



National Mine Rescue, First Aid, Bench and Preshift Competition 2017



Beaver, West Virginia

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To All National Mine Rescue Contest Participants:


Welcome to the 2017 National Mine Rescue, First Aid, Bench and Preshift Contest. As President of the Holmes Mine Rescue Association for the past 3 years, I want to take this opportunity to thank and congratulate each of you for participating in the 2017 National Contest at the National Mine Health and Safety Academy in Beaver, West Virginia. The work you do to stay prepared for a mine emergency is paramount to the safety and possibly survival of our nation's miners should an emergency situation arise. It has been 54 years since the National Contest was held in West Virginia (Charleston WV 1963) and this year the Contest has returned to the heart of coal country where we will enjoy the beautiful scenery of the WV mountains and all that they have to offer.

The National Contest brings mine rescue teams from all across the United States to test their skills against the "best of the best." Competing in the National Mine Rescue Competition is the ultimate way of sharpening the skills of all who participate and it is admirable of the companies that recognize the importance of such training and dedicate their resources to improve the preparedness and capabilities of their teams. Without this support, one can only imagine what might happen if a mine emergency should arise.

This is the first year that the Holmes Mine Rescue Association is sponsoring the National Contest and I would like to thank MSHA and all the State agencies who dedicate their resources to judge and manage the contest, all the exhibitors that dedicate their resources to show the advancements in technology and mine safety equipment, the Executive Steering Committee for all the work, support and funds that they have put in to making this contest a successful event, and most importantly, the families of mine rescue team members that personally sacrifice so much.

The last major disaster in the country occurred not far from here on April 5, 2010, when 29 miners lost their lives at the Upper Big Branch Mine. Approximately 30 mine rescue teams who proved that they are all WINNERS responded and participated in a rescue attempt that lasted more than 4 days. With an apparent decline in teams across the country, we have lost a lot of expertise and resources and the preparedness of the remaining teams is more important than ever. Mine rescue people are the "best of the best;" however, only one team can take the first place trophy home this week but every team and team member willing to lay his life on the line for his fellow miner is indeed a WINNER. Good luck!

Sincerely,


Jim Vicini
President HMRA

2017 National Mine Rescue, First Aid, Bench and Preshift Contest

**National Mine Health and Safety Academy
Beaver, West Virginia
September 11 - 14, 2017**

Activities Schedule for Participants

Sunday, September 10, 2017

10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Bench Participants and First Aid Teams
Check in, Registration Office,
In front of Auditorium

Monday, September 11, 2017

7:00 a.m. Isolation of Bench Participants, Auditorium
Bench Written Exam, Auditorium
Isolation of First Aid Teams C-123, C-121
First Aid Written Exam, C-123, C-121

7:15 a.m. First Aid Captains Briefing, C-123, C-121

8:00 a.m. Bench Contest, in the hallway above the cafeteria
First Aid Contest, C-108, C-110, C-112, C-116, C-118, C-120

1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Mine Rescue Teams check in at Registration Office,
In front of Auditorium

Tuesday, September 12, 2017

7:00 a.m. Isolation of Mine Rescue Teams, Gym
Written Examination, Cafeteria
Video Briefing, F Building Garage Area

7:20 a.m. Captains Briefing, Gym

8:00 a.m. First Day Mine Rescue Competition, Ball Field

Wednesday, September 13, 2017

7:00 a.m.	Isolation of Mine Rescue Teams, Gym
	Written Examination, Cafeteria
	Video Briefing, F Building Garage Area
7:20 a.m.	Captains Briefing, Gym
8:00 a.m.	Second Day Mine Rescue Competition, Ball Field
8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Preshift Contestants – Check in at Registration Office, In front of Auditorium

To accommodate preshift contestants who may be in lock-up beyond 6:00 p.m. the Registration Office will stay open until all contestants have registered.

Thursday, September 14, 2017

7:00 a.m.	Isolation of Preshift Participants, Gym
	Written Exam, Gym
8:00 a.m.	Preshift Contest, Ball Field

Awards Banquet

Banquet will be held at the Beckley-Raleigh County Convention Center (Armory)

6:00 p.m.	Social Hour
7:00 p.m.	Dinner

2015 Champions



Mine Rescue
Alpha Natural Resources
Southern West Virginia Team
Mark Bolen, Captain



Mine Rescue - Day 1 Winner
Drummond Company, Inc. - Shoal Creek Red Team
David Crowe, Captain



Mine Rescue - Day 2 Winner
Alpha Natural Resources
Southern West Virginia Team
Mark Bolen, Captain



