

APPENDIX H - CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND DEADLINES

Overview

January

- 9 Autodesk Workshop
- 10 Kick-off
- 20 Team profiles and logos due

February

- 18 Chairman's Award submissions due
- 24 Shipping deadline for teams competing in any Regional event
- 27 Shipping deadline for teams going to the National only

March

- 5-7 Southwest Regional
- 10 Shipping deadline for teams going from the Southwest Regional to the National
- 12-14 Motorola Midwest Regional
New England Regional
- 17 Shipping deadline for teams going from the Midwest or New England Regionals to the National
- 19-21 Johnson & Johnson Mid-Atlantic Regional
Great Lakes Regional
- 24 Shipping deadline for teams going from the Mid-Atlantic or Great Lakes Regionals to the National

April

- 2-4 National Championship

May

- 21 Completed Team surveys due at FIRST

Hotel Cut Offs:

Southwest Regional:

Nassau Bay Hilton 2/17/98
 Holiday Inn 2/17/98
 Ramada Inn 2/16/98

Motorola Midwest Regional:

Holiday Inn 2/18/98
 Embassy Suites Hotel 2/25/98
 Hampton Inn 2/25/98

New England Regional:

Ctr of NH 2/18/98
 Sheraton - Four Points 2/18/98
 Susse Chalet 2/18/98

Johnson & Johnson Mid-Atlantic Reg.:

Somerset Marriott 2/25/98
 Somerset Holiday Inn 2/18/98
 Clarion Hotel 2/18/98

Great Lakes Regional:

Ypsilanti Marriott 3/4/98
 Holiday Inn - North 2/25/98
 Days Inn, Ann Arbor 2/25/98

National Championship:

All Hotels 2/12/98

Team logos.....5:00 pm, Tuesday, 1/20/98 at FIRST
 Team Profiles.....5:00 pm, Tuesday, 1/20/98 at FIRST
 Autodesk Award Submission.....5:00 pm, Monday 3/16/98 at Autodesk
 Chairman's Award Submission.....5:00 pm, Friday, 2/18/98 at FIRST

Ship Robots

Teams competing in the National Championship only must ship by 5:00pm, Friday, 2/27/98.

Teams competing in a Regional must ship to the drayage/storage facility of their first competition by 5:00 pm, Tuesday, 2/24/98.

For teams going on to the National Championship...

If you are competing in this Regional... ..then must be out of team hands by this date at 5:00 p.m.

Southwest Regional..... Tuesday, March 10, 1998
 Motorola Midwest Regional..... Tuesday, March 17, 1998
 New England Regional..... Tuesday, March 17, 1998
 Johnson & Johnson Mid-Atlantic Regional..... Tuesday, March 24, 1998
 Great Lakes Regional..... Tuesday, March 24, 1998

Complete details on drayage for robots can be found in Appendix I.

Send Team Profiles, Team Logos and
Chairman's Award submission to:

FIRST
200 Bedford Street
Manchester, NH 03101

Send Animation Award Submission to:

Autodesk, Inc.
Marketing Support Team-Image Archives
111 McInnis Parkway
San Rafael, CA 94903
Attn: FIRST JUDGES AWARD

Event Attendees

Two weeks before each event, we need to get an estimate from you of how many people will be attending from your team. The deadlines are as follows:

Southwest Regional.....Friday, February 20, 1998
Motorola Midwest Regional.....Friday, February 27, 1998
New England Regional.....Friday, February 27, 1998
Johnson & Johnson Mid-Atlantic Regional.....Friday, March 6, 1998
Great Lakes Regional.....Friday, March 6, 1998
National Championship.....Friday, March 20, 1998

