

# Contest Corral – July 2016

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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	Contest name	Mode	Exchange	Sponsor's Website
1	0000 1 2359	1.8-144	RAC Canada Day Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), province/territory or serial	<a href="http://wp.rac.ca/category/prog/">wp.rac.ca/category/prog/</a>
2	0000 2 0400	3.5-28	FISTS Summer Slow Speed Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	<a href="http://fistsna.org/operating.html#sprints">fistsna.org/operating.html#sprints</a>
2	0000 3 2359	1.8-28	Venezuelan Independence Day Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), serial	<a href="http://yv5rcv.org/reglasindep.aspx">yv5rcv.org/reglasindep.aspx</a>
2	1100 3 1059	3.5-28	DL-DX RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.drcg.de/dldxrtty">www.drcg.de/dldxrtty</a>
2	1400 3 1400	1.8-28	Marconi Memorial HF Contest	CW	RST, serial	<a href="http://arifano.it/contest_marconi.html">arifano.it/contest_marconi.html</a>
2	1500 3 1500	3.5-14	Original QRP Contest	CW	RST, serial, power category	<a href="http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules">www.qrpcc.de/contestrules</a>
2	2000 3 2000	7	PODXS Ø7Ø 40 Meter Firecracker Sprint	Dig	RST, SPC	<a href="http://www.podxs070.com">www.podxs070.com</a>
3	1100 3 1700	28	DARC 10-Meter Digital Contest	Dig	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.darc.de/referate">www.darc.de/referate</a>
4	0001 10 2359	28	10-10 International Spirit of 76 QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	Name, mbr or "0," SPC	<a href="http://www.ten-ten.org">www.ten-ten.org</a>
4	1900 4 2030	3.5	RSGB 80 Meter Club Championship, CW	CW	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
5	0100 5 0300	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	<a href="http://arsqrp.blogspot.com">arsqrp.blogspot.com</a>
7	1700 7 2100	28	NRAU 10 Meter Activity Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 6-char grid	<a href="http://www.nrau.net/activity-contests">www.nrau.net/activity-contests</a>
9	0000 9 0400	3.5-28	FISTS Summer Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	<a href="http://www.fistsna.org">www.fistsna.org</a>
9	1200 10 1200	1.8-28	IARU HF World Championship	CW Ph	RS(T), ITU zone or IARU Society	<a href="http://www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-championship">www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-championship</a>
9	1200 10 2359	1.8-50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	<a href="http://www.skccgroup.com">www.skccgroup.com</a>
10	2000 10 2159	14	CQC Great Colorado Gold Rush	CW	RST, SPC, class, mbr or power	<a href="http://www.cqc.org/contests">www.cqc.org/contests</a>
13	1900 13 2030	3.5	RSGB 80 Meter Club Championship, SSB	Ph	RS, serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
16	0700 16 1459	7-28	Russian Radio Team Championship	CW Ph	RS(T), 3-char code or ITU zone	<a href="http://news.srr.ru">news.srr.ru</a>
16	0800 16 1400	1.8-7	Trans-Tasman Low-Bands Challenge	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), serial	<a href="http://vkcc.com/australian-vk-contests">vkcc.com/australian-vk-contests</a>
16	1200 17 1200	3.5-28	DMC RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, serial	<a href="http://digital-modes-club.org">digital-modes-club.org</a>
16	1400 16 1759	1.8-50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dig	RST, mbr, SPC, grid	<a href="http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub">sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub</a>
16	1800 17 0559	3.5-28	North American QSO Party, RTTY	Dig	Name, SPC	<a href="http://www.ncjweb.com/NAQP-Rules.pdf">www.ncjweb.com/NAQP-Rules.pdf</a>
16	1800 17 2100	50,144	CQ Worldwide VHF Contest	CW Ph Dig	4-char grid square	<a href="http://www.cqww-vhf.com">www.cqww-vhf.com</a>
17	0900 17 1600	3.5-14	RSGB Low Power Contest	CW	RST, serial, power	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
18	0100 18 0300	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://qrptest.com/pigrun">qrptest.com/pigrun</a>
21	0030 21 0230	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://naqcc.info/sprint201607.html">naqcc.info/sprint201607.html</a>
21	1900 21 2030	3.5	RSGB 80 Meter Club Championship, Data	Dig	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
27	0000 27 0200	1.8-28	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	<a href="http://www.skccgroup.com">www.skccgroup.com</a>
30	1200 31 1200	3.5-28	RSGB IOTA Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, IOTA nr (if any)	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>

All dates refer to UTC and may be different from calendar dates 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. Mbr = Membership number. Serial = Sequential number of the contact. S/P/C = State, Province, DXCC Entity. XE = Mexican state. Data for Contest Corral is maintained on the WA7BNM Contest Calendar at [www.hornucopia.com/contestcal](http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal) and is extracted for publication in QST 2 months prior to the month of the contest. The ARRL gratefully acknowledges the support of Bruce Horn, WA7BNM, in providing this service.

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.