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by **I2MQP**

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RED = Important operation **GREEN** = Details not yet fixed

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Bulletin 627 & 628 are shorter than usual due to the holiday period. HNY

PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL Info
1A	SMOM	Dec 28 - Jan 6	1A0C by the DX Friends group	OQRS ClubLog
3A	Mopnaco	Dec 28 - Dec 30	EA5IDQ will be /3A	H.C.
3D2	Fiji	December 2014	DL9HCU is active as 3D2HC	H.C.
4S	Sri Lanka	Mow - Apr 10	DC0KK is on as 4S7KKG mainly CW and digi	H.C. dir & bur & OQRS
5R	Madagascar	Aug end - 2016	AI4SV will be in Madagascar for 3 year and will sign 5R8SV	G3SWH
A6	U.A.E.	Dec 23 - Jan 6	DL3YM will be /A6 CW	H.C. dir & bur LoTW
C6	Bahamas	Dec 2014 - April 2015	9H5G will be /C6ATS	NI5DX

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CN	Morocco	Now - Jan 2	SP9DML will be on signing CN2DM	H.C.
CN	Morocco	Now - Mar 20	F6CTF is often on different frequencies	H.C. dir
D2	Angola	Jan 16 - Dec 31	MM0SSG will be on as D2SG	GM4FDM
D4	Cape Verde	Dec 12 - Jan 8	DF2WO will be active as D44TWO	M0OXO
DP	Antartica	Now - Feb 2015	DL1HB will activate the DP0GVN station	DL5EBE
DP	Antartica	Dec 1 - Feb 28	DL5XL will be again in AN-016 as DP1POL	DL1ZBO dir & bur
FM	Martinique	Dec 11 - Jan 8	F2VX & F9IE will be /FM	H.C.
FO	F.Polynesi a	Nov 1 - Dec 31	FO9AA special stations will be on all bands and modes	
FO	F.Polynesi a	Jan 2 - Jan 5	Before austral KK6BT will be active from OC-067 signing /FO	KE8G
FO/a	Austral	Jan 5 - Jan 11	KK6BT will be on from OC-114 signing TX5W	
FW	Wallis and Futuna	NOW	FW5JJ is back to Wallis and will be on for two years including low bands	F5RXL OQRS
HL	Korea	Now - Dec 31	DS4DRE will operate from AS-093	H.C. bur
IA	Antartica	Now - Feb 4	IZ2QEJ arrived at Concordia. Will use IA/IZ2QEJ	
J7	Dominica	Nov 6 - Mar 5	SM0XBI will be on holiday and will operate from time to time as J79XBI	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
JA	Japan	Dec 27 - Jan 4	JI3DST will be /6 from AS-049	H.C. bur & OQRS
JD	Ogasawara	Dec 22 - Jan 2	JI1LET & JA1UII will be on as JD1BOI & JD1BON	H.C.: dir & bur
JD	Ogasawara	Dec 28 - Jan 10	JG7PSJ will be on as JD1BMH	
JW	Svalabard	Nov 2014 Feb 2015	UA3IPL will be on signing /JW	RW6HS dir
JW	Svalabard	Nov 2014 Apr 2015	LA9JKA will operate as JW9JKA from EU-027	H.C. dir
KC4	Antartica	Now - Dec 31	W2NAF is on from McMurdo signing KC4USV	
KH2	Guam	Dec 27 - Dec 30	JJ2RCJ will operate as AH2/AB2RF	H.C. dir & LoTW
KH8	American Samoa	JAN 7 - Jan 12	JA0JHQ will sign AH0CO/KH8	H.C. dir & bur

