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Thoughts from the Board

Kerry-W4SIG

Happy May!!

Wow, there is a lot going on in our county hunting community. Not sure where to get started. First, I want to send out a special congratulations to Hollis, **KC3X**, for being only the 8th person to complete the prestigious Mobile Diamond Award and the first to do so in over six years. Fantastic job, Hollis. Who's next?

Most important of all, there is news we have all been anxiously awaiting... **LOGGER II IS HERE!!!!!!** Please see the important article in this issue by developer Don, **K3IMC**. I, for one, am ready to jump in and get on board with Logger II and all it has to offer. Also, please check out Don's article where he is looking for a partner in his Logger II work to be able to run with the reins if the need arises. Can never have enough expertise on his MARAC IT team. Access to Logger II award tracking software is a huge benefit of being a MARAC member!

While the propagation has not picked up significantly, the mobile activity sure has! **KC3X** had a nice run last month in SC, **KB6UF** is on another long trek to Maine and putting out lots of goodies. **AB7NK/K7SEN** mobile team has come out of hibernation and are making a big swing in the East. Also, nice to hear Paige, **W0FLZ**, out and about along with Randy, **K7TQ**, **K4BAI**, **AD4EB**, **N9JF**, **N4CD**, **KA4RRU**, **K4ZGB**, **N9AC**, **KA3QLF**, **W4SIG**, **WB4KZW**, **A15P**, **KB0BA/N0XYL**, **WB0PYF**. And how can we forget more huge trips from **W0GXQ** and **K8ZZ**. In addition to this there has been tremendous activity in QSO Parties this past month. A great time to work on all those MARAC awards!!

Also, a MAJOR CONGRATULATIONS to the **2020 County Hunters of the Year!** See details below.

Kerry-W4SIG



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News Flash!-Logger II Ready to Go!!

By Don K3IMC

Although Logger 2 is still undergoing final testing and evaluation, it is almost ready for general distribution to current MARAC members. Today, Logger 2 does almost everything that Logger 1 does, but does it faster and with an easier interface. Actually, Logger 2 is still a work in process and is continuing to evolve because I have plans for a whole new set of features. However, it is far enough along and robust enough that I **do not want to delay** distributions to all county hunters.

While the entire application has been rewritten, it has almost all the same features of Logger 1. However, the navigation within the application and the location of the features are significantly different from what is in Logger 1. It will take some getting used to. The databases used by Logger 2 are identical to those used in Logger 1. Thus, there is no conversion of data from Logger 1 to Logger 2. They do have slightly differ names to prevent accidently over writing the new Logger 2 databases with older Logger 1 files.

Unlike the technique used with Logger 1 where everyone was responsible for their own installation and initialization, **I plan to have use an installation team to assist everyone individually** in the transition from Logger 1 to Logger 2. My plan is to create a list of county hunters who want to upgrade to Logger 2. As time allows, your call will be given to one of my installation team members who will contact you to perform the installation. My plan is to begin installation around May 1, and have most of the installations completed by June 1.

If you are interested in upgrading from Logger 1 to Logger 2, send me an email at k3imc.dlf@gmail.com and give me a good telephone number so we can contact you.

Home and Mobile Shacks

This month featuring W4SIG Off-roading in Southeastern Utah

While I did not have a rig in the jeep it definitely was an adventurous “mobile trip”! Here are a few pics:



Going up a rock “waterfall” south of Moab, Utah



Heading up a 32 degree incline!

Special K9MIX Memorial Event Station

By Joe KD9CJX

The Wisconsin Valley Radio Association (WVRA) will be operating from Baraga State Park in Upper Michigan from Friday, April 30th till Sunday, May 2nd, 2021. This will be both a Parks on the Air activation (K-1486) and a county activation for county hunters.

This operation is a memorial to club member Brent Schaefer K9MIX (SK) who passed away in January 2021 due to COVID-19 complications. Brent was a long-time county hunter and a board member of the Mobile Amateur Radio Awards Club (MARAC) at the time of his passing. Originally licensed in 1958, Brent was active on the air for nearly seven decades and had been active with the WVRA for much of this time. Baraga county was one of the few counties he had not been able to confirm a contact with before his passing. The club had planned an activation in 2020 but had cancelled due to the pandemic.

