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

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

Mine Rescue - Day 2 Winner
Alpha Natural Resources
Southern West Virginia Team
Mark Bolen, 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 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 Laeger, West Virginia; owner and operator of Safety Systems Limited in Premier, West Virginia; mine examiner/fire boss for Virginia Crews Coal Company in Laeger, 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 Grimmett

Ervin Grimmett 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, 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

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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 |
| 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  
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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 |
| 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 |
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Eastern/Kentland Team  
Stone, KY  
Tony Casebolt, Captain |
|      | Mine Rescue – 1 Hour | Leeco, Inc  
Leslie Team  
London, KY  
Patrick Graham, Captain |
|      | First Aid         | Peabody Coal Company  
Star-Graham Complex Team  
Graham, KY  
Clarence Gillespie, Captain |
|      | Combination       | Island Creek Coal Company  
B Team  
Oakwood, VA  
McDonald Hagy, Captain |
| 1985 | Mine Rescue       | Interstate Coal Company, Inc.  
No. 1 Team  
London, KY  
Pearl Farler, Captain |
|      | First Aid         | Ranger Fuel Corporation  
Ranger Team  
Beckley, WV  
Larry Bane, Captain |
|      | Bench             | Tom Bochna  
Emerald Mines Corporation  
Emerald Mine A Team  
Waynesburg, PA |
|      | Combination       | Emery Mining Corporation  
Combination Team  
Huntington, UT  
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A Team  
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Elmer VanDyke, Captain                                                                 |
| 1987 | First Aid    | Peabody Coal Company  
Eastern Division Blue Team  
Graham, KY  
Clarence Gilespie, 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 Gilespie, Captains                                                                 |

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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  
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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 |
| 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  
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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 |
| 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  
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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                                          |
| 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                                                              |
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Galatia Mine Rescue Team  
Harrisburg, IL                                                   |
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– David Blankinship, Bench |

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West Finley, PA  
Rod Henry, Captain                                                   |
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Federal No. 2 Team  
Fairview, WV  
John Sabo, Captain                                                   |
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  
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Cardinal Team  
Madisonville, KY  
Kevin Vaughn, Captain |
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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  
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| 2009 | Combination                  | Warrior Coal, LLC  
Cardinal Team  
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Phoenix First Response
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Strata Worldwide
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WV State Council of Holmes Safety Association
Major Awards and Donors

MINE RESCUE

First Place
Secretary of Labor Medallion
Mine Safety and Health Administration

Trophy
Komatsu Mining

Traveling Trophy
National Mine Rescue Association

Second Place

Trophy
Phoenix First Response

Third Place

Trophy
Matrix Design Group

Day One
First Place
Matrix Design Group

Day Two
First Place

Trophy
Jennmar
COMBINATION

First Place
Secretary of Labor Medallion
Mine Safety and Health Administration

Trophy
Kennametal, Inc.

Second Place
Trophy
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety

Third Place
Trophy
CSE Corporation

FIRST AID

First Place
Secretary of Labor Medallion
Mine Safety and Health Administration

Trophy
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety

Second Place
Trophy
United Central Industrial Supply

Third Place
Trophy
West Virginia Coal Association
BENCH – BG4-A

First Place
Secretary of Labor Medallion
Mine Safety and Health Administration
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BENCH – BIOPAK 240-R

First Place
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Biomarine, Inc.

Second Place
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Trophy
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PRESHIFT

First Place
Secretary of Labor Medallion
Mine Safety and Health Administration

Trophy
J. H. Fletcher & Company

Second Place

Trophy
Industrial Scientific

Third Place

Trophy
Strata Worldwide

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Kentucky Coal Association
West Virginia Coal Association
State Awards
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Alabama Department of Industrial Relations
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Colorado Division of Minerals and Geology
First Aid Trophy
Bench BG-4 Trophy
Preshift Trophy
Mine Rescue Trophy

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BIOPAK 240-R Trophy
Mine Rescue Trophy

Indiana Bureau of Mines
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Mine Rescue Trophy
Preshift Trophy

Kentucky Office of Mine Safety and Licensing
Bench BG-4 Trophy
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Ohio Division of Natural Resources Management

Mine Rescue Trophy

Pennsylvania Bureau of Mine Safety

Bench BG-4 Trophy
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Utah Office of Coal Mine Safety

Mine Rescue Trophy

Virginia Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, Division of Mines

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ALABAMA

Bevill State Community College

State of Alabama – Green Team. ................................................ Sumiton, AL
Eric Edge – Mine Rescue Captain          Eddie Sides
Nathan Diffley                           Kevin Paulson
Tim Bailey                               James Saunders
Matt Miller – First Aid Captain          P. R. Jones
Keri Bester

Drummond Company, Inc.