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PJ2	Curacao	Nov 20 - Dec 26	PA0VDV will be on /PJ2	H.C. dir & bur
PJ2	Curacao	Dec 21 - Dec 28	HK4RB will be on from Curacao	H.C. dir & bur
PJ7	S.Maarten	Dec 18 - Mar 16	AA9A will be on as PJ7AA	H.C. & LoTW
PY	Brazil	Dec 27 - Dec 31	PU2KKE will be on from SA-026 signing ZV5WSC	H.C. dir
R1	Antartica	From Dec 23 on	RW6ACM will be active as RI1ANZ	RN1ON dir & bur
RI	Antartica	Nov 2014 Mar 2015	RD3MX and UA1PAW will be RI1ANR from AN-016 all bands CW & SSB	RK1PWA
T8	Palau	Dec 25 - Jan 4	JH0IXE will be on as T8CW	JA0FOX bur dirto JH0IXE
T8	Palau	Jan 7 - Jan 15	JA6EGL, JA6KYU, JA6UBY and JE6DND will be active as T88SM, T88HS, T88CP, and T88HK,	H.C. dir only
TK	Corsica	Oct 6 - Mar 16	G4BKI will be /TK	Dir only to US add.
V2	Antigua	Dec 25 - Dec 30	JJ1RJR will sign V25A holiday style	KG2A
V5	Namibia	Jan 6 - Jan 13	V5/G3RWF will be on CW	H.C.
VK	Australia	Nov - Dec	VK4EI informs that she will not be on OC-227 but will try to activate OC-172 & OC-187	NR6M dir & bur
VK9N	Norfolk	Dec 26 - Jan 1	G7VJR will sign /VK9N	M0OXO
VP5	Turks & Caicos	Dec 19 - Dec 26	VE3OC will sign /VP5	H.C: dir
VP9	Bermuda	Dec 31 - Jan 5	K4KGG will be /VP9	LoTW W3HNC ClubLog
W	U.S.A.	Dec 28 - Dec 29	KG4JSZ, KI4GMR/p & N2MFT will be /p from NA-076	
XW	Laos	Dec 15 - Jan 2 Jan 15 - Jan 23	3W3B will be on as XW4XR	E21EIC
YB	Indonesia	Dec 22 - Dec 27	YB8RW will be /8 from OC-157	H.C: OQRS ClubLog
YB	Indonesia	Dec 27 - Dec 31	YB8RW will be /8 from OC-224	H.C: OQRS ClubLog
YV0	Aves	Jan - Mar 2015	YV0AI expedition could take place during this period	YV5Aj & ClubLog

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PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL Info
1S	Spratly	Apr 1 - Apr 30	4F2KWT AD5MD DU1BP K6BF K6BG WA6LOS WE6DX WJ1P WW6CP will be on as DX0P	WJ1P
3B8	Maldives	May 10 - May 19	EA5IDQ will be on /3B8	EA5IDQ
3B9	Rodrigues	May 19 - May 24	EA5IDQ will be on /3B9	EA5IDQ
3Y	Bouvet	Jan 16-Apr 15	One man expedition could take place by ON4WW. See below	
3Y	Bouvet	DEC 2015	3Y0F will be the call of the expedition managed by UN7PCZ	
5Z	Kenya	Feb 16 - Mar 8	DF3FS & DL9OLI will sign /5Z	H.C. dir & bur
6W	Senegal	Jan 10 - Feb 5	F6BLP will sign 6W7SK. Will try also 150	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
7Q7	Malawi	Postponed to Mar 22 - Apr 1	7QAA will be on activated by two groups	OQRS
9M2	W. Malaysia	Cancelled	PA0RRS will be active as 9M2MRS	H.C. bur & dir & OQRS
9Q	Congo	Mar 2015	Italian group will be on for a couple of weeks as 9Q0HQ	9Q0AR
C5	Gambia	Jan 15 - Jan 26	G3VMW, G3XAQ, G3XTT and M0PCB will operate all bands and modes as C5X	M0OXO OQRS
CE0Y	Easter Isl.	Jan 10 - Jan 16	JA3ARJ, JA3AVO, JA3HJI, JA3IVU, JH3LSS, JH3PBL and JI3DNN will be on /CE0Y	H.C.
CE0Z	Juan Fernandez	Feb 24 - Mar 4	22 operators will be on all bands and modes	
CX	Uruguay	Feb 21 - Feb 23	CV5A group will be on from SA-030	CX2ABC
E4	Palestine	Mar 1 - Mar 31	S500 S59M HB9OCR MM0NDX EA4AK EA7JX; will operate during march	S59M
EP	Iran	Jan 2015	4 or 5 Stations will be on from AS-166 signing EP6T	M0URX
FG	Guadeloupe	Jan 27 - Mar 30	F6ITD will be /FG	ClubLog & LoTW

