

Overview of NTS 2.0 Awards and Recognitions

Award/Recognition	Criteria	Timeframe	Administered By
First Radiogram Certificate	Send first radiogram via an on-air NTS-affiliated net	As first radiograms are sent	Net Manager
Local Net Certificate	Regular participation in an NTS-affiliated local net	As stations qualify	Net Manager
Section Net Certificate	Regular participation in a Section traffic net	As stations qualify	Section Traffic Manager
Official Relay Station Certificate	Appointment based on current ORS requirements	Upon appointment by Section Manager	Section Traffic Manager
ARES Response Certificate	For handling message traffic in conjunction with official ARES activity	As stations qualify	Jointly by the applicable Section Traffic Manager, Section Emergency Coordinator, and local Emergency Coordinator
Challenge Coin	ORS turns in 48 Station Activity Reports	As stations qualify	Section Traffic Manager in conjunction with Field Services
Net Manager Participation Certificate	Appointed Net Manager submits 24 monthly net management report	Per section as Net Managers qualify	Section Traffic Manager
Net Control Participation Certificate	Net Control or Alternate Net Control serves at least once per month for 12 months. See section below for details to qualify	Per section as Net Control stations qualify	Net Manager, or Section Traffic Managers for Net Managers acting as Net Control in conjunction with the Section Manager
Section Traffic Manager Certificate	Appointed Section Traffic Manager submits 24 months of STM reports to Field Services	Per section as STMs qualify	Section Manager
Brass Pounders League Medallion	Achieve BPL for 3 months (nonconsecutive)	As stations qualify	Net Manager, or Section Traffic Managers for Net Managers acting as Net Control
Official Relay Station Of The Year Certificate	ORS who has gone above and beyond with respect to traffic handling in a way that furthers NTS mission, objectives, and participation	As stations qualify	Section Traffic Manager in conjunction with the Section Manager
Radiogram All States Certificate	ARRL member who has received radiogram traffic from all states	As stations qualify	Section Traffic Manager