

## Contesting 13/14-June-2008

Apologies for the abbreviated nature of last week's bulletin - a dissimilar ISP availability and pathetically slow data rate from the landline rendered impotent my chances of putting the usual bulletin format together, Hopefully an improved effort this week.

### ANARTS WW RTTY Contest: 0000Z, Jun 13 to 2400Z, Jun 14

Mode:	All digital modes
Bands:	80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes:	Single Op One Transmitter Multi-Op One Transmitter SWL
Max operating hours:	Single Op: 30 Multi-Op: 48
Exchange:	RST + Time(UTC) + CQ Zone No.
Work stations:	Once per band
QSO Points:	(see rules)
Multipliers:	Each VK, VE, JA and W call area and each DXCC country (other than VK,VE,JA,W) once per band Each continent once
Score Calculation:	Total score = (total QSO points x total country/call area mults x total continent mults) + VK bonus points
Submit logs by:	August 1, 2009
E-mail logs to:	anarts[at]bartg[dot]org[dot]uk
Mail logs to:	(none)
Find rules at:	<a href="http://anarts.com.au/rules2009.htm">http://anarts.com.au/rules2009.htm</a>

### Portugal Day Contest: 0000Z-2400Z, Jun 13

Mode:	CW, SSB
Bands:	80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes:	Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)
Exchange:	CT: RS(T) + District non-CT: RS(T) + Serial No.
QSO Points:	(see rules)
Multipliers:	Each CT region and each DXCC country once per band
Score Calculation:	Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by:	August 31, 2009
E-mail logs to:	rep-concursos[at]rep[dot]pt
Mail logs to:	REP Award/Contest Manager Rua D. Pedro V, No. 7-40 1250-092 Lisboa Portugal
Find rules at:	<a href="http://www.rep.pt/concursos/REP_Contest_Portugal_Day.pdf">http://www.rep.pt/concursos/REP_Contest_Portugal_Day.pdf</a>

### VK/Trans-Tasman 160m Contest, Phone: 0800Z-1400Z, Jun 13

Mode:	Phone
Bands:	160m Only
Classes:	Single Op

Max power: Single Op QRP  
 Multi-Op  
 non-QRP: 100 watts  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Serial No.  
 Work stations: Once per hour  
 Score Calculation: (see rules)  
 Submit logs by: July 4, 2009  
 E-mail logs to: VK: vktasman[at]hotmail[dot]com  
 ZL: vktasman[at]robglassey[dot]com  
 Mail logs to: VK:  
 VK/trans-Tasman Contest  
 28 Crampton Crescent  
 Rosanna, VIC 3084  
 Australia  
 ZL:  
 VK/trans-Tasman Contest  
 P.O. Box 21-363  
 Christchurch 8143  
 New Zealand  
 Find rules at: <http://home.iprimus.com.au/vktasman/RULES.HTM>

### GACW WWSA CW DX Contest: 1500Z, Jun 13 to 1500Z, Jun 14

Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m  
 Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)  
 Single Op Single Band (QRP/Low/High)  
 Multi-Single  
 Multi-Multi  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts  
 LP: 100 watts  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST + CQ Zone No.  
 QSO Points: 0 points per QSO with same country  
 1 point per QSO with different country, same continent  
 3 points per QSO with different continent  
 Non-SA stations: 5 points per QSO with South America  
 Multipliers: Each CQ zone once per band  
 Each country once per band  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: July 30, 2009  
 E-mail logs to: auranito[at]speedy[dot]com[dot]ar  
 guillev[at]v2r[dot]com[dot]ar  
 Mail logs to: GACW DX Contest  
 PO Box 9  
 B1875ZAA Wilde  
 Buenos Aires  
 Argentina  
 Find rules at: <http://gacw.no-ip.org/contest.html>

## **2009 NZART MEMORIAL CONTEST**

**When :** 4 July 2009  
**Times:** 2000 NZST until 2300 NZST  
**Band:** 80m  
**Modes:** Phone, and CW

Please refer to the 2007/8 NZART Callbook, Contest Section for full details of the Contest Rules and other operating Information., or the NZART Website- <http://www.nzart.org.nz/contests> for this information.

In view of the commemorative and “sacred” nature of this event the support by all NZART members would be welcome to honour those who sacrificed their lives in the defence of New Zealand. Without their unselfish actions it is highly likely that we would not be taking part in Amateur Radio activities today.

### **LOGS**

Please note that all logs should be received by the Memorial Contest Manager by 1 August 2009, address details as follows :-

Email :- [z1bhq@nzart.org.nz](mailto:z1bhq@nzart.org.nz) or, Snail Mail,  
Memorial Contest Manager,  
J.F. Powell, ZL1BHQ  
21 Lasiandra Place,  
MOUNT MAUNGANUI. 3116.

## **2009 WORLD WIDE WPX CW CONTEST**

**When :-** 11 & 12 JULY 2009  
**Times :-** 0000 UTC (11<sup>th</sup>) until 2359 UTC (12<sup>th</sup>)

For Contest Rules and Other Operating Information please refer the Contest Website <http://www.cqww.com>, or refer to the April 2009 issue of CQ Magazine

## **2009 WAITAKERE SPRINTS**

**When:-** Phone – 25 July 2009  
CW - 1 August 2009  
**Time:-** 1000 UTC (2200 NZST) until 1100 UTC (2300 NZST)  
**Band :-** 80m

Contest Rules and other operating information – please refer to the Contest website :- <http://www.qsl.net/z11vk>

## **CONFERENCE CONTEST FORUM MATTERS**

I had intended covering issues in this bulletin that were raised at the Forum, but regrettably time constraints have precluded me completing these details. However, I will do so during the coming week in time for inclusion in next weekend's bulletin.

Generally, these covered the Jock White Field Day, Sangster Shield and Memorial Contests. In respect of the Field Day matter, Stuart, ZL2TW made reference to the decline in 40M participation and possible solutions were canvassed. A suggested change to the Sangster Shield Contest participation hours was discussed. Two suggested variations to the Memorial Contest rules were also put forward, one being supported by those in attendance. However, I will expand on these next week and also cover a suggested addition to the Field Day awards that is intended to introduce an

element of "national" competition to the Open Section participants.

**OTHER FORTHCOMING CONTESTING ACTIVITIES**

His Maj. King of Spain Contest, SSB	1200Z, Jun 27 to 1200Z, Jun 28
Ukrainian DX DIGI Contest	1200Z, Jun 27 to 1200Z, Jun 28
Marconi Memorial HF Contest	1400Z, Jun 27 to 1400Z, Jun 28
RAC Canada Day Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Jul 1
Venezuelan Ind. Day Contest	0000Z, Jul 4 to 2359Z, Jul 5
DL-DX RTTY Contest	1100Z, Jul 4 to 1059Z, Jul 5
IARU HF World Championship	1200Z, Jul 11 to 1200Z, Jul 12

That's about it for this week To those participating in any of the above contests good luck and fair propagation