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CLUB INFORMATION

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Club Repeaters: 145.31 MHz; input
144.71 MHz PL 131.8 (2 meters)
444.75 MHz, input 449.75 MHz PL
103.5 (70 cm)

Meetings: The club meets at 7:30
PM on the last Thursday
of the Month

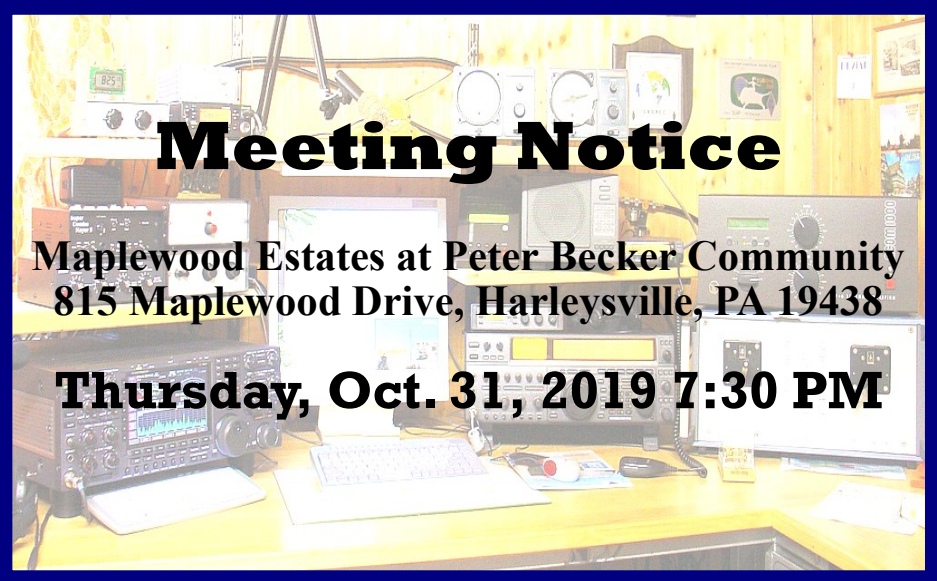
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days before the meeting!
Send to rfhillarc@yahoo.com



Meeting Notice

**Maplewood Estates at Peter Becker Community
815 Maplewood Drive, Harleysville, PA 19438**

Thursday, Oct. 31, 2019 7:30 PM

Membership Renewal

It's that time in the rolling year when we renew our commitment to sharing Ham Radio together and with the community. See the Membership Renewal Form attached to this issues' email and *submit your form with dues payment today!*

October Program

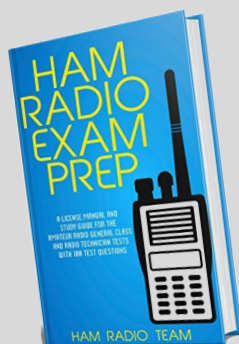
Next Generation Radio Crystals

Back in the day we were "rock bound". Dave Carroll (N2VUZ) will show us how solid state replacements for crystals are great for those who like to restore and/or operate vintage gear.



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VE TESTING



VE testing for Technician,
General and Extra Class licenses
is held regularly at the Indian
Valley Public Library in Telford:

100 E Church Ave.
Telford, PA 18969



The next exam will be
November 18, 2019

Session starts at 6:30 pm sharp

Bring license or CSCE originals
and copies if upgrading,
2 forms of ID (one photo) for new licenses.

To pre-register or for more information
Contact Jim Soete, WA3YLQ
215-723-7294 eves./weekends.
wa3ylq@arrl.net

The fee is \$15.00

Pre-registration is appreciated.

VE's are always welcome to help with testing.



Traffic Nets

SEPPTN traffic nets are on Sundays & Wednesdays at 8:00 PM local time at 145.310 MHz (-600). These nets are for anyone who would like to learn how to handle traffic as well as an on the air meeting place for members and future members.

