



DX ITALIA

DX NEWS

by I2MQP

TNX NG3K, ARRL, OPDX, JI6KVR

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PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
3A	Monaco	Jan 23 - Jan 27	Look for 3A/ON5NT mostly during morning and evening	H.C.
3D2	Rotuma	Dec 15 - Jan 30	3D2AG will be /R all bands and modes	H.C.
3Y	Bouvet	Dec 16 - Mar 16	ZS6GCM as 3Y0E during spare time. Operator has no DX experience	LZ2HI
5H	Tanzania	Jan 13 - Jan 24	DL7CM as 5H1CM will operate all bands and modes during his holiday	H.C.
6W	Senegal	Jan 8 - Jan 29	F6HMJ will be /6W all bands and modes	H.C.
6W	Senegal	Jan 15 - Mar 15	HA3AUI during free time as 6W2SC mainly digital. Some SSB	H.C. buro LOTW
6Y	Jamaica	Feb 12 - Feb 25	M0DXR will be on /6Y5 including ARRL DX CW contest	H.C.
8Q	Maldives	Jan 21 - Feb 2	G7COD will be again on as 8Q7AK mainly SSB	
A6	U.A.E.	Jan 17 - Jan 24	Special Scout call A60ISG	IZ8CLM

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C2	Nauru	NOW - Jan 23	DL9HCU as C21HC mainly 20 meters	H.C.
C6	Gambia	Feb 11 - Mar 6	C56YK operated by ON7YK also on 160 & 6 meters	QRZ.com
C6	Gambia	Feb 12 - Mar 5	ON4LAC will sign C56JC when C56YK will not be QRV, mainly digital	QRZ.com
C9	Mozambique	NOW - Aug	CT1BXT is on as C91R mainly RTTY 20 meters	H.C.
CE0 Z	Juan Fernandez	JAN END	LA6IKA will operate /CE0Z with 10 W and dipoles	H.C.
CN	Morocco	Jan 26 - Jan 27	W7EJ will be on as CN2R during the contest	H.C.
D4	Cape Verde	Feb 9 - Feb 16	YL2GM and YL2KL will be active as D4C during the contests	IZ4DPV
EA8	Canary Islands	Dec 1 - Jan 31	ON5JV & ON6AK will be /EA8 mainly 40 and 20	H.C.
EA8	Canary Islands	Jan 14 - Jan 26	OZ7FOC will sign /EA8	
EA8	Canary Islands	Jan 26 - Jan 27	EA3AF will be in the contest as EF8M	RX3DU
FJ	St. Barthelemy	Jan 6 - Jan 20	JR2KDN & F6EXV are active as T05FJ all bands and modes	F6EXV
FO	French Polynesia	Sep - Jan	F5IRO will be in Papeete 4 month Will be back in France JAN 25	F5CQ dir/bur
FO/m	Marquesas	Jan 9 - Jan 22	OH1RX,OH2PM,OH6KN & OH8NC all modes mainly low band	OH2PM dir & buro
HC8	Galapagos	Jan 15 - Jan 28	DL9DAK will be /HC8 mainly digital modes	H.C.:
HI	Dominican Rep.	Jan 8 - Jan 26	IZ5JNQ will be on mainly CW 20-10 meters	H.C.
HL	Korea	Jan 18 - Jan 21	HL5YI will be /5 from AS-060	H.C. buro or direct
HR	Honduras 27	Jan 26 - Jan 27	WQ7R will be in NA-057 as HQ9R. Out of contest will sign /HR9	K5WW
J2	Djibouti	Jan 1 - Mar 31	F4FMI will use the call J20MB SSB	H.C.
J3	Grenada	Jan 10 - Jan 24	OE3GEA is active /J3 CW only	H.C. buro & dir
J5	Guinea Bissau	Jan 10 - Jan 21	15 operators multinational team will sign J5C all bands & modes. Will also try from AF-020	F5TVG buro & direct
J5	Guinea Bissau	Jan 15 - Apr 15	HA3AUI during free time as J5UAP mainly digital. Some SSB	H.C. buro LOTW

