

TNX NG3K, ARRL, OPDX, DXNL, ICPO Bulletin, RSGB IOTA & Six Italia

RED = Important operation GREEN = Details not yet fixed
ON NOW OR WITHIN NEXT WEEK -- IN ARIA ORA O ENTRO UNA SETTIMANA

PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL Info
3 A	Monaco	Apr 1 - Jun 30	3A90 will be on for special operations for IARU	3A2AEM
3A	Monaco	Jun 5 - Jun 7	3A/IU2CIQ will be on	H.C. bur
5U	Niger	May 30 - Jun 16	F4WBN will sign 5U5U during his holiday	H.C. dir
5 Z	Kenya	May 13 - Jun 11	WA5A will be /5Z4	H.C.
8Q	Maldives	Jun 5 - Jun 18	GOVJG will sign 8Q7CQ	G4DFI
9M2	W.malaysia	Jun 5 - Jun 7	9M2SE group will be active from AS-046	9M2RDX dir
C6	Bahamas	Jun 7 - Jun 17	AA7A and K2KW, are due to get on the air as C6ANS andC6ATA	C6ANS via AA7A C6ATA via WA4WTG

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C6	Bahamas	Jun 7 - Jun 15	WO7R from NA-001 as C6AWO	WA4VTG			
F	France	May 30 - Jul 4	G3TTC will be on from EU-049, EU-058, EU-070, EU-095, EU-148, EU-159, EU-057	bur			
FR	Reunion	Apr 16 - Jun 16	F5PLC will be /FR	H.C. dir & bur			
FS	St.Martin	May 28 - Jun 16	K9EL will be /FS.	H.C. LoTW			
FY	F.Guyana	Jun 8 - Jun 12	F5UII will be /FY during his spare time	н.С.			
GD	Isle of Man	Jun 5 - Jun 15	ON6KX will be on /MD				
GU	Guernsey	Now - Jun 8	F4HEC is on /MU	H.C. dir			
JD	Minami Torishima	Now - Jun 15	JG8NQJ is now /JD1 mainly CW during spare time	JA8CJY dir			
JT	Mongolia	Now - Feb 2017	HL2WP will stay in Monglia 2 years as JU1WP				
JW	Svalabard	Nov 2014 Apr 2015	LA9JKA will operate as JW9JKA from EU-027	H.C. dir			
JW	Svalabard	Now - Aug 29	UA3PIL is now on /JW	RW6HS			
JW	Svalabard	Jun 1 - Nov 30	LA2US will be on from EU-063 as JW2US maily CW	OQRS dir & bur			
KC4A	Antartica	Now - Oct 1	KD5GLX is on from Palmer Station, NA-012	K1IED dir only			
KL	Alaska	Jun 9 - Jun 11	KL2HD will be working in NA-070 and will try to operate in the evening after work	H.C.			
OJ0	Market Reef	Jun 9 - Jun 15	OJOB will be on 2meters EME	ОН2ВН			
OX	Greenland	Jun 3 - Jun 12	DL7DF, DJ6TF DK1BT DL7DF DL7UFR will be /OX from NA-151	DL7DF dir bur LowTW			
OX	Greenland	Jun 12 - Jun 19	OZ1DJJ will operate as OX3LX from NA-220	OZ1PIF dir & LoTW			
PY	Brazil	Jun 12 - Jun 14	ZY8P group will be on from SA-072				
RI1	Antartica	Now -March 2016	RX3ABI will sign RI1ANM from AN- 016 WAP RUS-09				
SM	Sweden	Jun 8 - Jun 14	SM6CUK will be on from EU-037 signing SA6G/7	H.C.			
SU	Egypt	Now - Jun 15	OM3CGN is on all bands and modes as SU9IG	н.С.			

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sv	Greece	May 29 - Jun 8	HAOHW will be again active from EU-174 signing SW8WW	OQRS
sv	Greece	Jun 8 - Jun 21	PA1FJ will be /SV8 from EU-049	H.C. bur
T 2	Tuvalu	May 31 - Jun 7	VK2RG will be on as T2RG during spare time	H.C. dir
Т32	E Kiribati	Jun 3 - Jun 8	KH6QJ will sign T32AZ. VK8RR & VK9ZI have applied for calls	н.С.
V4	St. Kitts	Jun 13 - Jun 22	W5JON as V47JA	LoTW & dir
VK	Australia	Jun 1 - Aug 25	VK4AAC will be /5 from OC-139	H.C. dir & bur
VP2M	Montserrat	Jun 10 - Jun 18	4 US operators will be active as VP2MKV on HF and VP2MTT on VHF	NOKV dir & bur
XT	Burkina Fasp	May 30 - Jun 25	DF2WO will sign XT2AW	M00XO OQRS
ZD9	Gough	Jan - Sep 2015	ZS1BCE is working in the island and will sign ZD9A	ZS1LS
ZF	Cayman Island	May 27 - Jun 7	ZF2WA by N5WR Mainly CW	H.C.

