

## 2017 Qualifying Competitions

### Northern Area Qualifying Competition

**SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2017 at CANADORE COLLEGE**  
**College Drive (Education Centre) and Commerce Court Campuses**

#### General Information

Located in North Bay, Ontario, Canadore College, both College Drive Campus and Commerce Court Campus, will be the host college of the Northern Area Qualifying Competition, in which the following school boards are allocated:

- Algoma District School Board
- Conseil scolaire de district catholique de Nouvel Ontario
- Conseil scolaire catholique de district des Grandes Rivières
- Conseil scolaire de district catholique Franco-Nord
- Conseil scolaire de district du Grand Nord de l'Ontario
- Conseil scolaire de district du Nord-Est de l'Ontario
- Constance Lake First Nations
- District School Board of Ontario North East
- Huron-Superior Catholic District School Board
- Near North District School Board
- Nipissing-Parry Sound Catholic District School Board
- Northeastern Catholic District School Board
- Rainbow District School Board
- Sudbury Catholic District School Board

The **College Drive Campus** will host:

- Culinary Arts
- TV Video Production (Team of 2)

**\*\*Sign-in for these contests is in the reception foyer at the College Drive Campus location.**

The **Commerce Court Campus** will host:

- Carpentry-Individual
- Welding

**\*\*Sign-in for these contests is in the main foyer at the Commerce Court Campus location.**

#### **IMPORTANT!**

**Please note that the Small Powered Equipment contest is now being held at CAMBRIAN COLLEGE in Sudbury – please see the Cambrian College document for more information on that location**

## COLLEGE LOCATIONS

Canadore College, College Drive Campus  
100 College Drive  
North Bay, ON P1B 8K9  
Phone: 705.474.7600

Canadore College, Commerce Court Campus  
60 Commerce Crescent  
North Bay, ON P1B 8K9  
Phone: 705.526.3666

Canadore College is easily accessible from Highways 17 and 11, and the following map will assist participants in locating the two campuses. College Drive Campus is #1 on the map. Commerce Court Campus is #2 on the map:



**Parking:** Parking is free on the weekend and you can park in any numbered lot



## **Northern Area Qualifying Competition Agenda of the day** (all rooms subject to change)

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

- Foyers of both locations – Commerce Court (main foyer) and College Drive (reception foyer)
- French translators will be on hand
- A continental breakfast will be provided for competitors

### **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

- Parents may take self-guided tours of the college during this time.
- Hospitality Room available for parents/teachers with free Wi-Fi

### **12:00 - 12:30 p.m.** – Lunch

- Lunch will be delivered to competitors at their contest site

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

### **3:00 - 4:30 p.m.** – Final Judging and Evaluation

- 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

### **4:00 p.m.** – Presentation by Host College

- College Drive, Canadore Room, D102

### **\*5:30 p.m.** – Awards Presentation and Advancement Meeting at **College Drive campus\*\***

- College Drive, 100 Elements, D102
- A brief advancement meeting for those competitors moving on to the Skills Ontario Competition will immediately follow presentation
- French translation will be provided

**\*\*** It is the responsibility of Commerce Court contest participants to **provide their own transportation to the College Drive campus** for the Awards Presentation.

**\*Please note that 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**

## DRIVING FROM COMMERCE COURT TO COLLEGE DRIVE

Driving distance: 7.8 km

Driving time: 11 minutes

Start at: 60 Commerce Crescent North Bay, ON

1. Head west on Commerce Crescent toward Seymour St - 0.4 km
  2. Turn right at Seymour St - 0.8 km
  3. Turn right at HWY-11 N/HWY-17 W
  4. Continue to follow HWY-17 W - 5.0 km
  5. Turn right at Gormanville Rd - 0.3 km
  6. Turn left at College Dr - 1.3 km
- Arrive at: College Dr North Bay, ON

## LOCATIONS OF CONTESTS (all rooms subject to change):

### College Drive campus\*:

Culinary Arts – C113

TV Video Production – C158 and C171

\*Participants in the contests at College Drive will sign-in at the College Drive location.

### Commerce Court campus\*:

Carpentry-Individual – E143 and E145

Welding – W141

\*Participants in the contests at Commerce Court will sign-in at the Commerce Court location.

\*\* It is the responsibility of Commerce Court contest participants to **provide their own transportation to the College Drive campus** for the Awards Presentation.

## ADVANCEMENT FROM QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS TO OTSC

Advancement to the Skills Ontario Competition for any contest is limited to one ribbon winner per school board per contest. Competitors **must also achieve a final score of at least 60%** to receive any ribbon.

The following numbers of competitors from the Northern Area Qualifying Competition are eligible to advance to the 2017 Skills Ontario Competition, taking place May 1-3, 2017 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>

**NEW!!** Advancement to the OTSC for all Qualifying Competition contests is limited to one ribbon winner per school board per contest at the event. After the event, **wildcard spaces will be allocated to the remainder of the top placing competitors/teams** regardless of location or existing school board representation.

### **TEACHERS, PARENTS AND VISITORS**

Teachers, parents and visitors are welcome to use the Tim Horton's and cafeteria on campus to purchase their lunch the day of the competition. There are also a number of restaurants in close proximity to Canadore College and they are as follows:

- McKeown Avenue – Wendy's, McDonald's
- Algonquin Avenue – Swiss Chalet, Kelsey's
- Northgate Square – A&W, Bento Box

### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

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

Clarion Resort  
201 Pinewood Park Drive  
North Bay, ON P1B 8Z4  
Tel: (800) 461-9592  
Fax: (705) 471-3427  
Website: [www.clarionresortpinewoodpark.com](http://www.clarionresortpinewoodpark.com)  
E-mail: [Stay@ClarionResortPinewoodPark.com](mailto:Stay@ClarionResortPinewoodPark.com)

Best Western North Bay  
700 Lakeshore Drive  
North Bay, ON P1A 2G4  
Tel: (800) 461-6199  
Fax: (705) 474-8699  
Website: [www.bestwesternnorthbay.com](http://www.bestwesternnorthbay.com)

Comfort Inn – North Bay  
676 Lakeshore Drive  
North bay, ON P1A 2G4  
Tel: (877) 449-4484  
Fax: (705) 494-8461  
Website: [www.comfortnorthbay.com](http://www.comfortnorthbay.com)