

Contest Corral – January 2013

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

Start - Finish Date-Time Date-Time				Bands HF / VHF+	Contest Title	Mode	Exchange	Sponsor's Website
Dec 29	1500Z	Dec 30	1500Z	3.5-14 / -	Original QRP Contest	CW	RST, serial and category	www.qrpcc.de
1	0000Z	1	2400Z	3.5-28 / 50+	ARRL Straight Key Night	CW	General QSO information	www.arrl.org/straight-key-night
1	0000Z	1	0100Z	3.5 / -	New Years Snowball Contest	Ph CW	RST, serial, AGB number	ev5agb.com/index.htm
1	0800Z	1	1100Z	3.5-7 / -	SARTG New Year RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, serial, "Happy New Year" in your language	www.sartg.com
1	0900Z	1	1200Z	3.5-14 / -	AGCW Happy New Year Contest	CW	RST, serial, AGCW number	www.agcw.de
4	0200Z	4	0300Z	1.8-14 / -	SNS and NS Weekly Sprints	CW Dig	Serial, name and S/P/C	www.ncccsprint.com
5	0000Z	5	2400Z	3.5-28 / -	070 PSKFest	Dig	Call sign, RST, S/P/C	www.podxs070.com
5	1500Z	5	1800Z	3.5-28 / -	QRP Pet Rock Sprint	CW	RST, S/P/C, QRP ARCI number or power	www.qrparci.org/contests
5	1800Z	6	2400Z	3.5-28 / -	ARRL RTTY Roundup	Dig	RST, state/province/serial	www.arrl.org/contests
6	1800Z	6	2400Z	3.5-28 / -	Kids Day	Ph	Name, age, location, favorite color	www.arrl.org/kids-day
7	1600Z	7	See web	3.5 / 50, 144	OK1WC Memorial Contest	Ph CW	RS(T) and serial	www.hamradio.cz/ok1wc
8	0200Z	8	0400Z	3.5-28 / -	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, S/P/C and power	www.arsqrp.blogspot.com
9	1300Z	9	See web	1.8-28 / -	CWops Monthly Mini-CWT Test	CW	Name and member number or S/P/C	www.cwops.org/onair.html
12	1200Z	13	2359Z	1.8-28 / 50	MI QRP Club Jan QRP Contest	CW	RST, S/P/C, MI QRP number or power	www.miqrp.org
12	1200Z	13	1200Z	3.5-28 / -	WW Peace Messenger Cities	Ph CW	RS(T) and PMC ref number or CQ zone	www.s59dcd.si
12	1200Z	13	1200Z	3.5-28 / -	UK DX RTTY Contest	Dig	RST and serial	www.ukdx.srars.org
12	1800Z	13	0600Z	1.8-28 / -	North American QSO Party	CW	Name and S/P/C	www.ncjweb.com/naqprules.php
12	2000Z	12	See web	1.8 / -	EUCW 160 Meter Contest	CW	RST, serial, club name, member nr or "NR"	www.uft.net
13	0900Z	13	1059Z	28 / -	DARC 10 Meter Contest	Ph CW	RS(T), serial, DOK code	www.darc.de/referate/dx/contest
16	2300Z	17	See web	1.8-7 / -	Linc Cundall Memorial CW Contest	CW	See website	www.antiquewireless.org
17	0130Z	17	0330Z	3.5-14 / -	NAQCC Monthly QRP Sprint	CW	RST, S/P/C and NAQCC mbr nr or power	naqcc.info
17	0200Z	17	0256Z	3.5-7 / -	Locust QSO Party	CW	Name, state or province or "DX"	www.k6vva.com/lqp
19	0000Z	19	0400Z	3.5, 7 / -	LZ Open Contest	CW	6-digit serial and serial from previous QSO	www.lzopen.com
19	0000Z	20	2359Z	1.8-28 / -	YLISSB QSO Party	Ph	Call sign, RS(T), ISSB number	www.ylssystem.org
19	0600Z	19	1400Z	3.5-28 / -	International United Teenager Contest	Ph CW	RS(T) and age or "RT"	ur4nww.narod.ru/documents/pdf/CQUTContest_2013A.pdf
19	1200Z	20	1200Z	1.8-28 / -	HA DX Contest	Ph CW	RS(T) and serial	www.ha-dx.com
19	1600Z	19	1800Z	1.8-28 / -	Feld Hell Gridloc Sprint	Dig	RST, S/P/C, Feld Hell member nr	www.feldhellclub.org
19	1800Z	20	0600Z	1.8-28 / -	North American QSO Party	Ph	Name and S/P/C	www.ncjweb.com/naqprules.php
19	1900Z	21	0400Z	- / 50+	ARRL January VHF Contest	Ph CW	Grid square	www.arri.org/contests
21	0200Z	21	0400Z	1.8-28 / -	Run For the Bacon	CW	RST, S/P/C Flying Pig nr or power	www.fpqrp.org
25	0130Z	25	0330Z	1.8 / -	NAQCC Special 160M Sprint	CW	RST, S/P/C and NAQCC mbr nr or power	naqcc.info
25	2200Z	27	2200Z	1.8 / -	CQ WW 160 Meter Contest	CW	RST and S/P/C	www.cq160.com
26	0600Z	27	1800Z	3.5-28 / -	REF French Contest	CW	RST and serial or department ID	concours.ref-union.org/contest
26	1200Z	27	1200Z	3.5-28 / -	BARTG RTTY Sprint	Dig	Serial	www.bartg.org.uk
26	1300Z	27	1300Z	3.5-28 / -	UBA Contest	Ph	RS, serial and ON province	www.uba.be/hf/contest-rules
26	1700Z	27	1700Z	1.8-28 / 50+	Winter Field Day	Ph CW Dig	Call sign, RS(T), category, local temp	www.spar-hams.org
27	2000Z	27	2359Z	3.5-28 / -	QRP Winter Fireside SSB Sprint	Ph	RS, S/P/C, QRP ARCI number or power	www.qrparci.org/contests
27	1900Z	28	2300Z	1.8 / -	WAB Top Band Phone Contest	Ph	See website	www.worked-all-britain.co.uk/contest
27	1400Z	28	0800Z	1.8-28 / 50, 144	Classic Exchange	CW	RST, QTH, model of rcvr and xmtr	www.classicexchange.org

All dates refer to UTC and may be different from calendar date in North America. Times given as AM or PM are local times and dates.

No contest activity occurs on the 60, 30, 17 and 12 meter bands. Serial = Sequential number of the contact. S/P/C = State, Province, DXCC Entity.

XE = Mexican state. Publication deadline for Contest Corral listings is the first day of the second month prior to publication date (January 1 for March QST) — send information to contests@arri.org. Listings in blue indicate contests sponsored by ARRL or NCJ.

The latest time to make a valid contest QSO is the minute listed in the "Finish Time" column.