TOP 10 DX NEXT DAYS

PFX	5/6	6/6	7/6	8/6	9/6	10/6	11/6	12/6	13/6	14/6
CC	V	V	V							
<u>C6</u>	X	X	X							
FY				X	X	X	X	X		
JD/M	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
OX	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
SU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
T2	X	X	X							
T32	X	X	X	X						
VP2M						X	X	X	X	X
AS046	X	X	X							
NA070					X	X	X			
OC139	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

FUTURE OPERATIONS --- OPERAZIONI FUTURE

PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL
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3 A	Monaco	Aug 7 – Aug 15	IZ8EGM will be on	H.C. bur
3C	Equatorial Guinea	Oct 10 - Oct 22	LA7GIA will sign probably 3C7GIA from AF-010	
3D2	Fiji	Sep 23 - Sep 28	JA1NLX will be on as 3D2YA from OC-156	OQRS dir
3 W	Vietnam	Oct 30 - Nov 10	3W3MD will be an expedition by the Mediterraneo DX Club	
3Y	Bouvet	Dec 17 - Jan 10 2016	3Y0F will be the call of the expedition managed by UN7PCZ	
5H	Tanzania	Sept 2015	NK80 will be signing probably 5H3CP	EA7FTR LoTW
A 3	Tonga	Jan 15 - Feb 15	KCOW will be on low bands for Europe	H.C. dir
C5	Gambia	Oct 20 - Oct 27	F5RAV will be on as C5LT also in the contest as C5C	Dir only to H.C.
C6	Bahamas	Jun 22 - Jul 6	VE3IKV will be on as C6AUX mainly 6 meters	VE3IKV dir
CE	Chile	Jul 23 - Jul 26	XR1T Team will activate SA-069	CE3OP OQRS & LoTW
CR2	Azores	Jul 25 - Jul 26	CR2W team will be in the contest	HB9CRV & LoTW
D4	Cape Verde	Jun 15 – Jun 22	IZ4DPV will be on as D4C	H.C. dir & bur
DL	Germany	Jul 18 - Aug 3	DG8HJ will be /p from EU-128	н.С.
DL	Germany	Jul 25 - Jul 26	DROF group will be in the contest from EU-127	DM4DL
E5	S. Cook	Oct 19 - Nov 1	SP5EAQ will be active on HF	SP7DQR bur LoTW
E5	N Cook	Dec 3 - Dec 10	JA1XGI will sign E51XGI	н.С.
E5	N Cook	Jan 12 - Jan 21	JA3ARJ, JA3AVO, JA3IVU, JA3UJR, JF3HPN, JH3LSS and JH3PBL will	

