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 **** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 3X - Silvano, I2YSB and the Italian DXpedition Team will operate as 3XY1T from the Los Islands (AF-051), Guinea in February 2016 (actual dates TBA). They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-6 metres; a needed band/mode survey to help the team planning their activity can be found at <http://www.i2ysb.com/idt/>. [TNX IK7JWY]
- 9A - Mario, DJ2MX will be active as 9A4MX/p from "various Croatian islands" (some of them valid for IOTA group EU-110) between 24 August and 2 September. QSL via DJ2MX, direct o bureau. [TNX DX Newsletter]
- 9J - Peter, 9J2HN will be active as 9J2JOCV from Lusaka, Zambia until 31 December to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Japan Overseas Cooperation Volunteers programme. QSL via JLI1HE, direct only.
- CO - The T46BC team [425DXN 1266] will be active from Cayo Santa Maria (NA-204) on 22-25 August. QSL direct to IZ1GDB (maildrop). [TNX IZ1GDB]
- CP - Once again Antonio, EA5RM will be working on a non-governmental organization's project in Bolivia between 29 August and 15 September. He will be QRV as CP1XRM in his limited spare time with a 100-watt solar-powered station and a vertical antenna. QSL via EA5RM. [TNX DX Coffee]
- E6 - All logistics arrangements are now complete for the E6GG operation from Niue (OC-040) on 16-29 September [425DXN 1259]. All antennas are complete and tested, as are all the stations and computing equipment. The team expects some limited operation from 15 September, with all stations operational on the 16th. There will be four complete high power stations, which will be using antennas at the water's edge and cliff-top optimised for low angle high gain. They will also use a beverage directed to Europe for LF receiving. For RTTY they will deploy multi-channel receive, so your best chance of an early RTTY QSO is to choose a calling frequency and stay on that frequency until the team finds you. RTTY is likely to be only on a maximum of two bands. The website (www.e6gg.com) includes a propagation analysis. The team will be listening exclusively for Europe during the relatively short European openings on LF. Plans are to upload logs daily to Club Log and LoTW. QSL via G3TXF (please use the OQRS provided by Club Log for both direct and bureau cards). [TNX G3BJ]
- FO - Heinz, DF1YP will be active holiday style as FO/DF1YP from Moorea (OC-046), French Polynesia from 5 September to 1 October. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. Logsearch on <http://DF1YP.darc.de>.
- GM - Due to forecast high winds this coming weekend, the GS8VL team have decided to cancel their 21-23 August expedition [425DXN 1267] to the Shiant Islands (EU-112). [TNX DX world]
- I - ARI San Benedetto del Tronto will be active as IQ6SB/p from the lighthouse at Punta Penna on 23 August. They will operate SSB and CW starting around 7 UTC. [TNX IK6XEJ]
- LU - The 13-18 August LU4AA/D operation from Martin Garcia (SA-055) [425DXN 1263] did not take place because of bad weather conditions. It has been rescheduled and the new dates are 1-4 October. QSL via LU4AA, direct or bureau. [TNX rsgbiota.org]
- TA - A large group of operators will be active as TC30AZB between 28 August and 4 September. The special callsign commemorates Turkey's Victory Day, celebrated each year on 30 August. QSL via LoTW and eQSL only, paper cards will not be issued. [TNX TA1HZ]
- UA - The RT9K/0 team (RA0ZJ, RA9LR, RW0BG, UA0ZC, UA0ZFW, UA9KAM, UA9KB and UA9KDF) travelled to Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky on 19 August [425DXN 1238]. There is still a 1,500-kilometre voyage before they

reach Dobrzanskogo Island (AS-203, new one for IOTA). The ship (the "Anatoliy Krashennnikov") is due to leave on 23 August, and the voyage could take 5-6 days or more, as progress depends on weather and sea conditions. RT9K/0 is expected to be QRV for about one week, with three stations on 40-10 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via RX9KM (logsearch and OQRS for RT9K/0 on Club Log). On their way back they are likely to stop and be QRV from Kambal'nyy Island (AS-142). Updates are posted by the pilots to <http://users.smartgb.com/g/g.php?a=s&i=g18-78161-55> [TNX RA3CQ]

