.com/3a>. QSL direct to IW5BZQ for contacts made on 6 and 2 metres (Stefano Manneli, P.O. Box 569, 50123 Firenze Centro - FI, Italy) and to IK5GQK for contacts made on HF (Fabrizio Vannini, Via Forlanini 68, 50127 Firenze - FI, Italy). [TNX IW5BZQ]
- 3B6 - There has been an unexpected change in travel plans for the 3B6RF DXpedition, as the team had to take a boat from the Seychelles to Agalega instead of flying. The voyage (17-19 hours) was expected to start on 4 May around 17 local time. Once on the island, they will immediately start assembling the equipment in order to have the first station up and running as soon as possible. [TNX K6GNX]
- 5V - Daniele, IV3TDM will operate from Atakpame, Togo between 5 and 16 May (licence to be issued upon arrival). He will be active in his spare time with 100 watts on all bands SSB, with special attention to the low frequencies. QSL via IV3TDM either direct or through the ARI bureau. [TNX IV3TDM]
- 8P & V2 - Conny, DL1DA will operate from Antigua (NA-100) between 5 and 11 May. Then he will move to Barbados (NA-021) and be active as 8P9BK between 12 and 17 May. He plans to operate on 10-40 metres (and if he can install a longwire on 80 and 160 metres as well) CW. QSL via DL1DA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HK0\_mal - Pedro, HK3JJH/HK0M is expected to go QRT from Malpelo on 7 May. QSL via N4AA (Carl Smith, P.O. Box 249, Leicester, NC 28748-0249, USA).
- JA - Haru, JA1CG will operate as 8J1SAI on 6-7 May from the newly created Saitama City, for which a new JCC number (1344) has been issued by JARL. Look for him on +/- 21.330 kHz. QSL via JA1CG. [TNX N6VR]
- KH2 - JA1RTG, JF1CPE, JI1EOP, JK1EBA, JR3OET, JA5AGW and JI0PFJ will be active (on 40, 20, 17, 15, 10 and 6 metres CW and SSB) as KH2/JM1YGG from Guam (OC-026) between 8 UTC on 10 May and 1 UTC on the 13th. QSL either via bureau to JM1YGG or direct to JA1RTG. [TNX JH1BAM]
- SV - Steve, G4EDG intends to operate from Kythira Island (EU-113) as SV8/G4EDG and possibly from EU-158 as SV3/G4EDG starting approximately on 7 May for 2 weeks. It will be a backpacking trip and operation will be on 20 metres CW only with 5 Watts to a

- dipole. QSL via home call. [TNX G4EDG]
- TT8 - Eric, F5JJK will be back to Chad the second or third week of May and hopes to operate on 6 metres and HF (CW, RTTY, PSK31 and some SSTV) as TT8JE. He will concentrate on 10, 12, 17, 30 and 6 metres (50200 kHz). QSL via F6FNU. [TNX The Daily DX]
- UA - Nick, RK1PWA reports that UA1PBP/9 will be active from AS-089 for two weeks starting on 5 May. QSL via RK1PWA. [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - Operators from the United Radio Amateur Club, N6UB will be active (on 10-40 metres CW, SSB and PSK31) from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) on 11-14 May. QSL via N6UB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YB - Adi, YC3MM plans to be active during the ARI International DX Contest (5-6 May) as YC3MM/5 from OC-075. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX IZ8CCW]

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3W7D ---> The 3W7D operation from Tam Island (AS-157) started on 26 April around 14 UTC on 20 and 15 metres SSB; Terry, BD7NQ reports the station signing 3W7D on 21.040 MHz CW between 7 UTC and 15.30 UTC was a pirate.

AS-154 ---> For those who asked: YM0KG was a special call used during the recent operation from Giresun Island (AS-154). This call belongs to TA7KG, the Turkish Radio Amateur Club branch in the town of Giresun. [TNX TA2DS - TRAC HQ Vice President]

DCI ---> For information on the newly born Italian Castles Award (Diploma dei Castelli d'Italia), sponsored by ARI Mondovi', please visit <http://utenti.tripod.it/dci> or contact the Award Manager (Pier Giovanni Uberti, IK1NPP) at [dcinfo@tin.it](mailto:dcinfo@tin.it)

PATHFINDER ---> Pathfinder is a free program that makes it easy to find QSL information from more than 100 web-accessible sources. See <http://www.qsl.net/pathfinder/> for additional information and download, or use the Pathfinder Web Client, which requires no downloading or installation (<http://www.qsl.net/pathfinder/WebClient/>). [TNX AA6YQ]

QSL FW5ZL ---> Cards for contacts on 6 metres should be sent to JA3EMU (Toshiyuki Tanaka, 11-22 Higashi-kourishinmachi, Hirakata city, Osaka 573-0077, Japan). QSLs for contacts on HF bands should be sent direct to FW5ZL (Guy Petit de la Rhodiere, B.P. 2, F-98600 Mata-Utu, France) [TNX JA3AAW]

QSL H44NC ---> Norried, H44NC will be leaving New Georgia (OC-149) shortly to return to the USA for approximate 12 months. He will be carrying the H44NC logs from July 2000 onwards with him. As of 1 May 2001 QSL cards for H44NC should be sent (direct only) to: Norried F. Chaisson, P.O. Box 2262, Springfield, MO 65801, USA. QSLs before July 2000 will still be answered but only after returning to H4. [TNX VK2CA]

QSL PW0S ---> Steve, KU9C reports he expects the cards to arrive at his QTH on 11 May. If this happens on schedule, he plans to issue all direct QSL cards that are clean in the log by 15 May.

QSL R2/DK8LV ---> Stephan, DK8LV reports he has still to process the requests received so far for his operation from Kalinigrad last year. Cards were received from the printer in December 2000, but the call was wrong

(R2/DL8LV!) and he is still waiting for the new QSLs to arrive. If he does not receive the cards by the end of April, he will look for a new printer. Please be patient. [TNX IK4NQL]

QSL UT2VU/DU7 ---> Cards for Oleg's recent activity from the Philippines should be sent to US1VA (P.O. Box 23, Kirovograd-9, 25009, Ukraine). Please note that according to Oleg cards are not likely to be sent out before December-January. [TNX UT2VU]

QSL NOT VIA PA3EPG ---> Ben, PA3EPG reports he is no longer the QSL manager for 4K5CW, 4K9C and 4J4K. He can confirm contacts made through 31 March 2001. Cards should be sent to Ben van Leeuwen, Zwolseweg 57, 8181 AC Heerde, The Netherlands.

WAIL ---> For information on the Worked All Italian Lighthouses Award please visit <http://www.425dxn.org/awards/wail/> or <http://www.ari.it/wail.html>, or contact the Award Manager (Paolo Garavaglia, IK1NLZ) at [ik1nlz@425dxn.org](mailto:ik1nlz@425dxn.org). The WAIL programme was created in 2000 and the first certificates have been issued to the following amateurs (their relevant score is between brackets) in the Italy, Europe and Outside Europe sections: IS0JMA (24), I0SBA (17), IK1WGX (16), IK8OZP (16), I4GAS (15), IZ1ANU (15), IZ8DBJ (15); SP5PB (15); K2XF (6).

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3B6RF: For the latest information on the DXpedition to Agalega please visit <http://www.agalega2000.ch>

LOGS: The logs for the recent operation by IE9/IZ8AJQ and IE9/IZ8DBJ from Ustica (NA-051), and its lighthouses Punta Omo Morto (WAIL SI-027) and Cavezzi (WAIL SI-028), are available at <http://go.to/ustica2001> [TNX IZ8AJQ]

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<<< MOST NEEDED DXCC ENTITIES >>>  
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The following survey is taken from the newly published ARRL DXCC Yearbook 2000 and includes the other 50 of the top 100 entities needed by DXers who participate in the DXCC programme (data taken from the 21,000 Mixed DXCC records). Part 1/2 (positions from 1 to 50) was published in 425 DX News #520. [TNX The Daily DX]

Rank	Prefix	Country	Rank	Prefix	Country
51	S2	Bangladesh	76	R1M	Malyy Vysotskiy Island
52	1S	Spratly Isls	77	3D2R	Rotuma
53	TI9	Cocos I.	78	YI	Iraq
54	ZD9	Tristan da Cunha & Gough	79	CE0Z	Juan Fernandez Isls
55	FO/C	Clipperton Island	80	KP5	Desecheo Island
56	KH5	Palmyra & Jarvis Isls	81	D6	Comoros
57	Z3	Macedonia	82	ET	Ethiopia
58	VP8/O	South Orkney Isls	83	KH9	Wake Island
59	VK9/X	Christmas Island	84	TY	Benin
60	T5	Somalia	85	KH7K	Kure Island

61	VK9/C	Cocos-Keeling Isls	86	JD1/M	Minami Torishima
62	T9	Bosnia-Herzegovina	87	CY0	Sable Island
63	TT	Chad	88	OM	Slovak Republic
64	ZK3	Tokelau Isls	89	KH4	Midway Islands
65	5R8	Madagascar	90	3W	Vietnam
66	S0	Western Sahara	91	JX	Jan Mayen
67	KP1	Navassa	92	3X	Guinea
68	3V	Tunisia	93	ZC4	UK Bases on Cyprus
69	3B9	Rodriguez Island	94	9N	Nepal
70	3C	Equatorial Guinea	95	T8	Palau
71	ST	Sudan	96	VP8	South Shetlands
72	YK	Syria	97	T2	Tuvalu
73	XU	Cambodia	98	5X	Uganda
74	OK	Czech Republic	99	CY9	St. Paul Island
75	ZK1/N	North Cook Islands	100	8Q	Maldiv Islands

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B6RF	HB9AGH	EI8EM	W2ORA	R3CA/0	UA9OBA
3B6RF	N3SL [1]	EK4JJ	W6QKB	RI0B	RW3GW
3D2NV/P	JA1NVF	EM0RSE	DJ0MAQ	RP3RST	RN3RQ
3DA0NL	ZS6ANL	EM1HO	I2PJA	RP3RTG	RN3RQ
3G4A	CE4BQO	EM1KCC	UT7UA	RP3RTK	RN3RQ
3G4B	CE4ETZ	EM5QRP	UR7IRL	RP3RZK	RN3RQ
3W7D	BA1DU	EN15UC	UR7UL	RS0B	RW3GW
4S7BRG	HB9BRM	EP3SP	W3HC	RU0B	UA9OBA
5H3OG	SM5IVO	ET3VSC	K3IRV	S21YV	KX7YT
5N3ZP	IK5JAN	EX8NP	IK2QPR	SO1VOX	DL7VOX
5R8DL	JH8YZB	F/ON4ZD/P	ON4ZD	SU/ZS6WPX	ZS6WPX
5R8FL	F5TBA	FG5FR	F6FNU	SV8/N2DH	N2DH
5R8GT	DK8ZD	FH/JJ1LIB/P	JN1HOW	TA0/IT9WDY/p	IT9YRE
5R8GV	JH6RFT	FK8GJ	F6CXJ	TA0/IT9YRE/p	IT9YRE
5V1SM	KL7Y	FK8HC	VK4FW	TA3J	TA3YJ
5X4L	WA0MJA	FO0MCA	JA3MCA	TG9AAK	EA5KB
7Q7KZ	JA2LZF	FO0RTY	JJ8DEN	TL8CK	F6EWM
7Z1AC	WA4JTK	FO5RA	KM5M	TM5N	F6KOP
8Q7JY	JA1JQY	FY5FU	F5PAC	TP5CE	F6FQK
8Q7KK	HA2SX	G3MRC/C9	G3MRC	TU2KC	F5TLN
8Q7QY	JA1JQY	GB5SI	MM0BQI	TU5GD	N5FTR
9A/S52DG/P	S52DG	HK3JJH/HK0M	N4AA	TX0C	JA1BK
9H1EL	LA2TO	HP1AC	EA5KB	TX4A/MM	FK8KAB
9M2/JI1ETU	JI1ETU	HR1BY	EA7FTR	UA0FO	WA6ZEF
9M2DB	KD6WW	HS0/OZ1HET	OZ1ACB	UA0QMU	UA4RC
9M6BAA	G4SHF	HS0ZCW	K4VUD	V63LJ	JH8DEH
9N7WU	JA8MWU	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	V63YV	JA1WPX
9N7ZK	W2UFO	IE9/IZ8AJQ	IZ8AJQ	V73E	WF5T
9Q5BQ	HB9AMO	IE9/IZ8DBJ	IZ8DBJ	VK9CXF	G3TXF
9V1GA	JA4BJO	II6R	IK6SNR	VK9CXJ	G3MXJ
9V1YC	AA5BT	II7G	IK7WPD	VK9CXW	G3SXW
9Y4/N2IM	N2IM	IO6T	IK6GPZ	VK9ML	VK4APG
A25/KY4P	SV0LM	IU3AIR	I3EY	VP8SDX	GM4FDM
AH0N/KH6	JK1PKS	J41K	SV1DPI	VP9/AI5P	AI5P
C91MR/3	G3MRC	J5X	DJ6SI [2]	VQ9VK	N1TO
CE4A	CE4BQO	J5X	DL1QW [3]	VU2TS	I1YRL
CE4B	CE4ETZ	J79CGA	HB9CGA	W1N	K1OA

CE4C	CE4CLM	J88DR	G3TBK	W4CN	K4WW
CE4M	CE4MLN	JA4PXE/6	JA4PXE	W4WX/C6A	W4WX
CE4U	CE4USW	JD1BCK	JM1TUK	XE1VIC	KA9WON
CN8NK	EA5XX	JK1UWY/5N0	JH8BKL	XR4A	CE4BQO
CN8NK	EA5XX	JU1O	JR0CGJ	XR4B	CE4ETZ
CO8OT	EA5KB	JW5HE	LA5HE	XR4M	CE4MLN
CP6XE	IK6SNR	JY9NX	JH7FQK	XR4TA	CE4TA
CU2/PY3ZM	PY3CEJ	KH0/JK1FNN	JK1FNN	XR4U	CE4USW
CU3DJ	KZ5RO	KH0/JR3TVH	JR3TVH	XV3AA	JA6UHG
CX1CCC	EA5KB	KH2/JA1WPX	JA1WPX	YC1WAE	K5ZE
CX2SA	EA5KB	KH2/JM1LJS	JM1LJS	YI1BGD	G0MMI
CX3VB	EA5KB	OD5UT	K3IRV	YI9OM	OM6TX
DL2GG/YV5	DL3AMA	OH0EA	OH2KMG	YM4ED	TA4ED
DU1/SM5ENX	SM5ENX	OX3LG	OZ1ACB	Z33F	NN6C
E21EIC/P	E21EIC	OZ/DF4ZL	DF4ZL	Z36W	NN6C
E29AL	HS0GBI	OZ/DK3WN	DK3WN	ZB2/DJ7ZG	DL7AFS
EA9EU	EA9AZ	PI4MRC	PA0QLD	ZB2/DL7AFS	DL7AFS
ED1SPA	EA1EG	PT2/KC2BAA	OK1FWQ	ZC4BS	G4KIV
ED4TE	EA4TE	PY0FZ	PY7ZZ	ZK1NDS	DL9NDS
ED5RSF	EA5URA	R15CH	RA3YA	ZK1NFK	DL7NFK
ED7CVD	EA7CVD	R1FJL	UA3AGS	ZP/G4DIE	ZP6CU

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>>> 425 DX NEWS - THE MONTHLY EDITION <<<

Put together by Maurizio Bertolino, IZ1CRR/I1-21171, the monthly edition (19 full colour pages, with pictures, graphs, maps etc) is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/monthly/> and can be downloaded in either .pdf (2Mb) or .doc (3Mb) format.

- 3B6 - The 3B6RF team on Agalega will have to start disassembling the stations on Monday (14 May). They will leave the island on the 18th, but the port is some 5 kilometres away from the operating site. Check <http://www.agalega2000.ch> for on-line logs and latest news.
- 9A - Fredi (9A5KV), Matko (9A3VM) and Tom (9A2AA) plan to operate from the island of Sveti Andrija (EU-016, LH 0383, new one for the Islands Of Croatia Award) on 12-13 May. The new IOCA list is due to be published on <http://www.hamradio.hr> [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9M6 - Danny, ON4ON and Harvey, ON5SY will operate (possibly as 9M6ONT) from Sabah, East Malaysia between 21 and 30 May, including an entry in the CW WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via ON4ON either direct (Danny Commeyne, Rozenlaan 38, 8890 Dadizele, Belgium) or through the bureau. [TNX ON5SY]
- BY - David, BA4DW will be active as BA4DW/2 with 100 watts and dipoles (15, 20 and 30 metres) from Dachangshan, Changshan Islands in the Liaoning Province East group (AS-???) on 17-22 May. QSL via BA4DW (David Y. J. Zhou, P.O. Box 040-088, Shanghai 200040, China). [TNX BA4DW]
- CU - CQ3E is currently active from the Selvagens Islands (AF-047) until 15 May. QSL via CT3HV. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- CX - Jorge, CX6VM reports he will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as CW6V (SOAB TS). He plans to operate mainly on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres. QSL via W3HMK.
- DL - Rolf, DL6ZFG plans to operate (on 10, 15 and 20 metres) from Ummanz Island (EU-057) between 14 and 18-19 May. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- EA - Look for Pepe, EA5KB to operate (on 17 and 12 metres CW) from Penyeta del Moro (EU-151) on 12-13 May. On 13 May he will be joined by EA5DHK who will operate on 40 metres SSB. [TNX EA5KB]
- F - Special station TM0AR will be activated on 10-40 metres, WARC bands included, from 15 to 27 May during the "International Festival of Art and Technologies". QSL via F5TJC (Jean-Louis Briere-Lecomte, 18 Le Petit Saint Louis, route de Theligny, 72400 Cormes, France). [TNX F5TJC]
- F - Dom, F5SJB reports he will be signing TM5CW between 21 May and 4 June, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via F5SJB.
- FP - Wendell, K4JZ reports he will operate (on 10-40 metres SSB) as

- FP/K4JZ from St. Pierre & Miquelon (NA-032) on 14-18 June. QSL direct to K4JZ.
- G - Look for G0KJW/p and G0OWE/p to be active from Longstone Lighthouse (LH 0234 for the WLH Award) on 13 May. QSL via home calls. [VA3RJ]
- G - Paul/G0WRE, Tony/G0VBD, Len/M0BOS, Paul/G0XBI, Terry/G0WAB and John/G4WXO will be active as GB0HI from Hilbre Island (EU-120) on 25-28 May. QSL via G0WRE either direct or through the RSGB bureau. [TNX G0WRE]
- G - John, G3HTA will be operating (all bands 80-10 metres CW and SSB) as G3HTA/p from the island of Saint Mary's (Isles of Scilly, EU-011) on 10-22 June. Look for him mostly between 07.00-09.30 UTC and 17.00-23.00 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX G3HTA]
- GI - The Bangor & District ARS (<http://welcome.to/bdars>) will be active from Rathlin Island (EU-122) on 1-3 June. Operators include GI4XSF, GI4VIV, G0HWO, MI5AFL, MI0AEX, GI4AAM and GI6JGB and they will operate as GN3XRQ on all HF bands, mainly on SSB and CW. QSL via GI3XRQ either direct or through the bureau. [TNX GI4XSF]
- HC8 - Kay, K6KO and Ken, K6TA will operate (CW, SSB and RTTY) as K6KO/HC8 and K6TA/HC8 from the Galapagos Islands (SA-004) for one week starting on 19 May. QSL via WM6A (P.O. Box 73, Martell, CA 95654, USA). [TNX The Daily DX]
- HR - Hiro, JA6WFM moved to Honduras in April and will be there for one year. He will operate as HR3WFM on HF and 6 metres SSB and CW. [TNX JI6KVR]
- I - Look for Tony, IK8VRH and Antonio, IK8UHA to operate from Ventotene (EU-045, IIA LT-011) on 9-16 May. QSL via IK8VRH (P.O. Box 173, 80016 Marano, NA- Italy). [TNX IK8VRH]
- I - Special station IQ8MFC will be active (on CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and SSTV) through 31 July to celebrate the centenary of Marconi's First transatlantic Contact between Great Britain and Newfoundland (12 December 1901). Special QSL via IZ8AJQ either direct (Erminio Cioffi di Michele, Piazza Umberto I 16, 84036 Sala Consilina - SA, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IZ8AJQ]
- JA - Special station 8J0ITU will be active from Nagano on 12-20 May to celebrate the International Telecommunications Day. Gil K. Miyazawa, JA0DWY will operate this station on 17-20 May; look for him on 10-80 metres (WARC bands included) mainly CW with some SSB. QSL via the JARL bureau. [TNX JA0DWY]
- JT - Nicola, I0SNY reports the JT1Y operation from Mongolia [425DXN 519] is confirmed to start on 29 May. Activity is expected to take place on CW (28015, 24895, 21015, 18075, 14015, 10105, 7005, 3505, 1825 and 50110 kHz) and SSB (28485, 24985, 21285, 18145, 14185, 7045, 3780, 1840 and 50140 kHz); special attention will be paid to 6 metres.
- KH1 - Raymundo, YS1RR announced that the same operators who were active from Conway Reef last February are planning a DXpedition to Baker & Howland Islands. It should take place on either September/October 2001 or February/March 2002. Further information is expected in due course.
- KH2 - Yoshi, JE2EHP reports that six operators from Japan will be active (on 160-6 metres) from Guam Island (OC-026) between 9 and 12 June. The callsigns and QSL information are as follows:  
 K1HP/KH2 (Yoshi) via JE2EHP  
 N3WW/KH2 (Ban) via JF2WXS  
 KH2/JH2CYU (Michy) via JH2CYU  
 KH2/JH2QFY (Aki) via JH2QFY  
 KH2/JJ2CYO (Yasu) via JJ2CYO  
 KH2/JS2ITP (Yasu) via JS2ITP
- KH6 - Oliver, DH5PK will operate (on 10-40 metres) as KH6/DH5PK from Kauai, Hawaii (OC-019) on 18-27 May. QSL via home call. [TNX DH5PK]
- KL - The Alaska Island Runners (<http://www.qsl.net/kl1sle>) are planning a trip to Fire Island (NA-158) this summer or autumn. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX KL7FH and Islands On The

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- OA - Manuel (OA4AHW) Sergio (OA4DKC) and Pablo (OA4DJW) plane to operate from San Lorenzo Island (SA-052) with a special call 4T (on 10 - 80 metres), on 29 June - 1 July, but this date can suffer changes depending of the paperwork. QSL via OA4DJW. [TNX OA4DJW]
- OJ0 - Arne/LA3IKA Bjorn/LA5UKA, Paul/LA6YEA and Trond/LA9VDA will be signing OJ0/home call from Market Reef (EU-053) on 5-8 August. Lars, OH0RJ has been invited to join the team. They will operate on 2-160 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL OJ0/LA6YEA via LA9VDA, others via home calls. Further information will be available on Trond's web pages at <http://www.qsl.net/la9vda> [TNX LA9VDA]
- OY - United Radio team members Max/ON5UR and Wim/ON4CJI will operate (10, 15, 20, 40, 80, 160 and 6 metres) as OY9UR from the Faroe Islands (EU-018) between 28 May and 7 June. Wim will operate PSK and they plan to participate in the 6 metres contest on 2-3 June. QSL direct to OY9UR, United Radio, P.O.Box 33, Zichem 3271, Belgium. [TNX ON4CGY]
- P2 - Ron, VK3IO will be active as P29IO from Papua New Guinea between 18 May and 22 August. QSL via VK3IO. [TNX The Daily DX]
- PA - Club station PI4TIL (pi4til-clubstation@home.nl) will use the special call PA6T between 27 May and 3 June. Look for them to be active on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSTV between 18 and 22 UTC on 30 May, while on 2-3 June they will be active on 80-6m, 2m, 70cm, 23cm and 13cm and will operate CW, SSB, SSTV, RTTY, PSK31, ATV and via satellite. [TNX PA3DZM]
- PJ2 - Bristol Contest Group members G6YB, G3RFX, G3TKF, G3XSV, G4FKA, G4HFX, G0WKW, M0AXF and M0WLF will be active (on all HF bands SSB and CW) as PJ2/home call from Curacao (SA-006), Netherlands Antilles from 19 through 31 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as PJ2Y. QSL PJ2Y via G3SWH; others via home call. [TNX G3XSV]
- SV5 - Arlyce, NB9Q and Mike Nowack, NA9Q will operate (on all bands 10-40 metres SSB, CW and PSK31) as SV5/NB9Q/p and SV5/NA9Q/p from Rhodes (EU-001) from 20 June through 3 July. Before going to Rhodes, between 13 and 19 June, they will be active as SV1/NB9Q/p and SV1/NA9Q/p from Athens. QSLs via home calls. [TNX NA9Q]
- UR - UX7MA, US5MPO, UX5MZ, UR3MP, UR4MRH, UR5MPN, US5MTT, US5MJJ, UR4MIB and UR0ML will operate (on all bands SSB and CW) as EN1MKN from Nyzhnii (SD-06 for the Ukrainian Islands Award, not IOTA) and Krymskyi (UIA SD-07, not IOTA) Islands between 13 and 30 June. QSL via UX7MA (P.O.Box 22, Stakhanov, 94000, Ukraine). [TNX UX7MA]
- VE - Helen/VE2YAK, Reg/VE2AYU, Fred/VE2SEI, Jeff/VE2TBH, Al/VO1NO, Richard/VE2DX and Andrew/VE2WHO will be active (on 10-80 metres SSB and CW) from Ile du Cap aux Meules (NA-038, C.IS.A PQ-004) between 25 July and 1 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VK - The Eastern and Mountain Districts Radio club will again be activating (on 10, 15 and 20 metres) the special event callsign AX3ITU to celebrate the International Telecommunications Day on 17 May. All QSOs will be confirmed via the bureau within 90 days of the event. Direct cards should be sent to VK3ER (P.O. Box 87, Mitcham, 3131 Australia). [TNX VK3TZ]
- W - The Roane County Amateur Radio Club (KW4JS) will be QRV (on 20-10 metres) from around 13.00 UTC on 19 May from Thief Neck Island (not IOTA), located in the Tennessee River, Roane County. QSL via KW4JS.

[TNX VA3RJ]

- W - Operators from the Mississippi Coast Amateur Radio Association (<http://www.qsl.net/mcara>) will operate (hopefully with a special event callsign) a tall 160m vertical over salt water from a pier in the Gulf of Mexico from 22 UTC on 20 May to 13 UTC on the 21st. Proposed CW frequency is 1803 kHz. This will be a privately funded experiment to check propagation at the sunspot peak. For latest information please check the website above. QSL to [w5tth@arrl.net](mailto:w5tth@arrl.net) (please include your grid square on reports). [TNX W5THT & N5FG]
- W - The Old Barney ARC will operate as W2T from the lighthouse on Tucker Island (NA-111) during the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend from 13 UTC on 18 August through 23 UTC on the 19th. QSL via N200 (Bob Schenck, P.O. Box 345, Tuckerton, NJ 08087, USA). [TNX N200]
- XE - It has been announced that Victor, XE1UQZ plans to be active (on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB and CW) as XF2UQZ from Isla de Sacrificios (NA-???) between 11 and 15 May. QSL via home call. Victor's previous operation from this island in October 2000 [425DXN 492] did not meet IOTA requirements for the issue of a new Reference Number. [TNX Islands On The Web]
- XX9 - Arto, OH2KW will be active as XX9TKW from Macau on 18-20 May and again during the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via OH2KW. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- YB - Joni, YC9WZJ reports he might operate as YC9WZJ/8 from Tidore Island (OC-145) between 10 UTC on 22 May and 5 UTC on the 25th.
- YO - Jean-Michel, editor of Les Nouvelles DX, reports he will once again be active as YO/F6AJA from the QTH of YO8FZ in Suceava, Romania between 14 and 20 May. QSL via F6AJA.
- ZK1\_nc - Victor, ZK1CG reports that the operation from Manihiki (OC-014), North Cooks [425DXN 515] is now scheduled to take place starting on 18 October for two weeks, including an entry in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest. "We need to get some ham radio gear down to Rarotonga so we can ship to Manihiki before October", Victor says. "We would like to know if anyone is planning a vacation or trip to the Cook Islands before October". If you can help. please contact Victor at [sales@computers.co.ck](mailto:sales@computers.co.ck)
- ZK1\_sc - Carsten, DL1EFD will be active (on 10-80 metres mostly CW) as ZK1EFD from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands between 16 and 29 May, including an entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via DL1EFD. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZL7 - Ed, K8VIR is now active from Chatham as ZL7IR. QSL via W8WC (Bill Coale, 605 S. Broad Street, Holly, MI 48442, USA).

PACIFIC TRIP (1) ---> Gerard, PA3AXU will be active as T30XU from Tarawa, West Kiribati (OC-017) on 4-10 September. He will then move to Nauru (OC-031) and operate as C21XU from 11 to 19 September. His last stop will be on Fiji (OC-016), where he will operate as 3D2XU from 20 to 28 September. He plans to be active on all bands and modes. The web page for the trip is at <http://www.qsl.net/pa3axu/2001/>. [TNX VA3RJ]

PACIFIC TRIP (2) ---> Bert, PA3GIO plans to operate (on 10-80 metres SSB) as VK9CQ from Cocos/Keeling (OC-003) between 8 and 14 September, as VK9XV from Christmas Island (OC-002) between 15 and 22 September and as VK9LO from Lord Howe Island (OC-004) between 9 and 15 October (actual dates will depend on flight schedules). QSL via PA3GIO either direct (Bert vd Berg, Parklaan 38, NL-3931 KK Woudenberg, The Netherlands) or preferably through the bureau. The web pages for his activities are at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/VK9CQ/>, [/VK9XV/](http://www.pa3gio.nl/VK9XV/) and [/VK9LO/](http://www.pa3gio.nl/VK9LO/) [TNX PA3GIO]

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ASSISTANCE NEEDED ---> The Yasme Foundation (<http://www.yasme.org>) has commissioned a full-length history of the foundation and a biography of Lloyd Colvin, W6KG (who died in 1993) and Iris Colvin, W6QL (who died in 1998). The assistance of Radio Amateurs and others around the world is sought in this effort. The foundation has retained freelance writer Jim Cain, K1TN, to write the book. Anyone with information to share (reminiscences, anecdotes, photos, etc.) may contact him at [yasmebook@mybizz.net](mailto:yasmebook@mybizz.net)

QSL 4W/N5KO, 4W/W3UR, E44DX, H40AA, TX0DX ---> Effective 15 May, late QSLing of E44DX, H40AA, 4W/N5KO and 4W/W3UR will be done by Steve, KU9C. A "combo late request QSL-card" has been designed to confirm these requests. "The procedure we use is to keep answering all direct request for 18 to 24 months from the time of the actual DXpedition and at the end of that period all remaining QSOs will be QSLed through the bureau network", Jarmo, OH2BN reports. In the case of TX0DX, we will keep answering all direct requests up to September 2001 when the bureau release will take place. All TX0DX direct requests have been answered as of today and we hold no backlog". [TNX N4GN]

QSL 5A24PA ---> Alex, PA1AW has received the logs and expects to start sending out the cards around mid-June. QSLs should go to Alex van Hengel, Schoener 85, 2991JK Barendrecht, The Netherlands. [TNX PA1AW]

QSL 5U7JK ---> The QSL manager for Jim, 5U7JK is I2YSB (Silvano Borsa, P.O. Box 45, 27036 Mortara - PV, Italy).

QSL A52UD ---> QSLs for all valid call signs in the A52UD log not previously answered direct have been prepared and sent through the bureau system. Work is now proceeding on outstanding requests for QSLs from Charly's (K4VUD) activity as HS0ZCW, XW1UD, 9N1UD and 9N7UD.

QSL AS-096 ---> QSLs for the recent operation from the St. Mary Isles are to be sent to the single operators, either direct or through the bureau. Direct cards for contacts with multiple operators can also be sent to The MIT Ham Club (VU2MHC), Manipal Institute Of Technology, Manipal 576119, India or Mangalore Amateur Radio Club, P.O. Box 1006, Mangalore 575008, India. For further information please visit <http://www.vuiota.com>

QSL EZ56V ---> Vit, EZ8CW reports that cards for this special event station should be sent direct to EZ3A through the following address: Vitaly Dotsenko, P.O.Box 73, Ashgabat-20, 744020, Turkmenistan.

QSL FR/F6KDF/T ---> Gil, F5NOD reports that some 1500 QSLs were mailed this week. Another 800 cards will be mailed at the end of the month, and this will be the last batch of QSLs for requests received in 2000.

QSL HK3JJH/HK0M ---> Pedro logged 15,000+ QSOs during his month long operation from Malpelo and Carl, N4AA expects to have the logs by 1 June. QSL to Carl Smith, P.O. Box 249, Leicester, NC 28748-0249, USA. [TNX N4AA]

QSL OZ7D ---> Allis, OZ1ACB (Allis Andersen, Kagsaavej 34, DK-2730 Herlev, Denmark) is the new QSL manager for the Danish HQ station, OZ7D. She has the logs only for the 1997 and 1998 IARU Contests. OZ7D operated during the 1998 SAC Contest as well, but the log was lost due to a computer problem.

QSL SA-030 ---> Pepe, EA5KB reports that 98 direct cards for CV1Z (2000) and 33 direct cards for CV0Z (1996) were mailed on 7 May. Other 115 cards for CV1Z and CV0Z were requested along with CW0Z (2001) and will be processed when Pepe receives the CW0Z cards from the printer in late May. Cards should

be sent to Jose F. Ardid Arlandis, Apartado 5013, 46080 Valencia, Spain.

QSL V5/ZS4NS ---> Please note that cards for Nico's recent activity from Namibia should be sent to his QSL manager, N7RO (not to ZS4NS).

SEANET CONVENTION ---> The 29th Seanet Convention will take place on 9-11 November in Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, East Malaysia. Details can be found at <http://www.qsl.net/seanet2001/>

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>>> DXCC MOST WANTED SUREVY <<<

These are the results of the recent 425 DX News DXCC Most Wanted survey. Many

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Rank	Prefix	Country	Needed by	Rank	Prefix	Country	Needed by
1	P5	North Korea	99.53%	52	VK9/W	Willis Isls	9.89%
2	VU4	Andaman & Nicobar	54.38%	53	ZK1/N	North Cook Isls	9.79%
3	BS7H	Scarborough Reef	53.17%	54	FO/A	Austral Isls	9.70%
4	VU7	Lakshadweep Isls	42.91%	55	KH4	Midway Isls	9.51%
5	VP8/S	South Sandwich I	37.87%	55	S2	Bangladesh	9.51%
6	3Y	Peter I Island	34.33%	57	VK0/M	Macquarie Island	9.33%
7	7O	Yemen	33.49%	58	9L	Sierra Leone	9.24%
8	FR/J	Juan de Nova	31.25%	59	3C	Equatorial Guinea	8.77%
9	VK9M	Mellish Reef	30.04%	60	9U	Burundi	8.49%
10	KH1	Baker & Howland I	28.73%	61	JD10	Ogasawara	8.30%
11	VP8/G	South Georgia Isl	28.64%	61	ZD9	Tristan da Cunha	8.30%
12	KP5	Desecheo Island	28.17%	63	1A0	S.M.O.M.	8.12%
13	KP1	Navassa Island	27.43%	63	KH5K	Kingman Reef	8.12%
14	VP8/O	South Orkney Isls	25.28%	63	ZL9	Auckland & Campbell	8.12%
14	YA	Afghanistan	25.28%	66	ZK2	Niue	7.84%
16	YV0	Aves Island	24.63%	67	3X	Guinea	7.74%
17	FT5X	Kerguelen Isls	22.67%	68	VK9/L	Lord Howe Island	7.65%
18	KH7K	Kure Island	22.48%	69	9Q	Dem. Rep. of Congo	7.37%
19	FT5W	Crozet Isls	22.39%	69	FR/T	Tromelin Island	7.37%
20	CE0X	San Felix & S.A.	21.83%	69	VK9/X	Christmas Island	7.37%
20	ZS8	Marion Isls	21.83%	72	TY	Benin	7.09%
22	3Y	Bouvet Island	20.24%	73	ZL7	Chatham Isls	7.00%
23	FR/G	Glorioso Isls	19.59%	73	4W	East Timor	7.00%
24	PY0T	Trindade	19.12%	75	YI	Iraq	6.81%
25	TI9	Cocos Island	19.03%	76	H4	Solomon Isls	6.72%
26	KH3	Johnston Island	18.75%	76	S0	Western Sahara	6.72%
27	ZL8	Kermadec Isls	18.66%	78	9N	Nepal	6.53%
28	3B6-7	Agalega & St. Br.	18.10%	78	C2	Nauru	6.53%
29	3C0	Annobon Island	17.44%	80	FO/C	Clipperton Island	6.44%
30	T5	Somalia	16.51%	80	XZ	Myanmar	6.44%
31	KH9	Wake Island	15.95%	82	T30	West Kiribati	6.25%
32	VK0/H	Heard Island	15.58%	83	EP	Iran	6.06%
33	3D2C	Conway Reef	15.02%	83	T2	Tuvalu	6.06%
33	HK0/M	Malpelo Island	15.02%	85	HK0S	San Andres & Prov.	5.50%
35	PY0S	St.Peter & St.Paul	13.99%	85	J5	Guinea-Bissau	5.50%
36	FT5Z	Amsterdam St.Paul	13.62%	87	T32	East Kiribati	5.41%
36	H40	Temotu Province	13.62%	88	XW	Laos	5.32%
38	SV/A	Mount Athos	12.59%	89	3D2/R	Rotuma Island	5.22%

39	FO/M	Marquesas Isls	12.03%	89	E4	Palestine	5.22%
39	ZK3	Tokelau Isls	12.03%	91	TT	Chad	5.13%
41	XF4	Revilla Gigedo	11.94%	91	ZC4	UK Bases on Cyprus	5.13%
42	CY0	Sable Island	11.75%	93	A5	Bhutan	5.04%
43	ST	Sudan	11.38%	94	4U	United Nations HQ	4.94%
43	T33	Banaba Island	11.38%	94	VP8	South Shetland Isls	4.94%
45	KH5	Palmyra & Jarvis I	11.29%	96	3W	Vietnam	4.66%
46	T31	Central Kiribati	10.91%	97	5W	Samoa	4.48%
47	FK/C	Chesterfield Isls	10.73%	98	E3	Eritrea	4.38%
48	JD1/M	Minami Torishima	10.63%	99	CY9	St. Paul Island	4.29%
49	TN	Congo	10.54%	99	R1M	Malyy Vysotskiy Isl	4.29%
50	BV9P	Pratas Island	10.17%	99	XU	Cambodia	4.29%
50	VK9/C	Cocos-Keeling Isls	10.17%	99	ZK1/S	South Cook Isls	4.29%

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Direct QSLs received: 3C1AG, 3D2AG, 4U1VIC, 4W/K7BV, 5A1A, 6Y5/WT6G, 7X4AN, 8Q7DD, 9H1EL, 9M6BAA, 9M6SMT, 9N7RB, 9V1CP, A35AD, A92GE, C56/DL7CM, C6AGS, C91RF/P (AF-088), CE0ZIS, CO0OTA, CO1OTA (NA-093), CO7OTA (NA-086), CO8OTA (NA-218), CO9OTA (NA-201), CQ9S (AF-047), D44BS, D68BT, D68WL, EM1HO, EP2FM, EP2MKO, ER230C, ES4ABO/8 (EU-178), FO8AA, FR/F6KDF/T (AF-031), FR5DX, FY5KE, GD4PTV, GH0STH/P, H44MS (OC-162 and OC-168), HK6DOS, HR3/HR1RMG (NA-160), J28CDX (AF-059), J68AM, J79GU, J79K, JD1BIA (AS-031), JY4NE, K5K, KB5GL/5 (NA-082), LZ1NG/1 (EU-181), KP2/NU0Q, MD/DL5AXX, OH0JTU, OH1LU/P (EU-096), OH2U, P49V, PJ5/UA1ACX (NA-145), PV5IOTA (SA-088), PZ5JR, S21YV, S92SV, TD0G, TF3DX, TS7N, V26B, V73GJ, VE7QCR/P (NA-061), VK0MM, VK4FW/P (OC-160), VK6HD, VK9EHH, VK9NOO, VP2E, VP2EK, VP2VI, VU2HFR (AS-153), WP3A, XV5VE (AS-132), XW3QBR, XW3ZNR, YK9A, YN9HAU, ZA1K, ZK3HC, ZM8CW, ZP5YW.

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- BY - BA5RX, BA5TX, BA5XA, BD5WW and BD5WKY will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as B5TX (Multi-Single). QSL to P.O. Box 8, Zhangzhou Fujian, China. [TNX BD5RT]
- DL - Look for DF0RR/p and DN1JC/p to be aired from Usedom Island (EU-129) between 23 and 28 May. DF0RR/p will have two stations on 10-80 metres (with the possibility of 2 and 6 metres) CW, SSB and digital modes; they will participate in the CQ WW WPX Contest (Multi-Single). DN1JC/p will operate mostly on 40 and 80 metres. QSL via the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F - A large group of French operators (namely F5AUB, F5OSN, F5RVI, F5DBX, F5UOE, F5BJW, F5BKB, F4CLO, F5JBR, F5VV, and F5XX) will be signing F5XX/P from Fort Brescou (EU-148) on 24-28 May. Three of them will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as TM5B. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- FG - Jack, RW3QC and Igor, RN3OA will be active as FG/KC8QKF (on 160-80 metres, including RTTY and PSK-31) from Guadeloupe (NA-102) between 21 and 28 May. QSL via RN3OA either direct (Igor Zakharov, P.O.Box 381, Voronezh, 394000, Russia) or through the bureau. Jack will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as FG5BG (SOAB HP). [TNX RN3OA]
- FP - Look for FP5AC, FP5BU, FP5BZ and FP5CJ to operate on all HF bands as FP5KE from Ile aux Marins (DIFO FP-006), St. Pierre et Miquelon (NA-032) on 25-27 May. QSL via F5TJP. [TNX F5TJP]
- G - "Not many 2E0s in this country are active and even less in contest", Jim, 2E0ATS says in announcing his participation in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest (on 10/15 metres).
- GM - Peter, GM3OFT will operate from Garbh Eilean, Shiant Islands (EU-112) for three days during the period 28 May-6 June. He hopes also to be active from a few other islands in the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) during the 10 days before or after the Shiant event. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- HB0 - Rob, PA0RDY will operate as HB0/PA0RDY from Liechtenstein on 25-29 May. He will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest and expects to be active on RTTY and SSB before and after the event. QSL via home call. [TNX PA0RDY]
- HS - Champ, E21EIC reports he will be active from the RAST club station HS0AC during the CQ WW WPX CW Contest, possibly as single operator. His suggested frequencies for 80 and 160 metres are 3524 and 1834 kHz. QSL via HS0/G3NOM.
- I - Activity is expected to take place from Torcello Island (EU-131, IIA VE-011) on 19-20 May during the 5th Meeting of the Crazy DX Group.
- KH2 - JE3EJC expects to be active (on 80-6 metres CW and SSB) as KH2/JE3EJC from Guam (OC-026) on 18-19 May. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]

- KH2 - Guam Contest Club member JG3RPL, JI3ERV, JR7OMD and JR8VSE will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as AH2R from Guam (OC-026) in the Multi-Single category. QSL via JH7QXJ either direct or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JI3ERV]
- OZ - Uwe, DL8UD reports he will operate on all bands SSB and CW as OZ3UD from Samsø island (EU-172) between 26 May and 4 June. QSL via DL8UD.
- PA - Maurice, ON4BAM will be signing PA/ON4BAM/m from Terschelling Island (EU-038) on 24-27 May. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PY - Paul, PY3DX (ex PY3PAZ) will participate in the CW WW WPX CW Contest (26-27 May) as PU3A portable on Santa Caterina Island (SA-026). Koetz/PY3KK, Xris/PY3FOX and Andy/PY3YY will be going with him and operate mainly SSB on the WARC bands. QSL PU3A via PY3DX either direct or through the bureau. [TNX PY3DX]
- PY - The Caio Martins Scout Group, PT2CM, is planning an operation from the Abrolhos Archipelago (SA-019) in December 2001, including an entry in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest. The team is complete, but they are looking for sponsors. If you want to support the DXpedition, please contact Noel, PT2ND (schechtman@yawl.com.br). [TNX PT2ND]
- PY0\_fdn- Dennis, K7BV reports his DXpedition to Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) will begin on 24 May as scheduled [425DXN 521]. After an all-band single operator effort in the CQ WW WPX CW contest, he will operate through 1 June on all bands 160-6 metres, primarily on CW. Special callsign PV0F will be used throughout the operation. 9BDXCC chasers are invited to contact Rod, WC7N (wc7n@gb.wave.net). Updates will be available at <http://www.qth.com/k7bv/py0f>. QSL via KU9C (Steve Wheatley, P.O. Box 5953, Parsippany, NJ 07054-6953, USA).
- SM - Thomas/SM5NGK, Stefan/SM5WAF and Jorg/DF6JC, will be operating as 8S5T from Harstena Island (EU-177) on 24-27 May. QSL via DF6JC. [TNX DF6JC]
- SP - Special event call SN45KDU will be aired until 31 May and again on 1-18 November by SP9KDU to celebrate the 45th anniversary of the Radio Club in Tarnowskie Gory, Poland. QSL via bureau to SP9KDU. [TNX SQ9BEU]

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- SP - Peter, SP5PB will operate (SSB and CW) as SP5PB/1 from the Niechorze Lighthouse (SPL 13) on 18-20 May. QSL via home call. [TNX SP5PB]
- SV9 - Look for SV9/DJ9HQ/p to be active from both EU-105 (Crete) and EU-187 (Crete's Coastal Islands) on 19-26 May. QSL to DJ9HQ via the bureau. [TNX DE0MST and Islands On The Web]
- SV9 - Look for Laci/HA0HW, Tamas/HA4DX and Bandi/HA5NG to be active respectively as J49HW, J49DX and J49NG from Crete (EU-015) between 25 May and 7 June. They will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest and will also try to operate from one of the coastal islands (EU-187) on 2-3 June. QSL via home calls. [TNX HA0HW]
- VE - Nenad, VE3EXY will operate as VE3EXY/2 from around 23 UTC on 23 May to 13 UTC on the 28th from CQ Zone 2. He plans to be active on CW (mostly during the WPX Contest) and RTTY, with some PSK31 (possible, but not guaranteed). Look for him on 1827, 3510, 7010, 14025, 18077, 21025, 24897, 28025 kHz CW and 14090, 21090 kHz RTTY. QSL via VE3EXY either direct or through the bureau. [TNX VE3EXY]
- YU - Boban, YZ1AU reports he will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as 401W (single operator on 10 metres) from a remote mountain location (1830m asl) QSL via YZ1AU.
- ZB - Martyn, G3RFX will be in Gibraltar again from 22 May to 7 June signing ZB2FX. He and will be active on 80-10 metres SSB, CW, PSK31

and RTTY. QSL via G3RFX. His website at  
<http://www.btinternet.com/~g3rfx> [TNX G3RFX]  
ZF - Look for Robin/KD5LYB and Glenna/KD5LYA to be active (on 10-80  
metres SSB) as ZF2RS and ZF2SG from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) on  
24-30 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX KD5LYB]

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CONVENTION ---> ARI Catania is organizing the first International HF-DX &  
Contest Convention to be held in Sicily. It will take place at the President  
Park Hotel in Acicastello on 20-21 October. For further details please visit  
<http://www.arict.it>

ITALIAN ISLANDS TROPHY ---> Sponsored by the Crazy DX Group and open to both  
licensed amateurs and SWLs, it is for working/activating IIA (Italian Islands  
Award) and ILIA (Italian Lake Islands Award) islands between 1 June and 30  
September 2001. For further information e-mail [crazydxgroup@libero.it](mailto:crazydxgroup@libero.it) or  
[crazy@crazydxgroup.com](mailto:crazy@crazydxgroup.com); The web site for the Crazy DX Group is at  
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LIGHTHOUSES ---> Ric, DL2VFR is the Award Manager for the newly born  
Deutsches Leuchtturm Diplom - the German Lighthouses Award. Rules (in German,  
English and Danish) are available at <http://www.lighthouse-award.de>

RRC MEMBERSHIP ---> Russ Wilson, VE6VK handles the Russian Robinson Club  
membership applications for Canada. For further information please e-mail him  
at [ve6vk@cadvision.com](mailto:ve6vk@cadvision.com). The responsible for applicants in the United States  
is Fred, N6AWD.

QSL D68C ---> Don, G3XTT reports that the cards ("a high quality 4-sided  
card, which will look good in everyone's QSL collection") are being printed  
in Germany, and should arrive with Phil, G3SWH late May. Phil expects to get  
into the QSL activity when he gets back home after his 4-11 June 8Q7WH trip  
to the Maldives [425DXN 519]. Please note that SWL cards do not go to G3SWH,  
but to BRS 32525 (Bob Treacher, 93 Elibank Rd, Eltham, London SE9 1QJ,  
England).

QSL J28VS ---> Stephane is active on all HF bands from Djibouti until June  
2002. His logs are available at <http://www.qsl.net/f4dbf/> and cards should be  
sent to F4DBF (Sebastien Le Gall, 10 rue Roger Salengro, 29480 Le Relecq  
Kerhuon, France). [TNX F4DBF]

QSL PW0S ---> Steve, KU9C reports that about 70% of the direct QSLs for the  
February PW0S operation (roughly 2000 cards) have been put in the mail.

QSL VIA HS0GBI ---> In a message to Fujio (JO1XWH), Cherdchai Yiwlek, HS0GBI  
(QSL manager for E29DX and E29AL) states that all his various addresses are  
active. However he prefers cards to be sent to P.O. Box 1090, Kasetsart  
10903, Bangkok, Thailand.

QSL VIA IK6CAC ---> Bureau cards for Carlo's operations (IOTA, IIA, DCI etc)  
can be requested through his home page (<http://www.aripescara.org/ik6cac>),  
where a log search facility is also available.

QSL VIA IN3ZNR ---> Fabrizio reports that all direct requests for XW3ZNR,  
XW3QBR, XU7AAY and XU7AAZ have been processed. If you are still waiting for  
your direct card, please contact him at [xu7aay@qsl.net](mailto:xu7aay@qsl.net).

QSL VIA W2FB ---> Steve Busono (ex W6MD) is now W2FB. He reports he is still the QSL manager for 5B4/T93Y, T93Y, T94EU, YB1XUR, YB2BRW, YB2UU, YC8NLF, YC8VIP, YC8VIP/7 and YC9WZJ. Please note that:

- \* bureau cards can be sent to the T9 and YB bureaux or to Steve, but note that he does bureau mailing only once a year, as priority is given to direct requests;
- \* cards for YC9WZJ's IOTA expedition in October-December 2000 do not go to Steve, but to YC9BU;
- \* Steve currently cannot confirm any QSO with either YC0MZI and YB0MZI, as he has neither the logs nor the cards.

Send your direct cards to Steve Busono, 3102 Commons Drive, East Brunswick, NJ 08816, USA.

+ SILENT KEY + Tilly (DK8MA) and Michael Lessig (DB5ML) report the passing of Philipp Lessig, DK3LP, former President and Honorary Member of DARC, on 9 May at 82 years of age.

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LOGS: Uwe, DL9NDS/ZK1NDS and Klaus DL7NFK/ZK1NFK uploaded the logs for their activity from the North and South Cook islands on <http://www.dl9nds.de/Cook/> [TNX ZK1CG]

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3B6RF	N3SL [1]	ES1RA/8	ES1RA	RP4AA	RZ4AG
3B6RF	HB9AGH [2]	ET3VSC	K3IRV	RP4ASK	RZ4AZJ
4K56GF	TA2ZV	EV5B	EW1ABA	RP6Y	RA6AX
5A24PA	PA1AW	EV5V	EW6WF	RP9XUK	UA9XS
5U7JK	I2YSB	EV5X	EU1XX	S21AR	JA1UT
5V7SE	IV3TDM	EZ56BO	EZ8BO	SN4X	SP5OXJ
5V7TD	IV3TDM	EZ56V	EZ3A	SO0MX	DL2MX
6L0LL/2	DS3GPT	FO5RA	KM5M	SO1VOX	DL7VOX
7X3WDK	EA5KB	FW5ZL	FW5ZL [3]	SO8ZZ	UY5ZZ
7Z1AC	WA4JTK	FW5ZL	JA3EMU [4]	T88LJ	JH8DEH
8J0ITU	JA bureau	HC3RJ	EA7FTR	TA3/DL4AO	DL4AO
8J1SAI	JA1CG	HK1RRL	EA5KB	TM0A	F60IE
8J3EAG	JA3DBD	HK3JJH/HK0M	N4AA	TM0AR	F5TJC
8P9BK	DL1DA	HL5/JA6HW	JA1RST	TM0CMA	F8KFE
9G0ARS	UA3AGW	HL9DX	W8KJP	TM8AFN	F5KOU
9Q5BO	HB9AMO	HP1AC	EA5KB	TT8DX	F5OGL
9Y4/DL4MEH	DL4MEH	HR4/TI5KD	TI5KD	UA0QMU/0	UA4RC
A25/KY4P	SV0LM	HS2CRU	DF6RK	UA1PBP/9	RK1PWA
AM5JIA	EA5URA	IO3AC	IK3GES	UE9OWQ	UA9ORQ
AP2ARS	S53R	IQ8MFC	IZ8AJQ	UN9LFF	LZ1YE
AX3ITU	VK3ER	IR3U	IV3HAX	US0Q	UY5ZZ
BA1RB	EA7FTR	IU3AIR	I3EJ	UT0U	UT2UB
BA4DW/2	BA4DW	J28FF	F6ITD	UT2VU/DU7	US1VA

C91MR/3	G3MRC	JD1BCK	JM1TUK	UT5UDX	UT2UB
C93MR	G3MRC	KH2/JM1YGG	JA1RTG [5]	V2/DL1DA	DL1DA
CA5WEL	CE bureau	KH2/JM1YGG	JM1YGG [6]	V31MX	K0BCN
CE5CSV	EA5KB	M0SDX	UT2UB	V47UY	KJ4UY
CO6TY	EA5KB	MU/ON5GL	ON5GL	VK9CXF	G3TXF
CO8DM	KU9C	OA6CY	EA5KB	VK9CXJ	G3MXJ
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EO56F	UR5FEO	RP3MGB	RK3MWI	ZK1EFD	DL1EFD
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- 3D2 - On 1 June Andre, GM3VLB and his son Niall (recently VP8NJS) will be leaving for a 17-day round-the-world trip holiday via Australia, Fiji, Honolulu, Los Angeles and Toronto. Look for Andre to be active as 3D2LB/P from Beachcomber Island (OC-121) on 6-8 June and from "ordinary" Fiji (OC-016) on 8-10 June. He will also operate as KH6/, W6/ and VE3/GM3VLB, probably /m. QSL direct only to GM3VLB. [TNX GM3VLB]
- 5R - Look for 5R8GT to operate from Nosy Be (AF-057) on 23-28 May. QSL via DK8ZD. [TNX DK1RV]
- 5R - Bert, PA3GIO will be active (SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres) as 5R8GY from Ile Sainte-Marie (Nosy Boraha, AS-090), Madagascar between 30-31 May and 9 June. QSL via PA3GIO either direct or preferably through the bureau. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/5R/> [TNX PA3GIO]
- 9A - Look for 9A/S50IPA/p, 9A/S53IPA/p and 9A/S57AX/p to be aired (CW and SSB on 20, 15, 10, 6 and probably 40 and 80 metres as well) from Kolocep Island (EU-016, CI-038 for the Islands of Croatia Award) between 25 June and 7 July. QSL to S57AX via the S5 Bureau. [TNX S57AX]
- 9A - DF9MV (Sven), DL1GEO (George), DL9CHR (Chris) and DE0MST (Fredy) will be active as 9A/home call from Porer Island (EU-110, CI-090, WLH 0240) on 12-17 August. QSL via DE0MST either direct (Fredy Stippschild, P.O. Box 1406, D-83657 Lenggries, Germany) or through the bureau. [TNX DE0MST and Islands On The Web]
- CT - Hermann, HB9CRV/CT3FN, Antonio/CT1EPV and Luis/CT1AGF will participate in the IOTA Contest (28-29 July) as CS5C from Culatra Island (EU-145). [TNX The Daily DX]
- EA8 - Operators from Grupo DX de Gran Canaria will be active as ED8GCF from the Lighthouse P.a Reina Sofia (FEA D-2799.6) on 27 May. QSL via EA8AKN. [TNX EA8AKN]
- EA8 - Brian, GM4XQJ will operate as EA8/GM4XQJ from Fuerteventura, Canary Islands on 2-20 June. Before going to EA8, he will be signing CT/GM4XQJ from Portugal on 21-31 May. All operation will be QRP CW on or around 14.060 Mhz. [TNX GM4XQJ]
- F - Fabrice/F5NBQ, Pierre/F5RRW, Eric/F5LOW and Christian/F1SDQ will be active (on all bands 10-160 metres SSB and CW) as TM1H from Houat Island (EU-048) between 31 May and 4 June. QSL via F6ANA either direct (Alain Mesnier, Les Grands Bois, Chemin De La Bussiere, 16440 Mouthiers, France) or through the bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- F - Gianpi, IK1TTD reports he will participate in the IOTA Contest from Ile du Levant (EU-070). QSL direct only to IK1TTD (P.O.Box 32, 18011 Arma di Taggia - IM, Italy).
- FH - Bert, PA3GIO will be active (SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres) as FH/PA3GIO/p from Grande Terre, Mayotte Island (AF-027)

between 11 and 18 June. QSL via PA3GIO either direct or preferably through the bureau. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/FH/> [TNX PA3GIO]

- FO - W1HIJ/6 will be active as FO0SCH from Bora Bora (OC-067) on 22-31 May. He will participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as FO8DX. QSL for both calls via W6UFT. [TNX Daily DX]
- FR - Bert, PA3GIO will be active (SSB only on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres) as FR/PA3GIO/p on Reunion Island (AF-016) between 19 and 22 June. QSL via PA3GIO either direct or preferably through the bureau. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/FR/> [TNX PA3GIO]
- GD - Dave, MD0BXX reports that GT3FLH (club callsign) will be aired on 5 July for Tynwald Day, on 7-14 July for the Island games event and again on 18-19 August for the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend.
- GM - Jim, MM0BJG and Derek, GM0EY will operate as MS0IRC/p from Kirkibost Island (EU-010, OH39 for the Scottish Islands Award) on 25-26 May. [TNX GM3VLB]
- I - Various operators will be active from Ventotene Island (EU-045, IIA LT-011) on 24-27 May. Activity is also expected to take place from Lo Scoglietello (EU-045, IIA LT-040) and the lighthouse on Ventotene (WAIL LA-005).
- I - Operators from ARI Tivoli will be active (on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2 metres and 70cm) as ID9S from Stromboli Island (EU-017, IIA ME-016, WWL JM78) between 31 May and 3 June. QSL via IZ0EUI. [TNX IW0EBR]

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- I - Eolian DX Team members Maurizio/IT9HLN, Nino/IT9FCC, Tindaro/IT9NGN and Daniela/IT9UHF plan to operate (on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 6 metres) as ID9/ from Salina Island (EU-017, IIA ME-015) on 1-3 June. Weather permitting they will also operate from the nearby Faraglione Pollara (EU-017, IIA ME-019). QSL via home calls (IT9HLN and IT9FCC either direct or through the bureau, IT9NGN and IT9UHF direct only). [TNX IT9HLN]
- ISO - Special station IS0A will be activated (on 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 2 metres CW, SSB, PSK and SSTV) between 7 and 19 UTC on 9 June from Cagliari (Sardinia) during the Memorial Day of the late Father Luigi Loi, IS0FQN. Real time logs and live pictures at <http://www.cqis0.it> [TNX IS0MYN]
- JA - Kaoru/JA3MCA, Aru/JA0KNM and Jun/JJ1EQW will be active (on 40-6 metres CW and SSB) from Iriomote Island (AS-024) on 1-4 June. QSL via the bureau. [TNX JA3MCA]
- JW - Pierre, ON7PC and Fred, ON6QR will be active from the JW5E station in Longyearbyen (EU-026), Svalbard on 28-29 July during the IOTA Contest. QSL via LA5NM. [TNX ON6QR]
- JW - Andrea, IK2XDE confirms the JW0PK DXpedition to Prins Karls Forland (EU-063) [425DXN 521] is on schedule. If the weather does not play dirty tricks, the team will arrive on 30 May and expected QRV time is around 12 UTC on 1 June. They will be active with several stations and a wide range of antennas through 12 UTC on 8 June (maybe until 24 UTC, depending on local conditions). QSL via SP5DRH either direct (Jacek Kubiak, P.O. Box 4, 00-957 Warszawa, Poland) or through the bureau. The web page for the DXpedition is at <http://www.dxpediton.org> (logs will be available on a daily basis).

Contributions are still gratefully accepted.

- LX - Look for HB0/DF5UL, HB0/DL1GGT, HB0/DL5EBT and HB0/DL6SAQ to be active from Liechtenstein on 1-4 June. They will participate in the IARU Region 1 Fielday and will operate also on 6 metres and 10 GHz looking for ES and Rainscatter openings. QSL via home calls. [TNX DL1GGT]
- OA - Manuel/OA4AHW, Sergio/OA4DKC and Pablo/OA4DJW plan to operate (with two stations on 10-80 metres) from San Lorenzo Island (SA-052) between 29 June and 1 July. Actual dates will depend on bureaucracy, as they need to get all the proper authorizations including a 4T special prefix call. QSL via OA4DJW.
- OH0 - Look for Peter/DL5FF (OH0JWL) and Hadi/DJ2PJ (OH0JWH) to operate (on all bands CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31, with special attention to 6 metres) from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 10-22 June. QSL via home calls through the DARC bureau. [TNX DJ2PJ]
- OJ0 - Seppo/OH1VR, Timo/OH1NX, Jaakko/OH1TX, Lasse/OH0RJ, Massy/JH1ARJ, Yo/JP1NWZ, Jun/JH4RHF and Hiro/JR4PMX will operate (with three stations on 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and possibly SSTV) from Market Reef (EU-053) on 12-16 July. They will be active as OJ0/home call (QSL via home call) and will participate in the IARU HF World Championship (14-15 July) as OJ0U (QSL via JP1NWZ). For further information please contact Jun at jh4rhf@arrl.net [TNX JH4RHF]
- PA - Joel, F5PAC will be active as PA/F5PAC from Texel Island (EU-38) for the IOTA Contest. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- PY - Look for Alencar/PY3CEJ and Michel/PY3ZM to operate (on 10-160 metres CW and SSB) as ZV3A from Ilha do Furado (not IOTA, DIB 62) between 1 and 30 June. QSL via PY3CEJ (Alencar Fossa, P.O. Box 6022, Porto Alegre - RS, 91031-970, Brazil). [TNX PP5SZ]
- SM - Look for SM7/DL5CX to be active (on 10-80 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK-31) from EU-037 on 9-16 June. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2VFR]
- SP - Look for HF1UKF to be aired from Miedzyzdroje (JO73FW) on Wolin Island (EU-132) during the annual meeting of the SP-VHF-CLUB on 10-17 June. A first station will operate on 160-10 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK, while a second station will operate on 50, 144, 432, 1296 MHz. QSL via SP1MVG. [SP1MVG]
- SV - J48T is the special callsign issued to ON6HE, ON5CT and ON4AAC for their 27 May-3 June operation [425DXN 517] from Thassos Island (EU-174). [TNX ON4AAC]
- SV9 - Roberto, I2WIJ will operate as J49R from Crete (EU-015) between 23 July and 6 August. He will participate in the IOTA Contest (24H CW), while activity outside the contest will be mostly on SSB and the WARC bands. QSL via home call, either direct or through the ARI bureau. His web site is at <http://www.qsl.net/i2wij/> [TNX I2WIJ]
- TX - The Oceania DX Group is planning a DXpedition to the Chesterfield Islands later this year, possibly in September. They plan to have five stations on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. Bill Horner, VK4FW, is looking for operators and can be contacted at vk4fw@spiderweb.com.au [TNX QRZ-DX]
- UA - Eugene, UA0QMU/0 is currently active from Vil'kitskogo Island (AS-083). QSL via UA4RC (Victor Gorokhov, P.O. Box 252, Almetievsk, Tatarstan 423452, Russia). [TNX RA6AR and Islands On The Web]
- UA - Dennis/RZ1AK, Vlad/UA1CIO and Konstantin/UA3DPB will operate as RK1B/p from Milutin Island (not IOTA, RRA New one) on 26-28 May. QSL via RZ1AK either direct or through the bureau. [TNX RZ1AK]

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- VE - VE3EXY's operation from Zone 2 [425DXN 524] was postponed for 24 hours, so that he will stay one day longer than previously announced. Look for him to be signing VE3EXY/2 until 12 UTC on 29 May. QSL via home call. [TNX VE3EXY]
- VE - The Daily DX reports that XM2CWI is the probable callsign for the 25 July-1 August operation from La Madeleine Islands (NA-038) [425DXN 523]. Activity is expected to take place on 10-80 metres (possibly on 6 and 160 metres as well) SSB and CW.
- VP5 - Look for Dick/W3RM and Mike/N3MT to operate (on 80-10 metres mainly CW with some SSB) as VP5/W3RM and VP5/N3MT from Providenciales Island (NA-002) between 31 May and 14 June. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- W - Howie, K1VJSJ is active from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) through 3 September and will participate in the IOTA Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Wade, KU4OJ will be active from Ocracoke Island (NA-067, USI NC-001S) between 27 May and 2 June. Look for him during his mornings and evenings.
- W - Norby, LX1NO and Manu, LX2LX will operate (SSB and CW) as AB7TL/6 and KM6RY respectively from Santa Catalina Island (NA-066) on 11-13 June. QSLs via LX1NO either direct or through the LX bureau. [TNX LX1NO]
- XE - Michael, AB5EB and his brother (KB5SKN) plan to operate (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) from Isla Mujeres (NA-045) on 18-23 June. QSL via AB5EB for both calls. [TNX AB5EB and Islands On The Web]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Bert, PA3GIO provides an update for his VK9 operations [425DXN 425] (flight dates are now sure):

06-13 September VK9XV Christmas Island (OC-002)  
 14-20 September VK9CQ Cocos/Keeling (OC-003)  
 09-15 October VK9LO Lord Howe (OC-004)

From 22 September to 8 October he will operate as VK6GIO while travelling between Perth and Sydney; he might also visit Kangaroo Island (OC-139) and be active as VK6GIO/5 during that time frame. The web pages for Bert's activities are at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/VK9XV/>, [/VK9CQ/](http://www.pa3gio.nl/VK9CQ/) and [/VK9LO/](http://www.pa3gio.nl/VK9LO/).

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CQ WW WPX CW CONTEST: Look for the following to participate in this year's event (give also a look to the list of announced operations maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com>):

- CO - Radio Club Las Tunas members Raul/CO8ZZ, Doug/CO8DM and Josue/CO8JY as T48K from NA-086. QSL via DK1WI or DL9US. [TNX DXNL]
- CO - Juan Carlos, CO8TW on 20 metres Low Power. QSL via IZ8CCW. Logs will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/co8tw/> [TNX CO8TW]
- DL - Kurt/DF4XX and Holger/DL5XAT as DF4XX/p from Fehmarn Island EU-128. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- EA6 - Pedro, EA6BB reports as AM6BB on 15 metres. QSL via bureau. [TNX EA6BB]
- EM - Ken, UU2JZ as EM3J. QSL via KG6AR (Chris Williams, 220 Woods Landing Lane, Callaway, VA 24067, USA). [TNX UU2JZ]
- HS - Champ, E21EIC from RAST club station HS0AC, possibly as a single operator. QSL via HS0/G3NOM. [TNX E21EIC]
- LU - Javi, LU5FF as LQ0F on 10, 15 and 20 metres. QSL via LU5FF. [TNX LU5FF]
- OH0 - OH0V on all bands from the Aland Islands (EU-002). QSL via OH6LI either direct (Jukka Klemola, Aarontie 5, 31400 Somero, Finland) or through the bureau. [TNX OH6LI]
- OH0 - OH2BH, OH2JTE, OH2MM, OH2PM, OH2TA and OH8SR as OH0B (Multi-Single). QSL via OH1BV. [TNX N4GN]
- OH0 - OG3M/0 on all bands. Contacts will be confirmed automatically through the bureau; direct cards go to OH1VR (Seppo Sisatto, Ojakatu 3 A 18, 33100 Tampere, Finland).

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CONVENTION ---> The Russian Robinson Club announced that the 7th annual Russian IOTA/DX Conference will be held on 17-30 September near Lipetsk. For further details please visit <http://rrc.sc.ru/eng/eng.htm> or e-mail [panoramatur@lipetsk.ru](mailto:panoramatur@lipetsk.ru) [TNX RZ3EM]

EWVA ---> For information on the European World Wide Award, sponsored by the Council of Europe Radio Club (TP2CE) please visit <http://www.ewwa.net> or e-mail the Award Manager, Francis/F6FQK at [FRANCIS.KREMER@wanadoo.fr](mailto:FRANCIS.KREMER@wanadoo.fr)

K5K VIDEO ---> The professionally done, 22-minute K5K Kingman Reef 2000 video is now available (\$20US postage included) and can be ordered from: Joe Owen, KO4RR ([owenj@mindspring.com](mailto:owenj@mindspring.com), North America and other NTSC systems except Japan), Katsu Ono, JH7OHF ([JH7OHF@jarl.com](mailto:JH7OHF@jarl.com)) Massimo Mucci, I8NHJ ([I8NHJ@pagus.it](mailto:I8NHJ@pagus.it), PAL for Europe and all other PAL systems).

LIGHTHOUSES ---> Full rules for the Croatian LightHouses Award (CLHA) can be found at <http://www.qsl.net/9a7k> [TNX 9A7K]

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Silvano, I2YSB is receiving several cards for 3D2AG/p and Z21CS, but he is not and has never been the QSL manager for these stations.

PIRATE ---> Someone has been pirating 3W7CW for some time. Do not waste your time with him, as Tom, the genuine 3W7CW, has been QRT for several weeks. He is relocating from Hanoi to Saigon and he is expected to be again active, but this time as 3W5CW, in early October. [TNX SP5UAF]

QSL 3Y0C ---> QRZ-DX reports that Mac, WA4FFW does not expect to start sending out the 3Y0C cards until September/October at the earliest.

QSL AS-096 ---> Chets, VU3DMP reports that cards for the recent operation from the St. Mary Isles (some 3500 QSOs in less than 40 hours) have been printed. Bureau cards can be requested at [qsl@vuiota.com](mailto:qsl@vuiota.com) and will be sent after processing direct cards.

QSL ID9/IT9SSI ---> Cards for Dario's 23-27 May operation from Filicudi Island (EU-017, IIA ME-003) should be sent to IZ8CCW.

QSL NA-220 ---> Allis, OZ1ACB reports she has run out of cards for Michael, OX3LG. New cards, designed in accordance with the new IOTA requirements, have been ordered. Please be patient and do not send duplicates.

QSL Z2/PA3CPG ---> Cards should be sent via the bureau to NL 213/R12 or direct to Jan Steenberg, Mauritsweg 11, 3314 JG Dordrecht, The Netherlands. [TNX PD1AJJ]

QSL VIA DJ2MX ---> Mario is the QSL manager for 9A/OE1EMS (Krk island, EU-136, IOCA CI-046) and cards can be sent either direct (Mario Lovric, Am Oelberg 11, D-61231 Bad Nauheim, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. Mario can also confirm contacts made with T94DX during the recent ARI Contest.

XF2UQZ ---> Victor, XE1UQZ reports his plans to operate from Isla de Sacrificios in May have not come off due to the lack of the landing permission from the military authorities.