Combination
Mine Rescue Services LLC
Southeast KY Team
Fred Shannon, MR Captain
Bryan Lewis, FA Captain



Bench Biopak 240-R
Taber Tichenor
Kentucky Coal Academy
MCC Team



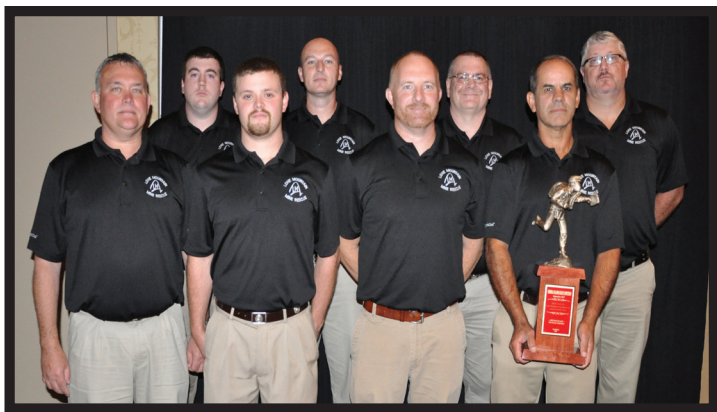
First Aid
Cliffs Natural Resources - Oak Grove
Oak Grove Blue Team
Matt Miller, Captain



Bench BG-4
Tony Lloyd
Revelation Energy LLC



Preshift
Jeff Clark
Alliance Coal Co. - Warrior Coal LLC
Cardinal Team



Mine Rescue
Arch Coal, Inc. - Lone Mountain Pro
Lone Mountain Team
Jimmy Rouse, Captain



Combination
Walter Energy
JWR Blue Creek Team
Ricky Lewis, MR Captain
Joe Tingle, FA Captain



First Aid - Craig Slate, Captain
Walter Energy
JWR Team #4



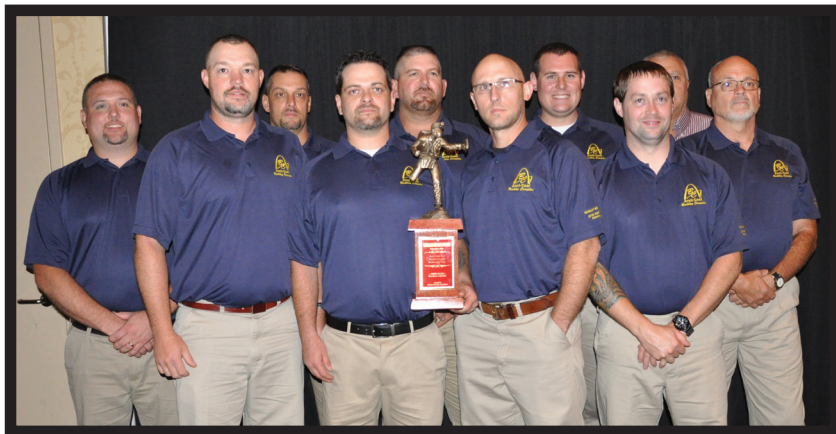
Bench BG-4
Duke Rich
Blue Mountain Energy, Inc.
Deserado Black Team



Bench Biopak 240-R
Barry Rowe
Arch Coal, Inc.
Viper Red Team



Preshift
Jason Grasha
Alpha Natural Resources
Cumberland JC Team



Mine Rescue
Arch Coal, Inc. - Beckley Complex
Beckley Gold Team
Roy Smith, Captain



First Aid - Joe Tingle, Captain
Walter Energy
JWR Blue Creek Team



Combination
Arch Sentinel Complex Team



Bench BG-4
Gary Valusek, Jr.
Alpha Natural Resources
Cumberland RD Team



Bench Biopak 240-R
Matt Garner
White County Coal
Pattiki Mine Rescue Team



Preshift - Mike Moore
Excel Mining LLC
Excel Mine Rescue Team

In Memory Of

James “Muggins” Bennett

James Bennett passed away in July 2017. He was a coal miner and a member of the Mine Rescue Team at Benham Coal Company for several years (late 1970s to early 1980s).

Before his retirement, he worked as a coal miner for Benham International Harvester, was a school bus driver and charter bus driver, and worked at Tri-City Nursing and Rehabilitation.

He was known for his two annual events he hosted in his community for 30 years: the Tri-City Empty Stocking Fund and the Tri-City Easter Egg Hunt. He was the District 3 Constable for 29 years and received various awards and honors for his accomplishments. He was the first recipient of the Tony Turner Leadership Award. He served in the United States Air Force for four years.