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			pèerate. Call will follow		
E6	Niue	Jun 24 - Jul 4	ZL2HM will sign E6AB	н.С.	
E6	Niue	Sep 15 - Sep 30	7 G operators will be on as E6GG	G3TXF	
EI	Ireland	Aug 22 – Aug 27	EJ7NET will be in the contest		
F	France	Jul 5 - Jul 11	DL8JJ will be /F from EU-081	LZ1JZ dir & bur	
F	France	Aug 16 - Aug 19	G3RTE, G3SWH & MJ0ASP will operate as F/G6AY/p from EU-157	LoTW OQRS G3SWH	
FJ	S.Barthelem Y	Oct 20 - Oct 27	G4XUM, M5RIC, GM4AFF, N0VD will be on /FJ. T04K during the contest	H.C G3NKC	
FO	F.Polynesia	Sep 3 - Sep 10	IW3HVB will be on as TX7EME	Dir ONLY	
FP	St. Pierre & Miquelon	Jul 15 - Jul 21	NY4G will sign /FP	LoTW	
FR/J	Juan de Nova	March 2016	F Operation will take place		
FS	St.Martin	Oct 24 - Oct 25	TO1E multi operator will be in the contest. K9NU, W9ILY, VE2BWL and K9EL will operate /FS before and after the contest	TO1E TBA Other via H.C.	
FT5X	Kerguelen	Nov / Dec	An expedition is planned for the last part of the year		
GI	N.Ireland	Jul 24 - Jul 26	GI50 group will be on from EU-122	M5KJM	
GJ	Jersey	Sep 11 - Sep 14	DL2JRM will sign /MJ	H.C: dir & bur	
GM	Scotland	Jul 3 - Jul 5	MMONDX will be on from EU-009 IOSA OR01	IW7EGQ	
GM	Scotland	Jul 17 - Jul 19	MMOMWW from OARC will be on from EU-009 IOSA OR13		
GM	Scotland	Jul 22 - Jul 28	MM8C group will be in the contest from EU-059	G4DFI	
GM	Scotland	Jul 23 - Jul 26	GM5TO group will be on from EU-123 They will sign GM2AS outside test	G3РНО	
GM	Scotland	Jul 25 - Jul 26	GM7A group will be in the contest from EU-008		
GM	Scotland	Jul 25 - Jul 31	GMOLVI will be in the contest from EU-008 SC10		
GM	Scotland	Jul 25 - Jul 26	GM7V will be in the contest from EU-010	N3SL	
GM	Scotland	Jul 25 - Jul 31	GMOLVI will be /p from EU-092 IOSA SC10		
GU	Guernsey	Jul 25 - Jul 26	GU9V will be in the contest	OQRS	

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GU	Guernsey	Jul 25 - Jul 26		G3TXF &
			EU-012	LoTW
GW	Wales	Jul 24 - Jul 27	GW3TTC/p from EU-124	G3TTC
HB0	Lietchenste	Jun 21 - Jun 26	ON6ZV ON6OM ON7EG ON4MW as	ON6ZV
	in		HB0/006P	
HC	Galapagos	Jul 1 - Jul 14	G80FQ will be /HC8. Operation could continue till sep 30	на3ЈВ
HC	Galapagos	Jul 1 - Sep 30	G80FQ will sign /HC8 during his stay as volunteer	НАЗЈВ
HR	Honduras	Jul 23 - Jul 28	HD2DMR will operate from NA-212 signing H76W	KD4POJ
HS	Thailand	Jul 25 - Jul 26	HSOZIA will be in the contest	LoTW
			using also 80 meters	
I	Italy	Jun 17 - Jun 27	IK5BCM & IU5BLZ will be on from EU-051	H.C.
I	Italy	Jun 25 - Jun 26	IK7IMO will be IJ7V from EU-073	н.С.
I	Italy	Jul 15 - Jul 31	From Jul 15 to July 31 IZ8XOU &	H.C.
	_		IK8MRA will be on from EU-144 IOTA	
			contest included	
J2	Djibouti	Jul 15 - Sep 15	F5LCI will be active as J20JM	H.C. dir
JA	Japan	J_{11} $20 - J_{11}$ 22	JA8COE will be on /8 from AS-147	Dir &
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JA	Japan	Jul 24 - Jul 28	ON7JA will operate /JA4 from AS-	H.C. bur
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JD	Ogasawara	Sep 4 - Sep 7	JA1NEJ will sign JD1BOH	H.C: dir
				& bur
JW	Svaòabard	Sep 16 - Sep 23	JW5E club station will be	OZOJ &
			activated as JW/OX5M	LoTW
KH5	Palmyra	JAN 2016	Big team will operate several	
			stations signing probably KH5/p	
KH9	Wake	Sep 4 - Sep 19	AG6IP will be there	
KL	Alaska	Jun 18 - Jun 21	KL2HD will be working in NA-039	H.C.
			and will try to operate /p or as	
			KL7NWR in the evening after work	
KP2	Virgin Isl	Jul 11 - Jul 26	VE3OP will be /KP2	H.C. dir
				bur LoTW
LA	Norway	Jun 17 - Jun 27	SP7IDX will be /LA from EU-046	H.C. &
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ОЈ0	Market reef	Jun 28 - Jul 4	ON8VP ON6QO ON5TQ will sign OJ0V	ON5TC
OZ	Denmark	Jul 4 - Jul 18	DF2SD will sign /OZ from EU-125	H.C. dir bur LoTW
OZ	Denmark	Jul 11 - Jul 31	DL2VFR will be on /OZ1 from EU-029	
OZ	Denmark	Jun 21 - Jun 27	OZ1IVA will be /p from EU-088	H.C. bur
OZ	Denmark	Jul 4 - Jul 11	DL9MWG & DL3VJG will be /OZ from EU-030	H.C. dir & bur
OZ	Denmark	Jul 24 - Jul 26	OZ9IC group will be in the contest	
PJ5	St. Estatius	Jun 25 - Jul 6	K5AND, W3CMP & K8RX will be /PJ5	K5AND OQRS
PJ7	S.Maarteen	Oct 24 - Oct 25	WA1ZAM will be in the contest as PJ7PL	н.с.
PY	Brazil	Jul 22 - Jul 29	PX8K group will be on from SA-042	PY8WW OQRS
PY0F	F. de NoronhA	Oct 17 - Oct 27	AA4NC will be (PY0F all bands and modes	LoTW
S7	Seychelles	Jul 7 - Jul 18	EI6DX will sign S79OWZ	RX3RC dir & bur
S 7	Seychelles	Aug 9 – Aug 23	IZ2DPX will be on	H.C.
SM	Sweden	Jul 1 - Jul 31	SM5EFX will be on as SF2X/p from EU-135	H.C. dir & bur
SM	Sweden	Jul 25 - Jul 26	GOCKV will sign SM5CKV from EU-177	LoTW
sv	Greece	Jul 25 - Aug 6	IW2NEF will be /SV8 from EU-067	IK2DUW dir & Nur
Т2	Tuvalu	Sep 24 - Oct 14	LZ1GC wil l operate as T2GC	
Т32	E.Kiribati	Oct 27 - Nov 3	KH600, W0ZRJ & N0PJV will be on as T32DX	
Т33	Banaba	Nov 2015	JA1XGI plans to use T30XG, T33X& & T33XG	
TX3	Chesterfiel d	Oct 2 - Oct 12	12 operators will be on from OC- 176 signing TX3X	LoTW & QRS
UA	Russia	JULY	RI1PC & RI1PK from EU-160 RI1PT from EU-188	
UA0	A.Russia	August 2015	R7Al & R6AL will go to AS-127	
UA0	A.Russia	Jul 24 - Jul 29	6 operators will be on from AS-082	
UA0	A.Russia	Early sept	RT9K/0 team will be on from AS 203	RX9KM

