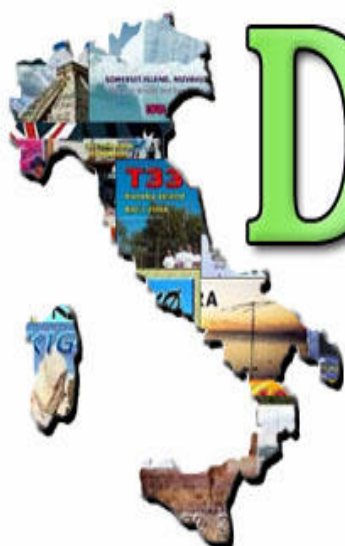


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by **I2MQP**

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ON NOW OR WITHIN NEXT WEEK -- IN ARIA OR A ENTRO UNA SETTIMANA

PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL
3X	Guinea	Feb 5 - Feb 28	F5OZC & F8DQZ Will operate from AF-051 as 3XY3D	F5OZC
4S	Srilanka	Now - April	DC0KK will be again on as 4S7KKG	H.C. ClubLog
5T	Mauritania	Now - Dec 31	ON8RA/5T0JL will be on as 5T0ITU	ON8RA
5U	Niger	NOW	F5PRU is on as 5U7RK during free time for a few months	H.C. LoTW & ClubLog
5X	Uganda	Feb 21 - Mar 7	KK7PW will sign 5X1O	EA5GL
5X	Uganda	Feb 23 - Feb 26	SM1TDE will sign 5X8EW	H.C. & ClubLog
5Z	Kenya	NOW till 2019	DL2RMC will sign /5Z4	H.C.
6W	Senegal	Now - Apr 2017	F6AFH as 6W7SS	H.C.

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6W	Senegal	Jan 20 - Mar 5	HA3AUI will sign 6W2SC	H.C. dir LoTW
7P8	Lesotho	Feb 10 - Feb 26	HA5AO will sign 7P8EUDXF	H.C. OQRS
8J	Antartica	All 2017	JG2MLI will be on from 8J1RL. Will also use 8J60JARE	H.C. LoTW
8P	Barbados	Mar 4 - Mar 5 Mar 25 - Mar 26	8P6ET will be in the contest using the call 8P1W	KU9C
8P	Barbados	Feb 22 - Mar 7	KG9N will sign 8P9AL	H.C. & LoTW
8Q	Maldives	Mar 2 - Mar 9	8Q7LH expedition will be on	DK8ZZ
9M4	W. Malaysia	Mar 3 - Mar 5	9M4IOTA team will operate from AS-046	9M2000
9Q	Congo	Now	EA4BB has received his license and has started operating as 9Q6BB with low power	W3HMK
9X	Rwanda	Feb 3 - Mar 11	DF2WO will be on as 9X2AW	M0OXO
C6	Bahamas	Mar 4 - Mar 11	C6APY will be aired by a UK team	LoTW & ClubLog
C9	Mozambique	NOW - Mar 2017	PD0JBH is now on as C91PA	H.C. & LoTW
CE0Z	Juan Fernandes	Feb 21 - Feb 24	DF8AN will be /CE0Z	H.C. dir & bur
CO	Cuba	Feb 23 - Feb 26	Havana contest club will be on as T42A	RW6HQ
E5/S	S. Cook	NOW	OK1DWC is on as E51DWC all bands and modes	ClubLog
FG	Guadeloupe	Jan 18 - Mar 9	F6ITG will sign /FG and TO7D	H.C. & LoTW
FG	Guadeloupe	Feb 13 - Mar 13	F6HMQ & F6GWV will sign /FG. Will sign TO3Z during the contest	F6HMQ
FG	Guadeloupe	Feb 24 - Mar 26	F1DUZ will sign FG4KH	H.C dir & bur
FO/A	Austral	Feb 20 - Mar 3	W5MU, W5RF. VE7KW and VA7DX will be on all bands signing TX5T	M0URX
FO/M	Marquesas	NOW	FO5QS is moving to Marquesas where he will stay a few years	H.C.
FR	Reunion	Feb 28 - Mar 7	DL2NUD will be on EME	
FS	St. Martin	Feb 17 - Mar 10	F8AAN will be /FS contest included	ClubLog & dir
FT	Antartica	Dec 2016 Feb 2018	F4HLT will sign FT3YL from AN-017	F6KPQ
FY	F. Guiana	Now - Mar 28	F6CKD will be /FY	H.C.

