

# AREA 5 SPRING LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE INFORMATION February 16, 2024-February 17, 2024

DO NOT ARRIVE AT Bill R Johnson CTE Center BEFORE 4:30 pm!
ALL STUDENTS must remain at the North Crowley High School
Auditorium until the Business Session has concluded.

**Conference Site:** Bill R Johnson CTE Center

4500 Longhorn Trail Crowley, TX 76036

General Sessions Site: North Crowley High School Auditorium

9100 S. Hulen St, Crowley, TX 76123

 Opening:
 February 16, 2024 @ 1:45 pm

 Business:
 February 16, 2024 @ 3:15 pm

 Closing:
 February 17, 2024 @ 1:30 pm

Parking Information: Bill R Johnson CTE Center

Conference

**Registration Deadline:** January 29, 2024

Midnight CST of the stated conference registration deadline is the final deadline. Chapters will be responsible for registration fees for all members/chaperones/advisors in the conference management system after the final deadline.

Conference

**Registration Link:** <a href="https://apps.hosa.org/">https://apps.hosa.org/</a>

**Conference Fees:** 

Advisors, Students, & Chaperones: \$35:00

If paying Conference Registration Fees by school check, include your chapter number on the check and mail to:

Texas HOSA
P.O. Box 1710
Monahans, Texas 79756
New W-9 Form to share with your bookkeeper W-9

If paying by Credit Card, email <u>delvin.thurman@texashosa.org</u>

Student to Advisor/Chaperone ratio: 10:1 Be sure your students are adequately chaperoned.

**Advisor Assignment:** Texas HOSA's Competitive Event Program could not be a success without the support from the Advisors. Please click here to sign up for your advisor assignment.

**Courtesy Corp:** All those registered for or willing to volunteer for Courtesy Corps should report with their advisor at the "ON-SITE CHECK IN" to receive their assignment. Each chapter may register 2 students for Courtesy Corp. Courtesy Corps is a designation of HOSA Members who are called upon to assist in the implementation of an assigned Competitive Event(s) at the Texas HOSA Area Spring Leadership Conference.

**Voting Delegates:** Each chapter may register 2 voting delegates. Voting delegates must attend the business session. Members of HOSA, TA shall be represented through their duly selected delegates from their respective chapters. Each voting delegate shall be entitled to one vote; a voting delegate must be registered, present, and sit in the Designated area during the business session meeting to cast a vote.

## Digital Upload Deadline and Instructions:

January 29, 2024 is the deadline for any event requiring an upload Click HERE to see events

**Competitor Orientation Sheets:** Refer to the Competitor Orientation Sheet for upload details and penalties.

**Tentative Conference Schedule Link- Click Here** 

Officer Candidate Holiday Inn Express & Suites

Interviews: 13250 Jake Ct. Burleson, TX 76028

Room: TBD

February 16, 2024 @ 8:00 am

All officer applications & forms must be uploaded on or before the Conference Registration

Deadline

https://texashosa.formstack.com/forms/texas\_hosa\_officer\_application

#### All officer candidates must be registered for the conference.

**IEP Events:** Four (4) events in the HOSA Competitive Event Program are designed for students classified with an IEP.

The events are Interviewing Skills, Personal Care, Life Support Skills, and Speaking Skills

Participation Eligibility: To participate in these four events, the competitor MUST be classified under the provision of the 2004 reauthorized Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

Students classified under Section 504 are NOT eligible to compete in this event. IEP

Verification and Accommodation: This <u>form</u> must be completed by all competitors in these four (4) events to be eligible for Spring Leadership Conference events.

This form also allows the competitor to request accommodation. To learn the definition of an accommodation, please read Appendix H.

#### On-Site Check-in:

North Crowley High School Foyer 9100 S. Hulen St, Crowley, TX 76123 February 16, 2024 12:00- 1:30 pm

Medical Liability and Code of Conduct Forms: Please have all attendees complete the following forms prior to arriving at the conference. Paper copies will not be accepted.

- Students: Medical Liability, Photo Released & Code of Conduct Verification Form
- Advisor/Chaperone: <u>HOSA Advisor/Chaperone Code of Ethics</u>

#### Forms to turn in at on-site check in:

- \*No Show/Substitution Form
- Verification form

Only Advisors and Courtesy Corp are allowed in the Bill R Johnson CTE Center Arena for Onsite Check-in.

Students will be admitted at 1:30 pm. Students who need to use the restroom should exit the building as soon as possible.

#### Social:

Bill R Johnson CTE Center Cafeteria February 16, 2024 @ 7:00 pm Photo Booth and build your own bracelet to trade.

#### **HOSA Service Project Event:**

"Be The Match"
Bill R Johnson CTE Center Cafeteria
February 16, 2024 @7:00 pm
Selling – Classic Wristbands and Keychains

Meals: Advisors/Chaperones: Meals are available in Advisor Hospitality

**Concessions:** Boxed sandwiches, snacks and drinks will be available for purchase in the

cafeteria

Friday: 5:00- 9:00 pm Saturday: No concessions

#### **Conference Hotel:**

There is no longer an area conference hotel block with a Texas HOSA group rate. HOSA Chapter Advisors will be responsible for reserving hotel accommodations at the hotel of their choice.

Click HERE for a list of hotels near the conference site

Schools are exempt from the 6% state tax if a tax-exempt form is submitted by check-in.

It is HIGHLY recommended that no swimming is allowed without a lifeguard present.

### **Important Reminders:**

- 1. **DO NOT** arrive at the school for competition before 4:30 pm on Friday
- 2. **ALL** conference attendees should enter the school through the front doors for competition

- 3. All those registered for or willing to volunteer for Courtesy Corps should report to "onsite check in" with their advisor for assignments
- 4. For on-site assistance and directions, look for the HOSA Student Ambassadors in the Lime Green shirts.
- 5. Remind students to review the Competitor Orientation Sheet for their event prior to the conference. There will be no event orientation given at the conference. Orientation Sheets can be found on the <u>Texas HOSA website</u>.

#### **Contact Information:**

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