



DX ITALIA

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by I2MQP

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PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
3Y	Antartica	Nov 2010 - Dec 2011	SM4TUV is be in Antartica for 1 year operating as 3Y8XSA	H.C.
5Z	Kenya	NOW	NV7E is active as 5Z4EE	H.C. dir & bur
7P	Lesotho	Now - Aug 9	ZS4FM & ZS4DEF are active as 7P8FM & 7P8DEF	H.C.
8P	Barbados	Jul 23 - Aug 14	DF1XC will work as 8P9XC	H.C. dir & bur
9J	Zambia	2011 - 2012	ZS6RI will be active as 9J2RI during his stay in Zambia	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
9N	Nepal	NOW	WP4FE is in Nepal for his job and active during free time as 9N1FE	
A3	Samoa	Aug 23 - Aug 31	W7GJ will be working 6 m EME as 5W0GJ	H.C.
CE0Y	Easter Island	Jul 30 - Aug 8	I2DMI will be /CE0Y RTTY only	H.C.
ES	Estonia	Jul 27 - Aug 31	ES5GP will be on as ES4GP or ES4WK from EU-149	H.C bur

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F	France	Aug 11 - Aug 15	TM5SM (ON & F group) will be on from EU-081	F5RJM dir and bur
I	Italy	Aug 18 - Aug 21	IJ7DX will be aired from EU-073	IZ7LDC
IS0	Sardinia	Jul 22 - Aug 22	IM0P is a group of 16 operators that will be on from EU-165	
JA	Japan	Aug 6 - Aug 7	JJ8DEN is /8 from AS-147	H.C.
JD	Ogasawara	Aug 1 - Aug 8	JI5RPT as JD1BLY	H.C.
JD	Minami Torishima	Now - Oct 15	JG8NQJ is now /JD1 on 30 & 17	H.C. bur JA8CJU dir
KH4	Midway	NOW - May 2012	W5FJG is /KH4 for at least one year	N7RO
KH8	American Samoa	Jul 30 - Aug 14	WA8LOW and others will sign /KH8	H.C. dir
KL7	Alaska	Aug 2 - Aug 8	N3QQ will be on as KL7RRC/c from NA-070	US to N7RO EU to UA9OBA
KL7	Alaska	Cancelled	KL7OH will be on from NA-152	
KL7	Alaska	Postponed to 2012	N3QQ and other will be on as KL7RRC from NA-232	
OH	Finland	Jul 16 - Aug 10	G4FSU will be /OH from EU-097	H.C.
OJ0	Market reef	Aug 13 - Aug 20	PD9DX, ON8AK and ON5UR will be on as OJ0UR	M0URX
OZ	Denmark	Aug 6 - Aug 19	DL2VFR is on as OZ0FR/P from EU-172 mainly CW	
P2	Papua	Feb - Sep	VK2GR will be active as P29CW from OC-034	H.C.
PJ7	S.Maarten	Aug 11 - Aug 15	AF6WU & KJ0DVA will be /PJ7	LoTW & dir
PY	Brazil	August	PT2OP & PY2XB will be on from SA-045 signing PQ8OP	PT7WA
R1	Antartica	2011	RD1AV is on signing RI1ANC all bands SSB & CW	RN1ON
ST0	S. Sudan	JULY See Below	ST0R will be on up to aug 10	EA5RM dir
SV	Greece	Jul - Aug	SV1CEI will be /SV8 from EU-067	H.C.

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T32	East Kiribati	Aug 17 - Aug 24	I5JHW as T32JB	H.C.
TK	Corsica	Jul 23 - Aug 24	F8BBL will be on as TK11OTA or TK1QRP from EU-014	H.C. dir bur or LoTW
TY	Benin	Aug 6 - Aug 15	6 operators will be on HF + 6 as TY1KS	IZ7KHR
UA	Russia	Now - Aug 10	RA1QQ is QRV /1 from EU-162	H.C.
V3	Belize	Aug 5 - Aug 10	K5UB will sign V31UB	H.C. & LoTW
VK0	Macquarie	Oct 31 - Mar 2012	VK0KEV is on mainly SSB & RTTY Try 20 meters from 05.30 to 08.45	JE1LET
VK	Australia	Aug 20 - Aug 21	VK4FPDW, VK4MIA, VK4QS and one more operator will be active as VK4WIP from OC-142	VK4WIP bur & dir
W	U.S.A.	Jul 15 - Aug 25	DF2MM will be /W4 from NA-142	H.C.
XE	Mexico	Aug 9 - Aug 15	IZ2LSC is /XF3 from NA-045	H.C.
XE	Mexico	Aug 1 - Nov 14	K5ENS is active /XF1 from NA-045	H.C. dir & LoTW
YA	Afghanistan	NOW -Nov 2011	IZ8NWA is active as T6FR	
YA	Afghanistan	2011	K9GY will be on as T6MO	
YA	Afghanistan	2011	W6EOD will be on as T6SH	
YN	Nicaragua	Jul 23 - Aug 13	NN3RP will be on as YN2RP	
ZB	Gibraltar	Aug 8 - Aug 11	VA3ITA will be /ZB2 6 & 2 meters	H.C. dir & bur
ZC	UK bases	Jun - Sep	KF6RCP will be on as ZC4MIS during his holiday mainly 20 m	H.C.
ZD8	Ascension	Delayed to October	DJ4KW DJ9KH DK1IP DL1CW DL7OR will be on as ZD8D	
ZD9	Gough Island	Sep 2010 Sep 2011	SZ1LF will be on Gough signing ZD9GI	ZS1A dir & bur

