

Special Event Stations

Working special event stations is an enjoyable way to help commemorate history. Many provide a special QSL card or certificate!

Apr. 11 – Apr. 12, 1400Z – 2200Z, W4AC, Nokomis, FL. Tamiami Amateur Radio Club. **Shark's Tooth Festival**. 14.034 14.260 28.034 28.460. QSL. Tamiami ARC, P.O. Box 976, Nokomis, FL 34274. www.tamiamiarc.org

Apr. 11 – Apr. 12, 1500Z – 0100Z, KC5OLO, Abilene, TX. Key City Amateur Radio Club. **Atlas Missile Silo**. 14.250 21.300 28.400. QSL. Key City Amateur Radio Club, P.O. Box 2722, Abilene, TX 79604. <https://keycityarc.org>

Apr. 14 – Apr. 19, 0817Z – 0817Z, W4S, Lakeland, FL. Lakeland Amateur Radio Club. **Sun & Fun Aerospace Exposition**. 7.40 14.40 18.93 28.40. QSL. Lakeland Amateur Radio Club, P.O. Box 90853, Lakeland, FL 33804. *Please send a self-addressed stamped envelope for QSL card.* info@lakelandarc.com

Apr. 16, 0900Z – 1600Z, W9W, New Castle, IN. Henry County (Indiana) Amateur Radio Club. **Wilbur Wright 159th Birthday Event**. 14.340. QSL. Dave Peters, 3517 Hampton Ct., New Castle, IN 47362. W9OB@yahoo.com or <https://w9ob.org>

Apr. 16 – Apr. 21, 0600Z – 0600Z, N5L, Gonzales, LA. Ascension Amateur Radio. **Louisiana Purchase Special Event**. 14.300. Certificate. K5ARC, P.O. Box 1617, Gonzales, LA 70707. www.k5arc.org

Apr. 17 – Apr. 20, 1200Z – 2359Z, W4AC, Nokomis, FL. Tamiami Amateur Radio Club. **Florida State Parks on the Air Contest**. 14.337. Certificate. Tamiami ARC, P.O. Box 976, Nokomis, FL 34274. www.fspota.org

Apr. 18, 1200Z – 1600Z, KG4NXO, Ocala, FL. Marion County Florida Emergency Radio Team (MERT). **MERT-22**. 443.875 reflector 30C KG4NXO; 3.950 7.235 14.275 (± 20) SSB. Certificate by email request. KG4NXO, 7199 SW 95th Ct., Ocala, FL 34481. MERT-22@KG4NXO.com

Apr. 23 – Apr. 27, 0500Z – 0500Z, K4H, Camden, SC. Kershaw County Amateur Radio Club, KC4RC. **Battle of Hobkirk's Hill Commemoration**. 3.825 7.225 14.325 21.325. Certificate upon request. info@kc4rc.com

Apr. 24 – Apr. 26, 1900Z – 1900Z, WØZSW & WØEQO, Minneapolis, MN. Handiham Radio Club & Handiham Radio Club of Minnesota. **Handiham Program 59th Anniversary QSO Party**. 7.200 14.250 21.350 28.350. QSL. Handiham Program, 3915 Golden Valley Rd., Mail Route 78446, Minneapolis, MN 55422. www.handiham.net

Apr. 25, 1300Z – 2000Z, W2GSB, Babylon, NY. Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club. **Marconi Day**. 7.275 14.245 21.325 28.500. Certificate. GSBARC Marconi Day, 200 E. Sunrise Hwy., Lindenhurst, NY 11757. www.gsbarc.org

Apr. 25, 1300Z – 2100Z, K3S, Baltimore, MD. Nuclear Ship Savannah Amateur Radio Club. **International Marconi Day Official Station**. 7000. QSL. Ulis Fleming, 980 Patuxent Rd., Odenton, MD 21113. *Check spotting networks on all bands for frequency.* www.qrz.com/db/K3S

Apr. 30 – May 1, 1600Z – 0000Z, KA6OES, Eureka, CA. Humboldt County Sheriff's Office of Emergency Services. **BEACON Exercise**. 3.9920 7.1920 14.2205. Certificate. Greg Waters, ATT: OES, 826 4th St., Eureka, CA 95501. www.beaconexercise.org

Certificates and QSL cards: To obtain a certificate from any of the special event stations offering them, send your QSO information along with a 9 × 12-inch self-addressed, stamped envelope (3 units of postage) to the address listed in the announcement. To receive a special event QSL card (when offered), be sure to include a self-addressed, stamped business envelope along with your QSL card and QSO information.

Special Events Announcements: For items to be listed in this column, use the ARRL Special Events Listing Form at www.arrl.org/special-events-application, or email information to events@arrl.org.

Submissions must be received by ARRL HQ no later than the 1st of the second month preceding the publication date; a special event listing for **July QST** would have to be received by **May 1**. In addition to being listed in *QST*, your event will be listed on the ARRL Web Special Event page. Note: All received events are acknowledged. If you do not receive an acknowledgment within a few days, please contact us. ARRL reserves the right to exclude events of a commercial or political nature.

You can view all received Special Events at www.arrl.org/special-event-stations.