Harrison Tyrone ‘Ty’ Coleman

Ty Coleman passed away in August 2017. He had dedicated his life to the safety of miners. After graduating high school in 1978, Ty attended Vivian Mining Academy at Bluefield State College studying mining engineering. He acquired credit through West Virginia University toward mining engineering from 1990-1995. He also received mining engineering credits from the National Mine Health and Safety Academy in Beckley, West Virginia, from 1980-2001.

His mining career involved working as an equipment operator for Low Ash Coal Company in Iaeger, West Virginia; owner and operator of Safety Systems Limited in Premier, West Virginia; mine examiner/fire boss for Virginia Crews Coal Company in Iaeger, West Virginia; an administrator/safety instructor for the West Virginia Office of Miners' Health, Safety and Training in Welch and Charleston, West Virginia; a safety manager and human resources director for Massey Energy; and a human resources manager for Trinity Coal Corporation in Maylene, Alabama.



In Memory Of

Gerald “Jerry” Cook

Jerry Cook passed away in February 2016. He began his career with MSHA in 1978 as an underground coal mine safety and health inspector in the Summersville, West Virginia Field Office. In 1991, he transferred to the Pineville Field Office. In 2003, he moved to District 4 as a health specialist and later became a supervisory coal mine safety and health inspector, before transferring to District 12 in 2011.

He became a member of the National Mine Emergency Unit in 1998. He participated in numerous mine rescues, recoveries, and investigations, including the Sago mine explosion, the Aracoma mine fire, and the Upper Big Branch mine explosion. He worked numerous local mine rescue contests over the years and also worked the National Mine Rescue Contest many times.



Ervin Grimmiett

Ervin Grimmiett passed away in May 2016 from complications associated with coal miners' pneumoconiosis. His mining career began in the low seams of Southwest Virginia working for various contract mine operators. While working for Jewell Smokeless Coal Corporation in 2000, he joined the mine rescue team. During his time on the team he developed a passion for mine rescue and the activities related to his service on the team.

He participated in many mine rescue contests in Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Ohio, and Tennessee. In 2006, he participated in the fire fighting and recovery efforts at Massey's Aracoma Mine in West Virginia. He demonstrated the qualities that are found in many of the dedicated miners that offer their service as the first responders for mining emergencies. He demonstrated concern and compassion for his fellow miners. He also served in the Virginia National Guard for several years as a member of the council.



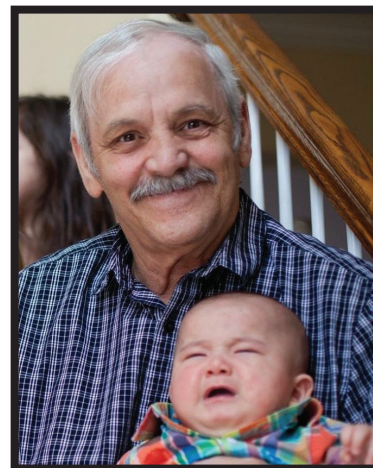
In Memory Of

Hargis Gene Hurt

Hargis Gene Hurt passed away in June 2016. He retired from MSHA and had been actively involved in mine rescue for nine years prior to his retirement. He was an electrical specialist and field office supervisor in District 6 and a field office supervisor and electrical supervisor in District 12.

He went to vocational school to learn mine repair in 1976, then began working for Tesoro in 1977. He worked for several coal companies before joining MSHA.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and retired from the Army Reserve Troop C 100th Division in Hazard, Kentucky.



Timothy Kirkpatrick

Timothy Kirkpatrick passed away in December 2015. He was in the coal mining industry for over 41 years, working at Zeigler #4 Mine, Inland Steel, Kerr-McGee, American Coal, and Foresight Energy. He was a member and past captain of area mine rescue teams and a trainer for fire brigade and mine rescue.

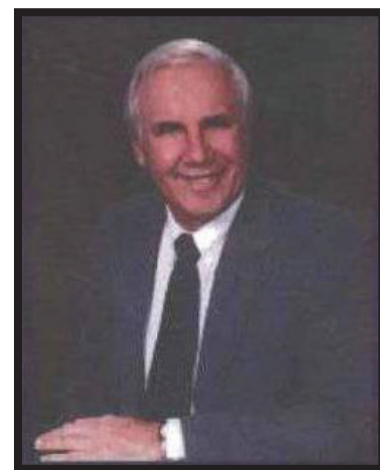
He was a member of the Illinois Mining Institute, member and past president of the Joseph A. Holmes Association, member of the National Mine Rescue Rules Committee, the Illinois Mine Rescue Association, and the Illinois State Mining Board. He was selected for the Illinois Mining Institute "Mining Man of the Year" award.