RF Hill A-R-C Ten Meter AM Net: 29.005MHz on Sunday evening immediately following the SEPPTN

Net Control Stations

9/22, 9/25	W3WTT	12/15, 12/18	W3WTT
9/29, 10/2	KS3Z	12/22, 12/25	KS3Z
10/6, 10/9	KB3DEN	12/29, 1/1	KB3DEN
10/13, 10/16	WA3YLQ		
10/20, 10/23	W3WTT		
10/27, 10/30	KS3Z		
11/3, 11/6	KB3DEN		
11/10, 11/13	WA3YLQ		
11/17, 11/20	W3WTT		
12/1, 12/4	KB3DEN		
12/8, 12/11	WA3YLQ		

Any questions or conflicts, please let me know. If at the last minute, the assigned net control station doesn't show-up, any net control station on frequency should run the net.

Thanks to everyone for your continued support.
Jim – KB3DEN KB3DEN@aol.com

AREA NET LISTINGS

SEPPTN Southeastern PA Practice & Traffic Net	Su/W	8 PM	145.31-
EPAETN - EPA Emergency Phone/Traffic Net	Daily	6 PM	3.917 +/-
Pennsylvania Traffic Net (CW)	Daily	7,10 PM	3.585
Third Region Net	Daily	4 PM	7.243 (3.917 -alt)
Eastern Area Net (EAN)	Daily	2:30 PM	7.243
Bucks County ARES	W	9 PM	147.090+
Montgomery County ARES	Th	7 PM	146.835- (pl 88.5)
EPA echo link traffic net (EAETN) Echolink AA3RG-R	Th	8 PM	146.640- (pl 82.5)



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RF Hill Hamfest Sunday October 20!

We will set up on Saturday afternoon, time and details have been posted on the reflector. See the article on Hamfest Operations in this issue.

On Sunday, the 20th, the early morning crew should show at 5:30 AM. We will have to set up the front gate staging lane and be ready to SELL TICKETS and PARK CARS! Last year the entrance gate was packed at 0600 hrs.

KB3EWV has been the early morning greeter, but he needs HELP! The bus shuttle starts at 6:30. A volunteer should be ready to ride the bus promptly at 6:30! The Hamfest ends at 1 PM. As soon as the PA is broken down and we clean up, we will be out' a there!

This is our BIG Club fund raiser of the year, so needless to say this is an all hands effort!

If you know your schedule and can commit to a show time, I would appreciate knowing this in advance. Thanks for your help! If there are any questions please contact me or one of the Board members.

Jim Soete, WA3YLQ



2019 RF Hill Hamfest Operations

Here is a list of tips and procedures for Hamfest:

Our comm. Frequency is 146.460 simplex, charge your batteries!

Dress warm (!) and bring a flashlight or two.... We will supply vests.

Gates (3, Main Driveway, Branch St. and Creek side), Creek side and Branch St. walk-in's, charge **\$7.00 admission per ham**. Main Driveway, charge **\$7.00 per ham** plus **\$8.00 per car** for the first table. **The minimum admission charge for a vehicle is \$15.00. Do not charge for additional tables**, a crew will circulate and collect for extra tables. Non-ham spouses and kids are free at all gates. **Note: Do not collect for indoor tables. Direct seller to the ramp to the building. After unloading, we will find them a place to park.**

Handicapped Parking is at the main gate.

Main Gate Buyers are directed to the lot at US Gauge, Diamond and Clymer Ave. Arrangements can be made for large purchases to be picked up at the fire house.

Bus, Member riding bus, welcome attendees **AND collect \$7.00** admission on bus. Explain that they can return with their vehicle to pick up large purchases.

Firemen, parking spaces closest to fire house must be kept open for fire fighters.

VE Candidates, any ham who says they are here to take a **test may ride bus and attend ham fest at no charge.**

VE Session begins at 10:00 AM at the Nase-Kraft American Legion across the street.

