

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
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3B8	Mauritius	NOW - Apr 6	G8AFC is now on /3B8 20, 10 & 6 meteres	H.C. dir
3W	Vietnam	Mar 5 - Mar 26	3W2BR by DK2BR during his holiday in AS-130	H.C. dir
3W	Vietnam	Mar 5 - Mar 26	3W2BR by DK2BR during his holiday in AS-130	H.C. dir
4S	Sri Lanka	Jan 15 - Apr 3	DCOKKG by DCOKK mainly RTTY	н.С.
4S	Sri Lanka	Now - Apr 15	UX4UL is on CW & digi	UY5ZZ
5V	Togo	Mar 24 - Apr 11	Bavarian group will be on as 5V7D on all bands and modes	DL9MBI & LoTW
5Z	Kenya	Mar 26 - Mar 28	TA1HZ will be /5Z	LZ3HI dir LoTW
6Y	Jamaica	Feb 21 - Apr 17	JAORQV will be /6Y5	M00XO LoTW

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8P	Barbados	Mar 26 - Mar 27	W2SC will be in the contest signing 8P5A	LoTW & NN1N	
8P	Barbados	Mar 26 - Mar 29	8P6ET will be in the contest as 8P1W	KU9C	
8P	Barbados	Mar 29 - Apr 22	G3RWL will sign 8P6DR	QRZ.com	
9K	Kuwait	Mar 26 - Mar 27	9K2OD will be in the contest as 9K2K	LoTW	
9M4	Spratly	Apr 5 - Apr 9	OH2YY & OH1TV will be on, call to be fixed	OH2YY dir & bur	
A 3	Tonga	Mar 26 - Mar 27	A31MM will be in the WPX Contest	EA5GL	
8 T	Antartica	Now - Dec 2016	VU3BPZ is active as BT2BH	I1HYQ	
BV	Taiwan	Mar 26 - Mar 29	BPOP will be on	н.с.	
BY	Chiana	Mar 22 - Mar 29	BG9GXM will be on /3	H.C. Dir	
C5	Gambia	Mar - Apr	SP2FUD will be active as C5FUD SP2CGJ as C5GCJ	н.С. н.С.	
C6	Bahamas	Now - Apr 3	K1CN is now active as C6AMM	EA5GL dir & bur	
CN	Morocco	Mar 16 - Mar 29	W7EJ and a large group will be on signing %e%e	W7EJ	
CN	Morocco	Mar 25 - Mar 29	DF8AN has received the callsign CN2AY and will be on mainly CW	H.C. bur & dir	
CT9	Madeira	Mar 11 - Apr 7	DL3KWR will sign /CT9	H.C. dir & bur	
D2	Angola	Feb 14 - Mar 31	CT1ITE will be /D2	н.С.	
D4	_		D41CV team will be in the contest		
E4	Palestine	Mar 23 - Apr 7	IV3FSG & IK2CKR will be active as E44YL	SSB & digi via IK3GES CW IK2CKR	
ET	Ethiopia	Jan - Apr 12	ET7L will be used by an UR team	USOLW OQRS LoTW	
FG	Guadeloupe	Feb 7 - Mar 30	F1DUZ will be active as FG4KH all bands & EME	н.С.	
FH	Mayotte	Mar 18 - Mar 24	F2DX & F6BEE will be /FH	H.C. & OQRS	
FH	Mayotte	Mar 24 - Apr 21	F4FET will be /FH	н.с.	
FM	-	Mar 26 - Mar 27	FM5BH will sign 70972M from NA107	H.C. dir	
FM	Martinque	May 6 - Jun 6	DL7VOG will be /FM	H.C. dir & bur OQRS	
FO	F.Polynesi a	Mar 20 - Apr 21	K3JZ & N7SOF will be /FO from several different islands	OQRS & dir	
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FP	St. Pierre	Mar 17 - Mar 29	KV1J will be /FP	H.C dir			
				bur LoTW			
FR/J	Juan de	Mar 29 - Apr 11	FT4JA Operation will take place				
	Nova	10 10					
FS	St. Martin	Mar 18 - Mar 28	W7NZJ will be /FS				
FS	St. Martin	Mar 24 - Mar 31	F5RAV will be /FS	H.C dir			
FY	F. Guyana	Mar 26 - Mar 27	FY5FY will be in the contest	н.С.			
H4	Salomon	Jan 19 - Apr 14	DL2GAC will be on as H44MS	H.C. dir & bur			
нв0	Liechtenst ein	Mar 24 - Mar 27	DL1NX will be /HB0	H.C. loTW dir/bur			