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V6	Micronesia	Aug 26 - Sep 3	W7GJ will operate as V6M focusing on 6 meters	H.C. dir	
V7	Marshall	Oct 13 - Oct 28	Large german group will be on as V73D		
VE	Canada	Jul 25 - Jul 26	VA2SG will be /p from NA-128	H.C. & LoTW	
VE	Canada	Aug 3 - Aug 10	VE3LYC will activate NA-248 zone 1 with the call VY0M	H.C. & OQRS	
VK	Australia	Jul 26 - Jul 28	Expedition planned from OC-194		
VK	Australia	Dec 29 - Jan 1	VK2IAY will sign /3 from OC-136	GOUIH dir & bur	
VK0	Heard	Mar 6 - Apr 20	VKOEK will be the call of the		
		•	expedition by a large group		
VK9L	Lord Howe	Dec 16 - Dec 23	GOUIH will sign VK2IAY/9	H.C. dir /bur	
VK9W	Willis	Nov 12 - Nov 21	VK9WA team will be on		
VP2M	Montserrat	Jul 8 - Jul 17	W4LT will sign VP2MLU		
VP8	South Georgia	Jan - Feb 2016	Large tam will be on as VP8SGI	Club Log	
VP8	South Sandwich	Jan - Feb 2016	Large team will be on VP8STI	Club Log	
W	U.S.A.	Jun 27 - Jun 28	KD5LCP will be on from NA-168	H.C.	
W	U.S.A.	Jul 10 - Aug 5	NA-055 will be activated by W2IY	H.C. dir & bur	
XW	Laos	Jul 30 - Jul 31	E21EIC will be active as XW1IC	H.C. dir & OQRS	
YB	Indonesia	Jul 25 - Jul 26	YC8ROP will be /p from OC-210	LoTW	
YN	Nicaragua	Jul 23 - Jul 28	HR2DMR plans to be on from NA-212		
Z2	Zimbawe	Sep 18 - Sep 30	OK group will operate all bands and modes as Z21MG	OK6DJ dir bur OQRS	