Tailgating Parking

Please try to fill up the upper lot first, then the lower lot. Our "advertised" frontage for tailgating is 9 feet. This is based on the width of a vehicle that pulls or backs into a space. We always seem to have some non-conformists that want to park "the other way". This is fine if they have requested (paid for) three or more spaces, other wise **wrong way parking is discouraged!**

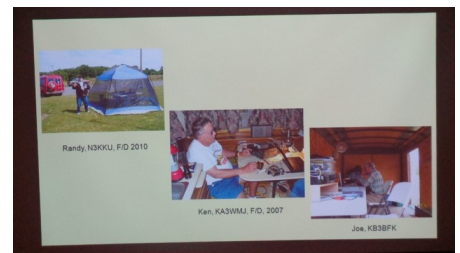
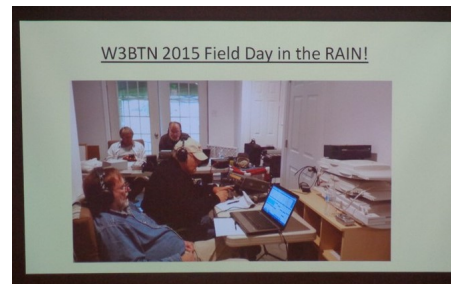
Discounts for multiple tables are available. Please contact me or a Board member for guidance.

Thanks in advance for your efforts!

73,.

Jim, WA3YLQ

September Meeting



Portable QRO—QRP Ops and Antenna Day Gallery

Configuring Whip as a Resonant Antenna

Tools Required: Pad and Pencil
Calculator
Tape Measure
Nail Polish

Apply the formula: $234 / \text{Fmhz} = \text{Lft}$

14.150 mhz = 16.54 ft.

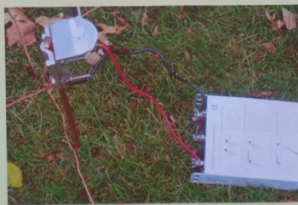
21.100 mhz = 11.10 ft.

28.40 mhz = 8.24 ft.

29.00 mhz = 8.10 ft.

Caution, this is an unproven method, further experimentation required.

The Erected Antenna



At QTH of WA3YLQ

17 ft Vertical in Operation



WA3YLQ working KQ6QB/VE3...9-14-19...1620 utc...7,026khz....Ten-Tec Argonaut....20watts out....

More Locals



KC3HHK



News from his broker?



WA3NFV 40 mtr (?) Mobile Ant.

W3TFF's 2 Meter Ground Plane



5/8 Wave Length (?)
Good SWR at 144.45 Mhz.

All photos by Joe Raucht, N3CRP.

RF Hill ARC Meeting Minutes for September 26, 2019

Welcome/Call to Order/Pledge to the Flag – Jeff Lapin, KC3HHK, President

Roll Call 20 ARO's and one guest were present.

Officer Reports:

President KC3HHK thanked all who came out to the Club Picnic on the August meeting date. He also thanked all who helped with picnic arrangements. Jeff also mentioned that the Board is looking into a way to make the equipment donated by Joe Kabala's (KB3BFK-SK) estate available to Club members. More on this will be published on the io reflector.

Vice President KB3HRP was absent. Jim, WA3YLQ, reported that program planning is on-going. Dave Carroll, N2VUZ, will present a program on solid state replacements for quartz crystal applications at the October meeting. . Jim, KB3DEN, will present his program on the National Traffic System at the November meeting. December will be the "left over Christmas Cookie Party", and a show and tell of members accomplishments (and purchases) during 2019. Other programs are being planned.

Secretary Jim, WA3YLQ, reported that the minutes for the July and August meetings were published in MHz Times. A motion to accept the minutes as published was made by KS3Z, seconded by KW3P. Motion carried.

Treasurer Lloyd, W3LMR, reported that all bills have been paid and a positive balance exists in Club accounts. A motion to accept the Treasures report was made by KS3Z, seconded by KW3P. Motion carried.

Committee Reports

VE Reported in MHz Times

Repeater No report

Hamfest Jim, WA3YLQ, reported that plans are ongoing. Ham Fest is Sunday, October 20th on the Sellersville Fire House property. Hamfest tips and procedures were published in MHz Times , and will be posted on the io reflector as the date approaches. This is our big Club fund raiser and it is an all hands effort. Show time to park cars and sell tickets is 5:30 AM on Sunday, the 20th. Jim will be posting info to the reflector and will be looking for commitment of members to showtimes that day.

