

VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE

SAFETY THROUGH EDUCATION AND TRAINING

January 20, 2014

MINE RESCUE PARTICIPANTS

RE: 2014 VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE CONTEST

You are invited to participate in the Virginia Mining Institute's Safety Days Contest to be held August 5, 6 and 7, 2014 at the Municipal Park in Blacksburg, Virginia. This year the Safety Days Contest will feature a 2 day mine rescue contest, bench contest, first aid contest, preshift contest and anemometer exercise. The following information concerning the contest is enclosed.

- Flyer showing dates and location of the Safety Day Program with persons to contact for additional information.
- Schedule of events
- Registration form for the Safety Days Contest
- Motel listings for the Blacksburg area.

NOTICE

The final registration date for the Virginia Mining Institute Safety Days Contest is May 15, 2014. The mine rescue contests will be limited to 42 teams. All fees must be paid by May 15, 2014.

If you have any questions regarding the contest, please contact Christy Viers at (276) 596 – 2000 or email Christy at cviers@alphanr.com.

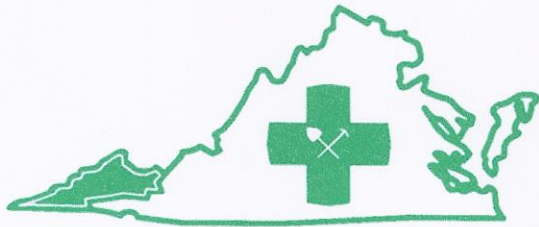
Sincerely,



Don Hager – President
Virginia Mining Institute (VMI)

Enclosures

cc: G. Meikle
R. Moore



**VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE
SAFETY DAY CONTEST
AUGUST 5, 6, AND 7, 2014**

Location: Blacksburg Municipal Park, Blacksburg, Virginia



REGISTRATION DEADLINE – MAY 15, 2014

CONTACT: Chisty Viers – cviers@alphnr.com (276) 596 – 2000

Wayne Davis – DMME: wayne.davis@dmme.virginia.gov (276) 415 – 9650



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VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE SAFETY DAY
AUGUST 4 - 7, 2014

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, August 4, 2014

- 8:00 a.m. Mine Rescue Field Set-up
- 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Teams registration and drawing for all Events - Recreation Center
Mine Rescue registration and drawing for working order for both days. *Drawing for second day will be if you draw 1- 21 the first day - then you will draw from 22- 42 for the second day.*
- 11:00 a.m. Mine rescue teams will be able to put equipment in gym .**
- 1:00 p.m. Vendors begin setting up exhibits

Tuesday, August 5, 2014

- 6:30 a.m. All Officials/Judges report to NEW briefing area at the (Community Center, Multi-Purpose room) for job assignments and briefing
Field layout Personnel reports to field**
- 7:00 a.m. **Mine Rescue Teams must be under guard!**
Written Test given
Anemometer Competition/ Lockup area
- 7:15 a.m. Trainers Briefing on field
- 7:30 a.m. Captain Briefing in lock-up area
- 7:45 a.m. **Mine Rescue Contest Begins - Day 1**
Vendors Exhibits Open
- 11:00 a.m. Lunch begins (Field area)
- Mine rescue competition continues until all teams have completed Day 1.

Wednesday, August 6, 2014

- 6:30 a.m. **All Officials/Judges report to NEW briefing area at the (Community Center, Multi-Purpose room) for job assignments and briefing
Field layout Personnel reports to field**
- 7:00 a.m. **Mine Rescue Teams must be under guard!**
Written Test given
Anemometer Competition/lock-up area
- 7:15 a.m. Trainers Briefing on field
- 7:30 a.m. Captain Briefing in lock-up area
- 7:45 a.m. **Mine Rescue Contest Begins - Day 2**
Vendors Exhibits Open
- 11:00 a.m. Lunch begins

Mine rescue team must move all their equipment from the lock up area.

Thursday, August 7, 2014

- 7:00 a.m. **Lock-up for Bench, Pre-shift and First Aid
Judges Briefing**
- 8:30 a.m. **BENCH, PRESHIFT AND FIRST AID CONTEST BEGINS**
- 12:00 Noon Vendors Exhibits Close
- 1:00 p.m. **Stake Holder meeting, Mine Rescue Captains, Trainers and Vendors
at the (Community Center, Multi-Purpose room)**
- 7:00 p.m. Awards Banquet - Presentation of Trophies

VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE 2014 SAFETY DAY CONTEST

Please indicate the type of competition as shown in the list below. Fees are shown to the right of each competition type. Contest fees and Awards Banquet fees must be remitted with the registration form.

