



Carpentry

State Contest Information

Tentative-Information is subject to change, check back often.

Item 1 – Date, Time and Location

On Sunday, April 21st Crossland Construction will conduct a tour of the construction site across the street from the Cox Center at 5:00 p.m. be prepared to bring a hard hat.

On Sunday, April 21st a meal sponsored by Oklahoma AGC and the Tulsa Homebuilder's Association from 5:30-7:30 p.m. will be held at Baxter's Grill ,717 S Houston Ste 100, Tulsa, OK 74127

On Monday April 22nd, 2024, there will be a meeting and breakfast from 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. in the Aaronson room at the Tulsa Central Library East of the Convention Center which is also being sponsored by the Tulsa Homebuilders Association and AGC Oklahoma.

Crossland Construction, OSUIT, and the Southern Region Carpenters Regional Council will be providing industry judges for the day of the skills competition.

On April 22nd, contest chairman and judges will need to report to the Tulsa Convention Center at 8:00 a.m. to prepare for contestant briefing.

The PDP written test and **carpentry test** will be given online from **Mar 13 - Apr 9, 2024.**

All contestant tools and materials will need to be unloaded on April 21st by 4:30 p.m. in the convention center carpentry contest area.

Contestant resumes are required for each contestant.

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

Lunch will possibly be sponsored but be prepared to purchase lunch for the day of the competition.

Item 3 – Rules and Regulations

From this competition, a secondary and post-secondary contestant will be selected to represent Oklahoma at the National SkillsUSA competition in Atlanta. 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 22nd, the day of the skills competition, all students will be required to wear appropriate clothing representative of their occupation. **Safety glasses and hard hats are required at all time while in the contest area.**

Item 5 – Industry Awards

All Carpentry contest industry awards should be clearly marked so that the carpentry and cabinetmaking contests prizes are not mixed up.

- 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 Monday, April 22nd.
- **ALL INSTRUCTORS PARTICIPATING IN THE STATE CONTEST SHOULD ONLY BRING ONE INDUSTRY AWARDS PER REGISTERED CONTESTANT IF PERMITTED BY YOUR ADMINISTRATION.**

Item 6 – Awards Ceremony

Contest winners will be recognized during the Awards Assembly at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 23rd 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 VIPs are invited to present medallions and honor our students. **NO HATS ARE TO BE WORN DURING THE AWARDS CEREMONY.**

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. They will need to be wearing their conference name badge in order to be permitted into the awards area to pick up their industry awards/prizes.

No industry prizes/awards will be given to the 4th – 6th places from this time forward.

Item 7 – Tools and Equipment

- Cut-resistant Level 3 gloves
- One 8 pt. crosscut saw (10 pt. or 12 pt. optional)
- Claw hammer

- One set chisels (1/4" to 1")
- Framing square
- 16' or longer steel tape measure
- Utility knife with standard blades
- Two pencils
- One each (1 and 2 pt. Phillips and 4" and 8" standard screwdrivers) or one multi-tip with equivalent tip
- Wrecking bar or gooseneck pinch bar
- Coping saw and extra blade
- Cat's paw (nail puller)
- Chalk box and line
- One nail set
- Straight aviation snip or any metal-cutting snips
- 24" or 30" spirit level
- Combination wood rasp and file (8")
- Carpenter's tool and nail pouch with belt and/or suspenders
- Stair gauges
- Combination square and/or speed square
- 25' power cord (UL approved grounded)
- Calculator
- Power circular saw with new carbide-tipped blade
- Drywall saw
- Portable toolbox not to exceed 4.0 cubic feet of storage capacity.
- Screw gun
- Cordless Drill with #2 Phillips tips
- Hardhat
- Safety glasses

2023 SkillsUSA State Carpentry Contest Agenda

Sunday April 21, 2024 – Cox Convention Center, Tulsa, OK

12:30-2:00 **Contestant Space assignment. Once contestant has their assigned space, they can move their tools to their space and set up. Please make every attempt to make it during this time for space assignment as Mr. Chesser and Mr. Weidman is donating his time to help with this and we need to be respectful of his time. If you are unable to make it before 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, please contact Greg Neely at (580)-318-3020 to arrange to receive your contestant's space assignments.**

Monday April 22, 2024 – Cox Convention Center, Tulsa, OK

7:00 – 8:00 **On Monday April 22, 2024, there will be a meeting and breakfast from 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. in the Pochahontas room at the Tulsa Public Library East of the Convention Center.**

8:00 - 8:15 Judges Orientation with Contestants, hand in resumes and receive name badges.

8:30 – 11:30 Carpentry Contest

11:30 – 12:00	Lunch
12:00 – 3:00	Carpentry Contest
3:00 – 5:00	Judging
5:00	Clean-Up and project removal: Approximately 2 hours after end of contest.

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

Lunch: Lunch will may be provided. Contestants will be able to purchase food at the concession area in the convention center.

Additionally: Greg Neely will be available on his cell phone (580-318-3020) for any questions or problems that you may have, or you may contact Lester Weidman at 479-857-8318 or email at lweidman@aokcat.org

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