Shoal Creek – Red Team. ........................................................ Jasper, AL
David Crowe – Mine Rescue Captain        Mike Schmitt
David Gillespie                          Daniel Piper – First Aid Captain
Kevin Garrett                           Ronnie Parker
Jesse Williams                           Ricky McGuire

Warrior Met Coal

WMC Mine #7 ............................................................. Brookwood, AL
Adam Hallman – Mine Rescue Captain and First Aid Captain
Chuck Garrison                          Jerrod McDonald
Dylan Ellenberg                         Steve Sanderson
Mike Shuman                              Cameron Hogg
Chance Willis

COLORADO

Blue Mountain Energy, Inc.

Deserado “Black” ........................................................... Rangely, CO
Karl Davies – Mine Rescue Captain          Eric Popham
Jared Winkler – First Aid Captain         Dustin Donovan
Rusty Barnes                              Chris Walkingshaw
Duke Rich                                 Josh Davies – First Aid Captain

Mountain Coal Company

West Elk Red .............................................................. Somerset, CO
Pat Matheson – Mine Rescue Captain and First Aid Captain
Jeff Curtis                               Rigoberto Sanchez
Lorenzo Campos                           Randy Polson
Darren Dworsky                            Ty Odle
Levi McCarty                             Bill Mazutis – First Aid Captain

Peabody Energy

Twenty Mile #2 ......................................................... Oak Creek, CO
Brian Spears – Mine Rescue Captain        Danny Green – First Aid Captain
David Silver                             Danny Bouwens
Beau Becker                               Chad Day
Patrick Hering                            Jon Bobbera
Chris McDivitt                            Chris Cusenza
ILLINOIS

Prairie State Generating Company
Lively Grove Mine ............................................................. Marissa, IL
Marcus Tso – Mine Rescue Captain  Raul Guillermo
Mike Alms  Dan Meier
Loretta Fondaw – First Aid Captain  Jake Montgomery
Dan Wiedwilt  Travis Schaffer

INDIANA

Gibson South Mine
Gibson County Rescue Rino’s................................................ Owensville, IN
Matt Pringle – Mine Rescue Captain  Mick Montcalm
Kurtis Williamson  Adam Harvey – First Aid Captain
Adam Dilbeck  Blake Young
Aaron Hartzburge  Cody Robinson
Johnathon Wirth  Zach Brown

KENTUCKY

Alden Resource, LLC
Alden Resources Team........................................................ Corbin, KY
Fred Shannon – Mine Rescue Captain  Bryan Lewis – First Aid Captain
Shannon Jones  Travis Truett
Johnny Riley  Rick Thomas
Nick Shannon  George Adams

River View Coal, LLC
River View Team ............................................................ Waverly, KY
Mike Emery – Mine Rescue Captain  Jerry Hedgepath – First Aid Captain
Jeff Bradford  Nathan Logsdon
Corey Bingemer  Kevin Vaughn
Tanner Griffin  Nick Capeheart
Danny Lovell

Warrior Coal
Cardinal ............................................................... Madisonville, KY
James Menser – Mine Rescue Captain  Megan Rosa
Marcus Arnold – First Aid Captain  Austin Kurtz
Chad Greenlee  Todd Watson
Dewitt Roden  Jesse Young Madman

Webster County Coal, LLC
Dotiki.......................................................................... Clay, KY
Larry Chambliss – Mine Rescue Captain  Jerold Adams
David Howell  Clay Dumber
David Ferguson  Jason Ellis
Eric Cruce  Bruce Taylor
Snapper Gobin – First Aid Captain  Chris Gunn
NEW MEXICO

