



# 2020 Qualifying Competitions

## SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 2020

### NIAGARA COLLEGE - Southern Area Qualifying Competition

#### General Information

Located in Welland and Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, Niagara College, will be the host college of the Southern Area Qualifying Competition, in which the following school boards are allocated:

- Brant Haldimand Norfolk Catholic District School Board
- Conseil scolaire de district catholique Centre-Sud
- Conseil scolaire Viamonde
- District School Board of Niagara
- Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board
- Grand Erie District School Board
- Halton Catholic District School Board
- Halton District School Board
- Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board
- Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board
- Niagara Catholic District School Board

#### **CONTEST LOCATIONS** (all rooms subject to change):

##### **Welland Campus**

100 Niagara College Boulevard, Welland, ON L3C 7L3

- Carpentry-Individual \*\* – Room TC177
- Welding \*\* – Room TC140
- TV Video Production (Team of 2) \* – Room V6 (Voyager Wing)

**\*Sign-in for these contests** will be in the Applied Health Institute Auditorium (AH141) **at the Welland Campus location.**

##### **Niagara-On-The-Lake Campus (NOTL) \*\***

135 Taylor Road, Niagara-on-the-Lake, ON L0S 1J0

- Culinary Arts \* – Room HT108/HT112

**\*\*Sign-in for this contest** will be in Culinary Theatre (HT109) of the Canadian Food and Wine Institute **at the NOTL Campus location.** It is the responsibility of contest participants to **provide their own transportation to the Welland Campus** for the Awards Presentation.



**AGENDA - Southern Area Qualifying Competition \***  
(all rooms subject to change)

**8:30 - 9:00 a.m.** – Sign-in and Announcements

- **Culinary Arts** competitors are to sign-in and attend opening remarks at the Canadian Food and Wine Institute at the Niagara-on-the-Lake Campus in room HT109.
- **All other competitors** are to sign-in and attend opening remarks at the Applied Health Institute Auditorium (AH141) at the Welland Campus.

**9:00 a.m.** – Technical Committees lead competitors to contest sites

**9:10 - 9:30 a.m.** – Competitor orientation at contest site

**9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** – Contests

- Tours for parents, teachers and visitors at the Welland Campus – are available at 9:30am from the Applied Health Institute Auditorium
- Display of Niagara College programs will be available throughout the day

**12:00 - 12:30 p.m.** – Lunch will be delivered to competitors on the contest sites

**12:30 – 3:00 p.m.** – Contests continue

**3:00 – 4:30 p.m.** – Final Judging and Results Compilation

- Judging completed during this time
- Results submitted to Skills Ontario staff
- Skills Ontario staff perform final results tabulation

**3:30 – 4:00 p.m.** – General Feedback Session for competitors – Locations TBA

**\*\*5:30 p.m.** – Awards Presentation and Advancement Meeting

- To occur in the Applied Health Institute Auditorium (AH141), Welland Campus. Culinary Arts competitors are to make their own way to the Welland Campus (see directions below)
- A brief advancement meeting for those competitors moving on to the Skills Ontario Competition will immediately follow presentation

**Please note:** each **contest also has its own agenda** with further detail, please refer to the contest scopes for the specific contest agendas to ensure you are well prepared for the day.

**\*\*Please note:** the **start time of the awards presentation** is based on when results are verified and finalized – should this be completed earlier than 5:30, staff will make an effort to begin the



presentation earlier, but this will be a last minute adjustment. As such, please try to be near by the awards presentation location prior to 5:30 in case an earlier start is possible.

### **ADVANCEMENT FROM QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS TO SKILLS ONTARIO COMPETITION**

Competitors at the Qualifying Competitions **must achieve a final score of at least 60%** to receive any ribbon and be considered for advancement.

The following numbers of competitors from the Southern Area Qualifying Competition are eligible to advance to the 2020 Skills Ontario Competition, taking place May 4-6, 2020 in Toronto:

- Carpentry – Individual – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Culinary Arts – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>
- T.V. Video Production (Team of 2) – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Welding – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>

### **Advancement Policy**

The competitors/teams with the three highest scores in each contest will advance to the Skills Ontario Competition, regardless of their school board representation, ie. if the top two scores are from the same school board, both will receive ribbons and advance. Each school board may request up to **TWO** (2) spaces per contest and both will be eligible to advance.

### **COLLEGE LOCATIONS – Directions & Parking**

Niagara College is easily accessible from the QEW, and the following map will assist participants in locating Niagara College, Welland Campus. For more information, please refer to [www.niagaracollege.ca/visitus](http://www.niagaracollege.ca/visitus).

### **PARKING**

Parking at the college is free on Saturday April 4, 2020 and does not require a ticket. It is recommended to **park in Lot A** at both campus locations for best access to the college.

