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2025 MATE ROV World Championship Competition – SCHEDULE of EVENTS

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Tuesday, June 17th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Afternoon	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center 500 W. Fletcher Street Alpena, MI 49707 ED Room Wildlife Exhibit	Competition Team Check-in Safety Checks

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Wednesday, June 18th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Activity</u>
All Day	<u>Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center</u> 500 W. Fletcher Street Alpena, MI 49707 ED Room Wildlife Exhibit Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - Upstairs only.	Competition Team Check-in Safety Checks Marketing Display - Select teams assigned to set up marketing displays 6/18/2025 (posters must be set by 6:00pm or will not be judged!)
12:00 - 1:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - Judges' Hospitality Room - Loading Dock and Patio	Lunch available for all judges and volunteers.
6:00 - 8:30 PM	Art in the Loft	Judge/Volunteer/VIP Soiree

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Time	Location	Activity
MATE Information will be located with Inspiration for Innovation exhibits in Fletcher Street parking lot, if front of heritage center.		
9:00 - 10:00 AM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Large Tents (W. Fletcher St. & Pine St.)	Opening Ceremonies
10:15 - 11:30 AM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center (Specific Location TBD) (Location TBD)	Team briefing and product demonstration Q&A Teams are invited to send 1 team member and 1 mentor to the front near the stage while the other team members set up workstations. Photo-Ops! <i>Teams with floats send 1 team member + float to the front near the stage for a photo with a GO-BGC float!</i> <i>Teams that received Schmidt Ocean Coalition travel stipends meet in the foyer for a photo!</i>
10:30 AM - 6:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - Upstairs & Science on a Sphere Room	Marketing Display - Select teams set up marketing displays on 06/19/2025 (posters must be set by 6:00pm or will not be judged!)
10:30 AM - 6:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Large Tents (W. Fletcher St. & Pine St.)	Teams continue to set up workstations. MATE Repair Station
11:30 AM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center -in front of building, Fletcher Street parking lot tents	Inspiration for Innovation exhibits set up and opening
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - Judges' Hospitality Room - Loading Dock and Patio	Lunch available for all judges and volunteers.
12:00 - 1:30 PM	Location TBD	Engineering presentation judges' briefing
1:00 - 2:30 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Tank	RANGER/PIONEER/EXPLORER product demonstration judges' briefing
1:00 - 6:15 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Tank (TBD)	ROV Buoyancy Testing - Teams can test their vehicles ONLY AFTER PASSING THEIR SAFETY INSPECTION. Float Testing
2:30 - 5:30 PM	Alpena Community College Classroom (shuttle from Maritime Heritage Center available) Main Campus - 665 Johnson Street Alpena, MI 49707	RANGER, PIONEER and EXPLORER Engineering Presentations
2:30 PM		
3:15 PM		
4:00 PM		
4:45 PM		
2:30 - 6:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Tank	RANGER, PIONEER and EXPLORER Product Demonstrations
2:30 PM		
3:00 PM		
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4:30 PM		
5:00 PM		
5:30 PM		
6:15 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center	End of scheduled events
7:30 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - Large Tents (W. Fletcher St. & Pine St.)	Teams clear out of workstations

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Friday, June 20th

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MATE Information will be located with Inspiration for Innovation exhibits in Fletcher Street parking lot, if front of heritage center.		
7:00 AM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center	Teams can arrive at the Heritage Center and access their workstations
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Look out for QR CODE POSTERS Patches located at the MATE Information Area	Students, faculty, parents, and judges complete surveys to receive the 2025 competition patch
8:30AM - 9:30 AM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center	Marketing Display Judges' Meeting
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - in front of building, Fletcher Street parking lot tents	Inspiration for Innovation exhibits set up and opening
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Alpena Community College Classroom (shuttle from Maritime Heritage Center available) Main Campus - 665 Johnson Street Alpena, MI 49707	RANGER, PIONEER and EXPLORER Engineering Presentations (continued)
8:30 AM		
9:15 AM		
10:00 AM		
10:45 AM		
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Tank	RANGER, PIONEER and EXPLORER Product Demonstrations
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11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center - Judges' Hospitality Room - Loading Dock and Patio	Lunch available for all judges and volunteers.
1:30 - 3:45 PM	Alpena Community College Classroom (shuttle from Maritime Heritage Center available) Main Campus - 665 Johnson Street Alpena, MI 49707	RANGER, PIONEER and EXPLORER Engineering Presentations (continued and completed)
1:30 PM		
2:15 PM		
3:00 PM		
1:00 - 5:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Tank	RANGER, PIONEER and EXPLORER Product Demonstrations (continued and completed)
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6:00 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Large Tents (W. Fletcher St. & Pine St.)	Teams exit workstations
6:30 - 8:30 PM	Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center Friday Night "Sanctuary Solstice Celebration"	Come enjoy BBQ on us, relax, and have fun! Live DJ! Opportunity to NETWORK with MATE Competition Alumni!

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2025 MATE ROV World Championship Competition – Event Shuttle Schedule
Hotel Shuttles to Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center and Alpena Community College 06/17/2025-06/21/2025
Pick up and drop-off locations.

Venue/Hotel	Address	Pick-up/Drop-off location (specific to hotel/venue)
Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center	500 W. Fletcher St., Alpena, MI, 49707	(TBD)
Holiday Inn Express, Alpena	225 River Street, Alpena, Michigan 49707	(TBD)
Hampton Inn, Alpena	1060 Crittenden Court, Alpena, MI, 49707	(TBD)
Ramada by Wyndham, Alpena	1000 US Highway 23 N, Alpena, MI 49707	(TBD)
Days Inn by Wyndham, Alpena	1496 M 32 W, Alpena, MI 49707	(TBD)
Big Bear Lodge, Alpena	2052 US Highway 23 S, Alpena, MI 49707	(TBD)
Alpena Community College	665 Johnson St., Alpena, MI, 49707	(TBD)

Shuttle Schedule					
Dates of shuttle Times of Shuttle	Tuesday 06/17/2025 1 PM-6 PM	Wednesday 06/18/2025 8 AM - 12PM and 2 PM - 6PM	Thursday 06/19/2025 8 AM - 12PM and 3 PM - 7 PM	Friday 06/20/2025 7 AM - 11 PM and 3 PM - 7PM	Saturday 06/21/2025 7 AM - 10 AM and 12 PM - 2 PM
				Engineering Presentation Shuttle ACC to TB Heritage Center. 11 AM-5:30 PM	Engineering Presentation Shuttle ACC to TB Heritage Center. 8 AM to 4 PM
Additional Shuttles:				Friday Night "Sanctuary Solstice Celebration" shuttle. 8 PM - 9PM	

***Shuttles will continually circle pick-up and drop-off locations during shuttle times.

[2025 WC Hotel/Shuttle Stop List](#)