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JT1Y: The web page for the 29 May-14 June operation from Mongolia [425DXN  
523] is at <http://digilander.iol.it/i0fly/> [TNX I0FLY]  
LOGS: 5U7JK's log is now available on his QSL manager's web site at  
<http://digilander.iol.it/i2ysb>  
LOGS: Joel, F5IPW reports that on line logs for J28NH, J28NH/P and J28CDX  
(AF-053 and AF-059) are available at  
<http://www.multimania.com/f5nhj/LOGj28.HTM>

QSL received direct: 3D2AD, 3D2AG/p, 3D2CI, 3D2SC (OC-095), 3G0Z, 5A1A, 5C8M,  
5R8FL, 5R8GT/P (AF-090), 5T5U, 5V7VJ, 7Z1ZZ, 8Q7RR, A35AD, A71BY, A92GE,  
C56/DL2OE, CE0ZIS, CN2R, CQ9S, CV1Z (SA-030), D2BB, D68WL, EM1KY, F6BFH/P  
(EU-065), FK8HC, FM/F2JD, FO0BOG, FR/F6KDF/T, FT5XN, HP7/F5PAC (NA-170),  
HR1RMG/HR4 (NA-060), HR6/N4MO, HS0/VE3SFL, HS1NGR, J38X, JD1BCK, JD1BIA,  
JW0HR, JX7DFA, JY4NE, K5K, KH0/JG1BAH, KH6ND/KH5, KP4ES, LZ0A, LZ1NG/1  
(EU-181), OD5YJ, OY3QN, PJ5/K7NAA, PJ6/PA3GIO, PW0S, R0/UR8LV (AS-152),  
R1FJL, RU1A, S07CRS, S07U, S92SV, S92TX, SU1SK, T30R, T32RD, TI9CF, TK5BF,  
TZ6JA, UK8AXA, UK9AA, V26JT, V31GI (NA-180), V63KX (OC-012), V63TN, VK0MM,  
VK9CXF, VK9CXW, VK9ML, VK9NL, VK9NS, VP2MDY, VR2BG, VR2MY, XF4MX, XT2OW,  
XV3MRC, XW3QBR, XW3ZNR, YB0ECT, YI9OM, YJ0ABQ, YJ0AFN, YJ2AD, YN1EYE, Z31JA,  
Z32XX, ZA0IS (EU-169), ZC4BS, ZF2AH, ZK1KTT, ZK1TNN, ZK2BQI, ZM8CW.  
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till 28/05	5R8GT: Nosy Be (AF-057)	525

till 29/05	6Y1A, K6ST/6Y5, KE7X/6Y5, N6XG/6Y5, K2KW/6Y5: Jamaica	521
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- 7Q - Five operators from Japan will be active from Malawi on 6-19 June. Look for 7Q7YL (who will stay there for two years, QSL via JG6BKB), 7Q7CW (QSL via JG6BKB), 7Q7DU (QSL via JG6BKB), 7Q7EN (QSL via JG6BKB) and 7Q7KZ (QSL via JA2LZF) on HF and 6 metres. [TNX OZ6OM]
- EI - EI4GK and EI9HQ hope to operate from the Blasket Islands (EU-007) between 1 and 3 June. They will be using the calls EJ4GK and EJ9HQ on 10-80 metres mainly SSB. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX EI4GK]
- GJ - DL1ZBO, DJ5BX and DF4OR will participate in the ANARTS RTTY Contest (9-10 June) as MJ/DL1ZBO from Jersey Island (EU-013). They expect to operate SSB, CW and on the WARC bands after the contest. QSL via DL1ZBO. [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX Notes]
- KH0 - Look for KH0/JA8CCL to be active on HF and 6 metres from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086) on 8-11 June. QSL via home call. [TNX OZ6OM]
- JA - Take, JI3DST will be active (on 17, 15, 12, 10, 6 and 2 metres SSB) as JI3DST/8 from Okushiri Island (AS-147) between 7 UTC on 2 June and 2 UTC on the 5th. QSL to JI3DST via the bureau. [TNX JI3DST]
- JA - Look for JA6LCJ/6 (Yuki), JA6GIJ/6 (Michio) and JA6JPS/6 (Shige) to be active on all bands CW, SSB and RTTY from the Danjo Islands (AS-056) on 9-10 June. QSL via home calls. Logsearch will be available at <http://www.topbander.com/logsearch.htm> [TNX JA6LCJ]
- OY - Ari, OH3KAV/OH7KA reports he will be going to the Faroe Islands (EU-018) for a couple of days in early June, most likely between the 6th and the 10th. If he takes his HF equipment with him, there will be a low profile activity as OY/OH7KA on 20 metres CW. [TNX Islands On The Web]
- SV - Daniele, IK0REH will operate (on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres mainly CW) as SV8/IK0REH/P from Zakynthos (EU-052) on 8-20 June. QSL via home call either direct or through the ARI bureau. [TNX IK0REH]
- SV9 - Look for J49HW/P, J49DX/P and J49NG/P [425DXN 524] to operate from Chrysi Island (EU-187) between 10.00 UTC on 1 June and 10.00 UTC on the 4th. See QSL information below. [TNX HA7UW]
- UA - Nick/RA1QQ, Alex/RA1QY and Vlad/RA1QCZ are planning to operate, possibly as home call/A or /P, from Hvoshovik Island (RRA new) in early June. QSL via RA1QQ (Nick A. Smerdov, P.O.Box 24, Cherepovets, 162627, Russia). [TNX RA1QHJ]
- UA - Look for UA1NDX/p, RA1NO/p and possibly others to be active from Suisari Island (RRA 20-03) on 9-12 June. [TNX DL8AAM]
- W - Special event call K1D will be aired (on 28350, 21380, 14270, 7230 and 3895 kHz) between 2 and 17 June to celebrate Kid's Day (16 June) and Amateur Radio Awareness. The operators will be Peter (W1DAD) and Jeanne (K1MOM) Schipelliti. QSL via W1DAD either direct (Peter Schipelliti, 7 Dearborn Ridge Rd, Atkinson, NH 03811, USA) or

through the bureau. [TNX W1DAD].

XW - Hiro, JA2EZD is now active on 6-80 metres as XW0X from Laos for about a month. QSL via XW2A (P. O. Box 2659, Vientiane, Laos). [TNX The Daily DX]

YB - YB8HZ has been trying to get to the Sabalana & Tengah Islands (OC-???) for this weekend. Unfortunately the boat has been delayed and he now hopes to arrive on 6 June. [TNX G3ZAY and Islands On The Web]

ZONE 2 ---> Fred, K2FRD reminds DXers that he will operate as VO2/K2FRD from Zone 2 starting on or around 6 June with a QRT date of 31 August [425DXN 517]. He will be operating from a tent about 90km from the nearest town and plans to work at least six hours a day (SSB and CW on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30, and 40 metres). His operating schedule is available at <http://sites.netscape.net/thefred3/labrl>. QSL direct only to K2FRD (Fred Stevens, 263 Keach Rd, Guilford, NY 13780, USA).

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ZD9, HELP NEEDED ---> The following comes from The Daily DX: "Tristan da Cunha (ZD9) was hit by a powerful hurricane last week. Reports are that Andy Repetto, ZD9BV, and Lorraine Repetto, ZD9YL, lost all antennas, tower and transceivers in the storm. The Repetto's were in England when this happened and will not be able to get back to Tristan until late August or early September. Colin Topping, GM6HGW/ZD9HGW reported, 'The devastation has been greater than that of the volcanic eruption in 1961 which forced the evacuation of the island.' Anyone who can help supply any surplus equipment is urged to contact Colin by e-mail at [gm6hgw@hotmail.com](mailto:gm6hgw@hotmail.com)"

QSL AP2ARS ---> Logs for Robert, AP2ARS (S53R) are now available online at <http://www.ve9dx.com/ap2ars/ap2ars.html>. Cards are already printed and Robert will process the requests when he returns home in July on holiday. Cards should be sent to Robert Kasca, Beblerjeva 2, SI-5280 Idrija, Slovenia. [TNX VE9DX]

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DX CLUBS: If you belong to a DX Club, which has a home page, please check to make sure it is listed on The Daily DX-DX Club page at <http://www.dailydx.com/clubs.htm>

DX CLUSTERS: Andy, VE9DX has links to well over 100 Open DX Clusters available via Telnet at <http://www.ve9dx.com/telnet/sites.html>

ILLW: The web site for the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend is at <http://vk2ce.com/illw/2001.htm>

LOGS: Andy, VE9DX now has links to 1610+ searchable logs on his log search page at <http://www.ve9dx.com/logs.html>

QSLING: Dennis, RZ1AK reports some useful tips on direct QSLing to Russia and CIS can be found on his web site at <http://www.qsl.net/rz1ak/mail.html>

XU7ABR: The new web site for the 15 July-3 August German DXpedition to

Cambodia [425DXN 515] can be found at <http://www.dx-pedition.de>  
[TNX DL4KQ]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A2DX	pirate	HB0/DL1GGT	DL1GGT	SN0FPC	SP3KHJ
3B8/F6HMJ	F5HMJ	HB0/DL5EBT	DL5EBT	SN0R	SP2QCR
3C5J	MW0BRO	HB0/DL6SAQ	DL6SAQ	SN45KDU	SP9KDU
3V8SF	DL1BDF	HB0/PA0RDY	PA0RDY	SP5PB/1	SP5PB
3V8SM	DL1BDF	HC3AP	EA5KB	SV5/DJ5AA	DJ5AA
3W2LC	VK6LC	HC8/K6KO	WM6A	SV5/DL3DRN	DL3DRN
3W9HRN	DL1HRN	HC8N	AA5BT	T32CG	JN1HOW
4G1A	DX1CW	HI3/DK8OJ	DK8OJ	T48K	DK1WI
4G1A	VE7DP	HK3JJH/HK0M	N4AA	T93Y	W2FB
4K9W	DL6KVA	HP3XBH	W4WX	T94EU	W2FB
4O1W	YZ1AU	HR1RQF	EA7FTR	TA3DD	KB2MS
4S7SW	ON6TZ	HS0ZCW	K4VUD	TI5/N0KE	N0KE
4Z8BB	WC1X	IB0S	I0YKN	TI5X	N0KE
5B4/T93Y	W2FB	ID9/IT9FCC	IT9FCC	TL8BC	F5IPW
5B4/UA9YAB	UA9YAB	ID9/IT9HLN	IT9HLN	TL8DV	W3MC
5N3NDP/1	IK5JAN	ID9/IT9NGN	IT9NGN	TM0A	F6OIE
5R8ET	K1WY	ID9/IT9SSI	IZ8CCW	TM0AR	F5TJC
5R8FL	F5TBA	ID9/IT9UHF	IT9UHF	TM1H	F6ANA
5R8GY	PA3GIO	ID9S	IZOEUI	TM5B	F5XX
5U7JK	I2YSB	IG9SIX	IK4DRY	TM5CW	F5SJB
5Z4FT	EA7FTR	IQ3X	IV3HAX	TM5ER	F5KAV
6Y1A	WA4WTG	IQ8MFC	IZ8AJQ	TM6JUN	F8LDX
7S0MG	SK0MG	IR3U	IV3HAX	TR8XX	F2XX
8A0ITU	YB0A	IU3A	IV3HAX	TT8DX	F5OGL
8J3EAG	JA3DBD	IU8PC	IK8PXW	TT8JE	F6FNU
8P6JQ	K9JJR	J27JUIN	F5IPW	TU2OJ	F5IPW
8S5T	DF6JC	J28CDX	F5IPW	TU2TP	F5IPW
9A/OE1EMS	DJ2MX	J28EX	FB1BON	TZ6TO	JA6HGB
9A30Y	9A1CCY	J28FF	F6ITD	UA0AZ	W3HNK
9G0ARS	UA3AGW	J28NH	F5IPW	UA0QMU/0	UA4RC
9G5DX	JH8PHT	J48T	ON4AAC	UA1PBP/9	RK1PWA
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- 3V - Hrane, YT1AD reports he is planning an operation from Galite Island (AF-???) to take place, possibly as 3V2GI or 3V8GI, between 5 and 12 July.
- 5R - Jack, F6BUM reports he will operate from Madagascar (AF-013) between 2 and 27 September. He will be active form either AF-090 (3-7 September) and AF-057 (23-26 September). He prefers CW.
- 9A - Look for Bill, 9A/ON5JE to be active from EU-170 between 30 June and 19 July. QSL via home call. [TNX ON4BB]
- 9A - IN3YGW, IN3TJV and IN3DEI will be signing 9A/home call from Rab Island (EU-136) for three weeks starting on 30 June. They plan to operate on all bands and modes. QSL for all via IN3YGW. [TNX IN3DEI]
- C6 - University of Tennessee Amateur Radio Club members Mike (KJ4Z), Dan (K2VOL) and Bret (K4TKE) will be active (on 80-10 meteres SSB, CW and RTTY) as C6/home call from Eleuthera (NA-001), Bahamas on 13-22 July. QSLs for all operators should go to KJ4Z (Mike Coffey, P.O. Box 7033, Oak Ridge, TN 37831-3333, USA). Logs and photos will be available during the expedition on the group's website at <http://www.utarc.org/bahamas/> [TNX KJ4Z]
- C6 - Joe/W8GEX, Kirk/W8QID, Ron/W8ILC, Byron/WA8NJR, Mike/N9NS and Jim/K8FL will be active (on 40-6 metres CW, SSB and PSK-31) from Eleuthera Island (NA-001, WWL FL15), Bahamas between 25 July and 1 August. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as C6DX (QSL via N8QET). Outside the contest look for C6AJR (QSL via W8GEX) or home calls/C6A. [TNX W8GEX]
- C9 - Look for C93AN, C93DU (JR6XIW), C93EN (JJ6VOV) and C93ET (JG6BKB) to be active on HF and 6 metres from Mozambique between 30 June and 9 July. [TNX JI6KVR]
- EI - The Cambridge University Wireless Society will be active as EI/G6UW/P from the West Coast of Ireland on 19-23 June. Islands to be visited will depend on local sea conditions, but the group hope to visit at least two of the following: The Aran Islands (EU-006), Great Blasket Island (EU-007) and Inishboffin (EU-121). QSL via M0BLF or (preferably) via the form available at <http://www.cam.ac.uk/societies/cuws/dxped/> [TNX M0BLF]
- EM - Alex, UR5EAW reports that the Ukranian Amateur Radio League (UARL) will be active in the IARU HF World Championship (14-15 July) from the UARL Headquarters in Lisichansk using the special callsign EM0HQ. A certificate is available free of charge for contacting EM0HQ during the HF World Championship, for further information please e-mail [em0hq@qsl.net](mailto:em0hq@qsl.net) [TNX UR5EAW]
- ES - Special call ES8SC will be aired through 31 August for the "Summer Capital Award" ([http://www.ppnet.ee/sc\\_award.htm](http://www.ppnet.ee/sc_award.htm)). [TNX ES8AS]
- EY - Nodir/EY8MM, Vladimir/EY8HB and Faruh/EY8AV plan to climb a nameless peak (5800-5900 metres asl) in central Pamir and name it "Radio

Amateur's Peak". The group has applied for special call EY1ARP to be used while operating (on 20 and 40 metres) from the peak. They will be leaving Dushanbe on 3 July and expect to start the climbing around the 7th. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.qsl.net/ey8mm/eylarp.html> [TNX DL8AAM and The Daily DX]

- F - Look for Eric, F5SSM/P and Valery, F5IDJ/P to operate from Berclau Island (not IOTA, DIFI 59-001R and 62-001R) on 9 June. QSL via home calls through the REF bureau. [TNX F5IDJ]
- FO - Yves, F6CTL expects to be active as FO/F6FTL from Rangiroa (OC-066), French Polynesia between mid June and mid July. [TNX The Daily DX]
- FR - Carlo, I4ALU will be active (on HF bands CW only) as FR/I4ALU/p from Reunion Island (AF-016) on 15-28 August. QSL via I4ALU (Carlo Amorati, Via Battistelli 10, 40122 Bologna - BO, Italy), [TNX I4ALU]
- GD - Wade, AA8LL and Liz, K8LIZ will operate (on 10-40 metres SSB) as MD/AA8LL and MD/K8LIZ from the Isle of Man (EU-116) on 15-17 June. QSL via home calls. [TNX AA8LL]
- HL - Kim/HL1OYF, Phil/HL1TXQ, Han/HL1VAU, Jeon/DS3BGI and Jeon/DS1EVQ will be active (on 40-10 metres, WARC bands excluded, CW and SSB) as home call/2 from Tokchok Island (AS-090) on 27-29 July. They will have two stations with a beam, dipoles and a 500W amplifier and will participate in the IOTA Contest (Han, HL1VAU/2 will be competing in the SO 12H category). QSL for all via HL1OYF either direct (P.O.Box 54, Dong-Jak, Seoul 156-600, South Korea) or through the bureau. Further information and logs will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/hllvau/iota2001/> (under construction). [TNX HL1VAU]
- HR - Ray, WA9YYY will be operating as HR6/WA9YYY from Roatan Island (NA-057), Honduras on 16-23 June. Primary bands will be 20 and 12 meters, mostly CW. QSL via WA9YYY either direct or through the bureau. [TNX WA9YYY]
- HS - Champ, E21EIC reports the following operators are expected to participate in the All Asian DX Contest (CW) on 16-17 June:  
Yong, HS4BPQ as SOSB 15m, low power (QSL via E21EIC);  
Choon, E20HHK as SOSB 10m, low power (QSL via E21EIC);  
Son, HS6NDK as SOSB 20m, low power (QSL via HS1CKC);  
Nut, E2ORRW as SOSB 40m, low power (QSL via E21EIC);  
Champ, E21EIC as SOAB, low power (look for him on 3.524 MHz between 19.30 UTC and 22.30 UTC).

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- I - Augusto/IK4RQJ, Alessandro/IK4ALM and Giuseppe/IK4HLQ will operate (on 10-40 metres SSB) as home call/4 from Scanno di Piallazza (EU-155, IIA FE-001) between 7 and 10 June. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IK4RQJ]
- I - Luigi, IC8GVV plans to operate (on 40-6 metres) from the Lighthouse at Punta Carena (WAIL CA-008) on Capri Island (EU-031, IIA NA-006) on 17 June. He might be joined by Giovanni, IC8CDU and Pasquale, IC8CQF. QSL via IC8GVV either direct (Luigi Esposito, Via Tamborio 5, 80073 Capri - NA, Italy) or through the bureau.
- I - Operators from ARI Trieste will be active as IQ3V from Vittoria Lighthouse (WAIL FV-01) on 18-19 August. QSL via IV3LNQ either direct (Luigi Lenardon, P.O. Box 3959, 34148 Trieste - TS, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IV3LNQ]
- I - Claudio, I1SNW reports he will be signing ID9/I1SNW from the Eolie Islands (EU-017) on 13-27 August. QSL via home call either direct (Claudio Scaglia, P.O. Box 161, 14100 Astri - AT, Italy) or through

the bureau.

- JW - Tom, LA4LN will be operating as JW4LN from Spitsbergen (EU-026) and Bear Island (EU-027) on 6-23 July. He will be active during his spare time, mainly in his evenings and when time permits. Look for him on 40, 30 and 20 metres CW, and on 50110 kHz +/- 10 as well. Some activity on RTYY and PSK-31 is also possible. QSL direct to LA4LN (Tom V. Segalstad, P.O. Box 15 Kjelsas, N-0411 Oslo, Norway). Tom reports that postal rates will suffer a 25% increase effective 1 July and from that date one green stamp will not cover the postage for one QSL card from Norway any longer. [TNX LA4LN]
- KG4 - Pat, W5OZI and Dale, AA5XE will operate as KG4ZI and KG4XE respectively from Guantanamo Bay (NA-015, WWL FK29) between 29 June and 5 July. Operation will be primarily on 6 metres with possible activity on HF. Proposed frequencies will be 50.102 MHz for CW/SSB, QSO 50.115 or per operators instructions if pileups are large. There will be a breakable beacon on 50.102 MHz and the operators will man the station to the maximum extent possible. QSL direct to home calls. Questions can be submitted to W5OZI (w5ozi@kctc.com) or AA5XE (aa5xe@kctc.com) [TNX AA5XE]
- KH0 - The Northern Kyushu DX Club will be active as KH0N and WH0C from the Mariana Islands (OC-086) on 15-19 June, All Asia DX Contest included. Outside the contest they will operate also on 6 metres and the WARC bands. [TNX The Daily DX]
- OH - Look for OH6HJE, OH6NJ, OH6UV and OH6MTG to be active (on HF, 6m, 2m and 70cm) as OH6AW/8 from Hailuoto Island (EU-184) between 29 June and 5 July. [TNX OH6NJ]
- OZ - Klaus, DL7UXG will be active (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) as OZ/DL7UXG/p from Bornholm Island (EU-030) on 5-18 August. QSL via DL7UXG. [TNX DL7UXG]
- PY - PS7ZZ, PS7HF, PS7KC and others will be active (on all bands SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK-31) as PQ7ZZ from the Lighthouse at Cabo Sao Roque (DFB RN-06, new one for the WLH Award) on 13-17 June. QSL via PS7ZZ (Francisco Edvaldo P de Freitas, Av. Sao Miguel dos Caribes 31 - Conj Jiqui, 59086-500 Natal, Rio Grande do Norte, Brazil). [TNX PS7ZZ]
- PY - Look for PU1NEZ/p (Carlos), PY1AMF/p (Martins), PY1LVF/p (Zeca), PY1NEW/p (Pete) and PY1NEZ/p (Lima) to be active (on 80-6 metres CW and SSB) from Frances Island (SA-077, WWL GG97) on 5-8 July. QSL PY1AMF/p via PY1NEZ, others via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX PY1NEZ]
- SP - Special station 3Z0GI will be activated (on HF & UHF bands CW and SSB) between 10 June and 30 July to celebrate the 666 anniversary of the town of Gorowo Ilaweckie. QSL via SP4CUF. [TNX SP4CUF]
- SP - Look for 3Z0WI to operate CW and SSB from Wolin Island (EU-132) on 14-17 June. QSL via SP4KIE. [TNX SP6TPM]
- SP - Marek, SP2OVN reports that SP2LLW, SP2CYK and probably SP2QCW will be signing home call/1 from Wolin Island (EU-132) on 14-17 June. QSL via home calls.
- SV - Special event station SW1SPA will be operated by Kostas/SV1ENI, Manos/SV1DZB, John/SV1DKR, Stathis/SV1DKL and Antonis/SV1ENG on 15-25 June from Euboea to celebrate the Cultural Festival of Aedipsos. IOTA chasers please note that contacts with Euboea will count for EU-060 until 1 February 2005. QSL via SV1ENI. [TNX SV1DKL]
- SV5 - Look for Carl, GW0VSW to be active as SV5/GW0VSW from Rhodes (EU-001) on 16-30 June. He plans to operate mainly CW on all bands 40-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- TA - Rafal, SP6TPM reports he will be joining the TA2KI team for the operation from Kefken Island (AS-???) [425DXN 513]. The activity is expected to take place on 23-25 June, subject to receiving a special permission from the local authorities as the island is under military control. [TNX SP6TPM]
- TA - Look for Rafal, TA0/SP6TPM/m to operate from Gokceada (EU-186) on 26-27 June and from Bozcaada (AS-099) on 28-29 June. QSL via home



call. [TNX SP6TPM]

- UA - Look for UA1TAN, UA1TBK and RA1TC to operate SSB and CW from Eyskay Kosa (not IOTA, RR-17-02) and Dolgiye (not IOTA, RR-17-01) islands in Azov Sea between 8 and 15 June. QSL via home calls. [TNX UA1TAN]
- UA - RW4LAL, UA4LU and UA4LDP will be active as UE4LKI from Krasnoyarski Island (RR-26-new one) on 10-12 June. QSL via UA4LDP either direct or through the bureau. [TNX DL8AAM]
- UR - Andy/UX2RY, Alex/UY2RO, George/UY2RA, Irina/UY2RY, Witaly/UX2RV, Yuri/UT0RW, George/UY5XE, Eugen/US5UM, Vlad/U5UG, Vlad/UR4UKV and others will operate as UR4RZA/p from Pravednyi Island (not IOTA, UIA DN 051) on 14-17 June. Activity is expected to take place on 10-80 m CW/SSB and via satellite. QSL via UX2RY either direct (Andy Asriyanz, P.O.Box 14, Slavutich-3, Kiev obl., 07100, Ukraine) or through the bureau.

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- UR - Serge/UA6MC, Alex/RV6LSS, Oleg/UA6LP, Alex/RK4HM, Vit/UX7IM and Oleg/UR3IFD plan to be active from Djulka Island (not IOTA, RR-17-04) on 10-13 June and from Zeleniy Island (not IOTA, RR-17-new) on 14-17 June. They will also try to visit and operate from Peschanie Island (not IOTA, RR-17-03). [TNX UR3IFD]
- V3 - Rick, W7AV reports he will operate (callsign to be issued upon arrival) from Ambergris Caye (NA-073), Belize on 22-29 June. He plans to be active on 80-10 meters SSB and CW, possibly PSK31 as well. QSL direct to W7AV.
- VE - James, W2RA reports he will be back in Iqaluit on Baffin Island (NA-047, Zone 2) on 11-17 June and plans to operate as W2RA/VY0 as his work schedule permits. Activity will be mainly on 20 and 17 metres CW, possibly on 30 and 15 metres CW as well depending on propagation. QSL via W2RA.
- VE - Canadian amateurs with VA2 and VE2 prefixes have been authorized to use CF2 and CG2 from 15 June to 15 July to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the "Radioamateurs du Quebec, Inc." (RAQI). RAQI has also obtained a special callsign (VC2A) which can be used by individuals or groups. For more details please visit <http://www.marc.qc.ca/raqi0105.html> [TNX VE2MBS]
- VE - Gilles, VE2MAM will be operating from Grande Basque Island (NA-125) on 16-21 June. (on 20, 17 and 15 metres, but he will try 10, 12 and 40 metres as well). [TNX VE2MAM]
- VK - Peter, VK8PW will be operating (SSB only on 10-20 metres) again as VK8PW/8 from the Trust Territory of Arnhem Land in Northern Australia from 22 June through the end of August. There is a possibility to operate for a few days from OC-229 as well. QSL via home call either direct or through the VK8 bureau. [TNX VK8PW]
- VP9 - Adrian, G0KOM will be active as G0KOM/VP9 from the Bermuda Islands (NA-005) on 14-22 July. He will have a vertical for HF bands and a 5-element for 6 metres. [TNX OZ6OM]
- W - Henry, KC6VNA will be active (on +/- 14.260 MHZ low power) from Santa Rosa Island (NA-144) on 17-19 June. QSL via K6FQ. [TNX DL2VFR]
- W - Gary, N4DL plans to be active from Treasure Island (NA-034) on 12 June from 13 UTC to 17 UTC. Look for him at +/- 14055 kHz QRP. QSL via N4DL either direct (Gary Powell, 1108 Devonshire Lane, Lakeland, FL 33813, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX N4DL]
- XE - Seven operators from Quintana Roo will be active as XF3CI from Contoy Island (NA-045) on 21-22 June. They will operate on 10-80 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. It will be a first time operation from this

national park island. QSL via XE3OYJ either direct (P.O. Box 1883, Cancun, Quintana Roo 77501, Mexico) or through the bureau. [TNX XE1KK]

YB - The boat carrying Hajar/YB8HZ, Eddy/YC8HU, Murad/YD8EAQ and Abdullah/YD8GKZ to Sabalana Island (OC-???) [425DXN 526] had to turn about due to engine problems. The team was expected to start operating on 8 or 9 June for ten days; now they hope the engine can be fixed over the weekend and depart on 11 June. [TNX G3ZAY and Islands On The Web]

ZK1\_sc - Mark, KM6HB reports will be active as ZK1AHB from the South Cook Islands as follows:

7-8 August from Rarotonga (OC-013),  
9-11 August from Mangaia (OC-159),  
11-16 August from Aitutaki (OC-083),  
13-17 August from Rarotonga (OC-013).

He plans to operate on all modes including RTTY and PSK-31. QSL via KM6HB either direct or through the bureau.

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CHESTERFIELD ---> Bill, VK4FW is looking for operators for the planned DXpedition to the Chesterfields. The trip is scheduled to take place between 1 and 19 September. If interested please e-mail Bill at vk4fw@spiderweb.com.au

QSL AS-154 ---> Cards have arrived from the printer and Nando, IT9YRE has started processing the 1000+ direct requests received so far for the recent operation from Giresun Island (TA0/IT9YRE, TA0/IT9WDY, YM0KG). QSL can be sent to IT9YRE either direct (Ferdinando Rubino, P.O. Box 30, 96012 Avola - SR, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IT9YRE]

QSL 9G1MR ---> Dima, UA3AGW operated from 9G1MR during the CQ WW WPX CW Contest and cards can be sent to either UA3AGW or Mario, IK3HHX. Also please note that IK3HHX is \*not\* the QSL manager for 9G0ARS (QSL via UA3AGW).

QSL G3HTA/p ---> John, G3HTA reports he now has a QSL manager who will handle all his home and portable IOTA operations. Cards for John's 10-22 June operation [425DXN 523] from the Scilly Isles (EU-011) should therefore be sent to G3RUV: A.T.James, 37 Stratford Avenue, Whipton, Exeter, Devon EX4 8ES, UK

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QSL PJ5/UA1ACX ---> Cards can be sent (either direct or through the bureau) to Dima's QSL manager, RV1CC (Vladimir Sidorov, P.O.Box 7, St.Petersburg, 191011 Russia). Direct cards can also be sent to Dima himself: Dmitri Tonkopi, University of Sint Eustatius School of Medicine, Golden Rock, P. O. Box 73, St. Eustatius, Netherlands Antilles. Vladimir (<http://www.qsl.net/rv1cc>) reports that cards should arrive from the printer in mid June.

QSL YI1BGD/5 ---> Cards should be sent to Diya, YI1DZ and not to Cliff, GOMMI (he can confirm only contacts made with YI1BGD operated by Rodger, G0TLC).

QSL VIA I6BQI ---> Angelo reports several cards for his February-March activity as A35BQ, YJ0ABQ and ZK2BQI still arrive to his old address. Please note that the correct address is - and has been for the last three years - Angelo Brandolini, Contrada Colle di Giogo 36/A, 65010 Moscufo - PE, Italy. He has already replied to some 3,000 QSLs and expects to process outstanding requests within May. Logs are available at <http://www.qsl.net/i6bqi>

WRTC 2002 ---> Ari, OH1EH reports that some of the WRTC 2002 representatives will be attending a number of events in the near future:

- HamCom 2001 (Arlington, TX) on 8-10 June - meet Martti, OH2BH and Dennis, K7BV
- Ham Radio Fair 2001 (Friedrichshafen, Germany) on 29 June-1 July - meet Ari/OH1EH, Timo/OH1NOA and Jari/OH2BU
- Hietahami 2001 (Oulu, Finland) on 5-8 July - meet several representatives at the biggest annual amateur radio event in Finland

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LOGS: The logs for 5A24PA are now available at <http://dx.qsl.net> and cards are currently being printed. QSL via PA1AW.

LOGS: Logs for J28BS (January 1993, October-November 1994 and April 1999) are available at <http://www.ve9dx.com/f5phw/j28bs.html> [TNX F5PHW]

LOGS: Logs for 6W1/F5PHW (April-June 1994 and May 1997) are available at <http://www.ve9dx.com/f5phw/6w1-f5phw.html> [TNX F5PHW]

PV0F: Dennis, K7BV departed Fernando de Noronha after 6800+ QSOs (1/6m, 991/10m, 426/12m, 1671/15m, 703/17m, 997/20m, 574/30m, 1145/40m, 257/80m, 38/160m). He operated from Andre's (PY0FF) resort on the island (<http://www.noronha.com.br/>). The final logs are available at <http://www.qth.com/k7bv/py0f>; QSL via KU9C. [TNX WC7N]

QSL DB: Boye Christensen, OZ7C has updated his QSL DBase (which now contains 283,612 unique records) for Packet Cluster. You can download [oz7c0106.exe](http://www.muurkrant.com/pi4com/QSLDatabase/index.html) at: <http://www.muurkrant.com/pi4com/QSLDatabase/index.html>  
A search engine is available at <http://www.hammall.com> [TNX OZ7C, [oz7c@qsl.net](mailto:oz7c@qsl.net)]

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QSL received direct: 3D2AG/P, 3D2CI, 3G0Y, 3G0Z, 3Z1DXC, 5A1A, 5N9EAM, 5T5U, 5U2K, 5U3T, 5U5A, 5X1GS, 7Z1AC, BY6RC, CN8LI, D2BB, D4A, DS0NO, EK0I (AS-059, 09/91)EP3SMH, EW4MM, EZ0/UT3UV, FO0BOG (OC-067),FO0DER, FO0POM, FO0WEG, FS/AH8DX, FY5KE, H44MS, HC8N, HL00, J6/OH1HX, JI3DST/6 (AS-012), JI3DST/6 (AS-032), JI3DST/1 (AS-043), JI3DST/6 (AS-067), JI3DST/6 (AS-079), JI3DST/8 (AS-147), JI3DST/JA6 (AS-049), JX7DFA, K5K, KG4VL, KH0A, KH8/N5OLS, KP2/K9TM, LY5W, MJ/K3PLV, PJ7/G2GSJ, R200AP, R3RRC/6, RA1QQ/1 (EU-147), RF1P (EU-102), RI1OSW (EU-066), S07U, S79WB, SV1IW/8 (EU-174), T32RD, TF8GX, TG9/IK2NCJ, TG9IGI, TX8G, UK9AA, V47UY, V51AS, V63YT, V73AX, V73CW, VK9CXF, VK9CXJ, VK9CXW, VK9XT, VP2EK, VP5VAC/P (NA-003), VP9/DL3OCH, VU2PAI (AS-096), VY0RR, YJ0ABQ (OC-035), ZB2FK, ZF8/ZF2JC.

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PERIOD	CALL	REF
till 10/06	3D2LB: Fiji (OC-016) * by GM3VLB	525
till 09/06	5R8GY: Ile Sainte-Marie (AS-090) * by PA3GIO	525
till 19/06	7Q7YL, 7Q7CW, 7Q7DU, 7Q7EN, 7Q7KZ: Malawi * by JAS	526
till 11/06	8Q7WH: Maldives (AS-013) * by G3SWH	519
till 2002	EM1HO: Galindez Island (AN-006)	513
till 31/08	ES8SC: special call (Estonia)	527
till August	FO0CLA: French Polynesia and Australs * by F2HE	501
till 10/06	IK4RQJ/4, IK4ALM/4, IK4HLQ/4: EU-155	527
till 31/07	IQ8MFC: special station	523
till 12/06	JA6GXX: Me-shima, Danjo Islands (AS-056)	517
till 14/06	JT1Y: Mongolia * by I0SNY and others	525
till June	JW3FL: Hopen Is. (EU-063) * by LA3FL	504
till 03/09	K1VSJ: Martha's Vineyard (NA-046)	525
till 11/06	KH0/JA8CCL: Saipan (OC-086)	526
till 12/06	MJ/DL1ZBO, MJ/DJ5BX, MJ/DF4OR: Jersey (EU-013)	521
till 31/12	OE75: special prefix (Austria)	504
till 15/06	UA1TAN, UA1TBK, RA1TC: RR-17-02 and RR-17-01	527
till 19/06	VK8AN/6: Troughton Island (OC-154)	519
till 31/08	VO2/K2FRD: Zone 2	526
till 14/06	VP5/W3RM and VP5/N3MT: Providenciales (NA-002)	525
till 20/06	XW0X: Laos * by JA2EZD/XW2A	526
till 30/06	ZV3A: Ilha do Furado (DIB 62) * by PY3CEJ and PY3ZM	525
08/06-12/06	EA9/JI6KVR: Ceuta	517
08/06-20/06	SV8/IK0REH/P: Zakynthos (EU-052)	526
08/06-10/06	Ham Com 2001 (Arlington, TX)	510
09/06	IS0A: special station (Sardinia)	525
09/06-12/06	KH2: Guam (OC-026) * by JAS	523
09/06	F5SSM/P & F5IDJ/P: Berclau Isl (DIFI 59-001R, 62-001R)	527
09/06-10/06	JA6LCJ/6, JA6GIJ/6, JA6JPS/6: Danjo Islands (AS-056)	526
09/06-10/06	MJ/DL1ZBO: Jersey Island (EU-013)	526
09/06-12/06	UA1NDX/p, RA1NO/p: Suisari Island (RRA 20-03)	526
06/06-10/06	OY/OH7KA: Faroe Islands (EU-018)	526
09/06-16/06	SM7/DL5CX: EU-037	525
09/06-10/06	ANARTS WW RTTY Contest	***
09/06	Portugal Day Contest	***
10/06-30/07	3Z0GI: special station (Poland)	527
10/06-22/06	G3HTA/p: Saint Mary's Island (EU-011)	523
10/06-17/06	HF1UKF: Wolin Island (EU-132)	525

10/06-22/06	OH0JWL, OH0JWH: Aland Isls (EU-002) * by DL5FF, DJ2PJ	525
10/06-13/06	UA6MC, RV6LSS, UA6LP, RK4HM, UX7IM, UR3IFD: RRA RR17-04	526
10/06-12/06	UE4LKI: Krasnoyarski Island (RR-26-new)	527
11/06-13/06	AB7TL/6 and KM6RY: NA-066 * by LX1NO and LX2LX	525
11/06-18/06	FH/PA3GIO/p: Mayotte Island (AF-027)	525
11/06-17/06	W2RA/VY0: Baffin Island (NA-047)	527
12/06	N4DL: Treasure Island (NA-034)	527
13/06-30/06	EN1MKN: Nyzhnii (SD-06) & Krymskyi (SD-07) isls	523
13/06-17/06	PQ7ZZ: Cabo Sao Roque Lighthouse (DFB RN-06)	527
13/06-19/06	SV1/NB9Q/p and SV1/NA9Q/p: Greece	523
14/06-17/06	3Z0WI: Wolin Island (EU-132)	527
14/06-18/06	FP/K4JZ: St. Pierre & Miquelon (NA-032)	523
14/06-17/06	SP2LLW/1, SP2CYK/1, SP2QCW/1: Wolin Island (EU-132)	527
14/06-17/06	UA6MC, RV6LSS, UA6LP, RK4HM, UX7IM, UR3IFD: RRA RR17-??	527
14/06-17/06	UR4RZA/p: Pravednyi Island (UIA DN 051)	527
15/06-15/07	CF2 and CG2: special prefixes (Canada)	527
15/06-17/06	MD/AA8LL and MD/K8LIZ: Isle of Man (EU-116)	527
15/06-19/06	KH0N and WH0C: Mariana Islands (OC-086)	527
15/06-25/06	SW1SPA: Euboea Island	527
16/06-23/06	HR6/WA9YYY: Roatan Island (NA-057)	527
16/06-30/06	SV5/GW0VSW: Rhodes (EU-001)	527
16/06-21/06	VE2MAM: Grande Basque Island (NA-125)	527
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17/06-19/06	KC6VNA: Santa Rosa Island (NA-144)	527
18/06-23/06	XE: Isla Mujeres (NA-045) * by AB5EB and KB5SKN	525
19/06-23/06	EI/G6UW/P: EU-006, EU-007, EU-121	527
19/06-22/06	FR/PA3GIO/p: Reunion Island (AF-016)	525
20/06-03/07	SV5/NB9Q/p and SV5/NA9Q/p: Rhodes (EU-001)	523
21/06-22/06	XF3CI: Contoy Island (NA-045) * by XEs	527
22/06-29/06	V3: Ambergris Caye (NA-073) * by W7AV	527
22/06-31/08	VK8PW/8: Arnhem Land, Australia	527
23/06-25/06	TA: Kefken Island (AS-???) * by TA2KI	527
23/06-24/06	Marconi Memorial HF Contest	***
23/06-24/06	ARRL Field Day	***
25/06-07/07	9A/S50IPA, S53IPA, S57AX/p: Kolocep Isl (EU-016)	525
26/06-27/06	TA0/SP6TPM/m: Gokceada (EU-186)	527
29/06-01/07	4T: San Lorenzo Is. (SA-052) * by OA4AHW, OA4DJW, OA4DKC	523
28/06-29/06	TA0/SP6TPM/m: Bozcaada (AS-099)	527
29/06-05/07	KG4ZI & KG4XE: Guantanamo (NA-015) * by W5OZI & AA5XE	527
29/06-05/07	OH6AW/8: Hailuoto Island (EU-184) * by OHs	527
29/06-01/07	Ham Fest 2001: Friedrichshafen (DL)	519
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30/06-19/07	9A/ON5JE: EU-170	527
30/06-09/07	C93AN, C93DU, C93EN, C93ET: Mozambique * by JAs	527
June-July	FO/F6FTL: Rangiroa (OC-066), French Polynesia	527
June	RA1QQ, RA1QY, RA1QCZ from Hvoshovik Island (RRA new)	526
June	YB8HZ, YC8HU, YD8EAQ, YD8GKZ: Sabalana Island (OC-???)	527
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- EA - Paco, EA50L reports that the following stations will participate in this year's DIE Contest (between 6 UTC and 12 UTC on 17 June):
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|-------------------|------------------------|--------|
| EA3URE            | Illa de Les Roques     | GI-004 |
| EA3URT            | Torre del Escriba      | L-043  |
| EA4AID/P          | Cerac del Santo        | M-018  |
| EA5URE or EA2HT/5 | Quipar                 | MU-003 |
| EA5AEN/P          | Tancat de Burriel      | V-054  |
| EA5ELT/P          | Tancat dels Peixcadors | V-057  |
| EA5CCY/P          | Perdiguera             | E-014  |
| ED1IRM            | La Quiebra             | O-012  |
| ED7SUA            | El Pozuelo             | S-302  |
- EN - Special event station EN1WJP will be active on all bands and modes between 22 and 27 June to celebrate the visit of Pope John Paul II to Lviv, Ukraine. QSL via UR4WG either direct (P.O. Box 7072, Lviv, 79018, Ukraine) or through the bureau. [TNX UR5WCW]
- FO - Yves, F6CTL expects to be active as FO/F6CTL from Rangiroa (OC-066), French Polynesia between mid June and mid July. [TNX F6AJA]
- HK0\_mal - Jairo, HK5MQZ and Hiro, HK5QGX [425DXN 516 and 518] were expected to leave on 10 June for Malpelo Island and to start operating between the 13th and the 16th. They will be active on 80-6 metres as HK5MQZ/0M on SSB and HK5QGX/0M on CW. Suggested frequencies are 3745, 7088, 14195, 18145, 21195, 24945, 28495, 50110 kHz SSB and 3504/3745, 7004, 10104, 14195, 18072, 21022, 24894, 28022, 50110 CW. QSL HK5MQZ/0M direct only to HK5MQZ (Jairo Vargas, P.O. Box 10862, Cali, Colombia); QSL HK5QGX/0M direct only via JA0MGR. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- I - Dario, IT9SSI plans to operate as ID9/IT9SSI from Alicudi Island (EU-017, IIA ME-002) on 15-17 June. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- I - IK5AMB, IK5VLS, IZ5AXB, IW5CFN and other operators from ARI Lucca will be active (on HF, 6 and 2 metres) from Gorgona Island (EU-028, IIA LI-014) on 16-17 June. [TNX IK5AMB and I6YOT]
- I - Tony, IK8VRH will be working on Ventotene Island (EU-045, IIA LT-011) from 1 through 31 July and expects to operate in his free time, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. [TNX IK8VRH]
- I - Antonello, IK2DUW reports he will be active from Ventotene (EU-045, IIA LT-011) and other IB0 islands between 18 and 28 June. QSL via home call.
- JA - Steven, K7USJ/7J1AIL will be on Amami O-shima (AS-023) from 15 June (local afternoon) through 17 June (local morning) and plans to operate in his free time as 7J1AIL/6 on 40-6 metres CW QRP. [TNX 7J1AIL and Islands On The Web]
- KH0 - Look for KH0/JE1RRK to be active on HF and 6 metres from Saipan (OC-086) on 22-25 June. QSL via JE1RRK. [TNX OZ6OM]

- PY - Special call PSA088 (Papa Sierra Alpha Zero Eight Eight) is expected to be aired from Tacami Island (SA-088, DIB 077) between 12 UTC on 14 June and 12 UTC on the 17th. QSL via PP5LL. [TNX PP5LL]
- T5 - Baldur/DJ6SI and Tom/DL1QW are currently active as T5X and T5W from Somalia - length of stay not known, but according to The Daily DX "rumor has it they will be QRV until June 21". Baldur operates CW while Tom operates CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via home calls.
- TA - The operation from Kefken Island (AS-???) is confirmed to take place on 23-25 June [425DXN 527]. The team on the island will have one tribander, one monobander for 10 metres and three dipoles. Look for YM0KI to be QRV on different bands (20, 15, 10m) and modes (SSB, CW and SSTV depending on propagation) at the same time. The operation is organized by TA2KI (<http://www.ta2ki.org/>), the Turkish Radio Amateur Club branch in the town of Kocaeli. [TNX SP6TPM and TA2LE]
- UA - Valery, RW4HW reports that special station UE4HDI will be active from Dalnaya Dubrava Island (RR-26-02) on 15-17 June. QSL via RW4HW.
- W - Brad, W1RQ will operate (on 10-40 metres SSB) from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) between 23 June and 14 July. [TNX The Daily DX]

CARIBBEAN TOUR ---> Bill, W4WX reports he will be operating as VP2MHX from Montserrat (NA-103) on 19-22 June and as V2/W4WX from Antigua (NA-100) on 23-26 June. He will be active on RTTY and some SSB to include WARC bands. QSL via home call.

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4Z8 ---> Guenter, OE1GZA/DH2GZ (aka E4/OE1GZA and VR2GZ) reports that the new prefix 4Z8 has been issued since April for foreign amateurs living and working in Israel for more than one year (details at <http://hamradio.iarc.org/cept/4Z8CalSign.htm>). Currently there two stations active, namely Marc, 4Z8BB (WC1X, QSL via home call) and Guenter himself, 4Z8GZ (QSL via DH2GZ).

IOTA 2000 ---> 232 applications for the RSGB IOTA Millennium Programme (IOTA 2000) certificates have been processed so far. The winners, by category, are shown on the Chiltern DX Club web pages at <http://www.cdxc.org.uk>. The closing date for IOTA 2000 applications is 31 December 2001. [TNX G3NUG]

PIRATE ---> Vittorio, I8DVJ reports that someone is pirating his call for spotting P5, VU4, etc. on the DX Clusters. He asks to refrain from sending angry e-mails to him, as he does not know who the offender is.

QSL EU-188 ---> All of the direct requests received for UE1RCV/1 have been processed and cards were mailed on 12 June. [TNX UA1QV]

QSL FO ---> Peter, DL3APO reports that direct requests for FO/DL5XU (OC-066, French Polynesia) and FO/DL1AWI (OC-027, Marquesas) are being processed right now. Those attending the Ham Fest at Friedrichshafen (29 June-1 July) will be able to collect their cards over there.

QSL YC5XIP ---> Fulvio, I1WFF reports he is no longer the QSL manager for Syafri, YC5XIP and cards received for contacts made in 2001 will be returned

to sender. Fulvio has the logs and can still confirm contacts made from OC-075, OC-109, OC-106 (September-December 1998), OC-143 (April 1999) and OC-107 (2000).

QSL VIA DL7AFS ---> All of the direct cards for HI9/DJ7ZG and HI9/DL7AFS (March 2001) have been sent out. The QSLs for their April/May activity from ZB2 and EA9 are being printed. Logs are available at <http://www.qsl.net/dl7afs> [TNX DJ7ZG]

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HAM GALLERY: The Dayton 2001 Ham Gallery is now up at <http://hamgallery.com/dayton2001/> with 162 photos. If you can identify some of the unknown amateurs, please e-mail Tom, K8CX ([k8cx@hamgallery.com](mailto:k8cx@hamgallery.com)). [TNX K8CX]

IIA: The up-to-date list of the islands for the Italian Island Award, including the relevant IOTA reference numbers when appropriate, is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/iaa>.

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3A/DJ5MN	DJ5MN	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	TM0AR	F5TJC
3B8/F6HMJ	F6HMJ	HS6NDK	HS1CKC	TM1H	F6ANA
3W2LC	VK6LC	II8CS	IZ8CCW	TM1MAN	F8CSD
3W2NWS	W6NWS	IU8W	IZ8CCW	TM6ACO	F6KFI
3Z0GI	SP4CUF	J48SAM	SV2FPU	TM6JUN	F2RO
4L1BR	KE1HZ	J49DX	HA4XG	TM9C	F5IN
4L1DA	DL7BO	J49HW	HA0HW	TU2DP	K4MQL
4S7BRG	HB9BRM	J49HW/p	HA0HW	TU2KC	F5TLN
4S7DBG	JA3DBD	J49NG	HA5NG	TU2XZ	W3HC
4S7DUG	JQ3DUE	J49NG/p	HA5NG	UA1TAN/1	UA1TAN
4S7GGG	JA3ART	JA6GIJ/6	JA6GIJ	UA1TBK/1	UA1TBK
4S7GXG	JH3GXF	JA6JPS/6	JA6JPS	UE3MDX	RK3MXT
4S7QHJ	JR3QHJ	JA6LCJ/6	JA6LCJ	UE4HDI	RW4HW
4S7UJG	JA3UJR	JD1BFA	JA3EMU	UE4LKI	UA4LDP
4S7YHG	JA3HXJ	JK1UWY/5N0	JH8BKL	UN1F	DF6PB
5R8GY	PA3GIO	JT0FAA	IZ8CCW	UN2E	DF6PB
5Z4PV	PA3CBH	JT1Y	I0SNY	UN5F	DF6PB
7J6CEC	AC6ZM	JW/OK1FBH	OK1FBH	UN6T	DF6PB
7Q7CW	JG6BKB	JW/OK1FZM	OK1FZM	UN8GDR	IZ8CCW
7Q7EN	JG6BKB	JW/OK1PN	OK1PN	UN8GF	IZ8CCW
7Q7KZ	JA2LZF	JW0PK	SP5DRH	UN8GU	IZ8CCW
7S0MG	SM5DAJ	K1D	W1DAD	UN9FD	DF6PB
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>>> DUCIE ISLAND <<<

Kan Mizoguchi, JA1BK/VP6BK (<http://www.iiynet.or.jp/JA1BK/index2.html>) has announced that the Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association (PIARA) is organizing a DXpedition to Ducie Island (OC-182) [425DXN 515]. Operations are expected to start at 00.00 UTC on 16 November and there will be three stations operating 24h a day. The team will include Tom Christian, VP6TC (team leader and President of PIARA), VP6DB, JA1BK/VP6BK, JA1SLS/VP6BB, JF1IST and three other operators. QSL via VE3HO. Further information is expected in due course. The Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association has applied for membership into the International Amateur Radio Union. The application has been approved by Region III and it has been forwarded to the full membership of the IARU for final approval.

- 3A - Look for Gerry, 3A/IZ1DSH to be active (on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB) from Monaco on 4-10 August. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IZ1DSH]
- 9A - Neno, 9A2FL and Luka, 9A7Z will be operate from Glavat Island (CI-144, LH-0170, CLHA-035) in the Vrhovnjaci Islands (EU-016) on 22-23 June. QSL via home calls. [TNX 9A2FL]
- 9A - Look for Kresimir, 9A7K/p to be active from Pag Island (EU-170, CI-82 for the Croatian Islands Award) between 1 and 10 July. He will also be active from two lighthouses on the island, namely Stara Novalja (CLH-135 for the Croatian Lighthouses Award, <http://www.qsl.net/9a7k>) and Zaglav (CLH-195). QSL is via 9A7K either direct or through the bureau. [TNX 9A7K]
- BV - Look for BV9A/JH3JWW (Doji) and BV9A/JI3DST (Take) to be active (on 40, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10, 6 and 2 metres SSB) from P'enghu Island (AS-103) between 9 UTC on 20 July and 2 UTC on the 22nd. QSL via home calls. [TNX JI3DST]
- C6 - John, WZ8D will be active as C6AIE from Abaco (NA-080, WWL FL16IQ), Bahamas between 21 June and 2 July. He will concentrate on 6 and 2 metres, with some activity on 10-40 metres. QSL direct only to WZ8D (John Walker, 1930 Meredith Dr., Loveland, OH 45140-7216 USA). [TNX OZ6OM]
- CE - The Southern Cross DX Group has announced plans for DXpeditions to the following Chilean islands:  
Hornos (CE9C, SA-031) in December-January,  
Lennox (CE9L, SA-050) in January,  
Nueva (CE9N, SA-050) in January,  
Picton (CE9P, SA-050) in January,  
Riesco (CE8R, SA-???) in February.  
QSL via CE4EBJ. Firmer dates will be announced in the future; for further information check <http://www.qsl.net/ce9c>. [TNX WC6DX]

- CX - Those who need Uruguay on 80 and 160 metres should look for Geo, CX1SI and Al, CX4SS between 00.00-02.00 UTC (80m) and 02-00-03.30 UTC (160m). [TNX CX1SI]
- DL - DH1LA, DH7NO, DL2RTK, DL2SWW and DL2VFR will operate from Hiddensee Island (EU-057, O-05 for the German Islands Award) on 27-29 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as DL0KWH. [TNX DL2VFR]
- EX - John Janssen (aka KZ5RQ, WA4WKY, C9RJJ, C91J and KH2/K4ANA) is now living and working in Kyrgyzstan. He has been on the air signing EX/K4ANA. Bureau cards should go to either K4ANA or W2PS, while direct requests should be sent to W2PS (Ben Bond, 55 Eberle Road, Latham, NY 12110, USA). [TNX W2PS]
- F - Look for F6ELE and F6HKA to be active from Les Sept Iles (EU-107) on 23-24 June. [TNX F6ELE]
- FG - Jon, N0JK will be active from Guadeloupe between 30 June and 2 July. He will operate on 6 metres only, CW and SSB. [TNX OZ6OM]
- FO - Marcel, ON4QM/FO0DEH [425DXN 519] recently confirmed that he hopes to visit Pukapuka (OC-062), Napuka (OC-094) and Hereheretue (OC-052) between mid September and early December. The details are still being finalised, but he is definitely not going to Rapa (OC-051). [TNX G3ZAY]
- FP - Pete/NN9K, Peg/KB9LIE and Paul/K9OT will be active (on 80-10 metres SSB and CW with a possibility of 6 metres) as FP/home calls from Miquelon (NA-032) starting 26 July until 1 UTC on 1 August. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as FP/K9WM; before and after the contest they will concentrate on the WARC bands and PSK31. QSL via home calls, QSL FP/K9WM via NN9K.

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- GM - Derek, GM0EEY and Jim, MM0BJG plan to operate as MS0IRC from Kirkibost Island (OH29) in the Outer Hebrides (EU-010) from about 19 UTC on 22 June for around 24 hours. QSL via GM0EEY. [TNX GM3VLB]
- GM - Cambell/MM0DXC, John/GM7OLQ, John/MM0CCC, Colin/GM0CLN, Bob/GM4UYZ, Ron/GM0NTL, Landles/GM4XZZ, Tony/GM3PGY Iain/MM1CPP, Robert/MM0ANT, Brian/M5BAP, Ron/GM4IKU and Bob/GM0BWU from Cockenzie & Port Seton Amateur Radio Club (<http://www.cpsarc.com/>) will participate in the IOTA Contest as GM2T from the Isle of Tiree (EU-008, IOSA NH-04). QSL via GM4UYZ. [TNX GM0CLN and Islands On The Web]
- GM - Pete (MM5PSL), Cedric (GM4GPP) and John (W5ZE) will operate (on most HF bands SSB) special event station GB2ELH from within the buildings of Eshaness Lighthouse (Shetland Islands, EU-012) during the International Lighthouse Weekend on 18-19 August. QSL via MM5PSL either direct or through the bureau. [TNX MM5PSL]
- I - Simone, IK5RUN plans to operate from Formiche di Grosseto (EU-028, IIA GR-005) on 40 and 2 metres SSB on 24 June. [TNX IK5RUN]
- ISO - Andrea, IK4VET is active as ISO/IK4VET from Sardinia (EU-024) until 23 June. He operated as IM0/IK4VET from Marinella (EU-024, IIA SS-105) on 20 June and plans to be QRV from a few EU-041 islands (namely Maddalena/SS-001, Caprera/SS-005, Giardinelli/SS-027 and Chiesa/SS-016) on the 22nd and the 23rd. QSL via home call. [TNX IK4RQJ]
- ISO - IS0AGY, IS0BMU, IS0CAK, IS0CPU, IS0GQX, IS0JOO and IW0USV plan to operate (requested call IM0R) on HF bands, 6 and 2 metres from Isola dei Ratti (EU-165, IIA CA-010) on 3-5 August. QSL via IS0AGY. [TNX IS0AGY]
- JA - Look for 7N1GMK/6 and JA6FRS to operate (on 6, 15 and 17 metres SSB and CW) from Yoron Island (AS-023) on 1-8 July. QSL via home call.

- [TNX JI1PLF and JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for Take, JI3DST to be active (on 40-6 metres SSB) as JI3DST/6 from Kuchino Island (AS-049) between 8 UTC on 28 July and 1 UTC on 5 August, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX JI3DST]
- JA - Seiji, JQ1SUO will be active (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) as JQ1SUO/4 from Oki Island (AS-041) between 11 and 14 August. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JT - Laurence, G4DMA expects to operate (also on 6 metres) as JT1FCR from Mongolia between 24 June and 15 July. [TNX OZ6OM]
- KG4 - Look for KG4AS to be active from Guantanamo between 3 and 10 July. QSL via N4SIA.
- KH0 - Look for KH0/JA1TCF and operators from the Chichibu DX Club to be active on HF and 6 metres from Saipan (OC-086) between 29 June and 2 July. QSL via home calls. [TNX OZ6OM]
- OY & TF - Fabian, DJ1YFK will be active as OY/DJ1YFK/p from the Faroe Islands (EU-018) on 9-11 July and as TF/DJ1YFK/p from Iceland on 12-19 July. He will operate CW only on as many bands as possible. Skeds are welcome at djlyfk@dark.de [TNX The Daily DX]
- S2 - John, KX7YT reports he will be operating as S21YV from Dhaka, Bangladesh between 15 July and 5 August. Look for him on 15 and 20 metres around 14-18 UTC daily. QSL via KX7YT.
- SV - Nikos, SV1CEI will operate from Tinos Island (EU-067) for ten days starting on 25 June. Look for him 14.260 and 14.020 MHz between 0300-0600 and 2000-2200 UTC. QSL via the bureau. [TNX DX News Letter]
- SV - Panos, SV8DTL and his wife Evi, SV8DTZ will participate in the IOTA Contest as SW8T from Thassos Island (EU-174). QSL via SV8DTL. [TNX SV8DTL]
- SV9 - Laurent, F8BBL will be active as SV9/F8BBL (on 160-6 metres CW and SSB plus FM on 29533 kHz) from Crete (EU-015) between 25 June and 2 July. QSL via home call. [TNX F8BBL]
- SV9 - Ron, WB2GAI will be active (on 10-160 metres CW only) as SV9/WB2GAI/P from Crete (EU-015) between 29 June and 12 August. QSL via home call. [TNX WB2GAI]
- SV & TA - Gabriele, IK3GES is leaving for his summer holidays in Turkey and Greece. Depending on local conditions he plans to operate from Giresun and/or Kefken islands as well as from AS-123, AS-115, AS-098, AS-099, EU-174 (Amoliani) and EU-075 (Salamina).
- TA - After operating from Giresun Island (AS-154) Nando/IT9YRE will be back to Turkey and be active, with Simone/IZ7ATN, from Kefken Island (AS-159) between 2 and 5 July. Look for TA0/IT9YRE/p and TA0/IZ7ATN/p on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres SSB and possibly CW. QSL via home call. The operation is sponsored by the Diamond DX Club and the pilots will be Silvano, KB5GL (kb5gl@aol.com) for North America and Oceania and Gennaro, I8YRK (casaburil@tin.it) for the rest of the world. [TNX IT9YRE and I8YRK]
- TX - The Oceania DX Group's DXpedition to the Chesterfield Islands, originally planned to take place between 1 and 19 September [425DXN 527], has been cancelled due to the lack of a suitable number of operators.
- TY - Flo, F5CWU reports that the operation from Benin [425DXN 507] is now scheduled to take place on 11-29 August.
- UA - Nick, RA1QQ and Alex, RA1QY plan to be active as RA1QQ/1 and RA1QY/1 from a few islands in "western part of the Barents Sea" in late June-early July. QSLs via RA1QQ (Nick A. Smerdov, P.O.Box 24, Cherepovets, 162627, Russia). [TNX RA1QQ]

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- V4 - Lawrence, KJ4UY will be operating (on 6-160 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and maybe PSK, with 10-20 metres as primary bands) as V47UY from V44NK's on Nevis Island (NA-104) from 20 July through the 31st, IOTA Contest included. He should be joined the second week by RB, WB4FNH (proposed call V47FNH). QSLs direct via home calls.
- V7 - Bruce, AC4G will be active as V73CW from Kwajalein (OC-028), Marshall Islands on 26-30 June. He plans to concentrate on 6 metres, AO-10 satellite and 40 metres SSB (other HF bands as time permits). QSL via AC4G. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Look for Nat, WZ3AR/4 to be QRV from Chincoteague Island (NA-083, USI VA-002S) on 25-30 June. This operation also counts for the relatively rare Accomack County, VA as well as ARLHS USA-021. He plans to operate almost exclusively on the IOTA SSB frequencies of 28460, 24950, 21260, 18128, and 14260 kHz +/- QRM with some minor trips to the ARLHS and County Hunter frequencies. QSL via WZ3AR either direct or through the bureau. [TNX WZ3AR]
- W - Paul, AA3DD, will be active (on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW) from Chincoteague Island (NA-083) during the IOTA Contest, He will be "warming up" from 00.00 UTC to 03.00 UTC on 40, 30 and 20 metres CW on 28 July. QSL via home call. [TNX AA3DD and Islands On The Web]
- W - The ARRL Headquarters station call sign W1AW will be activated from California as W1AW/6 for the duration of the IARU HF World Championship (14-15 July). A certificate will be available for working W1AW/6 on different bands/modes, for further information please visit <http://www.nccc.cc/>. QSL via ARRL. [TNX N6RO]
- YI - Rodger, G0TLC will be in Iraq on 28 June for at least three weeks and will be at the YI1BGD club station once again. QSLs for contacts made with YI1BGD operated by G0TLC \*only\* should go via G0MMI either direct or through the RSGB bureau. Otherwise the address for YI1BGD is P.O. Box 7361, Baghdad 12216, Iraq. This address should be used for Hasan, YI1BGD/5 as well. [TNX G0MMI]
- ZK1 - The operation from Manihiki (OC-014), North Cooks [425DXN 523] is confirmed to take place between 18 October and 1 November. The operators will be Ralph, VE7XF/ZK1AKX; John, AA7PM/ZK1APM; Bob, W7TSQ/ZK1ASQ; Roger, W7VV/ZK1VVV; Victor, ZK1CG and Tuatai, ZK1MA/ZK1CY; they will participate in the CQ WW SSB DX Contest as ZK1CG. Then they will go to Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cooks and be active between 1 and 13 November. Activity from both places is expected on 2-160 metres (30 metres excluded) CW and SSB. Donations can be sent to W7VV (Roger Huntley, 13710 235th Street, Snohomish, WA 98296, USA). [TNX The Daily DX]

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What logging software are you using? The new 425 DX News survey is up and running at <http://www.425dxn.org/survlog/>

AS-149 ---> The RK0FWL team plans to visit the Marine National Park of Moneron Island (<http://dx.bgtelecom.ru/moneron/island.html>) in August. Those interested in joining the team can contact Ken, RA0FW at [prokushev@stmobile.ru](mailto:prokushev@stmobile.ru) [TNX RA0FF]

DIB ---> Pedro, PP5SZ reports that contacts with PSA088 from Tacami Island

(SA-088) [425DXN 528] count as DIB 78 towards the Brazilian Islands Award. QSL via PP5LL (Jay Lira, P.O. Box 8, 88010-970 Florianopolis - SC, Brazil).

JW0PK ---> Andrea, IK2XDE reports that 12732 QSOs were made during the 1-8 June JW0PK operation (by DL5NAM, F5PBL, I2ADN, IK2XDE, IK2XDF, IK4MED, LA3OHA, ON4AMX, PA5NT, SP5DRH and SP5LCC) from Prins Karls Forland (EU-063):

	CW	SSB	RTTY	PSK31	Total
7	264	5	- -	- -	269
10	688	- -	- -	- -	688
14	2549	2417	323	20	5309
18	1187	1503	1	- -	2691
21	1554	1942	83	- -	3579
24	5	2	- -	- -	7
28	- -	1	- -	- -	1
50	28	150	- -	- -	178
SAT	- -	10	- -	- -	10
Total	6275	6030	407	20	12732

Most of the contacts (9216) were with Europe, followed by North America (1691) and Asia (1665). Logs (except for some 500 QSOs recorded on paper) are available at <http://www.dxpediton.org>.

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QSL 3W2KF ---> Claude, F5PBL apologizes for the delay, due to his participation in the JW0PK DXpedition, and reports he expects to have all of the direct requests answered within the end of the month. The correct address for direct QSLs is Claude Terrier, 18 allée du Mail, F-92360 Meudon-la-Forêt, France.

QSL CO2OJ ---> Oscar, CO2OJ reports that Al Bailey, K8SIX is now his QSL manager and can confirm any contact from 1 January 2001 onwards.

QSL EU-028 ---> Cards for IK5AMB, IK5ORQ, IK5PWH, IK5PWS, IK5VLS, IK5WWB, IW5CFN, IW5EDT, IZ5AXB and IZ5DKO (last week's operation from Gorgona Island, IIA LI-014, WWL JN43WK) go via home call direct, through the bureau or to P.O. Box 303, 55100 Lucca - LU, Italy. [TNX IK5AMB]

QSL EU-052 ---> Cards for SV8/IK0REH/p from Zakynthos can be sent to IK0REH via the bureau. Those who need a direct card should use Daniele's new address: Daniele Casini, P.O. Box 31, 06010 Citerna - PG, Italy. Logs will be available at <http://digilander.iol.it/ik0reh>

QSL FR/F6KDF/T ---> Gil, F5NOD reports that another batch of 1500 cards was mailed on 14 June. All of the direct requests received before April have now been processed. Logs are available at [http://www.qsl.net/f5nod/frt\\_log.html](http://www.qsl.net/f5nod/frt_log.html)

QSL HK3JJH/HK0 ---> Carl, N4AA reports that QSL cards are being processed with batches of cards going out every day. He expects to have all of the direct requests answered by the end of July at the latest.

QSL VIA G3UOF ---> Direct cards for Mike's most recent operation (EA6/G3UOF) or for his ZD8M operation in 1993-94 should be sent to his new address: M.R. Wadsworth, 67 Station Road, Bardney, Lincoln LN3 5UD, England. [TNX K8PT]

QSL VIA K9PPY ---> Jim reports he has just received the QSL cards for his

operations from the islands of Santa Rosa (NA-142) and St. George (NA-085). He hopes to have all direct cards in the mail by the end of June, while bureau cards will be answered as they are received.

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DIFO: The up-to-date island list for the DIFO (French Overseas Islands Award) is available at <http://www.qsl.net/f5nod/difolist.html> [TNX F5NOD]  
EM1HO: Paolo, IK2PTR reports a web page for EM1HO can be found at <http://www.sys-net.it/ari2704/polosud.htm>  
LOGS: The logs for the recent J48T operation from Thassos Island (EU-174) are available at <http://www.qsl.net/on6wl> [TNX ON4AAC]  
LOGS: The full logs for TX0C are now available at <http://www.big.or.jp/~ham/tx0c/>

QSL received direct: 3D2AG/P, 3D2CI, 3D2NV/R, 3DA5A, 3E1AA, 3G0Y, 3G0Z, 3XY2D, 4K5CW, 4K9C, 4S7NE, 4X7AN, 5A1A, 5B4KH, 5H3RK, 5U2K, 5U3T, 5U5A, 5W0DA, 5X1Z, 6Y8A, 7X4AN, 8A3B (OC-197), 8Q7MZ, 8R1K, 9A7A, 9A8A, 9M6CT, 9N1FP, 9V1WW, 9X1A, BA4DW/2 (AS-158), BV8BC, BV90, C31LJ, C56/DL20E, C6A/N2VV (NA-080), CE0YEH, CU3DJ, CX5X, D2BB, D44AC, D68C, DJ7ZG/HI9, DL7AFS/HI9, DU3NXX, EA6SX, EA8LS, EK7DX, EM1HO, EP2FM, ES1RA/8 (EU-178), EY8MM, F0/DL1AWI (OC-027), F0/DL5XU (OC-066), FG/F6HMJ, FJ5DX (NA-146), FM5BH, FP/N8KR, FR/F6KDF/T, FY5KE, GZ7V (EU-012), H40RW (OC-100), H44MS, HB0/DF5UL/P, HI9/DL7AFS, HO1A, HP2/F5PAC, HR1RMG/HR4, J73VW, J8/KQ6MW, JW9GY, JX7DFA, JY9NX, K5K, KB5GL/5 (NA-082), KC4/KE6ZYK (AN-011), KH9/AC4G, KP4/8P6AH, NO7F/KL7, OD5NH, OD5NJ, P29CC, PW0S, R1ANB, R1ANF, R1ANZ, RI0ZKR (AS-095), RI1POM (EU-086), RW1ZZ/P (EU-161), S07U, S21YT, S79YT, SU1SK, SU9ZZ, SY2A, T32RD, TA0/IT9YRE/p (AS-154), TP5CE, TU5GD, UA0AZ, UA0FZ, UK9AA, UZ7U, V63KX, V73CW, V8A, VK9CXF, VK9CXJ, VK9KCP, VK9ML, VP5/AJ6V, VP6BK, VP8CMT, VR2BG, VU2PAI (AS-096), W3EP/C6A, WH2Z, XU7ABC, YE8XM/P (OC-246), YJ2AD, Z24S, ZC4BS, ZK3DX, ZL4IR.

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- 9A - The operators who last weekend were active from EU-110 (LY1DS, LY2TA, 9A6XX and 9A5AEI) plan to participate in the IOTA Contest as 9A1P from Sv. Nikola (EU-110, IOCA CI-118). [TNX 9A6XX]
- EU - Look for EU6DA/P, EW6CM/P, EW6GB/P, EW6DM/P and EW6BN/P to be active from Holy Island (not IOTA, WD-3 for the West Dvina River Award) on 30 June-1 July. QSL via IK2QPR (Paolo Fava, Via Bertani 8, 46100 Mantova - MN, Italy). [TNX IK2QPR]
- GW - The Dragon Amateur Radio Club (GW4TTA) of Anglesey will celebrate the "Coast Wireless Stations Centenary" operating (on +/- 3537, 3773, 7037 and 7073 kHz) special station GB100HD on 30 June-1 July. QSL via bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- I - Special station I1IARI is active until 28 October from Experimenta 2001 (<http://www.experimenta.to.it>) in Torino. QSL via I1JQJ.
- KL - Look for Byron, KF8UN/KL7 to be active (time permitting) on 40 and 20 metres from Sitka (Baranof Island, NA-041) between 7 and 10 July. QSL via KF8UN. [TNX VA3RJ]
- OA - The planned 29 June-1 July operation from San Lorenzo Island (SA-052) [425DXN 523] has been postponed until late August-early September due to logistic and bureaucratic problems. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX OA4AHW]
- OH0 - YL operators SM0HNV, SM0UQW and OH1MK will be active (on 20, 15, 10, 40 and 80 metres SSB with some CW) as OH0YLS from Brando, Aland Islands (EU-002) from 29 June through 5 July. QSL via OH1MK (Marjatta Kaistila, Nahvontie 5B1, FIN-25410 Suomensjarvi, Finland). All direct QSLs will be answered from Aland Islands using attractive Aland postage stamps. [TNX N4GN]
- OH0 - Look for Bernie McClenney, W3UR, editor of The Daily DX, to be active as W3UR/OH0 Brando Island (EU-002), in the Aland Islands (<http://www.aland.fi>) from on 7-10 July. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- OZ - A group of OK operators will be active as OZ/OK5DX/P from Bornholm Island (EU-030, WWL JO75IC) from 5 (local late afternoon) through 9 July (local morning). They plan to operate on 50, 144, 432, 1296MHz and 10Ghz with some activity on HF as well. Their main aim is the participation in the 3rd VHF/SHF/SHF IARU Contest. For further information please visit <http://www.qsl.net/ok1cdj/oz/> [TNX OK1CDJ]
- PY - Look for Alencar/PY3CEJ and Michel/PY3ZM to operate (on 10-160 metres CW and SSB) as ZV3B from Ilha Pedras Brancas (not IOTA, DIB 33) between 1 and 31 July. QSL via PY3CEJ (Alencar Fossa, P.O. Box 6022, Porto Alegre - RS, 91031-970, Brazil). [TNX PP5SZ]
- SV - Franco, HB9OAB reports he will operate (on 2m and 70cm SSB and via AO10, FO20/29, UO14, RS 12/13 and possibly AO40) as SV8/HB9OAB from Kefallonia (WWL KM08) and other EU-052 islands (WWL JM99) from 1 through 30 July.