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JW	Svalabard	Jan 18 - Jan 24	LA6RHA as JW6RHA using 14.248 mHZ	H.C.:
JW	Svalabard	Jan 26 - Feb 3	IN3TCH & IN3SAU will be /JW RTTY & SSB	IN3SAU
KP4	Puerto Rico	Feb 9 - Feb 10	4 operators will be in the RTTY WPX contest as NP3U	Wp4U
LA	Norway	NOW - Jan 27	LM8EHC/1 by LA1B, LM8EHC/2 by LA2D, LM8EHC/3 by LA2L, LM8EHC/4 by LA2D & LM8EHC/5 by LA2T	H.C.
OH0	Aland Island	Jan 26 - Jan 27	OH5DX will be on as OH0Z during the contest	W0MM
OH0	Aland Island	Feb 9 - Feb 10	OH9MM will be on as OH0Z during the contest	W0MM
OJ1	Antartica	NOW - Mar	OH2FFP is on from Antartica as OJ1ABOA	H.C.
PY	Brazil	Feb 1 - Feb 8	Several PY operators will be on from SA-021 as PW2M	AI4U
S2	Bangladesh	Feb 1 - Feb 21	SM4XDJ as S21XJ	H.C.
T32	E. Kiribati	NOW - Jan 23	T32Z is active now	K3PD
T32	E. Kiribati	Feb 12 - Feb 26	N7OU & W7YAQ will be mainly on CW	
T8	Palau	Feb 1 - Feb 3	JA6EGL as T88SM, JE6DND as T88HK, JA6KYU as T88HS	H.C. Dir
TI9	Cocos Island	Feb 1 - Feb 28	TI2HMG and others as TI9K	EA2CRX
VE	Canada	Jan 26 - Jan 27	VY2/N3DXX will be in the contest from NA-029	H.C.
VE	Canada	NOW - Jun	VE2XB will sign /VY0 from NA-007	H.C.
VE	Canada	Jan 9 - Jan 20	VA7MJR will be active from NA-075	
VP5	Turks & Caicos	Jan 21 - Jan 25	JA3AVO as VP5/W3AVO, JA1CJA as VP5/AE5XY, JA3BZO as VP5/AE6YQ	H.C.:
VP5	Turks & Caicos	Feb 1 - Feb 6	W9VNE will sign /VP5	H.C.

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VP6	Ducie Island	Feb 11 - Feb 22	Multinational group will be on all bands and modes as VP6DX	
VP8	Falkland	Feb 26 - Mar 13	DL2AH will sign /VP8	H.C.
VP8	Falkland	Jan 19 - Feb 2	G1OCN as VP8CLE, 2E1DQZ as VP8DKW also 6 meters and satellite	H,C;
VP8	South Orkney	NOW	LU1ZA is on in the evening on 40 meters	
VP8	S.Georgia	Jan 27 - Feb 28	MM0DWF will sign VP8DIF from AN-007	DJ9ZB
VP9	Bermuda	Jan 26 - Jan 27	WA4PGM will sign VP9I during the contest	N1HRA
YI	Iraq	Nov 20 - May	AD7MI will sign YI9MI all bands and modes	
YN	Nicaragua	Feb 3 - Feb 11	EW1AR will sign H7/NP3D	W3HNK & LoTW
YS	El Salvador	Jan 13 - Jan 27	I2IJN will operate /YS3 all bands CW only	
ZD7	St. Helena	Sept - Dec	KC0W has moved to ZD7 and will be active as ZD7X	W0MM
ZF	Cayman	Feb 9 - Feb 10	K3IXD will sign ZF2XD during the contest	H.C.
ZK	Niue	All 2008	VK3APM is on as ZK2PM	H.C.

LATER ON - OPERAZIONI FUTURE

PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
5T5	Mauritania	Mar 16 - Mar 30	6 DL operators will be on all bands and modes	DH7WW
5X	Uganda	Feb 23 - Mar 22	G3RWF as 5X1NH during his holiday	H.C.
7P	Lesotho	Mar 27 - Apr 1	7 operators will be on all bands and modes signing 7P8FC	ON4CJK
8R1	Guyana	Feb 22- Feb 29	G3SWH & G3RTE will be on as 8R1PW	G3SWH
9M0	Spratly	Mar 22 - Mar 30	N1UR all bands and modes	K2RET
9X	Rwanda	Mar 1 - Mar 30	International team as 9X0R all bands and modes	EA5RM
A5	Buthan	May 3 - May 30	OZ1TL will sign A52TL mainly CW and focus low bands	H.C.
CN	Morocco	Feb 13 - Feb 23	G5XW will sign CN2XW during holiday trip	H.C. direct
CT3	Madera	Feb 12 - Feb 18	German group will be active as CT9L	DJ6QT
CY0	Sable Island	Jun 25 - Jul 5	VE3IKV,K5AND, W3CMP & W4TAA will operate 10 days	