### **Directions from the Niagara-On-The-Lake Campus to the Welland Campus**

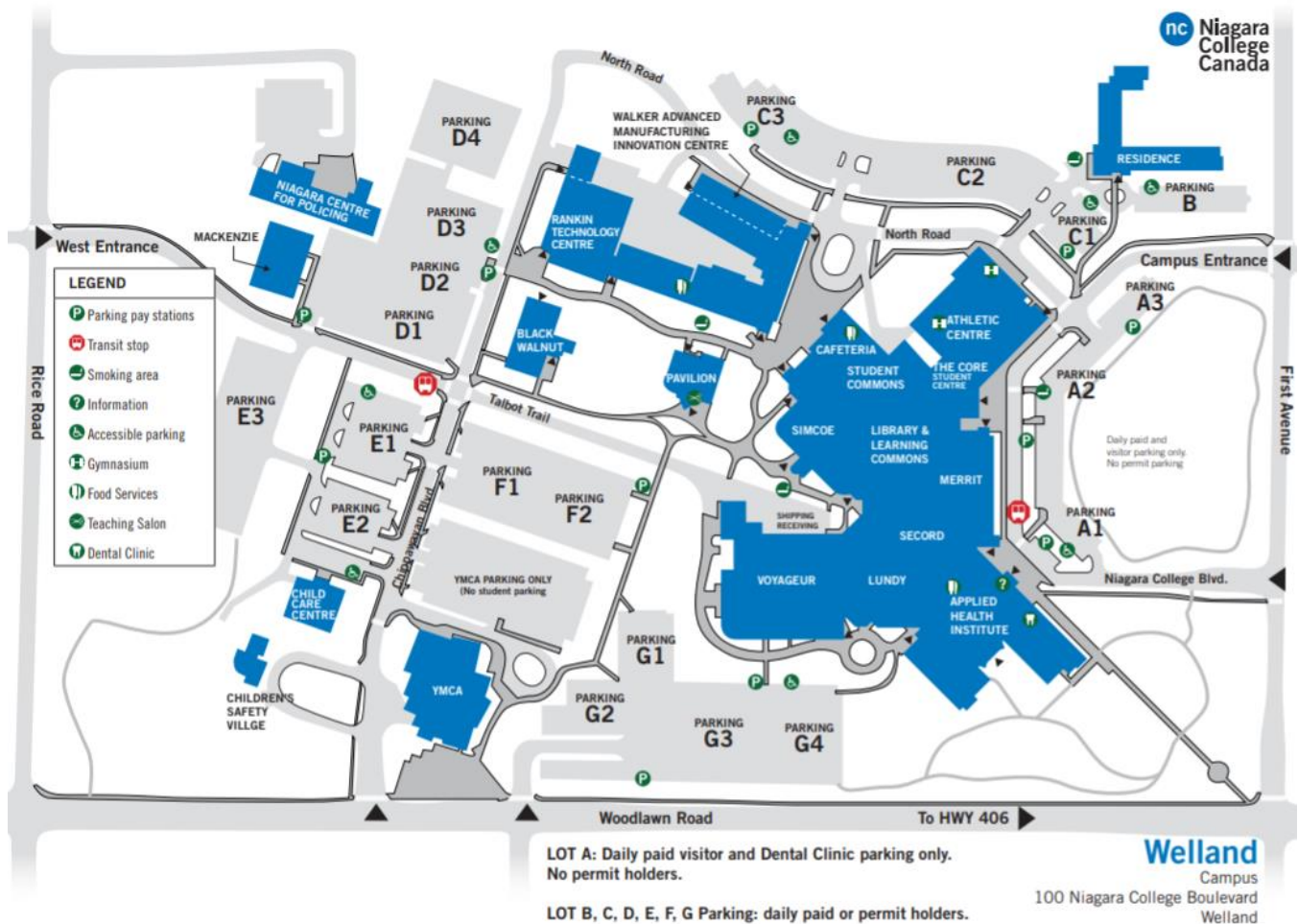
- Take Taylor Road North (formerly Beechwood Road) up the hill
- Turn right onto Thorold Stone Road and follow through the Thorold Tunnel
- Take Hwy 406 south to Welland
- Take Woodlawn Road exit
- Turn right on First Avenue
- Turn left into the College

Niagara College, **Welland Campus**

100 Niagara College Boulevard, Welland, ON L3C 7L3

Phone: 905.735.2211

Map: <https://www.niagaracollege.ca/wp-content/uploads/welland-parking-lot-map-1282019.pdf>



When you arrive at Niagara College, Welland Campus, please enter through the main entrance of the Applied Health Institute (accessible via First Avenue). Sign-in for all competitors and contests **OTHER THAN CULINARY ARTS** will occur in the Applied Health Institute Auditorium (AH141), Welland Campus at 8:30 a.m. Skills Ontario staff and college volunteers will be available to assist you.