Douglas Monroe

Doug Monroe passed away in May 2017. Throughout his mining career, he worked to promote safety among his fellow miners. He served as the Captain of the Kentucky State Mine Rescue Team and served as Chief Judge for mine rescue contests for over 20 years drawing problems for contestants to work, assembling judging panels, and building mine rescue fields. In 2000, he received honors for volunteering to be on the very first Kentucky State Mine Rescue Team.

During his career as a mine inspector, he was directly involved in many mine rescue and recovery operations, including a mine fire at Pyro's Wheatcroft Mine, Scotia's Oven Fork Mine, and an explosion on a longwall at Pyro's William Station Mine. He devoted 41 years of his life in the western Kentucky coal fields promoting the health and safety of all coal miners, and endorsing the Mine Rescue Program.



In Memory Of

Jim Poynter

Jim Poynter passed away in December 2016. During his mining career, Jim became a vital member of the mine rescue teams at various coal companies which included International Harvester. It was during these years of service that his dedication to coal mine safety was recognized.

He was a Federal mine inspector, an accident investigator, a field office supervisor, a conference litigation representative, an assistant district manager, a member of Headquarters' audit team, a family liaison at the Upper Big Branch coal mine disaster, and a vital member of MSHA's Mine Emergency Unit where he was deployed throughout the country when a coal mine emergency arose.

He became a key official for the National Mine Rescue Contest, developing and assisting several numerous and often very challenging mine rescue problems which helped various mine rescue teams prepare for actual emergencies. Jim was a special deputy and chaplain for the Letcher County, Kentucky Sheriff's Department. He also served in the United States Army.



James "Al" Schoonover

James Schoonover passed away in December 2015. He received his mine rescue certification in 1987 and participated in many mine rescue and recovery operations during his career in the mining industry. He was a team member and trainer with 28 years of mine rescue experience. He and other team members went underground at the Sago Mine immediately following the explosion in an attempt to rescue the trapped miners.

James attended West Virginia Wesleyan College on a baseball scholarship. He achieved his miner's certification in 1982 and his McCaa training in 1987.



CONTEST HISTORY

Year	Location	Mine Rescue Teams	First Aid Teams	EMT Teams	Bench BG-174-A Participants	Bench BG-4 Participants	Preshift Participants	International Teams
1911	Pittsburgh, PA	4	41	----	----	----	----	----
1914	Terre Haute, IN	8	29	----	----	----	----	----
1915	San Francisco, CA	11	26	----	----	----	----	----
1919	Pittsburgh, PA	24	83	----	----	----	----	----
1920	Denver, CO	20	73	----	----	----	----	----
1921	St. Louis, MO	16	63	----	----	----	----	----
1923	Salt Lake City, UT	21	55	----	----	----	----	----
1925	Springfield, IL	10	55	----	----	----	----	----
1926	San Francisco, CA	14	44	----	----	----	----	----
1927	Pittsburgh, PA	17	47	----	----	----	----	----
1928	Butte, MT	12	45	----	----	----	----	----
1929	Kansas City, MO	9	40	----	----	----	----	----
1930	Louisville, KY	6	48	----	----	----	----	----
1950	Pittsburgh, PA	0	16	----	----	----	----	----
1951	Columbus, OH	14	55	----	----	----	----	----
1953	Fort Wayn, IN	14	47	----	----	----	----	----
1955	Knoxville, TN	9	54	----	----	----	----	----
1957	Louisville, KY	8	49	----	----	----	----	----
1959	Buffalo, NY	9	43	----	----	----	----	----
1961	Charleston, WV	11	43	----	----	----	----	----
1963	Charleston, WV	16	34	----	----	----	----	----
1965	Louisville, KY	14	24	----	----	----	----	----
1967	Louisville, KY	17	17	----	----	----	----	----
1969	Louisville, KY	17	18	----	----	----	----	----
1971	Louisville, KY	16	18	----	----	----	----	----
1973	Louisville, KY	54	17	----	----	----	----	----
1975	Louisville, KY	69	10	----	----	----	----	----
1977	Louisville, KY	74	44	----	----	----	----	----
1979	Louisville, KY	82	31	----	----	----	----	----
1981	Louisville, KY	82	25	----	----	----	----	----
1983	Louisville, KY	103	29	----	----	----	----	----
1985	Louisville, KY	106	28	----	62	----	----	----
1987	Louisville, KY	89	28	----	59	----	----	----
1989	Louisville, KY	90	25	----	63	----	----	----
1991	Louisville, KY	80	18	----	54	----	----	----
1993	Louisville, KY	56	11	----	41	----	----	----
1995	Louisville, KY	53	12	12	45	----	----	----
1997	Louisville, KY	51	9	11	45	----	----	----
1999	Louisville, KY	45	4	10	33	----	----	5
2001	Louisville, KY	38	15	----	37	----	----	----
2003	Louisville, KY	40	17	----	32	12	43	----
2005	Louisville, KY	46	15	----	23	28	58	----

