Welcome to the 2017 State Conference!

Last year we celebrated a year of incredible growth, with record attendance and membership. You weren’t to be outdone. This year you exceeded last year’s growth in membership and conference attendance. Thanks to you, we have reached 4,937 members and have a record 2,656 participants competing in 110 contests at this conference.

We would like to thank all of those who have helped make this 52nd annual conference possible. Many champions have worked together to ensure the success of this event. We would like to express a very special “Thank you” to all of our business and industry partners for their donations of time, equipment, money, prizes, and personnel. We would also like to thank all of our SkillsUSA regional chairpersons, advisors, and officers for planning and directing regional activities, along with the 5 community colleges that helped make our regional events possible. Other special thanks go to Jo Anne Honeycutt, Director of Career and Technical Education; Trey Michael, Section Chief of Student Certification and Credentialing; and our Trade and Industrial Education Consultants Dr. David Barbour, Jim Pressly, and Craig Pendergraft for their support of all the Career and Technical Student Organizations. We also want to thank each of our State Officers for their hard work and dedicated service. Most importantly, we want to thank YOU! Without your participation and involvement, none of this would be possible!

We hope you all enjoy this year’s State Conference and we wish all of those who are competing or running for leadership positions the best of luck. Thank you for being such great Champions for SkillsUSA!

Sincerely,

Peyton Holland
Executive Director
General Conference Information

Registration
Registration will be held Wednesday, April 26 from 10:00am - 2:00pm at the Greensboro Coliseum. Chapter Advisors must pick up their chapter’s registration packets. Registration will be open for postsecondary contestants at the Coliseum from 7:00 - 7:30 am on Wednesday (unless otherwise noted).

Conference Headquarters
The SkillsUSA North Carolina Conference Headquarters will be located at the Registration Desk at the Greensboro Coliseum and in the Heritage Room of the Koury Center. A staff person will be available from 7:30 am – 4:00 pm at the Coliseum on April 26 & 27 and at the Koury Center April 26 from 4:00 pm – 10:00 pm (except during the opening sessions) and April 27 from 8:00 am – 9:00 pm.

Hotel Check-In/Out
The chapter advisor must check-in/out, return keys, and pay for room bills. The hotel will provide a master bill for each delegation listing all charges. Check-in is 3:00 pm on Tuesday and Check-out is 11:00 a.m. on Thursday.

Dress Code – Name Badges
Conference name badges are part of the dress code and must be worn at all times. Official SkillsUSA dress, competition attire, or business attire is required for both general sessions (polo shirts are allowed). During awards sessions, winners will NOT be allowed on stage without official SkillsUSA dress, competition clothing, or business like attire (except for AV personnel).
The following rules and regulations will apply to ALL persons attending the SkillsUSA North Carolina State Leadership and Skills Conference. A good reputation enables you to take pride in your organization.

- Your behavior at all times should reflect credit to you, your school, and your organization.
- Conference attendees must wear name badges at all times during the conference. Replacement name tags may be purchased at Headquarters for $10.00.
- Student conduct is the responsibility of the local SkillsUSA Advisor. SkillsUSA members are required to keep their advisor informed of their activities and whereabouts at all times.
- Everyone is expected to attend the general sessions. Please be prompt and courteous for sessions. Do not leave until sessions are adjourned. The dress code for general sessions is official SkillsUSA attire.
- No cell phones are allowed into competition.
- SkillsUSA members must report accidents, injuries, or illness to their advisors immediately.
- If a student is guilty of theft or vandalism, the student and his/her parents will be expected to pay for the stolen or damaged item(s).
- Conference participants may not purchase, consume, or be under the influence of alcohol or drugs at any time.
- Students must follow the policies of their school and local Board of Education at all times.
- Students are expected to observe the designated curfew. Any student caught outside their room after curfew will be escorted to the security desk. Their advisor will be called to come to the desk.