Westmoreland Coal Company
San Juan Mine ............................................................ Waterflow, NM
  Mike Harjala – Mine Rescue Captain   Lucas Serna
  Theron Yazzie – First Aid Captain    Brian Huddleston
  Adam Zamora                          Ivan Benally – First Aid Captain
  Brian Dechee

PENNSYLVANIA

CNX Coal Resources LP
Bailey Blue ............................................................ Wind Ridge, PA
  Brandon Tennant – Mine Rescue Captain  Josh Sypolt
  Matt Cunningham                       Cody Rogers – First Aid Captain
  Tony Torboli                           Kerry Neal
  Josh Bogard                           Zach Scott

CNX Coal Resources LP
Bailey White ............................................................ Wind Ridge, PA
  Jayson Merigo – Mine Rescue Captain   Chuck Sochor
  Bryan Hryniewich – First Aid Captain  Brandan Mullins
  Mike Corley                           Eric Hackney
  Nick Black

CNXC Enlow Fork Mine
Enlow Fork Green ........................................................ Claysville, PA
  Kevin Williamson – Mine Rescue Captain Nick Thorn
  Eric Cha                               Curt Hoffman
  James Wolfe                            George Maxwell
  Nate Huff                              Bradford Robertson – First Aid Captain

CNXC Resources – Harvey Mine
Harvey Blue Team ........................................................ Sycamore, PA
  John Helmick – Mine Rescue Captain     Ryan Nichols – First Aid Captain
  Jake Tarley                            Greg Hickman
  Robert Basco                           Mark Bell
  Jeremy Gribble                         Jerred Naugle

CNXC Resources – Harvey Mine
Harvey Grey Team ........................................................ Sycamore, PA
  Jason Burchick – Mine Rescue Captain   Brandon Sienkiel
  Tim Janosko                            Austin Ponceroff
  Robbie Dehaas                          Paul Hannah
  Robert Heath                           Brad Emehiezer – First Aid Captain

Cumberland Contura, LLC
Cumberland JC ............................................................ Waynesburg, PA
  David Rice, Jr. – Mine Rescue Captain  Jason Layhue – First Aid Captain
  Brian Jamison                          Ryan Giles
  Bryan Pechatsko                        Rob Hutchison, Jr.
  Mike Swartz                            Robert Lehman
  Chris Lewis                            Bruce Plaski
**Cumberland Contura, LLC**

**Cumberland RD** .......................................................... Waynesburg, PA

Brett Balabon – Mine Rescue Captain
Almon Tressler
Gary Valvsek, Jr.
Ross Myers
Paul Kaiser

Gary Valvsek, Sr.
Lee Kozich
Justin Corso
Ray Barone – First Aid Captain
Nate Miller

**UTAH**

**Canyon Fuel, LLC – Sufco Mine**

**Sufco Black** ............................................................... Salina, UT

Thayn Larsen – Mine Rescue Captain
Shane Mickelsen
Mike Taylor
Clint Roberts – First Aid Captain

David Roberts
Travis Avery
Doug Brown
Mark Ivie

**WEST VIRGINIA**

**ACI Tygart Valley/Leer Mine**

**Leer Mine Blue Team.** .................................................. Grafton, WV

Mark Sharver – Mine Rescue Captain
Chris Mercure
Chase Knight
Brian Wachob

Ryan Carpenter – First Aid Captain
Marty Conrad
Travis Lang
Cheston Weese

**Alpha Natural Resources**

**Southern WV Team #1** ............................................... Naoma, WV

Mark Bolen – Mine Rescue Captain
Grason Cox
Brian Jarrell
Mike Alexander
Shane McPherson

Adam Sipes – First Aid Captain
Dave Green
Kelton Cozart
Jimmy Stanley

**Arch Coal**

**Beckley Gold** ........................................................... Eccles, WV

Jonah Clark – Mine Rescue Captain
Ken Craddock
Brian Peters
Robert Hartford – First Aid Captain

Wes Moore
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Daniel Clay
Joe Thompson

**Arch Coal, Inc.**

**Sentinel Mine Complex** ............................................. Philippi, WV

George Brooks – Mine Rescue Captain
Derrick Bodkins
Danny Bismark
Thad Snodgrass

Josh Warner – First Aid Captain
Chris Chisolm
Travis Williams
Ronnie Bodkins
Blackhawk Mining

