

# EMS Cadet's Hands –On Competition

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

All proceeds will go to support the EMS Cadets and the High School First Responders.

EMS Cadets will have complete judging and management authority with regard to the contest, including the authority to appoint judges for the contest.

The two-part contest to win a Toyota vehicle begins at 8:00am Thursday April 1, 2010 (MT) and continues until 5:00pm (MT) on Sunday, June 27, 2010.

How to enter: Beginning Thursday April 1, 2010 and ending on Sunday, June 13, 2010 at midnight (MT) potential contestants may purchase a ticket for a chance to be a contestant in the Hands-On Competition. Twenty potential contestants and 5 alternates will be chosen from that pool of ticket holders to participate in the Hands-On Competition. The Hands-On Competition begins at 10:00am ( MT) on Friday, June 25, 2010 in the Tech Centre at Evergreen Park, Grande Prairie AB and continues until there is only 1 person standing or 5:00pm (MT) on Sunday, June 27, 2010 whichever comes first. The prize vehicle in the Hands-On Competition is a Toyota Matrix XR Sport Package with Navigation. Value \$30,324.00.

The 5 alternates' names will be notified in advance to their order. The first alternate drawn will be given alternate #1; the second alternate drawn will be given alternate #2 and so on. If a contestant does not sign in at the designated spot by 09:00 am on June 25, 2010 or does not meet requirements then the contestant will be disqualified and an alternate will receive entrance into the competition, bringing the Hands-on Competition contestants to the maximum of 20 contestants. The Alternative contestant must sign in at the designated spot by 09:00 am on June 25, 2010 and must meet all requirements or they will be disqualified. Alternate number 1 will be given the first chance to participate if one of the winning contestants either does not meet requirements or is late, alternate number two will be given the second chance and so on.

In the event that enough tickets are not sold the EMS Cadet's reserve the right to postpone the Hands-On Competition to a later date. The Competition will be held starting June 25, 2010 or after the selling of 4000 tickets which ever is latter. 8000 tickets are available to be sold. The purchasing of a ticket does not guarantee entrance into the competition.

The EMS Cadets are not responsible for website technical difficulties, telephone service outages, delays, busy signals and any other technological difficulties that may prevent an individual from completing his/her ticket purchase.

The EMS Cadets will not be held responsible for any loss of wages, caused directly or indirectly, due the competition.

This contest may involve "reward-challenges" as determined by the judges. These challenges may result in the elimination of one or more contestants.

Ticket purchasers/ contestants must be at least 16 years of age with a valid Canadian Driver's License by June 25, 2010 to participate in the Hands-on Competition. All participating registered ticket purchasers/contestants must be present and produce a valid Canadian driver's license (and picture ID if no picture on the driver's license). Finalists (participating contestants) must be present at the contest location before 10:00am (MT) on June 25, 2010. If there is a substitution with the ticket holder **both** the registered ticket holder and the substituted participating contestant must be in attendance with their Canadian Driver Licenses prior to 10:00 am on June 25, 2010. Those who are not present forfeit any claim to participate and will be disqualified. Doors will open at 9:00 am (MT).

Finalists participating in the contest will be positioned around the prize vehicle, at random, at the judges' discretion. Each contestant's placement will be the permanent location for each contestant, for the duration of the contest. Participating contestants hand must be continuously in physical contact with the vehicle's surface and on the pad

provided at all times (excluding sanctioned breaks) twenty-four (24) hours per day, for the duration of the contest. "Physical contact" means that the contestant's hand must be in touch with the prize vehicle. "Contestant's hand" means the contestant's palm, fingers, fingertips, or any combination of said hand parts. The hand's area can be described as the point between the fingertip and the point where the palm and wrist meet. If a participating contestant does not maintain continuous contact with the vehicle as stated above, for any cause or reason whatsoever, including reward challenges, that participating contestant will be immediately disqualified.

During the Hands-on Contest, hands must be visible and on the provided sensory placed on the prize vehicle surface at all times. The determination of the Hands-On Contest judges will be final on all issues related to the location of hands on prize vehicle.

Contestants may not lean against prize vehicle, sit or kneel on or beside the prize vehicle. Contestants are to stay standing, unless a medical condition dictates otherwise (see rule #11). This is to the judges' discretion. Contestants are not permitted to move from their designated area, as stated above. Only the contestant's hand may rest on the prize vehicle. A foot stool will be permitted for resting one (1) foot on at a time.

In the event of an emergency, in the Hands-On Competition judges' sole discretion, the Hands-On Competition judges may call a time out without penalty to any contestant. At this time contestants may remove their hands from the vehicle, but may not leave the contest area without permission from the Hands-On Competition judges. The time out period will last until the Hands-On Competition judges make the decision that the Hands-On Competition may continue. In the event that the area in which the contest is being conducted must be evacuated, the contest may be postponed until such time as authorities deem it safe to return to the building. The contest will then resume until its regularly scheduled completion, except that the sponsor may, at its option, either hold a drawing for those contestants who remained eligible to win at the time of the building evacuation or restart the Hands-On Competition for an appropriate period of time with those contestants who remained eligible to win at the time of the building evacuation.

Each participating contestant will be responsible for acquiring his or her own food and beverages for consumption. Contestants are permitted to receive food from family during their designated breaks only.

Each contestant may bring no other personal property to the contest except the following: One (1) blanket, one (1) change of clothes, one (1) small footstool (15 cm width, 30 cm length, 30 cm height are maximum dimensions) and one (1) set of toiletries. Once the contest has begun, no additional personal property will be permitted. The contestant shall be solely responsible for the safekeeping of his or her personal property. Sponsors and their affiliates will not be responsible for the safekeeping of any contestant's personal property.

