

# Contest Corral



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AM/PM times and dates are local. UTC dates may be different than calendar date in North America. No contest activity occurs on 30, 17, 12-meters.

Refer to the contest Web sites for full rules, scoring information, operating periods or time limits, and log submission information.

Serial - Sequential number of the contact. S/P/C - State, Province, DXCC Entity

Publication deadline for Contest Corral listings is the first of the second month prior to publication.

For updates and additional contests, see the Contest Corral website at [www.arrl.org/contests](http://www.arrl.org/contests).

HF	VHF+	Contest Title	Phn	CW	Dig	Exchange & Frequencies (MHz)	Sponsor's Web Site	Logs Due
2.3G+ 2 GHz and Up World Wide Contest May 5, 6 AM - May 6, 8 PM			X	X	X	6-char grid locator	www.ham-radio.com/sbms	60 days
902+ Microwave Spring Sprint May 5, 6 AM - May 5, 1 PM			X	X	X	Grid square (6-character preferred)	sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints	14 days
28 Ten-Ten Spring CW Contest May 5, 0001Z - May 6, 2359Z				X		Call sign, name, 10-10 number, state	www.ten-ten.org	15 days
1.8-28 50,144 7th Area QSO Party May 5, 1300Z - May 6, 0700Z			X	X	X	RS(T)+S/P or 7th-area county code CW--40 kHz above band edge; SSB--1.845, 3.855, 7.235, 14.255, 21.355, 28.455.	7qp.org	Jun 2
1.8-28 Indiana QSO Party May 5, 1600Z - May 6, 0400Z			X	X		RS(T) + S/P or IN county, DX RS(T) only CW--1.805 and 40 kHz above the band edge on 80-10 meters, SSB--1.845, 3.820, 7.190, 14.250, 21.300, 28.400.	www.hdxcc.org/inqp	Jun 15
3.5-21 Radio Club of America QSO Party May 5, 1700Z - May 6, 0459Z			X			RS, QTH, name, equipment	www.radio-club-of-america.org	
1.8-28 ARI International DX Contest May 5, 2000Z - May 6, 1959Z			X	X	X	RS(T), serial or Italian province	www.ari.it	30 days
3.5-28 New England QSO Party May 5, 2000Z - See website			X	X	X	RS(T) and S/P or New England county Multiple operating periods; CW--3.540, 7.035, 14.040, 21.040, 28.040; SSB--3.850, 7.180/280, 14.280, 21.380, 28.380.	www.neqp.org	30 days
3.5-28 ARS Spartan Sprint May 8, 0200Z - May 8, 0400Z				X		RST, S/P/C, and power Monthly on the first Monday evening local time.	www.arsqrp.blogspot.com	2 days
3.5 50,144 OK1WC Memorial Contest May 8, 1600Z - See website			X	X		RS(T) and serial First through fourth Monday of each month; see website for bands.	www.hamradio.cz/ok1wc	7 days
1.8-28 CWops Monthly Mini-CWT Test May 9, 1300Z - See website				X		Name, member number or S/P/C Multiple operating periods, twice monthly on 2nd and 4th Wed, 18 to 28 kHz above band edge.	www.cwops.org/onair.html	2 days
1.8-14 SNS and NS Weekly Sprints May 11, 0200Z - May 11, 0300Z				X		Serial, name, and S/P/C Weekly on Thursday evenings local time.	www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html	2 days
1.8-28 FOC QSO Party May 12, 0000Z - May 12, 2359Z				X		Name, FOC member number	www.g4foc.org	7 days
3.5-28 EUCW Fraternizing CW QSO Party May 12, 1000Z - See website				X		RST, name, club, member number Multiple operating periods.	www.eucw.org	Jun 30
3.5-28 Alessandro Volta RTTY DX Contest May 12, 1200Z - May 13, 1200Z					X	RST, serial, CQ zone	www.contestvolta.com	Jun 30

1.8-28 May 12, 1200Z - May 13, 2400Z	Armed Forces Comm'ns Test	X	X	X	RS(T) See website for specific station schedules.	www.netcom.army.mil/mars	no logs
1.8-28 May 12, 1200Z - May 13, 1200Z	CQ-M International DX Contest	X	X		RS(T) and serial	www.cq-m.andys.ru	30 days
3.5-28 May 12, 1500Z - May 13, 1500Z	Portuguese Navy Day	X	X		RS(T), serial, CQ zone	www.nra.pt	20 days
1.8-28 50 May 12, 1700Z - May 13, 1700Z	Nevada Mustang Roundup	X	X	X	RS(T) and S/P/C or NV county	www.nvqsoparty.info	Jun 15
3.5-28 May 12, 1700Z - May 13, 2100Z	FISTS Spring Sprint		X		RS(T), S/P/C, name, FISTS nr or power	www.fists.org/sprints.html	30 days
50 May 12, 2300Z - May 13, 0300Z	50 MHz Spring Sprint	X	X	X	Grid square (6-character preferred)	sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints	14 days
1.8-7 May 13, 1000Z - May 13, 1400Z	Worked All Britain - LF Phone	X			RS, serial, and WAB nr or DXCC entity	www.worked-all-britain.co.uk	21 days
3.5-14 May 17, 0030Z - May 17, 0230Z	NAQCC Monthly QRP Sprint		X		RST, S/P/C, and NAQCC mbr nr or power Monthly on 2nd Tuesday or 3rd Wednesday local time (alternating).	naqcc.info	4 days
3.5-28 May 19, 0800Z - May 19, 1500Z	Portuguese Navy Day			X	RST, serial, CQ zone	www.nra.pt	20 days
3.5-28 May 19, 1200Z - May 20, 1200Z	EU PSK DX Contest			X	RST and EU area code or serial	www.eu.srars.org	30 days
1.8-28 May 19, 1200Z - May 20, 1200Z	His Majesty King of Spain Contest		X		RST and serial or EA province	www.ure.es	Jun 10
1.8-28 May 19, 1500Z - See website	Feld-Hell Hamvention Sprint			X	RST, S/P/C, Feld-Hell member nr Multiple operating periods; Monthly on 3rd Saturday.	www.feldhellclub.org	7 days
3.5 May 19, 2100Z - May 20, 0200Z	Baltic Contest	X	X		RS(T) and serial	www.lrsf.lt/bcontest/english/rules_html.htm	Jul 1
1.8-28 May 20, 0200Z - May 20, 0400Z	Run For the Bacon		X		RST, S/P/C, Flying Pig nr or power Monthly on 3rd Sunday night (local).	www.fpqrp.org	
1.2G May 26, 0000Z - May 27, 2400Z	Worldwide EME Contest	X	X		TMO/RS(T) and "R"	www.dubus.org	Jun 25
1.8-28 May 26, 0000Z - May 27, 2400Z	CQ WW WPX Contest		X		RST and serial	www.cqwpw.com	Jun 20
3.5-28 May 27, 8 PM - May 27, Midnight	QRP ARCI Hootowl Sprint		X		RST, S/P/C QRP number or power	www.qrparci.org/contests	14 days
1.8-28 May 28, 2300Z - May 29, 0300Z	MI QRP Memorial Day CW Sprint		X		RST, S/P/C, MI QRP number or power	www.miqrp.org	30 days