

2023 PHCC Apprentice Contest Itinerary - HVACR

Please note: **Times & Locations are subject to change.**

Tuesday, October 24, 2023

Time: **4:30-5:30 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Contestant Orientation – Meet your committee members and attend NIBCO seminar
Notes: You will receive tools that will need to be charged overnight.
The evening/dinner is on your own

Wednesday, October 25, 2023

Time: **8:00-5:00 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Apprentice Contests, Day 1
Committee has flexibility to extend day, if needed.
Notes: Wear logoed sponsor shirt if you received 2 shirts and Work Shoes

Time: **11:45-12:30 PM (required)**
Event: Lunch in Contest Area

Time: **5:30-6:30 PM (optional)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: CONNECT 2023 Opening Reception
Notes: Guests are permitted to attend.

Time: **6:30-8:30 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Room 26AB
Event: Apprentice Contest Dinner
Notes: Guests are permitted to attend.

Thursday, October 26, 2023

Time: **8:00-9:00 AM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Grand Ballroom AB
Event: Bradford White Opening Breakfast
Notes: Guests are permitted to attend.

Time: **9:00-12:00 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Apprentice Contest, Day 2
Notes: Wear logoed sponsor shirt and Work Shoes

Time: **12:00-3:00 PM (optional)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Lunch and Product and Technology Showcase (Tradeshow)
Notes: Guests are permitted to attend.
You (and your guest) may get lunch on the Trade Show Floor (lunch ends at 1pm)
1:00-3:00 PM is available for HVACR contestants to complete their events.

Time: **3:00-4:00 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Apprentice Contest, Day 2
Notes: Apprentices Return to Contest site to meet with committee, judges and opportunity for photographs.

Time: **4:00-4:45 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Apprentice Contest, Day 2
Notes: Apprentices begin teardown of Contest site and prepare to pack up and dispose of contest materials.
The evening/dinner is on your own.

Friday, October 27, 2023

Time: **7:30-9:30 AM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Exhibit Hall C
Event: Apprentice Contest Post-Contest Review and Teardown
Notes: No breakfast provided. You will get dirty. Wear Work Gloves

Time: **9:45-11:15 AM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Room 20
Event: PHCC Educational Foundation Apprentice Training Seminar

Time: **12:15-2:00 PM (required)**
Location: Huntington Convention Center - Grand Ballroom C
Event: PHCC Awards Luncheon
Notes: Business Casual (no hats, please!)
Guests are invited. You are permitted to leave at the conclusion of the Awards Luncheon.

Important Note: Contestants are required to participate in all activities above unless they are listed as optional. Contestants who do not participate in all required activities will not finish among the top three and will be ineligible for the prize packages. In addition, contestants who fail to participate in all required activities may be billed for their expenses by their sponsoring organizations and the PHCC Educational Foundation and will forfeit their sponsorships.

Please be sure to **make your own hotel accommodations**. Airfare or auto expenses, shipping of tools, and all other expenses would need to be paid by you/your sponsor up front. After the event and pending receipt of necessary paperwork, The PHCC EF will provide a blanket reimbursement at a flat rate of \$1,600.