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### INDEXA Newsletter

The Summer 2025 issue (#145) of the International DX Association's Newsletter is now available for download on the INDEXA website at <https://indexa.org/newsletters.html>. Highlights include "Message from the President" by Otis Vicens, NP4G, "Yemen Humanitarian Efforts," "2025 CQ DX Hall of Fame" by Bob Schenck, N2OO, "Dateline DX Association and INDEXA Jointly Provide Humanitarian Aid to Basic School on Sao Tome e Principe" by Jose Araujo, CT1DSV, as well as DXpedition reports from 3D2Y (Rotuma Island 2024), 9L5A (Sierra Leone 2024), VK9XU and VK9CU (Christmas Island & Cocos-Keeling Islands 2025) and VU4AX (Andaman Islands 2025).

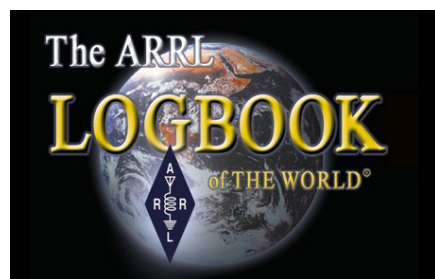
### The ARRL's Logbook of The World Returns to Service

1 July 2025

Dear LoTW user,

The ARRL, the National Association for Amateur Radio in the USA, will return Logbook of The World (LoTW) to service at 10:00 AM EDT on Wednesday 2 July 2025.

We are happy to be bringing the upgraded LoTW servers online, as we know radio amateurs around the world rely on LoTW to receive QSLs and apply for awards. The



improvements we made will make no change in

the visual appearance of LoTW but will provide enhanced performance and continued reliability of the system.

To those LoTW users who donated in response to my letter last week — thank you! Over \$4 000 was raised in this short time. But there is still work to be done and funding the ongoing operations of LoTW is critical.

### June

30 - International Asteroid Day and the end of the 2024/25 SARL Financial Year

### July

1 - Start of the 2025/26 SARL Financial Year and registration for the October RAE opens

5 - the SARL Newbie QSO Party, the ZS4SRK Club meeting and the ZS6PTA Flea Market

6 - World Rural Development Day and the ZS5 QSO Party

12 and 13 - the IARU HF Championships  
15 - World Youth Skills Day and Delville Wood Day

19 - the SARL Winter QRP Contest

20 - International Moon Day and the ZS2 QSO Party

22 - Provincial schools open

26 - the SARL Saturday 40 m Club Contest

26 and 27 - the RSGB IOTA Contest

28 and 29 - the Delta Aquarids Meteor Shower

30 - International Day of Friendship and the Sandton Power Hour Tech Talk

If you are not a member of ARRL, please join! There is no better way to support LoTW. If you would like to donate, there is still time for you to help! You can make your LoTW supporting gift of \$20, \$50, or more toward the [ARRL LoTW Fund](#) or visit [www.arrl.org/donate](http://www.arrl.org/donate) to support the maintenance and expansion of LoTW.

Thank you and very 73! David A. Minster, NA2AA, ARRL CEO

### **NCDXF's Grant to Club Log**

The Northern California DX Foundation is pleased to announce an 8 000 USD grant to Michael, G7VJR, for a hardware upgrade to Club Log.

“Club Log is a free service operating at a global scale, supporting 130 000 call signs and storing 1,25 billion QSOs. Every second of every day, a worldwide base of HF DXers relies on Club Log to enhance their enjoyment of the hobby. To many, Club Log's features and tools are integral to their pursuit of DX. To operate at this scale, Club Log uses high-end servers of the kind you might find in a major internet company's data centre. Paying for this has only been possible due to major foundations stepping in to give us the help needed. Our server equipment was last updated in 2019, and in the intervening time the use of data modes and our popular livestreams feature has expanded dramatically, putting higher and higher loads on our existing systems.

Now in 2025, we are about to renew and upgrade our equipment again – a daunting expense. Once again, though, NCDXF has stepped forward to support Club Log and give us the backing needed, giving us a grant of around 8 000 USD to cover all the equipment costs involved. Thanks to NCDXF, once the new servers are deployed, Club Log will be using cutting edge servers which are faster, more energy efficient and ready for years of high-endurance 24/7 work.

