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DX ITALIA

DX NEWS

by **I2MQP**

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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
3W	Vietnam	Nov 25 - Dec 24	KM00 will operate as 3W30 including CQWW. Will try also to be on 80 & 160	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
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
5R	Madagascar	Nov 3 - Dec 12	F6ICX will be again on as 5R8IC	H.C. LoTW ClubLog
5T0	Mauritania	Dec 7 - Dec 10	F3JL will use the special call 5T0ITU during ITU events	
6W	Senegal	Dec 5 - Dec 7	6V1A group will be on from AF-045	QRZ
6Y	Jamaica	Nov 26 - Dec 17	DK9PY will be on as 6Y6N. Will sign 6Y5WJ in the contest	H.C. dir & bur

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7P	Lesotho	Dec 11 - Dec 14	G3RWF will sign 7P8NH	H.C.
8Q	Maldives	Dec 1 - Dec 9	IK0FUX will sign 8Q7UX	H.C.
A6	U.A.E.	Dec 2 - Dec 25	VE6LB will be /A6	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
A6	U.A.E.	Dec 4 - Dec 10	A61 DI team will be on from AS-021	IZ8CLM
C6	Bahamas	Dec 2014 - April 2015	9H5G will be /C6ATS	NI5DX
CE	Chile	Dec 6 - Dec 7	XR5JA group will be on from SA-070	CE5JA dir & bur
D2	Angola	Jan 16 - Dec 31	MM0SSG will be on as D2SG	GM4FDM
D4	Cape Verde	Nov 9 - Dec 5	EA7FTR will be on as D44KS	EB7DX
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
E5	S.Cook	Nov end - Early Dec	KL7SB will be on as R51RAT	NI5DX
E6	Niue	Dec 1 - Dec 6	JA1XGI will sign E6XG	H.C. dir/ bur OQRS
ET	Ethiopia	Now - Dec 9	DL9WVM is on as ET3AA	Qrz.com
FO	F.Polynesi a	Nov 1 - Dec 31	FO9AA special stations will be on all bands and modes	
FS	St.Martin	NOW	PJ7MF is now resident and at the present sign /FS	IZ1MHY
HC8	Galapagos	Nov 22 - Dec 6	7 operators plan to be active	RC5A
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	
J3	Grenada	Nov 22 - Dec 6	DL7VOA will be on holiday as J340	H.C dir & bur
J6	St.Lucia	Nov 8 - Dec 5	DL7VOG will be /J6	H.C.
J6	St. Lucia	Dec 7 - Dec 15	SM7EQL & SM7DKF will be on /J6	SM6JSM

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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
JD	Minami Torishima	Now - Dec 15	JG8NQJ is now /JD1 and active during spare time from his job. Not much unfortunately	JA8CJY dir
JD	Ogasawara	Dec 4 - Dec 12	F4HEC will sign JD1BOX	F4HEC dir & bur
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 5	K6REF is active for two weeks signing /KC4	
OZ	Denmark	Dec 6 - Dec 20	DJ8VW will sign 5P8VW from EU-125	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
PJ2	Curacao	Nov 18 - Dec 2	W0CG (PJ2DX), PJ2/KB7Q, PJ2/DF9LJ & others. In the contest as PJ2T	H.C. W0CG
PJ2	Curacao	Nov 20 - Dec 26	PA0VDV will be on /PJ2	H.C. dir & bur
PJ2	Curacao	Dec 2 - Dec 9	DL1NX will be /PJ2	H.C. dir & bur & LoTW
PZ	Surinam	Nov 15 - Jan 15	DL4WO will be on as PZ5JW	H.C. dir & bur
PZ	Suriname	Nov 26 - Dec 8	DL2NUD & DL4WO will be on as PZ5UD & PZ5EME an EME operation	DL4WO
RI	Antartica	Nov 2014 Mar 2015	RD3MX and UA1PAW will be RI1ANR from AN-016 all bands CW & SSB	RK1PWA
T8	Palau	Nov 26 - Dec 1	JA1WSX as T88WX JA7DAJ as T88FC	H.C.
T8	Palau	Dec 3 - Dec 6	JH7WER will sign T88ER	H.C. dir & bur
TK	Corsica	Oct 6 - Mar 16	G4BKI will be /TK	Dir only to US add.
TY	Benin	Nov 30 - Dec 6	DF9UO will be on as TY2AB	
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
VP5	Turks & Caicos	Nov 9 - Dec 7	SM7EQL & SM7DKF will be /VP5	SM6JSM
VP8	Falkland	Nov 20 - Dec 12	G3VPW will sign VP8KF	H.C & LoTW
VR2	Hong Kong	Jul 23 - Dec 1 2015	K0UU will be in Hong Kong till end of 2015 signing VR2UU	LoTW

