

Dear SkillsUSA Advisor, (SkillsUSA 2018-2019 #5)

Item #1: Action Item! - Regional Planning Meetings/Competition Dates

If you have students interested in participating in SkillsUSA Maryland regional competitions and are not in contact with your region's coordinator you must contact the coordinator by **Wednesday, November 7, 2018**. Failure to contact regional coordinator by 11/7/18 will jeopardize your student's eligibility to participate. Thanks for your prompt attention to this important request. To aid in regional competition planning, visit the following web link to access the SkillsUSA Maryland regional map and program of work

– <http://mdskillsusa.org/regionals.html>

Here is the list of host schools, dates and coordinators for 2019 regional competitions:

Region 1 (Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico, Worcester) – regional competition date is **2/20/19**, Dorchester CTC, Dorchester County, contact Charlene Zinnel for additional information and to confirm participation - zinnelc@dcpsmd.org / 410-901-6950

Region 2 (Baltimore, Carroll, Cecil, Harford, Howard) – regional competition date is **2/9/19**, Carroll County CTC, contact Tim Norwood for additional information and to confirm participation - tanorwo@carrollk12.org / 410-751-3669

Region 3 (Anne Arundel, Baltimore City) – regional competition date is **2/2/19** (2/9/19 snow date), CATS, Contact Chris Doering for additional information and to confirm participation – cdoering@aacps.org / 410-956-5900 ext. 312

Region 4 (Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's) – regional competition date is **2/9/19**, Dr. James A. Forrest CTC, St. Mary's County. Contact Bonnie Skinner for additional information and to confirm participation - bjskinner@smcps.org / 301-475-0242 ext. 28201

Region 5 (Montgomery, Prince George's) – regional competition date is **2/13/19**, Thomas Edison HS of Technology, Montgomery County, contact Karen Wilson for additional information and to confirm participation - Karen_V_Wilson@mcpsmd.org / 240-740-2000

Region 6 (Allegany, Frederick, Garrett, Washington) – regional competition date is **2/2/19**, Allegany CTE, Allegany County, contact Tom Krukowsky for additional information and to confirm participation - tom.krukowsky@acpsmd.org / 301-729-6486

Item #2: Safe Travels to Fall Leadership Conference

The state officer team, board of directors and I are looking forward to another fantastic SkillsUSA Maryland Fall Leadership Conference, Thursday-Friday, November 1-2, 2018. Be

sure to review important conference information in preparation for the conference at the following web link: http://mdskillsusa.org/fall_conference.html

See you in Ocean City!

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