Year	Location	Mine Rescue Teams	First Aid Teams	Bench BG-174-A Participants	Bench BG-4 Participants	Bench Biopak 240-S Participants	Preshift Participants	International Teams
2007	Nashville, TN	57	26	16	46	19	76	----

Year	Location	Mine Rescue Teams	First Aid Teams	Bench BG-4 Participants	Bench Biopak 240-R Participants	Bench Biopak 240-S Participants	Preshift Participants	International Teams
2009	Nashville, TN	89	32	77	15	28	102	----
2011	Columbus, OH	102	44	80	21	22	110	----
2013	Columbus, OH	85	40	83	39	9	124	----
2015	Lexington, KY	65	40	55	43	----	84	----

Contest History 1975-2015

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1975	Mine Rescue – 2 Hour	Union Carbide Corporation Blue Creek Team Clendenin, WV Fitzwater, Captain
1975	Mine Rescue – 1 Hour Chemox	Westmoreland Coal Company Hampton Division Clothier, WV Bob Damron, Captain
1975	Mine Rescue – 2 Hour Non-Coal	Stauffer Company Big Island Mine Stradley, Captain
1975	First Aid	Drakesboro Coal Company Drake No. 3 Mine Drakesboro, KY Tim Mallory & Harold Whitney, Captains
1975	Combination	Pittsburgh and Midway Mining Company Drake No. 3 Mine

