

# SkillsUSA National Leadership and Skills Conference

## Nebraska - 2024 Top Ten @ Nationals

### Middle School – Medalists

Opening and Closing Ceremonies – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Chloe Brozovsky, Halen Holliday, Carly Kolterman, Isla Krahulik Lily Phillips, Charish Sidlo & Kaitlin Wegman, Seward Middle School

\*\*Team Engineering Challenge – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Jaxson Bowers, Aiden Degenhardt & Peyton Hubl, Thayer Central Middle School – Hebron

### High School – Medalists

\*\*Mechatronics – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Fisher Cyza & Nykolys Rutten, Columbus High School

\*\*Plumbing – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Wyatt Zeleny, High School Academy – Metropolitan Community College North – Omaha

\*\*Power Equipment Technology – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Garret Hartweg – Waverly High School

\*\*Career Pathways Showcase – Natural Resources/Ag – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Kennedy Bahm, Chase Dubas & Chloe Inbody, The Career Academy-Lincoln

\*\*Opening and Closing Ceremonies – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Ava Dimas, Saavy Miles, Hazie Uerling, Ava Welch, Neva White, Natalia Wiezorek, & Dany Zheng, North Platte St. Pat's High School

\*\*Prepared Speech- **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Braydon Hoelsing – Wausa High School

### College/Technical – Medalists

\*\*Collision Damage Appraisal – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Joseph Lytle, Metropolitan Community College-Omaha

\*\*Motorcycle Service Technology – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Peter Paul, Southeast Community College-Milford

\*\*Power Equipment Technology – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Callan Scholz - Metropolitan Community College-Omaha

\*\*Robotics: Urban Search & Rescue – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Hailey Hoffman & John Mann – Wayne State College – Wayne

\*\*TeamWorks – **1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Daxton Behmer, Logan Kaup, Austyn Kieborz & Ryan Schmit, Northeast Community College-Norfolk

**\*\*Firefighting – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, Winston Ruzicka, Metropolitan Community College- Omaha  
Heavy Equipment Operator – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Trevor Brown, Central Community College – Hastings  
**\*\*Mechatronics – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Calvin Christensen & Efta Christopher, Northeast Community College-Norfolk  
**\*\*Mobile Robotics Technology – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Caleb Bastian & Kolton Ginter, Southeast Community College-Milford  
**\*\*Related Technical Math – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place** - Cole Vogt, Northeast Community College-Norfolk  
**\*\*Additive Manufacturing – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Riley Mason & Landon Nelson, Central Community College – Hastings  
**\*\*Audio-Radio Production – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Chad Fey & Olivia Naumann, Metropolitan Community College - Omaha  
3-D Visualization and Animation – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** - AJ Konecny & Eli Mohr, Metropolitan Community College – Omaha  
Chapter Display - **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** - Zach Covington, Jonathan Dixon & Sarahi Lopez, Wayne State College - Wayne

#### **4<sup>th</sup> Place –**

**\*\*Job Skill Demonstration A – Addison Rolfsmeier, East Butler Middle School**  
**\*\* Digital Cinema Production - Kaden Anderson & Gabriel Ysusi, Metropolitan Community College-Omaha**  
**\*\*Electrical Construction Wiring - James Rolf, Northeast Community College-Norfolk**  
Welding – Denver Fincham, Metropolitan Community College-Omaha

#### **5<sup>th</sup> Place –**

**\*\*Automotive Service Technology – Levi Vaughan, Central City High School**  
**\*\*Technical Drafting – Vedah Henrichs, Lincoln Northeast High School**  
**\*\*Related Technical Math – Landen Heine, Scottsbluff High School**  
**\*\*Carpentry – Connor Smith, Northeast Community College-Norfolk**  
Collision Damage Appraisal – Clara Stilen, High School Academy South – Metropolitan Community College – Omaha  
**\*\*Collision Repair Technology – Anne Dovali, Metropolitan Community College-Omaha**

\*\*Engineering Technology Design – Nicole Biehl, Zachary Keithley & Gracen Sommerer, Southeast Community College-Milford

\*\*Technical Computer Applications – Molly Sanchez, Northeast Community College-Norfolk

## **6<sup>th</sup> Place –**

\*\*Chapter Business Procedure – Cade Brandt, Porter Connick, Aashi Naidoo, Dimitri Pettit, Logan Robirds & Sutton Tickle, North Platte St. Pat's High School

\*\*Cabinetmaking – Jeremiah Chase, Wayne State College-Wayne

Criminal Justice – Yazmin Toral, Northeast Community College-Norfolk

Photography – Ramses Barrios, Metropolitan Community College-Omaha

Prepared Speech – Hannah Woolsey, Wayne State College-Wayne

## **7<sup>th</sup> Place –**

Career Pathways Showcase – Business Management & Technology – Alfredo Velazquez, Megan Walsh & Alexia Weaver, Wakefield Community Schools

Photography – Emmanuel Salas, Fremont High School

\*\*T-Shirt Design – Mikayla Brenner, Norris High School

Early Childhood Education – Hannah Taylor, Northeast Community College-Norfolk

\*\*Job Skill Demonstration Open – Ariel Bryant, Wayne State College-Wayne

## **8<sup>th</sup> Place –**

Advertising Design – Luis Nolasco, Northeast Community College-Norfolk

Television (Video) Production – Oluwatobi Ajise & Paul Grinsberg, Metropolitan Community College-Omaha

Technical Drafting – Landon Oestreich, Northeast Community College-Norfolk

## **9<sup>th</sup> Place –**

\*\*Robotics: Urban Search & Rescue – Hein Le & Yovanny Rodas, South Sioux City High School

\*\*Crime Scene Investigation – Hunter Fowler, Anna Katen & Frankie Maulucci, Central Community College – Hastings

First Aid-CPR – Maddie Prochaska, Wayne State College-Wayne

## 10<sup>th</sup> Place –

\*\*Audio-Radio Production – Sam Elge & Lucas Riley, Aurora High School

Diesel equipment Technology – Calvin Kruntorad, Southeast Community College-Milford

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