НН	Haiti	Jan 1 - Apr 30	Haiti Radio Club will use the call 4V1TL	W3HNK dir			
HK0	S.Andres	March/April	N4THW is planning an expedition to NA-133				
HR	Honduras	Mar 25 - Mar 27	DL5YWM will be /HR	H.C. dir & bur			
J3	Grenada	Mar 10 - Mar 24	G3PJT as J34G	H.C.			
J8	Grenadine	Mar 20 - Mar 27	J8/W2DX will be on	NR6M			
JA	Japan	Mar 22 - Mar 24	JA8COE will be /6 from AS-037	H.C. OQRS dir/bur			
JD	Minami	Mid march to	JG8NQJ will be again on from OC-	JA8CJY			
	Torishima	mid may	073 mainly CW				
JW	Svalabard	Mar 30 - Apr 4	DK1BT, DL4WK, DL7DF andDL7UFR	DL7UF dir			
			will be active /JW	bur Lotw			
KH2	Guam	Mar 24 - Mar 29	KH2KY group will be on	JA1MFR dir & bur			
KP2	Virgin	Mar 26 - Mar 27	K9VV will be in the contest as	KU9C			
	Islands		K9vv				
OA	Peru	Mar 12 - Mar 25	DL5YWM will be /OA4	н.С.			
OZ	Denmark	Mar 19 - Mar 26	DG2RON will be /OZ from EU-030	н.С.			
P4	Aruba	Mar 2016	Special call P40AUA	OQRS LOTW			
P4	Aruba	Mar 2016	PA7DA will be on HF /P4	н.С.			
PJ2	Curacao	Mar 16 - Mar 28	DD5ZZ will be on /PJ2	H.C. Dir &			
PJ2	Curacao	Mar 20 - Apr 3	VA3EGG will be /PJ2	H.C.			
PJ2	Curacao	Mar 26 - Mar 31	DL3LUM will be /PJ2	H.C. dir & bur OQRS			
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PJ6	St.Eustati	Mar 26 - Mar	r 27	KC9SNM and KB9DVC will be in the	PJ6 KB9DVC
	us			contest as PJ6E. Will be /PJ5	
				outside the contest	/PJ5 H.C.
PJ7	S.Maarten	Mar 24 - Mai	r 31	F5RAV will be /PJ7 in the contest	
PJ7	S.Maarten	Mar 27 - Mai	r 31	HB9EYA will sign /PJ7	H.C. dir &
S9	Sao Tome	Feb 25 - Mai	r 25	S9BK will be used by HB9BEL	H.C.
sv9	Crete	Mar 26 - Mai	r 27	SX9C team will be in the contest	SV9COL & OQRS
Т32	E. Kiribati	Mar 5 - Mar	30	KH6QJ is on as T32AZ	H.C.
Т6	Afghanista n	Jan 8 - Mar	31	T6SM by DL3ASM mainly CW	н.С.
Т8	Palau	Mar 20 - Mai	r 25	T88IR by JF1DIR	H.C. dir bur OQRS
TF	Iceland	Mar 20 - Mai	r 30	OZ1OM will sign TF3WK	н.С.
V4	ST Kitts	Mar 14 - Ap	r 12	W5JON will operate as usual V47JA	H.C. dir & LoTW
V4	St.Kitts	Mar 24 - Ap		W5JON as V47JA	H.C. dir
VE	Canada	Mar 23 - Mar	r 27	VE7ACN will be active from NA-051 signing /7	н.С.
VK0	Heard	Mar 23 - Apr	r 10	VK0EK will be the call of the expedition by a large group (HB9BXE K2ARB K3EL KM4MXD N6TQ NG2H NP4IW UT6UD VK2BAX VK6CQ WJ2O KK6EK W7XU)	KY6R
VK9C	Cocos Keeling	Mar 14 - Mar	r 26	VK9CK will be the call of a large LA group	LA60P dir & bur
VP5	Turks & Caicos	Mar 23 - Mai	r 29	W6RI & W9AV will be /VP5	LoTW & W6RI
VP8	Falkland	Feb 15 - Apr	r 1	VK4BGL will be on as VP8PDP	G3ZQQ
VU	India	Mar 26 - Mai	r 27	AT5R special call will be in the contest	LoTW
XW	Laos	Mar 29 - Ap	r 4	JA7FGI will sign XW7FG	н.С.
YB	Indonesia	Mar 23 - Mai	r 27	YB4IR will be /3 from OC-197	OQRS LoTW H.C.
YB	Indonesia	Mar 24 - Mai	r 27	YD4IRS will be /9 from OC-239	
YA	Afghanista n	Feb - Oct 20	016	KG7QCY will be on as T6PB mainly CW	
YS	El Salvador	Mar 27 - Mai	r 31	DL5YWM will be /YS3 from NA-190	н.С.

