



MINE RESCUE

Two Contests, Three Days

June 24th-27th

Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center
Abingdon, VA

SCHEDULE

Monday, June 24

- 8:00 a.m.** Mine Rescue Field Set-up
- 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.** Team Registration
Grand Hall Drawing for Events
- 1:00 p.m.** Mine Rescue Equipment Drop-Off
Grand Hall Exhibit Set-Up for Vendors

Tuesday, June 25

- 7:00- 8:00 a.m.** Final Team Registration
Grand Hall Final Drawing for Events
- 8:00 a.m.** Officials/Judges Report to Briefing Area (*behind Grand Hall*)
Field Layout Personnel to Field
- 8:00 a.m.** **Mine Rescue Teams Under Guard**
Written Test
- 8:15 a.m.** Trainers Briefing on Field
Captain Briefing in Lock-Up Area
- 8:30 a.m.** **Governor's Cup 37th Annual Mine Rescue Contest**



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- Vendor Exhibits Open
- 11:00 a.m.** Lunch Begins

Wednesday, June 26

- 8:00 a.m.** Officials/Judges Report to Briefing Area (*behind Grand Hall*)
Field Layout Personnel to Field
- 8:00 a.m.** **Mine Rescue Teams Under Guard**
Written Test
- 8:15 a.m.** Trainers Briefing on Field
Captain Briefing in Lock-Up Area
- 8:30 a.m.** **Overmountain Second Annual Mine Rescue Contest**



- Vendor Exhibits Open
- 11:00 a.m.** Lunch Begins

Thursday, June 27

- 8:00 a.m.** Lock-Up: Bench, Pre-Shift, Team Tech and First Aid
Judges Briefing
- 8:45 a.m.** **Virginia Energy Skills Contest Begins**



- Vendor Exhibits Close
- 6:00 p.m.** Awards Banquet

MINE RESCUE CONTESTANTS

Affinity Mine Complex Affinity Mine Rescue

George Smith, Captain
Oscar Hughes
Mark Rutherford
Justin Sargent
Anthony Harvey
Josh Sizemore, BO
Troy Hill, Patient
Andrew Altrey, CCA
Roger Bryson, Alternate
Johnny Smith, Alternate
Josh Sizemore, Trainer

First Aid:
Oscar Hughes
Josh Sizemore
Mark Rutherford
BG-4:
Roger Bryson
Troy Hill
Pre-Shift:
Mark Rutherford
Team Tech:
George Smith
Justin Sargent
Anthony Harvey
Andrew Altrey

Wellmore Coal Company, Wellmore Team

Joey Fuller, Captain
Anthony Grizzle
Johnny Branham
Jordan Curry
Chris Turner
Todd Ward, BO
Johnathan Little
Josh Diles
Chris Turner, Trainer

First Aid:
Jordan Curry
Brandon Rasnake
Chris Turner
BG-4:
Joey Fuller
Todd Ward
Pre-Shift:
Johnny Branham
Team Tech:
Johnathan Little
Joey Fuller

WVU Extension

BG-4:
John Helmick

Arch/Mountain Laurel

Gary Richardson, Captain
Dave Vickers
Steve Bailey
Scott Tomblin
Josh Chambers
Mike Balls, BO
Josh Blackburn, Patient
Jeremy Thombsen, CCA
Donovan Daniels, Alternate
Jeremy Manns, Alternate
Gary Richardson, Trainer

First Aid:
Dave Vickers
Donovan Daniels
Josh Blackburn
240-R:
Josh Chambers
Team Tech:
Mike Balls
Steve Bailey

Iron Senergy, Cumberland Blue

Brett Balabon, Captain
Eric Lewis
Leo Kozich
Josh McCartney
Justin Corso
Chris Lewis, BO
Gary Valusek Jr., Patient
Chris Hartman, CCA
Rob Hutchison, Alternate
Darren Blankenship, Trainer

First Aid:
Chris Hartman
Josh McCartney
Eric Lewis
BG-4:
Rob Hutchison
Gary Valusek Jr.
Team Tech:
Justin Corso
Chris Lewis

Coking Coal, Black Bears

Jon Lundy, Captain
Steven Madden
Tyler Brock
David Jones
Kenny Stanford
John Tomlinson, BO
Brandon Helton, Patient
John Tomlinson, Trainer

Paramont Contura

Adam Phillips, Captain
Frankie Moore
Brian Keith
Joey Sykes
Eric Collins
Brad Hawkins, BO
Robbie Middleton, Patient
Casey Mooneyhan, CCA
Dave Dillon, Trainer

First Aid:
Eric Collins
Brian Keith
Frankie Moore
BG-4:
Robbie Middleton
Casey Mooneyhan
Brad Hawkins
Pre-Shift:
Frankie Moore
Joey Sykes
Team Tech:
Adam Phillips
Joey Sykes