The club will be using their club call W9NA and will reply to QSL requests by mail for county hunters. POTA logs will be submitted within one week of the end of operations.

Daytime operations will be on 20 and 40 meters (17 meters if QSO party traffic is heavy) and 40 and 80 meters in the evening, all primarily SSB. CW operations will be Saturday evening on 40 and 80, and please QRS.

For more information, or to set up a sked, please contact:

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Operating frequencies +/- 10 kHz depending on traffic.

17m SSB - 18.140 (Depending on QSO Party traffic)

20m SSB - 14.310

40m SSB - 7.270

40m CW - 7.056 (Saturday Evening)

75m SSB - 3.950

80m CW - 3.556 (Saturday Evening)

New Quarterly Ballot

Kerry-W4SIG

In the March edition of the *RoadRunner* I wrote an article to explain the new look to the Quarterly Ballots for voting on Mobile of the Year (CW/SSB/and team) as well as Mobile Assist(CW and SSB). From reading that article, the need for a change was obvious and past due. So the "WHY?" has been covered. After a few inquiries the Board has asked me to explain to membership the "HOW?". How does the Board determine who is on the ballots? Here is an explanation...

The implementation of the new system (one without write-ins) is not something the Board did overnight. We have been tossing this issue around for many many months. We were hoping over the last few years that enough members would vote for legit contenders so they would override the flux of votes we know were submitted in jest. Unfortunately, after "hoping" for several years, this wasn't to be the case. We decided that doing nothing was only going to allow the shenanigans of the past few years to continue. Let me try to explain...

First, the Board passed a rule change that only MARAC members can receive these awards. That eliminated callsigns of hams who were not even county hunters that were receiving votes, and even callsigns that didn't even exist in the FCC database from receiving a large number of votes.

Secondly, we wanted to make sure that only active mobiles for the Quarter were able to receive votes. We needed to prevent calls that have not been on the air in ten years from receiving votes. The only way was to totally eliminate the Write-In system of voting. Again, this was not something we took lightly, but decided it was the best way to accomplish legit votes. This brought up the next obvious question of "which active mobiles should be on the ballot?". We discussed this extensively during many months of Board working session conference calls. Some members' callsigns obviously should be on the ballot due to heavy activity. But what about calls that only ran either one or a handful of counties? Where do you draw the line? Many lost hours of sleep were spent on this and the Board discussed it carefully. At first, why not include all calls that were spotted, even if they were spotted only once? Because it was obvious that this would lead to "false spots" just to get someone on the ballot. We would be accomplishing nothing. It was obvious that we needed more data. The only way available is to study the W6RK spotting pages, by far the number one way a mobile is noted as being active. A mobile doesn't always get a spot. But, if someone says they ran a lot of counties but they were never spotted during the quarter, then they probably weren't extremely active.

Here is the process we took:

- 1) We have a volunteer Board members go to the W6RK spotting site and search for all spots on a given day of the Quarter and write those down for both CW and SSB. Then this was repeated....for all 90 days of the quarter. Very time consuming, but again, the only way currently possible. This list was

submitted to the Board. (Please note that we have more than one Board member do this check just to make sure we didn't leave anyone off)

2)We have volunteer Board members go to the W6RK spotting site and search on the last 1000 spots for each callsign on the list. (Note that 1000 is the highest number you can request on the spotting site. This covered all spots for all callsigns for the quarter easily). A tally was taken on how many CW spots there were and how many SSB spots there were for each callsign.

3)This list is provided to the Board. A determination had to be made on how many of the callsigns to put on the ballot. Instead of a specific number of spots being the requirement, we decided to take the most active calls on the list. Again, we had the question of the top 5, the top 7, the top 10, etc? We again studied the numbers and decided that the top 5 would more than cover the most active mobiles. We do understand that if someone takes the effort to go to Kalawao or Alaska for example that that will carry a heavier weight than a "regular" county. We had none of those this quarter. We also understand that someone running large counties in the West can be just as busy a someone running smaller counties in the East. Upon looking at these numbers it was decided that the top 5 would be the best way to go.