On behalf of Club Log and our users, I would like to express my gratitude to the Northern California DX Foundation for their renewed financial support and backing as we renew Club Log's infrastructure this year. Thanks to their help, Club Log can continue to grow, be reliable and ready for whatever the future holds for DXing in an era of innovation. 73, Michael G7VJR.”

### **DX from Africa**

(These count towards your All Africa Award)

Benin, TY. Members of the Russian DXpedition Team (RUDXT), who will be active from some Mozambique IOTAs as C93RRC and C94RRC (5 to 11 July) and as 9U1RU from Burundi (31 October to 17 November), have announced today that they are planning to be active as TY5AD near Kotonou, Benin. Dates have not been announced yet. Activity will be on 80 – 10 m using a vertical antenna and 100 W. Stay tuned for updates.

### **African Islands**

St Helena, ZD7. Tim, NOUI will be active as ZD7TIM from St Helena (AF-022) between 5 and 13 July. He will operate CW, SSB and maybe some RTTY on 40 to 10 metres, possibly also on 6 metres if conditions are good. QSL via LoTW, or via home call.

Mozambique, C91. Members of the Russian DXpedition Team (RUDXT) will be activating two IOTA islands in the month of July. The post the following info on their web page:

“Dear DXers! We are pleased to announce our upcoming IOTA expedition to the Republic of Mozambique, in South-East Africa. We have been planning this trip since 2022 but had to postpone each time due to the lack of logistics. Please note (!! ) that we are not giving any promises to anyone because it's quite a difficult and risky project! The success of this activity will highly depend on many factors: road conditions, local assistance, etc... We'll try to spend 6 - 7 days on each island, depending on local conditions, so the approx. schedule will be as follows: C94RRC (AF-103) ~ 5 to 11 July 2025 and C93RRC (AF-098) ~ 13 to 19 July 2025

Anyway, we'll be posting updates on regular basis. Hopefully, we'll be able to run at least 2 high-power stations 24/7 on CW, SSB and digital. Our goal is to work as many unique stations as possible, paying attention to distant regions and low pistols. You can Donate to this IOTA-project here. Thank you very much!! <https://dxpedition.wixsite.com/mozambique2025/donate>.”

The operators mentioned are Slav, OK8AU; Victor, UA3QLC and Vasily, R7AL. They will upload their QSOs to ClubLog at least twice a day. You can check your CFM using the form below or directly on ClubLog’s Web site. They will use "DXpedition Mode", so you can see all the statistics, best time to work them from your region, etc.... If you are not in the log, the best way is to try to work them again.

All missed QSOs/busted callsigns, etc emails must go to ([rv6ali@yandex.ru](mailto:rv6ali@yandex.ru)) and they will be processed only after the DXpedition! Check your QSOs.... C94RRC - <https://clublog.org/about.php> and C93RRC - <https://clublog.org/about.php>. You can use OQRS to request QSL-card. Direct OQRS will give you fast LoTW CFM when they get back from the DXpedition. They expect this to be 3-4 days after we QRT. For those who provided support before and during the expedition, a card will be sent to their home address automatically. Bureau QSL-card request is free of charge....



### Contest Calendar

This week's contests as compiled by Bruce Horn, WA7BNM. The period covered is from 23 to 30 June 2025.

K1USN Slow Speed Test  
 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 30 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - name and state, province or country  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each state, province or country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 2 July 2025  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>



QXC Challenge  
 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 30 June and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 1 July  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op  
 Max power: HP: >5 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST, name, state, province or country and rig  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with QXC station;  
 1 point per QSO with non-QXC station  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
 Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 6 July 2025

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.grp-labs.com/party.html>

ICWC Medium Speed Test

13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 30

June and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 1 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Name and QSO no

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each call once

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 3 July 2025

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<https://internationalcouncil.org/mst-contest/>



OK1WC Memorial (MWC)

16:30 - 17:29 UTC 30 June

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40 m

Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP or low; Single

Op Single Band - QRP or low

Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and serial no

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each last character of worked station call suffix once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 06:00 UTC 4 July 2025

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=logs>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=rules2>