- SV - Paul Louis, IZ5BRV will operate as SV\*/IZ5BRV/P from various locations in Greece between 4 and 21 July. QSL via home call. [TNX IK5PWQ]
- UA - Al/RA1WZ, Igor/UA1WER and others will be active as UE1WPI from Kolpina Island (RR-23-03) on 30 June-1 July. QSL via RA1WZ either direct or through the bureau. [TNX RA1WZ]
- UA - RA0FF, RA0FU and possibly RA0FW plan to operate from Shikotan Island (AS-062), Moneron Island (AS-149) and the Kuril Islands (AS-025) in July and August. They have requested the callsign RI0F. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YV - The Grupo DX Caracas and the Association of Radioamateurs of Venezuela (ARV) are organizing an IOTA DXpedition Cayo Sombrero in the Falcon State group (SA-???) . Look for YW1F to be active (SSB and CW) on HF and 6 metres between 20 and 24 July. Direct QSLs to W4SO (mail drop); bureau cards to the ARV QSL Bureau (P.O. Box 3636, Caracas 1010-A, Venezuela). [TNX YV5EED]

ISLAND TOUR ---> Paolo, I2AE reports he will be leaving on 2 July for a one-month trip in Denmark, Sweden and Germany. He plans to operate (mainly on 20 and 6 metres) as OZ/I2AE/p, SM7/I2AE/p and DL/I2AE/p from the following islands: Romo (EU-125), Mors (EU-171), Fur (EU-171), Fyn (EU-172), Sjaelland (EU-029), Hasslo or Sturko (EU-138), Oland (EU-037), Mon (EU-029), Falster (EU-029), Fehmarn (EU-128). QSL via I2AE.

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12-METER DXCC ---> The DXCC has announced the addition of the 12-Meter Single Band DXCC award. Applications for this award will be accepted beginning July 2, 2001. 12 Meter DXCC certificates will be dated but not numbered. 12 meter credits will not count toward the DeSoto Cup competition until October 1, 2001, but they will be included in the DXCC Challenge totals. If you do not know what credits you have on 12 meters, you may contact DXCC for a copy of your record. For further information, please e-mail [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org)

CDXC CONVENTION ---> This year the annual Clipperton DX Club Convention will be in Tours, France on 22 September. For further information please contact F9DK (Jean-Louis Dupoirier, 11 rue Henri Barbusse, 78114 Magny Les Hameaux, France). [TNX The Daily DX]

COLOMBIAN CONTEST ---> Rob, HK3CW (Contest and Award Manager of the Liga Colombiana de Radioaficionados) reports that this year the Colombian Independence Day Contest will be held on 21 JULY (from 00.01 to 24.00 UTC), not on the 15th. Details (in Spanish) are available at [hk3cw.freehomepage.com](http://hk3cw.freehomepage.com)

REF AWARDS ---> Max, F6AXP reminds he has not been the REF Award Manager since 18 March 2001. Applications for the French awards issued by REF (DDFM, 5BDDFM, DPF, 5BDPF, DIFM, DTC, FCW, DEE, DTA, DDTOM, DFCF, DMF, DDF2000) should be sent to REF-Union, P.O. Box 7429, 37074 Tours Cedex 2, France.

RSGB CONVENTION ---> The RSGB International HF & IOTA Convention will be held at the Beaumont Training & Conference Centre in Windsor, Berkshire, England on 12-14 October. For further information please visit <http://www.rsgb.org/hfc2001/>

QSL 3V8BB ---> Cards for contacts made between 13 and 16 June should be sent direct only to IK7XGF: Alfredo Colapietra, P.O. Box 13, 71036 Lucera - FG, Italy. [TNX IK7XGF]

QSL TE8AA ---> QSL manager TI5BX reports it will take at least three months before he gets the cards from the printer. Please be patient and do not resubmit. [TNX F9GL]

VK9MO ---> Myron, W4UR reports that on 27 June he worked on 30 metres a station signing VK9MO. "This is a call assigned to Masa (JA1LET) for use on Mellish Reef", Myron says. "I sent an e-mail to Masa who confirmed he is in Tokyo and has not been using the VK9MO call sign".

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CALLBOOK: The callbook for Croatian stations can be found on the Croatian Amateur Radio Association web site at <http://www.hamradio.hr> [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

LOGS: The following complete and final logs are available on Dave's (VA3RJ) web site:  
VE8PW (NA-007) [http://www.qrz.com/va3rj/search\\_ve8pw.html](http://www.qrz.com/va3rj/search_ve8pw.html)  
VE8PW (NA-131) [http://www.qrz.com/va3rj/search\\_ve8pw.html](http://www.qrz.com/va3rj/search_ve8pw.html)  
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3W2KF	F5PBL	E20HHK/p	E21EIC	ST2SA	DJ9ZB
3W2LC	VK6LC	EA3URT	EA3TE	SU9ZZ	OM3TZZ
3W7TK	OK1HWB	ED9GRM	EA9FU	SV0LR	HB9LDR
3X/DL6ET	pirate	EI/G6UW/P	M0BLF	SV5/NA9Q/p	NA9Q
3Z0GI	SP4CUF	EN1MKN	UX7MA	SV5/NB9Q/p	NB9Q
4N4KP	DL2MHA	EN1WJP	UR4WG	SV9/F8BBL	F8BBL
4N8/LZ1BJ	LZ1BJ	EN7M	UX2MM	T30ED	3D2SJ
4O1B	YT1BB	EO56M	UX2MM	T5W	DL1QW
4O1J	YU1JW	EP3SP	W3HC	T5X	DJ6SI
4O1W	YZ1AU	ER2000L	ER1LW	TA9F	KA4UFT
4O1X	YU1NW	ER6A	ER1LW	TK5EL	F6FNU
4O1Z	YU1AAX	ET3VSC	K3IRV	TM0GP	F5KCH
4O7A	YU7AV	EX/K4ANA	W2PS	TR8IG	F5IG
4O7L	YU7JX	EX8QB	IK2QPR	TZ/9G1MR	IK3HHX
4O7M	YU7GMN	FK8VHY	F8CMT	TZ6TO	JH6HGB

407R	YU7AR	FO0FUJ	JP1IOF	UA9C/UA9QDK	RW9QA
4Z8BB	WC1X	FR/PA3GIO/p	PA3GIO	UA9QA	RW9QA
4Z8GZ	DH2GZ	FY5FU	F5PAC	UA9QDK	RW9QA
5B4/OH4TQ	OH3NHF	G3HTA/P	G3RUV	UE6ADI	UA6MF
5R8ET	K1WY	HK5MQZ/0M	HK5MQZ	UE6LRD	UA6MF
7Q7EN	JG6BKB	HK5QGX/0M	JA0MGR	UK6LAL	UA6MF
7Q7KZ	JA2LZF	HR6/WA9YYY	WA9YYY	UV6LUA	UA6MF
7S0MG	SM0BYD	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	UZ5M	UX2MM
8R1RPN	OH0XX	IM0/IV3IYH	IK2ILH	UZ6LWJ	UA6MF
9A/LY1DS	9A6XX	JT1FCR	G4DMA	V2/W4WX	W4WX
9A/LY2TA	LY2TA	JW/G0MJW	G0MJW	V25WX	W4WX
9A/ON5JE	ON5JE	KG4AS	N4SIA	V31TE	W7AV
9A/S50IPA/p	S57AX	KG4FP	KG4AN	V31VZ	K0HGW
9A/S53IPA/p	S57AX	KG4XE	AA5XE	V44KJ	WB2TSL
9A/S57AX/p	S57AX	KG4ZI	W5OZI	V73CW	AC4G
9A5AEI/P	9A5AEI	KH0N	JA6CNL	VC2A	VE2ARC
9A6XX/P	LY1DS	KH2/JH9PVB	JH9PVB	VE2MAM/p	VE2MAM
9G1UW	DL8UP	KH2/JJ2NYT	JJ2NYT	VK8PW/8	VK8PW
9M8RC	9M8MA	L30J	LU5JC	VP2MHX	W4WX
9Q5BQ	HB9AMO	LZ9G	LZ1NK	VP2VE	K3RGD
9X/RV6LNA	UA6MF	MI/EI7NET/P	EI2GX	VP8DBR	G0SWC
9X1A	UA6MF	MM5AEL/P	GM0VIV	VQ9NL	W4NML
A61AR	UA6MF	MS0IRC/p	GM0EEY	WH0C	JA6AGA
A71/RV6LNA	UA6MF	NZ2P/HC	DJ6OV	WZ3AR/4	WZ3AR
A92GM	KA8JRM	OE75BJN	OE5BJN	XE1UN	EA5XX
AP2ARS	S53R	OE75OHO	OE5OHO	XF3/AB5EB	AB5EB
BA4CH	BY4AOM	OG3M	OH1VR	XF3/KB5SKN	AB5EB
C21RH	VK4AAR	OH0CO	SM6CCO	XF3CI	XE3OYJ
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CE2SQE	EA5KB	OY2H	I2MQP	YC4FIJ	YC9BU
CG2AWR	VE2AWR	OZ/DJ1AA/P	DJ1AA [*]	YC7URA	YC9BU
CM8WAL	EA5KB	P29IO	VK3IO	YC8RRK	YC9BU
CN2DX	HB9HLM	PJ2/KP2L	KP2L	YC8SHQ	YC9BU
CO2DT	EA3GIP	PSA088	PP5LL	YC9ID	YC9BU
CO2OJ	K8SIX	R100P	UA6MF	YC9MKF	YC9BU
CO6FU	EA5KB	R3RRC/6	UA6MF	YC9XJ	YC9BU
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CO6TH	EA5KB	RM9RX	RW9QA	YM0KI	TA2KI
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- 3W - Hans, WA1LWS will be active again as 3W2LWS from Vietnam between 13 July and 2 August. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9A - Gabriele, I2VGV is active as 9A/I2VGV for some ten days and, depending on his business commitments, plans to visit and operate (10-40 metres SSB) from a few Croatian islands and IOTA groups (starting from EU-136). QSL via home call. [TNX I2JSB]
- 9A - Zsolt/HA6PS, Tibor/HA6ZV and Laci/HA6NL will operate as 9A/homecall/p from Pasman Island (EU-170) between 21 and 30 July, IOTA Contest included. They will be active on all HF bands as well as on 2m and 70cm from square JN73. QSLs via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
- 9A - Kresimir, 9A7K (<http://www.qsl.net/9a7k>) and other 5-7 operators will be active (on all HF bands and 6 metres) as 9A10HRM (special call to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Croatian Navy) from Veli Brijun (IOCA CI-139, CLH 101, WLH 1651) in the Brijuni Islands (EU-110) between 27 July and 3 August. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as 9A0LH. QSL for both calls via 9A7K (Kresimir Juratovic, P.O. Box 88, HR-48001 Koprivnica, Croatia). [TNX 9A7K]
- 9H - Holger/DL7IO, Birgit/DL7IQ and Olaf/DJ7TO are active (on 160-10 metres mostly CW) as 9H30 and 9H3TZ from Gozo (EU-023) until 15 July. On 6-9 July they will operate from the Gordon Fanal Lighthouse on Gozo. QSLs via DL7VRO. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- CN - Andre, HB9HLM plans to be active as CN2DX from Morocco from 11 July to 1 August. He will be QRV on both 2 and 6 metres. A web site has been setup at <http://radioamateurs.eicn.ch/cn2dx>. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CO - Fabrizio, IN3ZNR and other operators, including CO8HF and CO8TW, will participate in the IARU HF World Championship as T48Z from Cuba. QSL via IN3ZNR either direct (Fabrizio Vedovelli, Via Gramsci 27, 38100 Trento - TN, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IN3ZNR]
- CT - Algarve DX Group members Celestino/CT1ASU, Rui/CT1ERY, Toze/CT1GFK Goncalo/CT1GPQ, Martin/CT2GFJ and Celestino/CT2GZL will participate in the IOTA Contest as CT7A from either Barreta or Culatra (EU-145). QSL via CT1GFK (P.O. Box 468, 8700 914 Olhao, Portugal). [TNX CT1GFK]
- DL - Look for DL1YC/P to be active (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) from

- Ruegen Island (EU-057) between 10 and 23 July. QSL via DL1YC either direct (Jan Wilgenbusch, Wagenfeldstr. 13, D-48301 Nottuln, Germany) or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- DL - Look for Mathias, DL3KUD/p to be active from Poel Island (EU-098) on 27-29 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest (24h CW). [TNX DL2VFR]
- GM - Earlier this week Andre, GM3VLB and Alex, G0DHZ left for the Summer Isles (EU-092) where they will operate (SSB and CW) as GM3VLB/p & G0DHZ/p. They were not able to give their exact destinations, as their itinerary depends on weather and/or tides and will be decided on a day-by-day basis. The first stop was on Eilean Mullagrach, which they were expected to leave on 6 July around 12 UTC. QSL direct only to GM3VLB and G0DHZ respectively. [TNX GM3VLB]
- GM - Ken/G3OCA, Les/G4CWD and Peter/G6KUI will operate on 80-10 metres from the islands of Fuday (IOSA OH36), Fiaray (OH35), Fuiay (OH37), Barra (OH11) and possibly Vatersay (OH7) between 12 and 18 July. Plans are to operate for at least 24 hours from each island and there will be two stations using the House Amateur Radio Group clubs call signs of GS3EEO, GS3ZBI and GS0NHR. QSLs via G3OCA either direct or through the bureau. [TNX G4CWD]
- GM - The Orkney Amateur Radio Club will be active as GB5RO from Hoy High Lighthouse on the island of Graemsay (EU-009, IOSA OR-20) during the International Lighthouse and Lightship Weekend (18-19 August). Operations are expected to take place from mid-afternoon on 17 August until noon on the 19th. QSL via GM4DZX. [TNX GM4DZX]

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- I - Mediterraneo DX Team members IZ8BGY, IZ8BRI, IZ8CCW and IZ8DWL will operate from Dino Island (EU-144, IIA CS-002), as well as from Scogli Coreca (not IOTA, IIA CS-004) and Scoglio Formicola (not IOTA, IIA CS-003), in July. Exact dates will depend on local conditions, but plans are to be active (mainly on 10 and 40 metres) for a few hours starting around 14 UTC on different weekdays. QSL via IZ8CCW either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- I - Look for I8SUD/p to operate from the lighthouses at Punta Stilo (WAIL CL-010) and Capo Vaticano (WAIL CL-005) on 14 and 28 July respectively. The web pages for the Italian Lighthouses award are at <http://www.425dxn.org/awards/wail/> [TNX IK1NLZ]
- I - Dario, IZ2EER and Roberto, IK2XRJ will be active from Pantelleria (AF-018, IIA TP-001) between 15 and 23 August. They plan to operate on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres. QSL via IZ2EER (Dario Milan, Via Roma 52, 21033 Cittiglio - VA, Italy). [TNX IZ2EER]
- J7 - George, K5KG will be active as J75KG from Dominica (NA-101) on 7-17 July, including an entry in the IARU HF World Championship. He will operate on 160-10 metres and will concentrate on CW, WARC and low bands. QSL to KU9C. [TNX K5KG]
- KH0 - Look for JH1ORA and JJ1CRV to operate as KI8CT/KH0 and KD1OS/KH0 from Saipan (OC-086) on 13-16 July. They will be active on 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres, possibly 160, 80 and WARC, on CW and SSB. They will participate in the IARU HF World Championship as KD1OS/KH0. QSL via home call through the JARL bureau or direct to JJ1CRV. [TNX JH1ORA]
- JA - Masa, JA6GXX will operate (on 40, 20 and 15 metres SSB) in his spare time from Meshima, Danjo Islands (AS-056) on 13-24 July, 14-24 August and 5-16 October. QSL via bureau. [TNX JA3MZB]

- LA - Mario, DL5ME will be active as LA/DL5ME from Rundoy (EU-079) on 14-16 July and from Vigra (EU-056) on 19-21 July. He will be joined by DG3HWO, who will operate as LA/DG3HWO from the same locations (squares JP22 and JP32) on 6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX DL5ME]
- LU - Luc/LU1FAM, Fabi/LU1FGE, Kar/LU1FKR, Max/LU2FT, Ber/LU3FZW and Joe/LU5FHM will participate in the IARU HF World Championship as LT1F on 10-160 metres M/S. See and hear yourself being worked through the webcam at <http://www.badpower.com.ar/> [TNX LU1FAM]
- LU - LU1BCE, LU3DW, LU7AWP and LU7DW will participate in the IOTA Contest as L80AA/D (QSL via LU4AA) from Martin Garcia Island (SA-055). Outside the contest they will use their own call and concentrate on SSB and the WARC bands. [TNX LU7DW]
- LU - Bob/LU7DS, Omar/LU6DL and other operators will participate in the IOTA Contest as LV5D from Oyarvide Island (SA-055). QSL via LU7DS either direct or through the bureau. [TNX LU7DS]
- LX - The Luxembourg Headquarter Station LX0HQ will participate in the IARU HF World Championship with six stations on all bands CW and SSB. QSL via the LX bureau or direct to LX1KQ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- LX - A team of Dutch operators will be active as LX9SW from Luxembourg on 15-22 September. They will operate on all HF bands 10-160 metres (plus 2 metres) CW and SSB, with some RTTY and PSK31 as well. QSL via P1KW either direct or through the buro.
- LY - Look for LY0HQ to participate in the IARU HF World Championship from the Lithuanian society's HQ. QSL via LY1DR (Saulius Zalnerauskas, P.O.Box 922, Kaunas 3005, Lithuania). [TNX LY1DR]
- OH0 - Look for OH0/OK2PBM/P, OH0/OK2DA/P, OH0/OK1NR/P and OH0/OK2WY/P to be active from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 12-18 July. They plan to operate on all HF bands and 6 metres, CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via home calls. [TNX OK2PBM]
- OH0 - DJ2QV, DK3DM, DK5DQ, OH6LI and OH6QU will be active (on 10-160, 6 and 2 metres) from the Aland Islands (EU-002) on 24-31 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as OH0V. QSL OH0V via OH6LI either direct (Jukka Klemola, Aarontie 5, 31400 Somero, Finland) or through the bureau. [TNX OH6LI]
- OY - Fred, DF2SS plans to be active (on all bands, 6 metres included, SSB, CW and RTTY) from the Faroe Islands (EU-018) between 20 July and 8 August. He will operate during the IOTA Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
- P4 - Jacobo, P43P will be participate in the IARU HF World Championship as P40B (on all bands SSB) from Aruba (SA-036). Due to the usual Carribean summer static on Topband, his activity on 160 metres will be limited for about 5 minutes around 1845 at the top of the hour (0300z, 0400z, 0500z, 0600z etc.) QSL via I2MQP. [TNX P43P]
- RIA\_ant- Wally, whose R1ANZ licence expired at the end of 2000, is now using the Mirny Base's clubstation call (R1ANB). QSL via R1ZC.
- SM - Kjell, SM4DDS will operate CW and SSB as 8S4C/5 from Stora Alo (EU-177) on 9-14 July. QSL via SM4DDS either direct (Kjell Bonerfalt, Oskarsvagen 4B, S-702 14 Orebro, Sweden) or through the bureau. [TNX SM4DDS]
- T8 - Look for Hideki, JE8BKW to be active as T88BB from Palau (OC-009) between 8 and 11 July. He will operate on 80-6 metres SSB and CW. QSL via JE8BKW either direct to his new address (Hideki Sanada, 4-2-11-312, 24-Ken 2-Jo, Sapporo, 063-0802 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JA1ELY]

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- TG - A Spanish team (namely EA1QF, EA3CUU, EA4BT, EA4KA, EA7AAW, EA7JB, EB1ADG and EB4EE) will be installing a digital radio emergency network in Guatemala similarly to what was done in past years in El Salvador and Honduras. They will be there on 17-26 September and will be active on 6-160 metres SSB, CW and RTTY with special emphasis on CW and WARC bands. Probably the callsign will be TG0R but the final approval from the Guatemala PTT is still pending. All the activities will be jointly with the CRAG (Club de Radioaficionados de Guatemala). QSL via EA4URE. [EA5RM and Radioaficionados Magazine DX]
- UA - Look for Andy, UA1PBP/9 to be active from Malyj Marresal'skiye Koshki Island (AS-089) on 5-19 July. QSL via RK1PWA. [TNX DL5EBE]
- UA - Club station RZ1AWD will be active as UE1CIG from Gogland island (EU-133, RRA-01-04) between 23 July and 5 August. QSL via RN1AW (direct) or RZ1AWD (bureau). [TNX RZ1AZ]
- UA - Mike/UA1QV reports that he, Yuri/UA1RJ and others are planning to be active (weather permitting) from several Barents Sea islands between mid-July and mid-August. There will be two stations with amplifiers and beam antennas from each of the following:
- |        |                  |        |           |
|--------|------------------|--------|-----------|
| RI1PBZ | Bolshoj Zelenets | EU-086 | RRA 03-07 |
| RI1PCH | Chaichij         | [*]    | RRA new   |
| RI1PCO | Chaichii         | [*]    | RRA new   |
| RI1PDO | Dolgy            | EU-086 | RRA 03-10 |
| RI1PGO | Golets           | EU-086 | RRA new   |
| RI1PKO | Kashin           | [*]    | RRA new   |
| RI1PMZ | Malyj Zelenets   | EU-086 | RRA new   |
| RI1POD | Dolgy            | EU-102 | RRA 03-08 |
| RI1POL | Lovetskij        | EU-102 | RRA new   |
| RI1POP | Pesjakov         | -----  | RRA new   |
| RI1PRO | Rvanye           | [*]    | RRA new   |
| RI1PSO | Sengeyskij       | EU-188 | RRA 03-06 |
| RI1PZO | Zeleny           | EU-102 | RRA 03-11 |
- [\*] = IOTA status to be confirmed; if it meets the qualification criteria, the island should count for EU-102.
- W - Jon, WB8YJF will be active (on 20-10 metres, possibly on 30-80 metres as well, CW, RTTY and SSB from Ocracoke Island (NA-067, USI NC-001S) on 22-29 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call either direct (Jon Severt, 5586 Babbitt Rd., New Albany, OH 43054, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX WB8YJF and Islands On The Web]
- W - Tony/WF1N and Lou/W1DIG will be active (SSB) from Thacher Island (NA-148) from 15 UTC on 27 July through 18 UTC on the 29th. They will participate in the IOTA Contest and will use a tribander and an amplifier. QSL to home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX WF1N]
- W - KO4PY and N4YDU plan to operate (mainly CW with some SSB) from Roanoke or Pea islands (NA-067) starting on 27 July. During the IOTA Contest they will be signing W1F commemorating the centennial of Wrights' first flight. QSL W1F via KO4PY either direct or through the bureau. [TNX KO4PY]
- W - Mark, AA1AC will be active as AA1AC/1 from Aquidneck Island (NA-031), Rhode Island during the period of the upcoming IOTA Contest (28-29 July). QSL via home call. [TNX AA1AC]
- W - Fred, KF9YL will participate in the IOTA Contest from Cedar Key (NA-076). QSL either direct (P.O. Box 291891, Davie, FL 33329-1891, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Members of the Castalia Island DX Association will participate in the International Lighthouse and Lightship Weekend (18-19 August) as K4UP from the Currituck Beach Lighthouse on the Outer Banks of North Carolina. QSLs via K4UP. The web site for the operation can be found at <http://www.qsl.net/cidxa/currituck.html> [TNX WA4TLI]
- W - The members of the Central Arizona DX Association will conduct a special event operation honouring the late Senator Barry M.

Goldwater on 20-21 October. They will operate as K7UGA on 160-6 metres SSB and CW. QSL via the W7 bureau or (for the special commemorative card) direct to KC7V. Any and all proceeds from this event will go to the CADXA Scholarship fund, administered by the ARRL. [TNX K8BN]

YB - Kadek, YC9BU is planning to be active as YC9BU/3 from OC-237 (Java's Coastal Islands) in October. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX I8YRK]

ZL - Bob, K3SRO reports he will be operating as ZL2/K3SRO from Quartz Hill outside Wellington, New Zealand on 23-24 July. QSL to K3SRO (Robert N. Wilderman, K3SRO, 19 Glen Road, Lansdale, PA 19446-1405, USA).

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>>> DX SPOTS <<<

Rod Elliott, VE3IRF has collected the DX spots from the OH2AQ Web Cluster since January 1997. The collection (from January 1997 up to June 2001) is available at <http://www.425dxn.org/dxspots/>, as well the software (DXINFO v 1.7) which will enable you to handle the files (instructions at the URL above). For further information, please e-mail Maurizio Bertolino, I1-21171 (i121171@425dxn.org).

IARU HF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ---> It will take place from 12 UTC on 14 July to 12 UTC on the 15th. Contest rules are at <http://www.arrl.org/contests/announcements/rules-iaru.html>

IG9A, OPERATORS NEEDED ---> The IG9A team is planning a major effort for the coming CQWW season and this year they want to organize a multi national team to take part in the RTTY, SSB and CW contests. Plans are to operate as Multi/Single or Multi/Multi (for the SSB and CW events) if there is a sufficient number of operators. If you are seriously interested in joining the team and want to have further information about equipment, prices etc., please drop a note to Fabio, IT9GSF (fgrisafi@tin.it)

OKINO-TORISHIMA ---> IOTA enthusiasts please note that recent contacts with JQ1SYQ/JD1 will not be acceptable for IOTA credit. AS-052 has been deleted from the IOTA Directory because Okino-Torishima has been found not to comply with the IOTA qualification criteria. As there is no active resident amateur, existing contacts will count until 1 February 2005, but no new operations can be accepted after 1 February 2001. In May 1997 an interesting article (with pictures) on Okino-Torishima was published in the Japanese CQ Ham Radio (pages 226-227). The CQ Ham Radio website is at <http://ham.cqpub.co.jp>

PV0F VIDEO ---> The "Fernando de Noronha - PV0F - CQ WPX 2001" professionally produced video (14 minutes long) features an entertaining tour of the island, its history and the QTH of its most famous occupant, Andre PY0FF. It is currently available in NTSC format and will be made available in PAL if there is sufficient interest. Please contact Dennis, K7BV (k7bv@aol.com) for more information. [TNX K7BV]

QSL 9M8HIM ---> Ian, V8IAN was operating from 9M8HIM and will be sending cards from the club station. QSLs can be also sent direct only and with

appropriate return postage to VE6VK. [TNX VE6VK]

QSL BQ9P ---> Steve, KU9C reports he expects to receive the cards around 13 July. He will begin processing the cards immediately, but as he has some 6500 envelopes to fill, he does not anticipate having the cards out completely before mid-august.

QSL EA9CD ---> Jose' Antonio reports that cards for PSK31 contacts have to be sent direct only to: Jose Antonio Mendez, P.O. Box 2078, 51080 Ceuta, Spain. Logs are available at <http://www.ea9cd.com>

QSL GB0HI ---> QSL manager Paul Scarratt, G0WRE reports that it will take at least two months before he gets the cards from the printer for the May 2001 GB0HI operation from Hilbre Island (EU-120). Please be patient and do not resubmit. All direct cards for the May 2000 GB0HI operation have been answered, bureau cards are processed as Paul receives them. The logs for both activations can be found at <http://www.qsl.net/g0wre>

QSL VIA VE6VK ---> Russ (the QSL manager for V8IAN, 3D2AA and 3D2CC) reports he is receiving many cards with neither envelopes nor postage for return mail. As explained earlier this year [425DXN 515], Russ does not use the bureau for these stations; so if you want your card, please do not forget to include one green stamp or 1 IRC when sending you request to Russ. A. Wilson, 1235 Richland Road N.E., Calgary, AB T2E 5M5, Canada.

QSL VIA VE9MY ---> Please note that direct cards for all island operations by VE9MY and VE9GLF should be sent to VE9MY (Len Morgan, 35 Upper Quaco Rd., Baxters Corner, N.B., E2S 2S2, Canada). Bureau cards will be processed as received. [TNX VE9MY]

QSL VIA W0YR ---> Effective 1 July 2001 the following cards should not be sent to AA9DX any longer: 9A/W0YR, C6A/W0YR, HA/W0YR, HR6/W0YR, I/W0YR, KH7/W0YR, KL7/W0YR, KS4/W0YR, OE/W0YR, OH/W0YR, OH0/W0YR, OK/W0YR, R3/W0YR, VE/W0YR, VP2VCA, VP5/W0YR, W0YR, W0YR/4, W0YR/6, W0YR/9, WA0AAD, WA0JPX, ZF1AD (Old). Send your cards direct only to W0YR (Michael D. Lonke, 20732 Furr Road, Round Hill, VA 20141-1808, USA). Please note that 3A/W0YR is via OM2SA. [TNX W0YR]

SEANET CONTEST 2001 ---> It will take place between 12 UTC on 18 August and 12 UTC on the 19th and will incorporate CW, SSB and digital modes. Full rules are available from Ray Gerrard, HS0/G3NOM (P.O. Box 1300, Bangkok, 10112, Thailand; e-mail [g3nom@rast.or.th](mailto:g3nom@rast.or.th)). The SEANET website is at <http://www.seanet2001.com>

WRTC 2002 ---> The 13 US contest clubs have nominated the following amateurs to eventually lead the ten US teams to Finland in July 2002: N6MJ, N6RT, N5RZ, N2IC and N5KO (USA West), NT1N, K1AR, W4AN, KQ2M and K5ZD (USA East). Croatia has been the first one to select a national team, which will include 9A9A and 9A3GW. The WRTC 2002 web site is at <http://www.wrtc2002.org> [TNX OH1EH]

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QSLs received direct: 3C0R, 3D2AG/P, 3D2IO, 3G0Y, 3W7CW, 4U1WB, 5A1A, 5U2K, 5U3T, 5U5A, 5X1Z, 8P1A, 8Q7QY, 9K2GS, 9M0M, A41LZ, BA4DW/2 (AS-158), C6A/N2VV, C98CX, CE3/IZ6BRN, CE3RR, CO8ZZ, CP5NU, CU1AC, D68C, EP2MKO, ES1RA/8 (EU-178), EY8MM, FO/DL1AWI (OC-027), FO0ARE, (OC-131), FO0POM, FO0WEG, FR/F6KDF/T, FR/N7DD, FY5KE, HC8N, HK3JJH/HK0M, HR1LW, HR2RCH/HR6 (NA-035), JW8G, K5K, KC4/KK6KO (AN-011), KL7LF/KH3 (03/87), LY2ZZ, OJ0VR, PZ5RA, RK0FWL/P, SU/ZS6WPX, SV9CVY, T48K (NA-015), T77C, T97V, TA0/IT9YRE/P (AS-154), TE8AA (NA-116), TX8G, UE1RCV/1 (EU-188), UR3GA (EU-179), VK9CXF, VK9CXW, VK9KCP, VK9KXP, VK9ML (OC-072), W4D (NA-213), W5DDX/P (NA-082), XU7ABC, YB6LYS/P (OC-245), YI9OM, YJ0ABQ, YL8M, ZK1CAN, ZK1GNW, ZK2BQI.

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- 3D2 - Ron, ZL1AMO reports he will be active again as 3D2RW from the Fiji Islands starting on 12 July. He will operate from Nadi on OC-016 for a few days; around 16 July he will move to the Lau Group (OC-095) for a couple of weeks. QSL via ZL1AMO.
- 5B - Look for 5B/IZ8CCW and 5B/IT9SSI to operate (on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres SSB and CW) from Cyprus (AS-004) on 23-30 August. They will try to be active from AS-120 as well. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- 9A - 9A2BD, 9A2GK, 9A3LD, 9A3PG, 9A4LT, 9A6JWF and 9A7DAQ will be active as 9A1C/p on 12-15 July from EU-170. Plans are to visit and operate from the islands of Katina (CI-037), Sestrice (CI-103), Silo (CI-121), Mana (CI-064), Levrnaka (CI-054) and Rasip (CI-098). QSL via 9A4BL. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9A - Weather permitting, Neno/9A2FL will operate (on 20 metres SSB) from Majsan (EU-016, IOCA CI-190) on 15 July. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9A - Marc, ON5FP and Jose, ON4CJK will be island hopping in Croatia from 16 until 31 July. They will be based at the lighthouse of Veli Rat (CRO 183) on Dugi Otok Island (EU 170, CI 018) and will also visit other three islands nearby in the same IOTA group. Their plans also include activities (hopefully from lighthouses) from the following:
- |        |        |        |         |
|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| Rab    | EU-136 | CI-096 | 20 July |
| Brac   | EU 016 | CI-010 | 21 July |
| Pasman | EU 170 | CI-085 | 22 July |
| Pag    | EU 170 | CI-082 | 27 July |
| Vir    | EU 170 | CI-141 | 27 July |
| Porer  | EU-110 | CI-090 | 31 July |
- Jose, ON4CJK will participate in the IOTA Contest from Dugi Otok. QSLs for all the QSOs via ON4ADN either direct (Geert Decru, St. Laurentiusstraat 18, B- 8710 Wielsbeke, Belgium) or through the UBA bureau. [TNX ON5FP]
- 9A - 9A2EU, 9A2NO, 9A5MR, 9A4KJ and 9A7JLJ will be active as home call/p from Zut Island (EU-170, IOCA CI-154) on 27-29 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as 9A7T/p (QSL via 9A2EU either direct or through the bureau). [TNX 9A2EU]
- 9A - Emir, 9A6AA reports the following stations are/will be active from Croatian islands:
- | Call      | IOTA   | Island   | IOCA   | Date                      |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------------|
| 9A4A      | EU-170 | Pag      | CI-082 | till September            |
| 9A6AA     | EU-136 | Losinj   | CI-058 | till September            |
| 9A/DL1BKK | EU-110 | Pulari   | CI-205 | 15 July-7 August          |
| 9A/OE5EMS | EU-136 | Krk      | CI-046 | IOTA contest              |
| 9A9R      | EU-136 | Krk      | CI-082 | IOTA contest              |
| 9A5JR/p   | EU-170 | Sestrice | CI-103 | August (Lighthouse event) |
| 9A2V/p    | EU-170 | Sestrice | CI-103 | August (Lighthouse event) |
- 9M6 - JA3IFT and JA3EYO will be active respectively as 9M6IFT and 9M6EYT

- from Sabah, East Malaysia on 19-22 July. QSL via home calls. [TNX JA3EYO]
- DL - Peter, DL4FCH will be active as DL4FCH/p from Pellworm Island (EU-042, GIA N-23) between 15 July and 3 August. He will operate mostly CW on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres including an entry in the IOTA Contest. Logs will be available at <http://www.niks.de/peter> [TNX DL4FCH]
  - F - Bert, F6HKA and Did, F6ELE plan to be active again from Les Sept Iles (EU-107) on 21-22 July. They will have a dipole for 40 metres and a beam for 10, 15 and 20 metres. [TNX F6HKA]
  - F - Yves, F5TYY reports he will be active (on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB) as F5TYY/p from Noirmoutier Island (EU-064) on 27-29 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via F5TYY through the REF bureau.
  - H4 - Luca/IZ6DSQ, Ant/IZ8CCW and possibly others will be active (SSB only) from New Georgia Island (OC-149, Solomon Islands) on 8-15 October and from Pigeon Island (OC-065, Temotu) on 17-23 October. The licences have been already issued but calls will be known upon arrival. Donations are gratefully accepted. [TNX IZ8CCW, iz8ccw@425dxn.org]
  - HK - Special event call 5K3CA will be aired (on 10-80 metres all modes) from Colombia starting on 11 July through August to celebrate the "Copa America" football (soccer) tournament. QSL via HK3DDD either direct or through the bureau. [TNX HK3CW]
  - HL - Lee, DS1EON has joined the HL team for the 27-29 July operation from Tokchok Island (AS-090) [425 527] and will be signing DS1EON/2. The web site for the activity is at <http://www.qsl.net/hllvau/iota2001/> QSL via HL1OYF. [TNX HL1VAU]
  - I - Special station II1GO will be active from Genova for the G8 summit (see "Genova G8" Award below) between 13 and 22 July. QSL via I1UP. [TNX IZ1BZS]

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- I - Simon/IZ7ATN, Luca/IZ6DSQ, Silvestro/IK7BRX, Paolo/IW0FT, Massimo/IW0FQZ and Diego/IW0FTB will be active from the Tremiti Islands (EU-050) on 14-15 July. They plan to operate from a few minor islands - I Pagliai (IIA FG-007), Caciocavallo (FG-005), La Vecchia (FG-008) and a possible IIA new one near Capraia. [TNX IZ7ATN]
- I - Special station IO2SM will be activated by operators from ARI Varese between 8 and 18 UTC on 15 July from Isola Virginia (not IOTA, ILIA LOM-001). QSL via the bureau. [TNX IK2DUW]
- I - IK4VET, IK4XCL, IK4ALM and possibly others plan to operate from Isola del Basson (not IOTA, IIA RO-021) and Isola Giroto (not IOTA, IIA RO-017) on 22 July. [TNX IK4VET]
- I - The Salento DX Team will participate in the IOTA Contest from Isola Grande (EU-091, IIA LE-002). The call to be used has not been announced, but it will be one the operators' home call/p. [TNX IK7JWX]
- I - Look for IQ1L to be active from La Lanterna (WAIL LI-005), Genova during the International Lighthouse and Lightsip Weekend on 18-19 August. QSL via the bureau or direct to A.R.I. Genova, P.O. Box 347, 16121 Genova - GE, Italy. [TNX IZ1BZS]
- JA - Look for JM6CIP/6 and JN3FPV/6 to participate in the IOTA Contest from Koshiki Island (AS-037). QSL via home calls. [TNX JI6KVR]
- OZ - Look for Willy, DJ7RJ to be active (on 80-6 metres SSB and CW) as

- OZ/DJ7RJ from Bornholm Island (EU-030) between 22 July and 10 August, IOTA Contest included. [TNX DJ7RJ]
- PY - PY2TNT, PY2AXH, PY2RAZ, PY2DCE, PY2MTF and PY2MWS are active as PX2I from Sao Sebastiao Island (SA-028) until 31 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via PY2TNT (either direct to P.O Box 2605, 08780-990 Mogi das Cruzes - SP, Brazil or through the bureau). [TNX PY2MTF]
- SM - During the celebration of The King Chulalongkorn Days in Utanede, Sweden, special station SI9AM (<http://www.qsl.net/si9am>) will be open between 08-18 UTC from 19 to 22 July. Guest operators are welcome and can contact [si9am@qsl.net](mailto:si9am@qsl.net) to book a 2-hour slot. QSL via SM3CVM either direct or through the bureau. [TNX SM3CVM]
- SV & TA - Gabriele, IK3GES [425DXN 529] is currently active as TA0/IK3GES/p from Gokceada (EU-186) through 16 July (his morning time). He will then move to Greece and be active from the islands of Thassos (EU-174), Skiatos (EU-072), Euboea (counts for EU-060 until 1 February 2005) and Salamina (EU-075). He will be back home at the end of the month.
- SV - Simon/IZ7ATN, Alessio/IZ0CKJ, Carlo/IK6CAC and Luca/IK0QDB will operate (hopefully as J43P) from the islands of Proti, Sapientza and Schiza (all count for EU-158) on 25-27 July. Then they will move to Khitira (EU-113) and be active (hopefully as J48K) during the IOTA Contest. They might operate from Elafonissos (EU-113) as well. QSL via IZ0CKJ. [TNX IZ7ATN]
- UR - UR3PA, UR3PCN, UR3PFX, US1PM, UT1PO, UT1PF, UT4PZ and UT5PW will be active as EN0PA from Voljansky island (UIA VoL-01, new one for the Ukrainian Islands Award) between 19 and 22 July. Logs will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/us1pm> (where logs and pictures of the previous activities as EN8PSL from the islands of Svityaz, SvL-01 and Krymno, KrL-01 are also available). [TNX US1PM]
- VE - Linda, VE9GLF and Len, VE9MY will be active from Deer Island (NA-014, CISA NB-005) on 14 July. They expect to start around 14.30 UTC and to remain there for 4 hours. QSL via home calls. [TNX VE9MY and Islands On The Web]
- VE - Sylvie/VE2SYK, Yves/VE2YVT, Tvon/VE2YAT, Jean-Yves/VE2PS, Camille/VE2SO, Yvan/VE2BA and Yvon/VE2TG will operate (10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres CW and SSB) as VE2A from CQ Zone 2 on 21-24 July. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.ve2dsb.com/ve2a/> [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Bob, N2OML will operate from Mustang Island (NA-092) on 13-14 July and again on 3-5 August. Look for him on +/- 14260 kHz at 12 UTC and +/- 18128 kHz at 14 UTC. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Joe/W4SAA and Dick/N4RP will participate in the IOTA Contest (CW) from Virginia Key (NA-141). QSL via W4SAA either direct (Joe Hornbach, 13691 NE 25 Ave, North Miami Beach, FL 33181-3502, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX W4SAA]
- XE - Masa, XE1ZOI, and Ramon, XE1KK will be active as 4A3ZOI (mostly CW) and 6H3KK (mostly SSB) respectively from Cozumel Island (NA-090) on 27-29 July, IOTA Contest included. Outside the contest they will operate on WARC, 6 metres (from grid EL60) and FM satellites. QSL via home calls. [TNX XE1KK]
- YV - N. Vicent Bracho, YV7QP announces he will participate in the IOTA Contest from Margarita Island (SA-012).
- ZL - Look for ZL2AS to be active on 160 metres during the Pacific 160 Metres Contest (from 7 UTC to 23 UTC on 21 July, send RS(T) + serial number). Plans are to operate LSB (+/- 1850 kHz) during the first half of each hour and CW (+/- 1830 kHz) during the last half of each hour.

IARU HF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ---> The following have announced their participation in this year's event:

9A - The Croatian society as 9A0HQ on all bands and modes. QSL via 9A5K either direct or through the bureau. See below for Kresimir's two (both

OK) addresses. [TNX 9A5K]  
 ER - The national team of the Amateur Radio Society of Moldova (ARM) as ER7HQ. QSL via ER1FF. [TNX ER1BF]  
 FK - Eric, FK8GM from New Caledonia as single operator multiband SSB. QSL via WB2RAJ. [TNX FK8GM]  
 HS - E21EIC, HS1CKC, HS0GBI and HS6NDK from the Radio Amateur Society of Thailand's club station HS0AC. Look for them on 1834-1850, 3524-3526 and 3534-3536 kHz between 20 and 23.30 UTC. QSL via G3NOM. [TNX E21EIC]  
 I - Salvo IT9HLR as II9R. QSL direct only to IT9HLR.  
 LU - Daniel, LU1DK as LOOD. QSL via F6FNU. [TNX LU1DK]  
 YO - The Romanian national society as YR0HQ. QSL via YO3FRI. [TNX YO4ATW]

A listing of HQ and official stations participating in the contest can be found at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/iaru2001.html>

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>>> 425 DX NEWS SURVEY <<<

The results of the most used logging software survey, as well as the calls of the 2.256 participants, are now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/survlog/results.html>

DIAMOND DX CLUB ---> Gennaro Casaburi, I8YRK reports that on 29 April 2001 he was officially entrusted with the reorganization of the Diamond DX Club. Further information will follow in due course through ARI and DX bulletins, and will be available on the DDXC's web site at <http://www.ddxc.org> The current e-mail address for the DDXC club is: [casaburil@tin.it](mailto:casaburil@tin.it)

GENOVA G8 AWARD ---> The "Genova G8" Award is sponsored by ARI Genova for contacting (listening for SWLs) stations located in Liguria Region between 23 UTC on 13 July and 23 UTC on the 22nd. For further information please contact IZ1BZS at [iz1bzs@iol.it](mailto:iz1bzs@iol.it)

MUSEUM SHIP EVENT ---> The Museum Ship Special Event, sponsored by the USS Salem Radio Club, K1USN will take place from 00.01 UTC on 21 July to 23.59 UTC on the 22nd. Details on the list of participating ships, operating frequencies and Certificate information are available at <http://www.qsl.net/klusn/event.html> [TNX K1VV]

NOT THE MANAGER ---> KL7Y reports he is not the QSL manager for 5V1SM.

OKINO TORISHIMA ---> Pictures of Okino Torishima are available on Yuki's (JI6KVR) web pages at <http://www3.ocn.ne.jp/~iota/newpagell.html>

QSL CP4BT ---> Pepe, EA5KB is now the QSL manager for Claus, CP4BT and has the logs from 1 January 1998 onwards. Direct cards should be sent to Jose F. Ardid Arlandis, Apartado 5013, 46080 Valencia, Spain. [TNX HB9PL]

QSL UK9AA & UK0A ---> Karl, K4YT/DL4YT is still receiving cards for UK9AA and UK0A, but he has not been the mail drop for Fedor since he left Germany in January 1998. Please note that cards should be sent direct to Fedor Petrov, Box 58, Tashkent 700000, Uzbekistan. [TNX K4YT]

QSL VIA IZ8CCW ---> Antonio (P.O. Box 360, 87100 Cosenza - CS, Italy) reports he is now the QSL manager also for Sam, YC9MB (OC-151) and Ferry, YC0UTC (OC-021).

QSL VIA VE7DP ---> Frank, VE7DP reports that the QSL cards for the February 2001 IOTA operations from the Philippines have arrived from the printer. Processing of direct requests has already begun and Frank expects it may take him about 4 weeks to clean up the backlog. Cards for QSOs not confirmed direct will be sent automatically through the bureau at a later stage. The QSO totals are the following:

4H2B	OC-093	4100
4I1P	OC-244	3900
4I1P	OC-126	2100
VE7DP/DU1 & DU1KGJ/p	OC-091	1600

Please note that Frank is not the QSL manager for contest station 4G1A; cards should be sent direct to 4G1A/DX1CW.

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A/W0YR	OM2SA	I1IARI	I1JQJ	P40B	I2MQP
3V8BB	IK7XGF [*]	J75KG	K5KG	PU1NEZ/p	PU1NEZ
3V8GI	YT1AD	JW4LN	LA4LN	PY1AMF/p	PY1NEZ
3W7TK	OK2HWB	KD1OS/KH0	JH1ORA	PY1LVF/p	PY1LVF
5B4/UA1CBX	UA1CBX	KG4AS	N4SIA	PY1NEW/p	PY1NEW
7Z1AC	WA4JTK	KG4XE	AA5XE	PY1NEZ/p	PY1NEZ
8R1RPN	OH0XX	KG4ZI	W5OZI	R1ANB	RU1ZC
8S4C/5	SM4DDS	KH7/W0YR	W0YR	R3/W0YR	W0YR
9A/IN3DEI	IN3YGW	KI8CT/KH0	JJ1CRV	SV9/WB2GAI/P	WB2GAI
9A/IN3TJV	IN3YGW	KL7/W0YR	W0YR	T30ED	3D2SJ
9A/IN3YGW	IN3YGW	KS4/W0YR	W0YR	T48Z	IN3ZNR
9A/ON5JE	ON5JE	LX0HQ	LX1KQ	T88BB	JE8BKW
9A/W0YR	W0YR	LY0HQ	LY1DR	TG9AJR	WA1ECA
9A7K/p	9A7K	LY3TA	LY3BE	UA0KCL	RA3DEJ
9H30	DL7VRO	OE/W0YR	W0YR	UA1PBP/9	RK1PWA
9H3TZ	DL7VRO	OH/W0YR	W0YR	UE1WPI	RA1WZ
9Q5BQ	HB9AMO	OH0/OK1NR/P	OK1NR	UW7M	UR3MP
C6/K2VOL	KJ4Z	OH0/OK2DA/P	OK2DA	V31TE	W7AV
C6/K4TKE	KJ4Z	OH0/OK2PBM/P	OK2PBM	VE/W0YR	W0YR
C6/KJ4Z	KJ4Z	OH0/OK2WY/P	OK2WY	VO2/K2FRD	K2FRD
C6A/W0YR	W0YR	OH0/W0YR	W0YR	VP2VCA	W0YR
CN8LI	ON4ANT	OH0/W3UR	W3UR	VP2VE	K3RGD
CQ2EHX	CT1EHX	OH0YLS	OH1MK	VP5/W0YR	W0YR
D6/WB4MBU	WB4MBU	OJ0/JH1ARJ	JH1ARJ	VU3CHE	K4VUD
ED3CDB	EA3DZK	OJ0/JH4RHF	JH4RHF	W0YR/4	W0YR
EM0HQ	UR5EAW	OJ0/JP1NWZ	JP1NWZ	W0YR/6	W0YR
EP3SP	W3HC	OJ0/JR4PMX	JR4PMX	W0YR/9	W0YR
GS0NHR	G3OCA	OJ0/OH0RJ	OH0RJ	WA0AAD	W0YR
GS3EEO	G3OCA	OJ0/OH1NX	OH1NX	WA0JPX	W0YR
GS3ZBI	G3OCA	OJ0/OH1TX	OH1TX	WW8DX/8	NE8Z
HA/W0YR	W0YR	OJ0/OH1VR	OH1VR	YB33AR	YB1FCC
HA5ORP	PA3GEO	OJ0U	JP1NWZ	ZF1AD (old)	W0YR
HR6/W0YR	W0YR	OK/W0YR	W0YR	ZS5T	ZS5BBO
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- 3B8 - Jose, ON4LAC reports he will be active (SSB, possibly Pactor and RTTY) as 3B8/ON4LAC from Mauritius Island (AF-049) between 16 October and 6 December. QSL direct only to ON4LAC.
- 5B - Loris/5B4FN, George/5B4KH, Marios/5B4WN, Paris/5B4XF, George/5B4AGC and possibly others will participate in the IOTA Contest (probably with a C4 prefix) from Agios Georgios Island (AS-120). They will have vertical antennas and a 400W linear amplifier. QSL via 5B4KH. [TNX 5B4MF]
- 9A - Look for 9A2AA/p to operate from a few EU-016 islands (namely Kluda/CI-177, Kraljevac/CI-183, Sv Fumija/CI-217, Pijavica/CI-201 and Piscena/CI-202) on 22 July. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9A - 9A5V, 9A5KV, 9A3DU and 9A3VM will be active from Lirica Lighthouse (WLH-381, CLH-070 and CI-194) on 22 July starting around 6 UTC. They will operate on 20, 15, 10 and 40 metres SSB, CW upon request. [TNX 9A7Z]
- 9A - Milan/OK1DJG, Jarda/OK1DUO, Martin/OK1FUA, Jan/OK1HSK, Pepa/OK1KA, Jan/OK1QM, Jarda/OK1TC and Nikola/9A9AA will participate in the IOTA Contest as 9A0A (QSL via OK1FLM) from Vir Island (EU-170, IOCA CI-141). Look for them to be active as 9A/home call starting on 23 July. [TNX OK1FLM]
- A5 - Tony, IK7WUL will be active (on all bands mostly SSB) as A52UL from the A51AA club station in Bhutan on 15-28 August. QSL via I7JFQ. [TNX IK7WUL and I7JFQ]
- BV - Takeshi, JI3DST sends an update on the 20-22 July operation from P'enghu Island (AS-103) [425DXN 529]. Takeshi himself and Doji, JH3JWW will be signing BV9AYA (QSL for this operation only via JH3JWW), while Lee, BV2NT will use BV9A/BV2NT (QSL via home call).
- C5 - Peter, G2YT will be active (on 40-10 metres SSB only) as C56YT from The Gambia between 28 July and 9 August. QSL via VK4AO. [TNX G2YT]
- CO - Special station CO0SC will be activated (by CO8DD, CO8TW, CO8WE, CM8ESE, CM8EFP and CM8VDC on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB and CW) on 27-29 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest (NA-015) to celebrate the 486th anniversary of the foundation of Santiago de Cuba. QSL direct to IN3ZNR (Fabrizio Vedovelli, Via Gramsci 27, 38100 Trento - TN, Italy). [TNX IN3ZNR]
- CP - Steve, G4ASL, is active from Cochabamba, Bolivia as CP5/G4ASL until October. He operates on 80-10 metres mostly RTTY, PSK31, CW with some SSTV and HELL. QSL to G4ASL via the RSGB Bureau. [TNX G4ASL]
- CT - EA2TV, EA4ATI, EA4ST, CT1EE (SSB operators) and EA1CA, EA1DAV, EA4AHD, CT1CJJ, Z32AF (CW operators) will participate in the IOTA Contest as CQ2I from Insua Island (EU-150). QSL via EA4URJ either direct or through the bureau. Further information on the activity is at <http://www.ea4ahd.com/insua/> [TNX EA4AHD]
- DL - DM5JBN and DO1CSH/DN1CR will be active (on 80-2 metres CW, SSB,

- PSK31 and RTTY) from Usedom Island (EU-129) on 26-31 July. QSL via DM5JBN. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- EA - Tony, EA2AIJ and others will be active (on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB, CW and possibly on some digital modes) as ED2IZA from Izaro Island (EU-134) on 27-31 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL via bureau to EA2URV or direct to P.O. Box 323, 48080 Bilbao, Spain. [TNX EA2AIJ]
- EI - EI5GM, EI4IS, EI1CS and possibly others plan to be active as EJ3HB from Clear Island (EU-121) on the IOTA Contest weekend. QSL via WA2YMX. [TNX EI4IS and WA2YMX]
- ES - Kent, SM0ELV will operate as ES/SM0ELV from Naissaar Island (EU-149, WWL KO29GN) during the IOTA Contest weekend. He will be active on 6 metres as well. QSL via home call. [TNX OZ6OM]
- EW - EW6GB and others will be signing home call/p from Stephan Batory Island (not IOTA, WD-4 for the West Dvina River Award) on 28 July. QSL via IK2QPR (Paolo Fava, Via Bertani 8, 46100 Mantova - MN, Italy). [TNX IK2QPR]
- F - Marc, F6HQP and Pierre, F5NGB plan to operate from a few IOTA and DIFM islands in Brittany between 29 July and 12 August. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- F - F6HKA and F6ELE have cancelled their announced 21-22 July operation from Les Sept Iles (EU-107) [425DXN 532]. The activity has been postponed to 25-26 August. [TNX F6HKA]
- GI - Members of the Kilmarnock & Loudoun Amateur Radio Club (namely Bill/GM3ZRT, Gordon/MM0BIM, Barry/GM3YEH, Alan/GM3OZB and Steve/GM4OSS) will be active (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) as GN0ADX/P from Rathlin Island (EU-122) on 27-30 July, IOTA Contest included. [TNX GM3ZRT]
- GM - Jim, MM0BQI (<http://www.qsl.net/mm0bqi>) will operate (on 6-80 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31) as GB5SI from Tanera Mor (IOSA SC10) in the Summer Isles (EU-092) between 27 July and 3 August [425DXN 513]. QSL via MM0BQI either direct (Jim Martin, 3 Lismore Avenue, Edinburgh, EH8 7DW, Scotland, UK) or through the RSGB bureau. [TNX MM0BQI]

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- GM - John, W5ZE will be active as MM/W5ZE/p from the Shetland Islands (EU-012) between 15 and 19 or 20 August. John and Pete, MM5PSL will operate from a lighthouse on 18-19 August. [TNX W5ZE and Islands On The Web]
- HL - Phil, HL1TXQ reports that Butch, HL9DX has joined the team for the 27-29 July operation from Tokchok Island (AS-090) [425DXN 532]. He will be signing HL9DX/2 on SSB, RTTY, PSK and 6 metres. The web site for the activity is at <http://www.qsl.net/hllvau/iota2001/>
- HL - The Korea DX Club will participate in the IOTA Contest from Yongyu Island (AS-105). Look for DS0DX/2 on 10-80 metres CW and SSB. QSL via HL1XP either direct or through the bureau. [TNX HL1XP].
- HL - Lee, DS4CNB (<http://ds4cnb.corea.to>) reports he is planning the following IOTA activities:
- |                   |          |        |
|-------------------|----------|--------|
| 28-30 July        | DS4CNB/4 | AS-093 |
| 30 July -2 August | DS4CNB/4 | AS-084 |
| 02-05 August      | DS4CNB/4 | AS-085 |
| 05-06 August      | DS4CNB/4 | AS-060 |
| 06-07 August      | DS4CNB/5 | AS-081 |
- He will operate CW and SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL to DS4CNB (Lee Dae Ryung, P.O Box 30, Tongyung 650-600, South Korea).

- I - Luigi/I5ZUF, Alessandro/IK5PWB, Francesco/IK5UIP, Beppe/IK5WWA and others will be active from Gorgona Island (EU-028, IIA LI-014) between 26 and 31 July. They will operate (CW and SSB on HF, 6 and 2 metres) as IA5/home call/p and will participate in the IOTA Contest as IA5G. QSL via home calls; QSL IA5G via I5ZUF either direct (Luigi Bulfon, P.O. Box 486, 57100 Livorno - LI, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX I5ZUF]
- I - Roberto/I5HLK, Giovanni/I5JHW, Sergio/I5NSR, Danio/I5OYY, Roberto/IK5FTQ and Gabriele/IK5ZTW will participate in the IOTA Contest from Pianosa Island (EU-028, IIA LI-016) at either IQ5P or IA5P. Outside the contest they will operate also on 6 and 2 metres. QSL via I5JHW. [TNX I5JHW]
- I - Dario, IT9SSI plans to be active from the Eolie Islands (ID9, EU-017) as follows: from Lipari (IIA ME-001) on 28-29 July, from Scoglio Pollara (IIA ME-019) between 10 and 13 August, from Filicudi (IIA ME-003) on 7-9 September. QSL direct to IZ8CCW (P.O. Box 360, 87100 Cosenza- CS, Italy). [TNX IZ8CCW]
- ISO - A group of operators from the local ARI branch will be active (on HF SSB and CW, 6 and 2 metres) from the Porto Torres Lighthouse (WAIL SA-015, IOTA EU-024) between 6 and 18 UTC on 22 July. QSL via each operator. [TNX IS00MH]
- KH4 - Ted Brattstrom, NH6YK is planning to operate again as NH4/NH6YK from Midway Island (OC-030) on 2-4 August. He will be active on HF and 6 metres SSB only. [TNX G3RTE]
- J3 & J8 - Two special calls have been issued to the Low Land DXpedition Team's members (PA0ZH, PA3EWP, PA5ET and PA7FM) for their operations from the islands of Carriacou (Grenada, NA-147, 2-15 August) and Bequia (St. Vincent, NA-025, 16-27 August) [425DXN 519]. Look for J3PA and J8PA to be used on 160 metres and during contests, while they will be signing J3/home call and J8/home call on the other bands and outside contests. The web pages for the operations are at <http://www.qsl.net/lldxt>. QSLs for all contacts via PA5ET (Rob Snieder, Van Leeuwenstraat 137, 2273 VS Voorburg, The Netherlands).
- JA - Look for JA4PXE/4 to participate in the IOTA Contest from Yashiro Island (AS-117). Activity is expected to take place on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for JM1PXG/6 to participate in the IOTA Contest from AS-047 (Daito Islands). He will operate on 10, 15 and 20 metres CW and outside the contest he will be active on 17 metres CW as well. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for JL2LRO/8 to be active from Okushiri Island (AS-147) between 9 and 20 August. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
- KL - Rick, KL7AK reports that everything is on schedule for the DXpedition to Sitkinak Island (Trinity Islands, NA-053) [425DXN 518]. Weather and other local conditions permitting, operations are expected to start by 21.30 UTC on 9 August and to continue until around 18-19 UTC on the 14th. QSL via N6AWD. [TNX G3ZAY and KL7AK]
- OH - OH1MDR, OH1NOA and OH1MM will participate in the IOTA Contest as OH9A from Sandstrom Reef (EU-173). QSL via OH1NOA either direct (Timo Klimoff, Yrjonkatu 4 A 15, 28100 Pori, Finland) or through the bureau. Further information is available at <http://www.saunalahti.fi/oh1mdr/iota.html> [TNX OH1MDR]
- OY & TF - Maurice, ON4BAM will be active as OY/ON4BAM/m from the Faroe Islands (EU-018) on 6-8 August. He will then operate as TFx/ON4BAM from various call areas of Iceland (EU-021) on 9-23 August. He may also operate from a few lighthouses. QSL via home call. [TNX ON4BAM] maurice.andries@easynet.be
- PA - PA7BT, ON5UM, ON6NL, ON6ZX and ON4AKL will participate in the IOTA Contest as PI4HQ from Tiengemeten Island (EU-146). Before the contest some of the Belgians may be active as PA/home call. QSL via VERON in the Netherlands, either direct or through the bureau. [TNX ON5UM]

- SM - Eric, SM1TDE will operate as SM1TDE/p from Faro Island (EU-020, WWL JO980A) on 21-23 July. Look for him around 50105 kHz CW and 50155 kHz SSB; if the band is not open, he may operate on HF. Also look for SM1WZV/P on 144 and 432 MHz SSB/FM. QSL via the bureau. Further information at <http://www.grk.se/jo980a.shtm> [TNX SM1TDE]
- TA - TA1E, TA2DS, HB9FBL and HB9SUL will operate (on HF and 6 metres from KM93AT) as YM0KA from Bozcaada (AS-099) between 24 and 30 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via TA1KA. The page for the operation is at <http://www.ticino.com/usr/hb9sul/TA2001/index.htm> [TNX HB9SUL]

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- TK - Claude, F5MCC will operate (SSB and CW) as TK/F5MCC from Corsica (EU-014) between 20 July and 10 August. He plans to be active from several lighthouses and to operate (CW only) with TK5XN from Ile du Toro (EU-164) during a weekend. Claude will participate in the IOTA Contest from EU-014 (CW only). QSL either direct to F5MCC or through the bureau to F3GJ. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- UA - Yuri, UA1RJ sends an update on the IOTA operations from the Barents Sea islands [425DXN 531]. The team includes also UA1QV, RA3NZ, UA1OMS, RN2FA and RA2FW and they expected to leave Nar'Jan-Mar on 20 July. Weather permitting, they should be active as follows:
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|----------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| UE1RCV/1 | Sengeyskiy Island | EU-188 (RR-03-06) | QSL via UA1RJ |
| UE1QAA/1 | Lovetskiy Island  | EU-102 (RR-03-12) | QSL via UA1RJ |
| UE1SAA/1 | Sanev Island      | ----- (RR-03-13)  | QSL via UA1RJ |
| UE1RAA/1 | Rvanye Island     | ----- (RR-03-14)  | QSL via UA1RJ |
- Depending on local conditions, they might also operate from EU-160 and EU-085 as well. Cards for QSOs made with the single operators /1 go via home call.
- UA - Arthur, UA0NL plans to operate as UA0NL/P from Russkiy Island (AS-066) on 25-30 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via home call. [TNX UA0NL]
- VE - Fred, VO2/K2FRD [425DXN 526] reports from Zone 2 he is experiencing propagation problems on 10 and 12 metres and broadcast QRM over almost 100% of 40 metres, so he has had to discard much of his schedule as shown on his website (<http://sites.netscape.net/thefred3/labrl>). He says the best time/freq to contact VO2/K2FRD is starting about 22-23 UTC on 17 metres daily, going up to about 1 UTC. CW operations on 30 metres (and, eventually, 15, 17, and 20 metres) are expected to start on 23 July around 23 UTC. QSL direct only to K2FRD (Fred Stevens, 263 Keach Rd, Guilford, NY 13780, USA).
- W - Andy, VA3PL will operate SSB and CW from either Assateague Island (NA-139, MD-001S) or Chincoteague Island (NA-083, USI VA-002S) between 26 and 30 July, IOTA Contest included. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - The Old Barney ARC will operate as N2OB from "Old Barney", the Barnegat Lighthouse (USA-039) on Long Beach Island (NA-111, USI NJ-001S), between 13 and 23 UTC on 4 and 5 August. QSL via N2OB (P.O. Box 345, Tuckerton, NJ 08087, USA). Web page at <http://www.qsl.net/n2oo/history/beacon.htm> [TNX N2OO]
- W - The Old Barney ARC will operate as W2T from the "Tucker's Island Lighthouse" (USA-911, not IOTA) in the "Tuckerton Seaport", Tuckerton, New Jersey during the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend from 13 UTC on 18 August through 23 UTC on the 19th. QSL via N2OO (Bob Schenck, P.O. Box 345, Tuckerton, NJ 08087, USA).

[TNX N200]

- XE - A group of seven operators will be active (on 10-80 metres CW, SSB and RTTY) as XF3IC from Contoy Island (NA-045) on 21-22 July. QSL via XE3OYJ. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]
- YV - The IOTA DXpedition to Cayo Sombrero in the Falcon State group (SA-???) [425DXN 530] is now expected to use 4M1X (and not YW1F as previously announced). QSL via W4SO. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YV - John, YV5JBI and others will be active as YV5JBI/P from Piritu Island (SA-???, WWL FK70MD) on 25-29 July, including and entry in the IOTA Contest. Plans are to have at least 2 stations running on all bands (6-80 metres) and modes 24 hours a day. QSL via YV5JBI. [TNX yv5jbi@cantv.net]

ISLAND/LIGHTHOUSE TOUR ---> Kresimir, 9A7K reports he will be active from the following Croatian lighthouses and islands between 29 July and 3 August:

ISLAND	IOTA	IOCA	LIGHTHOUSE	CLH	WLH	ARLH
Veli Brijun	EU-110	139	Peneda	101	1651	CRO-010
Sv Jerolim	EU-110	114	Sv Jerolim	150		CRO-160
Sv Ivan na Pucini	EU-110	113	Sv Ivan na Pucini	145	36	CRO-017
Porer	EU-110	090	Porer	111	240	CRO-014
Krasnica	EU-110	045	-	-	-	-

QSL via 9A7K (Kresimir Juratovic, P.O. Box 88, HR-48001 Koprivnica, Croatia)  
Further information on the Croatian Lighthouses Award is available at <http://www.qsl.net/9a7k>

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9Q0AR ---> The ARAC (the amateur radio national society of the Democratic Republic of Congo) station was activated on 13-15 July (IARU HF World Championship included) by TU5NC/5N0YL, F6BLQ/5N0T and others. QSL via F2YT either direct or through the REF bureau. Any extra contribution is welcome to support ARAC's next clubstation at PTT Training Centre Kinshasa. Pat, F6BLQ says the Society is looking for a new or second hand 20/15/10m tribander and a transceiver for HF bands; if you can help supporting this programme, please contact the Society's treasurer (TU5NC/5N0YL, gckin@ic.cd). Further information on amateur radio in the DRC at <http://f6blq.multimania.com> [TNX F6BLQ]

CDXC ---> At the Annual General Meeting of the Chiltern DX Club, the UK DX Foundation (<http://www.cdxc.org.uk>), held on 14 July the following were elected to the 2001/02 committee: Neville Cheadle, G3NUG (President), John Butcher, G3LAS (Chairman), Shaun Jarvis, M0BJL (Secretary), Nigel Peacock, G4KIU (Treasurer), Don Field, G3XTT (Digest Editor), Mike Devereux/G3SED, Ian Capon/G0KRL and Paul Brice-Stevens/G0WAT (Committee Members). [TNX G3XTT]

DIAMOND DX CLUB ---> Gennaro Casaburi, I8YRK reports that on the official Diamond DX Club's WEB site (<http://www.ddxc.org>) are now available the rules and the list of the bases for the WABA (Worked Antarctic Bases Award) and WASA (Worked Antarctic Stations Award) awards, as well as the current scores of the participants. The current e-mail address for the Diamond DX Club is: gennaro.casaburi@tin.it (or casaburil@tin.it).

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IIA ---> The up-to-date list of the islands for the Italian Island Award, including the relevant IOTA reference numbers when appropriate, is now available at <http://www.425dxn.org/iia> or [www.ari.it/d\\_iia/html](http://www.ari.it/d_iia/html)

K5K VIDEO ---> The K5K Kingman Reef 2000 video (22 minutes) for Europe (PAL format) is now available. For further information and orders please contact Massimo Mucci, I8NHJ ([i8nhj@pagus.it](mailto:i8nhj@pagus.it))

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Larry, K5MK reports he is the QSL manager for neither 8P6GD nor any other station.

RIGA 800 ---> The Latvian Amateur Radio League sponsors the "Riga 800" Award to celebrate the 800th anniversary of the Latvian capital city. The award is for contacting (listening to) special calls YL800xx between 1 July and 30 September. For further information please contact Grigorij, YL2NS at [yl2ns@e-apollo.lv](mailto:yl2ns@e-apollo.lv)

QSL C21TA ---> Peter's QSL Manager (Gwen, VK3DYL) apologizes for the unavoidable delay in answering direct cards. Since stamps from C21 are greatly sought after by philatelists, Peter intends posting the cards from Nauru on his next trip.

QSL CO8LF ---> Martin, DL1ZU reports he is the new QSL manager for Luis Vazquez Seisededos, CO8LF. Cards can be sent either direct (Martin Wieland, Cottbuser Str. 10, 35440 Linden, Germany) or through the DARC bureau.

QSL VIA IK3GES ---> Direct cards should be sent to Gabriele Gentile, Via Baratta Vecchia 240, 31022 Preganziol - TV, Italy. Bureau cards are welcome and can be requested by e-mail ([ik3ges@libero.it](mailto:ik3ges@libero.it)). If you choose to send your cards through the bureau system, please send one card for each IOTA group you have worked, as this will make life easier him (he keeps separate logs for his various activities).

QSL VIA N4AA ---> Carl, N4AA now has the logs for Pedro's (HK3JJH) operations from Malpelo in 1998, 1999 and 2001, as well as the logs for his April 2001 activity from Isla La Palma (SA-017). [TNX N4AA]

WAIL ---> For information on the Worked All Italian Lighthouses Award please visit <http://www.425dxn.org/awards/wail/> or <http://www.ari.it/wail.html>, or contact the Award Manager (Paolo Garavaglia, IK1NLZ) at [ik1nlz@425dxn.org](mailto:ik1nlz@425dxn.org).

+ SILENT KEY + Grigorij, YL2NS reports the sad news of the passing of Boris Mitchenko, YL2PM on 7 June at 63 years of age. Boris had been a keen CW operator for more than 40 years.