4)For Mobile Assist the Board had many conversations as well. It was decided that "who better to shout out who assisted the mobiles the most than asking the mobiles themselves??" The mobiles know who was spotting them, who was providing relays, or any other assistance needed. So to accomplish this, we polled the top 5 mobiles for each mode. We asked them "Who assisted you the most during this quarter?". We took this list and came up with the top Mobile Assists to put on the ballot.

We certainly understand that this method is very manual, not exact, and far less from perfect. BUT we do know that all the calls on the ballot were 1)MARAC members, 2)Very active as mobiles during the last quarter. So we are confident that it is FAIR. Could we have made it the "top 7" or "top 9"? Certainly, but then you can be including calls that were only putting out a handful of counties on the ballot. If activity blossoms in future quarters it might be more difficult to leave a call off of the top five. We will have to address that if it comes along.

It is a shame that so much effort of volunteers is being dedicated to such an endeavor. However the Board is determined to not let a few intentionally destroy proper recognition to those that are so deserving.

Final Countdown

Kerry-W4SIG

The following MARAC Members need less than 10 counties for the “Whole Ball of Wax”, also known as WBOW. Let’s give them a hand! If you have less than 10 to go in the entire country for any MARAC Award please send those needs to Kerry, W4SIG, for inclusion in this new monthly article. Please keep me updated as these lists dwindle so we have accurate info for mobiles that want to help you out.

K2MF/WBOW ALL CW 20METERS

GA: Jenkins, Montgomery, Pickens, Screven, Toombs, Upson

W4SIG/WBOW N PREFIX

ID: Teton **MA:** Nantucket

W4SIG/WBOW W PREFIX

AK: 1st, 2nd, **HI:** Kauai, **IN:** Spencer, **NH:** Coos, Sullivan, **NJ:** Hudson

W4SIG/WBOW 1X3 CALLSIGNS

AK: 2ND, 3RD, 4TH

W4SIG/WBOW 1X2 CALLSIGNS

AL: Lamar, **ME:** Aroostook, Piscataquis, Somerset, Waldo, **MA:** Dukes

W4SIG/WBOW ALL CW 3RD TIME

HI: Kalawao, **NY:** Chenango

W4SIG/WBOW 40METERS

CA: Mariposa

W4SIG/WBOW 30 METERS

CA: Madera, Mariposa, **NY:** Chenango, **VT:** Orleans

W4SIG/WBOW BINGO III

CA: Contra Costa, San Francisco, Ventura, **HI:** Kalawao, **PA:** Montour

N4RS – WBOW 40m Using CW Only

AK: 2nd District

KC3X – WBOW 40 Meters

ID: Camas, **MT:** Daniels, Pondera, Prairie, **OR:** Benton, Sherman, **WA:** Jefferson

N1API – WBOW BINGO III

MA: Suffolk

N5MLP – WBOW A Prefix

AR: Arkansas, **LA:** Grant, Vermillion, Vernon, **MS:** Issaquena, **TN:** Hardeman, Houston, Marshall, **VA:** Mathews, **WA:** Garfield

N5MLP—WBOW Bingo IV

AK: First, Second, Third, Fourth, **CA:** Lake, **HI:** Kalawao, **WA:** Columbia, Garfield

N5MLP – WBOW 5th Time

AK: First J.D., Second J.D., Third J.D.

N0KV – WBOW CW

NC: Graham **SD:** Buffalo, Jackson, **WI:** Rusk

N0KV—WBOW K Prefix

CO: Summit, **IA:** Hardin, **ID:** Teton, **NE:** Nance, **SD:** Haakon, **WV:** McDowell, **WY:** Goshen

K4YT -WBOW 4th Time

HI: Kalawao

K4YT – WBOW All SSB

AK: First JD

K4YT – WBOW 1x2 Calls

LA: Assumption, **MS:** Jefferson

K4YT – WBOW Mobile to Mobile

CA: Marin, Nevada, San Joaquin, Yolo, **MD:** Calvert, **OR:** Benton, Coos

K4YT – WBOW A Prefix

MS:-Holmes, Issaquena, Lafayette, Sharkey, Winston. **TN:**-Perry. **VA:**-Craig

K0DEQ- WBOW Bingo

AL: Tallapoosa; **AR:** Cleburne, Stone; **GA:** Evans; **MO:** Cedar

K0MAF- WBOW USACA 1st Time (can only do CW)

