



DX ITALIA

DX NEWS

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TNX NG3K, ARRL, OPDX, JI6KVR, WAP and PY2AA

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PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
1A0	S.M.O.M.	Jan 2 - Jan 8	1A4A will be on with 5 operators and 3 stations. See below all details	IZ4DPV
3D2	Fiji	Jan 9 - Jan 11	JA7GAX from OC-016	H.C. direct
7Q	Malawi	NOW - Jan 15	G0JMU as 7Q7HB	G0IAS direct
8Q	Maldives	NOW - All 2007	IK5ZUI is on for 12 months as 8Q7IM	
9M	Malaysia	Jan 1 - Feb end	PA0RRS will be again on from AS-015 as 9M2RS	H.C.
9Q	Congo	Oct 23 - Dec 31	SM5DIC is active during free time	SM5BFJ direct
A3	Tonga	Dec 14 - Jan 8	JA7GAX from OC-049 & OC-169	H.C. direct
A3	Tonga	Dec 25 - Jan 3	VK2GND as A35GN	H.C.
A7	Qatar	NOW - Dec 15	A70RRY special call all bands and modes	EA7FTR
BV	Taiwan	Jan 8 - Jan 21	3 W and many BV operators will be on as BX0ZR, emphasis on low bands	W8UVZ
C6	Bahamas	Jan 3 - Jan 9	4 DLK operators will be active from NA-219	H.C.

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C9	Mozambique	NOW	UA4WHX is still on from AF-103	H.C.
DP	Antartica	JAN - FEB	DG9BHQ will be on as DP0GVN frm DEU-02	DL5EBE
HB0	Leichenst.	Jan 1 - Jan 9	DL2OBO will be /HB0 all low bands mainly CW	DL2OBO
HI	Dominican Rep	Dec 18 - Dec 19	N1DL will be /HI9	H.C.
HI	Dominican Rep	Dec 2 - Jan 14	ON4AA will be /HI8. will also try /HI2 from NA-122	H.C
J2	Djibouti	Nov 20 - Dec 16	ON7SAT is on as J20SA SSB	ON5SAT
J6	St. Lucia	Dec 21 - Dec 27	KD7WPJ will be /J6 SSB & CW	H.C.
KH2	Guam	Dec 20 - Dec 22	JM3PIT will be on all bands and modes	H.C.
KP4	Puerto Rico	Dec 28 - Jan 1	DL3VFN will be /KP4 from NA-099	H.C.
P4	Aruba	Nov 28 - Dec	5 W operators are on as P40Z	K9UK
P4	Aruba	Dec 11 - Dec 18	W2GC will be on probably as P40GC	H.C.
PJ4	Neth. Antilles	Jan 6 - Jan 13	N0VD will sign /PJ4	H.C.
PY	Brasil	Dec 26 - Dec 30	ZY6T will be operated from SA-023	PY7GK
R1	Antartica	NOW ON	R1ANC operated by UA1ZCK is on from Vostok Base 14146 & 14152 kHz	RU1ZC
R1	F.Joseph Land	Now - Dec end	R1FJ is still active	UA4RC direct

S2	Bangladesh	Jan 12 - Jan 16	Spanish group will be on as S21EA all bands and modes	EA3BT
TF	Iceland	Dec 15 - Dec 16	3 UA operators will be on as TF7RRC from EU-171 weather permitting	RZ3EC
TF	Iceland	Dec 18 - Dec 119	3 UA operators will be on as T4RRC from EU-168 weather permitting	RZ3EC
V3	Belize	NOW - April	K8JP is on as V31JP all bands CW	KA9WON
VK0	Antartica	Nov 7 - Dec end	VK2JLX will be on as VK0AG from Davis Station	
VP2V	B. Virgin Islands	Dec 15	N1DL will be /HI9	H.C.
VP5	Turks and Caicos	Dec 13 - Dec 29	LA9VFA will be on /VP5	H.C.
VP8S	South Shetland	NOW ON	DT8A is active on 20 meters RTTY	
VQ9	Diego Garcia	Sept - Dec 31	W9ROG is on as VQ9OG	H.C.
VU7	Laccadives	Jan 15 - Jan 27	A big international team will operate as VU7RG	
W	USA	Dec 29 and Jan 2	4 DLK operators will be active from NA-062	H.C.
W	USA	Dec 27 - Dec 30	K4FCP will be on from NA-110	K4BMS
XT	Burkina Faso	Jan 6 - Jan 20	A 9 members multinational team will be on all bands and modes	F9IE
XU	Cambodia	Jan 7 - Jan 30	N02R mainly low bands SSB CW	K2NJ
YB	Indonesia	Nov 20 - Dec 15	YC8TDE is /p from OC-145	H.C.
YV	Aves	Feb 10 - Feb 20	15 operators will be on as YW0DX all bands and modes	IT9DAA

LATER ON - OPERAZIONI FUTURE

PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
3B7	Agalega	Sep 1 - Sep 30 2007	20 members multinational team will be on all bands and modes	
3D2	Fiji	Jan 29 - Feb 3	YT1AD will sign 3D2AD	YT1AD
5H	Tanzania	Jan 18 - Jan 29	F6AML will be on from AF-032 all bands SSB CW	H.C.
9M0	Spratly	Mar 9 - Mar 20	Big 9M & JA group all bands and modes	
J2	Djibouti	Feb 1 - Feb 15	Italian group as J20M & J20R all bands and modes	I2YSB
KH8	American	Jan 24 - Jan 29	YT1AD will sign KH8/N9YU	YT1AD

