

Contest Corral

December 2022

Check for updates and a downloadable PDF version online at www.arrl.org/contest-calendar.

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	1 300	1.8	QRP ARCI Topband Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrparci.org/contest
1	0000	2 300	7	Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	Max 13 WPM; RST, SPC, name, mbr or power	qrcontest.com/pigwalk40
1	0300	1 400	1.8-28	CWops Test (CWT)	CW	Name, mbr or SPC or "CWA"	cwops.org/cwops-tests
1	0700	1 800	1.8-28	CWops Test (CWT)	CW	Name, mbr or SPC or "CWA"	cwops.org/cwops-tests
1	1700	1 1900	3.5-14	RTTYops Weeksprint	Dig	Other station's call, your call, serial, name	rttyops.com
1	2000	1 2200	1.8-28, 50	SKCC Sprint Europe	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
2	2000	2 2100	1.8-28	K1USN Slow Speed Test	CW	Max 20 WPM, name, SPC	www.k1usn.com/sst.html
2	2200	4 1600	1.8	ARRL 160-Meter Contest	CW	W/VE: RST, section; DX: RST	www.arrl.org/160-meter
3	0600	3 800	7 14	Wake-Up! QRP Sprint	CW	RST, serial, suffix of previous QSO	qrp.ru/contest/wakeup
3	1200	4 1159	3.5-28	PRO CW Contest	CW	RST, serial, "M" if member	www.procontestclub.ro
3	1800	4 2359	3.5-28	FT Roundup	Dig	W/VE: RST, state/province; DX: RST, serial	www.rttycontesting.com
5	0000	5 100	1.8-28	K1USN Slow Speed Test	CW	Max 20 WPM; name, SPC	www.k1usn.com/sst.html
6	0100	6 159	1.8-28, 50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM, YL, Youth YL or Youth)	wwsac.com/rules.html
6	0200	6 400	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	arsqrp.blogspot.com
6	1700	6 1900	3.5-14	RTTYops Weeksprint	Dig	Other station's call, your call, serial, name	rttyops.com
7	0230	7 300	1.8-14, 21	Phone Weekly Test	Ph	Name, SPC	www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Contest_Rules.pdf
7	1300	7 1400	1.8-28	CWops Test (CWT)	CW	Name, mbr or SPC or "CWA"	cwops.org/cwops-tests
7	1700	7 2100	144	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid square	www.ft8activity.eu/index.php/en
7	1900	7 2000	1.8-28	CWops Test (CWT)	CW	Name, mbr or SPC or "CWA"	cwops.org/cwops-tests
8	1700	8 1900	3.5-14	RTTYops Weeksprint	Dig	Other station's call, your call, serial, name	rttyops.com
10	0000	11 2359	28	ARRL 10-Meter Contest	CW Ph	W/VE/XE: RST, state/province; DX: RST, serial	www.arrl.org/10-meter
10	0000	12 2359	1.8-7	PODXS 070 Club Triple Play Low Band Sprint	Dig	RST, SPC	www.podxs070.com
10	0600	11 1800	1.8-28	TRC Digi Contest	Dig	RST, serial, "TRC" if member	trcdx.org/rules-trc-digi
10	1200	11 2359	1.8-28, 50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, member or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
10	1300	11 1300	3.5, 7	ARI 40/80 Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 2-letter province code	www.ari.it/en/contest-hf
10	1600	11 1559	3.5-28	International Naval Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), mbr (and club) or serial	www.marinefreunde.com
11	2000	11 2300	1.8-28	QRP ARCI Holiday Spirits Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrparci.org/contest
11	2100	11 2259	14	CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run	CW	RST, SPC	www.coloradoqrpclub.org/contests
12	0100	12 300	1.8-28	4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), SPC, mbr or power	www.4sqrp.com
14	0130	14 330	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	naqcc.info
14	1700	14 2100	432	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid square	www.ft8activity.eu/index.php/en
15	0000	16 300	14	Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	Max 13 WPM; RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrcontest.com/pigwalk20
16	1600	16 1700	3.5, 7	AGB-Party Contest	CW Ph Dig	RST, serial, mbr (if member)	www.ev5agb.com/contest/agb_party.htm
16	1800	16 2200	1.8	Russian 160-Meter Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), oblast code or serial	www.topband.ru/rules.htm
17	0000	17 2359	1.8-28, 50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dig	RST, mbr, SPC, grid	sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub
17	0000	17 2359	3.5-28	OK DX RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, CQ Zone	okrtty.crk.cz/index.php?page=english
17	0000	17 2359	1.8-28, 50, 144	RAC Winter Contest	CW Ph	VE: RS(T), province/territory; Non-VE: RS(T), serial	www.rac.ca/contesting-results
17	1400	18 1400	1.8-28	Croatian CW Contest	CW	RST, serial	9acw.org/index.php/rules
17	1500	18 1500	1.8	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	CW	4-char grid square	www.kkn.net/stew
18	1800	18 2359	3.5-28	ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW	CW	Name, 2-digit year first licensed, SPC	www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup
18	2300	19 100	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrcontest.com/pigrun
21	0130	21 330	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	naqcc.info
21	1700	21 2100	1.2 G	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid square	www.ft8activity.eu/index.php/en
25	0000	25 1159	3.5-28	RAEM Contest	CW	Serial, latitude and longitude (e.g., 57N 85O)	raem.srr.ru/rules
26	0830	26 1059	3.5, 7	DARC Christmas Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), DOK (or "NM" if not a DARC member), serial	www.darc.de/der-club/referate/conteste
28	0000	28 200	1.8-28, 50	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
30	1200	30 2359	3.5-28	YOTA Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), age (avg age for multi-ops)	www.ham-yota.com/contest
31	0900	31 2359	3.5, 7	Bogor Old and New Contest	Ph	RS, operator age	www.orari-bogor.org

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.