RAC Canada Day Contest

00:00 - 23:59 UTC 1 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, Phone

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2 m

Classes: Single Op All Band - low or high; Single

Op Assisted All Band - low or high; Single Op All

Band CW; Single Op All Band Phone; Single Op

QRP; Single Op Single Band; Single Op Overlay;

Rookie; Multi-Single - low or high; Multi-Multi

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: VE: RS(T) and province/territory;

non-VE: RS(T) and serial no

Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with non-VE

stations; 10 points per QSO with VE stations;

20 points per QSO with RAC stations, including VE3RHQ

Multipliers: Each VE province/territory once per band per mode

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 15 July 2025

E-mail logs to: [canadaday@rac.ca](mailto:canadaday@rac.ca)

Upload log at: <https://contest.rac.ca/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <https://www.rac.ca/contesting-results/>

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest

01:00 - 01:59 UTC 1 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high - Overlay:  
Youth (26 years old or younger); Youth YL  
(female 26 years old or younger); YL (female  
older than 26 years)  
Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: RS and age group (OM, YL, Youth YL  
or Youth)  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with OM; 5 points  
per QSO with YL; 10 points per QSO with  
Youth; 15 points per QSO with Youth YL  
Multipliers: Each DXCC once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 01:59 UTC 2 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <https://logs.wwsac.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://wwsac.com/rules.html>

Phone Weekly Test  
02:30 - 03:00 UTC 2 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: SSB  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 m  
Classes: Single Op  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: NA: Name and state, province or  
country; non-NA: Name  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO; non-  
NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station  
Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7)  
once per band; Each VE province/territory  
once per band; Each North American country  
(except W/VE) once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 03:00 UTC 4 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
[http://www.perluma.com/Phone\\_Fray\\_Content\\_Rules.pdf](http://www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Content_Rules.pdf)

A1Club AWT  
11:45 - 13:00 UTC 2 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Member: RST and name  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 7 July 2025  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://a1club.org/contest/awt/>

## 13 Colonies Special Event = 2025



CWops Test (CWT)  
13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 2 July  
and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC and 07:00 - 08:00 UTC 3  
July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Awards: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Member: Name and member no or  
CWA; non-Member: Name and state, province  
or country  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 08:00 UTC 5 July 2025  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>

Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/>

Mini-Test 40  
17:00 - 17:59 UTC 2 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 40 m Only  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: RST and serial no  
Work stations: Once per 10-minute period  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 4 July 2025  
Upload log at: <https://ua9qcq.com/hf-logs.php>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://minitest.narod.ru/>



Mini-Test 80  
18:00 - 18:59 UTC 2 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 80 m Only  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: RST and serial no  
Work stations: Once per 10-minute period  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 4 July 2025  
Upload log at: <https://ua9qcq.com/hf-logs.php>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://minitest.narod.ru/>

Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest  
00:00 - 01:00 UTC 3 July and 02:00 - 03:00 UTC  
4 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 40 m Only  
Classes: Single Op  
Max power: 5 watts  
Exchange: Maximum 13 wpm – RST, state,  
province or country, name and member no or  
power  
Work stations: Once per day  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-  
member; 3 points per QSO with member on  
same continent; 5 points per QSO with  
member on different continent  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points  
Submit logs by: 10 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at:  
<https://qrptest.com/pigwalk40/autolog.php>

Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://qrptest.com/pigwalk40/>

NRAU 10 m Activity Contest  
18:00 - 19:00 UTC (CW) and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC  
(SSB) and 20:00 - 21:00 UTC (FM) and 21:00 -  
22:00 UTC (Dig) 3 July  
Geographic Focus: Nordic Europe  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, SSB, FM, Digital  
Bands: 10 m Only  
Classes: Single Op; Multi-Op  
Exchange: RS(T) and 6-character grid square  
QSO Points: (see rules)  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points  
Submit logs by: 17 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: [10m@nrricontest.no](mailto:10m@nrricontest.no)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: [https://nrau.net/nrau-contests-  
in-general/](https://nrau.net/nrau-contests-in-general/)

SKCC Sprint Europe  
19:00 - 21:00 UTC 3 July

Geographic Focus: Europe  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m  
Classes: (none)  
Exchange: RST, state, province or country, name and SKCC no or NONE  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: (see rules)  
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once  
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) and bonus points  
Submit logs by: 10 July 2025  
E-mail log summary to: (none)  
Post log summary at:  
[http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/skse/submit-display.php?submit\\_id=165](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/skse/submit-display.php?submit_id=165)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
[https://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/skse/](https://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/skse/)

