Cabinetmaking
State Contest Information

Item 1 – Date, Time and Location

Contestant orientation will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. in the ***Southern Oklahoma Technology Center in Ardmore*** in the Construction Trades program. All contestant materials will need to be unloaded at this time. *Contest will be held on* ***April 17th***.

IF YOU ARE GOING TO BRING INDUSTRY AWARDS BE SURE TO BRING THEM TO TULSA AND REGISTER THEM ON APRIL 28th IN THE AWARDS AREA. *If permitted by your administration.*

State Conference registration will be held a the Doubletree Hotel, Gilcrease Room on Sunday, April 27th between 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. One advisor/instructor from each school will need to confirm conference participants previously registered and pick up conference programs and name badges. If no one from your school is planning on attending registration activities, arrangements must be made to register. Please call the SkillsUSA office (405-743-5400) to make arrangements.

Oklahoma AGC will sponsor a contestant meal on Sunday, April 27th at 6:00 p.m. in the Tulsa Convention Center. The location will be determined the day of the meal, check with Larry Bullock for its location in the Convention Center.

The Professional Development Program test and cabinetmaking written tests will be given online from March 10th – April 22nd, 2014. Be sure students register for the correct written test (**Cabinetmaking**). And be sure they are registered in the correct grade level (Secondary or Adult).

Contestant resumes are required for each member of the team.

All contestants are required to submit a one page, typed resume. If any contestant does not submit a resume to the contest chair, penalty points will be assessed.

Item 2 – Lunch (April 17th at Southern Oklahoma Technology Center/Ardmore

Contact Robbie Adams, host teacher, if you have any questions about directions and cost of food per student, Robbie's contact number is 580-223-2070 and email is radams@sotc.edu

From this competition, a secondary and post-secondary team will be selected to represent Oklahoma at the National SkillsUSA competition in Kansas City. Therefore, we will follow the national rules, regulations, and contest content as closely as possible. We want our contestants to be prepared to compete at the national level. All contestants will be required to assist in the clean-up following the judging.

Item 4 – Clothing Requirements

April 17th, the day of the skills competition, all students will be required to wear appropriate clothing representative of their occupation. **Safety glasses are required at all time while in the contest area.**

The awards ceremony will be on Tuesday, April 29th, all contestants are required to wear the official SkillsUSA jacket, black pants, white shirt, black tie and black tie or boots.

Item 5 – Industry Awards

All Cabinetmaking industry awards should be clearly marked so that they will not get mixed up with the teamworks and cabinetmaking contests. Industry awards need to be labeled with the name and address of the award supplier and taken to the Industry Awards check-in at the Tulsa Convention Center Arena on Monday, April 28th. **(Only one per contestant)**

Item 6 – Awards Ceremony

Contest winners will be recognized during the Awards Assembly at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, April 29th in the Tulsa Convention Center Arena. OFFICIAL SkillsUSA ATTIRE IS REQUIRED, according to the SkillsUSA Championships Technical Standards – clothing requirements. Any contest winner who is not in official SkillsUSA attire **will not** be permitted on stage. The student will be escorted behind the stage to receive his or her medallion and/or awards. The awards ceremony is the **"Showcase"** of our state conference and many industry guests and VIP's are invited to present medallions and honor our students. **NO HATS ARE TO BE WORN DURING THE AWARDS CEREMONY.**

Note: Only the skills scores will be recorded the day of the contest. The written scores will be computed later, so no one will know where the students have placed from this competition until the day of the awards ceremony in Tulsa on April 29th.

ONLY THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD PLACE WINNERS WILL BE GOING ON THE STAGE. This will mirror what takes place during the National SkillsUSA Awards Ceremony. Contest winners must have their *conference badges* in order to pick up their industry prizes.

There will be no awards/prizes for 4th – 6th places from this time forward.

Item 7 – Tools and Supplies

Contestants are responsible for the removal of all their contest materials immediately after the judging is completed and the contest chairman releases the projects.

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State Cabinet Building Contest

Resume required at sign-in.

Materials Needed:

*	1	4'x8'x3/4" Stain Grade Plywood (can be crosscut in half)
*	1	1"x8"x10' Hardwood (same as above)
*	1	4'x4'x1/4" AC fir Plywood
*	1	Pint of Wood Glue
*	1	Wood Putty to Match
*	--	1 ½" Trim Gun Nails
*	--	1" Brad Gun Nails
*	--	¾" to 1" Narrow Gauge Staples
*	20	Pocket Screws
*	12	1 ¼" Wood Screws (builders choice)
*	--	Assorted sand paper to fit finish sander

Tools and Equipment Needed:

*	4 each	36" Clamps
*	1 each	Router and wrenches
*	1 each	¼" Round Over or Builders Choice
*	1 each	3/8" Corded or Cordless Drill
*	1 each	Assorted Drill Bits up to 3/8"
*	1 each	Jigsaw (extra blades recommended)
*	1 each	Finish Sander
*	1 each	Trim/Finish Nailer
*	1 each	Brad Nailer
*	1 each	Narrow Gauge Stapler (optional)
*	1 each	Air Hose
*	1 each	Electrical Cord
*	1 each	Hammer, Nail Set, Square
*	--	Assorted Chisels

Work tables will be provided for each contestant, there is no need to bring saw horses.

