Alamo Regional Science & Engineering Fair
St. Mary’s University - Bill Greehey Arena
March 1st - 3rd, 2019

REGISTRATION & SET-UP

1:00 pm – 3:30 pm (Friday, March 1, 2019)

4:30 pm – 6:30 pm (Friday, March 1, 2019)

• NEED SRC Clearance BEFORE setting-up. Be PATIENT while getting cleared.
• Need project report (folder, binder, or stapled) for D & S Inspection.
• BRING printed Approved Official Abstract from Scienteer with the SRC Stamp.
• SRC Approved Official Abstract should be placed vertically at the display.
• Place it on the upper LEFT-HAND corner of the first board or standing up with a support on the table.
• It may also be taped from the edge of the table in a sheet protector.
• Printed Form (1C) and/or Form (7) are to be vertically displayed if applicable.
• Photograph/Image CREDITS should be displayed. (Who took the photos or source?)
• Photo/Video released (consent) forms signed by human participants are needed for visual images of humans (NOT of the student researcher) for display.
• Students should have forms ready in case asked for by a judge or ARASE official.

JUDGING DAY

7:45 am – 1:00 pm (Saturday, March 2, 2019)

• Dress Attire: Business Casual. This is NOT a recreational event. No shorts, distressed jeans, flip-flop, etc.
• No need for expensive outfits; be presentable for interviews by distinguished judges and media.
• 7:45 am – Doors open for everyone. Parents/Teachers may accompany student.
• 8:30 am – Students stand by projects. Parents and Teachers must leave exhibit area IMMEDIATELY!
• Special Award Judging Begins.
• 9:00 am – Fair Judges will start interviewing.
• Cell phones/Texting is PROHIBITED during judging. Not complying could forfeit judging opportunity.
• Students are NOT to wander away from project during judging!!!
• Skylarking is not permitted. Student may be asked to leave the floor.
• Dismissal STARTS at 12:30 pm by categories. BE PATIENT. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!
  Do not text/call students to see if they are being released. A judge might be interviewing the student.
• Science Fair Project Report should be left behind. Judges need it for final decisions.
• Blue Team Judges select Grand Prize Winners after dismissal of students.
• Students are to take their laptops, small stools/chairs and any personal belongings. No lawn chairs allowed.

PUBLIC VIEWING

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm (Saturday, March 2, 2019)

PROJECT TEAR DOWN

6:30 pm – 7:30 pm (Saturday, March 2, 2019)

NOTE

• Tear Down is after public viewing for security measures. Please DO NOT Tear Down Early!
• ARASE and St. Mary’s University are NOT responsible for items left behind.
• PLEASE make plans to have project picked up if you cannot do it. We will not store projects.
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Awards Ceremony
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Sunday, March 3, 2019

STAGING AREA (STUDENTS AND TEACHERS)

3:15 pm (Sunday, March 3, 2019)
- Be sure to eat before 3:00 pm
- Students and teachers enter the side door to the right of arena. Go to where exhibits were setup.
- Parents and friends enter arena through front entrance. Seating is on both sides of arena.
  Floor seating is reserved for students and teachers.

STUDENT & TEACHERS PROCESSION

3:45 pm
- Students and teachers will enter arena in a procession.
- PLEASE BE ON TIME! Do not miss Opening Ceremony.
- Dress Attire: Business Causal. This is NOT a recreation event. Dress up like you did on judging day.
- Many Special Award Organizations and the Military take photos of student recipients.

AWARDS CEREMONY

4:00 pm – 7:00 pm (Sunday, March 3, 2019)
- Special Awards Presentations
- Fair Awards
- Texas Science & Engineering Fair Qualifiers receive a “State Qualifier” label on reverse side of ribbon.
- ARASE State Fair Qualifiers will have a deadline to register on-line!
- Broadcom Masters Nominees will receive a registration packet for the national middle school competition. Nominees need to start registration process as soon as possible!
- 2019 Intel ISEF Finalists are to meet with Mrs. Rose Perez IMMEDIATELY after the Awards Ceremony by stage for important information.

INTEL FINALIST MEETING

- There will be a MANADATORY meeting for Intel ISEF Finalists, parents, and teachers after the fair.
- Date, time, and location to be announced.

Congratulations to all (teachers, students, parents and mentors)!!

Questions can be directed to:
Rose A. Perez, Fair Director at jeperez@swbell.net
210-487-9510 (M)  210-736-2716 (H)
2019 ARSEF REMINDERS
St. Mary’s University, Bill Greehey Arena

Dear Teachers, Students and Parents,

Students must be prepared to check-in and pass Display & Safety (D&S) Inspection on Friday, March 1st, 2019.

**REMINDERS:** (links that should have been reviewed by now)

1. [www.arase.org](http://www.arase.org) (Student Link) **Print and follow** the instructions on the following:
   a. Science Fair Sample Report*
   b. Display Board Information *
   c. Passing Display & Safety Inspection.*
   d. Photo Consent Forms for photos of participants in the study. *(Not the student researcher).*
   e. Individual/Team Project Score Sheet Samples

2. Review:
   a) Fair Schedule and Information
   b) Fair Awards Ceremony Schedule.

3. St. Mary’s University Campus Map. **Culebra Entrance - Gate 4. PARKING ON LOT D.**

**CHECKING-IN (Registration Table): APPROVED PROJECTS**

1. Report to the Assigned Junior Division (6th-8th) or Senior Division (9th-12th grade) Station.
2. Student will receive 1) a **Check-In Check-Out Sheet** and 2) a **Display & Safety form (D & S)**
3. If the Check-In Check-Out sheet has an **SRC Approval Stamp**, the student goes to the **D&S Station**.
4. **Note:** If the Check-In Check-Out sheet does **NOT** have the SRC Approval Stamp, the student goes to the **SRC Station** for a final approval. Re-submit what needs to be cleared. **BE VERY PATIENT! Once cleared, student can follow Step 3.**
5. Students proceed to Exhibition Hall to set-up project.
6. **CATEGORY** was **ENTERED BY TEACHER ON THE ARASE ON-LINE REGISTRATION.**
7. Students turn in **Check-In Check-Out Sheet** at **Check-Out Station**, to receive badge before leaving.

**DISPLAY & SAFETY INSPECTION: REFER TO “PASSING DISPLAY & SAFETY INSPECTION” ON WEBSITE.**

1. Students need their **Science Fair Report**. Refer to the ARASE website, “Student Link”.
2. Review the Display Board Information. **Go over the requirements for ANY TYPE of images:** graphs, diagrams, charts, photos, Internet pictures, etc. Also on the website.
3. **Official Abstract** with approval stamp MUST be on the upper LEFT of the board or displayed vertically on the table. **DO NOT MAKE A TITLE FOR IT.**
4. Must have Form (1C) and Form (7) displayed vertically on the table if applicable.

**ITEMS NOT ALLOWED AT DISPLAY:** ARASE website: [www.arase.org](http://www.arase.org) “Student” and “Teacher” links.

Please refer to the Intel ISEF D & S Regulations of **D & S Intel Rules & Guidelines at www.societyforscience.org** on the “**Student Science**” link. Go to Intel ISEF. Click on “**Rules**” and scroll down to “**Display & Safety Regulations**”.

**NOTE:** Students will be asked to remove items **NOT ALLOWED. IF NOT REMOVED BY STUDENTS D & S INSPECTORS WILL REMOVE THE ITEMS!!!**