

THE 3905 CENTURY CLUB, INC. NCS AWARDS REQUIREMENTS

The assorted NCS awards described below are earned by accumulating points for performing the duties of a Net Control Station (NCS) on awards nets sanctioned by *The 3905 Century Club, Inc.* This document provides the requirements related to the assorted Net Control Awards. There is no application form required for these awards.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. NCS awards are issued to individual operators who have accumulated the required number of points by performing specified NCS duties on Club sanctioned nets.
2. There is no application or fee required for these awards. The awards will be issued by the Club Awards Secretary when an award has been earned.
3. Points are awarded as follows: Any early net = 4 points. Any late net = 4 points. No points for any nets on which contacts are not applicable toward Club awards. Points for each net session may be split evenly between two NCS stations where each has completed approximately half of a net.
4. NCS Awards used as prerequisites to higher NCS Awards may be reused as prerequisites to additional NCS awards.
5. When determining which points to apply toward the Basic NCS Award, the first 100 points accumulated will be used.
6. Each award described below requires the previous NCS awards as prerequisites.
7. Each award may be earned only one time by each individual NCS.
8. The awards offered are:
 - **NCS Basic** – This award is earned by accumulating a total of 100 NCS points for performing NCS duties on any 3905CC awards net(s).
 - **NCS Journeyman** – This award is earned by accumulating a total of 200 points for performing NCS duties on any 3905CC awards net(s).
 - **NCS Expert** – This award is earned by accumulating a total of 300 points for performing NCS duties on any 3905CC awards net(s).
 - **NCS Cum Laude** - This award is earned by accumulating a total of 800 points for performing NCS duties on any 3905CC awards net(s).
 - **NCS Magna Cum Laude** - This award is earned by accumulating a total of 1,500 points for performing NCS duties on any 3905CC awards net(s).
 - **NCS Summa Cum Laude** - This award is earned by accumulating a total of 3,000 points for performing NCS duties on any 3905CC awards net(s).

NOTE: The NCS Cum Laude, NCS Magna Cum Laude and NCS Summa Cum Laude awards were approved by the Board 05/06/2009.

AWARD ADMINISTRATION

This section of the NCS Awards document describes how points are accumulated and the awards administered. This may change from time to time.

1. Net Coordinators provide net calendars to the Webmaster. On the calendar, each scheduled net either has a listed NCS or is OPEN.
2. When the website pulls the NetLogger archive for a net and that net includes lists an NCS who checked in with the NCS designation on his line, that NCS is credited for the net.
3. If no NCS designation was present for a net, but the scheduled NCS is present in the check-in list, then the scheduled NCS is credited for the net.
4. For an OPEN net where no NCS is designated on the check-in list, no credit is given.
5. A program runs weekly to assign the accumulated points to each NCS.
6. The Webmaster checks periodically for unassigned points and other anomalies.
7. Occurrences outside the ordinary, such as split nets, someone not getting credit for a net, etc., should be brought to the attention of the Webmaster.
8. Weekly reports are generated to alert the Awards Secretary to new NCS award levels earned during the week. The Awards Secretary will issue the appropriate certificate and enter the award into the database.
9. The forms attached are offered for the recordkeeping convenience of those Net Coordinators and NCS stations who may want to keep their own records. While their use is not required, they do illustrate the information that needs to be reported by Net Coordinators for their NCS stations to win these awards and/or for Club history purposes.

NCS POINTS FOR STATION _____

(FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE NET COORDINATORS – USE SUGGESTED, NOT REQUIRED)

MONTH/YR	BAND	MODE	POINTS	MONTH/YR	BAND	MODE	POINTS

