



**2016 SAPA Championships
Contest Information
Saturday and Sunday April 2-3, 2016**

Welcome to Chattanooga and the 2016 SAPA Championships

Facility: McKenzie Arena
University of Tennessee Chattanooga
720 East 4th Street
Chattanooga, TN 37403

Ticket Prices/Info

\$20.00 Armband will give you admittance to both Saturday and Sunday
Each Group will receive nine (9) staff Passes.
SAPA Badges will not work at Circuit Championships.
If you wish to purchase additional tickets, they
will be available at the spectator box office at Gate 1

Parking

Parking is FREE for 2016 (SAPA purchased these lots for our event to use)
Please use lots 31 and 32. Handicap parking is at lot 20
Large Truck, Busses are to use lots 33,
34, 30 and 36 ONLY.

**Per arena guidelines all backpacks,
Purses, etc. may be searched prior to
entry. No food and beverages are allowed**

Emergency Contacts (day of show only)

Ahmed AlShabibi
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423-421-4218

Contest Contact Info

Contest Administrator—Nora Lowery
sapa.nora@gmail.com



- SHOW TIMES:** Saturday April 2, 2016 10:00 A.M. EST & Sunday April 3, 2015 10:00 A.M. EST
- ADMISSION:** **\$20.00**
- ATM:** No ATM available on site.
- HOUSING:** We will not offer housing please contact a hotel if you require overnight housing.
- REGISTRATION:** The registration table will be marked with a sign at gate one (1). Staff and chaperone passes will be issued at this time.
- Headquarter Hotel:** Historic Read House (423) 266-4121 & Chattanooga Choo-Choo (800) 872-2529
- Sound check:** Will be done Saturday from 9:00 – 9:30, Sunday 9:00 – 9:30 A.M. & during guard breaks.
- PASSES:** Units will be given **9** wristbands plus your students for entrance. These will be distributed at registration. **NO ONE will be admitted to the shows without a wristband.**
YOUR SAPA PASSES WILL NOT WORK AT CHAMPIONSHIPS.
PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR BUS DRIVERS
- REHEARSALS:** Sold out.
- DRESSING AREAS:** Dressing areas will be available inside the arena. Restrooms by gate 2 are located in the arena.
(You will need your arm bands)
- Unit Check-in:** Unit Check-in will be located at gate 1. We will be open from 4:00-9:00 P.M Friday and reopen @ 8:30 A.M on Saturday and 8:30 A.M on Sunday. You will be given armbands, information packet, maps, and get questions answered. Please try to get there early.
- Back Drops:** Back-drops and floor carts may be stored in the arena. (At your own risk)
- PADDING:** Please have all equipment and props padded and taped appropriately.
- CONCESSIONS:** The concession stand will be open both Saturday and Sunday.
- HOSPITALITY:** There will not be a hospitality area available for staff during the contest.
- Video:** No video company
- Photography:** Performance Arts Photography by Bateman will once again be the official photographer for SAPA Championships. Your unit will receive a complimentary photo. Please take advantage of this service. Posters, Key chains, and other items will be located at the Booth located at gate1.
- Photographer:** Performance Arts Photography by Bateman will be located downstairs inside the arena. Please go after your performance. www.batemanfoto.com
- Emergency contact:** Ahmed AlShabibi cell. 423-421-4218



You will receive 9 complimentary passes for you group

IMPORTANT
YOUR SAPA BADGES WILL NOT WORK AT THE
ARENA ON CHAMPIONSHIP WEEKEND

Arm bands must be worn on your arm at all times

Additional armbands are \$20.00 and must be purchased at **Main Gate**
or registration.

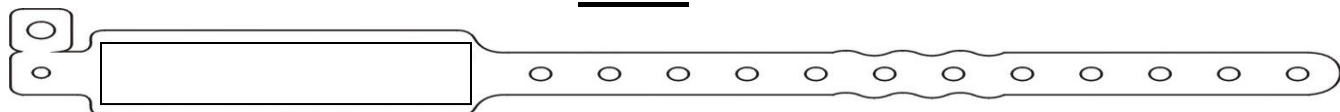
IMPORTANT
Your floor crew will be checked at the gate by arena staff.
You must have an arm band to enter.
The warm-up area check in area will not sell armbands

NO TICKET
NO ENTRANCE
NO EXCEPTION



PURCHASE @

Main
Gate.





From Nashville

(Approximately 130 Miles)

I-24 East to 27 North (Downtown Chattanooga).