IA: Cherokee, Emmet **KY:** Monroe, McLean, Owsley **MN:** Pennington

NF0N – WBOW ALL CW 2nd Time

IN: Delaware, **MI:** Muskegon, Baraga

NF0N—WBOW N Prefix

IA: Palo Alto, Winnebago, **ME:** Franklin, **MN:** Benton, **ND:** Griggs

W4YDY/ WBOW CW 2ND TIME

OR: Crook, Wheeler

W4YDY/WBOW A PREFIX

MS: Oktibbeha **OH:** Putnam **PA:** Philadelphia **VA:** Amelia, King William

W4YDY/WBOW W PREFIX

AK: First J. D. S E **NY:** Essex, Montgomery **OR:** Sherman **PA:** Tioga **SC:** Union **TX:** Dickens, Runnels, Somervell **VA:** Floyd

WA3QNT—WBOW MASTERS GOLD

AK: 2nd Dist **GA:** Lee **IN:** Morgan **PA:** Bucks **TX:** Galveston **MT:** Lake, Sanders **NY:** New York, Yates

NU0Q – WBOW MASTER GOLD

AK: 4TH District

NU0Q/ WBOW MASTER PLATINUM

IA: Franklin, Hamilton, **MD:**Worcester, **NJ:** Hunterdon, **OH:** Darke, **PA:** Cameron, Dauphin, Lebanon, Potter

KM6HB/WBOW 4TH TIME

IN: Decatur, **KY:** Grayson, Knott, Lawrence, Leslie, **MI:** Newaygo, **MT:** Prairie, **TN:** DeKalb, Grundy, **VT:**Grand Isle

Awards Committee

Ron-N5MLP

County Hunter of the Year Results – SSB and CW

The process for nominating and selecting individuals for both County Hunter of the Year categories has been completed for 2021. Only one nomination for each category was received and forwarded to the Awards Committee by the District Directors this year. The Awards Committee met via conference call shortly thereafter and decided not to add additional nominees to be considered. Therefore, the single nominee for each category is thereby declared to be the winner and no election ballot or vote will be necessary this year to complete the process.

Both nominees were submitted by Kerry Long, W4SIG originally as a member of the club. They were considered by Janet Camron, District Director for the South Central District where both nominees reside and chosen by her to represent the South Central District this year.

The 2021 winners are:

Category:	Winner:
County Hunter of the Year – CW	K8ZZ – Ed Eklin
County Hunter of the Year – SSB	K0DEQ – Bill Morgan

Congratulations to both of these winners for their county hunting activity and contributions to the club and membership during the 12 month period ending January 31, 2021. The nomination justification and biographical information which was submitted for both of these nominees appears below:

Nomination Information for K8ZZ

K8ZZ Nomination for CW CHOTY

By Kerry W4SIG

I am nominating Ed, K8ZZ, for CW CHOTY. Ed has been extremely active in all facets of county hunting for many years, especially CW this past year. Ed has become the most prolific CW mobile station on the county hunting frequencies. He has less than 200 to go to finish operating from all 3,077 counties. He always puts out a good signal from his mobile station; mostly his personal vehicle, but sometimes he takes his equipment on the plane and sets up a rental car for operation for the benefit of all MARAC members. Ed is also known to operate each county from up to 8 different bands when propagation conditions allow. In addition to operating, Ed navigates and often even spots himself on the county hunting spotting page. Ed also likes to team up with other CW mobile operators for some outstanding county trips.

Ed also is the head of the MARAC Convention Advisory Committee. He has organized more club conventions than any other member in it's 50 plus year history. In addition to running over 12 Michigan Minis, Ed took on the challenge of organizing the 50th year extravaganza in Kansas City a few years ago.

