



## Ocean County ARES® News

April 2024

The next meeting of Ocean County ARES will be April 17, 2024 at the Ocean County EOC, Robert J Miller Airport, Berkeley Township. This is an in-person meeting and NOT Zoom. The meeting start time is 7:00 PM. All are welcome.

On February 23, 2024, K2IYE became a Silent Key. Frank was a longstanding Ocean County ARES board member. Since Ocean County ARES is a New Jersey incorporated non-profit, our charter requires a certain amount of ARRL members on the board. At the March 12, 2024 board meeting, Mike – K2MDW, was voted in to replace K2IYE. I would like to congratulate Mike on accepting this position. He now joins WX2NJ, N2XW and W2PTZ on the ARES board.

Currently, the Ocean County ARES roster of members has 60 operators listed. Many have not been heard from in months, if not years. Over the next several weeks, I will be making every effort to contact each operator via email and/or USPS to verify if they want to remain active. Recently, our nets and activities have been represented by approximately 10 to 12 operators and this is not enough manpower to manage an emergency or disaster.

If you are on the groups.io mailing list, you are most likely on the roster and are in receipt of this newsletter. If you no longer wish to be active, please let me know by email. The address is my callsign at comcast.net

Ocean County ARES has also recently signed up with the ARRL national ARES database. This is a central database through the ARRL in which interested operators can be directed to the appropriate ARES organization and not rely on just word of mouth. Hopefully, this new system will bring more operators to our organization who have a true interest in serving.

From the SNJ SEC, WB2ALJ:

### ARES EC-001 & EC-016 Versions

ARRL staff has indicated that the current online versions of EC-001 and EC-016 are ending on March 31, 2024. If you are currently enrolled in either, it was indicated that you should complete the course by March 31st, 2024.

Updates for the ARES course will be offered starting with the "Basic" course on April 1st, 2024. An "Intermediate" course scheduled to be offered soon. The ARES "Leadership" course to replace EC-016 is underdeveloped.

The ARES "Task-Book" is also being updated while changes are expected to be minor according to ARRL ARES staff. No current date for release was provided.

### Bike MS: Coast the Coast 2024

The "Bike MS: Coast the Coast 2024" ride fundraiser is seeking amateur radio operators for May 11, 2024. The scheduled route will start at the Deal Casino Beach Club proceeding along Asbury Park Boardwalk, passing Stone Pony, Asbury Park, Bradley Beach, Spring Lake and some longer routes stretching into Island Beach State Park with finish back at Deal Casino Beach Club. (Event website: [Event Bike MS: Coast the Coast 2024 \(nationalmssociety.org\)](http://Event Bike MS: Coast the Coast 2024 (nationalmssociety.org)))

Amateur radio operators interested in volunteers to support emergency communications for the "Bike MS: Coast the Coast 2024" on May 11, 2024 are requested to contact Kelly – KE2L at [kelly@catcorner.org](mailto:kelly@catcorner.org) or (973) 875-4849.

73 de WX2NJ

Bob Murdock

Ocean County Amateur Radio Emergency Service® EC

## About Being Larry's XYL

I can be called by many names !

Lady, Mrs., Dame, Babe, or Miss.

But not to many women can be called an XYL !

I'm very happy to be one.

My husband K2QDY has been a Ham all the years that I have known him. As a matter of fact he has been a Ham since the age of 15.

Every day in our home I hear Morse Code. Or "this is kilowatt two Quebec Denmark Yesterday" !

I have lived with wires and various antennas over the years.

One time years ago, Larry asked me to begin saving soda cans and beer cans!! This was quite unusual since we really didn't drink canned beer!! He then told me that he was going to build a new antenna using all these empty cans! Just another phase in my life being an XYL!

Ham Radio has always been a big part of our lives. My son, son in law as well as three grandsons are all Extra Class Ham Operators.

The social aspect of being an XYL is very nice. We enjoy lunches together with our husbands. Field Day is a great event for all to gather together.