Exit at 4th Street (Exit 1C).

Stay on 4th Street through 7 traffic lights to Mabel Street.

You'll see the UTC McKenzie Arena on the right

From Knoxville

(Approximately 116 Miles)

I-75 South to I-24 West to 27 North (Downtown Chattanooga).

Exit at 4th Street (Exit 1C).

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From Memphis

(Approximately 345 Miles)

I-40 East to Nashville.

Pick up 440 loop to I-24 East.

Take I-24 East to 27 North (Downtown Chattanooga).

Exit at 4th Street (Exit 1C).

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From Atlanta

(Approximately 119 Miles)

I-75 North to I-24 West to 27 North (Downtown Chattanooga).

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From Birmingham

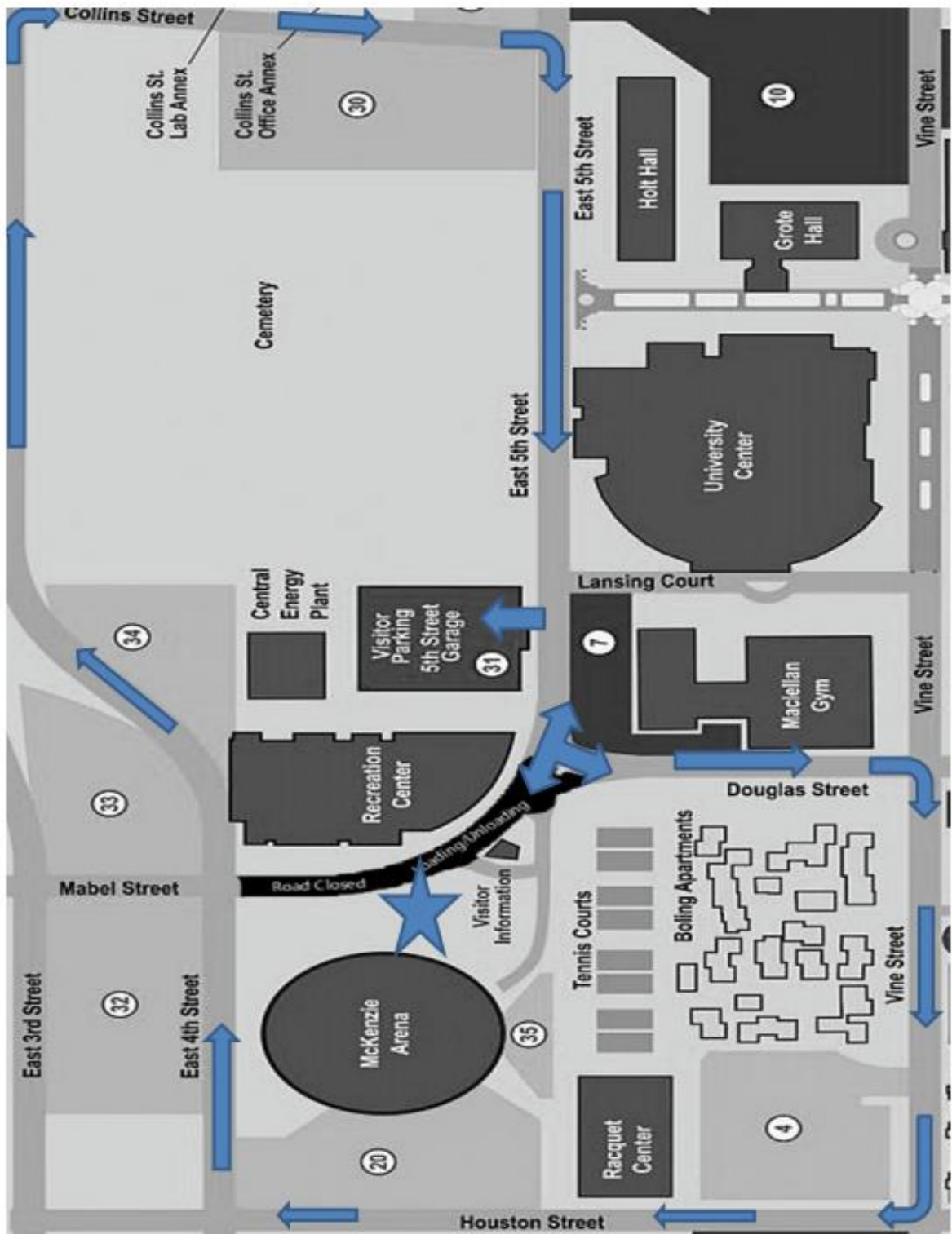
(Approximately 149 Miles)

I-59 North to I-24 East to 27 North (Downtown Chattanooga).