Ed has served his club well both as Vice President and currently as President. For these reasons, I am nominating Ed, K8"zed zed" for CW CHOTY

Bio of Ed Eklin K8ZZ MARAC 2977

I started my interest in Ham radio chasing DX. I got tired of waiting months for new countries and expeditions so I went mobile. I also did a lot of small time contesting which I still enjoy. I ran

across the County Hunters net back about 1993 and found a very nice bunch of Hams. The nets were always active even at the bottom of the cycle. I was burned out of radio and put everything up for about 5 years. After 5 years I decided I would get a mobile rig for traveling. The first thing I came across with the new mobile was the County Hunters nets. I finished working and confirming all 3077 counties on February 27, 2006, mixed modes number 1134. I finished working all 3077 counties CW on March 7, 2009 number 100. On September 22, 2019 I finished CW II number 40. On April 24, 2010, I finished working all 3077 counties the second time for number 396 and third time on Nov 25, 2018 for number 254. On 8-21-2020 I finished working all 3077 counties on 30 meters for number 8. All 3077 counties on 40m meters for number 3.

I also enjoy putting out counties on CW and SSB from the mobile when I travel. I have transmitted from 2887 unique counties to date, and hope to transmit from all 3077. I have also started putting out Parks from the mobile. Also really enjoy FT8.

I use a Elecraft KX3 with 100 watt amp into a SA-680 Scorpion antenna on a SUV when mobile. I use a Begali Traveler key for CW. My mobile inverter is a Cotek 300 watt 12v Pure Sine PN: S300-112. It has NO hash or noise to the radio or computer.

I retired from General Motors and also the State of Michigan in the Department of Corrections. I am also a member of the SISU Club..

I have been a member in good standing of MARAC for about 20 years. I have been on the Board as Vice President and President. I have accomplished many awards over the years, but my main focus has been on transmitting from all counties I have transmitted from all counties in 40 states to date. I started operating mobile in 1995. I have given out 950 LC awards to date. Two awards that took me 20 years to finish were all 40 meters number 3 and 30 meters all CW number 8. Over the years I have Hosted 13 conventions with the next one being the Michigan Mini in April 2022. I have put on seminars to local Ham clubs on mobile operations, equipment and mobile operation in MARAC. I have also helped teach young folks on getting their first license. I operate CW SSB and digital with FT8 and FT4 being my latest learning curve.. have done a lot of SSB CW and RTTY contesting over the years. I did take first place in the Great Lakes Division on RTTY twice.



Nomination Information for K0DEQ

K0DEQ Nomination for SSB CHOTY

By Kerry- W4SIG

I would like to nominate Bill Morgan, K0DEQ, for SSB County Hunter of the Year. Bill was one of the very early members of MARAC being member number 532. He attended the early club meetings almost 50 years ago.

Bill has an outstanding signal on all bands thanks to his antenna farm of multiple towers and antennas. He is active as a mobile, putting many counties out on SSB and CW. Bill is also one of the most prolific Mobile Assists as he provides relays on both modes and on many bands. He has personally relayed weak stations for me on 80, 40, 30, 20, and 17 meters. Bill is also ready to provide spots to mobiles that are not able to spot themselves.

Bill has served his MARAC club well, serving as both legal counsel and Treasurer for several years now. He is very active behind the scenes to make MARAC a better club for all members. For these reasons, I would like to nominate Bill Morgan, K0DEQ, for SSB County Hunter of the Year!



Bill Morgan- K0DEQ

Bio for Bill Morgan K0DEQ, MARAC #532

I have been licensed since 1955 with same callsign (except for KN0DEQ as a novice for first year). I enjoy chasing DX and operating in contests, and county hunting.

Having been an active ham for over 65 years, I still enjoy it very much. Thanks to my good friends, K1USA (Dale) and WB00(Mike), both of whom have recently joined MARAC, I have a mobile rig again, after being without one for about 25 years.

I have been a small-town attorney in central Missouri for over 55 years but no longer spend much time in my office. I would rather spend time chasing counties and going mobile!

Awards Issued March 25 through April 24, 2021

Awards Issued:					Roadrunner Awards Issued:			
Call	Date of Last Contact	Award	Level	Cert. No.	Call	Date of Last Contact	L C Count:	Cert. No.
W0FLZ	12/19/1990	RAS* - RI		50	KZ2P	1/2/2017	225	109
W0FLZ	1/15/1993	RAS* - CT		46	K8ZZ	3/25/2021	975	13
W0FLZ	10/24/193	RAS* - NH		41	W0GXQ	4/5/2021	1,325	4
KC3X	4/12/2021	Mobile Diamond		8				
W0GXQ	4/4/2021	RAS* - OK		30	Legend of Abbreviations:			
W9OO	4/5/2021	USA-CWI	3077	161	RAS* = Ran All State			
NN9K	4/23/2021	Master Gold		73	WAC* = Worked All USA Counties			

