

Here's the BUZZ

Honda
Campus
All-Star
Challenge

First Round
Game Schedule

Check out the
Student Union
and Honda Expo

Welcome!



Eric Conn

On behalf of American Honda, welcome to the 2007 Honda Campus All Star Challenge. Now in our 18th year, we are thrilled to have you join us in Orlando.

Our theme this year is "Evolution of a Champion." During the past 18 years, over 50,000 students have participated in HCASC. A network of outstanding young minds and ever-growing family of friends has evolved. It is this commitment to constant improvement that we celebrate this year.

We have some exciting events and new features that I know you're going to enjoy.

You are the next generation of the HCASC family - but as our community has grown, one thing has remained constant: the competition will be stiff, the activities will be fun, you will see how special your achievements are, and you will make "Friends for Life."

Good luck!

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Day 1 Checklist



Welcome to HCASC 2007!

The first day of HCASC is always exciting, hectic, and fun. Here's an idea of what to expect:

✓Make new friends today by trading pins (or creating some of your own).

✓ID photos will be taken in the Palm Ballroom; your **WHOLE TEAM** must be present. Don't forget to smile!

✓The HCASC Closing Banquet this year is an elegant five-course meal. Make your selection from one of the four entree choices at registration today.

✓The Rules Briefing today (Palm Ballroom throughout the afternoon) is strongly recommended for all players and coaches. It is the best opportunity to review this year's rule changes and clear up any confusion *before* games begin tomorrow.

✓Feel free to stop by the graffiti board in the Expo and tag your name, school, or campus organization. This is a chance for you to truly "make your mark" on HCASC 2007.

✓Admire the HCASC Art Gallery, exhibiting works of sculpture and painting by George Nock.

✓Take a dip in the pool or get some sun. Rest up before game play begins tomorrow.

✓The HCASC Opening Dinner and Ceremony is a dressy affair, so make certain to hang your clothes or press them this afternoon. Dinner starts at 7 pm; be there looking sharp!

✓Last, but not least, make sure to choose a tour and sign up! Disney or Universal Studios? Gospel Brunch or outlet mall shopping? Sign up quickly as these Sunday outings fill up fast.

Enjoy yourself: the "Evolution" begins today!



HCASC Care Package Team Sign-Ups

The 2007 HCASC "Support Our Troops" Service Project is underway. Many participants have made donations online, but donations are still being accepted during registration.

If you are interested in helping assemble the packages before they are sent to our HBCU soldiers overseas, join the Care Package Team. The team

will assemble in the Palm Ballroom on Friday evening at 8pm to pack boxes and prepare postage.

All Care Package Team members will receive a special Yellow Ribbon pin.





Friday Morning Game Schedule

This year, a Captains meeting will be held outside the Palm Ballroom on Friday at 7:30 am. The Coaches Meeting is also at 7:30 am, inside of the Palm.

Mandatory division briefings will take place in the Round Robin rooms at 8 am. First round will immediately follow those meetings.

As a reminder, teams are required to be in their game rooms one match in advance; a complete round robin game schedule is part of every registration packet.

Team photo assignments will also be distributed, so plan ahead and dress to impress.



9:15 AM	Azalea/Begonia	Miles	Morehouse
	Camelia/Dogwood	Benedict	Huston-Tillotson
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Claffin	Clark Atlanta
	Hibiscus/Iris	Florida A&M	Oakwood
	Jasmine	Grambling	Knoxville
	Magnolia	Jackson State	Morris
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Albany State	Bowie State
	Poinsettia/Quince	Bennett	Chicago State



10:00 AM	Azalea/Begonia	Lane	Paul Quinn
	Camelia/Dogwood	Arkansas Baptist	North Carolina Central
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Bethune-Cookman	Morgan State
	Hibiscus/Iris	Fisk	Fayetteville State
	Jasmine	Alcorn State	Spelman
	Magnolia	Elizabeth City State	Tennessee State
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Alabama State	Bowie
	Poinsettia/Quince	Alabama A&M	Howard



10:30 AM	Azalea/Begonia	South Carolina State	Norfolk State
	Camelia/Dogwood	Southern-Baton Rouge	Langston
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Virginia Union	Johnson C. Smith
	Hibiscus/Iris	Fayetteville State	Oakwood
	Jasmine	Maryland Eastern Shore	Medgar Evers
	Magnolia	Virginia State	Prairie View
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	North Carolina A&T	Hampton
	Poinsettia/Quince	Savannah State	Dillard



11:00 AM	Azalea/Begonia	Shaw	District of Columbia
	Camelia/Dogwood	Paine	Xavier
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Southern-New Orleans	West Virginia State
	Hibiscus/Iris	Coppin State	Central State
	Jasmine	Stillman	Winston-Salem
	Magnolia	Tuskegee	York
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Jarvis Christian	Arkansas-Pine Bluff
	Poinsettia/Quince	Mississippi Valley	Sojourner-Douglass