**WV Division** ................................................................. **Wharton, WV**
- Daniel Hudson – Mine Rescue Captain
- Eric Fowler
- Pat Estes
- Andrew Precepio
- Chris Meade – First Aid Captain
- Gary Stewart
- Seth Porter
- Charles Hudson

ERP Compliant Fuels

**Federal No. 2 Team** .......................................................... **Fairview, WV**
- Justin Scott – Mine Rescue Captain
- Maverick Myers – First Aid Captain
- Zach Shaffer
- Brian Howard
- Heath Park
- Bert Matheney
- Rob Mulvihill
- Curtis Davis
- Mike Stuckey
- Dan Curry

Greenbrier Minerals, LLC

**Central Appalachian Mine Rescue** ................................**Man, WV**
- Pat White – Mine Rescue Captain
- Derrick Sizemore
- Rodney Blankenship
- Jimmy Kiser
- Wes Fortner
- Robet New
- Allen Lardieri – First Aid Captain
- John Quick

Mingo Logan Coal Company

**Mountain Laurel** ............................................................ **Sharples, WV**
- Gary Richardson – Mine Rescue Captain
- Dave Vickers – First Aid Captain
- Scott Tomblin
- Mike Ball
- Ricky Frankum
- Colton Cook
- Johnny Hatfield
- Jeremy Thompson
- Chris Stacy
- Josh Jackson

Ohio County Coal Mine

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- Rob Keely – Mine Rescue Captain
- Troy Chanze
- Tyler Hughes – First Aid Captain
- Derek Ennis
- Jeff Rine
- Cliff Arbogast
- Brian Harper
- Sean Lake
- Matt DeVore

WYOMING

Bridger Coal Company

**Bridger Blue** ................................................................. **Point of Rocks, WY**
- Rowdy Randall – Mine Rescue Captain and First Aid Captain
- Carlos Duran
- Juan Villarreal – First Aid Captain
- Eric Price
- Ray Guerrero
- Shane Brett
- Damion Wood

Bridger Coal Company

**Bridger Red** ................................................................. **Point of Rocks, WY**
- Scott Jensen – Mine Rescue Captain and First Aid Captain
- Kory Potter
- Andrew Jones
- Richard Tijerina
- Jason Wease
- Ted Kalista – First Aid Captain
- Roman Juarez
Mine Rescue

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Scot Jordan Zack Johnson
Mike Atkins Terry Yancey
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Alan Setzer – Captain Terry Kelley
Justin Eyer Scott Cherry
Barry Rowe Josh Hoffert
Tom Carver Andrew Marion
Tyler Simmering

Foresight Energy, LLC
Foresight South Red Team ................................................... Macedonia, IL
Ben Daily – Captain Mark Lloyd
Steve Murray Jesse Parsley
Tim Norman Girolamo Intravaia

Foresight Energy – Shay No. 1 Mine
Blue Team ................................................................. Carlinville, IL
Matt Szabo – Captain Justin Adams
Drew Mason Paul Perrine
Ben Spangler Matt Ozee
Jim Beechler Justin Adams

Hamilton County Coal, LLC
Hamilton County Coal ........................................................ Dahlaren, IL
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Francisco Mine ............................................................ Francisco, IN
  Mike Hillyard – Captain  Justin Johnson
  Tim Hutton  Don Moeller
  Mike Martinez  Dave Wampler
  Andy Stilwell  John Schwartze

KENTUCKY

Alden Resource, LLC

Alden Resources Team........................................................ Corbin, KY
  Fred Shannon – Captain  Bryan Lewis
  Shannon Jones  Travis Truett
  Johnny Riley  Rick Thomas
  Nick Shannon  George Adams

Blackhawk Mining, LLC

Kentucky Team .............................................................. Hazard, KY
  Jeff Roberts – Captain  Tim Smith
  Matt Sumner  Jimmy Combs
  Brian Williams  Chad Samons
  Owen Pennington  Donnie Coleman
  Jeremy Sullivan  Patrick Schoolcraft