Net Reports: Jim, KB3DEN, reported that for August, 83 operators checked in and 9 pieces of traffic were passed on the SEPPATN Net, in eight sessions. Dan. WA3NFV reported that 6-10 stations regularly check in to the 10 meter AM Net on Sunday evenings. This net immediately follows SEP-PATN, which meets at 8PM.

Old Business No report.

New Business John, KB3EWV, is planning another Antenna Day for late fall or mid- winter. Weather permitting!

Adjournment An informal motion was made to adjourn. Motion carried.

Program: Portable Operations and Antenna Day Report, by WA3YLQ

Respectfully Submitted:

Jim Soete, WA3YLQ, Secretary

RF Hill ARC

OCTOBER CONTESTS

IQRP Quarterly Marathon	0800Z, Oct 1 to 2000Z, Oct 7	Araucaria World Wide VHF Contest	0000Z, Oct 19 to 1600Z, Oct 20
222 MHz Fall Sprint	1900 local - 2300 local, Oct 1	ARRL EME Contest	0000Z, Oct 19 to 2359Z, Oct 20
Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 2	JARTS WW RTTY Contest	0000Z, Oct 19 to 2400Z, Oct 20
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Oct 2 and 1900Z-2000Z, Oct 2 and 0300Z-0400Z, Oct 3 2000Z-2100Z, Oct 2	10-10 Int. Fall Contest, CW	0001Z, Oct 19 to 2359Z, Oct 20
UKEICC 80m Contest	0700Z-1000Z, Oct 3	New York QSO Party	1400Z, Oct 19 to 0200Z, Oct 20
German Telegraphy Contest	1700Z-1800Z, Oct 3 (CW) and 1800Z-1900Z, Oct 3 (SSB) and 1900Z-2000Z, Oct 3 (FM) and 2000Z-2100Z, Oct 3 (Dig)	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	1500Z, Oct 19 to 1500Z, Oct 20
NRAU 10m Activity Contest	1700Z-2000Z, Oct 3 1900Z-2100Z, Oct 3	Worked All Germany Contest	1500Z, Oct 19 to 1459Z, Oct 20
	0600Z, Oct 5 to 1800Z, Oct 6 0800Z, Oct 5 to 0800Z, Oct 6 1200Z, Oct 5 to 1159Z, Oct 6 1400Z, Oct 5 to 0200Z, Oct 7	Feld Hell Sprint	2000Z-2359Z, Oct 19
SARL 80m QSO Party	1400Z, Oct 5 to 1400Z, Oct 6	Argentina National 7 MHz Contest	2130Z-2230Z, Oct 19
SKCC Sprint Europe	1600Z, Oct 5 to 2200Z, Oct 6	Asia-Pacific Fall Sprint, CW	0000Z-0200Z, Oct 20
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0900Z-1100Z, Oct 6 (40m)	UBA ON Contest, 2m	0700Z-1000Z, Oct 20
NCCC Sprint	1700Z-2100Z, Oct 5	Illinois QSO Party	1700Z, Oct 20 to 0100Z, Oct 21
TRC DX Contest	1800Z, Oct 5 to 1800Z, Oct 6	RSGB RoLo CW	1900Z-2030Z, Oct 20
Oceania DX Contest, Phone	0500Z-2300Z, Oct 6	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0100Z-0300Z, Oct 21
Russian WW Digital Contest	0600Z-0900Z, Oct 6	ARRL School Club Roundup	1300Z, Oct 21 to 2359Z, Oct 25
YLRL DX/NA YL Contest	2200Z-2359Z, Oct 6	Telephone Pioneers QSO Party	1800Z-1900Z, Oct 21 (Digital
IARU Region 1 UHF/Microwaves Contest	1900Z-1959Z, Oct 7	Only) and	1900Z, Oct 21 to 0300Z, Oct 22
6	0100Z-0300Z, Oct 8	(All Modes)	
California QSO Party	0030Z-0230Z, Oct 9	SKCC Sprint	0000Z-0200Z, Oct 23
