



## 2026 SCHOOL BUS DRIVER INTERNATIONAL SAFETY COMPETITION

June 27-28, 2026 – Austin, TX

### PUBLIC SCHEDULE

Austin Marriott Downtown: 304 E Cesar Chavez St, Austin, TX 78701

Hays CISD: 2385 High Road, Umland, TX 78640-4745



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Date	Start	End	Description	Function Space
<b>June 27, 2026 - SATURDAY</b>				
6/27/2026	12:00 PM	12:45 PM	<b>Safety Competition Judge Registration</b> <i>Pick up your Badge and Breakfast/Lunch Tickets</i>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo PreFunction - Level 5
	12:45 PM	2:00 PM	<b>Judges Shirts – Sponsored by: IC Bus</b> <b>Safety Competition Judge Orientation</b> <i>Pick up your Badge and Breakfast/Lunch Tickets</i>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo Salon 1-2 - Level 5
	1:00 PM	2:15 PM	<b>Safety Competition Driver Registration</b> <i>Pick up your Badge and Breakfast/Lunch Tickets</i> <b>Lanyards - Sponsored by:</b> <b>Contestants' Shirts – Sponsored by: RWR - Keystone</b> <b>Contestants' Backpack - Sponsored by:</b> <b>Committee &amp; Staff Polo Shirts – Sponsored by:</b> <b>Baseball Caps – Sponsored by: First Light Safety Products</b> <b>Water Bottles – Sponsored by: Safe Fleet</b> <b>Safety Competition Pins – Sponsored by: Downtime Subrogation</b>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo PreFunction - Level 5
	2:30 PM	4:30 PM	<b>Safety Competition Driver Orientation &amp; Knowledge Test</b> <b>Knowledge Test Tablets provided by: Beacon Mobility</b> <b>Digital Knowledge Test created and developed by: Bumper-to-Bumper CDL</b>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo Salon 1-2 - Level 5
			<i>Dinner on your own</i>	
<b>June 28, 2026 - SUNDAY</b>				
6/28/2026	5:30 AM	11:00 AM	<b>Shuttles begin to depart from Hotel to Safety Competition</b> <i>Judges' shuttle bus departs at 6:00 AM (CT) First Driver - Contestant shuttle bus departs at 6:30 AM (CT)</i> <i>Spectators - Buses will be available every 30 minutes from 7:00 AM to 11 AM</i>	Brazos St. outside San Jacinto Center
	6:30 AM	10:30 AM	<b>Breakfast and Coffee in the event area (Food Truck)</b> <i>Extra meal tickets available for purchase onsite</i> <b>Sponsored by:</b>	Hays CISD – Central Transportation Facility
	8:00 AM		<b>SAFETY COMPETITION BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 8:00 AM (CT)</b> <i>Spectators are limited to Rest Rooms, Food Trucks, and Spectator area - please respect the competition.</i> <b>Entry Flags - Sponsored by: School Bus Fleet</b>	Hays CISD – Central Transportation Facility
	11:00 AM		<b>Shuttles begin to depart from Safety Competition for the Hotel</b> <i>Shuttles leave every 30 minutes, from 11 AM until the end of competition</i>	Hays CISD – Central Transportation Facility
	11:00 AM	1:30 PM	<b>BBQ Lunch in the event area (Food Truck)</b> <i>Extra meal tickets available for purchase onsite</i>	Hays CISD – Central Transportation Facility
	11:00 AM	1:30 PM	<b>Cool off with a Sweet Treat (Ice Cream Truck)</b> <i>Extra dessert tickets available for purchase onsite</i> <b>Sponsored by: SafeGuard/IMMI</b>	Hays CISD – Central Transportation Facility
	4:00 PM	6:00 PM	<b>Registration / Check-In for Dinner Guests (guests only)</b>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo PreFunction - Level 5
	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	<b>Safety Competition Driver Photos and Presentation of Certificates (Driver - Contestants Only)</b> <i>This is when Drivers receive their competition certificates.</i>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo Salon 4 - Level 5
	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	<b>Safety Competition Reception</b> <i>Hors D'oeuvres and Refreshments</i> <i>Soft drinks available. Beer &amp; Wine - available for purchase during this time.</i> <i>All drivers, judges, and registered attendees are welcome to attend.</i>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo PreFunction - Level 5
6:00 PM	8:30 PM	<b>Safety Competition Awards Banquet</b> <b>Sponsored by: IC Bus</b> <i>All drivers, judges, and registered attendees are welcome to attend.</i>	Austin Marriott Downtown Waterloo Salon 1-3 - Level 5	

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