TOP 10 DX NEXT DAYS

VK0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
FT4					X	\mathbf{X}	X	X	X	\mathbf{X}
PFX	25/3	26/2	27/3	28/3	29/3	30/3	31/3	1/4	2/4	3/4

FUTURE OPERATIONS --- OPERAZIONI FUTURE

PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL Info
1S	Spratly	Apr 19 - Apr 29	DF8AN will be on all bands mainly CW	н.С.
3B8	Mauritius	Apr 15 - Apr 18	MORCX will be on /3B8	ED7BX
3D2	Fiji	Oct /nov	JA1NLX will be again there signing 3D2YA	OQRS only
3W	Vietnam	Oct 29 - Oct 30	NOODK will be in the contest signing 3W2DK	н.С.
3 Y	Bouvet	2016 - 2017	3Y0F will be the call of the expedition managed by UN7PCZ	

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4W	Timor	Apr 5 - Apr 11	JE1CKA, JI1AVY, 7K4QOK, JQ2GYU and	H.C.
	Leste		JJ2VLY will be /4W	
5W	Samoa	Apr 12 - Apr 20	5W0XG by JA1XGI	Н.С.
7P	Lesotho	Jun 5 - Jun 8	F6GNZ will be on as 7P8VR	
8Q	Maldives	Apr 17 - Apr 30	RC5A as 8Q7CA, RM0F as 8Q7FU	н.С.
8Q	Maldives	Jun 20 - Jun 28	DK1HW will sign 8Q7HW	н.С.
8R	Guyana	Apr 11 - Apr 24	W1CDC will sign 8R1A all bands mainly CW	H.C. dir & bur
9м8	E. Malaysia	Apr 29 - May 1	9M8RC group will be on from OC-165	9M8WAT dir
9 Y	Trindade & Tobago	Apr 14 - Apr 26	K2HVN will be /9Y	н.С.
A2	Botswana	Apr 13 - Apr 19	A25UK group will be active all bands and modes	M00XO OQRS
A9	Bahrain	Apr 28 - May 1	A9 group will be on from AS-202 using the call A92HI	A92AA
C6	Bahamas	Jun 23 - Jul 8	VE3IKV will be active as C6AUX	H.C. dir
CE	Chile	Nov 14 - Nov 11	XR5M group will be on from SA-061	CE6CT
CE0Y	Easter Isl.	Oct 24 - Dec 2	RZ3FW as CE0Y/RZ3FW and R4WAA as CE0Y/R4WAA	H.C.
CY	St. Paul	Aug 19 - Aug 29	CY9C will be on by a 9 operators group	WA4DAN OQRS
DU	Philippines	APRIL	DF(DX will be on from different islands: April 9-14 OC-128 as DU1WQY/1 Apr 14-19 OC-130 as DU1WQY/8 Apr 19-24 OC-042 as DU1WQY	H.C dir & Bur LoTW
E4	Palestine	May 8 - May 15	E44QX by DL7JAN, DL5YWM and DF8DX	DF8DX
E5	S.Cook	Apr 24 - May 10	W6HB will sign E51DLD	н.С.
E5	S.Cook	May 23 - May 28	AI6Y will operate as E51XYZ	LoTW
EA6	Balearic	Jul 30 - Jul 31	MODXR will be /EA6	H.C. dir & bur
EP	Iran	Apr 15 - Apr 25	Big international team will be on as EP2A	LoTW YL2GM & Clublog