International HELL-Contest	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 9	Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 23
	1300Z-1400Z, Oct 9 and 1900Z-2000Z, Oct 9 and 0300Z-0400Z, Oct 10	CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Oct 23 and 1900Z-2000Z, Oct 23 and 0300Z-0400Z, Oct 24
FISTS Fall Slow Speed Sprint	1900Z-2000Z, Oct 10		0300Z-0400Z, Oct 24
SKCC QSO Party	0100Z-0300Z, Oct 8	RSGB 80m Autumn Series, Data	1900Z-2030Z, Oct 23
RSGB DX Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Oct 12	NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Oct 25
UBA ON Contest, SSB	0000Z-0800Z, Oct 12 and 1600Z-2400Z, Oct 12 and 0800Z-1600Z, Oct 13	NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 25
Peanut Power QRP Sprint	0300Z, Oct 12 to 2100Z, Oct 13	CQ Worldwide DX Contest, SSB	0000Z, Oct 26 to 2359Z, Oct 27
RSGB FT4 Contest Series	0800Z, Oct 12 to 0800Z, Oct 13	Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 30
ARS Spartan Sprint	0800 local - 1400 local, Oct 12	CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Oct 30 and 1900Z-2000Z, Oct 30 and 0300Z-0400Z, Oct 31
NAQCC CW Sprint	1200Z, Oct 12 to 1200Z, Oct 13		
Phone Fray	1200Z, Oct 12 to 2400Z, Oct 13	UKEICC 80m Contest	2000Z-2100Z, Oct 30
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1600Z, Oct 12 to 0600Z, Oct 13	RSGB 80m Autumn Series, SSB	1900Z-2030Z, Oct 31
	1400Z to 2400Z, Oct 13	Calendar content © Bruce Horn, WA7BNM 1998-2019	
432 MHz Fall Sprint	1300Z-2200Z, Oct 13	Used by permission.	
10-10 Int. 10-10 Day Sprint	1700Z-2100Z, Oct 12	www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/contestcal.html	
NCCC RTTY Sprint	1800Z, Oct 12 to 1800Z, Oct 13		
NCCC Sprint	2000Z, Oct 12 to 2000Z, Oct 13		
QRP ARCI Fall QSO Party	0530Z-0800Z, Oct 13		
Makrothen RTTY Contest	0800Z-1000Z, Oct 13		
	0000Z-0200Z, Oct 14		
	1900Z-2030Z, Oct 14		
	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 16		
	1300Z-1400Z, Oct 16 and 1900Z-2000Z, Oct 16 and 0300Z-0400Z, Oct 17		
	1900Z-2030Z, Oct 17		
	0145Z-0215Z, Oct 18		
	0230Z-0300Z, Oct 18		
	1600-2400 local, Oct 18		
Nevada QSO Party			
Oceania DX Contest, CW			
Microwave Fall Sprint			
Scandinavian Activity Contest, SSB			
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon			
Arizona QSO Party			
and			
Pennsylvania QSO Party			
and			
FISTS Fall Unlimited Sprint			
South Dakota QSO Party			
PODXS 070 Club 160m Great Pumpkin Sprint			
Oct 13			
UBA ON Contest, CW			
UBA ON Contest, 6m			
4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint			
RSGB 80m Autumn Series, CW			
Phone Fray			
CWops Mini-CWT Test			
AGCW Semi-Automatic Key Evening			
NCCC RTTY Sprint			
NCCC Sprint			
Zombie Shuffle			