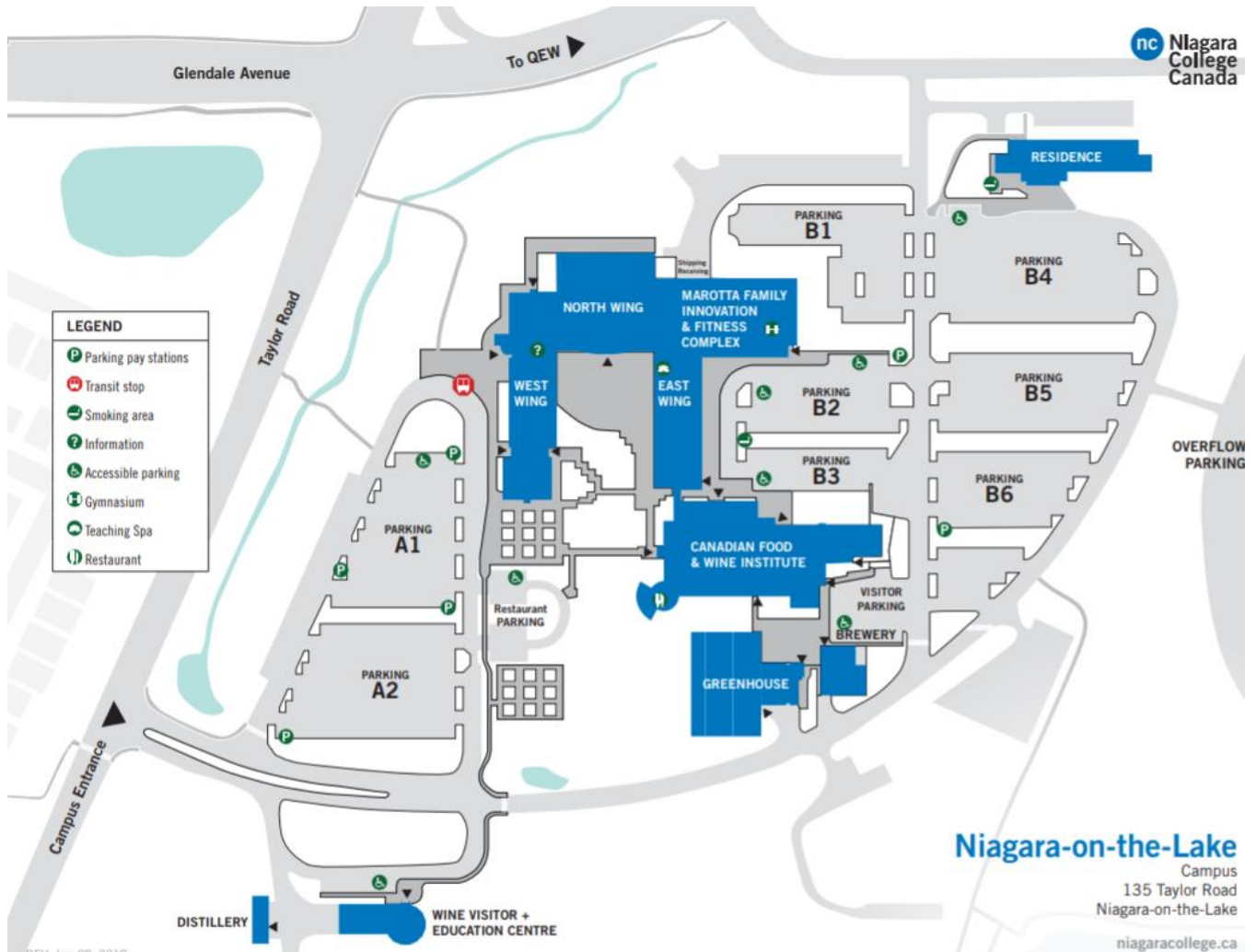
**CULINARY ARTS Only:**

Niagara College, **Niagara-on-the-Lake Campus**

135 Taylor Road, Niagara-on-the-Lake, ON L0S 1J0

Phone: 905.641.2252

Map: <https://www.niagaracollege.ca/wp-content/uploads/notl-parking-lot-map-1282019.pdf>



**Sign-in for Culinary Arts will occur in the Culinary Theatre (HT109) of the Canadian Food and Wine Institute at the Niagara-on-the-Lake Campus at 8:30 a.m.** Skills Ontario staff and college volunteers will be available to assist you.



### **TEACHERS, PARENTS AND VISISTORS**

Cafeterias at the Welland campus will be closed, but there are a number of restaurants located near the college on Niagara Street where teachers and parents may purchase their lunch. Downtown St. Catharines, a 15 minute drive from either campus, has a lot of options as well including the famous Beechwood Donuts.

### **PLASTIC WATER BOTTLES**

There are to be **NO** plastic water bottles brought to Niagara College! If you plan to drink water throughout the day, you must bring a refillable, personal water bottle that can be filled at their fountains.

### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

The following hotels are recommended for accommodation during the Southern Area Qualifying Competition. Participants are to make their own arrangements with hotels:

Holiday Inn  
327 Ontario Street  
St Catharines ON  
Phone: (905)-688-2324

Best Western Plus  
300 Prince Charles Drive  
Welland, ON  
Phone: (905) 732-0922

Four Points Sheraton  
3530 Schmon Parkway  
Thorold, ON  
Phone: (905) 984-8484