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F	France	May 1 - May 7	4 ON operators will be on from EU-081 signing TM6U	ON8AZ bur
F	France	Jul 30 - Jul 31	TM6G will be in the contest from EU-048	ON6DP dir
FJ	St. Barthelemy	Jun 17 – Jun 29	W9DR & W9AEB will be /FJ	H.C.
FO	F.Polynesia	Aug 17 – Aug 28	DL2AH will be on from OC-063 as TX2AH	
FP	S. Pierre	Sep 10 - Sep 20	TO5FP by a French group from NA-032	
FS	St. Martin	May 1 - May 8	FM5BH will be on as FS/PJ7/FM5BH	H.C dir
FS	St. Martin	Jun 2 - Jun 21	K9EL will be /FS	H.C
FS	St. Martin	Jun 11 - Jun 25	W5LAC will be /FS	
FT4X	Kerguelen	Nov / Dec	An expedition is planned for the last part of the year	
GU	Guernsey	Apr 9 - Apr 16	6 operators will be on as GP4BRS	DJ60I LoTW ClubLog
GU	Guernsey	Jul 30 - Jul 31	GU9V will be in the contest	OQRS
H44 H40	Solomon Temotu	Sep 25 - Oct 25	LZ1GC plan to be on as H44GC & H40GC. More details will follow	
нв0	Liechtenste in	Apr 15 - Apr 18	EA5IDQ will be /HB0 SSB & RTTY	H.C dir & bur OQRS
J8	St Vincent	Apr 12 - Apr 22	GW4DVB will be on as J88PI	H.C: bur & dir
JA	Japan	Apr 8 - Apr 9	JA8COE will be /6 from AS-056	H.C. bur OQRS
JD	Ogasawara	Apr 26 - May 6	JD1B0I will be again on	JI1LET dir & bur
JD	Ogasawara	Apr 27 - May 6	JG7PSJ will sign JD1BMH	Bur
JW	Svalabard	Jul 29 - Aug 1	LB5WB will be /JW	H.C. dir bur LoTW
JX	Jan Mayen	Apr - Oct	LA9JKA will be on as JX9JKA	H.C. dir
KH1	Baker & Howland	Sep/Oct 2017	YT1AD and others plan an expedition for last part of 2017	
LA	Norway	Jun 11 – Jun 18	DK3PZ will be in EU-055 signing /LA	Bur
OJ0	Market Reef	Apr 9 - Apr 10	OH3WS as OJ0W	H.C.