Excel Mining, LLC

Excel Mine Rescue .......................................................... Pikeville, KY
  Kevin Bentley – Captain  Gabe Smith
  Troy Swain  Michael Moore
  Kenneth Estep  Jason Dotson
  Kevin Droz  Brendon Watkins

Kentucky Division of Mine Safety

Harlan Team .................................................................. Harlan, KY
  Todd Middleton – Captain  Dustin Clem
  John Dixon  Bill Allen
  Mike Thomas  Earnie Hawkins
  Roger Boggs  Mike Partin
  Joey Morgan  Jim Owens

Kentucky Coal Academy

MCC Team ............................................................. Madisonville, KY
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**Bailey White** .............................................................. Wind Ridge, PA

Jayson Merigo – Captain
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Chuck Sochor
Brandan Mullins
Eric Hackney

**CNXC Enlow Fork Mine**

**Enlow Fork Gold** ........................................................... Claysville, PA

Brandon Dorsey – Captain
Greg Thorn
Josh Clark
Gary Bolyard
Gaven Verbosky

Todd DeWitt
Ivan Shoplak
Brian Brottish
Matt Hagedorm

**CNXC Enlow Fork Mine**

**Enlow Fork Green** ........................................................... Claysville, PA

Kevin Williamson – Captain
Eric Cha
James Wolfe
Nate Huff

Nick Thorn
Curt Hoffman
George Maxwell
Bradford Robertson

**CNXC Resources – Harvey Mine**

**Harvey Blue Team** .......................................................... Sycamore, PA

John Helmick – Captain
Jake Tarley
Robert Basco
Jeremy Gribble

Ryan Nichols
Greg Hickman
Mark Bell
Jerred Naugle

**CNXC Resources – Harvey Mine**

**Harvey Grey Team**.......................................................... Sycamore, PA

Jason Burchick – Captain
Tim Janosko
Robbie Dehaas
Robert Heath

Brandon Sienkiel
Austin Ponceroff
Paul Hannah
Brad Emehiezer

**Cumberland Contura, LLC**

**Cumberland JC** .............................................................. Waynesburg, PA

David Rice, Jr. – Captain
Brian Jamison
Bryan Pechatsko
Mike Swartz
Chris Lewis

Jason Layhue
Ryan Giles
Rob Hutchison, Jr.
Robert Lehman
Bruce Plaski

**Cumberland Contura, LLC**

**Cumberland RD** .............................................................. Waynesburg, PA

Brett Balabon – Captain
Almon Tressler
Gary Valvsek, Jr.
Ross Myers
Paul Kaiser

Gary Valvsek, Sr.
Lee Kozich
Justin Corso
Ray Barone
Nate Miller
UTAH

Bowie Resources, Skyline Mine

Skyline White Team  ......................................................... Price, UT

Ryan Johnson – Captain  Josh Tyhurst
Justin Sinclair  Troy Reese
Dustin Montoya  Mike Harper
Anthony Skinner  Cody Saint

Canyon Fuel, LLC – Sufco Mine

Sufco Black  ............................................................... Salina, UT

Thayn Larsen – Captain  David Roberts
Shane Mickelsen  Travis Avery
Mike Taylor  Doug Brown
Clint Roberts  Mark Ivie

VIRGINIA

Arch Coal – Lone Mountain Processing, LLC

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

Jimmy Rouse – Captain  Derek White
Michael Sloan  John Rutherford
Michael Bennett  Josh McKnight
Joe Eldridge  Brad Damron

Buchanan Minerals

Buchanan Black Team  ................................................... Oakwood, VA

Jimmie Houck – Captain  Matt Sutherland
Keith Ratliff  Rockie Meadows
Rex Penn  Shaun Bailey
Frankie Mcclanahan

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Buchanan Red Team  ......................................................... Oakwood, VA

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Kenny Richardson  Doug Meadows
Joey Musick  Andrew Moore
Jackie Dillon

Contura Energy

Paramont Contura Mine Rescue Team  ................................ Wise, VA

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Shawn Stansberry  Tony Vance
Robby Middleton  Brian Keith
Kevin Yeary  Ronnie Biggerstaff
Brad Hawkins
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**Virginia Mine Rescue** ................................................... Big Stone Gap, VA