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QSLs received direct: 3D2SC, 4L1BR, 5C8M, 5U7DG, 6Y5/OH3UU, 7Z1AC, 8R1JC, 8S5T (EU-177), 9M0M, 9N1AA, A35NB, A52AP, AD1C, BA4DW/2 (AS-158), C6ASM (NA-080), CE7LHG (SA-053, 02/95)CN8WW, CW0Z, DU1EIB, FO/DL1AWI, FO/DL7FT (OC-050), FO0FRA, FO5PS, H40RW, HA6NF, HK3JJH/5 (SA-017), HK3JJH/HK0M, HO1A, J3/DJ7RJ, J45W, J5X, JD1BFA, K5K, K9PPY/4 (NA-142), KC4USV (AN-011), KP2/KD4D, SM0DTK/1 (EU-020), SV0LR (EU-060)T32RD, TA3DD, TR8XX, TZ6DX, V73ZZ, VE1OTA/9 (NA-014), VE2MAM/P (NA-125), VK9ML, VK9XY, VP8SDX, VP8SGK (AN-007), XV3AA, ZK1AND, ZL7IR, ZX0F, ZX5T/1 (SA-029).  
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- 5B - Alf, 5B4AFB reports that C4MG is the special call to be used during the IOTA Contest operation from Agios Georgios Island (AS-120) [425DXN 533]. QSL via 5B4KH.
- 5B - Tom, SP5AUF is expected to be active (mostly on CW, RTTY and PSK31) as 5B4/SP5AUF from Cyprus (AS-004) until 5 August, IOTA Contest included. QSL via SP5AUF. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- BY - BA4TA, BA4RD, BD4RS, BD4XF, BD4RU and BD5RV will participate in the IOTA Contest as BI4U. Michael Chen, BD5RV reports they will operate from "Qinshan Island, AS-135" between 28 and 30 July. QSL via BA4RD. [TNX BD5RV]
- DL - DH1LA, DH7NO, DL2RTK, DL2SWW and DL2VFR have changed their plans [425DXN 529] and will now participate in the IOTA Contest as DL0KWH from Usedom Island (EU-129). On 30 July they will visit and be active from Greifswalder Oie (EU-057, GIA O-12) and Ruden (EU-057, GIA O-11). The operation from Greifswalder Oie will take place from a lighthouse (WLH LH-114, German Lighthouses Award 23). The web site for the German Lighthouses Award is at <http://www.lighthouse-award.de> [TNX DL2VFR]
- ES - Look for ES1AKM/1 and ES1RA/1 to participate in the IOTA Contest from Aegna Island (EU-149). QSL via homecalls. [TNX DXNL]
- F - Dominique, F5RYC will participate in the IOTA Contest as F5RYC/P from Pomegues Island (EU-095, DIFM ME-016). QSL to F5RYC preferably through the bureau. [TNX F5RYC]
- HK - Dave, W5WP reports he will be on holiday visiting Bert, HK5JPS from 1 to 10 August and plans to operate (primarily SSB with some slow CW and PSK31 on 10-40 meters, including 12, 17 and possibly 30 metres) as HK5/W5WP from Bert's QTH. Band/Mode requests are welcome at [w5wp@arrl.net](mailto:w5wp@arrl.net) until 31 July. QSL via W5WP.
- HL - Operators from the Hanyang University Wave Research Club will be active (on 40, 20 and 15 metres SSB, CW and RTTY) as HL0C/4 from Wi Island (AS-148) on 2-8 August. QSL either direct to CPO Box 4397, 100-643 Seoul, Korea or through the bureau. The web pages for the operation are at <http://dx.hl0c.net> [TNX HL0C]
- I - Max, IK2XYG reports he will participate in the IOTA Contest as IL7/IK2XYG from San Nicola Island (EU-050, IIA FG-002). QSL via home call.
- I - Alfredo, IK7JWX reports that the call to be used during the IOTA Contest from Isola Grande (EU-091) [425DXN 532] will be IK7FPX/P. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau.
- I - The planned activity by IK4VET, IK4XCL, IK4ALM from IIA RO-021 and RO-017 [425DXN 532] has been postponed to 26 August. [TNX IK4VET]
- LZ - LZ1KSL (ex LZ1KMS) will operate from Sveta Anastasiya Island (EU-181, WLH-0035) starting on 27 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest. QSL to P.O. Box 597, Burgas 8001, Bulgaria. [TNX

- LZ3GM]
- OH - Jussi-Pekka, OH6RX reports he will be active on all modes from EU-101 on 27-30 July. [TNX Islands On The Web]
  - PA - PA7BT, ON5UM, ON6NL, ON6ZX and ON4AKL have not been allowed to operate from Tiengemeten Island [425DXN 533] and will now participate in the IOTA Contest as PI4HQ from Goeree/Overflakkee (EU-146).
  - PA - Ron, ON4ALW reports the PA6TEX IOTA Contest operation [425DXN 515] will include the activation of the lighthouse (ARLHS NET 024) on Texel Island (EU-038). QSL via ON4ALW either direct or through the UBA bureau.
  - SM - John, SM7CRW and Sten, SM6DER will participate in the IOTA Contest as 8S7A from Oland Island (EU-037). [TNX SM7CRW]
  - SP - Look for SQ4GXE/1 and SP4JWR/1 to participate in the IOTA Contest (CW only) from Wolin Island (EU-132). QSL via home calls. [TNX SQ4GXE]
  - TI - Look for TE8AT to be active from Chira Island (NA-116) on 3-5 August. QSL to TI3MCY (Mario, P.O. Box 391-7050, Cartago, Costa Rica). [TNX The Daily DX]
  - UA - UA0ZAZ, RA0ZD, UA0ZFK and R0/US4EWP are active as UE0XYZ from Ptichiy Island (AS-091, RR-13-01) until 31 July. They are expected to participate in the IOTA Contest as RZ0ZWA. QSL via RA0ZD. [TNX <http://www.dl6zfg.de/rrcexp.htm>]
  - UA - Special event station R3DAS is active until 19 August from Zhukovsky near Moscow. QSL via UA3DJ either direct (Leonid Kamensky, P.O. Box 410, Zhukovsky 140180, Russia) or through the bureau. [TNX UA3DJ]
  - UA - Look for RA3NN/1, RA3NY/1, UA3NCD/1, UA1OEJ/1 to be active from Mud'yugskiy Island (EU-153, RR-205) on 25-29 July. They will participate in the IOTA Contest as RA3NN/1 (Mixed). QSL via RA3NN (Andre Hudyacov, P.O. Box 1, 157500 Sharya, Kostromskaya Obl., Russia). [TNX RA3NN]
  - UA - Vlad/RZ1OA, Dima/UA1OLM and Oleg/RU1OG will be signing RZ1OA/A, UA1OLM/A and RU1OG/A from Lyasomin Island (EU-153) between 25 July and 2 August. QSL via RZ1OA (Vlad Sadakov, P.O. Box 48, Arkhangelsk, 163040, Russia). [TNX RZ1OA]
  - UA - RA3AUM/6 and a group of UA6 operators will be active as RI6AAA from Dzendzik Island (EU-185, RR-24-04) during the IOTA Contest. After the contest they plan to operate /p from Krupinina (EU-185, RR-24-03), Golen'kij (EU-185, RR-??) and Lisij (not IOTA, RR-??) islands. QSL RI6AAA via UA6CW either direct or through the bureau. [TNX UA6CW]

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- VE - Len/VE9MY, Linda/VE9GLF and four others will operate (on 15, 20 and 40 metres) from Pendleton Island (NA-014, new one for the Canadian Islands Award) and Mac's Island (NA-014, CISA new) on 4 and 5 August respectively. Operations from each island will be for about 8 hours starting at 13 UTC. Main callsign will be VE9MY/p, but individual operators may use their own calls. QSL all to home callsign. [TNX VE9MY and Islands On The Web]
- VK - Tommy, VK2IR reports that the Fishers Ghost Amateur Radio Club (VK2FFG) will be active during the IOTA Contest from Windang Island (OC-001). QSL via VK2FFG or VK2IR.
- VK - Stuie/VK8NSB, Mark/VK8MS, Alan/VK8ZAB, Geoff/VK8KGP and possibly others will operate three stations Emery Point Lighthouse (AUS-071) in Darwin Northern Territory, Australia (OC-001) during the

International Lighthouse and Lightship Weekend on 18-19 August. They have applied for the special call AX8LH and are looking for a QSL manager (if interested please e-mail Stuie, VK8NSB at vk8nsb@octa4.net.au or vk8nsb@vkhham.com). [TNX VK8NSB]

- VP5 - Dick, K9APW will be vacationing on North Caicos Island (NA-002) between 2 and 12 August and plans to operate as VP5/K9APW on 6 metres (he will monitor 50.125 and 50.110 as much as he can). QSL via home call. [TNX OZ6OM]
- W - Philip, K4EP and Craig, KF4NLM will operate as W4LVS/P. from Jeff's, KF4WHY, QTH on Bogue Banks (NA-112) during the IOTA Contest. QSL to W4LVS either direct or via bureau. [TNX K4EP]
- W - Look for W0MTL to be active from the Mark Twain Memorial Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-915) on 3-4 August. QSL via W0MTL. This will be a joint special event by the Hannibal, MO ARC and the Western Illinois ARC. [TNX VA3RJ]
- W - Look for W4P to be aired from the Ponce Inlet Lighthouse, near Daytona Beach, FL on 4-5 August. [TNX W2EJG]
- YB - John, YB5NOF will operate SSB only from Rupert Island (OC-245) during the IOTA Contest. QSL to John E. Daluas, P.O.Box 194/CPA, Ciputat 15401, Indonesia. [TNX YB5QZ]
- ZA - Antonello, IZ7DOO reports he will be active (on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB) from Lezhe, Albania starting around 6 August for two weeks.

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DXCC ---> The DXCC Manager (Bill Moore, NC1L) reports that 3XY1B0, 3XY7A and 3XY03A (Guinea), as well as T5AR (Somalia), have been approved for DXCC credit. "They were on the bad list for lack of documentation. The documentation has been reviewed and it is OK. People can now receive DXCC credit. Anyone who has submitted these and had them rejected can contact us and we'll be able to update their record without having to submit the card again. If not, it can be sent in the next submission."

IOTA CONTEST (AWARDS) ---> Re: the recent posting of the IOTA Contest Rules please note that the wording of the W9DWQ Trophy in paragraph 11(g) should read: "W9DWQ Contest Award to the leading Single Operator North American Island Expedition Station"

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Martin, G3ZAY is not, and never has been, the QSL Manager for ZS6EZ (cards have been turning up occasionally for the last few years). He is not the QSL Manager for G3CWI and has not been the manager for VP8ANT since about 1985 (QSL G3CWI and VP8ANT via G3CWI). Finally he held the call VK9LX in 1984 only and is not the QSL manager for subsequent VK9LX operations (the callsign was re-issued several times).

QSL OX/SP8UFO ---> Marek, SP8UFO reports that cards for his recent activity from Greenland will mailed out in August. Please note that direct cards should not be sent to him but to SP8TK (Jerzy Miskiewicz, ul.Walecznych 17, 20-135 Lublin, Poland).

QSL ZX5T/1 ---> Simone, IV3NVN apologies for the delay and reports he has been working on direct cards for the January 2001 operation from SA-029 since 15 July. Those who want a bureau card and have not sent their QSL so far, please send it via PP5TO. Direct cards should still be mailed to Simone Candotto, P.O.Box 4, 33050 Castions di Strada - UD, Italy. For any question please feel free to email Simone at S.Candotto@hamburg.de

UIA ---> The Ukrainian Islands Award is available to either licenced operators and SWLs for working/listening to five DXpeditions from three different islands. For further details, as well as for information on the UDXPF (Ukrainian DXpedition Foundation) Award, please contact UY5XE (George Chlijanc, P.O. Box 19, Lviv, 79000, Ukraine; e-mail uy5xe@utlwrpr.ampr.org; web site at <http://www.qsl.net/uy5xe/index.html>).

W9DXCC CONVENTION ---> The 49th Annual W9DXCC convention will be held on 14-15 September at the Holiday Inn in Rolling Meadows, IL. Full information is available at <http://www.qth.com/w9dxcc> or from Bill, W9VA (w9va@aol.com).

+ SILENT KEY + Past president of the Turkish Radio Amateur Association Bahri Kacan, TA2BK passed away unexpectedly on 23 July. A keen supporter of amateur radio in his country, his call was familiar to everyone on the air and, as a pleasant personal recollection, he provided the first-ever QSOs with Turkey to both your editors during their greenhorn days.  
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FP/K9WM: The web site for the 26-31 July operation from Miquelon Island [425DXN 529] is now available at <http://www.mhtc.net/~k9ot> [TNX K9OT]

LOST ISLANDS: Yuri, UA9OBA reports that the 16 April-2 May DXpedition to "The Lost Islands" [425DXN 520] logged more than 25000 contacts as RI0B (Ushakova Island, AS-156, 13,000 QSOs), RU0B (Uyedineniya Island, AS-057, 10,000 QSOs), RS0B (Srednij Island, AS-042, 870 QSOs), RU0B/p (Kirova Islands, AS-050, 470 QSOs), RS0B/p (Mona Islands, AS-068, 370 QSOs) and R3CA/0 (Dikson Island, AS-005, 670 QSOs). Pictures and logs are available at <http://rrc.sc.ru/>; QSL cards are expected to be sent in late September-early October.

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A2DX	pirate	EC7DWO	EA7KY	R1FJV	UA3AGS
3D2RW	ZL1AMO	ED2IZA	EA2URV	RA3NN/1	RA3NN
3V8CB	DL1BDF	EK6LF	DJ0LZ	S21YH	7M4PTE
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	EL2DT	WA4TII	S21YV	KX7YT
4A3ZOI	XE1ZOI	EN0PA	UT5PW	SI9AM	SM3CVM
4L/AJ3M	AJ3M	ER7HQ	ER1FF	SM5/G0GRC	G0RCI
4M1X	W4SO	F/G0MEU/p	ON4ON	SM6/DL5MO	DL5MO
4S7VK	DJ9ZB	FK8GM	WB2RAJ	SM7/DL5MO	DL5MO
4Z8BB	WC1X	FO0CLA	F6CTL	SN0DO	SP2ZIE
5H3KA	JA2LZF	FP/K9WM	NN9K	SV3/IZ0CKJ	IZ0CKJ
5K3CA	HK3DDD	GB5SI	MM0BQI	SV8/IK3GES	IK3GES
6H3KK	XE1KK	GD0CGL/P	G0CGL	SW8T	SV8DTL
7X0AD	EA4URE	GM0DHZ/P	G0DHZ	T88DX	JI3DLI

8S4C/5	SM4DDS	GM2T	GM4UYZ	TA0/LZ1CNN	LZ1NK
9A/HA6NL/p	HA6NL	GM4WSB/M	G4WSB	TG7/W9AEB	W9AEB
9A/HA6PS/p	HA6PS	GS0UTT/P	G0UTT	TL8CK	F6EWM
9A/HA6ZV/p	HA6ZV	HL1OYF/2	HL1OYF	TM1ON	ON4ON
9A/OK1FUA	OK1MG	HL1TXQ/2	HL1OYF	TR8IG	F5IG
9A/ON4CJK/P	ON4ADN	HL1VAU/2	HL1OYF	TT8DX	F5OGL
9A0A	OK1FLM	HR1/W4CK	W4CK	TT8JE	F6FNU
9A0LH	9A7K	IA5G	I5ZUF	UA0NL/P	UA0NL
9A10HRM	9A7K	ID9/IT9SSI	IZ8CCW	UE0XYZ	RA0ZD
9A1C/p	9A4BL	II9R	IT9HLR	UE1CIG	RN1AW
9A5DJ/P	OK1DJG	IO7Z	IZ7AUH	UE1QAA/1	UA1RJ
9A7T/p	9A2EU	J49R	I2WIJ	UN8GF	IZ8CCW
9H3TI	DL2AAZ	J75KG	KU9C	UR1L	UX3LZ
9M6AAC	N2OO	JD1BCK	JM1TUK	UR6F	UX0FF
9M6EYT	JA3EYO	JI3DST/6	JI3DST	V47UY	KJ4UY
9M6IFT	JA3IFT	JW4LN	LA4LN	VE2A	VE2QK
9N7RB	W4FOA	JW5E	LA5NM	VO2/K2FRD	K2FRD
9Q0AR	F2YT	KH2/7N4JZK	7N4JZK	W1F	KO4PY
9V1GA	JA4BJO	KH2/KJ1C	J11CYX	W4R	N4OX (**)
9V9HQ	AA5BT	KH6/K4IQJ	K4IQJ	XF3IC	XE3OYJ
BV9A/JH3JWW	JH3JWW	KP2/AA1BU	AA1BU	XL3NJ	VA3NJ
BV9A/JI3DST	JI3DST	KP2/AG8L	NN6C	XM2AWR	VE2AWR
BV9AYA	JH3JWW (*)	L80AA/D	LU4AA	XM2CWI	VE2CWI
BW0RS	BV4VE	LO0D	F6FNU	XM2JCW	VE2JCW
BW0TCC	BV4CN	LT2D	LU2EE	XM3S JL	VE3S JL
C21TA	VK3DYL	LV5D	LU7DS	XU7ABR	DL4KQ
C56YT	VK4AO	LW9EOC	EA7JX	XU7ABT	DL4KQ
C6AJR	W8GEX	LX/DK1WV	DK1WV	XU7ABU	DL4KQ
C97MR	G3MRC	MJ0AWR	K2WR	XU7ABV	DL8KBJ
CE0Y/IK5SQX	IK5SQX	MM0BNN	M0BNN	YC0UTC	IZ8CCW
CO2OJ	K8SIX	OE75OHO	OE5OHO	YC9MB	IZ8CCW
CO8LF	DL1ZU	OH0/OK1NR/p	OK1NR	YL5W	YL2GN
CP4BT	EA5KB	OH0/OK2DA/P	OK2DA	YL800GP	YL2GP
CP5/G4ASL	G4ASL	OH0/OK2PBM/p	OK2PBM	YM0KA	TA2DS
CQ00DX	CT2GZE	OH0CO	SM0CCO	YM0MA	LZ1NK
CQ2I	EA4URJ	OH0V	OH6LI	YN9HAU	EA7JX
CT1/CT3FN	HB9CRV	OJ0/AH7X	JP1NWZ	YR0HQ	YO3FRI
DS0DX/2	HL1XP	OY/DF2SS	DF2SS	YV5JBI/P	YV5JBI
DS1EON/2	HL1OYF	OZ/DH8WW	DH8WW	Z32XX	NN6C
DS1EVQ/2	HL1OYF	PJ2/G0WKW	G0WKW	ZL2/K3SRO	K3SRO
DS3BGI/2	HL1OYF	PJ2/G3XSV	G3XSV	ZP26DC	ZP1LL
EA6/SP4AOQ	EC6TK	PX2I	PY2TNT	ZS6SRL	ZS4BS

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- 3V - Antonio, IK8VRH reports he will be vacationing in Tunisia on 15-30 August and plans to operate from the 3V8SQ Radio Club in Monastir. Cards for this activity via IK8VRH (P. O. Box 173, 80016 Marano - NA, Italy).
  - 4X - Dov, 4Z4DX and his son Mat, 4Z5DX will be active from Acco Lighthouse (ISR-003) on 18 August during the the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. [TNX 4Z4DX]
  - 5B - Laci, HA0HW will be active as 5B4/HA0HW/p from Cyprus (AS-004) during his holidays on 7-21 August. He plans to operate mostly CW in the early morning and late evening hours. QSL via HA0HW either direct or through the bureau. [TNX HA0HW]
  - 9A - Jozo, 9A5RJ is expected to be active (on 20, 15, 17, 12 and 10 metres) from Pag Island (EU-170, CI-082) on 3-8 August. [TNX 9A6AA]
  - 9A - Emir, 9A6AA plans to be active from Galiola Island (EU-136, LH-0315, CI-020) on 9 August starting around 10 UTC and from Unije Island (EU-136, CI-135) on the 10th, starting between 10 and 13 UTC. QSL direct only to 9A6AA, Emir Mahmutovic to either Zad Bone 8, 51551 Veli Losinj, Croatia (until 1 September) or Slovenska 15, 10000 Zagreb, Croatia (after 1 September).
  - 9A - Paul, 9A/DK8SP/p is active (mainly on 20 metres SSB) from Rab Island (EU-136, CI-096) until 10 August. [TNX 9A6AA]
  - 9M6 - Phil, HS0/G4JMB (aka VR2CT) will operate as 9M6CT from East Malaysia between 4 August and 16 September. On 18-19 August he will participate in the SEANET Contest (SSB) as 9M6A (QSL via N200). QSL 9M6CT to P.O. Box 7, Pat Pong P.O., Bangkok 10506, Thailand. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - BY - Harry, AA2WN reports that he will be travelling to China on business the week of 6-10 August. The trip includes stops in Cheng-Du and LeShan Sichuan province. He has received an Operators Permit for Visitors and will operate when time permits assuming he makes contact with local hams in that area of PRC. QSL via home call.
  - BY - A large group of operators from the Beijing DX Club and the Jiangsu DX Club (namely BA1AJ, BA1DU, BA1FB, BA1KA, BA1MK, BA1MT, BA1RB,

BA1TU, BD1CC, BD1CL, BD1CU, BA4KR, BA4RD, BA4TA, BD4RS, BD5RV and others) will operate as BI4F from Furong Island (Shandong Province North West group, NO-REF) on 10-13 August (however, since the island is a military area, dates might change at the last minute). There will be four stations including two yagis and two linear amplifiers and operations will take place on 6-40 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and SSTV. QSL via BA4TA either direct or through the bureau. [TNX BA1DU]

- DL - Volker, DL1WH will be active as DF0MF from Lightship "Deutsche Bucht" (formerly "Amrumbank") in Emden between 17 and 23 August. Main activity is expected on 18-19 August during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. QSL via bureau to DF0MF. [TNX DL1WH]
- DL - Christian, DL6KAC and others will operate as either DN1KAV (QSL via DH4KAV) or DN2EI (QSL via DH7KAT) from Helios Lighthouse in Cologne/Ehrenfeld (FED-107) during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. [TNX DL6KAC]
- FO\_au - Dave, AH6HY plans to operate (mostly on 15 and 20 metres SSB) as FO0FLA from Rurutu (OC-050), Austral Islands on 9-14 September. QSL via home call. [TNX AH6HY]

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- H4 - Roberto, EA4DX (aka 3D2DX, T24DX, 8Q7XX) will operate (SSB only) from Honiara (OC-047), Solomon Islands (H44) on 11-14 August and again on 29-30 August. He will then move to Lata (OC-100), Temotu (H40), and be active on 15-28 August. Callsigns to be issued upon arrival. He will have a beam for 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 metres, a vertical for 40 and 80 metres and a 1 KW amplifier. Suggested frequencies are 3795-3799, 7042-7045, 14195, 18135, 21295, 24945 and 28395 kHz. QSL direct only via EA4DX (Roberto Diaz, Doce de Octubre 4, 28009 Madrid, Spain). Log search will be available after the operation at <http://www.qsl.net/ea4dx/> [TNX EA4DX]
- HL - Lee, DS5RNM and other operators from the Taegu DX Club will be active (on all bands CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as 6N0YO/4 from Wi Island (AS-148) on 17-19 August. Special attention will be paid to North America. QSL via 6N0YO either direct (Taegu DX club, P.O. Box 4, Taegu 700-600, Korea) or through the KARL bureau. [TNX DS5RNM]
- I - Look for Roberto, ID9/IK8PGM to operate (on 40-10 and 6 metres mainly during his night and early morning hours from Lipari Island (EU-017, IIA ME-001 on 4-6 August. QSL via home call either direct (Roberto Duca, Viale Europa 184, 80053 Castellammare di Stabia - NA, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IK8PGM]
- I - Frank, IZ7AUH reports he plans to operate from Scoglio Occhio II (not IOTA, IIA LE-021) on 8 August. QSL direct to Francesco Giacoia, P.O. Box 2224/TA5, 74100 Taranto - TA, Italy or through the bureau to IZ7AUH. Logs and pics will be available at <http://www.iz7auh.com>
- I - Giuseppe, IT9JOF will be signing IT9JOF/IH9 from Pantelleria (AF-018, IIA TP-001) on 8-16 August. He plans to operate SSB and RTTY mostly on the WARC bands. QSL to IT9JOF preferably through the bureau. [TNX IT9JOF]
- I - Frank, I5RFD reports he will be active (on 15, 20 and 40 metres CW, SSB and RTTY) from Pantelleria (IH9, AF-018) and Favignana (IF9, EU-054) on 25-31 August and 2-7 September respectively. Bureau cards can be requested at <http://www.i5rfd.bbk.org/>
- I - Look for Riccardo, IA5/IK0YUJ to be active (on HF and 6 metres

mainly CW with some SSB and PSK) from Giglio Island (EU-028, IIA GR-002) between 26 August and 4 September. QSL via IK0YUJ either direct (Riccardo Bruzzichini, P.O. Box 59, 06012 Citta' di Castello - PG, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IK0YUJ]

- I - ARI Salerno members Antonio, IK8SUT and Maurizio, IK8YTN will be IE9/ from Ustica Island (EU-051, IIA PA-001) on 8-15 September. They plan to operate on HF and 6 metres. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau.
- J3 - The Low Land DXpedition Team (PA0ZH, PA3EWP, PA5ET and PA7FM) will not use J38PA instead of the previously announced J3PA for their 160 metres and contest operations from Carriacou Island (Grenada, NA-147, 2-15 August) [425DXN 533]. The web pages for the operation are at <http://www.qsl.net/lldxt>. [TNX PA5ET]
- KH2 - Ayumi, JH7BZR reports he will be operating as KA1I/NH2 from Guam (OC-026) on 10-16 August, including an entry in the WAE DX Contest (CW). QSL via JH7BZR either direct (P.O. Box 1, Isawa 023-0402, Japan) or through the JARL bureau.
- KL - Rick, KL7AK confirms that the operation from Sitkinak Island (NA-053) [425DXN 533] is expected to start around 21.30 UTC on 9 August until about 18.00 UTC on the 14th. Main activity will take place on 20 metres SSB (+/- 14260 kHz), but they also plan to operate 15, 10 and a little 40 metres SSB and CW plus amateur satellite (AO-27 during the daylight passes only and UO-14 all daily passes). QSL via N6AWD.
- LA - Look for LA/DG1RUG to operate from Averoy (EU-036, WWL JP33) on 2 and 6 metres between 9 and 22 August. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2VFR]
- LZ - Nick, LZ1NG plans to be active (on 6-80 metres SSB and CW) from Sveta Anastasya Island (EU-181) between 11 and 18 August. QSL via LZ1NG either direct (Nikolay Babarev, P.O.Box 356, Plovdiv 4000, Bulgaria) or through the bureau. [TNX LZ1NG]
- OE - Nicola, IK3JLS reports he will operate on 10-80 metres CW as OE/IK3JLS/QRP from Salzburg, Austria between 4 and 18 August. QSL via bureau.
- PJ - Kevin, KO4JY will be active (SSB and CW) as either PJ/KO4JY or with a PJ call from Saba (NA-145) on 13-18 August. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PJ7 - Jim, W6JHB plans to operate as PJ7/W6JHB from St. Maarten (NA-105) in the Netherlands Antilles from 8 through 14 September. He will be active on 40, 30, 20, 15, and 10 metres CW QRP, possibly with some 17m operation, depending on antenna situation. [TNX W6JHB]
- PY - Look for PS7JS, PS7KC, PS7PIO, PS7ZZ and others to be active (on 10-80 metres SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY) as ZX7ZZ from Galinhos Lighthouse (DFB RN-09) during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend on 18-19 August. QSL via PS7ZZ either direct (Francisco de Freitas, Av. Sao Miguel dos Caribes 31, Conj. Jiqui, 59086-500 Natal - RN, Brazil) or through the bureau. [TNX PP5SZ and PS7ZZ]

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- PY0\_tr - PY1LVF and PY1VOY will be signing ZX0T and PT0T (or, if they do not get these calls, as home call/PY0T) from Trindade (SA-010) on 7-10 August. They plan to operate on the following suggested frequencies: 7030, 10115, 14040, 18098, 21040, 24920, 28040 (CW); 7055, 14260, 18128, 21260, 24950, 28460 (SSB). QSL via PY1LVF (Jose Luiz Vieira Fernandes, P.O. Box 18009, 20722-970 Rio de Janeiro - RJ, Brazil). [TNX PS7AB]

- SP - Jurek, SP2BIK reports that SN2KM will be operating from Krynica Morska Lighthouse on 17-19 August.
- TA - Vito, I3BQC reports he will be touring Turkey between 21 August and 6 September and, local conditions permitting, will try to operate as TA0/I3BQC/P from AS-098 and AS-115.
- TF - The Radio Club of the Icelandic Radio Amateurs will take part in the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend as TF1IRA from the lighthouse of Knarraros (EU-021). Operations will take place mainly on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB and CW. [TNX TF3AO]
- UA - Weather permitting, the RI0F operation from Moneron Island (AS-149) [425DXN 530] is expected to take place starting around 4 August for about one week, while the activity from Shikotan (AS-062) is planned for mid-September. QSL via RK0FWL. [TNX RA0FF]
- UA - Dennis/RZ1AK, Vlad/UA1CIO and Tim/UA3DPB will be active from Vysotskiy Is. (RR-01-14) and a few other islands in the Baltic Sea on 5-12 August. According to Dennis, RZ1AK "most of the islands would qualify for IOTA EU-133". RK1A/p, RZ1CXF/p, RZ1CXO/p and possibly other callsigns will be used. All QSLs via RZ1AK either direct (Dennis Eremin, P.O. Box 202, St.Petersburg 196070, Russia) or through the bureau. [TNX RZ1AK]
- UA - Val (UA1TAN/1), Alex (RA1TC/1) and Alex (UA1TBK/1) will be active on all bands CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK-31 from IOTA EU-162 (island name not given) on 7-12 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX UA1TAN]
- UA - Pavel, RA1OZ and Andy, RA4NF will operate as RA1OZ/A and UE4NMM/1 from Kiy Island (EU-153, RR-02-22) on 20-27 August. QSL RA1OZ/A via RA1OZ, QSL UE4NMM/1 via RA4NF. [TNX RA1OZ]
- VE - Look for special event station VY2PEI to be activated from Cape Bear Lighthouse (CAN-092) and Marconi Station (<http://www.murrayrivercomm.pe.ca/marconi.html>) on Prince Edward Island (NA-029) from 13 UTC to 21 UTC on 8 August. QSL via VY2RU. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VE - Len, VE9MY and Linda, VE9GLF plan to operate (on 15, 20 and 40 metres with 100 watts portable or mobile) from NA-126 during the week of 6 August (probably the 8th or 9th depending on availability of transportation). QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX VE9MY]
- VK - Special callsign VI30RC will be operating from 11 August until 31 December to celebrate the 30 years of the Redcliffe and Districts Radio Club and the opening of the Club's new clubhouse. QSL via VK4RC either direct (Redcliffe and District Radio Club, P.O. Box 20, Woody Point, 4019, Queensland, Australia) or through the bureau. The web site is at <http://www.qsl.net/~vk4iz> [TNX VK4BLE]
- VK0\_ant - Mark, VK4KMT is currently active in his free time as VK0KMT from Australian Antarctic Base "Davis" (68.5S-77.9E, IOTA AN-016, WABA VK-03, CQ Zone 39, ITU 69). He usually operates for a couple of hours between 4 and 10 UTC and often he can be found on +/- 18.120 and 14.180 MHz. QSL via VK4KMT (Mark Tell, 3 Whelk Close, Trinity Beach, QLD 4879, Australia).
- W - The North Fulton Amateur Radio League will operate as K4T from the Tybee Island Lighthouse during National Lighthouse Weekend on 4-5 August. Announced frequencies are 28.270, 21.360, 14.260, 7.270 and 3.970 MHz. QSL via K4PCF.
- XX9 - Gary, W5FI will be operating from Macau between 5 and 8 or 9 August, depending on when transportation has to depart back to Hong Kong. He plans to be active on 10-80 metres, WARC bands included, CW, RTTY (14083 kHz), SSB and PSK-31 (14070 kHz) with 100 watts to a vertical and dipoles. [TNX W5FI]
- ZK1\_sc - Mark, KM6HB reports he will be able to use an amplifier during his forthcoming trip to the South Cooks [415DXN 527]. Look for him to operate as ZK1AHB on 40-6 metres all modes from Rarotonga (OC-013, 7-8 and 13-17 August), Mangaia (OC-159, 9-11 August) and Aitutaki (OC-083, 11-16 August). QSL via KM6HB either direct or through the bureau.

ISLAND TOUR ---> Uwe, DJ9HX reports he plans to operate as follows:  
02-07 August as K2HX/KP4 from Puerto Rico (NA-099)  
08-11 August as K2HX/4 from the Florida Keys (NA-062)  
13-23 August as C6/??? (license to be issued upon arrival) from NA-001 and possibly NA-113 as well.

QSL via DJ9HX preferably through the DARC bureau (requests for bureau cards are welcome at uwe.jaeger@fh-heilbronn.de)  
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PSK-31 enthusiasts are invited to participate in the new 425DXN Survey: what software do you normally use for your activity? Please visit <http://www.425dxn.org/survpsk> and cast your vote.

INDIA ---> Jose Jacob, VU2JOS reports that Indian amateurs have been granted permission to use the following frequencies until 31 January 2002: 10100-10150 kHz, 3790-3800 kHz, 50350 and 50550 kHz.

PACKETCLUSTER ---> Rod Elliott, VE3IRF has collected the DX spots from the OH2AQ Web Cluster since January 1997. The collection (from January 1997 up to July 2001) is available at <http://www.425dxn.org/dxspots/>, as well the software (DXINFO v 1.7) which will enable you to handle the files (instructions at the URL above). For further information, please e-mail Maurizio Bertolino, I1-21171 (i121171@425dxn.org).

QSL 9G5MD ---> Please note that the QSL manager for 9G5MD is Derek, F5VCR (direct or bureau). Cards should be sent to Ken, G3OCA only for 9G5MD operating from Abowkwa Island (AF-084) in April 2000.

QSL HK3JJH/HKOM ---> Carl, N4AA reports he ran out of cards and had to order another printing. He expects these in a few weeks. Carl will be serving as QSL manager for any contacts with Pedro, for past and future operations, but please note that currently he has only the logs for Pedro's operations from Malpelo in 1998, 1999 and 2001, as well as the IOTA operation from Isla La Palma (SA-017) in early April 2001. So please be patient and wait for Pedro to send his past logs to Carl. [TNX N4AA]

QSL NA-148 ---> Bureau cards for WF1N's and W1DIG's recent operation from Thatcher Island (NA-148, ARLH USA-105, USI MA-001S) can be requested via e-mail from Tony, WF1N (megahertz260@mindspring.com) and Lou, W1DIG (megawatt@snet.net). [TNX WF1N]

QSL SV1BRL ---> Kiki, SV1BRL (who participated in the IOTA Contest as SV1BRL/8 from EU-052) reports she welcomes bureau cards, but they should be routed through the REF Bureau - DPT 33 (do not send your cards to the Greek bureau).

QSL VIA AC7DX ---> Ron reports that after sorting everything out and being promised the logs by Gabby, he will again be QSL manager for XE2Z, XE2GV, 6D0Z and 6D8Z.

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GACW: Raul, LU6EF reports the new web site for the Grupo Argentino de CW is at <http://www.geocities.com/gacwar>  
ILLW: The International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend will take place on 18-19 August. A full list of participating stations, including callsigns, QTH and QSL routes, can be found at <http://www.vk2ce.com/ILLW/2001.htm>  
LOGS: Logs for TI2/DJ4VW (13-26 March 2001) are now available at [http://www.qsl.net/va3rj/search\\_ti2-dj4vw.html](http://www.qsl.net/va3rj/search_ti2-dj4vw.html) [TNX VA3RJ]  
VQ9IO: The web site for the Amateur Wireless Club on Diego Garcia Island is at <http://www.qsl.net/vq9io/> [TNX The Daily DX]

QSLs received direct: 3B9FR, 3C1AG, 3D2CI, 3G0Y, 3V8BB, 3V8DJ (AF-083), 3V8SZ, 3W2LC, 3W7CW, 4H2B (OC-093), 4I1P (OC-126, OC-244), 4S7NE, 5A1A, 5C8M, 5H3RK, 5R8FL (AF-013), 5R8GT/P (AF-090), 5U2K, 5U5A, 5V7VJ, 6W1HM, 7Q7KZ, 7X4AN, 7Z1AC, 8S5T (EU-177), 9G5VJ, 9H1PF, 9M0M, 9M6A, 9M6CT, 9M6OO, 9V1RH, A22DX, A35NB, A35YL (OC-049 & OC-169), A35ZG (OC-049 & OC-169), A41KJ, A71MA, AA1IZ (NA-148), AC4G/KH9, AH2R, BA4DW/2 (AS-158), BQ9P, K3TEJ/C6A (NA-080), CE4U, CE8EIO, CN8WW, CQ3E (AF-047), CU3EJ, CY0TP, CY9CWI (NA-094), D68C, DU1KGJ/P (OC-091), DU1KT, E4/JM1LJS, EA9/DJ7ZG, EA9/DL7AFS, EM1HO, EY8MM, EZ21A, FJ5DX, FK8HC, FO/DL1AWI, FO/DL5XU, FO0POM, FO0WEG, FP/W8MV, FP5BZ, FR/F6KDF/T, FS5/W3HNC, FY5FY, GW8K, H40RW, HC8N, HI9/DJ7ZG, HK3JJH/HK0M, HP3XBH, HV0A, HZ1MD, J3/W5PF, J5X, JD1BCK, JD1BFA, JT1CO, JT1Y, JY5NJ, K5K, KH0/JE1RRK, KH0/JK1FNN, KH8/N5OLS, N4MO/TI7, OH0EA, OX/OZ7YY, PI4MRC, PJ4G, PJ7/W3HNC, PJ7UQ, PY1NEW/2 (SA-028), PY1NEZ/2 (SA-024), PY1NEZ/2 (SA-028), PY1NEZ/PP1 (SA-067), RU0BB, S07BT, S79YT, SU/WA0VOM, SV0LR, SV5/DL3DRN, T32RD, T5X, TI1C, TI4CF, TM0AR, TO5T, TO9T, TX8DX, TZ6JA, TZ6TO, UA0FBS (AS-018), UP4L, US0HZ, V31JU, V31VZ, V85RH, V8IAN, VE7DP/DU1 (OC-091), VK6LC, VK8NGE (OC-141), VK9CXF, VK9CXJ, VK9CXW, VK9KXP, VK9ML, VK9XY, VP2MHX, VP2MKW, VP5/AI5P, VP6DB, VP8BO, VP8SDX, VP9BO, W4D (NA-213), WZ3AR/4, XE1KK, XF1/F6BUM (NA-045), XW2A, YB0A, YB1KOR, YC9MKF (OC-148), YJ0AYL (OC-035), YJ0AZG (OC-035), Z22JE, Z30M, ZB2/DJ7ZG, ZB2/DL7AFS, ZC4BS, ZD7K, ZD7VJ, ZD8K, ZF2AH, ZK1BJA, ZX5T/1 (SA-029).

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>>> 425DXN MINIPOLL <<<

How and how much are you prepared to contribute to an operation from a most wanted Entity? Go to <http://www.425dxn.org> and take part in the minipoll!

- 8R - Look for Esmond, 8R1AK to be active during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend from Georgetown Lighthouse in Guyana (to be assigned GUY-001). QSL via CBA. [TNX VA3RJ]
- 9A - 9A5V, 9A3VM and 9A5KV plan to operate from Ruda Island (EU-016, IOCA CI-208) on 12 August starting around 7 UTC on 40 metres and on 20 metres after 8 UTC. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9A - Look for Frano (9A5V/p), Matko (9A3VM/p), Fredi (9A5KV/p) and Zoran (9A4NC/p) to operate from Grebeni Island (EU-016, IOCA CI-173, WLH-0483) on 18 August and from Daksa Island (EU-016, IOCA CI-165, WLH-0111) on the 19th. [TNX 9A6AA]
- A5 - Robert, S53R reports he will be going back to Pakistan on 16 August and after a few days he will move to Bhutan, where he plans to be active (mostly on CW) in his free time as either A52RK or A52KR. This should happen just after 20 August for about 7 days, when he will return to AP. QSL via S53R.
- BY - The 10-13 August BI4F DXpedition to Furong Island (AS-???) [425DXN 535] has been postponed until early September. The exact date will be announced later. [TNX BA1DU]
- BY - Terry, BD7NQ and other operators from the Chinese province of Guangdong will operate as BI7D from Do-Ao Island (NO-REF, claimed for AS-131) between 7 UTC on 17 August and 2 UTC on the 19th. They will operate (CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, Satellite) on 80m-70cm with three HF stations and one VHF/UHF station. QSL via BD7NI (P.O.Box 306, Guangzhou, 510030, China). [TNX BD7NQ]
- C6 - Al, K3TKJ plans to operate (requested call C6TKJ) from Andros Island (NA-001), Bahamas between 13 August and 27 September. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C9 - Reinhard, DL6DQW (C91RF) will be active (SSB and CW) from Quirimba Island (AF-061), Mozambique on 19-23 September. QSL via home call (Reinhard Fendler, Waldteichstrasse 34, 01468 Boxdorf, Germany). [TNX DE0MST]
- DL - Ali, DF2BC reports he will be QRV on 136,5 kHz CW during the Lighthouse Weekend. He will start on 17 August through the 19th, mainly between his early morning hours and noon. Listenings reports and comments on this LF activity are welcome at [df2bc@darco-i06.de](mailto:df2bc@darco-i06.de)
- EI - A group of operators from the Wicklow Wireless Society will activate the Lighthouse at the Old Head of Kinsale (IRE-055) during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. QSL via EI9HQ.

- [TNX EI9HQ]
- EO - The Crimea Contest Club will have a Special Event Station with the call EO10J to celebrate 10 years of independence. QSL via KG6AR either direct or through the bureau. [TNX KG6AR]
  - F - Francis, F6HKS and Jean-Claude, F6HDH will participate in the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend (18-19 August) from the lighthouse (WLH 0271, ARLHS FRA-007) on Cordouan Island (EU-159, DIFM AT-032). They will be active as homecall/p on 20-40 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home calls. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
  - GM - Look for GM0HBF, GM0OMC and MM0BGQ to be active (on 80, 40 and 20 metres SSB) from Trodday Island (EU-008) on 13-14 August. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - HS - RAST HQ station HS0AC will activated on all bands by Champ, E21EIC during the WAE DX Contest (CW). Look for him on 3524-3526 kHz between 19.30 and 23.30 UTC. QSL via G3NOM (Ray Gerrard, P.O. Box 1300, Nana, Bangkok 10112, Thailand). [TNX E21EIC]
  - I - Simon, IZ7ATN and Silvestro, IK7BRX will operate from the islands of La Chianca (not IOTA, IIA FG-011) and Sant'Eufemia (not IOTA, IIA FG-012) on 12 August. [TNX IZ7ATN]
  - I - Giuseppe/IK8WCQ reports he will be joining Antonio/IK8SUT and Maurizio/IK8YTN on Ustica Island (EU-051, IIA PA-001) from 8 to 15 September [425DXN 535]. They will be signing IE9/homecall on HF and 6 metres.
  - JA - Look for JR8KJR/8 to be active from Teuri Island (AS-147) on 14-18 August. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
  - KH3 - Dan, KH6UW will lead a group of four operators including Mike/AL7KC, Bob/W7TSQ and Tom/K7ZZ to Johnston Atoll (OC-023) on 11-18 September. The group will be using K3J on 10-160 metres, WARC bands included, SSB and CW. Two and possibly three stations will be used and European contacts will be emphasized when band openings permit. QSL via AH6HN. [TNX KH6UW and K7ZZ]
  - KL - Bruce, KD6WW confirms his activity from the Shumagin Islands (NA-087) [425DXN 517]. Look for him to operate as KL6/KD6WW from Popof Island on 18-20 August. QSL to KD6WW either direct or through the bureau (bureau card requests welcome at kd6ww@inreach.com).

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- LU - Look for L80AA/D to be active (SSB and CW on HF and VHF) from Martin Garcia Lighthouse (ARG-045) on Martin Garcia Island (SA-055) on 11-12 August. QSL via LU4AA. [TNX LU4BR]
- LZ - Look for Boyan (LZ1BJ/1), Simon (LZ/IZ7ATN), Alessio (LZ/IZ0CKJ), Paolo (LZ/IW0FT) and Diego (LZ/IW0FTB) to operate (on 6-80 metres SSB and CW, WARC bands included) from Sveta Anastasya Island (EU-181) on 15-16 August. QSL via IZ0CKJ (SSB) and LZ1BJ (CW). [TNX IZ7ATN]
- ON - ON4ADN, ON4CJK, ON5FP, ON6HH, ON1DPX and others will operate as OS4LHN from the Nieuwpoort Lighthouse during the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend (18-19 August). QSL via ON4ADN. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- OZ - Look for Kurt/ON4CJV, Eddy/ON4AFU, Steven/ON4CLC and Yves/ON1DHJ to be active (on all HF bands, plus 6 metres, CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as OZ/OROMO from Romo Island (EU-125) on 11-18 August. QSL via ON4AFU (bureau) or direct to ON4AFU (P.O. Box 41, 9400 Ninove, Belgium). [TNX VA3RJ]
- OZ - Knud, OZ2ZB reports he will operate from the following islands

(NJ-xxx is the reference number for the Danish Islands Award) between 13 and 24 August:

NJ-010	Fruens Holm	EU-171
NJ-011	Troldholme	EU-171
NJ-012	Kyo Holm/Var Holm	not IOTA
NJ-013	Klosterholm	not IOTA
NJ-014	Ronholm	
NJ-015	Tagholme	
NJ-016	Hornsgard Holm	not IOTA
NJ-017	Borreholm	

Knud also plans to be active from a couple of lighthouses (namely Loegstor FF, DEN-079 and Loegstoer BF, DEN-080) on 18-19 August.

- PY - ZX3B is a special call sign which will be aired on all HF bands SSB and CW by amateur radio operators in the Brazilian Army (PY3YY, PY3KK, PY3FOX, PY3KN, PY3BM, PY3CTA and PY3DX) between 9 August and 9 September to celebrate the anniversary of the Brazilian independence. For further information please visit <http://www.qsl.net/zx3b> [TNX PY3DX]
- SM - Look for SK0QO to be active from Soderarm Lighthouse (LH 0175 for the WLH Award) between 18 and 20 August. QSL via SK0QO. [TNX VA3RJ]
- SV - Akis/SV7CLI, Vagelis/SV7AIF and Sakis/SV7AMJ will participate in the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend from Alexandroupolis Lighthouse (GRE-005). They will be signing SY7LH on all bands SSB. QSL via SV7CLI (Akis Kaltsaras, I. Kaviri 93, 68100 Alexandroupolis, Greece). [TNX SV7CLI]
- SV - Look for Simon (SV8/IZ7ATN), Alessio (SV8/IZ0CKJ), Massimo (SV8/IZ0EGB), Paolo (SV8/IW0FT) and Diego (SV8/IW0FTB) to operate from Samos Island (EU-049) on 25-26 August. QSLs via IZ0CKJ. [TNX IZ7ATN]
- T30 - Eric Griffin, N1JSY will be spending some 18 months with the Peace Corps on Butaritari Island (OC-017), Western Kiribati starting the third week in August. He will be active as T30ES a few hours a day, due to either his work on the island and his limited power resources (solar panels and a car battery). Eric will be using two G5RV antennas, positioned separately, on 10-80 metres, with a maximum of 100 watts. The Candlewood Amateur Radio Association (CARA) provides amateur radio support for this operation, in the form of equipment, net control assistance (in the beginning, as Eric is new to HF and DXing) and QSL management. QSL via W1QI (C.A.R.A., P.O. Box 3441, Danbury, CT 06813, USA). Updates will be posted on <http://people.mags.net/boem/kiribatil.htm> [TNX KZ1Z]
- TA - Look for Simon (TA0/IZ7ATN), Alessio (TA0/IZ0CKJ), Massimo (TA0/IZ0EGB), Paolo (TA0/IW0FT) and Diego (TA0/IW0FTB) to operate from the islands of Bogsak (AS-123), Uc (AS-115) and Sedir (AS-098) between 18 and 24 August. They plan to operate on 80-6 metres (WARC bands included) SSB. QSLs via IZ0CKJ. [TNX IZ7ATN]
- TK - Paul, F2YT will operate from Corsica (EU-014) and the Sanguinaire Islands (EU-104) between 18 August and 2 September. He expects to use the special call TK8T on 20 and 40 metres SSB and CW. QSL via F2YT either direct or through the REF bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- UA - Alan, UA9ZZ reports he will operate (on 10, 15, 17 and 20 metres CW and SSB) as UA9ZZ/p from a 8200 ft high peak in the Altai Nountains (87.28E-49.15N) between 10 and 17 August. QSL direct only to UA9ZZ.
- UA - Lex/RU0LM, Oleg/RW0LL and Mike/UA0MF will be active as UE0LLH from the lighthouse (LH-1309) on Skryplyov Island (AS-066) starting on 17 August for three days. QSL direct to UA0MF (Mike Filippov, P.O. Box 20, Vladivostok, 690021, Russia). [TNX UA0MF]
- V6 - Hide, JM1LJS reports he will be active as V63LJ from Yap (OC-012), Micronesia on 9-15 August. He will operate on HF (30, 17 and 12 metres only), 6 and 2 metres. He might also operate as KH2VL from Guam (OC-026) on 15-16 August. QSL V63LJ via JH8DEH, QSL KH2VL via JM1LJS.
- VE - Thomas, DH8IAT will be active from Cape Breton Island (NA-010) on

18-24 August, from Long Island (NA-127) on 25-30 August and from Tancook Island (NA-081) on 5-7 September. QSL via DH8IAT. [TNX The Daily DX]

- VK - Trevor, VK7TS will be operating (on 10, 15 and 20 metres) as VK7TS/4 from Fitzroy Island (OC-172) on 22-24 August and from Magnetic Island (OC-171) on 3-7 September. QSL via VK7TS either direct (Trevor Spargo, 1 Roebourne Rd, Otago, Tasmania, Australia 7017) or through the bureau. [TNX VK7TS]
- W - The Western New York DX Association will once again be active from the Buffalo, New York harbor Lighthouse during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. Look for K2L to be aired on 80-10 metres CW and SSB with two stations. QSL direct via WB2YQH, Bob Nadolny, P.O. Box 73, Spring Brook, NY 14140, USA). [TNX WB2YQH]

ILLW ---> The International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend will take place on 18-19 August. A full list of participating stations, including callsigns, QTH and QSL routes, can be found at <http://www.vk2ce.com/ILLW/2001.htm>  
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CANADIAN PREFIXES ---> The following special prefixes are being used by Canadian amateurs until 15 August to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Olympic Games held in Montreal back in 1976: "XM" for VE callsigns, "XL" for VAs, "XN" for VOs, "XO" for VYs.

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Erwann, F6JJX often receives QSL requests for Z22JE, but he is not and has never been his QSL manager.

QSL EU-185 ---> Leonid, UA6CW reports that cards for all of the contacts with UE6AAD (September 2001) not confirmed direct were sent to the bureau in early May. Bureau cards for the recent RI6AAA operation will be sent automatically in January or February 2001. The address for those who need a direct card is Leonid S. Kashigin, P.O. Box 1, Krasnodar, 350000 Russia.

QSL 6D2X ---> Ken, K5TSQ used to be the QSL manager for 6D2X before the call was reissued. The new QSL manager is Ron, AC7DX who, with Ken's agreement and in order to avoid any confusion, will be able to confirm all of the past and future QSOs with 6D2X (and with XE2XA and XE0DX as well).

QSL 9A9R/P ---> Cards for contacts made with 9A9R/p operating from Krk Island (EU-136) during the IOTA Contest 2001 should be sent to DJ2MX. There is no need to resubmit direct cards already sent to Vlatko, 9A9R. [TNX 9A9R]

QSL F/IK1TTD ---> Cards for Gianpi's recent activity from Ile du Levant (EU-070, DIFM ME-12) should be sent direct to IK1TTD (Gianpi, P.O. Box 32, 18011 Arma di Taggia - IM, Italy). Logs are available at <http://www.qsl.net/ik1tttd> [TNX IK1TTD]

QSL TI9CF ---> Anyone needing a QSL from TI9CF (Cocos Island) for the 1994 and 1997 activities can send the request to Joe, W3HMK. [TNX W3HMK]

QSL VIA DL6UAA ---> The DX News Letter reports that Mart, DL6UAA will close his logs for OH0/DL6UAA, 3B8/DL6UAA and S79UAA on 31 December 2001.

QSL VIA S53R ---> Robert reports that all direct requests for his operations

as AP2ARS, EY8/S53R (February/March 2000) and UK8AXA (March 2000) have been answered.

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ARLHS: The web site for the Amateur Radio Lighthouse Society is at <http://arlhs.com>  
JW0PK: The JW0PK (EU-063) story is now available at <http://dx.to> (go to DXpeditions, Prins Karls Forland). [TNX PA5NT]  
LOGS: Pictures and soon logs as well from the recent IOTA Contest operation from Isola Grande (EU-091) are available at <http://www.iz7auh.com> [TNX IZ7AUH]  
LOGS: Dave, VA3RJ reports that on-line logs for CF3RJ, VA3RJ, VE3JDR, VX3RJ, XL3RJ, and XM3JDR are now available at <http://www.qsl.net/va3rj/search.html>. There is also an e-mail bureau QSL request link on the same page, for those who wish one of his cards via the bureau.

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3A/IZ1DSH	IZ1DSH	HS0ZCW	K4VUD	RS90	UA9OBA
3V8MED	DL1BDF	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	RU1OG/A	RZ1OA
3W2B	XW2A	ID9/IK8PGM	IK8PGM	RZ0ZWA	RA0ZD
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	ID9/IT9SSI	IZ8CCW	RZ1OA/A	RZ1OA
3W2PS	HL4CYZ	IM0R	IS0AGY	S21YT	JA7KXD
4U1ET	4W6MM	IT9JOF/IH9	IT9JOF	SJ9WL	SM5DJZ
4U1WB	KK4HD	J3/PA0ZH	PA5ET	SK6M	SM6DYK
5N3NDP/6	IK5JAN	J3/PA3EWP	PA5ET	SM5/G0GRC	G0RCI
5X1GS	WB2YQH	J3/PA5ET	PA5ET	SV9/G4DHF	G4DHF
6D0Z	AC7DX	J3/PA7FM	PA5ET	T7/IW3RUA/P	IW3RUA
6D2X	AC7DX	J38PA	PA5ET	TA0/LZ1NK	LZ1NK
6D8Z	AC7DX	J43J	DJ5JH	TE8AT	TI3MCY
6G0V	AC7DX	J88DR	G3TBK	TM1BFA	F6KFO
8S7A	W3HMK	JW6RHA	LA6RHA	TU5GD	N5FTR
9A/ON4CJK/P	ON4ADN	JW6RHA	LA6RHA	UA1OLM/A	RZ1OA
9A/S55A	S55A	JX9ZP	LA9ZP	UA1OMS/1	UA1OMS
9A/S57RW/P	S57RW	K2HX/KP4	DJ9HX	UA1QV/1	UA1QV
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9A10HRM	9A7K	K6KO/HC8	WM6A	UA1TBK/1	UA1TBK
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9A2V/p	9A2V	K9Y	N9BOR	UA9QA	RW9QA
9A5TN/P	OK1TN	KA1I/NH2	JH7BZR	UA9QDK	RW9QA
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9M6TBT	KD3TB	N6HR/VE7	N6HR	UE1SAA/1	UA1RJ
9N7RB	W4FOA	N7YX/VE7	N6HR	UE3DDJ	RZ3DJ
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- 3A - Look for Patrice, 3A/F5RBB to be active (on 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres SSB) from Monaco between 25 August and 3 September. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX F5RBB]
- 3V - Antonio, IK8VRH reports that "for reasons beyond his control" he will not operate from 3V8SQ [425DXN 535], but from 3V8CB at Borg Cedria during his vacations in Tunisia.
- 5R - Phil, G3SWH will be active (CW only on all bands 40 through 10 metres) as 5R8HA from Ile Sainte Marie (AF-090) on 14-20 September. QSL via G3SWH either direct (Phil Whitchurch, 21 Dickensons Grove, Congresbury, Bristol, BS19 5HQ, England) or through the RSGB bureau. [TNX G3SWH]
- 5W - Atsu, JI3WLT/5W1SA will be back to Apia, Samoa Islands (OC-097) starting on 22 August for two years. QSL via JH7OHF. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9A - Borut, S57GM will be active (mainly on 40, 20 and 15 metres CW between 19 and 23 UTC) as 9A/S57GM/p from Losinj Island (EU-136, IOCA CI-058) between 22 August and 1 September. QSL via home call. [TNX S57GM]
- A2 - Harry Edwards, W6DXO reports he will be active as A25/KG6GPA from two safari camps in Botswana from 19 September through the 28th. Very primitive operating conditions mandate QRP operations with battery power and a dipole for 20 metres. He will concentrate on SSB and operate as much as propagation and camp schedules allow. QSL direct only via W6DXO.
- A5 - Tony, IK7WUL (A52UL) plans to operate also on 6 metres when in Bhutan [425DXN 533]. He will be QRV for Europe between 8 and 10 UTC around 50.110 MHz and his grid is NL47. QSL via I7JFQ. [TNX IK1EGC]
- CT3 - A group of operators from A.R.R.M. (Associacao de Radioamadores da Regiao da Madeira) plans to operate as CT9F from Ilheu das Cenouras (AF-014, DIP MA-009), Iheu de Fora (AF-014, DIP MA-011) and Ilheu da Fonte da Areia (AF-014, DIP MA-013) during the forthcoming weekends. QSL via the CT3 bureau or direct to A.R.R.M., P.O. Box 4694, 9001 Funchal, Portugal. [TNX CT3BD]
- DL - Katrin (DL1AXL), Dominik (DL5EBE), Frank (DL7UFP), Torsten (DL7UTM), Fritz (DL7VRO) and Gerda (DL7VYL) will be active as DA0BHV on 17-19 August for the International Lighthouse & Lighthship Weekend. The will operate from the old lightship "Elbe 3" (DA0BHV/LS) and from the "Bremerhaven Upper Light" (DA0BHV/LGT). QSL via DL5EBE. [TNX DL5EBE]
- E4 - Local conditions permitting, Gunter (DH2GZ/4Z8GZ) plans to active (on 10-20 metres SSB) as E4/OE1GZA from Ram Allah, Palestine on 24 August. QSL to Gunter Zwickl, C/O SICT, P.O. Box 1133, Ram Allah, Palestine. [TNX The Daily DX]
- EA6 - Christian, DL6KAC will be active (on 40-10 metres, possibly 80

metres as well, mainly SSB) from Mallorca (EU-004, DIE E-021) on 5-27 September. QSL via home call either direct or through the DARC bureau. [TNX DL6KAC]

- EA8 - The Gran Canaria DX Group will participate in the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend as ED8MCC from the Maspalomas Lighthouse (FEA D-2814). QSL via EA8AKN or through the bureau. [TNX EA8AKN]
- EO - The following special event stations will be active on 20-28 August to celebrate the 10th anniversary of independence for Ukraine: E010J (QSL via KG6AR), E010G (QSL via UR7GG: Victor Tkachenko, P.O. Box 73, Kherson, 73000 Ukraine), E010M (QSL via UX7MA: P.O. Box 22, Stakhanov, 94000, Ukraine), E010V (QSL via UR7VA: P.O. Box 23, Kirovograd-9, 25009, Ukraine). [TNX KG6AR, UR7GG, UX2VZ, UX7MA]
- ER - Special event station ER10MD will be active on 25-31 August to celebrate the 10th anniversary of independence for Moldova. QSL via ER1BF. For additional information please visit <http://www.arm.moldtelecom.md/index.htm> [TNX ER1BF]
- F - Patrice, F5RBB reports he will operate from a few DIFM islands on 23 and 24 August.
- F - Jean-Yves/F5LHW, Pascal/F5RZJ, Herve/F8BFB and Eric/F0DI will be active (on 80-10 metres SSB and CW, plus 6m, 2m, 70cm and ATV 438.5 MHz) from the Chausey Islands (EU-039) on 10-14 September. [TNX F5NZO]

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- FR/T - Jack, FR5ZU will be back to Tromelin Island (AF-031) from 6 September until 5 October and plans to be active on all bands SSB with 100 watts and a vertical. QSL direct or via his current QSL manager, JA8FCG. [TNX The Daily DX]
- GW - Members of the Barry Amateur Radio Society will be operating (on all bands CW, SSB, PSK31, RTTY and SSTV) as GB5FI from Flatholm Island (EU-124) on 24-29 August. QSL via GW0ANA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- H40 - Roberto, EA4DX is currently active as H44RD from Honiara (OC-047), Solomon Islands. He will be moving to Lata (OC-100), Temotu Province on 19 August and remain there for one week. QSL direct only via EA4DX (Roberto Diaz, Doce de Octubre 4, 28009 Madrid, Spain). [TNX H44RD]
- HS - Look for RAST HS station HS0AC to participate in the SEANET Contest (see "Good To Know" below) on all bands SSB and CW. Activity on 80 metres (3524 kHz) and 160 metres (1834 kHz) will be around 19.30-22.30 UTC. QSL via HS0/G3NOM (Ray Gerrard, P.O. Box 1300, Nana Post Office, Bangkok 10112, Thailand). [TNX E21EIC]
- I - Look for IK7JWX/P to operate from Santa Maria di Leuca Lighthouse (ITA-039, WAIL PU-004) on 18-19 August. [TNX IK7JWX]
- I - Look for IV3KTY and IV3NCC to be active from Orbi (EU-130, IIA GO-007) or San Pietro d'Orio (EU-130, IIA GO-009) or Banco d'Orio (EU-130, IIA GO-030) during the weekend. [TNX IV3KTY]
- I - Special event station IO6ARI will be activated by ARI Senigallia on 10-80 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 on 5-15 September. [TNX IK6ZDE]
- I - Special event station I150B (India One Fifty Bravo) will be activated on 15-16 September to celebrate the 50th anniversary of ARI Biella. [TNX I1TBE]
- JA - Look for JH6RTO/2 to be active from Hatsushima (AS-117) on 24-27 August. QSL via home call. [TNX JH6RTO]
- JA - Look for JA6VZB/6 to be active from the Danjo Islands (AS-056)

between 25 August and 15 September. He will be cruising in that area and will operate one night per each landing. QSL via home call. [TNX JH6RTO]

- OA - After being granted permission by the Peruvian Navy, the IOTA operation from San Lorenzo Island (SA-052) [425DXN 530] has been rescheduled to take place on 14-16 September. Activity is planned on 10-80 metres SSB and CW, with some RTTY and PSK31 on 15 and 20 metres. The team has applied for the special call 4T0I. QSL via OA4DJW. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.qsl.net/4t0i> [TNX OA4AHW]
- OH - Five operators from the Finnish Air Force Radio Club OI6AY will activate (on 80, 20, 15, 10 and 6 metres mainly CW and SSB) Russaroe Island (EU-097, KO19ls) and the local lighthouse (FIN-050) on 18-19 August. QSL via the OH bureau. The web page for OI6AY is at <http://kotisivu.mtv3.fi/oma/oi6ay/> [TNX OH2BF and Islands On The Web]
- OX - Special call XP1AB was used for the last time in the Sixties and will be aired again during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (27-28 October) from Sondrestrom, Greenland. QSL direct only via OZ1ACB. Further information on the operation is at <http://www.qsl.net/xplab> [TNX OZ1JSH]
- SV - Look for IZ7ATN, IZ0CKJ, IZ0EGB, IW0FT and IW0FTB to operate from Samos Island (EU-049) on 24 August. QSLs via IZ0CKJ. [TNX IZ7ATN]
- TA - Simon, IZ7ATN gives the dates for the forthcoming IOTA operations from Turkey [425DXN 536]:  
Bogsak Island AS-123 18-20 August  
Uc Island AS-115 21 August  
Sedir Island AS-098 22 August  
The operators will be Alessio/IZ0CKJ, Massimo/IZ0EGB, Paolo/IW0FT, Diego/IW0FTB and Simon/IZ7ATN himself and they will be signing TA0/homecall. Special attention will be paid to North American island chasers. QSLs for all via IZ0CKJ (Alessio Roma, Via Sterparo 43, 03023 Ceccano - FR, Italy).
- T2 - Hiro, JA0SC will be active (SSTV on 21343 or 28685 kHz and RTTY on 21080 or 28080 kHz) as T22SC from Funafuti, Tuvalu (OC-015) on 22-29 August. QSL via JA0SC either direct (Hirotada Yoshiike, 722-1 Shiba, Matsushiro-cyo, Nagano-city, 381-1214 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- UA - Dennis, RZ1AK/p and Vlad, UA1CIO/p will be active from Shepelevsky Lighthouse (ERU 007) on 18-19 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX RZ1AK]
- UK - Special event station UM9AA will active on all bands between 27 August and 5 September to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the independence for Uzbekistan. QSL via UK9AA (P.O. Box 58, Tashkent 700000, Uzbekistan).
- V6 - Look for Katsu/JH8BKL (V63KA), Michiko/JF8IYR (V63MC) and Susumu/JH8MYB (V63YB) to be active (on 80-6 metres SSB, CW and FM on 10 metres) from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia between 31 August and 6 September. QSL V63KA and V63MC via JH8BKL (Katsuhide Kawase, 284-30 Kawaguchikisen, Teshio, 098-3312 Japan). QSL V63YB via JH8MYB (Susumu Harada, 3-8 Taga, Mikasa, 068-2152 Japan). [TNX JA1ELY]
- V7 - The OPDX Bulletin reports that "very soon" Jeff, KA1GJ will be active as V73GJ from the Marshall Islands during his three-year assignment on Kwajalein (OC-028). QSL direct to P.O. Box 1050, APO AP 96555, USA.
- V8 - Jani, YB0US will be operating as V8AAP from Brunei on 17-20 August, SEANET Contest included. QSL via N200. [TNX N200]
- VK - Paul/VK3DK, Tex/VK1TX, Keith/VK3FT, Gwen/VK3DYL and Randel/VK3RM will operate (on 10 through 80 metres SSB), mainly as VK3DK/p, from Gabo Island (OC-196) on 26-30 September. They will also activate the lighthouse on the island (ARLHS AUS-078). QSL VK3DK/p via VK3DYL (bureau) or direct to P.O. Box 1068, Croydon, 3136, Victoria, Australia. The web page for the operation is at

<http://vk2ce.com/vk3dk> [TNX VK2CE]

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- VP8 - Mike, GM0HCQ, who operated as VP8SGK from South Georgia (AN-007) in late March-early April, will be going back to the South Atlantic later this year. His itinerary will include South Georgia again and Signy Island in the South Orkneys (AN-008) and operations are expected as follows:
- |                 |                           |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| 17-22 Nov       | 2001 VP8SIG (So. Orkneys) |
| 24-30 Nov       | 2001 VP8SGK (So. Georgia) |
| 05-08 Jan       | 2002 VP8SIG (So. Orkneys) |
| 10-11 Jan       | 2002 VP8SGK (So. Georgia) |
| 28-30 Jan       | 2002 VP8SIG (So. Orkneys) |
| 27 Feb - 02 Mar | 2002 VP8SIG (So. Orkneys) |
| 04-06 Mar       | 2002 VP8SGK (So. Georgia) |
- Updates will be posted on <http://www.qsl.net/gm0hcq> [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - The Magnolia DX Association will be active as W5B from the Biloxi Lighthouse during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. QSL via W5OXA. For further details please visit <http://www.mdxa.org> [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Operators from the Englewood Amateur Radio Society will be active as K8ONV from the Boca Grande lighthouse during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. QSL via E.A.R.S., P.O. Box 572, Englewood, FL 34295-0572, USA. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - The Hiawatha Amateur Radio Association will operate (on all bands SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31) as W8L from the Marquette Harbor Lighthouse/Coast Guard Station on Lake Superior during the International Lighthouse & Lightship Weekend. QSL direct via K8PT (B. Peter Treml, 725 W. Magnetic St., Marquette, Michigan 49855-2730, USA). [TNX K8PT]
- W - Skip Maze (N1IBM), Bob Schenck (N200) and Beth Schenck (KF2BQ) will operate (on +/- 7165, 14265, 21265 kHz SSB and 7030, 14030, 21030 kHz CW) as N1IBM/p from Sheffield Island (NA-136, USI CT-008S, ARLHS USA-753) on 25-26 August from 15 to 21 UTC each day (later if able). QSL via N1IBM either direct (Skip Maze, 847 Dolan Street, Lanoka Harbor, NJ 08734, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX N200]
- XE - Michael, DL1YMK has got the license to operate from Magdalena Island (NA-078). Look for XF1/DL1YMK to be active (on 10-80 metres, WARC bands included, mainly SSB) from this most wanted IOTA group on 7-13 October. QSL via home call. [TNX DL1YMK]
- ZK1\_sc - Gunter, DL2AWG will be active as ZK1AWG from Raratonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands on 21-29 August. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZS - ZS1DUP, ZS1UOK, ZS1HZ and ZR1DDK will participate in the International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend as ZS1ESC from Robben Island (AF-064). Look for them on 14185-14190, 21200-21250 and 28450-28500 kHz. [TNX The Daily DX]

ILLW ---> The International Lighthouse/Lightship Weekend will take place on 18-19 August. A full list of participating stations, including callsigns, QTH and QSL routes, can be found at <http://www.vk2ce.com/ILLW/2001.htm>

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AS-131 ---> It has been confirmed that Dong-Ao Island, which is currently being activated by the BI7D team until 19 August [425DXN 536], does qualify for AS-131. QSL via QSL via BD7NI (P.O.Box 306, Guangzhou, 510030, China).

D68C TROPHIES: A complete listing of the winners of the Nevada Comoros Trophies [425DXN 506] and the other stations participating in the event (254 amateurs either as individuals or as club members) can be found at the D68C website (<http://www.dxbands.com/comoros>) The maximum achievable score was in fact 26 band-slots (CW 10, SSB 9, PSK 3, RTTY 3, FM 1). [TNX G3XTT]

NEW CONTEST ---> The Grupo Argentino de CW organizes the first edition of the GACW CW DX Contest, which will take place on 20-21 April 2002 to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Group. Rules are available at <http://www.geocities.com/gacwar> [TNX LU6EF]

QSL 5A24PA ---> Alex, PA1AW reports that all of the direct QSL cards were mailed on 13 August. The 5A24PA logs are available at <http://www.qsl.net/palaw> (QSL section).

QSL 5B4AGX ---> Mike, 5B4AGX reports that his old UK address for G4PFF is no longer valid, and cards for 5B4AGX should no longer be sent via G4PFF. Cards should be sent either to the 5B4 bureau or direct to 5B4AGX (Mike Potter, Kamares Club Plot 466 (Box 171), C/O Vesta Holidays Ltd, P.O. Box 60195, Paphos 8128, Cyprus). [TNX G3PMR]

QSL CE9/R1ANF ---> Dominik, DL5EBE reports that the CE9/R1ANF cards for last year's operation from Ripamonti Base (2000) will be printed after Oleg's (UA1PBA) next visit to Bellingshausen Base. He will go there again in November for the 2001/02 wintering season. The QSL manager is RK1PWA.

QSL D68C ---> Phil, G3SWH reports that the D68C cards "are being processed in the order in which they are received. Direct requests are being dealt with first; after that bureau and e-mail requests will be answered. So far I have confirmed 10,000 QSOs. We are making good process but please do remember that the D68C team made 168,000 QSOs with over 45,000 unique calls. Please do not send duplicate requests or e-mail chasers to G3SWH. This just slows down the whole process. You can check if your contacts are in the log by accessing the D68C log server at [www.dxbands.com/comoros](http://www.dxbands.com/comoros)" [TNX G3XTT]  
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QSL EU-185 ---> Cards for Pavel's 26-27 July activity as RA3AUM/6 from Dzendzik Island (EU-185, RR-2404) can be sent to RA3AUM either direct (Pavel Buyko, P.O.Box 90, Moscow, 103062, Russia) or through the bureau. [TNX RA3AUM]

QSL OC-247 ---> Gennaro, I8YRK reports that the QSL cards for YB8HZ/P's mid-June activity are now at the printers thanks to the Diamond DX Club. They are expected to be mailed out during the first half of September.