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ZK1	S. Cook	Aug 19 - Aug 28	ZL1AAO as E51AAO	H.C.
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FUTURE OPERATIONS --- OPERAZIONI FUTURE

PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
3D2	Fiji	Postponed	F8IJV will be in Viti Levu (OC-016) as 3D2JV and will try also a few days from Rotuma. Details will follow	
3D2	Fiji	Nov 14 - Nov 20	HA5AO & HA5UK plan to be active as 3D2UK	
3D2	Fiji	Oct 24 - Nov 9	VK4FW and VK4AN will be active as 3D2T and 3D2A before the C21AA Nauru DXpedition	H.C.
3D2/ R	Rotuma	September 2011	Korean operators will be on as 3D2CJ all bands and modes	HL5FUA dir & bur
3D2	Conway Reef	Sep 27 - Oct 7	YT1AD K3LP K1LZ PY5EG N6TQS UA4HOX SV2BFN WD5COV N6PSE AA4NN VK3FY VK3FGRC VK3FT RZ3AA YU7AV YT3WW all bands and modes with more stations	YT1AD
3X	Guinea	Oct 18 - Nov 1	DK7LX,DL4WK,DL7DF,DL7UFR,SP3CYY and SP3DOI will be active as 3XY1D all bands and modes	DL7DF
4W	Timor	Sep 16 - Sep 26	VK8NSB,M0URX, 9M6DXX, 9M6XRO and MW0JRX will be on from OC-232 as 4W6A	M0URX dir & bur & LoTW
5B	Cyprus	Oct 29 - Oct 30	HA5PP will be in the contest /5B	H.C.
5R	Madagascar	Nov 15 - Dec 17	F6ICX will be again active as 5R8IC	H.C.
5Z	Kenya	Nov 20 - Dec 3	DL7DF will be active as 5Z4HW	
6W	Senegal	Oct 22 - Nov 11	F8IJV will be on as 6V7Q, will also be active in the CQWW SSB	H.C. dir, bur, LoTW

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6W	Senegal	Feb 25 - Mar 6	F5RAV as 6V7T	Dir only
7P	Lesotho	Sep 15 - Sep 22	WB6OJB will be again on as 7P8JK	H.C. dir
7Q	Malawi	NOW	GM3TAL is active as 7Q7MH HF and possibly 6 meters	G0IAS dir
8Q	Maldives	Nov 2 - Nov 12	I0WDX will be on as 8Q7CC	
9H	Malta	Sep 2 - Sep 14	PB2JJ Will be on mostly CW as 9H3JN	H.C.
9N	Nepal	NOVEMBER 2011	MDXC will be on from Nepal signing 9N0MD	
9Y	Trinidad & Tobago	Nov 26 - Nov 27	9Y4W will be in the contest by N6TJ	DL4MDO
C2	Nauru	Nov 13 - Dec 7	6 operators and 3 stations will be active as C21AA	VK4FW dir & bur
CE	Chile	Nov 20 - Nov 23	VE3LYC & CE3PG will try to activate SA-095 signing CE4A	
E4	Palestine	Dec 20 - Dec 28	HB9IQB has a license for this period and will sign /E4	H.C. dir & bur
FO	French Polynesia	Oct 16 - Oct 19 Nov 1 - Nov 4	R3FA, UT5UY , FO5QB , UZ1HZ , UU4JMG , RK7A , RA6LBS , UX0HX , US0KW , UX0LL and UA7A will be on as TX3T	
FO0M	Narquesas	Oct 19 - Nov 1	R3FA, UT5UY , FO5QB , UZ1HZ , UU4JMG , RK7A , RA6LBS , UX0HX , US0KW , UX0LL and UA7A will be on as TX7M	
FP	St. Pierre	Oct 24 - Nov 1	KV1J will be again /FP	H.C. dir/bur/LoTW
FW	Wallis & Futuna	Jan 24 - Feb 23	HA group will be on as FW0R all bands and modes	
HK0M	Malpelo	2012	HK0NA expedition will consists of 12 operators and 3 stations working all bands and modes	
JW	Svalabard	Sep 14 - Sep 19	LA9DFA as JW9DFA	H.C. dir & bur