SPECIAL CALLS AND PREFIXES

PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL
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J	un 5, 2015			NBR. 00	J
4U	ITU	Feb	13 - Nov 27	4U0ITU	Bureau
9V	Singapore	All	2015	All 9V stations can use the S61	
				prefix	
CX	Uruguay	MAY		CW150ITU	CX1AA
O21	oraguay	1.17.7.1		CWISOTIO	
DL	Germany	All	2015	DJ90IARU	
	-	All	2015	DA300KA	DH2ES
		All	2015	DL50MER	Bureau
		All	2015	DL1965WH	DL1WH
DL	Germany	Jun	1 - Jun 30	DP7BVBG	DF7AA
		All	2015	DG150ZRS, DK65DARC	Bureau
		All	2015	DJ901ARU, DL65DARC	Bureau
		All	2015	SQ1200HI	Bureau
		All	2015	DK60ZAB	Bureau
		Jun	1 - Jun 30	DP7BVBG	DF7AA
DL	Germany	All	2015	DQ70ELBE	DJ9ZZZ
		All	2015	DM700LSW	Bureau
		All	2015	DF50USLAR	Bureau
		All	2015	DQ40AIX	Bureau
DL	Germany	All	2015	DA300CFG	Bureau
		Now		DM750FOR	Bureau
		All	2015	DL60BUND	Bureau
		Now	- Oct 31	DCOLGST	
		May	1 - Apr 2016	DM700BURG	DF1XC
E5	N.Cook &	All	2015	Stations in the two countries con	
	S.Cook			use the E50 prefix	
ΕI	Ireland	All	2015	EI150ITU	EI6AL
				EI90IARU	EI6AL
F	France	All	2015	TM320NEO	F1EOY
		Jun	24	TM24H	F6KFI
		Jun	7	TM08FF	ON4CRD
G	England		1 - Jun 28	GB200W	
			1 - Jun 28	GB8MC	MOOIC
		Jun	2015	GB125SL	G4USW
HA	Hungary		2015	HG90IARU	HA5MA
			2015	HA45KHW	Bur OQRS
HB	Switzerlan	201	5	HB970IARY	НВ9ЈОЕ
	d				
HL	Korea		- Jul 31	HL60HQ	HL0HQ
	_		- Jun 30	DT50KJ	HL1IWD
I	Italy		6 – Jun 7	II4MB	
			6 - Jun 7	II5LDV	IK5ZUB
JA	Japan		2015	8J1FUYO	Bureau
			- Nov 30	8N2IKUJU	Bureau
JA	Japan	_	1 - Jun 30	8J1KJ	Bur
		_	1 - Sep 30	8N13ARDF	Bur
		May	1 - Oct 31	8J1TRD	Bur

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		May 1 - Nov 15	8N3ARDF	Bur
		May 5 - Nov 8	8N2AI	Bur
JT	Mongolia	May 1 - Dec 31	JV150ITU	JT1CD dir
LX	Luxembourg	2015	LX60H	Bur
LY	Lithuasnia	JUN - JUL	LY10HFA	
LZ	Bulgaria	2015	LZ102SIB (May), LZ293MA (June), LZ429PS (July), LZ250MM (August), LZ129WNLS (September), LZ130SAK (October), LZ259PA (November) and LZ362MT (December	Bureau
OK	Czeck	Now - Jul 31	OL750CB	Bureau
OM	Slovak Rep	2015	OM20OTC	
ON	Belgium	May 1 - Jun 30 Jun 1 - Dec 31 Jun 13 - Jun 21	ON10EURAO OR90VL OO200WTO	ON4VRA ON5VL ON7WR
PA	Netherland	All 2015 All 2015	PA90IARU PI25COM	Bureau PA3CAL
PY	Brazil	Jun 2015	PT70FEB	PS7AB
SM	Sweden	Mar 1 - Aug 30 MAY May 1 - Aug 8 MAY	SF90IARU HF20RCW SN2015PPJB HF9LOS	SM6JSM SP3PWL SP5POT SQ9CWO
SP	Poland	Now - Aug 8	SN2015PPJB	SP5POT
UA	Russia	May 1 - Jun 12	RM30SM	R3L0
VU	India	Apr - Dec 2015	AT150ITU	OQRS LoTW
YL	Latvia	Feb - Nov 2015	YL800TM	YL3GBC
YO	Romania	Oct 2014 - Sep 2 Now - Jul 31 Mar - Nov 2015	YO55BU,YP555BU,YQ555BU,YR555BU YP0Y YP10EURAO	YO5EI YO9KYO
YO	Romania	All 2015	YO90IARU, YP90IARU, YQ90IARU, and YR90IARU	
YU	Serbia	All 2015 Mar 1 - Dec 31 Apr 1 - Jul 31	YT90NS All Serbian CW Club can sign YT45 & YU45 YU738SB	YU7BPQ YU1KN