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	Samoa			
KH8S	Swains	Apr 3 - Apr 16 2007	YT1AD and a big group are planning and operation	
KH8S	Swains	Sept 12 - Oct 3	Multinational group will be on all bands and modes	
OH0	Aland	Jan 27 - Jan 28	OH0Z will be on during the contest	W0MM
PJ4	Neth. Antilles	Feb 17 - Feb 18	KU8E will be on during the contest /PJ4	K4BAI
TZ	Mali	Apr 1 - Apr 8	4 ON operators will be on all bands and modes	
VP2M	Montserrat	Feb 21 - Feb 28	G3SWH & G3RTE CW + digital	G3SWH
VP2M	Montserrat	Jan 29 - Feb 6	6 operators will be on signing own call /VP2M and/or assigned calls	H.C.
VP2V	B. Virgin Islands	Feb 12 - Feb 19	AK0M will be on	AK0M

1A4A : Starting from Jan 2007 a new Amateur Radio Station license has been issued from the SMOM, The Sovereign Military Order of Malta.

The license is hold from the S.M.O.M. and its managing is in charge to Giorgio IZ4AKS. The first activity of this station will be from 2 January 2007 to 8 January 2007, from the extraterritorial zone of the Magistral Villa on the Aventine hill in Rome. The operators are IZ4AKS, IZ4DPV, I4UFH, IK4UPB and IW0DJB (HV5PUL). Activity will cover from 2m to 160m, SSB/CW/RTTY mode. Three stations will be active at same time, DX areas, as Japan, South America and West coast, especially on lowest bands will be empathized.

QSL MANAGER: IZ4DPV.

The license has been granted into a fundraising program to support the worldwide relief activities of the Order of Malta. The Order follows its historic hospitaller mission providing help to the needy and the sick. Today the Order of Malta is a major global, professional organisation in terms of the humanitarian aid, medical care and emergency medicine it provides, in its management of hospitals, specialised homes for dependent elderly people, socio-medical care centres, the collection and transporting of medicines and the training of workers and ambulance staff. The Order currently has medical and humanitarian programmes in more than 120 countries.

1A4A (One Aid 4 Africa) first activity is finalized to collect funds to build a school for young girls, as part of a support plan for the rebirth of South Sudan, coordinated by the Order of Malta, together with the Italian govern.

Updated information's and details about the DXPedition could be found at www.1a4a.org.

To know more about The Order Of Malta, visit www.orderofmalta.org .

FSDXA Publicity Officer, sent out the following "FSDXA St. Brandon DXpedition - Bulletin No.2" on December 6th:

"The Five Star DXers Association (FSDXA) expedition to St. Brandon (3B7) is still on course for September 2007. The plan is to be QRV from Friday 7th September to Monday 24th September, ensuring two full weeks and three weekends of activity. This Press Release is by way of an interim progress

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report, in response to a number of enquiries we have received.

The team is aware that a Polish expedition to Agalega has been announced for April 2007, but considers that demand for this rare one is such that an FSDXA-scale operation is fully justified. For example, our D68C operation netted in excess of 160,000 contacts, despite a Spanish operation the previous month which handed out almost 30,000 D6 contacts. Similarly, our 3B9C operation netted over 150,000 contacts, despite Robert 3B9FR, a resident of Rodrigues, being reasonably QRV over several years. 3B6/7 is much higher in the Wanted Lists than either of these entities.

An advance team of two will visit Mauritius early in the New Year to finalise many of the arrangements, and we will have more information following that visit. This visit was postponed from October due to illness, but all plans are now back on track and we are confident that we will be able to mount a successful large-scale (12 stations, 3 weekends, 100k+ QSOs) operation from St.Brandon in September 2007.

3B7C will have Joint Leaders by way of Neville Cheadle, G3NUG, and Don Beattie, G3BJ. We have received a number of enquiries about joining the expedition. As detailed in our previous announcement, we do have a full team in place. However, we will maintain a file of those who have expressed interest in case vacancies occur.

An early note about QSL arrangements. Neville G3NUG will be the lead QSL manager and will coordinate the QSL manager team using the very successful StarLog programme. Send direct QSLs to: Neville Cheadle G3NUG, Lower Withers Barns, Middleton on the Hill, LEOMINSTER, Herefordshire, United Kingdom HR6 0HY. Bureau cards to the RSGB bureau marked "G3NUG".

There will be a facility for email requests via the website. Last but by no means least, we welcome Martin Lynch and Sons and Nevada Communications, both major UK dealers, as sponsors. We also welcome Northern Illinois DX Association as our first cub sponsor.

As a reminder, our website will be accessible via both www.3b7c.com and www.fsdxa.com <<http://www.fsdxa.com/3b9c>>/3b7c where information will be posted as it becomes available."

THIS WEEK END

Russian 160-Meter Contest

OK DX RTTY Contest

Croatian CW Contest,

International Naval Contestt

The ARLHS Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party December 16 to January 1