Life is good in our family of Hams and XYL's. We have not learned Morse Code, but are happy our men enjoy the Wide World of Ham Radio.

Grace Puccio XYL

### Our Volunteer Examiner Crew

Larry [K2QDY](#) (Liaison) 732-349-2950,

John [KQ4WR](#), Stan [KB2PD](#),

Steve [N2WLH](#), Michael [WA2CWX](#)

*License exams are given by appointment at 7:00pm on the first Wednesday after each HCARC meeting at Holiday City South Clubhouse Bldg A, which is at the corner of Mule Rd. and Santiago Dr. **Call Larry Puccio, [K2QDY](#), at 732-349-2950 for an appointment.***

*Directions: From either Route 37 W or Davenport Road, take Mule Road to Santiago Drive. Clubhouse A is the building nearest the street corner.*

### Holiday City Amateur Radio Club

Toms River, New Jersey

Web Site [www.hcArc.us](http://www.hcArc.us)

President	Doug Poray	<a href="#">KC2TZC</a>	732-928-2316
Vice President	Steve Jackson	<a href="#">N2WLH</a>	732-255-7916
Secretary	John Perry	<a href="#">KD2NDY</a>	732-349-2705
Treasurer	Larry Puccio	<a href="#">K2QDY</a>	732-349-2950
Program Chair	Carl Lee	<a href="#">W2PTZ</a>	732-575-7558
Skyhook Editor	John Roberts	<a href="#">KQ4WR</a>	732-350-1162
W2HC Trustee	Larry Puccio	<a href="#">K2QDY</a>	732-349-2950

Membership is open to all interested persons. Ham license is not required. Dues are \$25.00 per year, payable Jan 1<sup>st</sup>.

Members joining during the year will have the dues prorated. Family membership \$30.00 per family.

Meetings are held at 7:00 pm on the first Thursday of every month except December.

Location: Meeting Room #1 in Holiday City South Clubhouse.

Directions: From either Route 37 W or Davenport Road, take Mule Road to Santiago Drive. Turn into the parking lot from Santiago Drive, park near the pool. Enter Building A (the building nearest the street intersection).

Newsletter: The SKYHOOK is the HCARC's official newsletter, circulation about 75. Original articles and photos are appreciated. Editor is John Roberts, [KQ4WR](#), 732-350-1162.

## How I Got Into Ham Radio

Such names as Heathkit were made known to me from an early age. The sound of Morse Code made way into my ears from before I can remember. Those sounds, or the booming FM signal of a ham in DE land, were my earliest introduction to the world of Ham Radio. It was not until I earned my license, however, that I truly understood the magic of Ham Radio and the world that opened up to me.

My Pop, K2QDY, and my Dad, KB2FWP, brought me into the world of Ham Radio. Field Day's of years past form many parts of my early memories. Hot, humid weather, sticky watermelon juice, and the sound of generators humming in the background are all a part of that story. Fond memories of wire antennas being constructed in a park remain with me.

What it all meant only became clear to me when the FCC gave me the call sign I still have today: KC2IGE. My Dad was beaming with pride when the examiners handed me my first CSCE and I will never forget when I made it past the General License and earned the Amateur Extra license.

You never forget your first QSO. Mine was with my Pop on 80M CW. He sent me a QSL the next day, and it remains the first QSL in my binder. That binder expanded over the years. At first, European contacts made their way into the plastic card protectors. Over time, and with improved solar conditions, faraway Pacific Islands came into reach. The African nations came through on 20 Meters and the QSLs with elephants emblazoned thereon arrived in the mail. I'll never forget speaking with an American soldier who told me he was on the back of a tank in the Iraqi desert. Often, I wondered what my postal carrier thought with the volume of foreign mail that made its way into my mailbox.

Over time, I became intrigued by the prospect of building my own radio. I started with a simple 20-meter CW transceiver. It worked, not necessarily well, but it was my own. As I was able to save money, I took the leap and bought the Elecraft K1 transceiver. 20 and 15 meter RF boards were my first, quickly followed by 40 and 80 meter boards.