2014 Skills/USA State Cabinet Contest Agenda

Thursday April 17th at Southern Tech in Ardmore

8:00-9:00 am	Registration and Contest Set-Up
9:00-9:15 am	Judges Orientation
9:15-11:15 am	Cabinet Contest
11:15-11:45 am	Lunch
11:45-1:45 pm	Cabinet Contest
1:45-2:45 pm	Judging and Clean-Up

NOTE: The amount of time allowed for building may exceed the agenda's time frame depending on the blueprint and judges recommendations.

Lunch: Lunch will be provided for all Instructors and Judges. Contestants will be charged $6 to go through the meal line, drink and dessert included. Additionally, there is a deli window that will be open (chicken strips, pizza, etc.) at various prices.

Carpentry Shop Location: The carpentry shop is located on the south end of Building 300. Turn in the West entrance and Building 300 will be the third brick building heading south. The bay doors are located on the back side of Building 300, to locate the bay doors turn left just passed Building 200 (Business Development Center) then right between Building 300 and 900. After materials and tools are unloaded, please pull around to the front of the building. This will help with the flow of buses. See attached map

Additionally*:* I plan on keeping the shop open the night before contest until about 9:00pm, for those instructor's that are arriving the night before contest. And, I will have the shop open at 6:30 am the day of contest. This will also allow time for your students to see the shop and equipment being used before the contest starts.

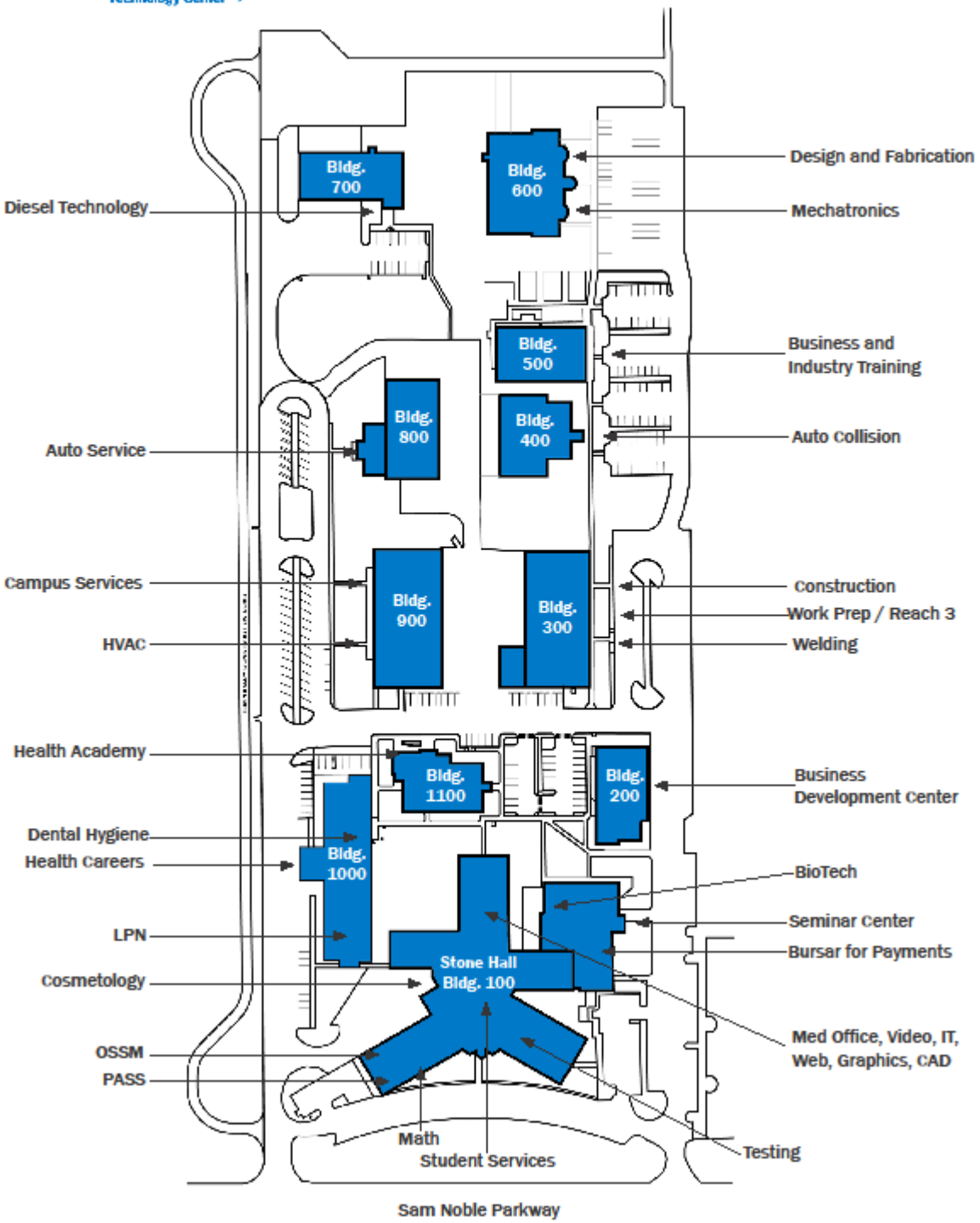
If you have any questions please e-mail or call:

radams@sotc.edu

Shop: 580-224-8252

Cell: 580-465-1130

Campus Map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