



K4A - America250
Net Control Station Guide
July 1st = 06/30 0Z - 8PM ET
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July 7th = 07/06 0Z - 8PM ET

1. Frequencies/Modes = if QRZ logs it, you can work it!
2. When selecting a frequency, listen, ask 'is this frequency in use?' Ask again, if clear, announce intention to activate K4A "America250" Special Event asking stations to standby while you enter return to this page to enter frequency and use the drop down menus to select mode, callsign, name and state, then click "Submit Activation" which will appear on the homepage and trigger the ON AIR sign.
3. Suggest asking first few Check-ins to spot you
4. YOU are Net Control - run the activation your way subject to Part 97 rules. You may prefer to take calls one at a time, or in groups by call district, and then work each listed station in the order heard, you choose.
5. Periodically state: "This is Special Event K4A - Kilo4America celebrating the "250th Anniversary of the Declaration of Independence". Please visit us on the america250.radio website, now back to Check-ins, my name is <your name> in <state>, CALL NOW"
6. If QRM occurs and is deemed intentional, suggest ignoring it. Most QRM'ers give up if not recognized.
7. If a QSO cranks up nearby, suggest asking a Volunteer on frequency to politely ask the station to QSY.
8. FCC requires K4A ID'ing every (10) ten minutes
AND your personal callsign ONCE per hour and at the end of the activation using your personal callsign.
§ 97.119 (d)
9. Volunteers receive a "once entered, event remembered" 4-digit PIN number = no re-entering required. PIN# is required for Activation and the Dropbox access.
10. Logging ==> Use any logbook capable of producing an .adi file configured to: <Station_Callsign:3>K4A
11. When finished, select "End Activation" above.
12. Drag-n-drop your .adi file within </=1 hour if possible....and chuckle at the special message!
13. The Dropbox will be available for testing on/before 06/15. All testing must be completed before the event.
14. You need not be a Colonial era historian - simply refer Check-ins to visit the K4A page and/or contact me directly.
15. K4A is the (4) fourth of (6) six "2025 Chasing Cornwallis Challenge" events. To qualify, the Participant must work at least (5) five of the (6) six K4x events during the year.
16. Let me know if you have any questions or suggestions to improve this Guide or the event mindful "the only bad question is one not asked"

On behalf of Team K4A,

HUZZA!!

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