QSL S21B ---> As of 13 August QSL cards should be sent to John Core, KX7YT rather than the old manager (K4FRU). [TNX KX7YT]

QSL VK0KMT ---> Mark, VK4KMT reports his current address is the following: Mark Tell, 44 Corowa St, Wavell Heights, Queensland, Australia 4012. He will be active from Antarctic Base "Davis" (IOTA AN-016, WABA VK-03) until January 2002, on most weekends between 10 and 30 metres.

QSL VIA DL5EBE ---> Dominik reports he has received the R1AND/A and R1AND handwritten logs and plans to print separate QSLs for the operations from Maitri and Novolazarevskaya bases. Vic, R1AND made some 35,000 QSOs and Dominik will have to enter them all in his PC before being able to start QSLling. Please be patient.

SEANET CONTEST ---> It will take place from 12 UTC on 18 August to 12 UTC on the 19th. This is now a single 24 hour multi-mode contest and rules can be found at <http://www.QSL.net/RAST> or <http://www.qsl.net/seanet2001> [TNX HS0/G3NOM]

TRINDADE ---> The ship arrived to the island on schedule (around 19 UTC on 7 August), but strong winds and heavy rain prevented Ricardo, PY1VOY and Jose, PY1LVF (as well as the military crew) from disembarking. They were able to reach the island around 10 UTC on 8 August and to start operating as soon as possible. The two special calls, PT0T and ZX0Z, were authorized by ANATEL when Ricardo and Jose had already started being active as homecall/PY0T. Operations had to close down five hours before departure. Some 4000 QSOs were made on 40-10 metres (but not on 12 metres, as the antenna tuner did not work on that band) between 14.01 UTC on 8 August and 11.30 UTC on the 10th. QSL cards are expected to be printed by mid-September. QSL via PY1LVF either direct (Jose Luiz Vieira Fernandes, P.O. Box 18009, 20722-970 Rio de Janeiro - RJ, Brazil) or through the PY1 bureau. [TNX PY1LVF]

WRTC2002 ---> The WRTC2002 organization has announced that the two co-chairmen of the judging committee will be Mr. Pekka Lansman (Finland) and Mr. David Sumner (USA). Mr. Lansman is Chairman of the CEPT Project Team that is responsible for preparing European Common Proposals on key agenda items for the 2003 World Radiocommunication Conference. Mr. Sumner is the Chief Executive Officer of the American Radio Relay League and Secretary of the International Amateur Radio Union.

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CONTEST CALENDAR: Mike, VK4DX reports he has redesigned and updated his site at <http://www.vk4dx.net>, which includes an international HF Contest calendar with contest rules.

PSK31 DX NOTES: Dima, UT5RP (ut5rp@radio.tenet.odessa.ua) reports they are available at <http://www.krs.poltava.ua/psk31dx.htm>, <http://www.qsl.net/xelm/ut5rpdx.htm> and <http://radio.cn.ua>. There is also an Ukrainian PSK31 DX Reflector (to subscribe send an e-mail to majordomo@krs.poltava.ua, Subject: (Blank) , Message Body: subscribe psk31).

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QSLs received direct: 3B6RF (AF-001), 3D2CI, 3G0Y, 3R1Z, 3V8BB, 3W2LWS, 4H2B (OC-093), 4I1P (OC-126 and OC-244), 4W6GH, 4W6MM, 5A1A, 5H3RK, 5T5U, 5U3T, 5Z4FM, 6Y5WJ, 8Q7KK, 9E1C, 9M0M, 9M2/JA4DPL, 9Y4/DL2RVS, A35NB, A71MA, AA4XR, AI5P/M (NA-055), AP2JZB, BA1DU, BQ9P, BV7ID, C56/DL7CM, CW6V, D68C, ES1AKM/8, ET3VSC, EZ3A, EZ8CW/3, FH5CB, FK8GJ, FO0BOG, FO0CLA (OC-152), FO0WEG, FP/W8MV, FR/F6KDF/T, FR5FD, FS/W2JJ, FS5/W3HMK, GS3EEO/P (EU-010), HB0/IK2WAN, HK3JJH/HK0, J3/W1MD, J38A, J5X, J73HPL, J79CGA, J79WW, K5K,

N6IC/P (NA-066), P41E, P43E, PJ7B, S21YT, S92TX, SM5/G0GRC (EU-177), T32RD, T5W, T5X, T77C, TA0/IT9YRE/P (AS-159), TX0C, V25WX, V31DI, V31VZ, V73E (OC-087), VK9ML, VK9XY, VP2MHX, VP5GA, VP5L, VP8SDX, VP9/AI5P, VU2ELJ, WF1N (NA-148), XW0X, YB6LYS/P (OC-245), YC6LAY/P (OC-245), YM0KI (AS-159), YN6HM, ZC4BS, ZD8Z, ZK1AND, ZL7IR, ZW5B, ZX0F.

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- 3D2 - Gunter, DL2AWG will be active as 3D2AW from Viti Levu (OC-016), Fiji Islands between 31 August and 8 September. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 3D2\_cr - Hrane, YT1AD will be leading a second DXpedition to Conway Reef (OC-112). The team (YT1AD, YU7AV, YZ7AA, YU1AU, YU1DX, Z32ZM, RZ3AA, K1LZ and possibly YT6A) is expected to arrive to Conway around 18 local time on 1 October and to be active until the local afternoon of the 10th. Two different calls (to be announced when operations start) will be used for CW and SSB & RTTY from two operating sites on all bands 160-10 metres plus 6 metres. QSL for CW QSOs will be YT1AD (Dr. Hrane Milosevic, 36206 Vitanovac, Yugoslavia);  
QSL for SSB and RTTY QSOs via Z32AU (Dragan Kostevski, P.O. Box 35, 6000 Ohrid, Macedonia). The web site for the operation is at <http://www.kragujevac.co.yu/3d2> [TNX YS1RR]
- 4W - Carlos Poinho, CU3FT is a Telecom Technician for the Portuguese Air Force and is currently working for UNTAET in Dili, East Timor. He plans to be as much active as possible with the callsign 4W/CU3FT, with special attention for the WARC bands and 6 metres. Carlos is currently looking for sponsorship for either a 6m beam and QSL cards, which will be handled by CT1EEB (Jose Emanuel Ribeiro de Sa, P.O. Box 79, P-3860 Estarreja, Portugal). [TNX CT1EEB, ct1eeb@mail.telepac.pt].
- 8P - Mario, K2ZD is active (on 40-6 metres with wire antennas and 100 watts) as 8P9JM from Barbados until 9 September. Since this is a business trip he will be QRV in the evenings when time permits. [TNX KF2TI]
- CT - Toze, CT1GFK will be active (on 80, 40, 20 and 15 metres SSB and CW) as CT1GFK/P from Armona Island (not IOTA, AL-004 for the Portuguese Islands Award) between 25 August and 2 September. QSL via home call. [TNX CT1GFK]
- EA8 - Frank, DH5JG reports he will be active (mostly CW on 10-40 metres, with an emphasis on the WARC bands) as EA8/DH5JG from Lanzarote, Canary Islands (AF-004) between 29 August and 10 September. He will participate in the WAE DX Contest (SSB). QSL via home call.
- ET - Silvio, IV3TRK will be active as 9E1S from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia between 25 August and 4 September. Plans are to operate on all bands (also 160 metres with a simple T antenna as there is not enough space for a better one) mainly CW. Skeds for low bands are welcome at [et3vsc@telecom.net.et](mailto:et3vsc@telecom.net.et); QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IV3TAN]
- EX - Special event station EX10A will be active on all bands and modes from 20 August through 10 September to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the independence for Kyrgyzstan. QSL go to the EX

- Bureau at P.O. Box 745, Bishkek 720017, Kyrgyzstan. [TNX EX/K4ANA]
- F - Didier, F6ELE and Bertrand, F6HKA have confirmed their 25-26 August operation from Les Spet Iles (EU-107) [425DXN 533]. Look for them to be active on 40-10 metres SSB and CW. They will try to operate from Bono Island (EU-107, DIFM MA-084) and Plate Island (EU-107, DIFM MA-083) on Sunday. QSL via home calls. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
- FW - Guy, FW5ZL reports he will be active (with 100 watts and a dipole) from Futuna (OC-118) on 6-21 September. QSL via home call (Guy Petit de la Rhodiere, P.O. Box 2, Mata-Utu, 98600 Uvea, France).
- HS - Champ, E21EIC reports the following amateurs from Thailnad have announced their participation in the 1-2 September All Asian DX Contest (SSB): HS1CKC (SOSB 15m HP), HS4BPQ (SOSB 15m LP), HS5AYO (SOSB 20m LP), HS0ZCY (SOSB LP), E20HHK (SOSB LP), E21EIC (SOAB HP).
- I - IK4ALM, IK4RQJ, IK4VET and IK4XCL expect to operate (on 10-40 metres) from Isola Girotto (IIA RO-017, not IOTA) and Isola del Basson (IIA RO-021, not IOTA) from 7.30 UTC through 15 UTC on 26 August. QSL via home calls. [TNX IK4RQJ and IK4VET]
- I - Alfonso, IZ8DDP and Giovanni, IZ8EEI plan to be /p from Santo Janni (EU-144, IIA PZ-001) during or immediately after the weekend. Actual dates will depend on local conditions. [TNX IZ8DDP]
- I - Antonello, IZ7DOO and Giulio, IZ7CII plan to be active from Traversa Island (EU-091, IIA BR-009) on 27 August. [TNX IZ7DOO]
- KH1 - Hrane, YT1AD reports that the US Fish and Wildlife Service has granted a provisional landing permission on KH1 (Baker & Howland) for an amateur radio DXpedition (10 operators) to take place on 2-11 May 2002. If interested in joining the team, please contact Hrane at ytlad@EUnet.yu [TNX YS1RR]
- KH3 - The 11-18 September K3J operation from Johnston Atoll (OC-023) [425DXN 536] will include a station for 6 metres. A web site, which will contain log checking, may be found at <http://www.qsl.net/k3j/> QSL via AH6HN. [TNX K7ZZ]
- S2 - Shin, 7M4PTE is active again as S21YH from Bangladesh until 18 UTC on 21 August. QSL via 7M4PTE (Shin Makoto, 2-3-18, Naritanishi, Sugunami-Ku, Tokyo 166-0016, Japan). [TNX N7DC and VA3RJ]

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- TA - Nando, IT9YRE and possibly Erminio, IZ8AJQ (CW operator) will be active from AS-123 on 16-18 September. [TNX I8YRK]
- T7 - Pietro, IW3RUA reports he will operate on VHF as T7/IW3RUA/P from San Marino (JN63fw) between 31 August and 2 September. QSL via home call (Pietro Florio, P.O. Box 0, 33028 Tolmezzo - UD, Italy).
- UA - Look for RI6LAP as well as UA6LGR, UA6LAM and UA6MF to be active from the Russian Robinson Award RR 17-04 island group in the Azov Sea (not IOTA) on 24-26 August. QSL RI6LAP via UA6MF either direct (Ivan A Gudima, P.O. Box 47, Rostov-on-Don 344007, Russia). [TNX UA6MF]
- VK - Look for VK4HF to be active (on 80-10 metres SSB) from Fraser Island (OC-142) on 27-31 August. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2VFR, <http://www.iota-post.com>]
- ZB - Martyn, G3RFX reports he will be in Gibraltar again between 2 and 10 September. He will be active as ZG2FX on all bands 80 through to 10 metres, SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY. The webpages for the operation are at <http://www.btinternet.com/~g3rfx>. During this time also

listen out for other ZB2 stations using the special ZG2 prefix to celebrate Gibraltar National Day on the 10th.

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QSL 3Y0C ---> Mac, WA4FFW reports that 5000 cards were sent out on 17 August. This first batch of direct QSLs does not include stateside cards, which will be processed and mailed within the next two weeks. The aim is to get the cards out in time to allow everyone to receive them before the September deadline. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

QSL VK0LD ---> These cards are available at <http://www.eQSL.cc/> only [425DXN 501], however electronic cards are not acceptable for DXCC credit. Now Alan reports the following:

"Anyone who had a valid QSO with VK0LD and downloaded a VK0LD eQSL card from the eQSL website who wishes to submit such a card to DXCC can forward the eQSL card to me for personal authentication. I will check the card against the original log and sign the reverse of the card, stamp it with a special VK0LD rubber stamp and return the card to sender. I would then suggest that the card is laminated by the sender. The ARRL has advised that this will be sufficient to make the VK0LD eQSL card valid for Macquarie Island according to the ARRL rules for DXCC accreditation. This gesture is PRIMARILY for those stations who ONLY worked VK0LD (Macquarie Island) and need it for a new country or band/mode but DID NOT work either VK0MM or AX0LD".

Cards should be sent to the following address (please write "PRIVATE & CONFIDENTIAL" on the envelope): Alan Cheshire, c/o Station Engineer, West Coast Radio, P.O. Box 688, Mandurah, Western Australia 6210, Australia. Include a Self Addressed Envelope and appropriate funds to cover return postage ("one greenstamp is sufficient to cover the A\$1.50 for international mail from Australia", Alan says; do NOT send IRCs and do NOT send Australian stamps). Do not send Alan any card for either VK0MM or AX0LD, which should be routed through their respective QSL managers.

QSL VIA OZ1ACB ---> Allis is the QSL manager for OZ7D, OY3QN, OX2K, OX3LG, HS0/OZ1HET, E44/OZ6ACD, D2EYE as well as for the XP1AB operation during the next CQ WW SSB Contest [425DXN 537]. Cards can be sent either direct (Allis Andersen, Kagsaavej 34, DK-2730 Herlev, Denmark) or through the OZ bureau. [TNX OZ1ACB]

UE0LLH ---> Due to bad sea and weather conditions the UE0LLH team (namely Dima/RA0LQ, Lex/RU0LM and Mike/UA0MF) was unable to land on Skryplyov Island [425DXN 536]. They operated from the lighthouse (LH 0435) on Tokarevskiy Island (not IOTA) and made some 2000 QSOs on 18-20 August. [TNX UA0MF]

WRTC 2002 ---> Ari, OH1EH reports the following contesters will represent the US and the UK in the WRTC2002 in Finland:

Ralph Bowen, N5RZ	/	Rus Healy, K2UA
Doug Brandon, N6RT	/	Andy Blank, N2NT
Daniel Craig, N6MJ	/	David Mueller, N2NL
John Dorr, K1AR	/	Doug Grant, K1DG
Bill Fisher, W4AN	/	John Laney III, K4BAI
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Steven London, N2IC	/	David Hachadorian, K6LL
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Andy Cook, G4PIQ	/	Fred Handscombe, G4BWP

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LOGS: The log for LZ1KSL's recent operation from EU-181 is now available at  
<http://www.qsl.net/lz4bu/logsearch.htm> [TNX LZ4BU]  
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3D2HY	JA0SC	H40DX	EA4DX	T88LL	F4TVY
3DA0WPX	ZS6WPX	H44RD	EA4DX	TA0/IZ0CKJ	IZ0CKJ
3V8MED	DL1BDF	HC2FN	W3HC	TA0/IZ0EGB	IZ0CKJ
3Z0PW	SP5JTF	HG3UHU	HA3MQ	TA0/IZ7ATN	IZ0CKJ
5A24PA	PA1AW	HG8SDS	HA8PH	TF6/ON4BAM/P	ON4BAM
5B4/HA0HW/P	HA0HW	HK0OEP	N0JT	TK8T	F2YT
5N4BFD	DJ9FH	HS0/OZ1HET	OZ1ACB	TL8DV	W3MC
5N6NPD	IK5JAN	HS0AC	G3NOM	TM5FDH	F5LGF
5R8ET	K1WY	HS0ZCW	K4VUD	TR8IG	F5IG
6N0YO/4	6N0YO	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	TR8XX	F2XX
8P9JL	K0COP	HS6NDK	HS1CKC	TT8JE	F6FNU
8R1JC	WE2K	HS6PAU	HS1CKC	TY0CDX	F5MOO
9A/DF9MV	DE0MST	HS9EQY	E21EIC	TY22DX	F5MOO
9A/DL9CHR	DE0MST	ID9/I1SNW	I1SNW	TY68F	F5MOO
9A/S57GM/p	S57GM	IQ3V	IV3LNQ	UA1CIO/p	UA1CIO
9A5LO	OK1LO	J28VS	F4DBF	UA9ZZ/p	UA9ZZ
9A9R/P	DJ2MX (a)	J8/PA0ZH	PA5ET	UE0LLH	UA0MF
9K9O	KU9C	J8/PA3EWP	PA5ET	UE3DDI	RU3DI
9M6A	N2OO	J8/PA5ET	PA5ET	UE3DDJ	RZ3DJ
9N7RB	W4FOA	J8/PA7FM	PA5ET	UE3DDX/P	RZ3FR
A52KR	S53R	J8PA	PA5ET	UE3FCW	UA3CS
A52UL	I7JFQ	JT1FDF/5	JA5BRQ	UE3FFF	RU3HD
A61AO	N1DG	JW7VK	LA7VK	UE4NMM/1	RA4NF
AP2ARS	S53R (b)	JY8IL	JG1ILF	UR7IYI	UR7IJQ
AP2ARS	ON5NT (c)	JY8TE	JH7FQK	V63EC	JK1FNN
BI7D	BD7NI	K2L	WB2YQH	V63EK	JK1FNN
BV7/DL7IO	DL7VRO	K4T	AF4MI	V63LJ	JH8DEH
BW0RS	BV4VE	KA1I/NH2	JH7BZR	V73CW	AC4G
D2BF	EA8EE	KH2VL	JM1LJS	V8AAP	N2OO
DA0BHV	DL5EBE	KH8/N5OLS	N5JA	V8IAN	VE6VK
E20HHK	E21EIC	KL6/KD6WW	KD6WW	VE1/WV2B	WV2B
E20RRW	E21EIC	KL7AK/P	N6AWD	VI30RC	VK4RC
ED1CLA	EC1DKF	L80AA/D	LU4AA	VI8LH	VK6NE
ED1VDC	EA1EG	LZ/IZ0CKJ	IZ0CKJ	VK0KMT	VK4KMT
ED7MFD	EA7AHK	N1IBM/p	N1IBM	VK4AWX	KC6AWX
ED8MCC	EA8AKN	OH0/SM0IEA	SM5HJZ	VK4BRK	N5HHS
EI9KLH	EI9HQ	OH0EA	OH2KMG	VK7TS/4	VK7TS
EK1700A	DK6CW	OZ/OR0MO	ON4AFU	VP2E	N5AU

EN10P	UR4PWL	P29VB	N5HHS	VP5VAC	WA4JTK
EN1MKN	UX7MA	PA6HQ	PA3CAL	VP8LGT	VP8ON
EO10B	UX5UO	PA6WPX	PA3CAL	VQ9PO	W3PO
EO10F	UR0FO	PB6KW/L	PA3HDX	VY2CDX	W1VE
EO10G	UR7GG	PI4COM	PA3CAL	W2T	N200
EO10H	UY1HT	PI4HQ	PA3CAL	W8L	K8PT
EO10I	UR7IA	PJ2M	KD4D	XL3NJ	VA3NJ
EO10J	KG6AR	PT0T	PY1LVF	XM2CWI	VE2CWI
EO10K	UR4KWA	PY1LVF/PY0T	PY1LVF	XM6JO	VE6JO
EO10L	UR4LWA	PY1VOY/PY0T	PY1LVF	XM9DX	VE9DX
EO10M	UX7MA	RA1OZ/A	RA1OZ	XT2HB	F5RLE
EO10Y	US0YA	RA3AUM/6	RA3AUM	XW0X	XW2A
EO10Z	UY0ZG	RT9W	RZ9WWH	XX9TFI	W5FI
EZ8AQ	DJ1MM	RZ1AK/p	RZ1AK	YC8RRK	YC9BU
FR/I4ALU/p	I4ALU	S21B	KX7YT	YC9MB	IZ8CCW
GB2ELH	MM5PSL	SN0LH	SP2QCR	ZA/IZ7DOO	IZ7DOO
GB2NBL	G3UZU	SV9/OE2GEN	OE2GEN	ZK1AHB	KM6HB
GB5BL	GI4FUE	SW8LH	SV1ENG	ZK1AWG	DL2AWG
GB5RO	GM4DZX	SY7LH	SV7CLI	ZP8VAO	ZP5AA
GM/W5ZE	W5ZE	T22SC	JA0SC	ZX0T	PY1LVF
GN4GTY/P	GI4GTY	T32Z	N7YL	ZX7ZZ	PS7ZZ

- (a) IOTA Contest 2001 only
  - (b) CW, op. S53R
  - (c) SSB, op. ON6TT
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- 3DA - DL4WK, DL7DF, DL7KL and DL7UFR will operate as 3DA0DF and 3DA0FR from Swaziland between 30 September and 13 October. They will be active on all HF bands (plus 6 metres) and modes (CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31) with three transceivers, two linear amplifiers and a variety of antennas. QSL via DL7DF. Online logs and DXpedition news will be available at <http://www.qsl.net/dl7df> [TNX DF3CB]
- 8Q - Pierre, HB9QQ will be active as 8Q7QQ from Gan Island (MI69nh), Maldives (AS-013) between 31 October and 12 November. He will concentrate on 6 metres (beacon at 50.098 MHz) but he will operate on HF as well. QSL via HB9QQ either direct or through the bureau. [TNX OZ6OM]
- 9A - Peter, 9A/DL4AMK will be from Losinj Island (EU-136, CI-058) between 1 and 14 September. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9A - Mario, DJ2MX will be active (on 10-80 metres CW and SSB) as 9A/N0MX from Brac Island (EU-016, CI-010) on 2-15 September. He also plans to operate for a few hours from the islands of Hvar (EU-016, CI-028), Vis (EU-016, CI-142), Solta (EU-016, CI-126) and Ciovo (not IOTA, CI-013). QSL via DJ2MX either direct (Mario Lovric, Am Oelberg 11, D-61231 Bad Nauheim, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. E-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at <http://www.dj2mx.com> [TNX DJ2MX]
- 9N - Yuu, JA3IG will operate (on 20 and 15 metres SSB and CW, hopefully as 9N7IG) from Nepal on 7-9 September. QSL via homecall. [TNX JA1ELY]
- CN - Didier, F6ELE and Bertrand, F6HKA hope to be able to operate (on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres) as CN2LE and CN2KA respectively from Mogador Island (AF-065) on 15-16 September. [TNX F6ELE]
- E4 - Local conditions permitting, Gunter, E4/OE1GZA will be again active from Ramallah, Palestine during the WAE SSB (8-9 September) and CQ WW SSB (27-28 October) contests. Further information at <http://sites.netscape.net/vr2gz/amateurradioe4> [TNX E4/OE1GZA]
- F - Look for Alain, F5HPY/p to operate on 20 and 40 metres SSB from Potence Lighthouse in Les Sables d'Olonnes on 2 September from approximately 7 UTC to 11 UTC. [TNX K5JIM]
- I - 425DXN staff member and WAIL (Worked All Italian Lighthouses) Award Manager Paolo Garavaglia, IK1NLZ will operate as IK1NLZ/p from the lighthouses at Capo di Vado (WAIL LI-004) on 1 September and at

Capo dell'Armi (WAIL LI-001) on the 2nd. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. Full information about WAIL is at <http://www.425dxn.org> or <http://www.ari.it>

- I - Dario, IT9SSI will be active from the Eolie Islands (ID9, EU-017) on 7-9 September (Filicudi, IIA ME-003 and possibly La Canna, IIA ME-004) and on 15-16 September (Panarea, IIA ME-006). QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX IZ8BRI]
- JA - Look for Nob, JH1AEF/4 to be active on 10-20 metres CW from the Oki Islands (AS-041) on 3-5 September. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX JH1AEF]
- KG4 - Bill, W4WX (ex KG4GC) will be operating as KG4DX from Guantanamo Bay on 7-14 September. He plans to be active on RTTY and some SSB to include the WARC bands and 6 metres. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX W4WX]
- KH0 - JQ1UKK, JF2SKV, JK2VOC, JG3VEI and JE6MYI will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as NH0S (Multi-Single High Power) from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086). QSL via JF2SKV either direct (Hisashi Matsushita, 14-1 Ugasemae Iwakura, Toyota, 444-2225 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. Before and after the contest, between 22 and 27 November, they will operate on all bands (160-6 metres) and modes (SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and FM) as NH0S (QSL via JF2SKV), NH0V (QSL via JG3VEI), KH0/JE6MYI (QSL via JE6MYI), KH0/AD6VH (QSL via JQ1UKK) and KH0/JK2VOC (QSL via JK2VOC). Questions should be sent to Maz, JF2SKV (8877@hm.aitai.ne.jp). The web pages for the operation are at <http://homepage2.nifty.com/jg3vei/> [TNX JF2SKV]

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- KH4 - Nao (JE7RJZ/WH2M) and Koln (JP1JFG/N2IU) will be active as WH2M/WH4 and N2IU/KH4 from Midway Island (OC-030) on 23-29 September. They plan to operate on 80-6 metres, possibly on 160 metres as well, with a beacon on 50.125 MHz. QSL via JA1EOD (Akira Iizuka, P.O. Box 8, Okegawa, Saitama 363-8691, Japan). [TNX JA1EOD]
- LU - Mario, LU3XX reports he will be active (with 150 watts and a dipole) on 160 metres from Tierra del Fuego (SA-008) on 1-7 September. Look for on or around 1832 kHz between 9 and 11 UTC.
- LX - Club station LX0RL will be activated on all bands and modes on 8-15 September during the LX/DL Ham Meeting in Eisenborn, Luxembourg (see News/Events at <http://www.rlx.lu>). QSL via bureau to LX1KQ. [TNX LX1KQ]
- OZ - Look for Frank, OZ/DL2SWW to be active from Laeso Island (EU-088, NK-003 for the Danish Islands Award) until 7 September. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2VFR]
- OZ - Axel, DL1EBR reports he will be active from Samsø Island (EU-172, JY-008 for the Danish Islands Award) starting on 8 September for three weeks.
- P2 - Andy, P29AM (QSL via NU50) and Wayne, P29WS (QSL via W4HUT) will be active (mainly on 1827.5, 3520, 3780, 7023, 14023, 14200 and 14226.5 kHz) from Lae, Papua New Guinea (OC-034) on 7-16 September. [TNX The Daily DX]
- PJ2 - Marty/NW0L, Tom/AE9B and Geoff/W0CG will be operating as PJ2T (QSL via KN7Y) from the Caribbean Contesting Consortium's station (<http://asgard.kent.edu.ccc>) during the Worked All Europe SSB Contest (8-9 September). Look for PJ2/NW0L, PJ2/AE9B and PJ2/W0CG the week before the contest on 10-160 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and possibly PSK-31 and MFSK-16. QSL via home calls.

- SV9 - Aldo, IK2ANI will be active (on all bands SSB and CW) as either SV9/IK2ANI/P or J49AN from Crete (EU-015) between 2 and 9 September, including an entry in the WAE SSB Contest. QSL via IK2ANI either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IK2ANI]
- TA - Mill, LX1CC will be active as YM3CC from Turkey between 16 September and 6 October. He will be operating on all bands, including WARC, mainly SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]
- TG - Ramon, XE1KK will be active as TG/XE1KK from Guatemala City (grid locator EK35) on 6-9 September. Look for him mainly on satellite UO-14 and AO-27, but he will also try to be active on HF and 6 metres as his schedule permits. [TNX VA3RJ]
- TI - Hide JH8KYU/K8YU reports he will be active from TI5KD's shack in Costa Rica from 29 September through 2 October. He will operate as TI5/JH8KYU on SSB and CW, but the main purpose of his trip is to participate in the CQ/RJ RTTY Contest as TI5U (SOAB). QSL for either TI5U and TI5/JH8KYU via JH8KYU.
- TR - Igor Chernikov, UA3DJY reports he will operate as TR0A during his business trip to Libreville, Gabon until 21 September. QSL via UA3DJY. A web site is at <http://f6bcl.free.fr>
- UA - Look for Dennis, RZ1AK/p to be active from Reymosar Island (EU-133, RRA new one) during the IARU Region 1 Fielday (1-2 September). Vlad, UA1CIO/p will be operating from the same island CW only outside the contest. QSL via RZ1AK either direct (Dennis Eremin, P.O. Box 202, St.Petersburg 196070, Russia) or through the bureau. [TNX RZ1AK]
- UA - A group of operators from the Nadym DX Club (namely Nikolai/UA9KM, Serge/UA9KL, Mike/UA9KO, Valery/UA9KJ, Andy/RA9KM, Mike/UA9KGH and Boris/UA9LAC) will be active as RI9K from Narechi Island (AS-109, RR-06-24) on 5-12 September. They will operate on 80-10 meters (WARC bands included) CW and SSB and will have three stations, two beam antennas, one linear amplifier and dipoles. QSL via UA4RC (P.O. Box 252, Almetyevsk, Tatarstan Republic, 423452, Russia). [TNX UA9KM]
- UA - The RI0F DXpedition to Moneron Island (AS-149) [425DXN 535] did not take place due to bad weather conditions and has been cancelled. Although still planned for mid-September, the activity from Shikotan (AS-062) is likely to be cancelled as well. [TNX RA0FF]
- UM - Special event station UM8LA will active on all bands between 27 August and 5 September to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the independence for Uzbekistan. QSL via RW3RN (Alex Kuznetsov, P.O. Box 57, Tambov-23, 392023 Russia). [TNX RW3RN]
- V6 - Sho, JA7HMZ and Hisa, 7L4IOU will be active (on RTTY, SSTV and PSK31) as V63DX and V63XC from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia between 28 September and 4 October, including and entry in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest as V63A. QSL V63DX via JA7HMZ (Shoji Igawa, 17 Shirogane, Yokobori, Ogachi, 019-0204 Japan). QSL V63XC via 7L4IOU (Hisami Dejima, 2-11-13 Minamikojiwa, Tokyo, 133-0056 Japan). QSL V63A via JA7AO (Tokuro Matsumoto, 3-62 Okachimachi, Yuzawa, 012-0856 Japan; bureau card requests welcome at [ja7ao@jarl.com](mailto:ja7ao@jarl.com)). [TNX JA1ELY]

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- VE - Len, VE9MY and Linda, VE9GLF will be on Prince Edward Island (NA\_029) on 1-2 September and hope to go to Lennox Island (CISA PE-004) on Saturday or Sunday. [TNX VE9MY and Islands On The Web]
- VE - F5TBA reports he will be active (on 20, 15 and 10 metres PSK31,

RTTY and SSTV) as VE2/F5TBA/p between 2 and 26 September. He might operate for three days from Zone 2 during that time frame. QSL via F5TBA.

- VK - Bert, PA3GIO reports that his activity as VK6GIO/5 from Kangaroo Island (OC-139) [425DXN 525] will take place from 30 September until 3 October. He will operate on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB. QSL via PA3GIO preferably through the bureau.
- VK9\_nor - Wojtek, SP9PT and Jerzy, SP9EVP will be active on all bands CW, SSB and RTTY as VK9KNE and VK9KND from Norfolk Island (OC-005) between 20 October and 4 November. On 16-20 October they will operate from Sydney as VK2JBR and VK2JBQ, while on their way back to Europe (7-11 November) they will be active from Borneo (9M6, call signs currently not known). [TNX SP9EVP]
- W - Jess, N4HPL plans to be active (on 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB) from Dauphin Island (NA-213) during the weekend. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Ted Sarah, W8TTS has announced plans for a lighthouse expedition to the Lake Erie Islands (not IOTA) on 10-12 September. The schedule includes Marblehead (USA-472), S. Bass Island (USA-769), Green Island (USA-353), Sandusky Harbor (USA-739) and Vermilion (USA-868). [TNX K5JIM]
- XV - Sam, JA1EUI plans to be active (on 6-80 metres mainly SSB) as either XV3Z or XV3ZZ from Danan, Vietnam between 21 and 28 September. He will have a regular daily schedule on 21.230 MHz at 21.30 UTC with JA1TAA or JA1BQ. QSL via JA1EUI (Satoru Matushima, 2469-5 Toda, Atugi, 243-0023 Japan). [TNX JA1ELY]
- YB - Rivai, YC2MTA will be active from Panjang Island (OC-237) on 7-8 September. Look for him on 15 metres SSB between 11 and 17 UTC. QSL direct to Jl. Sudirman 135, Cilacap, Indonesia 53213. [TNX YC2MTA]
- YI - Cliff, G0MMI reports that Rodger, G0TLC plans to be back in Iraq near the end of September. He will be active again from the YI1BGD club station in Baghdad around 14 UTC on most bands including WARC (and possibly 6 metres as well). QSL (for contacts made with YI1BGD operated by G0TLC \*only\*) via G0MMI either direct or through the RSGB bureau.
- YJ - Masa, JE1DXC (YJ0AXC) is going to be active from Loh (Linau) Island (OC-110), Vanuatu. He should be there around 8 or 9 September (actual dates are subject to change due to local transportation). Further information, including Masa's QSLling policy, is available at <http://members.tripod.co.jp/mihara/> [TNX JE1DXC]
- Z2 - After his safari camp activity from Botswana [425DXN 537] Harry, W6DXO will be active as Z2/W6DXO from Zimbabwe between 27 September and 5 October. QSL direct only to W6DXO. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZL7 - Nigel, G3TXF and Roger, G3SXW will be active CW only with two stations with amplifiers and vertical antennas as ZL7/G3TXF and ZL7/G3SXW from the Chatham Islands (OC-038) on 13-23 September. Suggested frequencies are 3503, 7003, 10103, 14023, 18073, 21023, 24893 and 28023 kHz (listening up 1-3 KHz). QSL via home calls either direct (G3SXW: Roger Western, 7 Field Close, Chessington, Surrey KT9 2QD, England, UK; G3TXF: Nigel Cawthorne, Falcons, St. George's Avenue, Weybridge, Surrey KT13 0BS, England, UK) or through the RSGB bureau. E-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at G3SXW@compuserve.com and G3TXF@compuserve.com; further details and propagation predictions may be found at [http://www.G3TXF.com/dxtrip/ZL7\\_G3TXF/ZL7.htm](http://www.G3TXF.com/dxtrip/ZL7_G3TXF/ZL7.htm) [TNX G3SXW]

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ARLHS CONVENTION ---> Members of the Amateur Radio Lighthouse Society (ARLHS) will gather in Georgia this November for their first-ever convention. The event is set for 9 and 10 November at the Holiday Inn-I95 in Brunswick. For further information please contact Jim Buffington, K5JIM at jim@jimbuffington.com [TNX K5JIM]

CARIBBEAN TOUR 2001 ---> The Low Land DXpedition Team logged 25,825 QSOs from Carriacou (J3) and 24,323 QSOs from Bequia (J8) on 10-160 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. The web site for the Tour is at <http://www.qsl.net/lldxt> and contains pictures, real audio files, statistics, on-line logs etc. Rob, PA5ET reports that since the Dutch postal rates have increased as of 1 July, \$2 are required to cover the postage for multiple QSLs.

PIRATE ---> The station who has once again appeared as 3A0FC saying he is Mike, G4IUF and giving Mike's callsign for QSL info is a pirate. "I have never been to 3A", Mike reports, "and this guy has been giving me grief for years".

QSL 9M2JI ---> Mac, 9M2JI/JK1AJX reports that cards should be sent neither to the 9M2 QSL bureau nor to his Malaysian address. If you need a direct QSL, please use the following address: Mac Kumakura, 10-18 Kawagishi 4 chome, Kitakami, Iwate 024-0032, Japan.

QSL K5K ---> The Kingman Reef Palmyra DX Association announces that all QSLs received direct with SASE for K5K (as well as for KH6ND/KH5 and T32R) have been answered. All QSLs now being received are answered the same day. If you have a QSL problem with any of the above, please e-mail N4XP@juno.com before sending a second request. Bureau QSLs will be answered in the near future but QSOs already marked as receiving a QSL will not be confirmed again through the bureau. [TNX NI6T]

QSL UA1PAC/p & UA1PAO/p ---> Alan, UA1PAC has received from the printer the new cards for the April 2001 operation from Vaygach Island (EU-086) and has started processing the direct requests. He also continues to process direct and bureau requests for the April-May 2002 operation. Direct cards should be sent to Alan V. Kuz'menko, P.O. Box 88, Amderma, Nenets oblast, 166744 Russia. [TNX RA9XF]

QSL VY0/W2NTJ ---> Cezar, VE3LYC reports the current situation of the QSL cards for various IOTA operations carried out by Jack, W2NTJ. "I had offered my services to Jack, providing that he sends me his log books", Cezar says. "Jack was apparently very receptive to this offer, but I have to see these logs here before I can do any QSLing for him. As such, please restrain yourself from sending me such QSL requests for now. If I receive his logs, I will have to print the cards and have them approved by him, after which I will inform the DX bulletins of the move."

QSL VIA PA3GIO ---> Bert reports that as of 29 August all of the cards for his operations as 5R8GY, FH/PA3GIO/p & /m and FR/PA3GIO/m have been sent either direct or through the bureau system.

QSL VIA RA1QQ ---> Nick (RA1QQ) and Vlad (RA1QCZ) were active on 17-19 August from Hvoshovik Island (RR-22-11). QSLs via RA1QQ. Nick can also help with the cards for RW1ZZ/P (EU-161). [TNX RA1QHJ]

QSL VIA RX3MM ---> RX3MM, RV3MF, UA3MJA were active on 16-19 August from Babinsky Island (RR-22-13). QSLs via RX3MM. [TNX RA1QHJ]

QSL VIA WF1N ---> Tony, WF1N reports that e-mail requests for bureau cards for any of his IOTA operations should now be sent to his new e-mail address (a.spino@snet.net).

+ SILENT KEY + Phil Wilder, T320, the only resident amateur on Christmas Island, passed away on 22 August. "He was very friendly and supportive to our Kingman Reef, K5K, group", Kimo Chun, KH7U recalls. "During our unexpected stay on Christmas Island while waiting for our boat he constructed a dipole for us to use which allowed us to get on the air as T32R". [TNX I8NHJ]

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LOGS: The logs for both HK5MQZ/0M (SSB) and HK5QGX/0M (CW) are now available at <http://www.big.or.jp/~ham/HK0M/> [TNX JA3AAW]

QSLs received direct: 1A0KM, 3B6RF (AF-001), 3D2AG/P, 3D2CI, 3D2IO/R (OC-060), 3D2RW (OC-095), 3DA0NL, 3G0Y, 3V8CB, 3V8GI (AF-091), 3V8SF, 3V8SM, 3W2LC, 3XY6A, 3Y0C, 4J3M, 4S7NB, 4W6MM, 5R8GY (AF-090), 5V7TD, 9M6BAA, 9M6CT, 9Y4SF, A22DX, A35TO, A41KJ, A52W, A71MA, BD4XYL, BD7NQ, BQ9P, C6A/N2VV, CE0ZIS, CO6TM, CO8OTA (NA-218), CT3AS, CU2/G3OOK, D68C, DS2LGK/P (AS-122), EP3SMH, ER1LW, EZ8CW, FO/DL1AWI, FO0CLA, FO0POM, FO0WEG (OC-152), FP/W8MV, FR5FD (AF-016), FS/W2JJ, HK3AXY, HL5FEE, HZ1HZ, IM0/KD4NKW (EU-041), J75KG, J79CGA, JT1CO, JY9NX, K5K, KG4IZ, KH6ND/KH5, KH9/AC4G, LR0N, OD5NH, OY4TN, PJ4B (SA-006), PJ7/K7ZUM, PY0FF, S92SV, SM3LF (EU-087)SV3/IZ0CKJ/P (EU-158), SV9CVY, T30ED, T5W, TI4G, UA2FZ, UK8LA, UK9AA, V26B, V47UY, V85QQ, VE2A, VK0MM, VP5L, VP8SDX, VU2WAP, XA5T, XF3/AB5EB (NA-045), XV9TH, XX9AU, YL2SM, YL4HQ, ZA1E, ZC4DW, ZD7K, ZD8K, ZK3CW, ZV1IR (SA-079), ZW1MB (SA-079).  
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- 9A - Tibor, HA3HP will be active from Dugi Otok (EU-170, IOCA CI-018) on 8-15 September. He also plans to operate from the islands of Arta Mala (EU-170, CI-003), Arta Vela (EU-170, CI-004), Murter (not IOTA, CI-074), Murvenjak (EU-170, CI-075), Radelj (EU-170, CI-097), Vrgada (EU-170, CI-143) and Zminjak (EU-170, CI-153) during that time frame. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9A - Look for 9A5V/p (Frano), 9A3VM/p (Matko) and 9A5KV/p (Fredri) to be active from the island of Bobara (EU-016, IOCA CI-157) on 8 September starting around 11 UTC. [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9H - The OPDX Bulletin reports that a large group of Dutch operators will be active (on all bands 40-2 metres) from Malta (EU-023) between 14 September and 6 October. They will use either 9H0VRZ (QSL via PA7DX: Anton Kerkhof, Blaublomke 2, 8401 MG Gorredijk, The Netherlands) or their own individual calls as follows: 9H3AAG (QSL via PA1XA), 9H3AAK (QSL via PE1RVQ), 9H3IE (QSL via PA0BEA), 9H3LRK (QSL via PA0LRK), 9H3ON (QSL via PA3BIZ), 9H3Q (QSL via PA0RDY), 9H3QC (QSL via PA3CLF), 9H3QF (QSL via PA3FEO), 9H3S (QSL via PA3HGP), 9H3TE (QSL via PE1NZA), 9H3X (QSL via PE1NGF), 9H3YM (QSL via PE1OFJ), 9H3YT (QSL via PA3GUU), 9H3? (QSL via PA1SL).
- BY - On 5 September Alan/BA1DU, Jerry/BA1FB and Chen/BA1HAM left for a reconnaissance trip to Furong Island (Shandong Province North West group) [425DXN 535] on 5 September and were joined by the rest of the team on the 7th. Plans are to be active (with three stations on 10-40 metres CW, SSB and RTTY) as BI4F until 10 September. [TNX BA1DU]
- CE - Sergio, IZ6BRN (ex VU3CUR, AP2WAP, 9N7RN) has been in Chile for six months and will be working there for a couple of years. He is active as CE3/IZ6BRN exclusively on 12, 17 and 6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX CE3/IZ6BRN]
- CU - Bert, SM1CJV will be signing CU1/SM1CJV from Sao Miguel Island (EU-003), Azores on 10-17 September. He will operate CW QRP on or around 14060 and 21060 kHz during his evenings. [TNX SM1TDE]
- D4 - IK7VJP plans to be active from Sao Tiago (AF-005), Cape Verde between 14 and 21 September. QSL via home call. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- E3 - Chris/DL5NAM (SSB, RTTY and 6m), Dieter/DF4RD (SSB and CW), Wolf/OE2VEL (low bands SSB and CW) and Falk/DK7YY (low bands CW) will be active (with special attention for North America, Asia and the low bands) as E30NA from Eritrea between 17 October and 3 November. Their target QTH is one of the islands in the Dahlak Archipelago (AF-038), if they cannot go there they will operate from the capital city. The group is looking for financial support from the DX community (please contact Chris, DL5NAM at dl5nam@qsl.net). A web site is under construction at <http://www.qsl.net/e30na> [TNX DL5NAM]

- EA9 - EA9LS, EA9LZ, EA9CD, EA9AZ, EA9BW, EA9GW and EA9PB will participate in the WAE DX Contest (SSB) as EA9LS. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX EA9CD]
- F - Didier, F5BJW will be active (on 10-80 metres mainly SSB) as TM2A from Groix Island (EU-048, DIFM AT-012) on 15-24 September. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- G - The Cray Valley Radio Society will be operating GB2FB HF and VHF from 8 UTC on 15 September until 14 UTC on the 16th as part of "Transmission 2001" to help raise money for the British Wireless for the Blind Fund. QSL via G4DFI. [TNX BRS-32525]
- H4 - Luca, IZ6DSQ [425DXN 532] now plans to be active from Guadalcanal (OC-047, Solomon Islands) on 6 and again on 14 October, from the Reef Islands (OC-065, Temotu Province) on 7-13 October and from the New Georgia Islands (OC-149, Solomon Islands) on 15-22 October. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- LX - Look for Ralf, LX/DH7RD/p to be active (on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres SSB) from Eisenborn, Luxembourg between 8 and 15 September. QSL via home call through the DARC bureau. [TNX DL4FCH]
- OZ - Look for Rudolf, OZ/DK7OM/p to be active on SSB and digital modes from Mors Island (EU-171, NJ-002 for the Danish Islands Award) on 8-22 September. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2VFR]
- PJ2 - Look for Joeke, PJ2/PA0VDV to be active (CW only) from the Netherlands Antilles between 15 September and 12 October. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SV - Look for Simon, SV8/IZ7ATN and Raffaele, SV8/IZ7BNH to be active (on 10-40 metres SSB, WARC bands included) from the islands of Skiros (EU-060) and Skiatos (EU-072) between 7 and 10 September. QSL SV8/IZ7ATN via IZ0CKJ either direct (Alessio Roma, Via Sterparo 43, 03023 Ceccano - FR, Italy) or through the bureau. QSL SV8/IZ7BNH direct only to IZ7BNH (Raffaele Di Troia, P.O. Box 178, 70056 Molfetta - BA, Italy). [TNX IZ7ATN]

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- SV9 - Rene/ON5KH, Bill/ON5JE and Luk/ON4BB will operate from (on 40-10 metres SSB and CW) Crete (EU-015) on 10-23 September. If conditions permit and if they find suitable transportation, they will also be active from Paximadia (EU-187) for one or two days during that time frame. QSL via home calls, preferably through the bureau. [TNX ON4BB]
- TF - Gulli/TF8GX, Tiny/ON4CAT, Norby/LX1NO and Fred/DL8DXL will be active (on 10-80 metres SSB, CW and possibly some digital modes) from Flatey Island (EU-168) on 12-19 September. Gulli and Tiny will be signing TF4RX (QSL via K1WY or ON4CAT), while Fred and Norby will operate as TF4/LX9EG (QSL via LX1NO). [TNX K1WY]
- VU - Special call AT0HF will be aired on 1-9 September to celebrate the Hamfest India 2001 HF Contest. The Hamfest will be held at Nagpur on 27-28 October (details from niarindia@hotmail.com). QSL via VU2APR (National Institute of Amateur Radio, Raj Bhavan Road, Hyderabad 500082, India). [TNX VU2JOS]
- VU - Ram, VU3DJQ reports he will be participating in various contests as AT0D until mid-November. He operates on 20 metres with 50 watts. QSL direct via home call with IRCs (no green stamps please).
- W - Look for John, K1FWE to be active (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) from the Isles of Shoals (NA-217) on 15-16 September. [TNX DL2VFR]
- ZK1\_nc - Look for Mike, KM9D/ZK1QMA (on 10-160 metres mainly CW) and YL

operator Jan, KF4TUG/ZK1TUG (on the higher bands SSB) to be active from Penrhyn (Tongareva) Island (OC-082), North Cooks on 8-16 September. QSLs via OM2SA either direct or through the bureau. [TNX OM2SA]

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ISS ---> The current ISS (International Space Station) crew members are the American Commander Frank Culbertson (KD5OPQ), the Russian Pilot Vladimir Dezhurov and the Russian Flight Engineer Mikhail Turin. The call signs available for use on the ISS are RS0ISS, RZ3DZR, NA1SS, RZ3DZR-1 (packet station mailbox callsign). The following frequencies are currently used for ARISS general QSOs: 145.80 (Voice and Packet Downlink, worldwide), 144.49 (Voice Uplink for Regions 2 and 3), 145.20 (Voice Uplink for Region 1) and 145.99 (Packet Uplink, worldwide). QSL for the USA to ARRL Headquarters, ARISS QSL Expedition-2, 225 Main Street, Newington, CT 06111-1494 USA. QSL for Canada to Radio Amateurs of Canada, ARISS QSL Expedition-2, 720 Belfast Road, Suite 217, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. QSL for Europe to ARISS-Europe QSL Bureau, c/o AMSAT-France, 16 rue de la Vallee,, 91360 Epinay sur Orge, France. For other countries, please use the US or Canadian address above. [TNX IZ1CRR]

QSL A61AJ ---> Bernie, W3UR has stepped down as QSL manager for Ali, A61AJ; effective 5 September all QSL requests need to go to N4QB (Joe Veras, P.O. Box 1041, Birmingham, AL 35201, USA), who will have all logs for all QSOs made by A61AJ. Cards already sent to W3UR need not to be resubmitted to N4QB.

QSL 9L1DX ---> Dr. Elmer R. Ribeiro (aka OA8DX, 7Q7DX and P29DX) is now stationed in Sierra Leone and operates as 9L1DX (logs at <http://www.qsl.net/ea4cen>). QSL via EA4CEN either direct (Jose A. Rodriguez Fernandez, General Castejon 1-6-A, 28924 Alcorcon, Madrid, Spain) or through the URE bureau. [TNX EA4CEN]

QSL SM1T ---> This call was used during this year's IOTA Contest from Gotland Island (EU-020) by SM1TDE and SM5DJZ. All QSOs have been confirmed via the bureau; direct cards can be sent to Eric, SM1TDE. [TNX SM1TDE]

QSL TU2WL ---> Gianni, IN3ASW reports he has run out of QSLs for his April 2000 activity as TU2WL and it will take at least two months to have the new cards printed. Please be patient.

QSL VIA LY2MM ---> Cards for 4L1AE, 4L1W and 4L5T can be sent to Al, LY2MM direct only with appropriate return postage. Al does not reply to bureau cards, but he stores them while waiting for any opportunity to give them to his Georgian friends. He had a chance to do so in May, but "the time for next opportunity is indefinite".

QSL VIA VK4FW ---> Please note that effective 1 September the new address for VK4FW is: Bill Horner, P.O. Box 1343, Maroochydore, 4558, Australia.

QSL VIA YC9BU ---> Kadek, YC9BU reports that some 60% of the direct QSL requests he gets from the IOTA community arrive without return postage. He recommends not to use US dollars but IRCs.  
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DX ATLAS: Alex Shovkoplyas, VE3NEA is the author of "DX Atlas", an electronic World atlas for radio amateurs available for download at <http://www.dxatlas.com> [TNX VK6LC]

IOTA HELP LISTINGS: If you have still to convert your IOTA credits on the basis of the IOTA Directory 2000, you might find of interest the IOTA Help Listings maintained by John, WD8MGQ at <http://www.cm.quik.com/wd8mqg/newiotas/>

LOGS: Roberto, EA4DX logged 7800 QSOs as H40DX from Temotu and 18200 QSOs as H44DX from the Solomons. and logs are now on line at <http://www.qsl.net/ea4dx/> QSLs for both calls direct only to EA4DX (Roberto Diaz, Doce de Octubre 4, 28009 Madrid, Spain).

MOST WANTED SURVEY: The annual DX Magazine Most Wanted Survey is now available on the DX Publishing Web site at [http://www.dxpub.com/dx\\_survey2001.html](http://www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2001.html)). The world-wide results of the 2000 Survey are posted on the web site under "DX News". [TNX N4AA]

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3A/F5RBB	F5RBB	EY10S	DJ1MM	T88MO	7K1SGX
3D2AW	DL2AWG	FM5GU	KU9C	TA3DD	KZ5RO
3D2HY	JA0SC	FM5WD	W3HNC	TE8AA	TI5BX
3D2XU	PA3AXU	FO0FLA	AH6HY	TG/DB2TR	DL1SBF
3V8MED	DL1BDF	GB5FI	GW0ANA	TK/IK1QBT	IK1QBT
3W2B	XW2A	H40DX	EA4DX	TM5MA	F8AJF
4L1FX	DJ1CW	H44RD	EA4DX	TR0A	UA3DJY
4N7M	YU7KMN	HI3HN	OE7NHT	TT8DX	F5OGL
4W1XW	pirate	ID9/IT9SSI	IZ8CCW	TT8FC	EA4AHK
4Z8GZ	DH2GZ	J3/PA0ZH	PA5ET	TT8JE	F6FNU
5A32	5A1A	J3/PA3EWP	PA5ET	UA0AZ	W3HNC
5R8EE	FR5EL	J3/PA5ET	PA5ET	UA1CIO/P	RZ1AK
5R8HC	F6BUM	J3/PA7FM	PA5ET	UE1ZPQ	RA1ZS
5U7AH	I6NLJ	J38PA	PA5ET	UE3DDJ	RZ3DJ
5U7JK	I2YSB	J44L/P	SV4AQJ	UM8AR	UK8AR
5Z4TT	SP5TT	J6/EX0M	DF8WS	UM8CK	UX5UO
6D0Z	AC7DX	J8/PA0ZH	PA5ET	UM8LA	RW3RN
6D2X	AC7DX	J8/PA3EWP	PA5ET	UM9AA	UK9AA
6D8Z	AC7DX	J8/PA5ET	PA5ET	UN5J	W3HNC
6G0V	AC7DX	J8/PA7FM	PA5ET	UN7QX	W7BO
7L2ICS/JD1	7L2ICS	J8PA	PA5ET	UP0ACS	DL8KAC
7X5JF	DJ8QP	JH1AEF/4	JH1AEF	V63KA	JH8BKL
8P9JM	K2ZD	JT1FBX	JG5PJJ	V63MC	JH8BKL
9A/N0MX	DJ2MX	JT1FYT	K4YT	V6300	JA3AJ
9A3OY	9A1CCY	JW2PA	LA2PA	V63YB	JH8MYB
9E1S	IV3TRK	JW7QI	LA7QI	V73MJ	JF1NZW
9M2JI	JK1AJX	KC4USV	K1IED	VE2/F5TBA/p	F5TBA
A45WD	YO9HP	KG4DX	W4WX	VK0KMT	VK4KMT
CE2LZR	EA5KB	KH0/JA3MVI	JA3MVI	VK4AWX	KC6AWX

CO7KR	DL5DCA	LW9DAH	AC7DX	VK4BRK	N5HHS
CO8EJ	EA5KB	LX/ON6CK	ON6IJ	VK7TS/4	VK7TS
CT1GFK/P	CT1GFK	LX0RL	LX1KQ	VK9CQ	PA3GIO
CT1HZE	DL8HCZ	OG3GZ	OH3GZ	VK9XV	PA3GIO
CT3/OK2BOB	OK2BOB	P29AM	NU5O	XE0DX	AC7DX
CW1D	CX1UU	P29VB	N5HHS	XE2GV	AC7DX
CX2AQ	EA5KB	P29WS	W4HUT	XE2XA	AC7DX
D2BB	W3HNC	PJ2/AE9B	AE9B	XE2Z	AC7DX
D44TD	CT1EKF	PJ2/NW0L	NW0L	XM2CWI	VE2CWI
E20HHK	E21EIC	PJ2/W0CG	W0CG	YC1ANA	EA7FTR
ED1SDC	EALAU	PJ2T	KN7Y	YJ0ADX	JE1DXC
EK1700S	EK6GB	RI6LAP	UA6MF	YL800KA	YL2KA
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	RI9K	UA4RC	YL800LW	YL2LW
EM1HO	I2PJA	RT9W	RZ9WWH	YN4SU	TI4SU
EO100ZOO	UY0ZG	RZ1AK/p	RZ1AK	YU8/9X0A	UA3DX
EO10N	UX5UO	S21YH	7M4PTE	ZB2AZ	G3MNN
EP3SP	W3HC	SV0LR	HB9LDR	ZC4DW	G0DEZ
ER10MD	ER1BF	SV5/SM8C	SM0CMH	ZD7DP	W1ZT
EX10A	EX2A	SW1XV	SV1XV	ZG2FX	G3RFX
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The Editors of 425 DX News  
are close in thoughts and prayers  
to their affectionate readers and friends in the US.

- 9M6 - Mat, JA1JQJ and Kuni, JA8VE will operate (possibly as 9M6JQT and 9M6VET) from East Malaysia on 10-14 October. They plan to be active on 6-80 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home call. [TNX JA1ELY]
- 9N - Hiro, JA0BYS/9N7BY will operate from Katmandu, Nepal between 24 September and 2 October. From 24 to 29 September he will be joined by Sato, JH0HDL/9N7DL and Mako, JI0LQJ/9N7QJ. The group will be active on 80-10 metres, including the WARC bands and 6 metres (if permitted). All QSLs via JH0HDL (Satoshi Nawai, 220-1 Nakahama, Itoigawa, 941-0002 Japan). [JA1ELY]
- A2 - Mako, JA1OEM (10-160 metres SSB and slow CW) and Toshi, JA1ELY (10-80 metres SSB, CW and RTTY) will operate, possibly as A25/JA1OEM and A25/JA1ELY, from Botswana on 21 September-17 October and 21-28 September respectively. QSL via home calls (JA1OEM: Shinichi Toyofuku, P.O. Box 9, Sswara, 287-8691 Japan; JA1ELY: Toshikazu Kusano, P.O. Box 8, Kamata, Tokyo, 144-8691 Japan). [TNX JA1ELY]
- A5 - The Bhutan Amateur Radio Club (BARC) will be inaugurated on 26 October under the presidency of the Director of the Bhutan Telecommunicantions Agency. Yasuo Miyazawa (JH1AJT) and Glenn Johnson (W0GJ) are Honorary/Founding Members, and have been issued special lifetime callsigns of A51A and A51B respectively. The primary purpose of the club is to foster amateur radio interest in the young Bhutanese and also to enable the club members to be active on the air. To celebrate the formation of the BARC, A50A will be active as a multi-multi entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (27-28 October). A team of U.S. operators will be helping the licensed Bhutanese amateurs (namely Yeshey Dorji/A51AA, Kesang Namgyel/A51KC, Parop Kinley/A51PK, Pema Rinzen/A51PR, Dorji Yeshey/A51YL and Wangpo Dorji/A51WD) learn to operate in a contest environment from the Bhutan Ham Centre. Before and after the contest the U.S. hams will concentrate on the low bands, WARC bands and new modes. Look for the following to be active from 23 October to 1 November:
- Dave Anderson, KW4DA as A52DA  
Chuck Brady, N4BQW as A52CB  
Pat Cahill, N0ADQ as A52PC  
Glenn Johnson, W0GJ as A51B  
Stewart Lewis, W0SHL as A52SL  
Ken Nollet, K0EN as A52ED  
Steve Towle, W0HT as A52ST
- QSL A50A direct only to Bhutan Amateur Radio Club (BARC), P.O. Box 88, Thimphu, Bhutan. See <http://www.qsl.net/a51aa> for information on

- visiting Bhutan. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- C9 - Babs/DL7AFS, Lot/DJ7ZG, Karl/DL2FAG and Simone/IV3NVN (DL8GCS) will operate as C98DC from Inhaca Island (AF-066), Mozambique between 28 September and 13 October. They will be active on 10-160 metres (WARC bands included) SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31 with two or possibly three stations. When the band is open, they will operate on 6 metres as well. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.qsl.net/dl7afs/index.html> [TNX DJ7ZG]
- D4 - Loreto, IK7VJP has postponed his activity from Sao Tiago (AF-005), Cape Verde [425DXN 540] to take place on 5-12 October. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- D4 - Marconi Contest Club operators Fabio/I4UFH, Stefano/IK2JUB, Luca/IK2NCJ, Matt/IK2SGC, Gabriele/IK4UPB, Alberto/IV3TAN, Antonio/CT1DVV and Tony/CT1ESV will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (27-28 October) as D44TC (Multi/Single) from Sal Island (AF-086), Cape Verde. QSL via IV3TAN. [TNX I4UFH]
- DL - Look for DJ3XG to be active (on +/- 7.030 and 10.115 MHz QRP) from Hallig Hooe Island (EU-042, N-22 for the German Islands Award) on 17-25 September. He will also operate from Japsand Island (EU-042, GIA N-32) during that time frame. [TNX DL2VFR]
- DL - Martin, DL1ZU/p will operate (on 10-80 metres mainly CW and PSK31) from Fehmarn Island (EU-128) between 29 September and 7 October. QSL via bureau.
- EA6 - Andree, DL8LAS reports he will be signing EA6/DL8LAS on 10-80 metres CW from Menorca, Balearic Islands (EU-004) between 24 September and 8 October. QSL via home call through the bureau.
- F - Operators from the Longlaville A.R.A.S. 54 Nord Association will activate (on all modes and bands) special event station TM90I on 17-20 September. QSL to F6KWP via the REF Bureau or direct to F-11734 (Marc Nogent, 60 rue Foch, 57390 Audun-le-Tiche, France). [TNX F-11734]
- FO - Marcel, ON4QM/FO0DEH [425DXN 529] will be leaving Brussels on 21 September heading for Tahiti (OC-046), French Polynesia. During his trip he expects to be active from Napuka (OC-094, French Polynesia), Hao (OC-066, French Polynesia), Pukapuka (OC-062, French Polynesia) and hopefully Hereheretue (OC-052, French Polynesia). Depending on local conditions, he should start his tour on 26 September from either Napuka or, if he cannot get there, Hao. QSL via ON4QM (Marcel Dehonin, Eversestraat 130, B-1932 Saint-Stevens-Woluwe, Belgium). [TNX ON5NT]
- G - Gus, M5GUS reports he will be operating GB0WB on HF, 6 metres and 2 metres on 15-16 September as part of "Transmission 2001" to help raise money for the British Wireless for the Blind Fund. QSL via M5GUS.

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- G - Western DX Cluster Group members Bill/G3WNI, Tom/G0PSE and Doug/G0WMM will be active (on 10-160 metres mainly CW and SSB with some RTTY and PSK31) as GB0SM from St Mary's island in the Isles of Scilly (EU-011) on 6-13 October. QSL via the bureau or direct to G3WNI. E-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to [tom@tctaylor.demon.co.uk](mailto:tom@tctaylor.demon.co.uk) or [g0pse@qsl.net](mailto:g0pse@qsl.net) The logs of GB0SM for the years 1998, 1999 and 2000 is already at <http://www.qsl.net/g0pse>, which will be updated with the 2001 activity shortly after the group returns home. [TNX G0PSE]
- HP - Look for HO1A (QSL via DL6MYL) and HP1/DL7CM (QSL via DL7CM) to be aired by Hans, DL7CM and others from Contadora Island (NA-072),



- Panama between 21 or 22 September and 8 October, including an entry in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest. Before and after the contest they will operate on all bands and modes. [TNX The Daily DX and OPDX Bulletin]
- HR - JA6WFM/HR3, JM6EBU/HR3 and JM6UAA/HR3 will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest (27-28 October) as HR3J (Multi/Single). QSL direct only via JA6WFM. (Hiro Nakamura, 1311-11 Miyahara, Yatushiro Gun, Kumamoto, 869-4602 Japan). [TNX JI6KVR]
- I - Amateur radio operators from Biella will now activate special event station I11BI (not I150B any longer, 425DXN 537) on 15-16 September to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the local ARI branch. QSL via the bureau. [TNX I1TBEE]
- I - Franco, IK4PLW operated from the Ravenna Harbour lighthouse (WAIL ER-004) on 9 September and plans to be active again "at any time" on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home call either direct (Franco Minghetti, Via 3 Dicembre 14, 48026 Russi - RA, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IK4PLW]
- I - Dario, IK4MED will be active (on 10-40 metres mainly CW and possibly via satellite - RS12, FO20, FO29 - as well) as ID9/IK4MED from the Eolie Islands (EU-017) on 17-29 September. QSL via IK4MED either direct (Dario Calza, Via Stradella 54, 29100 Piacenza - PC, Italy). [TNX IK4MED]
- JA - Look for JI3DST/8 to be active from Okushiri Island (AS-147) on 22-25 September. QSL via home call. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Look for JF1NEH/1, JE1SQI/1, JO1CFV/1 and JA4LVZ/1 to be active from Hachijo Island (AS-043) on 19-21 October. QSL via home calls. [TNX JI6KVR]
- KP2 - Dennis, K7BV will operate as NP2/K7BV from St. Croix, Virgin Islands (NA-106) on 21-25 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as WP2Z (<http://www.qth.com/Windwood>) on 15 metres. QSL WP2Z and NP2/K7BV via KU9C. [TNX K7BV]
- OH0 - Pentti "Ben" Lareva, OH3TY will be active (mostly on 10 metres) during the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest as OH0HEY from the Aland Islands (EU-002). Before the contest, starting on 24 September, he might operate as OH0/OH3TY. QSL via OH3TY either direct or through the bureau. [TNX OH3-911]
- PY - Noel, PT2ND reports that the December 2001 operation from the Abrolhos Archipelago (SA-019) has been cancelled.
- SV - Dirk, ON5CT will be active (on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB) from Samos Island (EU-049) between 17 and 26 September. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX ON4AAC]
- SV9 - Uli, DJ9XB reports he will participate in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest (29-30 September) as J49XB from Crete (EU-015). Before the Contest he will operate as SV9/DJ9XB on PSK31 and Hell.
- SV9 - Luigi, IK8HCG and Salvatore, IK8UND will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as J49Z (Multi/Single) from Crete (EU-015). [TNX IK8UND]
- T8 - Nobu, JA7AYE will operate (on 10-80 metres SSB and CW) as T88AY from Palau (OC-009) on 20-24 September. QSL via JA7AYE (Nobuyasu Hosaka, 98-118 Haramae, Oogawara, 989-1201 Japan). [TNX JA1ELY]
- TA - Nando, IT9YRE has cancelled his 16-18 September operation from AS-123 [425DXN 538] due to the sudden death of his father Salvatore, IT9YRS early this week. Our condolences to Nando and his family.
- TG - Toni, EA5RM reports that the special call TG0R has been regularly issued to the 17-26 September operation from Guatemala [425DXN 531]. A Spanish team will be installing a digital radio emergency network and will operate on 6-160 metres SSB, CW and RTTY jointly with the Club de Radioaficionados de Guatemala. QSL via EA4URE. Further information and logs at <http://www.ure.es/>
- UA - RW4LAM, UA4LDP and UA4LU plan to operate as homecall/p from Julietta Island (RR-26-04) on 15-16 September. QSL via home calls. [TNX RZ3EC]
- UA - Look for Dmitriy, RW1ZZ/a to operate (on 20 metres SSB and CW) from Salnyj Island (not IOTA, RR-03-17) on either 17 or 18 September from 6 until 13 UTC. QSL via home call. [TNX RV3GW]

- UT - Look for Tom/UT3IB, Vit/UT3IW, Mike/UT9IO, Stan/UT5SI, Oleg/UX1IM, Alex/UX2IQ, Harry/UX3IW, Nick/UY0IX and Val/UR5ILA to be active on all bands CW and SSB from IOTA EU-182 (island name not specified) on 19-25 September. QSL via home calls. [TNX UT3IB]
- YB - Adi, YC3MM is planning an operation from Siberut Island (OC-215) during the third week of December. This IOTA group (Mentawai Islands) was activated for the first and only time by 8A5ITU back in May 1996. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX IZ8CCW]
- YI - Cliff, GOMMI reports that due to the current circumstances, Rodger, G0TLC [425DXN 539] will not be going back to Baghdad, Iraq for the foreseeable future.
- ZK1\_nc - Yuu, JR2KDN and Yasu, JI1NJC will be active from Penrhyn (OC-082), North Cook Islands between 20 October and 3 November. They will collect their licences upon arrival; plans are to operate on 6-160 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and SSTV. QSL via JR2KDN. [TNX JF2MBF]
- ZS - A team of twelve operators from the Western Cape (namely Rassie/ZS1YT, Bob/ZR1BS, Clyde/ZS1CS, Bud/ZS1B, Johan/ZU1LR, Deon/ZR1DQ, Karl/ZS1KC, Willem/ZR1OR, Johan/ZS1WC, Alexander/ZR1BA, Martin/ZR1MH and Herman/ZS1HZ) will be active from "the Hell" (also known as Gamkaskloof or Gamka's valley, situated in the Swartberg Mountains of the Southern Cape Province in the area between 33.28S-21.15E and 33.33S-21.42E) on 21-24 September. Application has been made for the call ZS1HEL. [TNX ZS4BS]

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BI4F ---> The operation from Furong Island (AS-160) went QRT earlier than planned for safety reasons, as a military training was scheduled to take place on 10 September. BI4F made some 2500 QSOs. QSL to P.O. Box 538, Nanjing 210005, China. Logs are available at <http://www.4hams.net> [TNX BA4RF]

DXCC DEADLINE CHANGES ---> Wayne Mills, N7NG/1 (ARRL Membership Services Department Manager) announces the following: "Effective immediately, all applications for DXCC credit that are postmarked by September 30th, will be eligible for inclusion in the next Annual List. Applications do not need to be actually received in Newington by that date. All mail must show clear evidence of the posting date, or date of receipt by carriers other than the world postal system. This change should alleviate most problems arising from mail delays currently being reported. Applications will still be listed on the web as we receive them."

FM5GU/I ---> After five years and several thousands of QSOs Denis, FM5GU has wrapped up his Italian portable station and has returned to Martinique. QSL via KU9C. Details (including logs) are available at <http://www.qsl.net/fm5gu> [TNX FM5GU]

RUSSIAN ISLANDS ---> Sergey, UA1ANA reports that his summer DXpedition programme included the following operations:

Call	Island	IOTA	RR	Date	QSL
RZ1CWD/P	Fort Pavel		01-12	07.07.2001	UA1ANA (1)
UA1ANA/1	Bolshoy Berezovyy	EU-133	01-02	19-23.07.2001	UA1ANA (1)
RA1ACJ/1	Bolshoy Berezovyy	EU-133	01-02	19-23.07.2001	RA1ACJ (2)
RV3ACA/1	Bolshoy Berezovyy	EU-133	01-02	19-23.07.2001	RV3ACA

UA1ANA/1 Seskar EU-133 01-10 01-08.09.2001 UA1ANA (1)  
RALACJ/1 Seskar EU-133 01-10 01-08.09.2001 RALACJ (2)  
(1) Sergey Permut, P.O.Box 415, St.Petersburg, 190000, Russia.  
(2) Vyachelav Osipov, P.O.Box 1, St.Petersburg, 198261, Russia.

QSL 9X1A ---> Ghis, ON5NT is receiving QSLs for 9X1A (September 2000). Please note that Ghis has neither the logs nor the cards for this station; he is the QSL manager only for 9X1A operated by Mark, ON4WW (9X4WW) during the May 1995 WPX Contest.

QSL LX/ON6CK ---> Please note that cards should not be sent to ON6IJ [425DXN 540], but via the bureau or to ON4ON (Danny Commeyne, Rozenlaan 38, B-8890 Dadizele, Belgium). [TNX ON6HH]

QSL TK/IK1QBT/p ---> Cards for Tony's recent activity from Corsica (EU-014, DIFM TK-01) can be sent direct to Tony Gallo, Via Capo S. Spirito 1/16, 17052 Borghetto S. Spirito - SV, Italy or through the bureau. Pics and logs at <http://www.qsl.net/ik1qbt> [TNX IK1QBT]

QSL VP2VE ---> Lee, VP2VE reports that his QSL manager is WA2NHA (Howard Messing, 90 Nellis Dr. Wayne, NJ 07470, USA).

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LOGS: The logs for LX9SW are at <http://www.qsl.net/pi4zut/lx/lx.htm> [TNX PA1KW]

LX9SW: The web page for the 15-23 September operation from Luxembourg [425DXN 531] is at <http://www.qsl.net/pi4zut/lx/lx.htm> [TNX PA3HEP]

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QSLs received direct: 3B6RF (AF-001), 3D2RW/p (OC-095), 3Y0C (AN-002), 4S7NB, 5A1A, 5H3RK, 5R8GY (AF-090), 6H3KK (NA-090), 8A0ITU, 8Q7KK, 9M2/JI1ETU (AS-046), 9Q5BQ, A71MA, BQ9P, C6AIE, CO7OTA (NA-086), CO8OTA (NA-218), D6/WB4MBU, D68C, DF4XX/p (EU-128), DU1KGJ/p (OC-091), EK6TA, EP3SMH, FK8GJ, FO/DL7FT (OC-050), FO0ARE (OC-131), FO0POM (OC-027), FO0WEG, HC2/UA4WAE, HK0OEP, HK3JJH/HK0M, HK5QGX/HK0M, J28VS, J49HW/p (EU-187), J49NG/P (EU-187), J5X, J88DR, JD1BCK, K5K, K6KO/HC8, K6TA/HC8, KG4IZ, KG4MO, OX3LG (NA-220), OX3NUK, P40B, PJ4G, PJ7/W3HNC, PSA088 (SA-088), RA0LOM/0 (AS-062), S21YT, SV2FPU/8 (EU-060), SV9/WB2GAI/p, T30ED, T5W, TA0/IT9YRE/p (AS-159), UA2FJ, V73E (OC-087), VE2OV (NA-176), VE9MY/P (NA-014), VK0LD, VK3MMY (OC-136), VP8SDX, VQ9AI, XF3/AB5EB (NA-045), XF3/KB5SKN (NA-045), YB5NOF/p (OC-245), YM0KI (AS-159), YW5FC (SA-058), ZA1E, ZD7K, ZV0SB (1999), ZV0SW (1999).  
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The Editors of 425 DX News welcome Paulo Pinto, CT1ETE who has kindly offered to translate the bulletin into Portuguese language. Give a look to <http://www.425dxn.org> and let us know your opinion!