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FJ	St.Barhelemy	Jan 17 - Jan 25	N9SW will be /FJ mainly CW	H.C.
FK	Chesterfield	2015	12 operators will be on from OC-176	
FM	Martinique	Jan 24 - Jan 26 Feb 13 - Feb 14	SP7VC, SP3IPB & SQ7OYL will be /FM	H.C. dir & Bur
FM	Martinique	Mar 22 - Mar 29	M5RIC will be on as TO4C	M0OXO
FO	F.Polynesia	Feb 15 - Feb 24	K8PGJ will be /FO	H.C.
FP	St. Pierre & Miquelon	Feb 26 - Mar 10	KV1J will be /FP All bands + 6 meters	H.C.
FP	St. Pierre & Miquelon	Jul 20 - Jul 29	N7QT will be /FP	H.C. dir & bur
FS	St. Barthelemy	Jan 17 - Jan 25	N9SW will be /FS	H.C.
GI	N.Ireland	Jul 24 - Jul 26	GI5O group will be on from EU-122	M5KJM
GM	Scotland	Jan 16 - Jan 18	MM0NDX will be /p from EU-009	IW7EGQ
H44	Salomon Islands	Feb 1 - Feb 28	DL2GAC will be on as usual as H44MS	
HC	Galapagos	Jul 1 - Sep 30	G8OFQ will sign /HC8 during his stay as volunteer	HA3JB
HH	Haiati	Jan 11 - Feb 3	KC0W will be /HH5 mainly CW low bands	H.C. dir
HK0	S.Andres	April	LW9EOC will be again on from NA-033 probably signing 5K0A	H.C.
J3	Grenada	Feb 6 - Feb 7	SP7VC, SP3IPB, SQ7OYL, K2RPF, SP3CFM & SP7TF will be /J3 from NA-024	H.C. dir & Bur
J3	Grenada	Feb 7 - Feb 8	SP7VC, SP3IPB, SQ7OYL, K2RPF, SP3CFM & SP7TF will be /J3 from NA-147	H.C. dir & Bur
J6	Santa Lucia	Jan 27 - Feb 3	SP7VC, SP3IPB, SQ7OYL, K2RPF, SP3CFM & SP7TF will be /J6 from NA-108	H.C. dir & Bur
J8	Grenadines	Feb 4 - Feb 5	SP7VC, SP3IPB, SQ7OYL, K2RPF, SP3CFM & SP7TF will be /J8 from NA-109	H.C. dir & Bur
J8	Grenadines	Feb 8 - Feb 9	SP7VC, SP3IPB, SQ7OYL, K2RPF, SP3CFM & SP7TF will be /J8 from NA-025	H.C. dir & Bur

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J8	Grenadines	Apr 13 - Apr 21	GW4DVB will sign J88PI	H.C. dir & bur
J8	St.Vincent	Apr 13 - Apr 21	GW4DVB will operate as J88PI	H.C.
JW	Svalabard	Feb 18 - Feb 25	DL2JRM will be on	H.C.
KH5	Palmyra	Postponed	25 operators will be on from Jarvis Island signing N5E	ZL3CW & LoTW
KH9	Wake	2014	N7XR will be /WH) all bands and modes. Will also sign WH9/W1AW	NN1N dir & LoTW
KP1	Navassa	Jan 2015	15 operators will be on signing K1N Details to be fixed	
OA	Peru	2014	OA4AI will be on from SA-052 signing OC0I, details not fixed	
P2	Papua	Jan 15 - Feb 15	DH\NK will be on as P29NK mainly digital	
PJ2	Curacao	Feb 2 - Mar 31	DH6TJ will be /PJ2	
PJ4	Bonaire	Jan 14 - Jan 29	PA8A will operate as PJ4B	H.C. dir
PJ4	Bonaire	Mar 1 - Mar 12	DG1SGW will be /PJ4	H.C. dir bur LoTW
S7	Seychelles	Jan 17 - Feb 10	OE4AAC will sign S79AC	H.C. & OQRS
T8	Palau	Mar 5 - Mar 12	TA1HZ will be again on as T88HZ	H.C. bur & LoTW
TG	Guatemala	Jan 22 - Feb 17	VE7BV will be /TG9	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
TI9	Cocos	Feb 16 - Feb 23	3Z9DX TI2HMJ K7CO will be active with two stations a/TI9	K8PGJ
V4	St.Kitts	Jan 20 - Mar 1	W5JON will be on again signing V47JA	HC dir & LoTW
V5	Namibia	Feb 9 - Feb 20	DD8ZX and DJ9KM will be /V5	H.C: dir & bur
V6	Micronesia	Feb 16 - Feb 23	W5MJ will use the call V63MJ all bands CW	H.C: LoTW
VK0	Heard	Nov 17 - Dec 23	VK0EK will be the call of the expedition by a large group	
VK0	Macquarie	Nov 2014 - Apr 2015	VK6MH will be active as VK0MH	
VK0	Heard Island	EARLY 2016 Rescheduled	Big group will be on Details will follow	