Violation of any of these rules may result in contacting your advisor or dismissal from the conference.
2017 SkillsUSA North Carolina Executive Council Members

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Audiovisuals (AV)....................... Middle Creek High School
Apex, NC

SkillsUSA North Carolina Regional Rally Coordinators

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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Check contest listings for specific times and locations for ALL contests

WEDNESDAY, April 26, 2017
8:00 am - 2:00 pm .......................... Skills Contest Setup
Greensboro Coliseum
10:00 am - 2:00 pm ........................ Conference Registration
Greensboro Coliseum-Foyer Registration Desk
10:00 am - 3:00 pm ........................ TechSpo & Exhibits
Greensboro Coliseum
10:00 am ................................. State Officer Candidate Screening
Greensboro Coliseum—Meeting Room 2
12:00 pm - 5:00 pm ...... Skills Contest Orientations (HS)
** Refer to contest information below for specific times **

7:00 pm ................................ Opening Session
** Attendance Required ** Guilford ABC
Following Opening Session........ HS Delegate Assembly
Guilford ABC
* Delegates must be in Official SkillsUSA or Business-like Attire

Following Opening Session........... Advisors’ Meeting
Guilford ABC
11:00 pm ........................................................ Curfew

THURSDAY, April 27, 2017
7:00 am .................. Chairpersons Report to Contest Locations
Greensboro Coliseum
7:00 am .................. Registration for Postsecondary Advisors
Greensboro Coliseum
7:30 am .................. Skills Contestants report to contest site
Check contest listing for exact times and locations
8:00 am - 3:00 pm .......................... TechSpo & Exhibits
Greensboro Coliseum
9:00 am ............................ Ribbon Cutting at Coliseum
Skills Contest open for the General Public
10:00 am .................. NC Community College System Meeting
Greensboro Coliseum, Meeting Room 7
1:00 pm .................. NC Community College System Meeting
Koury Center, Auditorium II
2:00 pm ........................... Fantasy Creations on the Runway  
   Greensboro Coliseum – Cosmetology Area
5:00 pm ........................... Postsecondary results due to HQ
5:45 pm ........................... Automotive Instructors Meeting  
   Koury Center, Auditorium III
6:30 pm ........................... Masonry Banquet  
   The Khalif Event Center, Greensboro

**6:30 pm ....................... Postsecondary Awards**  
   Guilford B

9:00 pm ............................................... Dance  
   Guilford FG
9:00 pm ............................................... Advisors’ Reception  
   Colony
11:30 pm ........................... Curfew

**FRIDAY, April 28, 2017**

9:00 am .................. High School Awards Ceremony *  
   Guilford Ballroom ABC

Immediately Following Awards...............
National Delegation Meeting – For all 1st place winners &  
State Officers attending Nat’l Conference in Louisville, KY  
Guilford Ballroom Stage Area

*Contestants **MUST** be in official dress, competition  
uniform, or business-like attire to receive awards on  
stage (exception for AV personnel). Persons not in  
official dress may pick-up their award after the ceremony.

**SHUTTLE BUSES**

**Koury Center to the Greensboro Coliseum Loop**

Wednesday, April 26: ............................ Noon - 5:00 pm
Thursday, April 27: ............................ 6:45 am - 3:30 pm

* Buses will pickup/drop off at the main entrance of the Koury Center  
  and at the bus entrance of the coliseum in 15-30 minute intervals.

**OFF-SITE SHUTTLE BUSES ON NEXT PAGE**

*See each contest listing for specific times
OFF-SITE CONTESTS

Thursday, April 27, 2017

Guilford Tech – Jamestown Campus
601 East Main St., Jamestown, NC 27282
Advertising Design ................. Gerrald Hall
Culinary Arts ..................... Hospitality Center
Commercial Baking ........ Hospitality Center
Restaurant Service ........ Hospitality Center
Dental Assist. .......... Fountain Dental Sci. Bldg

Guilford Tech – Greensboro Campus
3505 East Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405
CNC Technician ........ Technical Ed. Center
CNC Milling Specialist Technical Ed. Center
CNC Turning Specialist Technical Ed. Center

Forsyth Tech – Winston Salem
1900 Silas Creek Pkwy, Winston-Salem, NC
Screen Printing .. Engineering Tech. Building

Rowan-Cabarrus C.C. – Salisbury Campus
1333 Jake Alexander Blvd S., Salisbury, NC 28146
Welding-Secondary........ Welding Building