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1977	Mine Rescue – 2 Hour	Jewell Smokeless Coal Corporation B Team Vansant, VA Gerald Kendrick, Captain
1977	Mine Rescue – 1 Hour	National Mines Corporation National Pocahontas Team No. 1 Pineville, WV Patrick Graham, Captain
1977	First Aid	Allied Chemical Corporation Shannon Branch Mine Capels, WV Monty Ramella, Captain
1977	Combination	Allied Chemical Corporation Shannon Branch Mine Capels, WV W. S. Fink, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1979	Mine Rescue – 2 Hour	National Mines Corporation National Pocahontas Team Pineville, WV Patrick Graham, Captain
1979	Mine Rescue – 1 Hour	Jewell Ridge Coal Corporation Jewell Ridge Team Jewell Ridge, VA Rick Arms, Captain
1979	First Aid	Dominion Coal Company B Team Vansant, VA Gary Prater, Captain
1979	Combination	Emery Mining Corporation Combination Team Huntington, UT Curtis Steele, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1981	Mine Rescue – 2 Hour	National Mines Corporation National Pocahontas Team Pineville, WV Patrick Graham, Captain
1981	Mine Rescue – 1 Hour	Leeco, Inc. No. 42 Team London, KY D. Johnson, Captain
1981	First Aid	Pyro Mining Company Pyro Team Sturgess, KY D. Travis, Captain
1981	Combination	Emery Mining Corporation B Team Huntington, UT C. Steele and R. Guymon, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1983	Mine Rescue – 2 Hour	Eastern Coal Corporation Eastern/Kentland Team Stone, KY Tony Casebolt, Captain
1983	Mine Rescue – 1 Hour	Leeco, Inc Leslie Team London, KY Patrick Graham, Captain
1983	First Aid	Peabody Coal Company Star-Graham Complex Team Graham, KY Clarence Gillespie, Captain
1983	Combination	Island Creek Coal Company B Team Oakwood, VA McDonald Hagy, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1985	Mine Rescue	Interstate Coal Company, Inc. No. 1 Team London, KY Pearl Farler, Captain
1985	First Aid	Ranger Fuel Corporation Ranger Team Beckley, WV Larry Bane, Captain
1985	Bench	Tom Bochna Emerald Mines Corporation Emerald Mine A Team Waynesburg, PA
1985	Combination	Emery Mining Corporation Combination Team Huntington, UT Gary Christensen & Ray Guymon, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1987	Mine Rescue	Jewell Smokeless Coal Corporation A Team Vansant, VA Elmer VanDyke, Captain
1987	First Aid	Peabody Coal Company Eastern Division Blue Team Graham, KY Clarence Gilesie, Captain
1987	Bench	Malcom Dunbar National Mines Corporation Mathies Coal Co. Pineville, PA
1987	Combination	Peabody Coal Company Eastern Division Blue Team Graham, KY Randy Duncan & Clarence Gilesie, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1989	Mine Rescue	Peabody Coal Company Camp Complex Morganfield, KY Brent Roberts, Captain
1989	First Aid	Peabody Coal Company Blue Team Graham, KY Bill Bullock, Captain
1989	Bench	Paul E. Prince Consolidation Coal Company Buchanan Team Mavisdale, VA
1989	Combination	Peabody Coal Company Walhonde Team Montcoal, WV Harvey Ferrell & Nick Reeves, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1991	Mine Rescue	Interstate Coal Co., Inc. Interstate Rescue Team London, KY Lewis Mills, Captain
1991	First Aid	Jim Walter Resources, Inc. JWR No. 1 Team Brookwood, AL John Aldrich, Captain
1991	Bench	Roger Carpenter Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Federal No. 2 Team Fairview, WV
1991	Combination	Energy West Mining Company Blue Team Huntington, UT Jim Behling, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1993	Mine Rescue	Interstate Coal Company, Inc. Interstate Team London, KY Lewis Mills, Captain
1993	First Aid	Jim Walter Resources, Inc. JWR No. 1 Team Brookwood, AL John Aldrich, Captain
1993	Bench	Eric Gryska Southern Ohio Coal Company Meigs No. 31 Team Athens, OH
1993	Combination	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Harris Team Bald Knob, WV Frank Lusk & Donald Pauley, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1995	Mine Rescue	Island Creek Coal Company B Team Oakwood, VA Lee Blackburn, Captain
1995	First Aid	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Coal River Team Twilight, WV Nick Reeves, Captain
1995	EMT	Mingo Logan Coal Company Mountaineer Mine Team Wharncliffe, WV Donald Walker, Jr., Primary
1995	Bench	Jim Doolin Twentymile Coal Company Twentymile Team Oak Creek, CO
1995	Combination	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Coal River Team Twilight, WV Harvey Ferrell & Nick Reeves, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1997	Mine Rescue	Consol PA Coal Company Bailey Team Graysville, PA Dennis Vicinelly, Captain
1997	First Aid	Energy West Mining Company Silver Team Huntington, UT Gary Christensen, Captain
1997	EMT	Premier Elkhorn Coal Company Team No. 1 Myra, KY David Wilder, Primary
1997	Bench	Roger Carpenter Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Federal No. 2 Team Fairview, WV
1997	Combination	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Coal River Team Seth, WV Harvey Ferrell & Nick Reeves, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
1999	International Mine Rescue	United States National Mine Rescue Team Kenneth A. Murray, Captain
1999	Mine Rescue	Peabody Coal Company Marissa Team Marissa, IL Kerry Daugherty, Captain
1999	First Aid	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV Jackie Repass, Captain
1999	EMT	Lodestar Energy, Inc. B Team Clay, KY Donnie Gatten, Primary
1999	Bench	Steve Gravley Energy West Mining Silver Team Huntington, UT
1999	Combination	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV Harvey Ferrell & Jackie Repass, Captains

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2001	Mine Rescue Final	Consol Energy Enlow Fork Team West Finley, PA Rod Henry, Captain
2001	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Consolidation Coal Company Rend Lake Mine Team Sesser, IL Harrold Gurley, Captain
2001	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	Consol Blacksville No. 2 Mine Team Wana, WV Jim Ponceroff, Captain
2001	First Aid	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Twilight, WV Jackie Repass, Captain

2001	Bench	Joe Myers The American Coal Company Galatia Mine Rescue Team Harrisburg, IL
2001	Combination	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Twilight, WV Harvey Ferrell and Jackie Repass, Captains – David Blankinship, Bench