NOVEMBER CONTESTS

NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Nov 1	Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0200Z-0400Z, Nov 18
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 1	NAQCC CW Sprint	0130Z-0330Z, Nov 19
Silent Key Memorial Contest	0600Z-0859Z, Nov 1	Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 20
IPARC Contest, CW	0600Z-1000Z, Nov 2 and 1400Z-1800Z, Nov 2	CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Nov 20 and 1900Z-2000Z, Nov 20 and
Ukrainian DX Contest	1200Z, Nov 2 to 1200Z, Nov 3		0300Z-0400Z, Nov 21
ARRL Sweepstakes Contest, CW	2100Z, Nov 2 to 0300Z, Nov 4	RSGB 80m Autumn Series, SSB	2000Z-2130Z, Nov 20
IPARC Contest, SSB	0600Z-1000Z, Nov 3 and 1400Z-1800Z, Nov 3	NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Nov 22
	0800Z-1200Z, Nov 3	NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 22
EANET Sprint	0900Z-1100Z, Nov 3 and 1500Z-1700Z, Nov 3	CQ Worldwide DX Contest, CW	0000Z, Nov 23 to 2400Z, Nov 24
High Speed Club CW Contest	2000Z-2059Z, Nov 4	SKCC Sprint	0000Z-0200Z, Nov 27
RSGB FT4 Contest Series	0200Z-0400Z, Nov 5	Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 27
ARS Spartan Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 6	CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Nov 27 and 1900Z-2000Z, Nov 27 and
Phone Fray	1300Z-1400Z, Nov 6 and 1900Z-2000Z, Nov 6 and		0300Z-0400Z, Nov 28
CWops Mini-CWT Test	0300Z-0400Z, Nov 7	UKEICC 80m Contest	2000Z-2100Z, Nov 27
	2000Z-2100Z, Nov 6	RSGB 80m Autumn Series, CW	2000Z-2130Z, Nov 28
UKEICC 80m Contest	1800Z-1900Z, Nov 7 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Nov 7 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Nov 7 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Nov 7 (Dig)	NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Nov 29
NRAU 10m Activity Contest	2000Z-2200Z, Nov 7	NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 29
	0000Z, Nov 9 to 2359Z, Nov 10	Russian WW MultiMode Contest	1200Z, Nov 30 to 1159Z, Dec 1
SKCC Sprint Europe	0000Z, Nov 9 to 2359Z, Nov 10		
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Nov 8		
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 8		
WAE DX Contest, RTTY	0000Z, Nov 9 to 2359Z, Nov 10		
PODXS 070 Club Triple Play Low Band Sprint	0000Z, Nov 9 to 2359Z, Nov 11		
10-10 Int. Fall Contest, Digital	0001Z, Nov 9 to 2359Z, Nov 10		
JIDX Phone Contest	0700Z, Nov 9 to 1300Z, Nov 10		
SARL VHF/UHF Analogue Contest	1000Z, Nov 9 to 1000Z, Nov 10		
OK/OM DX Contest, CW	1200Z, Nov 9 to 1200Z, Nov 10		
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	1200Z, Nov 9 to 2400Z, Nov 10		
CQ-WE Contest	1900Z-2300Z, Nov 9 (CW/Digital)		
and			
	0100Z-0500Z, Nov 10 (Phone)		
and			
	1900Z-2300Z, Nov 10 (Phone)		
and			
	0100Z-0500Z, Nov 11 (CW/		
Digital)			
AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party	2300Z, Nov 9 to 2300Z, Nov 10		
and			
	2300Z, Nov 16 to 2300Z, Nov 17		
North American SSB Sprint Contest	0000Z-0400Z, Nov 10		
4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	0100Z-0300Z, Nov 11		
RSGB 80m Autumn Series, Data	2000Z-2130Z, Nov 11		
Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 13		
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Nov 13 and 1900Z-2000Z, Nov 13 and 0300Z-0400Z, Nov 14		
	0145Z-0215Z, Nov 15		
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Nov 15		
NCCC Sprint	1600Z-2200Z, Nov 15		
YO International PSK31 Contest	0000Z, Nov 16 to 2359Z, Nov 17		
ARRL EME Contest	1000Z, Nov 16 to 1000Z, Nov 17		
SARL Field Day Contest	1200Z, Nov 16 to 1200Z, Nov 17		
LZ DX Contest	1600Z-2359Z, Nov 16		
All Austrian 160-Meter Contest	1700Z, Nov 16 to 0100Z, Nov 17		
REF 160-Meter Contest	1900Z-2059Z, Nov 16		
Feld Hell Sprint	1900Z-2300Z, Nov 16		
RSGB 1.8 MHz Contest	2100Z, Nov 16 to 0300Z, Nov 18		
ARRL Sweepstakes Contest, SSB	1300-1500Z, Nov 17 (40m)		
Homebrew and Oldtime Equipment Party			
and	1500-1700Z, Nov 17 (80m)		

