

WEST COAST DX

Bulletin

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MACAU JALAEA will operate from Macau during the CQ Worldwide WPX Contest this coming weekend, March 27th and 28th...and may possibly operate a few days beyond the week-end. He will operate from CR9AKs QTH and if possible, will attempt to obtain his own call. Operations will be on all bands from 3.5mc to 28mc and will cover both SSB and CW modes.

Frequencies to be used will be:

C.W. 3 kc or 25 kc above bottom of band on 40/80m
25 kc above band edge on 20/15/10m.

SSB 3790kc 7085kc---both instances listening higher as announced.
14195kc 21295kc 28595kc

The CQ-WPX Contest is a SSB effort and most of the operation, if not all, will be on SSB during the contest. Following the contest, emphasis will be on C.W. operation.

QSL to J.H. Suzuki, JALAEA, 6-9-14 Kanamachi, Katsushika, Tokyo. SASE or SAE with IRCs requested. This is an effort by one of the top JA-DX operators and promises to be an outstanding effort.

TOKELAUS The call ZM7AG has been issued to James C. Sheedy, a New Zealander teaching school on Atafu in the Tokelaus and equipment presently in Samoa should be shipped to Atafu on the boat departing Apia April 1st. This includes a Heath HW-101 Transceiver plus both A/C and D/C. power supplies, prepared antennae and all other items which it thought to be possibly necessary for continued operation from ZM7-land. Some possibility of Carl Gamper, VE7PY/VE8RA joining in the effort as he will be there in 5W1-land and will check on transportation availability, this seeming to be the biggest problem.

The gear is being supplied by the INDXA and if all goes well, there will be action from the Tokelaus sometime in the first half of April. QSLs will be handled by the INDXA.

WESTERN SAMOA Carl Gamper, VE7PY/VE8RA, mentioned in the above, will be in Western Samoa from March 24th through the 31st and will operate 5W1AH during that period. Particular attention will be given to the CQ WPX activity this coming week-end and Carl will operate all bands during his stay there.

ITALIAN WPX Two WPX efforts are being planned by the DX Old Timers Club in Palermo, Sicily, one being a trip to the Eolie Islands during the coming week-end for the CQ WPX effort and another one later to San Pietro Island off Sardinia from April 8th to April 12th.

The operation this week-end from Lipari Island will sign IELPUG and generally this is the same as IEL---SSB on 3660, listening 3665/3795 and 3805kc. On 40m they will transmit on 7055, 7086 and 7098kc and will listen as announced. For 20m the transmitting frequency will be 14145kc, listening 14185/14295kc/ 15m it is 21245kc and listening at 21285/21345kc. Ten meters it will be 28545kc listing 10+kc higher. The San Pietro operation will sign IC1ZGY and will have the same SSB frequencies as for the IELPUG effort. For CW it will be 3660kc/7005kc/ 14045kc/ 21045kc/28045kc. Calls for SSB may include IC1SEZ, IC1ZGY and IC1ZZ. QSL to DXOTC, Box 143, Palermo, Sicily...3 IRCs with sac. IC1---San Pietro is the same as ISL. Any contributions will be reserved for future efforts by the DXOTC.

REPORTS FROM RED EYED LOUIE.....

EUROPE

GD3AIM	14015kc	1205Z	Mar	10e
LX1CO	21251	1400		15e
I2LAG	21276	1520		15e
UO5OAK	21273	1350		16e
YO2BN	14204	2235		11e
EI9AR	21269	1750		10e
IS1LIO	14205	2110		14e
TALTS	14011	2115		14e
IT1MIP	21287	1840		11w
UK6DAU	14008	0335		16w
HV3SJ	14030	2045		18w
UD6AM	14026	0430		13w
LZ2EE	21296	1440		17m
K2LCO/TF	14035	0130		11w
9H1AF	21273	1830		11w

