



# National Automotive Technician Competitions

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Go for Gold in the 1997 International Youth Skill **Olympics** 

National Automotive Technician Competitions

(Leading to nomination for the 1997 International Youth Skill Olympics)

- 1. Light Vehicle Technician
- 2. Heavy Vehicle Technician
- 3. Agricultural Machinery Technician
- 4. Light Vehicle Body Repairer
- 5. Light Vehicle Painter

Follow in Their Footsteps ....

In recent years the UK has won Gold and Silver medals in the International Youth Skill Olympics -

The Next World Champion in 1997 Could be You!

## You are eligible to enter if:

 Your date of birth was on or after 1st January 1975

#### And

You have received at least 3 years formal training within the industry in the relevant trade.

### And

You have an employer who is prepared to support your application for entry.

## Prizes

All national finalists will receive a prize, with a special prize awarded to the overall winners.

# Three Easy Steps to Enter:

- 1. Fill in the entry form at the end of this leaflet
- 2. Ask your employer to read the information and rules and then countersign the entry
- 3. Detach and post your entry form to the address overleaf to reach the addressee before 18th May 1996.

For additional entry forms or information, please contact:

SKILLAuto Secretariat

PO Box 2

**High Ercall** Telford

**Shropshire** TF6 6WD

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Tel: 01952 777777 Fax: 01952 770571

1. The Competitions



**SKILLAuto** Limited will appoint National Competition organisers, examiners and adjudicators whose decisions will be final.

### 2. Eligibility and Experience Required

- 2.1 The competitions are open to individuals born on or after January 1st 1975 who have at least 3 years formal training with related further education and practical experience in the relevant trade.
- 2.2 The competition will be based upon the relevant industry occupational standards and underpinning knowl-

#### 3. Important Entry Requirements

- 3.1 Entries will only be accepted on the official entry
- 3.2 Entry forms must be fully completed and countersigned by the applicant's employer.

It is important to note that winners of these competitions will be required to undergo an extensive training programme prior to their entry to the Skill Olympics Competition which is to be held in Switzerland in 1997. This could result in the competitors being away from work for up to 12 weeks between October 1996 and July 1997.

Duration

Practical Work - 3 Days National Final

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(26th - 28th September 1996)

4.2 Full board and lodgings will be provided to National Finalists for the duration of their stay. The winners will be fully sponsored for their preparation and trip to Switzerland.

#### 5. Communications

5.1 All communications will be with the employer.

#### 6. UK-SKILLS and the International Youth **Skill Olympics**

6.1 This competition is conducted in close collaboration with UK-SKILLS.

UK-SKILLS is the standard setting body for national skills competitions in the UK and is promoting the development of a national framework of skills competitions covering every industry sector. It is affiliated

the International Organisation for the Promotion of Vocational Training (IVTO) and organises the British entry to the International Youth Skill Olympics.

The International Youth Skill Olympics are held every two years in one of the 32 IVTO member countries. Competitions held over four days in 40 occupational skills are open to contestants up to the age of 22. Future events will be in St. Gallen, Switzerland in 1997; Montreal, Canada in 1999 and Seoul, Korea in 2001.



The United Kingdom Team for the 1995 International Youth Skills Olympics shown at the send-off reception on 9th October before departure for Lyon (hosted by the Dorchester Hotel - employers of the competitor for waiting).

With the team are Employment Minister, James Paice; Team Patron, Fatima Whitbread; UK-SKILLS Chairman, Sir John Cassels and Chief Executive, Patricia Snell. Also shown are Mr Ricci Obertelli, Director and General Manager of the Dorchester Hotel and John Keery of Clarks Shoes, uniform sponsor.

# **Competition Entries Should Be Sent To:**

SKILLAuto Secretariat PO Box 2 High Ercall Telford Shropshire TF6 6WD

**Entries Must Arrive Before the Closing Date** - 18th May 1996.

# National Automotive Technician **Competitions 1996**

### The Applicant

Name in full

Date of Birth

**Employed** as

Home address

Postcode

Telephone

Qualifications

# The **Employer**

Company name

Address

Postcode

Telephone

Fax

**Declaration:** On behalf of the above named company, I declare that I have read the competition information and rules printed in the competition publicity leaflet and agree to abide by them. I also confirm that the company will support the applicant's involvement throughout.

Name

Signature

Position in company

Date

**Entry Form** 

Competition Category (Please Tick)

Light Vehicle Repair

**Heavy Vehicle Repair** 

**Agricultural Machinery** Repair

**Light Vehicle Body Repair** 

**Light Vehicle Painting** 

**Closing Date for Entries** 18th May 1996. Entries Should be Sent to the Address Overleaf.



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The SKILLAuto Limited Board



Automobile Association



British Agricultural & Garden Machinery Association



Centrex Training & Conference Centres



The Freight Transport Association



The Institute of the Motor Industry



The Institute of Road Transport Engineers

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Motor Industry Training Standards Council



Royal Automobile Club



Retail Motor Industry Federation



Retail Motor Industry Training



The Society of Motor
Manufacturers and Traders



Sunderland City Training & Enterprise Council



Transport & General Workers Union



Transport Training Services Limited

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The Vehicle Builders and Repairers Association