

POZNAN CONTEST

The Hungarian Revolution of 1956





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:** celebrate the 67th anniversary of the **Hungarian Revolution of 1956**, activation of the practice of amateur radio operators, improvement of operator's skills, mainly among teenagers interested in the practice of the amateur radio operation.
- 2. Organizers: 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 (BRASZ) and the Marshal Józef Piłsudski Reserve Officers Association (https://zorrpwlkp.pl). The honorary patronage of the contest is provided by HE Ambassador of Hungary to Poland, the President of the above-mentioned association of veterans and Director of Primary School No. 46 in Poznan. The Manager of contest is Jacek Behrendt 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 22**, **2023 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 biding IARU R1 Band Plan HF. The cross-band type of connection is not taken into consideration.
- 6. Classification groups:
 - A Poznan stations, district of Poznan stations and members of OT-08 PZK stations, CW+SSB /MIXED PZ/
 - **B** Poznan stations, district of Poznan stations and members of OT-08 PZK stations, only SSB /**PHONE PZ**/
 - C Hungarian stations, CW+SSB /MIXED HA/
 - D Hungarian stations, only SSB /PHONE HA/

- **E** other stations, CW+SSB /**MIXED**/
- **F** other stations, only SSB /**PHONE**/
- **G** other stations, only **CW**
- H SWLs

The Participant may be classified only in one group. SP3PGR station will not be classified /CHECKLOG/.

7. Reports:

- SP3PGR station and special stations having the number **67** or **1956** in their call give RS(T) + letter O, for example **59(9)O**,
- stations from Poznan and from the district of Poznan and members of OT-08 PZK stations give RS(T) + letter P, for example **59(9)P**,
- stations from the Budapest agglomeration (HA5, HG5) and members BRASZ stations give RS(T) + letter B, for example **59(9)B**.
- other stations including stations operating outside of Poland give only 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 5 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** or **B** in the control group 5 points
- QSO/HRD with a foreign station 3 points
- QSO/HRD with other station 1 point
- 9. Multipliers: QSO/HRD with at least one of the stations giving letter O, P or B in the control group multiplier with a value of 1 will be granted once on each of the bands separately. Each participant starts contest with a multiplier of values 1. The maximum multiplier to obtain on each of the bands specified in the Regulations is four.
- 10. Final result: the sum of points for QSO on each of the bands separately multiplied by the sum of obtained multipliers. 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 a diploma. 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.
- **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 24**, **2023**.
- **13. Announcement of the results** will be available to the public by the end of October on the website of the veterans' association and schools mentioned in point 2 of the Regulations.
- 14. The decisions of the Contest Committee under direction of Jacek SP3JB are final and aren't subject to any complaint.



The Diploma Action ...AWARD 1956"

The General Kazimierz Raszewski School Amateur Radio Club SP3PGR (Szkolny Klub Krótkofalowców im. Gen. broni Kazimierza Raszewskiego SP3PGR) active in the Primary School No. 18 and the Primary School No. 46 in Poznań together with the Hungarian HAM radio operators are organized the diploma action "AWARD 1956" designed to celebrate the 67th anniversary of the tragic events of recent Poland and Hungary history, the Poznan June 1956 and the Hungarian Revolution 1956 (in Hungarian: 1956-os forradalom). This action is part of the anniversary celebrations organized June 28 and October 23, 2023 by the Poznan City and in Hungary. The honorary patronage of the event are provided HE Ambassador of Hungary to Poland and President of the Marshal Józef Piłsudski Union of Reserve Officers (https://zorrpwlkp.pl). The manager of this action is Jacek Behrendt SP3JB (sq3opm@wp.pl).

The rules

- 1. Participants: licensed national stations, individual and club foreign stations as well as short wave listeners.
- 2. Period of time: first step starting at 00:01 June 20 until 23:59 June 30, 2023 (local time for SP-HA), second step starting at 00:01 October 16 until 23:59 November 10, 2023 (LT for SP-HA).
- 3. Bands and modes: all bands in compliance with IARU R1 Band Plan HF, available modes: CW, SSB, DIGI.

4. Points:

The organizer station (**SP3PGR** – 5 points) and each individual or club stations from Poznań (PX, PO) or Budapest agglomeration (HA5, HG5) are awarded points, as follows:

- special event stations having the number 67 or 1956 in their callsign 10 points,
- club stations from Poznań (PX, PO) or Budapest agglomeration (HA5, HG5) 3 points,
- individual stations from Poznań (PX, PO) or Budapest agglomeration (HA5, HG5)– 2 points.

You can also get points in this action starting on **June 24**, **2023** in the Poznań Contest and **October 22**, **2023** in the second Poznań Contest.

5. Conditions:

To get the diploma you must have obtained the following score:

- Polish and Hungarian HAM radio operators or short wave listeners 56 points,
- European stations 28 points,
- Non-European stations 14 points.

Is required to make at least one QSO/HRD with organizer station or special event station having the number **67** or **1956** in their callsign.

QSOs/HRDs with station giving points may be repeated on another band or another mode per one day. The diploma in PDF format is free.

The extra diploma will be issued to stations granting points provided that they do at least 56 QSOs and will send their application to organizer.

- 6. Applications containing your call, name, surname (name of the club), e-mail address and the list of your QSOs/HRDs please send to the following address: sp3pgr@wp.pl. The deadline for sending of applications expires November 20, 2023.
- 7. **The winners of this action** be available on the school website https://sp18.poznan.pl and http://sp46.pl before the end of November 2023.