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PJ2	Curacao	May 16 - Jun 6	PBOAEX will be /PJ2	LoTW	
PJ7	S.Maarten	May 1 - May 8	FM5BH will sign /PJ7	H.C. dir	
PJ7	S.Maarten	Jun 11 - Jun 25	W5LAC will be /PJ7	H.C.	
PY	Brazil	Apr 15 - Apr 17	ZV2CO group will be on from SA-024	PY2DS dir & bur	
PY	Brazil	Apr 21 - Apr 24	ZX5B group will be on from SA-088	PP5BZ	
RI1	Antartica	Apr 2016 to Apr 2017	RW1AI will operate as RI1AND from AN-016	RW1AI	
s7	Seychelles	Sep 24 - Oct 8	DL2SBY as S79KB	H.C. Dir & OQRS	
sv	Greece	Jun 10 - Jun 24	PA1FJ will be /SV8 from EU-049	H.C.	
SV9	Crete	Jul 2 - Jul 8	OK6DY will be /SV9		
Т8	Palau	Apr 13 - Apr 18	JA6EGL as T88SM	н.С.	
Т8	Palau	May 1 - May 5	JJ2RCJ will be on as T88RF	H.C. bur dir LoTW	
U	AS. Russia	Apr 20 - Apr 25	RRClub will be on from AS-002 as RT92KA	UA3AKO & OQRS	
U	AS. Russia	Aug 9 - Aug 14	UE23RRC by the RRC from AS-142	Bur & dir Club Log	
V3	Belize	Apr 24 - Apr 27	VO10K will be on as V310K	LoTW	
VE	Canada	Jul 27 - Aug 2	VA2SG will sigm XM2IOTA from NA-038	VE2TLH dir ClubLog	
VK9C	Cocos Keeling	Sep 20 - Oct 4	8 operators are planning an expedition	VK6IR	
VK9N	Norfolk	Apr 23 - May 2	VK4ADC will be on as VK9NU	H.C. dir & bur	
VK9N	Norfolk	May 20 - May 31	VK9NT by a VK group	LoTW	
VK9N	Norfolk	May 23 - May 30	VK5PAS will operate as VK9PAS	M00X0 oqrs LoTW	
VK9L	Lord Howe	Apr 15 - Apr 20	G7VJR will be /VK9L	M00X0 LoTW	
VP6	Pitcairn	Sep 3 - Nov 25	DL2AH as VP6AH	DL2AH	
W	U.S.A.	May 6 - May 9	K4T group will be on from NA-079	Bur LoTW	
W	U.S.A.	May 14 - May 21	K5TEN will be again on from NA-085	H.C. dir & bur	

XU	Cambodia	Apr 13 - Apr 19	SP5APW will operate as XU7AKC	н.С.
YB	Indonesia	May 16 - Jun 1	PB5X will be /YB9 from OC-022	PA1AW
YJ	Vanatu	Apr 30 - May 28	HB9LCA will be on as YJ0CS	OE4AAC
			OC-035 Apr 30 May 10	
ZL7	Chatam	Oct 27 - Nov 10	The 6G team will be on wirh 4	
			stations	

SPECIAL CALLS AND PREFIXES

PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
4 J	Azerbaijan		4KRA29 & 4JRA29	
		All 2016	4J90, 4K90, 4J1926 & 4K1926	
7X	Algeria	Sep 15 - Sep 19	7Y9SE	7X5ARU
9 A	Croatia	All 2016	9A1700SBD	9A4J
		All 2016	9A70CVW	9A6Z
		All 2016	9A50CBM	OQRS
A9	Bahrain	All 2016	A9110RR	A92AA
DL	Germany	May 1 - Apr 30	DM700BURG	DF1XC
		All 2016	DF90KWTJ	DL2APJ
		All 2016	DP65HSC	
		All 2016	DL40RCE	DL5DCL
		All 2016	DG500BIER	Bureau
		All 2016	DF90KWTJ	DL2APJ
		All 2016	DB40HEB	Bureau
		All 2016	DK50WEPO	Bureau
		All 2016	DM0MORSE	Bureau
		All 2016	DQ200RHH	Bureau
		All 2016	DLOVBG	Bureau
		Feb 28 2017	DR30BUT	DK7LX
DL	Germany	NOW	DF50MUC, DJ50MUC, DK50MUC, DL50MUC	Bureau
		2016	DL60GAF	Bur
		All 2016		
EI	Ireland	All 2016	EI1916E	EI3GC
F	France	Jan 15 - Jul 14	TM50KD	F5KKD
F	France	Jun 10 - Jul 11	TM16EURO	F4DTO
		Jun 10 - Jul 11	TM16EFC	F8ATS