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VQ9	Chagos	Dec 3 - Dec 19	N7XR as VQ9XR (may be also VQ92X)	H.C. dir
W	U.S.A.	Dec 5	KG4JSZ and KI4GMR will be active as KG4JSZ from NA-076	KG4JSZ dir & LoTW
ZL	New Zealand	Nov 30 - Dec 16	KE4PT will be on /ZL operating mainly CW and JT65	H.C. & LoTW

TOP DX NEXT DAYS

PFX	5/12	6/12	7/12	8/12	9/12	10/12	11/12	12/12
3W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
E5	X	X						
JD/m	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
VQ9	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
AS-021	X	X	X	X	X	X		
NA-076	X							

FUTURE OPERATIONS --- OPERAZIONI FUTURE

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
3A	Mopnaco	Dec 28 - Dec 30	EA5IDQ will be /3A	H.C.
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 - Apr	One man expedition could take place by ON4WW. See below more details	

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5R	Madagascar	C	JA8BMK will sign 5R8DX mainly Low Bands	H.C.
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	Jan 1 - Feb 2	PA0RRS will be active as 9M2MRS	H.C. bur & dir & OQRS
9N	Nepal	Dec 24	DL2GAN will be on as 9N7CB only on Dec 24 morning	H.C: dir & bur
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.
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
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 T04C	M0OXO
FO	F.Polynesia	Feb 15 - Feb 24	K8PGJ will be /FO	H.C.
FO/a	Austral	Jan 5 - Jan 11	KK6BT will be on from OC-114 signing TX5W	
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
GI	N.Ireland	Jul 24 - Jul 26	GI50 group will be on from EU-122	M5KJM
HC	Galapagos	Jul 1 - Sep 30	G8OFQ will sign /HC8 during his stay as volunteer	HA3JB
HH	Haiti	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.

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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
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.
JA	Japan	Dec 27 - Jan 4	JI3DST will be /6 from AS-049	H.C. bur & OQRS
JW	Svalabard	Feb 18 - Feb 25	DL2JRM will be on	H.C.
KH2	Guam	Dec 27 - Dec 30	JJ2RCJ will operate as AH2/AB2RF	H.C. dir & LoTW
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	
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
PJ7	S.Maarten	Dec 18 - Mar 16	AA9A will be on as PJ7AA	H.C. & LoTW
R1	Antartica	From Dec 22 on	RW6ACM will be active as RI1ANZ	RN1ON dir & bur
S7	Seychelles	Jan 17 - Feb 10	OE4AAC will sign S79AC	H.C. & OQRS

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T8	Palau	Dec 3 - Dec 6	JH7WER will sign T88ER	H.C.
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
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	Jan 6 - Jan 13	V5/G3RWF will be on CW	H.C.
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	
VK9N	Norfolk	Dec 26 - Jan 1	G7VJR will sign /VK9N	M00XO
VK9N	Norfolk	Dec 20 - Dec 22	JA0JHQ will be /VK9N	H.C.
VP2M	Montserrat	Mar 11 - Mar 25	N7QT will be on	H.C. dir & bur
VP9	Bermuda	Dec 31 - Jan 5	K4KGG will be /VP9	LoTW W3HNC ClubLog
XW	Laos	Feb 5 - Feb 25	JA8BMK will sign XW8BM	H.C.
XW	Laos	Dec 15 - Jan 2 Jan 15 - Jan 23	3W3B will be on as XW4XR	E21EIC
XV	Vietnam	Mar 1 - Mar 31	JA8BMK will sign XV7BM	H.C.
YV0	Aves	Jan - Mar 2015	YV0AI expedition could be during this period (TNX F6GNZ)	YV5Aj & ClubLog
ZF	Cayman Island	Jan 10 - Jan 18	K8PGJ will operate as ZF2PG	LoTW & H.C. dir