That K1 has traveled with me to campsites and still

serves me well. My proudest moment was breaking through the European wall with its 5 watts and working the DXpedition to Heard Island, VK0EK. Truly, a magical moment to hear my call come back to me on a radio I built.

Ham Radio is about community. I never met the majority of Hams I've QSOed with. But we all know of someone – whether distant or close – who reliably answers your CQ. It is an evolving hobby, of course, but I think it important to not lose the personal touch that CW or SSB brings. Sure, digital modes like FT8 exist and they do work, but is it really in the spirit of our hobby to simply click a button and let the computer do the rest?

As for me, what I envision at my new home is a big, beautiful Rohn tower with a proud Yagi or Cubical Quad at the top. And, with any luck, I will be able to pass on the tradition of this wonderful hobby that only those of us who benefit from sunspots and ionization understand.

See you on the bands.

73,

Matt, KC2IGE

## How To Update Your FCC Username

### **FCC CORES new username account instructions:**

If you haven't already created a new CORES account, you must register a **username** (use your main email address!) and a **username password** (just make up one, but be sure to save it for the next time).

Visit the **CORES** website <https://apps.fcc.gov/cores/> to set up the account.

When logged into the new account, choose the first option, "**Associate Username to FRN.**"

*Enter your FRN & Comment* – Comment Example: "Associating FRN." If you do not know your FRN, look on your license, or you can find it by searching your call sign on the FCC License Search page.

Click "**Continue**"

If you know your **password to your FRN**, enter it now. This password will more than likely be different from the one you have with your username account. If you

do not know your **FRN password**, choose the “Forgot FRN Password” option underneath the “Submit” button.

You should now have at least 3 passwords: one for your FCC username, one for your FRN, and one of course to send and receive e-mail via your e-mail service.

Check the information. You may need to update addresses, phone numbers, etc.

Once you have completed these steps and your FRN has been associated to your username, you should be brought back to the main menu. It may take a few minutes.

**Log out.**

## How To Renew Or Update Your License

*First, you may need to **update your FCC Username account**, as the FCC CORES system was changed in 2016 and the previous version CORES system was discontinued in 2022. See instructions in the [“How To Update Your FCC Username”](#) article above.*

*File your renewal application using the **FCC ULS License Manager System** and pay the \$35 application fee. That can be done by email using a charge card.*

*You should receive the **Official Copy** of your new or updated license by email from the FCC in a few days. Be prepared to print at least one hard copy. It will be 2 pages: the front and the back.*