- 3W - 3W3ZZ will the call used by Sam, JA1EUI during his 21-28 September activity from Vietnam [425DXN 539]. QSL via home call (Satoru Matushima, 2469-5 Toda, Atugi, 243-0023 Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]
- 5U - The same operators who aired 5U2K, 5U3T and 5U5A in March (namely I2UIY, I2YSB and IK2DIA) will go back to Niger in January/February 2002 for a 2-week DXpedition. Three or four other operators from Italy and USA are expected to join the team. They will have at least three stations and will be active on 160-10 metres (with special attention to 80/160m) CW/SSB/RTTY/PSK31 and on 6 metres CW/SSB. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX I2UIY]
- 9K - Effective 15 September, the Kuwait Amateur Radio Society (KARS), in conjunction with the Kuwait Ministry of Communications, has authorized the use of the callsign 9K2USA by all Kuwait amateur radio operators simultaneously "as a small token of the sympathy and support for the people of the United States from the citizens of Kuwait". Look for 9K2USA to be aired until the end of September. QSL via 9K2RA, as the Kuwait Amateur Radio Society (9k2ra@kars.org) will merge all the QSOs in one single database. [TNX K4CY/9K2ZZ]
- C9 - Reinhard/DL6DQW, who is currently signing C98RF from Quirimba Island (AF-061) [425DXN 536], will operate as C91RF from Maputo between 24 September and 4 October. QSL via DL6DQW. [TNX OZ6OM]
- DL - Look for DL2RXE/p to be active on 20 and 40 metres SSB from Mukran Lighthouse (GLHA 58, ARLHS FED-159) on Ruegen Island (EU-057) on 22-23 September. QSL via bureau. [TNX DL2VFR]
- FO\_aus - Jon/WB8YJF and Leo/K8PYD were expected to be active (mainly on RTTY) from the Austral Islands between 24 September and 3 October. However, according to the "VK2SG RTTY DX Notes", their trip has now been postponed until December.
- HA - Special call HG50HSC will be aired from Hungary to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the High Speed Club (<http://www.hsc.de>). The operators will be Hungarian HSC members (HA3OV, HA3NU, HA1AG and others). QSL via HA1AG (e-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at halag@compuserve.com). [TNX HA1AG]
- HS - Champ, E21EIC reports he will participate in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest (SOAB low power) next weekend.
- I - Special event station II6I will be activated on 5-14 October during a congress on propagation. The web page for the event is at <http://www.qsl.net/arijesi/ii6i> [TNX IK6PYS]
- KH4 - The 23-29 September operation by Nao (JE7RJZ/WH2M) and Koln

- (JP1JFG/N2IU) from Midway Island [425DXN 539] has been cancelled due to the current sad circumstances in the US. [TNX JA1EOD]
- KH0 - Look for JH7IMX to operate as KH0/K7WD from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086) between 28 September and 2 October. QSL via JH7IMX. [TNX The Daily DX]
- OH - Toni Linden, OH2JTE (the 21-year-old vice-president of Contest Club Finland) will participate in the Scandinavia Activity Contest SSB (from 12 UTC on 22 September to 12 UTC on the 23rd) from the station OH2BH. Meanwhile Martti Laine, OH2BH will be active from the OH0B contest station in the Aland Islands. The SAC was the first contest Martti took part in when he was 15 back in September 1961. [TNX N4GN]
- P4 - Tyler, K3MM will be active from Aruba (SA-036) between 25 September and 2 October. He will participate in the CQ/RJ RTTY Contest from the P40V station, while before and after the contest and will operate, possibly as P40M, on WSFT and PSK31. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T7 - IK4GLV, IK4JPR, IK4RUX and IZ4CCO will operate on HF and VHF as T70A from the San Marino Amateur Radio Club (<http://www.inthenet.sm/arrsm>) on 29-30 September. The activity is to celebrate the 1700th anniversary of the foundation of the Republic. QSL to T70A either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IK4RUX]
- TI - Bill, AK0A will be operating from TI2HMG's QTH between 25 September and 9 October, including an entry in the CQ/RJ WW DX RTTY Contest and the TARA PSK Rumble. Look for TI2/AK0A on all bands RTTY, PSK31, MFSK, CW and SSB. QSL via AK0A. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TI9 - A DXpedition to Cocos Island (NA-012) is being planned to take place on 4-19 February 2002. A team of 12 experienced operators will be signing TI9M on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. They will have four stations on two operating sites, plus a fifth station for 6 metres. Detailed information, including an online membership application form for those who want to join the team, is available at <http://www.qsl.net/ti2hmg/cocos.htm> [TNX TI2HMG]
- V6 - Sho, JA7HMZ and Hisa, 7L4IOU will be active (on RTTY, SSTV and PSK31) as V63DX and V63XC from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia between 28 September and 4 October, including and entry in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest as V63A. QSL V63DX via JA7HMZ (Shoji Igawa, 17 Shirogane, Yokobori, Ogachi, 019-0204 Japan). QSL V63XC via 7L4IOU (Hisami Dejima, 2-11-13 Minamikoiwa, Tokyo, 133-0056 Japan). QSL V63A via JA7AO (Tokuro Matsumoto, 3-62 Okachimachi, Yuzawa, 012-0856 Japan; bureau card requests welcome at [ja7ao@jarl.com](mailto:ja7ao@jarl.com)). [TNX JA1ELY]
- W - N6KZ, N6FH, W6VX, N6IC, KQ6MW, WB9AWX, KJ6Y, and NN7A will operate (on 10-40 metres CW and SSB) from Santa Rosa Island (NA-144) from 00.00 UTC on 29 September through 18 UTC on 1 October. Due to environmental considerations, they will have modest antennas and batteries, but will try to do their best to work Japan and Europe. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - The Greater Norwalk Amateur Radio Club (N1EV, <http://www.gnarc.org>) will operate (on 15, 20 and 40 metres mainly SSB) from the Sheffield Island (NA-136, USI CT-008S) Lighthouse (ARLHS USA-753) on 30 September between 14-21 UTC. QSL direct to G.N.A.R.C. Contest Club, 324 Main Ave Box 115, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- YB - John, YB5NOF will operate (with 100 watts and GP antenna) as YB5NOF/p from Anambas Island (OC-108) on 22-26 September. Look for him on or around 21260 and 14260 kHz. QSL to YB5NOF (John E. Daluas, P.O. Box 194/CPA, Ciputat 15401, Indonesia). [TNX YB5QZ]

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EURO ---> The "European Union Regions Award" is sponsored by ARI Busto Arsizio and is available to licensed amateurs and SWLs. Visit <http://www.malpensa.it/radio/index.html> or ask the Award Manager (Pier Luigi, IK2UVR: e-mail [ik2uvr@malpensa.it](mailto:ik2uvr@malpensa.it)) for the details.

QSL OC-237 ---> Rivai/YC2MTA, who operated from Panjang Island on 7-8 September [425DXN 539], reports it will take 6-8 weeks at least before he gets the cards from the printer. He recommends to use IRCs, also because the current postage from Indonesia to foreign countries "costs almost \$2".

QSL VIA YC9BU ---> Kadek reminds island chasers that he is the QSL manager for the following stations/operations:

YB9ZBI	OC-022	YE8XM/P	OC-221
YC9XJ	OC-034	YC8SHQ	OC-224
YE8XM	OC-070	YE8XM/P	OC-224
YC7URA	OC-088	YC9WZJ/P	OC-239
YC4FIJ	OC-144	YC9BU/P	OC-241
YC9BU/P	OC-148	YC9MKF/P	OC-241
YC9ID	OC-150	YC9WZJ/P	OC-241
YC8RRK	OC-210	YE8XM/P	OC-246

He recommends to enclose IRCs for return postage and to use US\$ only if sent by registered mail. QSL to Kadek Kariana SP, P.O.Box 106, Singaraja 81100, Bali, Indonesia. [TNX I8YRK]

+ SILENT KEY + The following comes from The Daily DX #187 (21 September): "The Washington Post reported yesterday on the sad passing of one of our Amateur Radio brothers, William Ruth, W3HRD. Bill died in the attack on the Pentagon on September 11, 2001. He was a teacher in Montgomery County, Maryland for many years. Ruth served in the US Marines during the Vietnam War and in the Army Reserve when the Persian Gulf War broke out."

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QSL DB: Boye Christensen, OZ7C has updated his QSL DBase (which now contains 266,158 unique records) for Packet Cluster. You can download [oz7c0600.exe](http://www.muurkrant.com/pi4com/QSLDatabase/index.html) at:  
<http://www.muurkrant.com/pi4com/QSLDatabase/index.html>  
A search engine is available at <http://www.hammall.com> [TNX OZ7C, [oz7c@qsl.net](mailto:oz7c@qsl.net)]

WF5E: Information on the WF5E DX-QSL Service is available on <http://www.qsl.net/wf5e/>. Also please note that the new e-mail address for Les is [wf5e@home.com](mailto:wf5e@home.com)

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425DXN #543 ---> This issue is being published a few hours before leaving for the annual HF-DX Convention in Bologna. This week's calendar will be published when we come back home.

- 3B8 - Jack/PA3BAG and Hans/PA0VHA will be active (on all bands RTTY, PSK-31, CW and SSB) as 3B8/PA3BAG and 3B8/PA0VHA from Mauritius Island (AF-049) on 1-16 October. QSL via PA0VHA (Hans Vernhout, Ph.de Goedestraat 54, NL 3132 XR Vlaardingen, The Netherlands). [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- 3D2 - Michael, DL1MHM will operate (on 20-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and Pactor 1 & 2) as 3D2MH from Fiji between 27 September and 3 November. He expects to be active from the Viti Levu (OC-016), Vanua Levu (OC-016), Mamanuca (OC-121) and Yasawa (OC-156) IOTA groups. QSL to DL1MHM through the DARC bureau. [TNX DE0MST and Islands On The Web]
- 3D2\_cr - The DXpedition to Conway Reef [425DXN 538] is confirmed to take place between 1 and 10 October. The list of operators now includes YT1AD (team leader), YU1AU, YU1DX, YU7AV, YZ7AA, RZ3AA, Z31FU and N6TQS. Two different calls (to be announced when operations start) will be used for CW & RTTY (QSL via YT1AD: dr. Hrane Milosevic, 36 206 Vitanovac, Yugoslavia) and SSB (QSL via Z32AU: Kostevski Dragan, P.O. Box 35, 6000 Ohrid, Macedonia). The web site for the operation is at <http://www.kragujevac.co.yu/3D2> [TNX YT1AD]
- 4X - Dov, 4Z4DX will operate from Eilat Lighthouse (ISR-002) on 6 October. On his way to the lighthouse he will be QRV as 4Z4DX/m for the Holyland Award squares starting around 3 UTC on 14265 kHz. [TNX 4Z4DX]
- 5T - JA1UT reports that seven members of the International Amateur Radio Volunteers (IARV) will be active (mostly on CW, 30 metres included) from Mauritania on 6-16 October. They expect to be permitted to operate with individual call signs of the format 5T5xxx as well as 5T5U. [TNX G3NOM]
- 9N - Hiro, JA0SC plans to operate from Nepal, hopefully as 9N7SC, between 30 September and 6 October. His activity will take place on 20 and 15 metres RTTY and SSTV. QSL via JA0SC (Hirotsada Yoshiike, 722-1 Shiba, Matsushiro, Nagano, 381-1214 Japan). [TNX The Daily DX]
- DL - Look for Lutz, DL3ARK/p to be active on 10-40 metres from Nordstrand Island (not IOTA, N-024 for the German Islands Award) between 29 September and 6 October. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX DL3ARK]
- EA - Pepe, EA5KB plans to operate from Peneta del Moro (EU-151, DIE E-039) for a few hours on 29-30 September. Look for him on or around 21260 and 28460 kHz. Pepe will concentrate on Japan and North

- America and asks island chasers to refrain from calling him if EU-151 is not a new one for them. [TNX EA5KB]
- E3 - Bernd, DF3CB (df3cb@qsl.net) will be the pilot for the 17 October-3 November E30NA operation from Eritrea [425DXN 540]. The web site for the DXpedition is at <http://www.qsl.net/e30na>
- FM - Andy/IV3BTY, Luke/IV3JVJ, Dan/IV3TDM, Leon/FM5DN, Dennis/FM5GU and Lucien/FM5WD will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as FM5GU (Multi-Single) from Martinique (NA-107). Further information at <http://www.qsl.net/fm5gu> [TNX FM5GU]
- FO\_mar - SP9FIH and SQ9LR plan to operate (on 80-6 metres SSB and RTTY) as FO/SP9FIH from Nuku Hiva (OC-027), Marquesas Islands for two weeks starting on or around 15 October. QSL via SP9FIH. [TNX SP9FIH]
- FS - Look for Ann, FS/W2AZK and Brian, FS/KF2HC to be active from Saint Martin (NA-105) between 26 November and 2 December. They will operate SSB and CW on 40-10 metres (80 and 160 metres will be added if circumstances allow) with wire antennas and possibly a vertical dipole. QSL to their home calls direct or via the bureau. Check "DX News" on <http://www.njdx.org/> for any last minute announcements. [TNX KF2HC]

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- GM - Chris, GM3WOJ and Keith, GM4YXI will be back to the Shetland Islands (EU-012) on 24-29 October. They will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest as GZ7V (Multi-Multi high power). This counts as Scotlnd for DXCC purposes but is a separate multiplier in CQWW contests. Before the contest they will operate as homecall/P on 30, 17 and 12 metres. QSL via ZS5BBO. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.GM7V.com> [TNX GM4YXI]
- I - IT9GSF, YL2KL, YL2KA, YL2LY, YL2KF and YL3CW are operating from the IG9A station on Lampedusa (AF-019) until 1 October, including an entry in the CQ/RJ WW RTTY Contest (Multi-Single). [TNX IT9GSF]
- OH - Harry, OH6YF was active during the SAC as OG6Y. This special call, which celebrates the 80th anniversary of SRAL, will be used during the CQ WW SSB and CW Contests as well. QSL via OH6YF (Harri M. Mantila, P.O. Box 30, FIN-64701 Teuva, Finland). [TNX OH6YF]
- OX - Ben, OZ5AAH/OZ5IPA will be active (on all bands SSB and CW) as OX3IPA from Greenland between 27 October and 5 November. He will operate from 10 until 22 UTC and on 30 October there is a slight possibility for SSTV and RTTY. He will participate in the International Police Associations Contest (<http://www.ipa-rc.de>) the first weekend of November. QSL direct only to Ben Jakobsen, 9 Knoldager, DK-2670 Greve, Denmark. [TNX OZ5AAH/OZ5IPA]
- SM - Look for Fred/SM7DAY and Jan/SM7NGH to be active (on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres CW and SSB) from Ven Island (EU-137,) on 26-30 September. QSL via home calls, either direct or through the bureau. [TNX SM7NGH]
- T30 - Eric, N1JSY is now active as T30ES from Butaritari Island (OC-017), Western Kiribati [425DXN 536]. QRZ-DX reports that the current schedule for his operation is Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday from 10 UTC to 12 UTC on 14280 kHz, depending on conditions. QSL via W1QI (C.A.R.A., P.O. Box 3441, Danbury, CT 06813, USA). Updates will be posted on <http://people.mags.net/boem/kiribatil.htm>
- T32 - Takashi/JR7TEQ, Hiro/JA1PCY and Hiro/JP1TRJ will be active (on 6-160 metres SSB, CW and RTTY) from Christmas Island (OC-024), East Kiribati on 1-7 October. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

- TG - Look for Arno, DL1CW and Andy, DL3GA to operate as TG/DL1CW and TG/DL3GA from Guatemala on 5-15 October. Activity is expected to take place mstly on the upper bands CW, with some SSB and RTTY. QSL via home calls. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- VP5 - WA2VYA, K2WB and N2VW will be active from VP5JM's QTH on Providenciales (NA-002), Turks & Caicos Islands between 23 and 30 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as VP5T (Multi-Multi, QSL via N2VW); before and after the contest they will operate (mostly CW, WARC bands and PSK31) as VP5/homecall. QSL via homecall. [TNX N2VW]
- XU - Yves/F5TYY, Alain/F6BFH, Jacqueline/F6EGG and Bernard/F9IE will operate (80-6 metres CW and SSB with a dipole) from Cambodia between 22 October and 10 November. They will try to be active from Koh Poah (AS-133) during that time frame. F6BFH will be signing XU7ABW, while the licences for the others will be collected upon arrival. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX F6BFH]
- XX9 - Ed, K8EP will be active (SSB and CW) as XX9TEP from Macau (mainland) on 11-17 October. QSL via home call. [TNX K8EP]
- YN - Ed/W5GCX, Frosty/K5LBU and Laurie/G3UML will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as YN2EJ from Nicaragua. QSL via G3UML (Europe and Africa) or K5LBU (others). [TNX W5GCX]

ZL & VK TRIP ---> Nico, PA0MIR expects to leave for New Zealand and Australia on 8 October. He will be in New Zealand until 8 November and plans to operate as ZL1/PA0MIR from OC-201 during the the WAG Contest (20-21 October) and as ZL3/PA0MIR from either OC-134 or OC-203 during the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. He will then move to Australia and be active as VK3FEI/# until March. IOTA operations should include OC-006, OC-233, OC-136 and possibly other groups, including Lord Howe and Norfolk. A side trip to Fiji is also being planned. Nico will use 100 watts and either a mobile vertical antenna or dipoles. QSL via PA0MIR (Nico van der Bijl, Lepelblad 129, NL 1441 VH Purmerend, The Netherlands). [TNX PA0MIR]  
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INTERNATIONAL NAVAL CONTEST ---> This year the International Naval Contest is sponsored by the Italian Navy Old Rhythmers Club (INORC) and will take place from 16 UTC on 15 December until 16 UTC on the 16th. Participating naval clubs include the Australian Naval Amateur Radio Society, the Belgian Maritime Amateur Radio Society, the Finnish Naval Amateur Radio Society, the Marine Amateur Radio Club Netherlands, the Marine Funker-Runde, the Royal Naval Amateur Radio Society, the Romanian Marine Amateur Radio Club and the Marine Funk Club Austria. Detailed information is available from Alberto Frattini, I1QOD (ilqod@inwind.it).

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Ed, W4YO is not and has never been the QSL manager for XT2AT, XT2AU, XT2AW or any other DX station. "Do not send your requests for cards for these stations to me", he says. "Any further cards received by me will be destroyed".

QSL 6A1A ---> Direct cards for the 24-25 April 1999 6A1A operation [425DXN 417] sent to F5KAM were eventually mailed on 20 September 2001. Andre, F6CBL says that the reasons for the delay were beyond the control of radio club F5KAM.

QSL VIA G3SWH ---> As a result of his recent visit to Madagascar and meetings with local hams there, Phil Whitchurch, G3SWH is now the QSL manager for the following stations: 5R8FL, 5R8FT, 5R8FV, 5R8GO and 5R8GZ.

QSL VIA EA5KB ---> Pepe is the QSL manager for the following stations:

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CE2GLR	CO2GP	CO6YY	CX2SA	TG9AMD	ZP6GBA
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CE2SQE	CO2VQ	CO8CH	CX3VB	UN3F	
CE5CSV	CO3JR	CO8EJ	CX5AO	UN7JJ	
CM6QN	CO3ME	CO8OT	CX7OV	XE2KB	
CM6YD	CO6BR	CO8XI	HC3AP	YC1DYY	
CO2AV	CO6FU	CP4AY	HC5NCR	YC1HDF	
CO2CR	CO6HF	CP4BT	HK1RRL	YC9NBR	
CO2FN	CO6RD	CP4IC	HP1AC	YF1T	
CO2FU	CO6TH	CX1CCC	OA6CY	YV6AZC	

QSL VIA N3ZOM ---> Frank Dalonzo, N3ZOM is the QSL manager for CO6TB and CL6BIA. He has the complete logs for both stations and accepts cards either direct or via the bureau. [TNX N3ZOM]

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425DXN SURVEY: The results of the PSK31 software survey [425DXN 535] are now available at <http://www.425dxn-org>

LOGS: The logs for TG0R are available on-line at <http://www.ure.es/hf/eadx/expediciones/tg0r/log/logsp.htm>

CONTEST RULES: The rules for the Oceania DX Contest can be found at <http://www.vk4dx.net>

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- 3D2\_cr - The DXpedition to Conway Reef was delayed while the operators (YT1AD, YU1AU, YU1DX, YU7AV, YZ7AA, YU1NR, N6TQR, K6NDV, RZ3AA and Z31FU) were waiting for some essential parts of their equipment to reach them on the Fiji Islands. They became eventually active in the late UTC hours on 4 October as 3D2CY (SSB) and 3D2CI (CW & RTTY).
- 5B - Johan, PA3FDO reports he will be active as 5B4/PA3FDO from Cyprus on 13-23 October. He will concentrate on 12 and 17 metres. QSL via home call either direct or through the bureau.
- 9H - Laco, OK1AD and Josef, OK1PD will be active (on CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as 9H3WD from Malta (EU-023) for two weeks starting on 10 October. QSL via OK1AD. [TNX OK1PD]
- CE - Marco, CE6TBN will be active as CE6TBN/7 from Chiloe Island (SA-018) from 11 October through the end of the month. He also plans to take part in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via CE6TBN (Marco Quijada, P.O. Box 1234, Temuco, Chile). [TNX CE6TBN]
- F - Look for Alain, F5HPY/p to operate on 40 and 20 metres SSB from La Pointe de Grosse Terre Lighthouse (ARLHS FRA-310) at Saint Gilles (Vendee Department) between 6 and 11 UTC on 6 October. QSL via bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- FO - Marcel, FO0DEH is currently active from Napuka (OC-094) and reportedly his next stops will be on Pukapuka (OC-062) and Hao (OC-066). The trip to Hereheretue (OC-052) has been cancelled due to lack of transport. QSL via ON4QM. [TNX Islands On The Web]
- FR/T - Look for Jack, FR5ZU/T to be on Tromelin until 15 October. He was originally expected to leave the island on the 6th. QSL via JA8FCG. [TNX The Daiy DX]
- GJ - Chris, G0WFH will be active as GH4BJC/p from Jersey Island (EU-013) on 17-31 October. He will operate on 160-10 metres SSB with 400 watts and four vertical antennas and will be using 100 watts and a 3-element on 6 metres. Suggested frequencies are 1.848, 3.680, 3.780, 3.799, 7.060 (rx up 7.185), 7.045, 14.185, 14.260, 18.135, 21.260, 21.285, 24.950, 28.460, 50.150 MHz. QSL via G0DBX or through the bureau. The web site for the operation is at <http://www.hamplanet.com/gh4bjc/index.asp> [TNX G0WFH]
- JT - Alberto, I1QOD and Antonio, I1ZB will be active as JT1FCY/5 &/7 and JT1FCZ/5 &/7 from Darkhan and Erdenet, Mongolia between 27 October and 6 November. They will operate CE only on 10-80 metres, WARC bands included. QSL for both via I1QOD (Alberto Frattini, Via

- S. Domenico 69, 17027 Pietra Ligure - SV, Italy). [TNX I1QOD]
- VK - Look for Dan, VK8AN/6 to be back on Troughton Island (OC-154) between 10 and 20 or 24 October. He will not be putting the island on air again until the cyclone season finishes, probably about April 2002. QSL direct via VK4AAR (Alan Roocroft, P.O. Box 421, Gatton 4343, Australia). [TNX VK4AAR]
- W - Howie, K1VJSJ will operate (on 10-40 metres CW and SSB) from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) on 5-7 October. [TNX The Daily DX]
- W - Rick, AI5P plans to be active on 20 metres as AI5P/m from the Georgia State Group (IOTA NA-058) on either 6 or 7 October. [TNX AI5P and Islands On The Web]
- ZD9 - Look for Chris, ZS6RI to be active (on 10-160 metres CW, SSB and RTTY) as ZD9IR from Gough Island (IOTA AF-030), Tristan da Cunha for the next 12-13 months. For the time being he is using 100 watts and a dipole, but he plans to have a beam for the high bands and wire antennas for the low bands. QSL via ZS6EZ. A web page has been set up at <http://zs6ez.za.org/zd9ir.htm> [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZK1\_sc - The special callsign ZK1USA has been issued to Victor, ZK1CG (Rarotonga, OC-013, South Cooks) "to show support for the People of the United States". Victor will have special cards printed for this operation. QSL to ZK1CG (Victor Rivera, P.O. Box 618, Rarotonga, Cook Islands, via New Zealand). [TNX ZK1CG]

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ARLHS CONVENTION ---> The 9-10 November Amateur Radio Lighthouse Society Convention, which was announced to be held in Brunswick, Georgia [425DXN 539], has been cancelled. However plans are already being made for a meeting in 2002. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

EU-182 ---> The 19-25 September UX1IM/P operation [425DXN 541] took place from the islands of Ankudinov (UIA DU-003, from 17.15 UTC on 19 September through 11.07 UTC on the 23rd) and Ochakovskiy (UIA DU-004, from 19.25 UTC on 23 September through 03.20 UTC on the 25th). QSL via UX1IM (Oleg S. Motsny, ul. Beregovaya 94-1, Selidovo, 85400, Ukraine).

INORC CONTEST ---> The XXI INORC (Italian Naval Old Rhythmers Club) Contest (CW only) will take place from 12 UTC on 17 November through 12 UTC on the 18th and is open to either licensed amateur radio operators and SWLs. Full rules are available from Alberto Frattini, I1QOD (ilqod@inwind.it).

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Please note that Hannes, DL3NM (DL3NEO) is not the QSL manager for either 4U1ITU or 4U1VIC. He can confirm only contacts made on 21-26 August 1994 (4U1ITU) and 20-21 November 1998 (4U1VIC).

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Mario, IZ8DBJ reports he is not the QSL manager for T95DXT any longer, as he was unable to get the logs.

OCEANIA DX CONTESTS ---> The Oceania DX Contests (the old VK/ZL Contests) will be held on 6-7 October (SSB) and 13-14 October (CW), from 8 UTC on Saturday to 8 UTC on Sunday. "There are some new awards and slight rule changes", Tony, VK3TZ says, "and we have tried to encourage activity from all of Oceania, including the smaller islands". The rules are available at <http://www.nzart.org.nz/nzart/update/contests/oceania/> and <http://www.vk4dx.net> and

POSTAGE (PARAGUAY) ---> Mike, ZP5YW reports that "due to recent mail rate increase, effective October 1st, 1 IRC or 1 US\$ sent to ZP stations as return postage expense is no longer enough to cover the air mail cost of a letter. New mail rates require 2 US\$ to cover the mail rates to everywhere in the world except for neighboring Argentina (LU) and Brasil (PY), which is a little under 1 US\$. IRCs are useless here, as they can not be redeemed, but we use them for QSLs we send to others, so they may still be usable."

QSL HK3JJH ---> Carl, N4AA says that "virtually all direct requests for Pedro's operations from Malpelo in 1998, 1999 and 2001 have now been answered. Some, which included requests for other operations are still in the process of confirmation of those 'other' contacts. Requests for other contacts with Pedro are being processed as confirmations are received from him on a weekly basis". If you have any questions about a request sent and not yet confirmed, e-mail Carl at N4AA@dixpub.com

QSL IQ4T ---> Steve, IK4WMH is the new QSL manager for IQ4T. Cards can be requested either direct (Stefano Turci, Cerchia S. Egidio 4460, 47023 Cesena, Italy) or through the bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at topdxx@tin.it).

S.I.A. ---> The Sicilian Islands Award (SIA) is sponsored by ARI Siracusa (<http://siracusanet.it/arisiracusa>) and is available to either licenced amateurs and SWLs. Further information is available from the Award Manager Salvo Costantino, IT9HLR (Sezione ARI di Siracusa, Via del Cormorano 24, 96100 Siracusa - SR, Italy; e-mail [it9h1r@simail.it](mailto:it9h1r@simail.it)).

WRTC 2002 ---> Ari Korhonen, OH1EH reports the following contesters have been nominated to represent their countries in WRTC 2002 (<http://www.wrtc2002.org>):

- Canada - VE3EJ (John Sluymer) and VE7ZO (Jim Roberts)
- Finland - OH1MDR (Timo Pohjola) and OH1MM (Pasi Alanko)
- Germany - DJ6QT (Walter Skudlarek) and DJ2YA (Ulrich Weiss)  
DK3GI (Roland Mensch) and DL1IAO (Stefan von Baltz)
- Sweden - SM5IMO (Dan Hultgren) and SM3SGP (Gunnar Widell)
- Ukraine - UT4UZ (Yuri "Jerry" Onipko) and UT3UA (Sergey Vasilenko)
- Yugoslavia - YU7BW (Robert Homolja) and YU1ZZ (Milan Milanovic)

XP1AB ---> OZ1JSH stated that the special call XP1AB, to be aired again during the forthcoming CQ WW DX SSB Contest, "was used for the last time in the Sixties" [425DXN 537]. Now Maylon Harvey, WA2UUK reports that he operated XP1AB while on Temporary Duty with the Air Force at Sondrestrom AFB, Greenland on 20-29 July 1977. He made 1080 contacts and still has the logs and a few blank cards; any one still wanting one QSL can send a SASE to WA2UUK. Maylon also knows of one other operation by WA7ZLC, who made 229 QSOs in August 1977 and gave WA3HUP as his manager.

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LOGS: The K3J (Johnston Atoll) logs are now available at  
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2E0APH	G3WRO	CO2VQ	EA5KB	OA6CY	EA5KB
3B8/PA0VHA	PA0VHA	CO3JR	EA5KB	OD5/OK1MU	OK1TN
3B8/PA3BAG	PA0VHA	CO3ME	EA5KB	OG6Y	OH6YF
3D2AD	YT1AD	CO6BR	EA5KB	OH0/ES1FB/P	ES1FB
3D2CI	YT1AD	CO6FU	EA5KB	OH0/ES1RA/P	ES1RA
3D2CY	Z32AU	CO6HF	EA5KB	OH0HEY	OH3TY
3D2MH	DL1MHM	CO6RD	EA5KB	OH0JV	DL7RV
3D2XU	PA3AXU	CO6TB	N3ZOM	OS0TIB	ON7RN
3DA0DF	DL7DF	CO6TH	EA5KB	P40MM	K3MM
3DA0FR	DL7DF	CO6TY	EA5KB	PJ2/PA0VDV	PA0VDV
3DA0NL	ZS6ANL	CO6YY	EA5KB	RW9OWD	UA9OW
3W2DC	N4CD	CO8CH	EA5KB	SN9PW	SP9IIL
3W3ZZ	JA1EUI	CO8CY	EA5KB	SU3AM	DL5ZBV
3W9HRN	DL1HRN	CO8EJ	EA5KB	T32CY	JA1PCY
3XY6A	VE2XO	CO8HF	W0DM	T32EQ	JR7TEQ
4L7O	DL7BY	CO8OT	EA5KB	T32RJ	JP1TRJ
4S7OF	K0JN	CO8XI	EA5KB	T90A	T94CV
5B4/DF3IS	DF3IS	CP4AY	EA5KB	TG0R	EA4URE
5R8FL	G3SWH	CP4BT	EA5KB	TG9AAK	EA5KB
5R8FT	G3SWH	CP4IC	EA5KB	TG9AMD	EA5KB
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	CW5AM	EA5RD	TI2/KI7WO	KC0ILO
5R8FV	G3SWH	CX1CCC	EA5KB	TI3TLS	EA5KB
5R8GO	G3SWH	CX2AQ	EA5KB	TI5/JH8KYU	JH8KYU
5R8GZ	G3SWH	CX2SA	EA5KB	TI5U	JH8KYU
5R8HC	F6BUM	CX3UG	EA5KB	TM0LR	F5PTI
7O7A	pirate	CX3VB	EA5KB	TR8XX	F2XX
7X3WDK	EA5KB	CX4AT	EA5RD	TT8DX	F5OGL
7Z1AC	WA4JTK	CX5AO	EA5KB	TT8FC	EA4AHK
8R1USA	8R1AK	CX5BE	EA5RD	UA0CW	W3HNK
9G1AA	PA3ERA	CX7OV	EA5KB	UK8GZ	UA3TT
9G1UW	DL8UP	ED2AZ	EA2AZ	UN3F	EA5KB
9H3Q	PA0RDY	ED2LUZ	EA2KZ	UN5J	W3HNK
9H3YT	PA3GUU	ED5FME	EA5URA	UN7JJ	EA5KB
9K2USA	9K2RA	EK1700Y	EK6GB	UN7PCZ	DL8KAC
9N1AC	N3ME	EK3AA	DK6CW	V31JP	K8JP
9N7BY	JH0HDL	EM1HO	I2PJA	V63A	JA7AO
9N7DL	JH0HDL	EM25PO	US1PM	V63DX	JA7HMZ
9N7QJ	JH0HDL	EN10U	UX5UO	V63XC	7L4IOU
9N7QK	DL7UFP	EO10B	UX5UO	VK6GIO/5	PA3GIO
9N7RB	W4FOA	EO10N	UX5UO	VP2EJB	DK6ST
9N7SC	JA0SC	EO10W	UX5UO	VP2EKS	DL1DA
9N7ZK	SM4AIO	ET3VSC	K3IRV	VQ9SS	N6SS
9Y4/DL2YY	DL2YY	EW8AM	DL8KAC	WP4Q	EA5RD
A25/JA1ELY	JA1ELY	EY10T	DJ1MM	XE2KB	EA5KB
A25/JA1OEM	JA1OEM	EY8MM	K1BV	XF3IC	XE3OYJ
AP2JZB	K2EWB	EY8TM	F6FNU	XT2AJ	F5JRY
AT0D	VU3DJQ	EZ10B0	EZ8B0	XU7ABN	F5JRY
BI5Q	BA4EG	FG/KQ6SI	JA6BCI	XW0X	XW2A
BV3/DJ3KR	DH3MG	FO0DEH	ON4QM	XX9EH	XX9AU
C31VQ	EA2CEM	FR5ZU/T	JA8FCG	XX9TEP	K8EP
C91RF	DL6DQW	HC3AP	EA5KB	YB7N	WB7B
C98DC	DL7AFS	HC5NCR	EA5KB	YC1DYY	EA5KB
C98RF	DL6DQW	HC8N	AA5BT	YC1HDF	EA5KB
CE2GLR	EA5KB	HG50HSC	HA1AG	YC3CZ/9	YC9BU
CE2LZR	EA5KB	HK1RRL	EA5KB	YC9NBR	EA5KB

CE2SQE	EA5KB	HL1OYF/2	HL1OYF	YF1T	EA5KB
CE5CSV	EA5KB	HO1A	DL6MYL	YM3CC	LX1CC
CL6BIA	N3ZOM	HP1/DL7CM	DL7CM	YV6AZC	EA5KB
CM6QN	EA5KB	HP1AC	EA5KB	ZD9IR	ZS6EZ
CM6YD	EA5KB	IG9/YL2KL	YL2KL	ZF2MW	SM7DKF
CN8NK	EA5XX	J49XB	DJ9XB	ZF2QL	SM7EQL
CO2AV	EA5KB	JD1BKZ	JE2DWZ (dir)	ZK1ETW	SM7ETW
CO2CR	EA5KB	JM1MKB/JD1	JE2DWZ (dir)	ZK1TLA	OZ6TL
CO2FN	EA5KB	JT1CO	W3HNC	ZL/K3SRO	K3SRO
CO2FU	EA5KB	KC4USV	K1IED	ZL75	ZL1AA
CO2GL	EA5KB	LT5F	LU4FPZ	ZP3CTW	EA5KB
CO2GP	EA5KB	LX/ON4IPA	ON6WR	ZP6GBA	EA5KB
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>>> DUCIE ISLAND 2001 <<<

Ducie Island (OC-182) should be the next new Entity to be added to the DXCC List. The Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association (PIARA) has applied to the IARU for membership and the closing date for voting is 15 November. If PIARA becomes a member society of the IARU, Pitcairn will become a DXCC "Political Entity" and consequently Ducie Island, which is separated from its "Parent" (Pitcairn itself) by 350+ kilometres, will become a DXCC "Geographic Separation Entity".

PIARA has now announced that plans are complete for their expedition to Ducie Island [425DXN 529]. VP6TC, VP6DB, VP6BK/JA1BK, JF1IST, JA1SLS, K9AJ, K5VT and FO3BM will be active with a VP6 callsign to be announced when the operation starts, i.e. at 00.00 UTC on 16 November. The two main frequencies - 21020 kHz (CW) and 21295 kHz (SSB) - will be used 24 hours a day. Other prime frequencies include 28495 kHz and 14195 kHz for SSB and 14020 kHz for CW, but some activity is planned to take place on the other bands (160-6 metres) and on RTTY as well. Bill Avery, K6GNX will be the pilot station, while the QSL manager (direct and bureau) will be Garth Hamilton, VE3HO. Logs will be available at <http://www.big.or.jp/~ham/dx.html>.

- A5 - Dave Anderson, KW4DA/A52DA will be active from the Bhutan Ham Centre between 23 October and 1 November. Dave is part of the A50A team going to Bhutan for the CQ WW SSB Contest [425DXN 541]; prior to and following the contest he will be active on all bands CW, RTTY, PSK, SSB and SSTV. The e-mail address for arranging special modes and schedules is A52DA@Hotmail.com QSL via KW4DA (Dave Anderson, 712 Baneberry Court, Asheville, NC 28803, USA).
- 3W - Yuki, JI6KVR reports he is planning to be active from Cham Island in the South China Sea Coast North group of Vietnam in March 2002. Further information is expected in due course.
- 9A - Branko, 9A3AY and Ivo, 9A4AO plan to operate (on 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB) from the following Croatian islands in the Dalmatia South IOTA group (EU-016) on 13-14 October: Jakljan (CI-033), Kolocep (IOCA CI-038), Lastovo (CI-051), Lopud (CI-057), Mljet (CI-068) and Sipan (CI-122). [TNX 9A6AA]
- 9G - W7XU, K5AND and W0SD will be operating from Elmina, Ghana between 27 October and 4 November. They will emphasize 6 metres, but activity is expected to take place on 80-10 metres as well, especially RTTY and PSK32. QSL via N0QJM. [TNX W0SD]
- C6 - Five members of the Magnolia DX Association (namely Ernie/W5OXA, Randy/W5UE, Alan/ N5PA, Stan/K5NY and Bernie/KK5EW) will be active from Abaco Island (NA-080), Bahamas on 22-29 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as C6AKO (QSL via W5OXA). Before the contest they plan to be active as homecall/C6A on all



bands SSB, CW and perhaps RTTY. QSLs for pre-contest activity is via individual operator's home call. Updated information can be found at <http://mdxa.org/c6a-2001.html> [TNX W5UE]

- FM - Dan/IV3TDM, Luca/IV3JVJ and Andrea/IV3BTY will operate as FM/homecall from Martinique on 22-26 October before joining Dennis, FM5GU and his team for the CQ WW DX SSB Contest [425DXN 543]. They will emphasize SSB, but Luca should also operate some RTTY and Andrea some CW. QSL for FM/homecall via IV3TDM. [TNX FM5GU]
- FO - Marcel, FO0DEH/ON4QM is still active from Napuka (OC-094) and he will not be going to Pukapuka (OC-062) until November. QSL via home call. [TNX VE6VK and Islands On The Web]
- FO\_au - Eli, HA9RE will be active (with 100 watts on 160-10 metres, WARC bands included) as FO0ARE/A from Rurutu (OC-050), Austral Islands between 17 October and 5 November, CQ WW SSB Contest included. QSL direct only with 2 USD via HA8IB (Karoly Szabo, Fuzesgyarmat, Aradi U. 42, 5525, Hungary).
- FO\_mar - SP9FIH and SQ9LR now expect to operate from Nuku Hiva (OC-027), Marquesas Islands [425DXN 543] between 24 October and 10 November. Look for FO/SP9FIH on 6-80 metres SSB only. QSL via SP9FIH (Janusz Wegrzyn, box 480, 44-100 Gliwice, Poland). [TNX SP9FIH]
- FY - F1HAR, F5HRY, F5MZN, F5OIH, F6HLC, FY5FU and FY5FY will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (27-28 October) as FY5KE (Multi-Single) from French Guiana. QSL via FY5KE. [TNX F6HLC]
- G - The Cray Valley Radio Society will air the special callsign GB8ST from the Crown Woods Festival of Science & Technology in Eltham, South East London from 7 UTC to 16 UTC on 14 October. QSL via G4DFI. [TNX BRS-32525]
- GM - Leo, W3LEO reports he will once again be active as MM0LEO from Portpatrick in southwest Scotland from about 14 October to 17 November, including an entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via W3LEO.
- H4 - Allan, VK2GR will be active (on 15, 20 and 40 metres CW, PSK31 and SSB) in his spare time as H44MA from Malaita Island (OC-047) in the Solomons between 15 October and 30 November. QSL via VK2GR. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HB0 - Laci/HA0HW, Tomi/HA4DX and Geza/HA4XG will be operating (with three stations on CW, SSB and possibly RTTY) as HB0/HA0HW/p, HB0/HA4DX/p and HB0/HA4XG/p from Triesenberg (1100m a.s.l.), Liechtestein on 17-25 October. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX HA0HW]

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- HS - The E29AL operation from Tarutao Island (AS-126) [425DXN 518] has now been rescheduled to take place on 8-15 December. The operators (E20HHK, E20NTS, E20RRW, E21EIC, HS0GBI, HS0XNO, HS0ZCW/K4VUD, HS0/G3NOM, HS1CKC, HS4BPQ and HS9EQY) will be active on all bands (except WARC) and modes (CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV, FM) with 100 watts. Look for them on the usual IOTA frequencies plus 14086, 21086, 28086 kHz (RTTY); 14070, 21070, 28070 kHz (PSK31); 14230, 21340, 28680 kHz (SSTV); 1834 and 3524 kHz. QSL via HS0GBI (Cherdchai Yiwlek, P.O. Box 1090 Kasetsart, Bangkok 10903, Thailand). For comments and donations please e-mail [g3nom@rast.or.th](mailto:g3nom@rast.or.th) or [hs0gbi@rast.or.th](mailto:hs0gbi@rast.or.th) [TNX E21EIC]
- I - Look for Mauro, IH9/IN3QBR and Walter, IH9/IN3XUG to be active (on SSB, CW and RTTY with an emphasis on the WARC bands) from Pantelleria Island (AF-018, IIA TP-001, Zone 33) on 22-26 October.

- Some operation on 6 metres is also being planned. QSLs via IN3XUG either direct or through the bureau. Then the two will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest with the IH9P team. [TNX IN3XUG]
- JA - Look for JI1PLF/1, 7N1GNK/1 and 7N4PVR/1 to operate (on 10-80 metres SSB and CW) from Hachijo Island (AS-043) on 2-5 November. QSL via home calls. [TNX JI6KVR]
- J7 - Look for Bill/W4WX (J75WX, QSL via home call), William/N2WB (J79WB, QSL via N200), Bob/KR4DA (J79DA, QSL via home call), Larry/W1LR (J79LR, QSL via home call) and Clarence/W9AAZ (J79AA, QSL via home call) to be active (on all bands, 6 metres included, CW, SSB, PSK-31, RTTY, HELM and MMTTY) from Dominica (NA-101) on 23-30 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (Multi-Single) as J75J (QSL via KR4DA). The web site for the operation is at <http://www.geocities.com/j79wb/index.html> [TNX W4WX]
- KH - Tommy, VK2IR will be active as KH\*/VK2IR from Hawaii and Midway Island between 24 November and 1 December. QSL via home call. [TNX VK2IR]
- KH2 - Guam Contest Club members JI3ERV/NH2C, JH7QXJ, JR7OMD/WI30, JE8KKX/AH2K and JH0USD/KH2VO will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as AH2R (Multi-Single) from Guam. QSL via JH7QXJ.
- LU - Operators from Radio Club Mar Del Plata (LU2DT) will be active as LS2D from Isla Verde (40 miles south of Bahia Blanca) on 23-25 November. Look for them on CW (3510, 7005, 14020, 21020, 28020 and 50110 kHz) and SSB (3680, 7080, 14190, 21290, 28400 and 50110 kHz). [TNX I1HYW and LU4EJ]
- PY - Look for PS8HF/p and PS8NF/p to be active (on 10-40 metres SSB and CW) from Grande de Santa Isabel Island (SA-025, DIB 19) until 15 UTC on 14 October. QSL direct to P.O. Box 110, Teresina, PI 64001-970, Brazil. [TNX PP5SZ]
- PY0\_tri- The ZW0TB and ZW0TW operation from Trindade [425DXN 513], originally planned "for two or three weeks in October", has been postponed to a new date TBA. The web page is at <http://www.radiohaus.com.br/trindade.htm>
- SV - A group of Greek amateurs will participate in the Jamboree On The Air (20-21 October) as J41NIK. Look for them on 10-80 metres SSB and PSK31. QSL via SV1HR either direct or through the bureau. [TNX SV1XV]
- SV9 - Ben, DL6FBL will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as SV9CVY from Crete. Before the contest he will operate as SV9/DL6FBL for three days. More information may be found at <http://www.dl6fbl.de/sv9cvy> [TNX DL6FBL]
- T2 - A team of experienced operators (namely Ono/JH7OHF, Ted/JJ1LIB, Hiko/JN1HOW and Mano/JQ1KNH) will operate from Tuvalu (OC-015) on 1-8 November. They will be active on 160-6 metres SSB, CW and RTTY as T20T or T22T (on HF bands) and T20SIX (on 6 metres), with three stations with amplifiers, beams and verticals/dipoles. QSL for HF QSOs direct to JN1HOW (Toshihiko Niwa, 1081-8 Sakae, Kitakawabe, 349-1213 Japan); QSL for 6m QSOs direct to JH7OHF (Katsushi Ono, 15-10 Gamokotobuki, Koshigaya, 343-0836 Japan). [TNX JA1ELY]
- T8 - Lee, HL1IWD will be visiting Palau on 20-24 October and will be active in his spare time as T88YB mainly on 20 metres CW. All of the contacts will be confirmed automatically through the bureau. [TNX HL1IWD]
- TI - Goran, SM4DHF will be active as TI2/SM4DHF from Henry's (TI2HMG) QTH between 24 October and 4 November, including an entry in the CQ WW SSB Contest as SOSB (10, 15 or 20 metres) LP. Before and after the contest he will operate CW and RTTY as well. QSL via SM4DHF. [TNX SM4DHF]
- UA - RM9A is the call Henry, UA9ACJ will be using in SSB contests until May 2002. QSL via UA9ACJ either direct (Henry Litvinov, P.O. Box 737, Snezhinsk, Chelyabinsk obl, 456775, Russia) or through the bureau. [TNX UA9ACJ]
- UA - Look for UA6MF/6, UA6NY/6 and UA6LGR/6 to be active from Zelenyj

Island (RR 17-05) in the Azov Sea on 12-14 October. QSL via home calls. [TNX UA6MF]

- V4 - Look for Sam, G4OHX to be active (on 20 metres CW with emphasis on FISTS and RSAS members) as V47OHX from St Kitts & Nevis (NA-104) until 24 October. QSL via home call. [TNX F5NQL and VA3RJ]
- V6 - Look for JE1LES to operate (on 20-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV) as V63HJ between 22 and 28 October. QSL via home call. [TNX Japan DX News]
- VE - Team Zone 2 (including VA3FIN, VA3KO, VA3OK, VA3RD, VA3RMF, VA3TSG, VE3BIX, VE3BY, VE3DBF, VE3HAE, VE3KJS, VE3SRE, VE3TV, VE3TPZ, VE3XAP, NB1B and N1NK) will be active as VB2V from Zone 2 on 23-29 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via NB1B (US stations) and VE3BY (others). The web site for the operation is at <http://www.fortunecity.com/marina/westindia/597/zone2> [TNX VE3SRE]
- VE - Hisato, 7K1WLE will be active (mainly on the low bands) as either VY0/7K1WLE or AK2M/VY0 from Cornwallis Island (NA-009), Nunavut (Zone 2) on 25-31 October. QSL via JN1HOW. Tad, JF6OJX (tad@DXing.org) will be one of the pilots for this operation. [TNX JF6OJX]

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- XE - Members of the XE1RCS contest group will be active from Isla de Lobos (Veracruz State North group, NA-???) on 1-4 November. They will operate SSB and CW 10-80 metres, WARC bands included, with two stations; other two stations will be used for 6 metres and FM satellites. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX XE1KK]
- ZK1 - Jan, SM7ETW, who operated as ZK1ETW from Rarotonga Island (OC-013, South Cooks), will now be active from Penrhyn (OC-082, North Cooks) for one week starting on 13 October and then from Aitutaki (OC-083, South Cooks) for another week. QSL via SM7ETW. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZL8 - Jacky, ZL3CW/F2CW will be active again from the Kermadec Islands (OC-039) between 1 and 26 November. He will operate as much as his work allows as either ZM8CW or ZL8CW with special attention to low bands, including 160m included, RTTY and PSK31. QSL to ZL3CW (Jacky Calvo, P.O. Box 593, Pukekohe 1800, New Zealand). [TNX The Daily DX]

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NOT THE MANAGER ---> Joe Arcure, W3HNK reports he his not the QSL manager for JT1CO [425DXN 544]. "A while back I offered my help to obtain JT1CO cards", he says. "I must now withdraw my offer. I am not nor do I plan to be his QSL manager. Please no more cards".

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Alex, DL8FCU reports he has not been the QSL manager for EX8W and EX8F since 1999.

QSL V31JP ---> Joe Pontek, K8JP/V31JP reports that KA9WON is still his QSL manager [425DXN 544]. Joe is going to be back in Belize shortly and will

remain there through April 2002. He has made around 45,000 QSOs from Belize since his first trip in August 1997. Cards should be sent Lonnie Miller, 12618 Thistle Ridge Close, Roscoe, IL 61073, USA.

QSL WH6ASW/KH2 ---> KH6DQ is not the QSL manager for WH6ASW/KH2. He has been SK for a few years now, and cards should be sent direct only (qrz.com). [TNX IV3SKB]

QSL VIA DJ9HX ---> Uwe, DJ9HX says he prefers QSLling through the bureau. The cards for his recent activities as K2HX/KP4 (NA-099) and DJ9HX/C6A (NA-001 and NA-113) have been printed and can be requested at dj9hx@dark.de

TT8DX & ZK1NDK ---> DXCC Manager Bill Moore, NC1L has announced that the DXCC has approved ZK1NDK (North Cook Islands) and TT8DX (Chad) for DXCC credit.

WRTC 2002 ---> Ari Korhonen, OH1EH reports the following contesters have been nominated to represent their countries in WRTC 2002 (<http://www.wrtc2002.org>):

Asiatic Russia	- Vadim Travin, RA9JX and Oleg Usov, UA9CDV
European Russia 1	- Vlad Aksenov, RW1AC and Jack Danielyan, RW3QC
European Russia 2	- Igor Avdeev, UA2FZ and Alex Orlov, RW4WR
Hungary	- Zoli Pitman, HA1AG and Antal Hudanik, HA3OV
Lithuania	- Dainius Savicius, LY1DS and Andrius Ignotas, LY2TA
Slovenia	- Robert Kasca, S53R and Robert Bajuk, S57AW

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LOGS: The logs for TA0/IZ7ATN (AS-159) are now available at <http://www.qsl.net/iz0ckj> [TNX IZ0CKJ]

QSLs received direct: 3V8DJ (AF-083), 3Y0C (AN-002), 4K8M, 5A1A, 5R8GT/P (AF-057), 5U7JK, 9A10HRM (EU-110), 9A7K (EU-170), 9G5AA, 9L1DX, 9M6IFT, 9V1RH, 9Y4TD, BA4DW/2 (AS-158), BQ9P, BV9L (AS-155), CP2DL, CQ2P (EU-167), D2GG, D68C, DS4AKP, DU1EIB, EP2MKO, EX7ML, F5XX/P (EU-148), FG/F5SNY, FM/KU9C, FP5KE, FW5ZL, HK3JJH/HK0, HK3JJH/HK5 (SA-017), HK5QGX/OM, HV0A, HV4NAC, J28VS, J5X, JA6CTW (AS-032), KH8/N5OLS, OX/W5FKX, PJ5/UA1ACX, PV0F, PY1VOY/p (SA-077), RU1A, SK6M (EU-043), SY2A, T48Z, T5X, T77C, TI4G, TL8DV, UM9AA, VK7TS/4 (OC-171 and OC-172), VK9NS, VP2MCS, VP2VF, VP5R, VP8LGT, VP8SDX, VR2MY, VU2PAI, VY2/N1RL, XF3/AB5EB, XJ1JF, XL3KR, ZC4DW, ZK1NDS, ZK1NFK, ZL7/G3SXW, ZL7/G3TXF, ZMY2K, ZP5MAL.

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425DXN #546 ---> This issue was published earlier than usual a few hours before your Editors left for the International HF-DX & Contest Convention to be held in Catania over the weekend.

- 5B - RA0AM, RA9JX, RZ9UA, RV0AU, RW3QC, RW9UP, UA9MA, UA9UR and UA9YAB will be active as 5B4/homecall from Cyprus on 23-30 October. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as P3A. [TNX UA9YAB]
- 6Y - AC8G, N6NR, N7YX, WA8LOW and W8ILC will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as 6Y6L (Multi-Multi) from Jamaica (NA-097). They plan to have four complete stations with amplifiers and a wide range of antennas. QSL via WA8LOW. The group expects to start limited SSB, CW, PSK31 activity as homecall/6Y5 on 23 October. QSL via the appropriate home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- 9M6 - Irwin, KD3TB and Andy, KD3RF will be active (on SSB, RTTY and PSK31) as 9M6TBT from East Malaysia on 26-29 October, CQ WW SSB DX Contest included. QSL via KD3TB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CT3 - Walter, DJ6QT will be active from Madeira (AF-014) between 23 October and 26 November. He will participate in both the CQ WW DX Contests as CT9L. QSL via DJ6QT. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F - Special call TM5SIA will be used on all bands and modes until 30 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest, by French amateur radio operators to celebrate the 23rd International HamExpo in Auxerre. QSL via F2WS. [TNX F5NQL]
- FP - Look for FP/AC8W and FP/K8DD to operate from St. Pierre & Miquelon (NA-032) on 25-31 October, single band entries in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest included. QSL via home calls.
- FG - Edin, T97M will be active (on all bands SSB, CW and RTTY) as FG/T97M from Guadeloupe on 22-30 October. QSL via K2PF (Ralph G. Fariello, 23 Old Village Rd, Hillsborough, NJ 08844-4008, USA). Edin and Danny, T93M will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as FG5BG (Multi-Single). [TNX T97M]
- FS/PJ7 - Ken, K7ZUM, and Craig, AH8DX will operate as PJ7/K7ZUM (on 10-40 metres RTTY and SSB) from St. Maarten and FS/AH8DX (mostly SSB) from St. Martin starting on 21 October. They will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- GD - Joe, K1JB and Mike, K1EU will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as GD6IA from the Isle of Man (EU-116). Before the contest they will operate on CW as MD/K1EU and MD/K1JB. [TNX The Daily DX]
- HV - Look for HV5PUL to be aired (on HF, 6 and 2 metres) from the Pontificia Universita' Lateranense, Vatican City (<http://www.pul.it>) on 20 October and 6 November. [TNX OZ6OM]
- I - A large group of operators (including 9A3GW, 9A6A, 9H1EL, I4AVG, I4EAT, I4TJE, I4VEQ, IT9CHU, IT9EQO, IT9GSF, IT9INO, IV3TMV, JH4RHF, N5ZO, S50R and SV8CS) will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest

- as IG9A (Multi-Multi) from Lampedusa Island (African Italy, Zone 33, IOTA AF-019). QSL via I2MQP. [TNX IT9GSF]
- I - Pantelleria Contest Team (I2IFT, I8QLS, I8ULL, I8UZA, IK2ANI, IK2CIO, IK2HKT, IK2RZP, IK2SND, IK2YCN, IK8ETA, IN3QBR, IN3XUG, IT9BLB, IT9VDQ, IT9WPO, IT9ZMX, OL5Y, W1NA and W7ZB) will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as IH9P (Multi-Multi) from the island of Pantelleria (African Italy, Zone 33, IOTA AF-018, IIA TP-001). QSL via KR7X. They will arrive on 20 October and before the Contest they will operate as homecall/IH9 on CW, RTTY, SSTV, PSK31 and on the WARC bands. [TNX IT9BLB]
- J3 - Yankee Clipper Contest Club members K1RX (J3/K1RX), K1HI (J3/K1HI), K2KQ (J37ZA) and W1NR (J3/W1NR) will participate in the CQ WW SSB Contest as J3A (Multi-Multi) from Grenada (NA-024). QSL J3A via WA1S, others via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- J6 - David, K3LP will operate as J6R from St. Lucia (NA-108) on 24-31 October. During the CQ WW DX SSB Contest he will be joined by Ernest, J69AZ and they will participate in the event as M/S on all bands. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KH0 - JF1MIA will operate (on HF and 6 metres) as KH0A from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086) on 26-29 October. QSL via home call. [TNX OZ6OM]
- P2 - Yoshi, JG7AMD will be active as P29JA from Papua New Guinea (on 80-6 metres, WARC bands included) on 24-29 October, including an entry in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest. QSL via JG7AMD either direct (Yoshi-hiro Shoji, 168-5 Yokaichi, Odaki, Esashi, 023-1131 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JG7AMD]

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- T2 - Team Tuvalu will now use T2T (HF, QSL direct only via JN1HOW) and T2SIX (6m, QSL direct only via JH7OHF) during their 1-8 November operation [425DXN 545]. Their web site is at <http://www1.famm.ne.jp/~ndx/pedi/t2-2001/t2-2001.html> [TNX JJ1LIB]
- V2 - Team Antigua will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as V26B (Multi-Multi). A large group of operators will be active (especially on RTTY, PSK31, 160 metres, the WARC bands and possibly 6 metres) with individual calls starting around 22 October until around 4 November. For the time being team members include:
- |              |                |                |               |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| V26A (N3BNA) | QSL via WB3DNA | V26O (N5NJ)    | QSL via N5NJ  |
| V26K (N2TK)  | QSL via N2TK   | V26OC (N3OC)   | QSL via W3OC  |
| V26B (WT3Q)  | QSL via WT3Q   | V26TZ (ZP5AZL) | QSL via W3HNC |
| V26E (AB2E)  | QSL via AB2E   | V26U (W2UDT)   | QSL via W2UDT |
| V26EW (N2ED) | QSL via N2ED   | V26YR (W2YR)   | QSL via W2YR  |
- For further information please visit <http://www.frc-contest.org>
- W - The University of Florida Radio Club will operate as W4DFU from the Cedar Key Island (NA-076) Lighthouse between approximately 14 UTC on 20 October and 21 UTC on the 21st. The primary bands will be 10, 15 and 20 metres SSB, with some operation on CW, 40 and 17 metres. QSL to W4DFU or WA4ET. [TNX W3KT]
- W - The Anne Arundel Radio Club in Davidsonville, Maryland will operate a special event station using the club callsign W3VPR to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of AARC. The station will operate on +/- 14240, 21340 and 28440 kHz from 12 UTC to 20 UTC on 20 and 21 October. QSL to Anne Arundel Radio Club Inc., P.O. Box 308, Davidsonville, MD 21035, USA. [TNX K3GV]
- W - Special Event Stations using the call sign W7K will operate from



0000 UTC on 20 October through 0000 UTC on the 22nd to celebrate the 85th year of continuous operation by the Radio Club of Tacoma, Washington. QSL to RCT, Box 11188, Tacoma, WA 98411, USA. [TNX W7BUN]

ZF - Jim, K4BI will be active (on 40-6 metres, with "primary emphasis" on 6m) as ZF2MU from the Cayman Islands (NA-016) on 18-28 October. [TNX OZ6OM]

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CQ ASKS CONTESTERS TO E-MAIL ALL LOGS ---> The following was released on 16 October: "Due to security concerns, CQ Communications Inc. (cq@cq-amateur-radio.com) is asking all participants in CQ-sponsored amateur radio contests to submit their logs electronically. All logs for the CQ World Wide DX Contest, the CQ WPX Contest, the CQ World Wide 160-Meter Contest, the CQ World Wide VHF Contest and the CQ/RTTY Journal RTTY contests should be submitted via e-mail per instructions in the rules for each contest. In light of recent events regarding hazardous items sent through the mail, logs received through the mail at the CQ offices will be held unopened until all potential health risks have been evaluated. CQ says it cannot guarantee that logs submitted by postal mail will be opened". For further information please contact Richard Moseson, W2VU (w2vu@cq-amateur-radio.com).

E30NA ---> The pilot station is Dieter, DF4RD (DF4RD@qsl.net). The web page - to be updated on a daily basis - is at <http://www.qsl.net/e30na>. QSL via DL5NAM.

NEW ISLAND AWARD ---> The Grado Lagoon Islands Award is sponsored by ARI Grado. Full information is available at <http://go.to/arigrado> [TNX IV3KTY]

QSL EX10A ---> Cards for this Kyrgyz special event station have been printed and can be requested from the EX bureau (P.O. Box 745, Bishkek 720017, Kyrgyzstan). [TNX EX/K4ANA]

QSL VIA JE1DXC ---> Masa, JE1DXC is not the QSL manager for YJ0ADX [425DXN 540]. This was (obviously) a typo for YJ0AXC, the call Masa used during his operations from Vanuatu. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused Masa and our readers.

+ SILENT KEY + Vilnis Vosekalns, YL2KF reports the sad news of the passing of Gundars "Gunis" Zakis, YL2RP on 9 October at 36 years of age. Gunis was an active island chaser and one of the few amateurs from Latvia to get the 5BDXCC and DXCC Honor Roll.

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GB0SM: The log for the 6-13 October operation from EU-011 is now available at [www.qsl.net/gb0sm](http://www.qsl.net/gb0sm). E-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to either [tom@tctaylor.demon.co.uk](mailto:tom@tctaylor.demon.co.uk) or [g0pse@qsl.net](mailto:g0pse@qsl.net) [TNX G0PSE]

LOGS: The 3D2AD, 3D2CI and 3D2CY logs are available at <http://dx.qsl.net/logs> [TNX The Daily DX]

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3A2AD	YT1AD	EO8141ZPN	UY0ZG	S79DA	DL1DA
3B8/ON4LAC	ON4LAC	ER8C	ER1DA	SV0IR	DL2FDF
3B8/PA3BAG	PA3BAG	EX2M	W3HNC	SV8/DL8MCA	DL8MCA
3D2CI	YT1AD	EX8W	UA3AGS	T30ES	W1QI
3D2CY	Z32AU	EY8MM	K1BV	T88ME	7N1RTO
3D2MH	DL1MHM	EY90MT	EY8MM	T88YB	HL1IWD
3D2WG	DL9NCW	EZ10A	EZ3A	TG/DB2TR	DL1SBF
3DA0DF	DL7DF	EZ10AQ	DJ1MM	TG/DL1CW	DL1CW
3W2DC	N4CD	EZ10BO	EZ8BO	TG/DL3GA	DL3GA
4S7OF	K0JN	FM5WD	W3HNC	TI2/KI7WO	KC0ILU
4W/CU3FT	CT1EEB	FO0DEH	ON4QM	TI4GCV	EA7FTR
5B4/PA3FDO	PA3FDO	FR5ZU/T	JA8FCG	TT8DX	F5OGL
5N41EAM	IK7JTF	FY/F8DEG/P	F8DEG	UA0AZ	W3HNC
5N41NDP	IK5JAN	GB0SM	G3WNI	UA9CUA	W3HNC
5T5KYC	JA2KYC	GB8ST	G4DFI	UK8OM	IK2QPR
5T5NMY	JR1BWQ	GH4BJC/p	G0DBX	UN7EN	EA7FTR
5T5RUZ	JA8RUZ	H40AT	IZ8CCW	UN7MO	EA7FTR
5T5U	JA1UT	H44AT	IZ8CCW	UX1IM/p	UX1IM
5U7JK	I2YSB	HB0/HA0HW/p	HA0HW	V31JP	KA9WON
5W0MO	OM2SA	HB0/HA4DX/p	HA4DX	V47OHX	G4OHX
8Q7LM	DL7ULM	HB0/HA4XG/p	HA4XG	V8AAP	N200
8R1USA	8R1AK	HK0OEP	N0JT	VE1/HB9BCK	HB9BCK
8Z0A	pirate	II1ARI	I1JQJ	VK8AN/6	VK4AAR
9H3WD	OK1AD	II6I	IK6LLE	VK9LO	PA3GIO
9N1AC	N3ME	IQ3V	IV3LNQ	VR2OS	K0JN
9N7RB	W4FOA	IQ4T	IK4WMH	VU3MCV	ON7LX
9Y4/DL2YY	DL2YY	IQ5ONU	I5KKW	VY2/HB9BCK	HB9BCK
A92DX	pirate	J41NIK	SV1HR	XF1/DL1YMK	DL1YMK
AA1NY/KH0	JA4CZM	J88DR	G3TBK	XW0X	XW2A
AP2JZB	K2EWB	JA6WFM/HR3	JA6VU	XX9TEP	K8EP
BD8HD/4	BA4EG	JD1BKY	JI2BTM	YB0DPO	K5ZE
C6AHN	KC4SZE	JT1CS	JR1CGJ	YB0GJS	K5ZE
C98DC	DL7AFS	KH0/JA4KKW	JA4KKW	YC3CZ/9	YC9BU
CE6TBN/7	CE6TBN	KH2/KH0T	JA1SGU	YN4SU	TI4SU
CQ9T	CT3KN	KH2VL	JM1LJS	ZF2LC	W2SM
CT3KN/CT1	CT3KN	KP2/EI2CA	EI2CA	ZF2ZZ	SM7DZZ
CT9KN	CT3KN	LU8XW	EA5BD	ZK1ETW	SM7ETW
CU3FT	EA7FTR	LW9EOC	EA7JX	ZK1USA	ZK1CG
DU1/SQ9BOP	SP6GVU	MM0LEO	W3LEO	ZL1/PA0MIR	PA0MIR
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- 3W - The IOTA DXpedition to Cham Island (AS-???) [425DXN 545] is now scheduled to take place on 17-22 April 2002. Shu/JA6IEF, Yuki/JI6KVR and Hau/3W6LI plan to operate with two stations on SSB and CW. QSL via EA5KB. For further information please visit <http://www3.ocn.ne.jp/~iota/newpage25.htm> [TNX JI6KVR]
- 4X - Dov, 4Z4DX and Paul, 4X6UU will operate from Stela Maris Lighthouse (ISR-004) starting around 13 UTC on 17 November. On their way to the lighthouse they will be active from a few Holyland Award squares starting around 3 UTC. [TNX 4Z4DX]
- 5W - Bill, W7TVF will be active from Samoa (OC-097) between 20 November and 10 December. The call is not known yet. Operation will be on all bands from 160 to 6 metres and the mode will be mostly CW. Special attention will be given to Europe and Africa on the low bands during favorable grayline. Further information, including on-line log serach, will be available at <http://www.air-internet.com/~w7tvf> [TNX NW7O]
- 9M6 - Jani, YB0US will be operating as 9M6US from the Hillview Gardens ARC in Sabah from 26 October until 6 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest as 9M6A (SOAB HP). All QSL via N200. [TNX N200]
- 9N - Micha, DL7VMH will be active as 9N7MH from Nepal between 28 October and 5 November. He will operate mainly CW on 17 metres and a second band to be decided upon arrival. [TNX The Daily DX]
- CE0\_est- Andy, HB9JOE and Fred, HB9AAQ will be visiting Easter Island (SA-001) between 4 and 8 November and plan to be active in their free time as CE9Y/home call on 10-40 metres CW. QSL via home calls. [TNX HB9AAQ]
- E3 - The E30NA [425DXN 543] team is transmitting from near Asmara and there will be no operation from AF-038 due to power and other local problems. Damaged notebooks prevent them from operating digital modes; for the same reason on-line logs will not be available during the activity. They will participate in the CQ WW DX SSB Contest (Multi-Single) and will go QRT on 2 November. QSL via DL5NAM. More details are available at <http://www.qsl.net/e30na> [TNX DF4RD]
- E4 - Due to local conditions, Gunter, E4/OE1GZA had to cancel his planned activity during the CQ WW SSB Contest [425DXN 539]. Updates on his future operations will be posted on <http://sites.netscape.net/vr2gz/amateurradioe4>
- FG - Robert, N4CD will be active (on all bands CW and SSB) as FG/N4CD from Guadeloupe on 15-30 November. QSL via N4CD. [TNX N4CD]
- HI - Julio, AD4Z/HI3K reports he will be back home at HI3K and HI3J (his father's station) between 21 November and 9 December. He will operate on all bands mostly CW with an emphasis on 160 metres and the WARC bands. Any arrangements for QSO will be welcome via e-mail

to USA002@hotmail.com. Julio will also participate in the CQ WW DX CW and ARRL 160m Contests. QSL via AD4Z.