ELSEWHERE

VPLTB	21287kc	2030Z	Mar	10e
VPLHJ	14217	0300		16e
VK9RK	21289	1640		10e
VR2FT	14213	0455		11e
VP2LG	14213	0340		13e
ZK1AM	14240	0350		14e
KM6DX	14290	0455		12e
PZ1AK	28543	2130		14e
KC6RK	14218	1425		15w
ZK1AJ	14235	1640		12w
ZK1BM	14203	0330		14w
K6AZB/KB6	14302	0545		15w
ZK1CD	14196	0545		16w
FM7AB	14203	0115		18w
HK0AI	14205	0115		10w
VK9XX	14237	1400		17w
HK0KBX	28580	2220		17w
FK8KAA	14031	1520		15w
CK9XI	14211	1435		12w
KW6DT	14077	0605		12w
FY7AF	14218	2300		12w
FO8BX	14241	0430		15w
VP1CP	14217	2305		16w
VE3EYA/HK0	14220	0550		17w
YN1HF	14238	0345		15w
KW6AA	14240	0615		13w
VP8KD	28550	1600		21w
KG6SI	14228	0510		13w
ZK2AF	14228	0520		16w
ZD8AY	14206	2130		11w
ST2SA	14242	1430		16w
5P2AMU	21286	1620		14w
XT2AA	14215	2300-List		11w
ZD5X	14205	1600		17w
9Q5GJ	21339	1950		15w
9U5EP	21358	1945		15w

ASIA

VU2JN	14040kc	1220Z	Mar	15e
VS0BC	21024	0000		13e
UW9CC	14205	0348		10e
JD1ABX	14202	0315		10e
9M6SPD	14202	1430		12m
YB0LAN	14204	1350		16m
HS1ABX	14232	1645		14w
DU7JM	14213	142-		14w
UJ8AC	14245	1445		16w
UL7TW	14245	1445		16w
VU2KT	14205	0300		12w
UK6LAL	14211	1430		16w
9N1MM	14217	1425		17w
UM8FZ	14061	0440		17w
DX1HMI	14198	1420		12w
DU9FB	14205	1430		12w
7Z3AB	14247	1450		12w
HMLBK	14204	1455		13w
UM8MAL	14018	0305		12w
VU2BEO	14006	0230		13w
OD5ET	14221	2220		10w
UL7JL	14209	0120		13w
YA2KO	14236	1620		15w
9M2WM	14225	1505		16w
UA9DT	14204	0315		17w
HL9WT	14225	0600		15w
MP4BBW	14210	0350		10w
MP4BIN	14213	0345		16w
YA1GNT	14210	0310		12m
JT1KAA	14042	0255		12m
UK9HAD	14030	0335		12m
HS3AFB	14208	1515		10w

AFRICA

9J2WR	28515kc	1930Z	Mar	15e
7P8AB	21314	1835		13e
ZE1BO	28508	1530		14e
ZD5F	28516	1600		14e
TY1ABE	21084	2215		12e
FR7ZX	14200	1205		15e
9G1WW	21306	2120		13e
V09RK	21289	1640		10e
FR7AE	14250	1300		14e
5VZAT	14218	2310		14e
9G1TF	21255	1740		11e
ZS3CJ	28529	1755		14e
5H3MM	28587	1745		12e
CR6LF	14332	2105		13m
5H3MV	14213	1425		14w
5N2ABG	14222	1615		15w
CR4BS	14213	2340		15w
9X5CC	21299	2155		10w
ET3USA	21352	1740		11w
EA9EJ	21275	1700		15w

CALENDAR

NORFOLK VK9NP active...should be there for two more weeks.
 TOKELAUS ZM7AG due to open in April....Be Prepared!
 ZANZIBAR 5HLLV over the Easter Weekend---April 10-11th.
 MALDIVES VU7US..April 10-17th
 ALBANIA DL7FT to remove ZA from Most-Wanted-List..June 13th for 8 days+..
 TURKS/CAICOS VP5JA in the CQ Test this week-end
 WESTERN SAMOA 5WLAH...March 24 to 31st by VE8RA.
 GUS Schedule for April 1st.....Watch for late word.
 C RIBBON WB8ABN (ex-ZF1CW & F0MH/P) from FG7/VP2E/PJ8/TS7/VP2A---Apr 9-25th
 TONGA VR5DK---April 16th for one month.