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I	Italy	Mar 1 - Jun 2	IB7J & IB7DX	IK7JWX
JA	Japan	Now - Sep 19	8N1KCJ, 8N2KCJ, 8N3KCJ, 8N5KCJ, and 8N8KCJ	JO30MA
JA	Japan	Dec 25 - May 27	8J2SMT	Bur
JA	Japan	2015 - 2016	90 YEARS OF JARL Jun 12 2015 - Dec 07 2015 8J190Y Nov 09 2015 - Mar 31 2016 8J290Y Jun 12 2015 - Mar 30 2016 8J490Y Sep 01 2015 - May 31 2016 8J590Y Jun 12 2015 - Jun 30 2016 8J690Y Jun 12 2015 - Jun 30 2016 8J790Y Oct 10 2015 - Jun 30 2016 8J890Y Jun 12 2015 - Jun 30 2016 8J890Y Jun 12 2015 - Jun 30 2016 8J090Y	
LX	Luxembourg	Jan 1 - Jun 30	LX95J	Bureau
LY	Lithuania	Mar 11 - Apr 11	LY26A	LY5A
LZ	Bulgaria	2016	One special call per month LZ300MSP, LZ1700SIP, LZ1867SEI, LZ425STA, LZ1886PGS, LZ1043PMU, LZ304MED, LZ935MWC, LZ960SPA and LZ463PP.	Bureau
LZ	Bulgaria	2016	LZ65HSC	N7RO
OH	Finland	Mar 1 - Jun 30 All 2016	LZ140HB OH70AG	Bur OH6AG
PY	Brazil	Now - Mar 26	ZV1WSA	PU1VFC
SM	Sweden	Now - Mar 31	SK70HW	SK7HW
SP	Poland	All 2016 Jan 1 - Jun 30 Jan 1 - Mar 31 Jan - Oct 22 Now - Jun 1	SN800L SN0WIN HF360JG HF60KAG SP90TPBA	SP4RKZ SP9MZX SP9KAJ SP9KAG SP3LD
SP	Poland	Jan 1 - Dec 18 All 2016 All 2016	3Z35RTTY, HF35PBW, HF35RTTY, and SO35RTTY HF2016HS HF6FIRAC	SQ8JCB SP6IEQ
SP	Poland	April 2016 April 2016	Several SN1050xxx stations SN966CHP, SP1050CHR	
TF	Iceland	2016	TFTOIRA	TF3IRA

UA	Russia	Jan 1 - Apr 1	R70RAA	UA3RF
		Mar 1 - Mar 31	R44YETI	RL5G
		Mar 1 - Mar 22	R85PAR	RZ5D
		Now	R100IA	RZ5D
		Mar - Jun	R15660	R2EA
		August	RO450Y	R2EA
		Mar 25 - Jun 16	Several RT73xxx stations	RL5G
UP	Kazakhstan	Mar 25 - Apr 16	UP55F	
		Apr 4 - Apr 14	UP55GC	RW6HS
UR	Ukraine	Jan 1 - Jun 30	EM10UFF	UR7UT
VE	Canada	Mar 26 - Mar 27	VB2P, VC6Z	
XE	Mexico	Now - Jun 14	4A1DX	N7RO LoTW
AL	Mexico	NOW - Juli 14	AAIDA	
YO	Romania	Norr	VOOEVDE	OQRS
10	Romania	Now	Y085YR5	YO3KAA
		Now	YR110FLY, YR110PILOT, YR110TV, and	
			YR110VUIA	