- I - Operators from ARI La Spezia will operate special event station IY1SP until 31 December to commemorate Guglielmo Marconi's experiments in 1901 and 1931. IY1SP will be active during the CQ WW SSB, CQ WW CW, Memorial Marconi VHF and Italian 40/80m Contests. Special QSL card via I1FNX either direct (c/o Sezione A.R.I. La Spezia, P. O. Box 45, 19100 La Spezia - SP, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IW1PDP]
- JA - Masafumi, JA6GXX will be active again from the lighthouse on Mejima, Danjo Islands (AS-056) on 6-15 November, 27 November-6 December and 27 December-7 January. These are likely to be his last operations from this island. [TNX JI6KVR]
- JA - Take, JI3DST will be active (on 40, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 6 metres SSB) as JI3DST/6 from Miyako Island (AS-079) between 7.00 UTC on 29 December and 00.00 UTC on 5 January. QSL to JI3DST either direct (Takeshi Funaki, 2-18-26 Hannan-Cho, Abeno-Ku, Osaka-City, Osaka 545-0021, Japan) or preferably through the bureau. [TNX JI3DST]
- KC4\_ant- Chris, N3SIG is active (mainly on 20, 17 and 15 metres SSB) as KC4/N3SIG from the McMurdo Station (WABA K-09) on Ross Island (AN-011), Antarctica until March 2002. QSL via AI3D. Special QSOs can be arranged by sending an e-mail to n3sig@arrl.net [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- LU - The CRMMA Radio Club from Merlo, Buenos Aires will operate (on 10, 15 and 20 metres CW, RTTY and PSK31) L82D on 29 October to celebrate the 32nd anniversary of the Marambio Antarctic Base. QSL via LU8DR (CRMMA, P.O. Box 47, 1722 Merlo, Buenos Aires, Argentina). [TNX WC6DX]
- OZ - Look for Jakob, OZ7AEI/p to be active on 40 and 20 metres SSB from Als Island (not IOTA, DIA JY-001) on 2 November starting around 16 UTC. QSL via bureau or direct to Jakob Pedersen, Hvamvej 47, DK-7500 Holstebro, Denmark. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- PJ4 - Peter, PA3CNX will be active as PJ4/PA3CNX from Bonaire (SA-006), Netherlands Antilles on 5-30 November. Look for him on or around 3790, 7070, 14340, 28440, 29580 (FM) and 50110 kHz. QSL via PA3CNX either direct or through the bureau. His web site is at <http://home.wxs.nl/~cnx> [TNX PA3CNX]
- R1\_ant - Alex, RA1PC (and possibly Alan, UA1PAC as well) will be a member of the next wintering expedition to Russian Antarctic Base "Vostok" (R1ANC, IOTA AN-016, WABA UA-010). The QSL route will be via DL5EBE. [TNX DL5EBE]
- SM - SM7DAY and SM7NGH will be active (on 10, 15 and 20 metres CW and SSB) from Ven Island (EU-137) on 9-11 November. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX SM7NGH]
- YV - Gilberto, IZ1DLV will be active from Los Roques (SA-035) between 30 October and 11 November. Gilberto's licence is being issued and will operate on 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 metres SSB. QSL direct only to IZ1DLV (Gilberto Bonasegale, P.O. Box 7039, 16148 Genova - GE, Italy).
- XT - The Voodoo Contest Group will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest (24-25 November) as XT2DX (Multi-Multi) from Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso. Operators will include G3PJT, G3SXW, G3XTT, G4BWP, G4IFB, G4PIQ, KC7V. QSL via G3SXW. [TNX G3SXW]
- ZL - Andy, GM0NWI will be active (mainly on 20 and 40 metres CW QRP) as ZL/GM0NWI from New Zealand between 30 October and 24 January. QSL via home call. [TNX GM0VRP]

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AFRICAN TOUR ---> Mike, DF8AN reports he plans to visit and operate from Kenya (5Z) on 2-5 and 15-17 November, Tanzania (5H) on 5-7 November and the Seychelles (S7) 8-15 November. QSL direct to DF8AN either direct (Michael Noertemann, Neustadt 18, D-37154 Northeim, Germany) or through the DARC bureau.

THE EUROPEAN TRIANGLE (CQWW SSB) ---> It is often thought that working Europe and working \*from\* Europe means one and the same thing. A group of serious contesters decided to run a single-op all-band CQ WW SSB effort from three different corners of Europe. They expect huge differences in their final tally which will be published and analyzed. This will also provide those who plan to be around during the contest weekend with an opportunity for making some interesting observations. The stations involved in this experiment are:  
1: CT7B, Northern Portugal (40.20N - 08.42W) by Martti Laine, OH2BH  
2: OH0MM, Aland Islands (60.40N - 20.00E) by Ville Hiilesmaa, OH2MM  
3: SV9CVY, Crete Island (35.33N - 25.13E) by Bernd "Ben" Och, DL6FBL  
Web sites are at <http://www.dl6fbl.de/sv9cvy> and <http://www.qsl.net/ctleeb/>  
[TNX N4GN]

CQ WW DX SSB CONTEST ---> Other operators who have announced their participation in this year's event include:

- Hamad, 9K2HN as 9K9X (SOAB). QSL via bureau. [TNX 9K2HN]
- Juan Carlos, CO8TW as SOSB (10 metres). QSL via IZ8CCW and on-line logs at <http://www.qsl.net/co8tw/> [TNX CO8TW]
- E21EIC, E2ORRW and HS0XNO as E21EIC (Multi-Single). QSL via home call. Other participants from Thailand include HS5AYO (SOAB LP, QSL via CBA), HS1CKC (SOAB HP, QSL via CBA), HS4BPQ (SOSB 15m LP, QSL via E21EIC), HS9EQY (SOAB LP, QSL via E21EIC), E20HHK (SOSB 20m LP, QSL via E21EIC). [TNX E21EIC]
- Pekka, OH1RY as EA8AH from the Canary Islands. QSL via OH1RY. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Don, G3XTT as MJ0C (SOSB on 15 or 10 metres, depending on conditions) from Jersey. QSL via G3XTT.
- The Mid Lanark ARS contest group as GM0B (Multi-Multi) from Dunnet Head, most northerly point of the United Kingdom. Further information at <http://www.qsl.net/mm0bhx/gm0b/new-page-1index.htm> [TNX GM0EGI]
- A group of German and Swiss operators as HB0/HB9AON from Liechtenstein. QSL via DJ2YE. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- Pedro, HC1OT as HC8Z from Isla San Cristobal, Galapagos (SA-004). QSL via NE8Z (Rick Dorsch, P.O. Box 616, Hamburg, MI 48139, USA). [TNX NE8Z]
- JA6WFM/HR3, JM6EBU/HR3 and JM6UAA/HR3 as HR3J (Multi-Single). QSL via JA6VU (Masaaki Kano, 712 Kagami-machi, Yatsushiro-gun, Kumamoto 869-4203, Japan). [TNX JI6KVR]
- I3BQC/p, IK3ABY/p, IK3BPN/p and IK3BSM/p with individual entries from Ottogono degli Alberoni (EU-131, IIA VE-041). QSL via home calls. [TNX I3BQC]
- A group of operators from the Northern Italy DX and Contest Team as IO4T. QSL direct only to IK4XCL (Roberto Bellotti, Via G.Graziosi 6, 41100 Modena - MO, Italy). [TNX IK4RQJ]
- Fabrizio, IN3ZNR as IR3Z. QSL via IN3XUG. [TNX IN3XUG]
- IK0NFV, IK0LNN and other operators from Rome as IQ0N (Multi-Single). [TNX IK0LNN]
- Andrea, IV3SKB as IQ3X (SOSB 10 metres). QSL via IV3HAX. [TNX IV3SKB]
- Bob, LU2FA and Seba, LU4FPZ as LT5F (Multi-Single) with an emphasis on 80 metres. [TNX LU4FPZ]
- Sergio, LU7YS as SOSB (20 metres) High Power from San Martin de los Andes in Patagonia. [TNX LU7YS]
- Olli, OH0XX as OA4BA (SOAB). QSL for this operation only to Olli Rissanen, #599, 1313 So. Military Trail, Deerfield Beach, FL 33442, USA.
- Jef, ON4ACA and others as OT1C. QSL via ON4ACA either direct or through the

bureau. [TNX ON4ACA]  
 - KK9A from Aruba (SA-036) as P40A (SOSB on 20 metres). QSL via WD9DZV. [TNX The Daily DX]  
 - Serge, RA0JJ as SOSB (80 metres) from Zone 19. Look for him on 3785-3800 kHz. QSL to Serge Smirnoff, P.O. Box 1, Blagoveschensk, 675000, Russia. [TNX RA0JJ]  
 - Marco, TI3TLS as TI3M. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX EA5KB]  
 - NOKE from Costa Rica as TI5X (SOAB QRP) from TI5KD's station. QSL for TI5X and TI/NOKE via NOKE. [TNX The Daily DX]  
 - F5PAL, F8BGV, F8CFO, F8DFP and F8NAN as TM9W from France. QSL via F8BGV. This special call will be used until 9 November. [TNX F8BGV]  
 - Bogdan, YO2LIF as YP2A. QSL via YO2KAB (P.O. Box 100, 1900 Timisoara, Romania). [TNX YO2LIF]  
 - Luis, ZP5WBM as ZP2W. QSL via ZP5CGL.  
 - Jim Neiger, N6TJ from the ZW5B station as SOAB. [TNX The Daily DX]  
 Give also a look to the listing of announced operations maintained by Bill, NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqs2001.html>  
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CQ CONTEST LOGS ---> Due to security concerns, CQ Communications asks all participants in CQ-sponsored amateur radio contests to submit their logs electronically [425DXN 546]. In order not to damage contesters who still use paper logs, the CQ WW Committee has appointed a few individuals who will collect paper logs and mail them to CQ. One of them is CQ WW Committee member Paolo Cortese, I2UIY (P.O. Box 14, 27043 Broni - PV, Italy). [TNX I2UIY, i2uiy@cqww.com]

NCDXF ---> At its Board of Directors meeting on 23 October 2001 in San Francisco, CA, the Northern California DX Foundation (<http://www.ncdxf.org/>) re-elected the following officers and directors:

President	Len Gerald	K6ANP
Vice President	Al Burnham	K6RIM
Secretary	Tom McShane	NW6P
Treasurer	Bruce Butler	W6OSP
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Director	Dave Pugatch	KI6WF
Director	Chuck Ternes	N6OJ
Director	Steve Thomas	N6ST
Director	Glenn Vinson	W6OTC

Newly elected directors are Steve Merchant, K6AW and Ken Anderson, K6TA.

QSL 3B6RF ---> All direct requests have been processed and cards have been mailed by HB9AGH and N3SL. The team is still \$ 25,000 short due to the additional costs for the last minute change in their planned transportation ("without this last minute expenses, the expedition would not have been possible", Fred, HB9AAQ says). Donations are therefore still gratefully welcome and anyone contributing with \$ 15 ore more will receive a CD with a slide show of the trip.

QSL GB0HI ---> The QSLs for the Hilbre Island (EU-120) GB0HI May 2001 operation have finally arrived from the printers. and Paul, G0WRE will begin answering direct requests next week. Bureau requests will be processed after all direct request currently held have been answered. The web site for the operation is at <http://qsl.net/g0wre> [TNX G0WRE]

QSL HC8A ---> Steve, KU9C is the new QSL manager for HC8A. Current QSL routes for other stations active from Isla San Cristobal, Galapagos Islands (SA-004) are: HC8GR via N5KO, HC8L via N2AU, HC8N via AA5BT, HC8Z/HD8Z via NE8Z. [TNX N5KO]

QSL KL7AK/P ---> As of 17 October, 2001 QSL cards for the KL7AK/P (NA-053) expedition were printed and N6AWD is currently answering direct requests.

QSL WH6ASW/KH2 ---> Ray, WH6ASW/KH2 is leaving Guam in a few days, returning to Hawaii. His new address for QSLing is Ramon E. Fabree, P.O. Box 1693, Aiea, Hawaii 96701, USA. Any mail sent to his previous Guam address will be forwarded. All future QSL request should go to the address above. [TNX N4NX]

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NIGER 2002: The web site for the January-February DXpedition to Niger [425DXN 542] is at <http://www.qsl.net/niger-2002> and it includes a survey form for your band/mode needs. Further information will be added when the details are finalized. [TNX I2UIY]

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QSLs received direct:3B6RF (AF-001), 3C5J, 3D2AG/P (OC-060), 3D2CI (OC-112), 3D2RW (OC-095), 3V8DJ, 3Y0C, 4U1VIC, 5R8HA (AF-090), 5V7TD, 6A1A, 7Q7DX, 9E1S, 9H0A, 9L1DX, 9Q0AR, A41LZ, CE0ZIS, E29DX (AS-145), EM1KCC, EM1KY, FG/DF4OR, FK8GM, FO/DL7FT, FP/K9WM, FP/NN9K, FR/F6KDF/T, H76C (NA-212), HK5QGX/0M, HO1A, HR6SI (NA-035), J48SAM (EU-174), J5X, J79CGA (NA-101), JM6CIP/6 (AS-037), JT1Y, JW7FJA, KL6/KD6WW (NA-087), KL7AK/P (NA-053), KP2/KG6OK, MU0FAL, OD5NH, OJ0/LA6YEA/P, OJ0/LA9VDA/P, OY9UR, PJ2/G0WKW, PJ2/G3RFX, PJ5/UA1ACX (NA-145), PT0T, RK2FWA, S21YT, T48Z, T5X, T88LL (OC-009), TA0/LZ3ND (EU-186), UK8LA, UN5J, UN7LZ, V73E (OC-087), V73GT (OC-028), VK4AWX (OC-137), VK9CXJ (OC-003), VK9NS, VP5/K5CM, XU7ABT, XU7ABV, YK1AO, YM0MA (EU-186), YS1CF, ZC4DW (AS-004), ZL7/G3SXW, ZL7/G3TXF, ZL75.  
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- 3W - Steve, WB2KHO plans to operate (on 10, 15, 20 and possibly 40 metres SSB) from Vietnam on 5-16 November. His possible callsign will be 3W2SF. QSL via WB2KHO. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9M6 - JA1BRK, JA1HGY, JA1RJU, JK1OPL, JA2ADH and JA8GQZ are going to be active (on 10-160 and 6 metres, SSB,CW and RTTY, with an emphasis on RTTY and 6 metres) from East Malaysia. Look for 9M6/JA1HGY (QSL via JA1HGY), 9M6/JK1OPL (QSL via JK1OPL), 9M6/JA8GQZ (QSL via JA8GQZ), 9M6TDC guest operated by JA1BRK (QSL via JA1BRK) and 9M6LSC guest operated by JA2ADH (QSL via JA2ADH) on 8-11 November, while JA1RJU will be signing 9M6JU (QSL via Home call) on 8-15 November. [TNX JA1HGY]
- HK0 - Gerd, DL7VOG will operate (mainly CW and RTTY) from San Andres Island (NA-033) on 8-29 November. [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX Notes]
- HL - Special call DT2001PAF will be used until 4 November by KARL Pyong Taek branch operators to celebrate the 4th Agriculture Festival. QSL via DS2AXU either direct (Sang Yong Yun, P.O.Box 80, Pyong Taek, 450-600, South Korea) or through the bureau. [TNX DS2AXU]
- I - Tony, IK8VRH will be active as IB0/IK8VRH in his free time from the islands of Ventotene (EU-045, IIA LT-011) and Ponza (EU-045, IIA LT-001) between 1 November and 15 December. [TNX IK8VRH]
- I - Look for IK7JWX/p, IZ7AUH/p and IZ7CRW/p to be active from the lighthouse at Capo San Vito (WAIL PU-011, ARLHS ITA-041) on 4 November. [TNX IK7JWX]
- KH2 - Hiro, JA5XAE will be active as KH2/JA5XAE from Guam on 3-4 November. Look for him on 7007, 10107, 14007, 18077, 21007, 24907, 28007 and 50117 kHz CW; 7077, 14177, 18137, 21277, 24937, 28477 and 50117 kHz SSB. QSL via JA5XAE (Hirokazu Yano, 1-3-7 Minami-machi, Matsuyama City, Ehime 790-0856, Japan). [TNX JI6KVR]
- ON - Belgian amateurs are allowed to replace their ON or OT prefixes with OQ until 31 December. This special prefix was issued on 26 October to honour the birth of princess Elizabeth. [TNX ON4UN]
- OZ - Jakob, OZ7AEI has cancelled his 2 November operation from Als Islan [425DXN 547] due to business commitments. [TNX OZ7AEI]
- R1\_ant - Alex, RA1PC [425DXN 547] is working for the AARI (Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute) and will be QRV as R1ANC from the Russian Antarctic Base "Vostok" (IOTA AN-016, WABA UA-010) from early November until late January 2002. He will then be replaced by

- Alan, UA1PAC, who will stay there and operate as R1ANC until January 2003. QSL via DL5EBE. [TNX DL5EBE]
- T2 - "Tuvalu Team" (JH7OHF, JJ1LIB, JN1HOW, JQ1KNH) [425DXN 546] has been delayed and now plans are to operate as T2T (HF) and T2SIX (6m) on 3-11 November. [TNX The Daily DX]
- TJ - Eduardo, EA2TV and Javier, EA2COL will be in Cameroon between 11 and 23 November, working on the installation of some VHF and HF stations in hospitals and missions in a project from "Radioaficionados Sin Fronteras". During their spare time they plan to operate (mainly SSB with possibly some RTTY and CW) as TJ2RSF. QSL via EA4AHK. [TNX EA5RM]
- VE - Linda, VE9GLF and Len, VE9MY plan to be active (on 15, 20 and 40 metres) from Graves Island (not IOTA, CISA NS-041) after 20.30 UTC on 5 November. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX VE9MY and Islands On The Web]
- W - Look for Silvano, KB5GL/5 to be active (on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB) from Grand Isle (NA-168) on 2-4 November. QSL via KB5GL (Silvano Amenta, 5028 Hearst St, Metairie, LA 70001, USA). [TNX KB5GL]
- XE - XE1VIC, XE1ME, XE1JG, XE1YJY, XE1ZOI and XE1KK are the operators currently signing XF2RCS from from Isla de Lobos in the Veracruz State North group (NA-221) until 4 November. QSL via KA9WON (Lonnie Miller, 12618 Thistle Ridge Close, Roscoe, IL 61073, USA) or, for Mexican stations only, via XE1KK. The web page for the operation is at <http://www.xelrcs.org.mx/islalobos.html> [TNX XE1YJS]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Tommy, VK2IR reports he has changed his plans and will not be active from Midway Island any longer [425DXN 545]. He now expects to operate from Tonga (A3) and Niue (ZK2) between 22 November and 3 December.  
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DXCC NEWS ---> ARRL DXCC Manager Bill Moore, NC1L reports that OJ0VR (Market Reef) and HK5QGX/0M (Malpelo Island) have been approved for DXCC credit. The documentation has been reviewed and they are now OK. Anyone who has submitted them and had them rejected, can contact DXCC to have their record updated without having to re-submit the card(s). Otherwise, they can be included with the next submission.

EU-182 ---> UX0FF/P, UX3FW/P, UR5FEO/P, UR5FJF/P and UT4FA/P made around 2500 QSOs from Ochakovskiy Island (EU-182) on 19-21 October. QSL via home calls. [TNX UX0FF]

QSL TM9R ---> Jean-Pierre, F9RM reports he was the QSL manager for TM9R only for the contest activities back in 1992.

QSL VY0/W2NTJ ---> Cezar, VE3LYC is now able to confirm [425DXN 539] that he is the QSL manager for Jack, VY0/W2NTJ for his last operation from Long Island (NA-173). Cezar has the paper log covering the period 13 August-15 October 2001; Jack will send the remaining part of his NA-173 log after he is back home. The QSL cards will be printed shortly. QSL direct only to Cezar Trifu, 410 College St., Kingston, Ontario K7L 4M7, Canada. "Please, no requests at this time for previous operations carried out by Jack", Cezar says.

QSL VIA W3HC ---> The following comes from Mac, W3HC

(http://macswitch.tripod.com/macsindepage/): "I will not accept any mail that does not have a return address on the envelope. Today (31 October) there were 12 envelopes, both domestic and foreign, that did not have return addresses on."

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EWWA: Steve, G00YQ has redesigned the web site for the European WorldWide Award, which is available at <http://www.ewwa.net> [TNX F6FQK]  
 QSL ROUTES: A collection of QSL routes for stations active during the last week's CQ WW DX SSB Contest is available at <http://www.arrakis.es/~ea5eyj/cqssb01.htm> [TNX EA5EYJ]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2WR	JH7OHF	HC8N	AA5BT	T88XE	K6VNX
3GOY	DK7YY	HC8Z	NE8Z	T88ZY	K6VNX
4E9RG	DU9RG	HD8Z	NE8Z	TI2/SM4DHF	SM4DHF
4L1DA	DL7BY	HJ0QGL	N0JT	TI3M	EA5KB
4L6VV	UA6EZ	HR3J	JA6VU	TI5X	N0KE
4S7RO/6Y5	G0IAS	HS0/OZ1HET	OZ1ACB	TM0H	F5SJH
4W/CU3FT	CT1EEB	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	TM5SIA	F2WS
4W/N7RO	pirate	HS9EQY	E21EIC	TM9W	F8BGV
4W1RO	pirate	HZ1AB	K8PYD	TR0A	OM3LZ
5N0NHD	JH8BKL	IG9A	I2MQP	TT8DX	F5OGL
5U7JK	I2YSB	IH9P	KR7X	UN3G	DL4BBU
5V7BR	F5RUQ	IO4C	IZ4DPV	V26A	WB3DNA
5W0MO	OM2SA	IO4T	IK4XCL	V26AA	NA2AA
6W1/F5JJW	F5JJW	IQ3X	IV3HAX	V26B	WT3Q
6Y5/N6HR	N6HR	IQ5UON	I5KKW	V26E	AB2E
6Y6L	WA8LOW	IY1SP	I1FNX	V26EW	N2ED
701DX	pirate	J28VS	F4DBF	V26O	N5NJ
7Q7RV	ZS6DX	J3A	WA1S	V26OC	N3OC
7X5JF	DJ8QP	J6R	K3LP	V26TZ	W3HNK
8P5A	W2SC	J75J	KR4DA	V26U	W2UDT
8Q7KT	HB9KT	J75WX	W4WX	V26YR	W2YR
8Q7LM	DL7ULM	J79AA	W9AAZ	V29K	N2TK
9G5AN	W7XU	J79DA	KR4DA	V31BD	N6FF
9G5KW	W7XU	J79LR	W1LR	V31MX	K0BCN
9G5XU	W7XU	J79RL	DL9DRA	V63HJ	JE1LES
9K9X	9K2HN	J79WB	N200	V63SC	JM1LBO
9L1BTB	SP7CDG	JA6WFM/HR3	JA6VU	V85RH	JH7FQK
9M6A	N200	JD1BKZ	JE2DWZ	V8A	JH7FQK
9M6TBT	KD3TB	JT1FCY/7	I1QOD	VB2V	NB1B [a]
9M6US	N200	JT1FCZ/7	I1QOD	VB2V	VE3BY [b]
9M8R	W7EJ	JW5NM	LA5NM	VE2/N1NK	N1NK
9N7DK	OE4MDA	JW7FD	LA5NM	VK0KMT	VK4KMT
9N7MH	DL7VMH	JY9NX	JH7FQK	VK2JBQ	SP9EVP
A25/DK5KK	DK5KK	K4FK	WA4WTG	VK2JBR	SP9PT

A52DA	KW4DA	KC4/N3SIG	AI3D	VK4AWX	KC6AWX
A52PC	N0ADQ	KC4AAA	K1IED	VK7ACK	KI6T
A52ST	W0HT	KC4USV	K1IED	VK9KND	SP9EVP
A92DX	pirate	KH0A	JF1MIA	VK9KNE	SP9PT
AH2R	JH7QXJ	KP4/KH2RU	KP4FRD	VP2E	N2AU
AP2JZB	K2EWB	L21I	W3Hnk	VP2EAC	NH7CC
C6AKO	W5OXA	L80AA	LU4AA	VP2EJS	K5MR
C6ARB	W5UE	L82D	LU8DR	VP2EMH	K5NZ
CE1WBY	CE3WDH	L99D	LU7DW	VP2ERC	N5QQ
CO2TK	F6FNU	LP1F	LU5FC	VP2ERD	N0AT
CO8TW	IZ8CCW	LQ0F	LU5FF	VP2EWC	W5WW
CQ1CV	CT1ETE	LT1F	LU1FKR	VP5/K2WB	K2WB
CQ7O	CT1ALF	LX5A	LX1RQ	VP5DX	NU4Y
CT7B	OH2BH	MJ0C	G3XTT	VP5T	N2VW
CT9L	DJ6QT	NH7A	M0FCR	VQ9PO	W3PO
CU3P	CU3CY	OH0MM	OH2MM	VQ9SS	N6SS
CX2AQ	EA5KB	OH0Z	OH1EH	VU2HFI2001	VU2APR
D2EYE	OZ1ACB	OT1C	ON4ACA	VY0/7K1WLE	JN1HOW
D44TC	IV3TAN	OT1H	ON5YR	W5OXA/C6A	W5OXA
D68JC	WB4MBU	OX2K	OZ1ACB	WH6ASW/KH2	WH6ASW
E20HHK	E21EIC	OX3IPA	OZ5AAH	WP2Z	KU9C
E30NA	DL5NAM	OX3LG	OZ1ACB	XP1AB	OZ1ACB
E44/OZ6ACD	OZ1ACB	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	XQ1ZW	CE3WDH
EA8AH	OH1RY	OZ7D	OZ1ACB	XU7ABW	F6BFH
EP2AA	pirate	P29JA	JG7AMD	XW0X	XW2A
ER3BAH	pirate	P40A	WD9DZV	YN2EJ	G3UML [c]
EX/K4ANA	W2PS	P40W	N2MM	YN2EJ	K5LBU [b]
EX8QB	IK2QPR	P49I	K4PI	YP2A	YO2KAB
EZ8CQ	I2JSB	PJ2Z	N9AG	YT6A	YU1FW
F8KFA/P	F5SZX	PJ7/K7ZUM	K7ZUM	YV4A	W4SO
FO/HG9B	HA8IB	PY0FM	JA1VOK	ZD7VC	ON4CAT
FO/SP9FIH	SP9FIH	RM9A	UA9ACJ	ZF2MU	K4BI
FP/AC8W	AC8W	SV9CVY	DL6FBL	ZK1AKX	VE7XF
FP/K8DD	K8DD	T2DX	W4WET	ZK1APM	VE7XF
FY5FU	F5PAC	T2SIX	JH7OHF	ZK1ASQ	VE7XF
GH4BJC/P	G0DBX	T2T	JN1HOW	ZK1KDN	JR2KDN
GZ7V	ZS5BBO	T77GO	T70A	ZK1NCP	JR2KDN
H44MA	VK2GR	T88CC	K6VNX	ZK1USA	ZK1CG
HB0/HG50RT/p	HA6NL	T88JF	K6VNX	ZK1VVV	VE7XF
HC1HC	NE8Z	T88PG	K6VNX	ZL#/PA0MIR	PA0MIR
HC8A	KU9C	T88PW	K6VNX	ZM8CW	ZL3CW
HC8GR	N5KO	T88TW	K6VNX	ZP2W	ZP5CGL
HC8L	N2AU	T88WX	K6VNX	ZX0F	W3HC

[a] US stations  
[b] others  
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>>> DUCIE ISLAND 2001 <<<

Ducie Island (24.40.00S - 124.47.00W, OC-182, WAZ 32, ITU 63) should be the next new Entity to be added to the DXCC List [425DXN 545]. The main part of the team (JA1BK, JF1IST, JA1SLS, K9AJ, K5VT and FO3BM) expects to leave Mangareva (Gambier Islands, French Polynesia) on 13 November in the local evening, to stop at Pitcairn and pick up other two operators (team leader Tom, VP6TC, and Dave, VP6DB) and then to sail immediately for Ducie. They will be active with four stations and a VP6 callsign to be announced when the operation starts, i.e. at 00.00 UTC on 16 November. The team must be back on Mangareva on 28 November.

The two main frequencies - 21020 kHz (CW) and 21295 kHz (SSB) - will be used 24 hours a day. Other prime frequencies include 28495 kHz and 14195 kHz for SSB and 14020 kHz for CW, but some activity is planned to take place on the other bands (160-6 metres) and on RTTY as well. It is expected that low band and WARC operations are more likely to take place in the last days of the operation, as the initial emphasis will be to allow as many operators as possible to work this rare IOTA and probable new DXCC Entity.

The team will have 2-element beams for 10 and 15 metres, a 4 square for 20 metres and wire and vertical antennas for the other bands. There will be a 6 meter beacon on 50.110 Mhz. 160 metres are not a priority. Nevertheless, the team is taking an inverted L 160 antenna and if the weather and other factors cooperate there may be 160m operation nearer the end.

The pilot station is Bill Avery, K6GNX. QSL via VE3HO (HF QSOs: Garth Hamilton, P.O. Box 1156, Fonthill, Ontario L0S 1E0, Canada) and JA1BK (6m QSOs: Kan Mizoguchi, 5-3 Sakuragaoka 4 Chome, Tama-City, Tokyo 206-0013, Japan). Logs will be available at <http://www.big.or.jp/~ham/dx.html>. [TNX K6GNX and The Daily DX]

3W - Hans, WA1LWS plans to operate (on 10-20 metres) as 3W2LWS from Vietnam for three weeks starting on 11 November. QSL via WA1LWS. [TNX The Daily DX]

6Y - The guys of "Team Vertical" will be active from Jamaica on 20-26 November. They will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest, going for North American QRP single band records: look for 6Y1A on 10m (operated by K2KW), 6Y9A on 15m (KE7X), 6Y2A on 20m (N6XG), 6Y4A on 40m (N6BT), 6Y8A on 80m (W0YK) and 6Y0A on 160m (K2KW). Pre-contest QRP activity will be on 10-160 metres and there will be a dedicated 6m rig running high power. Outside the contest, operators will sign homecall/6Y5. QSL all callsigns via WA4WTG. For additional information, including how to win 25 bags of Jamaican Blue Mountain Coffee, please visit <http://www.k2kw.com> [TNX K2KW]

9M8 - After attending the SEANET Convention in Kota Kinabalu (9-11 November), JA3AA, JA3UB, JA3AER, JA3ART, JH3GAH, JR3MVF, JA4HCK will go to the Mulu National Park, East Malaysia and will operate (on

10-160 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31) as 9M8/JA3AA (QSL via JA3AA), 9M8/JA3UB (QSL via JA3UB), 9M8/JA3AER (QSL via JA3AER), 9M8/JA3ART (QSL via JA3ART), 9M8/JR3MVF (QSL via JR3MVF), 9M8/JA4HCK (QSL via JA4HCK) and 9M8TG (QSL via JH3GAH) between 11 and 14 November. [TNX JH3GAH]

- C6 - Ed, K8EP will be active (SSB and CW) as C6A/K8EP from Treasure Cay (NA-080), Bahamas on 20-27 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX K8EP]
- DL - Dina/DJ8OK, Dietmar/DL7OK and Bjoern/DJ4OK will be active from EU-042 on 11-23 November. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ER - Club station ER3KAZ will use special call ER373R on 21 November to celebrate the 373rd anniversary of the town on Rybnitsa. QSL via ER3DX either direct (Anatoly Nimirski, P.O. Box 12, Kishinev, MD-2000, Moldova) or through the bureau. [TNX ER3DX]
- F - The special call TM0A has been issued to Patrick, F6OIE, who will use it on 17-30 November (CQ WW DX CW Contest included) and between 19 January and 1 February. QSL via F6OIE. [TNX F5NQL]
- FO - JI1JKW will be active (on HF bands and 6 metres) as FO0SAI from the Marquesas Islands (OC-027) on 18-21 November and from Moorea (OC-046), French Polynesia on 22-23 November. QSL via JI1JKW. [TNX OZ6OM]
- FO\_au - Jon Severt, WB8YJF and Leo Fry, K8PYD will be active (mostly RTTY with some CW and may be some SSB as well) from the Austral Islands as FO0SEV and FO0FRY respectively on 3-14 December. QSL via home calls. [TNX K8PYD]
- HK0\_sa - HK0GU is the call Gerd, DL7VOG [425DXN 548] will be using from San Andres Island (NA-033) until 29 November. He will be active on 80-6 metres (maybe on 160 metres as well) CW and RTTY, with some SSB. QSL via DL7VOG. Bureau cards can be requested by e-mail (dl7vog@snaflu.de). [TNX The Daily DX]

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- I - Special station IR3PO will be active on 17-18 November from Monselice to honour the amateur radio operators who gave their assistance during the Polesine flood emergency in 1951. QSL via IK3OYY (Fabrizio Bottaro, Via A. Manzoni 4, 35041 Battaglia Terme - PD, Italy). [YNX IK3OYY]
- LU - A group of operators from Radio Club Rosario (<http://www.lu4fm.org.ar>) will operate (on 80, 40, 30, 17, 12 and 6 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, plus 2-1,4 metres and 70cm FM) as L34H from 34 South-64 West (asL64H) on 23-26 November. QSL via LU4FM or direct to P.O. Box 400, 2000 Rosario, Argentina. [TNX LU4FM]
- OA - Ghi, ON4CD is active as OA/ON4CD from Peru until the end of the year. He operates on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres CW (14005/14010, 21005/21010, 18080/18090, 24900/24905 and 28005/28010 kHz), RTTY and PSK, with some SSB from time to time. He says that sometimes the QRN level is S9+20db and there is no way to decode anything. [TNX ON9CGB]
- OA - Rene, DL2JRM and Daniel, DL5SE will be active from San Lorenzo Island (SA-052) on 3-13 January. They have applied for special calls 4T4I and 4T4X respectively. QSL via home calls. [TNX VA3RJ]
- PY0\_fn - Peter, PY5CC will be active again as PY0FM from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) on 20-29 November. QSL via JA1VOK. [TNX OZ6OM]
- R1\_ant - Oleg, UA1PBA will be active as R1ANF from the Russian Antarctic Base "Bellingshausen" (AN-010; WABA UA-04) starting around mid December. QSL via RK1PWA. [TNX DL5EBE]

- S7 - Clemens, DL2GAN expects to be active (with 50 watts and various dipoles) as S79GAN from the Seychelles between 15 November and 5 December. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T8 - Diamond DX Club members Nando/IT9YRE (aka ZK1YRE from OC-159, TA0/IT9YRE/p, from AS-154 and AS-159, SV8/IT9YRE/p from EU-174 etc), Maurizio/IZ1CRR (www.425dxn.org web master) and Erminio/IZ8AJQ will be active as T88SI from Sonsorol Island (South Palau group, OC-???) on 9-11 February 2002. They plan to have two stations active on 20, 15 and 10 metres mainly SSB (but IZ8AJQ will operate CW and digital modes). Contributions and donations can be sent to Diamond DX Club, c/o Gennaro Casaburi (I8YRK), Via XXXI Maggio 11, 80027 Frattamaggiore - NA, Italy). QSL via IT9YRE (Ferdinando Rubino, P.O. Box 30, 96012 Avola - SR, Italy). The web page for the operation is at <http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/t88si/>
- T8 - Tosy, JA6VZB and Seiji, JH6RTO will be active from Palau (OC-009) on 22-27 November. Look for T88JA (QSL via JA6VZB) to participate in the CQ WW CW DX Contest and for T88FS (QSL via JH6RTO) to operate on 6 metres. [TNX JH6RTO]
- T8 - Hiro, JK1FNN and YL operator Mie, 7L1MKM will be active (on all bands CW, SSB and RTTY) as T88HA and T88MY from Palau (OC-009) between 30 December and 3 January. QSLs via JK1FNN. [TNX JI6KVR]
- V6 - Sho, JA7HMZ will be active on all bands as V63DX from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia on 23-30 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as V63A (SOAB). QSLs via JA7AO (bureau card requests are welcome at [ja7ao@bc.wakwak.com](mailto:ja7ao@bc.wakwak.com)). [TNX JA7KAC]
- V8 - After being active as 9M8TG from East Malaysia (see 9M8 above), Taiei, JH3GAH will be active as V85TG from Brunei on 15-17 November. QSL via home call. [TNX JH3GAH]
- W - Howie, K1VJSJ will be active (on 10-40 metres CW and SSB) from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) on 10-11 November. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YB - A group of operators from the ORARI Lokal Bekasi Club station YE1ZTC (formerly YC1ZTC) will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as a Multi-Single entry. Their main bands will be 15, 10 and 20 metres since they have marginal antennas for 160, 80 and 40. Please QRS if necessary, as some of the operators are not (not yet!) used to contest style QSOs. QSL via YB1BOD. [TNX YB1BOD]
- ZD8 - Jim, N6TJ will be active again as ZD8Z from Ascension Island (AF-003) between 19 November and 18 December. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZL - Nico, PA0MIR [425DXN 543] is now on South Island (OC-134) and plans to operate from Stewart island (OC-203) around 12 November. QSL via PA0MIR (Nico van der Bijl, Lepelblad 129, NL 1441 VH Purmerend, The Netherlands). [TNX PA0MIR]
- ZL7 - Hiro, JF1OCQ will be active as ZL1WY/ZL7 from the Chatham Islands (OC-038) between 30 November and 5 December. He will operate on 80-6 metres SSB and CW, with an emphasis on 6 metres for North America and Europe. A breakable beacon will be on 50.115 MHz around the clock. QSL via JF1OCQ. [TNX JF1OCQ]
- ZS\_ant - Anton, ZS4AGA is a newly licenced amateur radio operator who is currently stationed (until February 2002) at the SANAE Base (ZS7ANT, WABA ZS-01) on Princess Martha Coast (AN-016). [TNX DL5EBE]

BRUNEI AND MALAYSIA ---> Hans, DF5UG is in Malaysia for the SEANET Convention and was active as 9M6QQ. He will be in that area for another week and he is expected to operate also as 9M2QQ, 9M8QQ and V85QQ from Brunei. Depending on local condition he might go to Brunei's (OC-184) and Sarawak's (OC-165) coastal island groups as well. QSL via home call. [TNX DL2GAC]

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CL.I.A ---> The newly born Calabria Islands Award is sponsored by the Mediterraneo DX Club. Further information is available at <http://www.mdxc.org/award.htm> [TNX IZ8CCW]

QSL 4L1DA ---> Ben, DL7BY is the QSL manager for 4L70 and 4L0G, but not for 4L1DA [425DXN 548]. The manager (maildrop) for 4L1DA is Tom, DL7BO, who collects the cards and gives them to 4L1DA. [TNX DL7BY]

QSL 4W/CU3FT ---> QSL manager CT1EEB (Jose Emanuel Ribeiro de Sa, P.O. Box 79, 3860 Estarreja, Portugal) reports the cards are still to be printed. Stamp collectors can request their cards direct from Carlos in East-Timor (UNTAET mail stamps will be issued until full Independence is achieved next May 2002). His address is Carlos Poinho, Apartado 93, Dili, Timor-Leste/East-Timor.

QSL 9K2ZZ ---> Please note that cards for 9K2ZZ and other 9Ks managed by W8CNL should be sent \* direct only \* to Raymond H. McClure, 5 McKenzie Circle, North Augusta, SC 29841-4319, USA.

QSL CY9/WV2B ---> Cards for the CY9/WV2B 1998 and 2000 activities from Sable Island should now be sent to KC6AWX, who has taken over the duties of the former QSL manager (N2AU). QSL either direct (Robert T. Devine, 407 Alameda Del Prado, Novato, CA 94949-6302, USA) or through the bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL D68C ---> Phil, G3SWH reports that nearly 50% of the direct requests for D68C QSLs have been processed and that 25,000 QSOs have been confirmed to date. [TNX G3XTT]

QSL EY90MT ---> Ted Melinosky, K1BV (<http://www.dxawards.com/>) is the QSL manager for the recent EY90MT operation. Nodir, EY8MM is having special cards printed and they will be mailed to Ted. QSL to K1BV via Callbook address.

QSL UA1QV/1 ---> Mike, UA1QV logged some 3000 QSOs during his 28 September-3 October activity from Kolguev Island (EU-085). QSL via home call (Mike Koutjumov, P.O. Box 23, Vologda, 160035 Russia). [TNX UA1RJ]

QSL XE2P ---> The new QSL manager for North and South America is AC7DX (Ron G. Lago, P.O. Box 25426, Eugene, OR 97402, USA), while F6FNU (Antoine Baldeck, P.O. Box 14, Arpajon 91291, France). [TNX AC7DX]

QSL VIA UA1RJ ---> Yuri, UA1RJ reports that some 20 kilograms of direct cards for Radio Club Vologda's summer activities (UE1RCV/1 from EU-188, UE1QAA/1 from EU-102, UE1SAA/1 from RR-03-13, UE1RAA/1 from RR-03-14) were mailed on 31 October.

QSL VIA UR5VHB ---> Andy, UR5VHB reports he has the logs for 3B8FQ, 3B8FG, 3B8GL, 3B8DB. QSL direct only to Andy Zhuravel, P.O. Box 5 Svetlovodsk-7, Kirovogradskaya obl., 27507 Ukraine. For further information please e-mail [ur5vhb@rambler.ru](mailto:ur5vhb@rambler.ru)

WAIL (CORRECTION) ---> The correct WAIL reference number for the Lighthouse at Capo San Vito (activated on 4 November) is PU-001 (not PU-011, see 425DXN 548). We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused our readers.

+ SILENT KEY + Jean-Michel, F6AJA reports the sad news of the passing of Robert Berry, FO5BI on 28 September. IOTA old timers will surely remember Bob operating from OC-094, OC-113, OC-131 and other FO groups.

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LOGS: The log for 6W1/F5JJW is now available at  
[http://www.qsl.net/f5nod/6w\\_f5jjw\\_01.html](http://www.qsl.net/f5nod/6w_f5jjw_01.html) [TNX F5NOD]  
SP CALLBOOK: SP2UKB, PZK (Polish Amateur Radio Union  
<http://www.pzk.org.pl>) Secretary General reports that an  
official Polish Callbook is available at  
<http://www.callbook.pzk.org.pl>  
XT2DX: More information on the CQ WW CW Contest XT2DX Multi-Multi  
operation from Burkina Faso [425DXN 547] is available on the  
Voodoo Contest Group's new web site at  
<http://www.voodudes.org> [TNX G3SXW]  
WAE DX CONTEST: The RTTY event will take place on 10-11 November. Rules are  
available at <http://www.waedc.de>

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QSLs received direct: 3V8DJ, 3W3ZZ, 3W9HRN, 5A1A, 5R8HA, 5R8HC, 5V7VJ, 7S5S,  
8R1AK, 8S4Z, 9A6DM, 9E1S, 9J2BO, 9K2ZZ, 9L1DX, A41KJ, A61AJ, A71MA, A92GM,  
AP2ARS, BV9O (AS-155), C4MG (AS-120), D2BB, D68C, EK8WB, EM1HO, ER1ZZ, ES1WN,  
EY8MM, EZ8AQ, EZ8CQ, F5EU/ST2, FK8HZ, FO5DP, FP/N8KR, FR5FD, FR5ZU/T, FY5KE,  
H44NC, HK0VGJ, HK5MQZ/OM, HK5QGX/OM, HR4/TI5KD (NA-060), HR6SI (NA-035),  
IO2L, IO2SM, J5X, JT1CO, JW3FL (EU-063), JY4NE, KL7AK/P (NA-053), PJ2/G0WKW,  
PJ2T, PT0T, PV0F, PY1VOY/PY0T, TI2/KI7WO, UM9AA, V44KJ, V8A, VK8AN/6(OC-154),  
VP5/W6XK, VP5L, VP5Q, VP9/W6PH, VQ9IO, XT20W, YB5NOF/P (OC-108), YJ0AXC  
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>>> DUCIE ISLAND <<<  
>>> THE 335TH DXCC ENTITY <<<

The International Amateur Radio Union (<http://www.iaru.org>) has announced that The Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association (PIARA, see "Good To Know" below) has been admitted as an IARU member effective 16 November 2001. This makes the Pitcairn Islands (namely Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno) to be considered a DXCC "Political Entity"; consequently Ducie Island, which is separated from its "Parent" (Pitcairn itself) by 350+ kilometres has become a DXCC "Geographic Separation Entity". The ARRL (<http://www.arrl.org>) has in its turn announced that starting at 00.00 UTC on 16 November 2001, Ducie Island (IOTA OC-182, CQ zone 32, ITU zone 63) will be eligible for DXCC credit; only contacts dated 16 November 2001 and later will count for DXCC.

As for the DXpedition to the newest "new one", the team's departure from Mangareva (French Polynesia), originally scheduled to take place on 14 November [425DXN 549], has been delayed due to concerns about a nearby weather front. They expected to leave from Mangareva at sunrise (14 UTC) on 15 November, to stop for a couple of hours at Pitcairn and to reach Ducie around local dawn on Saturday 17 November. [TNX K6GNX]

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>>> NORTH KOREA <<<

Ed, 4L4FN works for the UN World Food Program in North Korea and has been finally able to get a verbal permission to operate amateur radio from the #1 Most Wanted DXCC Entity. 200+ stations have been able to work 4L4FN/P5 on 20 and/or 10 metres so far (logs at <http://www.amsatnet.com/p5log.html>). Ed is now awaiting a written permission, which hopefully should arrive around Christmas. This is not a DXpedition, but Ed will try to operate as much as possible. For the time being he has SSB only, and prefers +/- 14205 and +/- 28575 kHz (split up 5-15 kHz), typically between 14 and 15 UTC and again between 22 and 23 UTC during the week, while during weekends more operating time is available to him. Ed is currently using a dipole, but he plans to build a small beam for 10 and 20 metres. He will be back home for Christmas and will return to North Korea with his keyer and some equipment for digital modes. Ed expects to be in North Korea until June or July 2002. QSL via KK5DO (Bruce Paige, P.O. Box 310, Alief, TX 77411, USA), who will wait for the final written licence before printing the cards. Updates on Ed's activities will be posted by KK5DO at <http://www.amsatnet.com/p5.html> [TNX KK5DO and The Daily DX]

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3D2\_rot - Tony, 3D2AG is expected to be active from Rotuma Island (OC-060)



- from now until around 10 January. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 5A - The Daily DX reports that Abubaker Alzway, 5A1A will be soon leaving Libya; he will go and study in Germany. In the meanwhile a few new amateur radio licences have been issued to the Assaker Club station (5A1ASC, QSL via DK4HB), Tark Abu Kris (5A1TA, QSL via EA3GIP) and Haytm Hashim (5A1HA, QSL via DJ9ZB).
- 8P - John, K4BAI will be active as 8P9HT from Barbados (NA-021) on 20-27 November. He hopes to use the 8P9Z callsign during the CQ WW DX CW Contest (SOAB high power). Outside the contest he will concentrate on 160 metres and the WARC bands CW (SSB on request), plus 6 metres CW and SSB when the band is open. QSLs via K4BAI. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9U - Gus, SM5DIC will be back to Burundi on 17 November for around three months. He expects his licence will be renewed and most likely he will operate again as 9U5D. He plans to be active on HF bands (all modes with 100 watts and a loop antenna), on 6 metres (with a 3-element beam) and 2 metres (with a 17-element beam and 400 watts for EME). QSL direct only via SM5BFJ (Leif Hammarstrom, Lerklockan 4, SE-73091, Riddarhyttan, Sweden). [TNX SM5DIC]
- CN - Jacques, F6BEE will be active as CN2JS from Morocco on 21-27 November. He will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest (SOAB); if he can bring a suitable antenna with him, before the contest he will operate on the WARC bands. QSL via F6BEE. [TNX F5NQL]

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 \*\*\*\* DX INFORMATION \*\*\*\*  
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- CT3 - Frank, DL2CC will be active as CT3/DL2CC from Madeira (AF-014) on 20-26 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as CT9M. QSL via DL1SBF. [TNX DX News Letter]
- CU - Gabriel, CU3AN is regularly active around 19 UTC on HF bands, 6 metres (50.110 MHz) and satellite. QSL direct only to Gabriel Alves, P.O. Box 157, 9701-902 Angra Codex, Portugal. [TNX CU3AN]
- D2 - Vitor, CT1FSC will be in Angola from 21 November through 14 December and will try to operate as D2/CT1FSC from Luanda. QSL via home call. [TNX CT1FSC]
- FO - Marcel, FO0DEH expects to be leaving OC-062 for Papeete on 20 December. QSL via ON4QM. [TNX JE1DXC and Islands On The Web]
- HC8 - Jon, N0JK and others will be back to the HC8N station on San Cristobal Island, Galapagos (SA-004) on 20-26 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest; outside the contest they will be active on HF, 6 and 2 meters as well as the satellites. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- I - Look for the Marconi memorial station IY4FGM to be activated on HF bands CW and SSB (details available from iy4fgm@amsat.org) and, exceptionally, for IY4FGM/4 on 23cm EME (details available from I4BER, tomassetti@ira.bo.cnr.it) on 12 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first transatlantic radio transmission by Guglielmo Marconi. [TNX IK4UPU]
- JT - Ken, K4ZW (JT1/K4ZW) is making his final preparations for a lowband operation from Mongolia along with JT1CO. They expect to be active on 80 and 160 metres early in the week of 19 November. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- KH0 - JF2SKV (NH0S), JG3VEI (NH0V), JQ1UKK (KH0/AD6VH) JE6MYI (KH0/JE6MYI) and JK2VOC (KH0/JK2VOC) will be active (on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, FM, RTTY, PSK31) from Saipan, Northern Marianas (OC-086) on 22-27 November. They will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as NH0S (Multi-Single High Power). QSLs via home calls.

- Questions should be sent to Maz, JF2SKV (jf2skv@jarl.com). Their web site is at <http://homepage2.nifty.com/jg3vei/> [TNX JF2SKV]
- KH2 - Guam Contest Club members JI3ERV/NH2C, JR7OMD/WI3O, JK3GAD/AL7NC, JR8VSE/NH2N and JP1JFG/N2IU will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as AH2R (Multi-Single) from Guam Island (OC-026). QSL via JH7QXJ either direct or through the JARL bureau. [TNX JI3ERV]
  - KL - John, KL7JR will be active from Kaktovik on Barter Island (NA-050, USI AK-044S) on 13-18 December. He will operate exclusively on 10 metres (+/- 28495 kHz) and will participate in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest. The main purpose of this operation is amateur radio demonstration at school. QSL via CBA (qrz.com). [TNX KL7JR]
  - PJ4 - Look for Jeff, W8RXR to operate (on 10, 15 and 20 metres CW with some SSB) as PJ4/W8RXR from Bonaire (SA-006) on 18-27 November. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - UN - Valery, UN9PQ is now active on RTTY and can be found almost daily on 18107 kHz between 10 and 15 UTC. QSL via IK2QPR (Paolo Fava, Via Bertani 8, 46100 Mantova - MN, Italy). [TNX IK2QPR]
  - V4 - Larry, KJ4UY will be operating (SSB, RTTY, PSK-31 with some CW) on all bands as V47UY from Karl's (V44NK) QTH on Nevis Island (NA-104) from 22 November through 4 December. He will try to operate during the CQ WW DX CW Contest to give the multiplier (but please QRS and be patient with him, as he says his CW is rusty). QSL via KJ4UY. [TNX KJ4UY]
  - VE - Len, VE9MY and Linda, VE9GLF will try to operate from Purdy Island (CISA NS-028) and possibly Emerys Island (CISA NS-029) on 17 November starting around 14 UTC. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX VE9MY and Islands On The Web]
  - VP5 - John, K3TEJ will be active (on 10-160 metres) as VP5/K3TEJ from the Turks and Caicos Islands on 20-27 November, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as VP5G (SOAB). [TNX The Daily DX]
  - VP5 - Ed, WA3WSJ will be active as VP5ED from the Turks and Caicos Islands on 20-27 November, including a QRP entry in the CQ WW CW DX Contest. [TNX QRZ-DX]
  - XU - Andy, G4ZVJ will be in Cambodia on 21-27 November and hopes to be active (CW only) as XU7AAV, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via G4ZVJ (Andy Chadwick, 5 Thorpe Chase, Ripon, HG4 1UA North Yorkshire, UK). [TNX G4ZVJ]
  - YB - Adi, YC3MM (<http://www.mdxc.org/yc3mm>) will operate as YC3MM/p from Madura Island (OC-237) on 24-26 November. QSL via IZ8CCW. [TNX IZ8CCW]
  - ZF - Joe/W5ASP, John/K6AM and Carl/K9LA are planning single band efforts for the CQ WW DX CW Contest from the Cayman Islands (NA-016). Look for ZF2AM (QSL via K6AM) on 10 metres, ZF1A (QSL via W5ASP) on either 15 or 20 metres and ZF2LA (QSL via K9LA) on 80 metres. Additionally, Vicky AE9YL/ZF2YL will be on SSB before, during, and after the contest. QSL via home call. [TNX K9LA]
  - ZL - A group of operators from the NZART branch 33 are planning to be active, possibly as ZL6WI, from Whale Island (OC-201) on 23-26 November. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - ZS\_ant - Anton, ZS4AGA is currently operating as ZS7/ZS4AGA from the SANAE Antarctic Base (WABA ZS-01) [425DXN 549]. QSL via ZS4A (Rickus de Lange, 23 Kedron St., Bethlehem, South Africa). [TNX DL5EBE]

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DXCC NEWS ---> The ARRL DXCC Desk reports that ZK1NJC (North Cook Islands)

and T5X (Somalia) have been approved for DXCC credit. The documentation has been reviewed and it is OK. Those who have submitted them and had them rejected, can contact DXCC (dxcc@arrl.org) to have their record updated without having to re-submit the card(s). Otherwise, they can be included with the next submission.

OQ AWARD ---> The Belgian IARU society (UBA) sponsors "The OQ Award" (<http://qsl.net/on4cas/oq.htm>) to honour the birth of Princess Elisabeth (25 October 2001). The award is available to either licenced amateurs and SWLs for working Belgian stations using the special OQ prefix [425DXN 548] between 26 October and 31 December. For further information please contact the UBA Award Manager, Egbert Hertsen, ON4CAS.

PIARA ---> The Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association has 10 members, representing the entire population of resident amateur operators. Moreover there are 23 amateurs licensed to operate including several temporary residents and visitors, plus one club station. The official address of PIARA is P.O. Box 88, Adamstown, Pitcairn Island, South Pacific Ocean via New Zealand. Tom Christian, VP6TC is the PIARA president and head of the Ducie DXpedition team.

PIRATE ---> Marc, ON6AA reports his call is regularly pirated by someone signing F/ON6AA on CW and RTTY from southern France. [TNX F5NQL]

QSL C91JM ---> Bob, W7MAE still has logs for John, C91JM (August 1997 - June 1998). The TL8JM logs were never recovered. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL TR0A ---> Miro, OM3LZ was active as TR0A from Gabon during a business trip between 27 October and 4 November. He logged more than 3000 QSOs on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB and CW. QSL direct only to OM3LZ (CBA). [TNX OM3LZ]

QSL VIA UT3UY ---> Toly, UT3UY is the new QSL manager for Serge, 4K5CW and club station 4J6ZZ. Cards should be sent direct only to Anatoly Kirilenko, P.O. Box 439/3, Kiev - 151, 03151 Ukraine. [TNX UT3UY]

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SP-M@ILS: Sylwester, SP2FAP (editor and publisher "QTC - The Polish Radio Amateur's Journal) reports that e-mail addresses for Polish amateurs can be found at <http://qtc.radio.org.pl>

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3B8/LA7MFA	LA7MFA	D44CF	SM0JHF	PJ4/PA3CNX	PA3CNX
3B8/ON4LAC	ON4LAC	DT2001PAF	DS2AXU	PY0FF	W9VA
3G5A	XQ5SM	DU3NXE	W3HNC	RA0FU	N6FF
3W2FM	UA0FM	DU9/N0NM	W4DR	S79AN	DF8AN
3W2KHO	WB2KHO	ED4MAD	EA4RCU	S79GAN	DL2GAN
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	ED5MUC	EA5VM	SP0PZK	SP2UKB

4K6GF	TA2ZV	EG1CYV	EA1EG	T2T	JN1HOW
4L0G	DL7BY	EK8WA	SP9ERV	TA3DD	KZ5RO
4L1DA	DL7BO	EL2DT	WA4TII	TI8/N0KE	N0KE
4L7O	DL7BY	EM3QLH	UR5QRB	TJ2RSF	EA4AHK
4W/CU3FT	CT1EEB	EN10U	UX5UO	TK5XN	F2YT
5H1F/#	KQ1F	EO10B	UX5UO	TM0A	F6OIE
5H1X/#	KQ1F	EO10N	UX5UO	UA0AZ	W3HNK
5H2MN	DF8AN	EO10W	UX5UO	UA9CUA	W3HNK
5R8GZ	G3SWH	EX0V	N6FF	UE2FWG	RA2FO
5V7BR	F5RUQ	EX8MLE	IK2QPR	UN7MO	EA7FTR
5W0MO	OM2SA	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	UR5FEO/P	UR5FEO [c]
5Z4KE	DF8AN	EY90MT	K1BV	UR5FJF/P	UR5FJF [c]
8Q7KT	HB9KT	F6AUS/HI9	F6AUS	UT4FA/P	UT4FA [c]
9L1BTB	SP7CDG	F6KTL	F6HMJ [b]	UW7C	UT7UW
9M6/JA1HGY	JA1HGY	FG/N4CD	N4CD	UX0FF/P	UX0FF [c]
9M6/JA8GQZ	JA8GQZ	FG/T93M	DJ2MX	UX3FW/P	UX3FW [c]
9M6/JK1OPL	JK1OPL	FG/T97M	K2PF	V31JP	KA9WON
9M6A	N2OO	FO0DEH	ON4QM	V85TG	JN3GAH
9M6JU	JA1RJU	FO0SAI	J11JKW	VK0KMT	VK4KMT
9M6LSC	JA2ADH [a]	FR5/ON4LAC	ON4LAC	VK4AHN	JF1VXB
9M6SEA	N2OO	GJ2A	GJ3DVC	VK7GK	DL8NU
9M6TDC	JA1BRK [a]	HF50WAT	SP5PCI	VP5/K5CM	K5CM
9M6US	N2OO	HK0GU	DL7VOG	VP5/N5KW	N5KW
9M8AER	JA3AER	HS0ZDG	K4YT	VU2ABE	JA4DOB
9M8ART	JA3ART	II2R	I2RFJ	VY0/W2NTJ	VE3LYC [d]
9M8HCK	JA4HCK	IR3MD	IN3BHR	XE2P	AC7DX [e]
9M8JAA	JA3AA	IR3PO	IK3OYY	XE2P	F6FNU [f]
9M8JUB	JA3UB	JD1XX	pirate	XF2RCS	KA9WON [f]
9M8MVF	JR3MVF	JW7VK	LA7VK	XF2RCS	XE1KK [g]
9M8TG	JH3GAH	KC4/N3SIG	AI3D	XU7ABZ	F9IE
9N1AC	N3ME	KC4AAA	K1IED	YC9MB	IZ8CCW
9N7ZK	SM4AIO	KH2/JA5XAE	JA5XAE	YJ8UU	ZL2HE
A35OY	KF8OY	KH2E	JE1HJA	ZB2CN	DJ9WH
A45WD	YO9HP	MM0LEO	W3LEO	ZC4DW	G0DEZ
A61AJ	N4QB	MW5EPA	W2GR	ZC4VG	G0UVX
BD4XYL	BD4XA	OA/ON4CD	ON4CD	ZD7DP	W1ZT
CE0Y/HB9AAQ	HB9AAQ	OD5/OK1MU	OK1TN	ZD9IR	ZS6EZ
CX2AM	EA5KB	OH0NL	OH2BYS	ZF2ZZ	SM7DZZ
CX2TG	EA5KB	OH0RM	OH3RM	ZL4/PA0MIR	PA0MIR
CY9/WA4RX	KC6AWX	OQ4ELD	ON5UE	ZM8CW	ZL3CW
CY9/WV2B	KC6AWX	OZ0RM	OH3RM	ZY2Y	PY2KQ

[a] 8-11 November 2001 only  
[b] 26-29 October 2001 only  
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- 3A - Laura, 3A2MD reports she is QRV almost daily and looking for North America long path at 13.30 UTC (28.030 MHz), at 14.00 UTC (28.515 MHz) and at 14.30 UTC (18.085 MHz).
- 9M6 - Look for 9M6NA to participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as SOAB HP from Labuan Island (OC-133), East Malaysia. QSL via JE1JKL either direct (Saty Nakamura, 1-27-2 Kamiya, Ushiku, Ibaraki, 300-1216 Japan) or through the JARL bureau. E-mail requests for bureau cards are welcome at 9m6na@jsfc.org [TNX VA3RJ]
- C6 - Joe, W4SAA is active as C6A/W4SAA from South Bimini (NA-048), Bahamas until 27 November. During the CQ WW CW DX Contest he will multi-operate with Dick, N4RP using the call C6AKP. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- F - Look for the Council of Europe Amateur Radio Club to be on the air as TP5CE on 14-16 December, ARRL 10 Meter Contest included. Outside the contest main activity will be on all bands RTTY and CW. QSL via F6FQK. [TNX F6FQK]
- F - Special call TM4AMD will be aired from France between 26 December and 13 January during the 24th Rally Arras-Madrid-Dakar (ex Paris-Dakar). QSL via F6IGF through the REF bureau. For further information please visit <http://perso.wanadoo.fr/ara62> [TNX F5PSI]
- HF0\_ssh - Miroslaw Stefanski, SP7JKW will be active as HF0POL (<http://www.qsl.net/hf0pol> or <http://qtc.radio.org.pl>) from the Polish base "Henryk Arctowski" (WABA SP-01) on King George Island, South Shetlands (AN-010) from 1 January through 31 December 2002. He plans to operate CW, RTTY and PSK-31 (with some SSB) on all bands, WARC included. QSL via SQ5TA either direct (Artur Tabaszewski, ul. Wiejska 100, 26-606 Radom, Poland) or through the bureau. [TNX SP2FAP and SQ5TA]
- I - Look for the following special event stations/calls to be activated from 1 through 31 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first transatlantic radio transmission by Guglielmo Marconi:
- \* IU0M operated by Nuccio/I0YKN and Simone/IZ0BTV. QSL via bureau or direct to I0YKN (Nuccio Meoli, Via della stazione sn, 04010 Cori - LT, Italy).
  - \* IR7GM operated during the weekends by Alfredo/IK7JWX. QSL via IK7JWX either direct (Alfredo De Nisi, P.O. Box 218, 73100 Lecce - LE, Italy) or through the bureau.
  - \* Operators from ARI Venice as II3GM on 7, 14, 144 and 432 MHz SSB and CW. This activity will also celebrate Giulio Salom, 1MT

(IOACL), the first Italian radioamateur to use home-brewed equipment back in 1923. QSL via IK3RIY either direct (c/o A.R.I. Venezia, P.O. Box 227, 30100 Venezia VE - Italy) or through the bureau.

- J3 - Yankee Clipper Contest Club members NB1B (J3/NB1B), K2KQ (J37ZA), K2TE (J3/K2TE), N2GA (J3/N2GA), N2MI (J3/N2MI), WA1S (J38AA) and K2DO (J3/K2DO) will participate in the CQ WW CW Contest as J3A (Multi-Multi) from Grenada (NA-024). QSL J3A via WA1S, others via home calls. [TNX The Daily DX]
- KG4 - Look for Tip, N4SIA to be active as KG4AS from Guantanamo Bay (NA-015) between 27 November and 5 December. QSL via N4SIA. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- OX - Rene, OX3HX is active as OX1AWG. This special call is for the Arctic Winter Games which will take place on 17-24 March 2002. QSL via OX3HX. [TNX PA3GVI]
- P5 - A vertical antenna and a keyer were shipped to Ed, P5/4L4FN on 19 November, but for the time being he still operates SSB only. Look for him on 28580 kHz between 22.00 and 23.00 UTC and on 14205 kHz around 14.30-15.30 UTC for Europe, Japan and Russia. Ed will be back home from 22 December through 18 January. For further information on his activity (logs included) please visit <http://www.amsatnet.com/p5.html>; QSL via KK5DO (Bruce Paige, P.O. Box 310, Alief, TX 77411, USA). [TNX KK5DO]
- PY - Look for Pete, PY1NEW/2 and Lima, PY1NEZ/2 to be active (on 40-6 metres CW and SSB) from Comprida Island (SA-024) between 28 November and 2 December. They will pay special attention to island chasers in Asia and Oceania. QSL to PY1NEW (Emanuel Tavares Filho, Apartado Postal 100659, 24001-970 Niteroi, RJ, Brazil) and PY1NEZ (Rogaciano de Lima Correa Filho, Calle Belizario Augusto 91 apto. 1101, 24230-200 Niteroi, RJ, Brazil) or via the bureau. [TNX PY1NEZ]
- PY0\_fdn - Tony, PY8IT will operate as PY0FT from Fernando de Noronha (SA-003) on 12-18 December. He will concentrate on RTTY and PSK31. QSL via JA1ELY. [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX Notes]
- SV9 - Bill, W4WX will be signing SV9/W4WX from Crete (EU-015) between 27 November and 4 December. Look for him on 80-10 metres RTTY and SSB. QSL to home call either direct or through the bureau. [TNX W4WX]
- VE - The Society Of Newfoundland Radio Amateurs (<http://www.sonra.ca/>) will be active as VO1S on 1-31 December to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the reception of the first transatlantic signal on Signal Hill in St. John's, Newfoundland. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically through the bureau; direct cards should be sent before 1 March 2002 to SONRA, P.O. Box 23099, St. John's, NF A1B 4J9, Canada. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VP8\_so - Mike, GM0HCQ (VP8CMH/mm) expected to operate as VP8SIG from Signy Island in the South Orkneys on 18-19 November, but strong winds prevented him from landing. His next visit to the island will be in January 2002 [425DXN 537]. Mike is now going to King Edward Point, South Georgia (AN-007) and he anticipates he will be able to operate as VP8SGK ("all being well I should get three evenings in", he says). More up-to-date information on the trip can be found at the British Antarctic Survey web site (<http://www.antarctica.ac.uk/diaries/es/>), specifically related to the RRS "Ernest Shackleton" (the ship that Mike is working on). [TNX DL5EBE and K8AJS]
- VP9 - Tom, W9AEB is active (on 10-20 metres SSB and CW) as VP9/W9AEB from Bermuda (NA-005) until 26 November.
- W - The Marconi Radio Club (W1AA, <http://personal.tmlp.com/k1vv/w1aa/>) and the Falmouth Amateur Radio Association will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first transatlantic radio transmission by Guglielmo Marconi (12 December 1901). Look for W1AA/CC to be aired on 11-16 December from the location of Marconi's 1903

Trans-Atlantic radio station at Cape Cod, Massachusetts. Further information is available at

<http://www.qrz.com/database?callsign=w1aa> [TNX K1VV]

- XV - Rolf, SM5MX will be active (on 10, 15 and 20 metres CW) as XV9SW from Hanoi, Vietnam until 28 November. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as SOSB (15 metres) Low Power. QSL via SM3CXS. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- YA - The Daily DX reports that the foreign ministry of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan (Northern Alliance) issued the call YA5T, which can be used on all bands by Peter/ON6TT, Matts/SM7PKK and Robert/S53R.
- ZK2 - Mike, KM9D (CW) and Jan, KF4TUG (SSB) are now active as ZK2MO and ZK2TO respectively from Niue Island (OC-040). Look for Mike, ZK2MO to participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as SOAB LP. QSL via OM2SA for both. [TNX QRZ-DX]

CQ WW DX CW CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event:

- Yoram, 4Z1GY as 4X2K (SOAB High Power). QSL via home call. [TNX 4Z1GY]
- Bavarian Contest Club (<http://www.Bavarian-Contest-Club.de>) member Mike, DL1HCM as 9K9X (SOAB) from Kuwait. QSL via 9K2HN either direct or through the bureau. [TNX DL1HCM]
- Con, DF4SA as CS7T (SOAB low power) from near Lisbon. QSL via DF4SA either direct (Cornelius Paul, Adelberger Weg 3, 73104 Breech, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. [TNX DF4SA]
- CU2BV, CU2CE, OH2BH, OH2TA and OH8SR as CU2A from the Azores. QSL via OH2BH. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- CT1EEB and CT1CJJ as CT7B from Portugal. QSL via OH2BH. [TNX QRZ-DX]
- Patrick, FR5FD as SOAB low power. QSL to Patrick Labeaume, 40 rue Louis Desjardins, 97411 Bois de Nefles St Paul, France. [TNX F5NQL]
- Jesus, LU5FC as LP1F (SOSB 10 metres, low power). QSL via LU5FC either direct (Jesus Rubio, San Juan 2694, Rosario 2000, Argentina) or through the bureau. [TNX LU5FC]
- Kari, LX/OH2PQ as LX4B (<http://www.qsl.net/lx4b>), SOSB (10 metres). QSL via LX1TI. [TNX LX1KQ]
- DF9LJ, DK2OY, DK6WL, DL1MGB, DL2HBX, and DL5UT as LX5A (Multi-Single). QSL to LX1RQ or via the LX bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Hein, DL2OBF as MU/DL2OBF (SOAB low power) from Guernsey (EU-114). QSL via DL2OBF. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- Ian, G3WVG and Nigel, G3TXF as MZ5A from the Shetland Islands (EU-012, Scotland, but a separate multiplier in CQWW). [TNX The Daily DX]
- Jukka, OH6LI as OH0V (15 metres) and DJ2QV as OH0N (10 metres) from the Aland Islands. QSL OH0V via OH6LI (Jukka Klemola, Aarontie 5, 31400 Somero, Finland); QSL OH0N via OH1BOI. [TNX OH6LI]
- Scott, K0DQ as P40Q (SOAB HP) from the QTH of P43P in Aruba. [TNX The Daily DX]
- Serge, RA0JJ as SOSB (80 metres) from Zone 19. He will be looking for Europe and Africa on 3541 kHz (+/- 1) between 21.30 and 23.00 UTC. QSL to Serge Smirnoff, P.O. Box 1, Blagoveschensk, 675000, Russia [TNX RA0JJ]
- SV1VN, SV1VN, SV1XV as SW1R from near Athens. They will operate mainly on 160 metres with 100 watts. QSL via SV1XV either direct (Costas Krallis, P.O.Box 3066, GR-10210 Athens, Greece) or through the bureau. [TNX SV1XV]
- NOKE from Costa Rica as TI5X (SOAB QRP) from TI5KD's station. QSL for TI5X and TI/NOKE via NOKE. [TNX The Daily DX]
- F5ROP, F8BWB, F5SIH, F5NOD and DL7FER (guest operator) as TM0DX from the contest site of the F6KDF Radio Club. [TNX F5NQL]
- Ed, N1TO and Press, N6SS from Diego Garcia (AF-0069 as VQ9X (the new club call for the local ARC, formerly VQ9IO). [TNX The Daily DX]
- Dennis, K7BV (currently signing NP2/K7BV) as WP2Z from the Virgin Islands (NA-106) as SOAB 15 metres. QSLs for both via KU9C. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- Lani, YB0GJS as Single Operator Single Band on 20 metres. QSL via K5ZE. [TNX YB0ECT]
- Jim Neiger, N6TJ from ZD8Z on Ascension Island (probably as SOSB 10



metres). QSL via VE3HO. [TNX The Daily DX]  
Give also a look to the listing of announced operations maintained by Bill,  
NG3K at <http://www.ng3k.com>

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DUCIE ISLAND ---> The team departed from Mangareva (French Polynesia) shortly after local sunrise on 15 November and arrived to Pitcairn around 12.30 UTC on the 17th. The voyage took much more time than expected due to a storm, which also prevented them from leaving Pitcairn after just a couple of hours as originally planned. Their new plans were to leave Pitcairn around 15 UTC on 18 November, to arrive at Ducie around 03.30 UTC on the 20th (Tuesday) and to leave on the 23rd (Friday) at the latest. However at 21 UTC on 19 November they were still approximately 11-12 hours away from the island, with rough sea and even worse weather closing in behind them. Later in the UTC night between Monday and Tuesday the trip to Ducie was cancelled and the team turned around and headed back to Pitcairn. The team left Pitcairn around 1 UTC on 22 November to return to the Gambier Islands. Kan, JA1BK donated all the antennas and masts and two generators to the Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association (PIARA) for a future DXpedition. [TNX K6GNX and WD4NGB]

NOT THE MANAGER ---> Alan, G3PMR has received several bureau cards sent "via G3PMR" for ZC4AKR, ZC4ATC, ZC4RAF. Please note that he is not the QSL manager for any of these stations.

QRP DXCC AWARD ---> The new QRP DXCC Award certificate is given for working 100 different DXCC entities on the DXCC List while operating with a transmitter power of 5 watts or less. Applications will be accepted beginning 2 January 2002, but contacts may have been made at any time since 15 November 1945. The award is not endorseable and is separate and distinct from the traditional DXCC award program (credits are not assigned to other DXCC awards). Certificates will be dated, but not numbered. QSL cards are not required; applicants must certify the authenticity of log information. For further information (including the application forms) please visit <http://www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc/qrp/index.html> [TNX NC1L]

QSL FO/SP9FIH ---> Janusz reports that cards will be ready early next year. He was active from the Marquesas Islands between 24 October and 10 November and logged some 12,000 QSOs on 80-10 metres. QSL to Janusz Wegrzyn, P.O. Box 480, 44-100 Gliwice, Poland.

