

Here's the BUZZ

Honda
Campus
All-Star
Challenge

First Round
Game Schedule

Check out the
Honda Expo

Explore the Future at Careers 411

Honda will be hosting a career fair during the 19th annual HCASC NCT with representatives from several Honda companies present.

- An opportunity for you to gather information about potential career possibilities.
- Friday from 10 am to 5 pm at the Palm Ballroom Patio.
- Have copies of your résumé to share. You can make edits and print at the Expo Cyber Café.
- Representatives from ten divisions of American Honda will be present.

Day 1 Checklist



Welcome to HCASC 2008!

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

✓ID photos will be taken in a new location in the Palm Ballroom—past the registration table. Your **WHOLE TEAM** must be present for ID photos to be taken so head over right after check-in. Don't forget to smile!

✓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 updates and clear up any confusion *before* games begin tomorrow.

✓Stop by the graffiti board in the Expo and express yourself! This is a chance for you to truly "make your mark" on HCASC 2008.

✓Admire the HCASC Art Gallery, exhibiting the phenomenal works of etching and painting by Lisa Jones.

✓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? Outlet mall shopping? Sign up quickly as these Sunday outings fill up fast.

Enjoy yourself: and answer the "Call to Action!"



Welcome!



On behalf of American Honda welcome to the 2008 Honda Campus All Star Challenge. As we mark our 19th year, we are delighted to have you join us in Orlando.

This year's theme is "Call to Action." Honda Campus All-Star Challenge calls like minds and spirits, to bring out the best that is inside each of us.

We have some exciting events and features that we know you're going to enjoy. The Honda Careers 411 offers the opportunity to explore a future with American Honda while the HBCU Grad Expo allows you to consider a variety of advanced degrees.

"Support our Troops" continues last year's phenomenally successful service project with more packages for our soldiers abroad.

And, of course, there will be dozens of rounds of exciting gameplay culminating in the Championship finals on Sunday morning.

At Honda Campus All Star Challenge we expand our knowledge and learn about our world in exciting ways. But after the games have been played, you will find that HCASC is really about making "Friends for Life." Good luck!

2008 Honda Campus All-Star Challenge - Schedule of Events

THURSDAY, MARCH 27

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 28

Breakfast	6:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Palm Ballroom
Coaches & Captains Meetings	7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Palm Ballroom (Mandatory)
Team Divisional Meetings	8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Mezzanine Game Rooms (Mandatory)
Round Robin Games	8:30 AM - 6:30 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
Yearbook Photos	10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom Foyer
Student Union & Honda Expo	10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
	10:00 PM - 1:00 AM	
Lunch	11:30 AM - 2:00 PM	Palm Ballroom & Patio
Honda Careers 411	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Palm Ballroom Patio
Dinner/Movie On Your Own	5:30 PM - 11:00 PM	Depart Convention Entrance
Presidents Dinner	6:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Depart Convention Entrance
Support Our Troops	8:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Palm Ballroom

SATURDAY, MARCH 29

Breakfast	6:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Palm Ballroom
Round Robin Games	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
HBCU Graduate Studies Expo	10:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Palm Ballroom Foyer
Yearbook Photos	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Palm Ballroom Foyer
Student Union & Honda Expo	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Palm Ballroom
(Closed during Playoffs)	6:00 PM - 1:00 AM	
Lunch	11:30 AM - 2:00 PM	Palm Ballroom & Patio
Playoff Games	4:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
Team Dinner	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Palm Ballroom
March Madness	8:00 PM - Midnight	Palm Ballroom
Volunteers and Coaches		
Recognition Dinner	6:30 PM - 11:00 PM	Depart Convention Entrance

SUNDAY, MARCH 30

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

MONDAY, MARCH 31

Breakfast	2:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Andiamo
Departures	ALL DAY	Lobby Entrance

Friday Morning Game Schedule

Friday morning begins early with a Captains meeting on the Palm Patio at 7:30 am. Coaches Meet at 7:30 am, in the Honda Expo Game Room.

Mandatory division briefings will take place in the Round Robin rooms at 8 am. The 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.