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CY0	Sable	Jun 25 - Jul 5	CY0X & CY0RA will be the call of the 50 Mhz expedition	
DL	Germany	Mar 14 - Mar 21	DH8AK & others will be on from EU-128	H.C.
FH	Mayotte	Jun 11 - Jun 23	DK7LX will be on all bands mainly CW /FH	H.C.
FJ	St. Barthelemy	Mar 26 - Apr 3	W2RZS club will operate in the CQWW and after/before the contest	
FM	Martinique	Mar 29 - Mar 30	F5VHJ will be in the contest as TO5A	H.C. buro & LOTW
FO0	Clipperton	Mar 1 - Mar 15	Multinational group will be on all bands and modes as TX5C	
GU	Guernsey	Apr 19 - Apr 26	5 operators (G + DL) will be on as GP4BRS	GW0ANA dir & buro
HB0	Liechtenst.	Jul 13 - Jul 18	DL6IAN & DO6IAN will be /HB0	H.C.
HK0	S. Andres	Mar 1 - Mar 6	6 W operators also in the contest	LoTW and W5PF
HK0	S. Andres	Jun 28 - Jul 6	K7BV will operate from NA-033 6 meters also EME	W1JJ direct
HR	Honduras	Mar 16 - Mar 23	7 operators will be on as HQ8R from NA-035	HR2RCH
JD	Ogasawara	Feb 13 - Feb 28	JI5RPT as JD1BLY, JE1EKS as JD1BMO, JM1WBB as JD1BMP all bands and modes	H.C. dir and via bureau
KH2	Guam	Feb 15 - Feb 17	AB2ST, KB3LTB & KG6WTW will sign /KH2	JF1TEU bur & dir
KL	Alaska	Jun 18 - Jun 30	W6JKV will be on from a mountain top on 6 meters with big antenna and 800 W	
KP2	Virgin Islands	Mar 24 - Mar 28	W6DXO will be /KP2 Mainly SSB during his holiday	KF6JOQ
PZ	Surinam	Feb 13 - Feb 18	4 W operators will work from PZ5RA Qth	
S2	Bangladesh	Mar 1 - Mar 2	KX7YT will be in the contest as S21YV	KX7YT
SV	Greece	May 23 - May 28	DF3IS will be in EU-174 as J48IS	H.C. LoTW
V2	Antigua	Mar 28 - Mar 30	G0VJG will be again on as V25V	H.C.
V2	Antigua	Mar 11 - Mar 17	W4OWY as V25WY, W9OP as V25OP all bands and modes	H.C.
V3	Belize	Feb 12 - Feb 18	VE3DZ will be active from V3	
V3	Belize	Jun 20 - Jun 26	K7BV will operate from NA-073 6 meters also EME	W1JJ direct
V4	St. Kitts	Feb 16 - Feb 17	K0EJ as V49A during the contest	V44NK
V4	St. Kitts	Feb 28 - Mar 3	AA1M, W1SSR & W1USN will sign /V4 all bands and modes	H.C. direct

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V4	St. Kitts	Mar 3 - Mar 10	G4FAL will be /V4	H.C.
V6	Micronesia	Feb 14 - Feb 27	Several W operators will be on all bands and modes	K8AQM
V8	Brunei	Mar 1 - Mar 15	SM5GMZ during free time	H.C.
VK9W	Willis Island	VK9DWX	8 German operators will be on all bands/modes with 4 big stations	
VP5	Turks & Caicos	Feb 15 - Feb 22	WJ2O will sign /VP5	H.C.
VP8	Falkland	Feb 26 - Mar 13	DL2AH will be on mainly SSB	H.C. direct of bureau
YJ	Vanatu	Mar 29 - Mar 30	VK Contest Club will be on as YJ0AX	
ZA	Albania	Apr 22 - May 3	F4DTO will sign /ZA	H.C. Dir
ZB	Gibraltar	May 29 - Jun 2	DH7FB & DF2ZC will be active /ZB2	
ZF	Cayman	Jun 20 - Jul 9	K4BI, K2ZD	