- V3 - Jim, W2JHP will be active holiday style as V31TA from Blackbird Caye, Turneffe Islands (NA-123), Belize from 23 August to 4 September. He will operate SSB only. QSL via EA5GL, direct only. [TNX DX World]
- VE - Gil, VE4GIL will be active as VE4GIL/VY0 from the Canadian Territory of Nunavut between 30 August and 7 September. Mentioned locations are Cambridge Bay (Victoria Island, NA-006), Taolyoak (mainland) and Hall Beach (mainland). He will operate SSB on various bands. QSL direct to VE4GIL. [TNX DX World]
- W - Fifteen stations along the coast of Mississippi will be using 1x1 callsigns (K5A, K5B, K5C, K5G, K5H, K5J, K5L, K5M, K5O, K5P, K5S, K5T, K5V, K5W and K5Z) between 26 August and 2 September. This special memorial operating event will be held to remember those who were impacted by Hurricane Katrina when it struck the Mississippi Gulf Coast on 29 August 2005. All QSLs go to AG5Z. Details on the operation and the awards being offered can be found at www.katrina5h.com. [TNX QRX DX]
- YJ - Nobuaki, JA0JHQ (<http://pandasan.jimdo.com/>) will be active as YJ0NH from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu on 3-7 September. He will operate CW and SSB on 80-6 metres, and will participate in the All Asian DX SSB Contest. QSL via JA0JHQ, bureau (preferred) or direct, and LoTW.
- YV - Look for YW5Z to be QRV from Los Testigos (SA-059) on 27-31 August. Activity will be on SSB, CW, digital modes and FM on 160, 80, 60, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10, 6 and 2 metres. QSL via DM4TI, direct or bureau (check his qrz.com page for the direct link to Club Log's OQRS). [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZA - The 2-9 September ZA0I activity from Sazan Island (EU-169) [425DXN 1262] has been cancelled owing to "logistical problems". It might be rescheduled next year. [TNX IK7JWX]

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425 DX NEWS MAGAZINE ---> The July 2015 issue is now available for download at www.425dxn.org/monthly/index.html. [TNX IZ3EBA]

E51DWC ---> Milan, E51DWC (OK1DWC) from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands says he has some 20,500 QSOs in the log "despite poor condx". RTTY was unsuccessful. Plans are to concentrate on 160 (nearly 100 QSOs so far), 80 and 30 metres, as well as 40 metres SSB (not CW, as he has S5-7 QRN). QSL via OK1DWC, direct or bureau, LoTW and eQSL. Logsearch on OQRS on Club Log.

NORTH KOREA ---> Manuel German, EA7AJR and Antonio Gonzalez, EA5RM have been working on a D.P.R.K. Project since June 2013. After three preliminary meetings with Government officials, they were officially invited to visit the Democratic People's Republic of Korea "to discuss our project details in person". On 17 August they "had a meeting with high level officials from Telecom Ministry" in Pyongyang and prospects look encouraging. Read EA5RM's press release on www.dxfriends.com/p5/.

W4DXCC ---> Sponsored by the SouthEastern DX and Contesting Organization, Inc. (SEDCO), the 11th W4 DX and Contest Convention will be held at the

MainStay Suites Conference Center in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee on 25-26 September. Complete details can be found at www.w4dxcc.com. [TNX K4SV]

