



The Hungarian Revolution of 1956 POZNAN CONTEST



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The Poznan 1956 protests, also known as Poznan 1956 uprising or Poznan June (in Polish: *Poznański Czerwiec*), were the first of several massive protests of the Polish people against the communist dictatorial government of the People's Republic of Poland. On June 28 in Poland, the anniversary of those events was established holiday - **National Memorial Day of the Poznan June 1956**. Poznan June had an influence on the **Hungarian Revolution of 1956** that broke out on October 23 and this day is celebrated in Hungary as a holiday called **Republic Day**.

Regulations

- 1. Goals:** on the occasion of the 69th anniversary of the outbreak of the **Hungarian Revolution of 1956** commemoration of the victims and participants of the events in Hungary at the turn of October and November 1956, in particular **Péter Mansfeld**, as well as promotion the activities of the **SP3PGR** and **HA2GY** partner youth amateur radio clubs from Poland and Hungary, improvement of operating skills of individual, club, and listening stations and activation of the Polish and Hungarian amateur radio operators.
- 2. Organizers:** The Marshal Józef Piłsudski Reserve Officers Union (biuro@zorrpwlkp.pl) and the General Kazimierz Raszewski School Amateur Radio Club **SP3PGR** (sp3pgr@wp.pl) active in the Primary School No. 18 (<https://sp18.poznan.pl>) and the Primary School No. 46 (<http://sp46.pl>) in Poznan together with the Hungarian HAM radio operators, in particular from the Budapest (<http://brasz.hu>) and Veszprém areas, including the Youth Amateur Radio Club **HA2GY** from Gyulafirátót. The contest is held under the honorary patronage of the presidents of the veterans' associations from Poland (<https://zorrpwlkp.pl>) and Hungary (<http://1956mszvsz.hu>). The Manager of contest is Jacek SP3JB sq3opm@wp.pl.
- 3. Participants:** licensed national stations, individual and club foreign stations as well as short wave listeners (SWL), with the application of one transmitter with limitation of power fed to the antenna to 100 W. All of the participants must provide their call in the manner compliant with these *Regulations* as well as submit to the Organizer their log for classification in due time. Failure to fulfil the aforementioned conditions shall result in disqualification.
- 4. Period of time:** **October 19, 2025 15:00-16:59 UTC**. The participants provide "CQ Contest"/in Polish: "Wywołanie w Zawodach Poznańskich" (SSB) or "test SP" (CW).
- 5. Bands and modes:** 3,5 MHz, 7 MHz SSB and CW mode, in compliance with bidding IARU R1 Band Plan HF. The cross-band type of connection is not taken into consideration.

6. Classification groups:

- A** – stations from Poland or any other country except Hungary, CW+SSB /**SP MIXED**/
- B** – stations from Poland or any other country except Hungary, only SSB /**SP PHONE**/
- C** – Hungarian stations, CW+SSB /**HA MIXED**/
- D** – Hungarian stations, only SSB /**HA PHONE**/
- E** – other stations, only CW /**CW**/
- F** – other stations, only SWLs /**SWLs**/

The Participant may be classified after conducting at least 10 QSOs only in one group. In case of a smaller number of QSOs, the log submitted for classification will be used only for checking, similarly to the logs of **SP3PGR** and **HA2GY** club stations /CHECKLOG/.

7. Reports:

- Polish **SP3PGR** club station and Hungarian **HA2GY** club station and special stations having the number **69** or **1956** in their call give RS(T) + letter **O**, for example **59(9) O**,
- stations from **Poznan** and from the district of **Poznan** give RS(T) + number QSO + letter **P**, for example **59(9) 001 P**,
- stations from the **Budapest** agglomeration (HA5, HG5) give RS(T) + number QSO + letter **B**, for example **59(9) 001 B**,
- stations from **Veszprém** area give RS(T) + number QSO + letter **V**, for example **59(9) 001 V**,
- other stations give RS(T) + number QSO, for example **59(9) 001**.

The faultless QSO is considered to be the connection, in which both stations correctly enumerate their call, report and control group as well as the band by logging with this information with the discrepancy of UTC time not bigger than 3 minutes (it also applies to the logs SWLs)..

8. Points:

- QSO/HRD with the station giving letter **O** in the control group – 10 points
- QSO/HRD with the station giving letter **P**, **B** or **V** in the control group – 5 points
- QSO/HRD with a foreign station – 3 points
- QSO/HRD with other station – 1 point

9. Multipliers: for each station giving the letter **O**, **P**, **B** or **V** in the control group, a multiplier of **1** will be awarded by the Organizer once and on each band separately. Each participant starts contest with a multiplier of values **1**.

10. Final result: the product of the sum of points for QSO and the sum of obtained multipliers separately for each band. In the case of SWLs, points and multipliers are granted for both stations specified in the log.

11. Awards: for the occupation of the first places in each group - a cup and a diploma, for the occupation of the places from the second to the third – e-Diploma (PDF format). Other participants will receive Certificate of participation in the contest in electronic form (PDF format). The cup will be granted when at least 5 participants will create a given classification group. The Organizers may award prizes that go beyond the scope of these regulations.

12. Log in electronic form in *cabrillo* format should be sent to e-mail address sp3pgr@wp.pl or biuro@zorrpwlkp.pl. The deadline for sending of logs expires on **October 20, 2025**.

13. Announcement of the results will be made public by midnight on October 22, 2025 on the organizer's website https://zorrpwlkp.pl/zawody_poznanskie.htm and on the portal LogSP website <https://logsp.pzk.org.pl/?page=contest&id=2249>.

14. The Contest Committee chaired by Jacek Behrendt SP3JB, with the participation of Aldona Feder and Tadeusz Badowski, will review the submitted logs. Failure to comply with these Regulations will constitute grounds for disqualification. The Committee's decisions will be final and aren't subject to any complaint.