### Larry Puccio K2QDY Worked:

UTC Date	Time	Freq	Mode	Callsign	Entity	LOC	Miles	Dir
2/13/2024	23:03	7.01	CW	DL5TT	Federal Republic of Germany	JN48nq	3959	NE
2/17/2024	00:18	7.04	CW	DC4A	Federal Republic of Germany	JN59sv	4021	NE
2/17/2024	00:21	7.05	CW	IP2A	Italy	JN55fk	4115	NE
2/17/2024	00:23	7.05	CW	YU7KW	Serbia	KN04hu	4562	NE
2/17/2024	00:30	7.02	CW	S5ZQ	Slovenia	unlisted		
2/17/2024	00:43	7.03	CW	OK5Z	Czech Republic	JN89ak	4214	NE
2/17/2024	14:21	28.05	CW	IK3UNA	Italy	JN551j	4138	NE
2/17/2024	14:25	28.05	CW	EW5A	Belarus	K035pd	4420	NE
2/17/2024	14:27	28.06	SSB	OH3Z	Finland	KP10hm	4084	NE
2/17/2024	14:30	28.06	CW	DM5GG	Federal Republic of Germany	J061ue	4067	NE
2/17/2024	14:34	28.07	CW	IK0YUT	Italy	JN63ee	4273	NE
2/17/2024	14:36	28.07	CW	OK5Z	Czech Republic	JN89ak	4214	NE
2/17/2024	14:41	28.07	CW	P3X	Cyprus	KM64ox	5506	NE
2/17/2024	14:46	28.1	CW	IK1CKR	Italy	unlisted		
2/17/2024	14:50	28.09	CW	YU7KW	Serbia	KN04hu	4562	NE
2/17/2024	14:55	28.08	CW	OM7M	Slovak Republic	JN98ep	4333	NE
2/17/2024	14:58	28.03	CW	HB9FAP	Switzerland	JN47ph	4007	NE
2/17/2024	17:50	28.05	CW	YT8A	Serbia	KN04er	4557	NE
2/17/2024	17:53	28	CW	YT1X	Serbia	JN94wg	4553	NE
2/17/2024	17:58	28	CW	TM6M	France	IN78rj	3384	NE
2/17/2024	18:04	14.02	CW	YT1T	Serbia	JN94us	4528	NE
2/17/2024	18:06	14.02	CW	G6T	England	I092we	3492	NE
2/17/2024	18:10	14.02	CW	UR7R	Ukraine	KN59sc	4810	NE
2/17/2024	18:15	14.02	CW	YT7X	Serbia	JN94vx	4523	NE
2/17/2024	18:16	14.03	CW	ON7RU	Belgium	J0201w	3726	NE
2/17/2024	18:19	14.01	CW	DL9EE	Federal Republic of Germany	J054df	3850	NE
2/18/2024	01:43	7.03	CW	HA3NU	Hungary	JN96ii	4428	NE
2/18/2024	01:45	7.02	CW	EA5O	Spain	IM99us	3802	ENE

**Mike Larkins WA2CWX Worked:**

Band	Call	Country	Date	Time	Frequency	Mode	Loc	Miles	Dir
10	LY34A	Lithuania	2024/03/01	15:59	28.41	SSB	K015kg	4267	NE
15	D4K	Cape Verde	2024/03/02	19:35	21.35	SSB	HK76mu	3342	ESE
15	CR6T	Portugal	2024/03/02	19:40	21.35	SSB	IM59wo	3427	ENE
15	EB5A	Spain	2024/03/02	19:41	21.32	SSB	IM97qx	3841	ENE
15	HI3K	Dominican Republic	2024/03/02	19:44	21.31	SSB	FK49pk	1434	S
15	SN2B	Poland	2024/03/02	19:45	21.33	SSB	J083va	4163	NE
15	TM6M	France	2024/03/02	19:47	21.29	SSB	IN78rj	3384	NE
20	9A1A	Croatia	2024/03/02	19:52	14.25	SSB	JN85ao	4345	NE
20	I06T	Italy	2024/03/02	19:52	14.26	SSB	JN62ks	4309	NE
20	OH8L	Finland	2024/03/02	19:54	14.26	SSB	KP20np	4154	NE
20	E74A	Bosnia-Herzegovina	2024/03/02	19:57	14.28	SSB	JN93ds	4506	NE
20	SQ2PHG	Poland	2024/03/02	19:58	14.28	SSB	J084ml	4090	NE
20	EB5A	Spain	2024/03/03	02:33	14.19	SSB	IM97qx	3841	ENE
20	PJ2T	Curacao	2024/03/03	02:45	14.19	SSB	FK52kg	1939	S
20	J62K	St. Lucia	2024/03/03	02:47	14.21	SSB	FK93lu	1974	SSE
20	HP3AK	Panama	2024/03/03	02:52	14.25	SSB	EJ88qs	2217	SSW
10	EA1DR	Spain	2024/03/03	18:49	28.62	SSB	IN83cl	3532	ENE
10	PJ4G	Bonaire	2024/03/03	18:50	28.62	SSB	FK52ud	1957	SSE
10	OK7O	Czech Republic	2024/03/03	18:51	28.62	SSB	J070gh	4127	NE
10	TI1E	Costa Rica	2024/03/03	18:51	28.61	SSB	EJ79xw	2161	SSW
10	HH2AA	Haiti	2024/03/03	18:54	28.59	SSB	FK38uk	1492	S
10	ED8M	Canary Is.	2024/03/03	18:58	28.49	SSB	IL27gw	3410	E
10	HK3C	Colombia	2024/03/03	19:01	28.52	SSB	FJ24wq	2438	S
10	OE9MON	Austria	2024/03/03	19:02	28.54	SSB	JN47vm	4021	NE
10	IP4X	Italy	2024/03/03	19:04	28.55	SSB	JN62ks	4309	NE
10	I09A	Italy	2024/03/03	19:06	28.56	SSB	JM78of	4578	ENE
10	PX2A	Brazil	2024/03/03	19:40	28.37	SSB	GG66se	4758	SSE
10	P40L	Aruba	2024/03/03	19:42	28.37	SSB	FK52al	1918	S