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KH5	Palmyra	Nov 2011	25 operators will be on from Jarvis Island signing probably N5E	
KH6	Hawaii	Oct 29 - Oct 30	N6TJ will be in the contest as KH6LC	WA6WPG
KH6	Hawaii	Nov 22 - Nov 30	WJ20 will be /KH6 in the contest	H.C.
KH8	A.Samoa	Nov 17 - Nov 28	W4PA will be active as K8A in a big operation with several operators	
OZ	Denmark	Sep 9 - Sep 11	DC8MH & DL4ABO will sign 5P7T & 5P7N from EU-125	H.C.
PJ5	S.Eustatius	Nov 15 - Dec 5	DL5VOG will be /PJ5	H.C. bur
S9	Sao Tome	Oct 21 - Oct 27	K0KKO K0GUV as S92DX, S9CW and S9SX	
T2	Tuvalu	Nov 1 - Nov 12	HA5AO & HA5UK plan to be active as T2HA	HA5AO LoTW bur
T30	W.Kiribati	Oct/Nov 2011	HA5AO & HA5UK plan to be active as T30HA	HA5AO LoTW bur
T32	East Kiribati	Sep 28 - Oct 26	Big group will be on as T32C	
T33	Banaba	Oct/Nov 2011	HA5AO & HA5UK plan to be active as T33HA	HA5AO LoTW bur
VK0	Heard Island	Feb 1 - Feb 18 2013	Big group will be on Details will follow	
VK9	Cocos Keeling	Oct 19 - Nov 9	DJ7ZG & DL7AFS will be on as VK9CX	DL7AFS
W	USA	Oct 5 - Oct 9	W4BTI club will be on from NA-085 as K4L	
YJ	New Hebrides	Sep 30 - Oct 12	YJ0VK will be a group operating all bands and modes	VK2CA
ZK1	South Cook	Oct 17 - Nov 7	N70U will sign E51NOU from OC-013	H.C.
ZK1	South Cook	Nov 8 - Nov 22	N70U will sign E51NOU from OC-014	H.C.

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QRP Fox Hunt: 0100Z-0230Z, Aug 5
NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Aug 5
TARA Grid Dip Shindig: 0000Z-2400Z, Aug 6
10-10 Int. Summer Contest, SSB: 0001Z, Aug 6 to 2359Z, Aug 7
European HF Championship: 1200Z-2359Z, Aug 6
ARRL UHF Contest: 1800Z, Aug 6 to 1800Z, Aug 7
North American QSO Party, CW: 1800Z, Aug 6 to 0600Z, Aug 7
RSGB RoPoCo CW: 0700Z-0830Z, Aug 7
SARL HF Phone Contest: 1300Z-1630Z, Aug 7
NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: 0030Z-0230Z, Aug 10
CWops Mini-CWT Test: 1300Z-1400Z, Aug 10 and 1900Z-2000Z, Aug 10 and 0300Z-0400Z, Aug 11
NAQCC-EU Monthly Sprint: 1800Z-2000Z, Aug 10
RSGB 80m Club Sprint, CW: 1900Z-2030Z, Aug 10
MMMonVHF/DUBUS 144 MHz Meteorscatter Sprint Contest: 0000Z, Aug 12 to 2359Z, Aug 13
QRP Fox Hunt: 0100Z-0230Z, Aug 12
NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Aug 12

HK0, MALPELO ISLAND

(Press Release). FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE - "Malpelo DXpedition 2012 (August 5, 2011)

Contact: bob@k4uee.com

The Malpelo 2012 DXpedition is pleased to announce that the HK0NA operating team is now complete with 16 operators. This is an international team of excellent operators, representing 8 different countries, and includes 3 members of the CQ DX Hall of Fame.

The team will depart from Buenaventura, Colombia on January 22, 2012, for the 235 mile trip to Malpelo. Depending on sea and landing conditions, we expect to be QRV within 36

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hours after landing for about 10-12 days. The team will return to Buenaventura on Feb. 6, 2012. Operations are planned on 160 through 6 meters on CW, SSB and Digital modes.

We wish to thank Elecraft for the loan of seven K3 transceivers and five of the new KPA 500 amplifiers. RF Concepts (Alpha) has agreed to loan the team three Alpha 8410 amplifiers for use on the low bands and DX Engineering will supply most of the DXpedition antennas.

