



2025-2026 MINNESOTA STATE HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

2026 ROBOTICS STATE TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Sponsored by *FIRST* in Upper Midwest and Presenting Partner-MSHSL

Friday, May 15th, 2026

2:00 PM	Pit opens and Team Load-In
4:00 – 8:00 PM	Pit Administration Open for Team Registration Robot Inspection
6:00 PM	Drivers' Meeting
6:30 PM	Field Open for Measurement and Calibration
7:00 – 8:00 PM	Practice Matches (6 matches, 10-minute cycles)
8:00 – 8:30 PM	Any Remaining Connection
8:30 PM	Pits Close

Saturday, May 16th, 2026

7:30 AM	Pits Open to Teams
8:00 AM	Teams Send Two Representatives to Queuing for Opening Ceremonies
8:15 AM	Opening Ceremonies and Mascot/Flag Parade
8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Qualification Rounds *Dunwoody staff on-site to judge for Dunwoody Award
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Lunch Break Concession stand open and teams can bring in their own food
1:30 – 3:30 PM	PM Qualification Rounds Continue
3:30 PM	Alliance Selection (<i>4 Alliances</i>) Dunwoody Awards Presentation*
4:00 PM	Playoffs Begin
6:00 – 6:30 PM	Estimated time of awards ceremony. The awards ceremony will begin immediately following the end of playoff matches.

* **Dunwoody College Outstanding Engineering and Design Award**

This award seeks to recognize that innovation comes from creative thinking, experimentation, failure and budgetary and/or engineering constraints. The award will go to three teams that exhibit unique engineering and/or design solutions. They will each receive a \$500 check. Faculty members from Dunwoody College of Technology's School of Engineering will be on site to judge and present the awards.