Awards Committee **Vacancy** – Northeast District

The Awards Committee now has a **vacancy** for a representative from the Northeast district which includes the states/areas of:

CT, MA, ME, NH, NJ, NY, RI, VT, VE1, VE, VE9, VY2, and Europe

If you are located in one of those states/areas and are interested in volunteering to be on the committee please contact either N5MLP (Awards Manager) or N1API (District Director of Northeast District).

MARAC Awards Committee



N5MLP – Ron Clift, MARAC Awards Manager

MARAC Treasurer's Report

Bill-K0DEQ
Treasurer

Mar 20, 2021 Through Apr 19, 2021

Beginning Account Balance

\$19,959.45

Income:

Savings Account Interest	\$	
Awards Income	60.00	
Misc Income		
Membership Income	129.41	
Logger Distribution Income	60.00	
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Total Income		\$249.41

Expenses:

Awards Expenses	\$ 219,77	
Misc. Expenses NOTE 1	1045.00	
Office Expenses (Postage, etc.)		
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Total expenses		\$1264.77

Net Income Less Expenses (\$1015.36)

Cash Balance \$18,944.09

Checking Account Balance \$ 1935.03

Savings Account Balance _17009.06

Total all accounts \$18,944.09

Note 1 \$434.20 for annual fee to Simply Voting; \$610.80 for Team Viewer fee paid to K3IMC in connection with Logger II.

From a balance sheet perspective, MARAC cash balance shown above should be discounted by \$6206, which is the amount of award fees pre-paid by members. After subtracting this amount, the true (spendable) Cash Balance is \$12,738.09

MARAC Silent Keys

This month it is with sadness and fond memories that we remember the following Silent Keys:

(If you have information that should be included here, please contact W4SIG)

W8TVT: Joe Novak, MARAC#2851, USACA #1091, Joe will always be remembered for the Emcee role he played for many years at the Michigan Mini. He brought cheer to the events and passed out over a thousand decks of cards as rewards. He worked closely with K8ZZ to coordinate Michigan Minis for over ten years

N8BNI: Jim Miller, MARAC#1165, USACA#353, Jim worked all counties three times

NU4C: Paul Milward, MARAC#4387, USACA#1206, Paul was very active in his local ARES club community

2020 State QSO Parties

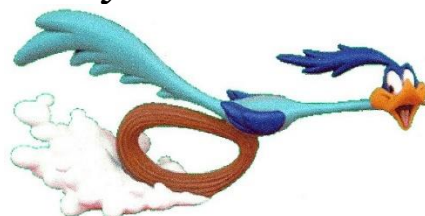
Courtesy of WA7BNM

May

Arizona	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Idaho	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Montana	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Nevada	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Oregon	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021

Utah	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Washington	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Wyoming	± 7th Call Area QSO Party	1300Z, May 1 to 0700Z, May 2, 2021
Indiana	± Indiana QSO Party	1500Z, May 1 to 0300Z, May 2, 2021
Delaware	± Delaware QSO Party	1700Z, May 1 to 2359Z, May 2, 2021
Connecticut	± New England QSO Party	2000Z, May 1 to 0500Z, May 2, 2021 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 2, 2021
Maine	± New England QSO Party	2000Z, May 1 to 0500Z, May 2, 2021 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 2, 2021
Massachusetts	± New England QSO Party	2000Z, May 1 to 0500Z, May 2, 2021 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 2, 2021
New Hampshire	± New England QSO Party	2000Z, May 1 to 0500Z, May 2, 2021 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 2, 2021
Rhode Island	± New England QSO Party	2000Z, May 1 to 0500Z, May 2, 2021 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 2, 2021
Vermont	± New England QSO Party	2000Z, May 1 to 0500Z, May 2, 2021 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 2, 2021
Arkansas	± Arkansas QSO Party	1400Z, May 8 to 0200Z, May 9, 2021

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“A Roadrunner Is A Very Fast Bird”

Monthly Deadline for Articles is the 25th!

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