

Contest Corral

July 2025

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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		Bands	Contest Name	Mode	Exchange	Sponsor's Website
Date-Time	Date-Time					
1 0000	1 2359	1.8-28,50,144	RAC Canada Day Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), VE prov/terr or serial	www.rac.ca
1 0100	1 0159	1.8-28,50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM-YL-youth YL-youth)	wwsac.com/rules.html
1 0300	1 0400	1.8-28	QCX Challenge	CW	RST, name, SPC, rig type	www.qrp-labs.com
1 0300	1 0400	1.8-28	ICWC Medium Speed Test	CW	Name, serial	internationalcwcouncil.org/mst-contest
2 1700	2 2100	144	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid	www.ft8activity.eu
3 0000	4 0300	7	Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or pwr; 13 WPM max	qrpcontest.com/pigwalk40
3 1800	3 2200	28	NRAU 10m Activity Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 6-char grid	nrau.net
3 1900	3 2100	1.8-28,50	SKCC Sprint Europe	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
4 0100	4 0130	1.8-28,50	NCCC FT4 Sprint	Dig	4-char grid	www.ncccsprint.com/ft4ns.html
5 0000	5 2359	1.8-28	Venezuelan Independence Day Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), serial	radioclubvenezolano.org
5 0000	5 2359	1.8-28,50	FOC Old School Classic 1960s QSO Party	CW	Actual RST, 3-letter class, year first licensed, name	www.g4foc.org
5 0800	6 1100	3.5	NZART Memorial Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial	www.nzart.org.nz
5 1200	6 1200	50,144	CQ Worldwide VHF SSB/CW Contest	CW Ph	4-char grid	www.cqww-vhf.com
5 1200	6 1200	50,144,432	TA VHF/UHF Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, 6-char grid	trac.org.tr
5 1400	6 1400	1.8-28	Marconi Memorial HF Contest	CW	RS(T), serial	www.arifano.it
5 1500	6 1500	3.5-14	Original QRP Contest	CW Ph	RST + serial + "/" + pwr category	www.qrpcc.de
5 2000	6 2000	7	PODXS 070 Club 40m Firecracker Sprint	Dig	RST, SPC	www.podxs070.com
7 1630	7 1729	3.5,7	OK1WC Memorial (MWC)	CW	RST, serial	memorial-ok1wc.cz
7 1900	7 2030	3.5	RSGB 80m Club Championship, CW	CW	RS(T), serial	www.rsgbcc.org
8 0000	8 0200	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, pwr	ars-qrp.com
8 0100	8 0159	1.8-28,50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM-YL-youth YL-youth)	wwsac.com/rules.html
8 1800	8 1929	3.5,7	DARC RTTY Sprint	Dig	RST, (DOK/"NM") or serial	www.darc.de
9 1145	9 1300	1.8-28	A1Club AWT	CW	RST, name	a1club.org/contest/awt
9 1700	9 2100	432	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid	www.ft8activity.eu
12 1200	13 1200	1.8-28	IARU HF World Championship	CW Ph	RS(T), IARU HQ soc or ITU zone	www.arrl.org/iaru-hf-world-championship
12 1200	13 2359	1.8-28,50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
13 2000	13 2300	1.8-28	QRP ARCI Summer Homebrew Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or pwr	qrparki.org
14 0000	14 0200	1.8-28	4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), SPC, mbr or pwr	www.4sqrp.com
15 0100	15 0159	1.8-28,50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM-YL-youth YL-youth)	wwsac.com/rules.html
16 1700	16 2100	1.2G	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid	www.ft8activity.eu
16 1900	16 2030	3.5	RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB	Ph	RS + serial	www.rsgbcc.org
17 0000	18 0300	14	Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or pwr; 13 WPM max	qrpcontest.com/pigwalk20
17 0030	17 0230	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, (NAQCC No./pwr)	naqcc.info/sprint_rules.html
17 1900	17 2000	3.5-14	NTC QSO Party	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or pwr	pi4ntc.nl/ntcqp
18 0145	18 0215	3.5-28	Weekly RTTY Test	Dig	Name, SPC	radiosport.world/wrt.html
19 0000	20 2359	1.8-28	LABRE DX Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), 2-ltr state or 2-ltr continent	www.labre.org.br
19 0700	19 1459	7,14,21,28	Russian Radio Team Championship	CW Ph	RS(T), mbr code or ITU zone	srr.ru
19 0800	19 1400	1.8-7	Trans-Tasman Low-Bands Challenge	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), serial	www.wia.org.au
19 1000	19 2159	3.5-28	YOTA Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), age	yotacountest.mrasz.org
19 1200	19 1359	1.8-28,50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dig	RST, mbr, SPC, 4-char grid	sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub
19 1200	20 1200	50,144	CQ Worldwide VHF Digital Contest	Dig	4-char grid	www.cqww-vhf.com
19 1400	20 1400	70	IARU Region 1 70 MHz Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, 6-char grid	www.iau-r1.org
19 1800	20 0559	3.5-28	North American QSO Party, RTTY	Dig	Name, SPC	www.ncjweb.com
20 0900	20 1600	3.5-14	RSGB International Low Power Contest	CW	RST, serial, pwr	www.rsgbcc.org
20 2300	21 0100	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or pwr	qrpcontest.com/pigrun
22 0100	22 0159	1.8-28,50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM-YL-youth YL-youth)	wwsac.com/rules.html
23 0000	23 0200	1.8-28,50	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
24 1900	24 2030	3.5	RSGB 80m Club Championship, Data	Dig	RS(T), serial	www.rsgbcc.org
26 0000	27 2359	1.8-28,50,144	MARAC US Counties QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), state and county or "DX"	www.marac.org
26 0000	27 2359	28	FRAPR 10M Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), pwr	www.frapr.org
26 1200	27 1200	3.5-28	RSGB IOTA Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, IOTA no.	www.rsgbcc.org
26 1200	27 1200	50	ARAM 50 MHz Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, 6-char grid	www.aram.pt
26 1500	27 0300	3.5-28	Alabama QSO Party	CW Ph	RS(T), AL county or SPC	alabamacontestgroup.org
27 1700	27 2100	7,14,21,28	ARS Flight of the Bumblebees	CW	RST, SPC, pwr, or Bumblebee number	ars-qrp.com
28 1900	28 2100	3.5-28	RSGB FT4 Contest	Dig	Signal report	www.rsgbcc.org
29 0100	29 0159	1.8-28,50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM-YL-youth YL-youth)	wwsac.com/rules.html

There are a number of weekly contests not included in the table above. For more info, visit: www.qrpfoxhunt.org, www.ncccsprint.com, and www.cwops.org. All dates and times refer to UTC and may be different from calendar dates in North America. Contests are not conducted on the 60-, 30-, 17-, or 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.contestcalendar.com 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.*