OFF-SITE SHUTTLE BUSES

Welding (HS)
7:00 am: Depart Koury to Rowan-Cabarrus Comm. College
3:30 pm: Depart Rowan-Cabarrus Comm. College to Koury

GTCC Contest Buses – Both GTCC Locations
6:45 am: Depart Koury - GTCC Wend. - GTCC Jamestown
9:15 am: Depart Koury to GTCC Jamestown (All Culinary)
2:15 pm: Pick up GTCC Jamestown - GTCC Wend. – Koury

Forsyth Tech Bus (Broadcast News)
8:30 am: Depart Koury – Forsyth Tech
COMPETITIVE EVENTS

Please note orientation times.
Wednesday orientations for High School only.
Not all contests will have an orientation.

3-D VISUALIZATION & ANIMATION
National Contest

Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 1
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Kris Dell
Sponsor: Autodesk

ACTION SKILLS
National Contest

Location: Koury Center – Pinehurst
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 2:00 pm
Chairperson: Paige Evans

ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING
National Demonstration Contest

Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: SME
Sponsor: Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME), Fusion 3, NC A&T

ADVERTISING DESIGN
National Contest

Presented by:

Location: Guilford Tech – Jamestown Campus
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Gerrald Hall Room 101, GTCC
Chairperson: Margaret Reid / Lora Eggleston
Sponsor: Adobe, Johnson & Wales University, Graphic Arts Education and Research Foundation (GAERF), GTCC
AMERICAN SPIRIT AWARD  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Augusta A  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:00 pm  
Chairperson: Bena Weires  

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTING  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 1  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am  
Chairperson: Kris Dell  
Sponsor: Autodesk  

AUDIO/RADIO PRODUCTION  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse  
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:30 pm  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: Mike Crenshaw  
Sponsor: Adobe, Rock 92, NC A&T University, GCS TV-2  

AUTOMOTIVE REFINISHING TECHNOLOGY  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am  
Chairperson: Jim Brown  

AUTO I  
State Contest  
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm  
Koury Center, Auditorium III  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Advisor Debrief: Thursday, April 27 @ 5:30 pm  
Koury Center – Auditorium III  
Chairperson: Brian Johnson  
Sponsors: Snap-On, ASE, Blue Ridge Comm. College, SP2
AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Orientation: Secondary - Wed., April 26 @ 3:00 pm
.....................Koury Center, Auditorium III
Contest Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Advisor Debrief: Thursday, April 27 @ 5:30 pm
Koury Center – Auditorium III
Chairperson: Roy Jennings, Seth James
Sponsors: Clark Tire, Advance Auto, Toyota, Snap-On Tools, Autoworks of Valdese, GTCC, Catawba Valley CC, Blue Ridge CC, Caldwell CC, Wilkes CC, ASE, Auto Supply, Davie High School, GM Customer Care After Sales, SP2

AUTOMOTIVE SKILL SHOWCASE
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00am - 2:00 pm
Project Viewing: Wed. 2:00 pm - Thurs. 3:00 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm

AUTOMOTIVE TOOL ID
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 2
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: Alumni
Sponsors: Snap-On

AVIATION MAINTENANCE TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum, Meeting Room G
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: David Hedgpath

BASIC HEALTH CARE SKILLS
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Colony B
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am
Chairperson: Mary Lanier

BROADCAST NEW PRODUCTION
National Contest
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
.....................Koury Center, Bear Creek
Contest Location: Forsyth Tech
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Mark Underwood

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CABINETMAKING
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairpersons: Kristine Cox

CABINETMAKING SKILL SHOWCASE
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00am - 2:00 pm
Project Viewing: Wed. 2:00 pm - Thurs. 3:00 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Chairperson: Kristine Cox

CAREER PATHWAYS SHOWCASE
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:30 pm
Chairperson: Kathy Wright