THIS WEEKEND CONTEST

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint
LZ Open Contest
UK DX Contest, RTTY
NCCC SSB Sprint,
Hungarian DX Contest
North American QSO Party, SSB

FJ Operation by OH2BH & OH0XX is OK for the DXCC DESK

DX Bulletin 3 ARLD003
From ARRL Headquarters
Newington CT January 11, 2008
To all radio amateurs

SB DX ARL ARLD003
ARLD003 Information on FJ/OH2AM

This operation by OH2BH and OH0XX was conducted under CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-01. This Recommendation makes it possible for radio amateurs from CEPT countries (and certain non-CEPT countries) to operate in other CEPT countries without obtaining an individual temporary license from the visited CEPT country.

Complaints were received from several individuals. The main thrust of the complaints is that the operators used a

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club call for which Laine is station trustee, rather than their individual callsigns.

The intention of the operators in using a single callsign was to limit the number of duplicate contacts. Many DXpeditions use club or special-issue callsigns for this reason. The Recommendation makes no mention of club callsigns but says that the visiting license holder "must use his national call sign preceded by the call sign prefix of the visited country." Other operations using club callsigns from French territory, including in the Caribbean, have taken place under provisions of the Recommendation and have been credited for DXCC.

Since the question was raised, checking with various CEPT administrations and with the European Radiocommunication Office (ERO) has revealed different views regarding the use of club callsigns under the Recommendation. The ERO observes that the use of a club callsign could prevent an administration from determining whether a particular operator is qualified and concludes, "Club members, including the holder of the club call sign, should use their national personal call signs when abroad."

In the case of FJ/OH2AM, the two operators clearly were qualified to operate in St Barthelemy under the Recommendation. They utilized a call authorized to them by their national authority. The purpose of a radio station callsign is to identify the administration and the licensee responsible for the operation of the station. The use of FJ/OH2AM rather than FJ/OH2BH and FJ/OH0XX did not thwart this purpose.

QSL Manager Jarmo, OH2BN, reports: "We are delighted to inform you that QSL cards for the FJ/OH2AM operation will start going out early next week now that the operation is accredited for the DXCC award program as of January 11, 2008. Full-color cards will be arriving from the printers in Poland on the 15th of January (Tuesday) and we will start processing direct requests immediately. The legwork is already done, all envelopes opened and sorted. Those 23,340 QSOs made by the duo represent 11,730 individual DXers and obviously that many QSL requests as well. The logbook will be included in the LoTW later this year. Because of the close DXCC Honor Roll submission date, March 31, 2008, we plan to make out all QSLs received during January to be released during the month of February. By the 20th of February we will release a status report and probably another option to bypass the queue for those who at that time still want to have QSLs received for a late March submission. We thank you for your kind words about the operation and support received through the QSL mail." OH2BN's mail address is: Jarmo J. Jaakola, Kiilletie 5 C 30, FI-00710 Helsinki, FINLAND.

Feb 18 – Feb 24 Antartic Activity week

IAØANT	5th Antarctic Activity Week	op. IØYKN/IØOCD	Feb 18 -24	wap139
IPØANT	"	"	"	op. IZØHAM Feb 18 -24 wap 136
AO1WAP	"	"	"	op. EA1CS " " " 137
IAØIPY	International Polar Year all	2008	op. IØYKN	wap 94
IRØIPY	"	"	"	op. IZØHTW wap120
IPØIPY	"	"	"	op. IØNUM wap 123
IQØIPY	"	"	"	op. IZØHAM wap 135
ISØIPY	"	"	"	op. ISØMKX wap 138

SWEDEN, Celebration of the 350th anniversary of the Treaty of Roskilde,

Special event stations SB1658OZ, SC1658OZ, SH1658DK, SH1658OZ, SK1658DK and SK1658OZ are active all 2008. QSL via SK7JC, SK7BQ, SK6JX, SK6KY, SK7CE and SK7BQ, respectively.

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