

Contest Corral

July 2021

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Start - Finish		Bands	Contest Name	Mode	Exchange	Sponsor's Website		
Date-Time	Date-Time							
1	0000	1	2359	1.8-144	RAC Canada Day Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), VE province/territory or serial	www.rac.ca
1	1700	1	2100	28	NRAU 10-Meter Activity Contest	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), 6-char grid square	nrrlcontest.no
1	1900	1	2100	1.8-50	SKCC Sprint Europe	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
2	0145	2	0215	1.8-21	NCCC RTTY Sprint	Dig	serial, name, QTH	www.ncccsprint.com
2	0230	2	0300	1.8-21	NCCC Sprint	CW	serial, name, QTH	www.ncccsprint.com
3	1100	4	1059	3.5-28	DL-DX RTTY Contest	Dig	RST, serial	www.drcg.de/dldxrtty
3	1400	4	1400	1.8-28	Marconi Memorial HF Contest	CW	RST, serial	www.arifano.it
3	1500	4	1500	3.5-14	Original QRP Contest	CW	RST, serial, power category	www.qrpcc.de/contestrules
3	2000	4	2000	7	PODXS 070 Club 40-Meter Firecracker Sprint	Dig	RST, SPC	www.podxs070.com
5	0000	5	0100	1.8-14	K1USN Slow Speed Test	CW	Max 20 WPM. Name, SPC	www.k1usn.com/sst.html
5	1900	5	2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Club Championship, CW	CW	RST, serial	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
6	0100	6	0159	1.8-50	Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest	Ph	RS, age group (OM, YL, or youth)	wvsac.com/rules.html
6	0100	6	0300	3.5-28	ARS Spartan Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, power	arsqrp.blogspot.com
6	1700	6	1900	3.5-14	RTTYops Weeksprint	Dig	Other's call, your call, serial, name	rttyops.wordpress.com
7	1300	7	1400	1.8-28	CWops Mini-CWT Test	CW	Name, mbr or SPC	cwops.org/cwops-tests
7	1700	7	2000	144	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid square	ft8activity.eu/index.php/en
7	1900	7	2000	1.8-28	CWops Mini-CWT Test	CW	Name, mbr or SPC	cwops.org/cwops-tests
8	0300	8	0400	1.8-28	CWops Mini-CWT Test	CW	Name, mbr or SPC	cwops.org/cwops-tests
8	1700	8	1900	3.5-14	RTTYops Weeksprint	Dig	Other's call, your call, serial, name	rttyops.wordpress.com
9	2000	9	2100	1.8-14	K1USN Slow Speed Test	CW	Max 20 WPM. Name, SPC	www.k1usn.com/sst.html
10	1200	11	1200	1.8-28	IARU HF World Championship	CW Ph	IARU HQ: RS(T) + IARU Society. Non-HQ: RS(T) + ITU Zone.	arrl.org/iaru-hf-world-championship
10	1200	11	2359	1.8-50	SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
11	2000	11	2300	1.8-28	QRP ARCI Summer Homebrew Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrparci.org
12	0000	12	0200	1.8-28	4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	CW Ph	RS(T), SPC, mbr or power	www.4sqrp.com
14	1700	14	2000	432	VHF-UHF FT8 Activity Contest	Dig	4-char grid square	ft8activity.eu/index.php/en
14	1900	14	2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Club Championship, SSB	Ph	RS, serial	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
15	0030	15	0230	3.5-14	NAQCC CW Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	naqcc.info
17	0700	17	1459	7-28	Russian Radio Team Championship	CW Ph	RS(T), RRTC code or ITU zone	srr.ru/championat-rossii-poradiosvyazi-na-kv-rttc
17	0800	17	1400	1.8-7	Trans-Tasman Low-Bands Challenge	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), serial	wia.org.au/members/contests
17	1000	17	2159	3.5-28	YOTA Contest	CW Ph	Age	ham-yota.com/contest
17	1200	17	1359	1.8-50	Feld Hell Sprint	Dig	RST, mbr, SPC, grid	sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub
17	1800	18	0559	3.5-28	North American QSO Party, RTTY	Dig	Name, SPC	www.ncjweb.com
17	1800	18	2100	50, 144	CQ Worldwide VHF Contest	CW Ph Dig	4-char grid square	www.cqww-vhf.com
18	0900	18	1600	3.5-14	RSGB Low Power Contest	CW	RST, serial, power	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
18	2000	18	2159	14	CQC Great Colorado Gold Rush	CW	RST, SPC	www.coloradoqrpclub.org
18	2300	19	0100	1.8-28	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	CW	RST, SPC, mbr or power	qrpronto.com/pigrun
22	1900	22	2030	3.5	RSGB 80-Meter Club Championship, Data	Dig	RST, serial	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
24	1200	25	1200	3.5-28	RSGB IOTA Contest	CW Ph	RS(T), serial, IOTA # (if applicable)	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
25	1700	25	2100	7-28	ARS Flight of the Bumblebees	CW	RST, SPC, power or bumblebee number	www.arsqrp.blogspot.com
26	1900	26	2030	3.5-14	RSGB FT4 Contest Series	Dig	4-char grid square	www.rsgbcc.org/hf
28	0000	28	0200	1.8-50	SKCC Sprint	CW	RST, SPC, name, mbr or "none"	www.skccgroup.com
31	1200	1	1159	1.8-28	Russian WW MultiMode Contest	CW Ph Dig	RST(Q), oblast or serial	www.rdrclub.ru
31	1400	1	2000	1.8-UHF	Missouri QSO Party	CW Ph Dig	RS(T), MO county or SPC	www.w0ma.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 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.*