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SPECIAL CALLS AND PREFIXES

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CE	Chile	Now - Dec 31	CB1D	XQ1FM dir & bur
DL	Germany	Jan 1 - Dec 31 Jan 1 - Dec 31	DM60JMZ from DOK60K07 DQ8T from DOK 30B39	Bureau Bureau
DL	Germany	2014 May2014 -Apr2015	DK40BOSCH DM20KIDS	DL4WK Bureau
E7	Bosnia	2014	E750EBL	E77E
EI	Ireland	All 2014 All 2014	EI30T EI1100WD	OQRS EI2HZB
G	England	Nov 1 - Mar 15	GB0SFE	
GI	North Ireland	December	GI4YOTA	
HA	Hungary	All 2014 All 2014	HG140JLO HG100ATOM	HA8KW HA3KNA
HS	Thailand	Now - Dec 31	HS50RAST	E21EIC & LoTW
I	Italy	Oct 1 - Dec 31 Nov 1 - Dec 31	II4CDN IY1EY	IZ4FUE IK1QBT
JA	Japan	All 2014 Dec 1 - Mar 31	8J1T from new JCC 0316 8J7DRS	Bureau
JA	Japan	Jun 1 - Dec 31 Aug 2014	8J1NUBO 8J5JAZZ	Bureau Bureau
JA	Japan	Nov 2014 Now - Mar 31 Nov 22 - Dec 31	8N2S5X 8J125SSI 8J1KP	Bureau Bureau Bureau
JA	Japan	Jun - Feb 2015 Oct 1 - Dec 31	8J1ATUGI 8J150ZYG	Bureau Bureau
JA	Japan	2014 Oct 1 - Mar 31	8J1AOBA 8J160KSW	Bureau
JA	Japan	Apr 20 - Jan 31 May2014-Mar2015 Dec 7 - Mar 1	8J1ZC 8J2VE 8J6HAM	Bureau Bureau Bureau
LA	Norway	2014 2014	LA stations may use LI prefixes LB stations may use LJ prefixes	
LA	Norway	2014	LM2T75Y	LA2T

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LZ	Bulgaria	2014	LZ1784SMH Dec	LZ1KCP
LZ	Bulgaria	2014	LZ60KSP	LZ1JZ
OH	Finland	Now - Dec 31	OF60A	OH6GDX
OM	Slovakia	2014	OM44LTE	OM3RP
PA	Netherland	Nov 17 - Dec 14	PD6SINT	Nureau
SM	Sweden	2014 2014	7S400K SC1DXR	SM7BHM SM6WYA
SM	Sweden	2014	SC2014ECC SB2014ECC SC2014ECC SD2014ECC SE2014ECC SF2014ECC SG2014ECC SH2014ECC SI2014ECC SJ2014ECC	SK2AT
SP	Poland	2014	HF685DM 3Z0TECH	SP4TXI 3Z6AEF
SP	Poland	Dec 1- Dec 10	SN100LP	SP3PGR
UR	Ukraine	Sep 1 - Dec 31	EM50LWY	UR4LWY
VE	Canada	Dec 6 - Jan 4 Feb 1 - Mar 1	XM3G CG350F	VE3RHE VE3RHE
VK	Australia	Oct 31	VI6ANZAC	
VU	India	Nov 21 - Dec 9	AT1JCB	VU2EXP dir LoTW
YO	Romania	Oct - Dec 31 Oct - Sep 2015	YP35KZA YO55BU, YP555BU, YQ555BU, YR555BU	YO8RAA
YU	Serbia	2014	YT0PUPIN YU100CER	YT7WA Bureau

Contest, mainly from ARRL Bulletin & WA7BNM

CWops Mini-CWT Test: 1300Z-1400Z, Dec 3 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 3 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 4

NRAU 10m Activity Contest: 1800Z-1900Z, Dec 4 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 4 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Dec 4 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Dec 4 (Dig)

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Dec 5

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 5

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NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 5

ARRL 160-Meter Contest: 2200Z, Dec 5 to 1600Z, Dec 7

ARRL EME Contest: 0000Z, Dec 6 to 2359Z, Dec 7

TARA RTTY Melee: 0000Z-2400Z, Dec 6

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: 0600Z-0629Z, Dec 6 and 0630Z-0659Z, Dec 6 and 0700Z-0729Z, Dec 6 and 0730Z-0800Z, Dec 6

VU International DX Contest: 1200Z, Dec 6 to 1200Z, Dec 7

TOPS Activity Contest: 1600Z, Dec 6 to 1559Z, Dec 7

EPC Ukraine DX Contest: 2000Z, Dec 6 to 1959Z, Dec 7

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party: 2300Z, Dec 6 to 2300Z, Dec 7 and 2300Z, Dec 13 to 2300Z, Dec 14

Ten-Meter RTTY Contest: 0000Z-2400Z, Dec 7

SARL Digital Contest: 1300Z-1600Z, Dec 7

CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run: 2100Z-2259Z, Dec 7

NAQCC CW Sprint: 0130Z-0330Z, Dec 10

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 10

CWops Mini-CWT Test: 1300Z-1400Z, Dec 10 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 10 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 11

3Y/B, BOUVET ISLANDS

Mark Demeuleneere, ON4WW, has been granted permission by the Norwegian Polar Institute to land and reside on Bouvet Island during the mid-January until mid-April 2016 time frame.