CARPENTRY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday April 26 @ 2:00 pm – Meeting Room 3
Event Date/Time: Wed. April 26 after Orientation Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
(Tuesday Orientation & Competition for Secondary Only)
Chairperson: Tommy Chester / Mike Gurley
Sponsors: 84 Lumber, IRWIN, DeWalt Tools, Stock Building Supply, Builder’s Mutual Insurance Company, The Hillman Group, Precision Walls, NC Homebuilders Association
CARPENTRY I
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm – Meeting Room 3
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Mike Gurley / Tommy Chester
Sponsors: 84 Lumber, IRWIN, DeWalt Tools, Stock Building Supply, Builder’s Mutual Insurance Company, The Hillman Group, Precision Walls, NC Homebuilders Association

CARPENTRY SKILL SHOWCASE
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
Project Viewing: Wed. 2:00 pm - Thurs. 3:00 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Chairperson: NC Homebuilder’s Association

CHAPTER BUSINESS PROCEDURE
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Blandwood
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:30 pm
Chairperson: Jesse Howell

CHAPTER DISPLAY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 12:30 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27@ 3:00 pm
Chairperson: Madeline Tucker

CNC MILLING SPECIALIST
National Contest
Location: Guilford Tech – Greensboro Campus
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Derek Seeke / Chris Halker
Sponsors: Learning Labs, OSS, LLC, Dominion Air & Machinery Co, Jeffrey’s Manufacturing, Gene Haas Foundation, Guilford Technical Community College, Immerse2Learn
CNC TECHNICIAN
National Contest
Location: Guilford Tech – Greensboro Campus
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Derek Seeke / Chris Halker
Sponsors: Learning Labs, OSS, LLC, Dominion Air & Machinery Co, Jeffrey’s Manufacturing, Gene Haas Foundation, Guilford Technical Community College, Immerse2Learn

CNC TURNING SPECIALIST
National Contest
Location: Guilford Tech – Greensboro Campus
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Derek Seeke / Chris Halker
Sponsors: Learning Labs, OSS, LLC, Dominion Air & Machinery Co, Jeffrey’s Manufacturing, Gene Haas Foundation, Guilford Technical Community College, Immerse2Learn

COLLISION REPAIR TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Jim Brown

COMMERCIAL BAKING
National Contest
Location: Guilford Tech – Jamestown Campus, Hospitality Bldg
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am
Chairperson: Linda Beitz
Sponsors: Johnson & Wales University, Guilford Technical Community College, Culinary Institute of America

COMMUNITY ACTION PROJECT
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Pebble Beach
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:00 pm
Chairperson: Matthew Core
COMMUNITY SERVICE  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Pebble Beach  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:15 pm  
Chairperson: Matthew Core  

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 4  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am  
Chairperson: Kevin Lee  

CONSTRUCTION CORE  
State Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: Mike Lewis  
Sponsor: Tobacco Road Construction  

CONSTRUCTION TOOL ID  
State Contest  
Presented by:  
Lowe's ProServices  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 2  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: Alumni  
Sponsors: Lowe's Home Improvement  

COSMETOLOGY  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am  
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell  
Sponsors: Marianna Inc., WELLA, Influance Inc., Great Clips, Burmax Inc.  

COSMETOLOGY BEGINNER SKILLS  
State Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am  
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell  
Sponsors: Marianna Inc., WELLA, Influance Inc., Great Clips, Burmax Inc.
COSMETOLOGY SKILL SHOWCASE  
State Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse  
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00am - 2:00 pm  
Project Viewing: Wed. 2:00 pm - Thurs. 3:00 pm  
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm  
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell  
Sponsors: Marianna Inc., WELLA, Influance Inc., Great Clips, Burmax Inc.

CREED A / B  
State Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Marsh Harbour  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 11:00 am  
Chairperson: Matt Crump / Bud Fitzgerald

CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 4:00 pm  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: Susan Powell  
Sponsors: Guilford County Sheriff’s Dept., High Point Police Dept., Greensboro Police Dept., Burlington Police Dept.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 3:00 pm  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:45 am  
Chairperson: Susan Powell  
Sponsors: Guilford County Sheriff’s Dept., High Point Police Dept., Greensboro Police Dept., Burlington Police Dept.

