

YL VHF ACTIVITY CONTEST (YLAC) OPEN

CLASS RULES (based on NAC Open general rules

<http://www.vushf.dk/contest/?document=MENULINK-VHF-0200>)

AIM OF THE CONTEST

To enhance the activity of VHF/UHF/SHF amateurs and to promote relationship among them in the area around the Baltic sea

PARTICIPANTS

All amateurs in YL and other countries are invited! Any QSO counts for points, but to qualify, a contact with at least one YL-station is required in the submitted log.

DATES

- 50 MHz, 2-nd Thursday of every month
- 144 MHz, 1-st Tuesday of every month
- 432 MHz, 2-nd Tuesday of every month
- 1296 MHz, 3-rd Tuesday of every month

TIME

18:00 - 21:59 GMT November-March, 17:00 - 20:59 GMT April-October.

CONTACTS

All operation according with IARU region 1 band plan. Contacts via active repeaters and EME do not count.

MODES

- 50 MHz – all modes
- 144; 432; 1296 MHz – only CW, SSB, FM

EXCHANGE

RS(T) and 6-character WW Locator, i.e. 59(9) KO26AA.

POINTS

1 km = 1 point + 500 bonus points for each new WW Locator. (KO14, KO26, KP20, JP70)

LOGs

The IARU R1 EDI file format is the most welcome! We accept ASCII TXT file as an exception. The basic data of the QSO: date, time GMT, band, mode, call, sent RS(T), received RS(T) and Loc, points, should be in the single separate line. (feel free to omit calculation of points, we will do it for you).

Please send Logs no later than 5 days after the event to ylac@lral.lv

RESULTS

Weekly results will be published at: <http://y12fz.ham.lv/ylac%20menesis.htm>
Summary results at: <http://www.lral.lv/vhf/ylac2016.htm> The result of the year will be calculated from 9 best monthly results. Awards will be issued to first 3 places on the band.