



**WELDING COMPETITION**  
2022 State Fair  
Updated 8/5/2022

**DATE:** Tuesday, September 27, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 a.m. Registration  
10:30 a.m. Contest  
3:00 p.m. Awards

**PLACE:** State Fairgrounds at The Meadows in Doswell, Va., Caroline County

**CONTEST CHAIRMEN:** Allen Weaver, ARC3 Gases

**SKILLSUSA COORDINATORS:** Jerry & Courtney Baker

**SCOPE OF THE COMPETITION:** The time allotted is approx. 2 hours All contestants from the same school will be competing together at the same time. Judges lunch break at approximately 12:00 p.m.

**TOOLS AND MATERIALS REQUIRED BY CONTESTANTS:**  
Refer to SkillsUSA Technical Standards

**TOOL DROP OFF:** Tools boxes maybe dropped off near the contest site. Walk to will call to pick up and pay for preordered fair tickets.

**DEBRIEFING:** To take place directly after the conclusion of the contest. Judges at each event station will provide contest information to teams dealing with items including troubleshooting problems, technical tips, advise, concerns and positive feed back.

**AWARDS:** Awards will be presented at the Contest Area.

- *Participants must have a Student Competition Ticket (\$8.00) to enter the Fairgrounds unless they are already at the Fair for another competition.*
- *Teachers are responsible for ordering tickets online by September 27, 2022 directly from the State Fair Ticket Office using a State Fair Student Competition Ticket Order Form, which can be found on-line at [www.skillsusa.org](http://www.skillsusa.org) under 'State Fair'*
- *State Fair tickets must be ordered online so everyone can enter near the contest site. (Gate 2) You will be allowed to park in this area with advance tickets. No picking up tickets in site.*

**Safety Notice:** Each contestant is responsible for bringing the proper PPE to wear while participation in the contest. Also, each contestant must turn in a signed SkillsUSA Safety Form to the competition chairman on the day of the competition.

SkillsUSA Virginia  
Safety Form for Tools and Materials  
State Fair SkillsUSA Virginia/HVACR Competition



The SkillsUSA Virginia HVACR Competition will involve the use of a power tools, equipment and materials in completing the task within the competition. It is absolutely necessary that complete operating instructions and safety for the use of power tools, equipment and materials have been given to the contestant in his/her training program in the local school division as stated in the National SkillsUSA National Standards before he competes. This includes the proper safety instruction in the use of the tools listed in the scope of the contest and the use of protective equipment while using the tools and materials. Safety glasses are required.

By the affixing of my signature below, I certify that my student, who is entering the HVACR Competition at the State Fair, has had proper operating and safety instruction in the use of the power tools, equipment and materials.

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(Signature of Instructor/Advisor)

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(SkillsUSA Virginia Chapter)

By the affixing of my signature below, I certify that I have used the power tools, equipment and materials to be used in the State Fair HVACR Competition and that I understand the correct operating procedures and safety precautions for the use of this power tool, equipment and materials.

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(Signature of Student)

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(Date)

**THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND TURNED IN TO THE COMPETITION CHAIRMAN ON THE DAY OF THE COMPETITION. FAILURE TO TURN IN THIS FORM WILL RESULT IN THE STUDENT NOT BEING ALLOWED TO COMPETE.**