The last person remaining with their hand on the sensor pad that is in place on the prize vehicle will win it. Should more than one eligible contestant remain in contact with the vehicle at the end of the contest, the winner will be determined by a random reverse drawing. Hands-On Contest judges will collect the remaining contestants' lanyards (with the contestants' numbers) and place them in individual envelopes.

The envelopes will be placed in a container for a reverse drawing. Hands-On Contest judges will select an envelope and pull out the lanyard. The contestant corresponding to the number on the selected lanyard will be eliminated. This will continue until one envelope remains. The contestant corresponding to this lanyard will be deemed winner.

A representative of the EMS Cadets will determine the logistics of delivery of the prize to the winner.

The EMS Cadets reserve the right to reject, at any time, any entry or any contestant whom it finds to be ineligible to participate. Determinations of eligibility will be made without regard to a contestant's disability, handicap, race, sex, religion, marital status, sexual orientation, national origin, age, veteran status or special disabled veteran status.

If any finalist is unable or unwilling to participate for any reason whatsoever, such finalist will be disqualified.

Prize winner is solely responsible for all taxes related to the prize vehicle, including, without limitation, all license, title, vehicle registration, and transfer fees.

The following guidelines are made a part of these rules and regulations and must be adhered to by all participating contestants. Failure to comply with any of these guidelines may result in immediate disqualification.

1. There will be no smoking at any location within the building in which the contest is being conducted. No tobacco products permitted.
2. No consumption of alcoholic beverages will be permitted.
3. Consumption of food (including candy, snacks and gum) is permitted only during the 15 minute designated breaks. Water is the only beverage permitted for consumption by contestants when their hands are on the vehicle.
4. Electronic devices with head phones, reading materials etc. will be permitted but are not allowed to rest on the vehicle, interfere or offend other contestants. If so you may be asked to put the device or other objects or materials away.
5. No strong or foul smelling substances, including any form of body perfume or hair spray will be allowed.
6. No indecent exposure will be permitted.
7. The Hands- On Judges will call one fifteen-minute break every three hours for all participating contestants. Any contestant not back to his/her assigned spot before the fifteen-minute break is over will be disqualified.
8. No negotiations or collaboration pertaining to the prize vehicle among participating contestants will ever be permitted, nor may any contestant promote any business, individual or sponsor.
9. No taunting, name calling, jeering or any other offensive language or harassment of anyone, at any time, by participating contestant or their associates will be tolerated and may be grounds for disqualification.
10. In the event of an emergency of any kind, 911 will be called.
11. Each disabled contestant must notify the EMS Cadet's of the nature and scope of his or her disability, and of any limitations or restrictions on his or her ability to participate in the Hands-On Contest prior to the start of the Hands-On Contest. EMS Cadet's will reasonably accommodate disabled contestants; however, the Hands-On Contest judges, in their sole discretion, may disqualify any contestant if a contestant's continued participation in the Hands-On Contest appears likely to affect the contestant's health or safety.
12. The contestants must keep themselves and their space clean, sanitary and orderly at all times.
13. Contest officials reserve the right, at any time during the contest, to require a change of clothes for any participating contestant.
14. Visitation with participating contestants by any family or associates will be permitted. Contest judges shall determine the times when contestant coaches shall be permitted to remain in the vicinity of the contest area.
15. A spouse or a support person, one "coach" will be allowed within the contest area upon the Judges discretion.
16. Contestants will have no physical contact with anyone while participating in the contest in the contest area. No passing of food or beverages may take place with anyone outside of the contest area.

17. Participating contestants will be held liable for any property damage they, their family, or their associates cause to the prize vehicle or convention center property, whether such damage is intentional or unintentional.

18. There will be no physical contact between participating contestants. There will be no offensive physical contact with anyone or any other form of patently anti-social behaviour. The judges have the authority to disqualify people for any reason for anything deemed to be unsavoury.

19. The prize is non-transferable and may not be shared with other participating contestants. No cash substitute.

20. The EMS Cadets and their immediate household may not participate in the contest and are ineligible to win the prize.

21. Prior winners of the EMS Cadet's Hands-On Competition are not eligible to participate for a minimum of two years after their involvement.

22. The prize winner agrees to accept the prize vehicle "as is." The sponsor and their affiliates shall not be responsible for repairing any real or supposed damage to the prize vehicle. The advertising on the vehicle must stay in place for 6 months after the contest

23. All decisions of the judges are final. The judges may or may not rely on the sensor equipment.

Before assuming their respective positions at the prize vehicle, participating contestants must read and sign a copy of these rules and regulations, thereby consenting to the use by the sponsors of the participating contestant's name, photograph (still or motion), voice and any other basic, non-intrusive personal information for promotional purposes, and at no further compensation. Participating contestants further agree to hold harmless the EMS Cadets and any sponsors from any and all claims, damages and expenses (including attorney's fees) that are in any way directly or indirectly to this contest. The sponsors of the contest reserve the right to change these rules and regulations at any time preceding or during the contest, without prior consent or notice.

#### The Vehicle

- 1) The vehicle will be a 2010 Toyota Matrix XR sport package with Navigation. Value \$30,324.00
- 2) The winner must accept the terms and conditions with the vehicle upon accepting the prize.
- 3) Must be accepted as awarded. No monetary value or vehicle substitutions.
- 4) EMS Cadets are not responsible for any Taxes, Registration, insurance or Licensing.
- 5) Any designated advertising must stay on the vehicle for 6 months after the acceptance of the vehicle.
- 6) The winning contestant must give the EMS Cadets permission to display the winner's name and photograph for advertising. This will be limited and at the EMS Cadets' discretion. Ex: Web Page, further advertising and for the following year(s) raffle advertising.

By signing you the contestant agree to the above rules and regulations.

Contestant's Name

Contestant's signature