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Spencer Lee Rusty Ward
Sidney Crabtree Ken Johnson
Andy Sawyers Chris Whitt

**Wellmore Energy Company**

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Chris Turner Justin Keen
Bill Slone Bill Carroll
Terry McClenehan William Dillon
Todd Ward Jonathan Berger

WEST VIRGINIA

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**Leer Mine Blue Team**. ......................................................... Grafton, WV

Mark Sharver – Captain Ryan Carpenter
Chris Mercure Marty Conrad
Chase Knight Travis Lang
Brian Wachob Cheston Weese

**Alpha Natural Resources**

**Southern WV Team #1**. ......................................................... Naoma, WV

Mark Bolen – Captain Dave Green
Grason Cox Kelton Cozart
Brian Jarrell Jimmy Stanley
Mike Alexander Adam Sipes
Shane McPherson

**Alpha Natural Resources**

**Southern WV Team #2**. ......................................................... Naoma, WV

Paul Adkins – Captain Scotty Kinder
Clinton Craddock John Ball
Greg Fernett Mark Rinchich
Steve Miller

**Arch Coal**

**Beckley Gold** .............................................................. Eccles, WV

Jonah Clark – Captain Wes Moore
Ken Craddock Jon Legg
Brian Peters Daniel Clay
Robert Hartford Joe Thompson
Arch Coal, Inc.

Sentinel Mine Complex ................................................................. Philippi, WV
George Brooks – Captain ................................................. Josh Warner
Derrick Bodkins ................................................................. Chris Chisolm
Danny Bismark .................................................................. Travis Williams
Thad Snodgrass ................................................................... Ronnie Bodkins

Blackhawk Mining

WV Division ................................................................................. Wharton, WV
Daniel Hudson – Captain ..................................................... Chris Meade
Eric Fowler ............................................................................. Gary Stewart
Pat Estes .................................................................................. Seth Porter
Andrew Precepio ..................................................................... Charles Hudson

ERP Compliant Fuels

Federal No. 2 Team ................................................................. Fairview, WV
Justin Scott – Captain ........................................................... Bert Matheney
Maverick Myers ..................................................................... Rob Mulvihill
Zach Shaffer ............................................................................. Curtis Davis
Brian Howard ........................................................................... Mike Stuckey
Heath Park ................................................................................ Dan Curry

Greenbrier Minerals, LLC

Central Appalachian Mine Rescue ............................................. Man, WV
Pat White – Captain .............................................................. Wes Fortner
Derrick Sizemore .................................................................... Robet New
Rodney Blankenship .............................................................. Allen Lardieri
Jimmy Kiser .............................................................................. John Quick

Mettiki Coal WV, LLC

Mettiki Team #1 ................................................................. Davis, WV
Kevin White – Captain .......................................................... Adam Wilfong
Chad Baker .............................................................................. Matt Mercure
Brennon Marsh ....................................................................... Scott Rinker
Dusty Sisler ............................................................................ Henry Allen Johnson

Mingo Logan Coal Company

Mountain Laurel ................................................................. Sharples, WV
Gary Richardson – Captain ................................................... Colton Cook
Dave Vickers ............................................................................ Johnny Hatfield
Scott Tomblin ........................................................................... Jeremy Thompson
Mike Ball .................................................................................. Chris Stacy
Ricky Frankum .......................................................................... Josh Jackson

Nicholas Contura, LLC

Nicholas Contura Mine Rescue Team ....................................... Drennen, WV
Anthony Frame – Captain ....................................................... Greg Baker
Jamie Bess ................................................................................. William Robinson
Danny Crislip ........................................................................... James Law
James Richardson ................................................................. Bill Kell
Ohio County Coal Mine
Ohio County Coal ............................................................. Dallas, WV
Rob Keely – Captain Cliff Arbogast
Troy Chanze Brian Harper
Tyler Hughes Sean Lake
Derek Ennis Matt DeVore
Jeff Rine

Pocahontas Coal Company
Pocahontas Mine Rescue ..................................................... Beckley, WV
Brandon Smith – Captain Troy Hill
David Kidd Kevin Burnette
Josh Canaday Don Varney
Anthony Harvey