CULINARY ARTS  
National Contest  
Location: Guilford Tech – Jamestown Campus, Hospitality Bldg  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am  
Chairperson: Linda Beitz  
Sponsors: Johnson & Wales University, Guilford Technical Community College, Culinary Institute of America
CULINARY ARTS SKILL SHOWCASE
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00am - 2:00 pm
Project Viewing: Wed. 2:00 pm - Thurs. 3:00 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Chairperson: Tammy Bradley

CUSTOMER SERVICE
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Augusta A
Orientation: Pick up Scenario Packet at Registration desk upon check-in on Wednesday, April 26.
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Bena Weires

DEBATE
State Contest
Location: Koury Center – Biltmore A/B
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Graham Yarborough

DENTAL ASSISTING
National Contest
Location: Guilford Tech – Jamestown Campus
   Fountain Dental Science Bldg – Room 208
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Lynda Snider

DIESEL EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:45 am
Chairpersons: Billy Eller / Bill Yokley
Sponsors: Daimler Trucks, Penske Trucking, Guilford Tech CC, Wilkes CC, Snap-On Tools, EPES Transport, Salem Leasing, Noregon Vehicle Data, TranSource Trucks, SP2
DIGITAL CINEMA PRODUCTION
National Contest
Presented by:
Adobe

Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Mike Crenshaw
Sponsors: Adobe, Rock 92, Nikon, NC A&T University

DIGITAL MEDIA
State Contest
Presented by:
Adobe

Location: Greensboro Coliseum – ACC Board Room
Event Date: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am
Chairperson: Tammy Bradley
Sponsors: Adobe

DRAFTING 1
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 3
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27@ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Kris Dell
Sponsor: Autodesk

Early Childhood Education
State Contest
Location: Held Prior to April 27
Sponsor: Southeastern Community College
ELECTRICAL CONSTRUCTION WIRING
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Meeting Room 2
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Greg Rachal

ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Keith Edwards
Sponsor: Learning Labs

EMT
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 4:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Chris Goenner
Sponsor: Cabarrus County EMS, Kannapolis Fire Department, Central Piedmont Community College EMS

ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY & DESIGN
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Tanglewood
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:00 pm
Chairperson: Michael Wright

ENTREPRENEURSHIP
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Eastmoreland
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Chairperson: Newell & Pam Brooks

ESTHETICS
National Contest
Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27
Sponsors: Salon Centric, Michelle Wright, Shelby Miller
EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING
National Contest
Event Location: Koury Center – Meadowbrook
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: Tammy Gamble

FANTASY HAIR AND MAKEUP
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
“Fantasy Creations on the Runway”: 2:00 pm
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell
Sponsors: Marianna Inc., WELLA, Influance Inc., Great Clips, Burmax Inc.

FIREFIGHTING (NATIONAL)
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: David Barlow/Michael Caviness
Sponsors: Office of the State Fire Marshall, Greensboro Fire Department

FIREFIGHTING INTERMEDIATE
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: David Barlow/Michael Caviness
Sponsors: Office of the State Fire Marshall, Greensboro Fire Department

FIREFIGHTING BASIC
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: David Barlow/Michael Caviness
Sponsors: Office of the State Fire Marshall, Greensboro Fire Department

FIRST AID / CPR
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Colony C
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 12:00 pm
Chairperson: Ruth Huff
HAIR COLORING  
State Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am  
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell  
Sponsors: Marianna Inc., WELLA, Influance Inc., Great Clips, Burmax Inc.

HEALTH KNOWLEDGE BOWL  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Blue Ashe  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:30 pm  
Chairperson: Newell & Pam Brooks

HEALTH OCCUPATIONS PORTFOLIO  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Colony C  
Turn in Notebook: Wednesday, April 26 @ Registration desk by 2:00 pm  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am  
Chairperson: Ruth Huff

HEATING, VENTILATION, AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION  
National Contest  
Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27  
Sponsors: IRWIN, PHCC, Rowan-Cabarrus CC, Arc3 Gases, Herbert Hovey HVAC, Jeff Voss Plumbing, SPC Mechanical

INDUSTRIAL MOTOR CONTROL  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: John Hensley