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## Some DX Opportunities

Opportunities shown in alphanumeric order of callsigns.

*Italics if DX > 8000mi*

Mode codes: 8 = JT8 (DG), C = CW, D = Digital (DG), 4 = JP4 (DG), 3 = PSK31 (DG), R = RTTY (RY), S = SSB (PH), T = SSTV.

Many thanks to Bill Feidt NG3K for ADXO. Also to Wikipedia, the ARRL, the RSGB, DX World, The Daily DX &amp; QRZ.com.

START	FINISH	ENTITY	PFX	CALLSIGN	IOTA	BANDS	MODES	QSL via	LOC	MILES	DIR	INFO by
2024 Mar23	2024 May06	Denmark	OZ	5P5K	EU-125	80-6m	S D	DL7AOS	J045fd	3758	NE	DX World
	2024 Apr16	Senegal	6W	6W7/ON4AVT		80-10m	S D	ON4AVT	IK14mi	3865	E	ARLD005
	2024 May13	Malawi	7Q	7Q6M		160, 80-10m		LoTW	KH67ru	7693	E	ARLD048
2024 Apr06	2024 Apr16	Maldives	8Q	8Q7HZ	AS-013	30-10m	S 8 4	LoTW	MJ65nd	8699	NE	TDDX
	2024 Jun29	Maldives	8Q	8Q7JF	AS-013	80-10m	C D	DM5JBN	MJ64sp	8743	NE	DXW.net
2024 Jul02	2024 Jul15	Maldives	8Q	8Q7SF	AS-013	80-10M	C D	DM5JBN	MJ64sp	8743	NE	DXW.net
	2024 Dec31	Croatia	9A	9A100RKZ				9A1ADE	KM64lo	5513	NE	ARLD004
2024 Apr30	2024 May13	Botswana	A2	A25SHD		80-10m		LoTW	KG25wm	7803	ESE	DXW.Net
2024 Apr18	2024 May08	Bhutan	A52	A52CI		40-6m	S C D	OQRS	NL47sh	7678	NNE	TDDX
2024 Apr18	2024 May08	Bhutan	A52	A52P		40-6m	S C D	OQRS	NL47sh	7678	NNE	TDDX
2024 Apr06	2024 Apr16	Liberia	A8	A8OK		160-6m	S C R 8 4	OQRS, OK6DJ	IJ45xv	4601	ESE	DXW.Net
	2024 Apr04	Juan Fernandez I	CE0	CB0ZIX	SA-005	80-6m	S 8	LoTW	FF06oi	5097	S	DX World
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DB100FK				LoTW	J040ic	3901	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DC100FK				LoTW	J060xw	4084	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DD100FK				LoTW	J040ic	3901	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DF100FK				LoTW	J040ic	3901	NE	ARLD052
	2024 Dec31	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DG22SIXTY				buro	J030g1	3803	NE	ARLD005
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DL100FK				LoTW	J060fs	4031	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DM100FK				LoTW	J040ic	3901	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DM100MW				LoTW	J040ic	3901	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DQ100FK				LoTW	J040hd	3896	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DR100FK				LoTW	J060lt	4049	NE	ARLD052
2024 Jan01	2024 May15	Fed Rep Germany	DA	DR100PE				LoTW	J040ic	3901	NE	ARLD052
2024 Apr07	2024 Apr13	South Cook Is	E51	E51TLM	OC-013	10m @5W	S C	K7TLM	BG08ct	6925	WSW	DXW.Net
	2024 Dec31	Armenia	EK	EK/RX3DPK		160-10m	8	RX3DPK	K085vt	4722	NE	ARLD001
	2024 Aug15	St Barthelemy	FJ	FJ4WEB	NA-146			K2LIO	FK87ov	1672	SSE	ARLD051
2024 Apr06	2024 Apr13	Liechtenstein	HB0	HB0/OH2YL		160-10m	C 8		JN47sa	4026	NE	OH2YL
	2024 Apr30	Dominican Rep	HI	HI180RD	NA-096	"all"	"all"	oper instr	FK48ws	1485	S	ARLD010