Contest, mainly from ARRL Bulletin & WA7BNM

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Jun 5
NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Jun 5

10-10 Int. Open Season PSK Contest: 0000Z, Jun 6 to 2400Z, Jun 7 PVRC Reunion: 0000Z-0400Z, Jun 6 (CW) and 0000Z-0400Z, Jun 7

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DigiFest: 0400Z-1200Z, Jun 6 and 2000Z, Jun 6 to 0400Z, Jun 7 and

1200Z-2000Z, Jun 7

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: 0600Z-0629Z, Jun 6 and 0630Z-0659Z, Jun 6

and 0700Z-0729Z, Jun 6 and 0730Z-0800Z, Jun 6 VK Shires Contest: 0600Z, Jun 6 to 0600Z, Jun 7

SEANET Contest: 1200Z, Jun 6 to 1200Z, Jun 7

UKSMG Summer Contest: 1300Z, Jun 6 to 1300Z, Jun 7

ADRAD Kayldall DMR Contest: 1300Z-1900Z, Jun 6

RSGB National Field Day: 1500Z, Jun 6 to 1500Z, Jun 7

IARU Region 1 Field Day, CW: 1500Z, Jun 6 to 1459Z, Jun 7

Dutch Kingdom Contest: 1500Z, Jun 6 to 1500Z, Jun 7

Alabama QSO Party: 1600Z, Jun 6 to 0400Z, Jun 7

NAQCC CW Sprint: 0030Z-0230Z, Jun 10

CWops Mini-CWT Test: 1300Z-1400Z, Jun 10 and 1900Z-2000Z, Jun 10

and 0300Z-0400Z, Jun 11

RSGB 80m Club Championship, CW: 1900Z-2030Z, Jun 10

VP8SGI/VP8STI DXPEDITION NEWS

The last major operations from South Sandwich and South Georgia Islands were in 2002. Since that time, these islands have steadily climbed the most wanted list. South Sandwich is currently the #3 most wanted DXCC entity, while South Georgia is the #8 most wanted entity.

Our goal is to conduct two 8-10 day DXpeditions to each of these top ten entities. To effectively do that, we need your support.

The fourteen members of the VP8STI/VP8SGI team have committed to paying \$210,000 of the \$425,000 needed to carry out this Dxpedition. To date, we have raised \$315,000 which includes our team contribution. We still have a significant deficit of \$110,000. The VP8STI/VP8SGI team needs the support of the worldwide DX Community to help us

make this Dxpedition a success.

While donations from North America were strong initially, we would greatly appreciate more support from North America, Europe, Asia and South America.

To date, North America Clubs & Foundations have provided 87% of our support, while 12% comes from Europe and less than one percent from Asia.

Both David (K3LP-Co Team Leader) and I think our plans for the low bands, which include a four-square for 40 meters, 2 phased verticals for 80 meters and 2 phased verticals on 160 meters plus a robust 4 station beverage system warrants a higher level of commitment from the DX community in general.

A dual rare Dxpedition like this warrants the same level of financial contribution as other recent major DXpeditions. We are all in financially at this point and need your assistance no matter what level of donation you can make.

So, please consider a generous contribution to this project. To have your club or organization's logo included with the QSL card, please contribute \$250 or more. Individual contributions of \$150 or more will be listed with the QSL card. All donors of \$25 or more will receive an early LoTW upload. Everyone who supports the Dxpedition will be listed and properly recognized on our website.

Our plans are moving forward in all aspects. We have just made our second installment of \$113,000 to the Braveheart. Next month, we will ship a container to Auckland, New Zealand where its contents will be loaded aboard the Braveheart in October. In March, we will ship our equipment home when the Braveheart arrives in Cape Town, South Africa. The shipping of our equipment is our second greatest cost behind the vessel charter.

We encourage you to visit our website < www.intrepid-dx.com/vp8 > and donate via the PayPal link. It's easy and free to donate. Alternatively, you can mail a check or money order to the address listed below:

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