Virginia Small Operators Mine Rescue VSOMR

Billy Graham Jr., Captain
Tim Smith
John Allen
Bradley Moore
Colby Freeman
Lester Mullins, BO
Josh Williams, Patient
Tim Kiser, Trainer

Southern Pocahontas Apache

Robbie Ortiz, Captain
Jason Owens
Chad Sloane
Dakota Cecil
Donald Hagerman
Mark Muncy, BO
Michael Edwards, Patient
Austin Brooks, CCA

Gary Newcomb, Alternate
Josh Smith, Alternate
Robbie Ortiz, Trainer

Buchanan Minerals, LLC Buchanan Gold Team

Stephen Vittoe, Captain
Keith Richardson
Jesse Yates
Cory Viers
Zack Dye
Justin Vest
Barry Baker, Trainer

2024 CONTEST HOSTS

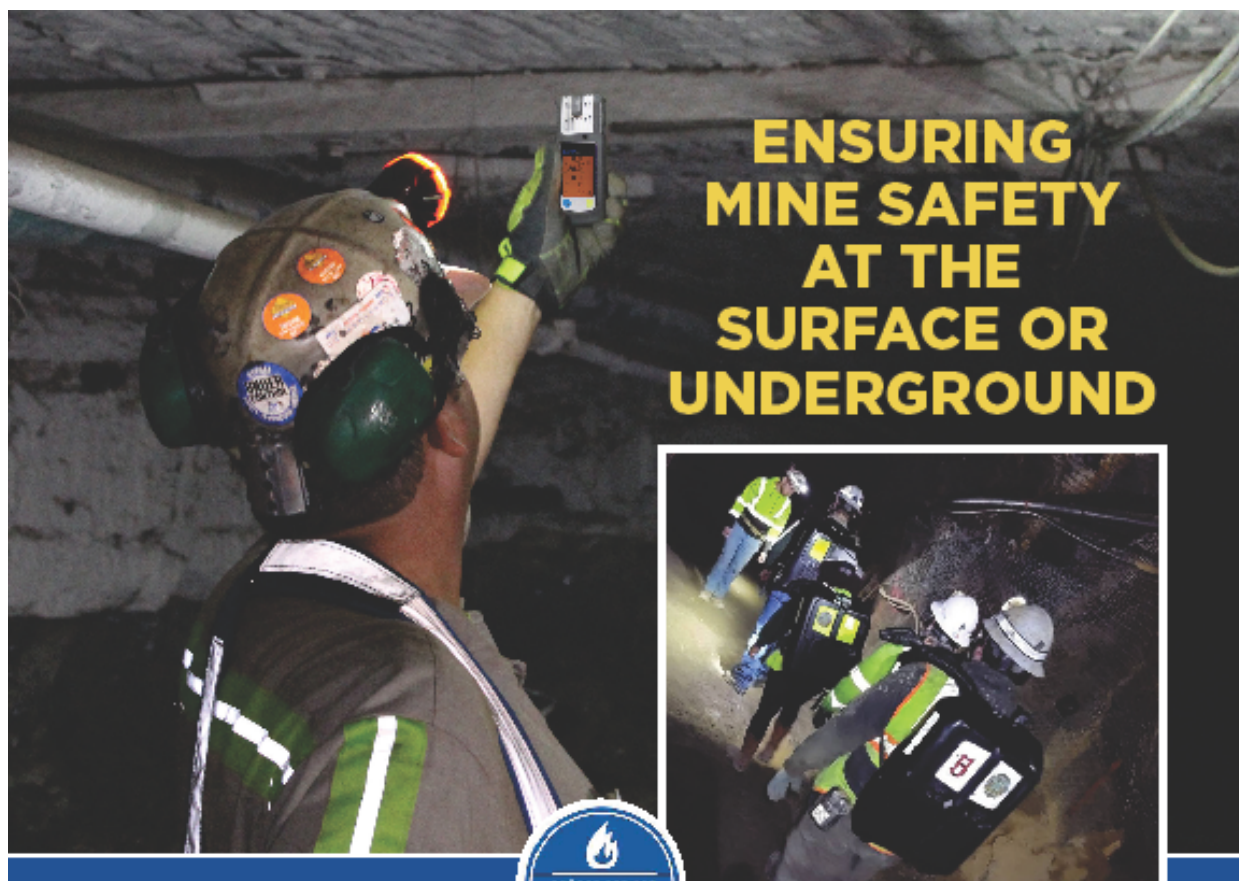


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Thank you to all the volunteers that made this event possible. Whether you designed the t-shirt, bought Diet Coke, judged the teams, watched over lock-up, took pictures, donated money or competed in the contests, it did not go unnoticed! We are grateful for your service and commitment to keeping our mine workers safe.

2025 DATES COMING SOON!



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