Thanks to N2OO and the SJDXA who have graciously agreed to handle QSL duties. You may recall the expert job they did for 3Y0X and K5D recently.

Contributions are being sought from DX Foundations, DX Clubs and individual DXers. Your financial assistance is kindly requested. You may contribute directly to DXARC (Colombia) or to K4UEE (North America), DJ9ZB (Europe), or JA1ELY (Asia/JA). See our website: www.hk0na.com for further details on how you can help.

We plan periodic press releases with information of interest. Also, watch the website for breaking news.

Thanks,

Jorge Prieto, HK1R DXpedition Leader"

ST0, SOUTH SUDAN UPDATE.

Here is the latest information regarding the South Sudan DXpedition from Paul, N6PSE: Dispatch Juba:

"Today, the Undersecretary of the Ministry of Communications and his staff visited the ST0R team and observed our operations. The Undersecretary has been very supportive of our plans to conduct this DXpedition to the new country of the Republic of South Sudan.

Following the visit to the radio shack, we enjoyed a cordial lunch and exchanged documents to commemorate the first DXpedition to the Republic of South Sudan.

The ST0R team is also assisting the Ministry of Communications with the ITU application for their own prefix. We are also providing them guidance to establish their own Amateur Radio activities.

Thank you,
The ST0R team."

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FSDXA Christmas Island DXpedition Bulletin No.3



Just a couple of months to go now until our T32C expedition to Christmas Island. Our container of equipment has reached Fiji and is due to ship soon to T32, to await our arrival.

TEAM

The team is now pretty much complete, with no less than 41 operators, some of whom will be there for the whole period, others will be there for the first or second half. At any one time there will be around 30 operators on the island, permitting us to operate round the clock on all bands with, propagation and other factors permitting, two stations QRV on each of 80 through 10. The team consists of Neville G3NUG (Team Leader), Chris G3SVL (Co-Leader), John G3WGV (Co-Leader), Michael DG1CMZ, Franz DK1II, Falk DK7YY, Paul EI5DI, Dave EI9FBB, Gerard F2JD, Ian F5VKT/G3YBY, Michel FM5CD, Vincent G0LMX, Tony G0OPB, Nobby G0VJG, Richard G3RWL, Fred G3SVK, Laurie G3UML, David G3UNA, Gordon G3USR, Dave G3WGN, Mike G3WPH, Don G3XTT, Mark G4AXX, John G4DRS, Nick G4FAL, Mike G4IUF, Tony G4LDL, Justin G4TSH, Michael G7VJR, Clive GM3POI, Bob GU4YOX, Kazu JA1RJU, Dave K4SV, Paul KG4UVU, Bob MD0CCE, Arnie N6HC, Bob N6OX, Frank ON7RU, Ronald PA3EWP, Maury W3EF and Paul WF5T.

SPONSORS

We are very pleased to welcome Redweb Technologies as a new Corporate Sponsor. They specialise in tracking security solutions and have loaned us a container tracker. We are also delighted once again to have been granted a prestigious ARRL Colvin Award. In addition we thank CDXC - The UK DX Foundation, GDXF - German DX Foundation and the RSGB DXpedition Fund for offering support. Many thanks too to the many corporate, DX and local clubs and individuals who have come forward to support our expedition.

They are too numerous to mention here, but are listed in full on our website. Details of how to donate also appear on our website. PayPal donations may be made directly via the site. All donations will be acknowledged.



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DX CODE OF CONDUCT AND HOW TO WORK US

FSDXA supports the DX Code of Conduct (www.dx-code.org) and is committed to ensuring that all T32C team members operate to the highest standards. We have also, in conjunction with Wayne Mills N7NG and Steve Telenius-Lowe 9M6DXX, produced a document "How to Work Us" which can be downloaded from our website.



INTERACTING ONLINE

Internet access to and from Christmas Island is limited so we will not, for example, be watching the DX Cluster! If you have feedback for the expedition, this can be routed through Don G3BJ, via deserving@fsdxa.com. Don will pass this feedback to the team on a daily basis. In the reverse direction, logs will be uploaded to ClubLog

(www.clublog.org) on a daily basis and any news posted on the T32C website. We will also aim to send regular updates to the major bulletins.



BROCHURE

We mentioned last time that a PDF brochure about the expedition is downloadable from our website. We are pleased to say that this is available in Russian and Japanese as well as English.

DVD

The T32C DVD can be pre-ordered at the on-line shop on the T32C website. Full details are given there. In addition to the T32C story, the DVD will include the video made during the FSDXA DXpedition to St. Brandon Island (3B7C) in September 2007.

WEBSITE

As you have read above, much of what you need to know is on our extensive website. Do keep checking it for updates, both before and during the expedition: www.t32c.com

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