

## Rules: "Russian hunt QRP marathon"

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"Two Bear or not two Bear? That is the question" :-)

**RESULTS:** [2016](#) , [2015](#) , [2014](#) , [2013](#) , [2012](#) , [2011](#) , [2010](#) , [2009](#) , [2008](#) , [2007](#) ( [Правила &nbsp;на-русском](#) )

Russian Hunt QRP marathon was founded by RU-QRP Club and takes place in two seasons:

**winter**

and

**summer**

. Both seasons consists of 6 rounds which tooks place on

**Thursday**

(February-March and August-September) from

**18:00**

till

**19:00**

UTC.

Hunt in both seasons used three bands: 80, 40 and 20 meters on frequencies: 14060 +/- 5 kHz, 7030 +/- 5 kHz, 3560 - 3580 kHz. We invite all licensed radioamateurs.

Ranks:

- QRP-"Hunters" (QRP up to 5 Watt)

- "Bears" (QRP up to 5 Watt)

In each round two QRP stations participate as "Bears". They are assigned from participants ("Hunters") who gathered more points in current season before incoming round. "Bears" can only work on general call - " *CQ QRP de CALL BEAR pse k*". All "Hunters" can communicate with "Bears" and other QRP "Hunters". General call for QRP "Hunters" - " *CQ HUNT de CALL QRP pse k*"

". Contacts with other non-participants in hunt are also allowed.

Exchange with real RST, your name, output power. Only one QSO is allowed with the same

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station in particular round. Duplicate QSOs are only allowed in other rounds.

Points:

- for QSO with "Bear" = 25 points
- for QSO with QRP-station = 3 points
- for QSO with QRO station = 1 point

Also, for each new invited participant you will get a 1 additional point.

Results calculated separately by ranks. Note that points gathered by the same participant in "Bear" role are summed with his points gathered in "Hunter" role. Separate "Bears" rating is also calculated.

Reports:

It is strongly desirable to submit your report just after the round finish. Deadline - same week Saturday end. Report your logs in Cabrillo (Ermak) format.

**Submit your logs to:** [grp-hunt-cw@rambler.ru](mailto:grp-hunt-cw@rambler.ru) and write your callsign in the message subject.

### Prizes:

All participants will get an electronic "virtual" QRP hunt certificates with final rating table for manual printing. According to the year's summary rating, RU-QRP members will be awarded with plaques as: - The best QRP-"Hunter";  
- The best "Bear".

ATTENTION: Participants exchange with real RST. Please be attentive in the air and during logs writing!

**LOG EXAMPLE:** START-OF-LOG: 3.0 CONTEST: HUNT CALLSIGN:  
UU7JF CLAIMED-SCORE: 0 OPERATORS: UI7K CLUB: RU-QRP QSO: 7000 CW  
2015-03-05 1901 UI7K 599 VIT5W HA7UG 579 LACI5W QSO: 7000 CW  
2015-03-05 1902 UI7K 559 VIT5W UA1ASB 579 LEO5W QSO: 7000 CW  
2015-03-05 1903 UI7K 579 VIT5W ON3ND 579 JJ5W QSO: 7000 CW 2015-03-05  
1905 UI7K 449 VIT5W LA1ENA 559 AAGE5W QSO: 3500 CW 2015-03-05 1907  
UI7K 449 VIT5W UR4MCK 559 DIMA5W END-OF-LOG:

Good luck in QRP hunt & 73!

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