Exit at 4th Street (Exit 1C.)

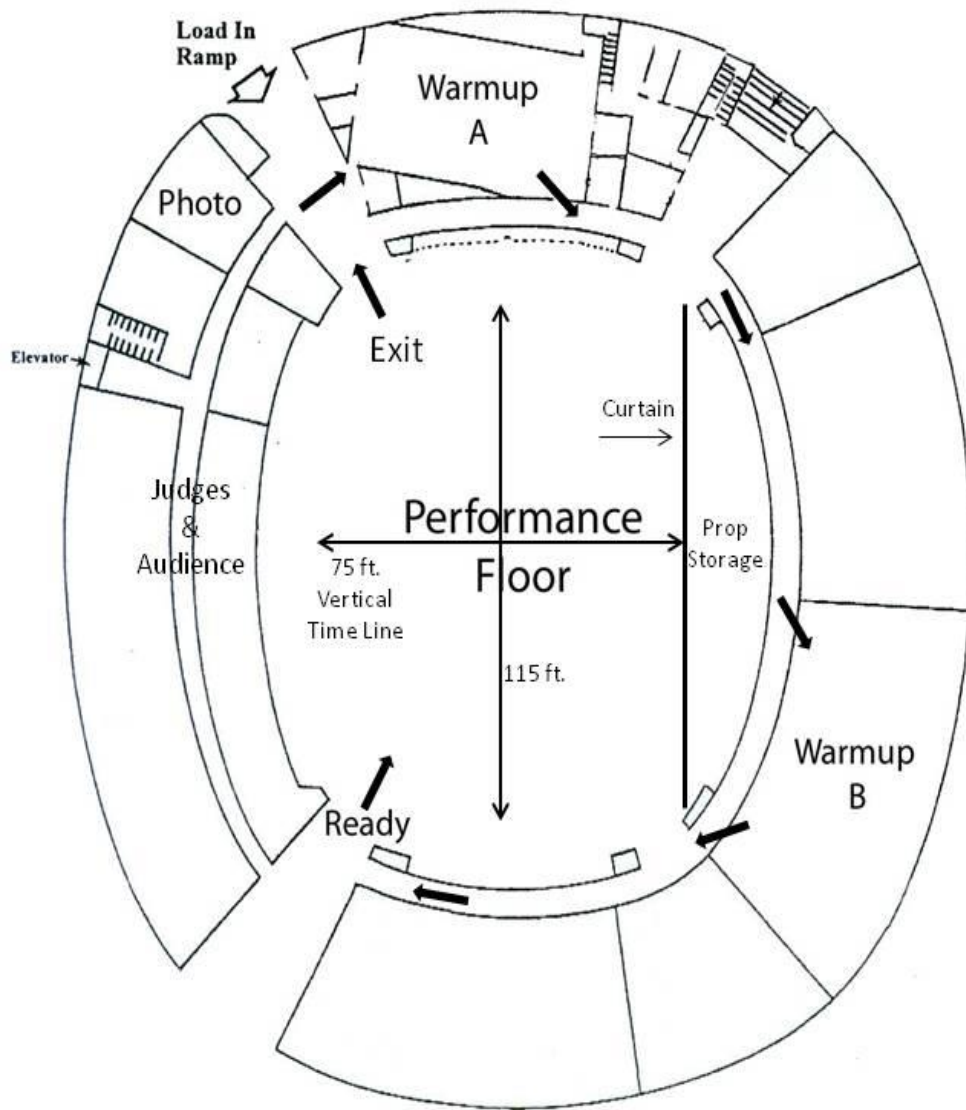
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THINGS TO DO IN CHATTANOOGA

Chattanooga area convention & Visitors Bureau
www.chattanoogafun.com

Tennessee Aquarium / IMAX Theater
800-262-0695
www.tnaqua.org

Hunter Museum of American Art
423-267-0968
www.huntermuseum.org

Chattanooga African-American Museum
423-266-8658
www.caamhistory.com

Ruby Falls
423-821-2544
www.rubyfalls.com

Rock City Gardens
706-820-2531
www.seerockcity.com

Lookout Mountain Incline Railway
423-821-4224
www.lookoutmtnattractions.com

Hamilton Place Mall
423-894-7177
www.hamiltonplace.com