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Orientation: Wednesday April 26 @ 3:00 pm  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: Bryan Kincaid
**INTERACTIVE APPLICATION AND VIDEO GAME CREATION**
*National Demonstration Contest*

**Location:** Koury Center – Pinehurst/Bear Creek  
**Event Date/Time:** Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am  
**Chairperson:** Jere Miles

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**INTERNETWORKING**
*National Contest*

**Location:** Greensboro Coliseum  
**Orientation:** Wednesday, April 26 @ 3:00 pm  
**Event Date/Time:** Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
**Chairperson:** Kelly Caudle, Dan Parmer, Brian Crump, Frank Lambert, Jeff Swaringen  
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**INTERNETWORKING I**
*State Contest*

**Location:** Greensboro Coliseum  
**Orientation:** Wednesday, April 26 @ 3:00 pm  
**Event Date/Time:** Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
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**JOB INTERVIEW**
*National Contest*

**Location:** Koury Center – Sandpiper/Tidewater  
**Event Date/Time:** Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am  
**Chairperson:** Daryle Nobles

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**JOB SKILL DEMONSTRATION A**
*National Contest*

**Location:** Koury Center – Morehead  
**Event Date/Time:** Thursday, April 27  
  *Postsecondary:* 9:00 am  
  *Secondary:* 10:30 am  
**Chairperson:** Graham Yarborough

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**JOB SKILL DEMONSTRATION OPEN**
*National Contest*

**Location:** Koury Center – Morehead  
**Event Date/Time:**  
  *Secondary:* Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm  
  *Postsecondary:* Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
**Chairperson:** Graham Yarborough

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MAJOR APPLIANCE AND REFRIGERATION TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27
Sponsors: Rowan-Cabarrus CC

MARINE SERVICE TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Mike Murphy
Sponsor: Snap-On Tools, Wilkes Community College

MASONRY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Masonry Banquet: Thursday, April 27 @ 6:30 pm
The Khalif Event Center
200 E. Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405
Chairperson: Lynn Nash & Byard Stevens
Sponsors: NC Masonry Contractors Association, McGee Brothers, Huntley Brothers, Gates Construction Co, Southeast Concrete Masonry Association, SPEC MIX/Quikcrete, NC Masonry Instructors Association, Johnson Concrete, Triangle Brick, Marshalltown

MASONRY 1
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Masonry Banquet: Thursday, April 27 @ 6:30 pm
The Khalif Event Center
200 E. Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405
Chairperson: Lynn Nash & Byard Stevens
Sponsors: NC Masonry Contractors Association, McGee Brothers, Huntley Brothers, Gates Construction Co, Southeast Concrete Masonry Association, SPEC MIX/Quikcrete, NC Masonry Instructors Association, Johnson Concrete, Triangle Brick, Marshalltown
MASONRY BULLETIN BOARD
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:30 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Masonry Banquet: Thursday, April 27 @ 6:30 pm
The Khalif Event Center
200 E. Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405
Chairperson: NC Masonry Instructors Association
Sponsors: NC Masonry Contractors Association, McGee Brothers, Huntley Brothers, Gates Construction Co, Southeast Concrete Masonry Association, SPEC MIX/Quikcrete, NC Masonry Instructors Association, Johnson Concrete, Triangle Brick, Marshalltown

MASONRY ESTIMATING
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room G
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Masonry Banquet: Thursday, April 27 @ 6:30 pm
The Khalif Event Center
200 E. Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405
Chairperson: Danks Burton, Pinnacle Masonry
Sponsors: Pinnacle Masonry, NC Masonry Contractors Association, McGee Brothers, Huntley Brothers, Gates Construction Co, Southeast Concrete Masonry Association, SPEC MIX/Quikcrete, NC Masonry Instructors Association, Johnson Concrete, Triangle Brick, Marshalltown

