



NIAGARA REGIONAL SCIENCE and ENGINEERING FAIR 2025

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Parent/Student Information Sheet

Welcome to the Niagara Regional Science and Engineering Fair 2025! Your child will be part of an event with many other students from across the region.

HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW...

REGISTRATION NIGHT – Friday March 28, 2025 – 5:30pm to 8pm – Brock University – Bob Davis Gym

- Schools will be given a time block when students are asked to setup their projects.
- On arrival, parents and student(s) must go to the registration desk to sign in inside of the Bob Davis Gymnasium. (Please see parking information located at the bottom of page 2).
- At the registration desk you will receive a registration form and instructions on where your project location will be.
- Proceed to your designated project location and set up your project display. Review information recorded on your registration form and make any corrections if necessary.
- When your project setup is complete, please hand in your registration form at the safety check desk.
- Return to your project and please remain at your project until a safety check person comes to view your project setup. Your project **MUST** be signed off by the required “Rules and Regulations” representative or your project may not be accepted, and you may be disqualified.
- When your project has been signed off you may leave or stay for PUBLIC PREVIEW 7:30pm-8:30pm where you can practice before judging.

JUDGING DAY – Saturday March 29, 2025 – 9am to approximately 4:30pm – Bob Davis Gym

- 8:00 am to 8:45am – Drop off your child(ren) at the Bob Davis Gym. There will be representatives from the NRSEF directing students at 8:45am to **South Block 204** for the Opening Ceremonies which will be starting at 9:00 am. **DO NOT BE LATE!!** (Note: Students will drop off all belongings at their project before the ceremonies. Juvenile students (grades 5 and 6) are asked to bring their lunches with them to the opening ceremonies.) **Parents are welcome to join us for the opening ceremonies.**
- Misbehaviours will be reported to the school principal and may result in expulsion from the NRSEF fair.
- **PARENTS** are kindly asked to wait outside the Bob Davis Gym until all the judging has been completed to pick up their children. Doors to the gym will open when all judging has finished. Students are asked to wait for their parents at their projects.

Event	Time	Location	Notes
Opening Ceremonies	9:00am to 9:30am	South Block Room 204	Welcome address from NRSEF and Brock University.
Judging for Juniors (7-8), Intermediates (9-10) and Seniors (11-12)	9:30am to 12:30pm	Bob Davis Gymnasium	Students will be escorted to their projects for judging. Fruit and water to be distributed during judging.
Workshops for Juveniles (5-6)	9:30am to 12:30pm	TBA	Students will participate in team building activities that have been structured around educational and science-based themes.
Lunch for Juveniles (5-6) and Juniors (7-8)	12:30pm to 1:30pm	South Block Room 204	PLEASE BRING A LUNCH & SNACKS - Students will NOT be able to purchase lunch at Brock.
Lunch for Intermediates (9-10) and Seniors (11-12)	12:30pm to 1:30pm	South Block Room 201	

Judging for Juveniles (5-6), Intermediates (9-10) and Seniors (11-12)	1:30pm to 3:30pm	Bob Davis Gymnasium	Students will be escorted to their projects for judging. Fruit and water to be distributed during judging.
Workshops for Juniors (7-8)	1:30pm to 3:30pm	TBA	Students will participate in team building activities that have been structured around educational and science-based themes.

