

TOTR EXPLOSION A CONTEST FOR AMRC MEMBERS

The contest begins on Friday, March 2, 2018 at 6:00 PM and ends on Sunday, March 11, 2018 at 11:59 PM.

Points are awarded for contacts with current AMRC members only.

Bands

UHF/VHF:

2 Meters
1.25 Meters
70 cm
33 cm
23 cm
Any amateur MHz freq

HF:

Any HF frequency on which Technician class license is allowed to operate

Modes

SSB (voice)
FM
Digital (CW is a digital mode)

Contacts may be simplex or club repeaters.

Any station may be worked once per band per mode (Once on simplex or repeater. These are not two separate modes).

Suggested Simplex Frequencies

(these are only suggestions; any frequency available to technician class is allowed)

Voice, CW, Other Digital

146.505 144.03 145.07
446.00 432.075 430.45
52.525 50.050 50.530
28.345 28.050 28.150
3530
7090
21050

Scoring

- 2 points for each voice contact with a New Member*
 - 1 point for each voice contact with an Old Member*
 - 2 points for each digital and CW contact
 - 1 point for each time checked into the following AMRC Nets:
 - Want/Swap/Sell Sunday Night Net
 - Turnip Truck Net
 - Brown Bag Lunch Net
 - 1 point to the Net Control Operator for calling one of the above nets
- The NCS of any net cannot work stations checking in as an EXPLOSION contact. EXPLOSION contacts may be made prior to and after the net.

* New members are those who have joined AMRC since February, 2017. Old members are those who have joined AMRC prior to February, 2017. Anyone who was a member in the past but has not been a dues paying member for at least 1 year prior to rejoining after February, 2017 is considered a new member for purposes of this contest.

Awards

Gift cards will be awarded for the top five scores.

All participants who turn in a log receive a certificate.

Logging

Exchange:

The Call Sign of station contacted/Net Name, New/Old, Frequency, Mode, and Date of Contact.

A CQ Example:

CQ CQ CQ Alford Memorial Radio Club Members for the TOTR Explosion contest, this is KK4KHS/O (the /O is for Old Member; If KK4KHS was a New Member, he would say KK4KHS/N).

Logs must be submitted electronically by midnight on March 25, 2018 to ACLLYNCH@HOTMAIL.COM. An Excel spread sheet log will be uploaded to the club Facebook page & Yahoo site, as well as emailed out on the Club's Yahoo email reflector.