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2003	Mine Rescue Final	Consol Energy Enlow Fork Team West Finley, PA Rod Henry, Captain
2003	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Federal No. 2 Team Fairview, WV John Sabo, Captain
2003	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	CONSOL Energy Inc. VP-8 Team Oakwood, VA Dennis Perry, Captain
2003	First Aid	Jim Walter Resources First Aid Team #1 Brookwood, AL Dale Johnson, Captain
2003	Bench – BG-174A	David Blankinship Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV
2003	Bench – BG-4	David Stepp Massey Energy Company East Kentucky Team Sidney, KY
2003	Preshift	Mark Gouzd Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Federal No. 2 Team Fairview, WV
2003	Combination	Energy West Mining Silver Team Huntington, UT Gary Christensen, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2005	Mine Rescue Final	Pinnacle Mining Company Pinnacle Team Pineville, WV Richard Crockett, Captain
2005	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Pinnacle Mining Company Pinnacle Team Pineville, WV Richard Crockett, Captain
2005	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	Jim Walters Resources JWR Mine # 4 Team Brookwood, AL Ken Russell, Captain
2005	First Aid	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV Harvey Ferrell, Captain
2005	Bench – BG-174A	Tom Bochna Emerald Coal Resources, L. P. Emerald Mine No. 1 Team Waynesburg, PA
2005	Bench – BG-4	Kyle Blair Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV
2005	Bench – Biopak 240-S	Carlos Bueno San Juan Coal Company San Juan Coal “Black” Team Waterflow, NM
2005	Preshift	Wayne Stafford Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV
2005	Combination	Eastern Associated Coal Corporation Southern Appalachia Team Wharton, WV Harvey Ferrell, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2007	Mine Rescue Final	Peabody Energy Southern Appalachia Operations Wharton, WV Travis Lett, Captain
2007	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Consol Energy Enlow Fork Team West Finley, PA Shawn Dewitt, Captain
2007	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	James River Coal Company Blue Team Big Laurel, KY Jeff Roberts, Captain
2007	First Aid	Eastern Associated Coal LLC Federal No. 2 Team Fairview, WV John Sabo, Captain
2007	Bench – BG-174A	Gene Menozzi Consol PA Coal Company Bailey Team Wind Ridge, PA
2007	Bench – BG-4	Chuck Harvey Peabody Energy Twentymile Coal Co #2 Team Oak Creek, CO
2007	Bench – Biopak 240-S	Troy Grogan San Juan Coal Company San Juan Coal Company Team # 2 Waterflow, NM
2007	Preshift	Jeff Clark KenAmerican Resources, Inc. Paradise Mine Team Central City, KY
2007	Combination	Peabody Energy Southern Appalachia Operations Wharton, WV Travis Lett, Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2009	Mine Rescue Final	Warrior Coal, LLC Cardinal Team Madisonville, KY Kevin Vaughn, Captain
2009	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	McElroy Coal Company, Consol Energy McElroy Mine Cameron, WV Kelvin Jolly, Captain
2009	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	Consol of PA Enlow Fork Mine “Green Team” West Finley, PA Shawn Dewitt, Captain
2009	First Aid	Patriot Coal Corp. Magnum Team Madison, WV Travis Lett, Captain
2009	Bench – BG-4	Mark Beauchamp Peabody Energy Twentymile Coal Co Oak Creek, CO
2009	Bench – Biopak 240-R	Brandon Tackett ICG Knott County, LLC White Team Kite, KY
2009	Bench – Biopak 240-S	Don Messel Gibson County Coal, LLC. Gibson County Rescue Rhino’s Princeton, IN
2009	Preshift	Mark Gouzd Eastern Associated Coal, LLC Federal No. 2 Fairview, WV
2009	Combination	Warrior Coal, LLC Cardinal Team Madisonville, KY Kevin Vaughn, MR Captain Jerry Hedgepath, FA Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2011	Mine Rescue Final	Alpha Natural Resources Black Mountain White Team Benham, KY Philip Muncy, Captain
2011	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Webster County Coal Dotiki Nebo, KY Jan Chambliss, Captain
2011	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	Patriot Coal Magnum Madison, WV Travis Lett, Captain
2011	First Aid	TECO Coal Corporation TECO Coal Team Corbin, KY David Wilder, Captain
2011	Bench – BG-4	Daniel Bragg Kingston Resources, Inc. Kingston – White Scarbro, WV
2011	Bench – Biopak 240-R	Patrick Gomez KY Coal Academy MCC Team Madisonville, KY
2011	Bench – Biopak 240-S	Dwight Baker Patriot Coal Co. Bluegrass Mine Rescue Team Henderson, KY
2011	Preshift	David Shackleford Arch Coal – Lone Mountain Processing, Inc. Lone Mountain Team St. Charles, VA
2011	Combination	Patriot Coal Magnum Madison, WV Travis Lett, MR Captain Britt Crouse, FA Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2013	Mine Rescue Final	Cliffs Natural Resources Pinnacle Mining Co. Pinnacle Blue Pineville, WV Chad Lester, Captain
2013	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Cliffs Natural Resources Pinnacle Mining Co. Pinnacle Blue Pineville, WV Chad Lester - Captain
2013	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	Cliffs Natural Resources Pinnacle Mining Co. Pinnacle Blue Pineville, WV Chad Lester - Captain
2013	First Aid	Walter Energy Jim Walter Resources Blue Creek Team Brookwood, AL Joe Tingle, Captain
2013	Bench – BG-4	Scottie Cagle Walter Energy Inc. North River Mine Team Berry, AL
2013	Bench – Biopak 240-R	Shane Meadows Vactren Fuels Black Panther Mining LLC 5 Star Team Oaktown, IN
2013	Bench – Biopak 240-S	Ty Odle Arch Coal Inc. Mountain Coal Company West Elk Red Team Somerset, CO
2013	Preshift	Corey Prettyman Energy West Mining Company Energy West Silver Team Huntington, UT
2013	Combination	Walter Energy Jim Walter Resources Blue Creek Team Brookwood, AL Ricky Lewis, MR Captain Joe Tingle, FA Captain

