

**ANNUAL ARMED FORCES DAY CROSSBAND
MILITARY/AMATEUR RADIO COMMUNICATIONS TEST
(14 MAY 2011)**

The Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard are co-sponsoring the annual military/amateur radio communications tests in celebration of the 61th Anniversary of Armed Forces Day (AFD). Although the actual Armed Forces Day is celebrated on Saturday, May 21, 2011, the AFD Military/Amateur Crossband Communications Test will be conducted 14 May 2011 to prevent conflict with the Dayton Hamvention (20-22 May 2011), which is the same weekend as the actual Armed Forces Day.

The annual celebration features traditional military to amateur cross band communications SSB voice and Morse Code tests. These tests give Amateur Radio operators and Short Wave Listeners (SWL) an opportunity to demonstrate their individual technical skills, and to receive recognition from the appropriate military radio station for their proven expertise. QSL cards will be provided to those stations making contact with the military stations.

MILITARY-TO-AMATEUR CROSS BAND SSB & CW TEST CONTACTS.

Military-to-Amateur cross band operations will take place on the dates/times in ZULU (UTC), and frequencies listed below for each station. Voice contacts will include operations in single sideband voice (SSB). Some stations may not operate the entire period, depending on propagation and manning. Participating military stations will transmit on selected Military MARS frequencies and listen for amateur radio stations in the Amateur bands indicated below. The military station operator will announce the specific amateur band frequency being monitored. Duration of each voice contact should be limited to 1-2 minutes. The following stations will be transmitting on MARS frequencies listed below which are provided as "Window/Dial Frequency" in kHz.

Some stations will use CW to provide the opportunity to check in by Morse Code

Army Stations**STATION: AAZ** (14 May 1400Z - 15 May 0300Z)

Frequency	Emission	Amateur Band
4038.9 kHz	LSB	80M
6913.0 kHz	LSB	40M
14.402.0 kHz	USB	20M
13.996.0 kHz	USB	20M
18.211.0 kHz	USB	17M
7577.0 kHz	CW	40M
13.507.0 kHz	CW	20M
7639.5 kHz	RTTY	40M
13512.5 kHz	MT-63	20M

Location: Fort Huachuca, AZ

Address:

Commander NETCOM/9th ASC

ATTN: NETCOM-OPE-M (MARS) (31)

2133 Cushing Street

Ft. Huachuca, AZ 85616-7070

POC: Mr. Dewayne Smith

DSN: 821-7324

Commercial: (520) 533-7324

STATION: AAC (14 May 1300Z - 15 May 0100Z)

Frequency	Emission	Amateur Band
3348.5 kHz	LSB	80M
7363.0 kHz	LSB	40M
13.910.5 kHz	USB	20M
27.788.5 kHz	USB	10M

Location: Lexington, KY

Address:

HQ 3RD BDE, 95TH DIV (IT) MARS STATION

Barrow Army Reserve Training Center

1051 Russell Cave Pike

Lexington, KY 40505

POC: Barry Jackson, AAR4BZ

Commercial: (859) 227-0137

STATION: ABH (14 May 1600Z - 15 May 2300Z)

Frequency	Emission	Amateur Band
3350.0 kHz	LSB	80M
4441.5 kHz	LSB	80M
4792.5 kHz	LSB	80M
7360.0 kHz	LSB	40M
7721.5 kHz	LSB	40M
8040.0 kHz	LSB	40M

14402.0 kHz	USB	20M
14438.5 kHz	USB	20M
14487.0 kHz	USB	20M
17443.0 kHz	USB	17M
17592.5 kHz	USB	17M
20976.0 kHz	USB	15M
20558.5 kHz	USB	15M

Location: Schofield Barracks, HI
 Commander, 396th Signal Company
 30th Signal Battalion, 96857
 POC: WO1 William Pemberton
 Commercial: (808) 655-3387

STATION: WAR (14 May 1200Z - 2400Z)

Frequency	Emission	Amateur Band
4020.9 kHz	LSB/CW	80M
7314.0 kHz	LSB/CW	40M
14438.5 kHz	USB/CW	20M
27991.0 kHz	USB/CW	10M

Location: Pentagon, Washington, DC
 Address:
 Pentagon Amateur Radio Club
 ATTN: AFDCBT
 PO Box 2322
 Arlington VA 22202
 POC Mr. Gary Sessums
 Station telephone:
 Commercial: (703) 693-8423 DSN 223-8423

STATION: WUG-231 (14 May 1300Z - 15 May 0200Z)

Frequency	Emission	Amateur Band
4032.9 kHz	LSB	80M
7.424.0 kHz	LSB	40M
6.826.0 kHz	LSB/CW	40M
14.486.0 kHz	USB	20M
14.663.5 kHz	USB/CW	20M
20.973.5 kHz	USB/CW	15M