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H40	Temotu	NOW	VK4FEDX is now on as H40DA	H.C.
HL	S.Korea	Mar 8 - Mar 11	JA8COE will be /HL4 from AS-026	H.C dirbur Clublog
HK0	San Andres	Feb 13 - Feb 27	LW9EOC will be on as 5J0NA	H.C.
HK0	San Andres	Feb 13 - Mar 7	AA4NC, WJ20 and others will be on as 5K0N	H.C.
HP	Panama	Feb 10 - Feb 27	AA1M & W1USN will sign /HP	H.C. Dir & bur LoTW
HR	Honduras	Jan 27 - Apr 24	F2JD will be again /HT5	F6AJA
J5	Guinea Bissau	Jan 20 - Mar 5	HA3AUI will sign J5UAP	H.C. dir LoTW
J6	St.Lucia	Now - Feb 28	VA3EGG is signing J68DH	H.C.
KG4	Guantanamo	Feb 10 - Feb 24	W4WV as KG4WV, KG9LB as KG4AW, KE4KDY as KG4DY, W4ZYT as KG4ZK	H.C. & LoTW
KP2	Virgin Islands	Feb 27 - Mar 6	KK9A will sign WP2AA	WD9DZV
OA0	South. Shetland	Jan 9 - Mar 31	OA0MP group will operate from AN-010	OA40
P4	Aruba	Feb 9 - Feb 23	K1TO, KK9K, NE9U and W9RE will be /P4	H.C.
P4	Aruba	Feb 9 - Feb 23	K1TO, KK9K, NE9U and W9RE will be /P4 will sign P40RF in contest	LoTW
PJ2	Curacao	Feb - Mar	PA0DVD will sign /PJ2	H.C.
PJ2	Curacao	Feb 18 - Mar 1	OE3GEA will be /PJ2	H.C.
PJ4	Bonaire	Feb 25 - Mar 1	NA2AA, K3SW will sign /PJ4	H.C.
PJ7	S.Maarten	Feb 18 - Mar 1	WD8Z will be /PJ7	H.C.:
PJ7	S.Maarten	Feb 15 - Mar 17	AA9A will be on as PJ7AA	H.C. & LoTW
PJ7	S.Maarten	Feb 17 - Feb 25	OH2IS will sign /PJ7	LoTW & OQRS
PZ	Surinam	Feb 11 - Mar 10	PA3NVK will sign PZ5JW PA3EHS will sign PZ5HS	eqsl
RI1	Antartica	Dec 1 - Apr 1	ZS1OIN will be on as RI1ANA	
SV9	Crete	Now - Apr 10	OG55W is /SV9	ClubLog
UA9	Asiatic Russia	Starts Feb 14	RT9K/9 will operate 4/5 days from each of the following islands AS-121, AS-104, AS-068 and AS-054	RK9KM ClubLog
V2	Antigua	Feb 28 - Mar 26	DL7AFS & DJ7ZG will be active as V21ZG	DL7AFS dir ClubLog LoTW

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V3	Belize	Now - Mar 7	VE3AXT will be on as V31AE	M0URX
V3	Belize	Feb 14 - Feb 28	W0MU will be active as V31MU. Will sign V3M during the contest	W0MU & ClubLog
V3	Belize	Feb 18 - Feb 29	V3T will be in the contest. Some operators will be /V3 before and after the contest	WC0W
VE	Canada	Now - April	VY0ERC is active from NA-008	M0OXO
VK9N	Norfolk	NOW	G0PWH has moved to Norfolk and will be there as VK9PH	QRZ.COM
VP2M	Montserrat	Feb 25 - Mar 5	K1XX as VP2MMF	H.C dir & LoTW
VP6	Pitcairn	Feb 16 - Mar 5	DJ9HX, DK2AMM, DL6JGN and PA3EWP will be active as VP6EU	DK2AMM
XE	Mexico	Dec 2016 & all 2017	XF2L call will be used by AREPAC group from NA-221 & NA224	XE1SOV
XT2	Burkina Faso	Feb 17 - Mar 13	IV3FSG will sign XT2SE	IK3GES
XX9	Macau	Feb 13 - Feb 26	Big DL group will be on with three stations signing XX9D	DL4SVA
ZF	Cayman Islands	Jan 22 - Feb 23	K5GO will be again on Focusing on Low Bands signing ZF9CW	H.C.
ZF	Cayman Islands	Feb 22 - Feb 28	KA9P & W9XS will be on as ZF2SC & ZF2FB	H.C. & LoTW
ZS8	Marion Island	Dec 26 - Dec 31 2017	ZS1BCE as ZS8Z will be on for more than one year	ZS1LS

