

# Contest Corral

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Start - Finish		Bands	Contest Name	Mode	Exchange	Sponsor's Website	
Date-Time	Date-Time						
1	0600	2 0559	3.5-28	Worked All Provinces of China DX Contest	CW	RS(T), Chinese province or serial	<a href="http://www.mulandxc.com">www.mulandxc.com</a>
1	0600	2 0600	1.8-28	Oceania DX Contest, Phone	Ph	RS, serial	<a href="http://www.oceaniadxcontest.com">www.oceaniadxcontest.com</a>
1	1200	2 1159	1.8-28	Russian WW Digital Contest	Dg	RST(Q), oblast code or serial	<a href="http://www.rdrclub.ru">www.rdrclub.ru</a>
1	1400	2 1400	See rules	IARU Region 1 UHF Microwaves Contest	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), serial, 6-char grid square	<a href="http://www.iaru-r1.org">www.iaru-r1.org</a>
1	1600	2 1100	3.5,7	International HELL-Contest	Hell	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.darc.de">www.darc.de</a>
1	1600	2 2200	1.8-28	California QSO Party	CW,Ph	Serial, CA county or SPC	<a href="http://www.cqp.org/Rules.html">www.cqp.org/Rules.html</a>
1	1800	2 1800	No WARC	SKCC QSO Party	CW	RST, SPC, name, 4-char grid square	<a href="http://www.skccgroup.com">www.skccgroup.com</a>
2	0600	2 0900	3.5	UBA ON Contest, SSB	Ph	RS, serial, ON section (if ON)	<a href="http://www.uba.be">www.uba.be</a>
2	0600	2 1800	3.5-28	RSGB DX Contest	CW,Ph	RS(T), serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org">www.rsgbcc.org</a>
2	2200	2 2359	3.5-14	Peanut Power QRP Sprint	CW,Ph	RS(T), SPC, peanut no. or power	<a href="http://www.nogaqrp.org">www.nogaqrp.org</a>
3	1900	3 2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Autumn Series, CW	CW	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
4	0100	4 0300	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	<a href="http://arsqrp.blogspot.com">arsqrp.blogspot.com</a>
5	1900	5 2300	432	432 MHz Fall Sprint	CW,Ph,Dg	4-char grid square	<a href="http://svhfs.org">svhfs.org</a>
5	2000	5 2100	3.5	UKEICC 80-Meter Contest	Ph	6-char grid square	<a href="http://www.ukeicc.com">www.ukeicc.com</a>
6	1700	6 1900	3.5	SARL 80-Meter QSO Party	Ph	RS, serial, grid square or QTH	<a href="http://www.sarl.org.za">www.sarl.org.za</a>
6	1700	6 2100	28	NRAU 10-Meter Activity Contest	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), 6-char grid square	<a href="http://nrrlcontest.no">nrrlcontest.no</a>
6	1900	6 2100	1.8-28,50	SKCC Sprint Europe	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	<a href="http://www.skccgroup.com">www.skccgroup.com</a>
8	0000	9 1559	3.5-28	Makrothen RTTY Contest	Dg	4-char grid square	<a href="http://www.pl259.org">www.pl259.org</a>
8	0000	8 2359	1.8-28	QRP ARCI Fall QSO Party	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://qrparci.org">qrparci.org</a>
8	0300	9 2100	1.8-28, V/U	Nevada QSO Party	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), NV county or ARRL/RAC section	<a href="http://nvqso.com">nvqso.com</a>
8	0600	9 0600	1.8-28	Oceania DX Contest, CW	CW	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.oceaniadxcontest.com">www.oceaniadxcontest.com</a>
8	0800	8 1400	902 and above	Microwave Fall Sprint	CW,Ph,Dg	6-char grid square	<a href="http://svhfs.org">svhfs.org</a>
8	1200	9 1200	3.5-28	Scandinavian Activity Contest, SSB	Ph	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.sactest.net">www.sactest.net</a>
8	1200	9 2359	1.8-28,50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	<a href="http://www.skccgroup.com">www.skccgroup.com</a>
8	1500	9 0500	1.8-28	Arizona QSO Party	CW,Ph	RS(T), AZ county, or SPC	<a href="http://www.azqp.org">www.azqp.org</a>
8	1600	9 2200	No WARC	Pennsylvania QSO Party	CW,Ph	Serial, PA county, or ARRL/RAC section	<a href="http://paqso.org">paqso.org</a>
8	1800	9 1800	1.8-28, 50,144	South Dakota QSO Party	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), SD county, or SPC	<a href="http://www.sdqsoparty.com">www.sdqsoparty.com</a>
8	2000	9 2000	1.8	PODXS 070 Club 160-Meter Great Pumpkin Sprint	Dg	RST, SPC	<a href="http://www.podxs070.com">www.podxs070.com</a>
9	0600	9 0900	3.5	UBA ON Contest, CW	CW	RST, serial, ON section (if ON)	<a href="http://www.uba.be">www.uba.be</a>
10	0000	10 0200	1.8-28	4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	CW,Ph	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://www.4sqrp.com">www.4sqrp.com</a>
10	0001	10 2359	28	10-10 International 10-10 Day Sprint	CW,Ph,Dg	Name, mbr or "0," SPC	<a href="http://www.ten-ten.org">www.ten-ten.org</a>
12	0030	12 0230	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://naqcc.info">naqcc.info</a>
