Automotive Service Technology State Contest Information

DATE, TIME, AND LOCATION:

Testing – The Professional Development and written exams will be given online March 10th - April 22nd, 2014.

Skill Contest - The 2014 State SkillsUSA Automotive Service Technology Contest will be held on Monday, April 28th and will be hosted at OSUIT in Okmulgee. **The contest sign-in will begin at 8:00 a.m., and the contest will start at 8:30 a.m.**

Contestant Resumes - All contestants will be required to submit a typed resume. If any contestant does not submit a resume to the contest chair, penalty points will be assessed.

TRANSPORTATION:

Transportation to and from the contest site **will not** be available. You must make arrangements for transportation.

LUNCH:

The contest is designed to be completed by 1:15 p.m. Lunch is on your own following the contest.

CLOTHING REQUIREMENTS:

As in the past, skill contestants will not be penalized for not adhering to national clothing requirements. Contestants should not wear clothing that has school identification visible to the judges. Those contestants wearing program uniforms will need to cover all identifying patches.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

From this competition, we will select a contestant to represent Oklahoma at the National SkillsUSA competition. 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.

TOOLS AND SUPPLIES:

Each contestant will need to bring the following: Safety glasses

AWARDS CEREMONY:

#2 Pencil

Contest winners will be recognized during the Awards Assembly at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 29th in the Arena at the Tulsa Convention Center. Official SkillsUSA attire is required. According to the SkillsUSA Championships Technical Standards- official clothing requirements are as follows: "For men: SkillsUSA official attire: Official red blazer or jacket, black trousers, white dress shirt, plain black tie with no pattern or official SkillsUSA tie, black socks and black shoes. For women: Official red blazer or jacket, black dress slacks or skirt, with businesslike white, collarless blouse or white blouse with small, plain collar that may not extend onto the lapels of the blazer, black sheer or skin-tone hose and black dress shoes. 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 awards.

INDUSTRY AWARDS:

District Contest Hosts will serve as the Industry Awards Chairmen, they are:

Northwest - Fairview	Watson, Robert (Bobby)	bwatson@nwtech.edu	580-227-3708
Tulsa Tech- Broken Arrow	Kirkley, Robert (Dale)	dale.kirkley@tulsatech.edu	918-828-3026
Meridian	Sheilds, David	davids@meridiantech.edu	405-377-3333
Kiamichi- Poteau	Griffith, William (Keith)	kgriffith@ktc.edu	918-647-4525
Southern OK. Tech - Ardmore	Webb, Scott	swebb@sotc.org	580-223-2070
Moore Norman	Roberts, Jonnie	jonnie.roberts@mntc.edu	405-364-5763
Francis Tuttle - Reno	Blair, Robert	rblair@francistuttle.edu	405-717-7799

Please contact them if you have awards to be turned in during the SkillsUSA Convention. **Each participating school is expected to furnish an industry award.** Industry awards should be labeled with the name and address of the award supplier, must be accompanied by an *industry award donation information sheet* (available on the Oklahoma SkillsUSA website) and be brought to the **awards area in the Conference Hall** at the Tulsa Convention Center on Monday, April 28th, between 8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Please make sure you have attached a business card to each industry award so that an appropriate "Thank you" may be sent. (Sample letters may be found on the Oklahoma SkillsUSA website)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

If you have any questions about the contest, please contact Tim Dwyer (918)293-4717 tim.dwyer@okstate.edu, Bill Voorhees (918)293-5394, bill.voorhees@okstate.edu or Stevon Gregory, (918)293-5106, Stevon.gregory@okstate.edu.

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