

Schedule for the day - October 25, 2014

All teams are encouraged to setup and take the qualifying test on Friday October 24, 2014 from 5pm ~ 8pm

Time	RoboParade	Essay Contest
08:30 am	Team Check-in begins; set up team tables; PCA judge registration begins.	
09:00 am	Qualifying Test (By Appointment ONLY). Teams are encouraged to help other teams.	
9:50 am	Parade team introduction (1 minute is given for each team) – Prof. Ken Cook, LTU Qualifying Test is done concurrently.	
10:30 ~	Qualifying Test is done concurrently. Teams are encouraged to help other teams.	Essay Contest in 2 Levels
11:30 am	Qualifying Test Continues. Teams are encouraged to help other teams.	
12:00 pm	Lunch Break. <i>No outside food allowed in the Venue space.</i>	
12:50 pm	Announcements by Emcee - Prof. Ken Cook, LTU PCA judge registration ends.	
12:55 pm	National Anthem – Sandra Lauer, LTU Alumn	
1:00 pm	Opening Remarks by Valerie Corbett, Program Coordinator, Engineering & Advanced Technology, Macomb Community College	
1:03 pm	Remarks by Dennis Howie, LTU Vice President	
1:06 pm	Remarks by Major General, Amy S. Courter, CAP/USAFX	
1:10 pm	Start the official parade 1. Registered PCA judges are invited to get a Closer View of the Robots while Making their Selection for People's Choice Award.	
1:40 pm	Parade teams may fix robots. Teams are encouraged to help other teams!!!!	Essay Judges to submit list of winners by 2pm
2:30 pm	Start the official parade 2. Registered PCA judges are invited to get a Closer View of the Robots while Making their Selection for People's Choice Award.	
2:50 pm	Special Halloween RoboParade in the Fog! A safe water-based fog machine will be used.	
3:00 pm	End of the RoboParades; Turn off robots and leave them on the track for group photos at 3:20pm; PCA judging ends at 3:00pm.	
3:20 pm	Recognition of coaches and students, award of participation trophies and official group pictures	
3:30 pm	Closing and Award ceremonies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Announcement of Raffle Winners • Announcement of Essay Contest Winners – Dr. Melinda Weinstein, and LTU students; Best Essays will be read. • Announcement of PCA winners • Announcement of Helping Hands Awards 	

PCA: People's Choice Award