FUTURE OPERATIONS --- OPERAZIONI FUTURE

PFX	COUNTRY	DATE	INFO	QSL Info
3B7	St. Brandon	Oct 2017	Rumors are circulating about a French operations	
3Y	Bouvet	Jan 20 2018 - Feb 28 2018	K0IR K4UEE & LA6VM are announcing their operation	
5H	Tanzania	Mar 14 - Apr 12	IK2ZGU will be again on from Tanzania as 5H3MB	H.C. dir & bur LoTW

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5U	Niger	Mar 8 - Mar 21	EA1SA, EA2RY, EA5KM, EA5RM, EA7AJR, EA7KW, F9IE, HK6F, IN3ZNR, RU1WM and UT7CR, will be active all bands and modes signing 5U5R	EA5RM OQRS
8P	Barbados	Mar 7 - Mar 13	G3PJT will be on as 8P9IF	H.C. & OQRS
9G	Ghana	Mar 7 - Mar 21	Six G Team will be on as 9G5X all bands and modes	M00XO ClubLog
9M0	Spratly	Dec 2017	YT1AD will organize and expedition with the call 9M0W	
9N	Nepal	Mar 8 - Mar 30	Large EI group will be on with 5 stations signing 9N7EI	M00XO dir bur OQRS
A2	Botswana	Apr 25 - May 6	UK team will be on as A25UK	M00XO
A3	Tonga	Mar 22 - Mar 28	JA0RQV will be on as Ae5JP/P from OC-123	H.C. LoTW dir/bur ClubLog
CE	Chile	Mar 8 - Mar 13	7 operators will be on from SA-061 signing XR5M	IK2DUW
D4	Cape Verde	Apr 30 - May 3	DH7FB & DF2ZC will be on 2 meters EME	
DU	Philippines	Apr 2017	DU8BRS, DU8EB and VK3FY will be on from OC-235	M00XO
DU	Philippines	May 9 - May 16	SP5APW will operate from OC-235 signing /DU	H.C.
E5/S	S.Cook	Mar 10 - Mar 19	M1KTA will sign E51KTA	H.C.
E5/S	S.Cook	Apr 28 - May 13	W6HB as E51AND, KG7MXL as E51JD, KI7DLK as E51BQ	
EA9	Ceuta	Mar 15 - Mar 22	4 DL operators will be on as EA9/DL7DF	DL7DF
EA9	Ceuta	Mar 18- Mar 21	9 EA operators will be on as EG9TOR & ED9T	EA4Pin dir LoTW
FP	St. Pierre	Jul 4 - Jul 18	KV1J plans to be /FP 1.8 to 50 MHz	KV1J & LoTW
FS	St. Martin	May 1 - May 15	K9EL will be /FS	H.C.
FT4X	Kerguelen	Nov / Dec	An expedition is planned for the last part of the year	
GD	Isle of Man	Jul 29 - Jul 30	MM0GOR will sign MD1E	M00XO
GD	Isle of Man	Jul 29 - Jul 30	M0UTD will sign MD1U	M00XO

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GJ	Jersey	May 5 - May 11	PA1AW, PA3EWP, PA9JO and PB5X will sign /MJ	ClubLog LoTW
H4	Temotu	Oct 3 - Oct 17	LZ1GC will be again on as H40GC	ClubLog LoTW
HB0	Liechtenstein	Jun 1 - Jun 6	A GM group will be on. Call to be fixed	M00XO
HC8	Galapagos	Aug 1 - Oct 31	G80FQ will sign /HC8	H.C.LoTW
HC8	Galapagos	Sep 14 - Sep 21	HD8M multinational team will be on all bands	WB2REM OQRS
JA	Japan	Mar 17 - Mar 21	JI3DST and JA5DUR will sign /5 from AS-200	Bureau
JD	Ogasawara	Mar 7 - Mar 10	JI5RPT will be on as JD1BLY	H.C.
KH2	Guam	Mar 29 - Apr 10	EA5BY will sign KH2BY	H.C. LoTW
KH2	Guam	Mar 29 - Apr 17	EA4AK will sign AH2P	LoTW & ClubLog
KH1	Baker & Howland	Sep 1 - Sep 14	YT1AD and his group are planning an operation during Sept/Oct	
KL	Alaska	Mar 21 - Mar 26	VE7ACN will be /7 from NA-061	H.C. OQRS dir/bur
PJ5	Saba	May 31 - Jun 4	PH2M Will be /PJ5	
PJ6		May 24 - May 30	PH2M will be / PJ6	
PJ7	S.Maarten	May 19 - May 23	PH2M will be /PJ7	
PJ7	S.Maarten	Jun 14 - Jun 28 2017	K9UK, K9N, W9AEB, W9DR and W9KXQ will be /PJ7	H.C.
PY	Brazil	Mar 24 - Mar 26	LU9EFO, PU2KBD and PU7TDX will be on as PY2/LU9EFO, PU2KBD/P and PT7TDX/P	F4HBW dir LU9EFO bur
S2	Bangladesh	Mar 15 - Mar 21	5 operators will sign S21GM	YL2GM & ClubLog
S2	Bangladesh	Mar 21 - Mar 27	5 operators will sign S21KW	YL2GM & ClubLog
T2	Tuvalu	Mar 14 - Apr 6	SP5EAQ as T2AQ, SP7DQR as T2QR	LoTW & SP7DQR
T8	Palau	Apr 13 - Apr 20	JI6IHG, JA7WFT and JM1LRA will be active as T88IH, T88FT and T88TA	H.C.
T8	Palau	Apr 14 - Apr 21	JH7IPR will be on as T88UW	
T8	Palau	Jun 9 - Jun 18	JH0IXE will sign T8CW	H.C. dir JA0Fbur