2024 Mar15	2024 Apr12	Dominican Rep	HI8	HI8/VA2VKG	FK58ek	40-10m	C S	VA2VKG \$5	FK58ek	1513	SSE	DXW.net
2024 Jan15	2024 Apr15	Minami Toroshima	JD1	JD1/JG8NQJ	OC-073	80-10m	C 8	JA8CJY	PM86tf	6800	NNW	ARLD002
2024 Apr18	2024 Apr21	Svalbard	JW8	JW8EKA	EU-026	80-10m	S D		JQ78wo	3526	NNE	DXW.Net
2024 Apr25	2024 Apr30	Mariana Is	KH0	KH0/JA6REX	OC-086	160-6m	8 4 s c	JA6REX	QK25vf	7841	NW	DXW.net
2024 Apr24	2024 May01	Mariana Is	KH0	KH0/W6HZH	OC-086	160-6m	8 C S	LoTW	QK25vf	7841	NW	TDDX
2024 Apr25	2024 Apr30	Mariana Is	KH0	KH0/W6HZH	OC-086	160-6m	8 4 s c	W6HZH	QK25vf	7841	NW	DXW.net
	2024 Jun30	Austria	OE	OE24BI				see QRZ.com	JN67tr	4174	NE	ARLD001
	2024 Jun30	Austria	OE	OE60RRDXA				LoTW	JN77nm	4242	NE	ARLD004
2024 Apr27	2024 May04	Market Reef	OJ0	OJ0T	EU-053	160-6m	S C 8	LoTW, EA5GL	JP90nh	3983	NE	TDDX
2024 Mar30	2024 Apr06	Sint Maarten	PJ7	PJ7/KJ9B	NA-105	4 8		LoTW	FK881b	1655	SSE	TDDX
	2025 May	Antarctica	RI1	RI1ANE	AN-016			RQ8K	KB15qd	9006	SSE	ARLD051
	2024 Dec31	Sweden	SM	SK100FRK				per opr	JP70to	3866	NE	ARLD001
2024 Mar25	2024 Apr08	Guadeloupe	FG	T01Q	NA-102	80-6m	S D	LoTW / F1ULQ	FK96hg	1811	SSE	DXW.Net
2024 Apr05	2024 Apr07	Mayotte	FH	T04VV	AF-027	80-10m	S 8	LoTW / FH4VVK	JN18eu	3671	NE	LoTW
2024 Apr12	2024 Apr14	Mayotte	FH	T04VV	AF-027	80-10m	S 8	LoTW / FH4VVK	JN18eu	3671	NE	LoTW
2024 Mar28	2024 Apr02	Mayotte	FH	T05LA	AF-027	80-10m	S C 4 8	LoTW / 4Z5FI	LH27oe	8341	E	TDDX
2024 Apr07	2024 Apr18	Reunion	FR	T07PX	AF-016	40-6m	S 8	IK2DUW	LG79sa	9227	E	TDDX
2024 Mar27	2024 Apr03	Austral Is	F0	TX5XG	OC-114	160-6m	C D	LoTW	BG66dc	6462	WSW	DXW.Net
2024 Apr16	2024 Apr30	Austral Is	F0	TX7W	OC-114	160-6m	C 8 4 S R	LoTW / K5WE	DK50jh	2963	SW	DXW.Net
2024 Mar23	2024 Apr06	St Kitts & Nevis	V4	V4/G0TLE	NA-104	40-10m	C S	LoTW	FK87pg	1714	SSE	DX World
2023 Nov16	2024 Apr30	Namibia	V5	V51WH		160-10m		DK2WH	JG88ap	7171	ESE	DXW.Net
	2024 Novem	Antarctica	VK0	VK0DS		80-10m		VK2JDS	MC81xk	10214	SSE	ARLD051
2024 Jan11	2024 Apr11	Montserrat	VP2M	VP2MDX	NA-103	80-10m		LoTW	FK86vq	1764	SSE	DXW.Net
2024 Apr04	2024 Apr14	Ducie I	VP6	VP6G	OC-182	40-10m	C S 8		CG75oh	5528	SW	DXW.Net
2024 Mar26	2024 Apr02	Turks & Caicos	VQ5	VQ5P	NA-002	160-6m	S C 8 4	N200 / LoTW	FL31wt	1261	S	TDDX
2024 Apr11	2024 Apr16	Canada (Baffin I)	VY0	WE9G/VY0	NA-047	80-10m	8 4 S	WE9G	FP53rr	1660	N	TDDX
2024 Apr25	2024 Apr30	Mariana Is	KH0	WH0B	OC-086	160-6m	8 4 s c	JA6VQA	QK25vf	7841	NW	DXW.net
	2024 Jun30	Laos	XW	XW4KV		15-10m	8	F4BKV LoTW	OK19oc	8357	N	ARLD050
2024 Mar29	2024 Apr11	Vanuatu	YJ0	YJ0VK	OC-035	40-6m	S C 8	LoTW / M00X0	RH42ch	8448	W	DXW.net
	2024 Dec31	Cyprus SBA	ZC4	ZC4GW	AS-004			MW0BRO	KM64lo	5513	NE	ARLD004
2024 Mar26	2024 Apr01	Cyprus SBA	ZC4	ZC4MK	AS-004	80-10m	S	LoTW / OQRS	KM64lo	5513	NE	DXW.Net
2024 Apr12	2024 Apr21	South Africa	ZS6	ZS6/PB5X		80-10m		LoTW PA1AW	KG43av	7978	ESE	PB5X