QSL H44NC ---> Father Norried, H44NC should be back to the Solomon Islands in August 2002. For the time being, while he is in the US, he can confirm only contacts made between 1 July 2000 and 31 May 2001. Send your request direct to: Norried F. Chaisson, P.O. Box 2262, Springfield, Missouri 65801, USA [425DXN 522]. When he returns to the Solomons, he will be able to confirm older contacts as well. His new address will be P.O. Box 419, Honiara, Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL VIA W4FRU (CHANGE) ---> John Parrot, W4FRU is no longer able to continue being a QSL manager for any of his stations. The new QSL manager for all of the stations previously handled by John is K4JDJ: Bob Young, 556 Babbtown Rd., Suffolk, VA 23434, USA. [TNX K1XN and The Golist, <http://www.golist.net/>]

WRTC 2002 ---> The following contesters have been nominated to represent their countries in WRTC 2002 (<http://www.wrtc2002.org>):  
Czech Republic           Vojta Zeman, OK2ZU & Karel Karmasin, OK2FD





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- 6Y - Tommy, VK2IR has cancelled his trip to Tonga (A3) and Niue (ZK2) [425DXN 548] and was active as J6/VK2IR from St. Lucia. His next stop will be on Jamaica between 30 November and 3 December. [TNX The Daily DX]
- E3 - Paolo, IW0FT will be active as E300A from Asmara, Eritrea between 29 November and 7 December. QSL via IZ0CKJ either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IZ0CKJ]
- FO - Marcel, FO0DEH was recently heard saying that he would remain on Pukapuka (OC-062) until 29 November. His next stop will be at Takapoto Island (OC-131), French Polynesia. [TNX WC6DX and Islands On The Web].
- I - Look for IR7GM/P to be active from the lighthouse at Punta San Cataldo (WAIL PU-007, ARLHS ITA-142) on 2 December. QSL via IK7JWX either direct or through the bureau. [TNX IK7JWX]
- I - Special station IU9MM will be active on 15, 20 and 40 metres SSB during the Italian Navy Day between 7 and 19 UTC on 4 December. [TNX IT9MRM]
- S7 - Juergen, DL8LE will be active (on 10-40 metres PSK31, RTTY and AMTOR/FACTOR) as S79LE from the Seychelles between 30 November and 13 December. [TNX The Daily DX]
- T30 & V7 - Steve, 3D2SJ is currently active as T30ED from Tarawa, West Kiribati (OC-017). On 6 December he will move to the Marshall Islands and be active as V73ED until the 13th. QSLs via 3D2SJ (Fr. Steve Dives MSC, P.O. Box 1354, Suva, Fiji Islands). [TNX QRZ-DX]
- VP8 - A multi-national team of twelve experienced operators will be active from South Georgia (AN-007) and the South Sandwich Islands (AN-009) in the second half of January and early February. Information currently available indicates that the group will operate from the old Husvik whaling station on the central north coast of South Georgia for about a week commencing 18 January. They expect to leave Husvik on 25 January and be active from the island of Southern Thule (near the southern end of the South Sandwiches chain) between 28 January and 3 February. Thanks to Bob Oldfield, VK3UY for forwarding the information.
- VU - Horey, VU2HFR reports that another activity from Sagar Island (AS-153) is scheduled to take place on 10-16 January 2002. [TNX I1HYW]
- W - Look for Ed/KD6OBB and Carlin/AB6WQ to operate (on 10-40 metres SSB) from Catalina Island (NA-066) between 30 November and 2 December. [TNX The Daily DX]
- YA - The Daily DX reports that Marcel, F6EKD has been given oral

permission to operate as YA/F6EKD from Afghanistan and hopes to get a written licence to operate with a proper YA call.

As for YA5T [425DXN 551], on 26 November Wayne Mills, N7NG/1 (ARRL Membership Services Manager) reported that "the DXCC Desk has received acceptable documentation for YA5T operated by ON6TT, S53R, SM7PKK or ON4WW. The documentation is for QSOs made November 20, 2001 and after. No other callsigns or operations have been approved as of this date" (that means that YA/ON6TT/M is not valid for DXCC purposes). QSL YA5T via KU9C. The Northern California DX Association is providing financial assistance involving QSL expense and perhaps some additional help as conditions warrant. Bruce, WD4NGB has set up a web page page (more will follow) at <http://www.qsl.net/ya5t/>; see also YA5T in "Good To Know" below.

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CHRISTMAS LIGHTS ---> Plans for the "Lighthouse Christmas Lights 2001" have been announced by the Amateur Radio Lighthouse Society (ARLHS). It will take place from 1 UTC on 22 December through 23.59 UTC on 2 January. Information about the event is available at <http://www.arlhs.com>

DXCC NEWS ---> The ARRL DXCC Desk reports that the 1999 XU7AAR operation from Cambodia has been approved for DXCC credit. Those who have submitted the QSL and had it rejected, can contact DXCC ([dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org)) to have their record updated without having to re-submit the card). Otherwise, it can be included with the next submission.

LS2D ---> Mariano, LU4EJ reports that the 23-25 November LS2D operation from Isla Verde [425DXN 545] was cancelled due to bad weather conditions.

MARCONI EVENT ---> The National Weather Service of Germany transmits a special broadcast to celebrate Guglielmo Marconi's first reception of radio signals across the North Atlantic. Listen to the multilingual telegraph broadcast in Morse Code over DDH47 located at Pinneberg on 147,3 kHz, 12 December 2001 at 22.30 UTC (<http://www.dwd.de/services/gfsf/sf100y.html>). The activity is run by amateur radio club DL0SWA. [TNX G4TMV]

QSL AS-120 ---> Antonio, IZ8CCW reports that all of the direct cards for 5B/IZ8CCW and 5B/IT9SSI (AS-004 and AS-120) were mailed on 28 November. The first batch of bureau cards will be sent in December.

QSL 9L1BTB ---> Janusz, SP7CDG reports he is no longer the QSL manager for 9L1BTB; now cards should be sent to SP7BTB.

QSL ET3VSC ---> Irv McWherter, K3IRV reports he has all the logs for Claudio, ET3VSC, who has now has left Ethiopia. Cards can be sent either direct or through the bureau.

QSL TA0/I3BQC ---> Vito, I3BQC reports that all of the direct cards for his August-September activities from Turkey have now been mailed. Vito was active from Sedir (AS-098) on 22 August, from Kekova (AS-115) on 25 August and from Karaada (AS-098) on 2 September. Remaining QSOs (as well as those with I3BQC/p operating from EU-131) will be confirmed via the bureau.

QSL ZY5A ---> Pedro, PP5SZ is not the QSL manager for ZY5A, who was active in the CQ WW DX CW Contest on 24-25 November. Cards should be sent via PY1KN.

YA5T ---> Thanks to Carl Smith, N4AA and QRZ-DX for provifing the following

message from Peter, ON6TT:

"I am the only one in Afghanistan at the moment, though the other team members (S53R, SM7PKK and ON4WW) will come in and out of Afghanistan as per requirements by their organization. For the next few weeks, or months, the operators will operate after their normal work duties, in small scale ham operations. Their work demands are very heavy and the living and working conditions are not always favorable. I may be on the air (local evening time) as of November 28, from Kabul. I'll be flying out of Kabul by the end of the week, but expect to be back a week later. Due to cargo restrictions on the humanitarian flights, equipment will only be low power, with limited antennas, restricting operation to the mainstream bands. Once the working conditions and security allow, the team will mount a much larger scale operation. The YA5T license has no time limit and allows the team to operate from anywhere in the country, all bands from 160 through SHF, with up to 500 watts".

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LOGS: The log search for T2T and T2SIX is now available at  
<http://www.big.or.jp/~ham/T2T/> (SSB and CW QSOs only, digital modes will be added soon). [TNX JF6OJX]

QSL ROUTES: A collection of QSL routes for stations active during the CQ WW DX CW Contest is available at  
<http://www.arrakis.es/~ea5eyj/cqcw01.htm> [TNX EA5EYJ]

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3B8/LA7MFA	LA7MFA	ES9C	ES5RY	RM6A	W3HNK
3D2AG/P	3D2AG	EY8MM	K1BV	RT9W	RZ9WWH
3D2RW	ZL1AMO	EZ8CQ	I2JSB	RU1A	RU1AE
3E1DX	N0JT	FG/N4CD	N4CD	RW2F	DK4VW
3W2ER	G4ZFE	FM5BH	W3HNK	RW9QA	W3HNK
3W2FM	UA0FM	FO0DEH	ON4QM	S79GAN	DL2GAN
3W2LWS	WA1LWS	FO0FUJ	JP1IOF	SP0DIG	SP5CJQ
4J6ZZ	UT3UY	FO0SAI	JI1JKW	SU1ER	WA3HUP
4K5CW	UT3UY	FO8DX	W6UFT	SV9/W4WX	W4WX
4K8F	UA9AB	FS/KF2HC	KF2HC	SW1R	SV1XV
4L1FX	DJ1CW	FS/W2AZK	W2AZK	T88BV	JA1PBV
4L1UN	IK7JTF	FW0DX	JE3RZT	T88FS	JH6RTO
4U1WB	KK4HD	GM7V	ZS5BBO	T88JA	JA6VZB
4W/CU3FT	CT1EEB	H2G	5B4AGC	T92D	T91AVW
4X2K	4Z1GY	H44MA	VK2GR	TG/W0IZ	W0IZ
5A1ASC	DK4HB	H6C	YN4SU	TI2/VE2EM	VE2EM
5A1HA	DJ9ZB	HA8EU	HA2NM	TI4SU	YN4SU
5A1TA	EA3GIP	HC8N	AA5BT	TI5X	N0KE
5H1F	KQ1F	HF50WAT	SP5PCI	TI8/W5AA	W5AA
5H1X	KQ1F	HI3K	AD4Z	TK5KT	F6FNU
5K3S	HK3OJY	HK0GU	DL7VOG	TL8DV	W3MC
5N6NDP	IK5JAN	HS4BPQ	E21EIC	TM0A	F6OIE
5R8FU	SM0DJZ	HZ1AB	K8PYD	TM2Y	F6BEE

5R8GZ	G3SWH	II1H	I1HJT	TR0A	OM3LZ
5R8HD	KD6WW	II3GM	IK3RIY	TZ6TO	JA6HGB
5U7JK	I2YSB	IQ3X	IV3HAX	UA0YAY	IK2QPR
5W0VF	W7TVF	IQ5ONU	I5KKW	UE0JX	RA0JX
5X1Z	SM6CAS	IR3PO	IK3OYY	UK8LA	RW3RN
6Y0A	WA4WTG	IR7GM	IK7JWX	UN7EG	DL8KAC
6Y1A	WA4WTG	IU0M	I0YKN	UN9PQ	IK2QPR
6Y2A	WA4WTG	IU7M	IK7JWY	UQ10A	DL8KAC
6Y4A	WA4WTG	IY1SP	I1FNX	UT7L	UR4LWC
6Y8A	WA4WTG	IY4W	I4JED	UU7J	UU8JK
6Y9A	WA4WTG	J3A	WA1S	UV5U	UX1UA
7S2E	SM2DMU	J41YM	OKDXF	V26K	AA3B
7X0MT	F5MSR	J6/VK2IR	VK2IR	V47KP	K2SB
7X5JF	DJ8QP	J88DR	G3TBK	V47UY	KJ4UY
8P9HT	K4BAI	JT1/K4ZW	K4ZW	V63A	JA7AO
8P9Z	K4BAI	JY9NX	JH7FQK	V63DX	JA7AO
9A30Y	9A1CCY	K2KW/6Y5	WA4WTG	V85TG	JH3GAH
9G5MF	KC7V	KC4/N3SIG	AI3D	V8YYY	JR3WXA
9J2BO	W6ORD	KE7X/6Y5	WA4WTG	VA3NA/2	VA3NA
9K9X	9K2HN	KG4AS	N4SIA	VB2V	NB1B [a]
9M6A	N2OO	KH0/AD6VH	JQ1UKK	VB2V	VE3BY [b]
9M6AAC	N2OO	KH0/JE6MYI	JE6MYI	VK3FEI	PA0MIR
9M6NA	JE1JKL	KH0/JK2VOC	JK2VOC	VP2VI	W6RKC
9N7RB	W4FOA	KH0AC	K7ZA	VP5/WA3WSJ	WA3WSJ
9U5D	SM5BFJ	KH2/JA5XAE	JA5XAE	VP5ED	WA3WSJ
9V1GA	JA4BJO	KP2/K0DI	K0KTZ	VP5G	K3TEJ
A41KJ	N5FTR	KP3Z	WC4E	VP8SGK	GM0HCQ
A61AJ	N4QB	L34H	LU4FM	VP9/W9AEB	W9AEB
AH2R	JH7QXJ	LA6YEA	LA9VDA	VY2ZMM	K1ZM
C6A/K7RE	K7RE	LP1F	LU5FC	W0YK/6Y5	WA4WTG
C6A/K8EP	K8EP	LU7EE	LU7EE	W4SAA/C6A	W4SAA
C6A/W4SAA	W4SAA	LX/DL4SDX	DL8SCG	WH0/JK2VOC	JK2VOC
C6AKP	N4RP	LX4B	LX1TI	WP2Z	KU9C
C6AKQ	N4BP	LZ8T	LZ2CJ	XE1L	WA3HUP
C6ARS	K8EP	MJ0AWR	K2WR	XE1RGL	N2AU
CE3HKF	EA7FTR	MM0LEO	W3LEO	XT2DX	G3SXW
CN2JS	F6BEE	MU/DL2OBF	DL2OBF	XT2WP	G4BWP
CO2FU	EA5KB	MU0ASP	F5SHQ	XU7AAV	G4ZVJ
CO8CH	EA5KB	MZ5A	G3TXF	XV9SW	SM3CXS
CO8EJ	EA5KB	N6BT/6Y5	WA4WTG	XW0X	XW2A
CO8LY	EA7ADH	N6XG/6Y5	WA4WTG	YA5T	KU9C
CO8TW	IZ8CCW	NH0S	JF2SKV	YB0GJS	K5ZE
CS7T	DF4SA	NH0V	JG3VEI	YB1AQV	N2KFC
CT7B	OH2BH	NP2/K7BV	KU9C	YC1HDF	EA5KB
CT9L	DJ6QT	OA/ON4CD	ON4CD	YE1ZTC	YB1BOD
CT9M	DL1SBF	OD5UT	K3IRV	YI1BGD	G0MMI [c]
CU2A	OH2BH	OE75CWL	OE5CWL	YL7C	YL2GQT
CX2TG	EA5KB	OG1F	OH1MDR	YL8M	YL2KL
CX3HF	EA5XX	OG1MM	OH1MM	YT9X	YU1ZZ
CX5AO	EA5KB	OG4A	OH6LI	ZA1E	I2MQP
CX5BE	EA5RD	OH0N	OH1BOI	ZC4BS	G4KIV
CX9AU	KA5TUF	OH0V	OH6LI	ZC4DW	G0DEZ
D2/CT1FSC	CT1FSC	OH0Z	OH1EH	ZD8R	N6ND
D2BB	W3HNK	OM8A	OM3RM	ZD8Z	VE3HO
D44CF	SM0JHF	OX1AWG	OX3HX	ZD9IR	ZS6EZ
D44TC	IV3TAN	OX3SA	KZ5RO	ZF1A	W5ASP
E20HHK	E21EIC	P40Q	K0DQ	ZF2AM	K6AM
EA4ML	EA4KA	P40W	N2MM	ZF2DR	K5RQ
EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	P49MR	VE3MR	ZF2LA	K9LA
EK7DX	F5LGQ	P5/4L4FN	KK5DO	ZF2NT	G3SWH
EM3QLH	UR5QRB	PJ2T	KN7Y	ZF2YL	AE9YL
EN10U	UX5UO	PJ4/PA3CNX	PA3CNX	ZK1SDW	MW0COS
EO10B	UX5UO	PY0FM	JA1VOK	ZK2MO	OM2SA

EO10N	UX5UO	RA0FA	RA0FA	ZK2TO	OM2SA
EO10W	UX5UO	RA0JJ	RA0JJ	ZL1WY/ZL7	JF1OCQ
EO1I	UT1IA	RF9C	RK9CWW	ZL6WI	ZL1AYQ
ER373R	ER3DX	RG3A	RZ3BW	ZS4TX	ZS4TX
ER3KAZ	ER3DX	RI0F	N6ZZ	ZS7/ZS4AGA	ZS4A

[a] USA  
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[c] only for QSOs with Rodger, G0TLC

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- 3W - Karl, W9XK will be active (mostly on 14260-14270, 21370-21400 and 28500 kHz) as 3W2XK from near Saigon, Vietnam until 9 April. QSL via W9XK. [TNX Daily DX]
- 3X - Francois, VE2XO will go back to Guinea in late December-early January. He will operate as 3XY6A from Conakry and he also plans to be active with a special callsign from Rooma Island (AF-051). [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9L - Zbig, 9L1BTB will be back home in Poland on 7 December and will return to Sierra Leone on 7 January. [TNX The Daily DX]
- 9U - Piero, IK2BHX (aka K2BHX and HB9DSU) has been in Burundi since 4 December on mission for the United Nations. He will be there until 4 January and expects to operate as 9U5X concentrating on 30 metres and WARC bands. QSL via IK2ILH (preferably through the ARI bureau). [TNX IK2BHX]
- C6 - John, WZ8D will be active as C6AIE from Abaco (FL16ip), Bahamas on 1-10 January. The main focus of this trip will be to work as many F2 contacts possible on 6 metres during day time, and he will also put a lot of effort in making WSJT contacts on 2 metres (144.140 MHz) in the evenings. If 6m is not open, he will spend some time on 10-40 metres CW with some SSB. [TNX WZ8D]
- C6 - Look for Wade, AA8LL/C6A and Liz, K8LIZ/C6A to be active (on 10-40 metres SSB) from Crooked Island (NA-113), Bahamas on 12-14 January. Their activity will count for ARLHS BAH-005 (Bird Rock Lighthouse). QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX AA8LL]
- CE - Look for Ismael, CE7AOY/8 to be active from Riesco Island (SA-???) between around 22 UTC on 17 December and 15 UTC on the 20th. Marcos, CE7HJO expected to make the trip with Ismael, but has been forced to give up due to family reasons. QSL direct only via CE7ZK. [TNX CE7ZK]
- E4 - Gunter, E4/OE1GZA was active from Ramallah, Palestine on 23-24 November (1027 SSB QSOs). His next activity was scheduled to take place on either 14-15 or 21-22 December, but the current local situation is likely to prevent him from entering the West Bank. Updates on Gunter's operations can be found on his new home page at <http://www.geocities.com/dh2gz/arse4.html> [TNX E4/OE1GZA]
- EA - Gerard, EA4ST and Ignacio, EA4AHD will participate in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest as EA4TEN (M/S Mixed HP). QSL via EA4AHD. [TNX EA4AHD]
- EA6 - Christian, DL6KAC will be again active (mainly on 40-10 metres SSB) from Mallorca (EU-004, DIE E-021) between 21 December and 6 January. QSL via home call. [TNX DL6KAC]
- FY - Operators from Radio Club FY5KE plan to be active (on HF, 6 metres

- and AO-40 satellite) from the Salut Islands (SA-020), French Guiana starting around 16 UTC on 12 January for 24 hours. QSL via CBA. [TNX VA3RJ]
- HS - The E29AL operation from Tarutao Island (AS-126) [425DXN 545] is confirmed to take place on 8-15 December. The first wave of operators will be E21EIC, HS0GBI, E20HHK, E20RRW, G3NOM, HB9DKZ and HS4BPQ; they will be joined on 12 December by HS1CKC, HS0ZCW/K4VUD and HS0/SM3DYU. Monoband yagis will be used for the HF bands, and dipoles/inverted Ls for the LF bands. Look for E29AL on 1.824 MHz and 3.524 MHz at 1100-1300 UTC and 1800-2330 UTC. Maximum power will be 100 watts. QSL via HS0GBI (Cherdchai Yiwlek, P.O. Box 1090 Kasetsart, Bangkok 10903, Thailand). [TNX HS0/G3NOM]
- JA - Yuki, JI6KVR will be active as JI6KVR/6 from the Amakusa Islands (AS-012) on 8-9 December. This operation is in preparation for the 17-22 April DXpedition to Cham Island (AS-???) [425DXN 547]. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX JI6KVR]
- KH5 - Mike, KH6ND and Kimo, KH7U will be on Palmyra Island this weekend. The main purpose of their trip is to perform maintenance on some equipment on the island, however they plan to participate for approximately the last 12 hours of the ARRL 160 Meter Contest. They expect to be on the air by around 05.00Z on Sunday; the callsign will be KH7U/5 (QSL via KH7U). [TNX N4AA and QRZ-DX]
- PJ2 - Marty, NW0L will be operating from Curacao (SA-006) on 2-8 January. He will be signing PJ2/NW0L primarily on RTTY and SSB, on 80 through 10 metres. He will participate in the ARRL RTTY Roundup (5-6 January) as PJ2T. QSL PJ2/NW0L via home call; QSL PJ2T via KN7Y. [TNX NW0L]
- S9 - A group of experienced operators from Norway and Sweden (namely LA6FJA, LA7THA, LA5QKA, LA5UF, LA6EIA, LA7WCA, LC3EAT, LC6ZBT, SM5COP and SM5IMO) will be active from Sao Tome (AF-023) on 4-10 February. They have been given oral permission and hope S79LA will be issued to them. They expect to have at least two stations on the air 24 hours a day and plan to operate on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and may be SSTV, with amplifiers, a wide range of antennas and an emphasis on the low and WARC bands, digital modes and 6 metres. The Pilots will be Trond/LA9VDA (North & South America and low bands; e-mail la9vda@online.no), Tor/LA3WAA (Europe, Africa and 6 metres; e-mail torpet@online.no) and Teru/JM2HBO (Japan, Asia and Oceania; e-mail teru@k-net.or.jp). QSL via LA2N (Sore Sunnmore Gruppa av NRRL v/ Otto Norhagen, NO-6143 Fiskaabygd, Norway). A web site is under construction at <http://www.qsl.net/s921a/> [TNX LA6FJA]
- SV - Ilias, SV2BOH and Tassos, SV2BFL will be signing SW2B (CW) during the ARRL 10 Meter Contest. QSL via bureau. [TNX SV2BFL]
- V5 - DL2SL and SP6IXF will be active (on 160-6 metres) as V51/SP6IXF and V51/DL2SL from Namibia between 15 February and 8 March. [TNX SP5EWY]
- VE - Amateur radio operators from Canada are allowed to replace their ordinary prefix with a special event prefix to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Marconi's first transatlantic transmission. Look for VX (for VE), VG (for VA), XJ (for VO) and XK (for VY) to be used between 12 December and 12 February. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- VK - After an unsuccessful activity from Phillip Island (OC-136), Nico, VK3FEI/PA0MIR is now touring Australia. He might operate from French Island (OC-136) sometime in February. [TNX PA0MIR]
- VP5 - John/G4RCG (mainly CW), Ray/VK4BRC (SSB only) and Bruce/KI7VR (mainly CW) will be active as VP5/homecall from North Caisos Island (NA-002) between 20 January and 2 February. They will operate on 160-10 metres and will take part in the CQ WW 160 Meter CW Contest (25-27 January). QSLs via home calls. [TNX G4RCG]
- VP8 - The operators who will be active from South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands in January-February are EI6FR, EI5IQ, HB9ASZ, PA3FQA, K0IR, W3WL, K4UEE, VE3EJ, N5KO, K5TR, W7EW and 9V1YC. Please note that the dates given in 425DXN 552 were taken from the ANAN News 59/01 by Marty Betts (forwarded by Bob Oldfield, VK3UY), but

are not the correct ones. Exact dates, as well as callsigns and QSL managers, will not be made public until the operation starts. There will be no websites, no online-logs, no pilots and no promises of any bands or modes; this DXpedition is not about QSO totals, and, due to heavy environmental and safety restrictions on the team's permit, the operators will have ultra-light generators, simple antennas and low power. "This time we are presenting the DX community with much more of a challenge", James Brooks, 9V1YC says. "We feel that DXers need to get back to basics and work harder, so this time the burden of working the DXpedition is being shifted back home".

- W - Look for Wade, AA8LL/4 and Liz, K8LIZ/4 to be active (on 10-40 metres SSB) from Dauphin Island (NA-213, USI AL-002S) on 5-7 January. QSL via home calls either direct or through the bureau. [TNX AA8LL]
- XU - Dick, N6FF is now active (with an emphasis on 160 metres) as XU7ACB from Sihanoukville, Cambodia until 17 December. QSL via N6FF. Rod, WC7N is the pilot station for this activity and can be contacted at wc7n@gb.wave.net [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZL\_ant - Chris, KC4/N3SIG might operate as ZL5CP from near New Zealand Antarctic "Scott" Base on Ross Island (AN-011), Antarctica. Look for him on 14.243 MHz. QSL via AI3D. [TNX N3SIG]
- ZS\_ant - Anton, ZS7/ZS4AGA expects to be QRV (with 100 watts and a dipole around 17.00 UTC on either 21275 kHz or 14146 kHz) on 10 December from the so called "E Base" (Emergency Base, WABA ZS-04). It is located about 160 km north of the SANAE IV ("Vesleskarvet") Base (WABA ZS-03), which is Anton's current QTH. Dominik, DL5EBE suggests to give a look to <http://www.geocities.com/sanaeiv/> to learn more about the existing Antarctic stations of South Africa.

T88SI ---> Well known island activator Silvano Amenta, KB5GL has joined the T88SI group of operators (including Nando/IT9YRE, Erminio/IZ8AJQ and 425DXN web master Maurizio/IZ1CRR) who will operate from Sonsorol Island (South Palau group, NEW ONE for IOTA) on 9-10 February [425DXN 549]. Due to the high costs of the expedition, sponsors are more than welcome. Please visit <http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/t88si> for further information on the operation and send your contribution to the Diamond DX Club (<http://www.ddxc.org>) c/o I8YRK (Gennaro Casaburi, v. 31 maggio 11, 80027 Frattamaggiore - NA, Italy).

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DXCC NEWS (T5) ---> The 1993 (20 April-22 May) T5/DL8YR operation from Somalia has been approved for DXCC credit. "We do not have records of rejections made prior to 1 March 1998", Bill Moore, NC1L (DXCC Manager) reports. "If your card was part of a submission dated 1 March 1998 or before, the card must be sent along with your next application for approval".

DXCC NEWS (ZK1) ---> The January-February 2000 ZK1NCI operation from the North Cook Islands has been approved for DXCC credit. Those who had this rejected during a past submission can contact DXCC at [dxcc@arrl.org](mailto:dxcc@arrl.org) for an update to their records. Or it can be sent with the next submission for credit.

ER3BAH ---> Due to an unfortunate misunderstanding, it was reported in early November that ER3BAH is a pirate [425DXN 548]. This is not the case, as Vasil, ER3BAH himself reports. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused Vasil and our readers.

HC8N ---> HC8N was activated during the week of CQWW CW by N0JK, N4GN, N6TV, N5KO, K1KI, N0AX, K6AW, KM3T, K1TO and K9NW, completing 40411 QSOs on 160 through 6 metres before, during and after the contest. The 50 MHz operation included 3011 QSOs in 11 days (51 DXCC entities, including 270 contacts with Europe and 969 contacts with Japan). QSL via AA5BT. Logs for HC8N are now available at [http://www.kkn.net/~hc8n/log\\_search.html](http://www.kkn.net/~hc8n/log_search.html) [TNX N5KO]

INTERNATIONAL DX CONVENTION ---> The 53rd International DX Convention will be held in Visalia, California on 26-28 April 2002. The web site for the event is at <http://www.qsl.net/visalia2002> [TNX N6DHZ]

PIRATE (S21YJ) ---> Stig, S21YJ (SM5VZS) has been QRT from Bangladesh since 1 March 2001. Someone pirated his call on 4 December (40 metres). [TNX The Daily DX]

PIRATE (YA5T) ---> Someone is pirating YA5T. Peter, ON6TT left Kabul on 4 December and should be back early in the coming week. "Mats/SM7PKK, Robert/S53R and Mark/ON4WW cannot come into Afghanistan, due to other work obligations and the security restrictions", The Daily DX reports, and the situation is not expected to change until early 2002. "Peter will continue to fly in and out of Afghanistan until the end of this month".

QSL BUREAU ---> Effective 1 December the ARRL Sixth District QSL Bureau (<http://www.kqlz.com/qslbureau6.html>) is managed by Arlette and Chuck Marshall (KO6IS and KD6WP). The new mailing address is ARRL Sixth District QSL Bureau, P.O. Box 530, Weed, CA 96094-0530, USA. [TNX The Daily DX]

QSL 5R8FU ---> Please note that cards should be sent to SM5DJZ (not SM0DJZ: Jan has been SM5 for some twelve months now!). His current address is Jan Hallenberg, Vassunda Andersberg, SE-741 91 Knivsta, Sweden.

QSL TG9NX ---> Frank, TG9NX asks European stations who worked him on 6 metres (200+) to QSL direct only to his callbook address in Guatemala (Francisco Capuano, 16 Ave 17-20, Zona 10, Ciudad Guatemala, Guatemala), not to N4FK.

QSL UA9MQR/1 ---> Dmitriy, UA9MQR reports that direct cards were mailed on 30 November. This operation took place on 2-9 October from Vysotskiy Island (RR-01-14). QSL to Dmitriy P. Mikhal'chenko, P.O.Box 512, Omsk-21, 644021, Russia.

QSL VIA CT1ETE ---> Paulo is the QSL manager for CQ1CV only. He is receiving cards for 5V7A, but he is not and has never been the QSL manager for this station.

QSL VIA K4JDJ ---> The Daily DX provides the list of the stations previously managed by the late John Parrot, W4FRU and now handled by K4JDJ (Bob Young, 556 Babtown Road, Suffolk, VA 23434, USA):

1S0XV	A4XRF	TX0K	XV100HCM/3W
1S1RR	A4XYS	TY0ABD	YB1AQC
3W0A [a]	A61AA	TZ1AZ	YJ8M
3W100HCM	A61AB	TZ2ZZ	ZD2XY
3W1A [b]	BS7H [f]	TZ6ZZ	ZD7BJ
3W1PZ	CE1CI	V21ZC	ZD7HH
3W3RR	E30GA	V21ZZ	ZD7LM
3W4KZ [c]	ED8HH	V29A	ZD7WA
3W7A	ET3USE	VK0IR [l]	ZD7XX
3W8AA	F5WE [g]	VK4NIC/3X	ZD7XY
3X1Z	FB8WJ	VP8CBC	ZD8CK
5A0RR	FB8ZM	VP8CRB	ZD8HH
5N0DOG	FB8ZN	VP8CRC	ZD8XX
5N0RMJ	FM5WE [h]	VP8CWN [m]	ZD9BV [o]
5N20DOG	FM5WS	VP8SGP	ZD9CD
5N2DOG	FR7BE	VP8TBD	ZD9CH

5N4ROF	HLOX/3	W3IVP/5N1	ZD9CK
5T5AY	J28EH	W4LZZ/6W	ZD9CL
5T5S	J28EM	W4LZZ/6W8	ZD9CN
5T5ZZ	K0AX/KH2	W4LZZ/TZ	ZD9DV
5X5AA	KA9YDK/HI8	W4LZZ/V2	ZD9JR
5Z4BI [d]	KB4ATV/4S7	W4LZZ/V21	ZD9PV
5Z4BX	KX6PO [i]	WZ6C/S2	ZD9WCY
8R1ZG	S21A	WZ6C/S21	ZD9YL
9G1KU	S21B [j]	WZ6C/ST2	ZK1SH
9M0S	S21NQ [k]	WZ6C/ST4	ZL7LM
9X5AA [e]	S21ZG	XV0SU [n]	ZS1EDR
A4XJF	TO0R	XV100HCM	ZS1USA

[a] operated by RN6BY	[f] 1997, No JAs	[k] operated by WZ6C
[b] operated by RN6BY	[g] 1994-2000	[l] Heard Island
[c] operated by RN6BY	[h] 1994-2000	[m] operated by ZD7BJ
[d] operated by KG0ZI	[i] operated by VK4NIC	[n] August 1990
[e] 1988-1989	[j] 1992-04/2000	[o] 1993-2000

QSL VIA N6CW ---> Terry, N6CW accepts e-mail requests for bureau cards for any of the stations he handles. This include ZD8A and recent activities as VP2ECW, VP2VCW, VP2V/N6CW and TI4/N6CW. Send your QSO information to QSLviaN6CW@aol.com [TNX N6CW]

QSL VIA W6DXO ---> Harry Edwards, W6DXO reports that QSL cards for his A25/KG6GPA and Z2/W6DXO operations (September-October 2001) are going out now. Harry's "vanity call" (W6DXO) arrived after he had already been granted his Botswanan license, issued to KG6GPA. W6DXO was the call used by the Zimbabwean authorities when they issued him his license. Both the operations have been approved for DXCC credit. QSL direct only.

+ SILENT KEY + The international DX community mourns the death of veteran DXer and well-known QSL manager John Parrott, W4FRU, who passed away on 28 November at 79 years of age.

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LOGS: The YA5T logs are now on line at <http://www.ve9dx.com/logs.html>  
 As of 6 December Peter had worked some 2200 stations all SSB.  
 [TNX VE9DX]

QSL ROUTES: F6KPO's search engine contains 64,000+ entries. To enter the system send an e-mail to [qsl.f6kpo@eudil.fr](mailto:qsl.f6kpo@eudil.fr) and leave blank either the subject line and the body of the message. You will receive an automatic reply with the instructions. Mistakes, additions etc should be reported to Yves, F6CYV ([f6cyv@dx-qsl.com](mailto:f6cyv@dx-qsl.com)). [TNX La Gazette du DX, <http://cdxc.free/>]

QSLs received direct: 3A/IK5GQK, 3B8GF, 3E1DX, 3G0Y (SA-001), 3W3ZZ, 4H2B (OC-093), 4I1P (OC-244), 4U1ITU, 4W6MM (OC-148), 5N4BFD, 5R8GC (AF-057), 5R8HA (AF-090), 5Z4WI (AF-067), 6Y1A, 6Y2A, 6Y6L, 6Y8A, 9G5AA, 9H30, 9L1BTB, 9M0C (AS-051), 9M2TO, A25/JA1ELY, A35MO (OC-169), AP2IA, BA4DW/2 (AS-158), BA4DW/4 (AS-150), C91RF, C98DC, CN2LE (AF-065), CO8ZZ, CU8/DJ6SI, ES1FB, FK8KAB/P (OC-058), FO/DL7FT, FO/F6CTL (OC-066), FO0MOT/P (OC-114), FP/W8MV (NA-032), FS/AH8DX, GJ2A, HK0VGJ (NA-033), HK5MQZ/0M, HL0C/4 (AS-084), HL0C/4 (AS-148), J28VS, J3/PA0ZH, J3/PA7FM, J38PA, J5X, J75J, J8/PA0ZH, J8/PA3EWP, J8/PA7FM, JT1DA, K2KW/6Y5 (NA-097), KC4AAA, KH0JX, KL6/KD6WW (NA-087), KL7AK/P (NA-053), KP2/K6RO, KP4DKE, LZ1KSL (EU-181), MM/W5ZE/P (EU-012), N1IBM/P (NA-136), OD5NJ, OJ0/JH1ARJ, PJ2/AE9B (SA-006), PJ4B, R0/UR8LV (AS-152), RA1TC/1 (EU-162), RI9K (AS-109), RK3IWT/3, SU1SK,



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>>> 425 DX NEWS SURVEY <<<

The 425 DX News DXCC Most Wanted Survey for the year 2002 is up and running on our web site - if you want to participate, please go to <http://www.425dxn.org/surv2002/>

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- 3X - Francois, VE2XO provides more information on his forthcoming operation from Guinea [425DXN 553]. He expects to be active as 3XY6A from Conakry on 26-27 December and 3-5 January and as 3XY8A from Rooma Island (AF-051) between 28 December and 2 January. He plans to operate SSB on or around the following frequencies (split 5-10 kHz up): 14.195 (3XY6A) and 14.260 (3XY8A), 18.145 (3XY6A) and 18.128 (3XY8A), 21.295 (3XY6A) and 21.260 (3XY8A), 24.945 (3XY6A) and 24.950 (3XY8A), 28.495 (3XY6A) and 28.460 (3XY8A). Some PSK31 activity (split 1-2 up) is planned on 14.070, 18.100, 21.070, 24.920 and 28.120 MHz. This will be a one man holiday DXpedition, so he will also spend some time enjoying the beach. QSL direct only to VE2XO (Francois Normant, 3054 avenue Lacombe, Montreal QC H3T 1L4, Canada).
  - 5U - Paolo, I2UIY reports that the DXpedition to Niger [425DXN 542 & 547] will take place on 3-18 February. Seven operators will be active with three stations on 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. Further information is available at "<http://www.qsl.net/niger-2002/>".
  - 9Q - The Amateur Radio Society of the Democratic Republic of Congo has been granted permission to operate club station 9Q0AR until 16 December. Activity is planned to take place on 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 metres SSB, including an entry in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest. QSL via F2YT either direct or through the REF bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
  - CE - The Southern Cross DX Group CE9C operation from Hornos Island (SA-031) [425DXN 529] is still scheduled to take place in late December or January (actual dates depend on weather conditions). Plans are to operate on 160-6metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via CE4EBJ either direct (Ivan Bahamonde, P.O. Box 128, Talca, Chile) or through the bureau. For further information check <http://www.qsl.net/ce9c>
  - DL\_ant - Dominik, DL5EBE reports that YL operator Mechita might be QRV as DPOGVN from German Antarctic Base "Georg von Neumayer" (WABA DL-01) for a short time. Amateur radio operator Sepp, who several years ago was active as DPOLEX, is a member of the team working at the new "Kohnen Station", located about 500 km south of Neumayer Base.



Dominik does not know what kind of HF equipment they use at Kohnen Station, but he will try to bring them on frequency (at 21275 kHz each Monday around 17 UTC).

- EM - Lviv Branch of UARL is using special event call EM75W until 28 December to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the Lviv Shortwave Club. QSL via the bureau or direct to UT1WL (P.O.Box 5951, Lviv, 79054, Ukraine). For information on the award issued for this activity, please visit <http://am.ca/lkk> [TNX UR5WCW]
- FO - Marcel, FO0DEH is due to be back home in Belgium on 21 December and OC-131 is his final semi-rare one for this year's trip. [TNX Islands On The Web]
- JA - Look for JM6CIP/6 and JN3FPV/6 to be active from the Koshiki Islands (AS-037) on 22-23 December. QSL via home calls. [TNX JI6KVR]
- LU\_so - Operator Caludio is active from club station LU1ZA, South Orkney Is. (AN-008). QSL via LU2CN.
- P5 - As of 9 December Ed, P5/4L4FN had logged 2248 SSB QSOs (436 on 20m, 1 on 15m and 1881 on 10m). He has received the Butternut vertical, which will allow him to operate on 15 metres, and the Bencher paddle. He "hasn't been on CW since 1992 and that was with a straight key", The Daily DX reports, so he "will first get familiar with this new toy before becoming QRV on CW". QSL via KK5DO (but cards will be not be purchased until after Ed receives a written licence). In the meanwhile, Toma, YU1AB has announced that Hrane/YT1AD and Voja/YU7AV are going to North Korea and hope to get a licence to operate between 19 and 22 December.
- S9 - The Scandinavian team has received S9LA - and not, of course, S79LA [425DXN 553] - to be used during their 4-10 February DXpedition to Sao Tome. [TNX LA6FJA]
- VP6\_di - Garth, VE3HO reports that the DXpedition to Ducie Island has been rescheduled for the end of March. A new charter ship has been arranged and JA1BK (group leader) is now looking for donations. The final group of operators is still to be finalized.
- VU - Bernhard, DL2GAC left Germany a few days ago for his annual trip until April. He is currently waiting for his VU2BMS licence to be renewed and will remain in India until 17 January. His next stop will be Honiara in the Solomon Islands (H44), where he expects to arrive on 22 January. [TNX DL2GAC and Islands On The Web]

MARSHALL ISLANDS & MICRONESIA ---> The Daily DX reports that family reasons prevented Jim Todd, KC7OKZ and his wife Carol from leaving Honolulu in mid-May as previously announced [425DXN 519]. The two now expect to leave this weekend and touring the Marshall Islands and Micronesia for some 12 months. Their original plans included operations from Ratak Chain (OC-029), Ralik Chain (OC-028), Enewetak Atoll (OC-087) and Ujelang Atoll (OC-???) in V7; Mwokil & Pingelap Atolls (OC-226), Kosrae (OC-059), Pohnpei (OC-010), Oroluk Atoll (OC-???), Nukuoro Atoll (OC-???), Kapingamarangi Atoll (OC-167), Mortlock Islands (OC-???), Chuuk Islands (OC-011) and Hall Islands (OC-???) in V6.

ARRL 10 METER CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced they will take part in this weekend's event:

- Giovanni, I5JHW from 3V8BB. [TNX I5JHW]
- LU8FPT, LU1FOW, LU2FLN, LU1FZR and LU5FC as LP5F (Multi Operator, Mixed, High Power). QSL via LU1FZR. [TNX LU5FC]
- Zoli, HA1AG as LX5A (Single Operator CW). QSL via the LX bureau. [TNX HA1AG]
- Mauricette, F8BPN and others as TM2E. This call will be aired until 22 December. QSL via F6KLO. [TNX F8BPN]

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2MT ---> This special station was activated on 12 December by the Chelmsford Amateur Radio Society to commemorate the centenary of Marconi's Trans-Atlantic transmission. For further details check their web page at <http://www.g0mwt.free-online.co.uk> [TNX M5AKA]

RIGA-800 ---> Twenty-two YL800 stations made some 14,000 QSOs between 1 July and 31 September and Grigorij, YL2NS reminds award chasers that the deadline for applications for the "Riga-800 Award" is 31 December. Rules are available at <http://www.lral.ardi.lv/riga800-eng.htm>

QSL D68C ---> Phil, G3SWH reports that nearly 60% of the direct requests for D68C QSLs have now been processed and that around 30,000 QSOs have been confirmed to date. Please do not send "second requests", as this only slows things down. [TNX G3XTT]

QSL F6AUS/HI9 ---> Serge logged some 12500 QSOs (mostly on CW - including 3053 contacts during the CQ WW DX CW Contest - and RTTY) during his recent operation from the Dominican Republic. His correct address for direct QSLs is Serge Soulet, Les Hautes Rivieres, 79800 Sainte Eanne, France.

WRTC 2002 --->The WRTC 2002 (<http://www.wrtc2002.org>) Organizing Committee has announced that the first twenty-five referees were selected, and they represent the first wave out of a total of fifty (50) on-site referees, one at each participating site: K1VR, K6KR, K9JF, K9ZO, N2AA, N7BG, W6UM 4Z4KX, DL6LAU, F6BEE, G4BUO, SM3CER, SM3DMP, SM3EVR, T97M, TG9AJR, UY5XE OH1EB, OH2JA, OH3BU, OH4XX, OH5BM, OH5NQ, OH6OS, OH6RX. The second wave will be launched January 30, 2002 and the third by March 15, 2002 at the latest. [TNX OH1EH]

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VK9: The web page for Jurek (SP9EVP) and Wojtek's (SP9PT) recent operations from Norfolk Island and East Malaysia is at <http://www.vk9n.sp5zcc.waw.pl> [TNX SP5UAF]

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3D2AG/P	3D2AG	HC2DX	PY3ZM	TI3M	EA5KB
3W2XK	W9XK	HF1SSS	SP1EG	TI4/N6CW	N6CW
4U1VIC	OE bureau	HF50WAT	SP5PCI	TL8DV	W3MC
4U1WB	KK4HD	HR1BY	EA7FTR	TM0AFH	F6LDH
5B4/RA6LUX	UA6LCW	HR1HR	EA7FTR	TM0H	F5SJH
5R8FU	SM5DJZ	HS0ZCW	K4VUD	TM0TLT	F6JOB
5R8GT	DK8ZD	II3GM	IK3RIY	TM7TLT	F6KWP
5V7BR	F5RUQ	IR7GM	IK7JWX	TM8AT	F8BAE
5W0VF	W7TVF	IU0M	I0YKN	TM8TLT	F5SQA

6Y5/VK2IR	VK2IR	IU9MM	IT9MRM	TM9TLT	F6KUC
9J0S	G3TEV	IY4W	I4JED	TP5CE	F6FQK
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	J49DLH	DL4FP	TZ6JA	JA3EMU
9U5D	SM5BFJ	J6/G3TBK	G3TBK	UE4HNT	RW4HT
9V1GA	JA4BJO	K1M	K3PD	UN7CC	KI6Y
9V1YC	AA5BT	KC4/N3SIG	AI3D	UN7FW	IK2QPR
A25/KG6GPA	W6DXO	KC4AAA	K1IED	UN9LM	LZ1YE
A61AJ	N4QB	KH7U/KH5	KH7U	V31JP	KA9WON
A61AR	UA6MF	LU2DAL	EA5KB	V73ED	3D2SJ
A71BY	F5PYI	LU7YS	EA5KB	V73MJ	JF1NZW
AP2AA	pirate	LZ0A	LZ1KDP	VI8ABC	VK8DA
BX4AE	SM3DBU	N1S	W3GR	VO1S	VO1AA
CN8YR	K4KU	OA4DMR	OH0XX	VP2ECW	N6CW
CO2PH	F6FNU	OD5TX	K3IRV	VP2V/N6CW	N6CW
CO2WL	EA3ELM	OY3QN	OZ1ACB	VP2VCW	N6CW
CO8ZZ	DK1WI	P29KH	WD9DZV	VP2VE	WA2NHA
D44TD	CT1EKF	P43MR	VE3MR	VU2VVP	SM3DBU
DU1/SQ9BOP	SP6GVU	P5/4L4FN	KK5DO	VU3BKY	SM3DBU
E29AL	HS0GBI	PI50A	PI4KGL	WH0/JK2VOC	JK2VOC
EA4TEN	EA4AHD	PJ2/W9EFL	W9EFL	WX7GTF	W7ECA
EA6/SP4AOQ	EC6TK	PJ2/W9JUV	W9JUV	XK0XN/P	VE3XN
ED5GRO	EA5VM	PJ2/W9VA	W9VA	XT2DE	F5JRY
ED8RCV	EA8BYO	PJ2T	KN7Y	XU7ACB	N6FF
EM1KCC	UT7UA	PY0FT	JA1ELY	YA5T	KU9C
EM75W	UT1WL	S79GAN	DL2GAN	YC7TO	EA5KB
EN100GM	RU3OM	S79LE	DL8LE	Z2/W6DXO	W6DXO
ET3VSC	K3IRV	SI900TKM	SK6NL	ZA1AM	IK1FLE
EY8MM	K1BV	SU9LL	EA7CHR	ZD8A	N6CW
FO0FRY	K8PYD	SW1KID	SV1CEI	ZD8R	N6ND
FO0SEV	WB8YJF	SW2B	SV bureau	ZD8Z	VE3HO
FO5RA	KM5M	T30ED	3D2SJ	ZF2AH	W6VNR
FW0DX	JE3RZT	T88DX	JI3DLI	ZL1WY/ZL7	JF1OCQ
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\* AND A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR \*  
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>>> DUCIE ISLAND 2002 <<<

PIARA President Tom Christian, VP6TC announces that all planning is now complete for the Pitcairn Island Amateur Radio Association's second attempt to activate Ducie Island (OC-182) [425DXN 554]

The group will leave Mangareva (French Polynesia) on 12 March; they will use a VP6 callsign to be announced at the beginning of the activity and plans to be operational as soon as possible after arriving upon the island. The operators will be VP6TC, VP6DB, VP6AZ, VP6MW, VP6BK/JA1BK, JA3USA, JF1IST, K9AJ, and K5VT.

The two main frequencies - 21020 kHz (CW) and 21295 kHz (SSB) - will be used 24 hours a day. Other prime frequencies include 28495 kHz and 14195 kHz for SSB and 14020 kHz for CW, but some activity is planned to take place on the other bands (160-6 metres) and on RTTY as well. It is expected that low band and WARC operations are more likely to take place in the last days of the operation, as the initial emphasis will be to allow as many operators as possible to work this new DXCC Entity. The team will have 2-element beams for 10 and 15 metres, a 4 Square for 20 metres and wire and vertical antennas for the other bands. There will be a 6 meter beacon on 50.110 Mhz.

QSL via VE3HO (HF QSOs: Garth Hamilton, P.O. Box 1156, Fonthill, Ontario L0S 1E0, Canada) and JA1BK (6m QSOs: Kan Mizoguchi, 5-3 Sakuragaoka 4 Chome, Tama-City, Tokyo 206-0013, Japan). Logs will be available at <http://www.big.or.jp/~ham/dx.html>. Donations will be gratefully accepted and can be sent to either VE3HO or JA1BK. [TNX K5NX and VE3HO]

>>> XR0X - SAN FELIX 2002 <<<

Massimo Mucci, I8NHJ (Europeans will surely remember him working EU pile-ups as K5K from Kingman Reef) will be one of the 13 operators who will be conducting a DXpedition to San Felix Island (SA-013) for two weeks tentatively between 12 and 30 March 2002.

The expedition is being organized and led by Carlos G. Nascimento, NP4IW/CE3AQI (cgnascim@attbi.com), and the project is being carried out in

conjunction with Cordell Expeditions ([info@cordell.org](mailto:info@cordell.org)). All permits have been obtained. Other team members include Alan Brown (K5AB), Doug Faunt (N6TQS), Dick Hanson (K5AND), John Kennon (N7CQQ), Franz Langner (DJ9ZB), Ricardo Menzel (CE0YWS), Michael Mraz (N6MZ), Joseph M. Owen (KO4RR), Willy Ruesch (HB9AHL), Robert Schmieder (KK6EK), Charles Spetnagel (W6KK). The expedition is being financed by the participants, supplemented by donations from DX associations, radio clubs, and individuals. Contributions made to the expedition through Cordell Expeditions are eligible for U. S. tax deduction as a donation to a nonprofit organization. QSL via N7CQQ. For further information please visit the Expedition website at <http://www.cordell.org/SFX>

- 7X - Mirek, SP5IXI (aka VK3DXI, 9V1XE and 9M8DX) has been working in Algeria since June 2001. He reports that an amateur radio licence (requested call 7X0DX) has been issued to him and he should receive it soon. He hopes to start being active (on HF bands and via satellite) in January for 2-4 months. QSL via DL4DBR either direct (Teddy Barczyk, Pappelstrasse 34, 58099 Hagen, Germany) or through the DARC bureau. Updates and logs will be available at <http://www.7x0.sp5xcc.waw.pl>
- 7X - Steve, OM3JW reports an IOTA activity from the Habibas Islands (AF-???) is being organized to take place in May 2002. The organizers are a Scout group from Oran led by Afif, 7X2RO; team members should include Ivan/OM3CUG, Mike/OM2DX and possibly Steve/OM3JW. They are looking for support from the IOTA community; if you are willing to help, please contact Steve ([om3jw@konektel.sk](mailto:om3jw@konektel.sk)) and ask for the details.
- DL - DH3ZK will operate (on SSB and PSK31) from Poel Island (EU-098, group to be deleted on 1 February 2005) between 22 December and 5 January. QSL via bureau. [TNX DL2VFR]
- DU - Gerard, F2JD is active (on 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB and CW) as DU1/G0SHN from the Philippines until June. He plans to operate as DU6/G0SHN from Boracay Island (OC-129) between 22 December and 1 January. QSL via F6AJA. [TNX La Gazette du DX]
- FY - Pierre, FY5FU will be active as FY5FU/P from Fort Ceperou (DFCF FY-97002) in Cayenne, French Guyana on 22 December. Look for him on or around 28428 and 21421 kHz . QSL via F5AEG. [TNX La Gazette du DX]
- HC - Rick Dorsch, NE8Z will operate (on 80-10 metres CW and SSB) from Ecuador between 1 and 16 February. He will be signing HC1MD from Tumbaco, HC1MD/HC1 from Pichincha Volcano, HC1MD/HC3 from Loja, HC1MD/HC4 from Sua, HC1MD/HC4/p from IOTA SA-056 (with 100 watts and a dipole) and HC1MD/HC5 from Cuenca. QSL via K8LJG (John Kroll, 3528 Craig Drive, Flint, Michigan 48506, USA). Give a look to the HC/HD DX Award "Equatorial Line Diploma" at <http://www.octavia.com/qs/awards.htm> [TNX NE8Z]
- KH0 - Nozomu, JE8KKX will be active as AH2K/KH0 from Saipan, Northern Mariana Islands (OC-086) on 3-5 January. He plans to operate on 40-6 metres CW and SSB, and if time permits on 160m, 80m and WARC bands as well. QSL via JE8KKX (Nozomu Takahashi, 2-5, 5 chome 18jo Toko, Asahikawa, Hokkaido, 078-8358 Japan). [TNX JE8KKX]
- T8 - Due to health and family reasons Erminio, IZ8AJQ and Silvano, KB5GL have been forced to cancel their participation in the T88SI operation from Sonsorol Island (OC-???) [425DXN 553]. The team now includes Maurizio/IZ1CRR, Nando/IT9YRE and Derek/G3KHZ (ex 3B6RF) who will work CW. They expect to reach Sonsorol in the late local afternoon of 7 February or in the early morning of the 8th and to leave on 11 February. QSL via IT9YRE. This will be mainly an IOTA operation, but there is a survey at <http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/t88si> to help them understand on which bands and modes the DX community needs T8. Donations can be sent to the Diamond DX Club c/o I8YRK (Gennaro Casaburi, Via XXXI maggio 11, 80027 Frattamaggiore - NA, Italy).

- TI9 - The TI9M DXpedition to Cocos Island (NA-012) is now scheduled for 17 February through 4 March and 14 operators have confirmed so far (they will be 15 in total). They will run four stations (one for RTTY and 6 metres) with verticals (160, 80 and 40m), 5-band Cubical Quads (20/17/15/12/10m), dipoles for 30m and a 6-element Yagi for 6m. Suggested frequencies are: 1825, 3502, 7002, 10102, 14022, 18072, 21022, 24892, 28022 and 50102 kHz CW; 1845, 3795, 7080, 14195, 18145, 21295, 24945, 28495 and 50145 kHz SSB; 7035, 14080, 21080 and 28080 kHz RTTY. QSL via Grupo Isla del Coco, Apartado 220-6100, Ciudad Colon, Costa Rica (no IRCs please as they are not valid in Costa Rica). The web site for the DXpedition is at <http://www.qsl.net/ti2hmg/cocos.htm>
- UA - Alexander, RX3AJL reports he will be active (mainly on 20 metres SSB, with some possible operation on 40 and 80 metres) as RX3AJL/1 from Mudjugsy Island (EU-153, RR-02-05) on 3-5 January. [TNX G3KMA]
- VK9\_ni - Look for Bernd, VK2IA/DL1VJ to be active (mostly CW on the WARC bands) as VK9AA/9 from Norfolk Island (OC-005) for about seven days starting on 23 December. QSL via DL8YR. [TNX DL8YR]
- VU - The Calcutta VHF Amateur Radio Society's (CVARS) operation from Sagar Island (AS-153) is scheduled to take place on 10-16 January [425DXN 552] during Ganga Sagar Mela 2002. CVARS has been participating in Ganga Sagar operations for the last three years. The team operates upon request from the district administration to assist them in maintaining an emergency communication network and handling missing persons traffic. In January 2001 the team found the time to make some 300 QSOs with six continents, which were enough for a new IOTA reference number to be issued; in 2002 CVARS is sending around 20 operators and a few of them will constitute a dedicated IOTA team for HF IOTA operation with efforts being made to operate on 40, 20 and 15 metres CW and SSB. QSL route TBA. The operation is partly being funded by IREF, however contributions from the IOTA community will be most welcome, as the society's resources are extremely limited. Contributions can be sent in the form of cheque or bank draft drawn in favour of Calcutta VHF Amateur Radio Society, 87 Rashbehari Avenue, Calcutta 700 026, India. For further information please check <http://www.calham.org> or <http://www.employees.org/~cvars> [TNX VU2HFR, CVARS Secretary]
- W - Special event call K1D will be aired (on 28370, 21370, 14270 and 3895 kHz) between 22 December and 6 January to celebrate Kid's Day (5 January) and Amateur Radio Awareness. The operators will be Peter (W1DAD) and Jeanne (K1MOM) Schipelliti, 7 Dearborn Ridge Rd, Atkinson, NH 03811, USA. [TNX W1DAD].
- W - Ralph, K8RYU will be active from the Dry Tortugas (NA-079) on 5-6 January. He plans to be on 40-10 metres mostly CW with some SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX N8KM]
- XE - Radio Club Cancun members XE3OYJ, XE3WAO, XE2MVS, XE3PPR, XE2NN and XE3RGJ will be active as XF3IC from Holbox Island (NA-045) on 28-30 December. Look for them on 1825, 3800, 7100, 14195, 21260 and 28500 kHz SSB; 3530, 7005, 14005 and 28005 kHz CW; 14090 and 28090 kHz RTTY. QSL via XE3OYJ (Jose Angel Yanez, Apartado Postal 1883, Cancun, Quintana Roo 77500, Mexico). The web page for the operation is at <http://www.qsl.net/xf3ic/holbox.htm> [TNX XE2NN]
- XE - "La Gazette du DX" reports that Ken/G3OCA, Les/G4CWD, Ramon/XE1KK, Pepe/XE2MX, Javier/XE2JSP and others are planning IOTA activities from NA-162, NA-163, NA-164 and NA-165 in March. They expect to operate (on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 and 40 metres) with two stations for three days and three nights from each island.
- YB - Adhi, YC3MM had to cancel his YC3MM/P operation from Siberut Island (OC-215) due to business commitments. He plans to be active (on 15 metres CW only) again as YC3MM/P from Madura Island (OC-237) on 3-4 January. [TNX IZ8CCW]

LIGHTHOUSES ---> The OPDX Bulletin reports that the following stations are

expected to participate in the Amateur Radio Lighthouse Society's "Lighthouse Christmas Lights 2001" [425DX 552]:

- CS5E (on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB) from Outao Lighthouse (POR-033) on 26-28 December.
- N5AOK and WA5MLT as N5L (on 20, 15, 10 and 40 metres) from Boliver Point Lighthouse (USA-069), Texas on 22-23 December. QSL direct to N5AOK.
- W2AGN as W3IYQ from Marcus Hook Rear Range Light (USA-475), Delaware on 22 December (14270, 21270 and 28370 kHz) and 29 December (14035, 21035 and 28035 kHz).

Complete details on LCL 2001 frequencies, exchanges, scoring, certificates and prizes (all participants in this year's event will be eligible to receive a Harbour Lights miniature lighthouse collectible) can be found at <http://www.arlhs.com>

SAMOA AND TONGA ---> OH3JR, OH1AWW and OH6KN will be active from Samoa (5W0VK) between 19 December and 2 January and from Tonga (A3) on 5-15 January, with an emphasis on 160-30 metres and Europe. They will work CW (1822, 3503, 7003, 10105, 14005, 18075, 21005, 24895 and 28005 kHz), SSB (1845, 3790, 7050, 14195, 18145, 21295, 24945 and 28495 kHz) and RTTY (14080, 21080 and 28070 kHz) with three stations with verticals and dipoles. QSL via OH3JR either direct (Henri Olander, Helavalkeantie 15, 13270 Hameenlinna, Finland) or through the bureau. The web pages for the operation are at <http://www.qsl.net/ohpacific> [TNX OH6KN]

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NA-050 ---> John, KL7JR logged some 1250 QSOs (85% on 10 metres) between 13 and 18 December during his staying on Barter Island [425DXN 550]. The vast majority of contacts was with W, VE, JA and UA stations - "called CQ on 21.360 many, many times", John says, "with no IOTAers around". QSLs are on order.

QSL FO/HG9B ---> FO/HG9B logged 25240 contacts (12942 on CW and 12298 on SSB) on 80 (145 CW only), 40 (632/163), 30 (815), 20 (5525/4740), 15 (4110/5860) and 10 (1715/1535) metres. Cards should be sent direct only and with US\$2 to HA8IB (Karloly Szabo, Aradi u.42, Fuzesgyarmat, 5525 Hungary). If you want to check if your request for direct cards has been delivered to him, just send Charlie an e-mail at [ha8ib@bekesnet.hu](mailto:ha8ib@bekesnet.hu) [TNX HA8IB]

QSL GU/MU ---> Phil Cooper, GU0SUP (RSGB QSL Sub-manager for GU/MU cards) says he is receiving large numbers of QSL cards for GU4GMW, MU0AWR and GU0BCC. Please note that [a] GU4GMW has never been used from Guernsey, [b] MU0AWR is definitely a pirate call (MJ0AWR is active, but has never operated from Guernsey) and [c] GU0BCC, as far as Phil knows, has not been issued and is not active from Guernsey. "Due to the large quantities of cards for these calls", Phil says, "it is not practical for me to return them to sender".

QSL US0HZ ---> Stan says that cards can be requested via W3HMK or direct from Stan Ermachkov, P.O. Box DX, Poltava 36000, Ukraine.

QSL TX0DX ---> All QSLs (direct, bureau and even for those who did not ever claim their cards) for the Chesterfield Islands TX0DX operation (March 2000) have been released into the QSL network. In the U.S, TX0DX cards were sent directly to Newington from where they were distributed to area QSL bureaus some two weeks ago. The JA cards were taken to JARL in Tokyo and the rest were released through OH QSL bureau. The job is now 100 percent completed. [TNX N4GN]



QSL ZC4DW ---> Dez, ZC4DW/G0DEZ reports that the only correct address for QSLling is: Dez Watson, C.A.O., JSSU (AN), BFPO 59, London, United Kingdom.

+ DL7VRO, SILENT KEY + Holger and Birgit Berger (DL7IO and DL7IQ) report the very sad news of the sudden passing of Fritz Stefan Bergner, DL7VRO, who unexpectedly became a silent key on 16 December. He was not only a most reliable QSL manager for about 50 callsigns, but also an active DXer and contester, who organized and took part in the TN2M/TN4U, 8Q7IO and ED8CMT operations and other IOTA activities. He is survived by his wife Gerda (DL7VYL), two children, three grandchildren and his son-in-law Roy (DL7UBA), who will take over Fritz's QSL chores for past DXpeditions.

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YA5T: For up-to-date information on Peter's (ON6TT) activity from Afghanistan, do not forget to bookmark <http://www.qsl.net/ya5t>

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\* WARMEST THOUGHTS AND BEST WISHES \*  
\* FOR A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY \*  
\* AND A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR \*  
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- 7X - Please note that the correct URL for the web page on Mirek's (SP5IXI/9V1XE) activity from Algeria [425DXN 555] is <http://www.7x0.sp5zcc.waw.pl> [TNX SP5UAF]
- 8Q - Ian, G3TMA will be active (mainly on CW) as 8Q7IJ from the Maldives (AS-013) from 31 December through 7 January. QSL via home call. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- 8Q - Giovanni, I5JHW will be active as 8Q7CG from the Maldives starting on 6 January for one week. QSL via home call. [TNX I5JHW]
- HL - Special event station D902WSF (Delta Nine Zero Two WSF) will be activated (on 80, 40, 15 and 10 metres CW and SSB) by the KARL Branch in Pohang, South Korea between 31 December and 4 January to celebrate the World Cup Sun Rising Festival. QSL via DS5UCP either direct or through the bureau. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- HL - Celebrating the 17th FIFA World Football (soccer) Cup, the Korean Amateur Radio League (KARL) will operate special event call HL17FWC from 1 January through 30 May. During the championship, from 31 May through 30 June, ten special DT#FWC (DT0, DT1 etc through DT9) calls will be aired to honour the ten host cities in Korea. QSL via HL0HQ (Korean Amateur Radio League, C.P.O. Box 162, Seoul, Korea). [TNX DS1BHE]
- KH2 - Testu, JF2UED and Mack, JJ2QXI will be active from Guam (OC-026) on 3-5 January. They plan to operate on 160-6 metres SSB, CW and RTTY. QSL via home calls. [TNX JJ2QXI]
- P5 - Toma, YU1AB reports that Hrane/YT1AD and Voja/YU7AV returned from North Korea on 26 December with "a written permission" whose "call sign is known". Hrane, Voja and two others are expected to conduct a DXpedition starting on 5 March 2002. According to Toma, the activity will include the training of twenty local amateur radio operators. Further information is expected in due course.
- S7 - Luca, I5IHE will be active (mainly on SSB and RTTY, with some CW and SSTV) as S79LC from Praslin Island (AF-024), Seychelles between 31 December and 11 January QSL via I5JZP. [TNX VK2SG RTTY DX Notes]
- TI9 - According to the information posted on the new web site (<http://www.qsl.net/ti9m/>), the TI9M DXpedition team to Cocos

Island [425DXN 555] includes TI2HMG, AD6E, AK0A, F5CWU, KA0KKO, KI7WO, N4CD, N6KT, N7DF, PA3EWP, PA5ET, RA9CO, RN3BZ, WS4Y and IZ7ATN, and the QSL manager will be AK0A (Bill Boeckenhaupt, 8904 Westbrooke Dr, Overland Park, KS 66212, USA).

- VK - Steve, VK6VZ will participate in the Stew Perry Topband Distance Challenge (29-30 December) from Australia's first lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin. Look for VK6VZ/6 around 1810-1815 kHz. Special QSL via VK6VZ. [TNX The Daily DX]
- VK - Tony, VK3TZ reports he will be active (on the usual 10, 15 and 20 metres IOTA frequencies) sporadically from Phillip Island (OC-136) between 29 December and 26 January. QSL via CBA.
- VU - Deepak/VU2DPM, Sked/VU2SKD, Kitchu/VU2KFR, Horey/VU2HFR and Joy/VU2JSH will be the Calcutta VHF Amateur Radio Society's members who will operate on HF bands from Sagar Island (AS-153) on 10-16 January [425DXN 555]. They will be using their personal call signs as no special call has been assigned for this operation. Look for them between 1-3.30 UTC and 12-19 UTC on SSB (+/- 14260, 21260 and 28460 MHz), CW (14040, 21040 and 28040 MHz) and possibly on PSK31 (14.070 MHz), with an emphasis on 20m SSB and CW. Please remember that the CVARS operates upon request from the district administration to assist them in maintaining an emergency communication network and handling missing persons traffic during the Ganga Sagar Mela annual festival. This means that the HF schedule might change, particularly on 13 and 14 January, when the crowd on the island peaks to around half a million. The Mediterraneo DX Club will sponsor the QSL cards; the QSL manager for all of the five operators will be IZ8CCW (Antonio Cannataro, P.O. Box 360, 87100 Cosenza - CS, Italy). Any money surplus to postage costs received with incoming QSLs will be given to CVARS, whose resources are extremely limited. A web site is under construction at <http://www.mdxc.org/as-153>
- W - Look for Howie, K1VSJ to operate from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) from 29 December until 1 January. [TNX The Daily DX]
- XE - Ken, G3OCA provides official information on the March 2002 operation from a few rare IOTA Mexican groups [425DXN 555]. Ken and Les, G4CWD will be leaving the UK on 2 March, destination the QTH of XE2MX where they will establish their expedition HQ. Depending on local conditions, they intend to activate four out of the five following IOTA groups: NA-162, NA-163, NA-164, NA-165 and NA-167 (no dates for each island are currently available). The same call (hopefully a special call, which is being requested) will be used from all of the islands. Ken and Les will leave Mexico on 24 March. QSL via G3OCA either direct or through the RSGB bureau. Any queries regarding the operation should be sent to [ken@g3oca.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:ken@g3oca.fsnet.co.uk)

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EU SPRINT ---> Rules, full results, past scores and all time records for the European Sprint contests are available at <http://loja.kkn.net/~i2uivy/> (the free EU Sprint software can be downloaded at this same address). In 2002 the EU Sprint contests (two in spring and two in autumn) will take place on 13 April and 5 October (SSB) and on 20 April and 12 October (CW). The Contest runs from 15 UTC through 18.59 UTC on 20, 40 and 80 metres.

RRC ---> Rolf Rahne, DL6ZFG reports he will be no longer Checkpoint and Coordinator for the Russian Robinson Club (<http://rrc.sc.ru>).

QSL 3B9FR ---> Robert, 3B9RF reports that several direct cards got lost in the mail, apparently due to incomplete address. QSLs should be sent direct

only to Robert Felicite, P.O. Box 31, Rodriguez Island, via Mauritius Island, Indian Ocean. [TNX ON4LAC]

QSL 5R80 ---> Phil Whitchurch, G3SWH reports he has now received the logs from Albert, 5R80 for his activities between May 2000 and May 2001.

QSL LU5DX ---> Ron, AC7DX reports he is now the new QSL manager for LU5DX starting December 2001.

QSL LX9SW ---> QSL manager Bert van Holst, PA1KW reports that he expects to send the QSLs for the 15-22 September LX9SW operation in late January.

QSL TG9AJR ---> Cards can be sent either to Juan Carlos Munoz, P.O. Box 61 Periferico, Guatemala 01011, Guatemala or to his QSL manager (WA1ECA). [TNX TG9AJR]

QSL VC7GM ---> Nenad, VE3EXY (RAC QSL Bureau Manager) says he is not the QSL manager for this Marconi special event station. Direct cards already received by Nenad will be sent directly to the Maple Ridge ARC (VA7CMR, P.O. Box 292, Maple Ridge, B.C. V2X 7G2, Canada) who will process them. Further direct cards Nenad will receive in the future will be forwarded to the VE7 QSL bureau.

QSL XV3FT ---> Mac, W3HC (w3hwc@suscom.net) has been receiving a lot of requests for cards for XV3FT. He does not know who this guy is, but Mac does handle cards for EU3FT. His name is Henry and XV3FT is using that name. If anybody knows of this operation, please let Mac know and he will have new cards printed up. "I sent mail to Henry", Mac says, "but it will take a few months to get an answer if he is at home".

QSL VIA VK2GJH ---> QRZ-DX reports that Jack, VK2GJH is retiring from amateur radio for the time being due to work and family committments. In March 2002 the following logs will be closed: 3D2JH (1997), T33JH (1997), C21JH (1998-2000) and T30JH (1997-2000). QSL direct only.

UK LICENCES ---> The Radiocommunications Agency announced in September 2001 a series of changes to the radio amateur licensing regime, designed to make it more attractive as a technical hobby. The changes include lowering the Morse Code speed requirement from 12 to 5 wpm for full licensees, amalgamating some licence categories, allowing trainees to operate while supervised before passing an examination and the introduction of a new Foundation Class licence which will come into effect on 1 January 2002. Holders will be issued M3 (MM3 for Scotland, MW3 for Wales etc) callsigns and will be allowed to operate with 10 watts on most of the amateur bands. Detailed information is available at <http://www.rsgb.org/licensing/newlicencestructure.htm>

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4K5CW	UT3UY	IM0R	IS0AGY	TM4AMD	F6IGF
5W0VK	OH3JR	IR7GM	IK7JWX	TT8DX	F5OGL
8R1USA	8R1AK	IU0M	I0YKN	UA6JD	K0KG
9J2BO	W6ORD	IY4W	I4JED	UE3DDX	RZ3FR

9Q0AR	F2YT	JA6WFM/HR3	JA6VU	UK8BQ	RW6HS
9U5D	SM5BFJ	JI3DST/6	JI3DST	UQ10AB	DL8KAC
AH8A	AC7DX	JX7DFA	LA7DFA	V73GT	WF5T
C56YT	VK4AO	JX9LAA	LA9LAA	VK9AA/9	DL8YR
CE7AOY/8	CE7ZK	JY9NX	JH7FQK	VP5/KN4UG	KN4UG
CO3ET	WD4OIN	K1D	W1DAD	WV2B/CY9	KC6AWX
CQ3T	CT3KN	K1M	K3PD	XF3IC	XE3OYJ
CQ9T	CT3KN	KG4PK	W4WX	XK0XN/p	VE3XN
CT3KN/CT1	CT3KN	LP5F	LU1FZR	XU7ABF	XW2A
CT7A	CT1GFK	LU1ZA	LU2CN	XU7ABW	F6BFH
CT9KN	CT3KN	OH0Z	OH1EH	XU7ABY	F5TTY
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