

# Contest Corral – December 2017

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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	2200	3	1600	1.8	ARRL 160-Meter Contest	CW	WVE: RST, ARRL/RAC section; DX: RST	<a href="http://www.arrl.org/160-meter">www.arrl.org/160-meter</a>
2	0600	2	0800	7-14	Wake-Up! QRP Sprint	CW	RST, serial, suffix of previous QSO	<a href="http://qrp.ru/contest/wakeup/333-wakeup-eng">qrp.ru/contest/wakeup/333-wakeup-eng</a>
2	1600	3	1559	3.5-28	TOPS Activity Contest	CW	RST, serial, club (if member)	<a href="http://proclub.ro/TAC%20Rules.html">proclub.ro/TAC%20Rules.html</a>
2	2000	3	1959	3.5-28	EPC Ukraine DX Contest	Dig	RSQ, Ukr Admin Region or serial	<a href="http://qrz.ru/contest/detail/261.html">qrz.ru/contest/detail/261.html</a>
3	0000	3	2359	28	Ten-Meter RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, state (W) or province (VE) or serial (DX)	<a href="http://www.rttycontesting.com">www.rttycontesting.com</a>
3	1300	3	1600	3.5-14	SARL Digital Contest	Dig	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.sarl.org.za">www.sarl.org.za</a>
5	0200	5	0400	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	<a href="http://arsqrp.blogspot.com">arsqrp.blogspot.com</a>
7	0000	7	0600	1.8	QRP ARCI Topband Sprint	CW Ph	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://www.qrparci.org">www.qrparci.org</a>
7	1800	7	2200	28	NRAU 10-Meter Activity Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 6-char grid square	<a href="http://nrau.net/activity-contests">nrau.net/activity-contests</a>
9	0000	10	2359	28	ARRL 10-Meter Contest	CW Ph	RST, state/province (W, VE, XE) or serial (DX)	<a href="http://www.arrl.org/10-meter">www.arrl.org/10-meter</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>
9	1600	10	1559	3.5-28	International Naval Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), club/mbr or serial	<a href="http://www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=16">www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=16</a>
9	2300	17	2300	1.8-7	AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party	CW	RST, name, QTH, equipment name and type	<a href="http://www.antiquewireless.org">www.antiquewireless.org</a>
10	2000	10	2359	1.8-28	QRP ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr, power	<a href="http://www.qrparci.org">www.qrparci.org</a>
10	2100	10	2259	14	CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run	CW	RST, SPC	<a href="http://www.coloradoqrpclub.org">www.coloradoqrpclub.org</a>
11	0100	11	0300	1.8-28	4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://www.4sqrp.com">www.4sqrp.com</a>
13	0130	13	0330	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://naqcc.info">naqcc.info</a>
15	2000	15	2359	1.8	Russian 160-Meter Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), Oblast code or serial	<a href="http://qrz.ru/contest/detail/90.html">qrz.ru/contest/detail/90.html</a>
15	2100	15	2359	3.5-7	AGB-Party Contest	CW Ph Dig	RST, serial, mbr (if any)	<a href="http://ev5agb.com/contest/agb_party.htm">ev5agb.com/contest/agb_party.htm</a>
16	0000	16	2359	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	0000	16	2359	3.5-28	OK DX RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, CQ Zone	<a href="http://okrtty.crk.cz/index.php?page=english">okrtty.crk.cz/index.php?page=english</a>
16	1200	16	2359	3.5-28	Padang DX Contest	Ph	RST, serial	<a href="http://padang.qrzyb.com">padang.qrzyb.com</a>
16	1400	17	1400	1.8-28	Croatian CW Contest	CW	RST, serial	<a href="http://9acw.org">9acw.org</a>
17	1800	17	2359	3.5-50	ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW	CW	Name, 2-digit year licensed, SPC	<a href="http://www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup">www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup</a>
18	0200	18	0400	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://qrpcontest.com/pigrun">qrpcontest.com/pigrun</a>
21	0130	21	0330	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://naqcc.info">naqcc.info</a>
24	0000	24	1159	3.5-28	RAEM Contest	CW	Serial, latitude, longitude (e.g., 57N 85W)	<a href="http://raem.srr.ru/en/main">raem.srr.ru/en/main</a>
26	0830	26	1059	3.5-7	DARC Christmas Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), DOK or serial	<a href="http://www.darc.de/?id=820">www.darc.de/?id=820</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	0000	30	2359	1.8-144	RAC Winter Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), province/territory or serial	<a href="http://wp.rac.ca">wp.rac.ca</a>
30	1500	31	1500	1.8	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	CW	4-char grid square	<a href="http://www.kkn.net/stew">www.kkn.net/stew</a>
31	1200	31	2359	3.5-7	Bogor Old and New Contest	Ph	RS, operator age	<a href="http://www.orari-bogor.org">www.orari-bogor.org</a>

All dates refer to UTC and may be different from calendar dates in North America. No contest activity occurs on the 60-, 30-, 17-, and 12-meter bands. Mbr = Membership number. Serial = Sequential number of the contact. SPC = State, Province, DXCC Entity. XE = Mexican state. 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. 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. ARRL gratefully acknowledges the support of Bruce Horn, WA7BNM, in providing this service.