This will be a ham radio DXpedition with the sole purpose of providing worldwide contacts with Bouvet Island, currently ranked #3 on the different DXCC Most Wanted Lists. This will be a 3 month DXpedition carried out by one person with a target to make 100,000 QSOs on CW, SSB and RTTY on all HF bands. (Note: Bouvet will move up to #2 after Navassa has been activated in 2015).

Whether or not this DXpedition will take place depends on the next big hurdle, funding. An interesting Web page has been designed which provides more background information and full details with some great pictures, as well as details on his funding approach at:

<http://www.on4ww.be/bouvet2016.html>

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From: The KP1-5 project

RE: Navassa 2015

Date Dec 4, 2014

Press Release: K1N Navassa Island DXpedition

From: KP1-5 Project

The KP1-5 Project and the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service have been working together on preparations for our joint 14 day visit to Navassa Island NWR. Although the actual dates may still vary, it now appears we will begin transport to the Island during the last week of January 2015.

Our container of equipment and supplies will depart late in December enroute to our helicopter staging area. All of our equipment is being assembled, tested and packed.

We have visited and contracted with the largest helicopter operations group in the Caribbean to transfer personnel and equipment to the island. Our window of opportunity, dictated by USFWS, is during the period of least bird nesting. But it is also the time of the most treacherous seas, making a safe sea landing of all our equipment and people all but impossible. The famous "ladder" used to access the island at Lulu Bay was removed when the U.S. Coast Guard turned administration over to the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service. For safety reasons, the USFWS uses helicopter transport to the island and we will too.

Consequently, and as one might expect, the costs of this DXpedition are quite high. The team has contributed approximately half of the total cost. Foundations such as NCDXF and INDEXA have been very generous, as have a number of DX Clubs and individuals, and for this generosity, we are deeply grateful!

The particulars of this DXpedition require more "up front" payments than most DXpeditions and we have a "cash flow timing" situation that needs to be addressed. The helicopter contractual agreement requires all charter costs to be paid prior to the conclusion of the project. Many older hams need a mode or band fill from Navassa, but an entire generation has grown up without Navassa being on the air. Hence, it has risen to the #1 Most Wanted on the ClubLog list. If you need Navassa for an all-time new one (ATNO), or for a particular band or mode, we could use your financial help. If you plan to help support the DXpedition, we ask that you do so now, not later.

We have an excellent team of fifteen operators who will be manning eight stations 24

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hours/day, dedicated to giving out as many contacts as possible over the two week period.

Your generous financial gift will help insure a most successful DXpedition for all!

Please visit www.navassadx.com for details.

For the KP1-5 Project,
Bob Allphin, K4UEE, president
Glenn Johnson, W0GJ, vice president
Mike Thomas, NA5U, secretary

KH5, PALMYRA ISLAND

"QRZ DX" reports this past week that Laurie Moore, Director of Palmyra Program, states, [excerpts from an E-mail in a response about inquires about Amateur Radio operations/HAM Radio operations on Palmyra Atoll] "Working with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service we have developed a plan to accommodate these requests and are able to offer a maximum of two such trips in Winter 2016. Our goal is to facilitate access to The Nature Conservancy's (TNC) preserve on Cooper Island at Palmyra Atoll in a manner that is fair, and with minimal impact to the preserve and station operations." Available time slots are January 11-26th, 2016 (includes set-up, transmit, and tear down), and February 1-16th, 2016 (includes set-up, transmit, and tear down). The TNC will allow up to 12 amateur radio operators. TNC will make arrangements for travel to/from Palmyra via chartered jet service. TNC will provide access to double occupancy cabins with three prepared meals and snacks daily, shower house and toilet block room/board/electrical power, fuel and occasional recreational activity, such as hikes to observe historical sites or wildlife. Total estimated costs 176,000 USD.

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