

Regulation on the Radiomarathon in support of the 17th International Environmental Campaign "To Save and Preserve"

In support of the 17th International Environmental Campaign "To Save and Preserve" in the Khanty-Mansiysk Autonomous Okrug—Yugra the regional branch of the Russian Radio Amateurs Union of KhMAO-Yugra in cooperation with the Government of the Okrug conducts the Radiomarathon "To Save and Preserve" in May — June 2019. Radio amateurs from all around the world are invited to participate.

1. General information about the International Environmental Campaign "To Save and Preserve"

International Environmental Campaign "To Save and Preserve" is a large-scale socially important environmental project conducted in the Autonomous Okrug since 2003. Since 2004 it is held under the auspices of UNESCO and the International Association "The Northern Forum".

Organizing Committee carries out the coordination of the project activities. The Chairman of the Organizing Committee is the Deputy Governor of The Autonomous Okrug.

Purpose of the project: promoting the sustainable development of the region through interregional and international cooperation in the field of environmental protection in order to ensure environmental safety and quality of life, as well as the ecological culture formation of the population. The project contributes to attracting attention of the general population to the Autonomous Okrug environmental problems and the active involvement of citizens in environmental and ecological education. The peculiarity of this project is the variety of organizational forms and tools used for the formation of ecological culture.

The topic of the Campaign is appointed annually based on actual environmental problems in the region for this period. The topic of the Campaign in 2019: "State of the Environment".

You can find more information about the Campaign on the Prirodnadzor Yugra website https://prirodnadzor.admhmao.ru

2. General provisions

Start date: 07:00 UTC May 16, 2019. End date: 18:59 UTC June 7, 2019.

- 2.2 The main goal of the radio marathon is to attract the world radio amateur community to the issues of rational nature management, environmental protection and ensuring environmental safety.
- 2.3. During the radiomarathon, 14 special amateur radio stations on the territory of the Khanty-Mansiysk Autonomous Okrug Yugra will be on air.
- 2.4. A special award program is designed to reward the most active participants of the radiomarathon.
- 2.5. At the end of the radiomarathon, memorable QSL cards will be printed. For QSL request correspondents have to use the OQRS service on the website https://clublog.org/. The QSL cards requested will be sent to correspondents through the QSL Bureau of their national radio amateur organizations. It is not necessary to send your QSL-cards back.
- 2.6. The organisation and coordination of the special stations work, the manufacture of prizes and dispatch of QSL cards, as well as the issuance of awards is carried out by the council of the regional branch of SRR in KhMAO-Yugra.

4. Award program

3.1 Terms and conditions of the "To Save and Preserve" award

The award "To Save and Preserve" has three degrees and is issued separately by the types of modes MIX, SSB, CW and DIGI. Observer awards have a separate numbering with the prefix SWL.

To obtain an award, applicants must score:

- 70 points for the 3rd degree award;
- 110 points for the 2nd degree award;
- 160 points for the 1st degree award.

You can score two-way QSO / SWL, conducted with special stations of the radiomarathon and made on any amateur HF and VHF bands, any kind of modes - CW, PHONE, DIGI (all digital modes score as one type of work). Repeated QSO / SWL on different bands, and on the same band by different modes. The QSO/SWL with the main station of the radiomarathon - **R17UGRA**, is obligatory for receiving any type of the award

To obtain the award "To Save and Preserve", operators of special stations in the KhMAO-Yugra must conduct:

- 450 QSO for the 3rd degree award;
- 700 QSO for the 2nd degree award;
- 1000 QSO for the 1st degree award.

The award "To Save and Preserve" is issued electronically and free of charge. Applicants will receive the award automatically only on the basis of the uploaded logs to the service hamlog.ru. The awards to the operators of the special stations in the

KhMAO-Yugra are issued by an award manager manually. Checking the connections for the award is carried out on the specially created section http://r9j.hamlog.ru.

SWL send their applications by E-mail directly to the award manager before June 30, 2019. The application can be made in any format. Award manager: Stukalov Yuri (UA9JLL), E-mail: ua9jll@mail.ru.

3.2 Scoring

- 3.2.1 For radio amateurs of the Russian Federation (except the Far Eastern Federal District) and Kazakhstan:
 - for a QSO / SWL with the main special station R17UGRA 15 points;
 - for a QSO / SWL with other special stations of the radiomarathon 10 points.
- 3.2.2 For radio amateurs outside of Russia (except Kazakhstan) and radio amateurs of the Far Eastern Federal District of the Russian Federation (subjects ROJ, ROD, ROU, ROZ, ROI, ROL, ROO, ROQ, ROF, ROC, ROK):
 - for a QSO / SWL with the main special station R17UGRA 30 points;
 - for a QSO / SWL with other special stations of the radiomarathon 20 points.

4. The list of the special stations of the radiomarathon:

- 1. R17UGRA the main special station of the radiomarathon
- 2. R17JHM Khanty-Mansiysk (HM-01)
- 3. R17JNV Nizhnevartovsk (HM-07)
- 4. R17JSU Surgut (HM-12)
- 5. R17JSR Beliy Yar (HM-22)
- 6. R17JNG Nyagan (HM-08)
- 7. R17JRA Raduzhnyy (HM-11)
- 8. R17JLA Langepas (HM-04)
- 9. R17JMG Megion (HM-05)
- 10. R17JSV Sovietskiy (HM-21) and Yugorsk (HM-14)
- 11. R17JIG Igrim (HM-16)
- 12. R17JKG Kogalym (HM-03)
- 13. R17JOR expedition to Oktyabrsky district (HM-20)
- 14. R17PPN expedition to the "Numto" Natural Park RFF-233 (HM-15) Tentative date of the radio expedition:

R17JOR – Oktyabrsky district from June 1 to June 2, 2019;

R17PPN - "Numto" Natural Park from May 30 to June 7, 2019

5. Awards:

Awarding of the participants of the radio marathon will take place separately in three test groups:

- radio amateurs of the European part of the Russian Federation;
- radio amateurs of the Asian part of the Russian Federation;
- international radio amateurs.

Three radio amateurs in each test group, scored the most points by the results of the radio marathon, will be awarded with special prizes from Prirodnadzor Yugra. SWL cannot participate in this contest.

All operators of special stations in the KhMAO-Yugra will be awarded with commemorative pennants, and the operators of the stations who conducted at least 3000 QSOs in the radio marathon will receive prizes from Prirodnadzor Yugra.