Round 1	Azalea/Begonia	Bowie State	Claffin
	Camelia/Dogwood	Albany State	Bethune-Cookman
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Cheyney	Lincoln-MO
	Hibiscus/Iris	Lincoln-PA	Oakwood
	Jasmine	Fayetteville State	Hampton
	Magnolia	Harris-Stowe	Morehouse
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Central State	Grambling
	Poinsettia/Quince	Coppin	Kentucky State
Round 2	Azalea/Begonia	Allen	Jackson State
	Camelia/Dogwood	Alabama A&M	Johnson C. Smith
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Alcorn State	South Carolina State
	Hibiscus/Iris	Langston	Elizabeth City State
	Jasmine	Clark Atlanta	Medgar Evers
	Magnolia	Fisk	Morris
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Benedict	Jarvis Christian
	Poinsettia/Quince	Bennett	No. Carolina A & T
Round 3	Azalea/Begonia	Stillman	Dillard
	Camelia/Dogwood	Maryland Eastern Shore	Albany State
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Arkansas-Pine Bluff	Sojourner-Douglass
	Hibiscus/Iris	Elizabeth City State	Oakwood
	Jasmine	Paul Quinn	Livingstone
	Magnolia	Saint Augustine's	Morgan State
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Virginia Union	Howard
	Poinsettia/Quince	West Virginia State	Norfolk State
Round 4	Azalea/Begonia	Southern-Baton Rouge	Tennessee State
	Camelia/Dogwood	Texas Southern	Voorhees
	Fuchsia/Gardenia	Tuskegee	Winston-Salem State
	Hibiscus/Iris	Chicago State	Alabama State
	Jasmine	Miles	Prairie View A&M
	Magnolia	North Carolina Central	Savannah State
	Narcissus/O. Blossom	Texas	York
	Poinsettia/Quince	Paine	Xavier

NCT Hot Tips

HCASC is much more than the games. Here are some friendly tips to make the most of your time at the NCT.

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. Thinking about your plans after graduation? Be sure to check out the Honda Careers 411 on Friday and the Grad Expo on Saturday.

7. 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.

8. 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.

9. 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.

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

Honda Expo is the HCASC Hub!



The Expo Quiet Zone features an art gallery with the beautiful works of Lisa Jones to stimulate your mind. It's the perfect place to relax and meditate.

Hungry? You're covered. The Expo "Food Court" has food and drink to help you answer the "Call to Action." Breakfast and lunch will be served there too, so you can always pop down between games to grab a snack.

Want to keep in touch with your family and friends? The Expo Cyber Café has enough web-ready PCs to accommodate you. You can surf to keep up on the latest news or even get in a little last minute research for your next round.

Whatever your pleasure, there's lots to enjoy in the Honda Expo at HCASC 2008.



In between the games, the Honda Expo is the hub of the HCASC experience. This year, the Expo includes the HBCU Grad Expo, Yearbook Photos and Honda Careers 411. Whether enjoying down time with new friends or exploring exciting career opportunities, the Honda Expo has it all.

Located in the Palm Ballroom (behind the Pool), the Honda Expo features Wii, Playstation and Xbox360 for interactive fun, plus pool tables, board games, dominoes and more. There are plenty of contests where you can win cool prizes for displaying your skills.

*Don't forget!
Troop care
packages will
be assembled on
Friday evening in
the Expo.*



Artist Spotlight: Lisa Jones

Lisa Jones is one of the most innovative and original artists of her generation. A selection of her works appear all week in the Honda Expo/Student Union.

She counts master artist Jacob Lawrence as a source of inspiration; however, some of her strongest influences, are those of younger artists.

In 2007, Lisa founded the Washington, DC International Art Expo, a first for the Washington area. Nearly one hundred artists from all across the country gathered for what has become an annual experience fea-



turing exhibitions, seminars, art talks and book signings.

With a remarkable eye for ingenuity, Lisa Jones is determined to make the phrase "Giving Back" a part of her daily life. She works tirelessly with Washington, DC area schools and many youth organizations whose students seek careers in the art world.

Lisa's works appear on canvas, glass, wood & clothing and can be found in numerous private collections across the world.



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