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DECEMBER CONTESTS

ARS Spartan Sprint	0200Z-0400Z, Dec 3	Original QRP Contest	1500Z, Dec 28 to 1500Z, Dec 29
Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 4	Stew Perry Topband Challenge	1500Z, Dec 28 to 1500Z, Dec 29
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 4 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 4 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 5	QCX Challenge	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 30 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 30 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 31
QRP ARCI Topband Sprint	0000Z-0300Z, Dec 5	Bogor Old and New Contest	0900Z-2359Z, Dec 31
NRAU 10m Activity Contest	1800Z-1900Z, Dec 5 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 5 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Dec 5 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Dec 5 (Dig)		
SKCC Sprint Europe	2000Z-2200Z, Dec 5	Calendar content © Bruce Horn, WA7BNM 1998-2019	
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Dec 6	Used by permission.	
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 6	www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/contestcal.html	
ARRL 160-Meter Contest	2200Z, Dec 6 to 1600Z, Dec 8		
UFT Contest	0500Z-0800Z, Dec 7 and 1500Z-1800Z, Dec 7 and 0700Z-1000Z, Dec 8		
Wake-Up! QRP Sprint	0600Z-0629Z, Dec 7 and 0630Z-0659Z, Dec 7 and 0700Z-0729Z, Dec 7 and 0730Z-0800Z, Dec 7		
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	1200Z, Dec 7 to 2400Z, Dec 8		
PRO CW Contest	1600Z, Dec 7 to 1559Z, Dec 8		
International Naval Contest	1600Z, Dec 7 to 1559Z, Dec 8		
FT8 Roundup	1800Z, Dec 7 to 2359Z, Dec 8		
EPC Ukraine DX Contest	2000Z, Dec 7 to 1959Z, Dec 8		
QRP ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint	2000Z-2300Z, Dec 8		
4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint	0100Z-0300Z, Dec 9		
NAQCC CW Sprint	0130Z-0330Z, Dec 11		
Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 11		
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 11 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 11 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 12		
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Dec 13		
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 13		
ARRL 10-Meter Contest	0000Z, Dec 14 to 2400Z, Dec 15		
PODXS 070 Club Triple Play Low Band Sprint	0000Z, Dec 14 to 2359Z, Dec 16		
TRC Digi Contest	0600Z, Dec 14 to 1800Z, Dec 15		
CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run	2100Z-2259Z, Dec 15		
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0200Z-0400Z, Dec 16		
NAQCC CW Sprint	0130Z-0330Z, Dec 18		
Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 18		
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 18 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 18 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 19		
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Dec 20		
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 20		
AGB-Party Contest	1600Z-1700Z, Dec 20		
Russian 160-Meter Contest	2000Z-2400Z, Dec 20		
OK DX RTTY Contest	0000Z-2400Z, Dec 21		
Feld Hell Sprint	0000Z-2359Z, Dec 21		
Gedebage CW Contest	1200Z, Dec 21 to 1159Z, Dec 22		
Padang DX Contest	1200Z, Dec 22 to 1159Z, Dec 23		
Croatian CW Contest	1400Z, Dec 21 to 1400Z, Dec 22		
RAEM Contest	0000Z-1159Z, Dec 22		
ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW	1800Z-2359Z, Dec 22		
SKCC Sprint	0000Z-0200Z, Dec 25		
Phone Fray	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 25		
CWops Mini-CWT Test	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 25 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 25 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 26		
DARC Christmas Contest	0830Z-1059Z, Dec 26		
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Dec 27		
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 27		
RAC Winter Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Dec 28		