

Contest Corral – December 2015

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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
3	0000	3	0600	1.8	QRP ARCI Topband Sprint	CW Ph	RST, SPC, mbr, or power	www.qrparci.org
3	1800	3	2200	28	NRAU 10m Activity Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 6-ch grid square	www.nrau.net/activity-contests
4	2200	6	1600	1.8	ARRL 160 Meter Contest	CW	RST, ARRL/RAC Section	www.arrl.org/160-meter
5	0000	5	2359	1.8-28	TARA RTTY Melee	Dig	W/VE: RST, SP: DX: RST, serial	www.n2ty.org/seasons
5	0600	5	0800	7, 14	Wake-Up! QRP Sprint	CW	RST, serial, suffix of previous QSO	qrp.ru/contest/wakeup
5	1600	6	1559	3.5-28	TOPS Activity Contest	CW	RST, serial, TOPS club (if any)	www.yo2rr.ro/TAC%20Rules.html
5	2300	13	2300	1.8-7	AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party	CW	RST, name, QTH, eqpt year, xmtr type	www.antiquewireless.org
6	0000	6	2359	28	Ten-Meter RTTY Contest	Dig	W/VE: RST, state/province. DX: RST, serial	www.rttycontesting.com
6	1300	6	1600	3.5-14	SARL Digital Contest	Dig	RST, serial	www.sarl.org.za
6	2100	6	2259	14	CQC Great CO Snowshoe Run	CW	RST, SPC, antenna, mbr, or power	www.cqc.org/contests
8	0100	8	0300	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	www.arsqrp.blogspot.com
9	0130	9	0330	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr, or power	naqcc.info/sprint201512.html
12	0000	13	2359	28	ARRL 10 Meter Contest	CW Ph	W/VE/XE: RST, state or province. DX: RST, serial	www.arrl.org/10-meter
12	1200	13	2359	1.8-50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr, or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
12	1600	13	1559	3.5-28	International Naval Contest	CW Ph	Naval Club member: RS(T), club, mbr. Others: RS(T), serial	www.marinefunker.de
13	2000	13	2359	1.8-28	QRP ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr, or power	www.qrparci.org
17	0130	17	0330	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr, or power	naqcc.info/sprint201512.html
18	2000	18	2359	1.8	Russian 160 Meter Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), Oblast, or serial	qrz.ru/contest/detail/90.html
18	2100	18	2359	3.5	AGB-Party Contest	CW Ph Dig	RST, serial, mbr (if any)	www.ev5agb.com/contest
19	0000	19	2359	1.8-7,21-50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dig	RST, mbr, SPC, grid	sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub
19	0000	19	2359	3.5-28	OK DX RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, CQ Zone	okrtty.crk.cz
19	0000	19	2359	1.8-144	RAC Winter Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), province/territory, or serial	wp.rac.ca/?s=winter+contest
19	1400	20	1400	1.8-28	Croatian CW Contest	CW	RST, serial	9acw.org/index.php/rules/english
20	1800	20	2359	3.5-50	ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW	CW	Name, 2-digit year first licensed, SPC	www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup
21	0200	21	0400	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr, or power	fpqrp.org/pigrun
23	0000	23	0200	1.8-28	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr, or power	www.skccgroup.com
26	0830	26	1059	3.5, 7	DARC Christmas Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), DOK, or serial	darc.de/referate/dx/contest/xmas/en
26	1200	27	1159	3.5-28	World Wide Iron Ham Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), CQ Zone	ironham.com.br/?page_id=22
26	1500	27	1500	1.8	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	CW	4-ch grid square	www.kkn.net/stew
27	0000	27	1159	3.5-28	RAEM Contest	CW	Serial, latitude, longitude (e.g. 57N 85E)	raem.srr.ru/contest/raem_2014

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. 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.