MASONRY POSTER
State Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:30 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Masonry Banquet: Thursday, April 27 @ 6:30 pm
The Khalif Event Center
200 E. Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405
Chairperson: NC Masonry Instructors Association
Sponsors: NC Masonry Contractors Association, McGee Brothers, Huntley Brothers, Gates Construction Co, Southeast Concrete Masonry Association, SPEC MIX/Quikcrete, NC Masonry Instructors Association, Johnson Concrete, Triangle Brick, Marshalltown
MASONRY POWERPOINT  
State Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 2  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 11:00 am  
Masonry Banquet: Thursday, April 27 @ 6:30 pm  
The Khalif Event Center  
200 E. Wendover Ave, Greensboro, NC 27405  
Chairperson: NC Masonry Instructors Association  
Sponsors: NC Masonry Contractors Association,  
McGee Brothers, Huntley Brothers, Gates Construction Co,  
Southeast Concrete Masonry Association, SPEC  
MIX/Quikcrete, NC Masonry Instructors Association,  
Johnson Concrete, Triangle Brick, Marshalltown  

MECHATRONICS  
National Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am  
Chairperson: Brian Burgess  
Sponsor: Carolina Training Associates  

MEDICAL ASSISTING  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Colony B  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am  
Chairperson: Joan Hoffman  

MEDICAL MATH  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Auditorium III  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am  
Chairperson: Alumni  

MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY  
National Contest  
Location: Koury Center – Auditorium III  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am  
Chairperson: Alumni  

MEN’S HAIRCUTTING  
State Contest  
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse  
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am  
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell  

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MOBILE ROBOTICS
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 3:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairpersons: SME
Sponsors: Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME)

MOTORCYCLE SERVICE TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Stan Thompson
Sponsors: Snap-On, Harley-Davidson, Central Carolina Community College

NAIL CARE
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Morris “Boz” Boswell

NURSE ASSISTING
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Colony C
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:30 am
Chairperson: Ruth Huff

OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONIES
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Grandover East
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 11:00 am
Chairperson: Elizabeth Crump

OUTSTANDING CHAPTER
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Pinehurst
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 2:30 pm
Chairperson: Paige Evans
PHOTOGRAPHY
National Contest
Presented by:
Adobe

Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 1:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Wed. April 26 after Orientation
Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
(Tuesday Competition segment for Secondary Only)
Chairperson: Frank Chodl
Sponsors: Adobe

PIN DESIGN
National Contest

Display Setup: Coliseum
Wed. April 26: 10am – 5pm (High School)
Thurs. April 27: 8:00am – 9:00am (Postsecondary)
Breakdown: Thurs. April 27 - 3:30 pm
Chairperson: Jason Warren

PLEDGE
State Contest

Location: Koury Center – Marsh Harbour
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27@ 11:00 am
Chairperson: Matt Crump / Bud Fitzgerald

PLUMBING
National Contest

Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27
Sponsors: IRWIN, PHCC, Rowan-Cabarrus CC, Arc3 Gases, Herbert Hovey HVAC, Jeff Voss Plumbing, SPC Mechanical

POSTER
State Contest

Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 10:00am - 2:00 pm
Poster Viewing: Wed. 2:00 pm - Thurs. 3:00 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:00 pm
Chairperson: Tammy Bradley
POWER EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:45 am
Chairperson: Jamie Reavis
Sponsors: Snap-On, Wilkes Community College

PRACTICAL NURSING
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Colony B
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am
Chairperson: Mary Lanier

PREPARED SPEECH
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Arrowhead B / Oyster Bay
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27
   Postsecondary: 9:30 am
   Secondary: 1:30 pm
Chairperson: Bill Ellis

PRINCIPLES OF ENGINEERING / TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Pebble Beach
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:30 am
Chairperson: Mike Wright

PROMOTIONAL BULLETIN BOARD
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup: Wednesday, April 26 @ 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 1:00 pm
Breakdown: Thursday, April 27 @ 3:30 pm
Chairperson: Madeline Tucker

QUIZ BOWL
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Blue Ashe
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27
   Postsecondary – 8:00 am
   High School - 8:30 am
Chairperson: Connor Madewell
RELATED TECHNICAL MATH
National Contest
Location: Koury Center – Auditorium III
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Alumni

RESTAURANT SERVICE TECHNOLOGY
National Contest
Location: Guilford Tech – Jamestown Campus
Hospitality Bldg
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 10:00 am
Chairperson: Linda Beitz
Sponsors: Johnson & Wales University, Guilford Technical Community College, Culinary Institute of America