FINAL REGISTRATION ALONG WITH ALL FEES WILL BE DUE ON MAY 15, 2014

CONTEST WILL BE LIMITED TO 42 TEAMS

TYPE OF TEAM

- | | |
|--|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> MINE RESCUE | \$550 per team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FIRST AID | \$150 per team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMBINATION | \$75 per team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MINE FOREMAN (PRESHIFT) | \$125 each |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BENCH | \$125 each |

ENTRY FEES: _____

TEAM IDENTIFICATION AND INFORMATION:

COMPANY NAME: _____

TEAM NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

TITLE: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (____) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

Please make checks payable to VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE and mail to address listed below.

Please return registration forms and fees to address shown below:

VIRGINIA MINING INSTITUTE, NORTHERN
ATTN: CHRISTY VIERS
% KNOX CREEK COAL CORPORATION
P. O. BOX 519
RAVEN, VA 24639

E-MAIL: minerescue@virginiamininginstitute.org

Telephone: (276) 596 – 2000

Fax: (276) 963 – 0489



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COMPANY NAME: _____ TEAM NAME: _____

VMI will provide each **Mine Rescue Team Member** with one VMI Contest shirt.*

*(One shirt per team member listed on this registration form, no matter how many contests a team member competes in)

MINE RESCUE TEAM PERSONNEL:

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| 1) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL CAPTAIN | 6) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL BRIEFING OFFICER |
| 2) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 7) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL PATIENT |
| 3) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 8) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL ALTERNATE |
| 4) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 9) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL ALTERNATE |
| 5) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 10) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL ALTERNATE |

FIRST AID TEAM PERSONNEL:

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| 1) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL CAPTAIN | 3) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL PATIENT |
| 2) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | |

ADDITIONAL FIRST AID TEAM PERSONNEL:

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| 1) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL CAPTAIN | 3) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL PATIENT |
| 2) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | |

BG-4 BENCH PARTICIPANT(S): (BG – 4 SENTINEL ONLY)

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| 1) _____ Tester: RZ25 _____ Tester: 6100 _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 3) _____ Tester: RZ25 _____ Tester: 6100 _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL |
| 2) _____ Tester: RZ25 _____ Tester: 6100 _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 4) _____ Tester: RZ25 _____ Tester: 6100 _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL |

BIO-PAK BENCH PARTICIPANT(S): (240 – R ONLY)

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| 1) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL | 2) _____ Shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> XXL |
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COMPANY NAME: _____ TEAM NAME: _____

PRESHIFT PARTICIPANT(S):

- 1) _____
Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL
- 2) _____
Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL
- 3) _____
Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL
- 4) _____
Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL
- 5) _____
Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL
- 6) _____
Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

NUMBER OF AWARDS DINNER TICKETS:

NOTE: BANQUET TICKETS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE ENTRY FEE. IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND THE AWARDS BANQUET TICKETS MUST BE ORDERED AT \$40 PER TICKET.

NUMBER TICKETS NEEDED: _____ (\$40 PER TICKET) \$ _____

***ADDITIONAL VMI CONTEST SHIRTS (\$15 PER SHIRT)**

- NUMBER OF: _____ Shirt Size: **SMALL**
- NUMBER OF: _____ Shirt Size: **MEDIUM**
- NUMBER OF: _____ Shirt Size: **LARGE**
- NUMBER OF: _____ Shirt Size: **X LARGE**
- NUMBER OF: _____ Shirt Size: **XX LARGE**

TOTAL ADDITIONAL SHIRTS: _____ (\$15 PER SHIRT) \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

PLEASE SIGN AND DATE THIS FORM:

(SIGNATURE)

TITLE: _____ DATE: _____



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BLACKSBURG & CHRISTIANBURG, VA

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|---|---|
| COMFORT INN | (540) 951 – 1500 |
| COMFORT SUITES | (540) 552 – 5636 |
| COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT | (540) 552 – 5222 |
| DAYS INN | (540) 951 – 1330 |
| ECONO LODGE | (540) 382 – 6161 |
| HAMPTON INN | (540) 381 – 5874 |
| HILTON GARDEN INN | (540) 552 – 5005 |
| HOLIDAY INN – CHRISTIANSBURG | (540) 381 – 8100 |
| HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS & SUITES | (540) 382 – 6500 |
| HOLIDAY INN UNIVERSITY | (540) 552 – 7001 |
| HOWARD JOHNSON EXPRESS | (540) 381 – 0150 |
| THE INN AT VIRGINIA TECH AND SKELTON CONFERENCE CENTER | (540) 231 – 8000 or (877) 200 – 3360 |
| MICROTEL INN & SUITES | (540) 381 – 0500 |
| QUALITY INN | (540) 382 – 2055 |
| SUPER 8 MOTEL | (540) 382 – 5813 |