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 ***** QSL ROUTES *****
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| 3W3B | E21EIC | EI1Y | EI5JQ | P3F | M0URX |
| 3Z2LKM | SQ2WHH | EP2AMM | IK2DUW | PA25SCH | PD2RKG |
| 4U0WFP | S57DX | F/G6AY | G3SWH | PA6FUN | PA3HHT |
| 5C5W | EA5XX | FO/JI1JKW | JI1JKW | PA6SCH | PI4DHG |
| 5R8SV | G3SWH | G3KHZ/p | G3KHZ | PD6DARES | PD7HJ |
| 7S0SFJ | SK0QO | GB0BCK | MM1ACM | R73RDA/p | RW3FB |
| 7T7T | 7X2ARA | GB0NLH | G0BAR | R7AL/0 | R7AL |
| 8Q7DX | IK2CLB | GB1DHL | GM4EFR | R920RZ | RY2S |
| 8S7GL | SK7CA | GB10L | MM5DWW | RT25BG | RA4PTI |
| 9M10CSB | 9W2VVH | GB2ELH | MM5PSL | RT25RT | RU4PG |
| 9M2CNC | G4ZFE | GB2GNL | GM3WIJ | S560T | S57DX |
| 9M4LBJ | 9M2KRZ | GB2LBN | GM4UYZ | S79DPX | IK2DUW |
| 9M4LHC | 9W2WWW | GB2REL | MI0SRR | SK7BORE | SK7DX |
| 9M4LHN | 9W2PD | GB2TCL | G1TDN | SN0CIPHER | SQ2KLU |
| 9M4LHO | 9M2RDX | GB5RR | G4IAR | SN1ENIGMA | SQ2KLU |
| 9M4LHX | 9M2YOT | GS4LAB/p | G4IAR | SN2ENIGMA | SQ2KLU |
| 9M4LMH | 9M2RUL | H81L | HP1RCP | SN2LHR | SP6TRX |
| 9M6XRO | M0URX | HB2K | HB9OCR | SN3ENIGMA | SQ2KLU |
| 9V50DE | 9V1DE | HB9ILLW | HB9FVR | SP1KNM | SP1RKT |
| AH0/AI7HU | JP1HUJ | HC8/LU9EFO | F4BHW [d] | SU0ERA | SM5AQD |
| AO8LH | EA8AKN | HC8/LU9EFO | LU9EFO [b] | T41C | N200 |
| C5WP | ON7WP | HF15TMZC | SP2ZCI | T43SD | CO3JY |
| CB7FC | CE7PGO | HG0WFF | HA0HW | T44IJ | EA7FTR |
| CP6AA | IK6GPZ | HP1RN | IZ8CLM | T45FM | RW6HS |
| CQ7EPC | CT1BWU | HS3NBR/p | HS3NBR | T46BC | IZ1GDB |
| CR5L | CT1DSV | HS8GLR/p | HS8GLR | T46FY | EA5GL |
| CR5MSL | CT1EJB] | IP1/IQ1SP | I1ANP | T77LA | I4ZQS |
| CR6100CS | CS5NRA | JY4CI | K2AX | TF/F4GGQ | F4EFI |
| CR6LH | CT1GZB | KP4LH | WP4DT | TM0LHG | PA0HEL |
| CS2CRA | CT7ABO | LX0RL | LX1KQ | TM0PDC | PH2CV |
| CV1T | EA5KB | MD2C | MD0CCE | TM17HR | F8FZC |
| CW1R | CX1AA | NH0J | JJ2VLY | TM1WPF | F8BON |
| CW5X | CX2ABC | OD5KU | EB7DX | TM31SNA | F4FYU |
| CX7SS | CX4SS | OD5SK | IZ8CLM | TM36CMVA | F4BGZ |
| D73G | HL4CEL | OE20XAAT | OE3KLU | TM4NOI | F4FVI |
| DQ0YOTA | OM2FY | OL200SDB | OK2KYD | TM73IE | F9IE |
| DQ40AIX/p | DJ9KR | OL20ARDF | OK1DOL | TT8FC | EA3GWK |
| EG1LWC | EA1HNP | OM2015TITANIC | OM2FY | UE12M | UA3DJ |
| EG3MDV | EA3HLM | ON32IOF | ON4QM | UP0L | DL8KAC |
| EG7FPM | EA7RCM | OP15L | ON4RAT | VK3ILH/7 | VK3CAM |
| EG8HKT | EA8CSD | OU25AEI/p | OZ7AEI | YU65GMN | YU7GMN |
| EH1LHA | EA1RKA | OU2DX | PA0ABM | YW4D | EA7JX |
| EH3FPT | EA3RCY | OV2T | PA0ABM | ZL1MHLH | ZL1FLY |
| EI0CAR/p | EI4JR | OZ13LH | DL1UWE | ZL6LH | ZL1VK |
| EI0LHL | EI4GXB | OZ8BV | HB9DUY | ZY156CAT | PP2BO |
| EI0M/P | EI6IZ | P29VTT | VK3OW | ZZ56A | PS7AW |

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