NCCC FT4 Sprint  
01:00 - 01:30 UTC 4 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: FT4  
Bands: (see rules)  
Classes: (none)  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: 4-character grid square  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each 4-character grid square once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 6 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <https://lotw.arrl.org/>  
Post log summary at:  
<https://www.3830scores.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://www.ncccsprint.com/ft4ns.html>

Weekly RTTY Test  
01:45 - 02:15 UTC 4 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: RTTY

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single-Op - QRP or low  
Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Name and state, province or country  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call sign once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 6 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://radiosport.world/wrt.html>



NCCC Sprint  
02:30 - 03:00 UTC 4 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: (see rules)  
Classes: (none)  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 6 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://ncccsprint.com/rules.html>

K1USN Slow Speed Test  
20:00 - 21:00 UTC 4 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - name and  
 state, province or country  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each state, province or country  
 once per band; W/VE do not count as country  
 mults  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
 points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 6 July 2025  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>



Venezuelan Independence Day Contest  
 00:00 - 23:59 UTC 5 July  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW, SSB, PSK  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op All Band - CW, SSB, PSK or  
 mixed; Single Op Single Band - CW, SSB, PSK or  
 mixed; Multi-Single; SWL  
 Exchange: RS(T) and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per band per mode  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same  
 country; 3 points per QSO with different  
 country, same continent; 5 points per QSO  
 with different continent  
 Multipliers: Each Venezuelan call area and  
 each DXCC country once per band  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
 points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 31 July 2025  
 E-mail logs to: [contestyv@gmail.com](mailto:contestyv@gmail.com)  
 Mail logs to: Radio Club Venezolano, Concurso  
 Independencia de Venezuela, PO Box 20285  
 Caracas 1020-A, Venezuela

Find rules at:  
<https://radioclubvenezolano.org/independencia/adevenezuela.html>

FOC Old School Classic 1960s QSO Party  
 00:00 - 23:59 UTC 5 July  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m  
 Classes: Logging Class: P-paper logging, C-  
 computer logging  
 Gear Class: V-Pre 1970 gear, L-After 1970 gear,  
 R - Remote gear  
 Keying Class: M - mechanical key, E - electronic  
 keying  
 Exchange: Real RST, 3-letter class, year first  
 licensed and name  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Add 5% to base QSO total if using  
 paper logs; Add 5% to base QSO total if using  
 vintage gear; Add 5% to base QSO total if using  
 mechanical keying  
 Score Calculation: Score = Total QSO points  
 after applying mults and rounding to nearest  
 whole number  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 12 July 2025  
 E-mail logs to: [focosqp@g4foc.org](mailto:focosqp@g4foc.org)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://www.g4foc.org/foc-old-school-classic-1960s-qso-party/>

NZART Memorial Contest  
 08:00 - 08:29 UTC (CW) and 08:30 - 08:59 UTC  
 (SSB) and 09:00 - 09:29 UTC (CW) and 09:30 -  
 09:59 UTC (SSB) and 10:00 - 10:29 UTC (CW)  
 and 10:30 - 10:59 UTC 5 July (SSB) and 08:00 -  
 08:29 UTC (CW) and 08:30 - 08:59 UTC (SSB)  
 and 09:00 - 09:29 UTC (CW) and 09:30 - 09:59  
 UTC (SSB) and 10:00 - 10:29 UTC (CW) and  
 10:30 - 10:59 UTC 6 July (SSB)  
 Geographic Focus: VK/ZL/S.Pacific  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW, SSB  
 Bands: 80 m Only  
 Classes: Single-Op - CW, SSB or mixed; Multi-  
 Op - CW, SSB or mixed  
 Max power: 100 watts  
 Exchange: RS(T) and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per mode per period

QSO Points: 1 point per SSB QSO; 2 points per CW QSO

Multipliers: Each ZL, VK or South Pacific prefix once per mode

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 31 July 2025

E-mail logs to: [contests@nzart.org.nz](mailto:contests@nzart.org.nz)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<https://www.nzart.org.nz/activities/contests/memorial-contest/>