## April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3 7:30pm ARES digi net 145.170MHz; 8:30pm ARES voice net 449.825MHz	4 7:00pm HCARC MEETING See page 3	5	6 LA, MS & MO QSO Parties
7 MO QSO Party continues	8	9	10 7:30pm ARES digi net 449.825MHz; 8:30pm ARES voice net 145.870MHz	11	12	13 NM & GA QSO Parties
14 GA QSO Party continues	15	16	17 ARES Meeting 7:00	18	19	20 NE, MI, ON, ND & QC QSO Parties
21 NE, ON, ND, & QC Parties continue	22 Passover begins at sundown	23 HCARC Board meeting April 24	24 7:30pm ARES digi net 449.825MHz; 8:30pm ARES voice net 145.870MHz	25	26	27 FL QSO Party
28 FL QSO Party continues	29	30				

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### QSO Party Rules

See WA7BNM State QSO Parties website for details.

<https://laqp.louisianacontestclub.org/laqso-rules.htm/>

<https://www.arrlmiss.org>

<http://www.w0ma.org/index.php/missouri-qso-party>

<http://www.newmexicoqsoparty.org>

<https://gaqsoparty.com/>

<https://nebraskagsoparty.com/qso-party-rules/f/rules-for-2022-nebraska-qso-party>

<https://miqp.org/index.php/rules/>

<http://www.va3cco.com/oqp/rules.htm>

[https://ndarrlsection.com/2024/2024\\_ND\\_QSO\\_Party\\_Rule.pdf](https://ndarrlsection.com/2024/2024_ND_QSO_Party_Rule.pdf)

<https://wp1.quebecqsoparty.org/>

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