Year	Contest	1ST Place Trophy
2015	Mine Rescue Final	Alpha Natural Resources Southern West Virginia Team Whitesville, WV Mark Bolen, Captain
2015	Mine Rescue – Tuesday Preliminary	Drummond Company Inc. Shoal Creek Red Team Jasper, AL David Crowe, Captain
2015	Mine Rescue – Wednesday Preliminary	Alpha Natural Resources Southern West Virginia Team Whitesville, WV Mark Bolen, Captain
2015	First Aid	Cliffs Natural Resources – Oak Grove Res Oak Grove Blue Team Hueytown, AL Matt Miller, Captain
2015	Bench – BG-4	Tony Lloyd Revelation Energy LLC Cumberland, KY
2015	Bench – Biopak 240-R	Tabor Tichenor KY Coal Academy MCC Team Madisonville, KY
2015	Preshift	Jeff Clark Alliance Coal Co. – Warrior Coal LLC Cardinal Team Madisonville, KY
2015	Combination	Mine Rescue Services LLC Southeast KY Team Corbin, KY Fred L. Shannon – MR Captain Bryan Lewis – FA Captain

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Trophy
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First Aid Trophy

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Mine Rescue Trophy

Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Office of Mines and Minerals

BIOPAK 240-R Trophy

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Preshift Trophy

Kentucky Office of Mine Safety and Licensing

Bench BG-4 Trophy

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Mine Rescue Trophy

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Enlow Fork Gold **Claysville, PA**

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Gary Bolyard	Matt Hagedorn
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Skyline White Team **Price, UT**

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Lone Mountain Team **St. Charles, VA**

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Michael Sloan	John Rutherford
Michael Bennett	Josh McKnight
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Buchanan Minerals

Buchanan Black Team **Oakwood, VA**

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John Ball
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Scott Van Curen	Jim Cagar
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Juan Villarreal	Damion Wood
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Dustin Donovan – Patient

Eric Popham

Mountain Coal Company

West Elk Red **Somerset, CO**

Bill Mazutis – Captain
Darren Dworsky – Patient

Randy Polson

Pat Matheson – Captain
Lorenzo Campos – Patient

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Twenty Mile #2 **Oak Creek, CO**

Danny Green – Captain
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Lively Grove Mine **Marissa, IL**

Loretta Fondaw – Captain
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Marcus Tso

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Johnny Riley

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James Skidmore – Captain
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Corey Bingermer – Patient

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Marcus Arnold – Captain
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Dotiki ***Clay, KY***

Snapper Gobin – Captain
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San Juan Mine ***Waterflow, NM***

Ivan Benally – Captain
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Theron Yazzie – Captain
Brian Huddleston – Patient

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Enlow Fork Green **Claysville, PA**
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Harvey Blue Team **Sycamore, PA**
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Cumberland RD **Waynesburg, PA**
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Canyon Fuel, LLC – Sufco Mine

Sufco Black **Salina, UT**
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Leer Mine Blue Team **Grafton, WV**
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Southern WV Team #1 **Naoma, WV**
Adam Sipes – Captain Brian Jarrell
Jimmy Stanley – Patient

Arch Coal

Beckley Gold **Eccles, WV**
Robert Hartford – Captain Joe Thompson
Daniel Clay – Patient

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Josh Warner – Captain Travis Williams
Danny Bismark – Patient

Blackhawk Mining

WV Division **Wharton, WV**
Chris Meade – Captain Eric Fowler
Seth Portter – Patient

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Federal No. 2 Team **Fairview, WV**
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Wes Fortner – Patient

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Mountain Laurel **Sharples, WV**
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Ohio County Coal **Dallas, WV**
Tyler Hughes – Captain Derek Ennis
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