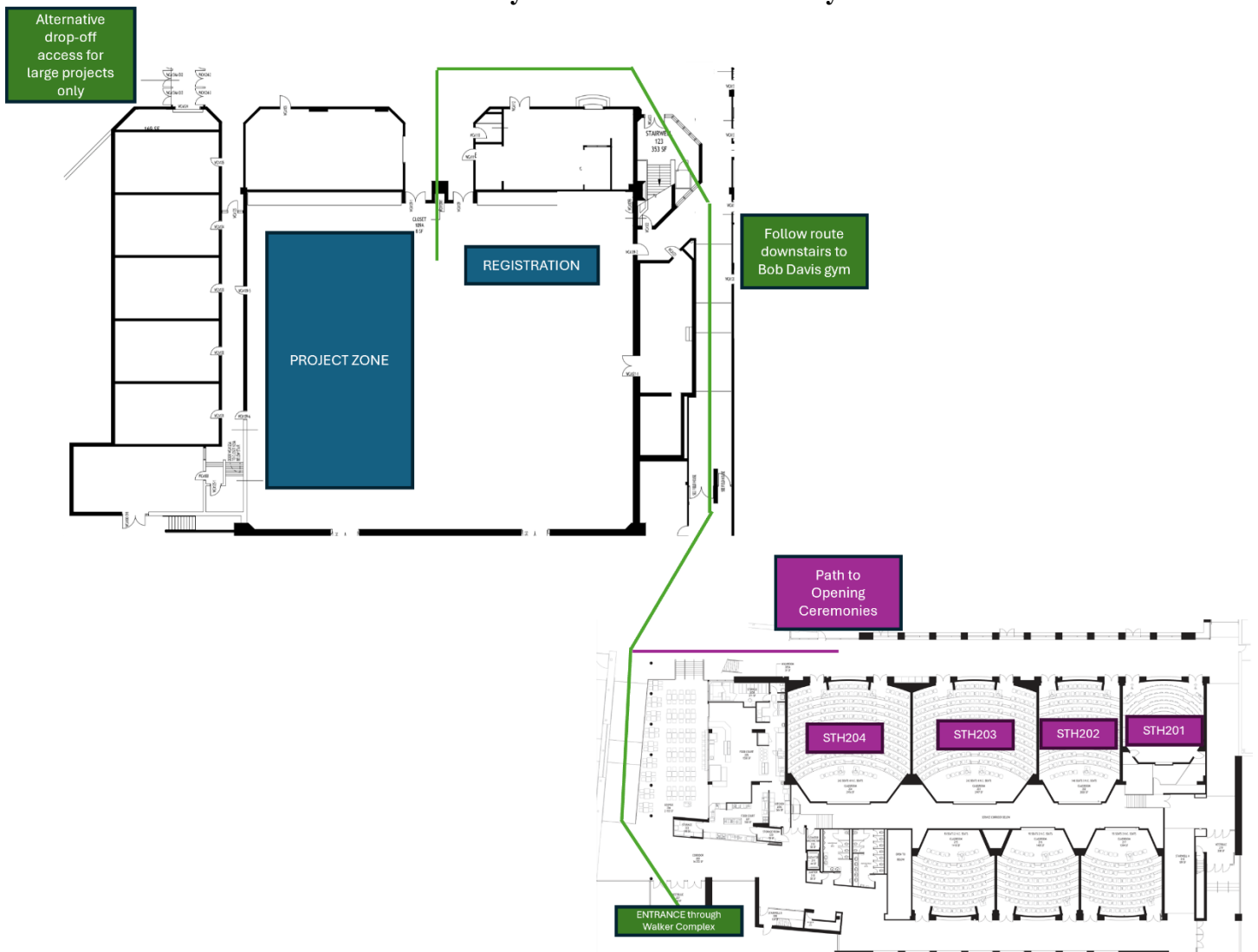
OPEN HOUSE – Saturday March 25, 2024 – 3:30pm to 4:30pm – Bob Davis Gymnasium

- **PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE** – Once the judging has been completed, doors will open, and students should plan to show the community, family and friends their projects during the Public Open House. All are welcome!!
- **PROJECT TAKE DOWN** – After and NOT before 4:30 pm, projects may be taken down. Please wait for the announcement. Removing the project before may result in disqualification. Projects cannot remain at Brock University past March 29, 2025 or they may be discarded.

AWARDS NIGHT – Wednesday April 2, 2025 – 7:00pm to 9:00pm – St. Catharines Collegiate

- **AWARDS NIGHT** – 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm the NRSEF awards will be presented at St. Catharines Collegiate Secondary School (34 Catharine Street) in St. Catharines. All are welcome!!