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T8	Palau	Jun 16 - Jun 23	JA6UBY as T88RR, JO3LVG as T88MK, JH6DUL as T88VV, JL1HYH as T88HY, JM1LIG as T88FM, JI6NCY as T88NC;	
T30	W.Kiribati	Dec 2017	VK3FY plans to be in Tarawa before the end of the year as T30T	M00XO
TU	Ivory Coast	Mar 9 - Mar 19	12 operators will be on all bands and modes signing TU7C	F1ULQ bur dir OQRS
UA	AS. Russia	Jul 20 - Jul 24	R7AL, RA1ZZ, RW5D and RK8A will operate as RI0LI from AS-022	
V2	Antigua	Mid July	KG4ZXN will be on operating as V21XN	Dir LoTW
V3	Belize	Mar 9 - Mar 14	G4SGX as V31GX	H.C. & LoTW
V4	St. Kitts	Mar 16 - Apr 5	W5JON will sign as usual V47JA	Dir & LoTW
V4	St. Kitts	Mar 17 - Apr 1	W2APF will be on vacation and will sign V47JR	W2APF
V4	St. Kitts	Jul 1 - Jul 9	K21BN & W6NN will be /V4	H,C,
V6	Micronesia	Mar 19 - Apr 3	JA6REX will operate as V633KS	H.C. bur & dir
VE	Canada	Mar 21 - Mar 26	VE7ACN plans to operate /7 from NA-161	H.C.
VK	Australia	Apr 22 - Apr 23	VK5CE will be /7 from OC-223	H.C. dir & Bur & ClubLog
VK9X	Christmas	Oct 1 - Oct 10	VK3FY, VK3GK & VK3TZ will be on as VK9XI	M00XO
VK9C	Cocos Keeling	Oct 10 - Oct 17	VK3FY, VK3GK & VK3TZ will be on as VK9CI	M00XO
VP5	Turk & Caicos	Mar 23 - Mar 30	AF3K & W2TT will be /VP5	LoTW
VP5	Turk & Caicos	Apr 11 - Apr 18	K3NK & W3HNC will be /VP5	W3HNC
XE	Mexico	SUSPENDED	LU9EFO will be /XE3 from NA-090	
XE	Mexico	Mar 18 - Mar 21	XE group will be on as 6E3Maya from archaeological sites	XE3N
XE	Mexico	Mar 26 - Mar 28	XF2L team will be on from NA-221	XE1SOV dir
YB	Indonesia	Mar 20 - Mar 27	YE0S team will be on from OC-177	OQRS
YJ	Vanatu	Jul 5 - Jul 13	ZL3GA will operate again as YJ0GA	
ZA	Albania	Mar 22 - Mar 29	3 PA operators will be on as Pa2LS	PA2LS dir 6 bur

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ZF	Cayman Islands	Mar 9 - mar 13	G4CWH will sign ZF2CA	H.C. & LoTW
ZF	Cayman Islands	Mar 20 - Mar 24	JJ2RCJ will sign ZF2CJ	Dir OQRS
ZF	Cayman Islands	Mar 20 - Mar 27	KE5TC as ZF2TC	H.C.
ZF	Cayman Islands	Apr 29 - May 6	KZ3AB as ZF2AB	WA3EOP

