

Contest Corral



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AM/PM times are local. All dates refer to UTC and 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.

HF	VHF+	Contest Title	Phn	CW	Dig	Exchange & Frequencies (MHz)	Sponsor's Web Site	Logs Due
1.8-14		NS Weekly Sprint		X		Serial, name, and S/P/C	www.ncccsprint.com	2 days
May 3, 0230Z - May 3, 0300Z			Weekly on Thursday evenings local time.					
	2.3G+	2 GHz and Up World Wide Contest	X	X	X	6-char grid locator	www.ham-radio.com/sbms	60 days
May 4, 6 AM - May 5, 8 PM								
	902+	Microwave Spring Sprint	X	X	X	Grid square (6-character preferred)	sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints	14 days
May 4, 6 AM - May 4, 1 PM								
	28	Ten-Ten Spring CW Contest		X		Call sign, name, 10-10 number, state	www.ten-ten.org	15 days
May 4, 0001Z - May 5, 2359Z								
1.8-28		ARI International DX Contest	X	X	X	RS(T), serial or Italian province	www.ari.it	5 days
May 4, 1200Z - May 5, 1159Z								
1.8-28	50,144	7th Area QSO Party	X	X	X	RS(T)+S/P or 7th-area county code	7qp.org	Jun 2
May 4, 1300Z - May 5, 0700Z			CW--40 kHz above band edge; SSB--1.845, 3.855, 7.235, 14.255, 21.355, 28.455.					
1.8-28		Indiana QSO Party	X	X		RS(T) + S/P or IN county, DX RS(T) only	www.hdxcc.org/inqp	Jun 15
May 4, 1600Z - May 5, 0400Z			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.					
3.5-21		Radio Club of America QSO Party	X			RS, QTH, name, equipment	www.radio-club-of-america.org	
May 4, 1700Z - May 5, 0459Z								
3.5-28		New England QSO Party	X	X	X	RS(T) and S/P or New England county	www.neqp.org	30 days
May 4, 2000Z - See website			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.					
1.8-7		Worked All Britain - LF Phone	X			RS, serial, and WAB nr or DXCC entity	www.worked-all-britain.co.uk	21 days
May 5, 1000Z - May 5, 1400Z								
3.5-28		ARS Spartan Sprint		X		RST, S/P/C, and power	www.arsqrp.blogspot.com	2 days
May 7, 0200Z - May 7, 0400Z			Monthly on the first Monday evening local time.					
3.5	50, 144	OK1WC Memorial Contest	X	X		RS(T) and serial	www.hamradio.cz/ok1wc	7 days
May 7, 1600Z - See website			First through fourth Monday of each month; see website for bands.					
1.8-28		CWops Monthly Mini-CWT Test		X		Name, member number or S/P/C	www.cwops.org/onair.html	2 days
May 8, 1300Z - See website			Multiple operating periods, twice monthly on 2nd and 4th Wed, 18 to 28 kHz above band edge.					
3.5-14		NAQCC Monthly QRP Sprint		X		RST, S/P/C, and NAQCC mbr nr or power	naqcc.info	4 days
May 9, 0030Z - May 9, 0230Z			Monthly on 2nd Tuesday or 3rd Wednesday local time (alternating).					
	1.2G	Worldwide EME Contest	X	X		TMO/RS(T) and "R"	www.dubus.org	Jun 25
May 11, 0000Z - May 12, 2400Z								

3.5-28	EUCW Fraternizing CW QSO Party	X		RST, name, club, member number	www.eucw.org	Jun 30
May 11, 1000Z - See website Multiple operating periods.						
3.5-28	Alessandro Volta RTTY DX Contest	X		RST, serial, CQ zone	www.contestvolta.com	Jun 30
May 11, 1200Z - May 12, 1200Z						
1.8-28	Armed Forces Comm'ns Test	X	X	RS(T)	www.netcom.army.mil/mars	no logs
May 11, 1200Z - May 12, 2400Z See website for specific station schedules.						
1.8-28	CQ-M International DX Contest	X	X	RS(T) and serial	www.cq-m.andys.ru	30 days
May 11, 1200Z - May 12, 1200Z						
3.5-28	Portuguese Navy Day	X	X	RS(T), serial, CQ zone	www.nra.pt	20 days
May 11, 1500Z - May 12, 1500Z						
1.8-28	50 Nevada Mustang Roundup	X	X	X	RS(T) and S/P/C or NV county	www.nvqsoparty.info
May 11, 1700Z - May 12, 1700Z						
3.5-28	FISTS Spring Sprint	X		RS(T), S/P/C, name, FISTS nr or power	www.fists.org/operating.html#sprints	30 days
May 11, 1700Z - May 11, 2100Z						
50	50 MHz Spring Sprint	X	X	X	Grid square (6-character preferred)	sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints
May 11, 2300Z - May 12, 0300Z						
5.7G	Worldwide EME Contest	X	X	TMO/RS(T) and "R"	www.dubus.org	Jun 25
May 18, 0000Z - May 19, 2400Z						
3.5-28	Portuguese Navy Day	X		RST, serial, CQ zone	www.nra.pt	20 days
May 18, 0800Z - May 18, 1500Z						
3.5-28	EU PSK DX Contest	X		RST and EU area code or serial	www.eu.srars.org	30 days
May 18, 1200Z - May 19, 1200Z						
1.8-28	His Majesty King of Spain Contest	X		RST and serial or EA province	www.ure.es	Jun 10
May 18, 1200Z - May 19, 1200Z						
1.8-28	Feld-Hell Hamvention Sprint	X		RST, S/P/C, Feld-Hell member nr	www.feldhellclub.org	7 days
May 18, 1500Z - See website Multiple operating periods; Monthly on 3rd Saturday.						
3.5	Baltic Contest	X	X	RS(T) and serial	www.lrsf.lt/bcontest/english/rules_html.htm	Jul 1
May 18, 2100Z - May 19, 0200Z						
1.8-28	Run For the Bacon	X		RST, S/P/C, Flying Pig nr or power	www.fpqrp.org	
May 19, 0200Z - May 19, 0400Z Monthly on 3rd Sunday night (local).						
1.8-28	CQ WW WPX Contest	X		RST and serial	www.cqwp.com	Jun 1
May 25, 0000Z - May 26, 2400Z						
3.5-28	QRP ARCI Hootowl Sprint	X		RST, S/P/C QRP number or power	www.qrparci.org/contests	14 days
May 26, 8 PM - May 26, Midnight						
1.8-28	MI QRP Memorial Day CW Sprint	X		RST, S/P/C, MI QRP number or power	www.miqrp.org	30 days
May 27, 2300Z - May 28, 0300Z						