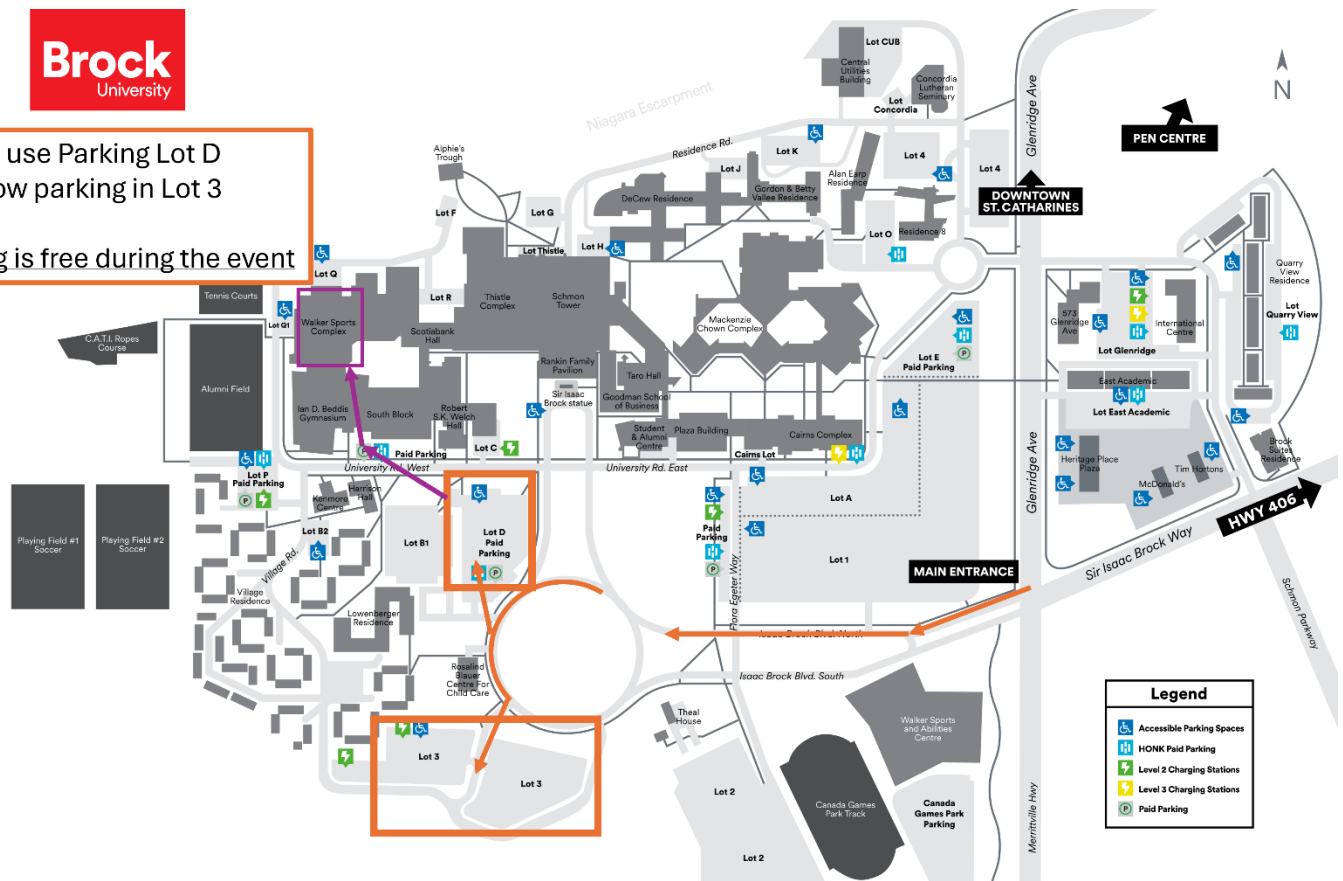
Location Map – Make your way into the Walker Complex and follow the hallway down to the Bob Davis Gymnasium



Brock University – Parking Map
 1812 Sir Isaac Brock Way, St. Catharines, L2S 3A1
Please park in the designated lots marked with signs.



Please use Parking Lot D
 Overflow parking in Lot 3
 Parking is free during the event



The NRSEF is covering parking costs for our participants on Friday March 28 from 5:30 pm – 9 pm. To be eligible, you must still register your licence plate number with the HONK app. To claim FREE parking, please follow these instructions prior to, or on the day of registration:

- Go to the honk app (access via www.honkmobile.com)
- Create an account by following the prompts (this will require a phone number for verification)/Login to your account
- Once the account is created, go to "Search Zone ID"
- Enter Zone ID: **2451 (Lot D)**
- Select the duration
- At checkout, select "Add Promo"
- Enter: **NRSEF2025**
- Enter your license plate
- Checkout by Select "Park for Free"

[This will work, even if you must park in the overflow lot 3]

* The NRSEF is not liable for any parking fines or fess incurred if you park in a non-designated spot, or if you fail to register your vehicle. Owners are responsible for any additional parking costs if they arrive before 5:30 pm.

** Vehicle registration is only required Friday March 28. Parking is free for everyone on Saturday March 29, and requires no additional registration.