SPECIAL CALLS AND PREFIXES

PFX	Country	Date	Info	QSL Info
5B	Cyprus	All 2017	H2017PFO	OQRS
9H	Malta	Now - Jun 30	9H2017EU	9H1SP dir
9K	Kuwait	Feb 2017	9K56NLD	ClubLog LoTW
CO	Cuba	Feb 24 . Feb 26	T42A	RW6HS
DL	Germany	All 2017 All 2017 All 2017 All 2017 All 2017	DR1517LU, DR500MLE, DR5LUTHER DC500LS , DL500ML DM5LUTHER DR25MDK DR60SAL DR60VKL DK60HERTEN DL60NEU	Bur Bur Bur Bur Bur DC1MAS
DL	Germany	All 2017 All 2017 All 2017 Mar 1 - Apr 8	DR0HARZ DB20ENERGY DL40MFR DA0RC DOK FTK17	DF7AA DM1DX Bur Bur
EI	Ireland	NOW	EI11WAW - County Donegal EI22WAW - County Leitrim EI33WAW - County Sligo EI44WAW - County Mayo EI55WAW - County Galway EI66WAW - County Clare EI77WAW - County Limerick EI88WAW - County Kerry EI99WAW - County Cork	ClubLog Bur EI6AL dir
F	France	Feb 2017 Feb 19 - Mar 4 Feb 25 - Mar 15	TM14AAW TM14WAP TM50KOK	F8DVD F8DHE F5KOK
HA	Hungary	Now - Aug end	HG17EYOF	Dir

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I	Italy	Feb 11 - Feb 28	I3CV	IK3HHX
JA	Japan	NOW Apr 1 - Apr 31	8J2A 8J2016Y	Bur
LA	Norway	Now - Mar 30 2017 Now - Apr 2	LA30EUDXF LM80Q, LM80REX LM10HAM	PA1AW LA9VDA LA2G
LZ	Bulgaria	2017 2017 Feb 2017	LZ45YE LZ73TRC LZ235SIR	LZ1YE LZ1YE LZ1KCP
OM	Slovak rep	2017	OM685RADOLA OM42KYSUCE	OM3CND OM3CND
ON	Belgium	2017	OP17HC	ON7PP
OX	Greenland	2017	OX90EDR, OZ90EDR, OV90EDR, 5P90EDR	OZ1ACB
PA	Netherland	2017 Feb 20 - Feb 26 Feb 2017 Now Now Feb 17 - Mar 20	PG400TH PH17ANT PE65TER PC55C PA5FR PA2017BP	PA3ETC PA0RDY PC7T PD7YY Bureau PA3EFR
S5	Slovenia	ALL 2017	S557E	Dir & Bur
SP	Poland	Now - May 15	HF60IU	SP2IU
SV5	Dodecanese	Feb 24 - Feb 25	SX5RSV5DKL	
TA	Turkey	Feb 2017	PC4LOVE	TA3X
UA	Russia	Feb 11 - Feb 28 Feb 23 - Feb 25	R2017M R80UPOL	RK3AW RW3FS
UA2	Kaliningrad	Now - Apr 20	R1336FO & R680FBO	R1FBO
UR	Ukraine	2017	EN90IWA	
UR	Ukraine	NOW	EM500L	UR6LLC
VE	Canada	Now - Mar 1 Now - April 2017 2017 2017	XK150YUKON VE100VIMY CG9NC XM1150CAN	KC1CWF VE9NC Bur
VK	Australia	Feb 18 - Mar 28 Feb - Mar	VI8BOD VI50ER	M0URX Bur
XE	Mexico	Now - Apr 30	6E0C	XE1EE
YV	Venezuela	2017	YV50ARV	W4DTA

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Novice Rig Roundup: 0000Z, Feb 18 to 2400Z, Feb 26

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Feb 24

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Feb 24

NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Feb 24

CQ 160-Meter Contest, SSB: 2200Z, Feb 24 to 2200Z, Feb 26

REF Contest, SSB: 0600Z, Feb 25 to 1800Z, Feb 26

UBA DX Contest, CW: 1300Z, Feb 25 to 1300Z, Feb 26

South Carolina QSO Party: 1500Z, Feb 25 to 0159Z, Feb 26

North American QSO Party, RTTY: 1800Z, Feb 25 to 0559Z, Feb 26

High Speed Club CW Contest: 0900Z-1100Z, Feb 26 and 1500Z-1700Z, Feb 26

SARL Digital Contest: 1300Z-1600Z, Feb 26

North Carolina QSO Party: 1500Z, Feb 26 to 0059Z, Feb 27

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