Marconi Memorial HF Contest

14:00 UTC 5 July to 14:00 UTC 6 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP, low or high;

Single Op Single Band – high; Multi-Op

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and serial no

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each CQ WW country once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 14:00 UTC 20 July 2025

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at:

<http://www.arifano.it/uplog.php>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

[http://www.arifano.it/contest\\_marconi.html](http://www.arifano.it/contest_marconi.html)

Original QRP Contest

15:00 UTC 5 July to 15:00 UTC 6 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: Single Op – VLP, QRP or MP – handmade or open

Max operating hours: 15 hours

Max power: VLP: 1 W; QRP: 5 W; MP: 20 W

Exchange: RST, serial no, "/" and power category

QSO Points: QSO with station who submits log: 4 points; QSO with station that does not

submit log: 1 point; 15% bonus for use of TR/TRX assembled from kit; 30% bonus for use of unique handmade TR/TRX

Multipliers: DXCC Countries: 2 mult points if station submits log, 1 mult point if no log

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mult points

Submit logs by: 31 July 2025

E-mail logs to: [qgrpc@grpcc.de](mailto:qgrpc@grpcc.de)

Mail logs to: Lutz Gutheil, DM6EE, Bergstrasse 17, D-38446 Wolfsburg, Germany

Find rules at:

<http://www.grpcc.de/contestrules/qgrpr.html>

PODXS 070 Club 40 m Firecracker Sprint

20:00 UTC 5 July to 20:00 UTC 6 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: PSK31

Bands: 40 m Only

Classes: QRP; Low Power; Medium Power; High Power

Max operating hours: 6

Max power: High Power: 100 watts; Medium Power: 50 watts; Low Power: 25 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and state, province or country

QSO Points: 1 point/QSO

Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once only

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 13 July 2025

Upload log at: <http://www.podxs070.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.podxs070.com/o70-club-sponsored-contests/40-m-firecracker-sprint>

K1USN Slow Speed Test

00:00 - 01:00 UTC 7 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - name and state, province or country

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each state, province or country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 9 July 2025  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>

ICWC Medium Speed Test  
13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 7 July and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 8 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Name and QSO no  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 10 July 2025  
Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://internationalcwcouncil.org/mst-contest/>

OK1WC Memorial (MWC)  
16:30 - 17:29 UTC 7 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW  
Bands: 80, 40 m  
Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP or low; Single Op Single Band - QRP or low  
Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: RST and serial no  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each last character of worked station call suffix once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 06:00 UTC 11 July 2025  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=logs>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=rules2l>

RSGB 80 m CW Club Championship  
19:00 - 20:30 UTC 7 July  
Geographic Focus: United Kingdom  
Participation: Worldwide  
Awards: United Kingdom  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 80 m Only  
Classes: (none)  
Exchange: RST and serial no  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: (see rules)  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 8 July 2025  
Upload log at: <http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2025/r80mcc.shtml>

### Next Week's Contests

ARS Spartan Sprint 00:00 - 02:00 UTC 8 July  
Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 8 July  
DARC RTTY Sprint 18:00 - 19:29 UTC 8 July  
Phone Weekly Test 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 9 July  
A1Club AWT 11:45 - 13:00 UTC 9 July  
CWops Test 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 9 July and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC and 07:00 - 08:00 UTC 10 July

Mini-Test 40 17:00 - 17:59 UTC 9 July  
Mini-Test 80 18:00 - 18:59 UTC 9 July  
QRP Fox Hunt 01:00 - 02:30 UTC 11 July  
NCCC FT4 Sprint 01:00 - 01:30 UTC 11 July  
Weekly RTTY Test 01:45 - 02:15 UTC 11 July  
NCCC Sprint 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 11 July  
K1USN Slow Speed Test 20:00 - 21:00 UTC 11 July  
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon 12:00 UTC 12 July to 24:00 UTC 13 July  
IARU HF World Championship 12:00 UTC 12 July to 12:00 UTC 13 July  
QRP ARCI Summer Homebrew Sprint 20:00 - 23:00 UTC 13 July  
4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint 00:00 - 02:00 UTC 14 July  
K1USN Slow Speed Test 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 14 July  
ICWC Medium Speed Test 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 14 July and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 15 July  
OK1WC Memorial 16:30 - 17:29 UTC 14 July  
Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 15 July

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