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VP2M	Montserrat	Mar 11 - Mar 25	N7QT will be on	H.C. dir & bur
VP8	South Georgia	Jan 15 - Feb 16	Large tam will be on	ClubLog
VP8	South Sandwich	Jan 15 - Feb 16	Large team will be on	ClubLog
VU	India	Jan 19 - Jan 16	8T5MQT group will be on from AS-153	QRX.com
XW	Laos	Feb 5 - Feb 25	JA8BMK will sign XW8BM	H.C.
XV	Vietnam	Mar 1 - Mar 31	JA8BMK will sign XV7BM	H.C.
ZD8	Ascension	Feb 23 - Feb 25	G3TXF will sign ZD8XF	H.C: & LoTW
ZF	Cayman Island	Jan 10 - Jan 18	K8PGJ will operate as ZF2PG	LoTW & H.C. dir
ZF	Cayman Island	Jul 7 - Jul 12	W6NN as ZF2LL	H.C. & LoTW

Contest, mainly from ARRL Bulletin & WA7BNM

Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party: 0001Z, Dec 20 to 2359Z, Jan 4

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Dec 26

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 26

DARC Christmas Contest: 0830Z-1059Z, Dec 26

RAC Winter Contest: 0000Z-2359Z, Dec 27

World Wide Iron Ham Contest: 1200Z, Dec 27 to 1159Z, Dec 28

Stew Perry Topband Challenge: 1500Z, Dec 27 to 1500Z, Dec 28

Original QRP Contest: 1500Z, Dec 27 to 1500Z, Dec 28

RAEM Contest: 0000Z-1159Z, Dec 28

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 31

CWops Mini-CWT Test: 1300Z-1400Z, Dec 31 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 31 and 0300Z-0400Z, Jan 1

AGB New Year Snowball Contest: 0000Z-0100Z, Jan 1

SARTG New Year RTTY Contest: 0800Z-1100Z, Jan 1

AGCW Happy New Year Contest: 0900Z-1200Z, Jan 1

AGCW VHF/UHF Contest: 1400Z-1700Z, Jan 1 (144) and 1700Z-1800Z,

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NRAU 10m Activity Contest: 1800Z-1900Z, Jan 1 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Jan 1 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Jan 1 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Jan 1 (Dig)

K1N NAVASSA DXPEDITION

(Press Release - December 20th)

The KP1-5 Project Team would like to report progress in preparations for a late January landing on Navassa is coming along very well! A container is being shipped from Atlanta, GA, to our staging point in the Caribbean.

Bob, N2OO, is our chief pilot and has organized an excellent worldwide team to collect reports and suggestions from our target areas. Feedback will be prioritized, filtered and/or condensed to pass along to the team at least daily. We have a very special pilot, Brandon KF5NYQ. Brandon is 11 years old and one of the youngest hams ever to have achieved DXCC!!! Brandon will be collecting feedback from young hams. On our website, <www.navassadx.com>, check out "Our Team" and scroll down to see your pilot. Click on their picture to see their bio and contact information.

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