Contest, mainly from ARRL Bulletin & WA7BNM

RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB: 2000Z-2130Z, Mar 24

QRP Fox Hunt: 0100Z-0230Z, Mar 25

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Mar 25

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Mar 25

CQ WW WPX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 26 to 2359Z, Mar 27

FOC QSO Party: 0000Z-2359Z, Mar 26

Low Power Spring Sprint: 1400Z-2000Z, Mar 28

VK0EK DXPEDITION NEWS

Earlier march 23 VK0EK DXpedition team leader KK6EK, Dr. Bob Schmieder, was interviewed by W5KUB, Tom. You can listen to the interview at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R3_UHvNg54g. The highlights were that Bob, along with the team and Braveheart crew were just about to go ashore to and begin setting up the camp, antennas, etc. needed to put VK0EK on the air. Bob said it would probably take 1-2 days before we can expect signals from VK0EK. KY6R, Rich, co-organizer, was also part of the interview and mentioned there has been some pirate activity. He mentions there are two ways that DXers will know when

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the real VK0EK is QRV. He will post the beginning of their operation on the vk0ek.org website and you will be seeing actual QSOs going into the log on the team's **DXA3.org** website. Next Wednesday, March 30th, and the following Wednesday, April 6th, both Bob and Rich plan to be back on Amateur Radio Roundtable with W5KUB, Tom. It should be noted that sunrise on Heard Island is around 0109Z and sunset around 1312Z.

FT4JA JUAN DE NOVA DXPEDITION NEWS

March 23th press release

After more than a year of work, we are happy to finally get into the thick of it. The team will be complete in Mayotte on Thursday around noon! The schedule for the coming days is pretty full, with the last purchases and technical checks and the We loading of the boat. will sail awav Saturday. on Our chief pilot will communicate updated information on the unloading and installation. At this time, we hope to be on the air on the evening of March 29 after a full day spent assembling.

A page displaying in real time the progress of the team has been set up: http://www.juandenovadx.com/en/track-us-in-real-time/

As a reminder, we will use the band plan shared with our friends at VK0EK. Some windows are very narrow and we will have to live together in all understanding, without departing from the intended plan, at the risk of generating confusion and disruption between the two activities. The band plan is available on both websites. Our different pilots are available to transit informations to the team (JJ3PRT, ON9CFG, N5FG).

The 10 operators will not have access to their personal emails and because of a lack of internet connection we will not be watching the DX-Cluster. No need to transit messages for us through that medium.

http://www.juandenovadx.com/en/pilots/

Every day, we will transmit via satellite our logs to our chief pilot F5UKW who will upload them to ClubLog. However, the "learderboard" feature will not be activated.

DX Italia News 690- Mar 25 2015 by I2MQP Mario To receive this bulletin please send a message to marioi2mqp@alice.it. Previous issues at www.marioi2mqp.it Visit the Qsl gallery at http://www.marioi2mgp.it/gsl-gallery.asp

No modification or search of the log will be made by our pilots. If in doubt, work us again.

http://www.juandenovadx.com/en/online-log/

The QSL manager is Flo, F5CWU. He will process OQRS and the direct QSL requests as well as the cards received via the bureau. The ClubLog OQRS will be active by the end of the operation. We strongly recommend its use. Later, the logs will be loaded on LoTW and eQSL.

http://www.juandenovadx.com/en/qsl-infos/

As part of our expedition on Juan de Nova island, we are pleased to announce that a stamp set will be issued by T.A.A.F. QSL cards sent direct will automatically have the envelope/stamp. We will unveil this commemorative object later.

Everyone connected to the FT4JA project would like to thank all of you who have already contributed in one way or another to the project. It would not be at this stage without the tremendous mobilization of clubs, foundations and individual donors.

The early donation program will be closed on Friday 25 at 1200Z. The "donors" page of our website will not be updated further after that specific time. http://www.juandenovadx.com/en/how-to-help-us/

73 and we'll see you on the air in a few days

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