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# Spring Newsletter

## Regional Competition - Spring 2017

### Message from the Executive Director

Welcome to Skills Canada BC's Spring 2017 Newsletter. This Spring edition contains highlights of the **2017 Regional Competitions** held throughout British Columbia. The talent and the energy of the 2017 regional competitors was second to none. Enjoy!

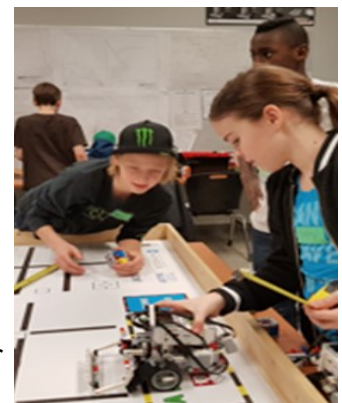
Elaine Allan, BA, MBA

### Regional Competitions

This spring, SkillsBC's 13 Regional Competitions included approximately 6000 spectators and 1850 student competitors held in communities across the province.

Regional competitions are generally held in February and March, competing in their respective communities to vie for a spot in the Provincial competitions.

Competitions include elementary, middle and secondary schools including Junior Skills events for the grade 6-9's such as Sumo Robotics, Gravity Car and Spaghetti Bridge Building.



Sumo Robotics

Many regional competitions continue to offer hands-on activities and stations such as "Try A Trade" where students can get involved and learn about potential trades and technology careers.



Spaghetti Bridge Building

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