2007 Honda Campus All-Star Challenge - Schedule of Events

THURSDAY, APRIL 12

<i>Registration</i>	9:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	9:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
	10:00 PM - 1:00 AM	
<i>Lunch</i>	11:30 AM - 2:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Rules Briefing (on the hour)</i>	1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Mezzanine
<i>Opening Dinner & Ceremony</i>	7:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Grand Ballroom (Mandatory)

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

<i>Breakfast</i>	6:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Coaches Meeting</i>	7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Captains Meeting</i>	7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Palm Ballroom (Sundeck)
<i>Team Divisional Meetings</i>	8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Mezzanine Game Rooms (Mandatory)
<i>Round Robin Games</i>	8:30 AM - 6:30 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
<i>Yearbook Photos</i>	10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom Foyer
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
	9:30 PM - 1:00 AM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Lunch</i>	11:30 AM - 2:00 PM	Palm Ballroom & Patio
<i>Dinner on Your Own</i>	5:30 PM - 9:30 PM	Depart Ballroom Circle
<i>Movie Night</i>	5:30 PM - 9:30 PM	Depart Ballroom Circle
<i>Presidents Dinner (by invitation only)</i>	6:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Depart Ballroom Circle
<i>Care Package Assembly</i>	8:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Palm Ballroom

SATURDAY, APRIL 14

<i>Breakfast</i>	6:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Round Robin Games</i>	8:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
<i>HBCU Graduate Studies Expo</i>	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Palm Ballroom Foyer
<i>Yearbook Photos</i>	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Palm Ballroom Foyer
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Palm Ballroom
	6:30 PM - 1:00 AM	
<i>Lunch</i>	11:30 AM - 2:00 PM	Palm Ballroom & Patio
<i>Playoff Games</i>	4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
<i>Student Night/Deal or No Deal</i>	6:30 PM - 12:00 AM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Volunteers and Coaches</i>		
<i>Recognition Dinner</i>	6:30 PM - 11:00 PM	Depart Ballroom Circle

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

<i>Breakfast</i>	6:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Tour Ticket Pick-Up</i>	7:30 AM - 8:45 AM	Grand Ballroom Registration Desk
	11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	
<i>Semi-Final & Final Games</i>	9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Grand Ballroom (Mandatory)
<i>Tours</i>	11:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Depart Tour Entrance
<i>Closing Awards Reception & Banquet</i>	6:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Grand Ballroom (Mandatory)
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	10:00 PM - 1:00 AM	Palm Ballroom

MONDAY, APRIL 16

<i>Breakfast</i>	3:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Andiamo's
<i>Departures</i>	ALL DAY	Lobby Entrance

NCT Survival Guide



There's plenty of time for gameplay and relaxation during the tournament.

The journey that began with the campus tournament has led to Orlando. Now it is time to take the next step in the "Evolution of a Champion." Let the HCASC NCT begin!

To experience HCASC to its fullest, make the most of your time both on and off the buzzer. Here are some friendly tips.

1. Take advantage of the opportunities to meet and get to know players from other teams, both in your division and in the tournament as a whole. You will meet up with these people over and over in life; it pays to network now!

2. Eat sensibly; avoid sugar and too much "junk food." Eat a healthy, light breakfast before morning games.

3. Get exercise every day to keep your mind and body energized. When you can, take a walk or go for a swim.

4. Enjoy the Expo, but don't stay up too late! Get enough rest to recharge your brain cells every night. The more REM sleep you get, the sharper your mind will be for gameplay.

5. Be on time! It reduces stress and helps the tournament run more smoothly. Not just for games either; punctuality helps keep banquets and other NCT events running smoothly.

6. Do not try to cram now; what you know is what got you here. Reading newspapers and watching the news can help maintain your current events IQ.

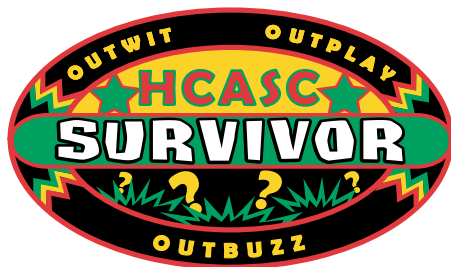
7. Learn from the teams you compete against or watch, but don't change the way you approach each game. Every team's strategy is unique.

8. While playing, listen to each question carefully. Pay attention to pronouns and time periods to help you quickly home in on a correct answer.

Try not to miss any parts of your team's bonuses.

9. Watch games in other divisions to pick up info and to see competitors outside of "your room." You may meet them in the playoffs.

10. Thinking about your plans after graduation? Make sure to check out the Grad Expo on Saturday.



10 Tips to help you compete, win, and have the most fun possible at the NCT

Deal or No Deal HCASC Style



Crack the correct case and win a Wii!

This year marks the debut of our newest Student Night activity, HCASC Deal or No Deal.

Lots of cool prizes could be "in that case" including a Nintendo Wii, PSP, video iPods, and more.

Also, spoofs of some other popular game shows will be held between rounds, hosted by the HCASC Expo interns.

Be in the Expo Saturday night, just in "case" there's a deal waiting for you!



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