ROBOTICS & AUTOMATION TECH.
State Contest
Event Date/Time: Prior to April 27
Chairperson: Caldwell CC

ROBOTICS: URBAN SEARCH & RESCUE
National Demonstration Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: SME
Sponsors: Society of Manufacturing Engineers

SCREEN PRINTING
National Contest
Location: Forsyth Tech
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: Lee Smith
Sponsors: Hanesbrands, Inc, Graphic Arts Education and Research Foundation (GAERF),

SHEET METAL
National Contest
Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27
Sponsors: IRWIN, PHCC, Rowan-Cabarrus CC, Arc3 Gases, Herbert Hovey HVAC, Jeff Voss Plumbing, Milwaukee Tools

SPELLING
State Contest
Location: Koury Center – Auditorium III
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Alumni
T-SHIRT DESIGN
National Contest

Display Setup: Coliseum
Wed. April 26: 10am – 5pm (High School)
Thurs. April 27: 8:00am – 9:00am (Postsecondary)
Breakdown: Thurs. April 27 - 3:30 pm
Chairperson: Jason Warren

TEAMWORKS
National Contest

Presented by:

Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Wed. April 26 @ 1:00 pm
Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
(Tuesday Competition segment for Secondary Only)
Chairpersons: Tim Eldridge
Sponsors: Lowe’s Home Improvement, PC Construction, NC Homebuilders Association, Kobalt Tools, Educational Services Unlimited, Precision Walls, Watson Electric, Delta Gypsum, IRWIN

TEAM ENGINEERING CHALLENGE
National Contest

Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: SME

TECHNICAL COMPUTER APPLICATIONS
National Contest

Location: Koury Center – Auditorium III
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Alumni

TECHNICAL DRAFTING
National Contest

Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 3
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 7:30 am
Chairperson: Kris Dell
Sponsor: Autodesk
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CABLELING
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 3:00 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Kelly Caudle, Dan Parmer, Brian Crump, Frank Lambert, Jeff Swaringen
Sponsor: Stanly Community College, CISCO

TELEVISION (VIDEO) PRODUCTION
National Contest
Presented by:
Adobe
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Fieldhouse
Orientation: Wednesday, April 26 @ 2:30 pm
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:00 am
Chairperson: Mike Crenshaw
Sponsors: Adobe, Rock 92, NC A&T University, GCS TV-2

WEB DESIGN
National Contest
Presented by:
Adobe
Location: Greensboro Coliseum – Meeting Room 4
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: Kevin Lee
Sponsor: Adobe, Guilford Technical Community College

WELDING (Secondary)
National Contest
Location: Rowan Cabarrus C.C. – Salisbury Campus
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 8:30 am
Chairperson: Brandon Hoffner
WELDING (Postsecondary)
National Contest
Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27

WELDING FABRICATION
National Contest
Event Date/Time: Held prior to April 27
Sponsor: Lincoln Electric, Miller Electric Welding Co. Inc., Catawba Valley CC, Wilkes CC, Arc3 Gases

WELDING SCULPTURE
National Contest
Location: Greensboro Coliseum
Setup:
Secondary: Wed., April 26 @ 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Postsecondary: Thurs., April 27 @ 8:00 am – 9:00 am
Event Date/Time: Thursday, April 27 @ 9:00 am
Chairperson: Robert Long
Sponsor: Lincoln Electric, Miller Electric Welding Co.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

National Skills & Leadership Conference
June 19-24, 2017 – Louisville, KY

State Leadership Workshop
Sept. 17-19, 2017 – Fayetteville, NC

State Leadership & Skills Conference
April 18-20, 2018 – Greensboro, NC
GOLD CHAPTER OF DISTINCTION
Catawba Valley Community College

SILVER CHAPTER OF DISTINCTION
John T Hoggard High School
Richlands High School
Rowan-Cabarrus Community College

BRONZE CHAPTER OF DISTINCTION
East Duplin High School
Middle Creek High School
South Stanly High School

QUALITY CHAPTERS
Columbus Career & College Academy
Craven Community College
Lee County High School
Nash Community College
Robeson County Career Center
Triton High School

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