

Contest Corral – October 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 Date-Time	Finish Date-Time	Bands	Contest Name	Mode	Exchange	Sponsor's Website
1 0000	1 0400	3.5-14	North American SSB Sprint	Ph	Other's call, your call, serial, name, SPC	ssbsprint.com/rules
1 0600	1 0900	3.5	UBA ON Contest, SSB	Ph	RS, serial, ON Section (if any)	www.uba.be/en
1 1300	4 0800	1.8-144	Classic Exchange, Phone	Ph	Name, RS, SPC, radio	www.classicexchange.org
1 2000	1 2200	7-21	Peanut Power QRP Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), SPC, mbr or power	www.nogaqrp.org
2 0800	8 2000	All	IQRP Quarterly Marathon	CW Ph Dig	RS(T)	www.arimontebelluna.it
3 0100	3 0300	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	arsqrp.blogspot.com
3 0700	3 1000	3.5-7	German Telegraphy Contest	CW	RST, LDK (if any)	www.agcw.org/index.php/en
4 1900	4 2300	432	432 MHz Fall Sprint	CW Ph Dig	6-char grid square	svhfs.org
4 2000	4 2100	3.5	UKEICC 80-Meter Contest	Ph	4-char grid square	www.ukeicc.com
5 1700	5 2000	3.5	SARL 80-Meter QSO Party	Ph	RS, serial, grid locator	www.sarl.org.za
5 1700	5 2100	28	NRAU 10-Meter Activity Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 6-char grid square	www.nrau.net
6 1400	8 0200	Any	YLRL DX/NA YL Anniversary Contest	CW Ph Dig	Serial, RS(T), section/province/country)	ylrl.org
7 0000	8 2359	50-1296	ARRL EME Contest	CW Ph Dig	Signal report	www.arrl.org/eme-contest
7 0600	8 1800	3.5-28	GTC CW Cup	Ph	RST, mbr or "NM"	www.raag.org
7 0800	7 1400	902 and up	Microwave Fall Sprint	CW Ph Dig	6-char grid square	svhfs.org
7 0800	8 0800	1.8-28	Oceania DX Contest, Phone	Ph	RS, serial	www.oceaniadxcontest.com
7 1200	8 1159	1.8-28	Russian WW Digital Contest	Dig	RST(Q), Oblast code or serial	www.rdrclub.ru
7 1200	8 1200	3.5-28	TRC DX Contest	CW Ph	RST, "TRC" or ITU zone	www.trcdx.org/trcdxc
7 1200	8 2359	1.8-50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
7 1600	8 1100	3.5-7	International HELL-Contest	Dig	RST, serial	darc.de/der-club/referate/ukw-funk-sport
7 1600	8 2200	1.8-28	California QSO Party	CW Ph	Serial, county or SPC	www.cqp.org/Rules.html
7 1700	7 2100	3.5-28	FISTS Fall Slow Speed Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	fistsna.org
7 1900	8 1900	14-28	WAB HF Phone	Ph	RS, serial, WAB square or country	wab.intermip.net
8 0500	8 2300	3.5-28	RSGB DX Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
8 0530	8 0800	3.5	UBA ON Contest, CW	CW	RST, serial, ON Section (if any)	www.uba.be/en
8 0800	8 1000	50	UBA ON Contest, 6 Meters	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, ON Section (if any)	www.uba.be/en
9 0000	9 0200	1.8-28	4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), SPC, mbr or power	www.4sqrp.com/SSS
9 1900	9 2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Autumn Series, CW	CW	Other's call, your call, serial, name	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
10 0001	10 2359	28	10-10 International 10-10 Day Sprint	CW Ph Dig	Name, mbr or "0," SPC	www.ten-ten.org
11 0030	11 0230	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	naqcc.info
14 0000	15 1559	3.5-28	Makrothen RTTY Contest	Dig	4-char grid square	www.pl259.org/makrothen/makrothen-rules
14 0800	15 0800	1.8-28	Oceania DX Contest, CW	CW	RST, serial	www.oceaniadxcontest.com
14 1200	15 1200	3.5-28	Scandinavian Activity Contest, SSB	Ph	RST, serial	sactest.net/blog/rules
14 1600	15 2200	1.8-144	Pennsylvania QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	Serial, county or SPC	www.nittany-arc.net
14 1600	15 2359	1.8-144	Arizona QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	Serial, county or SPC	www.azqso.org
14 1700	14 2100	3.5-28	FISTS Fall Unlimited Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	www.fistsna.org
14 2000	15 2000	1.8	PODXS 070 Club 160-Meter Great Pumpkin Sprint	Dig	RST, SPC	www.podxs070.com
15 0000	15 0200	14-21	Asia-Pacific Fall Sprint, CW	CW	RST, serial	jsfc.org/apsprint/aprule.txt
15 0700	15 1000	144	UBA ON Contest, 2 Meters	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, ON Section (if any)	www.uba.be/en
16 0100	16 0300	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrpcontest.com/pigrun
16 1300	20 2359	All (no WARC)	ARRL School Club Roundup	CW Ph	RS(T), Class (I/C/S), SPC	www.arrl.org/school-club-roundup
16 1900	17 0300	1.8-UHF	Telephone Pioneers QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), Chapter number (if any), name	www.tpqso.com
18 1900	18 2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Autumn Series, Data	Dig	Other's call, your call, serial, name	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
20 1600	20 2000	1.8-7	MCG Autumn Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), serial	mcg-club.ru/index-eng.html
21 0000	22 2359	3.5-28	JARTS WW RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, operator age	jarts.jp/rules2017.html
21 0001	22 2359	28	10-10 International Fall Contest, CW	CW	Name, mbr or "0," SPC	www.ten-ten.org
21 0700	21 2159	3.5-28	RCB XYL Test	Ph	RS, serial, OM/YL	www.radioclubbergantinos.es
21 1400	22 0200	All	New York QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), county or SPC	www.nyqp.org
21 1500	22 1459	3.5-28	Worked All Germany Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), DOK area code or "NM" or serial	darc.de/der-club/referate/ukw-funk-sport
21 1500	22 1500	1.8	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	CW	4-char grid square	www.kkn.net/stew
21 1800	22 1800	1.8-144	South Dakota QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), county or SPC	www.kb0wsw.com/SDQP
21 2000	21 2359	1.8-50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dig	RST, mbr (if any), SPC, grid	sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub
22 1700	23 0100	1.8-144	Illinois QSO Party	Ph	RS(T), county or SPC	www.w9awe.org/LLQP.html
22 1900	22 2030	3.5	RSGB RoLo, CW	CW	RST, previous 6-char grid square received	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
25 0000	25 0200	1.8-28	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	www.skccgroup.com
25 2000	25 2100	3.5	UKEICC 80-Meter Contest	CW	4-char grid square	www.ukeicc.com
26 1900	26 2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Autumn Series, SSB	Ph	Other's call, your call, serial, name	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
26 0000	29 1600	50, 144	Araucaria VHF Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), 6-char grid square	www.avhfc.com
28 0000	29 2359	1.8-28	CQ Worldwide DX Contest, SSB	Ph	RS, CQ Zone	www.cqww.com/rules.htm

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 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. 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.