THE BIG PICTURE Political problems apparently are causing some disruptions to plans.
 OR4CR/AP2 apparently went MRT on March 10th when the Red Cross advised that the area was not safe. East Pakistan acting to separate from West Pakistan and there has been fighting.
 As of last week nothing definite that Gus has received permission to enter Sikkim or Bhutan from India. Late information from the INDX might be obtained by listening at 14218kc from 2230Z. Also being reported by European sources that the border crossing from India into Nepal has been closed.

FORTY/EIGHTY DESK

VQ8CN	7010kc	0630Z	Mar 11w	VP1ST	3810kc	0537Z	Mar 15e	KG6/KC6	3806	1420Z	Mar 13w
8P6DR	7005	0705	11w	WA4/8R1	3803	0314	14w	111Z	3507	0449	16w
VK9NP	7070	0930	17w	VP7MA	3804	1000	17w	9Y4VU	3804	1009	17w
JW5MM	7003	0520	9m	KP4AN	3804	1009	17w	KV4LM	3804	1012	17w
				KC6JC	3805	1034	17w	KG6SI	3805	1118	17w
				CE0AE	3528	1101	17w	8P6CX	3805	1010	13w
				KS6DH	3807	0940	17w	ZF1GC	3807	1025	17w
				9Y4MM	3804	1000	17w	VK9NP	3560	1100	17w

MAURU C21AA showed up on March 13th...being reported as active from after 0600Z to as late as 1230Z...as mostly around 14218kc..

HIUE ZK24H showed up last Sunday and Monday...14247kc from 0300Z. Says that his weekday schedules are dependent on available time but will try to keep the Sun/Mon 0300Z schedule. Often working by call-area, QSL to INDIA.

NORFOLK ISLAND VK9NP showed up a week ago...March 20th and by the following day was doing big business. Frequencies reported for this activity are: 3560kc/7070kc/14193 to 14220kc/ 21285 to 21300kc/ 28560 to 28595kc...these for SOB. CW seems to be usually about 45kc above band edge. QSL to INDIA.

SHORTLY NOTED PACIFIC DX was bountiful recently with many stations getting in to work Norfolk/Campbell/Hiue. I2LAG was 11LAG at the Milan Exhibition. The W9/CE0-Juan Fernandez effort came off on schedule and the crew was working them in rapid style last week...QSL to W9IGW. VK9XX sometimes m.c.ed by W5ZD at 14237kc from 1400Z..this being Mas Island. VK6US making lists for VS9MB-Maldives for a Sunday effort ..14220kc/1700Z. VS9MB also at 14209kc at other times. The Sunday effort is at 14225kc+/- from 1600Z.

The strayed squirrel showed up a week ago Sunday...hungry, thin and tired. Dined heavily for three days, slept continually and then took off again. Son of a Gun.. a teen-ager in the house is always a problem. We had been worried that a house cat might have cornered him. With everything else getting attention, some have been asking about VP8--South Sandwich which has been quiet since 1965. 5VZWT can usually be found around 14215kc from 2100Z most days....works by call areas. KC6RK will leave the Western Carolines around the end of April...QSL until April 28th to Robert Kenny, USCG Act. Code 1, Box 76, FPO San Fran 96637. 9m8SPD in Kuching goes to Box-795 there and not via the Bureau. VP2EZ was at 21276/2030Z on the 17th...QSL to WA9VOL. BATECO Engr. has a new RF Signal Processor..Bx 2304, Santa Clara for details.