Tunnel Ridge
Tunnel Ridge ............................................................ Triadelphia, WV
Jason Miles – Captain Jake Nelson
Richard Castle Drew Irwin
Scott Van Curen Jim Cagar
Mike Robinson Jim Lathem
Heath Wood

WYOMING

Bridger Coal Company
Bridger Blue .......................................................... Point of Rocks, WY
Rowdy Randall – Captain Ray Guerrero
Carlos Duran Shane Brett
Juan Villarreal Damion Wood
Eric Price

Bridger Coal Company
Bridger Red .......................................................... Point of Rocks, WY
Scott Jensen – Captain Jason Wease
Kory Potter Ted Kalista
Andrew Jones Roman Juarez
Richard Tijerina
First Aid

ALABAMA

Bevill State Community College
State of Alabama – Green Team. Sumiton, AL
Matt Miller – Captain  Tim Bailey
Kevin Paulson – Patient

Drummond Company, Inc.
Shoal Creek – Red Team. Jasper, AL
Daniel Piper – Captain  Kevin Garrett
Jesse Williams – Patient

Warrior Met Coal
WMC Mine #7. Brookwood, AL
Adam Hallman – Captain  Steve Sanderson
Chance Willis – Patient

COLORADO

Blue Mountain Energy, Inc.
Deserado “Black” Rangely, CO
Jared Winkler – Captain  Karl Davies
Chris Walkingshaw – Patient
Josh Davies – Captain  Eric Popham
Dustin Donovan – Patient

Mountain Coal Company
West Elk Red Somerset, CO
Bill Mazutis – Captain  Randy Polson
Darren Dworsky – Patient
Pat Matheson – Captain  Jeff Curtis
Lorenzo Campos – Patient

Peabody Energy
Twenty Mile #2 Oak Creek, CO
Danny Green – Captain  Brian Spears
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ILLINOIS

Prairie State Generating Company
Lively Grove Mine Marissa, IL
Loretta Fondaw – Captain  Marcus Tso
Travis Schaffer – Patient
INDIANA

Gibson South Mine
Gibson County Rescue Rino’s ................................................ Owensville, IN
Adam Harvey – Captain Johnathon Wirth
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KENTUCKY

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Webster County Coal, LLC
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NEW MEXICO

Westmoreland Coal Company
San Juan Mine ................................................................. Waterflow, NM
Ivan Benally – Captain Mike Harjala
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PENNSYLVANIA

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**UTAH**

**Canyon Fuel, LLC – Sufco Mine**

**Sufco Black** .......................................................... Salina, UT
Clint Roberts – Captain  
Thayn Larsen – Patient

**WEST VIRGINIA**

**ACI Tygart Valley/Leer Mine**

**Leer Mine Blue Team** ......................................................... Grafton, WV
Ryan Carpenter – Captain  
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**Alpha Natural Resources**

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Adam Sipes – Captain  
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Arch Coal
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Robert Hartford – Captain          Joe Thompson
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Sentinel Mine Complex ..................... Philippi, WV
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Scot Jordan

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- Joey Martinez
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- Jason Wease
- Roman Juarez
- Kory Potter
Bench Biopak 240-R

ILLINOIS

Arch Coal
Viper Red ............................................................... Williamsville, IL
   Josh Hoffert
   Barry Rowe

Foresight Energy, LLC
Foresight South Red Team ................................................ Macedonia, IL
   Scott Lefler
   Brandon Tackett

Hamilton County Coal, LLC
Hamilton County Coal ................................................... Dahlaren, IL
   Kory Naas

Peabody
Wildcat Hills Mine ...................................................... Equality, IL
   Tyler Hudgens
   Jamie Anderson

Peabody Gateway North Mining, LLC
Gateway North Mine ..................................................... Coulterville, IL
   Craig Hawkins

Prairie State Generating Company
Lively Grove Mine ....................................................... Marissa, IL
   Dan Meier
   Raul Guillermo

Sunrise Coal Company
Sunrise Coal Mine Rescue ................................................ Oaktown, IL
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  Jake Nelson
Preshift

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Sunrise Coal Mine Rescue .................................................... Oaktown, IL
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