Location: Memphis, TN
 Address:
 USACE Memphis District Office
 ATTN: Jim Pogue
 Public Affairs Office Room B-202
 167 N. Main St.
 Memphis, TN 38103-1894
 POC: Mr. Jim Pogue
 Commercial: (901) 544-4109

NAVY/MARINE CORPS STATIONS

STATION: NAJ (14 MAY 1200Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)

NAVMARCORMARS RADIO STATION, GREAT LAKES, IL

FREQUENCY	EMISSION	AMATEUR BAND
4011.5 KHZ	LSB/MT63	80M
7376.5 KHZ	LSB	40M
14467.0 KHZ	USB	20M
21758.5 KHZ	USB	15M

ADDRESS: MR. DAVID OUELLETTE/NNN0ASG

6148 WEST CUTLER RD

DEWITT, MICHIGAN 48820

COMMERCIAL: (517) 515-6080

STATION: NBL (14 MAY 1200Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)

NAVMARCORMARS RADIO STATION, GROTON, CT

FREQUENCY	EMISSION	AMATEUR BAND
4041.5 KHZ	LSB	80M
7371.5 KHZ	LSB	40M
14391.5 KHZ	USB	20M
20623.5 KHZ	USB	15M

POC AND ADDRESS: ROBERT VETH, DIRECTOR REGION ONE

4 LANTERN LANE, CHELMSFORD MA 01824-1316

COMMERCIAL: (978) 256-5264

STATION: NNN0ASF (14 MAY 1200Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)

NAVMARCORMARS RADIO STATION, NNN0ASF

FREQUENCY	EMISSION	AMATEUR BAND
4014.0 KHZ	LSB	80M
7394.5 KHZ	LSB	40M 1200-2359Z, 0200-0400Z
7394.5 KHZ	LSB PSK31	40M 0000-0200Z
13974.0 KHZ	USB	20M 1200-1800Z, 2000-0400Z
13974.0 KHZ	USB PSK31	20M 1800-2000Z
20997.0 KHZ	USB	15M

POC AND ADDRESS: NAVMARCORMARS RADIO STATION NNN0ASF

KEN KEEHNER, PO BOX 224, BENNINGTON KS 67422

COMMERCIAL: (785) 488-2241 COMMERCIAL: (978) 256-5264

STATION: NNN0CQQ (14 MAY 1500Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)

EX-USS MIDWAY MUSEUM SHIP MARS STATION

FREQUENCY	EMISSION	AMATEUR BAND
4003.0 KHZ	LSB	80M
7351.5 KHZ	LSB	40M
14463.5 KHZ	USB	20M
20936.0 KHZ	USB	15M

POC AND ADDRESS: JOSE GARZA, NNN0XBQ

9789 PASEO MONTRIL, SAN DIEGO CA 92129-3910

COMMERCIAL: (858) 484-0469 CELL: 858-254-0175

STATION: NUW (14 MAY 1500Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)
NAVMARCORMARS RADIO STATION, NAS WHIDBEY ISLAND, WA
FREQUENCY EMISSION AMATEUR BAND
4044.0 KHZ LSB 80M
7381.5 KHZ LSB 40M
13528.5 KHZ USB 20M
20952.5 KHZ USB 15M
POC AND ADDRESS: NAVMARCORMARS RADIO STATION
MR. DIGGER O'DELL, 260 W. PIONEER FSC BLDG.
NAS WHIDBEY ISLAND, WA 98277
COMMERCIAL: (360) 675-2823 DSN: 820-8038

STATION: NWKJ (14 MAY 1200Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)
FREQUENCY EMISSION AMATEUR BAND
4010.0 KHZ LSB 80M
7348.0 KHZ LSB 40M
14478.5 KHZ USB 20M
20994.0 KHZ USB 15M
ADDRESS: EX-USS YORKTOWN (CV-10)
PATRIOTS POINT MARITIME MUSEUM, SC
C/O FRED HAMBRECHT/NNN0GBS
129 INDIAN TRACE COURT
GILBERT, SC 29054
COMMERCIAL: (803) 657-3602

STATION: NWVC (14 MAY 1200Z - 15 MAY 0400Z)
FREQUENCY EMISSION AMATEUR BAND
4041.5 KHZ LSB 80M
7389.0 KHZ LSB 40M
13826.0 KHZ USB 20M
20678.5 KHZ USB 15M
ADDRESS: USS LST 325
840 LST DRIVE
EVANSVILLE, IN 47713
POC: PERRY BALLINGER, NNN0VNO
COMMERCIAL: 330-932-8612/330-705-8449