



2026 *FIRST* NORTH CAROLINA District Championship

Special Events Center @ The Greensboro Complex



Competition Schedule*

Thursday April 9, 2026	
3:00PM - 6:00PM	Team Load-in and Pit Set-up – Up to 6 Team Members (no Robot work allowed)
6:00PM	Venue Closed
Friday April 10, 2026	
8:00AM	Venue Doors, Pits, Machine Shop, Team Registration, and Inspection Open
8:00AM - 9:00AM	Additional Team Load-in and Pit Set-up
8:45AM - 9:15AM	Field Open for Measurement and Calibration
9:30AM - 10:00AM	Driver's Meeting
10:00AM - 11:00AM	Filler Line Practice Matches (must be fully inspected)
11:00AM - 12:30PM	Scheduled Practice Matches
12:30PM - 1:30PM	Lunch Break
1:30PM - 1:50PM	Opening Ceremonies
2:00PM - 6:00PM	Qualification Matches; Main Lobby Exhibits Open
~6:00PM	Venue Closes 30 min after last match (includes Pits, Quiet Room, Game Field, Machine Shop)
Saturday April 11, 2026	
8:00AM	Venue Doors Open, Pits and Machine Shop Open
9:00AM - 9:20AM	Opening Ceremonies
9:30AM - 12:00PM	Qualification Matches
10:00AM - 3:00PM	Main Lobby Exhibits Open
12:00PM - 1:30PM	Qualification Matches Ongoing Note, during this time frame there will be a: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30-min Field Break (see event match schedule) • Team Lunch Break (based on the team's specific match schedule or can be within the 30-min Field Break)
1:30PM - 7:00PM	Qualification Matches
~7:00PM	Venue Closes 30 min after last match (includes Pits, Game Field, & Machine Shop)
Sunday April 12, 2026	
8:00AM	Venue Doors Open, Pits and Machine Shop Open
9:00AM - 9:20AM	Opening Ceremonies
9:30AM - 11:15AM	Qualification Matches
~11:15AM - 12:00PM	Alliance Selections (begins 8 minutes after the end of Qualification Matches)
12:00PM - 1:00PM	Lunch Break
1:00PM - 5:00PM	Playoff Matches & Awards Ceremony
~5:30PM	Pits close 30 minutes following the close of the Awards Ceremony

**Schedule is subject to change. All times are estimated based on flow of matches. See Pit Admin and Nexus for updated times.*