12	1900	12 2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Autumn Series, Data	Dg	RST, serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
15	0000	16 2359	50-1296	ARRL EME Contest	CW,Ph,Dg	Signal report	<a href="http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest">www.arrl.org/eme-contest</a>
15	0000	16 2359	3.5-28	JARTS WW RTTY Contest	Dg	RST, age of operator	<a href="http://jarts.jp/rules2022.html">jarts.jp/rules2022.html</a>
15	0001	16 2359	28	10-10 International Fall Contest, CW	CW	Name, mbr or "0," SPC	<a href="http://www.ten-ten.org">www.ten-ten.org</a>
15	1400	16 0200	No WARC	New York QSO Party	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), NY county or SPC	<a href="http://www.nyqp.org">www.nyqp.org</a>
15	1500	16 1459	3.5-28	Worked All Germany Contest	CW,Ph	RS(T), DOK or "NM" or serial	<a href="http://www.darc.de">www.darc.de</a>
15	2000	15 2359	1.8-7,21, 28,50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dg	RST, mbr, SPC, grid square	<a href="http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/">sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/</a>
15	2130	15 2230	7	Argentina National 7 MHz Contest	Ph	RS, 2-digit year first licensed	<a href="http://www.lu4aa.org">www.lu4aa.org</a>
16	0000	16 0200	14,21	Asia-Pacific Fall Sprint, CW	CW	RST, serial	<a href="http://jsfc.org">jsfc.org</a>
16	0700	16 1000	144	UBA ON Contest, 2 Meters	CW,Ph	RS(T), serial, ON section (if ON)	<a href="http://www.uba.be">www.uba.be</a>
16	1700	17 0100	1.8-28, 50,144	Illinois QSO Party	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), IL county or SPC	<a href="http://w9awe.org/ilqp">w9awe.org/ilqp</a>
16	1900	16 2030	3.5	RSGB RoLo CW	CW	RST, previous 6-char grid square recd	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
16	2300	17 0100	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	<a href="http://qrcontest.com/pigrun">qrcontest.com/pigrun</a>
17	1300	21 2359	No WARC	ARRL School Club Roundup	CW,Ph,Dg	RS(T), class (I/C/S), SPC	<a href="http://www.arrl.org/school-club-roundup">www.arrl.org/school-club-roundup</a>
17	1900	17 2030	3.5-14	RSGB FT4 Contest	FT4	4-char grid square	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
20	1900	20 2000	3.5-14	NTC QSO Party	CW	NTC member: RST, mbr; non-member: RST, "NM," less than 25 WPM	<a href="http://qsl.net/ntc/party.html">qsl.net/ntc/party.html</a>
21	1700	23 0100	1.8-28, V/U	Telephone Pioneers QSO Party	CW,Ph,Dg	Chapter nr or RS(T), name	<a href="http://www.tpqso.com">www.tpqso.com</a>
22	0000	23 2359	1.8-28	YBDXPI FT8 Contest	FT8	4-char grid square	<a href="http://contest.ybdxpi.net/rules">contest.ybdxpi.net/rules</a>
22	1200	23 1200	3.5-28	UK/EI DX Contest, SSB	Ph	RS, serial, district code, or serial	<a href="http://www.ukeicc.com/dx-contest-rules.php">www.ukeicc.com/dx-contest-rules.php</a>
22	1400	24 0200	No WARC	YLRL DX/NA YL Anniversary Contest	CW,Ph,Dg	Serial, RS(T), ARRL section or PC	<a href="http://ylrl.net/contests">ylrl.net/contests</a>
22	1500	23 1500	1.8	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	CW	4-char grid square	<a href="http://www.kkn.net/stew">www.kkn.net/stew</a>
23	0000	23 0400	3.5-14	North American SSB Sprint Contest	Ph	Other's call, your call, serial, name, SPC	<a href="http://ssbsprint.com/rules">ssbsprint.com/rules</a>
23	1300	26 0700	1.8-28, 50,144	Classic Exchange, CW	CW	Name, RST, SPC, radio model	<a href="http://www.classicexchange.org">www.classicexchange.org</a>
26	0000	26 0200	1.8-28,50	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	<a href="http://www.skccgroup.com">www.skccgroup.com</a>
26	2000	26 2100	3.5	UKEICC 80-Meter Contest	CW	6-char grid square	<a href="http://www.ukeicc.com">www.ukeicc.com</a>
27	1900	27 2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Autumn Series, SSB	Ph	RS, serial	<a href="http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf">www.rsgbcc.org/hf</a>
28	1600	28 2359	3.5-14,21	Zombie Shuffle	CW	RS(T), SPC, Zombie nr or area code, name	<a href="http://www.zianet.com/qrp">www.zianet.com/qrp</a>
29	0000	30 2359	1.8-28	CQ Worldwide DX Contest, SSB	Ph	RS, CQ Zone	<a href="http://www.cqww.com">www.cqww.com</a>

There are a number of weekly contests not included in the table above. For more info, visit: [www.qrpfhoxhunt.org](http://www.qrpfhoxhunt.org), [www.ncccsprint.com](http://www.ncccsprint.com), and [www.cwops.org](http://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](http://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.